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## OsteoStrong Rancho Cordova Recognized As Small Business of the Month



At OsteoStrong Rancho Cordova, members can strengthen their bones, improve mobility and reclaim independence in just 10 to 15 minutes a week. OsteoStrong Rancho Cordova is located at 3039 Kilgore Road, Suite 160, Rancho Cordova. Photo courtesy of Assemblyman Josh Hoover's Office

### Assemblyman Josh Hoover News Release

**RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG)** - Assemblyman Josh Hoover (R-Folsom) proudly announced that OsteoStrong Rancho Cordova had been selected as the Small Business of the Month for August in the 7th Assembly District on Aug. 26.

Owned and operated by Aaron and Vanesa Provençal, OsteoStrong Rancho Cordova has quickly become a vital health and wellness resource for the Rancho Cordova community and the Greater Sacramento region.

Aaron Provençal, who spent 30 years as a disaster restoration contractor helping families rebuild after water and fire damage, sold his company in 2021 and turned his focus toward health.

Through his own wellness journey, Aaron Provençal lost 40 pounds and discovered the critical role that

bone density plays in living a long, healthy life. That discovery led him and his wife, Vanesa, to the innovative work of OsteoStrong, a national franchise dedicated to naturally strengthening bones.

Despite COVID-19 pandemic-related delays, Aaron and Vanesa Provençal proudly opened their Rancho Cordova center in April 2023. Vanesa Provençal manages the center with care and dedication, welcoming members, guiding them through their first sessions, and creating a supportive environment.

Aaron Provençal leads business development and outreach, ensuring that OsteoStrong's positive impact continues to grow across the community.

At OsteoStrong Rancho Cordova, members can strengthen their bones, improve mobility and reclaim independence in just 10 to 15 minutes a week, according to the assemblyman.

"OsteoStrong Rancho Cordova is a shining example of how local businesses can transform lives," said Hoover. "Aaron and Vanesa's passion and dedication have created more than a wellness center; they've built a place of hope, health, and community. I'm proud to recognize their contributions to Rancho Cordova and beyond."

OsteoStrong Rancho Cordova is located at 3039 Kilgore Road, Suite 160, Rancho Cordova.

Assemblyman Hoover is honored to recognize them as the August 2025 Small Business of the Month and thanks them for their continued service to the 7th Assembly District.

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

## Cruise Into the Future



Get expert guidance on stacking California rebates with federal credits for up to \$20,000 in total savings for income-qualified households at the OG Lowrider x Wired Down Sacramento Festival on Sept. 13. Photo courtesy of SMUD

### Sacramento Municipal Utility District News Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - Where retro meets the road ahead. SMUD is bringing electric vehicle education and test drives to the OG Lowrider x Wired Down Sacramento Festival on Sept. 13.

This free car culture celebration will feature classic lowriders, live music and street vendors. With federal EV tax credits worth up to \$7,500 expiring on Sept. 30, it's time to discover how electric power is transforming the past, present and future of transportation.

The EV Ride & Drive at OG Lowrider x Wired Down Festival will take place at the California Automobile Museum, located at 2200 Front St. in Sacramento.

SMUD, lowrider enthusiasts, EV-curious families and Charge Across Town experts will be available for tax credit questions. Festivalgoers can see the groundbreaking electric lowrider conversion, recently displayed at the Smithsonian. It was built by students from Sacramento Academic and Vocational Academy (SAVA) with SMUD support to showcase how classic car culture embraces clean energy.

Along with the opportunity to get behind the wheel of an EV, attendees can also receive a \$10 voucher to use at any food vendor at the festival, experience the latest EV technology across multiple models and price points.

They can also discover EV benefits, such as virtually no maintenance, whisper-quiet operation and instant acceleration.

Explore home charging solutions, including SMUD's Charge@Home program offering rebates for EV charging equipment and installation or connect with EV owners to learn about cost savings and convenience.

Get expert guidance on stacking California rebates with federal credits for up to \$20,000 in total savings for income-qualified households.

General admission to the festival is free. Rideshare is recommended, due to limited parking. ★

## New Home Sales Rebound in July Rancho Cordova has Second Best Sales Again

### North State Building Industry Association News Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - July new home sales in the greater Sacramento region rebounded from June's low point, with 480 sales reported by North State Building Industry Association members, the association reported Aug. 12.

Sales in the seven-county area rose 53% from June and were 11% above July 2024's totals. Building Industry Association President and CEO Tim Murphy attributed the increase to substantial builder incentives, a gradual decrease in mortgage interest rates and buyers' continued interest in moving to a new home.

"Rates have trickled down to their lowest point this year, a current average of just over 6.5%,"



July new home sales in the greater Sacramento region rebounded from June's low point, with 480 sales reported. MPG file photo

Murphy said. "And more buyers are discovering that homebuilders can offer rate reductions and incentives that existing homeowners can't offer."

A recent survey by Lending Tree found that

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# New Home Sales Rebound in July

July New Home Sales 2016 - 2025



The bar graph shows new home sales in July between 2016 and 2025. Image courtesy of the North State Building Industry Association

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California is one of just three states where it's currently significantly less expensive to buy a new home than an existing home, according to Murphy. The study found that statewide, existing homes are 24.7% more expensive than new homes.

"That's just another reminder that prospective buyers should consider the options available because a new home may be more affordable than they think," Murphy added.

Murphy also noted that recent studies "have indicated that many people will likely jump off the fence" if interest rates fall to 6%. And if local governments throughout the region streamlined the development process and lowered the fees that on average add more than \$100,000 to a home's price, according to Murphy, more homes could be built at lower price points.

"The BIA will continue to pursue pragmatic reforms that keep the dream of homeownership alive in our region," Murphy said.

Roseville at 90 and Rancho Cordova at 84 again recorded the most sales, followed by Elk Grove at 64, Sacramento at 50 and Natomas at 34. Lincoln sales were the sixth highest at 29, followed by Plumas Lake at 25, Rocklin at 22 and Folsom at 18. Galt re-entered the Top 10 with 14 sales reported.

Building Industry Association statistics covered 193 new home communities reported by members in Amador, El Dorado, Placer, Sacramento, Sutter, Yolo and Yuba counties.

The North State Building Industry Association is the leading advocate for the home-building industry in the greater Sacramento region. Representing more than 500 members who provide 55,000 industry jobs, the North State Building Industry Association is committed to preserving and furthering the economic interests of its members, while also working to enhance the industry's standing as a significant contributor to the regional economy. For more information, visit [www.northstatebia.org](http://www.northstatebia.org). ★

# SchoolsFirst FCU Celebrates at River Cats Game



From left are Julie DePrada-Schott, SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union; Karen Beukema, Twin Rivers Unified School District; Efrain Alanis, Twin Rivers Unified School District; Dinger the River Cats mascot; Paul Keefer, Sacramento County Board of Education; Marythony Sohl, San Juan Unified School District; and Terry Douglas, Folsom-Cordova Unified School District. Courtesy photo

## Schools First FCU News Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union, the largest credit union serving school employees and their families, recently celebrated nine outstanding classified school employees from the Sacramento region.

These individuals, representing a wide range of essential non-certificated, non-management roles, were named 2025 Sacramento County Classified School Employees of the Year.

To celebrate their contributions, SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union hosted the honorees and their families at the Sacramento River Cats game on June 29, where they were honored during an on-field ceremony.

Among the honorees was Folsom Cordova Unified School District's Bryan Cooper, a technical services specialist who was also among nine recognized statewide as a Classified School Employees of the Year by the California Department of Education.

"It's a privilege to recognize the contributions of classified school employees for their dedication and leadership in their

schools and communities," said Josh Smith, vice-president, school and community relations for SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union. "Classified employees are vital to ensuring daily education operations run smoothly and are often unsung heroes behind the scenes providing administrative, technical and operational support for the students and teachers."

Sacramento-area honorees included Manuella Aguilar Dominguez (Food and Nutrition Services), Terry Douglas (Security Services), Duane Martinez (Transportation Services) and Gerald Worley (Custodial and Maintenance Services) from San Juan Unified School District; Marythony Sohl (Clerical and Administrative Services) and David Wilkerson (Skilled Trades Services) from Folsom Cordova Unified School District; Efrain Alanis (Health and Student Services) and Karen Beukema (Paraprofessional Services) from Twin Rivers Unified School District.

This event was part of SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union's statewide initiative to honor the vital contributions of classified school employees. In 2025, the credit union recognized 30 individuals across four California counties. ★

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# Nonprofits Thrive at Chicken Festival

By Sabrina Bernardo

**FAIR OAKS, CA (MPG)** - Each year, the Fair Oaks Chicken Festival draws thousands of attendees with its quirky charm, live entertainment, mouthwatering food and vibrant community spirit but behind the feathers and festivities lies a deeper purpose. The event proudly serves as a platform for local nonprofit organizations and community groups to fundraise and promote their causes, reinforcing the festival's true mission: community impact.

One beloved tradition that kicks off the day is the pancake breakfast, hosted by the Orangevale/Fair Oaks Grange number 354. Breakfast proceeds directly support Future Farmers of America (FFA) and the Grange's Garden Project, helping cultivate the next generation of agricultural leaders and empowering youth with hands-on learning about sustainability, farming, and food production. It's more than just pancakes; it's a plate full of purpose.

Festivalgoers can also dive into fun at the Adventure Zone, proudly hosted by the Bella Vista Band Boosters. While children play and families explore this high-energy area, they're also supporting the school's award-winning music program. Proceeds help fund essential needs such as instrument repairs, equipment purchases, competition fees and student scholarships, ensuring that every student can participate, learn and perform. Bella Vista High School is home to the only marching band in the entire San Juan Unified School District, making community support for their program more important than ever.

Nearby, you'll find some friendly competition at the Cornhole Tournament, hosted by the Fair Oaks Chamber of Commerce. As a nonprofit organization supporting and



The lovable Rocky is at every Orangevale/Fair Oaks Grange number 354 pancake breakfast. Courtesy photo



Orangevale/Fair Oaks Grange number 354 members prepare the annual pancake breakfast. Breakfast proceeds support Future Farmers of America (FFA) and the Grange's Garden Project. Courtesy photo



Players look forward to participating in the Fair Oaks Chamber of Commerce's Cornhole Tournament during the Fair Oaks Chicken Festival. Courtesy photo

enhancing business success in the community, the Chamber of Commerce promotes local businesses and offers valuable networking and advocacy

opportunities while also bringing the community together. Besides participating in the Chicken Festival, the chamber organizes beloved events such

as Best of Fair Oaks, Christmas in Fair Oaks and Concerts in the Park, fostering strong community connections year-round. Another vital partner is the

Rotary Club of Fair Oaks, a nonprofit organization committed to serving area youth and seniors. Rotary hosts the lively Watering Hole, where attendees can enjoy beer and wine in support of local service projects at the Chicken Festival. Funds raised help support scholarships, classroom resources, youth leadership programs, and community enrichment efforts.

In addition to these highlighted groups, countless other nonprofit organizations line the festival grounds with informational booths and engaging activities that provide resources, build awareness and connect directly with the community.

From history to health to animal rescue, these passionate organizations represent the heartbeat of Fair Oaks. Some of this year's participating groups include the Kiwanis Club of Orangevale-Fair Oaks, Fair Oaks Historical Society, Lyme Fight Foundation, Mama Bears Fighting Childhood Cancer, and Stars & Stripes Dog Rescue. The Chicken Festival provides these organizations with vital fundraising opportunities and meaningful visibility.

Attendees can learn about local causes, find ways to get involved, and make a difference simply by showing up and celebrating together. As you stroll through the festival, whether having breakfast, cheering chicken contest participants, chatting with nonprofit organizations, playing in the cornhole tournament, sipping a cold drink at the Watering Hole or exploring the Adventure Zone, you're also helping lift up the organizations that keep Fair Oaks thriving. The spirit of Fair Oaks comes alive not just through celebration but through collaboration.

*Sabrina Bernardo is the Fair Oaks Recreation and Park District's recreation supervisor.* ★

## Dolly Parton's Imagination Library Launches

### Young Children Can Receive Free Books

By MPG Staff

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - Sacramento County children from birth to age 5 can now receive one free book in the mail each month, regardless of family income, through Dolly Parton's Imagination Library.

Since starting in 1995, Dolly Parton's Imagination Library has become the preeminent early childhood book-gifting international program. The flagship program of The Dollywood Foundation, a nonprofit organization, has gifted more than 280-million free books in the United States, Canada, United Kingdom, Australia and The Republic of Ireland through funding shared by The Dollywood Foundation and local partners.

The Imagination Library mails more than 3 million high-quality, age-appropriate books directly to children's homes each month. Each child enrolled in the program receives one book per month for children up to age 5 at no cost to families.

Grammy-winning singer, songwriter, actress, author and businesswoman Parton envisioned creating a lifelong love of reading and inspiring children to dream more, learn more, care more and be more. The program's impact has been widely researched and results demonstrate its positive impact on early childhood development and literacy skills.

Dolly Parton's Imagination Library launched Aug. 27 in Sacramento through a partnership between United Way California Capital Region, Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) and The Dollywood Foundation.

Sacramento residents can sign up online at [yourlocalunitedway.org/our-work/youth-opportunity/dolly-parton-imagination-library](http://yourlocalunitedway.org/our-work/youth-opportunity/dolly-parton-imagination-library) to receive the books.

United Way California Capital Region also manages Dolly Parton's Imagination Library in Yolo County, which on Aug. 27 presented its 100,000th book to a participating family.

"When we invest in a child's imagination, we invest in their future," said Dr. Dawnté Early, president and CEO, United Way California Capital Region. "Dolly Parton's Imagination Library is more than books. This program is about opening doors, sparking dreams and imagination, and making sure every child, no matter their zip code, has access to books from an early age."

United Way and the Sacramento County Office of Education aim to enroll 65,000 children in Dolly Parton's Imagination Library across the county, 65% of the population eligible, within five years.

"The Imagination Library is a simple idea with a



Dr. Dawnté Early of United Way California Capital Region announces the launch of Dolly Parton's Imagination Library in Sacramento County at an Aug. 27 press conference at the Sacramento Central Public Library. Courtesy photo

powerful impact," said David W. Gordon, Sacramento County superintendent of schools. "By mailing a free book each month to children from birth to age 5, we're giving families the tools to build strong reading habits from the start. This program supports our Sacramento County READS literacy initiative and reflects our commitment to literacy, equity and early learning because every child deserves the chance to thrive."

The program has received funding from United Way California Capital Region, Sacramento County Office of Education, City of Rancho Cordova, City of Sacramento, Kellogg Family Foundation, Rotary Club of Elk Grove and Laguna Sunrise Rotary Club, and is seeking additional funders to meet their goal of serving all children in Sacramento County under age 5. To learn more about supporting the program, visit [www.uwccr.org/dpilsupport](http://www.uwccr.org/dpilsupport).

Celebrating its 30th anniversary this year, Dolly Parton's Imagination Library began in Sevier County, Tenn. where Parton grew up, and the library has expanded internationally.

In California, the Imagination Library is also supported by a 50% state match, administered through the California State Library.

"We are thrilled to celebrate the launch of Dolly Parton's Imagination Library in Sacramento County, home to our state capital and nearly 100,000 little learners," said

Hallie Anderson, community engagement coordinator for Dolly Parton's Imagination Library of California. "This partnership with United Way California Capital Region and Sacramento County Office of Education is a powerful investment in early childhood literacy, bringing Dolly's dream to life for many more children and inspiring a love of reading across the county."

United Way California Capital Region has been a driving force across the region for more than 100 years, listening, responding and taking comprehensive action to meet local needs. From advancing youth opportunities and helping children excel in school to strengthening local communities and investing in families' financial security and health, United Way mobilizes communities to build a future where everyone can reach their full potential and thrive. Working across Amador, El Dorado, Placer, Sacramento and Yolo counties, the local United Way provides books and literacy tutoring, addresses housing and food security, leads the region's largest tax-preparation initiative, works with foster youth across school districts, launched the region's first guaranteed income program and leads the Community Schools initiative in West Sacramento. To donate, go online to [YourLocalUnitedWay.org](http://YourLocalUnitedWay.org).

The Sacramento County Office of Education educates more than 30,000 children and adults each year, including thousands of district teachers who attend training sessions and workshops. It provides support services to more than 253,000 students in 13 school districts. The Sacramento County Office of Education provides technical assistance, curriculum and instructional support, staff development, legal and financial advice, and oversight to Sacramento County school districts.

Sacramento County Office of Education programs and services are available to schools, districts and other county offices of education across the region. Considered a leader of the Capital Service Region, a 10-county area consisting of Alpine, Colusa, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Sierra, Sutter, Yolo and Yuba counties; it is one of 58 county offices of education in California. Sacramento County Office of Education staff provide year-round services that complement and supplement those offered by public school districts in Sacramento County. For more information about the Sacramento County Office of Education's Sacramento County READS literacy initiative, visit online [www.scoe.net/sacramentocountyreads](http://www.scoe.net/sacramentocountyreads).

Penguin Random House is the exclusive publisher of Dolly Parton's Imagination Library. For more information, go online to <https://imaginationlibrary.com>. ★



# And Another Thing

## We all Need to Pay Attention to AI

By Bob McGarvey

I watched the story about Hurricane Katrina the other day and it made me think about how so many people went other places across our country. We were able to help some of them here in the City of Rancho Cordova.

A small number of hurricane evacuees came to California compared to closer states but the Sacramento region, which includes Rancho Cordova, contributed to relief efforts.

I remember the small buildings at Mather that were like cabins were made for some of the evacuees to have a roof over their heads. They really appreciated the help they received from the new City of Rancho Cordova. We were only a city for two years when that happened but there were volunteers from Rancho Cordova and our city. I am glad that we could help.

This year's Halloween in Rancho Cordova will have a lot of fun for many people. There will be the "Halloween at Hagan" event on Oct. 25 at Hagan Community Park, offering Trunk-or-Treat, a Zombie Run, carnival games and music. Another major event is the Heartstoppers Haunted House, a multi-maze

experience with a unifying storyline, open from Sept. 26 through Nov. 2, with tickets going on sale mid-September. There will be more information in the Grapevine and online in the future.

A couple of weeks ago, I shared some information about the West Nile Virus and the numbers of dead birds showing positive responses to that virus. That was carefully watched by the Sacramento Yolo Mosquito Vector Control District and the people who help keep the mosquitoes under control.

The district is a government agency that protects public health by controlling mosquitoes and other pests that can spread disease, such as West Nile Virus, or cause nuisance problems. These districts conduct surveillance to monitor pest populations, use integrated pest management strategies for control, provide public education and can issue notifications or spray activities. They spray safely to protect us all.

There are many organizations in Rancho Cordova such as the Rancho Cordova Rotary Club, Kiwanis, Grange Hall and veterans' organizations, just to name a few, but there seems to be quite a few of them have fewer members than in the past. I hope many people will

be able to look at and see if they would enjoy some of these great organizations. I only named a few of them, so I hope everyone will be able to have a chance to look at them and what they can provide to us. There are some wonderful people who are active.

Something that is becoming more involved in our control is AI. Artificial Intelligence can be used by many or can be used to take over people and jobs. In 1942, science fiction author Isaac Asimov created "three fundamental Rules of Robots." Something became known as "Asimov's Three Laws of Robots." 1. A robot may not injure a human being, or, through inaction, allow a human being to become harmed. A robot must obey the orders given it by human beings, except where such orders would conflict with the first law. 3. A robot must protect its own existence as long as such protection does not conflict with the First or Second Law.

Personally, I thought such rules for robots would rule for Artificial Intelligence machines too. We will have to see how AI can or can't really work for or against people and the robot laws.

From Bob McGarvey, God bless, and see you next time. ★

# California Schools Reverse Truancy Trends

## Improving Reading Scores Could Be Next



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

Good news is a rarity in California's massive public school system, which purports to educate nearly 6 million students but struggles to improve chronically subpar academic achievement levels on state and federal tests.

The most recent round of "Smarter Balanced" assessments showed fractional improvement at best, with fewer than half of all students meeting or exceeding state standards in English language skills, and scarcely one-third doing so in math. Meanwhile, California continues to fare poorly compared to other states in the tests administered by the National Assessment of Educational Progress.

We did get a bit of positive news about California schools recently. After decades of what were termed "reading wars," California's political establishment is finally embracing phonics, a proven technique for teaching children to read that could boost the state's low reading scores. It's a minor miracle that pushes aside years of trendy reading instruction that had failed.

Another miracle may also be occurring: California is making progress on its exceedingly high levels of chronic absenteeism.

A few years ago, in the aftermath of the COVID-19

pandemic, nearly one-third of the children enrolled in public schools were chronically absent from classes. You can't learn if you're not in class, and the absences negatively affected overall academic achievement, the futures of millions of kids and the state's need for trained or trainable workers as those in the huge Baby Boom generation retire from the workforce.

Chronic absenteeism also adversely affects the finances of local school systems because aid from the state is calculated on attendance, not just enrollment. Schools with high absenteeism rates also tend to have low levels of learning and lose the money they need to raise achievement.

California wasn't alone, of course. However, it kept its public schools closed longer than most in other states, and the makeshift online classes were a poor substitute for classroom instruction.

Children from low-income families, whose parents could not work from home to monitor participation or afford private tutoring, suffered the most from school closures. Gov. Gavin Newsom and the state's education establishment were responsible for unnecessarily prolonging them.

From 30% chronic absenteeism in 2021-22, California dropped to 25% in 2022-23 and 20% in 2023-24, according to a new state-by-state report on absenteeism by SchoolStatus, a company that provides consulting services to school systems. California's 18% decline over the last two years was the third-most of any state surveyed by SchoolStatus, behind just Nevada and New Mexico. Nationally, the

decline was just 6%.

The report bolsters what Tony Thurmond, the state superintendent of schools and a 2026 candidate for governor, hailed last week.

"Due to historic investments in student supports and family engagement, California has cut TK-12 chronic absenteeism levels by one-third, from 30% in 2022 to 20% in 2024," Thurmond said. "We are on track and committed to reduce chronic absence by 50 percent over five years."

The SchoolStatus report did have one caveat: that reducing absenteeism is relatively easy in elementary grades but becomes progressively more difficult in middle school and particularly among high schoolers.

"Student attendance deterioration accelerates systematically from the middle school transition onward," the researchers noted. "Chronic rates more than double from 5th grade (14.22%) to 12th grade (32.13%)." They called for "targeted intervention when districts track early warning indicators like partial-day absences, tardiness patterns, and family communication response rates during those critical transition years."

Lasting progress will depend on keeping kids in danger of dropping out of high school in class and learning what they need to survive in a competitive world.

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POWERCAP 9-5-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05682**  
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Demetrius Boyd, 3904 Arden Way, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Arden Park Fitness" 3904 Arden Way, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 4, 2025  
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Andrew Wayne Saunders, 6400 Creekbed Lane, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) 24 Hour Telecom" 6400 Creekbed Lane, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 24, 2025  
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All Temp CA Holdings LLC, 14884 S Heritagecrest Way #D, Bluffdale, UT 84065 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Air Republic HVAC Solutions" 1401 21st Street, Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95681. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 24, 2025  
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FNU Attallah, 3311 Bluegrass Road, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Tawhid Halal Market" 6747 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Carmichael,

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Alysha Marie Larson, 4444 South Park Drive, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "All True Signings Notary" 4444 South Park Drive, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 4, 2025  
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Deborah Ahl, 12175 Coal Creekway, Rancho Cordova, CA 95472 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Second X Around Hair Salon" 3106 Arden Way Suite 103, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 4, 2025  
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Lielah Hillyard, 6000 Caddington Way, Sacramento, CA 95835 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Creative Balance" 6000 Caddington Way, Sacramento, CA 95835. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 4, 2025  
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Taryn D Clements, 2901 Winchester Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Clemex Patio Designs" 2901 Winchester Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 7, 2025  
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Lullia Kamenskikh, 4930 College Oak Drive 38, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Air Republic HVAC Solutions" 1401 21st Street, Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95681. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 5, 2025  
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Alejandro Isidro Merlos, 9341 Honeywood Court, Orangevale, CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Alejandrix Publishing" 9341 Honeywood Court, Orangevale, CA 95662. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 7, 2025  
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ALEJANDRIX 9-5-25

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My City Church, 9707 Cook Riolo Road, Roseville, CA 95747 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MC Russian-Ukrainian School" 3800 Bolivar Avenue, North Highlands, CA 95660. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 5, 2025  
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MC 9-5-25

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Gurpreet Singh, 3724 Sport Drive Apt-11., Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Gurpreet Singh Services" 3724 Sport Drive Apt-11., Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 8, 2025  
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Siyaram Hotels, LLC, 6610 Stockton Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Value Suites/Value Suites Extended Stay" 6610 Stockton Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 1, 2025  
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Govinvest Inc., 8605 Santa Monica Boulevard, PMB 52465, West Hollywood, CA 90069 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "TrueComp" 222 Broadway, 22nd Floor, New York, NY 10038. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 7, 2025  
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Tiffany Laurel Gordon, 2043 Wyda Way #29-A, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Elite Answering" 2043 Wyda Way #29-A, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 3, 2025  
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Oleh Piontkevych, 3139 Kobrook Way, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Mr. Fix It All" 3139 Kobrook Way, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 7, 2025  
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David Lewis Gleffe, 1120 Fulton Avenue Suite N, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Darya's Kitchen" 1120 Fulton Avenue Suite N, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 8, 2025  
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DARYAS 9-12-25

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Khalilullah Haqdoost, 3801 Duckhorn Drive Apt 927, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Crackaway Mobile Autoglass Services" 3801 Duckhorn Drive Apt 927, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 8, 2025  
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Jennifer Bachinsky, 8509 Oakenshield Circle, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Jenny Bachinsky Photography" 6846 Barbara Lee Circle, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 8, 2025  
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Emerald Stream, 13035 Sadie D Drive, Nevada City, CA 95959 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Emerald Stream LLC" 5150

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05733**  
Cameron Hall, 8220 Firewood Court, Orangevale, CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Better Call Cam" 8220 Firewood Court, Orangevale, CA 95662. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 4, 2025  
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BETTER 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06097**  
Campaign for Children and Families, P.O. Box 511, Sacramento, CA 95812 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Save California/Save America" 5330 Madison Avenue, Suite F, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 15, 2025  
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SAVE 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05882**  
Charles Kampf, 6720 Calista Street, Orangevale, CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Charles Airport Rides" 6720 Calista Street, Orangevale, CA 95662. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 7, 2025  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 19, 2025  
CHARLES 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06030**  
Altanchimeg Darambazar, 240 Natoma Station Drive Apt 286, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Bless Balloons" 240 Natoma Station Drive Apt 286, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 12, 2025  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 19, 2025  
BLESS 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05776**  
Joseph Nave, P.O. Box 192500, Miami Beach, FL 33119 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Nave Immigration Law/Joseph Nave-Immigration Attorney" 21326 Escorndido Way S, Boca Raton, FL 33433. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 5, 2025  
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NAVE 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05747**  
Arma Mortgage LLC, 614 Windy Knoll Drive, Murphy, TX 75094 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Xpert Rate Lending" 1001 W Euless Boulevard Suite 413, Euless, TX 76040. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 5, 2025  
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XPERT 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06059**  
Alexander Rudoy, 10923 Progress Court, Unit 1834, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "FairyTec" 3637 Husch Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 13, 2025  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 19, 2025  
FAIRYTEC 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05784**  
Anastasia Warner LLC, 3053 Notre Dame Drive,

Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "La Sirena Journeys/Columbia Curated/AFW Logistics" 3053 Notre Dame Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 5, 2025  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 19, 2025  
LA 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06147**  
Stanislav Shestopal, 5331 Bradford Drive, Sacramento, CA 95820 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Opal Haus Motors" 5331 Bradford Drive, Sacramento, CA 95820. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 18, 2025  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 19, 2025  
OPAL 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06130**  
Gearlist LLC, 4363 Hazel Avenue Suite 1 PMB #10, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "California Fish Plants" 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 15, 2025  
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CALIFORNIA 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05009**  
Jenkins Beverage Inc., 8440 Belvedere Avenue, Suite 4, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Jenkins Beverage Inc." 8440 Belvedere Avenue, Suite 4, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 14, 2025  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 19, 2025  
JENKINS 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05472**  
TR3 Collective LLC, 1401 21st Street, Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Do Love/Do Love Mama/Do Love Movement/Do Love Co" 1401 21st Street, Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 24, 2025  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 19, 2025  
DO 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05723**  
Alysha Marie Larsen, 4444 South Park Drive, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "All True Signings Notary" 4444 South Park Drive, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 4, 2025  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 19, 2025  
ALL 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05743**  
House2Homes, Inc, 16155 Sierra Lakes Parkway #160-722, Fontana, CA 92336 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Mermaid Jen's" 16155 Sierra Lakes Parkway #160-722, Fontana, CA 92336. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 5, 2025  
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MERMAID 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06087**  
Julian Moore, 4800 Del Norte Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95820 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "The God Auto Sales" 7230 S Land Park Drive Suite 103, Sacramento, CA 95831. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 14, 2025

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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENTS

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06233**  
Clint Kramer, 8737 Longspur Way, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Clayton & Cole Vending" 8737 Longspur Way, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 21, 2025  
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CLAYTON 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06204**  
Phillip Isaacs' Construction Inc., 9380 Orangevale Avenue, Orangevale, CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "California Energy Consultant Service" 9380 Orangevale Avenue, Orangevale, CA 95662. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 20, 2025  
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CONSULTANT 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06125**  
Eva Gordon, 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street #13044, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "The Potter's Clay Ceramics" 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street #13044, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 15, 2025  
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POTTERS 9-19-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06242**  
Carlee Jacobus, 4419 Stockbridge Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Honest Aura" 4419 Stockbridge Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 22, 2025  
Publish: September 5, 12, 19, 26, 2025  
HONEST 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06263**  
The Synergy Holding's LLC (CA), 4508 Winje Drive, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Synergy Holdings" 4508 Winje Drive, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 22, 2025  
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SYNERGY 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06238**  
Alonzo Simmons, 2708 Woodbury Way #105, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "PorkniteTV/Porknite" 2708 Woodbury Way #105, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 21, 2025  
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PORKNITE 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06133**  
Luis Eduardo Mendoza, 5824 Alom Lane, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "California Senior Benefits Services/California Senior Benefits Services and Family Care" 5824 Alom Lane, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 15, 2025  
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CALIFORNIA 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-04816**  
Lady Nunez Vega, 10649 Biscay Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Lady House Cleaning" 10649 Biscay Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 30, 2025  
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LADY 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06071**  
Dianna Maharaj, 3543 Rosemont Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Dust to Diamonds" 3543 Rosemont Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 14, 2025  
Publish: September 5, 12, 19, 26, 2025  
DUST 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06067**  
A to Z Junk Removal Services LLC, 348 Yampa Circle, Sacramento, CA 95838 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "A to Z Junk Removal Services" 348 Yampa Circle, Sacramento, CA 95838. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 13, 2025  
Publish: September 5, 12, 19, 26, 2025  
JUNK 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06162**  
Dakista Jones, 2425 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Sacramento, CA 95818 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Studio 417 The Salon" 2425 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Sacramento, CA 95818. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 19, 2025  
Publish: September 5, 12, 19, 26, 2025  
STUDIO 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06267**  
Porters Potties LLC., 5228 Lynnadeane Court, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Porters Potties" 5228 Lynnadeane Court, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 25, 2025  
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PORTERS 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06246**  
Ong Xiong, 8211 Aden Way, Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Hmong Threads/Hmong Tee" 8211 Aden Way, Sacramento, CA 95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 22, 2025  
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HMONG 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06261**  
Mobility Clean and Care, 2731 Garfield Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Mobility Clean and Care" 2731 Garfield Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 22, 2025  
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MOBILITY 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06040**  
Eric Chu-Chu Browne, 2584 Beaumont Street, Sacramento, CA 95815 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Browne Rentals" 2584 Beaumont Street, Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 12, 2025  
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BROWNE 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06291**  
Ashley DeZonia, 3152 Lea Sterling Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "The Brow Leopard" 1723 Professional Drive, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 25, 2025  
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BROW 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06066**  
Maid 2 Perfection LLC., 348 Yampa Circle, Sacramento, CA 95838 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Maid 2 Perfection" 348 Yampa Circle, Sacramento, CA 95838. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 13, 2025  
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MAID 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06350**  
Extra Hummus LLC, 2320 Sunrise Boulevard, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Extreme Hummus" 2320 Sunrise Boulevard, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 26, 2025  
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EXTREME 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06313**  
Clover Massage LLC, 5839 Manzanita Avenue Suite 9, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Clover Massage" 5839 Manzanita Avenue Suite 9, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 25, 2025  
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CLOVER 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06235**  
Trademark By Dreu LLC. PO Box 3492, Antioch, CA 94531 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Purpose on Autopilot" 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 21, 2025  
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PURPOSE 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05970**  
Victor H Vargas, 10833 Folsom Boulevard Apt #338, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "PPS – Professional Painting Services" 10833 Folsom Boulevard Apt #338, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 11, 2025  
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PROFESSIONAL 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06395**  
Mahon Enterprises LLC, 1609 Stewart Road, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Old Glory Hauling" 1609 Stewart Road, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 28, 2025  
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OLD 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06364**  
Christina Ann Reed, 2929 Routier Road #263, Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "LeeAnn's Health Care Service" 2929 Routier Road #263, Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 27, 2025  
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LEEANNS 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05320**  
Saghar Pmah, 8820 Greenback Lane #J, Orangevale, CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Saghar Threading" 8820 Greenback Lane #J, Orangevale, CA 95662. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 18, 2025  
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SAGHAR 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05497**  
Melyssa Kuniye Welter, 8128 Lichen Drive, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MKW Enterprises" 2007 Broadway, Sacramento, CA 95818. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 25, 2025  
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MKW 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06422**  
Oleksandra Valdovinos, 6151 Shadow Lane Apt 218, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sabo Design" 6151 Shadow Lane Apt 218, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 29, 2025  
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SABO 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06325**  
Max Tire and Auto Repair Inc, 3408 Northgate Boulevard Suite #7, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Max Tire and Auto Repair" 3408 Northgate Boulevard Suite #7, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 26, 2025  
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MAX 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-05555**  
Sinan Al Adhami, 4671 River College Drive, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sinan's Drafting Services" 4671 River College Drive, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 28, 2025  
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SINANS 9-26-25

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-06329**  
Leada Omid, 2666 Cottage Way Apt 95, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Marya Fasion" 2413 Howe Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 26, 2025  
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MARYA 9-26-25

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LEEANNS 9-26-25

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SAGHAR 9-26-25

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 31, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 6, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 22, 29 Sept 5, 12, 2025  
HIPSKA 9-12-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV017958**  
Ruaa Naseer Jawad has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ruaa Naseer Jawad to Ruaa Naseer Abbas.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 18, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: July 29, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
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JAWAD 9-12-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV018198**  
Sophia Marie Moore, on behalf of minor child, Elias James Moore has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Sophia Marie Moore to Sophia Marie Mickelson and Elias James Moore to Elias James Mickelson.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 23, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: July 30, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
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MOORE 9-12-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV018736**  
Adrian Quinn Brennan-Evans has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Adrian Quinn Brennan-Evans to Adrian Quinn Avonbridge and Allison Marie Reggiardo to Allison Marie Avonbridge.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 6, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 8, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 22, 29 Sept 5, 12, 2025  
EVANS 9-12-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV019084**  
Raquel Morales Nunez has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Emmanuel Sanchez Morales to Emmanuel Morales.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 7, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 12, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
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NUNEZ 9-12-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV019232**  
Nazario, R. Santana has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Nazario R Santana to Nazario, Santana-Ruelas and Patricia N Sanchez to Patricia, Neri-Sanchez.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 8, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 13, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
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SANTANA 9-12-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV018225**  
Michael Manny Soto has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Michael Manny Soto to Michael Manny Therrell.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 16, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 7, 2025  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
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GOMEZ 9-5-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV018225**  
Michael Manny Soto has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Michael Manny Soto to Michael Manny Therrell.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 16, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 7, 2025  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
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SOTO 9-5-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV019512**  
Angelina Gerbasi has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Angelina Kathleen Gerbasi to Angelina Kathleen D'Angelo.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 13, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 28, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
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GERBASI 9-26-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV020085**  
Monique Larese Mosley Wells has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Monique Larese Mosley Wells to Muffin Teresita Garrett.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 22, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 25, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: September 5, 12, 19, 26, 2025  
WELLS 9-26-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV020398**  
Mawluddin Muslimyar has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Mawluddin Muslimyar to Mawluddin Behzad and Zarifa Rahimi to Zarifa Behrad.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 28, 2026,

at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 27, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: September 5, 12, 19, 26, 2025  
MUSLIMYAR 9-26-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV017914**  
Julia Hardle Wilson has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Julia Hardle Wilson to Julie Hardle Wilson.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 18, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: July 29, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 19, 2025  
WILSON 9-19-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV019630**  
Tamerianique Tra'Ontavia Johnson has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Kymani Anthony Johnson to Kymani Anthony Burrell and Armani Estelle Lee to Armani Lavonia Estelle Burrell Johnson.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 15, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 20, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 19, 2025  
JOHNSON 9-19-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV019717**  
Enayatullah Nawabi has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Enayatullah Nawabi to Enayatullah Tahir and Nazyla Nawabi to Nazyla Tahir and Somaya Nawabi to Somaya Tahir.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 14, 2026, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 27, 2025  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: September 5, 12, 19, 26, 2025  
NGUYEN 9-26-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV019052**  
Islamuddin Muradi has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Islamuddin Muradi to Islamuddin Nabizada.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 30, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 11, 2025  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
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MURADI 9-19-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV020085**  
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IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 22, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 25, 2025  
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WELLS 9-26-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV019512**  
Angelina Gerbasi has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Angelina Kathleen Gerbasi to Angelina Kathleen D'Angelo.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 13, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 28, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: September 5, 12, 19, 26, 2025  
GERBASI 9-26-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV019084**  
Raquel Morales Nunez has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Emmanuel Sanchez Morales to Emmanuel Morales.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 7, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 12, 2025  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
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NUNEZ 9-12-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV018225**  
Michael Manny Soto has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Michael Manny Soto to Michael Manny Therrell.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 16, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 7, 2025  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 15, 22, 29 Sept 5, 2025  
GOMEZ 9-5-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV018225**  
Michael Manny Soto has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Michael Manny Soto to Michael Manny Therrell.  
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 16, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 7, 2025  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 15, 22, 29 Sept 5, 2025  
SOTO 9-5-25

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV019512**  
Angelina Gerbasi has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name

# Retired Teachers Invited for Coffee and Conversation



Pictured are two members of the California Retired Teachers Association. On Sept. 9 at 10 a.m., The California Retired Teachers Association will host a Coffee Klatch to help retired teachers succeed in their retirement. Courtesy photo

## California Retired Teachers Association News Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - As the new school year begins and students return to their classrooms, newly retired teachers can often feel ambivalent. Happy to be free of the demands placed on educators, but missing the shared connections when pupils begin a new journey in learning.

If you are a retired teacher or simply a friend of public education, you are invited to an informal coffee klatch hosted by the Sacramento Northeast Division 75 of the California Retired Teachers Association (CalRTA). Their third and final summer get-together will begin at 10 AM on Tuesday, September 9th at the Starbucks on the corner of Madison Avenue and Dewey Drive in Fair Oaks, CA. Please stop by and say hello!

Helping students succeed is an important role of being a teacher, and the retired teachers of California Retired Teachers Association Division 75 continue giving back to their communities. Awarding scholarships to students who aspire to be teachers is one such endeavor. Another is giving monetary grants to active classroom teachers for student enrichment projects that otherwise might not be funded. At the state level, California Retired Teachers Association will be giving cash awards

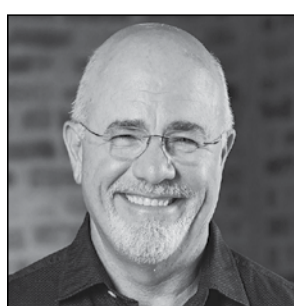
to 50 teachers in September and again in February.

Helping retired teachers succeed in their retirement is also very important goal. In 2014, CalRTA helped the Legislature solve the \$71 billion funding deficit at the California State Teachers Retirement System (CalSTRS) thus ensuring every teacher receives full retirement benefits. In 2022, we helped influence a 5 to 15% Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) for our older retirees.

In 2025, California Retired Teachers Association was a leading advocate in the passage of the Social Security Fairness Act (SSFA) which is now repaying all benefits withheld by 40 years of penalties on the earnings and survivor benefits of teachers and other public servants.

So, whether you are interested in learning how California Retired Teachers Association is helping active and retired teachers or just want to meet and connect with other educators, you are invited to attend.

Mark your calendar for Tuesday, Sept. 9 at 10 a.m. and come to the Starbucks at 6711 Madison Ave. at Dewey Drive in Fair Oaks. We invite you to become a part of the collective voice that champions the rights and well-being of all educators. Contact calrtadiv75@gmail.com for more information. ★



Dave Ramsey

Dear Dave,

I'm trying to get out of debt and start handling my money better. Should lower the amount I'm contributing to my 401(k) so I can pay off my car and house faster?

- Austin

Dear Austin,

I'm trying to get out of debt and start handling my money better. Should lower the amount I'm contributing to my 401(k) so I can pay off my car and house faster?

Austin

Dear Austin,

I can tell you're excited about the idea of getting out of debt. And that's a good thing! But I don't want you to get ahead of yourself when it comes to gaining control of your finances.

Here's my Baby Steps plan. The first thing you

# Dave Ramsey Says

## The Tortoise and the Hare

should do is set aside a beginner emergency fund of \$1,000. That's Baby Step 1. Next comes Baby Step 2, which means paying off all your debt, except for your house. This would include your car. During this time, you should temporarily stop any kind of investing and retirement contributions, so you can attack your debt with a vengeance.

Once your mortgage is the only debt you have, it's on to Baby Step 3. This means you start saving money to grow your beginner emergency fund into a fully-funded emergency fund of three to six months of expenses. After that, it's on to Baby Step 4, which is investing 15 percent of your pre-tax income for retirement. In your case, that would mean re-starting contributions to your 401(k).

The rest of the plan goes like this. Baby Step 5 is

putting money into your kids' college funds, if you have kids. Baby Step 6 is focusing on paying off the house early, and then comes the real fun. Baby Step 7 is where you build wealth and give like crazy.

It may take a little time in some cases, but there are millions of people out there who will tell you this—following the Baby Steps works!

- Dave

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

# Pair Sentenced for Charges Stemming from Child Abuse, Death of Child

## Sacramento County District Attorney's Office

**SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - On Aug. 12, the Honorable Maryanne Gilliard sentenced Jason Chitnis to 25 years to life in prison. On June 11, a jury convicted Chitnis of first-degree murder and assault on a child under the age of 8 causing death.

On May 22, Dyanmond Hudson pled guilty to one count of child endangerment causing death and two counts of willful infliction of cruel and inhuman corporal punishment resulting in a traumatic condition. She was sentenced to 12 years and

eight months in state prison.

When the defendants were in a dating relationship in 2021, Chitnis took care of Hudson's 5-year-old son when she was at work. Over the course of several weeks, Chitnis physically abused the child, causing fractures to his ribs and pelvis as well as perforating his large intestine, making it difficult for the child to eat.

According to the Attorney's Office, Hudson knew that Chitnis was physically abusing her son and continued to leave him in Chitnis's care. On Aug. 3, 2021, Chitnis abused the child to the point of causing a traumatic brain injury that resulted in the child's death. ★

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### NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Rebecca A. Gardner, Esq., 455 Capitol Mall, Suite 605, Sacramento, CA 95814; 916-252-0200  
Publish: August 15, 22, 29, 2025  
DEBRAKE 8-29-25

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MARILYN KAY STOUWER  
CASE NO. 25PR002808  
To all heirs, beneficiaries, credi-

tors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Marilyn Kay Stouder.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Donald J. Stouder, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting that Donald J. Stouder be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The indepen-

dent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows October 7, 2025, 1:30 p.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state 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 deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section

58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Petitioner is: Donald J. Stouder, 26812 Via Desmonde, Lomita, CA 90717; 310-489-0708  
Publish: August 29, Sept 5, 12, 2025  
STOUWER 9-12-25

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MARY PATRICIA DURVEA  
CASE NO. 25PR002839  
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Mary Patricia Durvea.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Peter Durvea, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Peter Durvea be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

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

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows September 24, 2025, 1:30 p.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Court-house, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

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 deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within

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

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Simran Sekhon, Esq., Sekhon, A Professional Corporation, 18826 N. Lower Sacramento Road, Suite H, Woodbridge, CA 95258; 209-425-5225  
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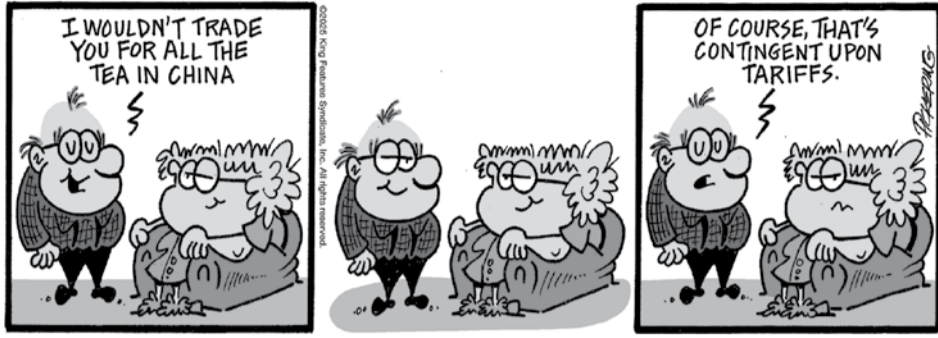
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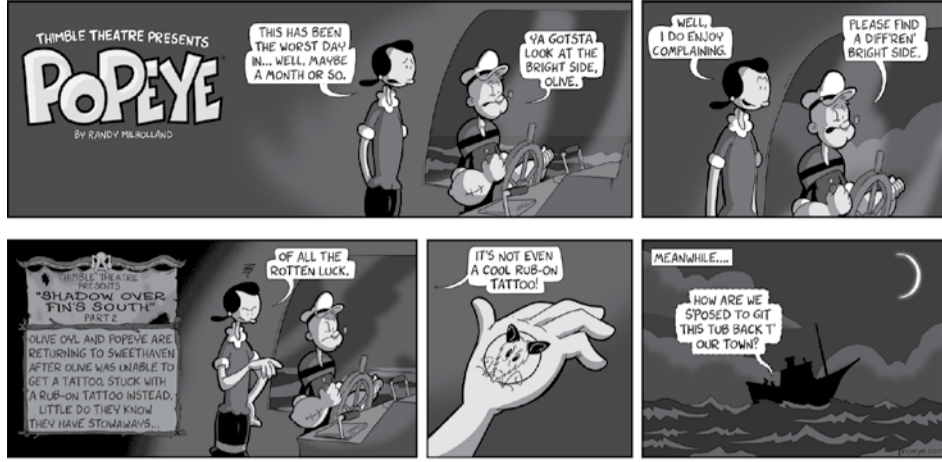
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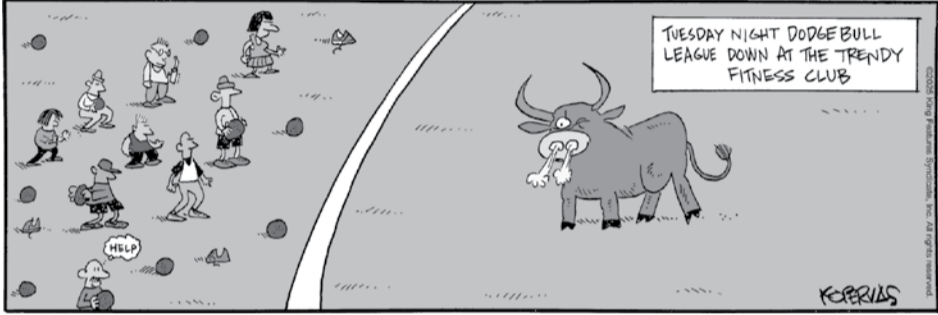


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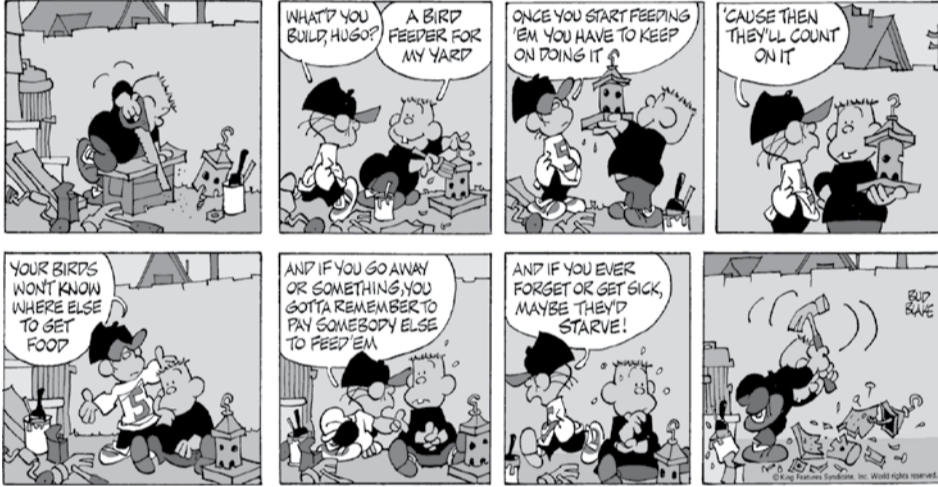
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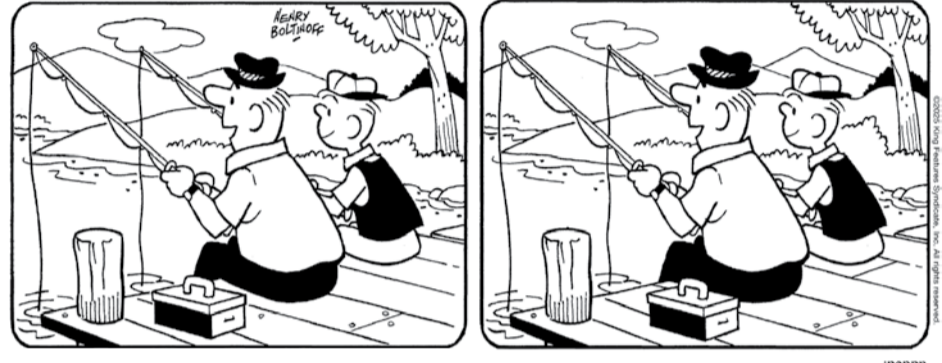


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# Lancers Fall to Mesa Verde

Story by James Darnell  
and photos by Rick Sloan

**RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG)** - The Cordova Lancers were dealt their first loss of the season in their home opener on Sept. 29 when they lost to visiting Mesa Verde 18-13 inside Lancer Stadium.

In a game that seemingly saw more penalty flags thrown than points scored, the Lancers (1-1 overall) struggled to defend the Mavericks' (1-1 overall) vaunted Wing-T offense, as they allowed 304 total rushing yards and three scores on the ground. It also didn't help matters that the Lancers' junior quarterback Trey Wallace was ruled down at the one-yard line late in the fourth quarter on what appeared to be a clear touchdown that would've brought Cordova within one score. On the very next play the Lancers would fumble on the goal line, allowing Mesa Verde to run valuable time off the clock in a close contest.

Wallace would later score from a yard out with 1:25 remaining to pull within five points after their two-point conversion attempt failed, but it would be too little, too late as Mesa Verde was able to run out the clock.

"Not to take anything away from Mesa Verde or what Lenny did, I thought he's done a tremendous job with that group over the



Quarterback Trey Wallace runs up the middle for a touchdown late in the fourth quarter.

past several years," Lancers head coach JP Dolliver said after the game. "He's got a very disciplined group. They're physical, they do the right things and they don't make a lot of mistakes. You can tell they take pride in how they play. That being said, I think we put ourselves in terrible situations many times during the game with penalties, whether

we think they were justified or not. We'll figure that out, the film doesn't lie. But we put ourselves back and you can't win a game when you have that many penalties."

The Mavericks were led by senior running back Cesar Granados, who tallied an impressive 173 yards rushing and two scores on 24 carries. Fellow senior

Elias Uribe notched nine carries for 101 yards as well to aid their cause. For the Lancers, Wallace put together a strong showing with both his arm and his legs. Through the air, Wallace went 13-of-21 passing for 146 yards.

On the ground, the junior contributed 106 yards rushing and two scores as he yet again displayed his dual-threat ability.

Senior wide receiver Damajae Moses also performed well offensively, snatching six receptions for 49 yards. Defensively, senior defensive lineman Julian Drahn was dominant - registering 12 total tackles including four tackles for loss and one sack. Junior linebacker Masiyah Mejia also notched 12 total tackles.

Junior cornerback Terryn "TK" King recorded an interception of Mesa Verde senior quarterback Jaiden Johns just before halftime.

The game itself was marred by penalties, with the Lancers unable to establish any momentum after every big play was called back. The penalty yardage took Cordova out of prime field position on multiple occasions, and eliminated their ability to run the ball as much as they may have wanted to.

"We gave ourselves a chance late," Dolliver said. "There were a couple calls that seemed a little mysterious to me, but you can't rely on the referees to save you and get you out of games. We had a lot of self-inflicted wounds that led to that loss and they (Mesa Verde) took advantage of it."

With a bye this week, the Lancers will regroup and prepare to face Rio Americano on Friday, September 12 in a home tilt. Kickoff is scheduled for 7:15 p.m. inside Lancer Stadium. ★



Sophomore wide receiver Gino David catches a Trey Wallace pass for a first down late in the fourth quarter.



Jeremiah Platero (No.24) and Masiyah Mejia (No.34) sandwich the Mesa Verde runner for a short gain.



Masiyah Mejia pulls down the Mesa Verde runner by the jersey.



Terryn King stops the Mesa Verde runner in the backfield for a loss.

# Lady Lancers Golf Swings into Action

By James Darnell

**RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG)** - The Cordova Lady Lancers' varsity golf team is ready to go for the fall season under head coach Brian Botsford.

After finishing in fourth place during their first season in the realigned Metro League last year and sending two seniors to Sectionals, the Lady Lancers will field a mostly young team who are eager to gain experience. The group will feature two

returnees in senior Grace Deems and sophomore Avery Arnold, whom Botsford said are much improved.

"We have a great bunch of girls as always," Botsford said. "We have two returners in senior Grace Deems and sophomore Avery Arnold, and I've seen great improvement from them. Exciting to have two great players that I've seen improvement on but also excited that I have five new players who are out there swinging the ball. I'm very

excited about the season."

Regarding Deems and Arnold, Botsford said that their improved knowledge of the game is evident in how they approach practice and how they utilize different golf clubs for different shots. Botsford hopes is that the two will compete for a trip to Sectionals later this fall.

The rest of the team is comprised of first year players whom Botsford is excited to see compete. Seniors Savannah Buckner and Peyton Stocker, sophomore Anna

Vusotsha and freshmen Lacey Boswell and Eva Adair will all be counted on this season as the team hopes to make some noise in the Metro League.

According to Botsford, two Metro League rivals in both Grant and Antelope are having trouble putting together teams. That opens an opportunity for Cordova to compete for postseason play.

West Park, McClatchy and Kennedy figure to be strong opponents yet again but with the top three finishers in league play able

to send players to Sectionals, there is optimism that the Lady Lancers will be in the mix, according to Botsford.

"We've worked on fielding our team, having them ready, getting them eligible. We're ready to play," Botsford said.

The Lady Lancers' first matches of the season came after press time this week as they took on McClatchy at Bing Maloney Golf Course on Sept. 2 and then on Sept. 4 when they hosted Kennedy at Mather Golf Course. ★

# Her Very Own Apartment

## Sacramento County News Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - Krystal walks into the facility at a fast clip – slightly late for our meeting because she caught the bus after spending the night in her very own apartment. Her first night in her own space in more than five years. Even without furniture, slated to arrive in just a few days. She couldn't resist the euphoric feeling of being in her very own apartment after years of fighting the elements, sweeps, crime and prejudice on the streets.

Krystal came to the Stockton Blvd Safe Stay in January – just two weeks after it first opened. With her, she brought her dog, a German Shepard/Rhodesian Ridgeback mix – complete with large, floppy ears and curious eyes. She remembers the day she got the chance to come to the shelter. After months of calling 2-1-1, going through and graduating various mental health programs and inpatient treatment, her name was finally called for a Behavioral Health Bridge Housing (BHHB) bed at the Stockton facility. These beds are specifically earmarked for folks experiencing both homelessness and mental health challenges.

Krystal acknowledges that she's struggled with mental health challenges for years. While she doesn't feel like these challenges contributed to her homelessness, they were certainly exacerbated during her time unsheltered. "I actually chose this. Not because I wanted to be homeless, specifically, but because I had already lost everything, so what else did I have to lose?"

Krystal was adopted as a baby and was extremely close to her mom. But after her mother unexpectedly passed, Krystal felt so alone and lost. She worked three jobs just to support herself in Santa Cruz. But in 2019 she got sick for a prolonged period of time – resulting in the loss of all her jobs and eventually, eviction from her apartment.

Again, feeling alone and lost, Krystal reconnected with her sister in Sacramento, sleeping on her couch and feeling more and more unhappy with her situation. Her sister knew it wouldn't last. Krystal has always had a free spirit and didn't enjoy being tied down. And then



Krystal couldn't resist the euphoric feeling of being in her very own apartment after years of fighting the elements, sweeps, crime and prejudice on the streets. Photo courtesy of Sacramento County

one day, it happened.

Krystal took her dog for a quick Target run, tied up her Pomeranian outside while she ran in. When she came back out, her dog was gone. She searched all over the parking lot and nearby areas – which led her to a homeless encampment across the street. While asking tent after tent if they had or had seen her dog, a tall man with blond hair and blue eyes stepped out. Krystal describes it as love at first sight.

While she unfortunately never found her stolen pup, Krystal did find two other things that day: love and a new way of life.

Over the next four years, Krystal and her boyfriends moved from place to place in Sacramento, as they were swept and had to relocate. They were very intentional about keeping their encampment and themselves clean. "We never 'looked homeless', we always made sure we were clean, our stuff was picked up." And while Krystal acknowledges she "chose this life" when she made a choice to move in with the man she met, the shine of perceived freedom soon wore off due to the hardships of living outdoors, being subject to crime and prejudice on the streets.

Managing her mental health challenges was even more difficult on the streets.

Fortunately, Krystal was connected with Turning Point – a local non-profit committed to empowering people of all ages and identities to live their best life through the delivery of quality behavioral health and social services.

Ultimately, Krystal realized that true freedom isn't living homeless because you can "do whatever you want" – it's the security that comes with a roof over your head and a locking door. It's not waiting to be swept or a victim of crime. It's safety for you, your loved ones and your beloved pet.

"I was so tired of always being on guard, waiting to be swept and having to move. Losing our possessions. It is so tiring and stressful. I knew we were better than the life we were living. And my dog deserved better – he didn't choose this life. I wanted to come inside for him too."

In January, Krystal and her German Shepard/Rhodesian Ridgeback dog were accepted into a Behavioral Health Bridging Housing (BHHB) bed at the recently opened Stockton Blvd Safe Stay. The BHHB program offers short- and mid-term shelter for people experiencing homelessness who also have serious mental illness (SMI) or substance use disorder (SUD). This program helps participants

move toward stable, long-term housing by filling the gap between being homeless and finding a permanent place to live.

Because of her previous experience with Turning Point, Krystal was already document ready and approved for housing within weeks of moving into the Stockton Safe Stay Community. But even being short-listed for housing and propped up by the numerous supports First Step Communities, the operator of Stockton, provided her Krystal still waited nearly eight months for keys to her own place.

But in those eight months she was able to decompress, stabilize, research school and job opportunities and picture her life after she moved into housing. For Krystal, its Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) – a place where not only is she supported for a year financially, but on-site case managers and mental health clinicians that can hold her accountable to her own wellness.

We asked Krystal what she would say to people that judge the homeless – "Try being homeless. It is scary – most people could never survive. But it isn't what you think. We're real people, with real struggles. I was housed, I was working three jobs and then I got sick and lost everything. That could happen to anyone."

What about folks still experiencing homelessness? "This place [Stockton Blvd Safe Stay] is set up for success. But you have to work it. You have to use the resources available, and do the work and listen to what they tell you. If you do that, you will find housing eventually. This model works if you work it. And it's somewhere to be that is safe with people that care about you. I've been to other shelters, and they aren't all like this."

Now that Krystal has her own housing, she's looking forward to permanently reunifying with her boyfriend, having friends over for a housewarming BBQ and finally going to culinary school at Consumnes River College. She specifically wants to learn the business side of restaurant ownership. Ultimately, she wants to open her own taco truck. What is she going to name it? "My mom's name was Rita – seems perfect to work into the name of a taco truck!" ★

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