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El Segundo Seniors Finish School Year with Perfect Grades



El Segundo High School held a brunch last Friday for seniors with a 4.0 or higher average, their parents, and their families. Among the 57 students honored were (L-R) Malcom Au, Kami Namora, Quinn O'Connor, and Conor Langlois. See story, page 2. Photo by CeCe Stewart.

New Software Platform Aims to Increase City's Transparency

By Brian Simon

No matter who has served on the El Segundo City Council over the years, some citizens have inevitably come up to the podium and accused the group of a lack of transparency in decision-making. In fact, a plea for transparency occurred as recently as last week's Council meeting. Whether any of the allegations had any truth to them or were completely unfounded, the message was still clear: open government is a priority point of contention for local residents and particularly when it comes to financial matters.

In an effort to enhance the transparency of the City's operations to the public, a software program known as OpenGov is about to launch via the elsegundo.org website and also directly at elsegundoca.opengov.com. As it explains on its welcome message, the site provides a financial reporting platform that helps viewers "understand how the City of El Segundo spends and receives money." The clearly outlined pie charts and line graphs provide breakdowns of every City department's expenses and revenues going back to the 2008/09 fiscal year. "You can drill down to the department and division account level and you can see how much is spent on supplies or training, for example," said Finance Director Deborah Cullen. "This software allows you to go in and analyze any fund or account type. You can see monthly trends for the current budget year and compare those to prior years. This financial information has always been available in a standard report, but through this Web-based platform the data is displayed in a much more interactive format. It's quite a useful tool."

In addition to the general fund, OpenGov also offers detailed numbers for agency, capital

project, debt service, enterprise, internal services and special revenue funds, allowing viewers' access to track virtually every nickel and dime going in and out of the City. One can also filter the information by expense or revenue type and compare those numbers to the last five years and current budget. A window also allows sections of interest to be downloaded, and data may be copied and pasted into an Excel spreadsheet. Those inclined may even share the information via email, Facebook, Google or Twitter. "It's pretty interactive and intuitive," said Cullen.

Mayor Suzanne Fuentes originally brought

OpenGov to the attention of staff. She praised the program, saying that it "provides insight into the management of the City"--in particular for prospective business tenants considering a move to the community and wondering how the City spent its money and which costs remained static, increased or decreased. "I learned about OpenGov from a friend who was familiar with the product through his work with various cities and agencies," said Fuentes. "OpenGov will provide me the ability to determine trends in revenues and expenditures, as well as get fidelity in numbers instantly instead of sifting through

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School Board Honors Long-Time District Employees, Accepts Ed! Foundation Check

By Duane Plank

With the El Segundo Unified School District's 2013-14 school year winding down, bittersweet graduations at the High School and promotions taking place at the Middle School today, School Board members met Tuesday night to recognize many of the veteran District employees, some who will be retiring, and accepted a check from the Ed! Foundation for \$1,000,000.

The special presentation portion of the 100 - minute meeting featured the recognition of three District employees who will be retiring, five employees completing their twentieth year of employment in the District, and thirteen employees concluding their first ten years of District service.

The employees hanging up their teaching shingles are Rick Sabosky, High School Physical Education teacher; Sandy Sabosky, second grade instructor at Richmond Street School; and Center Street School third-grade instructor Marianna Tuscscherer.

The recognized long-term employees included those with 20 years of service to the District: Carlos Alvarado; Denise Azcuna; Stephanie Fuji; Monica Hale; and Cathy Hoffman.

Ten-year employees honored were Marisa Janicek; Marie Loye; Linal Miller; Christine Picon Van Duzer; Kim Stern; Gianna Summers; Laurie Cancino; Val Cardenas; Naheed Kahn; Rena Marquette-Paterson;

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Weekend Forecast

Friday
Partly
Cloudy
69°/59°



Saturday
AM Clouds/
PM Sun
71°/61°



Sunday
AM Clouds/
PM Sun
70°/60°



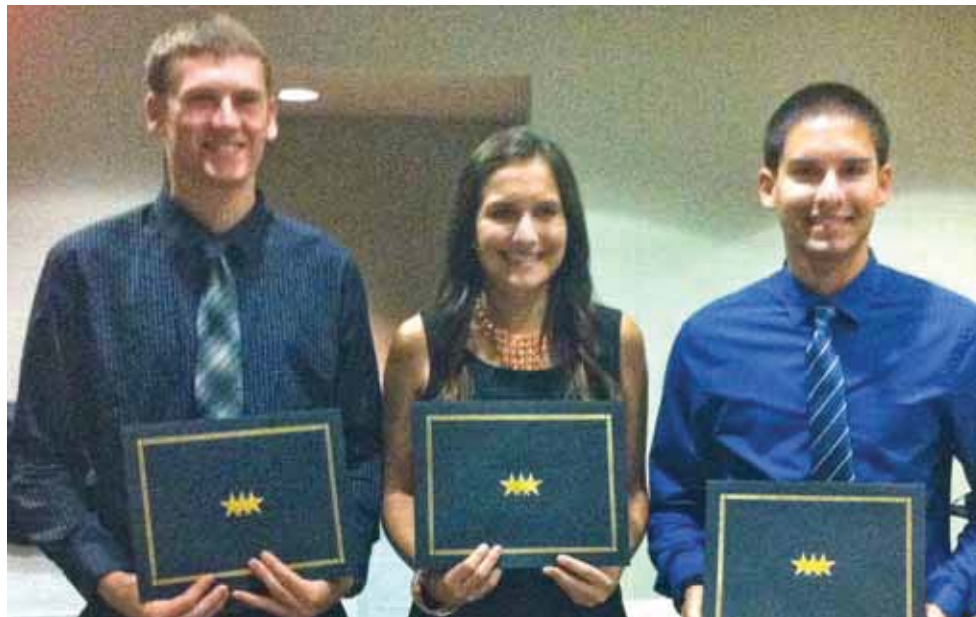
Business Briefs

Rotary Club Hosts Community Award Luncheon



On June 5, El Segundo Rotary Club hosted its annual Community Service Award Luncheon to honor four outstanding professionals from the El Segundo community. These individuals were chosen by their respective agencies as outstanding individuals who have a "service above self" attitude as well as an outstanding work ethic. This year's honorees are Firefighter Kenneth Schultz, Police Officer Luke Muir, US Postal Worker Brandon Jones, and Teacher Megan DeLong. Photo by Tom Forsythe.

ESHS Seniors Recognized at SoCalROC's A Night of All Stars



(L-R) Matthew Ramsouer, Kelsey Turnbull, and Austin Figueroa were recognized at the SoCalROC's A Night of All Stars, the annual scholarship dinner and recognition night held at the Crown Plaza Redondo Beach. Kelsey Turnbull received a School of Health Sciences' Virginia L. Riddle Memorial Scholarship; Austin Figueroa received a School of Art and Design's "The Vette Set" Scholarship; and Matthew Ramsouer also received a School of Art and Design's "The Vette Set" Scholarship. SoCalROC congratulated these fine students on their accomplishments at SoCalROC. Photo by Carol Watkins.

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Spotlight

Brunch Honors 4.0 Seniors at ESHS

By CeCe Stewart

Freshman at El Segundo High School

This past week, 57 seniors at El Segundo High School who received a 4.0 or above were invited to a brunch in their honor. Their parents and families amassed in the high school cafeteria to see their bright children receive their deserved honor. The room was decorated festively, and a delicious brunch including eggs, bacon, sausage, and waffles was served, because of course, breakfast is the most important meal of the day, and a good meal equals success. I like to think of it as a metaphor like that.

Interim Principal Ali Rabiei congratulated these scholars with a welcome speech to the brunch. Richard Sabosky, a PE teacher at ESHS for 29 years who is retiring this year, gave the keynote speech, and many students found this quote by Calvin Coolidge, our 30th President, quite moving, "Nothing in the world can take the place of Persistence. Talent will not; nothing is more common than unsuccessful men with talent. Genius will not; unrewarded genius is almost a proverb. Education will not; the world is full of educated derelicts. Persistence and determination alone are omnipotent. The slogan

'Press On' has solved and always will solve the problems of the human race." This quote inspires me, and hopefully other underclassmen to work as hard as possible to achieve our goals. Hopefully, we too will be invited to this brunch in the future years to come.

4.0+ student, Connor Langolis says this about his, and his peers, achievements: "It was extremely inspirational, and the presentation of the event reflected the effort the students put in, and the administration really show much they cared about the hard work of the students." Similarly, ASB President and Senior 4.0+ student Malcolm Au observed, "It was a great brunch honoring hard working students who deserve the recognition for the hard work over the years." Malcolm and Connor, along with the other students, are true inspirations and show that hard work truly does lead to success.

These 57 seniors provide astonishing inspiration to the underclassmen. Through them we see what is possible through hard work... Around the room, there were students going to such esteemed colleges as USC, UCLA, UC Davis, Harvard, Vanderbilt, UCSC, Berkeley, Johns Hopkins, Dartmouth, among others. Kudos to all!

Senior Awards Night at ESHS

By CeCe Stewart

On June 2nd, El Segundo High School held its annual Senior Awards Night. Families of the seniors were invited to our beautifully renovated auditorium to watch their students receive recognition for their accomplishments from local sponsors. About fifty diligent seniors were awarded scholarship from over 70 local businesses, organizations, families, and from the high school. The seniors who received these scholarships will all be attending college next year at schools that range from El Camino, Santa Monica College, Harvard, Iowa State, San Jose State, Occidental, the

UC campuses, among many others.

One name was heard so many times, that the audience had memorized this name by the end of the night. This was Hunter Gable. Hunter won an astounding 11 awards throughout the night. When I asked Hunter about these amazing wins, he said, "It was just such an honor to be recognized by so many people and organizations. My favorite part of El Segundo is that we have such a tight knit community, and I feel blessed to carry the ideals behind the scholarships with me as I take on college."

See *Senior Awards*, page 8

Letters

It Took a Village

Last month I returned from a 3-week vacation to the heat wave in El Segundo. I turned on my ceiling fan, which spooked my parrot. Grayson flew out the door. My parents helped make and distribute "Lost Parrot" fliers for the neighborhood, and I posted one on Facebook for friends to share.

Grayson and I spent a miserable night apart. I searched yards with my phone in case of news of his sighting. When he was returned to me later he had a snail trail across his back - he must have tried to sleep on the ground.

The next afternoon, Grayson walked up to Ms. Trisha Mullen and greeted her as she left

her house. She called the police. Police Officer Phil Stolnack's wife recognized Grayson from Facebook, where my post had gone viral. Animal Control Officer Joe Camagong caught Grayson carefully in a net.

Trisha's father and the officers called me and I was reunited with my baby... that's all I remember because I was crying.

Grayson and I can't stop saying "I love you" back and forth, and meaning it - we sound like we're on our honeymoon! I owe it all to the thoughtful and kind treatment of the Mullens, the E.S.P.D. and their spouses, my parents, kind neighbors, and the Facebook community.

- Michelle Leveille



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Calendar

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TUESDAY, JUNE 17

• City Council Meeting, 7 p.m. City Council Chambers. For more information

call (310) 524-2306.

FRIDAY, JUNE 20

• Free Computer Class: "Email Attachments", 8:30-10 a.m., El Segundo Library, 111 W. Mariposa Avenue. For more information call (310) 524-2728.

ONGOING

• Farmer's Market, Thursdays 3-7 p.m., Main St. between Holly and Pine Avenues. For more information call Val at (310) 615-2649.

• El Segundo Library open on Fridays from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. •

City's Transparency

from front page

huge Excel spreadsheets. Government has indigenous bureaucracy, so this tool offers agility to aid in the decision-making process. If El Segundo is to remain the aerospace and technology center of Southern California, we must stay current with tools to drive down costs, improve efficiency and provide data in real time."

Based in San Francisco, OpenGov has clients in 18 states. Among its more notable customers are the cities of Los Angeles, Culver City, Anaheim, Riverside and Thousand Oaks, as well as agencies such as the California State Lands Commission, Salinas Valley Solid Waste Authority and Hacienda La Puente Unified School District. On its home page, the company notes that its "platform empowers senior executives to see trends, drill down to transaction-level details, and compare actual spending to the budget. It also enables governments to share the financial data with elected officials and the public to improve communication and build trust."

Another perceived benefit to OpenGov is the ability to save City countless staff hours in gathering, formatting and reporting data by having current and prior fiscal year financial information instantly available at a moment's notice. "We also see this as a great benefit for

the various department heads, managers and of course the Council members themselves to have all the numbers immediately at-hand," added Cullen. "This is a big step for the community to be able to access our financial data 24/7 via a Web portal and the City management team is very pleased to be able to provide this option."

The City signed a one-year contract with OpenGov that is renewable annually and costs \$7,500. Data will be uploaded monthly in order to keep information as current as possible. "When Mayor Fuentes brought this to us, staff thought it would be a positive enhancement to be able to provide data to the public in a user-friendly format," said Cullen. "As far as for my department, this platform takes our existing financial data and it shows the results in a very streamlined fashion." Cullen added that while it didn't take very long to gather and send all the financial data to OpenGov, staff did spend several weeks ensuring the descriptions, departments, divisions, funds and other information were accurately built in before the site is officially up and running. "Transparency also means accuracy, so we made sure we double-checked everything and it's good to go." The City Council will see a brief demonstration of the software next week after which the site is expected to go live. •

Library Begins Summer Reading Program, Digitizes Herald

By Brian Simon

While budget cuts within the department could occur in the future due to the City's fiscal challenges, the El Segundo Public Library continues to forge onward with high patronage numbers and successful programs both old and new. Keeping in step with changing technology also continues to be a priority. According to Director Debra Brighton, the entire library recently upgraded to a fiber connection through City Hall that has increased Internet speeds at the facility and at online computer stations. "We will also be installing some new computer hardware to accommodate the higher speed connections," said Brighton. "We have been waiting for this upgrade to proceed, along with some other projects."

One project that has been nearly two years in the making is the long-awaited digitizing of the *El Segundo Herald*, which preserves over 4,600 editions of the community paper previously stored on microfilm for 10 decades

through 2008, along with all the subsequent print copies. "We'll soon have a key word-searchable database for issues going back to 1917 when the City was first incorporated," said Brighton. "This was funded by The Friends of the El Segundo Public Library and should be up on our website by the end of July. It will be maintained in upcoming years by the City." The Friends covered the first \$24,000 of the project costs for the digital conversion work, with the remaining \$20,000 for the program software upload and image maintenance coming from local business and citizen donations (including \$2,000 from the *Herald* itself). With precious few hard copies left of the old papers, the project ensures that vital records of El Segundo's history will never disappear.

Also of note, the Library is about to start the process of upgrading its 15-year-old online catalog and checkout system, called the Millennium. Doing so in the coming year

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Police Reports

Monday, June 2, 2014

Vehicle theft occurred between 1500 hours on 05/31/14 and 0600 hours on 06/02/14 in the 100 block of Kansas Street. Taken was a 1955 Travel Trailer

Burglary (commercial) report was taken at 0931 hours from the 200 block of North Douglas Street. Unknown suspect(s) gained entry into a business through unknown means. Taken was copper wiring from electrical boxes

Petty theft report was taken at 1618 hours from the 700 block of West Imperial Avenue. Suspect gave the victim a stolen I Phone 5C in exchange for the victim's used I Phone 5

Found property report was taken at 1838 hours from the 800 block of Main Street. A

set of keys were found at the location

An online lost property report was taken at 1950 hours from the 800 block of South Nash Street. A black wallet containing credit cards and a driver's license was lost at the location

One male adult was arrested at 1954 hours from Harbor UCLAMedical Center in Torrance for felony resistance to a peace officer

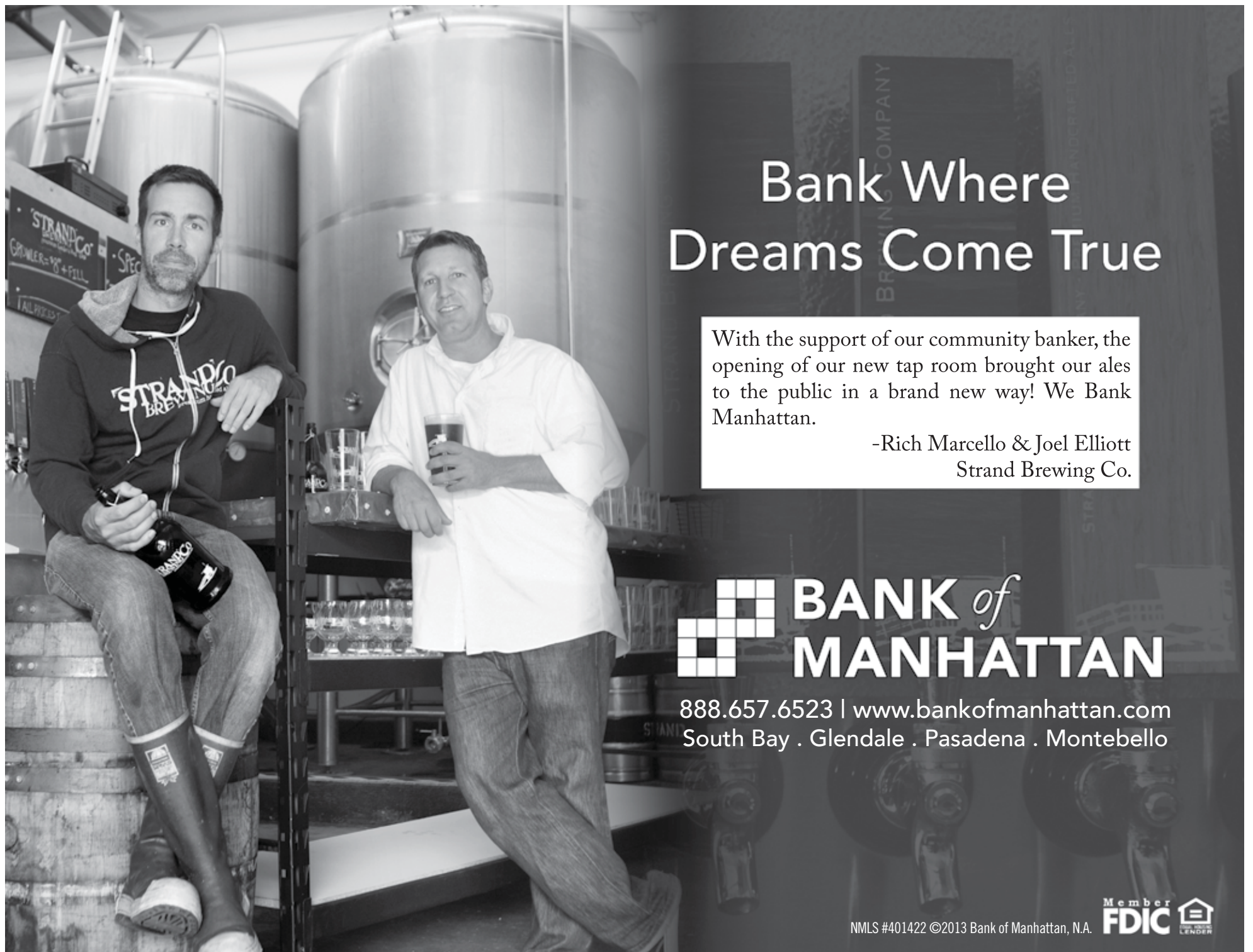
Tuesday, June 3, 2014

One male adult was arrested at 0103 hours from Rosecrans and Nash for misdemeanor DUI with a BAC of .08% or above

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One male adult was arrested at 0340 hours

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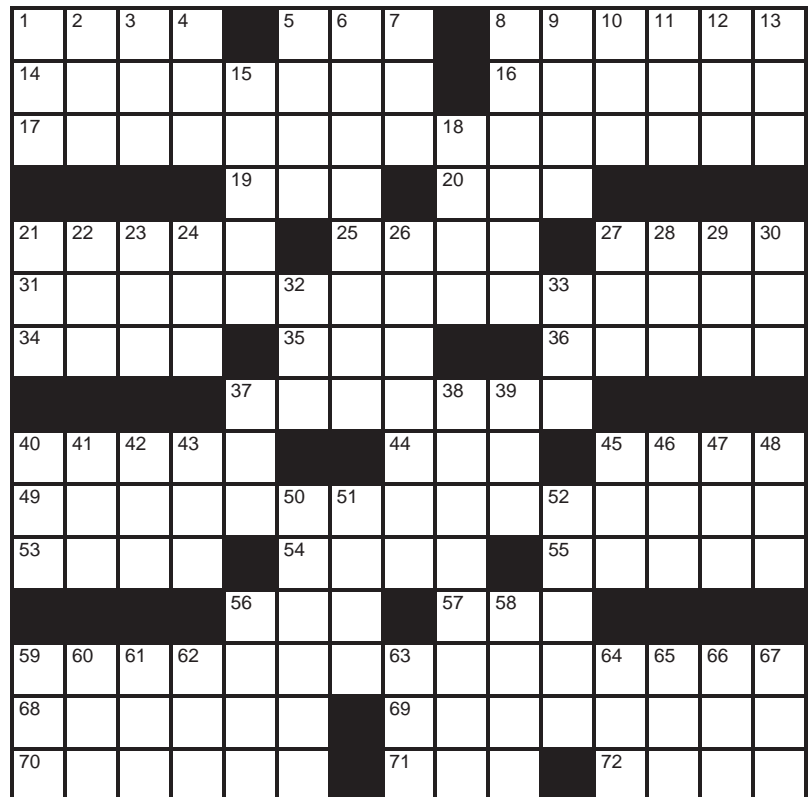
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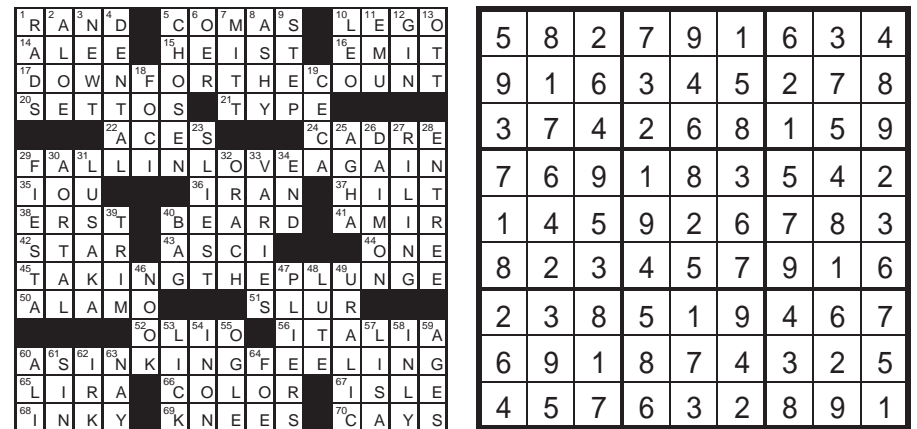
- 1. Bent
- 5. Body shop fig.
- 8. Red shade
- 14. Portion receiver
- 16. Ancient meeting places
- 17. Takes an extended stroll
- 19. Battle of Britain grp.
- 20. Discouraging words
- 21. Calculus calculations
- 25. Vermin
- 27. Greek earth goddess: Var.
- 31. Fails to act
- 34. Kind of mark
- 35. Big time
- 36. Discompose
- 37. Quarrels
- 40. Insect stage
- 44. Holiday quaff
- 45. Hospital directive
- 49. Does the best one can
- 53. Old Icelandic literary work
- 54. Boot
- 55. Certain berth
- 56. It's inspired
- 57. The other woman
- 59. Turns upside down
- 68. Persian Gulf country
- 69. With pleasure

Down

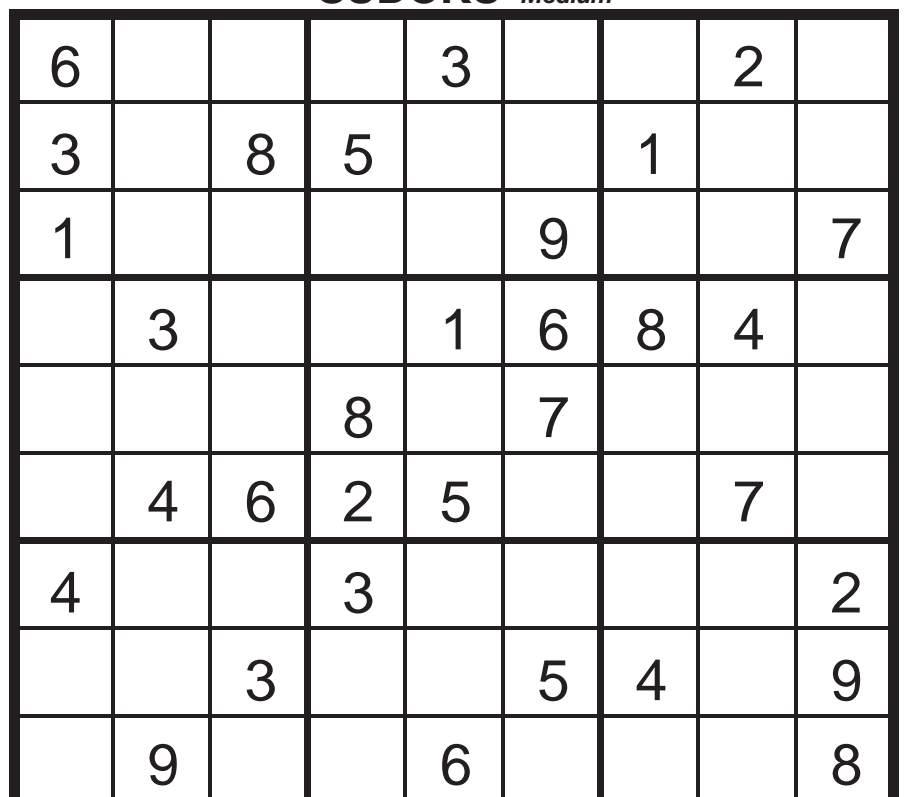
- 1. Catch
- 2. U.N. workers' grp.
- 3. Bass, for one
- 4. Brillo rival
- 5. Mount SW of Messina
- 6. Certain bottom
- 7. Abbr. to the left of a number
- 8. River craft
- 9. Roe
- 10. Column's counterpart
- 11. 401(k) alternative
- 12. Mineo of "Exodus"
- 13. Cry in cartoons
- 15. Body
- 18. Erstwhile
- 21. Venom source
- 22. ___ Rancho (suburb of Albuquerque)
- 23. List ender
- 24. Pump
- 26. Game divisions
- 27. Prattle
- 28. Bibliophilic suffix
- 29. Fingers

- 30. Hair color
- 32. Bottom line
- 33. Eats
- 37. Boozehound
- 38. Low slope
- 39. Freudian topic
- 40. Fury
- 41. Kind of pie
- 42. Conjunction
- 43. Fed. construction overseer
- 45. Dadaist
- 46. Dope
- 47. Air hero
- 48. A pop
- 50. Boosts
- 51. 100 cents
- 52. Risked, in days of old
- 56. Passage
- 58. See 23-Down
- 59. Cousin of reggae
- 60. Harbor craft
- 61. Shock's partner
- 62. Indian bread
- 63. Franco-Spanish botanist
- 64. Alter, in a way
- 65. Shogun's capital
- 66. Pledge of Allegiance ender
- 67. Salon supply

Last Week's Answers



SUDOKU Medium



Each Sudoku puzzle consists of a 9x9 grid that has been subdivided into nine smaller grids of 3x3 squares. To solve the puzzle each row, column and box must contain each of the numbers 1 to 9.

Politically Speaking

One Man's Opinion

By Gerry Chong

"Stupid is as stupid does" – Forrest Gump
In a TV interview with Kelly Ripa and Michael Strahan, President Obama was asked what the most important asset an American President needs to possess. "Judgment," was his response. He continued: by the time an issue reaches the President, the easy questions have been answered, so the tough questions

"Was it good judgment for the President to bring him home while violating the law that requires such prisoner exchanges be made only in consultation with Congress?"

are usually 50-50 questions that require the President to exercise good judgment.

So let's evaluate him using his own criterion. Generally it is preferable to bring home a captured American prisoner or war. But what if that soldier openly and blatantly expressed his antipathy toward America and its military? What if he laid down his arms and walked away from his post and his military brothers? What if six of his fellow soldiers were killed by the enemy while searching for him? What if the Special Forces had always known when he was held, but chose not to free him because it was not worth endangering more soldiers to rescue a deserter? What if that deserter has said, "I am ashamed to be an American? And the title of US soldier is just the lie of fools. I am sorry for everything. The horror that is America is disgusting."

Was it good judgment for the President to bring him home while violating the law that requires such prisoner exchanges be made only in consultation with Congress? The President has apologized for violating the law but said it was inconvenient to consult with Congress.

Good judgment? Having previously used Susan Rice as his chief prevaricator in proclaiming the Benghazi debacle to be a reaction to a video, the White House sent her out again to proclaim the deserter had served with "honor and distinction." How humiliating it must be to be Susan Rice.

Being too clever by half, President Obama used an intermediary to conduct negotiations

to avoid the charge that he negotiates with terrorist organizations, thus placing a value on American lives, and encouraging future captures. More good judgment? And who did he release back to the battlefields of the Middle East? The Taliban calls them the "Gitmo-5," a group of experienced Jihadists who helped run their organization. The Joint Task Force Guantanamo categorized all five as "High risk to the US." Two of the five are wanted by the UN for the murder of thousands of Shiites in Afghanistan. One is the Taliban's Deputy Minister of Intelligence. A second is a military commander with close ties to Mullah Omar. A third is Deputy Minister of Defense. A fourth was a provincial Governor. The fifth was responsible for border security for the Taliban.

Query: Now that the Taliban has declared victory in negotiations with the Great Satan, how many deaths will these newly released terrorists wreak on infidels everywhere? So this is the "Judgment" the President claims is the most important asset a President needs to be successful. Forrest Gump was right: "Stupid is as stupid does." •

Another Man's Opinion

Low Voter Turnout Continues to Prevail

By Cristian Vasquez

California had another election last week and sadly the voter turnout was very low. The Sacramento Bee reported that the official election night returns were 3.2 million or 18.3 percent of the state's 17.7 million registered voters cast ballots. While mail-in votes had not yet been included in the final, it is unlikely that the final tally for voter turnout will increase when the number of uncounted ballots is finalized. The issue of low voter turnout is nothing new in American elections: it is a talking point for news pundits, political strategist and campaign managers. Getting people out to vote will always impact an election, without a doubt. As much as some of us would like to see a higher number of Americans exercise their right to vote, the truth is that this mass disinterest by the public to engage in the election process is not likely to change much.

It is no secret that voter turnout is higher during presidential elections and even those numbers are not impressive. So this brings up the question: how much does it matter that more people do not come out to vote? I am a firm believer that anyone with the right to vote should exercise it. However, if only 18 percent of Californians cast a vote on June 3, why is the other 82 percent not engaging? The way I see it is that 18 percent of voters came out to vote, keep track of the issues that matter to them, and do their best to stay engaged. So instead of convincing people to vote for the sake of

voting and inflating the voter turnout numbers, elected officials should find ways to engage people who can vote but who don't bother engaging.

Granted, the right to vote comes with your right to refuse to vote. That is a completely legitimate reason to not cast a ballot. For some of us, the Democrat and Republican office is a choice between eating dirt or chewing through mud. As a result, many times we go to the polls not to pick the best option but to vote for the lesser of two evils. This further emphasizes the need for elected officials to connect with more of their constituents. In all fairness, at the local level it is easier for the community and elected officials to engage. For the most part, local mayors and council members are accessible and responsive to their constituents' needs. However, at the state and national level this communication becomes more difficult to maintain, which then leads to the feeling of disconnect.

It is on each and every one of us to vote. We have the right and information to make what we consider the best decision at the polls. It is too much to believe that we will ever reach 100 percent voter turnout and the reasons vary. For those who decide that they don't want to vote, there is little that can be done. Funny man George Carlin once said that he does not vote because voting implies that he agrees with the system (he used more colorful words). Until that perception of our elections changes, voter turnout will continue to be abysmal. •



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Sports

Sports

El Segundo Babe Ruth League Season in Full Swing

By Gregg McMullin

The El Segundo Babe Ruth League can boast of five World Series championships and appearing in three other World Series. So each year the six teams that battle through a quick six-week long season give local fans an opportunity to see the players that will represent El Segundo at the all-star level. El Segundo is the reigning 13-year-old Babe Ruth World Series champions, and the 2012 15-year-old team placed third.

The 2014 season marks the 59th year for the El Segundo Babe Ruth League. This year's teams look to have parity, with no real clear-cut team able to run away with the title. The season is broken up into thirds with five games

capable of making the big plays.

The Stars and Padres were both 3-1 and met in the final game of the second round. The Padres hammered away at three Stars pitchers en route to an easy win to win the second round. Pitching has been solid for the most part. Wyatt Boyce of the Beavers is arguably the hardest throwing pitcher in the league. The big 6'6" right-hander can deal and in a game against the Padres he struck out nine in three innings before being lifted because of a high pitch count. Evan O'Connor leads the league with a 4-0 record for the Stars. He tossed a three hitter against the Angels and a gutsy five hitter against the Oaks. Luke Smith scattered six hits in going the distance against the Padres as the Stars won 14-4.

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for each team in each round. The winners of each round would theoretically participate in a playoff format with the final game set for Saturday June 21 at 11am and or Sunday June 22 at 11am. The last regular season game is Thursday June 19. Of course if one team wins all three rounds there would be no playoff.

Fans can take in games each day except Fridays. With the schedule winding down, games are played Mondays at 6pm, 6pm on Tuesdays, 5pm and 7:30pm on Wednesdays, 5pm and 7:30pm on Thursdays and a full tilt of games on the weekends starting at 10:30am on Saturday and 11am on Sunday.

In the first round of play the Stars ran the table and went 5-0, defeating the Angels 3-2, Seals 10-3, Beavers 9-6, Oaks 6-2 and the Padres 14-4. The Stars, under the leadership of World Series skipper Bob Motta, have put together a nice run to start the season with a good hitting lineup, solid pitching and a defense

The Padres' Charles Phelps and CJ Shevlin combined on a one hitter against the Angels. Michael Graner demonstrated his durability as he led the Angels to a 4-3 win over the Oaks. Graner scattered six hits in going the distance. Graner's teammate, Nico Celestial, tossed a one hitter and struck out five when the Angels overwhelmed the Oaks 9-2. Phelps also tossed a six hitter with eight strikeouts in the Padres' win over the Stars to clinch the second round.

Garrett Boyce struck out eight in an impressive four-inning relief performance against the Stars. But in that game the Beavers had a 4-0 lead going into the final frame but surrendered five runs in an epic comeback and easily the most exciting games of the season.

Kobe Estrada was hit by a pitch, followed by back-to-back singles by Evan O'Connor and Will Cook to load the bases. Caesar Escobar and Shane Salzman had back-to-back RBI

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Get Your Back Off the Wall

By Adam Serrao

No, this article is not about dancing. Not unless you call it ice dancing, in which case you would think I'm talking about figure skating. But no. This is not about moving one's body or feet in a rhythmic fashion at all. In fact, it is about quite the opposite. This is about the very essence of combat that takes place out on the ice in the National Hockey League and the Kings that have mastered that very same fight. Indeed, the Kings of Los Angeles have

coach, the front office and the organization as a whole. "This group has been here for years and years and can bring guys in and implement them in and make them just feel comfortable, and allow them to play the game they want to play," said Dustin Brown, the Kings captain. Certainly, that's what "Gabby" has done. With his new nickname and all, it almost feels as if he's been with the team for years now. "I think Gabby coming in at the deadline gave us an extra weapon that we needed and didn't

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been fighting with their backs against the wall for the entirety of this 2014 postseason and have done so remarkably. In three straight series, facing certain elimination versus three consecutive opponents, the Los Angeles Kings have rallied themselves, collapsed the very walls that pressed against their backs ever so gently, continued fighting and now find themselves in this year's Stanley Cup Final.

Think back, if you could, to two years ago when the Los Angeles Kings won the Stanley Cup for the first time ever. At about mid-season, the Kings traded for center Jeff Carter, formerly of an East Coast team in the Columbus Blue Jackets, and with his help eventually won the Stanley Cup. Fast-forward to this year. At about mid-season once again, the Kings struck and made a move. Former Columbus Blue Jacket and New York Ranger, Marion Gaborik, is following in the footsteps of Carter and making his impact on the Kings felt in every way imaginable. With a league-best 12 postseason goals going into the Cup Final, Gaborik trails only the great one, Wayne Gretzky, for most goals scored in a single postseason in Kings history at 15.

It's not just happenstance that both Carter and Gaborik were able to come to a team like the Kings, all the way across coasts, and fit in almost seamlessly right away. In order to do that, you not only need devoted players, but also a solid foundation set by the head

necessarily have in the past," said Kings center Anze Kopitar. "Usually for a run like this, you need young guys to step up. A couple years ago that was King and Nolan who came up, made an impact. This year it was Tyler and Tanner." Jordan Nolan and Dwight King combined for six goals and four assists in the 2012 playoffs while this year, Tyler Toffoli and Tanner Pearson are the youngsters making a difference on the club, combining for 10 goals and 10 assists leading into the Cup Final.

With the correct nucleus of players in the place, these Los Angeles Kings show their attitude when it really counts. Their grit and their grind comes out in full force, without fail, when the team is facing elimination. Whether it's defense, goaltending or just pure physicality, the Kings go unmatched when it means the most and leave other teams wondering what the buzzsaw was that they just ran into. As a fan, it's almost to be expected now that they will undoubtedly fall behind in either a series or a game, but fret not; they will come back and win, yet again restoring faith in their style of play. Whether they are down 3-0 in an opening series to the Sharks or down 2-0 in the first four minutes of a game, the Kings have the uncanny ability of climbing out of the hole that they have dug themselves and arising victoriously. Almost as if the other team

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Secrets to Staying Cool in the Kitchen and Eating Well This Summer

(BPT) - If you hate to give up the dishes your family loves until the weather cools again - don't sweat it. From no-make recipes to alternative cooking tactics, you can find plenty of ways to beat kitchen heat this summer.

"Families can still enjoy favorite foods and stay cool in the kitchen," says Chef Giuliano Hazan. "It's just a matter of finding the combination of recipes, ingredients and cooking processes that allow you to prepare delicious food without heating up your kitchen."

Hazan offers some stay-cool kitchen ideas for great summer dining:

- "No-bake" dishes allow families to savor their favorite treats without the heat and hassle. When preparing a no-bake dish that calls for eggs, it's important to be aware of salmonella risks. Using pasteurized eggs such as Safest Choice Eggs, can eliminate salmonella risks, making it easy to prepare perfect no-bake recipes.

- Grilling is a favorite summer pastime, loved for the flavor it imparts, the convenience of cooking without heating the kitchen and the opportunity to enjoy being outdoors. It's not just a great way to prepare meat, poultry or fish; grilling can be a great way to enjoy favorite foods that normally require an oven.

- One of the appealing aspects of baking or roasting in an oven is the ability to trap flavors within foods. You don't have to add heat to the kitchen, however, to add flavor to foods. Marinades and seasonings are great for adding flavor to cold foods such as raw fruits and veggies or even cheese.

- A slow cooker allows you to prepare a range of dishes, from pot roast to peach cobbler, without raising the temperature in the kitchen. The microwave can also be a good alternative to the stovetop.

- Salads are healthy, no-cook options that can make great low-calorie meals for the whole family. The plentiful harvest of seasonal fruits and vegetables available during spring and summer makes this time of year perfect for experimenting with new types of salads.

- It's OK to cheat now and then with pre-cooked options, such as using premium canned tuna or a batch of hard boiled eggs kept in the refrigerator to add to salads. Because they're already cooked, these items can cut out preparation time (and temperatures) while serving as ingredients in your favorite recipes.

Try this great no-bake recipe from Safest Choice Eggs and recommended by Chef Hazan.

Frozen Pineapple Cream Cheese Torte



Ingredients

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| 1 1/4 (about 5 ounces) cups ground gingersnaps | 1 cup chopped fresh or crushed pineapple, drained well |
| 1/2 cup panko bread crumbs | 1 1/4 cups whipping cream |
| 1/3 cup melted butter | 1 teaspoon vanilla |
| 4 Safest Choice pasteurized eggs, separated | For Glaze: |
| 1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar | 1/4 cup sugar |
| 3/4 cups sugar, | 4 teaspoons cornstarch |
| 12 ounces (1 1/2 8 ounce packages) cream cheese, room temperature | 1 cup pineapple juice |
| | 2 tablespoons dark rum (or to taste) |

Directions

In a medium bowl, combine gingersnaps and panko. Add melted butter and stir until crumbs are evenly moistened. Press into bottom of 8 or 9-inch springform pan.

In a medium bowl, beat egg whites and cream of tartar with an electric mixer until soft peaks form. Gradually add 1/4 cup of the sugar and beat again until stiff peaks form.

In a large bowl, beat cream cheese and remaining 1/2 cup of sugar until smooth. Add egg yolks and beat well. Mix in pineapple and vanilla.

In another medium bowl, beat cream until whipped. Fold egg whites into cream cheese mixture, then fold in whipped cream. Pour filling over crust and freeze until set, about five hours or overnight.

For Glaze

Combine sugar and cornstarch in small saucepan. Add pineapple juice and stir until cornstarch is dissolved. Add rum and cook over medium heat, stirring, until mixture comes to a boil and thickens. Cool.

To serve, let the torte sit at room temperature for five to 10 minutes. Run a knife around the sides of the cake to loosen and remove pan sides. Top cheesecake with glaze.

Makes 10 to 12 servings. •

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Finance

Brown Bagging Potentially Leads to \$1 Million Retirement Nest Egg

(BPT) - Here's a \$1 million idea: making breakfast and lunch at home every day instead of dining out can potentially yield seven figures in retirement savings.

A 25-year-old who eats breakfast at home and bags her lunch can save an extra \$10 a day. Invested in a retirement account earning an 8 percent average annual rate of return, those savings could generate more than \$1 million by age 67.

This hypothetical example shows how making small changes in behavior may ultimately yield big results, according to Elaine Sarsynski, executive vice president

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of MassMutual Retirement Services. It's especially instructive when it comes to retirement savings, she says, as many Americans maintain they don't have the money to contribute to their employer's retirement plan such as a 401(k), 403(b) or 457.

"Many of us never think twice about how much we really spend on expenses such as dining out, the interest we pay on credit cards, or even cable channels that we no longer watch," Sarsynski says. "If you track your expenses and think about what you really need, many of us can find money to save and invest."

Farnoosh Torabi, best-selling author and financial planning coach, agrees with Sarsynski's assessment and recommends several personal and household expenses to examine for potential savings:

- **Reign in big expenses.** If your monthly rent or mortgage is eating up more than 25 percent of your take-home pay, look at ways to reduce this big expense. If you have a mortgage, refinancing might be an option. Renters can sometimes renegotiate a lower rent as good tenants are hard to find.

- **Trim smaller costs.** Brown bagging is one way to save. Track all your expenses to determine where else you might cut back. It's amazing how extra expenses such as \$3 lattes and \$10 iTunes down-loads can add up.

- **Stick to cash.** Using cash instead of credit

can save you up to 20 percent. Not only do you incur fewer interest charges, you may ultimately defer some expenses until you have the cash.

- **Attack high-interest debt.** Credit cards typically represent the most expensive debt so pay off this debt as soon as possible. When you're debt free, continue paying the same monthly amount to your retirement plan instead.

- **Get professional tax help.** If you're middle-aged or older, rely on a certified public accountant to make sure you're taking advantage of all of the various tax credits and

deductions that come from having children, owning a home or contributing to IRA. Put your tax savings or rebate in your retirement account.

- **Dump unnecessary baggage.** As we get older, we tend to accumulate more things than we need or can reasonably use. Consider saving by downsizing to a smaller home, selling an extra car you no longer use, and clearing out your basement, garage or attic by selling unneeded household items in a tag sale.

- **Cut the cable.** Re-examine your roster of cable TV channels; you may find you are paying premium prices for channels you rarely watch.

- **Spend time rather than money.** It's always tempting to spoil grandkids, nieces and nephews with gifts. You can save money by cutting back on the presents and giving the kids what they really want: your time and attention.

"We all spend more money than we realize on things that don't necessarily contribute to our happiness or quality of life," Torabi says. "By taking a hard look at our spending, most of us can find money to contribute to our retirement plan and, ultimately, improve our quality of life when we are no longer working."

For more information about planning your retirement, go to www.RetireSmart.com. •

Senior Awards

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Student awards ranged in the amount of \$500 through \$5000 each. Remarkably, The El Segundo Masons alone gave out \$40,000 in scholarships. Some of the scholarships given had very moving reasons behind them, such as maybe a loved one who has passed, or someone who has served our country. At times, the audience moved to tears as the donors honored the person in whose name

the award was given. Overall, it was quite a lovely evening, and I was lucky to attend and see what our beautiful community awards to students who work hard. This generous evening is much appreciated, and shows how hard work truly does pay off. Thank you to all of the local businesses, clubs and individuals who made for such a wonderful evening, and congratulations to all of the winners! •

Police Reports

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from Main Street and Maple Avenue for misdemeanor DUI with a BAC of .08% or above

Two male adults were arrested at 0748 hours from the 2300 block of East Rosecrans Avenue for burglary, receiving stolen property and possession of burglary tools

Two male adults were arrested at 1056 hours from the 600 block of West Imperial Avenue for burglary, conspiracy to commit a crime (burglary) and possession of burglary tools

One male adult was arrested at 2301 hours from Gardena PD for one outstanding El Segundo PD felony warrant

Vehicle theft recovery report was taken at 0015 hours from the 700 block of North Nash Street. Recovered was a 2013 Kia Rio rental car reported stolen out of LAPD Pacific Division on 05/15/14

Wednesday, June 4, 2014

One female adult was arrested at 0315 hours from the 200 block of North Sepulveda Boulevard for one outstanding LAPD felony warrant

One male adult was arrested at 0334 hours from the 200 block of North Sepulveda Boulevard for one outstanding LASD felony warrant

Two male adults were arrested at 0545 hours from Aviation Boulevard and Rosecrans Avenue for burglary, receiving stolen property and transporting kitchen grease without a permit

One male adult was arrested at 1714 hours from Eucalyptus Drive and Grand Avenue for contacting minor with intent to have sex, sending sexual material to a minor and arranging a meeting with a minor

Fraudulent check/identity theft report was

taken at 1808 hours from the 700 block of South Sepulveda Boulevard. Unknown suspect(s) used the victim's bank account information to create and pass fraudulent checks

Traffic accident (with injuries) occurred at 1812 hours at Hughes Way and Sepulveda Boulevard, two vehicles and a motorcycle involved

Thursday, June 5, 2014

One female adult was arrested at 0122 hours from Vista Del Mar and Hyperion Way for misdemeanor DUI with a BAC of .08% or above

One male adult was arrested at 0233 hours El Segundo Boulevard and Douglas Street for misdemeanor DUI with a BAC of .08% or above

One male adult was arrested at 1759 hours from the 700 block of Main Street for one SGPD misdemeanor warrant

Dead body report was taken at 1825 hours from the 700 block of Indiana Court. One male adult died of natural causes

One male adult was arrested at 0006 hours from the 700 block of North Sepulveda Boulevard for misdemeanor DUI with a BAC of .08% or above

Friday, June 6, 2014

One female adult was arrested at 0121 hours from the 100 block of Standard Street for misdemeanor DUI with a BAC of 0.08% or above

Fraudulent check report was taken at 1357 hours from the 200 block of Main Street. Known suspect used an insufficient funds check to make a purchase

Hit and run report was taken at 1619 hours

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Off the Wall

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needed a handicap if they wanted any chance at winning in the first place. "It's a result of this group being together and having been through a lot," Brown continued. "That goes a long way in being in these uncomfortable situations. We have that trust. We've been through a lot worse."

The core group of Kings has been together a long time and certainly has been through a lot. If anything, the seven elimination games they've been through together in this playoffs alone has brought the entire team even closer

together. Clearly, this bunch of guys is going to be hard to beat in the Stanley Cup Final. Las Vegas seems to think so as well. The Kings are favored to win over the Rangers and take the Cup back home to Los Angeles for the second time in three years. Don't let the odds fool you, however. It's not going to be overwhelmingly easy. For the Kings, it never is. Expect the Kings to play this series as they've played every other and put a little scare into you before they attempt to arise victoriously once again. •

Sports

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walks to make it 4-2. Luke Smith's two run single tied the game and Matty Robertson's pinch-hit single loaded the bases. Ethan Burner then walked, forcing in the winning run and giving the Stars a 5-4 win.

The high school players returning have done well hittingwise. Wyatt Boyce leads the league with three home runs, two in which came in one game against the Padres. Jackson Stone has not missed a beat either having homered and is hitting at a .409 clip. Spencer Palmer and CJ Shevlin continue their hitting prowess for the Padres. The


league's top hitter is undoubtedly Kobe Estrada. He not only has at least one hit in each game but is 24 for 34 on the season, an astounding .705 batting average. Estrada has also demonstrated his assets on defense in centerfield and as a pitcher both in relief and as a starter.

As the baseball season comes to an end, get out and support Babe Ruth League baseball. All Star play is right around the corner and who knows with a bevy of talent slated for all three all-star teams this could be another World Series banner year. •

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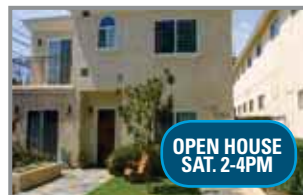


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(BPT) - The stack of shoes that pile up by the front door, the linen closet that you're afraid to open, the junk drawer that may well hide the mysteries of the universe - we all have one or two spots in our home that cry out for organization and tidying. Spring cleaning season is approaching, and with a plan of attack you can take this opportunity to clear away clutter, organize underutilized spaces and generally improve the overall

usability of your home.

Procter & Gamble and The Home Depot have teamed up with seven DIY bloggers to offer 14 room-by-room tips for getting organized this spring:

Cutting Kitchen Chaos

- Nearly everyone has one drawer in their kitchen that becomes the "catch-all spot." Empty yours, wipe down the inside, and insert a silverware tray to help organize pens,

batteries, buttons, random screws and other items that find their way into the drawer.

- Every family needs a central spot for sharing information. But if a cork board, white board or chalkboard isn't your idea of wall decor, try hiding them away on the inside of a kitchen cabinet. Mount a cork panel on the inside of a cabinet door, or use chalkboard paint to create a hidden and useful spot for notes, shopping lists, coupons and reminders.

- You likely sweep the kitchen floor daily, but floors can also benefit from a good steam cleaning at least once a week.

- Organize the cupboard and pantry by using boxes, jars and baskets with labels on them. When it's time to put an item away, everyone will know where it belongs, rather than be tempted to toss it randomly into a cupboard.

Better Bathrooms

- Bathroom drawers can easily become cluttered. Place desk organizing trays in drawers so that items like makeup, combs, curling irons, etc. stay neat and orderly. A bit of Velcro keeps trays in place and makes it easy to remove them when it's time to clean them out.

- The cabinet under the sink can be a scary place. Baskets bring both organization and style to under-sink storage spaces.

- Not everything needs to be hidden away. A basket makes a great way to cleverly display toilet paper and still make it easily accessible when needed. Placing grooming supplies in a tiered serving tray brings organization, style and convenience to a bathroom.

- Scent is a key concern in bathrooms.

Scrubbing the shower, floors, toilet and sink until they sparkle is a good start, but sometimes baths need a scent boost. Try placing scented candles in the bathroom to help neutralize odors and add a fresh, welcoming aura to the room.

Lighten the Load in Laundry Rooms

- Even small laundry rooms often have unused space above the washer and dryer where you can install shelving for storage. Head over to your local home improvement store for a variety of shelving to store detergents, stain removers and fabric softeners.

- Add a rolling cart or laundry butler to your laundry room. It's a great way to add organization and function to the space, helping keep clothes off the floor - plus they're simple to transport.

- Laundry rooms are often overlooked in the decor department, but a fresh coat of paint can really liven up a dingy, utilitarian room. Choose a bold and bright color - the laundry room is about making things clean, so the room should inspire the vividness you want to achieve in your clothes.

Cleaning up Closets

- Keep sets together by bundling sheets and pillowcases together with a bit of ribbon. It also makes for a pretty display inside the closet.

- Swapping mismatched hangers for one type is a quick, easy way to make a closet look more organized, clean and stylish.

- Consider creating a cleaning closet or cabinet where all your cleaning supplies live. Having all supplies in one spot will make it easier to take stock and know what you need.

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Looking Up

Chandra Captures Galaxy Sparkling in X-Rays

By Bob Eklund

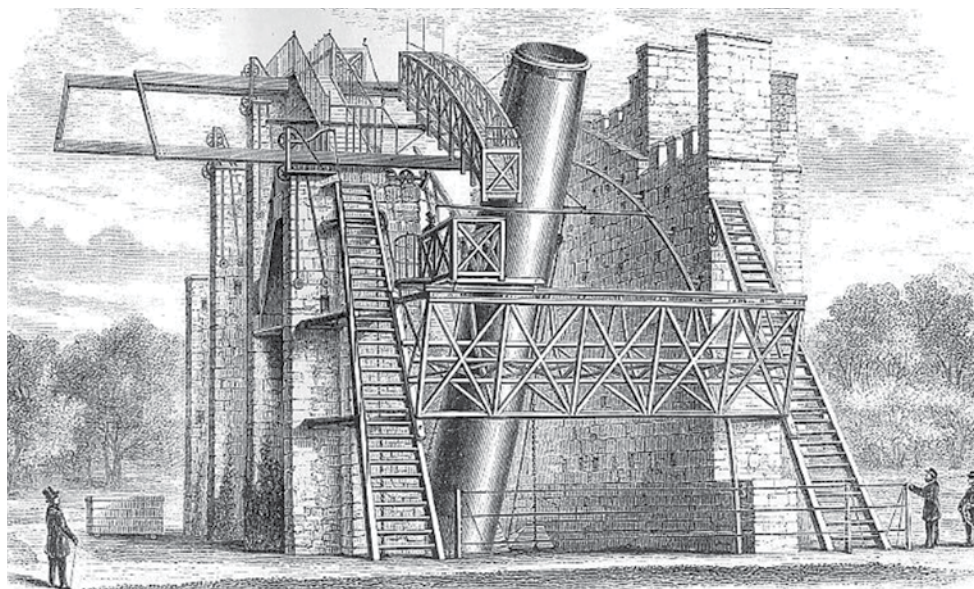
NASA's orbiting Chandra X-ray Observatory has revealed a spiral galaxy similar to the Milky Way glittering with hundreds of X-ray points of light. The galaxy is officially named Messier 51 (M51), but often goes by its nickname of the "Whirlpool Galaxy." Like the Milky Way, the Whirlpool is a spiral galaxy with spectacular arms of stars and dust. It is located 30 million light-years from Earth, and its face-on orientation to Earth gives us a perspective that we can never get of our own spiral galactic home.

The new dataset, equivalent to about 900,000 seconds of Chandra observing time, reveals nearly 500 X-ray sources. Most of the X-ray sources are X-ray binaries (XRBs). These systems consist of pairs of objects where a compact star, either a neutron star or, more rarely, a black hole, is capturing material from an orbiting companion star. The infalling material is accelerated by the intense gravitational field of the compact star and heated to millions of degrees, producing a luminous X-ray source.

A difference between the Milky Way and the Whirlpool Galaxy is that M51 is in the midst of merging with a smaller companion

galaxy (seen in the upper left of the image). Scientists think this galactic interaction is

holes in M51 are located close to regions where stars are forming, showing their connection



Lord Rosse's "Leviathan of Parsonstown" telescope was constructed in Ireland on the Birr Castle estate. It was first used in 1845 so that Rosse could study galaxies such as M51 and their distinct spiral shapes. Photo: Wikipedia commons

triggering waves of star formation. The most massive of the newly formed stars will race through their evolution in a few million years and collapse to form neutron stars or black holes. Most of the XRBs containing black

to the oncoming galactic collision. Meanwhile, back in the year 1845, an Irish gentleman and amateur stargazer named Lord Rosse was also observing the Whirlpool Galaxy. At his estate, Birr Castle

in Parsonstown, County Offaly, he had built what was then the world's largest telescope, with a mirror an amazing six feet (72 inches) in diameter, dubbed "the Leviathan." He had to invent many of the techniques he used for constructing the Leviathan, both because its size was without precedent and because earlier telescope builders had guarded their secrets or had simply failed to publish their methods. Building of the Leviathan began in 1842 and it was first used in 1845; regular use waited another two years, due to the Great Irish Famine. It was the world's largest telescope, in terms of aperture size, until the early 20th century.

Lord Rosse performed astronomical studies and catalogued a large number of nebulae, discovering the spiral nature of some that are today known as spiral galaxies. In particular, his Leviathan was the first to reveal the spiral structure of M51. As astronomical photography was unknown in the 1840s, he had to record what he saw in sketches—and his drawings of the Whirlpool Galaxy closely resemble modern photographs. Lord Rosse's historic Leviathan telescope, a major monument in the history of astronomy, has been preserved and is still accessible for public tours. •

PUBLIC NOTICES

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. YS026067

Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of: Steven Edward Peters for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Steven Edward Peters filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Steven Edward Peters to Steven Edward Takeo Peters
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Judge of the Superior Court
El Segundo Herald Pub. 5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12/14

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Case No. YS026065

Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of: Jacky Kim for Change of Name
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Judge of the Superior Court
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Order to Show Cause for Change of Name
Case No. VS025843

Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of: Cecilia De La Cruz for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
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There is nothing like a dream to create the future.

- Victor Hugo

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

DATE: June 26, 2014
TIME: 5:30 p.m.
PLACE: City Council Chambers
350 Main Street
El Segundo, California

TAKE NOTICE that the EL SEGUNDO PLANNING COMMISSION will hold a public hearing at the time and place indicated above regarding the following:
Environmental Assessment No. EA-1060, Smoky Hollow Site Plan Review No. SHSPR 14-03, Adjustment No. ADJ. 14-02, and Off-Site Parking Covenant No. MISC 14-01
Address: 301 E. El Segundo Boulevard, 110, 120, 130, and 134 Eucalyptus Drive
Applicant: Pete Romano
Property Owner: The Romano-Baur Family Trust
A new surface parking lot located on two vacant parcels on the east side of Eucalyptus Drive is proposed. One of the two vacant parcels is addressed 134 Eucalyptus Drive. The parking lot is intended to provide new parking to three existing buildings addressed 301 E. El Segundo Boulevard/110 Eucalyptus Drive; 120 Eucalyptus Drive; and 130 Eucalyptus Drive. The project site is designated Small Business (SB) Zone District and is located within the Smoky Hollow Specific Plan. The new surface parking lot will provide enough parking to bring the three subject buildings into compliance with ESMC Chapter 15-15 off-street parking requirements. The three buildings have legal non-conforming rights for off-street parking space totals below the current requirements.
The new parking lot is subject to Smoky Hollow Site Plan Review. The proposed project is requesting an adjustment from the 5% maximum parking area slope requirement (ESMC §15-15-5(E)). Off-Site

parking covenants are required to allocate parking spaces in the new parking lot to 301 E. El Segundo Boulevard/110 Eucalyptus Drive and 120 Eucalyptus Drive. The two parcels under the proposed parking lot and the parcel addressed 130 Eucalyptus Drive require a lot tie covenant. The new parking lot will be on-site parking for 130 Eucalyptus Drive after the lot tie.
The proposed project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to 14 California Code of Regulations §15311(b), as a Class 11 categorical exemption (small parking lot).
The file for this project is available for public review Monday through Thursday between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. in the Planning Division, Planning and Building Safety Department, located at 350 Main Street, El Segundo. Any person may give testimony at the public meeting at the time and place indicated above. Please contact project planner Masa Alkire in the Planning Division at (310) 524-2371, or any other Planning Division Staff person, for further information. Note that any appeal of a decision made following a public hearing may be limited to the issues raised by evidence submitted before or during that public meeting.

Sam Lee
Director of Planning and Building Safety; and,
Secretary to the Planning Commission
City of El Segundo

Mailing Date: June 12, 2014
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School Board

from front page

Joan Moon; William Ochoa; and Shavonda Patterson.

In an email sent prior to the meeting, Interim Superintendent Alan Rasmussen lauded the long-term employees, as well as the hard work of the PTA, and the Ed! Foundation.

“My best wishes to our retiring teachers, and thank you for making a difference in the lives of so many students,” wrote Rasmussen.

Also on the special presentation agenda was the PTA’s annual report and donation, as well as the Ed! Foundations yearly donation to the District.

Carol Pirsztuk, CEO of the Ed! Foundation, wrote in an email prior to the meeting that “Ed! is proud to present a record-breaking \$1,000,000 check to the ESUSD.” She noted some of the programs that the Ed! donation will be earmarked to fund, including music and junior achievement, counseling, band instruments, robotics and drama courses. She penned that “Ed! provides an avenue for the community to fund programs at our schools that otherwise would be cut due to lack of state funding.”

As the Ed! Foundation representatives approached the podium, School Board President Laura Gabel said that it was a “very exciting

night for the School Board” as she anticipated the bestowing of the over-sized \$1,000,000 check to the District.

Long-time School Board member Bill Watkins noted the generous donation, mentioning that in years past, a \$100,000 donation from the Ed! Foundation was highly coveted.

Said Rasmussen: “A very special “thank you” to our Parent Association and the Educational Foundation. Without their support, we would be unable to provide all we do for the students.”

With no discussion items on the agenda, the meeting moved to the consent agenda. Among the ten items consented to were the approval to renew the Edusoft Assessment Management system for the next school year; the approval of secondary math professional development days; and the approval of summer professional development for District teachers.

The Apple Summer Professional Development program will send up to 20 teachers to a one-day summer program to support the Districts one-to-one iPad program. This professional development opportunity will be offered to all members of the established iPad Cohort, and will address specific needs targeted in planning meetings.

Another summer development program on the consent agenda involves teachers from both the Middle School and the High School. They will be participating in curriculum development designed around student-centered learning, hoping to engage students in math through active practice and hands-on lessons and units that will strengthen student learning and deepen their understanding of the relevance of mathematics to everyday life.

The Edusoft Assessment Management agreement will be the renewal of an annual agreement with Houghton Mifflin Harcourt that has been in place since 2005, and will, according to District-provided notes, continue to help teachers and administrators assist in identifying student deficits and strengths in learning, as well as assisting the faculty in better understanding their effectiveness of their teaching strategies.

The action agenda was dotted with six items, including the approval of an iPad lease agreement for the 2014-15 school year; a Business Pathway and Math Graduation course at the High School; and the approval to enter into an agreement with the Dave Long and Associates executive search services to assist in the employment search for the new

principal at the High School.

The iPad lease agreement will cover a three-year term, and, according to District-provided notes, will cost the District nearly \$541,000. The one-to-one program will set-up 1,300 students with iPads, and has been tested out this school year by eight High School teachers, and approximately 500 students. The iPads are slated to be utilized in the classroom, and at home, as a tool and interactive tech book.

The Business Pathway and Math Graduation program has been developed over a three-year process. According to District notes, the goal is to work with local colleges to refine and build partnerships as the program develops.

Dave Long and Associates will be paid \$3,000 to assist and advise in the selection of the next permanent principal for the High School.

With no discussion items on the Tuesday night agenda, Board reports followed, Gabel mentioning that the Board has a final candidate selected to take over the District Superintendent position, and that the new Superintendent should be present at the next Board meeting, slated to take place on Tuesday evening, June 24. •

Police Reports

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from the 600 block of Main Street, vehicle versus parked vehicle

Grand theft report was taken at 1628 hours from the 700 block of East Mariposa Avenue. Unknown suspect obtained money by false pretenses

Saturday, June 7, 2014

One male adult was arrested at 0252 hours from the 100 block of Loma Vista Street for

felony vandalism, plain drunk in public, two HBPD warrants, one RBPB misdemeanor warrant and one LAPD misdemeanor warrant

One male adult was arrested at 0430 hours from Lomita Street and Palm Avenue for plain drunk in public

Injury report was taken at 0820 hours from the 800 block of Eucalyptus Drive. One female adult injured her wrist

One male adult was arrested at 2009 hours from the 300 block of Main Street for possession of metal knuckles and plain drunk in public

One female adult was arrested at 2015 hours from the 300 block of Main Street for plain drunk in public

Four male juveniles and one female juvenile were arrested at 2246 hours from Imperial

Avenue and Pepper Street for robbery

Sunday, June 8, 2014

Misdemeanor hit and run report was taken at 1953 hours from the 2500 block of East El Segundo Boulevard, vehicle versus vehicle

One female adult was arrested at 2037 hours from Longfellow Drive and Sepulveda Boulevard in Hermosa Beach for one outstanding El Segundo PD misdemeanor warrant •

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2014129398
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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2014128958
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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2014138459
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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2014142595
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SJB SOLUTIONS. 366 RICHMOND STREET, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LOS ANGELES. Registered Owner(s): Spencer J Bauer, 366 Richmond Street, El Segundo, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: N/A. Signed: Spencer J Bauer, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 27, 2014. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 27, 2019. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 27, 2019. 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 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: May 29, 2014 and June 05, 12, 19, 2014. H-1107.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2014150070
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MOKSHA DISTRIBUTORS. 9733 1/2 REGENT ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90034 LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): Mirza Patail, 9733 1/2 Regent St, Los Angeles, CA 90034. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: N/A. Signed: Mirza Patail, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 3, 2014. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 3, 2019. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 3, 2019. 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 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: June 12, 19, 26, 2014 and July 03, 2014. H-1110.

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2014136441
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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2014151840
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Library

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will allow mobile apps and more interactive search capabilities such as being able to access the table of contents and first chapters as can be done with Amazon.com. "Plus we'll have links to encyclopedia articles along with title graphics for more information about the topic in question," said Brighton. "We have transitioned some of our print fiction book costs, plus used dedicated developer fees, to acquire more eBooks and now spend about \$30,000 a year on two databases for free downloading of books onto all types of pads, phones and desktop connections."

Brighton was pleased to report that eBook usage continues to grow and checkouts have more than doubled since the introduction of the technology several years back. Those interested can make eBook appointments (Mondays between 1 and 3 p.m. and Thursdays between 2 and 4 p.m.) to get downloading assistance. With computers the preferred method of communication (and book reading) nowadays, the Library also offers free monthly classes on topics such as "Introduction to the Computer" (April), "Internet Basics" (May) and "Email Attachments" (June 20).

In addition to the projects mentioned above, the Library continues to fare well with its tried

and true programs. Brighton reported a strong turnout for this year's Author Fair, with about 600 people in attendance for the 14th annual event that took place on June 1. More than 30 authors (including a number from the South

Bay) took part in the festivities, which included book signings, children's activities and a poetry corner moderated by longtime local resident Gabriel Meyer. Two author panels, "Across Time & Continents" and "Developing Your Creative Side," were also highlights of the event that continues to grow annually.

Meanwhile, registration for the Library's popular Summer Reading Program (also sponsored by The Friends) begins today and continues through the end of July. This year's theme is "Paws to Read," with a kickoff program set for June 19 at 3 p.m. in Library Park. Participants earn grab bags containing prizes

for every 10 books read. Children who cannot yet read independently can take part when they join the Read-To-Me-Program, with an additional Reading Program for students from kindergarten through fifth grade and a Totally Teen Program for grades six and up (with grab bags for every five books read). There are also optional weekly storytime programs (some require separate registration) and finale celebrations (August 5 at 2:45 in Library Park for Reading and Read-To-Me participants, and August 6 from 2-4 for Totally Teen enrollees). Last year, 856 children registered for the Summer Reading Program and completed 21,028 books. "Perhaps the best measure of success is when children enjoy the program so much that they grow up and bring their own children back to participate," said Youth Services Librarian Sindee Pickens. "We see

many families do that and some share specific memories of past programs with us."

Library patronage in general is up thanks to the facility's reopening on Fridays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. as of February after having been closed that day for the last couple of years due to budget cuts. "That has increased our use by 2,000 people visiting the Library more per month than last year when we were closed Fridays," said Brighton. "We think people are starting to find out that we are open again and the use is climbing."

Despite the many successes, Brighton remains cautious when discussing plans for the Library's future given that City finances could force some program and service cuts or postpone several key wish list items. Among the tens of millions of dollars of proposed City capital projects are Library infrastructure improvements and a new children's area. "These are things we really need, but it could be many years before the funding is there," said Brighton. "In the meantime, we will work as efficiently as we can with what we have to provide the best possible service to patrons of all ages. We have an incredible staff that is truly dedicated and a community that really sees the value of their library." •

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Our little tank **Gary** is an absolute doll and a little spark plug. His age is estimated to be right around 2 years old and he weighs 19 pounds. He is fine with all the dogs in his foster



Gary the pug would love to come and stay with you.

home and especially fond of the ladies. Gary has learned to use the doggie door, is doing his business outside, crates well at night and of course, is a great eater. He is currently learning to sit and lay down. Gary the Pug is looking for Pug-crazy people to adopt him. It would be an added bonus if he could be placed with another Pug in the home, too. Gary is neutered, current on vaccinations, dewormed, microchipped, fine with other dogs, and would be best placed with mature kids over 7 please.

Harry is a 10-12 year old Cocker Spaniel who was rescued from a hoarder’s property. Harry has had a dental, a complete vet check up and is very healthy. Although he is blind from cataracts, Harry has excellent hearing and a good sense of smell and has no problem getting around. This amazing little guy has completely adapted to his lack of vision and learns your house layout in about 3 days. Once he learns the lay of the land you will not even notice he is blind. No kidding! He comes into the kitchen for his meals, will stand by the door when he needs to go outside (uses a doggie door if you have one), and loves to go for walks and car rides. He’s a perfect little angel who would be an



Harry is looking for someone with patience and love.

excellent match for a senior who is looking for a constant companion and couch potato. There is no adoption donation for Harry if he is adopted by a senior. He loves being outside and sunbathing, is great on walks and can maneuver his way around quite well. Harry is neutered, current on vaccinations, dewormed, microchipped, fine with other dogs, cat safe, and fine with older children.

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Tobi was rescued from Downey Shelter as an underage kitten along with her three siblings. Tobi is a chatty little girl with just a touch of spunk; she loves to play and gets along with everyone she meets. She is very outgoing and adventurous, always charging off into another adventure as she dashes from one end of the house to the other. She isn’t intimidated by other kittens getting grumpy; Tobi just wants to play, play, play and snuggle! She has lived with Chihuahuas, so she would be ok with smaller dogs and could adjust to a calm, cat-friendly larger dog. Tobi cannot be an only kitten and must be adopted to a home with a young resident cat or with a foster buddy.

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Tobi loves to play, play, play, and snuggle!

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On Saturdays, we have adoptions from noon to 3:30 p.m. in Westchester at 8655 Lincoln Blvd. just south of Manchester Ave. and also in Mar Vista at 3860 Centinela Ave, just south of Venice Boulevard. Our website lists additional adoption sites and directions to each location.

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Yvette has been lonely a long time and needs some love.

Happy Tails

“Just wanted to give you an update on our amazing baby Oliver. He has become one of the most loving and beloved animals my family and friends have ever had the pleasure of knowing. He is very popular on the block - all of the neighbors want to hold him and everyone asks to babysit. He and his sister Gidget are now glued to each other - two puppy peas in a pod. They mutually stalk the cat together and it’s wrestlemania every night with these two - constant Chihuahua throwdown.

“He is such a lover -- he sleeps either fully up against my belly or completely inside my boyfriend’s tee shirt. My boyfriend’s family also fights over who gets to babysit Ollie, who gets to sleep with him -- they even offered to trade their dog for Ollie -- which I



Oliver has a new happy family who loves him.

will never do! I just wanted to reach out to let you know what a perfect wonderful boy he is but also to thank you for saving such an amazing creature who has and continues to bring such joy to my life and to the lives of those around me.

“He’s my perfect, special little man who I am so thankful for every day and I have your team to thank. I promise more timely updates to come in the future. Please continue doing the amazing work you do. You make the world a better, more wonderful place by saving these fuzzy, perfect creatures. With love, Courtney.”

When you adopt a “pet without a partner,” you will forever make a difference in their life and they are sure to make a difference in yours. •

Sports

ESGS 14U All-Stars Win the Huntington Beach Surf City Classic

By Danny Tron

With an inspired Sunday performance, manager Manny Quintero's El Segundo Girls Softball 14U All-Star team won 3 games in 10 hours on a sweltering 1st of June. Swinging hot bats the blue and gold banged out 32 hits and scored 33 runs against premium and talented southland opponents. Tori Raygosa captured all three wins with outstanding pitching and the El Segundo bats roared a warning as a formidable team to be reckoned with.

Sunday started at 8:00 AM with a 17-1 rout of San Pedro: 16 smashing hits, including sizzling home runs by shortstop Alyssa Pearson and pitcher Tori Raygosa, who pitched three dominant innings, giving up only one hit and striking out 5 of the 10 hitters she faced. Rosalind Williams pitched one inning of relief to seal the deal. Kelli Beach smashed 4 hits and scored 2 runs. Kate Cunningham ripped 2 hits and scored 3 runs. Alyssa Pearson contributed 2 hits and scored 3 runs. Raygosa, Skye Sudol and Camille Cathcart each contributed 2 hits in this hitter's parade.

Santa Monica's Girls All Stars entered the fray: El Segundo jumped out to an 8-1 lead and held on to win 10-6 despite giving up 6 runs on 6 errors in the bottom of the second. In the top of the 2nd Dina Giles came to the plate with the bases loaded and smoked a liner to center that bounced through the center fielders glove and rolled to the fence. Dina raced around the bases for an inside the park 4-RBI home run. Cristina Marsocci added a single and scored a run and Allison Gridley pitched in a run scored. Raygosa pitched 4

innings and struck out 4 on the way to her second win of this championship Sunday.

The championship game, the 3rd of the day for the El Segundo All Stars, brought on formidable Huntington Beach who had just dispatched Mission Viejo in their semi-final

dustup. Starting at 4:45 PM this battle took the shape of a classic duel of championship caliber teams featuring strong pitching, good defense, clutch hitting and intelligent play. With a 6-3 lead in the bottom of the 7th, Raygosa gave up a solo home run before

retiring the side and the El Segundo Girls Softball 14U All Stars finished with a 6-4 win to claim the title. The El Segundo Girls Softball 14U All Star team will be participating in the Sea Country Classic in Laguna Niguel June 13th, 14th and 15th. •



The El Segundo girls' softball team poses with the coaching staff after winning the Huntington Beach Surf City classic. The girls dominated a three-game shutdown of San Pedro, Santa Monica, and Huntington Beach: all three games in one day. Photo by Rachel Hudson-Raygosa.

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