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A photograph showing four firefighters in tan uniforms and red helmets carrying a patient on a stretcher up a steep, brushy hillside. The patient is lying on the stretcher, which is being supported by the firefighters. The scene is outdoors, with dry grass and bushes visible in the background.

Eventually, the interview ends, and Susan walks me out. The quote that sticks with me the most is this, "I'm proud to be a part of this organization because everybody is dedicated to what they signed up for. They show up." Rebecca Wright/MVNews

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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 September 11, 2018
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.

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- Benefit a non-commercial or non-profit entity
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SIERRA MADRE POLICE BLOTTER

During this period, the Sierra Madre Police Department responded to approximately 370 day and night time calls for service.

Thursday, July 26

At about 8:00PM a resident in the 700 block of E. Grandview Ave. male reported that an unknown suspect(s) removed an electronic tablet from his sealed Amazon package that was delivered to his residence. After removing the device the suspect(s) resealed the package with clear tape. It is unknown when the tablet was removed from the package. Case to Detectives

Friday, July 27

At Mountain Trail and Highland Ave. Officers conducted a traffic stop at about 1:26AM for a vehicle code violation. Upon contacting the driver, it was discovered that the driver was driving with a Driver's Permit and unaccompanied by an appropriate passenger. The driver was cited, and the legal guardian of the driver was cited. The vehicle was then released to a licensed driver (legal guardian).

Saturday, July 28

A welfare check was requested by a resident for a driver of a vehicle slumped over the steering wheel parked in the 500 block of W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Following an interview of the driver, officers determined that he was under the influence of alcohol. The driver was arrested and transported to the Pasadena Jail.

Case to Pasadena DA's office

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SIERRA MADRE CITY MEETINGS Regular City Council Meeting

Tuesday, September 11, 2018
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 city@cityofsierramadre.com before 30 the night of the meeting and your statement will be delivered to all the Council Members. Sierra Madre City Hall 232 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Sierra Madre, CA 91024 (626) 355-7135

City Council
August - DARK
September 11, 2018

Planning Commission
August 2, 2018 at 7:00 pm
August 16, 2018 at 7:00 pm

Community Service Commission
August - DARK

Senior Community Commission
August - DARK

Library Board of Trustees
August 22, 2018 at 7:00 pm
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JULY 1	GEM CITY JAZZ CATS <i>Sponsored by Kiwanis and Friends of the Library</i>
JULY 8	SIERRA MADRE MUSIC CO. (Local Talent) <i>Sponsored by Sierra Madre Music Co.</i>
JULY 15	CASH UP FRONT <i>Sponsored by Sierra Madre Community Foundation</i>
JULY 22	SGT. PEPPERS <i>Sponsored by Sierra Madre Senior Community Commission</i>
JULY 29	TENOR DANIEL RODRIGUEZ <i>Sponsored by Sierra Madre Rotary Club</i>
AUG 5	PAT O'BRIEN AND THE PRIESTS OF LOVE <i>Sponsored by Sierra Madre Firefighters' Association</i>
AUG 12	THE SKINNY TIES <i>Sponsored by Sierra Madre Community Services Department</i>

All concerts are free and held from 6:00pm-8:00pm at the Memorial Park Bandshell, located at 222 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Seating is on the green. Be sure to bring blankets and lawn chairs. Alcohol is prohibited. Spectators are encouraged to support local organizations that may provide refreshments.

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT THE COMMUNITY SERVICES OFFICE AT 626.355.5278



KATIE Tse.....This and That AWKWARD....

Awkward moments. We've all had them, and can usually look back at them and laugh at our mishaps. But it's always funnier if it happens to someone else. In this case, my mom was the victim of embarrassment. But you have to understand the back story first.

Some people are dog people, other people are cat people. And then there are bird people. Bird people can always tell other bird people because they're the crazy ones. Over the years my family has had many birds and developed a reputation as the go-to people when others found a baby bird that needed caretakers until being released back into the wild. One of their recent "visitor" birds was a mocking bird that my mom's friend, Florence, found. (You may remember Florence

friends were going to be released soon like he had been.

Looking for Baby's arrival became a daily routine for my parents. If they didn't see him they worried that something might have happened. It was after a couple days of absence that Baby returned and my mom happily went outside and exclaimed, "Hi Baby!"

Imagine her surprise and embarrassment when their neighbor (we'll call him Jack) answered, "Uh, Hi...?" Flustered, my mom tried to explain over the fence separating them, "I'm sorry, I meant the mocking bird." "What mocking bird?" From Jack's angle he couldn't see Baby perched in the orange tree. My mom pointed toward him "He's over there. We raised him for a couple weeks and he keeps coming back to that same spot." Jack

WALKING SIERRA MADRE... The Social Side By Deanne Davis

Walking Sierra Madre.....The Social Side
Deanne Davis
July 28, 2018 – For August 11 Edition

"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 5th is 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 a 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... The picture is of one of my favorite friends, my husband, John, who is now hanging out with Andy Rooney. The other guy is a new friend he found at Costco.

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.
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 talked to in a while this week and see how they're doing. You'll be glad you did!

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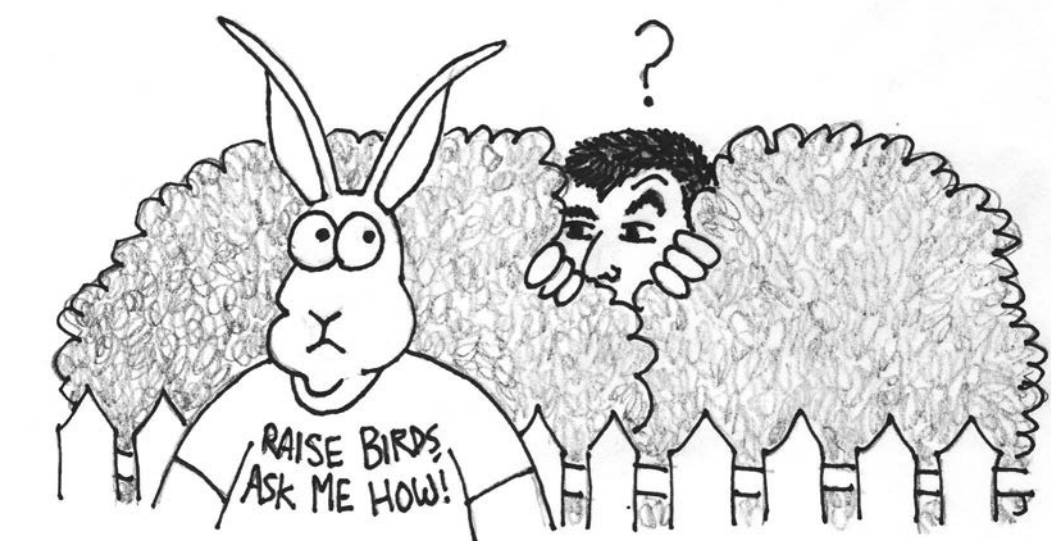
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from her many stories I've written when I've lacked original material. She's a riot.)

During the two or three weeks the mocking bird, whom my mom named "Baby," stayed with my parents, my dad often put its cage next to their two parakeets' cage out on the deck. After Baby was released he continued to come back and sit in a certain spot at the top of the orange tree and call to the parakeets. Baby probably figured his parakeet

smiled and nodded good-naturedly, he's used to my parents' quirkiness. "He likes to talk to the parakeets..." my mom trailed off, realizing the more she talked the weirder she sounded.

Needless to say we all had a good laugh over it later. Now every time my mom goes outside we remind her, "Say hi to Baby!"

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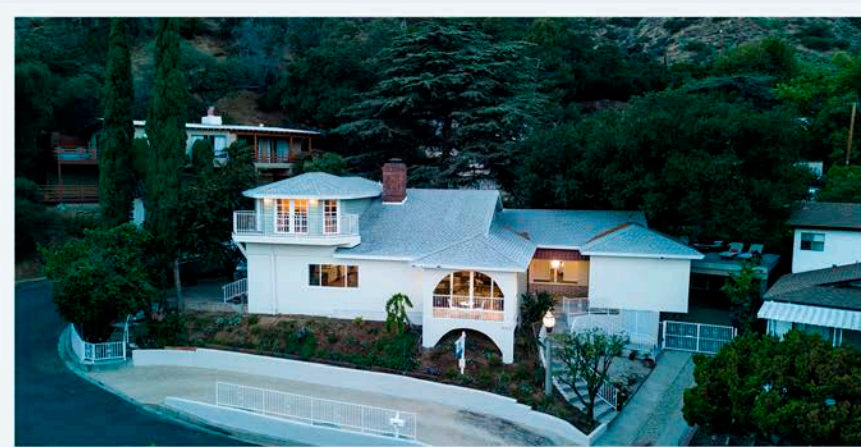
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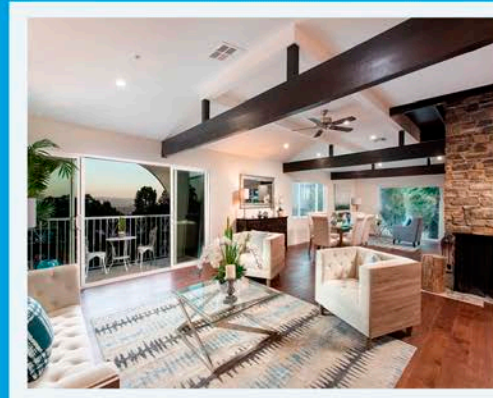


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Local Area News Briefs

South Pasadena



The South Pasadena Police are still requesting the public's help in locating Andrew Dart, last seen on July 21 at about 4:00 pm in the 1800 Block of Grevelia Street. He was wearing a white t-shirt with the word "Austin" emblazoned on the front and sweatpants with the word "California" on one pant leg. He frequents businesses along the Fair Oaks Corridor in South Pasadena. He has medical conditions and may need medication. If you or anyone has any information, please call SPPD Dispatch at 626-403-7297.

Man Arrested in Fire that Gutted Vacant Historic Home Pleads Not Guilty

Pasadena resident Kristoffer Eugene Caldwell pled not guilty in Pasadena Superior Court Tuesday during his arraignment.

Caldwell faces allegations of arson of an uninhabited structure. He was arrested August 2 after being seen in the building before it caught fire. The 130-year-old Victorian home at 30 W. Mountain St, owned by US Bank was considered a total

Pet of the Week



Nash (A462807) is a 5-month-old purr-machine! As soon as you open his kennel doors he comes over, curiously, and starts purring. He head bumps for attention and rubs against his kennel. He likes to be petted, especially behind his ears, and likes to play. Nash is looking for a new best friend today!

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View photos of adoptable pets at pasadenahumane.org. 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.

Wiggle Waggle Walk Registration is Open



The Pasadena Humane Society is reminding the community, and four-legged best friends, that Early Bird Registration for this year's Annual Wiggle Waggle Walk and fundraiser is still open.

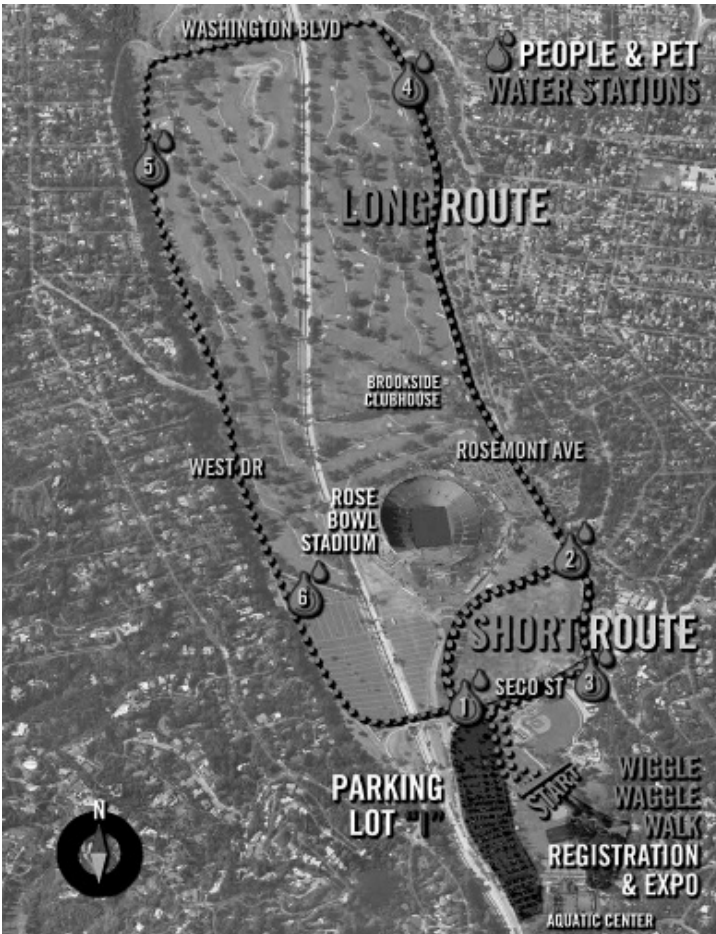
The walk steps off Sunday, September 30 at Brookside Park at the Rose Bowl. Early Bird Registration (\$20) ends September 16. After that General Registration is \$25. Online registration ends 11:59 p.m. the night before the event. Day-of registration begins at 8:00 am at the event.

The walk will be led by a pace car, followed by the PHS shelter dogs, followed by the Top Team, Top Fundraiser, and Top Donor. General participants may begin lining up behind the cones at 8:50 am. "There will be water available for you and your dog but you should consider bringing your own water as temperatures may rise throughout the event" organizers said.

There will also be a Wiggle Waggle Walk and Expo starting at 8:00 a.m. until noon.

"It's a day of fun for the whole family with festivities including contests, demonstrations, vendor booths, food trucks, entertainment, team photos and much more," organizers said.

As of now, 78 participants have signed up raising \$41,295.99 for homeless and abandoned animals. Top fundraisers include JoAnn Turovsky at \$5,525.00 and Martha and Bill



Denzel at \$5,083.00. Top teams include BiteMe! Squad at \$2,235.00 and Let's Wag More Bark Less at \$1,660.00.

The Pasadena Humane Society's fundraising goal for the event is \$200,000. "The money goes to help provide shelter, food, veterinary care and much more to the thousands of animals--domestic, exotic, wildlife and livestock--cared for every year at the Pasadena Humane Society," according to the organization.

All registered participants receive a t-shirt and a dog bandana. The more money you raise, the more PHS swag you

get. Reach \$1,000 and receive a permanent 20th Annual Wiggle Waggle Walk tile that will be installed at the PHS campus, organizers said.

For more information or to register go to: wigglegagglewalk.org. Event organizers also remind those interested that a dog is not necessary to participate in the walk.

Exhibit: The Art of High Altitude Travel

Peekaboo Gallery presents "The Art of High Altitude Travel," a travel exhibition and sale dedicated to the golden age of flying. Take a nostalgic look back to the time of glamorous air hostesses and gourmet meals, when one could jaunt from New York to Paris on a supersonic 3.5-hour flight while enjoying champagne and canapés to live organ accompaniment.

The gallery showcases airlines memorabilia and collectibles presented in a striking Jumbo Jet stage set. Inside, you can find original lithographs and paintings of classic travel art, and industrial and commercial aircraft models.

For those interested in nostalgic fashion of the skies, look for vintage flight attendant uniforms from the 1940s through the 1990s, worn by crews on PAN AM, Braniff Airways, TWA, United, Eastern, British Airways, and the Soviet Aeroflot.

Peekaboo is a unique gallery where everything in the curated displays are for sale. It offers visitors an "unabashed celebration of that most fantastic, turbulent and innovative period in history known as the Twentieth Century."

The exhibit runs August 18 to Sunday, September 23.

The Peekaboo Gallery is located at 40 Mills Place. For more information visit: peekaboogallery.com or call 626.800.5355.

Filing Period for Altadena Library Board Ends

Four seats will be up for election on the Altadena Library Board of Trustees in the upcoming General Election on November 6, 2018. The filing period for candidates began last week and the last day to file was Friday, August 10. For more information on candidates, visit: LAVote.net and click "Current & Upcoming Elections" under the dropdown menu titled "Voting & Elections."

Hahamongha to Tujunga Art Exhibition

The Hahamongha to Tujunga Wildlife Corridor Initiative is set on preserving critical choke points in the 20-mile wildlife corridor connecting the San Gabriel Mountains at Hahamongha Watershed Park to the San Gabriel Mountains at Big Tujunga Wash.

Join Patagonia tonight for an evening featuring wildlife

photography from Johanna Turner with the Arroyos & Foothills Conservancy. Learn about local wildlife gateway points and how animal tracking, camera trapping, and corridors are working to protect mountain lions and other wildlife in Pasadena.

The Opening Night Reception takes place tonight from 7 p.m.-9 p.m.; the exhibition is on display in store through September 12.

Patagonia is located 47 N. Fair Oaks Avenue. For more information visit: patagonia.com or call 626.795.0319.

Play Music on the Porch Day

Presented by Altadena library's open mic night

Play Music on the Porch Day started out as an idea... "What if for one day everything stopped... and we all just listened to music?"

This year, Altadena Library will join the thousands of musicians in at least 40 countries and 400 cities around the world in celebrating Play Music on the Porch Day, by hosting a small

jam session on the shaded Main Library lawn. Stop by between 4:00 and 6:00pm to enjoy local musicians jamming together acoustically on a beautiful summer afternoon. Musicians and singers, of all levels, are welcome to join in this collaborative and relaxed musical moment!

Hint: Wear a hat and some sunglasses! Bring a little towel if you want to lounge on the cool grass. It stays pretty shady under our beautiful trees outside the Library, but it will still likely be warm.

The Altadena Library located at 600 E. Mariposa St. For more information visit: altadenalibrary.org or call (626) 798-0833.

ALTADENA CRIME BLOTTER

Sunday, July 29th

5:25 AM – A battery occurred in the 2500 block of El Molino Avenue. Suspect has been identified.

10:30 PM – A battery occurred in the 2600 block of N. Fair Oaks Avenue. Suspect has been identified.

10:30 PM – A carjacking incident occurred in the 900 block of Lehigh Street. Suspects described as two male Blacks, between 20 to 25 years old, 6 feet, 200 pounds. Vehicle stolen described as a black 2015 Lexus RX 350 coupe.

Monday, July 30th

11:00 PM – A vehicle burglary occurred in the 200 block of W. Mariposa Street. Suspect(s) entered the vehicle by punching the door lock. Stolen: clothing, gift cards, Anne Klein watch, shoes, and linen.

Tuesday, July 31st

8:45 PM – A vehicle was reported stolen from the 2100 block of Lincoln Avenue. Vehicle described as a black

2016 BMW 535i. Vehicle recovered the same day by CHP South Division.

Wednesday, August 1st

1:47 PM – A petty theft from an unlocked vehicle occurred in the 2900 block of Sterling Place. Stolen: red leather Neiman Marcus handbag.

Thursday, August 2nd

3:05 PM – Oddis Cole, 62 years old arrested in the 100 block of E. Harriet Street for strong arm robbery. Victim and suspect are acquainted.

Friday, August 3rd

No significant incidents.

Saturday, August 4th

12:01 AM – Three petty thefts of vehicle batteries occurred in the 2000 block of E. Washington Boulevard. Vehicles targeted 2000-2004 Toyota Corolla.

3:13 PM – A package theft occurred in the 1300 block of E. Loma Alta Drive. Suspects described as two female Hispanics, approximately 30 years old and driving a black sedan. Stolen: clothing, bedding and art game.

Mouseketeer Nancy Abbate to be Special Guest Dancer



Nancy Abbate Caldwell, 76, will be the special featured guest dancer during the Pasadena Senior Center summer concert series performance Monday, Aug. 13, at 6 p.m. by Pam Kay and The Tap Chicks.

Abbate Caldwell will perform an a capella dance solo, join Pam Kay in a duo spot and share some of the highlights of her 65-year career as a dancer and actress.

Pam Kay and the Tap Chicks entertain with energetic dance routines, Vaudeville-style comedy and clever costumes while promoting health, longevity and quality of life through dance, defying the years and delighting audiences of all ages.

The concert series is open to all ages. Feel free to bring a picnic, family and friends. Senior citizenship and membership at the Pasadena Senior Center are not required to attend performances in the summer concert series.

Abbate, one of the original Walt Disney Mouseketeers in 1955 and 1956, was considered the best dancer in the cast and was lovingly given the nickname "The Dancer" by Annette Funicello. Abbate occasionally makes appearances with other original Mouseketeers at Disney-related events, and in 2005 was asked to restage the original Disneyland debut of the Mouseketeers for the 50th anniversary celebration, featuring children from the dance studio she ran for 30 years in Southern California.

Free Monthly Events at Pasadena Senior Center

There is something for everyone in August 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.

Friday Movie Matinees – Fridays, Aug. 17 and 24, at 1 p.m. Everyone enjoys watching movies and the pleasures they bring. Aug. 17: The Pursuit of Happyness (2006, PG-13) starring Will Smith and Thandie Newton. A talented, often unemployed single father struggles to make ends meet while raising his young son after they are evicted from their San Francisco apartment with nowhere to go. Aug. 24: Downsizing (2017, R) starring Matt Damon and Kristin Wiig. When scientists discover how to shrink humans down to five inches tall as a solution to overpopulation, a man and his wife decide to get small and move to a downsized community, a choice that triggers life-changing adventures.

Screening Mimi's Film Club – Tuesday, Aug. 21, at 3 p.m. What used to require a monthly fee is now free! Classics, film noir, cult films, documentaries, shorts, foreign films, animated films and more are selected democratically by club members. Each screening is researched and its hidden history presented prior to each viewing. Lively discussions and Q&A follow each screening. Popcorn is provided. The film club is scheduled the first and third Tuesdays of every month. Email mmeovary@aol.com for more information.

Free Summer Concerts for All Ages – Mondays at 6 p.m. through Sept. 3. Summer concerts sponsored by the Pasadena Senior Center

She received the Mousecar Award from The Disney Studio in 2015 for her service to the company and the Disney Legend award from the Disneyland Fan Club in 2014.

She was featured in the 1953 Betty Grable and Dale Robertson musical film The Farmer Takes a Wife, the 1955 Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis comedy film Artists and Models, the 1957 Johnny Crawford film The Courage of Black Beauty and the 2013 Tim Allen and J.K. Simmons film 3 Geezers! as well as television appearances on episodes of The Ray Bolger Show, The Stu Erwin Show, The Jack Benny Show and The Donald O'Connor Show.

For the past few years she has produced, directed and choreographed a nightclub dance review called The Two Bits starring herself and dancer/actress Estee Cooper. The duo performed an act on America's Got Talent in 2012 and made it to the semi-finals.

The remaining concerts in the six-week summer concert series, Wednesdays from 6 to 7 p.m. in the Scott Pavilion at the Pasadena Senior Center, are Grammy-winning Lisa Haley and the Zydekats playing lively Cajun Zydeco music with plenty of Louisiana spice Aug. 20; Leah Zeger performing spirited Gypsy jazz and beloved standards Aug. 27; and The Great American Swing Band featuring the sounds of Big Band, rhythm and blues, jazz and Dixieland Sept. 3.

For more information visit: pasadenaseniorcenter.net or call 626-795-4331.

have moved from Memorial Park to the air-conditioned comfort of the center's Scott Pavilion. Aug. 6: Janet Klein and Her Parlor Boys will perform jazz, ragtime, blues and novelty songs popular from 1900 to 1930. Aug. 13: Pam Kay and the Tap Chicks will entertain with energetic dance routines, Vaudeville-style comedy and clever costumes. Aug. 20: Lisa Haley and the Zydekats will play lively Cajun Zydeco music with plenty of Louisiana spice. Aug. 27: Leah Zeger will perform spirited Gypsy jazz and beloved standards. Sept. 3: The Great American Swing Band will feature the sounds of Big Band, rhythm and blues, jazz and Dixieland.

Health Insurance Counseling – Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 10 a.m. Trained counselors will provide unbiased information about Medicare, Med-gap, Medicare Advantage, Medicare Part D and Cal Medi-Connect. Appointments are required; call (626) 795-4331.

LA Opera Talk – Monday, Aug. 20, at 1 p.m. An LA Opera community educator will give a multimedia presentation titled "The Creation of an Opera" that will provide an in-depth look at all aspects of opera beyond music and singing, including set design and costume design, illustrated with examples from some of the world's most beloved operas.

For more information visit www.pasadenaseniorcenter.org or call 626-795-4331.

Founded in 1960, the Pasadena Senior Center is an independent, nonprofit organization that offers recreational, educational, wellness and social services to people ages 50 and older in a welcoming environment.

DOGS FOR THE DEAF

“He who has ears to hear, let him hear.” Matt. 11:15

Dogs trained for the specific purpose of meeting a human's practical day-to-day needs totally amaze me! So many kind canines are willing to do whatever it takes to help facilitate tasks that would otherwise be extremely difficult, if not impossible, for folks with special needs to achieve. The focus of those fabulous, furry four-footers is to keep their human companions happy, during the good times and the bad. We're talking about dogs committed to being true-blue friends through thick or thin, and I believe that God planned it that way when he created them.

I'll never forget the first time I saw a blind person walking with a seeing-eye dog at the mall when I was a kid. I must have been about 10 years old at the time and I was shopping with my mom. Naturally, being the animal lover that I already was, I reached out to pet the dog. That's when the owner warned me to keep my distance because he was a service dog "on the job" and it would be inappropriate for him to socialize with a stranger.

At first I thought that lady was being snobby and rude, but I later learned that service dogs are trained to focus on their masters' needs at all times, so they are not in the position to meet and greet others in public. When I later learned even more about the role of a trained seeing eye dog, I fully understood why that lady responded the way she did when I approached her gorgeous, stoic German shepherd at the mall that day.

Because of my early encounter with a seeing-eye dog, the concept of canines catering to humans with special needs became familiar to me at a young age and it thrilled me to know that a dog can and will be a help-meet on behalf of a human. Over the years I have learned much more about dogs and what they are capable of, so while I am still thrilled, I am rarely surprised when I hear news about the remarkable roles they are playing in today's society. When given love, respect and care they deserve along with proper training, dogs can do amazing things.

The idea of a canine helping a blind person make their way through the day is a common concept to most of us, but I must admit the idea of a dog assisting a deaf person in any effective way is relatively new to me. Until my neighbor introduced me to an organization called Dogs for the Deaf (which has since changed its name to Dogs for Better Lives), I was unaware that canines were actually being trained to assist people with hearing loss. As it turns out, dogs

Happy Tails

by Chris Leclerc



understand way more than most of us think they do, and they can be trained to help bridge the gap between sound and silence for the hearing-impaired individual who is ready and willing to accept the kind of assistance that a trained canine companion can provide.

Dogs for Better Lives, Inc. is an Oregon-based non-profit dedicated to rescuing shelter dogs that they train to assist people with a variety of challenges and unique needs, including hearing-impairment and autism. They also have a program devoted to creating "canine co-workers", where they train the dogs to team up with professionals such as physicians, teachers, counselors, and court room advocates by assisting in the treatment of patients and working with clients.

When I heard about this organization, I was immediately touched by the creative way they found to show their compassion for both humans with special needs and animals that are desperate for a second chance at life. They make it their mission to adopt otherwise euthanized dogs and give them the opportunity to carry out the task at hand while satisfying the strongest desire of their heart, which is to make their master happy.

In my opinion, Dogs for Better Lives (previously Dogs for the Deaf) is the epitome of yet another win/win situation, wherein people work together to bring to fruition a worthwhile dream and support a worthwhile cause, which in this case is to train rescued dogs to help humans who, in turn give the dogs a loving home while benefiting from their assistance. Now that's what I call a true win/win!

As a final note - perhaps the most important point to be made in this Happy Tail - I just want to say that above-and-beyond the remarkable, life-changing practical tasks those kind canines perform for their human friends, I believe that even more remarkable is the beautiful bond they form with them, rooted in unconditional love and a willingness to put their two-legged friends first. I can only hope to become as kind as a canine in my lifetime.

For more information go to: dogsforbetterlives.org



BEST FRIEND

Sisters and best friends, Sally and Connie came in together and their perfect home will keep them together. These gorgeous fluffy girls are 11 years young and will be happy to be given soft beds in a sunny spot and to receive gentle pets, especially massages of ears and head. Both have calm peaceful temperaments that will reward attention with soft purrs. Sometimes Sally and Connie will stretch out in their individual beds, but they also often will want to share one bed and snuggle together. The girls curl up and it's hard to tell who is who. They both have stunning tortoiseshell coats of black with orange highlights and look very similar. Sally can be identified by a dramatic blaze of orange on her face and she's a tad bit larger than Connie. Both Sally and Connie enjoy the brushing of their silky long coats. Neither show much interest in toys or flying teasers. But that might change when they have their own homes to explore and with family they know. Sally and Connie will add beauty and harmony to any home. Sally and Connie's adoption fee is \$99 each, which includes spay surgery, a microchip, first vaccinations and a free wellness

check-up at a participating veterinarian. Both sweet cats also qualify for the "Senior for Senior" discount adoption program. Feel free to call us at (626) 286-1159 for more information. They currently reside at the San Gabriel Valley Humane Society located at 851 E. Grand Avenue in San Gabriel which is located off San Gabriel Blvd, north of Mission and south of Las Tunas Drive. To arrange a 'Meet and Greet', please stop by any time from 10:30am to 4:30pm Tuesday through Sunday. Website: www.sgvhumane.org.



SWEET "TJ" NEEDS A NEW HOME.

Katnip News!



This little guy, born 2008, is half Jack Russell and half Chihuahua, and weighs between 15 & 18 lbs. TJ is neutered, house-trained, and microchipped, and very well-behaved! TJ is

great with kids and other dogs, but does not like cats. He makes a perfect watchdog and companion. As a small dog, he can live many more years. TJ is a good little dog who has had good care in a loving home, but now his owner dad has Alzheimer's and can no longer care for his beloved TJ. Please offer a home to TJ! Call 626-358-3726 for a Meet & Greet!



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THE WORLD AROUND US



CHRISTOPHER Nyerges
LIVING WITH OUR ANIMAL FRIENDS

"The Character of a Nation is determined by how its animals are treated" Ghandi[Nyerges is the author of several books including "Self-Sufficient Home" and "How to

Survive Anywhere." He also leads wilderness classes every weekend. He can be reached at School of Self-Reliance, Box 41834, Eagle Rock, CA 90041, or www.ChristopherNyerges.com.]

Each time I read this paper I am amazed at the broad spectrum of different and talented writers that Susan Henderson has managed to cobble together as her "staff." I read with great enjoyment the column by this newspaper's "dog columnist," Chris Leclerc, about different animals that become friends. This struck home because the various members of my menagerie over the years have become quite close, often to the amazement of friends.

Popoki was a very friendly cat, and though the dogs didn't like her at first, she held her own, and eventually would squeeze in when the dogs were eating and eat out of their dish! That's no small feat, considering how jealously most dogs guard their food, and will often snap if another animal gets close. But Popoki often would be seen eating with Cassius Clay, who was a stout Staffordshire terrier, also known as a pitt bull.

Out back, Otis our pot-bellied pig had his own yard, and in the winter, Popoki would go out there and sleep in the straw with Otis. When it was really cold, Otis would burrow into the thick layers of straw, and only his back or belly would be sticking out. Frequently, we'd all go out back to see Popoki sleeping on the warm little patch of Otis' big body that was sticking out of the straw. It was quite a sight, but we all thought that the two of them became good buddies. We only had the one pig, and the one cat, and perhaps the two odd fellows stuck together. We also had a snow goose for the 17 years of her life. Blue Girl was pretty much a loner, but she too would warm up to Popoki during the spring when she was laying eggs. And occasionally in the early morning, when the roosters got going, she would attempt to crow along with the roosters, which gave her the nickname "Gooseter."

By the way, I had all these animals when I was living in Highland Park, and wrote about animal and food raising, and recycling, and gardening, and self-reliance, in our book called "Extreme Simplicity, Homesteading in the City." It's a great book, and I still see copies of it for sale on Amazon and Ebay.

In addition, we became so close to most of our animals that we conducted funerals for nearly all of them. In other words, they were not mere "pets" or "livestock" or "animals." They were part of our family, sentient beings who shared our life and to whom we experienced mutual upliftment.

When Cassius Clay died on Easter Sunday of 2008, I remember that same feeling I get when anyone close to me dies – the feeling of hopelessness, emptiness, experiencing the void, and a sense of inner darkness. I spent a week being with Cassius mentally, and preparing a gathering where I would honor our life together. It didn't matter that some people would laugh and ridicule. Nevertheless, I invited several friends, and prepared the site where I'd buried him.

On the Saturday after he died, I was a bit amazed that over 30 people showed up and sat in the quickly-dug outdoor amphitheater. I talked about the high lights of my life with Cassius, and felt a great joy that there were others I could share this with. And each person present shared their experience with Cassius, or something about their own personal pet.

The overall experience was more moving than many of the people funerals I'd been to. There was a little music, some soft drinks, and then everyone got to plant some herb or flower over Cassius' grave, and then water it.

In death, my close canis pal had brought so many like-minded people together. It was a real blessing. Again, I am reflecting upon these events because of the diversity of this newspaper's writers, and due to the ability of this paper's editor and publishing in bringing all these folks together.

[By the way, my experiences with the dog funerals is described in great detail in my book, "Til Death Do Us Part?"; available from Kindle, or at the Store at www.ChristopherNyerges.com.]



OUT TO PASTOR
A Weekly Religion Column by Rev. James Snyder
HALLELUJAH, IT IS A SCAM

I know I am not the sharpest pencil in the drawer, or the brightest bulb on the porch, and a few bricks shy of a load. However, my philosophy is simple, if you know what you are not, then you can soon figure out what you really are.

If somebody can't con me, they can't con anybody. I admit that I am naïve about many things. A Girl Scout needs only smile, wink her brown eyes at me and I will buy all the cookies she has.

My problem is, I have a hard time believing anyone would lie to me. Why would someone lie in the first place? What does lying get you?

An incident happened this past week that sucked me into that whirlpool of naivety.

I received an email from somebody who wanted to give me a lot of money. It seems this woman was recently widowed and her husband was very wealthy and she wanted to give money to some charity. Would I be interested in receiving money? Well, when it comes to money you do have my interest.

Immediately I printed this email out and brought it to show the Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage. Now, if anybody can con her, they can con everybody. She can spot a lie three generations back.

She read the email and then looked at me with one of those "stares" and said, "You do know that this is a scam?"

"But," I said rather hesitatingly, "what if it isn't a scam? What if it's real? What have I got to lose?"

"You mean," she said rather sarcastically, "besides your mind?"

It was at that moment I had an overwhelming urge to prove finally that she did not know everything. When I follow through with this and get all that money in our bank, I will have a laughing party heard around the world at her expense.

I decided to see if maybe this was legitimate. So, I emailed them back and said I was interested in their money for our charity and explained a little bit about our charity.

Very soon, I got an email back congratulating me on a wise decision.

I sat back and grinned to myself; at least somebody appreciates my wisdom.

Then I received an email saying I needed to send them some information, so I immediately sent it. All the while, I'm thinking of how I'm going to rub this in someone's face for a very long time. After all, the amount of money they were talking about was \$4.7 million. I started thinking about what I could do with all that money.

It is amazing what happens when a person starts

thinking about all the money he is going to get. Then the thoughts go to "things." Things that I cannot afford right now. I tried to think of all of the things that I would buy as soon as I got this money. I got some paper and a pen and started to make a list.

I ran into a little problem here. I could not think of anything I wanted that I did not already have. I don't have a long list of things I want. I like books, pens and pocketknives. Of course, I could buy my own Apple fritter bakery. That would be a good option.

For a couple days, I shot emails back and forth with this company that happened to be in Nigeria, Africa. I have some wonderful friends there so I was not even thinking on the negative side of this transaction.

Of course, being a pastor, I would donate some of that money to my church. Then I got thinking about what we could do in the church with that kind of money. How many people could we bless and encourage with the programs we could do with that kind of money?

I continued emailing back to this widow and she connected me with the bank that was going to handle the transaction. I was beginning to feel a little more comfortable with this. I know my wife thought this was a scam, but I'm not so sure it is a scam. I think it is some dear widow who wants to give her money to somebody that she doesn't know. What a sweet and wonderful woman she must be.

Then I got THE defining email. In order for this transaction to go forward, they needed from me a processing fee of \$1,000. After all, I would more than make that up once the transaction was done. At least, according to them.

It was then I began to realize I had been bamboozled. Ask me for anything but don't ask me for my money!

It was a scam and I am quite reluctant to pass this information off to the other resident of our house. One of us was right and it sure wasn't me.

I did not get the \$4.7 million, but on the other hand, I did not lose \$1000. At least that's something to celebrate.

Thinking about this reminded me of one of my favorite Bible verses. "Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths" (Proverbs 3:5-6).

When I put God first in my life I can be assured that He will direct my paths in the right direction.

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TABLE FOR TWO by Peter Dills *thechefknows@yahoo.com*

DOG DAYS, AND WE ARE HALFWAY THERE!! PLUS A PODCASTERS PODCAST ALL ABOUT FOOD

By Peter Dills AK Pasadena's King of Cusine

Here are my favorite dining experiences so far for 2018. Look at this as an early report card to dining in the Pasadena area.

If you're looking for a steak, I recommend the *Arroyo Chop House*. In Pasadena, the steaks are above average and the Grand Marnier Soufflé for dessert is a must. I also recommend *Taylor's Steak House* in La Canada, an old-school steak house. It's a little less pricey than the aforementioned Chop House, and I love their Molly Salad, and although service can favor the regulars, it's one of my favorites. Looking for ribs? There is only one place to go in the San Gabriel Valley -- *Robin's Wood Fire Grill*. Robin Salzar has been smoking the best beef and baby back ribs for years. Lunch? I have two places in mind. First is the *Central Grille* (formally Central Park); I always order the ahi tuna sandwich with the delicious broccoli salad on the side, and you can't go wrong with the short ribs. Also, I like *Houston's*. It's called a steak house, and but while I've been there twenty times in the past few years, I've never have ordered a steak (I'll bet its good, though!) I love the service and the non-chain attitude, the beef dip sandwich is my favorite, and the \$20 price is worth it. A favorite of mine in Sierra Madre is *Zugos*, a little café on Sierra Madre Blvd., which features al fresco dining and wine and beer. Order the gnocchi -- I liked it and you will too. Pizza? I like several places, but the one out-of-towners must check out is Tarantino's on Green St. They are small and quaint, and only take cash, but the pizza is great -- you can get traditional style pepperoni or sausage. The lasagna is a hit as well, and they offer sandwiches, but stick with the pizza. Last but not least try the Mai Tai at the Canoe House in South Pasadena, it is a special one.. Go on Monday Nights it's only \$6 !!

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When NASA's Parker Solar Probe launches into space from the Kennedy Space Center August 11, it will begin its journey to the Sun, our nearest star. The Parker Solar Probe will travel almost 90 million miles and eventually enter through the Sun's outer atmosphere to encounter a dangerous environment of intense heat and solar radiation. During this harrowing journey, it will fly closer to the Sun than any other human-made object.

To revolutionize our understanding of our most important and life-sustaining star, scientists and engineers have built a suite of instruments aboard the Parker Solar Probe to conduct different experiments. Some of these instruments will be protected by a thick carbon-composite heat shield. However, others will be more exposed.

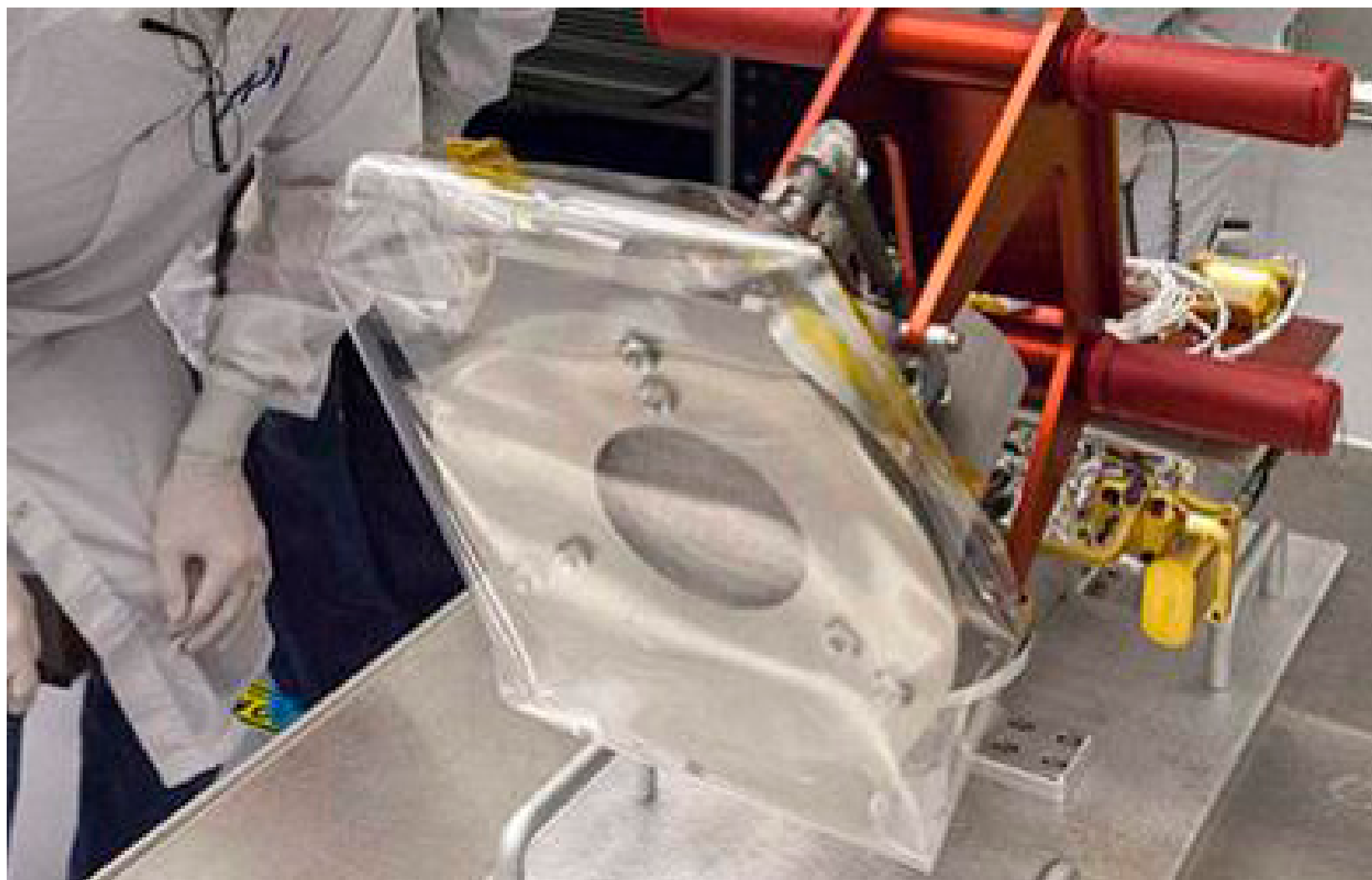
The Solar Wind Electrons Alphas and Protons (SWEAP) investigation is the set of instruments that will directly measure the hot ionized gas in the solar atmosphere during the solar encounters. A key instrument on SWEAP called the Solar Probe Cup (SPC) was built at the Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory (SAO) in Cambridge, Mass.

The SPC is a small metal device that will peer around the protective heat shield of the spacecraft directly at the Sun. It will face some of the most extreme conditions ever encountered by a scientific instrument, and allow a sample of the Sun's atmosphere to be swept up for the first time.

The SPC uses high voltages to determine what type of particles can enter, which is a way of measuring the energy of the particle. This is crucial information for probing the wind of hot ionized gas that is constantly produced by the Sun. As the spacecraft flies towards the Sun for an encounter, the wind is directed straight into the cup.

This unique probe of the solar wind is important for scientists to better understand space weather, which is responsible for effects that range from endangering astronauts on space walks to impacting the electronics in communications satellites.

The solar probe will travel faster than any spacecraft in history, at its peak reaching 430,000 miles per hour, and will be only four-and-a-half solar diameters, or 3.8 million miles, above the solar surface at its closet approach to the Sun around



2024. The probe is equipped with a heat shield to protect its sensors from the Sun's heat, which could reach 2,500 degrees Fahrenheit, nearly hot enough to melt steel.

At this distance, the solar probe will be within a region where electrons and ionized atoms—mostly hydrogen ions, or protons, and helium ions, called alpha particles—are accelerated and shot out toward

the planets at high speed.

When these ions, called the solar wind, hit Earth, they interact with Earth's magnetic fields and generate the northern and southern lights as well as storms in the outermost atmosphere that interfere with radio communications and satellite operations. Accelerated to higher speeds, so-called "solar energetic" particles can pose a hazard to astronauts.

The namesake of the mission is a Caltech alumnus, 91-year-old Eugene Parker (PhD '51), who predicted, in 1958, the existence of a supersonic solar wind—a flow of charged particles that stream off the Sun, accelerating at speeds faster than that of sound.

You can contact Bob Eklund at: beklund@MtnViewsNews.com.

6 WAYS TO PREPARE FOR A NEW SCHOOL YEAR

(StatePoint) Want to ensure the transition from summer to school goes smoothly for your family? Check out these six tips.



1. Make a smooth transition. Been sleeping in all summer? Now's the time to get your body back into the routine of early mornings. Start slowly, setting the alarm earlier until you reach the time you'll be waking up for the school year. Parents can assist younger kids with this transition.

2. Get the right education tools. From highlighters to USB drives to loose-leaf paper, be sure you have a comprehensive list of all the school supplies and education tools you'll need for a successful year ahead. As far as tech tools like graphing calculators are concerned, opt for those that are jam packed with all the latest features. For example, the Casio fx-CG50 offers the ability to draw three dimensional graphs, such as planes, cylinders and spheres, and view them from various angles in order to better analyze their shape. It also features a cross-section option and a special zoom function for in-depth analysis.

3. Organize your agenda. Make sure everyone is ready for the busy year ahead. Plan your children's participation in after school activities. Then, display relevant items on a calendar where the whole family can see it to ensure no one misses a club meeting, rehearsal or team practice.

4. De-stress. The hectic back-to-school season can create tension and stress. Encourage hobbies that help students unwind as the school year gets back into full swing. For beginners of music, check out new tools that can make the learning process fun and easy, such as Casio's LK-265 keyboard, which features an LCD display that shows both music notation and correct hand positioning.

5. Get healthy. Crowded classrooms are a good place to pick up germs. Keep kids healthy with a daily multivitamin, plenty of fresh fruits and veggies and lots of sleep. Regular exercise is also an immunity booster, so encourage kids to get active.

6. Adapt to new school resources. Families aren't the only ones getting ready for back to school. Districts are incorporating the latest tech into classroom learning. Such tools include Casio LampFree Projectors, an eco-friendly technology that gives educators the ability to control the projector from a smartphone or tablet, expanding their ability to create and deliver dynamic lesson plans.

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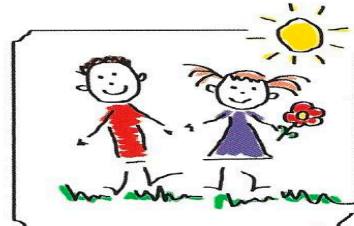
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Dear Savvy Senior,

What's the best way to find good, trustworthy, qualified people who can help seniors with home chores or small jobs?

Looking for Mom

Dear Looking,
Getting help at home for any number of household tasks is a lot easier than it use to be thanks to a number of web-based tools that can quickly and easily connect you and your mom to a wide variety of skilled, carefully vetted workers. Here's what you should know.

Finding Qualified Help

One of the best ways to find qualified, reliable, trustworthy people that can help with home chores and other small jobs is through referrals from people you trust. But if your friends or family don't have any recommendations, there are a number of online companies you can turn to now like TaskRabbit.com and Takl.com.

These are on-demand service companies that can quickly and easily connect you to skilled workers to handle a wide variety of household chores and small jobs, like cleaning and housekeeping, moving and packing, lawn and yard cleanup, handyman tasks, grocery shopping, running errands, furniture assembly, picture hanging, closet organizing, and much more.

TaskRabbit currently has more than 60,000 Taskers (workers) in 47 U.S. cities, while Takl currently serves 75 U.S. cities with around 35,000 workers.

All you need to do is download their app, or go to their website, and select the service your mom wants done and set a time when she would like the worker to show up. The software then matches your request and provides you a list of qualified, feedback rated workers (including their hourly rate) from which to choose. Once the job is complete, payment is done through the company's app.

You should also know that all TaskerRabbit and Takl workers have to go through a thorough vetting process before they can join their respective company including extensive background checks.

If, however, you can't find a skilled worker through TaskRabbit or Takl, or if they don't serve your area, another option is Amazon Home Services at Amazon.com/services. Like TaskRabbit and Takl, Amazon will connect you to qualified workers that handle dozens of household chores and other small jobs.



Amazon also screens all workers through media searches, online interviews, reference checks, and background checks. And all experts need to have licenses and insurance.

To purchase and book a service, you can either buy a pre-packaged service with a fixed price (like two hours of cleaning) or you can submit a custom request and receive estimates. When booking, you select three different dates and time frames and the pro confirms an appointment. All payment is done through your Amazon account.

Need a Tradesman

If your mom primarily needs of a tradesman like a plumber, electrician, painter, roofer or carpenter for home repairs or remodel projects, you should also check HomeAdvisor.com and AngiesList.com. Both of these sites can connect you with prescreened, customer-rated service professionals in your area for free.

Senior Specific

Another option you should know about is AskUmbrella.com, which is a fee-based membership service for seniors 60-plus that provides qualified, vetted workers to do small jobs in and around the house for only \$16 per hour. Currently available in New York, they are expanding nationally over the next year.

Lower-Income Option

If your mom is on a tight budget, you should also contact her nearby Area Aging Agency (call 800-677-1116), who can refer you to services in her area, if available. For example, some communities have volunteer programs that provide chore and handyman services to help seniors in need. And some local non-profit's offer residential repair services that offer seniors minor upgrades and adaptations to their homes.

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!August Birthdays

Bill Nelson, Karlene Englert, Juanita Fernandez, Jeanette Francis, Joseph Kiss, Jacquie Pergola, Maury Whitaker, Pat Miranda, Phyllis Chapman, Jerry Burnett, Margaret Aroyan, Phyllis Burg, Beverly Clifton, Rosemary Morabito, Susan Poulsen, Dorothy Quentmeyer, Genevieve Stubbs, Miep Tulleners, Joy Barry, Ellie Baudino, Marcia Bent, Daryls Brechwald, Joan Spears, Ruth Torres, Jane Zamanzadeh.

* To add your name to this distinguished list, please call the paper at YEAR of



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

Hawaiian & Polynesian Dance Class: Every Tuesday morning from 10a.m. to 11a.m. Join the class with Instructor Barbara Dempsey as she leads you in

the art of Hula.

Bingo Time: Every Tuesday beginning at 1:00p.m. Cards are only \$0.25 each! Everyone is welcome to join. Activity may be canceled if less than five people. Free Blood Pressure Testing: 2nd Tuesdays of the month from 11a.m. to 12p.m. No appt. is necessary.

Brain Games: Join us on Thursday, August 16th at 10:30a.m. to 11:30a.m. for Scattergories, a creative thinking game by naming objects within a set of categories; or Jenga, a block-building challenge that keeps you stacking and balancing your tower. Everyone is welcome, and no experience is needed. What a great way to strengthen your brain and make new friends. Games facilitated by Senior Volunteers.

Free Legal Consultation: Wednesday, August 15th from 10:30a.m. to Noon. Attorney Lem Makupson is available for legal consultation. Specializing in Family Law, Wills, Trusts, Estates, and Injury. Please call Hart Park House for an appointment, 626-355-7394.

Senior Club: Meets every Saturday at the Hart Park House Senior Center. Brown Bag Lunch at 11:30a.m.

Chair Yoga: Mondays & Wednesdays from 11:00a.m. to 11:45a.m. with Paul Hagen. Classes include Yoga and balance exercises. All ability levels are encouraged and welcomed! * Voluntary Donations of \$5.00 per week per participant are suggested but not required.

Birthday Celebrations: Every 2nd Thursday monthly at the Hart Park House, share some free birthday cake provided by the Senior Community Commission!

Game Day: Every Thursday starting at 12:00p.m. Come join this group of Seniors in their poker game.

Free Strength Training Class: Fridays from 12:45p.m. to 1:30p.m. with Lisa Brandley. This energetic class utilizes light weights, low impact resistance training and body conditioning. Class equipment is provided.

SENIOR MOVIE: August 15th at 1:00 p.m. RACE (2016)

Young Jesse Owens becomes a track and field sensation while attending Ohio State University in the early 1930's. After heated debates, the United States decides not to boycott the Olympics in Nazi Germany. Overcoming racism at home and abroad, Owens seizes the opportunity to show Berlin and the world he is the fastest man alive! Rated PG-13. Run Time: 2h 14m.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL Thursday, August 23rd, 12:30p.m. - 1:30p.m.

Hart Park House Representative from Anthem BlueCross will have free information on Medicare Benefits and Medicare extras. Come learn about their programs, ask questions, and enjoy ice cream with syrup and toppings! Call 626-355-7394 at the Hart Park House if you plan on attending.



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Monrovia // This Week's Market Update

This Week Median List Price: **\$930,000**

Inventory and days-on-market are climbing, while the Market Action Index has been flat recently. The trends point to a weakening market.

Supply & Demand

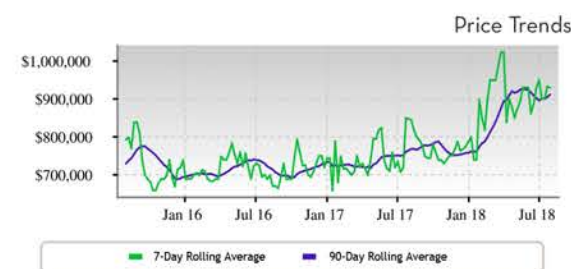
While the Market Action Index shows some strengthening in the last few weeks, prices have not seemed to move from their plateau. Should the upward trend in sales relative to inventory continue, expect prices to resume an upward climb in tandem with the MAI.



The Market Action Index answers the question "How's the Market?" by measuring the current rate of sale versus the amount of the inventory. Index above 30 implies Seller's Market conditions. Below 30, conditions favor the buyer.

Price

Prices in this zip code seem to have settled around a plateau. Look for a persistent down-shift in the Market Action Index before we see prices deviate from these levels.



Real-Time Market Profile

Trend

Median List Price	\$ 930,000	↔
Asking Price Per Square Foot	\$ 544	↑↑
Average Days on Market (DOM)	94	↑↑
Percent of Properties with Price Decrease	43 %	
Percent Relisted (reset DOM)	9 %	
Percent Flip (price increased)	6 %	
Median House Size (sq ft)	2037	
Median Lot Size	8,001 - 10,000 sqft	
Median Number of Bedrooms	3.0	
Median Number of Bathrooms	1.5	
Market Action Index	Strong Seller's	48.3 ↑

↔ No change ↑↑ Strong upward trend ↓↓ Strong downward trend
↑ Slight upward trend ↓ Slight downward trend

Quartiles

Quartile	Median Price	Sq. Ft.	Lot Size	Beds	Baths	Age	Inventory	New	Absorbed	DOM	Characteristics per Quartile
Top/First	\$ 1,688,000	2961	0.50 - 1.0 acre	4.0	2.5	59	11	1	0	211	Most expensive 25% of properties
Upper/Second	\$ 1,181,944	2194	8,001 - 10,000 sqft	4.0	2.5	68	12	1	3	85	Upper-middle 25% of properties
Lower/Third	\$ 859,500	1682	6,501 - 8,000 sqft	3.0	1.5	68	12	2	4	46	Lower-middle 25% of properties
Bottom/Fourth	\$ 681,500	1190	6,501 - 8,000 sqft	3.0	1.0	72	12	3	3	44	Least expensive 25% of properties

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Thanks Again, Foothill Unity Center



By Joan Schmidt

For the 20th year, Foothill Unity Center has provided 1200 students with a great start for the new school year. There is NOT ENOUGH one can say about this phenomenal non-profit started by Josephine Anderson thirty-eight years ago as a food pantry. Perhaps this is why Dr. Adam Kendall, a medical doctor, and talented musician performs and donates his profits to the Center. Two late friends Jan and Bob Wight were also very committed to the Center.

What can I say about the event? It just gets better each year. The Venue was Santa Anita Park; the welcoming ceremony at their Chandelier Room. So many dear friends attended: Executive Director

new backpacks, school supplies, clothing, shoe cards, haircuts, manicures, books, and vision, dental and hearing screenings. This year's event included a college area with representatives from 11 colleges who promoted scholarships, financial aid and higher education. CHP Officers attended, explained auto safety, use of booster seats and provided them to parents who needed them. APD officers and volunteers and AFD also were on hand to assist in making this day so phenomenal.

This event is a JOINT COMMUNITY EFFORT. I first must acknowledge Lyd and Mo Photography, Pasadena, who donated their time and skills. (Visit the Center's website to see many awesome photos.) Other community partners include Party



Betty Mc Williams and past Executive Director, Joan Whitenack, President Mary Ann Lutz (former Monrovia Mayor), Directors :Reyna Diaz (DUSD Board Member), Lois Gaston(former Duarte Mayor), Ulises Gutierrez, Dr. Phunte Riddle, Dr. Katherine Thorossian (MUSD Superintendent) Pamela Velazquez, Eric Bell, Karen Herrera (Deputy City Manager, Duarte), and Alice Wang. Also attending were Arcadia Mayor Sho Tay, Monrovia Mayor Tom Adams, Monrovia Mayor Pro tem Becky Shevlin, Duarte Mayor Pro Tem Liz Reilly, MUSD Vice President Terrence Williams, Kristi Lopez for Senator Anthony Portantino, and Alfonso Somilleda for Assemblywoman Rubio.

The event is for students Grades K-preregistered college students from qualified low income families from Altadena, Arcadia, Azusa, Baldwin Park, Duarte, Irwindale, Monrovia, Pasadena, Sierra Madre and South Pasadena. The students received

Works Interactive, Volunteer Center of the San Gabriel Valley; Eastern Star, South Pasadena # 21; Eastern Star Arcadia/Pasadena #108; Arcadia Elks Lodge 2025; Monrovia Family Restaurant; Western University; Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry, USC; Chap Care; So CA Edison; Custom Comfort Mattresses, Panda Restaurant Group/Panda Cares; Citrus College Cosmetology, E.L.S Outlet Store; Wells Fargo Foundation, George Frederick Children's Foundation, Starbucks, Monrovia; Embassy Suites, Arcadia; Court Yard, Monrovia; Monrovia Transit; Duarte Transit; and Monrovia Reads.lls Fargo Foundation, George Frederick Children's Foundation, Starbucks, Monrovia; Embassy Suites, Arcadia; Court Yard, Monrovia; Monrovia Transit; Duarte Transit; and Monrovia Reads.

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ASSEMBLYMEMBER HOLDEN RECOGNIZES PASADENA TOURNAMENT OF ROSES' FIRST AFRICAN AMERICAN PRESIDENT, GERALD FREENY



On Friday, the California State Assembly Floor, Assemblymember Chris Holden recognized Gerald Freeny for his confirmation as the first African American president of the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Board of Directors. Freeny will provide leadership for the 130th Rose Parade on Tuesday, January 1, 2019.

"Gerald Freeny's confirmation as President of the Pasadena Tournament of Roses is a significant milestone in Black History," said Assemblymember Chris Holden. "Freeny is an example of the Black excellence that occurs every day and exemplifies the progress Tournament of Roses has made to further diversity and inclusiveness within their ranks."

Gerald Freeny rose through the ranks of hundreds of "white suit volunteers" to become the 130th president of the Association. He previously worked as the chairman of parade operations, and has been a volunteer member of the Tournament of Roses Association since 1988.

Gerald Freeny announced "the Melody of Life" as this year's theme for the Tournament of Roses to encourage creativity and music as a way to bring people together.

"Many in the Pasadena community have waited and fought for this moment, and we are all excited about the leadership Gerald Freeny will bring to the Tournament of Roses," said Holden.

UPPER SAN GABRIEL VALLEY MWD SUPPORTS PROPOSITION 3, THE WATER SUPPLY AND WATER QUALITY ACT OF 2018

MONROVIA, CA - The Board of Directors of the Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District (Upper District) unanimously voted to support Proposition 3, the Water Supply and Water Quality Act of 2018. This statewide initiative would authorize \$8.877 billion in general bonds to fund projects in water supply, water quality, watershed protection, fish and wildlife habitat, water conveyance, infrastructure repair, and groundwater sustainability and storage.

Proposition 3 is a citizen's initiative water bond that will appear on the November 2018 California general election ballot. If approved, the bond would provide available funds for key issues important to the San Gabriel Valley such as, safe drinking water and wastewater treatment, stormwater management and urban runoff, wastewater recycling, watershed restoration and urban water conservation.

"With increasing climate challenges and aging infrastructure, investment in our water

system and habitats is critical for our State and is needed more now than ever before" stated Board President Ed Chavez. "This bond measure would provide substantial benefits across the state and specifically for the San Gabriel Valley, by providing available funding for improving our local water supply and allow for investments in recycled water projects."

Proposition 3 distributes most of its funding through grants to local governments, Indian tribes, non-profit organizations, and private water companies for specific projects. The initiative provides funding to more than a dozen state departments and are continuously appropriated funds ensuring programs are adequately funded. The Water Supply and Water Quality Act of 2018 is sponsored by a wide variety of conservation, agricultural, water, and environmental justice organizations. To find more information about Proposition 3, visit www.waterbond.org.

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A Carnival of Losses: Notes Nearing Ninety

by Donald Hall

“Hall lived long enough to leave behind two final books, memento mori titled ‘Essays After Eighty’ (2014) and now ‘A Carnival of Losses: Notes Nearing Ninety.’ They’re up there with the best things he did.” —Dwight Garner, New York Times. From the former poet laureate of the United States, essays from the vantage point of very old age. Donald Hall lived a remarkable life of letters, one capped most recently by the New York Times bestseller Essays After Eighty, a “treasure” of a book in which he “balance[s] frankness about losses with humor and gratitude” (Washington Post). Before his passing in 2018, nearing ninety, Hall delivered this new collection of self-knowing, fierce, and funny essays on aging, the pleasures of solitude, and the sometimes astonishing freedoms arising from both. He intersperses memories of exuberant days—as in Paris, 1951, with a French girl memorably inclined to say, “I couldn’t care less”—with writing, visceral and hilarious, on what he has called the “unknown, unanticipated galaxy” of extreme old age. “Why should a nonagenarian hold anything back?” Hall answers his own question by revealing several vivid instances of “the worst thing I ever did,” and through equally uncensored tales of literary friendships spanning decades, with James Wright, Richard Wilbur, Seamus Heaney, and other luminaries. Cementing his place alongside Roger Angell and Joan Didion as a generous and profound chronicler of loss, Hall returns to the death of his beloved wife, Jane Kenyon, in an essay as original and searing as anything he’s written in his extraordinary literary lifetime.

Loving Your Spouse When You Feel Like Walking Away: Real Help for Desperate Hearts in Difficult Marriages

by Gary Chapman

When you said, “I do,” you entered marriage with high hopes, dreaming it would be supremely happy. You never intended for it to be miserable. Millions of couples are struggling in desperate marriages. But the story doesn’t have to end there. Dr. Gary Chapman writes, “I believe that in every troubled marriage, one or both partners can take

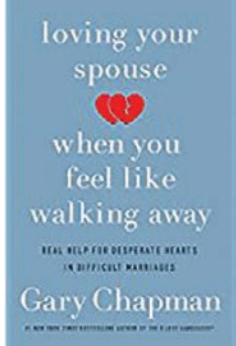
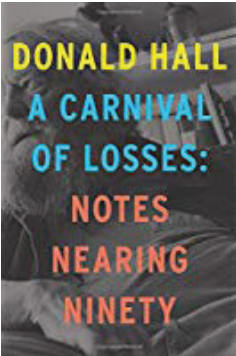
positive steps that have the potential for changing the emotional climate in their marriage.” Loving Your Spouse When You Feel Like Walking Away teaches you how to: Recognize and reject the myths that hold you captive. Better understand your spouse’s behavior. Take responsibility for your own thoughts, feelings, and actions. Make choices that can have a lasting, positive impact on you and your spouse. An experienced marriage and family counselor, Gary Chapman speaks to those whose spouse is any of the following: Irresponsible, A workaholic,Controlling,Uncomm unicative,Verbally abusive, Physically abusive, Sexually abusive, Unfaithful, Addicted to alcohol or drugs,Depressed. Marriage has the same potential to be miserable as it does to be blissful. The book may help turn things around for the better.

How to be a Happier Parent: Raising a Family, Having a Life, and Loving (Almost) Every Minute

by KJ Dell’Antonia

An encouraging guide to helping parents find more happiness in their day-to-day family life, from the former lead editor of the New York Times Motherlode blog. In all the writing and reporting KJ Dell’Antonia has done on families over the years, one topic keeps coming up again and again: parents crave a greater sense of happiness in their daily lives. In this optimistic, solution-packed book, KJ asks: How can we change our family life so that it is full of the joy we’d always hoped for? Drawing from the latest research and interviews with families, KJ discovers that it’s possible to do more by doing less, and make our family life a refuge and pleasure, rather than another stress point in a hectic day. She focuses on nine common problem spots that cause parents the most grief, explores why they are hard, and offers small, doable, sometimes surprising steps you can take to make them better. Whether it’s getting everyone out

the door on time in the morning or making sure chores and homework get done without another battle, the book shows that having a family isn’t just about raising great kids and churning them out at destination: success. It’s about experiencing joy--real joy, the kind you look back on, look forward to, and live for--along the way.



All Things

By Jeff Brown

EDITORIAL BY WILLIAM FALK EDITOR-IN-CHIEF THIS WEEK

This Summer forests are bursting into flame all over the world. More than 50 wild fires have scorched a shocked Sweden, some of them north of the Arctic Circle as temperatures have soared into the 90’s amid withering drought. In normally chilly Olso, the mercury climbed passed 86 degrees for 16 consecutive days. The Brits have been gobsmacked by 95 degree weather: it hit 98 in Montreal: and in Japan, 22,000 people were hospitalized when temperatures climbed to a record 106. In Arizona, Southern Calif., Pakistan, and India, Summer’s broiler has been turned up to unbearable levels, passed 110 degrees, and people are dying. Heat, drought, and fires of this scale and scope are not normal or perhaps they now are. Climate change, says Elena Manaenkova of the World Meteorological Organization, “ is not a future scenario. It is happening now.” It is human nature to postpone change and sacrifice as long as possible. We don’t act, especially collectively, until a crises is upon us. This

pendant for procrastination is why the national debt of 21.3 trillion is climbing at a rate of nearly 1 trillion a year, and why we’re doing nothing to address the approaching funding shortfalls of Medicare and Social Security. Why deal with such unpleasantness, when we can push decisions off into the future? So it goes for greenhouse gas emissions and climate change. The evidence clearly shows that the planet is warming, that the jet stream and other wind patterns have been disrupted, that ancient ice is melting and seas are rising , and that weather extremes such as droughts, heat waves, torrential rains, and flooding have all become more common and more prolonged. And the consequences have just begun. But what’s most important is our comfort today, the next quarters GDP, and the re-election of incumbent politicians. Climate change? The National Debt? Social Security? Let our children and grandchildren deal with all that. We’ll be dead by then, suckers.

FAMILY MATTERS

By Marc Garlett



DO YOUR HOMEWORK TO ENSURE YOUR KIDS ARE PROPERLY CARED FOR NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS

It’s back-to-school time again, and when it comes to estate planning YOU may have homework to do. As a parent, your most critical—and often overlooked—task is to select and legally document guardians for your minor children. Guardians are people legally named to care for your children in the event of your death or incapacity.

If you haven’t done that yet, you should immediately do so – or come to one of our “Guardian Naming Workshops” and get it done there. Information on our next workshop can be found at garlettlaw.com, or call the Sierra Madre Library at (626) 355 - 7186.

Don’t think just because you’ve named godparents or have grandparents living nearby that’s enough. You must name guardians in a legal document, or risk creating conflict and a long, expensive court process for your loved ones—all of which can be so easily avoided.

Covering all your bases

However, naming permanent guardians is just one step in protecting your kids. It’s equally important to have someone (plus backups) with documented authority, who can stay with your children until the long-term guardians can be located and formally named by the court, which can take weeks or even months.

The last thing you want is for police to show up at your home and find your children with a caregiver, who doesn’t have documented or legal authority to stay with them and doesn’t have any idea how to contact someone with such authority. In such a case, police would have no choice but to call Child Protective Services.

Closing the gap

This is a major hole in many parent’s estate plans, as we know you’d never want your kids in the care of strangers, even for a short time. To fix this, we’ve created a comprehensive system called the Kids Protection Plan®, which lets you name temporary guardians who have immediate documented authority to care for your children until the long-term guardians you’ve appointed can be notified and get to your children.

The Kids Protection Plan® also includes specific instructions that are given to everyone entrusted with your children’s care, explaining how to contact your short and long-term guardians. The plan also ensures everyone named by you has the legal documents they’d need on hand and knows exactly what to do if called upon. We even provide you with an ID card for your wallet and emergency instructions to post on your refrigerator, so the contacts and process are prominently available in case something happens to you.

A foolproof plan

With the Kids Protection Plan®, you’ll name one permanent guardian and one temporary guardian, along with two or more backups, in case the primary isn’t available or cannot serve. And we instruct caregivers to NEVER CALL POLICE IF YOU CANNOT BE REACHED UNTIL ONE OF THE NAMED GUARDIANS ARRIVES AND IS PRESENT WITH YOUR CHILDREN.

Finally, if there’s anyone you’d never want raising your children, we confidentially document that in the plan, preventing them from wasting the time, energy, and assets of the people you do want caring for your children.

With us as your personal family lawyer, you have access to the Kids Protection Plan® to ensure the well-being of your children no matter what. As your kids head back to school, do your homework by contacting us today.

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HEALTHY LIFESTYLES



YOGIC WISDOM - On Beauty

What makes you beautiful? Is it in the genes? Is it the way you smile? Beauty is definitely more than skin deep. Some might say that beauty shows love.

Individual beauty is a combination of factors both external and internal. External beauty is often a reflection of internal equanimity, but it also reflects how we take care of ourselves. A healthy diet positively affects the look of our skin, the shape of our body, how we feel, and how much energy we have. Diet includes hydration as well. Drink that water! And they don’t say “get your beauty sleep” for no reason. It’s true —sleep rejuvenates and allows the body and brain to re-charge, reflecting how we look and how we feel. Regular exercise also brings about internal and external beauty. It’s remarkable how great students look after yoga in particular - beautiful, at ease, flexible, strong —all the positive attributes show.

The landscape inside shows on the outside too. Our state of mind-- particularly over time-- can nourish or wear on us. Anger, criticism, and disharmony don’t bring out the love and beauty we need to feel our best. But the person filled with love, joy, and wonder comes across as strikingly beautiful time and time again. Find someone who’s at peace inside from a spiritual meditation practice and you will see them shining with beauty.

Beauty exists in our experiences too which includes our struggle to transform. Strength from adversity and courage amidst fear is a beautiful thing.

How do you become beautiful? Well, first, you already are. But to let it shine from the inside out, give yourself love through self-care. Practice yoga, meditate, eat well, sleep, and let go of that which you can’t control.

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THE MISSING PAGE

Real Life Tips from Lfe's Instruction Manual

TRAIN YOURSELF TO TRY

What do you do when you get an idea? When something occurs to you that you would like and seems exciting what do you do? I can attribute some of my success to the voices in my head. I’m talking about the talks and discussions I had with the people that love me. My Uncle Hezekiah once told me, “don’t turn down a job that’s not been offered to you.” He said that to me decades ago, but I have never forgotten it.

The life of a child is a life of adventure. We come here not knowing how to do anything, but nature has wired us for survival, so we learn very quickly. Somethings we learn over time and somethings come to us as if by magic. We scoot, crawl, pull up, cruise from table to chair, and eventually, we walk. Our parents are cheering for us from across the room, and that feels good. As we mature, there is a subtle shift, most of us don’t notice it. Eventually, we get addicted to approval and resistant to criticism. To prosper we need to remember to listen to our inner wisdom. If you catch yourself tapping down your dreams before they can take root, here are five questions you can ask yourself:

1. Does your dream give you life? Do you feel an amplified aliveness when you imagine yourself having achieved that dream?
2. Does your dream align with your core values? If one of your core values is to live a healthy lifestyle, for example, pursuing a dream to climb Mount Everest would be in

alignment with this core value.

3. Is your dream going to require that you grow as a person? Will you be expected to stretch yourself beyond your current comfort zone?

4. Will you need help from a higher power to achieve this dream? If you know every single thing you’ll need to do to fulfill that dream, the answer is no. If you know what you want but have no idea how you’ll get there, then yes, you will need help from a higher power, it is a worthy goal!

5. Is there some good in your dream for others? Even if your dream is to meet the love of your life, there’s still good in that dream for others. If you’ve ever seen two people in love, this energetically elevates everyone else around them. Train yourself to ask empowering questions instead of saying to yourself “what if I fail?” Then, take a baby step. Train yourself to try.

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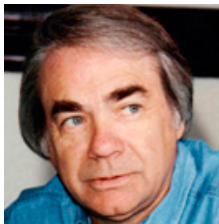
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CARL GOLDEN



TRUMP'S WAR ON THE PRESS WON'T END WELL

In baseball lingo, the high, inside fastball is known as the brushback, a tactic to inform the batter that he'd better be cautious about digging in.

The higher and tighter inside fastball is call head-hunting, a serious escalation of the fear tactic and infinitely more perilous.

In spending the first 18 months of his administration accusing

the media of "fake news" and deliberate dishonesty, President Trump has been throwing brushback pitches, warning reporters they'd better mend their ways or face consequences.

By ratcheting up the rhetoric to characterize the media as "an enemy of the people" and suggest reporters are unpatriotic, the president has gone for head-hunting, signaling to the media that he wants them out of the game entirely.

If history is any guide, Trump is engaged in a fight he'll lose.

The relationship between the Trump Administration and the media long ago surpassed the normal tensions that have always existed between the elected and those assigned to record, parse and analyze their every move, comment and action.

Presidents have historically groused about the media, complaining about what they perceived as biased and unfair coverage colored by partisan sympathies on the part of reporters. President Eisenhower, perhaps the most beloved of all modern-day chief executives, sent delegates into a fist shaking uproar at the 1964 Republican national convention with his reference to "sensation seeking columnists and commentators."

President Nixon despised the press, and his erstwhile Vice President Spiro Agnew enraptured partisan audiences with his colorful and alliterative assaults on the media.

Despite this history, all concerned moved on, grudges faded away and animosities buried. Cooler heads prevailed and, while the slights inflicted may not have been totally forgotten, it was in the best interests and professional obligations of both sides to concentrate on their duties.

All that went before, though, seems tame next to the naked antagonism and rancor that has come to mark the daily interaction between the Trump administration and the media.

The hardcore base supporting the president shows up at his rallies to roar approval for his ridicule of the media and gleefully join in derisive chants aimed at reporters.

White House press briefings have deteriorated into loud and bitter arguments rather than civil exchanges designed to elicit information for readers and viewers.

One reporter, CNN White House correspondent Jim Acosta, stomped out of a recent briefing in a childish snit because he couldn't get an answer he wanted. He later suggested that reporters protest by marching on Pennsylvania Avenue outside the White House - a truly absurd notion that would play directly into the [resident's hands. (A "Trump Unfair To Reporters" poster won't elicit much sympathy.)

Acosta, by his behavior - shouting questions, interrupting the press secretary mid-response, giving speeches and opinions rather than asking questions while playing to the camera - has become the stereotype of the obnoxious, overbearing, insufferable reporter Trump loves to lampoon. Sadly, he's not alone.

Acosta's right to display all those qualities is Constitutionally protected and he successfully hides any self-embarrassment he may feel.

The President is clearly convinced his disdain for the media is paying off handsomely politically and, being his own best advisor, is not about to change his approach.

However, in the long run it's a losing strategy.

He still must deliver for the American people solutions to those issues that matter most to them - the economy, job creation, immigration, government spending, crime and public safety, among others.

Running from rally to rally bellowing "fake news" to adoring audiences can only carry him so far.

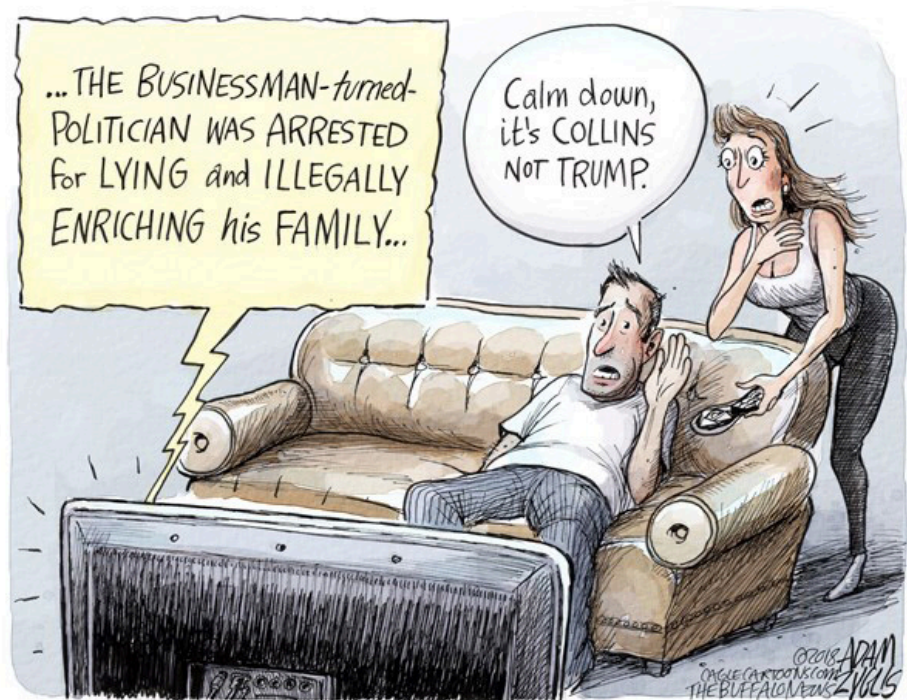
The media will endure as it always has. It is not about to be cowed into silence or submission in the face of threats or obstacles thrown into its path. The media can play the long game; Trump cannot.

At the same time, reporters such as Acosta must keep their composure, avoid the temptation to respond in kind to the President's taunts, and remember who they serve. Acosta's antics only detract from their mission and make fulfilling it all the more difficult. Trump will undoubtedly continue to throw brushback pitches and go headhunting. Reporters must remember to duck when necessary but be unafraid to dig in and wait for a pitch to hit.

Trump will become arm weary for certain and overstay his time on the mound.

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UNDER TRUMP, IT'S EASY TO LIKE IKE

GETTYSBURG, Pa. - The golf clubs in the laundry room at the rear of Dwight Eisenhower's farmhouse here are perched and ready, as if the 34th president of the United States might come and fetch them at any moment.

Eisenhower was a passionate golfer. His valet, Sergeant John Moaney, would be tasked with cleaning them after Eisenhower returned from one of his frequent rounds at the nearby Gettysburg Country Club.

To step into this 1950s vintage home, here on the edge of what may be America's best-known Civil War battlefield, is to step back into another era of American politics; though it's hard to miss the parallels between his time and our own.

It's also nearly impossible to miss the contrasts between America's last outsider, Republican president and the current, outsider Republican president: Donald Trump, between the Republican Party as it was, and it is now.

While fraught with its own unique complications and profound inequalities, Eisenhower's America was a youthful and optimistic one, emerging from the tumult of World War II to take its place as a global superpower and leader on the world stage.

Compare that to an "America First," that increasingly sounds like "America Alone"

Like Trump, Eisenhower presided over a booming economy, contended with the threat of a nuclear armed rival in eastern Europe (the enemy in that case was crystal clear), and though Twitter was still decades away, technology was growing by leaps and bounds.

On the homefront, Eisenhower oversaw the construction of the interstate highway system; he sent federal troops to Arkansas in 1957 to ensure the desegregation of the public schools; he prompted the United States to take its first baby-steps in the space race, and he famously warned against the emergence of the "military-industrial complex."

One of the clearest contrasts comes on the civil rights front. Yes, racism was rampant, but you could count on Ike to like civil rights, as The New York Times put it.

Ever the soldier bound by the chain of command, Eisenhower enforced the terms of Brown v. Board of Education, the 1954 U.S. Supreme Court decision desegregating American public schools. Eisenhower also signed the Civil Rights Act of 1957 into law, providing voting protections for black Americans.

Compare that to our current "both-siderism" on matters of race relations, and the seemingly undying push for "Voter ID" that critics believe will specifically disenfranchise black voters.

Overseas, before becoming president, Eisenhower served as NATO's first supreme commander, where he helped forged an alliance that kept the peace for some 70 years.

"Like no one else, [Eisenhower] saw the challenges of maintaining an alliance, the egos on different sides, just keeping it together," Muhlenberg College political science professor Christopher Borick observed. "I can only imagine his thoughts on NATO today and [President Trump's] perspective on it. They're 60 years and light years apart."

Indeed, during a rally in northeastern Pennsylvania last week, Trump groused about the alliance, and again falsely claimed that member nations were "delinquent" in their payments to NATO until he forced them to pony up.

Like Eisenhower, Trump loves golf, and has spent 135 days on the links since becoming president.

Trump has also spent a total of 170 days at Trump-owned properties since last January. Eisenhower spent just one year of his eight years in the White House at the farm, our tour guide told us.

Yes, there are similarities. Eisenhower believed in the power of personal interface, but not in a vacuum.

Ike entertained Winston Churchill and Charles DeGaulle at the farm, and even deployed his grandchildren as secret weapons in a charm offensive against Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev, a National Park Service ranger told our tour group.

Like Trump, Eisenhower was a political cypher. At one point, he was courted by Democrats as their presidential candidate. Ike eventually revealed himself as a Republican.

Trump, who spent eight years registered as a Democrat and gave to Democratic candidates and causes, embraced his inner Republican for his 2016 White House bid, though he has little in common with the old-guard GOP of Eisenhower.

"I can't see Ike tweeting," Borick quipped. "He didn't like to say a lot more than he had to." Indeed, Eisenhower embraced what some have referred to as "strategic patience," preferring to wait until the right time to act on an issue.

It's hard to imagine the brash and impatient Trump employing a similar approach.

Eisenhower's actions were "defined by his willingness not to speak in a rash way, Borick observed. "His speech was always very measured and not one to change course really quickly. Or to throw out actions or ideas without considerable thought."

In our whirlwind time, amid our breakneck politics, that almost seems a charmingly quaint notion; a relic of a simpler era.

It's easy to like Ike. Especially now.

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MAKING SENSE

by **MICHAEL REAGAN**

TWEET PRESIDENTIALLY, MR. TRUMP



Trump is still being Trump.

Whether he's holding his stand-up political rallies in Wilkes-Barre or Ohio, or delivering his incendiary early morning tweet storms, he's not going to change his wild and crazy ways.

He's been doing a lot of great stuff in Washington, but if he wants to stay there he'd better be careful.

The raw party numbers are against him.

Last time around, in 2016, the Democrats had a deplorable candidate - Hillary Clinton - who lots of Democrats didn't like, either, and therefore didn't show up to vote for at the polls.

Now Democrats have someone even bigger to collectively hate - Donald Trump.

He's already given them plenty of reasons to put on their "Impeach Trump Hats" and get out and vote for Democrats in the November congressional elections.

But last week the president made things more difficult for himself by foolishly making a few million new enemies in the sports world by personally attacking LeBron James.

Responding to the negative things the NBA superstar had said in a CNN interview with professional Trump-hater Don Lemon, the president tweeted:

"LeBron James was just interviewed by the dumbest man on television, Don Lemon. He made LeBron look smart, which isn't easy to do. I like Mike!"

Though the president sided with Michael Jordan fans in the great debate over who's the greatest NBA player of all time, "Mike" sided with LeBron James, who had charged the president with using athletics and athletes to divide the country.

Through a spokeswoman, Jordan responded, "I support LeBron James. He's doing an amazing job for his community."

Though the Lemon interview included CNN's standard anti-Trump political slant, it was focused on James' foundation's contribution of \$2 million to help at-risk public school kids in his hometown of Akron, Ohio.

The tweeter in chief might have been pleased with himself for scoring a few political dunks and inflaming the anti-Trump media for the millionth time.

But if he wants to keep Congress Republican this fall, or have a second term, he's going to have to change - and learn.

We know he gets beat up unfairly by the liberal media and Democrats every day, all day. But so did Ronald Reagan. My father fought back on the issues or made jokes, but he never attacked anyone personally.

President Trump should not have kept quiet about the Lemon and LeBron insults, but he's got to learn how to turn his enemies' blind hatred of him to his own advantage.

He should have tweeted something like, "I'm sorry LeBron disagrees with me personally and doesn't appreciate the historically low unemployment rates and middle-class tax cuts my policies have created. But I like what he'd doing for those third and fourth graders in Akron. Our star athletes can do great things for their communities and I hope others follow LeBron's generous example."

It wouldn't have been very Trumpian. It wouldn't have fit in a tweet. And it wouldn't have gotten the liberal media's panties in a twist for three days.

But it would have immediately turned Lemon's and LeBron's cheap shots back on them and the rest of the liberal media and allowed the president to score a few political three-pointers of his own.

As some point President Trump has to rise above this personal crap.

His family already knows how to do it. First Lady Melania Trump publicly supported James' work in Akron through a spokesman. First Daughter Ivanka supported the press against her father, saying she didn't think journalists were the "enemy of the people."

In one smart tweet the president could have turned the tables on Lemon and LeBron.

The liberal media would never have given him credit for taking the high road, but that's OK. It's time the man who is president of us all starts acting presidential.

It'd be for his own political good. But more important, it'd be for the good of the country.

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: LA'S PRIME 24307 MAGIC MOUNTAIN PARKWAY STE 300, VALENCIA, CA 91335. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RONNY W DEL CID 24307 MAGIC MOUNTAIN PARKWAY, STE 300, VALENCIA, CA 91335. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: RONNY W DEL CID, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/18/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2018178059
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: C & C TEEN HOLLYWOOD FILM FESTIVAL 22224 GERMAIN ST #3, CHIASTWORTH, CA 91311. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) DEBRA M SMITH 22224 GERMAIN ST #3, CHIASTWORTH, CA 91311. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: DEBRA M SMITH, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/19/2018. 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

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-164971
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: 360 MARKETING, 1060 MILKYWAY PLACE, DIAMOND BAR, CA 91765. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) BILLY ROBERT A FERMIN, 324 S. DIAMOND BAR BLVD, #299, DIAMOND BAR, CA 91765. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: BILLY ROBERT A FERMIN This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/05/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-162050
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ARCOUIE'S, 1435 STANLEY AVE, #227, GLENDALE, CA 91206. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ARC S, PINEDA, 1435 STANLEY AVE, #227, GLENDALE, CA 91205. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ARC S, PINEDA. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/02/2018. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 04/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-161401
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: BENDEE-KNEE FLORAL DESIGN, 2917 W. BEVERLY BLVD., MONTEBELLO, CA 90640. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOHNNY RONCES, 2447 SENTA AVE., COMMERCE, CA 90040, WENDY RONCES, 2447 SENTA AVE., COMMERCE, CA 90040. This Business is conducted by: A MARRIED COUPLE. Signed: JOHNNY RONCES This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 06/29/2018. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 06/2018. 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.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-160987
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CANDELARIO ELECTRIC, 3335 MAXSON RD, #43, EL MONTE, CA 91732. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RENE ATLANTICO ZEPEDA CANDELARIO, 3335 MAXSON RD, #43, EL MONTE, CA 91732. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: RENE ATLANTICO ZEPEDA CANDELARIO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 06/29/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-164643
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CCM LANDSCAPE AND MAINTENANCE, GARATE LAWN SERVICE, GARATE LANDSCAPE AND MAINTENANCE, 12153 CHESHIRE STREET, NORWALK, CA 90650. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SHARON GARATE, 12153 CHESHIRE STREET, NORWALK, CA 90650, CARLOS GARATE, 12153 CHESHIRE STREET, NORWALK, CA 90650. This Business is conducted by: A MARRIED COUPLE. Signed: SHARON GARATE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/05/2018. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-163778
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DEAN GREGORY, 506 S SPRING ST #13308, LOS ANGELES, CA 90013. Mailing address: 3956 BRIGHTON AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90062. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) BUSINESS CONSULTANTS, LLC, 506 S SPRING ST #13308, LOS ANGELES, CA 90013. This Business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. Signed: DAVON TERONE GREGORY. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/03/2018. 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

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-163411
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: G & A FLOWERS, 718 SAN JULIAN ST, UNIT 9, LOS ANGELES, CA 90014. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOSE DONALDO GALO CHAVEZ, 718 SAN JULIAN ST, UNIT 9, LOS ANGELES, CA 90014. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: JOSE DONALDO GALO CHAVEZ. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/03/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-160978
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ICANDY, 12823 S. LIME AVE., COMPTON, CA 90221. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SIMONE PIRTLE, 12823 S LIME AVE., COMPTON, CA 90221. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: SIMONE PIRTLE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 06/28/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-162404
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: LONDON OPTICAL LAB, 1905 S WESTERN AVE SUITE #9, LOS ANGELES, CA 90018. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ANA RUTH BONILLA, 1905 S WESTERN AVE, #9, LOS ANGELES, CA 90018, CARLOS AMTA, 1905 S WESTERN AVE, #9, LOS ANGELES, CA 90018. This Business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed: ANA RUTH BONILLA. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/02/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-161114
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

MONTEBELLO DISTRIBUTION COMPANY, M.D.C., 3526 W BEVERLY BLVD, MONTEBELLO, CA 90640. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RONY ARMANDO FRANCO PENA, 3526 W. BEVERLY BLVD., MONTEBELLO, CA 90640. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: RONY ARMANDO FRANCO PENA. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 06/29/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-163800
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: OXYVITAL PLUS, 15400 FRANCISQUITO AVE 210, LA PUENTE, CA 91744. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) CRUZ HELENA RICO, 15400 FRANCISQUITO AVE 210, LA PUENTE, CA 91744, KAREN RICO, 15400 FRANCISQUITO AVE 210, LA PUENTE, CA 91744. This Business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed: CRUZ HELENA RICO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/03/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-164969
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PLATINUM CARE, 1060 MILKYWAY PLACE, DIAMOND BAR, CA 91765. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) BILLY ROBERT A FERMIN, 324 S. DIAMOND BAR BLVD, #299, DIAMOND BAR, CA 91765. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: BILLY ROBERT A FERMIN. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/05/2018. 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).
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-162227
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: THE HOT NAIL, 7320 PACIFIC BLVD., WALNUT PARK, CA 90255. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) TIFFANY KARN, 12061 SHERIDAN LN, GARDEN GROVE, CA 92840, THU VAN THI NGUYEN, 630 S. KNOTT AVE #29, ANAHEIM, CA 92804. This Business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed: THU VAN THI NGUYEN. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/02/2018. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2018-165038
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: TOWNS ROADSIDE AND TOWING, 12551 E WAYNE CIR, CERRITOS, CA 90703. Mailing address: 12551 E WAYNE CIR, CERRITOS, CA 90703. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MOHAMMED A J AZZAM, 12551 E WAYNE CIR, CERRITOS, CA 90703. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: MOHAMMED A J AZZAM. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 07/05/2018. 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).
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FILE NO. 2018-161398
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
The following person(s) LUCAS RONCES ORTIZ, 2917 W BEVERLY BLVD., MONTEBELLO, CA 90640, JOHNNY RONCES, 2447 SENTA AVE., COMMERCE, CA 90040, has have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: BENDEE-KNEE, 2917 W BEVERLY BLVD., MONTEBELLO, CA 90640. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 01/20/2015, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 201501957. The business was conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 06/29/2018. 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.) JOHNNY RONCES/PARTNER
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FILE NO. 2018-162222
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
The following person(s) DUC TRAN, 7320 PACIFIC BLVD., WALNUT PARK, CA 90255, has have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: THE HOT NAIL, 7320 PACIFIC BLVD., WALNUT PARK, CA 90255. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 08/30/2017, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2017242909. The business was conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 07/02/2018. 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.) DUC TRAN/OWNER
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