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*Submitted by Mary Carney, Sierra Madre Women's Club*

egan her next Adventure June 15, 2016

Snooky joined SMWC in 1990 and immediately became part of the “let nothing stand in our way” group of 12 - 15 widows who wanted to enjoy life to the fullest. They became known as the “Golden Girls” and for 23 years they enthusiastically took part in everything the club and our City had to offer, and then some. They enjoyed dressing up - and hats were always worn at Fashion Shows. Snooky was one of the quiet supporters of the activists, always with two hands helping out - in the Thrift Shop, setting up food for teas (13+ years) and other events and always one of the lunch ticket sales crew, as well as a lunch Reservations Caller. She anchored seat #1 at SMWC’s “table” at the Rose Float’s semi-annual Legendary Bingos; ditto for the Fireman’s Breakfast. She helped decorate and set up curb-side chairs for the Pre-Parade Open House, was part of the SMWC Concert in the Parks on Summer evenings and helped dip ice cream for the sodas the years we had a booth there. A Life member, she was also a stalwart at the Wistaria Festival’s Info Booth at Memorial Park, and a solid anchor for the Oranges Table at the Mt. Wilson Trail Race. Her thoughtfulness, support and humor have been missed at our meetings, and now will be missed all the time.



Her daughter, Marilyn Simcox, will let us know about future plans; all Snooky's family is out-of-town / state, so it may be a while. Cards may still be sent to The Family of Snooky Gregor, 195 San Gabriel Court, Sierra Madre, CA 91024

Lew Watanabe a long time resident and one of our most generous volunteers passed away on May 19th after a brave battle with pancreatic cancer.

A celebration of Lew's life will be held on Thursday June 30th, at 1:30 PM in the auditorium at Sierra Madre Elementary School, following an 11:30 AM grave side service at the Sierra Madre Pioneer Cemetery. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to the Gofundme account "Lew's Japanese Garden Memorial Fund", created to provide continued care for the garden at Sierra Madre School that Lew so lovingly restored and maintained <https://www.gofundme.com/29ja87a>



In cooperation with the U.S. Forest Service Sierra Madre Police Department will assist the ANF Staff with keeping Chantry Flats Recreational Area closed. The gates at Santa Anita and Arno will remain locked. The area is off limits due to the fire danger and the San Gabriel Complex Fires. Santa Anita Canyon road is closed to everyone. Therefore no bicyclist, walkers, or hikers are allowed in the area as well. Individuals going beyond the gate who are not authorized to be in the area are subject to possible prosecution. Law Enforcement realizes that this is a very popular area, especially during the weekends, however for the public's and the community's safety we must ask that you be diligent in remaining out of the area.

Bailey Canyon and Mount Wilson Trail will remain open at this time but is subject to immediate closure if fire conditions in the area worsen.

The City Council will hold a public hearing on June 28, 2016 at 6:30pm in City Hall Council Chambers to consider amendments to the R-3 (Multiple Family Residential Zone) Ordinance, Chapter 17.28 of the Sierra Madre Municipal Code. The meeting is open to the public and there will be opportunities to make comments. The purpose of the Municipal Code Text Amendment is to allow densities of approximately thirteen (13) units per acre and establish a maximum floor area based on lot size. Information regarding the draft amendments will be available on Thursday, June 23rd at 5:30pm on the City Council agenda page on the City's website, at City Hall, and at the City Library.

The Planning Commission will be holding a public hearing to consider amendments to the R-1 Single Family Residential Zoning Ordinance (Chapter 17.20 of the Sierra Madre Municipal Code.) The revisions include the establishment of a maximum allowable floor area specifically for lots created by subdivision and lots reconfigured through lot line adjustments, new minor lot line adjustment provisions, requirements for minimum frontage for lots located at the end of a cul-de-sac and for lots accessed by a shared private driveway, new diagrams illustrating the requirements for lots accessed by a shared driveway and prohibited/permitted lot configurations for lot splits, and elimination of flood control easement areas in the calculation of lot area for purposes of calculating maximum allowable floor area. The Commission will also consider an amendment to the definition of lot area in the Definitions Ordinance (Chapter 17.08 of the Sierra Madre Municipal Code).

The Planning Commission meeting will be held on July 7, 2016 at 7:00pm, in the City Council Chambers at the Sierra Madre City Hall located at 232 West Sierra Madre Blvd. The meeting is open to the public and there will be opportunities to make comments. Information regarding the draft amendments is available on the Planning and Community Preservation page on the City's website, at the Planning and Community Preservation Department counter at City Hall, and at the City's Library.

For almost 50 years the Sierra Madre Community has

For almost 50 years the Sierra Madre Community has joined together in celebration of the great American tradition with music, picnics, games and the ever popular 4th of July Parade. Residents and guests crowd Sierra Madre Boulevard to watch youngsters on their patriotic bikes stroll down the route alongside hometown heroes like the Sierra Madre Search and Rescue Team and Sierra Madre Fire Department. The official sponsor of the 2016 parade is The Kensington. The Kensington-Sierra Madre is an assisted living and memory care residence in the heart of Sierra Madre, sitting along the parade route.

Honorees:

The Sierra Madre 4th of July Committee is pleased to honor Pete Siberael as the 2016 Fourth of July Parade Grand Marshal. The Grand Marshal is a person or persons whose efforts over a long period of time has been beneficial to the community of Sierra Madre. The title of Grand Marshal is intended to honor a person or persons' volume of work, dedication and overall enhancements to our community. Pete is a shining example of this.

Since moving to Sierra Madre he has been involved with a number of community efforts including Sierra Madre Little League, Friends of the Library, Library Board of Trustees, Pasadena Humane Society and is known for years of work with the Mount Wilson Trail Race. Pete has dedicated thousands of hours to make sure Sierra Madre is a great place to live, work and play. Pete and his family blaze the trail living the Sierra Madre spirit every day. Sierra Madreans that make a difference.

The Committee is also proud to recognize hometown hero Kris Lowe for her years of dedicated service to the Sierra Madre community. A lifetime Sierra Madre resident, Kris is a well-loved retired captain of the Sierra Madre Volunteer Fire Department (SMVFD). She served the community for over 15 years and continues to volunteer her time to her community through charitable events such as the Friends of the Library Wine Tasting, Wistaria Festival & the Sierra Madre Volunteer Fire Department Association. Kris is also the newest member of the Sierra Madre Community Foundation. She is currently a teacher with the Glendale Unified School District and the coordinator for the Public Safety Academy at Hoover High School, a program which certifies youth for disaster preparedness and emergency response. She is truly preparing the next generation of heroes.

Activities:

Grease Sing-Along – Join your neighbors as Pink Ladies and T-birds as we kick the weekend off with a sign-along showing of Grease in Memorial Park starting at dusk. Snacks will be on hand.

Pre-Parade Party - Before the July 4th parade, the town will be rockin' in Memorial Park for the Pre-Parade Party & Picnic on Sunday, July 3rd from 5:30 -

10:30pm. The event will feature the outstanding local rock music of Groovy Lemon Pie and the not-to-be-missed Bubblewrap fireworks at 8:00pm. Kids and grown-up alike will stomp on hundreds of square feet of bubble wrap, making the sounds of shooting fireworks. Other park activities include the Friends of Sierra Madre Little League Beer Garden (sales benefit youth sports), Civic Club's famous confetti eggs, Sierra Madre Community Foundation Dunk Tank (where you might be able to dunk a local politician) and tons of food for purchase.

Community Picnic Dunk Tank Schedule for Sunday  
July 3rd - Memorial Park:

5:30 PM Assistant City Manager Elisa Cox  
6:00 PM Sue Berhrens, Alverno High School  
6:30 PM Mayor Pro Tem Rachelle Arizmendi  
7:00 PM Grand Marshal Pete Siberell

7:30 PM Library & Community Services Director  
Ryan Baker

8:30 PM 4th of July Chair Jim Annes

8:30 PM Kris Lowe, hometown hero

Come hit the streets for the 6th Annual Spero Foundation's Fire Cracker Fun Run on the morning of Independence Day. Race will take place from 8:00 - 9:30am (check in 7:00 - 7:45am) in Kersting Court. This unofficial 5K Fun Run is geared for the entire family to enjoy. Although untimed, a clock is provided. Runners and walkers of all ages welcome. Participants can bring strollers and dogs (on leashes) with them as this is a true community event!

Registration is available online. The cost is \$26.00 per entry regardless of age. Participants will receive a custom 2016 Firecracker Fun Run medal! We encourage everyone to dress up and show their patriotism with the most creative Red, white and blue outfit. Have fun and show your support for the stars and stripes.

Immediately following the 5K, at 10am sharp, is the Annual 4th of July parade which kicks off at the corner of Sierra Madre Boulevard and Sunnyside Avenue. The parade travels down Sierra Madre Blvd. to Sierra Vista Park where the party keeps going.

The after-parade Community Picnic & Celebration starts at 11:00am with featured music from the Wabash Wailers. The Sierra Madre pool will also be open for FREE. The afternoon will be topped off with games in the park with the ladies of Sierra Madre Civic Club.

Wanna throw water balloons at your friends, or challenge your folks to a three-legged race or sack race? This picnic is the place to be. Join us for a Home Run Derby and food for sale.



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Mon:	Sunny	Hi 90s	Lows 70s
Tues:	Sunny	Hi 90s	Lows 70s
Wed:	Sunny	Hi 90s	Lows 70s
Thur:	Sunny	Hi 90s	Lows 70s
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Forecasts courtesy of the National Weather Service

### CITY OF SIERRA MADRE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Unless otherwise noted, all meetings listed below are held at City Hall 232 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Sierra Madre, Ca. 626-355-7135

**NEXT REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING:**  
Tuesday June 28, 2016  
6:30 pm

### 1630 AM EMERGENCY RADIO & Free on-air publicity for local events

Sierra Madre's EMERGENCY radio station is now accepting scripts for Public Service Announcements (PSAs) about community events. PSAs will be broadcast on the air at no charge. The station operates 24/7 and can be heard at 1630 on the AM dial.

Any local non-profit or non-commercial organization can have their event information broadcast to the public on *Sierra Madre Community Information Radio*. The station covers the city of Sierra Madre, plus surrounding areas of Pasadena, Arcadia, and Monrovia.

Your event must:

- Benefit a non-commercial or non-profit entity
- Be open to the public
- Be of general interest to local citizens

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### SIERRA MADRE CITY MEETINGS

Regular City Council Meeting  
Tuesday, June 28., 2016, 6:30 pm

Can't make it to the meeting, but still want to share your thoughts? You can mail or drop off a written statement to City Hall or email [cityofsierramadre.com](mailto:cityofsierramadre.com) before 5:30 the night of the meeting and your statement will be delivered to all the Council Members.

Thursday, July 7, 2016, 12:00PM  
Coordinating Council Meeting

Thursday, July 7, 2016, 3:00PM  
Senior Commission Meeting

Tuesday, July 12, 2016, 6:30PM  
City Council Meeting

Monday, July 18, 2016, 6:30PM  
Community Services Commission Meeting

Wednesday, July 20, 2016, 7:00PM  
Energy, Environment and Natural Resources Commission Meeting

Tuesday, June 28, 2016, 6:30pm  
City Council Meeting

Sierra Madre City Hall 232 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Sierra Madre, CA 91024 (626) 355-7135



**See something.  
Say something.**

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	JULY 8	<b>THE NATURAL</b> Sponsored by Friends of Sierra Madre Library
	JULY 22	<b>TOY STORY 3</b>
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### WATER PENALTIES SET TO INCREASE

This year's El Niño rains have had a limited impact on our part of the state. Water conservation remains as critical as ever as California enters into its fifth year of drought. Sierra Madre City Council approved a measure in May that would increase the penalty rate assessed on excess water use.

The City of Sierra Madre would like to thank its water-wise customers for doing their part to make every drop count. The latest water billing numbers for May show 75% of Sierra Madre customers met, or outperformed, their water conservation targets. The remaining 25% of customers are of increasing concern for the City, as many of the customers who exceeded their water use target in the month have a repeat history of doing so.

The City of Sierra Madre will introduce a new water penalty rate beginning on July 1, 2016. The rate will apply to each billing unit used in excess of a customer's conservation target. The current penalty rate is \$5.04/unit. The new rate will increase to \$10.72, or two times the Tier 4 rate.

### 2016 CONCERTS IN THE PARK



The summer concert series starts this weekend! Concerts in the Park will kick off with a special two-day performance lineup beginning on Saturday, June 11. Join us in Memorial Park for a free show on the green. Guests are encouraged to bring blankets and lawn chairs for a more comfortable viewing experience. Food vendors will be at the event with proceeds from sales going to support local organizations. Alcohol is prohibited.

Saturday, June 25, 2016 (6:30pm)  
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## Walking Sierra Madre...The Social Side

by Deanne Davis

"Friends are quiet angels who lift us to our feet when our wings have trouble remembering how to fly."  
"Parents start you off in life, but friends get you through it."

August 7th will be National Friendship Day, but somewhere right around now is National Friendship Week. As this week is going to be way too hot for much Walking Sierra Madre, I thought, How about something pleasant to read and think about. Former Sierra Madre resident Dick Witter, who used to be my next door neighbor and made the best Huevos Rancheros and Margaritas we've ever tasted, and who had the bad taste to move to Big Bear, sent me piece written by Andy Rooney. As you'll recall, Andy Rooney, who is now in heaven, was an award-winning journalist and part of CBS' Sunday Night 60 Minutes program for many years. Just about everything Andy Rooney had to say was worth hearing, and remembering, but this piece will make you smile and maybe think a little...

I've learned...

That the best classroom in the world is at the feet of an elderly person.

I've learned...

That when you're in love, it shows.

I've learned ....

That just one person saying to me, 'You've made my day!' makes my day.

I've learned....

That having a child fall asleep in your arms is one of the most peaceful feelings in the world.

I've learned....

That being kind is more important than being right.

I've learned....

That you should never say no to a gift from a child.

I've learned....

That I can always pray for someone when I don't have the strength to help him in any other way.

I've learned....

That no matter how serious your life requires you to be, everyone needs a friend to act goofy with.

I've learned....

That sometimes all a person needs is a hand to hold and a heart to understand.

I've learned....

That simple walks with my father around the block on summer nights when I was a child did wonders for me as an adult.

I've learned....

That life is like a roll of toilet paper, the closer it gets to the end, the faster it goes.

I've learned....

That money doesn't buy class.

I've learned....

That it's those small daily happenings that make life so spectacular.

I've learned...

That under everyone's hard shell is someone who wants to be appreciated and loved.

I've learned....

That to ignore the facts does not change the facts.

I've learned....

That when you plan to get even with someone, you are only letting that person continue to hurt you.

I've learned....

That love, not time, heals all wounds.

I've learned....

That the easiest way for me to grow as a person is to surround myself with people smarter than I am.

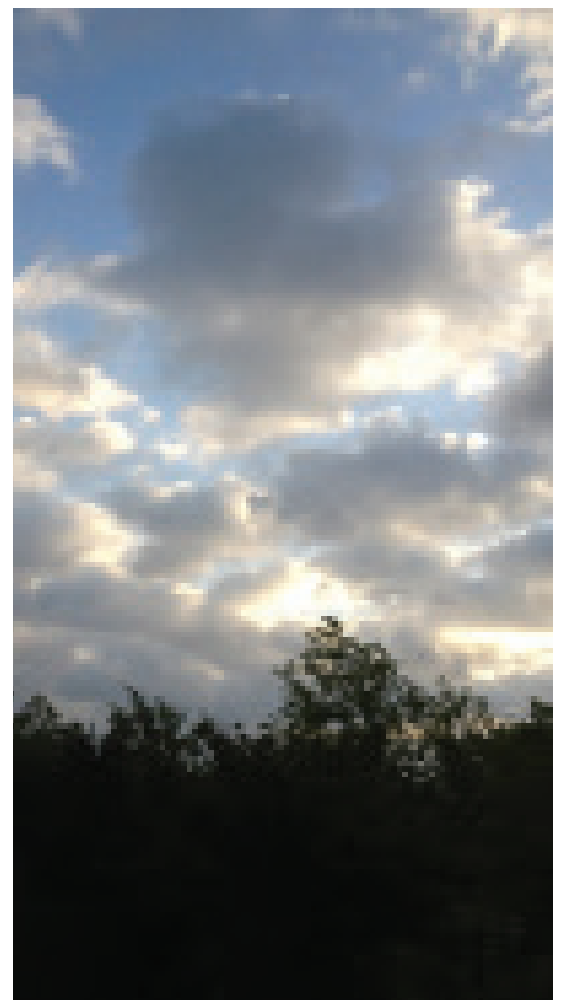
I've learned....

That everyone you meet deserves to be greeted with a smile.

## FELONY VANDALISM INVESTIGATION ULTIMATELY LEADS OFFICERS TO AN ARREST

Sierra Madre, CA. – June 18, 2016, – A female was detained on Saturday morning, (6/18/16) after she allegedly vandalized three different buildings and one parked vehicle by throwing rocks through the window(s) of the structures and the vehicle. While officers from the Sierra Madre Police Department were investigating the incidents, they soon learned that numerous locations were also vandalized with rocks in the City of Arcadia. During the course of the investigation, SMPD officers obtained information that the suspect vehicle, (being driven by a female) was described as a black Mini Cooper with a white stripe on the hood and a roof rack. Shortly after receiving this information, officers from Arcadia Police Department who were investigating the vandalisms in Arcadia, located and stopped a vehicle matching the description of the suspect vehicle.

An SMPD officer transported a witness to the suspect's location. The witness positively identified the vehicle and the female driver as the one seen



I've learned....

That no one is perfect until you fall in love with them.

I've learned....

That life is tough, but I'm tougher.

I've learned....

That opportunities are never lost; someone will take the ones you miss.

I've learned....

That when you harbor bitterness, happiness will dock elsewhere.

I've learned....

That I wish I could have told my Mom that I love her one more time before she passed away.

I've learned....

That one should keep his words both soft and tender, because

tomorrow he may have to eat them.

I've learned....

That a smile is an inexpensive way to improve your looks.

I've learned....

That when your newly born grandchild holds your little finger in his little fist, you're hooked for life.

I've learned....

That everyone wants to live on top of the mountain, but all the happiness and growth occurs while you're climbing it.

I've learned....

That the less time I have to work with, the more things I get done.

Call a friend you haven't talk to in a while this week and see how they're doing. You'll be glad you did!

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leaving the scene of one of the vandalisms that occurred in Sierra Madre. During an inventory search of the suspect's vehicle, numerous rocks (similar to the rocks found at the above crime scenes) were located inside the cab of the car.

The female was identified as a 35-year old resident of Pasadena. The female was transported to the hospital for a mental evaluation and treatment. The female faces charges of felony vandalism after she is released from the hospital. The total estimated damage in the City of Sierra Madre was \$3,000 to \$3,500. The amount of damage in the City of Arcadia was not known.

Investigators from the Sierra Madre Police Department will be working closely with the Arcadia Police Department in this joint effort investigation.

Director of Public Safety, Chief Larry Giannone, encourages residents to notify the Sierra Madre Police Department in the event they are a potential victim of this crime spree.

## SIERRA MADRE POLICE BLOTTER

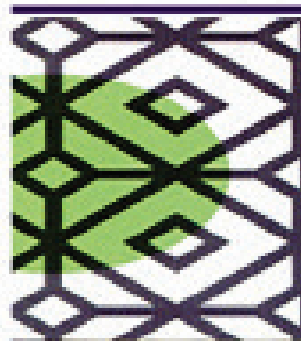
June 12, to June 19, 2016 During this time period, the Sierra Madre Police Department responded to approximately 134 daytime calls for service.

Monday, June 13 Officers dispatched to the 00 block of East Mira Monte at 5:50 p.m. for a suspicious person call. Residents not at home at the time, were able to see the person ringing the doorbell on their cell phone with an application that is connected to the home security system. The unknown person is described as a male black, wearing a red hooded sweat shirt, black pants and long braided dread lock hairstyle. The officers were not able to locate this person after checking the immediate area. After viewing the video, the officers noted that this person came to the home and rang the doorbell three separate times that same evening. Resident was advised that surrounding police agencies would be notified of this suspicious male. 10:25 a.m. A resident in the 600 block of W. Sierra Madre Bl. stated she was a victim of vandalism. It appeared that between the hours of 10:30 p.m. Sunday and 10:25 a.m. Monday, the passenger side door window was smashed by an unknown type of blunt tool. Nothing appeared to be taken. Evidence booked at SMPD. Case referred to Detectives

Saturday, June 18 At 7:45 a.m. officers responded to the 200 block of East Sierra Madre Bl. for a vandalism report. Victim stated that at 7:15 a.m. she heard a loud bang and saw a rock lying in her hallway. Victim then stated she saw a white female, 5'7", wearing a tan or light colored jacket, walk to a car parked in front of her home and drive away. SMPD dispatch was aware that Arcadia PD also had several reported vandalism calls and had the victim detained in San Marino. Suspect's vehicle contained rocks that were similar to the rock at the victim's house. The suspect was identified and transported to a local hospital for evaluation. 8:00 a.m. A report of vandalism was taken in the 600 block of E. Sierra Madre Bl. The reporting party stated that when she arrived for work she found the glass on the front door smashed by a rock approximately 15 feet from the front door. There were no witnesses to this incident. Case forwarded to Detectives 10:00 a.m. Officers dispatched to the 00 block of N. Baldwin for a vandalism report. Victim reported that she discovered the front window pane broken and a rock was found on the floor in the lobby. Case forwarded to Detectives, as this may be connected to previous vandalism cases on this date.



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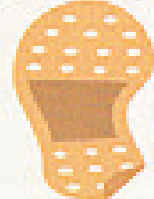


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# Pasadena Altadena

News From Your Community For Your Community

## Pasadena News Briefs

### *Man and Woman Shot in Pasadena*

Police are still looking for a gunman that opened fire on two people, leaving one in critical condition, late Sunday night in East Pasadena.

According to police, officers found a man and woman suffering from gunshot injuries, after receiving a call shortly after 10:30 p.m. of shots fired in the 100 block of Washington Boulevard and Fair Oaks Ave.

Both were taken to a nearby Hospital. The man was listed in stable condition and the woman in critical condition.

There is no suspect description, anyone with information is asked to call police at (626) 744-4501.

### *Man Robbs Local Gas Station*

A man robbed a gas station armed with a hand gun, Monday morning, after pretending to buy something from the store.

According to police, the suspect entered the station at 155 E. Glenarm Street around 1 a.m. and then demanded money after the clerk opened the register thinking the man was making a purchase. The man described as in his 50, 5 foot 8 inch tall, wearing dark clothing, about 170 pounds. He was last seen running east.

### *Pasadena Teen Shot*

Police are asking for the public's help in catching the gunman who shot a 17-year-old as he was walking home early Tuesday morning.

According to police, a vehicle pulled next to the teen about 1 a.m. Tuesdays as he was walking home in the 1500 block of Mentone Avenue. A suspect then shot him from the car. The teen was taken to a nearby hospital and is expected to survive.

There is no description of the car or suspects, anyone with information is asked to call police at (626) 744-4501.

## Pet of the Week



Cuddly Uma (A397149) is a brown and white, adult, spayed female rabbit. She absolutely loves people. Easy to pick up, Uma enjoys sitting on your lap while you pet her ears. This calm bunny gets along very well with other bunnies. This lovebug can't wait to meet you!

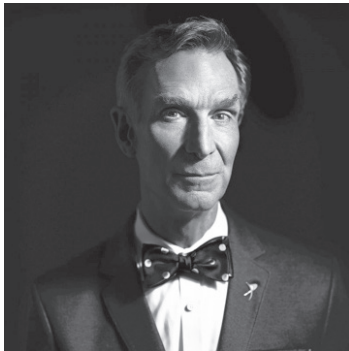
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New adopters will receive a complimentary health-and-wellness exam from VCA Animal Hospitals, as well as a goody bag filled with information about how to care for your pet.

Call the Pasadena Humane Society & SPCA at (626) 792-7151 to ask about A397149, or visit at 361 S. Raymond Ave. in Pasadena. Adoption hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday; and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

Pets may not be available for adoption and cannot be held for potential adopters by phone calls or email. Directions and photos of all pets can be found at [pasadenahumane.org](http://pasadenahumane.org).

## Politicon Held at the Convention Center



Bill Nye



Sarah Palin



Larry Wilmore

Starting today, the unconventional political convention, Politicon, recognizing the unique nature of the current political season, will showcase diverse comedy, along with provocative, news-making clashes of personalities as the democracy and entertainment fan-fest finalizes its programming lineup. The jam-packed convention will be held today and Sunday, at the Pasadena Convention Center.

Gov. Sarah Palin faces off with Democratic Strategist James Carville in a battle of strong wills. Carville will also conduct a no-holds-barred Q&A with Larry Wilmore from The Nightly Show, fresh off his newsworthy stint

hosting the White House Correspondent's Dinner. Glenn Beck will be in the spotlight, as will Bill Nye and a team of his associates from the Pasadena Planetary Society.

Former Mexican President Vicente Fox, who has been vocal in his opposition to Donald Trump's foreign policy, will sit for a Q&A with comedian Al Madrigal. Writer/provocateur Ann Coulter will debate Democratic pundit Van Jones and panel discussions will examine everything from a retrospective look back at the early days of The Daily Show to "Is Donald Trump a Psychopath?"

A nonpartisan event for fans of politics and topical

entertainment, Politicon brings together politicians, pundits, comedians and entertainers from across the cultural spectrum for a weekend of comedy, panels, book signings, radio and TV broadcasts, debates, podcasts, interviews, film screenings, meet & greets, and much more.

A full listing, or tickets (starting at \$15) to the one-of-a-kind panels, speeches, performances and debates are available at [politicon.com](http://politicon.com) or [politicon.com/lineup](http://politicon.com/lineup).

## Pasadena POPS to Play Music of Billy Joel

The Pasadena POPS continues their one of a kind, popular outdoor summer concert series with Michael Cavanaugh and the Music of Billy Joel on Saturday, July 9 at the LA County Arboretum. Hand-picked by Billy Joel himself to star in the lead role of his Broadway musical Movin' Out, Cavanaugh's distinctive flair evokes a style rivaling the Piano Man. Acclaimed for his highly energized piano and lead vocals, Cavanaugh received both Grammy and Tony award nominations for the role in 2003, appearing in more than 1,200 performances over a three-year run. He now brings this electrifying performance to the Arboretum stage for one night only with the Pasadena POPS.

The Arboretum is located at 301 North Baldwin Ave., Arcadia, CA. Subscribers may pre-purchase parking on-site at the Arboretum, and all concertgoers enjoy free parking at the adjacent Westfield Santa Anita shopping center with complimentary non-stop shuttle service to the Arboretum's main entrance. Single tickets start at \$25 and are available by calling the box office at (626)-793-7172, online at [PasadenaSymphony-Pops.org](http://PasadenaSymphony-Pops.org), or at the Arboretum on the day of the concert.

## Holden Honors Non-Profit of the Year

In a ceremony in Sacramento, Wednesday, Assemblymember Chris Holden recognized Union Station Homeless Services, a non-profit that has served the Pasadena and greater San Gabriel Valley community since 1973, as "Non-Profit of the Year" for the 41st Assembly District. "I am very pleased to recognize Union Station Homeless Services for the outstanding and commendable service provided by their staff and volunteers," Holden said. "These committed individuals have taken it upon themselves to combat the growing dangers and realities of poverty, and I commend them for the work that they do for our community."

## Older Women Invited To Join Basketball League

Registration is open and all skill levels are invited for the Pasadena Senior Center 3x3 Basketball Summer League for women ages 40 and older.

Games will be played Sundays, June 26 to Aug. 7, at the Braun Athletic Center at Caltech.

The registration fee is \$35 per player for the six-week period. Players may join in on any and all of the play dates.

For more information contact Oma Soto at [omaksoto@hotmail.com](mailto:omaksoto@hotmail.com) or call 323-320-0948.

## Huntington Calls on Public Project Decoding Civil War



In a move to gain new insights into the U.S. Civil War, The Huntington Library, Art Collections, and Botanical Gardens announced Tuesday the public launch of an innovative crowdsourcing project to transcribe and decipher a collection of nearly 16,000 Civil War telegrams between Abraham Lincoln, his Cabinet, and officers of the Union Army. Roughly one-third of the messages were written in code.

The Huntington is collaborating on the "Decoding the Civil War" project with Zooniverse (the largest online platform for collaborative volunteer research), North Carolina State University's Digital History and Pedagogy Project, and the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum.

The Huntington acquired the exceptionally rare collection of telegrams in 2012, composed of a nearly complete archive of Thomas T. Eckert, the head of the military telegraph office of the War Department under Lincoln.

"Crowdsourced digital projects involving transcription have begun to provide a tremendous opportunity for both institutions and interested citizens," said Dan Lewis, chief curator of manuscripts at The Huntington.

Built and managed by the University of Minnesota's Zooniverse team, the crowdsourcing project itself has three phases. "In the first phase, underway now, interested volunteers go online

to transcribe the nearly 16,000 telegrams line by line, creating an extraordinarily rich database," said Mario Einaudi, Kemble Digital Projects Librarian at The Huntington. In the second phase, volunteers will comb the database to identify significant people, dates, and times, enabling the creation of a robust search function. In the final phase, code books in the archive will be used to decipher the encoded telegrams, potentially providing fresh insights into the history of the Civil War.

People interested in participating in the project can go to its Zooniverse website, "Decoding the Civil War," take a brief tutorial that explains the process for transcribing a telegram, and find further information on the project. If participants are interested in joining discussions on particular telegrams, then they will need to create a user name and password by registering with Zooniverse.

The transcribed telegrams will be openly available to scholars and others interested in telegraphy, cryptography, wartime communications, technology, civilian-military relations, and many other aspects of the U.S. Civil War or American history more generally.

The project is partially funded by a two-year federal grant from the National Historical Publications and Records Commission.

More information is also available at [huntington.org](http://huntington.org).

## Pasadena Water and Power Advices for Rolling Blackouts

Rolling blackouts can be caused by a variety of circumstances such as extreme high heat or interruption from one of the state's major power supplies.

### *Key tips to help you prepare should a rolling blackout occur:*

Sign up for PWP's Outage Management System by calling PWP's Customer Service Center at (626) 744-4005 during normal business hours and receive a phone call when power is out and when power is restored.

Sign up for Flex Alerts at [flexalert.org](http://flexalert.org).

Have a back-up generator handy and tested, especially if you rely on a plug-in medical device.

Do not connect the output of your back-up generator directly to your home wiring or service panel.

Please read and understand the manufacturer's instructions for the back-up generator before it is connected to your electrical circuits.

Notify PWP's Customer Service team that you rely on a medical plug-in device by calling 626.744.4005.

Also check the City's main homepage [www.cityofpasadena.net](http://www.cityofpasadena.net) for important citywide emergency info and updates.

Have an emergency preparedness kit in your home, car and office.

### *Ways to reduce your energy usage:*

Wait until after 6pm to operate major appliances

Turn off any unnecessary lights.

Set your air conditioning to 78 degrees or higher.

Turn your water heater down to 120° or the "normal" setting when home, and to the lowest setting when away.

Close drapes and shades on windows that receive direct sunlight.

Clean or replace your A/C filter: a dirty filter forces your air conditioner to work harder, wasting money and energy.

## June and July Events at Pasadena Senior Center

There is something for everyone in June at the Pasadena Senior Center, 85 E. Holly St. You do not have to be a member to attend. Some events require advance reservations as noted.

**Human Spaceflight: From Mars to the Stars – Monday, June 27, at 1 p.m.** What is the human future of space? Will humans settle other worlds? Dr. Louis D. Friedman, former leader of Jet Propulsion Laboratory's advanced planetary studies, cofounder of The Planetary Society and advisor to Breakthrough Starshot, a privately funded interstellar mission initiative, will discuss the future of deep space travel and sign copies of his book Human Spaceflight: From Mars to the Stars. Books will be available for purchase.

**Depression and Anxiety – Thursday, June 30, at 10 a.m.** Symptoms of depression and anxiety can affect older adults profoundly. Learn what true depression and anxiety are and how to get help if needed. Presented by Pacific Clinics.

### *Sample Summer Classes*

Every summer the Pasadena Senior Center offers a full lineup of classes for people 50 and older ranging from art and

computers to foreign languages and Zumba Gold. Some classes are now offered evenings to accommodate working seniors.

As the registration period for summer classes approaches, anyone can sample the most popular offerings for free by attending half-hour sessions, meeting the instructors and learning more about the courses.

All sample classes, known as Class Tasting, will take place Monday and Tuesday, July 11 and 12, from 9 a.m. to noon at the Pasadena Senior Center, 85 E. Holly St.

The regular summer class schedule will be offered in two five-week sessions – the first in July and the second in August. After sampling classes for free July 6 and 7, register for the July and/or August session at [www.pasadenaseniorcenter.org](http://www.pasadenaseniorcenter.org) (click on Classes and Lectures) or pick up a registration form at the Welcome Desk. Registration deadline is Friday, July 15.

Most classes range from \$15 to \$70 for Pasadena Senior Center members. Scholarships for low-income members are available on a limited basis.

For more information visit [www.pasadenaseniorcenter.org](http://www.pasadenaseniorcenter.org) or call (626) 795-4331.





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About the City of Arcadia Nestled in the foothills of the San Gabriel Mountains, Arcadia is an 11.38 square mile community with a population of just over 56,000. Located approximately 20 miles east of downtown Los Angeles, Arcadia is known for combining small-town charm with the conveniences and amenities of a mid-size city. Arcadia is a full-service charter city governed by a five-member City Council, elected at large. Recognized for exceptional education and recreation opportunities and beautiful neighborhoods, Arcadia is also defined as the "Community of Homes" and has twice been designated the "Best City in California in which to Raise Kids" by Business Week Magazine.

ARCADIA POLICE BLOTTER

For the period of Sunday, June 12th, through Saturday, June 18th, the Police Department responded to 1,044 calls for service of which 128 required formal investigations. The following is a summary report of the major incidents handled by the Department during this period.

Sunday, June 12:

1. Around 6:09 p.m., officers responded to Westfield Santa Anita, 400 South Baldwin Avenue, regarding a physical altercation in progress. An investigation revealed both parties exited their vehicles and began arguing over a parking space. The suspect slapped the victim's hand away and pushed his wife before running out of sight. The couple declined prosecution against the suspect. The incident was documented.
2. Just after 7:58 p.m., an officer responded to a solo vehicle traffic collision near the area of Santa Anita Avenue and Virginia Road. Upon contacting the driver, the officer detected a strong odor of alcohol emitting from the driver. Through a series of tests, the officer determined the 34-year-old female from Pasadena was driving under the influence of an alcoholic beverage. The suspect was cited and left in the care of Arcadia Methodist Hospital personnel for treatment.

Monday, June 13:

3. Just before 3:22 a.m., an officer was dispatched to Denny's, 7 East Huntington Drive, regarding a subject causing a disturbance. Upon contacting the male suspect, the officer noticed symptoms of alcohol intoxication and determined he was unable to care for himself. The 28-year-old male from Monrovia was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.
4. Just after 8:35 a.m., an officer was dispatched to Fishing Boat Chinese Cuisine, 516 East Live Oak Avenue, regarding a vandalism report. An investigation revealed two unknown suspects smashed the front door to the location, made entry and forced the cash register open. They stole twenty dollars before fleeing the restaurant in an unknown direction. The investigation is ongoing.

Tuesday June 14:

5. Just after 1:26 a.m., officers received a license plate reader notification of a stolen vehicle in the area of Huntington Drive and Fifth Avenue. Officers located the vehicle and detained the driver. An investigation revealed the driver was in possession of several stolen packages, mail, cellphones, tablets, ammunition and a firearm. The driver was also in possession of narcotics. The 31-year-old female, from Burbank was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.
6. At approximately 2:51 a.m., an officer was dispatched to the 300 block of Laurel Avenue regarding a residential burglary. An investigation revealed three male suspects made entry into the residence through a bedroom window. They stole \$2,000 in cash, an AR-15 style rifle and two handguns before fleeing the location in an unknown direction. The investigation is ongoing.

Wednesday, June 15:

7. Around 2:55 a.m., officers responded to Westfield Santa Anita, 400 South Baldwin Avenue, regarding an activation of an Arcadia Police Department GPS tracker. Arcadia PD detectives had previously deployed decoy bicycles containing tracking devices to combat the increase in bicycle thefts around the city. An investigation revealed a 44-year-old male and a 52-year-old female, both from Pasadena, took the bicycle and fled the scene. They were located with the bicycle, arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

8. Just after 12:06 p.m., officers were dispatched to the area of California Street and Third Avenue regarding the report of a subject with a knife. An investigation revealed a known male suspect chased two male victims and threatened to harm them while holding a folding knife. He left when one victim called the police. The 14-year-old male from Temple City was located at his residence, arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

Thursday, June 16:

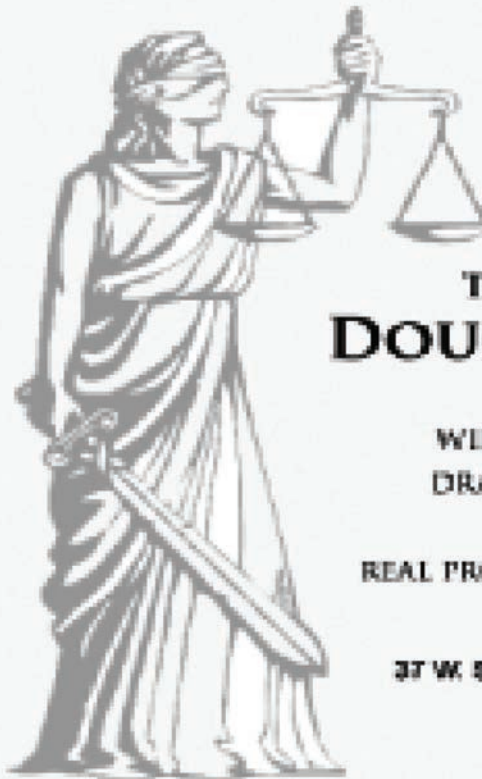
9. At about 12:59 p.m., officers responded to the U.S. Bank, 1400 South Baldwin Avenue, regarding a suspect attempting to commit fraud. An investigation revealed a male suspect was in possession of a falsified driver's license. He attempted to steal a large amount of money from the victim's account and had also used the victim's identifying information to open credit accounts. The 38-year-old male from Valley Village was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.
10. At approximately 6:30 p.m., officers responded to the parking lot of Coldwell Banker, 77 West Las Tunas Drive, regarding a vehicle burglary report. An investigation revealed an unknown suspect smashed the front passenger side window and stole an Apple iPad that was on the passenger seat. No suspects were seen and no witnesses were located.

Friday, June 17:

11. At about 1:04 p.m., an officer responded to Villa Catrina Restaurant, 251 North Santa Anita Avenue, regarding the report of a drunk male seen having a hard time walking, drive away in his vehicle. Officers located the reported vehicle and contacted the driver. Upon contacting the driver, the officer detected a strong odor of alcohol emitting from the driver. Through a series of tests, the officer determined the 67-year-old male from Arcadia was driving under the influence of an alcoholic beverage. The suspect was issued a citation and left in the care of Arcadia Methodist Hospital staff for treatment.
12. At approximately 1:17 p.m., an officer responded to the front counter of the Arcadia Police Department, 250 West Huntington Drive, regarding the report of a package theft. An investigation revealed an unknown suspect stole a package containing \$570 worth of clothing from the victim's front porch on the 500 block of Third Avenue. No suspects were seen and no witnesses were located.

Saturday, June 18:

13. At about 2:05 a.m., officers were dispatched to the 600 block of First Avenue regarding a burglary alarm. One officer contacted two subjects near the residence riding bicycles without proper lighting equipment. An investigation revealed that the subjects were not involved, however one subject was in possession of a meth pipe and the other subject had an outstanding warrant for his arrest. The 29-year-old female from Monrovia was cited and released in the field. The 33-year-old male from Covina was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.
14. Just after 8:06 a.m., an officer responded to the Los Angeles County Arboretum and Botanic Garden, 301 North Baldwin Avenue, regarding a vandalism report. An investigation revealed a female suspect shattered the front door of the gift shop with a rock and fled the scene in a dark colored Mini Cooper. Several additional reports of vandalism to vehicles with rocks were received in Arcadia and Sierra Madre with matching suspect description. The female suspect was located in her vehicle with several rocks. She was transported and left in the care of Arcadia Methodist Hospital staff.



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## ARCADIA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS EARN \$3 MILLION IN COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS



ARCADIA-- The numbers are in for the Arcadia High School Class of 2016, and they are staggering. More than \$3 million in scholarships and grants were earned by Arcadia High School seniors this year according to a self-reported class survey. The Apaches were awarded some of the most coveted scholarships in the country, including the Gates Millennium, Intel Science Talent Search, and Coca-Cola to name a few.

"A lot of these scholarships are rewarding much more than just grades, which is great," said Arcadia High School Principal Dr. Brent Forsee. "They are seeking to reward well-rounded students who excel in areas outside the classroom. Arcadia High is fortunate to offer more than 50 academic teams, clubs, and student service groups, along with a top-notch sports program, and of course, our nationally recognized music and performing arts programs. Arcadia offers the four A's, Academics, Arts, Athletics, and Activities, and our students are very wise and taking full advantage."

Phillip Chao was awarded the prestigious Gates Millennium Scholarship this year, marking the second straight year an Apache won the scholarship that pays for the students' entire undergraduate and graduate education along with all related expenses. The value of Chao's scholarship could exceed \$500,000.

The Arcadia High School Class of 2016 Valedictorian George

Hou, who will be attending Harvard in the fall, won several national scholarships totaling more than \$54,000. Hou is one of two Apaches from the Class of 2016 that will be joining several other Arcadia High alumni who are currently at the prestigious Ivy League University.

Hou and his 2016 Arcadia High School classmates pulled off another rare feat, having at least one student in the class being accepted into every Ivy League University in the country. The Ivy League schools consist of Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Columbia, Brown, Dartmouth, Pennsylvania, and Cornell.

In addition to the Ivy Leagues, Arcadia High students will be attending the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), California Institute of Technology (Caltech), Stanford, Berkeley, Amherst, Carnegie Mellon, Claremont McKenna, Duke, Georgetown, Johns Hopkins, New York University (NYU), Scripps, Syracuse, Westmont, USC and UCLA in the fall.

Arcadia High School has been named a Gold Medal School three times by U.S News and World Report in its annual ranking of the best public high schools in the United States. Less than three percent of schools nationwide earn that distinction. Arcadia High School also landed on a recent Newsweek ranking of the top public high schools in America.

## ALISON KALMUS THEATER (AKT) ACADEMY SUMMER WORKSHOPS BEGIN JULY 11

For the first time in eight years, Alison Kalmus Theater (AKT) Academy will be conducting summer workshops for young actors at Sierra Madre Playhouse. Her workshops had previously been conducted at the Playhouse from 2000 to 2008.

This year, sessions will take place from July 11- July 22; July 25- August 5; and August 8- August 19.

Morning workshops will be for children in elementary school grades. The workshop is called Mr. Shakespeare's Poetry Garden and runs from 9 a.m. to Noon. What? Shakespeare for young children? Ms. Kalmus explains: "Think about it. Shakespeare's language is beautiful and quite musical. And young children respond to it with enthusiasm. They like the meter, and rhyme. And they love learning new words. At last count, Mr. Shakespeare was credited with inventing over 2,000 new words for the English Language. Any six or seven year old child who can recite a sonnet or a soliloquy from Shakespeare and understand it while reciting is better prepared to excel in the language arts of reading and writing."

Activities include making Shakespeare FUN through rehearsal, performance, crafts and study of Shakespeare's world. The workshop culminates in a Friends And Family presentation.

Afternoon workshops, for older youngsters and teens, will focus on The Magic of Musical Theatre. This one runs from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Why musicals? Ms. Kalmus responds, "Musical theater is where the theater thrives today. It's usually a child's first theater attendance experience - what they know and share with each other, family and school, and it's what many of them want to try .... It's especially important for young singers to develop sound and safe vocal techniques. There is a real danger that children listening favorite recording artists will attempt to sing along, mimicking the adult singer without realizing they could damage their voices permanently. I have sadly witnessed the carelessness and ignorance with which young voices are dangerously pushed."

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Would Friday's lunch pass the Peter Dills' test? Sure, with flying Colors. Why is The Parkway Grill so successful, I believe owners Gregg and Bob Smith will settle for nothing less. Am I giving you a "homer" review? Nope!!! Paid for my own meal. Both Gregg and Bob were present at the restaurant, a good sign.

But let's stick to the task at hand. On my Friday afternoon visit, ..... Seems that I have been here a hundred times, I decided to sit in the bar for lunch I wanted to keep on eye on CNBC in hopes that my stock my actually break even. My server/bartender was Kevin



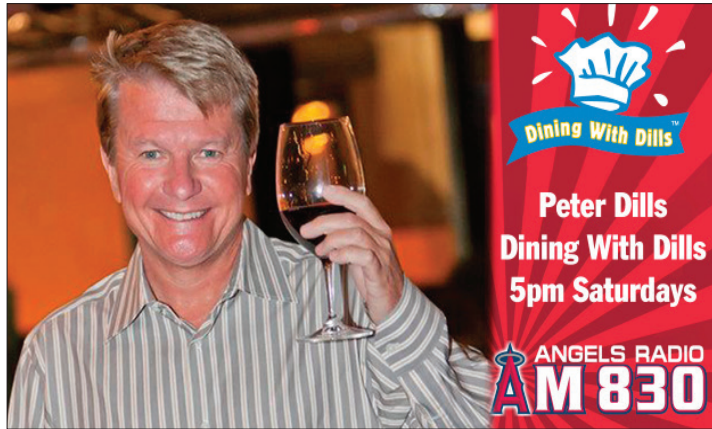
Bartender Kevin Cherniss of Parkway Grill

TABLE FOR TWO by Peter Dills  
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and he gleefully handed me lunch menu. After he rattled off a few weekly specials, I opted to stick with the regular lunch menu. I started with Parkway's Caesar salad (\$13), ahhh perfect, Caesar Cardina would be very proud!!! The Romaine was prefect and the croutons were mixed correctly with the dressing. We are off to a very good start. Second up, crab cakes( \$19) while not the same as I remember from my days living in Maryland, I good choice nevertheless. My final choice the main course was the Roasted Mary's chicken (\$29), cooked perfectly and was a big enough portion to share with my table (bar) mates. All in all two thumbs way up!!! Parkway Grill always is a great choice and today's lunch was no different. Dessert? Forget about it! I'm stuffed.

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1teaspoon baking soda  
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1teaspoon ground cinnamon  
1teaspoon salt<http://www.food.com/about/salt-359>  
3 eggs  
1cup sugar  
1cup oil  
1teaspoon vanilla  
2cups grated zucchini

## DIRECTIONS

Sift flour, baking soda, baking powder, cinnamon& salt together. Beat eggs until foamy. Add sugar, oil, vanilla and sifted dry ingredients a little at a time; the mixture will be thick. Add the zucchini; the mixture will be gummy. Pour into 2 well-greased 8 1/2" x 4 1/2" x 2 1/2" loaf pans and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour. Check at 50 minutes; if a toothpick comes out clean, bread is done. Great served hot or cold.

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Yes, Medicare does pay for second opinions if your current doctor has recommended surgery, or some other major diagnostic or therapeutic procedure.

If you're enrolled in original Medicare, 80 percent of the costs for second medical opinions are covered under Part B (you or your Medicare supplemental policy are responsible for the other 20 percent), and you don't need an order or referral from your doctor to get one. Medicare will even pay 80 percent for a third opinion, if the first two differ.

Most Medicare Advantage plans cover second opinions too, but you may need to follow certain steps to get it paid for. For example, some plans will only help pay for a second opinion if you have a referral from your primary care doctor, and/or they may require that you can only use a doctor in their network. If you have a Medicare Advantage plan, you'll need to call it to find out their rules.

### Finding Another Doctor

To find another doctor for a second opinion you can either ask your current doctor for a name or two, or you can ask another doctor you trust for a referral, or you can find one on your own.

Whatever route you choose, it's best to go with a doctor that's affiliated with a different practice or hospital than your original doctor.



Hospitals and practices can be set in their ways when it comes to treatments and are likely to offer similar advice.

If you choose to find one on your own, use the Physician Compare tool at Medicare.gov/physiciancompare. This will let you find doctors by name, medical specialty or by geographic location that accept original Medicare. You can also get this information by calling Medicare at 800-633-4227. Or, if you're enrolled in a Medicare Advantage plan, call or visit your plan's website for a list of candidates.

After you've got a few doctors names, there are a number of free online resources to help you research them like HealthGrades.com and Vitals.com. Or, consider AngiesList.com (888-888-5478), which is a membership service that currently offers doctors ratings and reviews from other members in your area for \$3.50 for one month, or \$11.32 for the year, but will be offering free reviews this summer.

After you find another doctor, before you get a second opinion you'll need to have your current doctor's office send your medical records ahead to the second doctor, or you may have to pick them up and deliver them yourself. That way, you won't have to repeat the tests you already had. But, if the second doctor wants you to have additional tests performed as a result of your visit, Medicare will help pay for these tests too.

For more information, see the Medicare publication "Getting a Second Opinion Before Surgery" at Medicare.gov/pubs/pdf/02173.pdf.

Send your senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, OK 73070, or visit SavvySenior.org. Jim Miller is a contributor to the NBC Today show and author of "The Savvy Senior" book.

## SENIOR HAPPENINGS



### HAPPY BIRTHDAY! ....June Birthdays

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**ACTIVITIES:** Unless listed differently, all activities are at the Hart Park House (Senior Center) 222 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre

### YWCA San Gabriel Valley - Intervale Senior Cafe

Seniors 60 years of age and up can participate in the YWCA Intervale daily lunch program held at the Hart Park House Senior Center. Meals are served Monday through Friday at 12:00 pm and participants are encouraged to arrive by 11:45 am. Meals are a suggested donation of \$3.00 for seniors 60 and over or \$5.00 for non-senior guests. Daily reservations are necessary, space is limited. Please reserve your lunch by calling 626-355-0256.

Hawaiian and Polynesian Dance Class: Every Tuesday morning from 10:00 - 11:00am. Join instructor Barbara Dempsey as she instructs you in the art of hula.

Bingo: Every Tuesday beginning at 1:00pm. Cards are only \$0.25 each! Everyone is welcome to join. May be cancelled if less than 5 people.

**Free Blood Pressure Testing:** 2nd Tuesday of the month from 11am to 12pm. No appt. is necessary.

**Brain Games:** Thursday, June 16, 10:30 - 11:30am. Improve your memory and strengthen your brain. Activities facilitated by senior volunteers.

**Free Legal Consultation:** Wednesday, June 15th from 10:30am to Noon. Attorney Lem Makupson is available for legal consultation. He specializes in Family Law, Wills, Trusts, Estates, and Injury. Appointment are required by calling 626-355-7394.

**Sing-A-Long:** Music brings joy to the soul. Come join us Thursday, June 9, 10:30 - 11:30am. No music skills needed! This month: "Silly Folk Songs".

Balance Class: Monday, June 20, 11:00 - 11:45am with Paul Hagen. A variety of balance exercises are practiced; all ability levels are encouraged and welcomed.

**Chair Yoga:** Mondays and Wednesdays from 11:00 to 11:45 am. A suggested donation of \$5 at one of the classes is requested, but is not required.

**Case Management:** Meets the 2nd Thursday of the month. Case Management services are provided by the YWCA and provide assistance in a variety of areas. Appointments are required and can be scheduled by calling the HPH Office at 626-355-7394.

**Birthday Celebrations:** Every second Thursday of the month at the Hart Park House. The free birthday cake is provided by the Sierra Madre Civic Club.

**Game Day:** Every Thursday starting at 12:00pm. (Please note the time change.) A regular group of seniors play poker. Other games available for use.

**Free Strength Training Class:** Every Friday from 12:45pm to 1:30pm with Lisa Brandley. The class utilizes light weights for low impact resistance training. All materials for the class are provided.

**Senior Club:** Every Saturday at the Hart Park House Senior Center. Brown bag lunch at 11:30am. Club meeting at noon. Bingo 12:30-3:30pm. Annual Membership is only \$10.00.

### Lunch and Learn - Thursday, June 23 - 12:30 - 1:00pm

Did you know 1 out of 5 people 65 or older is eligible for a SilverSneakers membership! This active adult wellness program is offered through many Medicare plans. Increase your energy and your overall well-being is possible with SilverSneakers. A representative from Healthways SilverSneakers will give a brief presentation about this wonderful benefit and find out if your health plan offers the SilverSneakers Fitness program. If you are interested in having lunch with the Senior Lunch Café before the presentation please call 626-355-0256 to make a reservation.



### UPCOMING EXCURSIONS:

#### SAN ANTONIO WINERY (Los Angeles)

Date: Friday, June 17, 2016

Time: 10:45AM - 3:00PM

Meeting Location: Hart Park House

Cost: \$6.00 (Does not include lunch)

*Description:* The San Antonio Winery is the last remaining winery in Downtown Los Angeles. Owned and operated by four generations of the Riboli Family since its founding, the original San Antonio Winery still sits on the same plot of land where the winery was first built in 1917. We will have a 40 minute tour and there will be wine tasting. Lunch is on your own at Maddalena Restaurant, located inside the San Antonio Winery. Last day to register is June 3. Level of walking: Medium. Please call the Hart Park House 626-355-7394.

#### LAKE ARROWHEAD QUEEN

Date: Wednesday, July 20

Time: 9:00am - 4:00pm

Meeting Location: Hart Park House

Cost: \$17.00 (Does not include lunch)



*Description:* Ride in style in the enclosed Lake Arrowhead Queen paddlewheel boat. Experience the beauty and excitement of a narrated tour of Lake Arrowhead aboard the elegant Arrowhead Queen. The splendor and serenity of Lake Arrowhead's lush forest, sparkling water and blue skies glide by, as you sit back and enjoy close-up of exquisite lakefront homes and learn about the fascinating history of the lake. Lunch is on your own around Lake Arrowhead Village. Participants should bring money for lunch and souvenirs. Level of walking: Medium. Please call the Hart Park House 626-355-7394.

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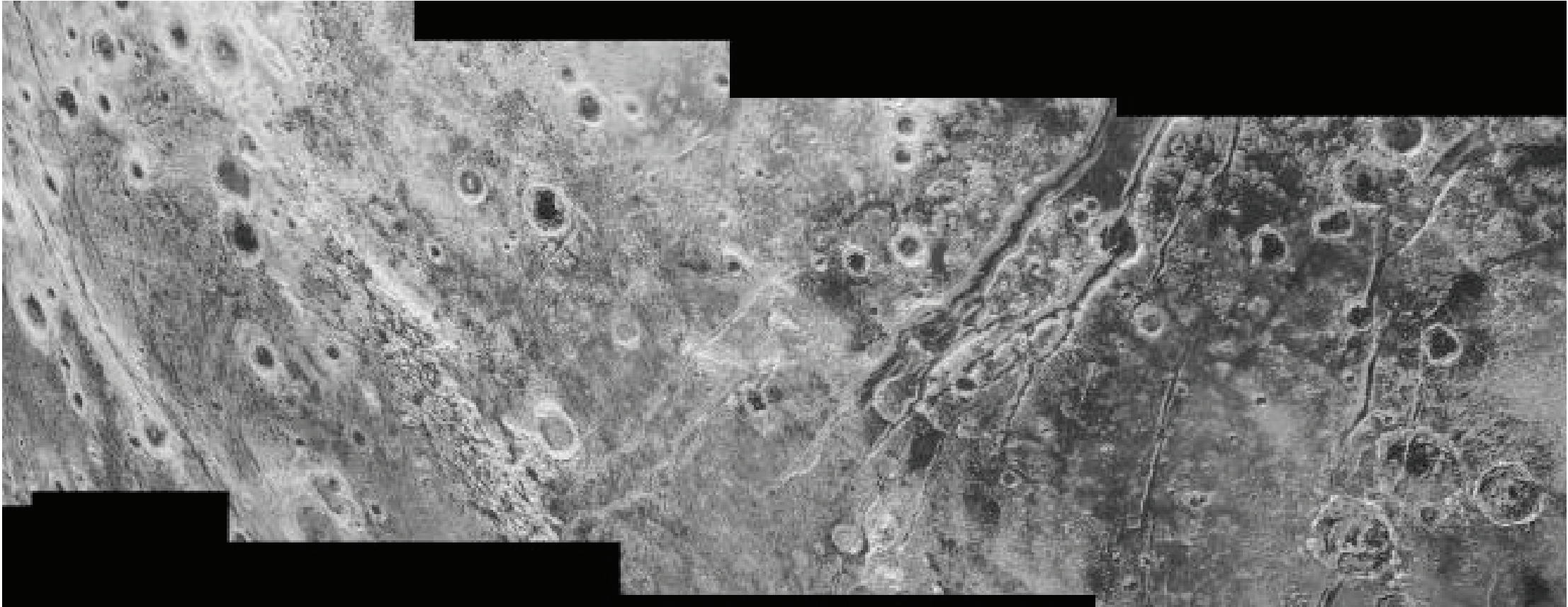


# Looking Up

with Bob Eklund



## RESEARCH BOLSTERS CASE FOR A SUBSURFACE OCEAN—AND A HABITAT FOR LIFE—ON PLUTO



When NASA's New Horizons spacecraft buzzed by Pluto last year, it revealed tantalizing clues that the dwarf planet might have—or had at one time—a liquid ocean sloshing around under its icy crust. According to a new analysis led by Brown University, such an ocean likely still exists today.

The study, which used a thermal evolution model for Pluto updated with data from New Horizons, found that if Pluto's ocean had frozen into oblivion millions or billions of years ago, it would have caused the entire planet to shrink. But there are no signs of a global contraction to be found on Pluto's surface. On the contrary, New Horizons showed signs that Pluto has been expanding.

"Thanks to the incredible data returned by New Horizons, we were able to observe tectonic features on Pluto's surface, update our thermal

evolution model with new data and infer that Pluto most likely has a subsurface ocean today," said Noah Hammond, a graduate student in Brown's Department of Earth, Environmental and Planetary Sciences, and the study's lead author.

The pictures New Horizons sent back from its close encounter with the Kuiper Belt's most famous denizen showed that Pluto was much more than a simple snowball in space. It has an exotic surface made from different types of ices—water, nitrogen, and methane. It has mountains hundreds of meters high and a vast heart-shaped plain. It also has giant tectonic features—sinuous faults hundreds of kilometers long as deep as 4 kilometers. It was those tectonic features that got scientists thinking that a subsurface ocean was a real possibility for Pluto.

"What New Horizons showed was that there are

extensional tectonic features, which indicate that Pluto underwent a period of global expansion," Hammond said. "A subsurface ocean that was slowly freezing over would cause this kind of expansion."

Scientists think that there may have been enough heat-producing radioactive elements within Pluto's rocky core to melt part of the planet's ice shell. Over time in the frigid Kuiper belt, that melted portion would eventually start to refreeze. Ice is less dense than water, so when it freezes, it expands. If Pluto had an ocean that was frozen or in the process of freezing, extensional tectonics on the surface would result, and that's what New Horizons saw.

The thermal evolution model run by Hammond and his colleagues showed that because of the low temperatures and high pressure within Pluto, an ocean that had completely frozen over would

quickly convert from the normal ice we all know to a different phase called ice II. Ice II has a more compact crystalline structure than standard ice, so an ocean frozen to ice II would occupy a smaller volume and lead to a global contraction on Pluto, rather than an expansion.

Taken together, the new model bolsters the case for a liquid ocean environment—which could even be a habitat for living creatures—in the furthest reaches of the solar system.

"That's amazing to me," Hammond said. "The possibility that you could have vast liquid water ocean habitats so far from the Sun on Pluto—and that the same could also be possible on other Kuiper belt objects as well—is absolutely incredible."

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## CHRISTOPHER Nyerges GRID DOWN?

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Even 50 years ago, temporary blackouts were not all that disruptive to everyday life. Indeed, to children, they were exciting times when you got to use lanterns and candles at night. Phones still worked, since most phones were simple rotary style.

In my household, we still had hand-cranked coffee grinders, wheat sifters, mixers (for batter), and can-openers. We had very few electric food processing devices, and we got by just fine. We had no electric yard tools then, all manual rakes, brooms, clippers, edgers, lawn-mowers. None of the insane blowers and weed-whackers. All our tools were manual too: hammers, saws, pliers, levels, etc.

Today, you can get an electric model of just about anything, and computer chips are everywhere. The up-and-coming generation knows nothing else, which is perhaps one of our greatest dangers.

Most folks, even if they grew up in the city, understands that there should be a backup for when the power goes out. But too many young folks know no other way of life but the all-electric driven lifestyle, controlled and powered by the all-powerful, all-seeing I-God (oops, meant I-pod), with all of its minions through it's spider-like Web. There is even the chief high priest of this new world, ready and waiting to answer your every question: Rev. Google!

If the grid goes down, for whatever reason, the world will be a very different place, maybe temporarily, maybe long-term. There really no way to predict what would happen, but there are various ways to prepare ourselves, mentally and physically.

Just walk through your home and look at everything that is controlled by electricity. What would your day be like if there was no power? Some things would be hard, or impossible, to replace without electricity. But many other electrical functions could easily be handled with manual tools, or "old-fashioned" technology.

Lights are easy. My mother always had a good supply of candles, lanterns, and flashlights, and whenever there was a blackout, the house was fully lit!

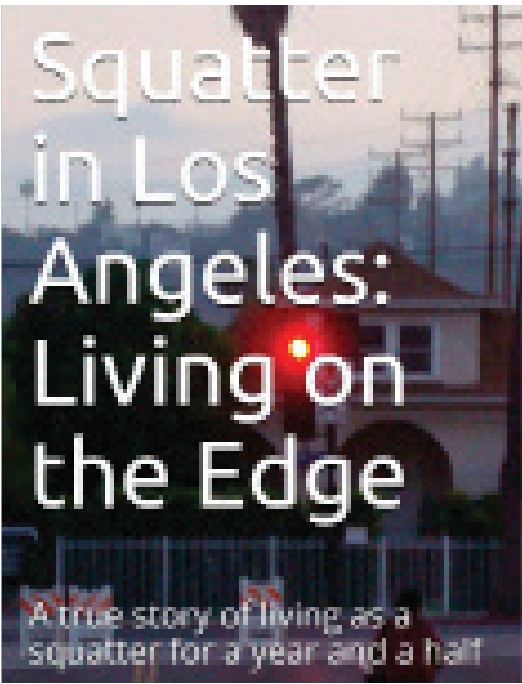
You should never be unable to process your meals if the power goes out. Go to any kitchen supply shop and make sure you have manual can openers, juicers, coffee grinders, egg beaters (hey, a fork works fine!), grinders, slicers, etc. Whatever it is you do in your kitchen, you should be able to do without power.

A refrigerator won't work without electricity, so unless you have some solar panels on your roof, you'll want to store plenty of non-refrigerated food. This means pickled, dried, and canned. This is also one of the big pluses in having a backyard and neighborhood garden, as well as backyard chickens. Your food is fresh, and local, and not dependent on transportation systems.

Home heating and cooling is a big topic, and if all houses were built with thicker, more insulated walls, and white heat-reflecting roofs, and big overhangs, etc., much of the cost of heating and cooling would be unnecessary. I spent considerable time discussing this topic in my "Extreme Simplicity" and "Self-Sufficient Home" books, both of which can be reasonably obtained on Amazon.

I spent a year and a half back in the late '70s as a squatter, and practiced a lot of the ecological-living methods that are becoming very popular today. We recycled everything, cooked on a wood stove, grew a lot of our food, recycled all household water, and even used (for a part of the time) a compost toilet. Had the grid gone down during that time, it would have been just an inconvenience. I wrote a book about that experience, called "Squatter in Los Angeles," which is available as a Kindle book, or download from the Store at [www.SchoolofSelf-Reliance.com](http://www.SchoolofSelf-Reliance.com).

Perhaps the biggest challenge for most people in a grid-down world will be that the infrastructure around them will not work, or will change rapidly into something that does work. There will be barriers, and things will get very localized. How could you ever prepare for such an eventuality? You should learn pioneer and survival skills, and get to know any of the various groups who practice one or more of the many survival skills. Find them on-line, or at Meetup. And there is no shortage of Youtube videos and books to help you along this learning path.



## OUT TO PASTOR

A Weekly Religion Column by Rev. James Snyder

## NOT SMART ENOUGH TO BE AN IDIOT

In my experience, everybody has a slice of "idiot" somewhere hiding inside them. The trick is not to let it show itself at the wrong time.

Since everybody is an idiot to some degree or other, maybe we should not be so hard on people. After all, not everybody is smart enough to be a full blown idiot.

Throughout my life, I have attempted to utilize my "idiot slice" to my own advantage. So far I have had good progress on this aspect of my life, just ask the Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage. With a great deal of affection she will often say, "You are one of the best idiots I have ever known."

Isn't love a wonderful thing?

Although I own up to my "idiot slice" many people for some reason, are not able to do that. After all, if everybody has a slice of idiocy, then what's the problem?

This came to me recently when a small incident happened. I do not quite remember what brought this incident to be, it could be anything these days, but the outcome is what got me.

This guy looked at me with the meanest look, shook his fist at me and said, "Are you an idiot or something?"

Normally I take these things as they come and just move on with my life. But for some reason that "idiot slice" in me kicked into high gear. And I responded, "Which one do you think I am?"

He blinked and said, "Wh-utt?"

So I said, "Do you think I'm an 'idiot' or a 'something'?"

"After all," I continued, "there is a vast difference between an 'idiot' and a 'something.' What am I?"

That was last week some time and I think he is still trying to figure out what in the world I was talking about. Some people just aren't smart enough to be a plain old idiot.

I believe there is a little bit of intelligence in every idiot. After all, most idiots are smart enough to get a driver's license. And boy, do they drive like idiots.

Just yesterday, I was trying to drive across town and I encountered so many idiots driving that I was tempted to run some of them over. Don't those idiot drivers make you furious?

I know a few people who are simply nuts, but that is a different story altogether. Being an idiot takes a lot of hard work and practice. Not everybody is smart enough to be an idiot.

One driver I encountered, who at first glance I thought was an idiot but he turned out not smart enough to be an idiot. I was driving on my side of the road and going the speed limit. He was behind me and wanted to go faster than

the speed limit. That's okay if nobody's in front of you, but I was in front of him and he couldn't get around me.

He honked his horn, hoping, I suppose, that I would get out of his way and let him go. However, I was more of an idiot, so I ignored him. One good thing about being an idiot is that you can ignore people who do not quite come up to the status of being an idiot themselves.

Finally, we got to a place where he could pass me. I just assumed he would pass and that would be the last I would see of him. When he got beside me, he began yelling and screaming and I could not understand anything he was saying.

I did figure out that he must have been a very religious man because he was pointing me to heaven. I guess he was encouraging me to go to heaven. I smiled and shook my head, which only made him a little angrier, for some reason. I did notice though, that the finger he was using to point to heaven was not the finger I would have used. I guess it's a matter of confusion. This guy was not smart enough to be an idiot to know which finger you use to point a person to heaven.

One thing I have discovered about idiots is they are not confined to race, gender or age. You can find idiots anywhere there are people still breathing. An idiot is an equal opportunity engager.

Being an idiot does have its advantages. For example, when my wife sends me to the store to buy some items for the house and I come back with everything but what's on the list I can say, "I just must be an idiot." And, do not let this get back to her, it always works.

If you know who you are and what you are, you can begin using that information to your advantage. If you know you are an idiot then you can bank on that for the rest of your life.

The difference between an idiot and a fool is simply that an idiot is a little short of knowledge. Solomon understood this when he wrote, "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge: but fools despise wisdom and instruction" (Proverbs 1:7). And, "The way of a fool is right in his own eyes: but he that hearkeneth unto counsel is wise" (Proverbs 12:15).

I suppose I can't help being an idiot, but I certainly don't have to be a fool as Solomon describes it.

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## A ROAD TRIP WITH ROVER

Last week my husband and I took a trip to Massachusetts to attend a memorial for my auntie Evelyn. She passed away last November at the ripe ole age of 102! It was a bittersweet time with family and friends that I hadn't seen in many years, and we all shared our memories of times we had with Evelyn who was quite a feisty lady and stayed amazingly healthy up to soon before her passing.

As a dog sitter, it can be challenging to take time off for a getaway, but that's typically okay with me as I haven't really had much desire to travel in recent years. However, now that I've had a taste of what it feels like to be somewhere other than in Sierra Madre, I am thinking perhaps it might not be a bad idea to try and plan a quick trip along the coast for a fresh perspective, this summer.

While thinking of this over the weekend, I decided to look into some desirable dog-friendly coastal destinations where my little four-footed girl Molly would be just as welcome as we would be. I got lucky on my first Google search when I found a website with a blog page belonging to a couple who likes to share their stories about life with their two dogs, Sierra and Lexi.

One particular story I found on their site caught my eye, as I had rover-friendly road trips in mind. The title is "Doggie Vacation Up the California Coast". It includes snap shots of their trip with creative captions and excellent descriptions of the vacation destinations they visited along the way. I suppose it goes without saying that each of their stop spots were places that openly invite the family dog to tag along and enjoy the fun with their humans.

So with my mind gathering momentum for wanderlust, I began to think some of my readers may also have a desire to partake in some easy going getaway time during the hot months of summer. And so it is that I offer up this list of dog-friendly haunts requiring only a relatively short road trip with 'Rover' in tow. No fuss with a bus or train and no insane wait to board a plane. Keep it simple, relax and enjoy!

Thanks and credit go to Todd Porter & Diane Cu for sharing this lovely list of pet-friendly destinations with the rest of us pup-loving road trip travelers. Bark Voyage!

Santa Barbara County, Arroyo Burro Beach (Hendry's Beach) - The one beach that is legal for off leash use in the City of Santa Barbara, located at 3401 Edgewater Way, below the Douglas Family Preserve. It begins east of the slough at Arroyo Burro Beach and stretches almost to the steps at Mesa Lane. From the parking lot at Arroyo Burro, walk to the beach, turn left and cross the slough.

San Luis Obispo County,

## Happy Tails

by Chris Leclerc



Fiscalini Ranch Preserve - Features gently rolling hills on one half with a gorgeous cliff side hike on the other half, overlooking the ocean. There's no sandy beach romp here, but your pups will love running free up the hills through the tall grasses. Located at 604 Main St. in Cambria, CA.

Monterey County, Carmel Beach City Park - With soft white sandy hills and great views of Pebble Beach Golf Course, this beach is guaranteed to be a hit with the whole family. The sand is so soft and fine it squeaks beneath your feet! You'll find this little bit of heaven on Ocean Ave. at Scenic Rd. in Carmel, CA.

Monterey County, Hofsas House, dog friendly hotel - Privately owned and operated, the down-to-earth family (original owners) you'll meet at this super dog friendly hotel literally welcomes your entire clan with open arms. What really stands out is the care and attention they give to the dogs that stay there. Oh, and they're friendly to humans too! Between 3rd & 4th Ave. on San Carlos St., Carmel-By-The-Sea, CA.

Carmel, Mission Trail Nature Preserve - This largest open space park in the City of Carmel-By-The-Sea, has so many leash free trails to explore it is hard to choose. The author recommends the trail to Mesa Pond where you and your pups can swim laps and lap up the beauty of the gorgeous natural surroundings. It also boasts a very interesting history and some truly amazing native plant gardens. The park encompasses 33 acres of mostly undeveloped land bordered by Hatton Rd. to the north, Mt. View to the west, 11th Ave. to the south and Rio Rd.(Carmel Mission) to the east.

Santa Cruz, The Penny Ice Creamery - Be sure to stop by this gem for some of the best ice cream ever! There is a shop and also a little stand, but be sure to visit the shop where you'll find a larger selection of flavors. It is the only ice cream shop in Santa Cruz that makes small batches of the delicious delight completely from scratch, in house. Flavors change with the seasons and feature locally farmed organic ingredients. Don't fret if you drip...let your pet lick it up! 913 Cedar St., Santa Cruz, CA.

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## PET OF THE WEEK PECHANGA: ANIMAL ID #A4955981

It just doesn't get any more adorable than this! Meet Pechanga (A4955981), a bright-eyed 1-year-old red female Dachshund and Chihuahua mix puppy who was found in La Puente and brought to the Baldwin Park Animal Care Center on June 2nd. Weighing 10 pounds, Pechanga is a darling little girl as cute as a button. Scared in the shelter, she shivers



from head to toe. She is curious and alert though, watching everything around her with beautiful amber eyes and taking comfort in being held and stroked. Pechanga is low-key in her current environment, and she gets along well with other dogs (including her rowdy kennel mates), so she would be a good candidate for a household with canine siblings. For now, she prefers being carried to doing the walking herself, although we expect that she will likely blossom with the safety and love that comes with having your own forever home. She stands ready to meet her forever family and learn the training basics that

will make her a superb canine citizen. Meet Pechanga today! To watch a video of Pechanga, please visit the following link: <https://youtu.be/XYa4817XVFQ>

To meet Pechanga in person, please see her at the Baldwin Park Shelter, located at 4275 N. Elton, Baldwin Park, CA 91706 (Phone: 626-962-3577). She is currently available now.

For any inquiries about Pechanga, please reference her animal ID number: A4955981. The shelter is open seven days a week, 12 pm-7 pm Monday-Thursday and 10am-5pm Friday-Sunday. This is a high-intake shelter with a great need for adoptions. For more information about Pechanga or the adoption process, contact United Hope for Animals Volunteer

Adoption Coordinator Samantha at [Samantha@hope4animals.org](mailto:Samantha@hope4animals.org). To learn more about United Hope for Animals' partnership with the Baldwin Park Shelter, as well as the many dogs of all breeds, ages, and sizes available for adoption in local shelters, visit <http://www.unitedhope4animals.org/about-us/shelter-support-program/>.

## Katnip News!



Lulu, age 4, is a simply gorgeous girl! She was lovingly owned for 4 years, but her owner needed assisted living, so now Lulu needs a new home. Maine Coons are a wonderful breed, and highly sought-after. Lulu is mellow and loving, and will fit in well with almost any family. Adoption fee is \$100, which includes spay/neuter, microchip, & vaccines.

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E. Foothill Blvd. in Pasadena, 12:30-3:30. We know our cats very well to find the right match for you, and when you adopt from Lifeline for Pets, you know you are getting a healthy, much loved kitty who will fit well into your family and have a lifelong home. Call 626-676-9505. Convenient adoption application, more pictures, and a video of Lulu on our excellent website, [www.lifelineforpets.org](http://www.lifelineforpets.org).



## FAMILY MATTERS

By Marc Garlett



## SIGNING UP FOR MEDICARE: IMPORTANT FACTS FOR THOSE NEARING AGE 65

People who are nearing the age of 65 should begin making plans for the transition from private health care to Medicare. It is not a simple process or one that happens automatically. You have to initiate the enrollment process at a specific time or suffer a monetary penalty.

It is important to understand that applying for Social Security benefits and enrolling in Medicare are two totally different things. Don't confuse your eligible age for Social Security with the eligible age for Medicare. For Medicare, it is 65; there are no variations based on your date of birth.

Can I Sign Up Whenever I Want?

If you are turning 65 and are not covered under a health insurance plan through your employer or your spouse's, you must enroll in Medicare during an initial enrollment period (IEP) that applies just to you. The period runs for a seven-month span beginning and ending on either side of your 65th birthday. The fourth month of the period is the month in which you turn 65. That is how you establish your window of opportunity.

If you passed the age of 65 while covered under a plan through your or your spouse's employment, you have a special enrollment period (SEP). The

SEP covers any time before the employment ends, and for eight months thereafter. A word of caution here: employers with less than 20 workers may require employees turning 65 to enroll in Medicare and have the employer plan serve only as a backup insurer.

### What If I Missed The Deadline?

If you failed to enroll during your initial or special period, you must enroll in a general enrollment period (GEP) which is in effect from January 1 to March 31 of each year. In such a case, you will be charged a penalty of 10 percent of the premiums for each full 12-month period after the end of your IEP and the beginning of the GEP.

The good news for some who enroll during a GEP is that they may not have to pay any premiums for Medicare Part A coverage, so there is no penalty to be assessed. If you have contributed Medicare tax while employed for 40 quarters (10 years), you have enough credit to get Part A coverage for free. Part A covers hospital and skilled nursing facility charges. Part B, which covers doctor's services, outpatient services and medical equipment, always comes with a premium, and an enrollment penalty will be assessed as long as you are in the plan.

While the process can be complicated, these are some of the more important facts people need to know about Medicare enrollment. There are still other factors that may apply to individuals, especially anyone who is disabled and receiving Medicare benefits prior to age 65. As such, contacting the Social Security Administration (or if you need more help, contacting us) well before your 65th birthday is the smart thing to do.

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A local attorney and father, Marc Garlett is on a mission to help parents protect what they love most. His office is located at 49 S. Baldwin Ave., Ste. G, Sierra Madre, CA 91024. Schedule an appointment to sit down and talk about ensuring a legacy of love and financial security for your family by calling 626.587.3058 or visit [www.GarlettLaw.com](http://www.GarlettLaw.com) for more information.

## LOOKING FOR A BEST FRIEND?

Richard was found running loose in the streets of Alhambra. No one has claimed him. He is a 3-year-old Chihuahua mix weighing a little less than 10 pounds. He is quite a handsome boy with a short coat of light-colored tan fur.

Richard greets his visitors with a wagging tail, and he may even share a kiss or two. He likes getting pets around his head and neck, and may even roll over for a belly rub, or stick his back end up in the air for a back massage.

Richard is easy to harness and enjoys going for walks. He is easy to handle on the leash and happily interacts with people and with other dogs he meets along the way. Richard enjoys playing with his kennel mate, and you will find the two of them wrestling with each other when you walk by, both smiling and having a great time.

Richard is a happy boy with a gentle nature. He deserves to have a secure, loving home with a family who treats him as the special dog he is meant to be. Come in to meet him and see if his big brown eyes don't melt your heart. His adoption fee is \$130 and includes neuter surgery, vaccinations, microchip and a

free wellness exam at a participating veterinarian. Feel free to call us at (626) 286-1159 for more information on Richard. He currently resides at the San Gabriel Valley Humane Society located at 851 E. Grand Avenue in San Gabriel. We are located off San Gabriel Blvd, north of Mission and south of



Las Tunas Drive. To arrange a 'Meet and Greet' with Richard, please stop by any time from 10:30am to 4:30pm Tuesday through Sunday. Website: [www.sgvhumane.org](http://www.sgvhumane.org)

LA Renegade Rollergirls take on the Tucson Rollergirls on Saturday, June 25 at 7pm in Wingate Park, 735 N. Glendora Avenue in Covina to support the San Gabriel Valley Humane Society. Tickets at the door are \$10 dollars: \$8 presale. Bring Pedigree dog food, Purina cat chow or cat litter and be entered in a raffle to benefit the animals.

We are always looking for hard working, dedicated animal lovers to join our team to fulfill our goal of 'Putting People and Pets Together'. If you have what it takes to succeed in our life-saving work, we want to meet you! Check out our employment opportunities at <http://www.sgvhumane.org/career-opportunities/>

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## AROUND SAN GABRIEL VALLEY

### HEAT ALERT ISSUED FOR EAST SAN GABRIEL VALLEY AND THE ANTELOPE VALLEY, SATURDAY, JUNE 25- TUESDAY, JUNE 28

The Los Angeles County Health Officer has declared a Heat Alert as high temperatures have been forecast for the following areas:

- East San Gabriel Valley
- Antelope Valley

for Saturday, June 25 through at least Tuesday, June 28.

The Department of Public Health would like to remind everyone that precautions should be taken, especially by individuals who participate in outdoor activities, older adults, caretakers of infants and children, and those sensitive to the heat. This alert may be extended if weather conditions do not improve.

For a list of Cooling Centers and information on heat-related illnesses and prevention, please visit the Public Health website at <http://www.publichealth.lacounty.gov/>, or call the LA County Information line at 2-1-1 from any landline or cell phone within the county. To locate the nearest cooling center, go to <http://bit.ly/CoolingCenters2016>. Call your local Cooling Center for hours of operation.

“While it is very important that everyone take special care of themselves, it is equally important that we reach out to those who are especially vulnerable to the harmful effects of extreme heat, including children, the elderly, and their pets,” said Dr. Gunzenhauser. “Extreme heat such as this is not just an inconvenience, it can be dangerous and even deadly, but we can protect ourselves, our families, and our neighbors if we take steps to remain cool and hydrated.”

Schools, day camps, and non-school related sports organizations or athletes should take extra precautions during extreme heat. Practices and other outdoor activities should be scheduled for very early or very late in the day in order to limit the amount of time spent in the sun and heat.

Additional tips for those who must work or exercise outdoors:

- Ensure that cool drinking water is available.
- Drink water or electrolyte-replacing sports drinks often; do not wait until you are thirsty.
- Avoid drinking sweetened drinks, caffeine, and alcohol.
- Avoid drinking extremely cold water as this is more likely to cause cramps.
- Allow athletes or outdoor workers to take frequent rests.
- Pay attention to signs of dehydration which include dizziness, fatigue, faintness, headaches, muscle cramps, and increased thirst. Individuals with these symptoms should be moved to a cooler, shaded place, and given water or sport drinks. More severe signs of heat-related illness may include diminished judgment, disorientation,

pale and clammy skin, a rapid and weak pulse, and/or fast and shallow breathing.

- Coaches, teachers, and employers should seek immediate medical attention for those exhibiting signs of heat-related illness.
- Avoid unnecessary exertion, such as vigorous exercise during peak sun hours, if you are outside or in a non-air conditioned building.

Older adults and individuals with chronic medical conditions:

- During peak heat hours stay in an air-conditioned area. If you do not have access to air conditioning in your home, visit public facilities such as cooling centers, shopping malls, parks, and libraries to stay cool.
- Do not rely only on open windows or a fan as a primary way to stay cool. Use the air conditioner. If you're on reduced income, find out more about the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program, by calling (866) 675-6623 or contacting your utility provider.
- Older adults and those on certain medications may not exhibit signs of dehydration until several hours after dehydration sets in. Stay hydrated by frequently drinking cool water. If you're on a special diet that limits liquids, check with your doctor for information on the amount of water to consume.
- Stay out of the sun if you do not need to be in it. When in the sun, wear a hat, preferably with a wide brim, and loose-fitting, light-colored clothing with long sleeves and pants to protect against sun damage. And remember to use sun screen and to wear sunglasses.

Infants and Children:

- It is illegal to leave an infant or child unattended in a vehicle (California Vehicle Code Section 15620).
- Infants and young children can get dehydrated very quickly. Make sure they are given plenty of cool water to drink.
- Keep children indoors or shaded as much as possible.
- Dress children in loose, lightweight, and light colored clothing.

Pets:

- Never leave a pet unattended in a vehicle, even with the windows ‘cracked’ or open.
- Outdoor animals should be given plenty of shade and clean drinking water.
- Do not leave pets outside in the sun.
- Pets should not be left in a garage as garages can get very hot due to lack of ventilation and insulation.

### 626GOLDENSTREETS POSTPONED

Safety and Air Quality Concerns Over SanGabrielComplexFire



Due to active wildfires in the San Gabriel Mountains, public safety officials and city staff, who have been monitoring the situation closely, have officially moved to postpone the 626 Golden

Streets event.

The participating cities of South Pasadena, Arcadia, Monrovia, Duarte, Azusa, San Marino, Irwindale, County of Los Angeles, Metro, Bike San Gabriel Valley and event organizers would like to inform the public that the 18+ mile open streets event and all associated activities scheduled for June 26th will no longer be held this Sunday.

Event organizers would like to extend a heartfelt Thank You to all those who worked so hard to make 626 Golden Streets a reality on 6/26 Day, especially event sponsors: Metro Los Angeles, MSRC, SoCalGas, Kaiser Permanente, KPCC, the Foothill Gold Line Construction Authority and many others. We would also like to thank the dozens of city staff, safety officials, artists, vendors and others who have invested time and energy into creating a truly special event for the San Gabriel Valley. We thank you for your commitment and continued support!

626 Golden Streets will be back. Until then, we encourage you to walk, bike, and explore our beautiful region by Metro. And stay tuned for updates at: [www.626goldenstreets.com](http://www.626goldenstreets.com) and @bikeSGV.

### OVER 200 PEOPLE ATTEND SAN GABRIEL COMPLEX FIRE COMMUNIITY MEETING AT NORTH VIEW

Los Angeles County Fire Department held an area wide meeting at North View Intermediate School to discuss the status of fighting the San Gabriel Complex fire with over 200 residents from Duarte, Monrovia and Azusa. Representatives from LA County Fire, Sheriff, State Office of Emergency Services, Monrovia Police Department and Fire Department made brief presentations on efforts being made to both control the fire and deal with evacuations. Numerous questions were posed and answered about evacuation with a focus on when and how evacuated residents could return to their homes.

Due to uncertainty of the fire and unknown factors due to wind conditions, LA County Fire is not able to allow all evacuated residents back to their residences. However, fire officials assured affected residents that regular updates regarding the

evacuation will be provided beginning tomorrow morning as part of the Department's daily incident briefings. City of Duarte representatives will be attending those meetings and helping to disperse information as it becomes available. Residents are encouraged to check the City's website and follow the City on Twitter and Facebook which are updated as new information becomes available.

Once evacuated residents are allowed to return, they will be required to show photo identification to LA County Sheriff deputies before entering the area to prove residency. Residents will be allowed to leave and return upon showing photo identification. Residents will also be allowed to return with small pets and animals but not livestock. No large trailers or recreational vehicles will be permitted in the area either.

### HUNTINGTON ANNOUNCES LAUNCH OF CROWDSOURCING PROJECT TO TRANSCRIBE, DECODE U.S. CIVIL WAR TELEGRAMS

The project aims to use crowdsourcing technology, in part, to spark curiosity and develop critical-thinking skills among students

Papers of Thomas T. Eckert (1862-1877), an extensive and extraordinarily rare collection of nearly 16,000 Civil War telegrams. The Huntington Library, Art Collections, and Botanical Gardens.

SAN MARINO, Calif.—In a move to gain new insights into the U.S. Civil War, The Huntington Library, Art Collections, and Botanical Gardens announced today the public launch of an innovative crowdsourcing project to transcribe and decipher a collection of nearly 16,000 Civil War telegrams between Abraham Lincoln, his Cabinet, and officers of the Union Army. Roughly one-third of the messages were written in code.

The Huntington is collaborating on the “Decoding the Civil War” project with Zooniverse (the largest online platform for collaborative volunteer research), North Carolina State University's Digital History and Pedagogy Project, and the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum.

“The Huntington and its partners are delighted to make this historic collection accessible to the public in a way that will help improve our understanding of this critically important period in our nation's history,” said David Zeidberg, Avery Director of the Library at The Huntington. “This is a digital humanities project that holds the potential to transform our engagement with the past, inspire further research, and help students everywhere gain a better understanding of U.S. history, digital literacy, and the power of collaboration.”

The Huntington acquired the exceptionally rare collection of telegrams in 2012, composed of a nearly complete archive of Thomas T. Eckert, the head of



the military telegraph office of the War Department under Lincoln. The archive was thought to have been destroyed after the war and includes crucial correspondence that has never been published. Among the materials are 35 manuscript ledger books of telegrams sent and received by the War Department, including more than 100 communiques from Lincoln himself. Also included are top-secret cipher books revealing the complex coding system used to encrypt and decipher messages. The Confederate Army never cracked the Union Army's code.

The “Decoding the Civil War” project provides public access to digitized images of the telegrams and code books through the Huntington Digital Library ([hdl.huntington.org](http://hdl.huntington.org)). In addition, the project's crowdsourcing website on Zooniverse ([zooniverse.org](http://zooniverse.org)), engages “citizen archivists” in the deciphering of the telegrams with greater efficiency and accuracy than could be accomplished by staff members at the partnering institutions.

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On the Marquee: Notes from the Sierra Madre Playhouse

OFF THE PAGE – THE NEW READING SERIES

By Artistic Director, Christian Lebano

We have quietly started a new initiative at the Playhouse which is proving very popular. Our new FREE reading series – Off the Page – is a chance for me to hear plays out-loud and in front of an audience to help me judge the merits of including the play in an upcoming season. The series is being coordinated by DJ Harner. You may remember DJ as Rufus’ mother and General Cutter in our production of Battledrum. She is a terrific actress (we met doing Romeo & Juliet together – we were the Capulets) and an incredibly organized person. We are now ready to go prime-time with this Series. We’ve gotten wonderful directors and lined up terrific performers for the series through the end of the year. The readings generally take place at 7pm on the last Monday night of the month (except when that falls on a change-over from one show to the next.) Though the series is free – donations will be gladly accepted to defray costs. I hope you will attend these shows, which always include a discussion of the play afterwards. Come help me choose plays for the Playhouse.

July 25 (Monday @ 7pm) – Eleemosynary by Lee Blessing. Directed by Christian Lebano and starring Katherine James (Amanda in Glass Menagerie), Deb Snyder, and Cristina Gerla (Olive in Spelling Bee). This is a lovely play about family, love, and words!

August 29 (Monday @ 7pm) – Foxfire by Hume Cronyn and Susan Cooper. Directed by Katherine Cortez (who was in the show on Broadway with Hume Cronyn and Jessica Tandy). A lovely play about our connections to our family, our past, and the land we were born on.

September 26 (Monday @ 7pm) – The Quality of Life by Jane Anderson. Directed by Gary Reed and starring DJ Harner. It explores a myriad of ethical, religious, and moral beliefs, as well as personal rights issues concerning life and death in this completely engrossing play.

October 17 (Monday @ 7pm) – From the Mississippi Delta by Dr. Endesha Mae Hollander. Directed by Sherrie Lofton (6 Rms Riv Vu at SMP). A beautiful play following one woman’s rise from poverty and oppression to liberation and a doctorate.

November 28 (Monday @ 7pm) – The Immigrant

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by Mark Harelik, Directed by Christopher Cappiello (Sidney in Deathtrap). The story of a young Russian-Jewish immigrant who immigrates to Texas in 1909. A lovely, touching and very funny play.

Don’t those look great. Those plays alone would make for a great season. I hope we’ll see you at all of them.

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The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee is going to be wonderfully. It is being directed by Robert Marra who did such a lovely job last year with Always...Patsy Cline. This show is not recommended for kids under the age of 16 because of language and one song. Tickets are on sale now and are selling well already.

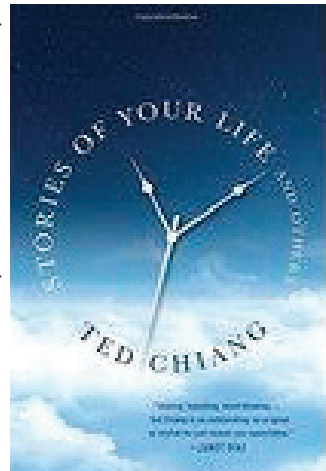
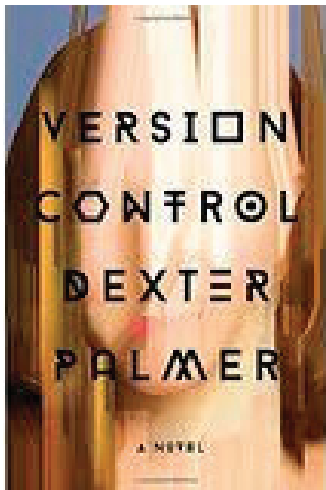
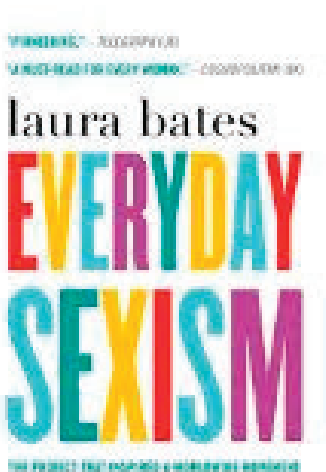
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Jeff’s Book Pics

By Jeff Brown

Everyday Sexism by Laura Bates

The Everyday Sexism Project was founded by writer and activist Laura Bates in April 2012. It began life as a website where people could share their experiences of daily, normalized sexism, from street harassment to workplace discrimination to sexual assault and rape. The Project became a viral sensation, attracting international press attention from The New York Times to French Glamour, Grazia South Africa, to the Times of India and support from celebrities such as Rose McGowan, Amanda Palmer, Mara Wilson, Ashley Judd, James Corden, Simon Pegg, and many others. The project has now collected over 100,000 testimonies from people around the world and launched new branches in 25 countries worldwide. The project has been credited with helping to spark a new wave of feminism.



Version Control: A Novel by Dexter Palmer

The acclaimed author of The Dream of Perpetual Motion returns with a compelling novel about the effects of science and technology on our friendships, our love lives, and our sense of self. Rebecca Wright has reclaimed her life, finding her way out of her grief and depression following a personal tragedy years ago. She spends her days working in customer support for the internet dating site where she first met her husband. But she has a strange, persistent sense that everything around her is somewhat off-kilter: she constantly feels as if she has walked into a room and forgotten what she intended to do there; on TV, the President seems to be the wrong person in the wrong place; her dreams are full of disquiet. Meanwhile,

her husband’s decade-long dedication to his invention, the causality violation device (which he would greatly prefer you not call a “time machine”) has effectively stalled his career and made him a laughingstock in the physics community. But he may be closer to success than either of them knows or can possibly imagine. Version Control is about a possible near future, but it’s also about the way we live now. It’s about smart phones and self-driving cars and what we believe about the people we meet on the Internet. It’s about a couple, Rebecca and Philip, who have experienced a tragedy, and about how they help—and fail to help—each other through it. Emotionally powerful and stunningly visionary, Version Control will alter the way you see your future and your present.

Stories of Your Life and Others by Ted Chiang

Soon to be a major motion picture starring Amy Adams. Stories of Your Life and Others delivers dual delights of the very, very strange and the heartbreakingly familiar, often presenting characters who must confront sudden change—the inevitable rise of automatons or the appearance of aliens—with some sense of normalcy. With sharp intelligence and humor, Chiang examines what it means to be alive in a world marked by uncertainty, but also by beauty and wonder. An award-winning collection from one of today’s most lauded writers, Stories of Your Life and Others is a contemporary classic.

All Things Considered

By Jeff Brown

GUN DEATH IN AMERICA

So many people die annually from gunfire in the US that the death toll between 1968 and 2011 eclipses all wars ever fought by the country. According to research by Politifact, there were about 1.4 million firearm deaths in that period, compared with 1.2 million US deaths in every conflict from the War of Independence to Iraq.

In One Year on Average (ages 0-19)

Over 17,000 (17,499) American children and teens are shot in murders, assaults, suicides & suicide attempts, unintentional shootings, or by police intervention.

2,677 kids die from gun violence:1,671 children and teens are murdered

827 children and teens kill themselves:124 children and teens killed unintentionally

24 are killed by police intervention:30 die but the intent was unknown

14,822 kids survive gun injuries:11,420 are injured in an attack

280 survive a suicide attempt:3,061 are shot

unintentionally:62 are shot in a police intervention

In One Year on Average (all ages)

Over 108,000 (108,476) people in America are shot in murders, assaults, suicides & suicide attempts, unintentional shootings, or by police intervention.

32,514 people die from gun violence:11,294 people are murdered

19,992 people kill themselves:561 people are killed unintentionally

414 are killed by police intervention:254 die but intent is not known

75,962 people survive gun injuries:55,009 people are injured in an attack

3,791 people survive a suicide attempt:16,334 people are shot unintentionally

827 people are shot by police intervention

Domestic violence assault with guns are 12 times more likely to result in death than those without them. According to the Congressional Research Service, there are roughly 300 million guns in American hands. Unsecured guns have turned dozens of toddlers into killers and many more into victims.



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## DICK Polman



### IS BREXIT A HARBINGER OF TRUMPISM?

With apologies to the climactic song in "Les Miserables," here are the self-destructive Brits who voted yesterday to exit the European Union. Cue the music!

*Do you hear the people sing  
Singing the song of angry men  
We will crash the British pound  
Against the dollar and the yen,  
When the pounding in our brains  
Echoes the poison in our guts  
That is when the world will know  
That we're going nuts.*

That's what happens when voters surrender to their basest instincts. One "Brexit" voter, identified only as Adam, told the BBC, "I'm shocked and worried. I voted Leave but...I never thought it would actually happen." A like-minded voter said on TV, "This morning I woke up and the reality did actually hit me, if I had the opportunity to vote again, it would be to stay."

Too late, fools! You voted for xenophobic nationalism, to wall off your country from the rest of the EU and spark massive turmoil in the global markets. You've lit the flame of recession at home and abroad, you voted to imperil the ties that bind Europe's anti-terrorism intelligence agencies and triggered a crisis that will likely destabilize the EU and embolden Vladimir Putin.

Americans should pay close attention to what is transpiring - and unraveling - in Britain right now. It's a warning shot across our bow, a harbinger of what could happen here if we surrender to our basest instincts and elect Donald Trump.

The voters of what's called "Little England" - a rough parallel to what we call "middle America" - hoisted a middle finger to immigration and globalization. Dire warnings about the consequences of exiting the EU failed to penetrate the intellect because these people were bent on voting with their gut.

Swayed by the xenophobic demagoguery of Mini Me Trump agitators like former London mayor Boris Johnson and Independence Party leader Nigel Farage, they convinced themselves that they were "Making Britain Great Again." We'll see how that goes when international

financial institutions start pulling out of London.

Farage and his "Leave" campaign caught fire with his repeated claim that immigration has made traditional Britain "unrecognizable," and that open borders with the EU have turned the "white working class" into "an underclass." (Who does that sound like?)

He also sold the voters snake oil, promising that if Britain left the EU, it would free up lots of extra money for the national health program - in American dollars, roughly \$500 million a week. But when asked on TV whether he can guarantee that promise, Farage admitted, "No I can't...It was one of the mistakes I think the Leave campaign made."

Yep, that pledge was just pap for the saps, and they bought it.

Into the aftermath of the "Brexit" walks Trump, seeking to take political advantage. (Two weeks ago he had no idea what Brexit was - "Huh?" he asked as he struggled to talk about it) In Scotland Friday morning, after praising the greatness of his golf course, right down to the plumbing, Trump said of the Brits:

"They have declared their independence from the European Union and have voted to reassert control over their own politics, borders and economy. Come November, the American people will have the chance to re-declare their independence. Americans will have a chance to vote for trade, immigration and foreign policies that put our citizens first. They will have the chance to reject today's rule by the global elite, and to embrace real change that delivers a government of, by and for the people. I hope America is watching, it will soon be time to believe in America again."

There it was, his autumn campaign pitch. To follow our misguided British cousins into the abyss, all we need do is to stay home on election day, to cede the future to the forces of Trumpism.

At the end of "Les Miserables," the people sang "There is a life about to start when tomorrow comes." It's coming soon. How do we want to live it? Dick Polman is the national political columnist at NewsWorks/WHYY in Philadelphia (newsworks.org/polman) and a "Writer in Residence" at the University of Pennsylvania. Email him at dickpolman7@gmail.com.

## WILL Durst - Raging Moderate



### A BIT OF COMMON SENSE ON GUNS

If the goal is to cause both sides of the political spectrum to quiver, twitch and shake like a raccoon clinging to the outside of a cement mixer speeding through a railroad yard, just casually throw out the term, "gun control," and step back. The left considers all guns the reprehensible tool of warriors, criminals and primitives, while in most of red state America, the definition of gun control is using two hands and hitting the target.

Then some addled-brained, flipponit actually uses those techniques to take out a bunch of innocent people, and the blowback starts with a debate about how big our guns should be, further restrictions on who can purchase them and whether we need to know the identity and shoe size of the purchasers.

Yes, we do. For crum's sakes, you need to present identification to apply for a card to take a book out of a library. Admittedly, in the right hands, a book can be more dangerous than a gun, but they hardly ever put holes in people's bodies that the blood leaks out of way too quick.

With increasing frequency, these body counts shoot north into double digits, which triggers a discussion of banning these high-powered, personal weapons of destruction. For a minute. Then the Republicans kowtow to the perverted wishes of their cruel masters, the NRA, which thinks the best way to avoid school shootings is to ban schools.

This same NRA commanded their lapdogs to prevent research into gun-related deaths. That's right, Republicans have refused to allow the funding of government-related, gun-death research. Which is a

shame, since America has a surplus of raw data. You could say we are dead solid center of the gun-related death universe. It's like talking about sandwiches in Philadelphia but prohibiting any mention of the cheesesteak. As Holland is to tulips, the U.S. is to gun deaths.

In the wake of these horrific tragedies, conservatives then predictably go straight to the handbook of NRA generated talking points to say the same things over and over. "Our thoughts and prayers are with the victims and their families." "None of this would have happened if the gay Hispanic dancers were armed." "Assault weapons can be used as legitimate hunting rifles."

Really? That's your argument? Because, okay, it makes a sort of sense. You can also use a chainsaw to cut butter, thought it might get a little messy around muffin time. Come to think of it, a hand grenade will signal the end of recess. Doorbells can be rung with 12-pound sledgehammers. Once.

They're called "assault weapons" for a reason. They're not "tucking kiddies into bed" rifles. They're for assaults. Yes, the Second Amendment guarantees a well-regulated militia the right to bear arms, but at the time our Founding Fathers were talking about citizen-soldiers wielding one-shot muskets, not terrorist-wannabees brandishing HK MG4s capable of shooting 800 .45 caliber bullets in under a minute with a range of a half a mile.

Hunting weapons? Seriously? What are you hunting? Tanks? A herd of triceratops? Can you imagine someone putting a full clip into a deer at 30 yards? You'd end up with venison jerky. In noun and verb forms. Jerky being the operative word here.



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# LEFT TURN/ RIGHT TURN

## JOHN L. Micek



It's not often that you see C o n g r e s s c o m p l e t e l y abdicate its responsibility to govern twice in one week.

But, as has so often been remarked this year, we're

living in unusual times.

Given the opportunity to recover its colossal gun control fumble, the Republican-led U.S. Senate bobbled the ball yet again on Thursday with a vote on a compromise "no fly/no buy" bill sponsored by Sen. Susan Collins (R-Maine).

Yes, 52 senators managed to vote in favor of Collins' proposal, which was enough to allow further consideration of the proposal. But the bill, which would ban people on terrorism watch lists from buying guns, ended up eight critical votes shy of the 60-vote threshold needed for passage. And if you don't think the bar was set purposefully high - you're fooling yourself.

"It's extremely frustrating there was an opportunity to get things accomplished here," U.S. Sen. Pat Toomey (R-Pa.), one of the few sane GOP voices on gun control said this week.

Frustrating is one word for it. Another one that rushes to mind is "ridiculous." And while we're at it, "incompetent" also works.

That the Senate has been unable to get its act together to pass a bill that keeps suspected terrorists from buying guns even as it provides due process for people that end up government watch lists, is one of the great head-scratchers of our time.

That it happened in the wake of a dramatic occupation of the U.S. House floor by Democrats, led by U.S. Rep. John Lewis of Georgia, a civil rights icon, aimed at forcing votes on gun-control, makes it all the more frustrating.

And, yes, the murderous loon who mowed down 49 people at the Pulse nightclub in Orlando would not have been stopped by such a terror-ban. He was investigated and the FBI passed on him.

But the next terrorism-inspired madman (or woman) who might decide to follow his lead could well be stopped with such a ban.

That's not hard to decipher. The Orlando shooter, you'll recall, legally purchased the semi-automatic rifle he used in his deadly spree.

## CONGRESS FAILED ON GUNS TWICE IN ONE WEEK

It's also already well-documented that ISIS has told its homegrown followers to take advantage of our porous gun laws to assemble their own, personal arsenals.

And when even the NRA thinks that (with proper due-process protections) that it's a good idea, that's saying something.

Because they hate everything.

"My starting point is two, simple ideas: If a person is so dangerous that we will not allow them to board a plane... they should not be able to walk into a gun store and buy a firearm," Toomey said.

Toomey knows first-hand how tough it is to get a gun-control bill through the Senate.

In 2013, in response to the Sandy Hook shootings, he joined with Sen. Joe Manchin, D-W.Va., Toomey to offer an ultimately unsuccessful mandatory background check bill.

During the Senate's gun-control votes this week, Manchin tried, and failed, to offer a similar measure.

Toomey, himself, took a run at a middle-ground bill that imposed a "no fly/no buy" ban, but also provided for an annual review of government watch lists. It failed to garner any support and wasn't among the four proposals the Senate rejected last week.

Toomey's currently locked in the political fight of his life with Democrat Katie McGinty, a former senior aide to Pennsylvania's Democratic governor, Tom Wolf. His is one of five seats Democrats need to flip to retake the Senate in the fall.

She and her surrogates, including former Pennsylvania Gov. Ed Rendell, hammered Toomey for playing politics. But as a candidate, McGinty has it easy. She has no responsibility to govern. That makes posturing easy. But it also accomplishes nothing.

Toomey, meanwhile, wants to work to improve the Collins bill. Whether that's enough to actually flip the Republican no votes on Collins' bill is unclear.

"There are a lot of Republicans who believe we need to address this gap in our security," Toomey said.

But as the past couple of weeks have demonstrated, it's a long walk from belief to putting those beliefs into action. That requires something even tougher to find than 60 votes.

It requires backbone.

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## MAKING SENSE by Michael Reagan

### HILLARY'S EXPENSIVE JACKET

Hillary Clinton may have been better off wearing the Emperor's New Clothes during her victory speech after the New York primary, rather than what she chose to wear and her aides managed to overlook.

Clinton, who has decried income "inequality" throughout the nation during her campaign, stood before the assembled ---- and carefully screened ---- crowd wearing a \$12,495 Giorgio Armani jacket.

What she paid for the coat ---- assuming it wasn't a party favor from her Goldman Sachs speech ---- is just a bit less than the amount the average first time home buyer is required to post as a down payment for his dream home, or as The Washington Free Beacon calculates, "roughly 40 percent of what the average American worker makes in a year."

She's fortunate the price tag wasn't dangling from her outfit like that of Minnie Pearl.

This is beyond tone deaf. It's a combination of obliviousness and hypocrisy on a truly Clintonian scale.

If Hillary was sashaying down the runway at a Paris fashion show, there might be a justification for wearing a jacket that cost 12K, assuming she gave it back after the show. But to own this One Percent Wear is something else entirely.

During her speech Hillary proclaimed, "In this campaign, we are setting bold progressive goals backed up by real plans that will improve lives, creating more good jobs that provide dignity and pride in a middle class life, raising wages and reducing inequality, making sure all our kids get a good education."

How does one talk of "inequality" and then wear an outfit where a single piece of the ensemble costs the equivalent of 833 hours of labor ---- about five months ---- at her new \$15/hour minimum wage?

Maybe one of those "good jobs that provide dignity" is cleaning her coat with tweezers, Q----tips and the tears of virgins.

No one expects Hillary to campaign in Walmart overalls, although it might provide an arresting visual, but is it too much to ask this tribune of the people to save her Armani for Wall Street speeches and Davos dinners?

She can probably find something flattering and just her size at Ann Taylor, and with the money left over she can splurge and take the entire campaign staff to lunch at her nearest Chipotle.

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: R G FASHION SEWING, 2712 S HILL ST., L.A., CA 90007. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) REYNA HERNADEZ, 433 UNION DR. APT 401, L.A., CA 90017. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: REYNA HERNADEZ. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 05/26/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RBK TRANSPORT, 148 N POPLAR AVE. #B, MONTEBELLO, CA 90640. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) REYNALDO ARTURO PINTO, 148 N. POPLAR AVE. #B, MONTEBELLO, CA 90640. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: REYNALDO ARTURO PINTO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 05/31/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RODRIGUEZ TRANSPORTATION, 1933 DENISON ST., POMONA, CA 91766. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ALI FRANCISCO RODRIGUEZ, 1933 DENISON ST., POMONA, CA 91766. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ALI FRANCISCO RODRIGUEZ. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 06/01/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2016-137164  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SEASIDE REALTY, 1777 CENTER COURT DR., #600, CERRITOS, CA 90703. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ASHLEY BOONE, 12304 HASTER ST. #A, GARDEN GROVE, CA 92840. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ASHLEY BOONE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 06/01/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2016-134486  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SUBTLE ALKEME APPAREL, INC., 5767 E. WASHINGTON BLVD., COMMERCE, CA 90040. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SUBTLE ALKEME APPAREL, INC., 5767 E. WASHINGTON BLVD., COMMERCE, CA 90040. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: JENNIFER NGUYEN. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 05/26/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2016-136168  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SUNRISE HANDYMAN SERVICE, 951 N LOUISE ST APT 206, GLENDALE, CA 91207. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) FELINO GOSON DEL ROSARIO JR., 951 N LOUISE ST APT 206, GLENDALE, CA 91207. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: FELINO GOSON DEL ROSARIO JR. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 05/31/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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No. 2016-139030  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SUPER DONUT HOUSE, 7307 SUNSET BLVD. STE A, L.A., CA 90046. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) GLADY UY, 7307 SUNSET BLVD. STE A, L.A., CA 90046. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: GLADY UY. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 06/02/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 05/2016. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2016-135824  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SWANSON ENTERPRISES, 1706 N. SPRINGS AV., COMPTON, CA 90221. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SYLVESTER SWANSON, 1706 N. SPRING AV., COMPTON, CA 90221. This Business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed: SYLVESTER SWANSON. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 05/31/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2016-136776  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: TACOS "LOS QUEROS", 1300 MIRASOL ST., L.A., CA 90023. Mailing address: 1014 S. SIMMONS AVE., L.A., CA 90022. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JAVIER BERNAL HERNANDEZ, 1014 S. SIMMONS AVE., L.A., CA 90022. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: JAVIER BERNAL HERNANDEZ. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 06/01/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2016-134848  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: THE MOBILE SLOU TENT, 15603 S. TARRANT AVE., COMPTON, CA 90220. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOHNNY WILLIAMS JR.,

15603 S. TARRANT AVE., COMPTON, CA 90220. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: JOHNNY WILLIAMS JR. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 05/27/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 05/2016. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2016-137475  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: TOTAL FRAMING CONTRACTOR; TOTAL ELECTRIC; TOTAL PLUMBING, 3567 AVOCADO LANE, PALMDALE, CA 93550. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) TOTAL QUALITY SOLUTIONS, INC., 3567 AVOCADO LANE, PALMDALE, CA 93550. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: ALFONSO MIGUEL MENDERA VELASCO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 06/01/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2016-12895  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: TROJANS BARBER SHOP, 2716 S VERMONT AVE #2, L.A., CA 90007. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ESTELA CIRNE TOXIE, 2716 S VERMONT AVE #2, L.A., CA 90007. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ESTELA CIRNE TOXIE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 05/06/2016. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2016-136992  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: VALENZUELA'S RENTALS & DECORATIONS, 430 S. VERNON AVE., AZUSA, CA 91702. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOSE E VALENZUELA LOPEZ, DAVID VALADEZ SALAZAR, 430 S VERNON AVE., AZUSA, CA 91702. This Business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed: ROSA E VALENZUELA LOPEZ. This

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FILE NO. 2016-136119  
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
The following person(s) VENINSA CRAWFORD, 2825 E. ROSEMARY DR., WEST COVINA, CA 91791, has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: CASABELLA FURNITURE, 2825 E. ROSEMARY DR., WEST COVINA, CA 91791. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 04/22/2016, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2016099773. The business was conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 05/31/2016. The business information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) SIGNED: VENINSA CRAWFORD/OWNER.  
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FILE NO. 2016-135904  
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
The following person(s) ROCIO DELCARMEN MUNOZ, 9936 SAN VINSENTE AVE APT A, SOUTH GATE, CA 90280, has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: JESSE'S BEAUTY SALON, 2524 E. SLAUSON AVE., HUNTINGTON PARK, CA 90255. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 10/01/2014, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2014279949. The business was conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 05/31/2016. The business information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) SIGNED: ROCIO DELCARMEN MUNOZ/OWNER.  
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FILE NO. 2016-138169  
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
The following person(s) AYESHA, INC., 2305 OCEAN PARK BLVD., SANTA MONICA, CA 90405-5107, has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: LEES MARKET, 230 OCEAN PARK BLVD., SANTA MONICA, CA 90405-5107. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 08/07/2012, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2012158352. The business was conducted by: A CORPORATION. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 06/02/2016. The business information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) SIGNED: PRESIDENT. Publish: Mountain Views News  
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## NOTICE OF AMENDED PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF GUNTER ANTON SCHREINER

Case No. BP167463

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of GUNTER ANTON SCHREINER  
AN AMENDED PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Leon Kirakosian in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.

THE AMENDED PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Leon Kirakosian be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

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

A HEARING on the amended petition will be held on July 8, 2016 at 8:30 AM in Dept. No. 67 located at 111 N. Hill St., Los Angeles, CA 90012.

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

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

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

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

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### City of Sierra Madre

### PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

From: The City of Sierra Madre  
Subject: MUNICIPAL CODE TEXT AMENDMENT 16-06 (MCTA 16-06)  
Applicant: City of Sierra Madre  
Project Location: Properties in the City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California

The City of Sierra Madre gives notice, pursuant to State of California law, that the Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing to consider recommending adoption of an Ordinance amending Chapter 17.08 ("Definitions") Section 17.08.020 ("Words, terms, phrases defined"), Chapter 17.20 ("R-1 One Family Residential"), Section 17.20.100 ("Newly created lots – Rear lot line width"), Section 17.20.110 ("Newly created lots – Minimum average width"), Section 17.20.115 ("Flag lots and exclusive access easements - Prohibited"), and Section 17.20.125 ("Allowable gross floor area"). Following a Planning Commission recommendation for approval, the proposed text amendment will be forwarded to the City Council for consideration.

#### DATE AND TIME OF HEARING

City of Sierra Madre  
Planning Commission meeting  
Thursday, July 7, 2016  
(Hearing begins at 7:00 p.m.)

#### PLACE OF HEARING

City of Sierra Madre  
City Council Chambers  
232 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.  
Sierra Madre, CA

All interested persons may attend this meeting and the Planning Commission will hear them with respect thereto.

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The project qualifies for an exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act review pursuant to Title 14, Section 15061(b)(3) of the California Code of Regulations as it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility the adoption of this Ordinance may have a significant effect on the environment, because it will impose greater limitations on development in the City and protect the aesthetic character of Sierra Madre, thereby serving to reduce potential significant adverse environmental impacts.

APPEAL: The decision of the Planning Commission is subject to a 10-day appeal period to the City Council. If in the future anyone wishes to challenge the decision of the Planning Commission in court, one may be limited to raising the issues that were raised or presented in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or before, the scheduled public hearing. For further information on this subject, please contact the Planning & Community Preservation Department at (626) 355-7138.



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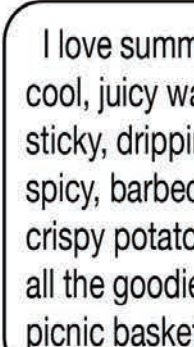
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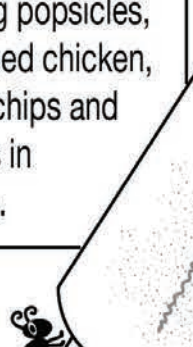
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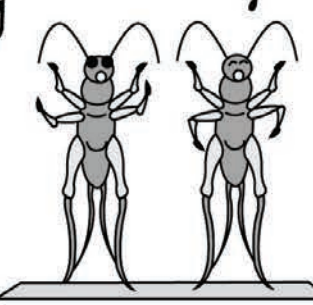
I love summer! I enjoy cool, juicy watermelon, sticky, dripping popsicles, spicy, barbecued chicken, crispy potato chips and all the goodies in picnic baskets.



I really like the summertime, but sometimes it is too hot and humid for me! On some days I just feel like I'm melting away. Before I do, read the clues to fill in my puzzle about summer. Notice that the answers all begin with the letter "s"! Even in the heat I think I'm pretty clever!



A Secret Spot



Hot Expressions

1. \_\_\_\_\_ and tart pink lemonade

2. \_\_\_\_\_ popsicle juice streaking down your arm

3. \_\_\_\_\_ hideaways under drooping tree branches

4. \_\_\_\_\_ reading clubs and programs at libraries

5. \_\_\_\_\_ for growing flowers, apples, pumpkins and splashing in the lakes

7. \_\_\_\_\_ at the top of a roller coaster

8. \_\_\_\_\_ suddenly springing up

9. \_\_\_\_\_ built at the beach

10. \_\_\_\_\_ stars and constellations in the night sky

11. \_\_\_\_\_ under the stars while camping

12. \_\_\_\_\_ turtles and snakes on rocks and logs

13. \_\_\_\_\_ grills cooking favorite foods

14. \_\_\_\_\_ crickets (rubbing their front wings together)

15. \_\_\_\_\_, spinning and swinging on playground equipment

1 \_\_\_\_\_

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14 \_\_\_\_\_

15 \_\_\_\_\_

sticky

season

sliding

secret

sleeping

screaming

super

swimming

storms

sizzling

sandcastles

sweet

singing

sunning

studying

angry with you

you lose the chance

has a quick temper; very angry

Match each expression below to its meaning:

1. in hot water

2. full of hot air

3. hot under the collar

4. not so hot

5. red-hot

6. strike while the iron is hot

A. brags or doesn't make sense

B. just okay, not very good

C. very exciting or successful

D. in trouble; someone is

E. do something before

F. has a quick temper; very angry

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