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### HERE'S SOME GOOD INFO FOR THE END OF THE YEAR OF 2020

#### SIERRA MADRE REAL ESTATE TRENDS

Single Family Homes	2019	2020
Total # Sold:	90	111
Average Sold Price:	\$1,077,815	\$1,166,319
Average Sq. Ft.	1,888	2,027
Avg. Price Per Sq. Ft.	\$603	\$624

Condo/ Townhomes	2019	2020
Total # Sold:	21	16
Average Sold Price:	\$691,444	\$730,275
Average Sq. Ft.	1,458	1,538
Avg. Price Per Sq. Ft.	\$485	\$481

• The biggest acceleration in BOTH pricing and units was in the **November-December** time frame.

• In units, sales almost doubled..... In 2020, **25 homes were sold vs 14** for the same time period in 2019.

• During those 2 months, the average price per square foot went from **\$563 in 2019 to \$640 in 2020**.

• Average price of a home in Sierra Madre went from \$930,000 to \$1,176,000. **Sales price was up 26%!!!**

• This indicates that the market is HOT and sellers are maximizing on their investments.

**This year end trend seems to be continuing, please reach out to any one of us to talk about your home.**



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## NEW COUNCIL VOTES ON POTENTIAL SITES FOR HOUSING ELEMENT

By Kevin McGuire

Every eight years, Sierra Madre goes through the arduous task of updating the Housing Element of the General Plan as required by California State law. The latest update is due to the state by October 15, 2021 for approval.

The Housing Element is an analysis of housing needs, taking into consideration all income levels and provides strategies for meeting those needs. It is a vital part of a City's General Plan. The current period is from 2021-2029. The Housing Element is comprised of five major components.

1. A review of the current Housing Element
2. Assessment of current housing needs
3. Identification of resources (land, financial and administrative)
4. Evaluation of constraints to housing
5. Housing Plan: Goals, Policy and Programs.

Housing prices have skyrocketed to the point where professionals such as teachers, nurses, and public safety officers cannot afford to own a home in Sierra Madre. Fewer professionals in these areas impacts the economy so each region must do their "fair share" to accommodate those needs.

On several occasions in 2020, City Staff and Karen Warner, the City's housing element consultant, have presented City Council with an overview of the Housing Element process and Regional Housing Needs Assessment (RHNA) site requirements. They also outlined consequences of non-compliance.

City Staff identified seven potential sites that consist of a combination of Multi-Family Residential sites and sites that fall in the Measure V boundary which are subject to voter approval. Measure V was put in place to preserve Sierra Madre's small-town character.

Potentially suitable, multi-family sites being considered includes:

- Site 1. Mariposa parking lots
- Site 2. Nine properties at 200 block W. Mariposa
- Site 3. Five properties on W. Mariposa Post Office parcels
- Site 4. Nine properties on Suffolk Ave.
- Site 5. Seven properties on East Montecito
- Site 6. One property at 491 W Sierra Madre.
- Site 7. One property at 215 N Baldwin Ave.

Other potential sites include Church parking lot sites around Sierra Madre. These options would require a vote to be eligible.

Though the Housing Element provides recommendations on potential housing site, it does not require that the units be built, provide funding for the sites or authorize any construction on any sites.

The Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) regions have been tasked with providing 1.34 million housing units across California during this period. This is the highest the RHNA has ever been. SCAG has determined Sierra Madre could produce 204 housing units broken down to the following income levels.

X	Housing Units
Very Low Income (<50% Area Median Income for LA County (AMI))	79
Low Income (50-80% AMI)	39
Moderate Income (80-120% AMI)	35
Above Moderate (>120% AMI)	51
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>204</b>

This is a RHNA increase of 270% for Sierra Madre, but still much less than most neighboring communities.

During the February 23, 2021 meeting, City Council were given two options to vote on for the update of the Housing Element. Option A, which was the previous Council's recommendation, would push for Sites 1-7, some falling within Measure V boundaries requiring a vote by the people. A 4-1 vote passed to accept Option B, the recommendation of the Planning Commission which would designate non-Measure V site options 2,4,6 and 7 for R3-H 20 du/acre and R3-H 30 du/acre and add an affordable housing overlay zone on parking areas on congregational land.

These sites include portions of the parking lots of St. Rita's, United Methodist Church, Old North Church and Bethany Church. Mayor Pro Tem, Gene Goss voted nay, expressing his desire to let the people vote. Goss also disapproved of the congregational site options. Once the updated Housing Element goes to the state, the approval process could take up to 60 days.

Back in December 2020, the City hosted a Community Workshop webinar on the Housing Element for the public where participants could learn more about the process, site options and provide feedback. The full Housing Element Report is available to view on the city website at [cityofsierramadre.com](https://cityofsierramadre.com).

## BEE SAFE!



### Kersting Court Besieged With Angry Bees Over The Weekend

Photo Courtesy Cheryl Regali

The weather in Sierra Madre was wonderful last weekend and businesses had a healthy measure of customers until...the Bees Came!

According to eyewitness accounts, people began being attacked by bees that were in a Pepper Tree in Kersting Court. First reports came were mentioned on social media on Thursday but the aggressiveness of the bees escalated to the point that the Sierra Madre Police were called. The city's Public Works Department immediately cordoned off the area and contacted the appropriate pest control company, however, before they arrived Sierra Madre resident and local Bee enthusiast, Brian Abernathy (pictured above), donned his protective clothing, located the hive and eliminated the problem.

"Those were the meanest bees I have ever seen", said Abernathy. "They were attacking me in the courtyard on the outside of the tape".

The bees also attacked several people in Kersting Court causing the closure of several businesses such as Lucky Baldwin's and Leonora Moss. According to the SMFD who dispatched paramedics to the scene, no one was taken to the hospital, however several people were stung multiple times.

According to Abernathy, the warm weather brought the bees out of the hives, something people will have to contend with. He noted that these particular bees were not of the 'endangered species'.

Los Angeles County on its' website reminds everyone, "Bees may be found almost everywhere in our environment busy foraging for food. They feed on nectar for energy and pollen to feed their young. There are thousands of bee species in North America and about 1500 of them are found in California." Like other forms of life, we have to learn to co exist with them.

Thomas Arnold, MD, Professor and Chairman, Department of Emergency Medicine, LSU Health Sciences Center says, "It seems every family has their own secret remedy. From meat tenderizer or tobacco juice to vinegar or baking soda, there's no shortage of "cures" out there and people who swear by them.

In reality, these home remedies have no real scientific or medical basis. While most aren't necessarily dangerous, they also aren't particularly effective. Taking the right steps can minimize the typical pain, redness, swelling, and itching that most people suffer after a sting. For most people, a sting won't cause more than pain, swelling, and redness right around the sting—what's known as a local reaction. However, a small percentage of people are allergic to insect stings and suffer a much more severe and dangerous reaction. Stings in these people may cause anaphylaxis and can be fatal.

Next time you or a child receives a nasty sting, look for signs of a generalized allergic reaction.

Signs of a generalized allergic reaction (Symptoms usually develop very quickly and may include)

- A feeling of uneasiness, tingling sensations, and dizziness.
- Generalized itching and hives
- Swelling of the lips and tongue
- Wheezing and difficulty breathing
- Collapse and loss of consciousness

Anyone who has any of these symptoms should go to the emergency department immediately.

For more information go to:  
<https://www.merckmanuals.com/home/news/editorial/2018/05/15/14/05/bee-stings>  
MVNews

## RE: COVID 19 VACCINES

**Los Angeles County has added additional groups eligible for vaccines. The county began vaccinating people age 65 and older a month ago after they complete dvaccinations for healthcare workers.**

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# Celebrate THE MUSIC!


**THE DAN STOVER MEMORIAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP**

Musically talented high school students each year participate in a Rotary District 5300 music scholarship program and winners qualify for educational awards that enable them to further their studies at an accredited college, university, or music conservatory upon high school graduation.

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 **PAULA BUCHANAN, VIOLIN**

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Do you remember when you first discovered Sierra Madre? And what made you want to move here and raise a family? Everyone has a story of how they wanted to live in this unique “Village of The Foothills” in the middle of the surrounding metropolis.

Whatever you liked about Sierra Madre, you may not have recognized that community members have come together over the years to preserve our special way of life.

In 1978, Margaret Buckner started the ‘Homeowner & Residents Association’ in response to community concerns over developers failing to follow established building codes. In 1987, the community came together again when variances were being granted that circumvented building codes.

In 2001, Margie Simpson, as Coordinator for the “Residents For The Preservation of Sierra Madre” published an eight page mailer giving voice to more than 30 families who spoke out against plans to build a high school complex in the hills above Baldwin Avenue.

In 2014, the “Stop the Monastery Housing Project” was formed to respond to the Monastery’s plans to sell part of their land to a residential developer.

The group called ‘Preserve Sierra Madre’ was formed from the ‘Stop the Monastery Housing Project’ coalition when the water moratorium was imposed and it became important to monitor other projects in the city as well. When the water moratorium was lifted in February, 2020, the planning for the Monastery development began again in earnest. Many hours have been spent attending meetings and following the progress of the plans with the developer - New Urban West, the Monastery and the City of Sierra Madre.

In August, 2020, the City Council approved a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Mater Dolorosa Community for the building of ‘up to 42 single-family detached residential units...’ The Project will require the City Council to adopt a Specific Plan, amend the General Plan and Land Use Map, and amend the Zoning Code and Zoning Map.

Dealing with the pandemic this last year has made it very difficult for the community to understand what is going on with the MOU.

‘Preserve Sierra Madre’ has a web page and newsletter to provide residents with useful information on the development. For further assistance, the City Manager, Gabe Engeland, has agreed to answer questions from the community that will be published on line or in the Mountain Views News.

For more information, go to <https://www.preservesierramadre.com/> and sign up to receive regular newsletters so you can be informed and have a say in the future of your community.

## PASADENA'S PLANNING DIRECTOR TO ADDRESS CLIMATE ACTION PLAN

Pasadena, CA- On March 18 at 7pm, the League of Women Voters Pasadena Area will host David Reyes, Pasadena’s Director of Planning, for an interactive on-line discussion of “How to Put the Action in Pasadena’s Climate Action Plan.”

Joining Reyes will be Dean Kubani, a sustainability expert and Chair of Santa Monica’s Sustainability Task Force. The speaker presentations will be followed by a moderated public question and answer discussion.

Cities throughout California have adopted Climate Action Plans (CAPs). CAPs use modeling techniques to attempt to measure local greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and identify “strategies” and “actions” to reduce these GHG emissions. Specific actions are identified to target emissions from fossil fuel energy use in commercial, residential and municipal buildings and transportation, because these account for most GHG emissions. CAPs also address waste treatment, water management and urban greening.

Martha Zavala, president of the League of Women Voters - Pasadena Area, stated: “The climate

change crisis is a top priority of the League of Women Voters at the national, state and local levels. Climate change, with its fires, winds, heat, water scarcity, toxicity and other harms, endangers our quality of life and property values here in the Pasadena area. The voters want to know more on this critical subject, and we are committed to providing objective, up to date and useful information.”

Pasadena’s CAP was adopted in 2018 and a progress report was issued that same year. The City is currently assessing how to measure progress in GHG monitoring and implementation of actions. The virtual event will take place on Thursday, March 18 from 7:00pm-8:30pm. It is open to all who register at <https://my.lwv.org/california/pasadena/upcoming>. Scroll down to LEAGUE@NITE and click on registration box.

*The League of Women Voters is a nonpartisan political organization that encourages informed and active participation in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy through education and advocacy.*

## WALKING SIERRA MADRE - The Social Side

by Deanne Davis

“Dare mighty things!”  
President Theodore Roosevelt

In last week’s Mountain Views News, I had the best time talking about the Mars Rover, “Perseverance,” and mentioned the quote above from President Roosevelt, which is sort of a JPL mantra and is to be found on many of the walls there. It was a secret message and I’m hoping this isn’t one of those things that’s been all over everywhere and you all have heard this 42 times and are going...not again!!

OK, there is a puzzle lover on the spacecraft team, Ian Clark, a Systems Engineer who used a binary code to spell out “Dare Mighty Things” in the orange and white strips of the 70-foot Perseverance parachute. Clark also included the GPS coordinates for JPL.

Speaking of puzzles, the picture today is of me and granddaughter, Jessie, and our latest puzzle, an under-the-sea vista.



The engineers wanted an unusual pattern in the nylon parachute fabric so they could know how the parachute was oriented during descent. See! I told you it was cool.

Jigsaw puzzles have helped folks hang onto their sanity during this everlasting pandemic, keeping our hands busy doing something other than lifting our fork or opening another bag of Doritos. Jessie and I have done 18 puzzles so far, most of them 500 pieces. We don’t move up to 1,000 pieces because that won’t fit on our card table. It takes us weeks sometimes as she’s only available on weekends and I work on them during the week, but not very long at a time. When we’re finished, we pass them along to our next-door neighbor, who speeds through them like lightning.

“There are no extra pieces in the universe. Everyone is here because he or she has a place to fill, and every piece must fit itself into the big jigsaw puzzle.” Deepak Chopra

“There are times in life our dreams seem to be scattered all over the place like jigsaw puzzles. We just have to take time and continue to assemble them into a unique shape.” Euginia Herlihy

“You are a piece of the puzzle of someone else’s life. You may never know where you fit, but others will fill the holes in their lives with pieces of you.” Bonnie Arbon

About being a piece of the puzzle of someone else’s life, didn’t you enjoy and appreciate Susan Henderson’s editorial last week about her relationship with George Maurer. They truly did end up being pieces of the puzzle of each other’s lives.

Puzzles are not only sanity savers, but they are calming, too. We don’t stress out nearly as much when we’re trying to find all the pieces for the border and the top left corner. Our next one is a collection of tigers. The border is underway.

In addition to puzzles, we usually bake something and take some of that over to our neighbors, too. Like this Cinnamon Coffee Cake which is easy and fast to assemble, will make your house smell fabulous and it’s delicious...trust me!

### Cinnamon Coffee Cake

1/4 cup butter  
3/4 cup sugar  
2 eggs beaten  
2 cups flour  
3/4 tsp. salt  
1 TB. baking powder  
1-1/2 tsp. cinnamon (generous)  
1 cup milk (nonfat works fine, or you can use orange juice if you’re out of milk).

Cream butter and sugar together, add eggs, beat till light and fluffy. Mix together flour, salt, baking powder and cinnamon. Add alternately with butter-sugar mixture and milk. Pour into greased 9” baking pan. Sprinkle with topping mixture.

### Topping:

1/1-2 tsp. cinnamon (generous)  
1/2 cup sugar  
2 TB melted butter

Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes. The topping melts down into the coffee cake creating deliciously cinnamon-y valleys amongst the cake. You can double and triple this recipe if you plan on making enough for all your neighbors.

I came across this thought from Ardath Rodale. Remember “Prevention” Magazine? Filled with healthy stuff? The Rodales were the creators of “Prevention.” This is pretty healthy stuff, too:

“Born as human beings,  
It is our duty to strive our utmost  
For peace in the world and the happiness of others.  
Those who love humanity and help people in need,  
Are always loved and protected by God wherever they may go.  
A person who strives constantly to help others, and better the world,  
Is like a diamond buried in the sand.”

Hope this week brings you joy and laughter. Stay safe my friends! Enjoy this coffee cake and get yourself a puzzle.

My book page: Amazon.com: Deanne Davis  
Easter is on the way and “The Crown”  
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### SIERRA MADRE POLICE BLOTTER

February 21, 2021 to February 27, 2021 During this period the Sierra Madre Police Department responded to 189 calls for service.

Harassment On 2-26-21 at 8:00PM. A resident filed a report at the station of an apparent case of annoying or harassing phone calls to their residence. Case to the DA’s office

#### Hazardous Conditions

At 11:08AM, officers were dispatched to the 00 block of Kersting Court for a report of a swarm of very aggressive bees. Officers located the bees and closed off the immediate area for the public’s safety. The SMFD Paramedics responded to treat those injured by the bees. No one was taken to the hospital for further treatment





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## City Council Meeting

March 9, 2021 - 4PM

Council meetings will now be held outdoors at the bandshell at Memorial Park! Social distancing and masks are required.

City of Sierra Madre

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As part of the City of Sierra Madre's COVID-19 transmission mitigation efforts, the City Council meeting will take place at the City of Sierra Madre Memorial Park Bandshell located at 222 W. Sierra Madre Blvd, Sierra Madre CA 91024. As part of the COVID-19 transmission mitigation efforts, the City recommends that all attendees bring their own chair. In the event of rain or other inclement weather, the meeting may be moved to Zoom.

The Brown Act provides the public with an opportunity to make public comments at any public meeting. Public comment may also be made by e-mail to PublicComment@CityofSierraMadre.com by 3:00PM on the day of the meeting. Emails will be acknowledged at the Council meeting and filed into public record.

The meeting will be streamed live on the City's website at [www.cityofsierramadre.com](http://www.cityofsierramadre.com), on Foothills Media website at <http://www.foothillsmmedia.org/sierramadre> and broadcast on Government Access Channel 3 (Spectrum).

For more information, please contact the City Clerk's Office via email at [Laguilar@cityofsierramadre.com](mailto:Laguilar@cityofsierramadre.com) or [Jpeterson@cityofsierramadre.com](mailto:Jpeterson@cityofsierramadre.com) or by telephone at (626)355-7135 for more information.

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(Rain Date Sat, March 20)


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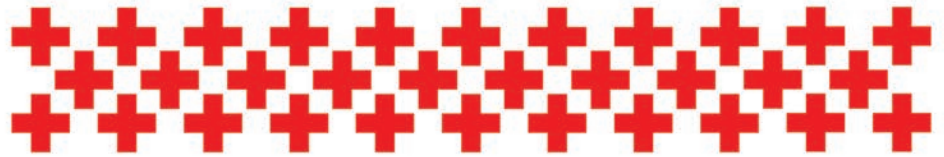


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Location: Parish Hall  
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## CONSTRUCTION NOTICE

### KERSTING COURT REMODEL PROJECT

February 2021 through April 2021

Project partially funded by grant funds from Supervisor Kathryn Barger's office

Sidewalk around the project will be closed. Please observe the sidewalk closed signs and use alternate routes

### QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS

Public Works Department  
Chris Cimino (626) 355 - 7135  
[ccimino@cityofsierramadre.com](mailto:ccimino@cityofsierramadre.com)



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## CONSTRUCTION NOTICE WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT SEGMENT 1A

February 2021 through the end of May 2021

**PROJECT AREA**  
Michillinda Ave - Orange Grove Ave. to Highland Ave.  
Please use alternate routes during construction

### CONSTRUCTION HOURS

Weekdays 7AM to 5PM, excluding holidays  
Construction outside of normal hours will be dependent on City requirements or may be scheduled to minimize disruption to City residents.

### ADVISORY

- The presence and movement of laborers, construction equipment and heavy machinery.
- Temporary traffic control devices, lane closures, detours and restricted access to driveways.
- Temporary No Parking - Vehicles parked in restricted areas may be cited and/or towed at owner's expense.

### QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS

Big Ben Engineering  
Mr. Eric Camarillo (562) 362-1278  
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## Weather Wise

6-Day Forecast Sierra Madre, Ca.

Sun	Sunny	Hi	70s	Lows 50s
Mon:	Sunny	Hi	70s	Lows 50s
Tues:	Ptly Cldy	Hi	70s	Lows 50s
Wed:	Rain 30%	Hi	60s	Lows 50s
Thur:	Ptly Cldy	Hi	60s	Lows 50s
Fri:	Sunny	Hi	70s	Lows 50s

Forecasts courtesy of the National Weather Service

## SIERRA MADRE CITY MEETINGS

February 9, 2021 4:00 pm

Be sure to tune in to the City Council meeting on 2/23/2021! Instructions on how to make public comment or watch the Zoom meeting are below.

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Any member of the public may also call into the meeting to provide their comments. To provide public comment by telephone, please call in when your topic of interest is being discussed by the City Council and provide your name and the agenda item number. You will be placed in the queue until the Mayor opens up the topic for public comment.

To participate in public comment, please call:  
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The meeting will be streamed live on the City's website at [www.cityofsierramadre.com](http://www.cityofsierramadre.com), on Foothills Media website at <http://www.foothillsmidia.org/> sierramadre and broadcast on Government Access Channel 3 (Spectrum)

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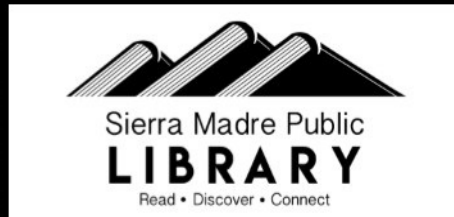
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### Wednesday

**Grab & Go Activity Kit**—Available outside the Library after 10:00am

**Snackchat: 6th, 7th & 8th Grades**—Online at 4:00pm; pickup a snack pack at the Library before the meeting

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# Pasadena Altadena

News From Your Community For Your Community

## City Asks to Dismiss Lawsuit by Tournament

Attorneys for the City of Pasadena filed motions Tuesday in United States District Court to dismiss all claims against the city as alleged in the Pasadena Tournament of Roses' lawsuit.

"The city's motions clearly demonstrate why the Tournament of Roses should have never taken this matter to court," city officials said.

According to the city attorney's office, "the motions make clear that this case is not—and has never been—about trademark rights." The city and Tournament have a long-standing Master License Agreement wherein each party recognizes the trademark rights of the other. The Tournament's lawsuit is about money and the desire of the Tournament to have flexibility to move the Rose Bowl Game out of its long-time home in Pasadena. The agreement between the city and the Tournament prohibits the Tournament from selling its rights to the Rose Bowl Game to the highest bidder, and then moving the Rose Bowl Game out of Pasadena. The facts of this year's Rose Bowl Game lay bare the Tournament's sole pursuit of dollars and nothing more, they said.

The Tournament insists that this litigation "is not about moving the Rose Bowl Game out of Pasadena" in the future, yet the legal complaint demonstrates just the opposite. The Tournament wants a court of law to assure it that it can move the Rose Bowl Game. It is an attempt by the Tournament to ask the court to allow it to redraft the Master License Agreement for future hypothetical events that might never happen. The fact is, the current agreement between the parties does not allow the Rose Bowl Game to be played anywhere but in Pasadena for any reason, unless the city consents, like it did this year as a good-faith partner during extraordinary times.

The Tournament's lawsuit attempts to deny the mayor's and the city's First Amendment rights to speak to the press and the mayor's constituents on a matter of fundamental public interest when it claims the mayor's comment that "The football game belongs to the City of Pasadena and the people of Pasadena" is somehow an infringement of a trademark. It is a baseless and reckless claim to make, seeking to chill the city's speech on a matter of public interest, they said.

"The city and Tournament have a parade and a game to host on New Year's Day 2022, which will hopefully symbolize a return to normal," they said.



## Rose Parade and Game to Return in 2022

The Pasadena Tournament of Roses Association announced Wednesday plans to welcomed New Year's Day and again bring joy to millions of people around the world with a live Parade down Colorado Blvd. on January 1, 2022.

Officials said that following a year that has challenged the Tournament and people worldwide to an unprecedented degree, they are actively planning for the return of America's New Year Celebration, including the live televised Rose Parade and Rose Bowl Game, to usher in 2022.

"As we move forward with our plans to bring hope and optimism to the world, public health and safety remain our top priority," said Bob Miller, President of the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Association. "The evolving nature of the pandemic requires flexibility, ongoing

adjustments, and mitigation measures to be incorporated into our planned activities. We expect to announce more specific details on the Rose Parade and associated events as they become available."

Miller also said the 2022 Rose Parade and will feature elements that were planned for the 2021 parade, including the theme "Dream. Believe. Achieve." The 2022 Parade Theme will expand beyond the initial focus on education and will include a celebration of perseverance and strength, science and scientists, health professionals, first responders and essential workers, he said.

According to a statement, the 2022 Rose Parade celebrates the determination of those who travel the path from dream to reality. By building a foundation of unwavering belief, our ambitions are limited only by the expectations we impose upon ourselves. Our lives,

the lives of those we love, our community, and even the world can forever be changed when our hopes are nurtured with passion, fueled with knowledge, and sustained with perseverance. This year, we honor all those who reach beyond their grasp in the quest to make a dream come true.

"We look forward to working with the city of Pasadena and our other valued partners throughout the year as we prepare for the Rose Parade and the Rose Bowl Game in Pasadena on January 1, 2022," Miller said.

## Virtual Town Hall District Meetings

Join Councilmember Felicia Williams for the first District 2 Town Hall on Wednesday, at 5 p.m. Panelists will include Police Chief John Perez, City Manager Steve Mermell, and Director of Department of Transportation Laura Cornejo. Please submit your questions via email by Tuesday to [ddyson@cityofpasadena.net](mailto:ddyson@cityofpasadena.net) or ask them during the meeting.

Please click the zoom link at: [us02web.zoom.us/j/89370397746#success](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89370397746#success) to join the webinar or Telephone: Dial: US: +1 669 900 6833 or +1 253 215 8782

Vice Mayor Andy Wilson will be hosting a Virtual District 7 Meeting on Thursday at 5:00 p.m. on Zoom. During the meeting, we will have updates from Police Chief John Perez, Director of Public Health Dr. Ying-Ying Goh, and Transportation Director Laura Rubio-Cornejo. Members of our audience will be able to submit questions to each of our speakers.

To join the meeting: click the link below to join the webinar: [us02web.zoom.us/j/83520005609](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83520005609)

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For more information visit: [cityofpasadena.net](http://cityofpasadena.net)

## Library Celebrates One City, One Story

*Community Conversation with Father Gregory Boyle, Author of the 2021 Selection "Tattoos on the Heart"*



To celebrate the 19th year of Pasadena's One City, One Story community reading project, the public is invited to a conversation with Father Gregory Boyle (pictured), author of this year's selected novel, *Tattoos on the Heart*, Sunday, March 14, at 2 p.m. on Zoom. Father Boyle will discuss his experiences writing *Tattoos on the Heart*. A question-and-answer session led by Pasadena Public Library Director Michelle Perera will immediately follow. The event is free and open to the public.

*Tattoos on the Heart* is a series of parables about kinship and redemption from pastor, activist and renowned speaker Father Gregory Boyle. In this, his debut book, he distills his experience working with gang members into a breathtaking series of stories inspired by faith. *Tattoos on the Heart* reminds us that no life is less valuable than another.

From giant, tattooed Cesar, shopping at JC Penney fresh out of prison, we learn how to feel worthy of God's love. From 10-year-old Pipi, we learn the importance of being known and acknowledged. From Lulu, we come to understand the kind of patience necessary to rescue someone from the dark—as Father Boyle phrases it, we can only shine a flashlight on a light switch in a darkened

room. This is a motivating look at how to remain faithful in spite of failure, how to meet the world with a loving heart, and how to conquer shame with boundless, restorative love.

Founder of Homeboy Industries, the largest gang intervention, rehabilitation and re-entry program in the world, Father Boyle has dedicated his life to helping the most marginalized individuals find a place in society. In a moving example of unconditional love in difficult times, the Jesuit priest and bestselling author of *Tattoos on the Heart* and *Barking to the Choir: The Power of Radical Kinship* shares what three decades of working with gang members in Los Angeles have taught him about faith, compassion and the enduring power of kinship.

One City, One Story is designed to broaden and deepen an appreciation of reading and literature. This year's theme is "Books for our Times." For more information on this year's activities, visit: [cityofpasadena.libguides.com/onecityonestory](http://cityofpasadena.libguides.com/onecityonestory).

To attend, sign up at: [pasadena.evancend.info/signup/EventDetails?EventId=3992](http://pasadena.evancend.info/signup/EventDetails?EventId=3992).

## South Pasadena Public Library Crowdsourced Poem

*The project will be written by Poet Laureate Ron Koertge*

April is National Poetry Month, and in celebration, the South Pasadena Public Library invites residents of all ages to contribute to a crowdsourced poem to be written by City of South Pasadena Poet Laureate Ron Koertge. Koertge's idea for a South Pas community poem was inspired by 2017 National Youth Poet Laureate Amanda Gorman's "The Hill We Climb", and by National Public Radio's Poet-in-Residence Kwame Alexander's crowdsourced poem project "This is Our Dream". The theme for our community poem is Beginnings, and it will be published on the library's website in April.

Poetry has the power to inspire and delight, and Koertge seeks to craft a poem with the help of his fellow South Pasadenans that can be enjoyed by all. Koertge says:

"Beginnings mean different things to different people.

Planting a garden is for sure a new beginning. So is adopting a dog or cat. Quitting one job and getting another. A father makes a different sandwich for his kids' lunch. Someone says she's sorry and wants to start over. What does beginning mean to you? Send me some ideas, please, and let's see if I can turn them into a poem. Pretend we're sitting around a fire and we're writing a story together. Not my story, but ours."

How to Contribute  
- Submit one or two lines or a phrase on the theme Beginnings (if you need a prompt, start like this: "A beginning is...")  
- Contributions are due by Friday March 19, 2021  
- Three ways to submit:

Email to [library@southpasadenaca.gov](mailto:library@southpasadenaca.gov)

Mail to the Library with the word "Beginnings" written on the envelope

Drop off at the Library Takeout door during Takeout hours

- Contributors will be recognized by name unless anonymity is requested

For more information visit: [southpasadenaca.gov](http://southpasadenaca.gov).



Pasadena Heritage presents great programs during Women's History Month, join them for presentation and discussion on the life of ground-breaking architect, Julia Morgan (pictured above) with Professor Emerita, Cal Poly Pomona, Ana Maria Whitaker (pictured right). A Tribute to Julia Morgan Saturday, March 13 | 10:00 AM Tickets \$15 nonmembers \$12 members Presented live on March 13 with a recording of this Zoom presentation available to ticket purchasers until March 28, 2021.

Pasadena Heritage presents A Tribute to Julia Morgan, a presentation and discussion on the life and work of this ground-breaking architect by Professor Emerita, Cal Poly Pomona, Ana Maria Whitaker. Julia Morgan was the first woman architect licensed in

the state of California in 1904 and ran a very successful firm for 42 years. She hired women draftspersons, architects and artists to work with her. Her projects were built in 47 California cities and include institutional, commercial and residential properties in multiple styles. Julia Morgan is perhaps most famously known for having designed Hearts Castle, but she is also known for designing 20 YWCA buildings in California, Hawaii, Utah, and Arizona. Sue Mossman, Executive Director of Pasadena Heritage, will give an update on the future of Pasadena's own Julia Morgan building, the former YWCA, and the City's plans for rehabilitation. Learn more about this extraordinary woman as we celebrate Women's History Month.

For more information and events visit: [pasadenaheritage.org](http://pasadenaheritage.org).



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## ARCADIA POLICE BLOTTER

For the period of Sunday, February 21st through Saturday, February 27th, the Police Department responded to 1,108 calls for service, of which 86 required formal investigations. The following is a summary report of some of the major incidents handled by the Department during this period.

Sunday, February 21:

- At 6:38 p.m., an officer responded to the 600 block of Fairview Avenue regarding a grand theft report. Surveillance footage revealed two suspects cut through a steel gate and removed the catalytic converter from the victim's vehicle. The suspects were described as two Hispanic males. They were seen driving a white utility truck. The investigation is ongoing.
- At 9:20 p.m., an officer responded to the Arcadia Police Department regarding a stolen vehicle incident that occurred in the 00 block of Flower Street. Sometime between February 20th and February 21st, the victim's GMC Sierra truck was stolen from a parking lot. There are no investigative leads as of the date of this report.

Monday, February 22:

- At 8:18 a.m., an officer responded to Hugo Reid Elementary School, located at 1153 De Anza Place, regarding a commercial burglary report. An unknown suspect intentionally broke a lock to the school grounds and a window frame was found bent. It does not appear as if the suspect(s) entered the school. The investigation is ongoing.
- At 10:03 a.m., an officer responded to Brilliant Realty and Management Co., located at 145 East Live Oak Avenue, regarding a mail theft report. The officer discovered someone opened their mailboxes and possibly fled with one check. The investigation is ongoing.

Tuesday, February 23:

- At 11:39 a.m., officers responded to a residence in the 400 block of North Fifth Avenue regarding a burglary report. An investigation revealed the suspect had entered the victim's residence and was found as she was exiting a back window. The officers concluded the suspect, a 37-year-old female from Monrovia, has been linked to numerous Arcadia burglaries in recent weeks. The suspect was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.
- At 4:28 p.m., an officer took a report of fraud involving a resident of the 200 block of Las Tunas Drive. The officer determined that as an executor of an estate was closing the decedent's accounts, it was found that several fraudulent cashier's checks had been drawn from the accounts using a forged signature. The identity of the suspect is unknown as of March 2nd.

Wednesday, February 24:

- At 8:18 a.m., an officer responded to a residence located in the 1200 block of Short Street regarding a vandalism report. The victim discovered his mailbox had been damaged sometime during the previous night. The investigation is pending a review of any relevant surveillance footage.
- At 9:23 a.m., an officer responded to Draperies.com, located at 5500 Peck Road, regarding a theft from vehicle report. The reporting party stated that sometime during the previous evening, someone cut the exterior fence, entered the secured parking area, and stole two catalytic converters from a delivery truck. The investigation is ongoing.

Thursday, February 25:

- At 7:52 a.m., an officer responded to the 1100 block of Singing Wood Drive regarding a vandalism report. The victim determined his mailbox had been forced open and was left empty. It is unknown if any mail was stolen. The investigation is pending any available surveillance footage.
- At 1:12 p.m., an officer responded to a residence in the 100 block of East Santa Clara Street regarding a burglary report. The victim entered her home and discovered the suspect entered the home, turned on the shower, and let the water leak into the garage. Officers located the suspect inside the home and a 32-year-old male from Arcadia was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

Friday, February 26:

- At 12:02 a.m., an officer responded to Hilton Garden Inn, located at 199 North Second Avenue, regarding a theft from vehicle report. The victim discovered someone entered his unlocked vehicle and fled with fishing tackle equipment and various electronics. There are no investigative leads as of the date of this report.

## HELP FOR ANYONE FACING HOMELESSNESS

Times are difficult. Some of our neighbors are very well facing the unprecedented pressures of this pandemic on everything from mental health to financial burden to housing insecurity. The City of Duarte offers resources to assist those vulnerable to homelessness.

"Homelessness has been a longstanding issue in Los Angeles County, but the COVID-19 pandemic has further strained individuals financially to the point that fundamental needs are not being met," said Brian Villalobos. "We encourage any resident who is facing homelessness or who knows a neighbor with housing struggles to reach out for help."

Here in the City of Duarte Public Safety Outreach Coordinator Tony Hadloc works to improve public health with regional partners. Hadloc conducts direct street-level outreach to the unhoused to connect them to services, distribute hygiene kits with hand sanitizer and clean socks among many other items, and even transports individuals to safe space if requested. Through a grant from the San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments, the City of Duarte also has an assigned housing navigator and case worker through Union Station Homeless Services (USHS). Hadloc will refer clients to USHS that wish to enter the Los Angeles Coordinated Entry System to receive full case management including bridge housing, permanent housing and employment opportunities. Duarte's assigned housing navigator, Lisa Montano, works Monday through Thursday and every other Friday, holding office hours at Duarte Park, Tuesday and Wednesday from 11 AM to 3:30 PM, and is on-call as needed.

The City of Duarte also partners closely with Foothill Unity Center (790 West Chestnut Ave., Monrovia, CA). Foothill Unity Center provides clothing, food, school supplies, support and crisis services, health service programs, and other special programs to the Foothill community. Starting in summer 2020, Foothill Unity was a subgrant recipient through the City of Duarte to provide hygiene services for the unhoused. This funding from the City of Duarte has allowed Foothill Unity Center to secure mobile restrooms and a handwashing station - services that became even more important during the pandemic as public restrooms were shut down. Foothill Unity Center recently acquired separate grant funding to also offer mobile showers. Visit the Foothill Unity Center website or call their office at (626) 258-3486 for support.

Additionally, Hadloc conducts intake for the City's homeless prevention and diversion program. The City has a number of resources available to community members who are either currently unhoused or at risk of becoming homeless due to any number of reasons, including but not limited to unpaid rent, overdue utility bills, family or roommate dispute, auto repair preventing access to work, lack of rental deposit, or inability to pay moving costs. Any other barrier that may lead to homelessness can be discussed.

If you or someone you know needs help here in Duarte, please contact Tony Hadloc at (626) 386-6819 to discuss available homeless and homeless prevention resources. Prevention/diversion funds are limited and distributed on a first-come, first-serve basis. The City of Duarte maintains the right to approve or deny funding applications based on a needs assessment. Must be a resident of Duarte.

### JOB OPPORTUNITY:

#### DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

The City of Monrovia is looking for a progressive Director of Public Works in the Public Works Department. The selected individual will be a mentor and a team builder who prioritizes people and enhances the needs of the team.

The successful candidate will be responsible for a variety of ongoing responsibilities and projects, but not limited to the following:

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## The Rialto Revealed: A Landmark Restoration

The South Pasadena Public Library is set to host an illustrated virtual talk on the exterior renovation of the Rialto Theatre, featuring founder of the Friends of the Rialto, Escott O. Norton. Norton, a lifelong preservationist, was an advisor to the restoration work carried out by theater owner the Shomof Group and will share his vast knowledge of the theater's history along with stories and photos from the effort to restore it to its former glory. The Rialto Revealed will be presented on the Crowdcast platform at: [crowdcast.io/e/rialto](https://crowdcast.io/e/rialto). The event, March 10 at 7:00 p.m. is free and open to the public, but an internet connected device is required.

Constructed in 1925, the Rialto Theatre is an iconic landmark in South Pasadena and one of the few remaining single-screen theaters in Southern California that reflect the majesty of the golden age of cinema. The Rialto has not been an active theater since 2007, and was purchased by the Shomof Group in 2014. The Shomof Group is known for projects in downtown Los Angeles completed under the City's Adaptive Reuse Ordinance, which encourages the conversion of older, economically distressed, or historically significant buildings to residential or retail uses.

Escott O. Norton grew up surrounded by theater and architecture. His mom founded the OXY Summer Drama Festival, and his father designed and built all of Norton's childhood homes. Continuing the family tradition, Norton is now the 4th generation in a family of quality home developers. His consultation company, EON Design, specializes in historic buildings, with a primary focus on historic theaters. Escott founded Friends of the Rialto 35 years ago to advocate for the preservation and reactivation of his favorite theater. He was also the Executive Director of the Los Angeles Historic Theatre Foundation, a nationally renowned non-profit that has landmarked and protected dozens of historic theaters across Los Angeles County.

For more information visit: [southpasadenaca.gov/library](https://southpasadenaca.gov/library).



## South Pasadena looking for New City Manager

The City of South Pasadena is seeking a City Manager with exceptional interpersonal, leadership, communication, and negotiation skills. The incoming City Manager will be a seasoned individual and forward-thinking visionary who will continue to move the City in a positive direction by providing clear direction to staff, engaging and building relationships with the business community, and being responsive to community concerns. A candidate who possesses appreciation for and understanding of diversity within a city organization and community will be valued.

A service-minded individual who listens and is approachable, accessible, and open to suggestions is highly desirable. The City Manager should be a skilled public speaker, a good communicator capable of exercising discretion, confidentiality, and tact when dealing with sensitive matters or communicating with internal and external stakeholders.

The desired candidate has a strong finance background as well as experience with economic development. The City will benefit from a City Manager who understands and values the needs of the organization as well as the community and is willing to make a long-term commitment to South Pasadena.

The incoming City Manager will be expected to take an active interest in the community and maintain effective working relationships with City staff, regional partners and outside organizations, and the general public.

The Council is seeking a candidate who will communicate directly and openly and be transparent, consistent, and equitable in their dealings with all elected officials.

The selected individual will show strength of character and unquestioned integrity, as well as the ability to work with the

Council toward consensus on difficult or complex issues. The ideal candidate will possess a combination of strong political leadership qualities and strong managerial experience. As a leader, the selected candidate will create an environment where employees feel empowered to excel. Candidates should possess excellent management skills and be able to delegate effectively while holding staff accountable.

Any combination of education, training, and experience that could likely provide the required knowledge, skills, and abilities will be qualifying. The typical candidate will possess a Bachelor's degree in public administration or a related field from an accredited college or university along with extensively responsible administrative experience in the planning, coordination, and financing of varied municipal activities; a Master's degree is desirable.

TO APPLY

If you are interested in this outstanding opportunity, please apply online at: [bobmurrayassoc.com](https://bobmurrayassoc.com)

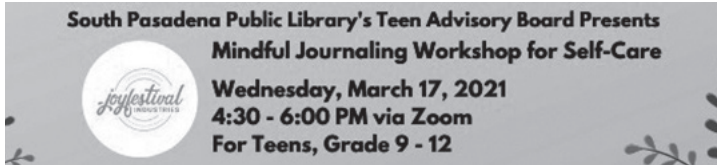
Filing Deadline: February 28, 2021

Following the filing deadline, resumes will be screened according to the qualifications outlined above. The most qualified candidates will be invited to personal interviews with Bob Murray and Associates. Candidates will be advised of the status of the recruitment following finalists' selection. Finalist interviews will be held with the City of South Pasadena.

A select group of candidates will be asked to provide references once it is anticipated that they may be recommended as finalists. References will be contacted only following candidate approval.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Mr. Gary Phillips at: (916) 784-9080

## Mindful Journaling Workshop for South Pas Self-Care Teens



Teens in Grades 9 – 12 are invited to discover healthy ways to cope with stress and to improve personal self-care with this guided mindful journaling workshop with Amy Muscoplat of Joyfestival Industries. The program is being presented by the South Pasadena Public Library's Teen Advisory Board (TAB) and is sponsored by the Friends of the South Pasadena Public Library.

Pre-registration is required. This March 17 one-time workshop will be from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. via Zoom.

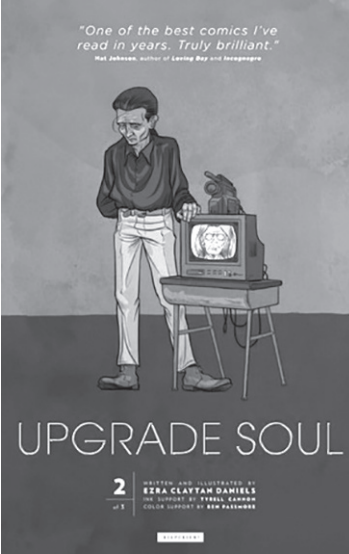
The Zoom link will be sent out 24 hours prior to the workshop. Teens can register at [www.southpasadenaca.gov/register](https://www.southpasadenaca.gov/register)

Questions about the workshop should be sent to the Library's TAB Librarian, Anne Armacost, at [aarmacost@southpasadenaca.gov](mailto:aarmacost@southpasadenaca.gov). Amy Muscoplat, Joyfestival's creator, is a librarian and program presenter. She created Joyfestival as a way "help all people manufacture their 'happy' from within themselves and to live a better life."

## South Pasadena Library New Comic Book Club for Adults

The South Pasadena Public Library is happy to announce a new comic book discussion club for adult readers. The Comic Book Club will meet on the first Thursday of each month at 7pm. The first meeting of the Comic Book Club is on April 1st at 7 p.m. On this day, the Comic Book Club will meet virtually on Zoom to discuss Upgrade Soul by Ezra Clayton Daniels. Upgrade Soul is the story of an elderly couple forced into a psychological battle after undergoing an experimental genetic procedure. Registration is required. Visit the Library's website to register.

Upgrade Soul is currently available on ComicsPlus. ComicsPlus provides access to thousands of digital comics, graphic novels, and manga with no wait lists or limits. Read directly on your favorite web browser, or download the app on the App Store or Google Play. A South Pasadena Public Library card number and PIN are required to access ComicsPlus. A tutorial on how to use ComicsPlus is available on the Library's YouTube page.





# AROUND SAN GABRIEL VALLEY

## PUBLIC HEALTH STATEMENT REGARDING FAVORABLE COURT OF APPEAL RESTAURANT RULING

The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health (Public Health) is pleased that the Court of Appeal recognized that during a pandemic, it is vitally important for public health officials to quickly take affirmative measures to reduce transmission of COVID-19, in order to combat an ongoing surge of COVID-19 cases and hospitalizations. The Court acknowledged that Public Health recognized that while temporarily restricting outdoor dining at restaurants would have an economic impact, the re-strictions was an appropriate exercise of public health discretion because dining with others creates a circumstance where non-household members are gathering in close proximity with each other without COVID-19 infection control precautions, such as face mask, thereby increasing the risk of transmission. Importantly, the Court of Appeal found that the trial court stepped outside of a court's appropriate role by "mandating a nebulous risk-benefit requirement" on public health decision-making. This ruling will help public health officials continue to protect the health and safety of all Californians.

With a nod to its past -- serving classic family-friendly American fare with colorfully clad-carhop waiters/waitresses on roller skates back in the 1950s and 1960s -- Twoheys Restaurant in South Pasadena has recently revived the nostalgic tradition by debuting a new Curbside Carhop -- 21st Century style. The newly-opened Restaurant, that has been making memories in the San Gabriel Valley since 1943, continues its legacy as one of Southern California's well-known American eateries. Information: [www.twoheys.com](http://www.twoheys.com)

"We are proud to re-introduce the carhop dining concept that was first introduced by the Twohey family decades ago. We believe that bringing back this tradition allows diners to visit more often while enjoying our old time favorite/new menu items and practicing safety protocols from the safe haven of their own cars," says Co-Owner Tanya Christos.



Loyal customers now have the convenience of ordering breakfast, lunch and dinner from Twoheys' ToGo Menus by calling 30 minutes in advance to place an order and reserving one of six designated parking spaces by calling (626) 284-7387 and pressing #1. Upon arrival at the Restaurant, customers need to call back and let the Restaurant know the number of the reserved car hop parking space. The Restaurant will bring the ToGo food to each car on a classic carhop tray that clips to the vehicle's window for a "contact-free," but fun dining experience from the comfort of one's car. The Restaurant is open six days a week, except Tuesdays, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The legendary Restaurant's Executive Chefs, Gerardo Talamantes, Sr. and Enrique Elias, have created three distinctive menus as part of the new take-out service that reflects both classic American fare from the original menu and new menu items including:

**Breakfast ToGo:** Classic Buttermilk or Old-Fashioned Pancakes, French Toast, Belgian Malted Waffle, and handcrafted Corned Beef Hash. <https://www.twoheys.com/menu/breakfast-togo/>

**Lunch ToGo:** The classic Original Stink-O Burger, Twoheys' Original Onion Rings, Heckels Prime Rib Sandwich and Fish & Chips. (<https://www.twoheys.com/menu/lunch-togo/>)

**Dinner ToGo:** Handcrafted Meat Loaf, House-Roasted Turkey Dinner and Southern Fried Chicken. <https://www.twoheys.com/menu/dinner-take-out-delivery/>

**Cocktails ToGo:** Meridian, Snake Trail, Seco Washout and Raymond Old Fashioned, <https://www.twoheys.com/menu/cocktail-menu/>

For family gatherings, Twoheys take-out Family Feast Value Meals ToGo, a selection of homemade meals with the freshest ingredients. Each are ideal for at home family dining of all sizes.

**Creative Catering For All Occasions:** In addition, Twoheys Restaurant offers their Food Truck with a choice of three Backyard Menu packages or a custom menu from any of Twoheys' favorite menu items. As part of the Package, Twoheys provides a state-of-the-art sound system offering endless music for those who wish to hold socially responsible

distanced events. <https://www.twoheys.com/our-food-truck/> Three Sisters Catering is another option for custom catering. <https://www.twoheys.com/three-sisters-catering/> The company's team of culinary professionals pulls out all the stops to customize everything from intimate cocktail receptions to small off-site gourmet parties and events.

**Unique Gifts For Friends & Family:** Twoheys retail items, beautifully wrapped gift baskets and gift cards, all make great presents for friends and family, first responders, teachers, neighbors and employees. Choose from a selection of items including bittersweet, milk and caramel toppings, Jones Coffee Roasters Twoheys Blend Coffee, Further Products hand soap and a selection of Twoheys logo apparel.

**ABOUT TWOHEYS RESTAURANT SOUTH PASADENA:** The award-winning Twoheys Restaurant opened October 10, 2020 in South Pasadena. Twoheys, pronounced "Zee's," originally opened in 1943 when owner Jack Twohey opened his first restaurant on Arroyo Boulevard in Pasadena. At that time, the restaurant had 37 seats and quickly became known as the premier hamburger place for the finest hamburgers, onion rings and hand-dipped fountain specialties. This former location featured memorable drive-up carhop service from the 1950s to the mid 1970s. The Little Stink-O, clothes pin and tear drop logo was trademarked by Mr. Twohey in 1943. It originated when he overheard a woman patron of the restaurant exclaim, "Oh-Stink-O," when a gentleman next to her was served a hamburger generously garnished with onions and pickles.

Throughout its illustrious history, Twoheys has welcomed well-known celebrities including American Actors Cary Grant, Mickey Rooney, Bill Murray, American Painter/Illustrator Norman Rockwell and Author/Screen Writer Ray Bradbury.

The new 5,200 square-foot restaurant's interior, designed by Zoumas Design of South Pasadena and constructed by Peter Koulos Construction, brings together classic elements in a contemporary design - combining the warmth and nostalgia of a diner with a lunch counter and old-time soda fountain in a refined, open and bright space. The original Stink-o logo and signage has been updated for the 21st Century with a youthful and whimsical design.

Twoheys is situated at 424 Fair Oaks Avenue in South Pasadena, California 91030. For more information, call 626 284-7387, email [info@twoheys.com](mailto:info@twoheys.com) or visit [www.twoheys.com](http://www.twoheys.com). Follow and Tag Twoheys @Twoheys\_Restaurant on social media.

**TABLE FOR TWO by Peter Dills**  
[thechefknows@yahoo.com](mailto:thechefknows@yahoo.com)

## THE REAL MCCOY? VERY CLOSE

I read a recent article in the NY Times that said consumers, during hard economic times, buy more generic brands at their local supermarkets, and when the economy picks up they go back to their national brands. That makes perfect sense to even this college drop out. How does that pertain to our wine aisles? More and more of the supermarkets that you and I shop at Vons and Pavilions are coming up with their own store brands. No, they don't own their own vineyards just yet - though I wouldn't put it past Costco - they have existing wineries put together their store's private label. Is this acceptable? Absolutely! Keep in mind 80% of the wine that you are purchasing has grapes sourced from other wineries, or if they don't have their own plot of soil, they use marketing companies to find wines.

What about when a winery comes out with a lower end wine? In my book that is okay, too. Look at the big French champagne houses like Moet, Taittinger, and Crystal. They all have wineries here in California producing exceptional wines at almost half the cost of their imports.

Recently I had the pleasure of a nice glass of Decoy cabernet at a friends here in Pasadena (hopefully you read my recent column about wine by the glass). I thoroughly enjoyed it with my crab cake and decided that the purchase of a bottle was in order. No, not at the restaurant - I read my own column and took my own advice for once. Decoy hails from the same winery that produces the very popular Duckhorn wines. While about half the cost of it's older brother, I could get used to this more economic wine as it hails from the exact same area of Napa Valley. And, for the life of me I cannot tell much difference in the cabernet.

The vintage is smooth, with perfect levels of fruit and tannins, and a finish that you'd expect from a higher priced cabernet. It's a classic California cabernet with a touch of toasted oak. Closure: Corked

This weeks wine term: finish: That means exactly what it sounds like - the last thought/taste as the juice goes down your throat. Many experts say that the finish is the true test of an exceptional wine.

Each week I will give you my Dills Score. Starting with a base of 50 points, I have added 8 points for color, 7 points for aroma or "nose", 9 points for taste, 8 points for finish, and 8 points for my overall impression, which includes my value rating.

Total Score 90; retails \$30 on sale; can be found for around \$17 at most area supermarkets, including Vons.

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## Know the Facts



Californians have made extraordinary sacrifices to help slow the spread of COVID-19. Help is on the way as the state begins its rollout of safe and effective COVID-19 vaccine. Now the work begins to Vaccinate All 58. Together, we can end the pandemic - in all of California's 58 counties.

### COVID-19 Vaccine is Here

- COVID-19 vaccine for California is here — it is safe and effective.
- California is receiving shipments of COVID-19 vaccines produced by Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna. Health care workers and residents in long-term care will be the first to be vaccinated.
- California is working closely with community partners and stakeholders to help guide the planning process and ensure the vaccine is distributed and administered equitably.
- California is committed to a fair and equitable allocation and distribution process. No one should bypass the established vaccine allocation and distribution process.
- Individuals with the highest risk of becoming infected and spreading COVID-19 will receive vaccines first. Later in 2021, most Californians will have an opportunity to get vaccinated.
- Vaccines are available at no cost.

### COVID-19 Vaccine is Safe and Effective

- California has its own Scientific Safety Review Workgroup comprised of immunization, public health, academic and other experts who are vetting vaccine safety.
- The Moderna vaccine is approved for those 18 years and older, consists of two doses given 28 days apart, and is 94 percent effective against COVID-19.
- Sometimes vaccination can cause a sore arm, aches, fatigue or fever for a few days after getting the vaccine, but these are not harmful.
- Vaccinated individuals should keep wearing masks, washing hands and watching their distance until the vaccine has been widely distributed.
- The Scientific Safety Review Workgroup has confirmed that the Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna vaccines have met high standards for safety and efficacy.
- The Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine is approved for those 16 years and older, consists of two doses given 21 days apart, and is 95 percent effective against COVID-19.

#### About The Vaccines

- The Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine is approved for those 16 years and older, consists of two doses given 21 days apart, and is 95 percent effective against COVID-19.

**Remember, your actions continue to save lives. Wear a mask, wash your hands, keep your distance, and when it's your turn, get vaccinated.**

For the latest facts, please visit [covid19.ca.gov/vaccines](https://covid19.ca.gov/vaccines).



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## PASADENA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT UPDATES:

### PUBLIC HEALTH GUIDELINES FOR REOPENING SCHOOLS

- Beginning with PreK-5th grade
- Hybrid Simultaneous - in-person and remote
  - Reconfiguring classrooms to maintain social distance • Installation of air purifiers, filters
  - Plexiglass in classrooms
  - Cleaning and disinfecting of every room in every school and office
  - Providing face coverings, PPE, and signage
  - Creating a school-based COVID-19 testing and contact tracing program
  - Offering COVID-19 vaccines to employees (as a service, not a condition to reopen)

#### Elementary School

Los Angeles County has reached the threshold to reopen elementary schools according to the [California Blueprint for a Safer Economy](#). PUSD is implementing health and safety requirements and is preparing to welcome elementary students back for in-person learning with a hybrid schedule with a staggered schedule beginning March 30.

#### Middle and High School

According to the [California Blueprint for a Safer Economy](#), middle and high schools (grades 7-12) can open when the county has moved to the red tier and have also followed the school re-opening guidance. The threshold is 7.0% positivity rate. Currently the LA County rate is 7.2%. It is expected that Middle and High School reopening will follow soon.

#### ELEMENTARY SCHOOL REOPENING DATES

Pasadena Unified is triggering plans for the safe return of all PreK-5th grade elementary students who wish to participate in on-campus instruction beginning the week of March 29, subject to Board approval. Schools will operate on a hybrid simultaneous learning model, with groups of students physically in the classroom with their teacher while a group of their classmates participates via distance learning.

Opening schedule, subject to Board of Education approval:

- Monday, March 29 - all students remain on distance learning
- Tuesday, March 30 - PreK-Kindergarten return to all elementary schools
- Wednesday, March 31 - No School: Cesar Chavez Holiday
- Thursday, April 1 - Grades 1 and 2 return, grades PreK-Kindergarten also on campus
- Friday, April 2 - PreK-2nd grades on campus
- April 5-8, 2021 - Spring Break
- Monday, April 12 - all students on distance learning
- Tuesday, April 13 - Students in grades 3-5 return, students in PreK-2nd grade on campus

Early Childhood Education (ECE) programs are planning to open together with the District's PreK-2 grades with in-person full and half-day programs.

#### HEALTH & SAFETY PROTOCOLS

PUSD adheres to health and safety protocols recommended by the California and Pasadena Departments of Public Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, including:

- Fewer students on campus at one time
- Completing daily temperature and symptom checks for all students and employees reporting to schools and district sites
- Requiring and providing all necessary face coverings and personal protective equipment
- Adding handwashing and hand sanitizer-dispensing stations added on campuses
- Conducting enhanced daily cleaning and disinfecting protocols each evening
- Reconfiguring classrooms to maintain physical distancing
- Installing plexiglass barriers for teachers at their workstations/desks
- Building in time for frequent hand washing and sanitizing
- Placing upgraded (MERV 10) filters in air conditioning units and adding commercial-grade portable high-efficiency particulate air purifiers in all classrooms
- Posting directional and informational signage throughout school and district facilities
- Staggering recess/nutrition breaks on campus for physical distancing
- Following all protocols for quarantining and contact tracing
- Limiting non-essential visitors to school and district facilities
- Creating COVID-19 surveillance testing
- Offering COVID-19 vaccines to all employees

The California and Pasadena Public Health Departments require all schools reopening for in-person instruction to post a COVID-19 safety plan and checklist on their website. You can find PUSD's COVID-19 Safety Plan at [www.pusd.us](http://www.pusd.us).

#### VENTILATION

All classrooms are equipped with commercial-grade air purifiers designed for 24/7 smart air cleaning for enclosed shared air environments. Filters on air conditioning units have been upgraded to MERV 10 filters rated for hospital and laboratory use.

#### PUSD COVID-19 VACCINES FOR EMPLOYEES

As of February 24, 2021

- PUSD has completed the vaccination of 270 employees for first or second doses.
  - This week only, 550 PreK-8 teachers and staff have an opportunity to get the vaccine through a partnership with Pasadena Public Health
  - PUSD employee vaccine clinics are generally held Thursdays & Fridays, depending on vaccine supplies. PUSD clinics are tentatively scheduled March 4-5, 2021, depending on supply
- For complete information go to: <https://www.pusd.us/reopening>

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## Celebrating St. Patrick's Day

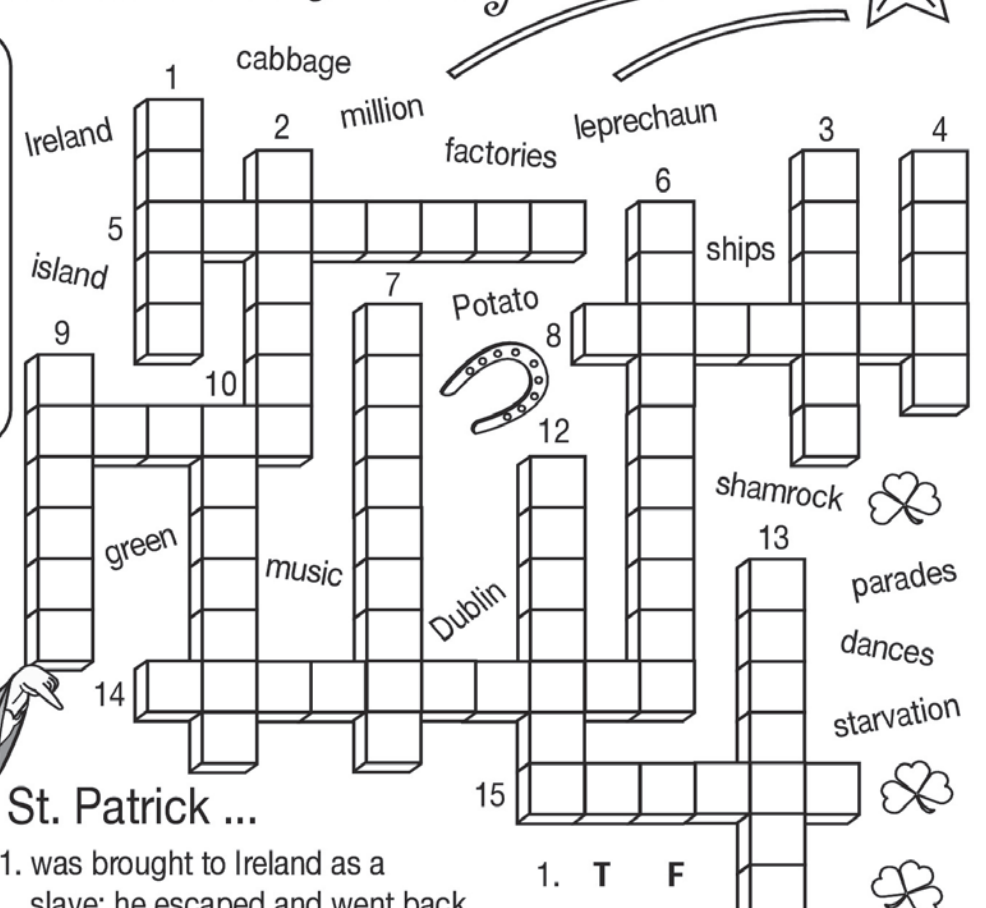


You won't see me, but I'll be part of all the fun and festivities for St. Patrick's Day. I love the Irish dancers and music of the harpists, bagpipers, fiddlers and drummers. I follow the floats and bands in the parades. I even pop into a few homes to taste the family's special treats and meals like corned beef and cabbage. You can look for me if you want...I'm the knee-high guy wearing green and holding a 4-leaf shamrock. **Meanwhile, fill in my puzzle about Ireland and celebrating St. Patrick's Day.**



True or False?

- 12 is a beautiful "Emerald" 9 in the Atlantic Ocean. It is west of England, separated by the Irish Sea.
- The capital and largest city in Ireland is called 15.
- In the mid-1800s, an important crop suffered terrible blight, causing what is now called the "Great 3 Famine."
- To escape 6, about one and a half 13 people left Ireland, sailing in 11 to get to America.
- Most arrived in large cities and took jobs in 7.
- Today in America, the Irish people share their joy of 1 and 2, like the Irish jig, with everyone else on St. Patrick's Day.
- People like to wear something that is 4.
- You might hear a story about how lucky it is to find a four-leaf 5 or to catch a 14.
- Some cities dye a river or the water in a fountain green and people line the streets to watch 10.
- Everyone can enjoy an Irish-American dinner of corned 8 and 1.



**St. Patrick ...**

1. was brought to Ireland as a slave; he escaped and went back years later to teach about Christianity
2. has many Irish boys named after him
3. is a symbol of the Irish "spirit"

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## TECHNOLOGY THAT CAN HELP YOU LOCATE THINGS YOU MISPLACE

*Dear Savvy Senior; Can you recommend any good devices that help seniors with tracking down misplaced items? My wife misplaces everything including her car keys, eyeglasses, cell phone, purse and more. Always Searching*



Dear Always:  
There's actually a wide variety of tracking devices that can help you and your wife find items that are commonly misplaced. Here are some top options to consider depending on how tech savvy you are.

## Bluetooth Trackers

If you or your wife uses a smartphone or tablet, you can easily track down lost or misplaced items like keys, a purse or wallet, remote control, smartphone, tablet or even a laptop with a Bluetooth tracker. While there are several different types of tracker products on the market today, the best is Tile (TheTileApp.com), which pairs with Apple and Android apps to help you locate missing items.

All you do is attach a small battery-powered Tile to the items you want to keep track of with an adhesive sticker, a key ring or you can just slip it inside the item.

Then, when a tagged item goes missing, you simply access the app on your smartphone or tablet to see how far away you are from the item or last known location on the map. If you're within 150 to 200 feet, you can make the Tile ring so you can follow the sound to easily find it.

Or, if your wife loses her phone, the Tile work in reverse, allowing her to double press the button on her Tile to make her phone ring (even if it's on silent) as long as it's nearby.

Tile also works with Google Assistant, Amazon Alexa or Siri to find misplaced items. All you have to do is ask.

To fit your tracking needs, Tile offers a variety of different sized trackers including the Tile Mate (\$25) that's ideal for keeping track of keys, purses or backpacks; Tile Slim (\$25), which is the size of a credit card that can be put into a wallet or attached to a laptop; Tile Sticker (\$40 for a 2-pack), the smallest finder that can attach to things like remotes, bikes and more; and Tile Pro (\$35), which is the most durable tackler that has a 400-foot range and extra loud ringer.

## Glasses Tracker

Since Tile doesn't offer a glasses tracker, a great product to help your wife keep tabs on her eyeglasses is Orbit Glasses (FindOrbit.com; \$40). This is a tiny rechargeable Bluetooth device that sticks to the inside arm of the glasses so it's not noticeable.

So, when your wife's glasses aren't on her head, but are nearby, she can use the free Orbit app to make them ring so she can find them quickly. Or, if she's out of Bluetooth range, she can check the last known location that will be shown on the map.

## Radio Frequency Finders

If you or your wife don't have a smartphone or tablet, there are also radio frequency devices like the Esky Key Finders (EskyNow.com), sold through Amazon.com, that can help you find misplaced items.

These devices come with an item locator remote and four to six tags with prices ranging between \$20 and \$30. Attach a tag to the items you want to keep track of with a key ring or adhesive. Each tag is color-coded and corresponds to a colored button on the finder.

When an item goes missing, you simply press the colored button on the locator remote and the tag will flash and beep. The signal will go through walls and cushions and have a tracking range of around 100 feet. Make sure you keep the finder fob in a safe spot, because if you misplace it, you won't be able to find the tagged items.

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.

## FAMILY MATTERS By Marc Garlett



## IMPORTANT ESTATE PLANNING LESSONS FROM LARRY KING'S DEATH—PART 2

Legendary TV and radio host, Larry King, died at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center in Los Angeles on January 23rd, 2021 at age 87.

Last week, in part one of this series, we discussed how Larry's decision to create a handwritten will, rather than take the time to consult with legal counsel to properly update his plan for his impending divorce, is likely to result in a lengthy court battle between Larry's seventh wife, Shawn Southwick King, and his surviving children. Moreover, we also noted that Larry would have been far better off using a Lifetime Asset Protection Trust, instead of a will, to distribute his assets to his children upon his death.

Here, in the second part of this series, we'll look in depth at the different ways a Lifetime Asset Protection Trust would have benefited Larry's children—and the planning lessons we can take away from his mistake.

## Lifetime Asset Protection Trusts: Airtight Protection for Your Child's Inheritance

A Lifetime Asset Protection Trust is a unique estate planning vehicle specifically designed to protect your children's inheritance from unfortunate life events, such as divorce, debt, illness, and accidents. At the same time, the trust gives your children the ability to access and invest their inheritance, while retaining airtight asset protection for their entire lives.

For someone with as much wealth and as many heirs as Larry, a Lifetime Asset Protection Trust, built into his Living Trust, would have been an ideal vehicle to protect and pass on his assets. To see why, let's break down how these unique trusts work.

To avoid the court process of probate that's inherent with a will-based plan, most lawyers will advise you to put the assets you're leaving your kids in a revocable living trust—and this is the right move. But most living trusts are structured to distribute your assets outright to your children at certain ages or stages, such as one-third at age 25, half the balance at 30, and the rest at 35. Giving outright ownership of the trust assets in this way, however, leaves them at serious risk of being lost or squandered.

You see, once the assets are distributed to the beneficiary, all of the protection previously offered by your trust disappear. For example, creditors could take their money if it's paid to beneficiaries in an outright distribution. The same thing would be true if a beneficiary got divorced after receiving an inheritance, only it would be the ex-spouse who would claim a right to the funds in the divorce

settlement.

In contrast, a Lifetime Asset Protection Trust gives a Trustee of your choice full discretion on whether to make distributions or not. The Trustee has full authority to determine how and when the assets should be released based on the beneficiary's needs and the circumstances at the time. And you can even choose to make your beneficiary the Trustee of their own trust (with some restrictions) for even more flexibility and control.

For example, if a beneficiary is in the process of getting divorced or in the middle of a lawsuit, the Trustee could refuse to distribute any funds. Therefore, the Trust assets would remain shielded from a divorce or an order to pay damages resulting from a lawsuit.

And because the Trustee controls access to the inheritance, those assets are not only protected from outside threats like ex-spouses and creditors, but from your child's own poor judgment, as well. For example, if a beneficiary ever develops a substance abuse or gambling problem, the Trustee could withhold distributions until the appropriate treatment is received.

What's more, you can write up guidelines to the Trustee, providing him or her with clear directions about how you'd like the trust assets to be used for your beneficiaries. This ensures the Trustee is aware of your values and wishes when making distributions, rather than simply guessing what you would've wanted, which often leads to problems down the road.

In addition to airtight asset protection, a Lifetime Asset Protection Trust can also be set up to give your child hands-on experience managing financial matters, like investing, running a business, and charitable giving.

And asset Protection Trusts are not just for the super wealthy. Indeed, these protective trusts are even more useful if you're leaving a relatively modest inheritance, since the smaller the inheritance, the more at risk it is of getting wiped out by a single unfortunate event like a medical emergency or lawsuit.

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MARC

## SENIOR HAPPENINGS

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY! ...MARCH Birthdays\*



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\* To add your name to this distinguished list, please call the paper at 626.355.2737. YEAR of birth not required

## SENIOR ACTIVITIES IN SIERRA MADRE

**CHAIR YOGA** Every Monday and Wednesday, 10-10:45 am Chair yoga with Paul is coming back! Class will begin on Monday, August 10th and will be held in the Covered Pavilion in Memorial Park in front of the Senior Center. Please join us for some gentle stretching, yoga, balance exercise and overall relaxation. Class size is limited so please call 264-8923 to reserve your spot.

**HAWAIIAN AND POLYNESIAN DANCE CLASS** Every Friday, 10-10:45 am Class will also meet in the Covered Pavilion in Memorial Park in front of the Senior Center. Join the class with instructor Barbara as she leads you through the art of Hula. Please call 264-8923 with any questions.

Classes will maintain a distance of 6 ft between participants. ALL participants must be wearing masks for the duration of the class. All equipment used will be sanitized after each use before it is stored. Each participant is responsible for providing their own water, masks and needed equipment or supplies for each class. Please call the Community Services Department at 355-5278 with any questions or concerns.

## OCTOBER CRAFT

Wednesday, October 21, 11:00 am. Please join me as we try our hands at making Wooden Owl Ornaments. This will be a new type of program as we create our masterpieces via Zoom to ensure all of our safety. I will have all the supplies individually packaged and ready for pickup on Monday, October 19th pickup will be between 10:00 am-2:00 pm. I will have enough supplies for 10 participants. Reservations are required so please call 355-5278 x 704 to secure your spot. Please note that this is an ONLINE class that will be held via Zoom. We will not be meeting in the Hart Park House Senior Center.

## IDEAS

Do you have any ideas for programming? Is there a class or club you would like to see in our Senior Community? Please call or email Lawren Heinz with ideas or questions. 626-355-5278 x 704 lhein@cityofsierramadre.com

City staff are monitoring email communication daily, and although employees are minimizing direct engagement and interfacing less with the community, please note that voice messages, emails, and social media responses are being addressed in the most efficient and timely manner. If at any time additional information is needed, please contact City Hall Administrative Services at (626) 355-7135, Monday-Thursday from 7:30a – 5:30p, as they are taking messages and e-mailing the appropriate person. For messages that may trickle in otherwise, please note our team is remotely checking voicemail daily at the Community Services Department, (626) 355-5278 x702.

## SIERRA MADRE SENIOR COMMUNICATIONS PLAN

The City of Sierra Madre is following these procedures to provide current communication in light of COVID-19 and keep the Senior Community and families informed of essential information and resources. City staff are monitoring email communication daily, and although employees are minimizing direct engagement and practicing social distancing in the community, please note that voice messages, emails, and social media responses are being addressed in the most efficient and timely manner.

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Community Services Department will continue email communication with Senior residents and aging community members.

If you know of family members or neighbors who may benefit from accessing information electronically, and to receive the department's Seniors Newsletter via email but may not otherwise have been included on an email group list, please send your request with email address to the following team members: Lawren Heinz lhein@cityofsierramadre.com and Clarissa Lowe Clowe@cityofsierramadre.com.

City Social Media will continue via Facebook as well as Instagram, and information sharing will include updates as details becomes available.

**Mater Dolorosa - Sierra Madre Meal Pick-Up Program** provides seal-packaged frozen meals, 5-per person every Thursday, 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. at Hart Park House Senior Center 222 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Donations are accepted. Call (626) 355-5278; x702 or 704. **YWCA Intervale Meal Program** - Effective Wednesday, April 1, 2020

YWCA has transitioned their distribution of take home meals at the Sierra Madre Hart Park House Senior Center to a home-delivery meal program. Participants previously reserved for meal pick-up as of Wednesday, 3/25/20 were informed that they would begin to have their meals delivered to their homes, beginning Wednesday, April 1, 2020 until further notice.

## OUT TO PASTOR

A Weekly Religion Column by Rev. James Snyder



## WHAT'S SO PEASY ABOUT EASY?

I am nowhere to be found when it comes to crafts, remodeling, and just plain fixers-uppers. My carpentry skills are nowhere to be found even though I've looked for a long time. If I try to fix something, I make it worse than it was. Fixing is not my strong suit. On the other side of the parsonage, we have a different scenario. If the Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage cannot fix something, it cannot be broken. No matter what it is, it doesn't take her long to figure out how to fix it. Often she will spend time on the computer searching out a particular project and getting to know what needs to be done to fix it and get it up and running. I must say, and this is just between you and me, she has saved me quite a bit of money by fixing things up that would cost a lot to have them fixed at a professional place. If there is something wrong with my vehicle, I first present it to my wife. I have yet to find something broken in my vehicle that she cannot fix. Once there was a fender on my vehicle that was loose and almost falling apart. The Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage looked at it, thought about it, and then went into the house and got a huge paperclip, brought it out, and fixed the fender. That was five years ago, and it's still fixed. When she fixed it, she said, "Well, that was easy-peasy."

She says that every time she fixes something and then looks at me and smiles. The first 100 times she said that, I didn't think too much of it. But as of late, I've been trying to figure out what in the world she means by "easy-peasy."

I know I could sit down and ask her to explain it to me. I tried it once, and she just looked at me, smiled, and said, "Oh, you silly boy. You know exactly what I mean."

I returned her smile even though I had no idea what in the world she was talking about. If I ever find out what the phrase "easy-peasy" means, I may be able to understand my wife a little better. No matter what she puts her hands to do, it's easy-peasy for her.

This has been a wonderful relationship for us. If there's something I can break, she can fix it. If there is something that she cannot fix, I simply cannot break it. That has made life rather easy-peasy.

Once in a while, she will ask me to come and help her with something. My job, of course, is to move something too heavy for her to move. And then after I sweat my neck off and move that thing, she

will always say, "Well, that was easy-peasy, wasn't it?"

I thought about that for some time and began to realize that sweating my neck off is what she means by "easy-peasy."

The other day I was sitting in my office reflecting on a few things. The wife was out doing some shopping, so I had some quiet time. Sitting there, I looked around and then began to walk through the house, and I couldn't believe how many things had her fingerprint on them.

When something breaks in our home, we don't call a repairman; we just call Ms. Easy-Peasy who can fix anything and everything.

Even when the situation calls for the AC technician to come and fix our AC, she tells him what's wrong and how to fix it.

The last time the AC technician came and fixed our AC, and as he was leaving, she said to him, "Well, that was easy-peasy, wasn't it?" As he went out the front door, he smiled and said, "Yes, it certainly was."

Not everything in life is "easy-peasy." Many things are very difficult, at least from my perspective. Having someone in the house who can fix and repair everything is quite remarkable, not the least in saving money.

Then I had an excellent thought. How much money could we make if we started our fix-it-up business? I think I would call the business "Ms. Easy-Peasy Unlimited." I could hire her out to fix everything in our neighborhood and beyond.

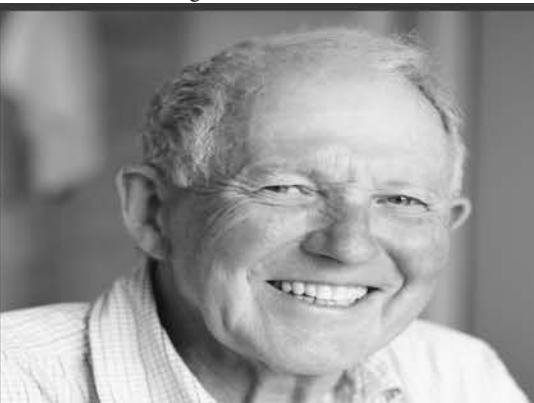
She could fix everything, and I could count the money she makes. I can count the money; I just can't make money. I think it would be a great business, and every time she would come home from a job, I could say, "Well, that was easy-peasy," as I counted the money for the day.

Of course, the more I thought about it, the more I realized that with such a business I would not see her very often. So much that needs to be fixed out in our world, and she would be gone all the time.

To me, that would not be "easy-peasy." No matter how much money we could make with "Ms. Easy-Peasy Unlimited," it wouldn't be worth not having her around the house all the time.

As I was thinking of this, a verse of Scripture came to my mind. "And the Lord God said, It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him an help meet for him" (Genesis 2:18). I'm wondering if maybe that is the reason God gave Adam his Eve.

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ANIMALS  
IN OUR OWN WORDS

If you happen to cross my path on any given day in Sierra Madre, and if we happen to strike up a conversation along the way, you can be sure the topic of our talk will be, in some way, related to animals. There is a reason why, after years of working in an office or on a construction site, I chose to occupy my time with the fine, furry felines and kind canines in my community. If you ask me, there is nothing more rewarding, nor is there a more prestigious position than that of simply being beside a beloved, precious pet.

Happy Tails

by Chris Leclerc



For several years I've shared my feelings and opinions freely about the importance of animals in this column, and I imagine there are readers who may think I am quite a character for the way I refer to pets as if they are part human or part of the family. Well, that's okay with me. I will always stand strong on my conviction that God created the animals for an express purpose far and away beyond what the average human can truly appreciate.

For those humans who have come to an understanding of how animals can change their lives for the better, I'm sure you will enjoy this Happy Tail. This week I decided to share a list of quotes from some of my more renowned fellow animal lovers, including a few words inspired by the Creator Himself. I often subscribe to such quotes when I need a spiritual lift, and I am pleased to know there've been numerous other two-leggers throughout history who've had experiences similar to my own, in terms of loving and appreciating the animals.

Some of these quotes are rather whimsical in nature, while others are more austere, but they all make a point that I hope will not be lost in interpretation; That the animals have made their mark in a very special way, in our hearts and on this earth. Be the steward God intended you to be. Respect them. Care for them. Love them.

"Animals are my friends...and I don't eat my friends." ~ George Bernard Shaw

"The godly care for their animals, but the wicked are always cruel." ~ Proverbs 12:10 (NIV)

"The greatness of a nation and its moral progress can be judged by the way its animals are treated." ~ Mahatma Gandhi

"Some people talk to animals. Not many listen though. That's the problem." ~ A.A. Milne, Winnie-the-Pooh

"People speak sometimes about the 'bestial' cruelty of man, but that is terribly unjust and offensive to beasts, no animal could ever be so cruel as a man, so artfully, so artistically cruel." ~ Fyodor Dostoyevsky

"I am fond of pigs. Dogs look up to us. Cats look down on us. Pigs treat us as equals." ~ Winston S. Churchill

"I ask people why they have deer heads on their walls. They always say because it's such a beautiful animal. There you go. I think my mother is attractive, but I have photographs of her." ~ Ellen DeGeneres

"A dog is the only thing on earth that loves you more than he loves himself." ~ Josh Billings

"Heaven goes by favor. If it went by merit, you would stay out and your dog would go in." ~ Mark Twain

"The assumption that animals are without rights and the illusion that our treatment of them has no moral significance is a positively outrageous example of Western crudity and barbarity. Universal compassion is the only guarantee of morality." ~ Arthur Schopenhauer, The Basis of Morality

"Such short little lives our pets have to spend with us, and they spend most of it waiting for us to come home each day. It is amazing how much love and laughter they bring into our lives and even how much closer we become with each other because of them." ~ John Grogan, Marley and Me: Life and Love With the World's Worst Dog

"Petting, scratching, and cuddling a dog could be as soothing to the mind and heart as deep meditation and almost as good for the soul as prayer." ~ Dean Koontz, False Memory

"I have from an early age abjured the use of meat, and the time will come when men such as I will look upon the murder of animals as they now look upon the murder of men." ~ Leonardo da Vinci

"If a dog will not come to you after having looked you in the face, you should go home and examine your conscience." ~ Woodrow Wilson

"Until one has loved an animal, a part of one's soul remains unawakened." ~ Anatole France

"Love and let live." ~ Chris Leclerc

Katnip News!



A "PURR-FECT" PAIR!

Think nachos and oreos! Yes, Nacho and Clyde are definitely yum yums and very adoptable! Age 11 mos. Both are very friendly. They are a bonded pair who love batting spring toys, chasing catnip mice,



and grooming each other. Both had a bit of a rough start but as long as they have each other, they're very happy. Nacho is a ginger cat who loves to play "fetch" and will bring toys to his person to throw for him. Clyde is a soft tuxedo with a fluffy feathery tail who loves to jump in the air to catch toys, and explores any box or bag he can find. Clyde also enjoys cuddles, and will happily let his person brush and pet him. This dynamic duo can often be found watching out the window for squirrels or peacocks (they still don't know what to make of the resident peacocks). Nacho will adapt quickly to a new home, and Clyde will follow Nacho's lead. We believe they would do best with an experienced adopter who can manage some of their behaviors. In particular, while both are very food-motivated, Nacho will try to eat any food he can find, including human food, so his forever home will need to be vigilant about not leaving food (or even empty dishes) on counters or in the sink, and Nacho will need to be fed in a separate room to allow Clyde to eat his own dinner. We can advise on best strategies. See more pictures, adoption information and application on our website at the Young Cats page at [www.lifelineforpets.org](http://www.lifelineforpets.org).

Pet of the Week

Eleven-year-old Max has had an interesting life so far – he actually used to be a bomb-sniffing dog! But he's retired now, and just looking for a happy home to call his own. Max is great with people of all ages, good with other dogs, and potty-trained. All he needs now is a comfy couch and a loving person to curl up with!

The adoption fee for dogs is \$150. All dog adoptions include spay or neuter, microchip, and age-appropriate vaccines.

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View photos of adoptable pets and schedule a virtual adoption appointment at [pasadenahumane.org](http://pasadenahumane.org). Adoptions are by appointment only, and new adoption appointments are available every Sunday at 10:00 a.m. for the following week.

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File No. 2021049251  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SWEETTOOTH FOODTOPIRY 3900 SAN FERNANDO ROAD UNIT 1313, GLENDALE, CA 91204. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) VICTOR IULIA CHERVIKHOVA 3900 SAN FERNANDO ROAD UNIT 1313, GLENDALE, CA 91204. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: IULIA CHERVIKHOVA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/26/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/20/21. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021052387  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MAJEDI CONSULTING SERVICES 49 TIERRA PLANO, RANCHO SANTA MARGARITA, CA 92688. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MIKE MAJEDI 49 TIERRA PLANO, RANCHO SANTA MARGARITA, CA 92688. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: MIKE MAJEDI, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 03/02/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/01/18. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021028670  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: LIFT IT MOVING 19111 HAMLIN ST. APT. 6, RESEDA, CA 91066. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) TOP MOVERS GLOBAL, INC. 19111 HAMLIN ST. APT. 6, RESEDA, CA 91335. This Business is conducted by A CORPORATION. Signed: TOP MOVERS GLOBAL, INC. BAKHTIARZHAN LATYPOV, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/03/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/02/2021. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021-053349  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: FANTASTIC CAFE, 410 MAIN ST., EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SUE LEE, 410 MAIN ST., EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: FRANK LEE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 03/02/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 07/20/2004. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021-049775  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: HECTOR Y L FISH, MANAGER, 10609 SAN CARLITO AVE, SOUTH GATE, CA 90280. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOSE GUADALUPE LOPEZ MARMOLEJO, 10609 SAN CARLOS AVE, SOUTH GATE, CA 90280. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: JOSE GUADALUPE LOPEZ MARMOLEJO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/25/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/02/21. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021-048946  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: IRIDE, 19360 RINALDI ST # 537, PORTER RANCH, CA 91326. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) PRIME EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT, 19360 RINALDI ST # 537, PORTER RANCH, CA 91326. This Business is conducted by A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. Signed: PARMINDER K. JOEA. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 03/02/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/20/21. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021-053355  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: LLINK AUTO SALES LLC, 11455 EXCELSIOR DR, NORWALK, CA 90650. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) LLINK AUTO SALES LLC, 11455 EXCELSIOR DR, NORWALK, CA 90650. This Business is conducted by A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. Signed: NICOLAS ACOSTA. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 03/02/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021-048667  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: NORTHEAST AUTOBODY PARTS, 2023 1/2 GATES ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90031. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) CELIA M ORTIZ SIBRIAN, 2023 1/2 GATES ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90031. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: CELIA M ORTIZ SIBRIAN. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/24/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021-053322  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SOUTHPARK DOGGIELAND-LA DOGGIELAND, DOGGIELAND-LA, SOUTHPARK DOGGIE LA THEME PARK, 147 W 24TH STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90007. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SOUTHPARK DOGGIE LA, 1320 S GRAND AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90015. This Business is conducted by A CORPORATION. Signed: GAREGIN KHACHATRYAN. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 03/02/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021-043757  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: TRUE BIRTHING, 22031 SOUTH SALMON AVENUE, CARSON, CA 90810. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RAQUEL SALAZAR, 22031 SOUTH SALMON AVENUE, CARSON, CA 90810. This Business is conducted by A CORPORATION. Signed: RAQUEL SALAZAR. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/18/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC  
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FILE NO. 2021-052841  
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
The following person(s) GABRIEL DOMIGUEZ, 116 W CLAUDE STREET, COMPTON, CA 90220. OSCAR MACIAS, 117 W CLAUDE STREET, COMPTON, CA 90220. has/ have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: LA AUTO CRAFT, 330 W ALONDRA BLVD, COMPTON, CA 90220. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 03/02/2021, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2020023061. The business was conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 01/29/2020. 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.) OSCAR MACIAS/ GABRIEL DOMIGUEZ  
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FILE NO. 2021-045804  
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
The following person(s) PROTEIN QUALITY CONTROL, 2100 BATSON AVE APT 186, ROWLAND HEIGHTS, CA 91746. has/ have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: PROTEIN QUALITY CONTROL, 2100 BATSON AVE APT 186, ROWLAND HEIGHTS, CA 91746. This statement was filed on 02/08/2021, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2019033283. The business was conducted by: A CORPORATION. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 02/05/2021. 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.) ROSALIA ZAMBRANO/SECRETARY  
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FILE NO. 2021-053782  
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
The following person(s) GLEYDIS RODRIGUEZ GONZALEZ, 7615 E FIRESTONE BLVD, DOWNEY, CA 90241. has/ have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: VENTURA JEWELRY, 7615 E FIRESTONE BLVD, DOWNEY, CA 90241. This statement was filed on 03/05/2021, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2020292921. The business was conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 02/05/2021. 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.) GLEYDIS RODRIGUEZ GONZALEZ/ OWNER  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021-040958  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CALIFORNIA ADVERTISING & PRINTING, 19141 COLIMAR RD STE A, ROWLAND HEIGHTS, CA 91768. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) LAURA CHANG, 12410 BURNING STAR AVE, APT 3D, SEAL BEACH, CA 90740. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: LAURA CHANG. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/08/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021-040958  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SEAHY STREET, 1519 E. CHAPMAN AVE #205, FULLERTON, CA 92831. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) DELMA DUARTE, 1519 E. CHAPMAN AVE #205, FULLERTON, CA 92831. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: DELMA DUARTE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/15/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC  
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FILE NO. 2021046370  
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
The following person(s) ALFRED AMIRIAN 2131 N. LAMER ST. BURBANK, CA 91504 has/ have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: TONY'S AUTO WASH, 2131 N. LAMER ST. BURBANK, CA 91504. This fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 04/26/2014 in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2012010402. This Business was conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 02/23/2021. The business information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) SIGNED: ALFRED AMIRIAN, OWNER  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021038642  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DAD TRANSNATION, 9233 CANTER LANE SUN VALLEY, CA 91352. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) DAVIT MIKAYEL DAVTYAN 9233 CANTER LANE SUN VALLEY, CA 91352. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: DAVIT MIKAYEL DAVTYAN. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/22/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/20/21. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021053351  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: TUXEDO'S BY MIKE TAILORING & ALTERATIONS 7190 W SUNSET BLVD LOS ANGELES, CA 90046. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ALINA TER SAHAKIAN 7190 W SUNSET BLVD LOS ANGELES, CA 90046. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ALINA TER SAHAKIAN - OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/12/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/20/21. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021038343  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: NO COLOR LINES 10100 SANT MONICA BLVD., SUITE 300, LOS ANGELES, CA 90067. NO COLOR LINES 366 E. 55TH ST. LOS ANGELES, CA 90011. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) GENEVA BRITTANY BRYANT 366 E. 55TH ST. LOS ANGELES, CA 90011. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: GENEVA BRITTANY BRYANT, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/21/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/20/21. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021042672  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ALL GLASS WORK 17350 VANOWEN ST, LAKE BALBOA, CA 91406. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) HADI SAFA, 17350 VANOWEN ST, LAKE BALBOA, CA 91406. This Business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: HADI SAFA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/17/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 03/05/15. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021041933  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CRY RECYCLING SOLUTIONS 26104 ADAMOR ROAD CALABASA, CA 91302.

Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RECYCLING SOLUTION SYSTEMS, INC. 26104 ADAMOR ROAD CALABASA, CA 91302. This Business is conducted by A CORPORATION. Signed: RECYCLING SOLUTION SYSTEMS, INC. AMERIEA CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/17/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/02/21. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021042664  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: UNITY ONENESS CHURCH 11606 HAMLIN ST APT 2, NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA 91606. UNITY ONENESS CHURCH 1018 9TH ST APT 1, SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SANCTUARY COMMUNITY RESOURCE INC. 11606 HAMLIN ST APT 2, NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA 91606. This Business is conducted by A CORPORATION. Signed: DANNY ROJAS, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/17/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 06/01/19. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021046125  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: WINNETKA RESTAURANT & LOUNGE 7156 WINNETKA AVE, WINNETKA, CA 91306. WINNETKA RESTAURANT & LOUNGE 7156 WINNETKA AVE, WINNETKA, CA 91306. This Business is conducted by A CORPORATION. Signed: LA PALMA ART, INC., ARTIST ADRIAN L. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/22/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/20/21. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021043284  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: AMERICANA ANNABIS COMPANY 1203 E CESAR E CHAVEZ AVE LOS ANGELES, CA 90033. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) LOS ANGELES GROUP 1333 WASHINGTON BLVD SHERMAN OAKS, CA 91406. This Business is conducted by A CORPORATION. Signed: LOS ANGELES GROUP, JAIME MORENO, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/18/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/20/21. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021043024  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PAMPALM PARTNERSHIP 3909 VICTORY BLVD UNIT 115, LAKE BALBOA, CA 91406. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) VICTOR HUGO VALLE 16529 VICTORY BLVD UNIT 115, LAKE BALBOA, CA 91406. JUAN JOSE PEREZ, 16529 VICTORY BLVD UNIT 115, LAKE BALBOA, CA 91406. This Business is conducted by A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed: VICTOR HUGO VALLE, PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/18/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 09/20/20. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News/JDC  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 2021036529  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RUSHMORE 21200 W OXNARD ST #261, WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91367. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) AARK GLOBAL LLC 21200 W OXNARD ST #261, WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91367. This Business is conducted by A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. Signed: AARK GLOBAL LLC, MANAGING PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/10/2021. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 09/20/20. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: ESMountain Views News/JDC  
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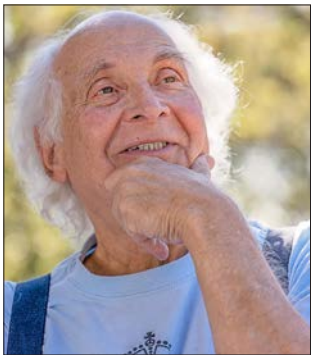


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STUART TOLCHIN



THINKING ABOUT THINKING

Lately, in connection with the letter I am intending to write to my one and a half year old granddaughter which I hope she will read in about twenty years, I have given considerable thought to my own values. I have asked for suggestions from long kept and valued friends and have gone so far as to actually borrow a book from another friend. The book is one that he just had lying around entitled “Philosophy of Mind.” I struggled through the book and am now certain that I understand very little about this vast subject which includes discussions about what is the nature of consciousness? Does all knowledge come through the senses? Or are some ideas innate? Am I the same person I was as a baby leading to the question of whether my granddaughter will be the same wonderful person at the age twenty years that she is now at the age of twenty months. Are we free to choose how we act or are actions pre-determined by physical, neural, and sociological causes. If it is all predetermined should we be held formally responsible for what we do? Fair or not, the answer is Yes!

Yesterday, after thinking about this stuff I identified certain principles which I believed appropriate to convey to my granddaughter. First I believe it is important to develop good friendships and cherish these people. I believe it is important to freely tell stories to one another and to relish stories about one another childhoods, parents, and grandparents. It is important to be curious and creative and of equal importance to everything is to sleep on a good mattress and get enough sleep. I admit that I am not a good sleeper and spend a great deal of time awake in bed when it would be preferable for my health and disposition to be asleep.

Of late, I have found a fairly acceptable solution to my undesired late night wakefulness. I have regularly applied myself, soon after midnight, to a continual attempt to reach the Genius level of the New York Times Spelling Bee. Last night, feeling myself a failure I actually fell asleep until almost 3:00 A.M. Perhaps you can guess what happened as it is really not that unusual. I awoke with an unfamiliar word in my head; for the record, the word was “flagella”. Never heard of it, right? Me either! Anyway, hooray, I was a “Genius” again. I was elated, relaxed, and spread my arms and realized there was someone or something in bed with me.

No it wasn't my wife. In my late seventies it has become preferable to maintain separate bedrooms. Anyway, this other occupant was tiny and furry and I realized that for the moment I had forgotten that earlier in the day connected to thoughts about what was important, my son and I had gone to the Priceless Pet Orphanage and, on our own had adopted a dog contrary to the wishes of my wife who emphasized that she would have nothing to do with the dog and his maintenance would be totally my responsibility. I brought the dog home, who immediately seemed to prefer my wife, but pursuant to our agreement brought the dog upstairs with a comfortable blanket so he could sleep on the floor of my room or on the recliner. When I realized he was there cuddled against me at 3:00 A.M. I told him to get down and to sit and he immediately followed instructions. I told myself the story that based on his understanding of human command he was obviously a trained dog, someone's precious pet who had been abandoned and then rescued. I told myself the story that he had belonged to some older person who had been hospitalized by the Covid virus and probably perished leaving the dog abandoned. I became completely depressed and remained so for hours.

I called the adoption rescue shelter this morning hoping to learn a little of the dog's history and they knew little. Meanwhile, of course, my wife and the dog have bonded. I think the point of this whole article about thinking is that no matter what we think will happen something else always occurs and we all do our best just to attempt to understand.

At least that's what I think I think.



Senior Moments  
'I-CAN'T-FIND' EDITION



LEFT, RIGHT OR CENTER!

TOM PURCELL



BELIEVE IT OR NOT, MONEY ISN'T THE KEY TO HAPPINESS

Get this: A study by McGill University has found that more money does not necessarily make people in low-income countries happier.

I like more money as much as the next guy, but that does not surprise me.

People in developing countries like Bangladesh may not have high incomes and own lots of nice material things, but they do have an abundance of two key sources of happiness: More contact with family and nature.

McGill's study backs me up.

Sara Minarro, the lead author, says in Futurity.org that the people interviewed reported that what was responsible for making them happy was the greater proportion of time they spent with their families and in contact with nature (many of the people interviewed were fisherman).

As Chris Barrington-Leigh, a professor in McGill's Bieler School of the Environment, explained, "When people are comfortable, safe, and free to enjoy life within a strong community, they are happy – regardless of whether or not they are making any money."

A number of recent studies have come to a very similar conclusion.

A 2017 study by the University of British Columbia found that spending money to buy free time, such as paying others to cook or clean for you, does improve happiness, leave you feeling less stressed and generally more satisfied with life.

Beyond that, however, money does not necessarily make us happier.

According to Time magazine, Dan Gilbert, a Harvard University psychology professor and the author of "Stumbling on Happiness," believes that having money has some obvious benefits but also limitations.

"Once you get basic human needs met," Gilbert says, "a lot more money doesn't make a lot more happiness."

Research shows, reports Time, that "going from earning less than \$20,000 a year to making more than \$50,000 makes you twice as likely to be happy, yet the payoff for then surpassing \$90,000 is slight."

In other words, once you have enough money to pay your bills and enjoy going out to dinner now and then, additional increases in wealth do not necessarily correspond with greater happiness – or, as one of the academic studies called it, "greater life satisfaction."

I remember talking with elderly family members, no longer with us, at a family gathering a few years ago.

They told me stories about growing up in Pittsburgh during the Great Depression. They had no money at all – but had no idea they were poor.

Their neighborhood was rich with humanity – kindly old characters, people watching out for them and lots of friends to play with.

They said it took forever to walk to the store and back because so many people stopped them to say hello.

They told me they felt sorry for kids today who have so much material wealth but will never know the deep connections they had with so many neighbors and friends when they were growing up. But we know all this.

We all know that the happiest moments in our own lives involve friends and family.

These are the people who affect the deeper part of our nature, our spirits and souls, where true happiness resides.

These are the people who can make us laugh so hard our guts hurt – or who are there to help us when we're down and out and in need of advice or just someone to talk to.

Yet too many of us today spend most of our waking hours not nurturing our friends and families but chasing success and money and a bigger house.

Sadly, we don't experience the "life satisfaction" that people in some of the poorest countries on Earth enjoy every day – as the true happiness that is right under our noses eludes us.

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A GAME TO REMEMBER AND AN EVEN BETTER STORY

RICH MANIERI



The basketball game ended. Then, something happened that I haven't seen.

Every member of the winning team stood and cheered the players they had just defeated; six members of the Asbury University women's basketball team. There were only six Asbury players in uniform to laud. The rest of the team was in COVID quarantine.

The standing ovation was an acknowledgement by the winners, from West Virginia Tech, that they had just witnessed something unusual, something heroic. This was more than a ceremonial handshake or fist bump. This was a tribute to the extraordinary.

Tech took the last shot in a 72-72 game, a desperate three-pointer as the buzzer blared. It was perfect. The Tech players mobbed the shooter at midcourt. But as the defeated Asbury players left the floor, most of them in tears, the winning team and the crowd stood as one, in appreciation for six young women who had given every bit of themselves for each other and for those who weren't here.

This is a good story and one that needs telling because you probably haven't heard about it. Nor will you. It isn't big enough. Small-college basketball. It wasn't on TV and no one will be discussing it on sports talk radio tomorrow. But it happened.

The sports-as-a-metaphor-for-life theme is overused. But if there's a better example of what a handful of young people are capable of when their greatest attributes are faith and commitment, I haven't seen it, at least not in person.

On a rainy Saturday afternoon in Wilmore, KY, on Asbury's campus, the Lady Eagles basketball took the floor in a River States Conference semifinal against a powerful West Virginia Tech team. The Eagles consisted of one senior starter and five freshmen. The remaining starters and leading scorers weren't in the building. The purple and gray jerseys of those not here were draped over their seats on the bench.

With the same six players in uniform, the Eagles had already stunned a good Oakland City University (Indiana) team two days earlier, winning by 10 in the conference quarterfinal. It was the story of the year, at least so far. The conference had asked the Eagles if they even wanted to play the game.

"Not playing never entered our minds," Eagles head coach Chad Mayes said.

But Tech would be a much taller order. A better team with its full roster of players against an Eagles team which would, once again, start four true freshmen, two of whom saw very little playing time during the season. It seemed only a matter of time before the upstarts would run out of gas and hit a wall. Truth is, it would have surprised no one had the Eagles lost by 25 – no one except the Eagles players themselves, who were unfazed by their circumstances.

Every time it looked as if Tech was ready to take control, the Eagles found a reserve, even taking an eight-point lead in the second half. This was Miracle, Hoosiers and Karate Kid in the making before our eyes.

Back and forth they went, as the lead changed hands multiple times in 40 minutes. With 53 seconds remaining, that game was tied at 72.

The Eagles had a chance to take the lead but barely missed a driving layup attempt that rolled around the rim and out. Tech would hold for one last shot.

With time running out and nowhere to go, a Tech player launched a three-pointer that seemed to rest, temporarily, on a shelf in midair. And down it went.

As the Tech players piled on one another at midcourt, there stood Asbury's six – freshmen Kayla Harlow, Spencer Harvey, Trinity Shearer, Paige Taylor, Emma Strunk and senior Kelsey Johnson – drained, staring in disbelief at the scoreboard.

No, this wasn't Hoosiers. Rocky, maybe, but not Hoosiers. And then it became something even better.

As the Tech players stood and applauded the six Eagles as they left the floor, I couldn't help but think of what those who weren't here, in this central Kentucky gym on Saturday, were missing.

It was perseverance in purple and gray. No excuses, no hesitation. It was mutual respect between rivals; a deep appreciation for one another, even those on the other side. It was selflessness embodied and a willingness to sacrifice, body and soul, for teammates.

A good story indeed. The heroes just happened to be basketball players.

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1916 - Margaret Sanger opens the first birth control clinic

1849 - Elizabeth Blackwell becomes the first American woman to receive a medical degree

1903 - Marie Curie is awarded the Nobel Prize for Physics for the discovery of radioactivity

1928 - Women compete for the first time in Olympic field events

1854-1860 - Susan B. Anthony crusades for women's rights in the United States and internationally

1966 - National Organization for Women (NOW) is founded

1920 - With the passage of the 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, U.S. women get to vote

1542 - Mary, Queen of Scots is the first known female golfer

1969 - Golda Meir becomes prime minister of Israel.

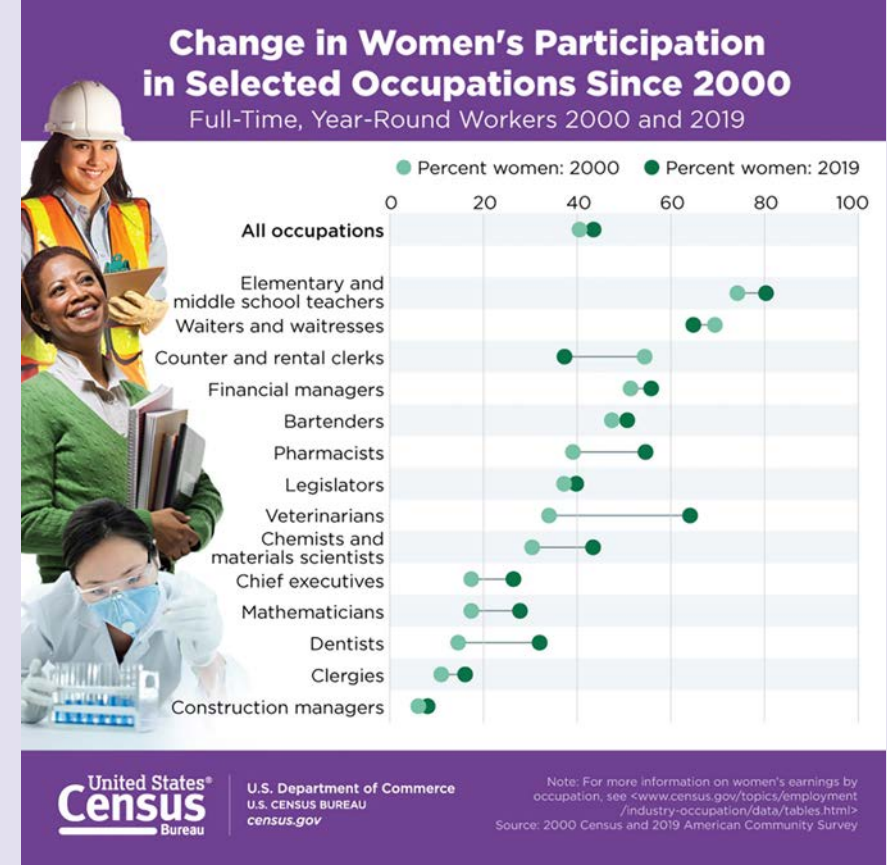
2570 B.C. - Queen Nefertari rules Egypt, calling herself "God's wife."

# Women's History Month

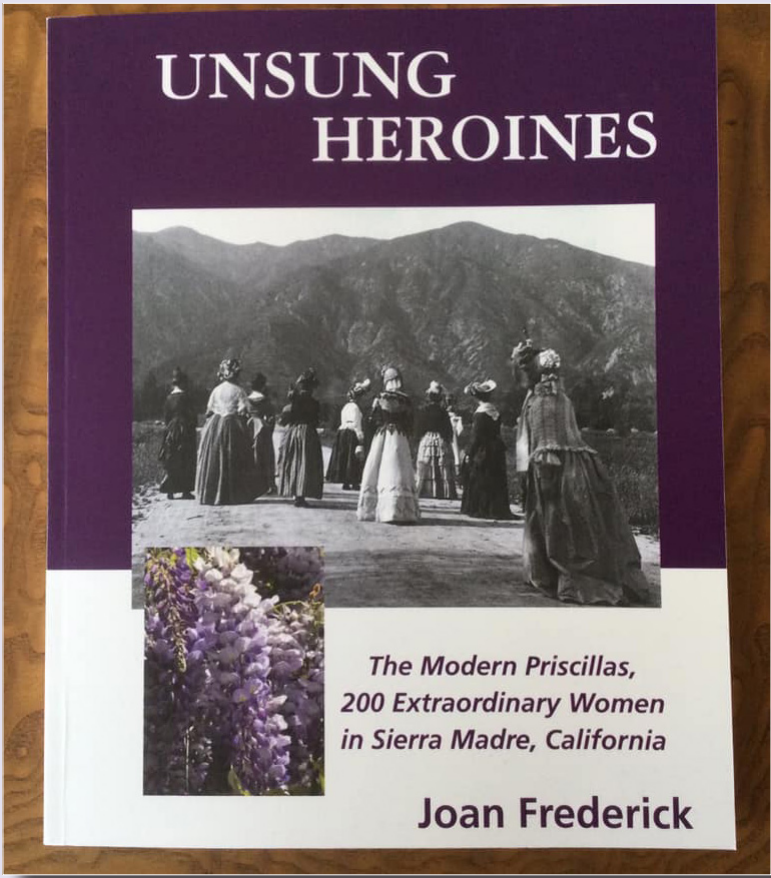
National Women’s History Month traces its roots to March 8, 1857, when women from various New York City factories staged a protest over poor working conditions. The first Women’s Day celebration in the United States was in 1909, also in New York City. More than seven decades later, Congress in 1981 established National Women’s History Week to be commemorated annually the second week of March. In 1987, Congress expanded the week to a month, and every year since has passed a resolution (and the president has issued a proclamation) designating March Women’s History Month.

As we celebrate Women’s History Month 2021, we reflect upon advances women have made over the last decade. Women have increased their earnings and education, fields of occupation and continued to live longer than men. Below are stats from Census Bureau surveys highlighting how women’s employment has changed over the years. We appreciate the public’s cooperation in helping us measure America’s people, places and economy.

Did You Know?  
166.6 million  
The number of females in the United States as of July 2019. There were 161.7 million males. In 2010, there were 157 million females and 151.8 million males.  
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THANKS TO VICE PRESIDENT KAMALA HARRIS, THE POWER OF WOMEN WILL NEVER BE THE SAME

By Reecie Colbert, BlackWomenViews Media

OPINION: Vice President Kamala Harris shattered a 200-year-old glass ceiling in November 2020. As a Black woman, she brings both cultural and gender competency to the most powerful table in the country.

Two hundred and thirty-three years ago as the United States Constitution established the role of vice president, it also enshrined the rights of southern states to continue to enslave over half a million Black Americans; and granted latitude to local and state governments to deny free Black Americans the rights and protections of full citizenship.

Undoubtedly, the prospect of a woman vice president would have been unfathomable to a group that prohibited women from participating in the framing and ratification of the Constitution. Yet in 2021, we commemorate a new historic achievement this Women’s History Month: the first woman, Black person, and person of Asian descent as vice president.

In becoming the 49th vice president of the United States, former San Francisco District Attorney, California Attorney General and United States Senator Kamala Harris shattered a two-centuries-old glass ceiling.

The significance of having a woman, especially a Black woman, occupy the country’s second-highest office cannot be overstated. Harris’ win is both inspiring and transformational. As a Black woman, Kamala Harris brings both cultural and gender competency to the most powerful table in the country.

Issues like Black maternal and infant mortality — which have long been on the back burner — now find a champion in the White House. As Harris often states, she may be the first but will not be the last. The diversity of Harris’ staff, headed by Hartina Flournoy (the first-ever Black woman chief of staff to the vice president), makes it clear that Harris is continuing her tradition of creating a pipeline of women and Black leaders.

Vice President Kamala Harris’ success finally puts to bed the notion that women are unelectable political liabilities on a presidential ticket. Within 24 hours of Harris’ announcement as the Democratic vice presidential nominee, the Biden campaign received an astronomical \$26 million fundraising boost. Together, President Joe Biden and Vice President Kamala Harris won the 2020 election by a margin of 7 million votes ultimately receiving 81.2 million votes, the most in U.S. history. There is no better proof that women can win, than winning.

While the position of vice president has existed since 1789, it was not until 1939 the Office of the Vice President was established. With only three duties enumerated in the Constitution, presiding over the Senate, the counting of Electoral College votes before Congress, and impeachment trials, each administration has carved out its own portfolio for the vice president.

In recent history, the vice president has taken on substantially more power and distinction. President Biden often characterizes himself as a transitional figure, so it’s no surprise that he has wholeheartedly embraced and elevated the role of Vice President Kamala Harris to stand beside him rather than to stand back.

Harris has been visible to a seemingly unprecedented extent, giving her own separate address the day she and Biden were declared president-elect and vice president-elect, and being prominent during each unveiling of the Cabinet.

With Vice President Harris, women have now moved from a position of influence at the highest levels, to a position of power. While several first ladies have been credited with wielding considerable influence in their husband’s administration, with the Harris vice presidency that power comes out of the shadows to be exerted in an official capacity.

Pledging that Harris will be the last person in the room with him, President Biden has demonstrated that she is a trusted and valued decision-making partner. Biden has credited Harris with being heavily involved in all of the Cabinet selections, which are notably full of historic firsts and a gold standard for diversity.



Shattered glass portrait of Kamala Harris was unveiled on National Mall last month. The extraordinary new artwork, standing 6 feet tall and stretching 6 feet wide, was created by Swiss artist Simon Berger commemorating VP Harris, the first woman, Black and South Asian Vice President of the United States by creating an art piece made entirely of shattered glass. Berger immediately began working on the piece after the presidential election last November.

While Harris’ role as an expected frequent tiebreaker in the Senate has garnered much attention, her day-to-day work is concentrated in the executive branch. She is a member of the National Security Council, National Economic Council, and National Space Council as well as a recipient of the Presidential Daily Briefings.

Though Kamala Harris’ portfolio is not yet formally defined, her addressing the hardships of small business and the alarming decrease of women in the workplace spurred by the pandemic offers clues about her potential domestic focus. Reportedly, cybersecurity and global health will be Harris’ foreign policy focus.

Although just 6 of the 15 vice presidents who ascended to the presidency have done so through an election, Harris’ vice presidency makes the prospect of the country electing its first woman president more likely. Twelve vice presidents secured their party’s nomination, while 20 did not run for higher office.

The likelihood of Harris being the frontrunner for the Democratic Party’s nomination after Biden’s presidency in part explains why several studies reflect that she is already one of the most targeted politicians online; particularly with sexist or racist attacks on social media. Reports have also shown that media coverage of Harris at times has included sexist or racist tropes.

In large part thanks to her historic victory, Vice President Harris will be one of the most-watched politicians in the world. Her successes will be heralded as further evidence of how women are just as, if not more than, capable of leading as men.


With more than three decades of distinguished public service at every level of government, Vice President Kamala Harris is indisputably equipped to blaze the trail.






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