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Play Ball!

Little League Steps Up to the Plate for 72nd Season



The National Marlins were the top team for the Hit a Thon, raising \$4,979 and a pizza party for the entire team.

By Omella Rossi and photos by Rick Sloan

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - As spring sunshine returned to the ballfields, bats cracked and cheers echoed across the diamond as another season of youth baseball got underway in Rancho Cordova.

Rancho Cordova Little League (RCLL) celebrated Opening Day on March 7 at Ahlstrom Park, 2425 Zinfandel Drive, bringing together nearly 500 young athletes and their families to kick off the league's 72nd season.

The morning began at 9 a.m. with the league's traditional team parade and opening ceremony, which



The league's youngest player, Emiliano Aranda (4), poses with the league's oldest player, Jesse Baishiki-Ma (14).

ran through 10:30 a.m. Players in colorful jerseys marched onto the field with their teammates, coaches and banners while parents and supporters filled the stands.

Coffee, donuts, league swag and snack bar specials were also available for families attending the event.

This season, Rancho Cordova Little League includes 40 teams and approximately 478 players across multiple divisions, according to league President Cassie Reyes.

"Opening Day brought together players, families, coaches and volunteers from across the community to kick off what promises

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February a Solid Month for New Home Sales



Sales were up 4 percent from February 2025 and 7 percent above the historical average for the month. Photo courtesy Freepik

North State Building Industry Association News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - The first quarter of the year generally sees the greatest number of new home sales in the greater Sacramento region, and 2026 is no exception, as 542 sales were reported by North State Building Industry Association members in February.

Sales were down 10 percent from January, but because there were five weeks in January and four in February, the weekly totals were up 12 percent month over month. Sales were up 4 percent from February 2025 and 7 percent above the historical average for the month.

Tim Murphy, North State's president & CEO, said the sales reflected the continued demand for new homes in the region.

"Despite affordability headwinds, new homes in the region continue to sell at above-average levels thanks to incentives being offered by homebuilders and the fact that mortgage interest rates dropped at the end of February to just under 6 percent for the first time since 2022," Murphy said.

"While March historically marks the peak of sales in our area, the outlook for the immediate future is uncertain due to the current unrest in the Middle East and its potential for far-reaching impacts. But builders are continuing to work with buyers to make purchases possible, and the advantages new homes offer continue to make buying new a great option."

Rancho Cordova took the top spot in February with 112 sales, followed by Roseville close behind with 100. Sacramento saw 66 sales, Elk Grove had 53 and Plumas Lake rounded out the top five with 43.

There were 194 active communities at the end of the month in the region, which includes Amador, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Sutter, Yolo and Yuba counties.

The North State BIA is the leading advocate for the home building industry in the greater Sacramento region. For more information, visit www.northstatebia.org. ★

A Splash of Color

Holi Festival Brightens Rancho Cordova

By MPG Staff

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Families and friends gathered March 8 in Rancho Cordova for a vibrant celebration of Holi, the traditional Festival of Colors marking the end of winter and the arrival of spring.

The event, held from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Hagan Park, 2197 Chase Drive, invited community members to connect, celebrate cultural diversity and take part in a joyful tradition rooted in South Asian heritage. Organized by the Sacramento Telangana Society in partnership with the Telugu Association of Sacramento, the Sacramento Regional



Each color used during Holi carries its own symbolic meaning. Photo by Rick Sloan

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Association of Malayalees and the Kannada Sangha of Sacramento, the festival drew families from across the region. The event was sponsored by the City of Rancho Cordova through the Measure H Community Enhancement Fund.

Holi, widely celebrated in India and among the global Indian diaspora, honors renewal, unity and the triumph of joy as winter gives way to spring. One of the festival's most recognizable traditions involves participants tossing and rubbing brightly colored powder on one another in celebration.

Attendees typically arrive dressed in white clothing so the colors, often made from cornstarch-based powder, appear more vivid as the celebration unfolds. Throughout the



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afternoon, people shared laughter while covering friends, family members and even strangers in clouds of color, dancing to music and enjoying traditional sweets.

Each color used during Holi carries its own symbolic meaning. Pink represents compassion and caring, while purple signifies mystery and magic. Blue

reflects the Hindu deity Lord Krishna and symbolizes divinity, calm and love. Yellow, often associated with turmeric, represents prosperity, happiness,

meditation and peace.

Other hues also hold significance. Red symbolizes passion, fertility and marital bliss. Orange represents courage, sacrifice and spiritual energy. Green reflects the vibrant new growth of spring and harmony in nature.

Free packets of colored powder were distributed to attendees on a first-come, first-served basis, allowing families and children alike to take part in the festivities. As the celebration progressed, the park gradually transformed into a colorful landscape as participants tossed powder into the air and onto one another in bursts of celebration.

Beyond the playful spectacle, organizers said the festival serves as an opportunity for the broader community to learn about and appreciate cultural traditions that emphasize unity and renewal. ★

MEMORIAL

LOIS ANNE MACNEIL • 06/13/1938 - 02/23/2026

Lois Anne MacNeil passed away peacefully on February 23, 2026, at the age of 87. Born on June 13, 1938, in Montreal, Canada, Lois later made her home in Rancho Cordova, California, where she lived from 1978 to the present.

Lois was predeceased in death by her beloved parents, Pearl and Charles MacNeil; baby sister Colleen MacNeil; her nephew and godson, Scott Brown; and her nephew, Todd Samoluk. She is survived by her three sisters, Barbara Brown (Larry), Lorna MacNeil, and Karen MacNeil (Lew Miller); her brother, John MacNeil; two nieces; one nephew; and many great-nieces and great-nephews who lovingly called her "Grandma Auntie Lois."



Known for her kindness, wit, independence, intelligence, and generous heart, Lois was deeply devoted to the roles she cherished most—sister, auntie, friend, and community member. She had a remarkable ability to make those around her feel inspired, supported, and truly loved.

Lois found great joy

in penguins, figure skating, ballet, and jazz music. She was a dedicated local volunteer, generously donating her time, resources, and support to the Sacramento Ballet Company, Sons of Norway, and the Hot Jazz Jubilee Festival. One of her most treasured traditions was the annual family Christmas celebration, which included attending The Nutcracker Ballet and sharing the Norwegian Julebord in honor of Saint Lucia—a reflection of her love for both family and culture.

Lois's legacy lives on through the many lives she touched with her warmth, generosity, and steady presence. She will be deeply missed and forever remembered.

MEMORIAL

ARNOLD GENE GARVERICK • 03/23/1937 - 01/03/2026

Arnold Gene Garverick, 88, of Rancho Cordova, California, passed away on January 3, 2026. Born on March 23, 1937, in Mansfield, Ohio and growing up in Crestline, Ohio, Arnold was a devoted husband to Mary Louise Garverick and a loving father to Louise Bonner, Ron Garverick, and Lynn Garverick.

Arnold was hard-working and dedicated. He spent over 25 years working at the Sacramento County Probation Department, where he was known for his strong work ethic and wanting to help kids through difficult times. Despite his many responsibilities, he always made time for his family and his passions.

Though Arnold may not have liked being the center of attention, he deserves to have his long years of fatherly love honored. He was a man of integrity, kindness, generosity, and he left a lasting impact on everyone who knew him.

Arnold's hobbies and interests helped define who he was. He loved gardening and



Arnold is survived by his wife of 64 years, Mary, his children, Louise Bonner, Ron (Greta) Garverick, Lynn (Jacqueline) Garverick, his grandchildren Bryant, Robert, Grace, Hazel, Lillian, Stella, Iris, and Eleanor, and great granddaughters, Gemma and Ava, as well as many friends and extended family members who will miss him dearly.

We find comfort in knowing that Arnold's legacy lives on through the lessons he taught us, the love he shared, and the memories we will cherish forever. We are grateful he went peacefully with his family surrounding him. He was a great man. Anyone he met; he left an impression, and he will live on in our hearts and memories forever.

A Celebration of Life service will be held for Arnold Garverick at the White Rock Community Clubhouse-10488 White Rock Road, Rancho Cordova, CA, 95670 on Saturday, March 21st, from 12 p.m. to 3 p.m.

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to be another exciting season,” Reyes said.

During the ceremony, league leaders reflected on the organization’s long-standing role in the community and recognized the volunteers and sponsors who support the program.

“As we proudly opened our 72nd season of Rancho Cordova Little League, we took time to recognize the incredible community partnerships and volunteers that make the league possible,” Reyes said. “To our sponsors and community supporters, your generosity fuels our programs, supports our improvements, and allows us to create lasting memories. To our volunteers, you are the backbone of this league. Your energy and commitment are what make this organization thrive.”

Reyes also highlighted the work of the league’s volunteer board of directors, who oversee operations throughout the year.

“Our Board of Directors serve entirely as volunteers and remained focused on protecting the integrity of our league and strengthening our systems for the future,” Reyes said. “Their countless hours behind the scenes reflect the heart, resilience and dedication that define our league.”

Reyes also shared a message for the players and families beginning the season.

“To our players: this is your season. You are here to learn, to grow, to challenge yourselves, and to have fun,” Reyes said. “There will be wins and losses, great plays and learning moments, but every practice, every inning, every cheer from the stands is part of something bigger. And to our families, let’s remember why we’re here. Let’s remember why we’re here. Let’s cheer loudly, model good sportsmanship, support our coaches and umpires and create an environment where every child



Dinger, of the River Cats, gives the players a high five during the Opening Day celebration.



The National Mets are looking sharp as they enter Lowery Field on opening day.

feels encouraged and valued. The lessons learned here extend far beyond baseball,” said Reyes.

Following the ceremony, the celebration continued with a Hit-a-Thon fundraiser from 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., where players took swings to raise money for league improvements and programs.

Several players and teams stood out during the fundraiser.

The National Marlins earned the title of top fundraising team, raising \$4,979 and winning a team pizza party. Kent K. was the top individual fundraiser with \$2,690 raised, earning a Nintendo Switch 2. King A. placed second with



Dinger helped hand out ceremonial bats to all the 2025 All Star players. \$2,105 raised and won a gift card for a custom glove, while Grayson R. finished third with \$1,400 raised and received a gift card to Bruce Bolt.

“Seeing the players take pride in supporting their league and helping improve the experience

for everyone was incredibly inspiring,” Reyes said.

League officials say the program continues to grow as families remain actively involved.

“This season has continued to build on the progress and growth we’ve worked hard to achieve,” Reyes said. “The continued engagement from families and community partners has helped reinforce that Rancho Cordova Little League remains a central part of the community.”

The season is now underway with a full schedule of games and events planned at the fields throughout the spring.

“Opening Day is always special because it marks the beginning of months of memories for our players,” Reyes said. “Whether that’s their first hit, their first catch, or simply the joy of being part of a team. Together, we are stronger. Together, we are united. Together, we are RCLL.” ★

CPRS District 2 Honors CRPD During Annual Awards Banquet



Cordova Recreation & Park District Staff and Board Members pose at awards banquet. Photo courtesy of CRPD

By Haley O’Neill, Cordova Recreation & Park District

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Cordova Recreation & Park District (CRPD) staff members and programs were recognized for their impact and dedication to the parks & recreation profession at the California Parks & Recreation Society (CPRS) District 2 Annual Banquet and Installment Ceremony on Thursday, March 5, at the Rocklin Events Center. Two CRPD staff members were also reinstated on the CPRS District 2 Board.

Arturo Covarrubias, Program Facilitator and Food Service Cook at the Neil Orchard Senior Activities Center, was selected as the Winter 2026 Rising Star. This award highlights an exceptional part-time staff member who has made a significant impact within the Parks and Recreation field. Arturo says working at the senior center has “opened my eyes to a different and powerful way of serving older adults, not just through care, but through connection, enrichment and community engagement.”

CRPD was also awarded the Recreation & Community Program Award for the Outdoor Adventures & Teen Adventure Group (TAG). This award recognizes excellence in recreation and community services programs that encourage participation in recreational activities, moves the organization towards a stronger position within the community and builds loyalty for parks and recreation services. The TAG program is designed to help our community connect with nature, explore new experiences and build confidence in welcoming outdoor

settings. Outdoor Adventures is funded by the Outdoor Equity Grants Program, created by AB 209 and administered by California State Parks, Office of Grants and Local Services. With this support, CRPD is able to offer a wide variety of activities, both close to home and in natural areas beyond the community.

Two CRPD staff members were reinstated on the CPRS D2 Board. Nicole Lowery, Recreation Supervisor II on the CRPD aquatics team, and Heather Schelske, Recreation Supervisor II at the Neil Orchard Senior Activities Center, will continue serving as the Aquatics Section Representative and Aging & Activities Section Rep. Their reinstatement reflects their ongoing commitment to advancing the parks & recreation profession. Additionally, Nina Sinor, Recreation Supervisor II at the Mather Sports Complex and the outgoing president of the CPRS D2 Board, delivered a year-in-review presentation at the event. Her theme for the year, “Get in the Game with D2,” encouraged both new and returning members to actively engage in all that D2 has to offer.

Founded in 1946, CPRS provides education, support, recognition and development opportunities for parks & recreation professionals. As the largest CPRS district, CPRS District 2 serves more than 60 parks & recreation agencies across Alpine, Amador, Butte, Colusa, El Dorado, Glenn, Lassen, Modoc, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Sutter, Tehama, Yolo and Yuba counties. ★

What to Know About Kitten Season

City of Rancho Cordova News Release

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Spring is right around the corner, and the City of Rancho Cordova Animal Services Division is preparing for the busiest season of the year, kitten season!

Between the months of April through August, wildlife and feline offspring are popping up in the most surprising situations, sometimes requiring intervention for their survival. The most common orphaned animals needing care are kittens, opossums, squirrels and fledglings.

However, the City of Rancho Cordova Animal Services team has rescued fawns, coyotes, beavers, raccoons, skunks, foxes, rabbits and many other native wild species. For these unowned animals, the city’s incredible Animal Services Division serves as temporary fosters until staff can locate the appropriate rescue to rehabilitate the babies. To properly foster the animals, the Animal Services Division is asking for your help.

The Animal Services Division is accepting donations of several items to help care for animals in the shelter, including clean, used towels or blankets (no sheets, pillows or pillowcases), as well as new towels or fleece blankets. The division is also seeking kitten care supplies such as kitten bottles, the “Miracle Nipple” feeding tool, kitten formula (first step), kitten wet food and Gerber meat with gravy



Between the months of April through August, wildlife and feline offspring are popping up in the most surprising situations, sometimes requiring intervention for their survival. Photo courtesy of the City of Rancho Cordova

baby food without vegetables. Additional requested items include instant hand warmers, microwavable warming disks, new dog collars with metal buckles in all sizes, pet waste bags, new dog leashes that are six feet or less and new dog harnesses in all sizes. The shelter will also accept unopened small bags of dog and cat food, unopened cans of dog and cat wet food and new dog and cat toys.

Additionally, the Animal Services Division is creating pet ownership goodie bag for veterans, low-income and unhoused pet owners during the month of April. Donations for this program will directly support the Rancho Cordova community.

If you would like to donate, visit the Amazon Wish List here: [amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2EWBPT7OAHQTP/](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2EWBPT7OAHQTP/)

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Donations can be mailed or delivered to Rancho Cordova Animal Services, 2880 Gold Tailings Court during normal business hours (closed for lunch from noon to 1 p.m.). Donations are accepted year-round but encourage donation of neonatal supplies before May. Call the Animal Services Division if you would like to make a monetary donation at 916-851-8852.

Don’t forget: All dogs and cats require a pet license. Thanks to the Community Enhancement & Investment Fund, pet licenses will be provided to Rancho Cordova residents free of charge. Visit cityofranhocordova.org/departments/community-development/neighborhood-services/animal-services/ to obtain a pet license now. ★

Athletics' Star Tyler Soderstrom Announces Inaugural Charity Poker Tournament

Athletics News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Tyler Soderstrom, a California native and rising star of the Athletics, is proud to announce his Inaugural Charity Poker Tournament, an exclusive fundraising event benefiting EASE and Keaton's Child Care Alliance. The event will take place on Monday, May 11, from 5:30 p.m. to 11 p.m. at the Kimpton Sawyer Hotel, 500 J St, Sacramento.

As a lifelong Californian who has grown up within the Athletics organization, Soderstrom has embraced both the responsibility and opportunity that come with his role on and off the field. Now entering a new chapter of his career with the A's, Tyler is committed to using his platform to make a lasting impact in the communities that helped shape him.

The inaugural tournament reflects Soderstrom's dedication to giving back to organizations that provide life-changing support to children and families facing adversity. Both beneficiary organizations align closely with Tyler's belief in mentorship, community and showing



Tyler Soderstrom, a California native and rising star of the Athletics, is proud to announce his Inaugural Charity Poker Tournament, an exclusive fundraising event benefiting EASE and Keaton's Child Care Alliance. Photo courtesy of Tyler Soderstrom Charity Poker Tournament

up for others when it matters most.

"Launching this event means a lot to me. Year one is always special, and I'm excited to bring people together for a night that's fun, meaningful, and focused on giving back. Both EASE and Keaton's have changed lives in powerful ways, and being able to support them through this event is something I'm incredibly

proud of," said Soderstrom

The one-of-a-kind evening will bring together the community for a memorable night of poker, cocktails, local bites, prizes and unique interactions with Soderstrom and fellow athletes. Designed to blend entertainment with impact, the event offers guests and sponsors an opportunity to connect through sport while supporting

meaningful causes. For sponsorship opportunities and to purchase tickets, visit <http://Soderstrompoker.com>.

Sponsorship opportunities range from \$500 to \$25,000, offering brands premium visibility and engagement through event signage, gift bag inclusion, on-site recognition, and access to a high-profile audience passionate about sports and

philanthropy. Proceeds from the event will benefit EASE, which supports youth through mentorship, education and life skills development, and Keaton's Child Care Alliance, which provides critical emotional and financial support to families navigating childhood cancer.

"EASE changed my life when I was struggling with food insecurity, low grades, and an uncertain future. When I didn't believe in myself, they believed in me. They guided me, encouraged me, and surrounded me with mentors who felt like family. EASE gave me hope when I felt lost and opportunities I never thought I deserved. I truly don't know where I would be without the EASE team," said EASE Alumni Tyler Jennings.

Maricsa, mother of Abby, 15-year-old Osteosarcoma Survivor added, "In the darkest of times, you became a new member of our family—granting us emotional and financial support when we most needed it. Keaton's is a blessing to our family. The care, family events and kindness gave us strength and hope while fighting our daughter's cancer." ★

ARC Women's Swim and Dive Capture Team Title at Cuesta Super Invite

American River College Athletics News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The American River College (ARC) Women's Swim and Dive team delivered an outstanding performance the weekend of March 7, claiming the team championship at the 20-team Cuesta Super Invite. The meet opened with an exciting sprint format, highlighted by the 50 freestyle shootout, where the American River College placed five swimmers in the top 10: Amber Inderkum, Sasha Samoylovich, Anabel Maldonado, Jackie Clouser, and Ella Hanson.

Freshman Ella Hanson had a breakout weekend, posting personal-best times in all of her events while playing a key role in the team's relay success. Her strong swims provided an important boost to the American River College's relay squads throughout the meet.

The distance group also delivered



The American River College (ARC) Women's Swim and Dive team delivered an outstanding performance the weekend of March 7, claiming the team championship at the 20-team Cuesta Super Invite. Photo courtesy of the American River College Athletics

impressive performances, with multiple personal bests across the board.

Claire Contreras led the charge with lifetime-best times in the 50, 200 and

500 freestyle events.

The American River College's scoring leaders included Sasha Samoylovich and Amber Inderkum, who both finished among the meet's top five high-point scorers, contributing significantly to the team's overall victory. Following the weekend's results, all ARC relay teams are now ranked in the top eight in the state, positioning the program strongly as the season progresses.

The divers also played a crucial role in securing the team win. Sophomore Ashley Johnson earned second place on both boards, while freshman Arie Black added valuable points with a third-place finish.

With standout swims, strong relay performances and key contributions from the diving squad, the American River College showcased depth and talent across the board on its way to a dominant victory at the Cuesta Super Invite. ★

Picton Named to Big Sky All-Tournament Team



Sacramento State junior guard Natalie Picton was named to the Big Sky Conference All-Tournament Team after helping lead the Hornets to a berth in the semifinals for only the fifth time in school history. Photo courtesy of Sacramento State Athletics

Sacramento State Athletics News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Sacramento State junior guard Natalie Picton was named to the Big Sky Conference All-Tournament Team after helping lead the Hornets to a berth in the semifinals for only the fifth time in school history.

Picton became only the seventh different Hornet to earn an all-tournament spot, joining Emily Christensen (2012), Alle Moreno (2013), Adella Randle-El (2015), Kahlajah Dean (2023, MVP), Isnelle Natabou (2023), and two-time honoree Benthe Versteeg (2024-25).

The native of Welland, Ontario, was the only all-tournament team member not to hail from one of the two championship competitors as tournament champion Idaho

placed three and runner-up Montana State had a pair.

After helping the Hornets gain a berth into the quarterfinal round for only the second time in school history, Picton averaged 17.0 ppg and shot 42 percent from the field overall for Sacramento State, guiding the program to a win over Idaho State, 62-53, and a hard-fought loss to top-seeded Idaho, 59-51, in what was a one-point game with eight minutes remaining in regulation.

She finished with a team-high 19 points on 7-of-16 from the field in the win over the Bengals, adding three assists and a steal in 39 minutes. Twenty-four hours later, Picton shared game-high honors with 15 points against the Vandals to post her third-straight double-digit scoring game and her eighth in the last 10.

Wrapping up her first season as a Hornet, Picton finished second on the team in scoring at 13.4 ppg, while averaging 3.7 rpg and leading the team with 67 steals (2.16 spg). She shot 37 percent overall from the field and was second on the team with 66 three-pointers made while finishing in double figures 22 times.

She set a collegiate high with 27 points in a win over Simpson on Dec. 15 and added four more games with 20-or-more points. Picton also posted collegiate highs with nine made field goals (twice against Simpson and Weber State) and six three-pointers made (twice against UC Davis and Montana), while grabbing a career-high eight rebounds against the Grizzlies on Jan. 31.

Defensively, she finished with multiple steals in 21 of 31 games, including 10 games of three or more. Her 67 steals were the most by a Hornet in a single campaign since Maranne Johnson swiped 77 steals in 2017-18. ★

Montero Joins Republic FC's First Team on USL Academy Contract



Republic FC announced March 11 the addition of academy player Jackson Montero to the club's first team roster. Photo courtesy of Sacramento Republic FC

Sacramento Republic FC News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Republic FC announced March 11 the addition of academy player Jackson Montero to the club's first team roster. The defender has signed a USL Academy Contract, pending league and federation approval, and will be eligible to play in first team matches in 2026.

"Jackson continues to put in the work to develop his game, and we're thrilled to offer him this opportunity again this year," said Republic FC Head Coach Neill Collins.

This is the second straight year that Republic FC has extended an Academy Contract to Montero. He first joined the Indomitable Club in 2017 and has featured for every age group during his youth career. In 2022, he as a member of the club's U15 team that reached the semifinal round of the MLS NEXT Cup – the only non-MLS academy to reach the late stages of the annual national tournament. Before joining Republic FC, he featured for local clubs San Juan Soccer Club and Sacramento United.

With Montero's signing, seven players on Sacramento's 2026 roster come from the youth academy. Da'vian Kimbrough, Blake Willey, and Chibi Ukaegbu have risen through the ranks to sign professional contracts with their hometown team, while defenders Rohan Chivukula and Luke Strassburg and goalkeeper Brooks Doolittle signed USL Academy Contracts during the offseason. USL Academy Contracts allow academy players the chance to train and compete with the first team in professional matches while retaining their NCAA eligibility.

Since its inception in 2015, Republic FC's Academy has created a strong, local pipeline of youth players ready for professional-level competition, with over 40 players earning the opportunity to join the first team on USL Academy contracts and over 25 going on to sign professional contracts with Republic FC or other clubs. In 2025, players from Sacramento's youth academy combined for 80 gameday roster selections, 56 appearances, and over 3,000 minutes. ★

Local Women Business Owners Honored at NAWBO Gala

Celebrating Three Decades of Women's Leadership Excellence in Sacramento Valley

NAWBO Sacramento Valley Chapter News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - The Sacramento Valley Chapter of the National Association of Women Business Owners (NAWBO) hosted the 30th Annual Outstanding Women Leaders (OWL) Awards Gala on March 7 at the Sheraton Grand in downtown Sacramento.

For three decades, the OWL Gala has honored and celebrated the top achievers among women entrepreneurs, along with corporate, government and community leaders who have advanced the status of women in our region.

"The OWL Gala represents what NAWBO stands for – celebrating achievement, fostering connection and empowering the next generation of women leaders," said Christina Dixon, board president of NAWBO Sacramento Valley. "Our 30th anniversary event is a powerful reminder of how far we've come and the limitless potential ahead."

KFBK news anchor Kitty O'Neal returned for her 30th time as host of this elegant evening, designed to support women business leaders past, present and future.

2026 Outstanding Women Leader (OWL) Categories and Finalists:

Leslie Bosseman, co-founder/owner/preschool director, The Makers Place/Lead with Intention took home the Woman Innovator Award, which recognizes a trailblazer in her field in innovation and industry advancement.

The Woman in Public Service Award, which Honors a woman serving in a government or public service role (elected or appointed) who demonstrates exemplary leadership and advocates for positive change for women in business went to Senator Annelise Ashby, who was not present at the gala.

The Executive Woman Award which honors an executive-level professional with no ownership interest who demonstrates exceptional leadership and community involvement went to American River College President Dr. Lisa Cardoza.

Lisa Culp, executive director, Women's Empowerment took home the Impact Award, which celebrates a woman leader who has made a demonstrated impact on the economic advancement of women in the region.

The Woman on the Way Award, which honors a businesswoman in operation for less than five years showing strong potential for sustained growth and leadership



The Rising Star Award which recognizes an outstanding young woman in high school or college who demonstrates leadership, initiative and potential to make a lasting impact in business, community or public service went to Lyrik Robinson, Visions in Educations Charter School. Photo courtesy of Tia Gemmill



The Executive Woman Award which honors an executive-level professional with no ownership interest who demonstrates exceptional leadership and community involvement went to American River College President Dr. Lisa Cardoza. Photo courtesy of Tia Gemmill



Leslie Bosseman, co-founder/owner/preschool director, The Makers Place/Lead with Intention took home the Woman Innovator Award, which recognizes a trailblazer in her field in innovation and industry advancement. Giving the award to Leslie were Dave Tamayo, SMUD Board, Ward 6. Photo courtesy of Tia Gemmill



Lisa Culp, executive director, Women's Empowerment took home the Impact Award, which celebrates a woman leader who has made a demonstrated impact on the economic advancement of women in the region. Photo courtesy of Tia Gemmill



The Wise Woman Award, which acknowledges a woman business owner with 10-plus years of success and leadership in her industry went to Allison Otto, president and CEO, Otto Construction. Photo courtesy of Tia Gemmill



From left: Incoming NAWBO Board President Nicole Townsend, event MC, Kitty O'Neal, KFBK and current Board President Christine Dixon. Photo courtesy of Tia Gemmill



SMUD held a live auction at the NAWBO Gala on March 7. Photo courtesy of Tia Gemmill

went to Lydia Belaski, owner, charQteric.

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About NAWBO
Founded in 1975, the National Association

of Women Business Owners (NAWBO) is the unified voice of over 12 million women-owned businesses in the United States representing the fastest growing segment of the economy. To learn more about NAWBO Sacramento Valley Chapter visit www.NAWBO-Sac.org. ★



Lydia Belaski, Woman on the Way award recipient pictured with husband Jeff Belaski. Photo courtesy of Tia Gemmill

Sacramento County Board of Supervisors Approves Gift to Animal Care

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - The Sacramento County Board of Supervisors has formally approved a generous \$359,823.44 donation to Sacramento County Bradshaw Animal Shelter from the Estate of Robert W. Steger. This transformative gift will directly support lifesaving care for animals in our community.

With the Board's approval, Animal Care Services is authorized to accept and utilize the full \$359,823.44.

Robert W. Steger was a devoted cat and dog lover whose generosity reflected his deep compassion for animals. Through this extraordinary bequest, his legacy will continue to make a lasting difference for thousands of pets and the families who love them.

"This gift is more than a donation, it is a legacy of compassion," said Annette Bedsworth, Director of Animal Care Services. "His contribution is truly a testament to his kindness and unwavering support for our mission. Because of Mr. Steger's belief in giving animals a second chance, we will be able to expand programs like our MASH



Animal Care Services will use these funds to expand critical programs like MASH, increasing access to spay and neuter services across Sacramento County. Photo courtesy of Sacramento County

clinics and provide more spay and neuter services to Sacramento County residents. That investment in prevention saves lives and strengthens our community."

Animal Care Services will use these funds to expand critical programs like MASH, increasing access to spay and neuter services across Sacramento County. By investing directly in prevention, this gift will help reduce unwanted

litters, ease shelter overcrowding, and keep more pets healthy and at home.

In accepting this donation, Sacramento County honors Robert W. Steger's commitment to animal welfare and ensures his kindness will continue saving lives for years to come.

For more information about Sacramento County Bradshaw Animal Shelter or to learn how to support its mission, visit BradshawShelter.net. ★

March is National Social Work Month

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - March is National Social Work Month, a time to recognize the social workers who help families and communities across Sacramento County. First celebrated in 1963, Social Work Month is now observed nationwide by thousands of social workers and their employers each year. Sacramento County employs hundreds of social workers in different departments, including the Department of Child, Family and Adult Services (DCFAS) and the Department of Human Assistance (DHA).

This year's theme, "Social Workers: Uplift. Defend. Transform.", reflects the role social workers play in our community.

Uplift: Social workers provide hope and stability during some of life's most difficult moments – supporting children, older adults, families in crisis and individuals working

toward self-sufficiency.

Defend: They advocate for safety, dignity and access to services, ensuring residents are treated with fairness and respect.

Transform: Through collaboration and innovation, social workers connect people to critical resources and help create long-term pathways toward stability and well-being.

"Social workers exemplify professionalism, integrity and steadfast dedication in their service to children, families and adults across Sacramento County. Their commitment to upholding the well being of our community is both commendable and essential. It is a privilege to recognize and honor the meaningful contributions they make each day," said Shelby Boston, MSW, director, Sacramento County Department of Child, Family and Adult Services

The dedication of social workers extends beyond this month – they make a lasting impact in the lives of those they serve each day of the year. ★

Methodist Hospital Achieves Patient Safety Excellence Award

Dignity Health News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Dignity Health Methodist Hospital of Sacramento announced that it has achieved the 2026 Patient Safety Excellence Award™ from Healthgrades, the No. 1 site Americans use to find a doctor or hospital. This award reflects Methodist Hospital's commitment to safe, patient-centered care and puts the organization in the top 10 percent of hospitals nationwide for patient safety for a second year in a row.

Alongside this national recognition for patient safety, Methodist Hospital was recipient of numerous accolades based on its exceptional performance in key service areas. In cardiac care, the hospital earned Five-Star Recipient for Treatment of Heart Failure for two years in a

row (2025-26). In critical care, it was recognized as a Five-Star Recipient for Treatment of Sepsis (2026). These achievements further underscore the organization's commitment to delivering compassionate, individualized care at every step of the patient journey.

"We are immensely proud of these significant Healthgrades achievements, including our ongoing national recognition for patient safety, Five-Star ratings for Heart Failure and Sepsis, and the 2025 Patient Safety Excellence Award," said Phyllis Baltz, President and CEO of Dignity Health Methodist Hospital of Sacramento. "These honors signify our team's steadfast focus on delivering outstanding outcomes and an exceptional care experience. It's truly a testament to the dedication of our entire staff in making

patient safety and quality our top priorities."

Methodist Hospital of Sacramento's achievement is based solely on what matters most: patient outcomes. To determine the national leaders in patient safety, Healthgrades evaluated risk-adjusted complication and mortality rates from approximately 4,500 hospitals nationwide across 13 patient safety indicators (PSIs), with each PSI representing a serious, preventable complication.

Healthgrades' annual analysis revealed significant performance gaps between the nation's highest- and lowest-achieving facilities, making it increasingly important for consumers to seek care at a hospital with top safety ratings. During the 2022-24 study period, 167,228 preventable safety events occurred among Medicare patients at U.S.

hospitals, with four PSIs accounting for nearly 78 percent of all incidents.

Patients treated at Methodist Hospital and other award-winning facilities had a profoundly lower risk of experiencing an in-hospital fall resulting in fracture (52.4 percent less likely); collapsed lung due to a procedure in or around the chest (57.5 percent less likely); catheter-related bloodstream infections acquired in the hospital (67.8 percent less likely); and pressure sores or bed sores acquired in the hospital (71.9 percent less likely).

"The data behind this year's Patient Safety Excellence Award highlights how measurable improvements in safety can prevent thousands of complications," said Dr. Alana Biggers, MPH, medical advisor at Healthgrades. "By prioritizing evidence-based safety practices, Dignity

Health Methodist Hospital of Sacramento is achieving better clinical outcomes and cultivating a culture where patients come first."

Where you're treated matters, which is why Healthgrades is committed to providing the most scientifically accurate information about doctors and hospitals, with data insights not available anywhere else. For additional guidance on finding safe, high-quality care in 2026, visit healthgrades.com.

Statistics are calculated from Healthgrades' Patient Safety Excellence Award Methodology, which is based primarily on AHRQ technical specifications (Version 2025.0.1) to MedPAR data from approximately 4,500 hospitals for years 2022 through 2024 and represent three-year estimates for Medicare patients only. ★

Kings Korner

By V.G. Harris



Play to Win!

The Sacramento Kings surprised fans with startling wins, no less back-to-back over the Los Angeles Clippers and Sunday night over the Utah Jazz.

Not many saw this coming, and with a road win and home win on back-to-back nights, fans were treated to two wins that saw both veterans and the youth of the team come together and prove that there is reason for optimism.

DeMar DeRozan continues to defy age as he led the Kings in scoring, putting up 27 points against the Clippers and following it up with an eye popping 41 points against the Utah Jazz. DeRozan added 11 assists to go with his 41 points, and veteran teammate Russell Westbrook once again treated fans to another triple double.

Without question the veterans came to play but the Kings youngsters are making a definite contribution. Nique Clifford continues to develop as a rookie as does Maxime Raynaud, and surprisingly newcomer Killian Hayes added 16 points and eight assists in the win over the Utah Jazz. Hayes is making people wonder if there may be room on next year's team for him, and what the Kings garner in the upcoming draft will go a long way in determining his future.

Sadly, not all Kings fans are celebrating. Many, including several radio personalities, are actually criticizing the Kings for winning! At this point in the season everyone wants to talk about tanking, and it's a sad state of affairs if basketball fans can't depend on players giving it their best effort regardless of the standings.

Yes, everyone is acutely aware that the worst record has a better chance at getting the first pick in the draft, but that in no way means that players should be giving less than their best effort.

Fans buy tickets to see their champions hit the hardwood with full effort, and I'm proud that the Kings aren't buying into this nonsense of laying down on the job.

The draft will be what the draft will be, but let the gladiators of the hardwood compete, and compete with the goal of winning. If not, what's the point.

Season ticket holders will be in scarce

supply if teams take the low road, and it's my hope that the Sacramento Kings will hold their heads high and play with 100 percent effort every night.

With the best players on the team sidelined with injuries, the youngsters are getting every opportunity to show what they can do, and it gives coaches and fans alike a real opportunity to see what these first- and second-year players have to offer.

One conundrum continues to be Devin Carter who has not been given the same minutes and opportunity as Nique Clifford to show what he can do. Now is the time to give Carter all the minutes he wants so this staff can fully evaluate what Devin has to offer. With just over a dozen games to go, don't leave anything to wonder. Let the youngsters have the ball and minutes to go with it.

There is a great deal of talent on this team already, and with the development of Precious Achiuwa and Dylan Cardwell, the Kings are one noteworthy draft pick from forming a truly formidable front line.

A.J. Dybantsa from the BYU Cougars would look nice in a Kings uniform next season, and it remains a possibility that it might just happen.

So, I will continue to root for wins despite the noise in the background and know that the draft will work itself out.

Whether you're a Russell Westbrook, DeMar DeRozan fan or you've found one of our many youngsters to root for, this team is not nearly as far from a playoff team as many would think.

Build around Domantas Sabonis and they will come! The King of the double-double will be back at full strength next season and we need the fans to be back with him.

Basketball pundits can't stop talking about how deep the upcoming draft is going to be, and I can't help thinking the Kings are due for a game-changing pick that will have fans on their feet for years to come.

Let's keep lighting that beam, and with it smiles on the faces of Kings fans too!

All the best! ★

As Gas Prices Soar, California's New Carbon Emission Rules Prompt a War of Words



By Dan Walters,
CALMatters.org

This week — as the conflict between the U.S. and Iran raged and gasoline prices soared due to disruption in the global oil trade — a political war erupted in California over proposed air pollution rules that could increase fuel prices even more.

The California Air Resources Board's new crackdown on greenhouse gas emissions, "risks driving production, and the associated emissions, out of state, ultimately undermining both California's economic base and global climate objectives," the California Manufacturers & Technology Association says.

Association President Lance Hastings added in a statement, "If these proposed regulations move forward, Californians should brace for higher costs across the board with no end in sight. There is still time to fix this. CARB and the Legislature must act before it's too late."

The proposed regulation "will cripple the survivability of the state's remaining refineries, which will result in California losing the entire industry to this misguided program," Andy Walz, a high-level Chevron executive, said in a statement. Two California refineries have announced plans to shut down and Chevron, which operates two of the remaining plants, has repeatedly implied

that California's regulatory climate might force it to flee the state as well.

However as business pressured the Air Resources Board to ease the limits, a coalition of environmental groups, including the Environmental Defense Fund, complained that the proposed rules don't go far enough.

"Last year, in the face of federal backtracking, California reinforced its leadership on fighting climate change by extending its cap-and-invest program while prioritizing reducing high electricity bills and saving households money," their letter read. "However, CARB's 2026 proposed C&I program amendments fall short of the near-term ambition needed for California to be on a consistent and affordable path to achieve its 2045 carbon neutrality goals."

Meanwhile, 15 Democratic legislators released a letter expressing concern that the new rules would raise fuel and energy costs that are already among the nation's highest.

"This crisis is not a fallacy nor a thinly veiled threat. It is a reality borne by consumers today, who are historically and empirically least able to afford it," the legislators said, adding, "California's climate leadership cannot come at the cost of destabilizing our energy markets and burdening those least able to bear it."

Interestingly — or ironically — all 15 signatories voted less than a year ago for the legislation that empowered the air board to draft the revisions, which were released in January and are due to be finalized in May.

The legislation behind this flurry of warnings and laments is Assembly Bill 1207, which emerged from

backroom negotiations last September. It quickly passed and Gov. Gavin Newsom signed it.

The measure renames the cap-and-trade program cap-and-invest and extends it 15 years from 2030, the current expiration date, coinciding with the state's declared intention to make California carbon neutral by 2045. It authorizes the Air Resources Board to adjust the emission limits accordingly.

Until now, the state's business community had fundamentally supported the auctioning of emission allowances as a market approach preferable to the direct regulation of emissions, which many environmental groups favored.

Capitol politicians also liked auctions because they generate large amounts of money — an estimated \$31 billion since 2013 — that are supposed to finance carbon emission reductions. One major recipient has been the state's much-troubled bullet train project. However, when the state incurs one of its periodic budget crises, the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund has also been tapped for expenses that have little, if any, connection to greenhouse gases.

The cost of living is now a top-drawer political concern, and with gasoline prices topping \$5 a gallon in many regions, anything that pushes consumer prices even higher is bound to become a political football.

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

Social Security Matters

When Will I Get Full Credit for Delaying my SS Retirement?



By Russell Gloor,
AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

Dear Rusty: The time is nearing that I want to move from my current Social Security survivor benefit to my own SS retirement benefit at 70 years of age. I have been looking more deeply into the application of Delayed Retirement Credits (DRCs), and I have read that DRCs accumulated in the year that I turn 70 (September 2026) will not be effective when I actually turn 70. Rather, those DRCs won't be paid until the following year. Can you verify that this is correct? I presume that if the DRC's are not applied at age 70, that they will be applied sometime after the first of the year and any increase will be paid retroactively. **Signed: Retiring Soon**

Dear Retiring Soon: The Delayed Retirement Credits (DRCs) you speak of have accumulated at the rate of 8% per year

(.667% per month) since you reached your SS full retirement age (FRA), which means that at age 70 your monthly SS benefit will be about 129% of the amount you were entitled to at your FRA of 66 years plus 4 months.

However, your understanding of how DRCs will work for you at age 70 is not correct. If you claim for your Social Security retirement benefits to begin in September 2026 (the month you turn 70) you will receive all DRCs, you have accumulated up to that point in time. In other words, you will get your full age 70 benefit amount immediately, including all DRCs earned until then, effective with your first SS retirement payment (which you will get in October 2026). What you have likely read about is that DRCs work a bit differently for those who claim SS after their full retirement age, but before their 70th birthday month.

For those who claim mid-year but before age 70, only DRCs earned through the end of the preceding year are initially applied, and DRCs earned during the current year are not paid until the following January. This results in a loss of some SS benefit between the

time benefits start and the following January, because only the amount earned as of the end of the previous year are first paid, and the full number of DRCs earned during the current year are applied in January. But, as is the case for you, when benefits are claimed to start in the month you reach 70 years of age, all DRCs earned up to the month of your 70th birthday are immediately applied.

Congratulations on selecting a strategy which will maximize your monthly Social Security benefit.

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Kristi Noem Rides Off into the Sunset

man, the border czar who supplanted her in Minneapolis, was on TV and sought to outpace him.

The Journal related that Lewandowski was desperate to get a federally issued gun and badge and exacted retribution against those who didn't cooperate (he failed to get the gun, but apparently got the badge).

DHS officials denied much of the Journal story, but even if a fraction of it was true, it was still damning.

The two were turf, sharp-elbowed bureaucratic players, not a new or unusual offense in Washington. But their enemies tended to be people who knew what they were doing, with Tom Homan high on the list.

Noem and Lewandowski raised eyebrows by taking an unusual amount of control over the department's spending. Self-dealing played a direct role in Noem's defenestration. The department approved a \$220 million contract -- funneled in part through firms run by Noem and Lewandowski allies -- for an ad campaign encouraging illegal immigrants to go home.

The ad starred -- who else? -- Kristi Noem. She was on horseback and in chaps. The implicit message was that if illegal immigrants didn't leave on their own, she'd immediately form a posse and run them over the border. It was a production worthy of a spaghetti western, or -- more to the point, given her political ambitions -- a commercial for a 2028 presidential campaign.

According to the Journal, Lewandowski fired a Coast Guard pilot who left Noem's blanket behind on another plane, and then, when they reached their destination, reinstated him because there wasn't anyone else to fly them home.

Reportedly, Noem tracked how often Tom Ho-

ing ad, or much of anything else, in brutal back-to-back House and Senate congressional hearings that precipitated her doom. She'd already been taken down a notch after the Minneapolis ICE operation went sideways. Not working with copious supplies of credibility to begin with, she tossed away whatever she had by instantly labeling both agitators shot by DHS agents "domestic terrorists."

All of this said, it was Trump who hired Noem despite her manifest deficiencies, including no notable experience in immigration enforcement. She was camera-ready and loyal, so why not? Her designated replacement, Oklahoma senator Markwayne Mullin, also doesn't have a background in immigration policy. One hopes, though, that he won't interfere with the professionals and will continue the Homan-backed approach of focusing on apprehending illegal immigrants who have committed other criminal offenses and received final orders of removal, and ramping up worksite enforcement.

The French World War I-era statesman Georges Clemenceau once said, "War is too important to be left to the generals." By the same token, immigration enforcement is too important to be left to self-serving glory hounds who are focused more on the main chance than the underlying mission.

Trump's first firing was the right one.

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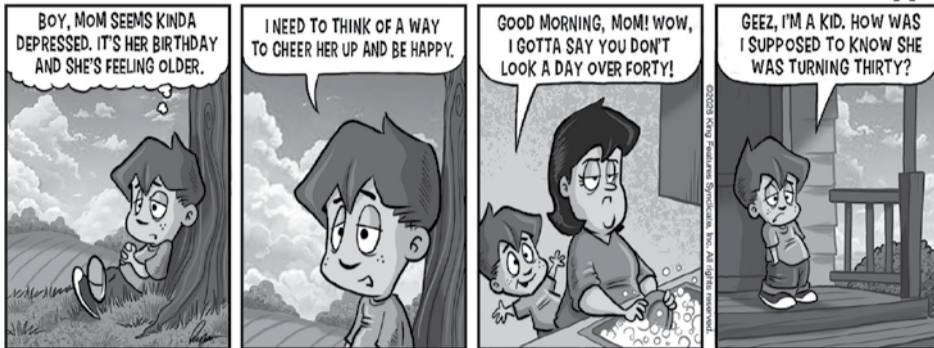
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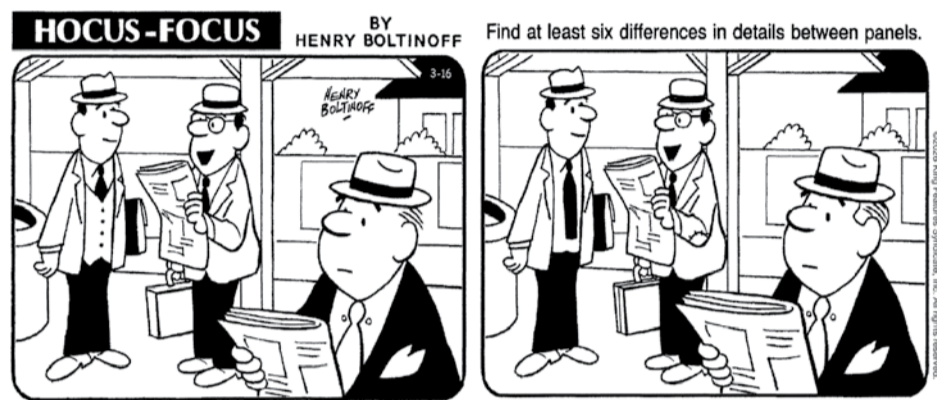
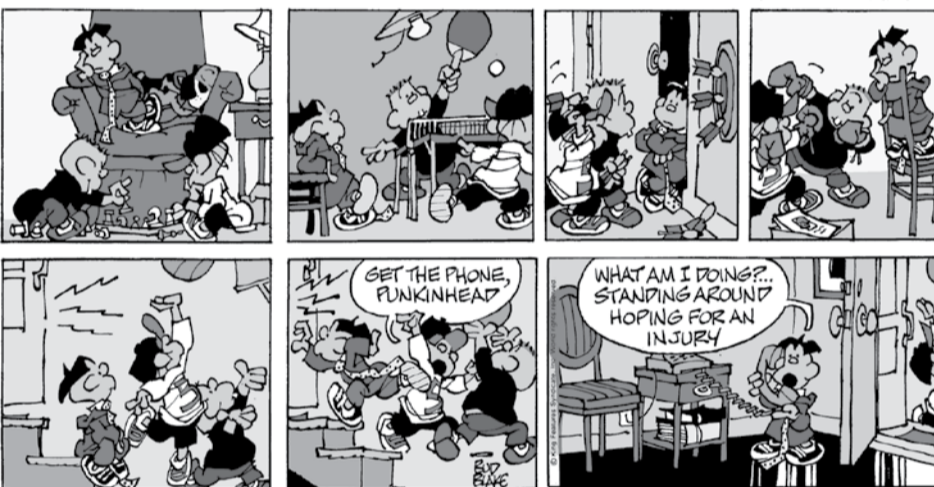
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HEALING 3-20-26

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Jaijuan Francis, 9679 Elmira Circle, Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Design With Florae" 9679 Elmira Circle, Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 2, 2026
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Kristel Roper, 9821 Fair Oaks Boulevard Suite B, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Dauntless Counseling" 9821 Fair Oaks Boulevard Suite B, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 3, 2026
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DAUNTLESS 3-20-26

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Lazaro Rental LLC., 3892 Marshall Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Lazaro Rental" 3892 Marshall Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 6, 2026
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Dayleen Simpson, 5855 Revelstok Drive, Sacramento, CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Crestline Processing" 5855 Revelstok Drive, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 13, 2026
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Royal feather since 1991 LLC, 6420 Wisp Court, Rocklin, CA 95765 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Wish a Wish" 5800 Madison Avenue Suite S, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2026
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01383
Carly B Alfonso, 11440 Sunrise Gold Circle #3, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Peachy Keen Resel" 11440 Sunrise Gold Circle #3, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2026
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AJ Venture Group LLC, 8628 Valley Rim Way, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "3 Monkeys Elkhorn" 5323 Elkhorn Boulevard, Suite B, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 9, 2026
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AJ 3-20-26

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Chad Overstrom, 8028 Quaker Ridge Way, Sacramento, CA 95829 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Green Valley Property Care" 8028 Quaker Ridge Way, Sacramento, CA 95829. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 17, 2026
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-00983
Jorrick Solutions LLC, 410 Ave Monte Sol, Suite 14 PMB 1071, Fajardo, PR 00738 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Maria's Cleaning" 410 Ave Monte Sol, Suite 14 PMB 1071, Fajardo, PR 00738. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 2, 2026
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GB Freight Inc, 2540 Greg Jarvis Way, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Book Sky Fares" 2540 Greg Jarvis Way, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2026
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AMIZZ Corporation, 3162 Osuna Way, Sacramento, CA 95833 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Division One Plumbing" 3162 Osuna Way, Sacramento, CA 95833. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 19, 2026
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Sisters Creative LLC, 1212 Mariemont Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Poppy & Thread Needlepoint" 1212 Mariemont Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County January 28, 2026
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Miguel A. Zapata and Raquel Zapata, 12309 Tawana Dome Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "USA Pro Carpet Care" 12309 Tawana Dome Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2026
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Jessica Antram, 8344 Deville Oaks, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Lucky Paws" 8344 Deville Oaks, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2026
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SOE Investments, 2678 Forrest Street, Sacramento, CA 95815 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Star Fashion" 2440 Northgate Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95833. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 19, 2026
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STAR 3-27-26

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Ilia Bolshin, 2980 Marysville Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95815 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "True Lock Solutions" 2980 Marysville Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 20, 2026
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Eagle Auto Works LLC, 2108 N Street Suite N, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Eagle Auto Registration Services" 2539 Tesla Way, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 20, 2026
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RJ Mac Holding LLC, 1125 Scarlett, Allan, TX 75002 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Twisted Mac" 4790 Manzanita Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 9, 2026
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TWISTED 3-27-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01474
Harmony Medical Staffing Solutions LLC., 1586 Golden Cypress Way, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Harmony Supported Living Services" 1586 Golden Cypress Way, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 20, 2026
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Jessie Richards, 6016 Westbrook Drive, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "She Tech Collective" 6016 Westbrook Drive, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County January 23, 2026
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Jefferson A. McGee, 8105 Cottonmill Circle, Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Florin Mortgage Company/Florin Capital" 8105 Cottonmill Circle, Sacramento, CA 95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 3, 2026
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Terrence Miller, 7006 Checkerbloom Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Clarix Water" 7006 Checkerbloom Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 10, 2026
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Muhammad A. Arshad and Annum Jamat, 5768 Beadnell Way, Sacramento, CA 95835 are doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MarketingGear" 5768 Beadnell Way, Sacramento, CA 95835. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 17, 2026
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MD Reasonable Services International LLC, 3301 Huntsman Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Daddy Smoke & Gift" 10401 Folsom Boulevard, Rancho Cordova, 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2026
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Northstate Nursing, Inc., 2804 Gateway Oaks Drive #100, Sacramento, CA 95833 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sustainable Psychiatry/Selective Psychiatry" 2804 Gateway Oaks Drive #100, Sacramento, CA 95833. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 10, 2026
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Steven Entriken Jr, 3225 Chelsea Road, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Diggitly Dawgs" 3225 Chelsea Road, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 23, 2026
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Mikhail Baca, 5545 Marconi Avenue, Apt 204, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Prestige Level Flooring" 5545 Marconi Avenue, Apt 204, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 24, 2026
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Ziv Mallul, 4190 E Commerce Way #152, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "BestBoy Locksmith" 27652764 Patent Drive #288, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 24, 2026
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Special Service Bird Control Inc., 2301 Vehicle Drive Suite A, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Special Service Pest Management" 10078 Kern River Court, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 27, 2026
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Ronny Moran, 2222 River Trails Circle, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Blue Door Property Services/Blue Door Pro Services" 2222 River Trails Circle, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 25, 2026
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Alvaro De La Isla Alvarez, 2914 Poole Drive, Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Million Hotdogs" 2914 Poole Drive, Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County January 28, 2026
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01625
Sherman Bridge GP LLC, 5000 Riverside Drive, Bldg 5, Suite 100W, Irving, TX 75039 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sherman Bridge" 5000 Riverside Drive, Bldg 5, Suite 100W, Irving, TX 75039. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 26, 2026
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Barrett Tetlow, 1425 36th Street, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "BDT Strategies" 1425 36th Street, Sacramento, CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 20, 2026
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BDT 3-27-26

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Curtis Davis, 1599 English Colony Way, Penryn, CA 95663 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Copperfly Property Services" 1599 English Colony Way, Penryn, CA 95663. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 26, 2026
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Gianna Maglietta, 4313 Lace Fern Street, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Mama G's Bakery" 4313 Lace Fern Street, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 20, 2026
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Jaspreet Singh, 4001 Watt Avenue #120, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "DJ Drop" 4001 Watt Avenue #120, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 19, 2026
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Yana Pekarski, DDS – 5931 Stanley Avenue Suite 3, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sacramento Holistic Dentist/Sacramento Holistic Dentistry" 5931 Stanley Avenue Suite 3, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 9, 2026
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Soma Unlimited LLC, 3843 Terraview Street, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Urban Food" 3843 Terraview Street, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 3, 2026
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Sonya Bates, 2678 Kingfisher Lane, Camino, CA 95709 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Soma Wellness Spa" 107 Scripps Drive Suite 110, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 10, 2026
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Michelle Lopez-Hardie, 11886 Kingspoint Court, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Michelle's Mobile Fitness" 11886 Kingspoint Court, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 3, 2026
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Chardi Kala Printing LLC, 7837 Stockton Boulevard Suite #100, Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Pro Print Linkers" 7837 Stockton Boulevard Suite #100, Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 2, 2026
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Yvonne Evans, 2111 W. La Loma Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Yannah's Art & Soul Studio" 9719 Lincoln Village Drive Suite 500E, Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 3, 2026
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YANNAHS 4-3-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01790
Tayehs Management Co., Inc, 7635 Agate Beach Way, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Amazing Athletes" 7635 Agate Beach Way, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 3, 2026
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AMAZING 4-3-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01616
Adam Weeks, 7225 Lincoln Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Fire Bean Bookkeeping" 7225 Lincoln Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 25, 2026
Publish: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 2026
FIRE 4-3-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01612
Mike Sherman, Inc, 1400 N Colt Road Suite 1304, McKinney, TX 75071 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "TSC Accounts Receivable Solutions" 1400 N Colt Road Suite 1304, McKinney, TX 75071. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February

25, 2026
Publish: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 2026
TSC 4-3-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01491
NV Comm., LLC, 5725 S Valley View Boulevard Suite 5 PMB 843220, Las Vegas, NV 89118 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "BBO Mexican/Pacho Mamas" 3011 Lake Mead, Suite 100, North Las Vegas, NV 89032. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 23, 2026
Publish: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 2026
BBO 4-3-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01644
Viliani Liu, 3817 Clay Street, Sacramento, CA 95838 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Pacific Concrete" 3817 Clay Street, Sacramento, CA 95838. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 26, 2026
Publish: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 2026
PACIFIC 4-3-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-00615
Perry Trenton LLC, 2108 N Street Suite N, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "PT Studios: Veni Vidi Vici" 2108 N Street Suite N, Sacramento, CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County January 21, 2026
Publish: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 2026
PT 4-3-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01671
Reynolds Mortgage & Real Estate Services Inc., 7968 Orange Avenue, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Golden Faith Property Management" 7968 Orange Avenue, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 27, 2026
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GOLDEN 4-3-26

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENTS

7585 Diamond Ranch Drive Apt 221, Sacramento CA 95829. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 4, 2026
Publish: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 2026
NICKS 4-3-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-00736
Judy Lynne Fearon, 66 Cambria Circle, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Judy Lynne Designs" 66 Cambria Circle, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County January 26, 2026
Publish: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 2026
JUDY 4-3-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01826
Sarajuddin Safi, 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sfinity Junk Removal Services" 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 5, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
SFINITY 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01711
Olaf Alexander Kroettinger and Lucie Mary Kroettinger, 1544 Manasco Circle, Folsom, CA 95630 are doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Watchdogs Surveillance" 1544 Manasco Circle, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 27, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
WATCHDOGS 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01905
Backdd LLC, 2108 N Street #14806, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Arden Square Studio" 3160 Arden Way Suite 137, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 9, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
ARDEN 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01776
Xiaoling Ross, 3601 Manzanola Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Coins, Cards and Glass" 3601 Manzanola Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 3, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
COINS 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01687
Donna Merrick, 229 Palm View Lane, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s)

"Paws Off My Coffee" 229 Palm View Lane, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 27, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
PAWS 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01727
Hopeside Detox, LLC, 1227 School Street, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Hopeside Recovery Center" 1227 School Street, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 2, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
HOPESIDE 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01619
Mohammed Darwish, 649 El Camino Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95815 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Rapid Lock & Key" 649 El Camino Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 25, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
RAPID 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01980
AZA Brothers Inc., 5219 Elkhorn Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Gill Brothers Market" 5219 Elkhorn Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 10, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
GILL 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01961
Sacramento Catholic Family Insurance Services, Inc, 2110 Broadway, Sacramento, CA 95818 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "George L. Klumpp Chapel of Flowers" 2122 28th Street, Sacramento, CA 95818. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 10, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
GEORGE 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01863
Brand Image Care Inc., 3249 Quality Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Brand Image Cleaning/Brand Image Care Management/Bic Management/Brand Image Catering" 3249 Quality Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 6, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
BRAND 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01620
Stephanie Jean Flores, 10058 Wyatt Ranch Way, Sacramento, CA 95829 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "The Essence of Scent" 10058 Wyatt Ranch Way,

Sacramento, CA 95829. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 25, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
ESSENCE 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01975
Gilda El-Hage, 4808 Lukella Drive, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "APX Federal Supply" 4808 Lukella Drive, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 10, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
APX 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-02008
Gulagha Shafie and Mohammad Asif Azizi, 2505 Arden Way, Sacramento, CA 95825 are doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sonic Tire & Auto Repair" 2505 Arden Way, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 11, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
SONIC 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01992
Materia Enterprises Inc, 8139 Sunset Avenue, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Squarefield Cannabis/Bombay Farms" 1021 Fee Drive, Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 10, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
SQUAREFIELD 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01184
New Strength Foundation, 853 Alsace Drive, Corona, CA 92882 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "New Strength Foundation" 853 Alsace Drive, Corona, CA 92882. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 9, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
NEW 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01910
Preetpal Singh, 8245 Florin Road, Suite A2, Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "PC Distribution" 8245 Florin Road, Suite A2, Sacramento, CA 95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 9, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
PC 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01366
Peata Pattie Lefao Jones, 5815 Dulwich Way, Sacramento, CA 95835 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Aafiyah's Friends Daycare" 5815 Dulwich Way, Sacramento, CA 95835. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 17, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
AAFYAHS 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01702
Ahmad Almhaimed, 5409 Parkville Court, Sacramento, CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Al Furat Motors" 5409 Parkville Court, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 27, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
AL 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01577
NV Comm., LLC, 5725 S Valley View Boulevard Suite 5 PMB 843220, Las Vegas, NV 89118 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Border Grill" 3011 Lake Mead, Suite 100, North Las Vegas, NV 89032. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 25, 2026
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BORDER 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-02019
Next Build Inc, 8752 Winding Way, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Elevate Auto" 10412 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 11, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
ELEVATE 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01947
Rachel's Pet Portraits, 1010 11th Street #715, Sacramento, CA 95814 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) Rachel's Pet Portraits/ Paint Your Pet Pawty! 1010 11th Street #715, Sacramento, CA 95814. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 9, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
RACHELS 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-02042
Landuse Lending LLC, 180 Promenade Circle Suite 300, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sacramento Land Buyers" 180 Promenade Circle Suite 300, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 12, 2026
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
SACRAMENTO 4-10-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2026-01820
Zandra Useche, 7873 Twin Oaks Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Unlimited Helping Hands" 7873 Twin Oaks Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 4, 2026
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UNLIMITED 4-10-26

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. FBNF2025-06279
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME OF: Painting Forest, 2108 N Street #9436, Sacramento, CA 95816
Wai Lam Chu, 2108 N Street #9436, Sacramento, CA 95816. The Fictitious Business Name Statement was filed on August 25, 2025 in the County of Sacramento.
Filed with the clerk of Sacramento County: August 25, 2025.
Publish: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 2026
PAINTING 3-27-26

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. FBNF2024-02438
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name of: Magnolia Suites, 4801 Marconi Avenue #11, Carmichael, CA 95608.
Bruce Mintzer, 4801 Marconi Avenue #11, Carmichael, CA 95608.
The Fictitious Business Name Statement was filed on March 29, 2024 in the County of Sacramento.
Filed with the clerk of Sacramento County: February 26, 2026.
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
MAGNOLIA 4-10-26

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. FBNF2025-05274
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name of: Maelstrom Web Services & Maelstrom Tutoring, 2740 Fulton Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821.
Mason Goulding, 2740 Fulton Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821.
The Fictitious Business Name Statement was filed on July 17, 2025 in the County of Sacramento.
Filed with the clerk of Sacramento County: March 10, 2026.
Publish: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2026
MAELSTROM 4-10-26

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

CORRECTED ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NO. 25CV003329
Superior Court of California, County of SACRAMENTO
Petition of ShankaraNarayanan Jayaraman and JanakaSudha Shankara Narayanan for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Petitioner: ShankaraNarayanan Jayaraman and JanakaSudha Shankara Narayanan filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Sriram J.S. aka Sriram, Janakasudha Shankara Narayanan to Sriram J. Shankara Naryanan
Srihari J.S. aka Srihari, Janakasudha Shankara Narayanan to Srihari J. Shankara Narayanan
The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 08/06/2026, Time: 9:00 AM, Dept.: 54
The address of the court is 720 9th Street Sacramento 95814 (To appear remotely, check in advance of the hearing for information about how to do so on the court's website. To find your court's website, go to www.courts.ca.gov/find-my-court.htm.)
A copy of this Order to Show Cause must be published at least once each week for four successive weeks before the date set for hearing on the petition in a newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Carmichael Times
Date: 1/23/2026
HON. CHRISTOPHER E. KRUEGER
Judge of the Superior Court
227,3/6,3/13,3/20/26
CNS-4015768#
CARMICHAEL TIMES 3-20-26

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #26CV004835
Chunmei Liu has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Shiqi Kara Yu to Kara Shiqi Yu.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 3, 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: March 2, 2026
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 2026
LIU 4-3-26

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #26CV002353
Robert Roseberry has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Mary Katherine Smith to Mary Katherine Roseberry.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 29, 2026, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 28, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.
Dated: January 30, 2026
Richard C. Miadich, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 2026
ROSEBERRY 4-3-26

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #26CV003242
Viktorila Yakovleva has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Viktorila Yakovleva to Victoria lakovleva Twomey.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 13, 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: February 9, 2026
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Feb 27, March 6, 13, 20, 2026
YAKOVLEVA 3-20-26

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #26CV000696
Kavion Valentino I'Zell Cook has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Kavion Valentino I'Zell Cook to Kavion Valentino I'Zell Powell.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 24, 2026, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 28, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.
Dated: January 12, 2026
Richard C. Miadich, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Feb 27, March 6, 13, 20, 2026
COOK 3-20-26

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #26CV003030
Morell Fair has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Morell Lacey Lomane Fair VI to Sonny Lacey Lomane Fair.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 25, 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: February 9, 2026
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 2026
FAIR 3-27-26

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #26CV002844
Jessica Nicole Gregor has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Jessica Nicole Gregor to Jessica Nicole Restani and Giavanna Maribella Rogers-Restani to Giavanna Maribella Restani and Marciano Niko Rogers-Restani to Marciano Niko Restani.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 15, 2026, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 25, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.
Dated: February 5, 2026
Julie G. Yap, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 2026
GREGOR 3-27-26

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #26CV005940
Terrence Joseph Maryland has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Terrence Joseph Maryland to Terrence Joseph Landry.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 29, 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: March 9, 2026
Cassie Clark has filed a petition

City of Rancho Cordova Notice of Unclaimed Funds

NOTICE is hereby given that the City of Rancho Cordova has been holding funds for the following persons for three years or more. If said funds are not claimed by 5/15/2026, these funds will become the property of the City of Rancho Cordova. There funds may be released to the depositor, their heir, beneficiary, or duly appointed representative provided a claim form has been completed with the necessary information establishing entitlement to the funds.

A Unclaimed Money Claim Form is available at the City of Rancho Cordova Finance Department, 2729 Prospect Park Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA. 95670 or by website www.cityofranchocordova.org. The required claim form information includes name, address, phone number, tax identification number, amount of claim and grounds on which claim is founded. Once a claim is submitted, the Administrative Services Director will determine what, if any, additional information is necessary.

Persons with funds on deposit with the City of Rancho Cordova for three (3) years are as follows:

NAME	AMOUNT (\$)	FUND WHICH \$ IS HELD
Jamal LLC	\$ 8,774.08	1000 – General Fund
Metro PCS	5,468.25	1000 – General Fund
Mohan Singh	3,612.56	1000 – General Fund
Golden State Utility Co.	2,266.18	1000 – General Fund
Sprint Nextel	2,260.74	1000 – General Fund
R.E. Marketing LTD	1,610.30	1000 – General Fund
Bob Parrett Construction	900.00	1000 – General Fund
Capital Village at Rancho Cordova	514.73	1000 – General Fund
Timothy Martin	152.00	1000 – General Fund
LuElla Wilson	150.00	1000 – General Fund
Daniela Gonzalez	100.00	1000 – General Fund
Francine Lukban	100.00	1000 – General Fund
Medhansh Koka	100.00	1000 – General Fund
Jesse Lee	97.46	1000 – General Fund
Thu C Khuc	92.00	1000 – General Fund
Vintage Faire LLC	84.00	1000 – General Fund
Tatyana Datsyuk	32.00	1000 – General Fund
Quill	31.92	1000 – General Fund
Quill	31.92	1000 – General Fund
JSP Properties LLC	31.73	1000 – General Fund
Mary Sebastien	30.00	1000 – General Fund
I Choose Life - Africa	27.00	1000 – General Fund
Thatiane Rastrero	15.00	1000 – General Fund
Total	\$ 26,481.87	

Michelle Mingay
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Students Invited to Memorial Day Art Contest

By Omella Rossi

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Students in grades TK through 12 are invited to celebrate the 250th anniversary of the United States by submitting artwork for the 2026 Memorial Day Student Art Contest exhibit titled "You're a Grand Old Flag."

The contest, organized by the Rancho Cordova Memorial Day Committee, asks students to create 2-dimensional art capturing the beauty and significance of the American flag. The top 10 entries will receive \$25 gift cards and a Rancho Cordova jigsaw puzzle.

"Our Memorial Day Student Art Contest is an effort to help teach our younger generation about the meaning of important American symbols," said Cordova Community Council Executive Director Shelly Blanchard. "Last year, we focused on the history and meaning behind red poppies. In honor of our country's 250th anniversary, celebrating the American flag, which was created during the American Revolution, seemed like a perfect choice."

All submissions will be displayed at the Cordova High School Performing Arts Center during the Memorial Day Observance at 10 a.m. Monday, May 25. Students in attendance whose artwork is selected will be introduced and honored for their work.

"As students concentrate on creating something artful around the flag, we hope they will also be thinking about what it all means. If we have an overarching goal, it is to bring knowledge of these American traditions to a new generation of Americans, many of whom were not born here and may not know them," said Blanchard.

Artwork may be dropped off at the MACC, 10191 Mills Station Rd, during regular hours, Thursdays and Fridays from 2 to 7 p.m. and Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., through Saturday, May 16. Entries must include the artist's name, age, grade, school and telephone number.

"We are building our 2026 Memorial Day event around the American flag. You will hear about it in the music and see how our youth interpret it in the Art Contest," said Blanchard. "We are planning a ceremonial flag folding with all the symbolism that comes with it. We all know what the American flag looks like, but I think many people will be surprised by its history and symbolism."

All works submitted will become part of the Memorial Day exhibit and will not be returned.

For more information, contact Shelly Blanchard at 916-273-5707 or shelly@cordovacouncil.org. ★

Community Meeting on Mail Theft Scheduled for March 25

City of Rancho Cordova News Release

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - The City of Rancho Cordova is hosting a community meeting focused on mail theft prevention on Wednesday, March 25, at 5:30 p.m. at the Rancho Cordova Police Department, 2897 Kilgore Road.

This meeting is being held in response to questions and interest from residents who want to learn more about how to prevent mail theft and reduce risk. It is not in response to any specific incident.

During the meeting, the Rancho Cordova Police Department (RCPD) will

provide an update on mail theft trends, share how the City and Rancho Cordova Police Department are working to address the issue, and offer practical tips residents can use to protect themselves. A representative from the U.S. Postal Inspection Service will also be in attendance to answer questions and provide information about federal mail theft investigations and prevention efforts.

Mail theft is a concern for communities throughout the region, and staying informed is one of the best ways to prevent it. Residents are encouraged to attend, ask questions and share information with their neighbors. ★

City Sponsors AI Day During Folsom Tech Week

Event highlights city's growing AI & Robotics Ecosystem

City of Rancho Cordova News Release

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - On Friday, Feb. 5, the City of Rancho Cordova proudly sponsored AI Day during Folsom Tech Week at Movement Brewing Co.

The event featured a fireside chat with Mayor Garret Gatewood, where he shared the future of Rancho Cordova's AI & Robotics Ecosystem and officially debuted the city's AI & Robotics Ecosystem website: cityofranhocordova.org/aires

"Rancho Cordova is the new epicenter of Innovation, Opportunity and Community. We're one of the top 5

fastest-growing cities in California," said Mayor Gatewood. "This year is about building on our strengths, leaning into bold ideas, and making sure progress is felt by residents in tangible ways."

With partners like NVIDIA, Solidigm, HNCI and local schools, the AI & Robotics Ecosystem ensures innovation is paired with workforce training, creating pathways from education to employment and keeping Rancho Cordova competitive in emerging industries.

Sign up for our newsletter to learn more about AI Day and the city's innovation programs at cityofranhocordova.org/enews. ★



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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME
#26CV003531

Balbir Kaur Kamboj has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Balbir Kaur Kamboj to Balijeet Kaur Bedi.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on April 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: March 6, 2026
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME
#26CV005280

Lina Avin has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Hasibullah Hamdard to Hasibullah Bayati.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 12, 2026, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 25, 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: March 4, 2026
Julie G. Yap, Judge of the Superior Court
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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF PETER DALE EHRHARDT
CASE NO. 26PR000499
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Peter Dale

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

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the 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 April 1, 2026, 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 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: Heather S. Mayer, 400 Plaza Drive, Suite 145, Folsom, CA 95630; 916-631-1996
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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF GLENN WALTER NORTON, JR.
CASE NO. 26PR000619

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Glenn Walter Norton, Jr.

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

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the 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 April 15, 2026, 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 Attorney for Petitioner is: Katie Lenore, 202 Providence Mine Road Suite 106, Nevada City, CA 95959; 530-264-4130
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The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney is: (El nombre, la direccion y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es): Matthew R. Silver, Sean E. Morrissey, Sierra E. Nelson, Civica Law Group APC, 4000 Barranca Parkway, Suite 250 PMB #782, Irvine, CA 92604; 949-592-0165
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The Weekly Whistle

Chains on Saturday, Sermons on Sunday
The Parable of the Parking Lot — Sometimes compassion looks as simple as opening a lot

By Jason Harper

Opening Day at the Cordova Lane baseball fields should have looked like a Norman Rockwell painting. Nearly 500 kids and their families showed up. Gloves are still stiff from the store. Jerseys with fresh fold lines. Parents juggling coffee cups and folding chairs while coaches greeted families they hadn't seen since last season.

Youth sports are at their best. At least they should be. But before the first pitch was thrown, the first challenge of the morning had already begun. Parking.

Anyone who has spent time around the Cordova Lane fields knows the routine. The facility has limited parking. On Saturdays, parents circle the blocks looking for a spot while kids hop out with bats and backpacks. Last Saturday was no different, except for one detail.

Within about one hundred yards of those fields sit three large churches. On Sundays, the goal is to have those parking lots full of worshippers. On Saturdays, they sit mostly empty. But when families tried to use them for overflow parking, they encountered something else. Chains. A parking enforcer. And in one case, an SUV positioned across an entrance like a defensive lineman protecting the goal line. Even Dinger, the River Cats mascot roaming the grounds that morning, had to make the half-mile hike like everyone else.

Walking in, you could see the three parking "policies" in real time.

Church One — Chained Off
A chain stretched across the entrance. Behind it sat a wide, empty lot.

Church Two — Personal Parking Lot Protector

A lone individual stationed like a suburban parking marshal, making sure no car crossed the invisible boundary.

Church Three — Suburban SUV Roadblock

An SUV was parked sideways across the driveway entrance like a barricade protecting the empty lot from minivans.

To be fair, churches absolutely have the legal right to control their property. This isn't a legal debate. But it does raise a

deeper question. What does community mean?

Across the street, volunteers were organizing teams, teaching kids sportsmanship, and reminding them to pick up trash because "this is our field." Youth sports exist largely because adults donate time and energy so kids can learn teamwork, resilience, and discipline. Those values don't stop at the foul line.

One of the most well-known stories in the Bible is the Parable of the Good Samaritan. A man is beaten and left on the road. Two religious leaders passed by. The one who stops to help is the outsider. The lesson is simple. Compassion beats convenience.

A healthy community works best when its institutions see themselves as part of the same ecosystem. Schools, churches, youth leagues, nonprofits, and families share the same quiet mission: helping the next generation grow up healthy and hopeful. Sometimes that mission is as simple as opening a gate. Imagine the message it would send if one of those churches posted a small sign on Saturdays that read: Community Parking — Welcome.

A frustrating morning suddenly becomes a moment of partnership. Parents remember it. Kids notice it. Relationships begin.

Imagine if a church were so inviting that as parents passed by, they were handed a hot cup of coffee, hot chocolate, or a bottle of cold water. Maybe even a snow cone on the way home from the ballpark.

The irony is that if the churches allowed their parking lots to be used on Saturday, they might find them fuller on Sunday. Church growth in its simplest form.

If Jesus were here today, would He be on parking patrol or passing out water to the thirsty?

Culture is rarely built in big speeches. It's built in small decisions that say, "You belong here, even if you have yet to believe here."

Last Saturday offered a reminder of both possibilities. Locked gates — or an open opportunity.

And if the latter is chosen, those three churches will have hit a grand slam. ★

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What's Coming to Your Neighborhood

Soroptimist International of Rancho Cordova & Gold River News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The goal of the Soroptimist International of Rancho Cordova & Gold River club is to empower women and girls to create their own path to success and a history to be proud of.

For the last several years, our club has stuffed holiday stockings which were distributed to female veterans receiving treatment at Mather's VA Northern California Healthcare System (NCHCS). We learned that our stocking program saved the life of a veteran who received a stocking because she was severely depressed and considering suicide. When she received our stocking full of love, she changed her mind and decided to seek help. She took control of her future so she could continue making her own history.

Our club also stuffs Comfort Kits for domestic violence and trafficking survivors which are distributed by the Sacramento Family Justice Center (<https://www.sacramento-fjc.org/>). We met the mother of a trafficking victim while collecting raffle prizes for a fundraiser. We referred the mother to SFJC, and her daughter was rescued within 24 hours and given one of our Comfort Kits. The rescued daughter told

her mom how much receiving the Comfort Kit meant to her. The daughter is now taking control of her future so she can make her own history.

Now our club is embarking on teaching domestic violence and trafficking survivors goal setting, overcoming obstacles, preparing for success, and independent living skills at the Sacramento Family Justice Center and will later this year begin offering the same workshops to people receiving assistance at the new Cordova Community Food Hub to help empower their independence and give them more control over making their own history.

Soroptimist is an international 501(c)3 non-profit organization who seeks to improve the lives of women and girls through programs leading to social and economic empowerment. The name, Soroptimist, means "best for women," and that's what the organization strives to achieve. Soroptimists are people at their best, working to help other women to be their best.

Email sircgr2009@gmail.com to receive more information about Soroptimist International of Rancho Cordova & Gold River, how to become a member or just learn how you can volunteer with our club members, or visit <http://www.soroptimistranchocordova.org/> ★



From major corridors to neighborhood streets, the Rancho Cordova Public Works team is hard at work upgrading roads across the city. Photo courtesy of the City of Rancho Cordova

City of Rancho Cordova News Release

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - From major corridors to neighborhood streets, the Rancho Cordova Public Works team is hard at work upgrading roads across the city. Here's a look at the work happening around Rancho Cordova.

Mather Field Road Phase One

Soon, the City of Rancho Cordova will be improving aesthetics along the east side of Mather Field Road north of westbound US 50 off-ramp. Project improvements will include upgrading the aesthetic wall treatment, widening sidewalks, landscape improvements and a pergola entry wall feature at Croydon Drive. Project construction will begin in Spring 2026 and is anticipated to be completed in Summer 2026.

Countryside Neighborhood Street Rehabilitation Phase Two

The city also plans to rehabilitate streets within the Countryside neighborhood to extend the life



The city also plans to rehabilitate streets to extend the life of the pavement, improve rideability and repair the current infrastructure. Photo courtesy of the City of Rancho Cordova

of the pavement, improve rideability and repair the current infrastructure. Project enhancements will include resurfaced roadways, updated drainage infrastructure, high-visibility pavement markings, and upgraded curb ramps to meet current accessibility standards. Design is currently underway and is anticipated to be completed in 2027. Learn more about the project and provide feedback by taking our survey: <https://engage-dewberry.com/lincoln-village-neighborhood-street-rehabilitation-project>.

Lincoln Village Neighborhood Street Rehabilitation

In the Lincoln Village

neighborhood, improvements will be made including resurfaced roadways, upgraded drainage infrastructure, high-visibility pavement markings, and upgraded curb ramps to meet current accessibility standards. Design is currently underway and is anticipated to be completed in 2027. Learn more about the project and provide feedback by taking our survey: <https://engage-dewberry.com/lincoln-village-neighborhood-street-rehabilitation-project>.

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Lady Lancers Looking to Overcome Slow Start

By James Damell

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - The Cordova Lady Lancers have had a rough beginning to their pre-season slate this spring due to various factors out of their control. Injuries and bad weather have created a perfect storm that has put a damper on their pre-season output thus far. With Metro League play starting this week however, the team is expecting to heat up - both by sunny conditions and players returning to the lineup.

The Lady Lancers (0-5 overall at press time) had yet to get into the win column entering this week, as their defense has been inconsistent early due to constant lineup changes and players being moved out of position. The group has surrendered at least 13 runs in three of their five losses, including a 14-4 loss at Rosemont on Thursday, March 12.

Against the Lady Wolverines (3-2 overall), Cordova gave up a total of 11 hits, which included six runs in the first two innings. The Lady Lancers tried to make a run at it late as they notched four runs between the fourth and fifth innings, but Rosemont ultimately walked away with the win after five innings due to the 10-run CIF (California Interscholastic Federation) mercy rule. Senior shortstop Jalaya Cozart paced Rosemont with three hits and three RBI (runs batted in) in the win, with five others recording at least one hit. For Cordova, junior first baseman Deena Venegas led the way

with two hits and scored one run.

Cordova entered this week with two non-league pre-season games remaining, with a home game against visiting Ponderosa on Monday, March 16, along with a road clash at West Campus on Wednesday, March 18. The biggest game of the week, however, took place on Thursday, March 19 at McClatchy in the Metro League opener for both teams, however final results were not available at press time.

According to Lady Lancers head coach Kim Bradley, the early season lineup shifts have played a key factor in the results they've seen on the field so far.

"I think we're just finding our rhythm," Bradley said. "We're young still. We've had players out due to injury as well who should be coming back this week. So, we've been having to manipulate positions to fill the gaps until we can get everyone healthy."

Bradley also mentioned that although the team is young (just two seniors), she believes the team will be strong and will ultimately come together as the season progresses. She added that she is looking forward to the clean slate that league play provides and is expecting to be very competitive.

"The start isn't our true identity or what our team is capable of," she said. "We haven't had the same roster in any of the games that we've played between girls being out sick or injured. This week we should have our entire team ready to rock and roll." ★



Junior Isabella Tarpley-Cruz delivers the pitch against Rosemont. Photo by Rick Sloan



Junior Tiah Kennedy hits a triple and drives in a run against Rosemont. Photo by Rick Sloan



Senior Deena Venegas slides safely into 3rd base against Rosemont. Photo by Rick Sloan

Four Lancers Earn All-League Honors

By James Damell

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Four Cordova Lancers earned All-Metro League honors during the winter varsity soccer season, the first under new head coach Luis Aguilar.

Three juniors - Defenseman Matteo Ravelo, striker Shazad Hazem, and midfielder Misael Ceja Rosas, along with sophomore midfielder Raul Aguilar Vigil all earned individual awards and recognition based on their stellar play on the pitch this winter. Hazem's 12 goals ranked second in the Metro League, with Aguilar Vigil ranking third in assists over the course of the season with nine. Ravelo is being recognized for his sticky defensive presence, and Cejas Rojas was a solid all-around performer for a young Lancers team that appears to be headed in the right direction.

Each athlete is also being lauded for their performance in the classroom, with Ravelo standing out academically with an astounding 4.3 grade point average. Aguilar is proud of his young student athletes and is excited to have them all back next season to provide the example of what he wants to see from his entire team.

"It's really encouraging because now I saw firsthand what I have to work with," Aguilar said. "Hopefully it shows the other guys on the team that is what it takes. Whether it's in the summer, with their club, off the field, it gives them a direct point of reference. They see their teammates who are getting recognition in the classroom, the weight room and on the field. I'm going to use them to mirror what I want everyone else to look like."

The Lancers won three of their final four games within league play to end the season, and although they did not advance to the postseason the future is clearly bright for the program. ★



Junior Misael Ceja-Rosas was named to the All-Metro League team this winter. Photo courtesy of Head Coach Luis Aguilar



Sophomore Raul Aguilar-Vigil ranked third in assists within the Metro League this past season. Photo courtesy of Head Coach Luis Aguilar



Right: Junior Matteo Ravelo earned All-Metro League recognition while maintaining a 4.3 GPA. Photo courtesy of Head Coach Luis Aguilar

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 3Hours Karaoke + 2Pizzas + Pitcher Soda + 4 Main Dishes (Dishes To Choose From Menu)
 (14 seats)

For 18 people 295.00 + Gratuity
 3Hours Karaoke + 3Pizzas + Pitcher Soda + 6 Main Dishes (Dishes To Choose From Menu)
 (18 seats)

For 28 people \$395.00 + Gratuity
 3Hours Karaoke + 3Pizzas + Pitcher Soda + 6 Main Dishes (Dishes To Choose From Menu)
 (28 seats)

Dishes To Choose From

FRESH PRODUCE

Yukon Potato 5 lb Bag \$2.69 /bag	Mini Sweet Pepper 1 lb \$2.49 /pk	Lemon 2 lb Bag \$1.99 /bag	Red Grape \$1.99 /lb
Russet Potato 10 lb Bag \$1.99 /bag	Wood ear Mushroom 6 oz \$2.29 /ea	Chinese Eggplant \$1.29 /lb	Murcott Tangerine 4 lb Bag \$2.99 /bag

AMERICAN/HISPANIC GROCERY

REG \$1.79 \$1.29 /ea EED Cut Green Beans 14.5 oz	REG \$3.99 \$2.99 /ea Kopiko Focus Coffee Candy 0.70 oz	REG \$5.99 \$5.49 /ea Nutella Hazelnut Spread with Cocoa 13 oz	REG \$5.99 \$4.99 /ea Dolores Tuna Yellowfin Tuna in Water 10.4 oz	REG \$4.99 \$3.99 /ea + TAX EED Multipurpose Lighter 1 ct
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ASIAN GROCERY

REG \$9.99 \$5.99 /ea Purefoods Corned Beef 12 oz	REG \$24.99 \$19.99 /ea Dynasty Thai Jasmine Rice 20 lb	REG \$2.59 \$1.99 /ea Roya Assorted Sesame Peanut Candy 7 oz	REG \$3.49 \$2.99 /ea Saigon Quail Eggs in Brine 15 oz	REG \$2.49 \$1.19 /ea Awai Coconut Cream 13.5 fl oz
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EUROPEAN GROCERY

REG \$7.99 \$6.99 /ea Ahmad Tea Mint Green Tea 100 T/B + 10	REG \$6.99 \$5.99 /ea Wild Cod Liver (in own Juice) 240 gr	REG \$3.99 \$2.99 /ea Sic. Cocoa Cream Sandwich Cookies 300 gr	REG \$24.99 \$18.99 /ea Sadaf Olive Pomace Oil 3 liter	REG \$3.49 \$2.49 /ea Mid-East Mango Juice Drink 1 liter
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EUROPEAN DELI

REG \$6.49/LB \$5.49 /lb Belmont German Ham	REG \$7.49/LB \$6.49 /lb Kretschmar Ham off the Bone	REG \$6.69/LB \$5.69 /lb Olives Stuffed with Garlic	REG \$7.69/LB \$6.69 /lb Pitted Kalamata Olives and Feta Cheese
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FROZEN & FISH DEPT

REG \$16.99/EA
\$12.99/ea

Dried Cod Fish 500 g

HOUSEWARE

REG \$11.99
\$8.99/EA

ELECTRIC RICE COOKER (1.8 QT ONLY)

REG \$16.99
\$16.99/EA

KAIZEN WOK PAN 30 CM

REG \$59.99
\$39.99/EA

ELECTRIC BBQ GRILL

WEEKLY MEAT SPECIALS

Beef London Broil Top Round Roast \$5.99 /lb	Beef New York Roast Boneless \$6.99 /lb	Chicken Leg Quarters 89¢ /lb
Pork Loin Roast Boneless \$2.69 /lb	Pork Loin Chops Boneless \$2.99 /lb	Pork Spare Ribs \$3.49 /lb

WEEKLY HALAL SPECIALS

Chicken Leg Quarters 99¢ /lb	New Zealand Lamb Stew Meat Bone-In \$5.99 /lb	Beef London Broil/Top Round Roast \$6.49 /lb
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