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Thrills and Thunder Return to Beale Thousands Flock to Air & Space Expo



Legendary MiG 7 Demo at the Beale Air and Space Expo 2025. Photo by Chris Pedigo

By Shamaya Sutton

YUBA COUNTY, CA (MPG) - The sounds of freedom echoed across Yuba County skies this past weekend as Beale Air Force Base hosted its first Air and Space Expo in seven years. To kick the expo off, Marysville welcomed what might have been the city's biggest celebration yet in Veterans Park on Friday, June 6.

"It's hard to believe this is even Marysville right now," said Megan Thayer, board member of the Southwest Council of Airshows and volunteer coordinator for Beale's



The U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds streak across the sky during their rehearsal performance on Friday's DoD and media preview day at Beale Air Force Base. Photo by Shamaya Sutton

event. "Such a cool thing for the local community." Under the shade of palm trees, residents met with the elite Thunderbird crew,

making their first appearance in the Yuba-Sutter area since 2011. Fans of all ages lined up for autographs, while Mobility,

the U.S. Air Force Band of the Golden West, played a high-energy set of modern and classic hits. Friday also served as DoD and Media Day, offering military families and VIPs a sneak peek at the weekend's aerial spectacle. As early as 9 a.m., the Thunderbirds were already cutting across the sky in a special rehearsal flight.

"It was a good day," said Major Laney "Rogue" Schol, also known as Thunderbird 6 and currently the team's only female pilot. "In the morning, we actually practiced our normal formation

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Respected Yuba City Fire Chief Bids Farewell

City of Yuba City
News Release

YUBA CITY, CA (MPG) - After five years of dedicated service to the Yuba City Fire Department, Fire Chief Jesse Alexander has announced his resignation, effective July 4.

Since 2020, Alexander has served the Yuba City community with distinction and is widely respected not only for his commitment to public safety but for his genuine disposition, integrity and tireless work on emergency preparedness.

"Chief Alexander has been a stabilizing force and a pillar of excellence and humility for the Yuba City Fire Department and this city," said Mayor Dave Shaw. "We are saddened to see him go but we wish him well in all of his future endeavors."

Alexander started his career as a firefighter with CAL FIRE in the Auburn area. In 2001, Alexander joined the City of Chico Fire Department where he served for 19 years and held key operational positions on many high-profile incidents, including the Oroville Spillway Incident and the Camp Fire.

In 2020, Alexander became the Yuba City fire chief. Under Alexander's leadership, the department and the city implemented several major initiatives, including developing an Emergency Operations Plan, Continuity of Operations Plan and a complete overhaul of the city's Emergency Preparedness Program.

Going forward, Alexander will continue his service as a fire chief in Southern California for the Manhattan Beach Fire Department.

"Serving the people of Yuba City has been my honor," Alexander said. "I am incredibly grateful for the trust placed in me by the community, my first-responder family and city leadership. While I am excited for my next chapter, Yuba City will always hold a special place in my heart. Thank you for the opportunity to serve you."

Alexander's contributions to the City of Yuba City will be recognized by City Council at the City Council meeting at 6 p.m. June 17. The City of Yuba City will announce its next steps for departmental leadership in the coming weeks.

For more information regarding the City of Yuba City or the Yuba City Fire Department, visit the city's website at yubacity.net. ★

Yuba Water Agency Commits Nearly \$620,000 in Community Impact Grants

Yuba Water Agency
News Release

MARYSVILLE, CA (MPG) - Yuba Water Agency on June 3 approved nearly \$620,000 in grants for six projects focused on flood risk reduction, water supply reliability, conservation and education, along with nine grants to support first-responder agencies in Yuba County. The funding was awarded through Yuba Water's Community Impact Grant and Loan Program and the Bill Shaw Rescue Equipment and Training Grant Program.

Yuba Water approved two grants to support water supply reliability projects in the Yuba County foothills. A \$108,539 grant to North Yuba Water District will fund fencing around four rural treated water storage tanks to help safeguard water quality and storage. The tanks serve about 800 metered drinking water connections.

Camptonville Community Services District will use a \$40,960



One of 15 grants approved on June 3 by Yuba Water Agency will support in-classroom education about salmon and the Yuba River watershed, along with a guided rafting trip to see spawning salmon in the lower Yuba River. Photo courtesy of Yuba Water Agency

grant to develop an Operational Sustainability Plan to help the district become more self-sufficient and create a plan to address maintenance, funding opportunities and more. A separate \$1,841 grant will pay for a water skimmer to remove debris

from holding tanks used for drinking water.

A \$196,211 grant to the South Yuba River Citizens League will cover the cost of Salmon Expeditions for all Yuba County fourth graders. The beloved program combines classroom lessons about the Yuba

River watershed with a guided rafting trip to see spawning salmon in the lower Yuba River. Nearly 1,500 students, teachers and chaperones are expected to participate this year, more than doubling participation since 2019,

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Yuba-Sutter Fair Brings the Fun



A colorful aerial view of the Yuba-Sutter Fair Midway of Fun is captured from the top of the giant toboggan slide, offering a dazzling look at the carnival lights and evening crowds on June 21, 2024, at the Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds in Yuba City.

Story and photo by Shamaya Sutton

YUBA CITY, CA (MPG) - The Yuba-Sutter Fair is back and bigger than ever, running Thursday through Saturday, June 19 to 22, at the Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds in Yuba City. A beloved summer tradition, the fair promises four days of high-energy entertainment, live music, thrilling rides, animal showcases, and fun for all ages.

Making their debut on the fair’s music stage this year, the Josh Day Band brings a fresh mix of modern country and timeless classic rock. Their lively performances are scheduled for Thursday and Friday evenings. Fans can also enjoy nightly live music throughout the weekend from crowd favorites like Michele Lambert, Gas Station Chicken, Township Band, Radio Ready Band, and Skynyrd Nation.

For those looking for high-octane excitement, the grandstands will be packed with action all weekend. On Friday night, the Yuba-Sutter Fair will host Micro Mania Wrestling, featuring professional “micro wrestlers” in a high-energy, hard-hitting show that’s making its debut at this year’s fair. Gates open at 6:00 p.m. with the show starting at 7:00 p.m.

On Saturday, the roar of engines takes over with Extreme Truck Madness at 7:30 p.m., featuring mud bogs and tuff truck racing.

To wrap things up, the Día Hispano celebration kicks off at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday with bull riding and live Latin music by Viera y su Banda.

The fairgrounds will be packed with family-friendly attractions throughout the week. Returning favorites include carnival rides, Sea Lion Splash, Flow the Clown, All Alaskan Racing Pigs and much more.

Each day of the Yuba-Sutter Fair brings its own flavor of fun, with themed celebrations and special events to keep fairgoers entertained from start to finish. Thursday kicks off opening day with “Thrifty Thursday” pricing, meaning \$5 general admission.

Visitors can enjoy the Mini-Miss, Miss Teen, and Miss Yuba-Sutter pageants on the main stage at 5:30 p.m., followed by the Supreme Champion Drive livestock showcase at 8:00 p.m.

Friday is Kid’s Day, offering free admission for children 11 and under, along with a classic pie-eating contest sure to delight spectators.

Saturday honors local seniors with free admission and a light-hearted corn dog eating contest. On Sunday, the fair wraps up with Military and First Responder Appreciation Day, featuring a festive taco eating contest. All eating contests throughout the fair are hosted by the always-entertaining Flo the Clown, adding an extra dash of humor to each competition.

The fair is located at 442 Franklin Avenue in Yuba City. The gates open at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday and Friday, and at noon on Saturday and Sunday. Entry closes one hour before closing time each night. Early bird admission and carnival wristband deals are available now at ysfair.com. ★

Penstock Pipe Arrives at Yuba Water’s Facilities After 600-Mile Journey



A 14-foot-wide section of penstock pipe arrived safely at Yuba Water Agency’s facilities in the Yuba County foothills. Photo courtesy of Yuba Water Agency

Yuba Water Agency News Release

MARYSVILLE, CA (MPG) - A 14-foot-wide section of penstock pipe arrived safely at Yuba Water Agency’s facilities in the Yuba County foothills on June 6, marking the successful completion of a complex, multi-day journey for the oversized pipe. The penstock section is a critical part of Yuba Water’s upcoming improvements to its Colgate Tunnel and penstock pipe system, which convey water from New Bullards Bar Reservoir to New Colgate Powerhouse for hydropower generation, flood risk reduction and water supply.

“This marks a major milestone as we prepare

for one of the biggest infrastructure upgrades since we built the Yuba River Development Project in the 1960s,” said Aaron Esselman, a senior hydro engineer with Yuba Water and the lead on the penstock fabrication and transport.

The pipe was custom fabricated over several years at a specialized facility in Southern California. From there, it began a more than 600-mile journey to Yuba County, traveling through dozens of jurisdictions, including San Bernardino, Inyo, Mono, Ormsby, Washoe, Lassen, Shasta and Butte counties.

The final leg of the route departed from north of Chico after 10 a.m. on June 6 and

passed through Oroville and Marysville before reaching Dobbins in the afternoon. The California Highway Patrol escorted the delivery, which avoided major highways and cities by traveling on smaller roads, including State Routes 99, 162, 70 and 20, as well as Marysville and Lake Francis roads.

Local utility crews supported the effort by adjusting overhead power lines along the route. While there were some minor traffic delays, the delivery was completed without incident.

To learn more about Yuba Water’s Colgate Tunnel and Penstock Improvements Project, visit engage.yubawater.org/colgate-tunnel. ★

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the first year Yuba Water funded the program for Yuba County students.

“Thanks to Yuba Water’s continued support, we’re able to give every fourth-grader in Yuba County a chance to experience the Yuba River and see salmon in the wild,” said Monique Streit, South Yuba River Citizens League’s education director. “For many of these kids, it’s their first time on a raft or seeing a river up close. These are lessons that deepen their connection to science, nature and their home watershed, and really leave a lasting impact.”

An additional \$20,000 grant to the Olivehurst Public Utility District will help cover operational costs and provide water safety education at the county’s only public swimming pool. The pool, located in Olivehurst and open from June through August, offers a supervised alternative to the Yuba and Feather rivers, which are cold, fast-moving and unsafe for swimming in the summer. Yuba County also contributed matching funds for this season.

An \$87,500 grant to Reclamation District 784 will help cover the cost of replacing a relief well along the Bear River. Reclamation District 784 will cover the additional cost of the \$175,000 project. Relief wells reduce pressure under levees during high water, helping prevent erosion or failure and are critical to meeting levee safety standards. Reclamation District 784

covers more than 40,500 acres of land and includes more than 33 miles of levees, 60 miles of internal drainage canals, 82 relief wells and 10 pumping stations east of the Feather River.

Yuba Water awarded nine Bill Shaw grants totaling \$164,714. The grants are exclusively for first-responder agencies serving Yuba County and the Yuba River watershed and cover one-time costs each fiscal year related to rescue equipment or specialized training connected to Yuba Water’s missions.

A summary of this year’s Bill Shaw grantees is below.

Yuba-Sutter Trauma Intervention Program received \$11,120 for updated equipment, safety gear and education

Foothill Fire Protection District received \$15,208 for radios and charging bases and battery-powered tripod lights

Yuba County Sheriff’s Office received \$18,977 for drones to support the Sheriff’s Unmanned Aircraft System team with safety and mapping

Linda Fire Protection District received \$19,225 for a drone to aid with water rescues

Dobbins Oregon House received \$20,000 for fire rescue systems equipment

Yuba County Mounted Sheriff’s Posse received \$20,000 for weatherproof jackets and pants for search and rescue missions, recoveries and evacuations

Camptonville Volunteer Fire Department received \$20,000 for radios and pagers

Smartsville Fire Protection District received \$20,000 to purchase updated personal protective equipment that meet current state and federal safety standards


Wheatland Fire Authority received \$20,184 for portable radios

“These grants are game changers for first responders,” said Kyle Heggstrom, chief of the Linda Fire Protection District. “This program makes it possible for us to buy equipment and get training that we desperately need.”

The grants approved today are part of Yuba Water’s Community Impact Grant and Loan Program. Formalized in 2020, the program supports projects that align with the agency’s mission areas, with a goal of improving the quality of life for the people of Yuba County.

Nonprofit organizations, tribes and other government agencies can apply for funding to support projects related to flood risk reduction, water supply and management, watershed resilience, water education and conservation. Applications are accepted from Feb. 1 through March 31, except those related to Yuba Water’s core missions of water supply and flood risk reduction, which are accepted year-round. Learn more at yubawater.org.

Learn more about how Yuba Water Agency is powering a brighter future for Yuba County at yubawater.org. ★



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10,000 American Flags to Be Retired During Flag Day



Volunteers carefully handle one of the Legion’s oversized American flags during preparations for an upcoming event. The massive banners are used for display on special occasions and are part of a broader effort to honor and retire more than 10,000 flags this Flag Day. Photo courtesy of Mark Carlson

By Shamaya Sutton

SUTTER, CA (MPG) - In what organizers describe as one of the largest ceremonial flag retirements in the region, American Legion Post 705 will retire approximately 10,000 American flags during its upcoming Flag Day Ceremony at 10 a.m. June 14 at Sutter Cemetery, 7200 Butte Ave. in Sutter.

Flag Day marks the anniversary of the Continental Congress's adoption of the stars and stripes on June 14, 1777. It is widely observed as a day to properly dispose of worn, faded or tattered American flags, typically through burning or burial, in accordance with the U.S. Flag Code.

Leading the ceremony will be Commander Mark Carlson, who encourages the public to attend and witness the solemn retirement of one flag as part of the official program. The remaining flags will be respectfully retired afterward under the supervision of Boy Scout Troop 7050 and the local fire department.

Among the thousands of flags to be retired this year are eight massive garrison flags, the type used by the U.S. Army, each measuring 20 feet by 38 feet.

“Some of the flags are made of nylon and you can't burn them due to the toxic fumes,”

Carlson said. “For those, we’ve built special coffins and will be burying them in unmarked graves.”

Carlson noted that few formal Flag Day ceremonies take place in the region, leaving many residents uncertain about how to properly dispose of their flags. Over the years, his team has collected flags from as far as 50 miles away and received some by mail from Oregon State.

“This all started as an Eagle Scout project about five years ago,” Carlson said. “We saw the need and we’ve kept it going ever since.”

Flag drop-off locations are available year-round with the Sutter Cemetery Office at 7200 Butte Ave., Sutter; the New Earth Market at 1475 Tharp Road, Yuba City; the Grange Co-op at 1262 Stabler Lane, Yuba City; the Sutter County Elections Office at 1435 Veterans Memorial Circle, Yuba City; and the Live Oak Cemetery at 3545 Pennington Road, Live Oak.

In addition to the upcoming Flag Day event, Carlson said he also hopes to raise awareness of the legion’s two giant 40-by-80-foot flags, which are available for display at special events.

For more information, or to request the use of the large flags, contact Mark Carlson at (530) 701-3914. ★

Yuba City Mayor Addresses Recent Leadership Turnover

By Shamaya Sutton

YUBA CITY, CA (MPG) - Since January, the City of Yuba City has seen the departure of several key department heads, prompting questions from some residents about leadership stability and the city’s direction. But according to Mayor Dave Shaw, the timing of these exits is more coincidence than crisis.

“If you want to call it the perfect storm for things to line up, we had retirements, we had moving, personnel matters, it’s just been part of the normal business cycle,” said Shaw. “A lot of our E-team all-kind of came in together and are all kind of going out about the same time, so we kind of knew it was coming and that year hit.”

Departures from city leadership include City Manager Diana Langley, Director of Public Works and Development Ben Moody, Police Chief Brian Baker, Human Resources Director Natalie Springer and Financial Director Spencer Morrison.

For some background, Shaw said that Langley had already planned to relocate to Colorado at the end of the year and stumbled upon a position in her field near where she was moving. Moody, a Sutter County native, opted to accept a city manager position in Live Oak closer to home rather than apply for the top job in Yuba City.

Several interim leaders have since stepped in to help guide the city through this transitional period.

These departures come amid broader concerns about recruitment and retention in the region. In past years, Sutter County has struggled to compete with neighboring agencies on wages and benefits, a point that drove last year’s failed Measure D tax proposal. However, Shaw said these recent resignations were less about compensation and more about personal transitions.

“This isn’t an apples-to-apples comparison,” Shaw said. “It’s more about personal career advancement or lifestyle choices.”

Shaw emphasized that the city is taking proactive steps to stay on track, despite the leadership shakeup.

“We went into this situation with a



Yuba City Mayor Dave Shaw, elected in 2018, is a U.S. Air Force veteran, tax expert and local business leader. He is known for his focus on public safety, transparency and supporting small businesses through both civic and professional work. Photo courtesy of Yuba City

little over 300 employees, I call them team members, and it’s very important to us to maintain the 300 coming out the backside.”

The city has initiated a soft hiring freeze and Yuba City Council members are now working closely with Interim City Manager Robert Bendorf to form a plan moving forward.

Shaw also clarified that the City Council only hires two roles directly: the city manager and the city attorney. It’ll be up to the city manager to make departmental appointments, including whether to promote from within or hire externally.

“Stay tuned, because whatever our course of action is going to be, it should be forthcoming in the weeks and months ahead,” added Shaw.

Even in transition, Shaw said that there is room to be optimistic. Rather than seeing the leadership shuffle as a loss, some might view it as a new wave of opportunity with room to progress on the proverbial “corporate ladder.”

“As far as I’m concerned, the glass is always half full,” said Shaw. ★

Families Brave the Heat for Music, Wrestling and Tradition

By Shamaya Sutton

YUBA CITY, CA (MPG) - The season’s first major heat wave pushed temperatures to a sweltering 101 degrees on Saturday, May 31, but it wasn’t enough to keep crowds from turning out to two of the region’s largest community events: the annual Summer Stroll in Yuba City and the Yuba-Sutter Pow Wow in Marysville.

Hosted at Yuba Community College’s Marysville campus, this year’s Pow Wow chose “Honoring Families” as its central theme, welcoming dancers, drummers and community members for two full days of celebration, workshops and intertribal connections. From Grand Entry to competitive dancing and student activities, the event fostered cultural pride and togetherness. A few shaded areas offered relief from the scorching sun as dancers of all ages filled the circle in traditional regalia while spectators cheered them on. Hosted by the American Indian Education Program of the Marysville Joint Unified School District and the college’s own NASA (Native American Student Association), the event remained open and free to the public, with contests, storytelling and a strong emphasis on cultural education.

Meanwhile, downtown Yuba City pulsed with music, vendors and foot traffic during the evening hours for the Summer Stroll, but it was the PCW Wrestling matches on Center Street that



Young dancers in traditional regalia participate in a youth competition at the annual Yuba-Sutter Pow Wow, held May 31 at the Yuba Community College Marysville campus. Photo by Chris Pedigo

stole the show. Wrestling fans packed the area to catch high-energy matches, including a main event featuring PCW founder and CEO Zack Reeb. Also popular were indoor acoustic sets at Hooligans Bar & Bistro and the ever-popular resident iguana “Levi” from Gaiser Pets who relished the heat while mingling with visitors. Kids explored booths offering vintage race cars and 3D-printed toys, while local law enforcement joined the fun with a push-up contest near the cornhole area. ★



A packed crowd surrounds the wrestling ring during a headline match featuring Zach Reeb at the Summer Stroll on May 31 in Yuba City. Photo by Shamaya Sutton

A Trophy for Officer Brooks and Bailey

By Sutter County Sheriffs Office

SUTTER COUNTY, CA (MPG) - Correctional Officer Ethan Brooks and K-9 Bailey proudly represented the Sutter County K-9 Association and the Sutter County Sheriff’s Office at the 2025 K-9 Duke Memorial Trial, hosted by the San Joaquin County Sheriff’s Office in Linden on May 31.

We’re thrilled to share that this dedicated duo earned second place in the Narcotics Detection for the vehicle category. Their strong performance reflects countless hours of training, hard work and an unwavering commitment to excellence. ★



K-9 Officer Bailey earned second place with Correctional Officer Ethan Brooks at the 2025 K-9 Duke Memorial Trial on May 31, representing the Sutter County K-9 Association and the Sutter County Sheriff’s Office. Photo courtesy of the Sutter County Sheriff’s Office

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Community Calendar

Yuba County Library

Yuba County Library has the following upcoming events at Health & Human Services, 5730 Packard Ave., Marysville (location may vary, as noted):

Friday, June 13: Touch-a-Truck, 10 a.m. to noon at 915 8th St., Marysville. Since our building is under renovation, we will be taking over part of the Yuba County Government Center’s parking lot. It will be full of various vehicles: a fire truck, the Sheriff’s K-9 unit, a garbage truck, army vehicles, police cars and more. The event is free and open to children of all ages, no registration necessary.

Monday, June 16: Community Helper story time with Elias Mendoza from Yuba City’s Office of Emergency Services, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Yuba County Government Center, 915 8th St., Marysville. Mr. Mendoza will read books and share tips on how to be prepared for emergencies. Afterward, we’ll make a craft to go along with one of the books. Don’t miss out, register in advance. The “Hunger Games District Battle”, 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at 915 8th St., Marysville. Get ready to channel your inner tribute and battle it out in a competition inspired by “The Hunger Games”. Open to kids and teens 9 years and older must register to compete.

Tuesday, June 17: Move with “Moana”, 10 a.m. to noon. Sing along to your favorite tunes, enjoy an island adventure story, and jump, dance, and move with Moana. Plus, get creative with a fun, ocean-themed arts and crafts activity.

Wednesday, June 18: “Big Dog and Little Dog Going for a Walk” story time with community helper Lovedeep Bains, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Ms. Bains will also share information about the mobility zones project for the Yuba-Sutter area, and you can have a voice in the places you go that need safer walking, biking, and bus paths. Open for caregivers and their kids ages 0 to 10, register to attend.

Thursday, June 19: First 5 story time, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., registration is required.

Friday, June 20: Pajama Party, 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at 915 8th St., Marysville. Cozy up in your favorite PJs and bring a stuffed animal friend to our fun pajama party. There will be crafts, games, a scavenger hunt, and more. Every child that attends will receive a free gift, courtesy of Yuba County Health and Human Services. For ages 6 to 12, must register in advance.

Call 530-749-7380 for more information or email library@co.yuba.ca.us

Sutter County Library, at 750 Forbes Ave., Yuba City, has the following upcoming events. Call 530-930-2315 for more information on general library offerings.

Friday, June 13: Free family farmer’s market and “Help Me Grow” event, 11 a.m. to noon.

Tuesday, June 17: Kid’s create craft time, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. This week, participants will design their own bag. Supplies are limited and may be substituted as necessary.

Fridays, June 13, 20 and 27

Fun Fridays in the Garden, 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at Artisan Community Garden, 1333 Butte House Rd., Yuba City. Free for kids of all ages, come help water our community garden, pick produce, cook in the mud kitchen, enjoy book readings and be creative with garden, art, and sensory activities. Not a drop-off event; guardian must be present with child.

Saturday, June 14

Second Saturday movie night, 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. at Olivehurst Community Park, 1966 9th Ave., Olivehurst. Come out, bring your lawn chairs and your treats and come enjoy a night under the stars as we watch some awesome movies on the big screen. Showing begins 15 minutes after dusk.

Bounce into summer, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Playzeum Yuba-Sutter, 1980 S. Walton Ave., Yuba City. Get ready for the bounciest kickoff to summer, ever! Join us for a free, fun-filled day the whole family will love. At 10 a.m. sharp, we’re dropping 1,000 bouncy balls from the top of a big truck ladder, creating a rainstorm of bouncing fun that kids of all ages won’t want to miss. More information at 530-763-5134.

Thursday, June 19 through Sunday, June 22

Yuba-Sutter Fair, 442 Franklin Ave., Yuba City. Whether you attend to enjoy the exhibits, food and entertainment, or participate in competitions, the fair can be a magical and memorable experience for all ages. Full schedule of events online at www.ysfair.com or call 530-674-1280 for more information.

Friday, June 20

Music in the Park, 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Washington Square Park, 429 10th St., Marysville. The Yuba County Office of Education and Blue Zones Project Yuba-Sutter invite you and your family to join us for an evening of live music, delicious offerings from local food trucks, games and activities for all ages, and the opportunity to shop fresh, seasonal produce from local vendors.

Saturday, June 21

Morning in the Garden, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Artisan Community Garden,

1333 Butte House Rd., Yuba City. Join us for outdoor exploration through sensory, science, art and nutrition activities. For families and friends of children with special needs, ages 0 to 22. This month, it’s all about water: enjoy a sprinkler splash zone, make a mini boat or create squirt gun art and experience fruit-infused water. For more information, contact Leanne@familysoup.org or call 530-751-1925, extension 110.

Saturday, June 21

Juneteenth in Marysville, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. at Yuba Park. Bring the family, bring chairs and some shade. We have guest speakers and local entertainment lined up. There will be games for children and adults to play throughout the day. For more information, or to be a participating member of the event, contact marysville-juneteenth530@gmail.com

Saturday, June 21

Yuba City Toy-Anime-Comic Con, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Yuba City Moose Lodge, 205 S. Walton Ave. Dress to impress, there will be a Cosplay Costume contest at 2:30 p.m., sign up near the Admissions table. All ages welcome, tickets and more information at www.ohanacomicon.com

Wednesday, June 25

Bingo for Boomsticks, doors open at 5:30 p.m., bingo starts at 6:45 p.m. at the Five30 Event Center, 1104 J St., Marysville. This event, supporting Yuba-Sutter Ducks Unlimited, features 11 rounds of bingo and every round wins a gun. Food and beverages will be available for purchase, bingo cards sold separately. Tickets available at www.norcaldy.org

Friday, June 27

Professional Clothing Giveaway, noon to 6 p.m. at the Be Xtra Community Center, 1251 E. Onstott Rd., Yuba City. The Rotary Club of Marysville is collecting professional clothing, shoes and accessories between now and June 25. On June 27, the Rotary is hosting this special pop-up clothing giveaway. For anyone prepping for a job interview or trying to improve their professional life, drop by to get set up for success. For more information, text 530-788-8779.

Saturday, June 28

Car and Bike Show and Sound Off Competition, 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Foothill Lions Club of Loma Rica, 5667 Fruitland Rd., Marysville. Vintage cars and custom motorcycles, plus an extreme car and bike audio competition. You’ll also find a swap meet, food vendors, audio merchandise vendors, and more. Something for everybody in a nice park-like setting. More information at www.foothilllions.com

Meeting Minders

Ongoing Activities (Current as of publication, please verify schedule with the organization):

American Legion Post 42 meets the second Monday each month at 211 17th St., Marysville. For more information, call 530-743-0948.

Art Fix and Mix, 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Mondays each month at Burrows Center for the Arts, 624 E St., Marysville. Join us for a social time for all artists to spend time with like-minded people. Work on or show your art, talk film with a friend, spend time exploring literary genres. More information at 530-742-ARTS. Next event will be June 16.

Artisan Community Garden, Fun Fridays in the Garden at the Sutter County Museum, 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., 1333 Butte House Rd., Yuba City. Free open play for kids of all ages Fridays in June and July (except July 4). Come help water our community garden, pick produce, cook in the mud kitchen, enjoy book readings and be creative. Not a drop-off event; guardian must be present with child. More information at www.suttercountymuseum.org

Harmony Market resource fair and fresh produce giveaway, last Monday of the month at Yuba College, between building 200 and the parking lot. This giveaway is brought to you by Harmony Health, the Yuba Sutter Food Bank and the Blue Zones Project Yuba-Sutter. Explore a wide range of services and programs designed to support your well-being and take home free locally sourced fresh produce while supplies last. Next market date is Monday, June 30.

Marysville City Council meeting, 6 p.m. first and third Tuesday each month. The next meeting will be Tuesday June 17.

Rotary Club of Yuba City meets Wednesdays at noon at the Harvest Room, 1475 Sharp Rd., Yuba City.

Sutter County Board of Supervisors meeting, 3 p.m., second and fourth Tuesday each month, in the council chambers, 1201 Civic Center Blvd., Yuba City. The next meeting will be Tuesday, June 24.

City Council meetings for Yuba City, 6 p.m., first and third Tuesday each month in the council chamber at City Hall, 1201 Civic Center Blvd. Call 530-822-4817 for more information. The next meeting will be Tuesday, June 17.

Yuba County Board of Supervisors meeting, 9 a.m., second and fourth Tuesday each month, in the board chambers, 915 8th St., Marysville. The next meeting will be Tuesday, June 24.

Nevada County Concert Band Launches Summer Series



The Nevada County Concert Band kicks off its beloved “Pioneer Park Picnic Pops” summer concert series with a lively and free outdoor performance. Photo courtesy of Nevada County Concert Band

Nevada County Concert Band News Release

NEVADA COUNTY, CA (MPG)

- The Nevada County Concert Band kicks off its beloved “Pioneer Park Picnic Pops” summer concert series with a lively and free outdoor performance on Sunday, June 22, from 5 to 6:30 p.m. at the Pioneer Park bandshell, located at Park and Nimrod streets in Nevada City.

Under the direction of Cheryl Woldseth, the 60-member community band will present a program themed “California: Concept” in celebration of the 175th anniversary of California statehood. Audiences can expect

an entertaining evening of toe-tapping marches, iconic film scores, popular tunes, standout soloists, and more.

Concertgoers are encouraged to bring lawn chairs or blankets and enjoy a picnic dinner or visit on-site vendors offering hot dogs and ice cream. The venue is wheelchair accessible, and leashed dogs are welcome.

Admission is free and no tickets are required. Donations to support the nonprofit band are appreciated and can be made at the event or through the band’s website at www.nccb.org.

The summer series continues with two more themed concerts at Pioneer Park July 27,

with presenting the theme “Ability” and Aug. 24, with the theme “Worth.”

Additional upcoming performances by the Nevada County Concert Band are as follows.

July 4, Independence Day Curbside Concert, downtown Grass Valley, in front of Sergio’s Café.

Aug. 9, Pops Concert at the Fair, Pine Tree Stage, Nevada County Fairgrounds (time TBD).

Aug. 31, Labor Day Picnic Pops Concert at Lake Wildwood’s Bugler Cove (residents only).

Sept. 20, Constitution Day Pops Concert, downtown Nevada City on Pine Street, 4:30 to 6 p.m.

For more information or to learn how to join the band, visit www.nccb.org.★



Concertgoers are encouraged to bring lawn chairs or blankets and enjoy a picnic dinner or visit on-site vendors offering hot dogs and ice cream. Photo courtesy of Nevada County Concert Band



California Weighs Hollywood Tax Credit Boost after Denying One to Farms

California lawmakers are weighing a proposal from Gov. Gavin Newsom to more than double the state’s \$330 million film and television tax credit to protect jobs in Hollywood. The move comes just weeks after a state Senate committee rejected a bill that would have created a more modest tax credit to support struggling farms and farmworkers by reimbursing the cost of overtime wages. “The Legislature elected to ignore our arguments about putting more money in the pockets of farmworkers,” said Bryan Little, chief operating officer of Farm Employers Labor Service and senior director of policy advocacy at the California Farm Bureau.

Farmers Suspect Heat Waves is to Blame for Light Cherry Crop

California cherry growers are harvesting a lighter crop this year, with farmers in parts of the state blaming the reduced yield on the heat wave last summer and poor pollination this spring. San Joaquin County Agricultural Commissioner Kamal Bagri requested a disaster declaration after estimating the county’s crop was about 43% less than the five-year average, amounting to roughly a \$100 million loss. Donald Drake, who grows cherries near Linden, said the quality of his fruit was excellent, but yields were down 50%. “The fruit I had, I wished I had more of,” Drake said.

Farm Bureau Program Pairs New Farmers with Seasoned Mentors

Beginning farmers and their more experienced peers are forging fulfilling partnerships through a year-old mentorship program run by the California Farm Bureau’s California Bountiful Foundation and supported by state and federal funding. Launched in spring 2024, the Expanding Our Roots program aims to help newcomers navigate the complexities of farming and ranching by giving them access to seasoned pros who can share the knowledge they’ve gained through years of trial and error, said Tyler Rood, senior project specialist at the foundation and the program’s coordinator.

California Farmers Voice Concerns in Advocacy Effort at State Capitol

California Farm Bureau members from across the state traveled to the state Capitol last month to advocate on issues such as the conservation of farmland and clean water laws, as well as regulatory burdens farmers face. “This is one of the most important things we do,” Chris Reardon, vice president of policy advocacy at the California Farm Bureau, said of the annual advocacy effort. “While we have a policy team up here on a regular basis, in all honesty, the most effective communicators of our issues are the members themselves.”★

Kings Korner

By V.G. Harris



Thing must change in Kingstown, and in truth they have already begun.

Replacing Monte McNair with Scott Perry was a beginning, but it marked a moment that says to every Kings fan that the organization realizes that their leadership is not cutting the mustard. That is an understatement, and much must change if the pathway to success is going to be realized.

What is the goal of the fans, and do the fans have the same goal as that of the organization? I'm not entirely sure, but I'll give you my goal for this organization.

I want to see a perennial playoff team. Not the team that made the playoffs once in the past 18 years. If there's anything that must change it's the mindset that the Kings can be competitive but just miss the playoffs, and that somehow that equates to an acceptable season. That should not and cannot be the mantel for a successful franchise.

The Kings need leadership, on and off the court that hate's losing and won't stand for it. That means the front office, the players and it certainly means ownership.

First, can we all stop for just a moment and watch what's taking place on national television right before our eyes?

Two small market teams that are facing off in the NBA finals.

Aside from Shai Gilgeous-Alexander I'm not sure there is another superstar on either of these two teams, yet they both have outlasted the best the NBA has to offer, and one of these small market franchises will soon hoist the Larry Obrien trophy.

Both franchises embody the "slow and steady wins the race" philosophy, but there's more to it. They stay true to basketball's team concept, relying on role players who excel at their specific tasks. It's about selfless play and finding players who buy into that can be tough.

Although both teams have won a game, and the series is currently tied, OKC remains as overwhelming favorite.

No question Shai Gilgeous-Alexander is a difference maker, but if one player on OKC stands out, it's Chet Holmgren. This 7-foot multi-talented big man continues to get better year over year and is giving fans and organization alike reason to smile and applaud the fact that he was taken #2

overall in the 2022 draft by OKC.

Yes, teams can get better by judging talent accurately and building a team from within.

Trading for talent and building a playoff team isn't a crime. Recognizing and selecting the right players is crucial for any NBA franchise. For the Sacramento Kings, the biggest challenge remains overcoming this and that means getting ownership out of the drafting combine.

Everyone understands that owners have input, but they must trust the experts they've hired. It's unfair to both the staff and fans when an owner overrides those dedicated to building a playoff team. This must stop and should never have been the case.

Currently the Kings have no first round draft choice in what many consider to be a rich draft class, and general manager Scott Perry is not giving any indications as to whether he will orchestrate a trade to join the party.

Mark your calendars Kings fans for June 25 as all eyes will be on the Dallas Mavericks as they kick off the 2025 NBA draft.

Do the Kings absolutely need to have a first-round pick. No, and if they must wait for the 42nd pick it won't be the end of the world.

What is more important is how Scott Perry and his staff envision the current team as it's assembled.

My hope is that Domantas Sabonis and his comrade Jonas Valanciunas will be wearing Kings jerseys when the regular season begins. Build around these two big men that have already proven their worth as NBA players. Go out and find a point guard that can mentor the Kings first round pick of a year ago, Devin Carter, and start the process of building from within just like OKC and the Pacers have done.

Enjoy the NBA finals Kings fans but pay close attention. Superstars in not the order of the day, so don't lose heart. There is talent on the squad of the Sacramento Kings. Now it's time to access it with clear eyes and not be too impatient.

All the best!
Your thoughts are always welcome at
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Social Security Matters

Social Security Questions

Asked Over Coffee



By Russell Gloor,
AMAC Certified Social
Security Advisor

Dear Rusty: My coffee conversations among a group of friends have resulted in several questions about Social Security:

1. What happens to the Social Security account of someone who dies before retirement age. What happens to that money and where does it end up?

2. How does the decreased birth rate of the USA affect future Social Security benefits?

3. Is a person who has never contributed to the Social Security System entitled to any benefits from the Social Security Administration?

4. Is there a central location online that a person can access that explains the history and current status of the Social Security System, that explains all of it in simple terms. I would like to be able to give this location to people I talk with about Social Security.

Most of the articles we read are like slogging through mud! I enjoy AMAC articles and am college educated, but the average reading level in the US is less than 6th grade. Thank you for considering these questions. *Signed: Curious Reader*

Dear Curious: Thank you for your readership, and I'll be happy to tackle your "over coffee" questions about Social Security:

1. Social Security is a "pay

as you go" program, where all money collected from workers is used to pay benefits for all those who are currently receiving Social Security. In other words, all money contributed is used to pay benefits to others already receiving benefits. It is not put into a separate account for each person, and that is a good thing. Most people get more from Social Security than they ever contributed, but benefits are paid for life, regardless of how long one lives. The specific answer to your question is that if someone dies before retirement age, the money contributed has already been used to pay benefits to others. Keep in mind though, that a surviving spouse or minor or disabled adult child may also collect benefits on a deceased person's Social Security record.

2. The decreasing birth rate in the US hurts Social Security. That's because fewer babies mean fewer future workers contributing to the Social Security program. FYI, in 1950 there were about 15 workers contributing to SS for every one person collecting benefits, but today there are less than 3 workers for each SS beneficiary. That problem is exacerbated by the steadily increasing U.S. life expectancy. Beneficiaries are now often collecting SS benefits for decades from a program designed to pay benefits for only a few years.

3. Only those who have worked and contributed to Social Security through payroll taxes for about 10 years (40 quarters of SS credit) are eligible to collect SS Retirement benefits. However, some dependent spouses and/or dependent minor or dependent disabled children who have never worked might also be eligible for benefits from the worker's Social Security record. Along

with each U.S. state, the SSA also administers another program, known as Supplement Security Income (SSI), on behalf of the federal government. However, federal "SSI" benefits are not paid with Social Security funds. "SSI" is a separate government benefit program, with federal benefits paid from the general U.S. Treasury.

4. There are lots of places to get information about Social Security, but I suggest you start at our AMAC Foundation Social Security information website, which can be found at www.socialsecurityreport.org. Here you will find numerous articles about Social Security, retirement, Medicare, etc., as well as all the Ask Rusty articles I have published weekly over the last 8 years. You can also find excellent Social Security information on our AMAC Foundation main website, www.amacfoundation.org. And, of course, you can always ask any questions you have via email to ssadvisor@amacfoundation.org. Or, if you prefer, you can just call us on 1.888.750.2622 if you have questions about Social Security or about Medicare enrollment.

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California's Economy Is Just Limping Along



By Dan Walters,
CALMatters.org

Gavin Newsom loves to boast about the state he governs, claiming that California is No.1 in some category or that the state is leading in some economic or cultural activity.

Sometimes his boasts crumble in the face of reality, such as his 2022 declaration that the state budget had a \$97.5 billion surplus and "no other state in American history has ever experienced a surplus as large as this."

It was later revealed that the surplus claim was based on revenue estimates that were wrong by \$165 billion over four years, leading to multibillion-dollar budget deficits.

Undeterred, Newsom has continued his boastful ways. A few weeks ago bragged that California, were it a nation, now has the world's fourth-largest economy at \$4.1 trillion, edging out Japan.

"California isn't just keeping pace with the world — we're setting the pace," Newsom cheered. "Our economy is thriving because we invest in people, prioritize sustainability and believe in the power of innovation."

Actually, California's edge over Japan is more the result of currency exchange

calculations rather than productivity, but \$4.1 trillion is still a big number. Unfortunately, its size masks the darker reality that, by many measures, California is doing no better than treading water.

As the Legislature's budget analyst, Gabe Petek, said in a report on California's budget situation late last year, "California's economy has been in an extended slowdown for the better part of two years, characterized by a soft labor market and weak consumer spending."

"While this slowdown has been gradual and the severity milder than a recession, a look at recent economic data paints a picture of a sluggish economy. Outside of government and health care, the state has added no jobs in a year and a half."

What Petek described six months ago is still true, as recent employment data indicate. In April, the state's unemployment rate, 5.3%, was higher than all but two other states, Michigan and Nevada, and it's been stuck at that elevated relative position for several years.

"Since February 2020, the state's labor force has grown by just 126,100 workers, a 0.6% increase," Beacon Economics said in an analysis of the April data, adding, "This slower growth is being driven largely by the state's chronic housing shortage and the retirement of aging workers."

Justin Niakamal, Beacon's research manager says "it's difficult to see how California will be able to break out of its slow-growth cycle when there has been virtually no increase in housing production. This is

an elemental problem that is impacting the state's ability to grow its population, industry and economy."

A major indication of California's relatively moribund economy is what has been happening in the San Francisco Bay Area's technology industry, a sector that, in essence, has been propping up the entire state in recent years.

Having expanded during the COVID-19 pandemic to serve those confined to their homes and working remotely, the industry has been shedding jobs month by month.

While Newsom cited numbers from the federal Bureau of Labor Statistics in claiming that California now had the globe's fourth-largest economy, he didn't trumpet a recent bureau study that underscores the state's poor employment picture. California has more than a million unemployed workers. The new bureau report reveals that the ratio of jobless workers to job openings is the highest of any state, 1.6 jobseekers for every one open job.

To put that data point another way, if every job opening in California were to be filled, we'd still have hundreds of thousands of Californians on the unemployment rolls.

That's nothing to brag about.

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



Don't fear AI

ChatGPT is coming for your job.

That's the fear about the rapid advances in artificial intelligence.

In a headline the other day, Axios warned of a "white-collar bloodbath." The CEO of the artificial intelligence firm Anthropic told the publication that AI could destroy half of all entry-level, white-collar jobs in the next one to five years and drive the unemployment rate up to 10-20%, or roughly Great Depression levels.

This sounds dire, but we've been here before. In the 1930s, John Maynard Keynes thought that labor-saving devices were "outrunning the pace at which we can find new uses for labor." Analysts thought the same thing in the 1960s, when John F. Kennedy warned "the automation problem is as important as any we face," and in our era, too.

If a prediction has been consistently wrong, it doesn't necessarily mean that it will forever be wrong. Still, we shouldn't have much confidence in the same alarmism, repeated for the same reasons. If technological advance was really a net killer of jobs, the labor market should have been in decline since the invention of the wheel.

Instead, we live in a time of technological marvels, and the unemployment rate is 4.2%. Rob Atkinson of

the Information Technology and Innovation Foundation points out that the average unemployment rate in the United States hasn't changed much over the last century, despite productivity -- the ability to produce more with the same inputs -- increasing almost 10 times.

Technology increases productivity, driving down costs and making it possible to invest and spend on other things, creating new jobs that replace the old. This is the process of a society becoming wealthier, and it's why nations that innovate are better off than those that don't.

The rise of personal computers collapsed the demand for typists and word processors. These positions were often held by women. Did this decimate the economic prospects of women in America? No, they got different, and frequently better, jobs. Spreadsheets drastically reduced the demand for bookkeepers and accounting clerks. Did this end the profession of accounting? No, there was an increase in more sophisticated accounting roles.

The job market has never been stuck in amber. The MIT economist David Autor co-authored a study that found that the majority of current jobs are in occupational categories that arose since 1940.

It's true that artificial intelligence is projected to affect white-collar jobs -- computer programming, consulting, law and the like -- more than prior waves of technological change. But these kinds of jobs shouldn't be immune from the effects of automation any more than factory

work has been. AI will end up augmenting many jobs -- helping workers become more efficient -- and there will be a limit to how much it can encroach on human work.

It's hard to imagine, say, Meta ever giving over its legal representation in an antitrust case to artificial intelligence. Lawyers handling such a case will, however, rely on AI for more and more support, diminishing the need for junior lawyers.

This will be a significant disruption for the legal profession, yet legal services will also become cheaper and more widely available, in a benefit to everyone else.

There's no doubt that the changes wrought by technology can be painful, and it's possible that artificial intelligence eventually gets so good at so many tasks that people have no ready recourse to new, better jobs, as has always happened in the past.

The potential upside, though, is vast. After strong productivity growth for about a decade beginning in the mid-1990s, we shifted into a lower gear in the mid-2000s. It will be a boon if artificial intelligence puts us on a better trajectory. An era of high productivity growth will, among other things, make it easier to deal with the budget deficit and the fiscal strain of retiring baby boomers.

Like anything else, AI will have its downsides, but it's not an inherent threat any more than computers or the internet.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review.
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The Brownsville Bailiwick & Beyond

Father's Day community breakfast will be held at the Ponderosa community center on Sunday, June 15. It will be our last offering of a "Special" (as of now, anyway). Our main cook will be leaving the area. Any volunteer help is appreciated. Come on by or see us at Books & More.

Yuba Feather Community Services and Next Step are looking forward to a helper cleaning up after events. A monthly breakfast need help on a Sunday about noon and will pay \$20 for an hour of cleaning. Other times when there is an event at the community center, the renters would rather pay to have the floors cleaned or work done in the kitchen. That would be very irregular, on demand, but we would pay \$20 an hour. If you or someone you know are interested, please come by Books & More and check it out.

We have an art group that meets at Books & More on Saturday mornings at

10:30. However, lately fewer people come in. If you are interested in meeting one of the artists and try your hand at a project, come on by. David Giles is the leader on the first and third Saturday of the month and Jani Beckwith on the second and fourth. It is a very casual group and we would love to see you join in.

Clipper Mills has tried a Bingo night and would like to start in again on June 14 from 5:00 to 7:00. I am not sure where it is held, but one could find it by looking for cars. I think it is a fund raiser for their fire department. Would you like to see a Bingo game in Brownsville?

Look Back in Time – In 1913 there were 327 autos in Butte county. One person in every 100 owned a Joy Carriage.(Now there are that many in Rackerby alone) .

Hope to see you in Brownsville soon. ~ Yvonne

Death Notices

ANDERSON – Ruby Anderson, 94, of Yuba City, passed away June 3, 2025. Arrangements are under the direction of Holycross Funeral Home and Crematory 530-751-7000.

HERNANDEZ – Victor Perez Hernandez, 63, of Gridley, passed away June 4, 2025. Arrangements are under the direction of Holycross Funeral Home and Crematory 530-751-7000.

ORTEGA – Vincente Ortega, 83, of Live Oak, passed away June 5, 2025. Arrangements are under the direction of Holycross Funeral Home and Crematory 530-751-7000.

EDWARDS – Patti Edwards, 72, of Olivehurst, passed away June 5, 2025. Arrangements are under the direction of Holycross Funeral Home and Crematory 530-751-7000.



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Listening to those that Know

Last summer I had to travel to Kansas City on business and the hosting company I had to visit had box seats to an MLB baseball game with the Royals and invited me to attend.

Of course I said yes!

We journeyed over to the stadium and marched our way down to the second row behind the visitors' dugout where the seats were, and I ended up sitting next to a hulk of a man named Trevor. Before I got to the game, I was told that an employee of the firm would be there and that he had been a pitcher for the Florida Marlins at the major league level. That former player turned out to be Trevor.

When his career ended due to an arm injury, the owner of the firm heard he was looking for employment, and being a fan, hired him for the company's annuity sales team. I ended up in the seat next to him.

At 6 foot 3 inches, his legs barely fit under the seat in front of him. He held in his huge hands a large beer and a hot dog.

Knowing that few people ever meet a major league baseball player, let alone a pitcher, and then sit next to one at a major league baseball game, I was more than thrilled to be in his company.

He was very friendly but a very matter of fact guy, and to my surprise, did not want to talk much about his career but more about what he was seeing in the game.

I respected his hesitation to reminisce about his MLB experience and kept my conversation to the game at hand, business, kids, beer, hot dogs and just general good time stuff.

One subject I did touch on was little league baseball and how I had been an assistant coach in little league for three years, a head coach for another three years and then moved to become a varsity head coach at a high school down in Auburn which was my final coaching job.

Having dealt with parents and dads all along the spectrum as coach, I asked about the familiar problems all coaches have when dealing with parent/player relationships.

Trevor had been a coach of his son's little league team as well and when I asked if he had issues with dads trying to tell him how to coach, I was surprised that he had the same problems all coaches had, which was to be told how to coach by other parents.

Here this guy had been in little league himself, gone through high school baseball, moved on to college baseball, all the time being a stud pitcher, then got drafted into the minor leagues and then finally made it to the big house, the MLB, and as a pitcher no less, and here he had dads telling him

how to play and coach baseball.

Seriously?

The story touched a nerve in me.

I am a financial analyst and licensed advisor representative. I began trading stocks at age 14 and earned a degree in economics way back in 1979 with honors. I am a licensed insurance agent with several different license specialties and an insurance agency owner. I am a financial and insurance columnist for a dozen or so newspapers throughout California and been featured on ABC, NBC and a host of documentaries about my forecasting the 2008/09 banking implosion and I have the recorded shows to prove it. With all that, I still get emails and letters to the editors on some of the topics may have written about saying I am all wet about something or another.

Much like my baseball player acquaintance Trevor, our knowledge about what we have done in our long careers has been validated by our education and our vast experience in our respective fields.

That some would question whether we know what we're doing goes well beyond hubris and subsequent insult. It's an affront to common sense.

Trevor knows more about baseball than most and is probably correct in whatever it is he might observe, teach or comment on, because he has been there at the highest of levels.

I, myself, have studied, observed and lived through more than half a century of economic events and the stock market, and like I said, have an economics degree issued to me more than 45 years ago.

Imagine if a person with no medical training tried to tell a surgeon how to operate.

At least doctors are spared such nonsense.

Apparently not so with former professional baseball players turn little league coaches nor financial professionals with decades of training and education.

We still get some of "those" that ignore the obvious and think they know better.

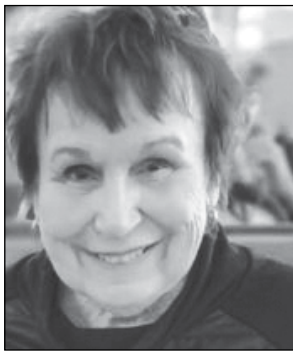
Trust me, they don't.

End of rant.

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

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Forty Plus Years and Counting



By Kathy Craig Harteis

Time marches on and before you know it you've made a lifetime of memories.

I first came to North Dakota about 47 years ago.

Having been a lifelong California girl I found a whole new world in the Dakotas. It was definitely a slower pace. I had to literally slow myself down.

Along with the move came new friendships. A lasting bond was formed between me and some folks.

My late husband David grew up in Beach, ND. By fate or by design he brought home his family to his beloved home town.

In those times I was a very shy young mother being thrust into the unfamiliar.

I would soon learn though that I was where I belonged.

David introduced me to friends he grew up with. One in particular was his pal Jean. Lucky for me, she accepted me and became my friend. Jean and her entire family treated me as if I were family.

This morning as I write, we are together again.

Jean lives in Wyoming and once a year I make the journey here so that we can reconnect for a time.

Those young moms who first met forty plus years ago are now well seasoned grandmothers and far wiser than they once were.

Today our conversation is filled with so many memories. We count our decades long friendship among our many blessings.

No matter how old you become the friendships you have made in this life hold a place in your heart.

So, here I am forty plus years later still cherishing time with my friend.

While we once talked about the babies we were raising, we now talk about grandkids and great grandkids. Instead of

seeking exciting things to do we are content to sit and visit.

Sharing memories, laughing at our now old bodies, taking the stairs carefully and one at a time we have come full circle. The main event is that we are together again to celebrate once again that we are alive.

As the old saying goes; Old age is not for sissies. We are not sissies. We have both been knocked down a few times. But we keep getting up. Admittedly sometimes we be some help, but we keep trying.

That is the key to life. Hold on to your faith, appreciate the world and the friendships around you. To realize you still have that bond after forty plus years is a gift. We are blessed.

Life is good today.

A native of Grimes, CA, Kathy Craig Harteis is a former local journalist and former owner and chief executive of Kathy Craig Media Consulting, in Colusa. She currently lives in Beach, North Dakota, where she lived for many years while raising her family. ★

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER
ESTATE OF RONALD ELON PRUITT
A.K.A. RONALD E. PRUITT
Case No. PRPB25-00074

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate or both of **RONALD ELON PRUITT a.k.a. RONALD E. PRUIT.**

A Petition for Probate has been filed by: Arthur Jennings Pruitt in the Superior Court of California, County of: Yuba

The Petition for Probate requests that (name): Arthur Jennings Pruitt be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 7/7/2025 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 4 located at Superior Court of California, County of Yuba, 215 5th Street Ste. 200 Marysville, CA 95901.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

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

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

Attorney for Petitioner: DANIEL RODRIGUEZ
110 AMBER GROVE DR., STE 114, CHICO, CALIFORNIA 95973
Phone No.: 530-999-2679
PUBLISHED IN THE TERRITORIAL DISPATCH:
June 6, 13, 20, 2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Olivehurst Public Utility District will receive sealed bids from qualified bidders for the RFB for replacement of Well #34's Programmable Logic Controller (PLC) off Algodon Road. Bids are due at 1970 9th Ave, Olivehurst, CA 95961. This project consists of removing the existing propriety Tesco PLC with a non-propriety Allen Bradely PLC along with the reprogramming and start-up of the facility with the new PLC.

The Bid Package may be obtained upon request from the District Engineer, Swarnjit Boyal by emailing at: sboyal@opud.org.

There is a Mandatory Pre-Bid meeting that will start at the District, 1970 9th Ave, Olivehurst, CA starting at 1:00 PM on Wednesday, June 18, 2025. Soon after, the group will visit the project site to go over any additional items identified as relevant via onsite coordination to answer questions.

Bids are due no later than Wednesday at 2 PM, July 2, 2025 and read shortly thereafter.

Bidder's shall have a California C10 Contractor's License and use a UL 508A recognized panel shop for work performed in the PLC cabinet. (TD) 6-13-2025

Community Events

CREATIVE THINKERS COMMUNITY CLASSES
THURSDAY EVENINGS 6:30 to 8:30 pm
437 Center Street, Yuba City

SUMMER CRAFT FAIR
Saturday, June 21 • 9 am to 2 pm
at Bare Bones Parking Lot, 769 Colusa Ave, Yuba City
For Vendor Information Contact: Trish Lepird
blingsandthings@gmx.com • 530-870-7312

BISTRO NIGHT MARKETS
Every Thursday in June 5 - 9 pm
VENDORS & LIVE MUSIC at The Village Coffee Shoppe
& Bistro, 101 Clark Ave, Yuba City,

4TH ANNUAL “TOGETHER WE’RE BETTER GOLF TOURNAMENT”
JUNE 23, 2025
Please Support the Yuba-Sutter Food Bank and Yuba-Sutter Colusa United Way.

For more information or to register or sponsor online at www.yscunitedway.org

COFFEE WITH A COP
Friday, June 27 at 9 am
at Marysville Tire and Wheels, 310 9th Street, Marysville
Hosted by Sgt. Magana
Building Relationships One Cup at a Time

NEXT STEP COMMUNITY BREAKFAST
Complimentary Bloody Marys for Fathers on Fathers Day 3rd Sunday of the Month at Brownsville Community Center downstairs located at 17103 Ponderosa Way. Complete breakfast includes: Coffee, orange juice & peaches. Choice of eggs, ham or sausage. Choice of pancakes, french toast or biscuits & gravy. Adults \$10, Children under 12 \$5, 3 & under Free.

ROY BOURG VFW POST 4095’s ‘CORNHOLE TOURNAMENTS’ OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
6 pm 2nd & 4th Mondays
4965 Powerline Rd, Olivehurst. Info: 530-777-9057

DOBBINS CERTIFIED FARMERS MARKET
EVERY SATURDAY • 10 am-2 pm
9761 Marysville Rd, Dobbins
Vendor Information call Teresa McFall 530-635-0452

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER
ESTATE OF RICK OLIVER
Case No. PRPB25-00070

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate or both of **RICK OLIVER, RICK DAVID OLIVER.**

A Petition for Probate has been filed by: CHARLOTTA LEE THOMPSON MERTZ in the Superior Court of California, County of: Yuba

The Petition for Probate requests that (name): CHARLOTTA LEE THOMPSON MERTZ be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 7/7/2025 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 4 located at Superior Court of California, County of Yuba, 215 5th Street Ste. 200 Marysville, CA 95901.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

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

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

Attorney for Petitioner: AMY BYRNE, ESQ.
GUTH & CHANGARIS, A Prof. Law Corp.
474 Century Park Drive, Suite 300, Yuba City, CA 95991
Phone No.: 530-674-9841
PUBLISHED IN THE TERRITORIAL DISPATCH:
May 30, June 6, 13, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2025F-151

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

HWM TERRAIN
758 Shastina Way
Plumas Lake, CA 95961
MAILING ADDRESS
3400 Cottage Way
Ste G2 #29772
Sacramento, CA 95825
County of YUBA
Registered Owners:
HARTWELL MODULAR
DESIGNS LLC
3400 Cottage Way
Ste G2 #29772
Sacramento, CA 95825

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company..

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

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

Signed:
Randy Hartwell
California Manager
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on May 27, 2025.

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

DONNA HILLEGASS,
County Clerk
By BRIDGETTE EVANS,
Deputy Clerk
June 13, 20, 27, JULY 4, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2025F-144

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

Cortez Room
315 5th Street
Marysville, CA 95901
County of YUBA
Registered Owners:
J. Parley Ansley
8875 Kibbe Rd
Marysville, CA 95901

This business is conducted by an Individual..

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/24/2024.

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

Signed:
J. Parley Ansley
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on May 15, 2025.

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

DONNA HILLEGASS,
County Clerk
By NELIDA WILLIAMS,
Deputy Clerk
May 23, 30, June 6, 13, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
FILE NO. 2025F-138

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

I Know A Guy
1642 5th Ave
Olivehurst, CA 95961,
Yuba County
1) Bronson Baldwin,
1642 5th Ave
Olivehurst, CA 95961
This business is conducted by Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 04/01/2025.

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

Signed:
Bronson Baldwin
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba on May 08, 2025, indicated by file stamp.

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

DONNA HILLEGASS,
County Clerk
By NELY WILLIAMS,
Deputy Clerk
6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/25
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2025F-150

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

CoveKin Studio
228 9th Street, #2012
Marysville, CA 95901
County of YUBA
Registered Owners:
Jennifer Sigley
228 9th Street, #2012
Marysville, CA 95901
This business is conducted by an Individual..

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

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

Signed:
Jennifer Sigley

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on May 23, 2025.

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

DONNA HILLEGASS,
County Clerk
By SARAH MULL,
Deputy Clerk
June 6, 13, 20, 27, 2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

1) Yuba County Community Services Commission Special Board Meeting and Public Hearing for comment on their DRAFT 2026-2027 Community Service Block Grant (CSBG) Community Action Plan, Tuesday, June 24 at 3:00 p.m. at Hope Haven, 103 D Street, Marysville. Contact Yuba-Sutter Economic Development Corporation at 530-751-8555 or ysedc@ysedc.org for any questions.

2) Sutter County Community Action Agency Board Meeting and Public Hearing for comment on their DRAFT 2026-2027 Community Service Block Grant (CSBG) Community Action Plan Thursday, June 19 at 3:00 p.m. at Yuba-Sutter Economic Development Corporation, 950 Tharp Road, Ste. 1303, Yuba City or via Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84498199199?pwd=7S36Otvkxb9a1Pt1KwEotNswOnLxVq.1>

Meeting ID: 844 9819 9199
Passcode: 277139
Or Dial in at (669) 900-9128
Contact Yuba-Sutter Economic Development Corporation at 530-751-8555 or ysedc@ysedc.org for any questions.

SUMMONS

(CITACION JUDICIAL)

CASE NUMBER (Número del Caso):

CVCV25-00238

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT(S)

(AVISO AL DEMANDADO): Eva Hollo, an individual; James R. Norris, an individual, The Testate and intestate successors of George Benny; All persons claiming by, through or under such person; all persons unknown claiming any legal or equitable right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's title, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto.

YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF (LO ESTÁ DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE): Donald Melvin, an individual

NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below.

You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. **NOTE:** The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case.

¡AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 días, la corte puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su versión. Lea la información a continuación.

Tiene 30 DÍAS DE CALENDARIO después de que le entreguen esta citación y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.

Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.sucorte.ca.gov) o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. **AVISO:** Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y los costos exentos por imponer un gravamen sobre cualquier recuperación de \$10,000 ó más de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesión de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corte antes de que la corte pueda desechar el caso.

The name and address of the court is (El nombre y dirección de la corte es): Superior Court of California, County of Yuba, 215 5th Street, Suite 200, Marysville, CA 95901.

The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is (El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es): Morani Steimach, Esq. (SBN 296670) 11630 Chayote St., Suite 3, Los Angeles, CA 90049, 213-226-6922 Silverman Theologou, LLP Hyatt McIntire & Associated, John P. Einwechter, 950 Tharp Road, Suite 701, Yuba City, CA 95993 Phone: (530) 674-9761 DATE (Fecha): 2/7/2025 HEATHER PUGH, Executive Clerk of Court (Secretario), by C. Rodríguez, Deputy (Adjunto) (SEAL) 5-30, 6-6, 6-13, 6-20, 2025

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APN: 022-282-012-000 TS No: CA06000007-25-1 TO No: 250052714-CA-VOI NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE (The above statement is made pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d) (1). The Summary will be provided to Trustor(s) and/or vested owner(s) only, pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(2).) YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED April 16, 2021. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On July 10, 2025 at 01:30 PM, at The Fifth Street entrance to the County Courthouse, 215 Fifth Street, Marysville, CA 95901, MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps, as the duly Appointed Trustee, under and pur-

suant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust Recorded on April 23, 2021 as Instrument No. 2021-007346, of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Yuba County, California, executed by AARON A DUESENBERG, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, as Trustor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, as nominee for LENNAR MORTGAGE, LLC FKA EAGLE HOME MORTGAGE, LLC as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, that certain property situated in said County, California describing the land therein as: SEE EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF EXHIBIT "A" PARCEL: 1 LOT 12, OF TRACT MAP NO. 2005-0008 OF RIVER OAKS

EAST VILLAGE 3, COUNTY OF YUBA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ACCORDING TO THE MAP THEREOF RECORDED ON DECEMBER 19, 2019, IN BOOK 99 OF MAPS, AT PAGES 21 THROUGH 27, IN THE OFFICE OF THE YUBA COUNTY RECORDER. ALSO EXCEPTING THEREFROM ALL OIL, GAS AND OTHER HYDROCARBONS AND MINERALS NOW OR AT ANY TIME HEREAFTER SITUATE THEREIN AND THEREUNDER, AS RESERVED IN DEEDS RECORDED JANUARY 31, 1974, IN BOOK 568, YUBA COUNTY OFFICIAL RECORDS, AT PAGES 687, 691 AND 694. PARCEL 2: NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENTS FOR ACCESS, INGRESS, EGRESS, USE, ENJOYMENT, DRAINAGE, EN-

CROACHMENT, SUPPORT, MAINTENANCE, REPAIRS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, ALL AS DESCRIBED IN THE DECLARATION. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2067 FORBES COURT, PLUMAS LAKE, CA 95961 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the Note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said

Note(s), advances if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligations secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee's Sale is estimated to be \$623,425.99 (Estimated). However, prepayment premiums, accrued interest and advances will increase this figure prior to sale. Beneficiary's bid at said sale may include all or part of said amount. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the California Financial Code and authorized to do business in California, or other such funds as may be acceptable to the Trustee. In the event tender other than cash is accepted, the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed Upon Sale until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. The property offered for sale excludes all funds held on account by the property receiver, if applicable. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Notice to Potential Bidders If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a Trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a Trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the exis-

tence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same Lender may hold more than one mortgage or Deed of Trust on the property. Notice to Property Owner The sale date shown on this Notice of Sale may be postponed one or more times by the Mortgagee, Beneficiary, Trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about Trustee Sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may visit the Internet Website address <https://www.servicelinkauction.com/> or call ServiceLink Auction | Hudson and Marshall at (866) 539-4173 for information regarding the Trustee's Sale for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case, CA06000007-25-1. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Notice to Tenant NOTICE TO TENANT FOR FORECLOSURES AFTER JANUARY 1, 2021 You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call (866) 539-4173, or visit this internet website <https://www.servicelinkauction.com/>, using the file number assigned to this case CA06000007-25-1 to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. Date: May 24, 2025 MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps TS No. CA06000007-25-1 17100 Gillette Ave Irvine, CA 92614 Phone: 949-252-8300 TDD: 711 949.252.8300 By: Loan Quema, Authorized Signatory SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ONLINE AT <https://www.servicelinkauction.com/> FOR AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: ServiceLink Auction | Hudson and Marshall at (866) 539-4173 NPP0474935 To: TERRITORIAL DISPATCH 06/13/2025, 06/20/2025, 06/27/2025

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF YUBA
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF:
RACHELLE ANN MCDANIEL, PETITIONER(S)
CASE NUMBER: CVPT 25-00845
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

HEARING DATE:
07/07/2025
DEPT: 4
TIME: 9:30 A.M.

Petitioner(s) Rachael Ann Saunders, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

from: Rachelle Ann McDaniel
to: Shelly Ann McDaniel

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

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

DATE: 6/6/2025

Stephen W. Berrier
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
June 13, 20, 27, July 4, 2025

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
FILE NO. 2025F-139**

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

FARM 2 FORK
931 RAMIREZ STREET
MARYSVILLE, CA 95901
YUBA COUNTY

1) YUBADREAM CARE HOME, INC.
1896 ROLLING ROCK CT
YUBA CITY, CA 95993
This business is conducted by CORPORATION.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on NOT APPLICABLE.

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

Signed:
JAGDEEP BAL, CEO
STATE OF INCORPORATION
OR ORGANIZATION:
CALIFORNIA

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba on MAY 08, 2025, indicated by file stamp.

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

DONNA HILLEGASS,
County Clerk
By NELY WILLIAMS,
Deputy Clerk
5/30, 6/6, 6/13, 6/20/25
CNS-3927806#
TERRITORIAL DISPATCH

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
FILE NO. 2025F-130**

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

Brownsville Motel,
8592 La Porte Rd,
Brownsville, CA 95919
Yuba

1) Sean Thomas,
10150 Los Amigos Rd.,
Healdsburg, CA 95448

This business is conducted by Individual

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Not Applicable

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

Signed:
Sean Thomas

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DONNA HILLEGASS,
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By NELY WILLIAMS,
Deputy Clerk
5/23, 5/30, 6/6, 6/13/25
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TERRITORIAL DISPATCH

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2025F-126**

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

Xurious Beauty
606 D Street, Ste. 1
Marysville, CA 95901
County of YUBA

Registered Owners:
Anna L. Onwiler
606 D Street, Ste. 1
Marysville, CA 95901

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 04/23/2025.

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

Signed:
Anna Onwiler

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DONNA HILLEGASS,
County Clerk
By NELIDA WILLIAMS,
Deputy Clerk
May 30, June 6, 13, 20,
2025

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2025F-127**

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

Bealnkredible
1973 Sunrise Ave.
Marysville, CA 95901
County of YUBA

Registered Owners:
Beau Allen
1973 Sunrise Ave.
Marysville, CA 95901

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 04/23/2025.

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

Signed:
Beau Allen

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DONNA HILLEGASS,
County Clerk
By NELIDA WILLIAMS,
Deputy Clerk
May 30, June 6, 13, 20,
2025

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2025F-158**

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

**HEALING MASSAGE
AND SPA**
406 E Street
Marysville, CA 95901
County of YUBA

Registered Owners:
Guoyuan Ai
406 E Street
Marysville, CA 95901

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 06/03/2025.

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Signed:
Guoyuan Ai

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on June 3, 2025.

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DONNA HILLEGASS,
County Clerk
By BRIDGETTE EVANS,
Deputy Clerk
June 13, 20, 27, JULY 4,
2025

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Foreclosure No. 7235440 APN# 060-110-018 On June 26, 2025 at 1:30 p.m., Mid Valley Title and Escrow Company, Trustee, or Successor Trustee or Substituted Trustee of that certain Deed of Trust executed by Michael Young, an unmarried man, and recorded August 7, 2020 as Instrument No. 2020-012195, of Official Records of Yuba, California, and pursuant to that certain Notice of Default thereunder recorded February 28, 2025 as Instrument No. 2025-002209, of Official Records of said County, will under and pursuant to said Deed of Trust sell at public auction for cash, lawful money of the United States of America, a cashier's check payable to said Trustee drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, at the front entrance to the County Courthouse, 215 5th St., Marysville, CA 95901, all that right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: Parcel 1 as shown upon the map entitled "Parcel map No 81-11" being a portion of the NE 1/4

of the NW 1/4 & the N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of section 24, T.18 N. R. 6 E., M.D.M., which map was filed for record December 31, 1981 in book 36 of maps page 22. (X)The street address or other common designation of said property: Vacant Land (X)Name and address of the beneficiary at whose request the sale is being conducted: Ingersoll Timber Enterprises, LLC, c/o Arron Stewart, 2571 California Park Drive, Suite 100, Chico, CA 95928 Directions to the above property may be obtained by requesting same in writing from the beneficiary within 10 days from the first publication of this notice. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, as to title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the unpaid balance due on the note or notes secured by said Deed of Trust, plus estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Sale: \$52,611.47 NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED JULY 30, 2020 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NOTICE

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after the date of the trustee sale, you can call 1-916-939-0772, or visit this internet website <http://www.nationwideposting.com>, using the file number assigned to this case 7235440 to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. The undersigned mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent for the mortgagee or beneficiary declares that the mortgagee or beneficiary has satisfied the requirements of California Civil Code 2923.5. DATED: 05/29/2025 MID VALLEY TITLE AND ESCROW COMPANY Address: 601 Main Street Chico, California 95928 Phone: (530) 879-2527 By: Greg Wood, Foreclosure Officer NPP0475066 To: TERRITORIAL DISPATCH 06/06/2025, 06/13/2025, 06/20/2025

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2025F-148**

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

BELLA BASH RENTALS
514 5th Street
Marysville, CA 95901
MAILING ADDRESS

1353 Hidden Creek Eay
Plumas Lake, CA 95961
County of YUBA

Registered Owners:
Hegemony Advising
& Consulting, LLC

1353 Hidden Creek Eay
Plumas Lake, CA 95961

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 05/01/2025.

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

Signed:
**MICHAEL WILLIAMSON
PA, President**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on April 23, 2025.

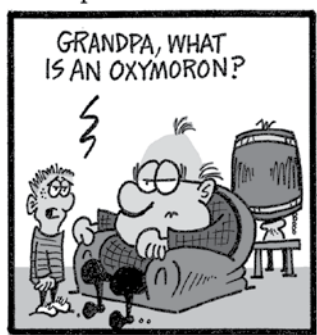
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DONNA HILLEGASS,
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COMICS & PUZZLES

The Spats


GRANDPA, WHAT IS AN OXYMORON?



RUB RUB RUB




A MORON WHO BREATHES AIR.



by Jeff Pickering

Amber Waves

KIDS, TODAY WE ARE GOING TO READ OUR SHORT STORIES AND SHARE WHAT INSPIRED US.



MY STORY IS CALLED "NIGHT OF SHOOTING STARS." I WAS GAZING WITH MY TELESCOPE.



MY STORY IS CALLED "SUNNY MEADOW IN THE MORNING." I FOUND THE SCENERY INSPIRING.




MINE IS CALLED "DOES THE BUS DRIVER HAVE TO HIT EVERY POT HOLE?" I WAS SHORT ON TIME.



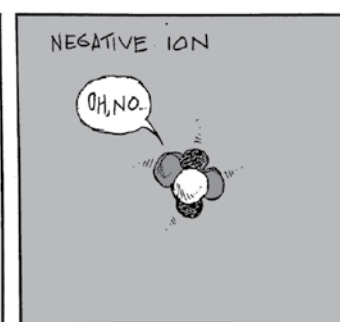
by Dave T. Phipps

Out on a Limb


POSITIVE ION



NEGATIVE ION




INDIFFERENT ION




by Gary Kopervas

TIGER


MY BIKE ISN'T RIDING RIGHT, HUGO





I THINK IT NEEDS WORK

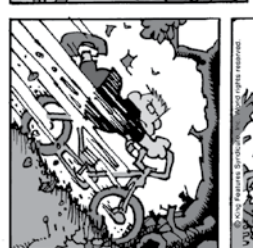



I'LL GIVE IT A ROAD TEST












RIGHT. IT NEEDS WORK



by BUD BLAKE

THIMBLE THEATRE PRESENTS

POPEYE

BY KANDY MEROLINO

UNCLE BRUTO'S GOIN' WITH US TO WRESTLIN'. NOT UNCLE BRUTO.

I BEGGED MOM TO TALK TO UNCLE BRUTUS, BUT SHE SAID IT WOULD HURT UNCLE BRUTO'S FEELIN'S.

NOW WE'RE SPOSED TO BELIEVE ADULTS THINK THEY CAN GET AWAY WITH ARE SHOCKIN'.

THIMBLE THEATRE PRESENTS

"BUMMER SLAM"

PART 6

BRUTUS HAS BEGUN WRESTLING UNDER THE NAME "SUTURB" ACTING AS A VILLAIN WHO WILL EVENTUALLY BUILD UP HIS NERVE'S FAVORITE WRESTLER. SOON, HE DEFEATS LOVED WRESTLERS SUCH AS...

...BIG SADDY.

...THE UNDERBAKER.

...AND THE JUMPING BOMBER ANGLES!

I HATE THAT SUTURB! HE'S THE WORST!

JUST AWFUL!

VA ALMOCK! LOOK PROUD A' BRUTUS, BRUTO.

I AM! AFTER YEARS OF BEING A COMPLETE DISAPPOINTMENT, HE'S PROOVING HE HAS IT IN HIM TO BE A BULLY!

MEANWHILE...


...ANNNAH! I HOPE THESE HOMEMADE COOKIES MAKE UP FOR FOURTEENHOURS I'VE THROU A TABLE IN FRONT OF YER MOM.

AUS MUST BE BEAR KINDS, SUTURB.

HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF

Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Club is longer. 2. Tree trunk is thinner. 3. Vest neckline is different. 4. Cap is lower. 5. Cloud is larger. 6. Leaves are missing from tree.

GRIN AND BEAR IT



"I'll do the talking, Roscoe!"

THANK YOU FOR THE VOTE OF CONFIDENCE.

Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps

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- Baking ingredient
- Accounting pro
- Depletes
- ___ reflection
- Painter Chagall
- Feeling of resentment
- Member of Germany's NSDAP
- ___ lily
- Light shade of blue
- Summer thirst quencher
- Same as tsar
- Subside
- Tierra ___ Fuego
- Taken without consent
- Even greener, as in fruit
- Dot follower
- Largest hot dessert
- Australian palm
- Evian, backwards
- A in FANBOYS
- *Like a lightning bug
- Prima donna
- *Midsummer's maypole dance, e.g.
- *William Blake's "To Summer," e.g.
- Any voting citizen
- *Sun to ice cream
- Feeling of veneration
- Two-door
- *Beach bag, usually
- *Summer rays
- Rock bottom
- Altar location
- Milk ____, candy
- Small stream
- Turned to the right, like a horse
- Starchy tuber
- *It's knee-high by the 4th of July
- Ctrl and Delete partner
- Type of tide

DOWN

- * ____, kissed
- Birthstone after sapphire
- Nod off
- Kind of instinct
- Diamond weight unit
- Bluenose
- Climber's destination
- *Intensely hot
- Greenish blue
- Make like a cat
- *Monkey ____, monkey do"
- Sometime in the future
- Indianapolis basketball player
- With BMI over 30
- Piece of evidence, acr.
- Type of probe
- *Summer hiking path
- Nose of a missile
- Pakistani tongue
- Sitcom trial
- Lyric poem
- Less experienced
- *Boat ____, don't care!
- *Uninvited picnic guest
- *Break from summer routine
- First in Hebrew alphabet
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- Twist plus jerk
- City in Netherlands
- Precious metal ex-

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Last Chance to See the Crowd-Pleasing Comedy ‘Run for Your Wife’



The full cast of “Run for Your Wife” takes a bow to an enthusiastic audience during a June 1 performance at The Acting Company in Yuba City. The farcical British comedy continues through June 9.

Story and photo by Shamaya Sutton

YUBA CITY, CA (MPG) - The Acting Company’s latest production, “Run for Your Wife,” delivers exactly the kind of zany, high-energy chaos that its loyal audience has come to love. This British farce, penned by playwright Ray Cooney, is a throwback comedy of errors centered around a two-timing London taxi driver whose carefully orchestrated double life begins to crumble after an unexpected hospital stay.

Directed by Neil Thorson, this fast-paced romp has been adapted for a local audience, with references and setting updated to reflect 1970s-era Yuba City and Marysville, complete with corded phones, vintage fashion, and a delightfully retro vibe. While the storyline itself may feel outdated in its treatment of gender dynamics, the production clearly resonated with the full house of audience members who were chuckling throughout.

At the center of the production is 22-year-old actor Sam Madrid, whose commanding stage presence and physical comedy prowess steal the show. Madrid’s performance blends the expressive chaos of Jerry Lewis, the physical agility of Charlie Chaplin, and the irreverent charm of Jack Black. One of his most memorable moments involved him

convincing the audience he devoured an entire newspaper onstage, a comedic feat that had the crowd in stitches.

While Madrid’s performance is a standout, the show as a whole occasionally stumbles in its pacing. Some scenes dragged longer than necessary, and a few punchlines might have landed more effectively with sharper timing. Still, the chemistry among the cast helps keep the momentum afloat, especially during the production’s more frantic, madcap sequences.

Miles Small as Stanley, a panicked neighbor caught in the middle of the protagonist’s web of lies, offers a consistent and commendable performance, notably maintaining a character accent while others did not. His portrayal might have benefitted from more grounding in the updated local era; still, his frantic energy and comic timing added a much-needed dose of absurdity.

From a modern standpoint, some aspects of the play’s humor and premise might feel out of touch. The central conceit of a man deceiving two wives and manipulating his friends often borders on narcissistic gaslighting (trigger warning!). Female characters are largely relegated to the sidelines, and their agency is frequently stifled, an unfortunate but common trope in farce. There’s also a subtle but noticeable thread of

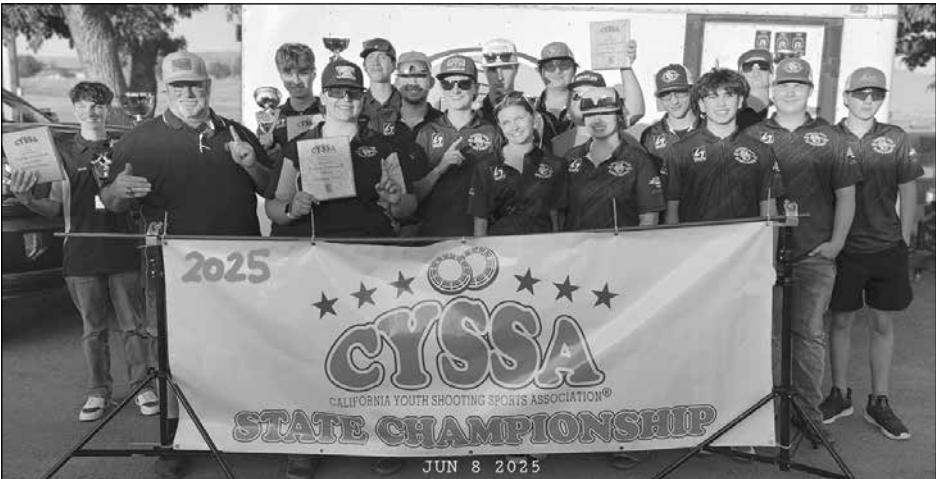
homophobic humor, particularly in how certain jokes play off old stereotypes and innuendo. While it’s likely intended as tongue-in-cheek, this brand of humor may not land well with contemporary audiences who expect more sensitivity and representation. Structurally, the plot sometimes relies too heavily on characters being conveniently silenced or rendered clueless to preserve the central ruse.

That said, this is the very nature of the genre, and audiences willing to suspend disbelief found plenty to enjoy. At intermission, laughter echoed even in the lobby, and conversations in the restroom were peppered with giddy references to the onstage hijinks. For many, this play was simply a fun night out, a chance to forget reality and enjoy some over-the-top comedic mayhem.

Ultimately, “Run for Your Wife” is a nostalgic, energetic crowd-pleaser that hits the mark with The Acting Company’s core audience. It may not speak to every generation or perspective equally, but for those in the mood for slapstick, spectacle, and high-stake shenanigans, it’s a ride worth taking.

Remaining performances run through the weekend with evening shows at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday and a final matinee at 2 p.m. on Sunday, June 15. Tickets and more information can be found at www.actingscompany.org. ★

Sutter High Shotgun Team Wins at State Championship



Both Varsity and Junior Varsity Sutter High School shooters are first-place Division III State Champions. Photo courtesy of Dave Samson

By Dave Samson, Sutter High School Shotgun Shooting Team head coach

SUTTER COUNTY, CA (MPG) - Sutter High School Shotgun Shooting team has now prevailed in the CYSSA 2025 State Championships for trap shooting in Livermore the weekend of June 7 and 8.

Both Sutter High School Varsity and Junior Varsity shooters are first-place Division III State Champions.

Four-hundred-and one youth competitors from a variety of teams throughout the state of California met in Livermore for the State Championships for Trap Shooting highlighting handling gun safety in a competitive shooting environment. They all shot 100 targets each day for a total score out of 200 targets.

The Sutter Varsity State Championship team consisted of Tyler Siller, Cooper Maggard, Cameron Rasmussen, Taylor Bogle, Luke Campbell, Logan Munger, Ceasar Moulton, Garrett Bartels, Brayden Lybarger, and Dixie Bybee, Ava Watson



Manny Moulton earned second-place JV State Champion. Photo courtesy of Dave Samson

and Tyler Fletcher.

The Junior Varsity Team consisted of Manny Moulton, Connor Simpson, Jonathan Mendez, Nicolas Miller, Drake Ritter and Kynsley Nunes.

Varsity Shooter Siller took third-place individual State Champion.

Junior Varsity Shooter Moulton shot the second highest JV score in the tournament. He took second-place State Champion.

Varsity Shooter Siller took third-place individual and shot the third highest Varsity score in the shoot.

The Junior Varsity squad of five shooters took second-place as a squad and consisted of Manny Moulton, Connor Simpson, Jonathan Mendez, Nicolas Miller and Drake Ritter.

A team are all the shooters on that team and a squad are five shooters squad together in their competitive class. ★



Varsity Shooter Tyler Siller took third-place individual and shot the third highest Varsity score in the shoot. Photo courtesy of Dave Samson

‘We are Losing an Entire Generation’

By Seth Henderson

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - According to the Sacramento District Attorney’s Office, more than 200 law enforcement members between Yolo, Sacramento, El Dorado, Placer and Yuba counties have participated in multiple operations to seize hundreds of pounds of fentanyl off the streets since 2021.

Cross departmental partnerships are necessary in the fight against fentanyl and even one death is too many, Attorney General Rob Bonta said during a press conference on May 29. He said the collaboration will not stop until the deaths stop.

“The fentanyl crisis represents a public safety emergency and the poisoning epidemic,” Sacramento DA Thien Ho said at the press conference. “We are losing an entire generation.”

The death toll in the Sacramento region since 2021 has reached more than 600 individuals, Ho said, which is more than all gun-related homicides within a decade. Ho said that fentanyl does not discriminate and it does not care about the user’s background or experience.

Fifty-one felony arrests have been made since 2021, Ho said, citing operations such as “Operation: Folsom Blues 2.0,” which saw the seizure of more than 1,000 fentanyl pills and tens of other drugs.

Deaths from fentanyl poisoning have been steadily declining since 2023, Ho said, with 2023 having 404 deaths, 2022 having 267 deaths and as of May, 33



Sacramento County District Attorney Thien Ho, middle, holds a press conference May 29 updating the public on recent fentanyl-related seizures and convictions with Attorney General Rob Bonta, Placer County District Attorney Morgan Gire and Sacramento County Sheriff Jim Cooper. Photo courtesy of the Sacramento County DA’s Office

deaths this year.

The Sacramento district attorney said he is in favor of innovative ways to stay ahead of the epidemic with solutions such as a fentanyl murder registry to keep track of individuals convicted of fentanyl poisoning; an impact panel featuring dealers, addicts and victims’ families to spread awareness; an overdose alert system powered by artificial intelligence; and the dismantling of online distributors.

“We cannot arrest our way out of this and we cannot educate our way out of it alone,” Ho said.

Sacramento County Sheriff Jim Cooper said that solutions such as naloxone, the active ingredient in Narcan, have become second nature when dealing with individuals who are hardly conscious or unresponsive. He said it is because “we’re so used to it” in

schools and workplaces.

Every demographic in the county is affected, Cooper said, and California does not pass the laws necessary to hold fentanyl dealers accountable. He referenced his qualms with Proposition 36. Citing the lack of effort to fund these initiatives, Cooper said, the continued multi-community effort is necessary to combat substance abuse and homelessness.

“Drug court worked and we have to fix that,” Cooper said.

Cooper said that Proposition 47 removed incentives to place individuals into drug court and that being an addict should not be a crime, unless they are committing crimes. Drug dealers prey on young people, Cooper said, and holding the dealers accountable is what works.

Multiple task forces from

multiple agencies were recognized by elected officials at the press conference for their brave and significantly impactful seizures of hard drugs and criminals. Some task forces included the Tri-County Drug Enforcement Narcotics Team (TRIDENT), High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA), the California Multi-Jurisdictional Methamphetamine Enforcement Team (CALMMET), and the Fentanyl Abatement Suppression Team (FAST).

Placer County District Attorney Morgan Gire manages the Tri-County Drug Enforcement Narcotics Team and said he is reminded of each victim’s life when prosecuting the criminals charged with taking that life.

Gire said the outreach team talks to thousands of

students, teachers and coaches to gain information and spread awareness.

Collaboration happens between all levels of government, Gire said, and operations are happening “day in and day out” to send a message through the region.

“Even if you don’t want treatment, we will get you there,” Gire said during the press conference.

Since 2022, more than 15-million fentanyl pills and more than 6,700 pounds of fentanyl powder have been seized, Bonta said. He said more than 500 suspects have been arrested.

“Numbers don’t tell the full story,” Bonta said. “They are lives saved, they are overdoses prevented, they are families spared from unimaginable grief.”

“Fighting Fentanyl” will be held at Victory Outreach West Sacramento to spread awareness and promote prevention from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m on June 14. The event is organized by Ricky Brazil, a Sacramento father who lost his son to fentanyl poisoning in 2022 and will feature music, hot rods and resources to combat the fentanyl epidemic.

Victory Outreach West Sacramento is at 944 Sacramento Avenue in West Sacramento.

“We’re actively working to strengthen border enforcement,” Bonta said. “We’re collaborating with local and federal law enforcement partners in Southern California and Northern California to stop fentanyl before it ever has a chance to make it up to Sacramento.” ★

Thrills and Thunder Return to Beale



Thunderbird pilots walk the flight line following their first practice at Beale Air Force Base on Friday, taking in the view and connecting with ground crews and guests. Photo by Shamaya Sutton

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flying. We don't usually get that many reps in."

This year's air show marked a historic first for the Thunderbirds: the debut of pyrotechnics in their routine. The team used the rehearsal day to fine-tune the timing and spacing for this new feature. Schol also said that the extra practice enabled the team to fly closer together than ever before and by the afternoon, they had a somewhat rare chance to practice a five-ship show.

"We have multiple types of shows, some weather-based, some contingency-based," said maintenance officer Capt. Natalee Winton. "We don't often get to rehearse the contingency flights. So doing a five-ship show was a good rep for us. We're always chasing perfection."

Regarding the pyrotechnic debut, Winton noted that the team is still refining how best to integrate it.

"It's the first time we've ever done it and that was our trial of getting it

approved to incorporate more often in the future," said Winton. "If we're going to add something like pyro, it has to serve a function."

Thunderbird performances are known not just for their aerial precision but for the emotional narrative behind them, often supported by music, dedications or carefully timed announcements. The team plans to further experiment with pairing pyrotechnics with specific maneuvers for added impact.

One of the most honored participants this year was Nevada County Veterans Services Officer David West, named the show's "Hometown Hero." Known as a former Marine who once experienced homelessness, West has since led statewide efforts to support fellow veterans. Under his leadership, California doubled its veteran funding and helped secure millions in benefits working to reduce homelessness among veterans in the process. During Friday's preview, West got the ride of a lifetime

aboard Thunderbird 8 with pilot "Prime."

"I got to go on the craziest roller coaster ride I've ever been on," said West who was noticeably out of breath. "It was fun, it was scary and I'm just so humbled and honored."

Saturday's official opening day drew thousands through the gates in an orderly rush to witness nearly two dozen aerial performances in under four hours. While the Thunderbirds were the main event, other crowd favorites included legendary stunt pilot Vicky Benzing, world-renowned Australian acrobatic champion Aarron Deliu and comic skits from airshow veteran Eric Tucker.

"What I love about the air show industry is that we're all here volunteering our time, first, to live our passion, because we just love flying but also to pass that spark on to others," said Deliu. "It's like the Olympic torch; you pass the flame on and on. That's my goal."

Guests were also treated to a ground-level experience with dozens of military aircraft, artillery vehicles and armored trucks on display resembling a "Touch-a-Truck" event supersized for all ages.

"I didn't realize I'd be this excited," said resident Tyler Zepp after climbing down from a KC-135 Stratotanker. "I knew the kids would like it but this is fun for me, too."

Inside the hangars, families found even more hands-on activities. Children scaled climbing walls and bounced on bungee trampolines, while parents explored exhibits on Beale's environmental ecosystem and historic

weapons. A crowd favorite was the free 4D simulator "Shadow Strike," which immersed visitors in the sights, sounds and motion of an Air Force mission.

"It's amazing to see all the different parts of base and community come together for this," said Lt. Col. Gordon, the show's director and resident U-2 and T-38 pilot. "We started with a small team, and now we've got 500 to 600 people helping out."

Planning for this event took nearly two years, according to Gordon, who emphasized his appreciation for the team and the people he worked with.

"I grew up wanting to fly. Even if I won the lottery, I couldn't do what I do anywhere else," Gordon added. "It's absolutely spectacular."

Sunday wrapped up the weekend with more high-powered performances and booming pyrotechnics. One of the most surprising acts came from a red MiG-15, a Russian-built fighter aircraft with a modified Rolls-Royce engine, followed by the thunderous blasts of an F-18 "Rhino's" streaking through the sky. Spectators either packed the flight line or found shade under the wings of nearby aircraft.

As the show came to a close, Lt. Col. Jonathan "Huggy" Huggins, a civilian air show announcer and longtime U-2 and T-38 instructor pilot, took a moment to reflect on what it all meant, not just for Beale but for the entire Yuba-Sutter community.

"We had some pretty amazing acts out there," Huggins said. "The goal is to bring out the smiles and I hope people found themselves well entertained." ★



Two stunt planes draw a heart-shaped trail of smoke around the sun during an aerial performance at Beale Air Force Base's Air and Space Expo. Photo by Shamaya Sutton



A unique and rarely seen in-flight formation of a high-altitude U-2 reconnaissance aircraft flanked by two T-38 Talon jet trainers, a striking reminder of Beale's central role in global intelligence missions. Photo by Shamaya Sutton



A CV-22 Osprey tilts its rotors during static display at Beale Air Force Base. This marks one of the first appearances of the aircraft at a Beale air show, with the Sutter Buttes standing tall in the background. Photo by Shamaya Sutton



High-end sports cars lined up near the tarmac offered guests a chance to race luxury vehicles before Sunday's show began adding some ground-level adrenaline to the sky-high experience. Photo by Shamaya Sutton



A rare sight as the Thunderbirds soars above the iconic Sutter Buttes mountain range during their Friday practice, a stunning backdrop for their return to the Yuba-Sutter area for the first time in over a decade. Photo by Shamaya Sutton



In a dramatic "Delta Burst" maneuver, the Thunderbirds split formation toward the crowd during Friday's preview at Beale Air Force Base, showcasing precision and speed in perfect synchronization. Photo by Shamaya Sutton



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Legendary pilot Vicky Benzing dazzled the crowd with high-speed twists, turns and aerobatics that defied gravity during her solo performance at Beale's air show. Photo by Shamaya Sutton



The boom of a KC-135 Stratotanker sits fully extended, an uncommon sight during static displays, allowing guests a close-up look at the in-flight refueling system usually only seen by fellow pilots midair. Photo by Shamaya Sutton