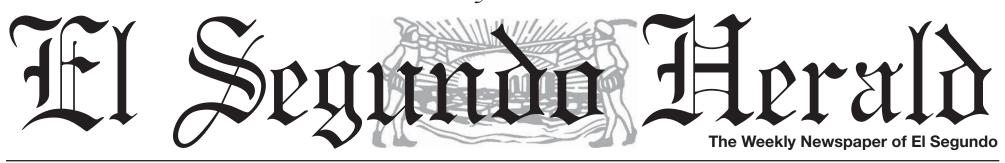
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# **Teaming Up to 'Make a Difference'**



Tree Musketeers' "Make-a-Difference Day" on Oct. 26 saw more than 150 volunteers in a major cleanup event for "Trees to the Sea" on Imperial Highway. Tree Musketeers, the City of El Segundo and Chevron joined forces to create a welcoming and safe environment for all. A total of 1.19 tons, or 176 bags, of weeds and liter were collected by five teams of volunteers, led by team captains Marie Fellhauer (City Council member), school board member Robin Funk, Lily Craig of Chevron, Scoutmaster Steve Kigawa and the Pepperdine Delta Sigma Pi team. With a total of 38 bags of weeds, the team led by Marie Fellhauer (pictured above) won the competition. See inside for more photos. •

# **The El Segundo City Council Approves TopGolf Agreement**

### By Brian Simon

In a marathon meeting that stretched past 12:30 a.m. and featured well over 30 public speakers on the topic, a majority of the El Segundo City Council agreed to move forward with plans to convert the driving range of The Lakes at El Segundo into a TopGolf facility. Mayor Bill Fisher and colleagues Dave Atkinson and Marie Fellhauer voted in favor of the proposal, with Mayor Pro Tem Carl Jacobson and Councilmember Suzanne Fuentes opposed. Tuesday night's vote came after more than a dozen public meetings on the matter since August 2012. "The reason I want to do this is for families," said Fisher, who also sees TopGolf as an economic development tool for El Segundo. "This is one more amenity that will pull businesses into El Segundo." With the vote, the Council approved the terms of a 20-year ground lease with local developer CenterCal Properties for the driving range portion of The Lakes that will not become official until completion of a one-year due diligence process (open through the end of 2014) in which various conditions must first be met. The existing nine-hole golf course will remain under City-controlled management. The due diligence period conditions include design and permit approvals, environmental review and a construction contract, among other items. At Fellhauer's request, the agreement will also include a "shared principles" amendment in which TopGolf will state its intent to continue and expand existing youth instruction programs and local school team access; attempt to retain current golf pros; maintain the integrity of the golf course and seek to upgrade its rating; and offer

discounts to El Segundo residents, seniors, military personnel and early morning golfers.

Upon completion of the due diligence, CenterCal would then sublet the driving range property to real estate investment trust 30 West Pershing, which would in turn sublet it to the Dallas-based TopGolf for final operation. The ground lease includes six five-year extension options after which the property reverts back to the City. A default trigger to return the driving range to the City is also in place after seven years if TopGolf fails to perform. Under the lease terms, the City will receive \$425,000 annually for the first five years, with a 10-percent increase

every five years beginning in year six. The City will also receive \$18,000 for each of 10 months during the construction period to recoup lost net income since the golf course will be closed for four to six months and the driving range for eight to 10 months.

In a comparison of revenue and savings projections, City Economic Development Analyst Ted Shove said the City would net \$332,000 in additional monies annually with TopGolf compared to The Lakes staving as is. The total does not factor in depreciation, which would increase the net to \$540,000, according to Shove. Those figures came under See City Council, page 3

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Saturday Sunny 72°/55°

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# **School Board Election Results:** Watkins Stays, Funk Out

Incumbent Bill Watkins will serve a third term on the El Segundo School Board, but local voters opted not to reelect Robin Funk for four more years. With four candidates vying for three slots, Watkins finished second in total votes behind former ESHS Jim Garza (who

ran for School Board for the first time) in the final tally. A second newcomer, PTA volunteer and business owner Emilee Layne, finished third to capture the final seat on the Board. County of Los Angeles Registrar results as of Wednesday morning were as follows:

CANDIDATE	VOTES	PERCENT
JAMES C. GARZA	1,345	29.01
BILL WATKINS	1,322	28.52
EMILEE M. LAYNE	1,066	22.99
robin K. Funk	903	19.48

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# Calendar

There is a limited word count of 20 words and fees will apply. Email to escalendar@ heraldpublications.com. Deadline for submissions is Thursday at 9 a.m.

#### Sunday, November 10

· Free concert-The El Segundo Concert Band 2013-2014 Season opens with tribute to the 150th anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg. 3 p.m. El Segundo Performing Arts Center, 640 Main Str.

#### Saturday, November 13

• Vistamar School Open House (for parents), 7 p.m., 737 Hawaii St. For more information call (310) 643-7377 or email

# Briefs <u>Community</u>

### **Final Year for Popular El** Segundo Haunted House

This year, El Segundo High School seniors joined with former Knott's Scary Farm monsters at the Center Street haunted house, which saw close to 1,000 visitors Halloween night. Photo by Margaret Moore. (Top row, L to R) Matthew Moore, Andrew Ramsouer, Alex Arroyo, Kristian Stewart, Diane Scott and Larry Scott. (Bottom, L to R) Tony Pierce, Michael Moore and Blake Parker.



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Not one, but two Heralds smile alongside George and Anne Carros, Stella Georgious, who is holding Alex Carros, Dean Carros and Voula and Connie Carros during a layover at Atlanta International Airport. •



# **Community Cleans Up, Gives Back**



Team Captain Marie Fellhauer with Youth Planting Supervisor Fernando Aguilar.





A volunteer at work.

Volunteers working on Imperial Highway.



The El Segundo High School team with school board member Robin Funk

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Volunteers from team Chevron cleaning up Trees to the Sea. Photos by Tree Musketeers and Elijah Ragbir.

# **City Council**

"inaccurate." Looking at projected 2012/13 numbers for The Lakes, Shove indicated that the expenditures (including administrative costs and loan repayment) will exceed revenues by \$3,900--and that the City's general fund has historically subsidized operations that are supposed to be self-sufficient.

Under the revamped facility plan, CenterCal will construct a new clubhouse and more than double the current parking allotment. For the golf course itself, Hole 1 will go away to accommodate the extra parking, with a new Hole 3 to go in over the northernmost pond. The design includes options to convert Hole 9 and possibly also Hole 2 to Par 4s, with additional plans to incorporate the existing lake into ground play and add obstacles such as sand traps.

For the driving range, TopGolf will build three levels with 102 total hitting bays (nearly double the current configuration), a fullservice restaurant, corporate meeting areas and an outdoor roof terrace. TopGolf Chief Development Officer Randy Starr explained that golf instruction and team practice will take place on the ground level, with a putting green connected to the teaching area adjacent to the golf course. The ground level will also include a family lounge. The main and upper levels will allow for "friendly competition," according to Starr, where up to six people can share a single bay. TopGolf driving ranges employ a patent-protected technology gaming system where each ball contains a silicon microchip to track (and reward) distance and accuracy. Players stationed at one of the hitting bays can compete against one another by shooting for different targets ranging from 25 to 215 yards away.

During his presentation, Starr spoke to various concerns expressed by citizens over the past year and a half, maintaining that TopGolf is not a fad and that revenues have increased at all its facilities every year. For those worried that The Lakes will lose its family-friendly atmosphere, Starr contended that TopGolf's other complexes are "overrun by families" particularly during weekends and after school, and challenged people who don't believe this to go to one of the company's facilities. He added that worries

# from front page

that TopGolf is a bar are unwarranted and that the data shows less than 10 percent of total sales are alcohol-related. Starr also addressed a widely circulated and heavily criticized TopGolf video showing people dressed in bathing suits and partying. He explained that the footage is from a single three-hour event called "Suits and Boots" that occurs once a year and raises \$100,000 for charity. "This is not a typical night at TopGolf," Starr emphasized. Earlier, Shove revealed police department findings that other TopGolf facilities have no increase in alcohol-related incidents compared to The Lakes despite a larger number of annual visitors.

Listing benefits for El Segundo, Starr said TopGolf will create 400 permanent jobs (not including construction), provide a minimum \$20 million capital investment and add \$265 million to the local economy, while continuing The Lakes' traditions of youth programs and serious golf practice. He added that the company will allocate \$300,000 towards annual marketing to partner with the Chamber of Commerce, service organizations, schools and charities. "We are committed to being a good partner and neighbor—we're here to stay," said Starr, adding that TopGolf is expanding across the country and thus has a major incentive to perform well.

Many of Tuesday's public speakers came from El Segundo, with a slight majority expressing opposition to TopGolf. Of the two Council members who voted against it, Fuentes reported that she visited a TopGolf complex--and though she was generally complimentary about the operation, she questioned the contract itself, calling it "very complicated" with no provision for success-sharing. "I don't think it's a good enough deal," she said. "There's no teeth to the document." Jacobson said he was also concerned about the language in the contract and felt the City was "going in the wrong direction."

Explaining how she came to support the project, Fellhauer said she was initially torn and decided to secretly fly to Houston with her husband (with no City reimbursement) to check out the facility there on a Friday afternoon. She reported it to be mostly full, with ample amounts of kids under five with their parents, serious golfers and "corporate people drinking Cokes and Sprites." She added that she was appalled by the fear tactics **See City Council, page 12** 



# **Police Reports**

#### Monday, October 28

A vandalism report was taken at 0817 hours from the 500 block of Main Street. Unknown suspect(s) spray painted graffiti on a building.

A found property report was taken at 1654 hours from the 400 block of Whiting Street. A vinyl golf bag containing golf clubs, a cane and a pair of golf shoes were found at the location.

#### Wednesday, October 30, 2013

One female adult was arrested at 1345 hours from the 300 block of Main Street for using another person's credit card.

Burglary report was taken at 1347 hours from the 300 block of Continental Boulevard. Known suspect's used the victim's credit card to make purchases.

Vandalism report was taken at 1503 hours from the 100 block of Vista Del Mar. Unknown suspect(s) spray painted a chain link fence.

A burglary (residential) report was taken at 1634 hours from the 100 block of Concord Street. Unknown suspect(s) entered an enclosed garage and broke into a vehicle.

Misdemeanor hit and run occurred at 1759 hours from Nash Street and Rosecrans Avenue, vehicle versus parked vehicle.

A lost property report was taken at 0039 hours from the 100 block of North Sepulveda Boulevard. Lost were a black Apple iPad and

# **Correction**

In the Oct. 24 issue, it was stated that the National Merit Scholarship Program

### US currency.

### Thursday, October 31

One female adult was arrested at 0107 hours from the 200 Block of South Sepulveda Boulevard for misdemeanor DUI.

Traffic accident (with injuries) occurred at 0831 hours in the intersection of Main Street and Maple Avenue, three vehicles involved.

One female adult was arrested at 1036 hours from the 500 block of North Sepulveda Boulevard for prostitution.

One male adult was arrested at 1832 hours from the 100 block of South Sepulveda Boulevard for misdemeanor DUI with a BAC of 0.08% or above and one LASD misdemeanor warrant.

#### Friday, November 1

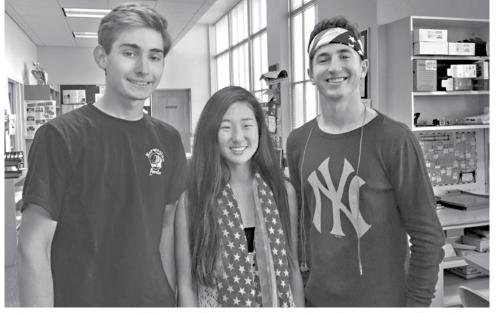
One male adult was arrested at 0208 hours from Imperial Avenue and Main Street for misdemeanor DUI.

An indecent exposure report was taken at 1346 hours from the 900 block of East Grand Avenue.

A found property report was taken at 1434 hours from the 900 block of North Sepulveda Boulevard. Found was a passport.

A traffic accident with no injuries occurred at 1641 hours from the 800 block of North Nash Street, vehicle versus wall. •

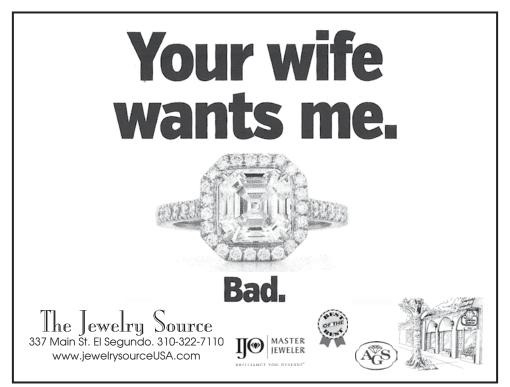
commended three El Segundo High School students for academic excellence.



The photo caption should have read: (L to R) Ryan de Freitas Bart, Caroline Kim and Jamie Stewart. •

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# **One Man's Opinion**

### **By Gerry Chong**

Well, it was quite a Halloween. The ghosts and goblins left me with nightmares even days later. Last night, for example, it seemed the dawn would never come. I tossed and turned, and one imagined horror simply morphed into another.

In the fog of my subconscious, I learned that both government and private entities project employee terminations and conversions from The sheets are a tangled mess and the pillow has hit the floor, but the nightmare goes on).

Medicaid officials are now confirming that the cost of replacing cancelled policies with Obama(s)care policies will explode across the country and be 30 percent higher in California. As a result, some consumers are turning to low-quality Medicaid as opposed to buying Obama(s)care insurance they cannot afford. Others will opt to pay the \$95 federal penalty

### "As a result, some consumers are turning to low-quality Medicaid as opposed to buying Obama (s) care insurance they cannot afford."

full-time to part-time employees will cause 11 to 35 million to lose their health insurance. That had to be something I dreamed because no law could cause that much damage, could it?

But, then, the scene morphed into a second projection that 50 percent to 75 percent of those 14 million with individual coverage would have their policies cancelled because they did not meet Obama(s)care's spooky standard. Now that had to be an absurdity. Why, if true, that would mean those two projections would result in 18 to 45 million losing their health coverage! Absurd, isn't it?

Now, in my nightmare, there was a ghoul who knew this would happen as far back as 2010, but for political reasons hid it from the public (the night-sweats started as bad thoughts cascaded one on top of the other). Then, to compound the disinformation, he claimed the software glitches on his website would be resolved by the end of November. He had better be right because the insurance exchange companies had based their premiums on an April 2014 start date, and any delays would cause their premium quotes to be invalid! (OMG! and go without replacement insurance until they get sick. At that point, because they could not be turned down, they will sign up. Shaking his head, one insurance executive said selling insurance to someone with a preexisting condition is like selling fire insurance on a house that's on fire. A dazed Democrat admitted, "I'm all in favor of everyone having medical insurance, but I didn't realize I would have to pay for it." Duh.

The coup de gras occurred when John McAfee, the founder of the McAfee Antivirus company, confirmed the problem with the website is not the software. It is the program's failure to put everything under government ownership and control. As written now, any hacker can create a phony website, claiming to sell Obama(s)care and steal consumers' identities. The website's cost is already 500 percent over budget and is growing--and while it has serious software glitches, it does not address the programmatic problem that will render Obama(s)care useless.

(My hair is matted down, and the bags under my dark-circled eyes tell me I've got to skip Halloween next year. It's frightening out there.) •

# <u>Another Man's Opinion</u> **Apology Doesn't Solve Problems, Highlights Inefficiency**

#### **By Cristian Vasquez**

As the problems to register for health coverage under the Affordable Health Care Act, Service Administrator for Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Marilyn Tavenner apologized before Congress for the complicated rollout. Unfortunately, an apology four weeks after the rollout and with little having been solved in those four weeks is no more than a reminder of how ill prepared everyone in charge was.

Tavenner's opening statements that they know how eager consumers are to purchase some type of coverage comes across more as an attempt to divert attention from what really matters which is that the majority of people attempting to use HealthCare.gov are struggling to make a purchase. At the core of this issue is that everyone responsible for making sure that this website and that these health care options be made available by now, have failed. The Affordable Care Act was passed back in 2009. That means that those who have championed this law and have fought for giving more Americans access to health care coverage were not able to figure out the logistics of their brainchild in four years. That is flat out embarrassing.

I've said it before and I stand by it now, I am looking forward being able to purchase my own health insurance. I was uninsured throughout my 20s as I worked part-time jobs and made my way through school. Now, as an independent contractor, I am responsible for my own health care coverage and this is

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supposed to be a legitimate option for people like myself. Unfortunately, the only way to sign up for coverage has turned out to be a headache and Tavenner's apology is simply a reminder of everyone's failure to properly prepare, in four years, for this moment.

Also disturbing is the fact that it took four weeks for someone to address the issue. It's difficult to determine why it took almost an entire month for anyone to come out and acknowledge the deficiencies of the rollout but it remind me of Washington's inability to be accountable. In any other job having four years to prepare for something like this rollout would result in unemployment. Unfortunately, Tavenner isn't an election official so we can't oust her for her role in this snail-paced rollout and nor do we have any idea who is directly responsible for this failure.

Despite Tavenner's apology and her taking responsibility for the program's failures, there aren't any signs of reprimands for anyone involved with this fiasco [at least for now]. All that is left is waiting to see how long it is going to take the same people who got this wrong the first time, despite an almost four-year head start to get it right the second time around. Apologies mean a lot when they come immediately and in this case should have been accompanied with an explanation as to how this will be fixed. Sadly, the apology comes a month after the initial problems were encountered and with no real solution in sight. Maybe they need four more years to get it right. •



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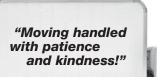
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# **Sports**

# Eagles Rally Behind Rincon's Injury to Win Title

#### By Gregg McMullin

Seldom will you see a high school football team needing increased motivation to play harder. But that's exactly what happened when El Segundo High played host to Centennial in a key Pioneer League matchup. The Eagles, who never trailed in the contest, took control of the game in the second half after defensive lineman Michael Rincon was injured. The result was an inspiring 34-20 win that secures, at the very least, a share of El Segundo's last Pioneer League title.

When a team is challenged on the field, it will do most anything to keep the odds in its

set up a 27-yard field goal by Gabriel Rocha with 3:33 left in the first half.

One of the key plays of the first half came when Joey Garza split the defensive line and sacked Shaw on third and long. Centennial was forced to punt and the Eagles ran the clock out to head into halftime with a 17-14 lead. "We lacked the emotion I thought we needed in the first half and we committed too many mistakes," said defensive coordinator Dan Heck.

The Eagles had just three possessions in the third quarter and the offense just couldn't get untracked. Penalties, incomplete passes

### "When a team is challenged on the field, it will do most anything to keep the odds in its favor."

favor. A year ago, Centennial used an illegal player to increase its chances of winning. Though it helped, the win against the Eagles was overturned because of that illegal player.

This year, the Apaches used some different tactics to stay in the game. This year it was illegal blocking--i.e. chop blocks. By definition a chop block is "a combination block by two or more teammates against an opponent other and a fumble prevented the Eagles' offense from scoring.

Ryan Kelly's fumble near the 19-yard line gave Centennial a golden opportunity. On the first play, the Eagles' Michael Rincon was blocked near the line of scrimmage and continued to lie on the ground after the play was over. He was the victim of a chop block that caused a stir on the El Segundo sidelines.



#19 Jackson Walz and #45 Ryan Kelly helped lead the Eagles' defense. Photo by Gregg McMullin.

than the runner, with or without delay, where one of the blocks is low (at the knee or below) and one of the blocks is high (above the knee). The El Segundo coaching staff continually expressed their concerns to the officiating crew throughout the first half, but just one flag was thrown and that one was on the Eagles.

El Segundo took an early 7-0 lead after its first possession. The Eagles took over at midfield and pass completions from Lars Nootbaar to Connor Underwood and Jamie Stewart put the ball deep into Apache territory. Of all the penalties, a chop block was called on the Eagles during the drive. Three plays later, Dathan Bailey found an opening on his way to a six-yard touchdown run. On the Eagles' next possession, Nootbaar found Stewart open on a pass over the middle and the speedy receiver outran the Apache secondary for a 60-yard touchdown and a 14-0 El Segundo lead. Centennial responded on its first play with a 77-yard touchdown pass from Russell Shaw to Cory Willis to cut the lead to 14-6 after the PAT failed. Centennial scored a safety when Nootbaar was called for grounding while throwing from the end zone to make it 14-8. The Apaches tied the game midway through the second quarter on a seven-play, 45-yard drive capped by Shaw's TD pass to Johnny Bailey. The PAT attempt failed when Jackson Walz and Jason Johnson stopped Shaw short of the goal line. Isaac Luna's interception and runback to the Centennial 16-yard line helped

No call or flags by the officials were thrown--the result of a poor officiating crew in a play that may cost Rincon the rest of his junior year.

The Eagles were assessed two major penalties for unsportsmanlike conduct because of the non-call on Centennial. Eagle head coach Steve Shevlin tried in vain to explain his concerns while the El Segundo sidelines were going ballistic. The officials wouldn't hear any of it other than from one of the players on the field and a sideline coach. That resulted in two penalties, putting the ball in play at the El Segundo four yard line. Centennial gained three feet, six inches on the first play and then the Eagles' inspired defense kept the Apaches out of the end zone on the three ensuing rushing plays. The Eagles had held strong and had not given up the last six inches. That stand may be one of the best defensive efforts in Coach Shevlin's 20-year career. He said much of that was the result of emotion the team had when Rincon went down. "That should never have happened to Michael," Shevlin said. "We complained about their [Centennial] chop blocking throughout the game. It's a shame. Michael is one of the best-liked guys on the team and he may be out for a long time." The emotion the defense brought gave the El Segundo offense the shot it needed. Nootbaar directed the offense on the longest drive in school history and for that matter tied a national record for the longest drive. He drove his offense 99-plus yards in 15 plays, See Sports, page 6

# **Looking For Gold**

#### By Adam Serrao

After a thrilling opening night for the Los Angeles Lakers, at which they took out the much-heralded Los Angeles Clippers, who share the same building and are expected to contend for a championship this year, the Lakers let it all slip right out the window by getting routed by the Golden State Warriors 125-94 the next day.

Naturally, the Lakers aren't going to go undefeated or even compete for one of the league's best records this year. Fans must restrain their expectations now. This season is not one that is going to be one of the greatest of all time, especially with Kobe coming off of a horrific injury. These Lakers aren't going to win many second of back-to-backs this year, even if they happen to be against the likes of the Charlotte Bobcats or New Orleans Pelicans, rather than the Warriors. These Lakers, with Kobe, Pau Gasol and Steve Nash, are still an old team and will have to maintain healthy in order to get into the playoffs and make any kind of a dent. Even coach Mike D'Antoni knows that it's going to be a bumpy road, but if the Lakers can find gold in some of the younger players on the roster, a championship may not be as far away as it currently seems.

Credit still must be given to the Lakers for beating the Clippers and handling them in the fourth quarter with only bench players for the entire 12-minute span. Last year, with Kobe, the Lakers lost four of four games against the Clippers, giving a spark to what is now considered an inner-city (or inner-arena) rivalry. The Warriors showed the same type of exuberance and energy in their home opener the very next night that the Lakers did versus the Clippers as they destroyed the purple and gold. Let's face it, though – no one thought that the Lakers would beat the legitimate champion-contending Warriors on that night.

So who are the Lakers? Are they the team that came out with energy and took it to the Clippers, or are they the team that came out and laid down against the Warriors? Possibly both. The remainder of the season will certainly tell, but by looking at just the first two games of the season we can begin to make some assumptions, at least. The Lakers are supposed to be a defensively weak team this year. That's no shock considering D'Antoni is the head coach and dinosaurs like Gasol and Nash must protect the center lanes of the court. That fact certainly reared its ugly head when the Warriors put up 125 points against them. Kurt Rambis was brought in as an assistant coach to shore up the defense and he will certainly have his work cut out for him this year, but don't expect the Lakers to easily beat any teams that are offensively savvy this

season. With Bryant sidelined due to injury, the leaders on the court are going to have to be Gasol and Nash. Nash will most likely always sit out the second of back-to-backs this year to preserve his health, leaving the team almost directionless in his absence.

Once again, that was the case against the Warriors and the Lakers took an ugly loss. The starters are also old, and like Nash will need a lot of rest in a long 82-game season. It may take some work to keep everyone healthy. That responsibility will belong to D'Antoni again this year, like it did last year when Kobe was overplayed and tore his Achilles.

Despite those weaknesses, the Lakers do, believe it or not, have a few strengths to contrast. One thing that has been overwhelmingly obvious since the tip-off of opening day at Staples Center is that these players have chemistry together. That's right--Dwight Howard is gone and apparently happy in Houston. That means that now, everyone gets along with one another on the Lakers. Chemistry is one thing that can bring a team a long way and the Lakers certainly look to have it early on this year. Youth may have a lot to do with that. Jordan Farmar, Jodie Meeks and the electric Xavier Henry have used their youth and provided a spark from off of the bench that has given the Lakers an aspect that has been absent on the team for a long time now. Those three, plus the likes of Jordan Hill and others, give the Lakers a bench that can run and score and keep the team in the game when the starters must rest. That bench was the same one that scored 76 points against the Clippers last week. An even mix of veteran leadership with Pau and Nash mixed in with the youth described above can possibly make the Lakers a threatening team this year. Any time you add Kobe Bryant to that mix near the middle of the year, it certainly can't hurt either.

It's obviously still early in the year and considering only two games of the season have been discussed, different variables can, of course, change. Coaches and players alike are getting used to each other and the system being run on the floor, so it is not time to panic quite yet because of a 31-point loss in Oakland. One thing remains certain, though -with a whole list of players in their contract years, there are a lot of people with something to prove, including D'Antoni, if he wants to be around to coach the team again next season. This year will certainly be an interesting one in Laker Land where despite their finish this season, the Lakers look for gold out of one or two key players who could possibly help them in their quest to become a championship-caliber team again in the near future •



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# <u>Seniors</u> When Mixing Medication and Food can be Deadly

(BPT) - More than one-third of adults in the U.S. have high cholesterol and high blood pressure. Yet many of those treated for these conditions don't realize they are putting themselves at risk by not understanding the basics about their medications.

Many commonly prescribed drugs have potentially fatal side effects when mixed with

other medications, over-the-counter drugs, supplements and even foods. This is true for the widely used cholesterol-lowering drugs known as statins, which can be deadly when mixed with grapefruit juice. These medications include atorvastatin, simvastatin, lovastatin and fluvastatin.

"Most people don't know that something as common as drinking grapefruit juice when taking statins can increase the risk of muscle pain and have serious adverse side effects that can be life threatening," says Ed Dannemiller, specialist pharmacist in the Express Scripts Cardiovascular Therapeutic Resource Center (TRC). "The juice can substantially raise the concentration of statins in the body and make them much more potent."

As a specialist pharmacist, Dannemiller is one of a team of experts who are specifically trained to help patients with heart disease understand everything they need to know about their medications, including how their diet and other medications they take may affect their health. They also work closely with physicians to prevent potential problems that medications may pose to their patients.

"Another popular drug, warfarin, which is a blood thinner that helps prevent heart attack and stroke, can react harmfully with a number of commonly used products," he says. "When warfarin is mixed with antidepressants, alcohol, ibuprofen or aspirin, and even herbal

### products like gingko biloba or garlic, patients may be at risk of internal bleeding."

If you are one of the millions of Americans being treated for one of these common conditions, Dannemiller offers these tips to help prevent medication interactions.

Ask before you use: Check with your doctor or pharmacist to find out what

foods, medications and supplements should be avoided when taking a medication. Some combinations cause bad reactions by making the drug more potent, while others can make the medication less effective.

Read the fine print: Always read the caution information provided in the medication package and make sure you understand how and when to take your medications. Instructions such as taking your dose with food or on an empty stomach should not be overlooked. Also, taking too much or too little of a drug can significantly impact how well the drug works.

Look beyond prescriptions: Make sure your physicians know all the other medications and supplements you're taking, such as herbal remedies and over-the-counter products, including vitamins since some interactions can cause life threatening side effects.

Follow doctor's orders: Taking your medications as prescribed by your doctor is essential for ensuring that they'll effectively treat your condition. Don't ever stop taking your medications or simply use them "when needed" without talking to your physician or specialist pharmacist. Even if you have no apparent symptoms, you may still be at risk. For example, blood pressure can reach dangerous levels, yet a patient may not be aware of any of the warning signs. Remember, just because you don't notice any symptoms doesn't mean that your disease is under control. •

# <u>Finance</u> **Seniors: Be on High Alert for Scams**

#### **By Jason Alderman**

I look forward to the day when we no longer need to warn senior citizens about scams designed to separate them from their hard-earned money. I'm not holding my breath, however. According to the FBI, senior citizens make attractive targets for con artists for a variety of reasons:

- They're more likely to have a nest egg, own their home and have good credit.

- Seniors are less likely to report fraud because they don't know where to report it, don't realize they've been scammed, or are too ashamed at having been duped - possibly fearing they won't be trusted to manage their own finances going forward.

- When elderly victims do report crimes, they often make poor witnesses because of faulty memory.

- Seniors are more susceptible to products promising increased wealth, cognitive function, virility, physical conditioning, anti-cancer properties and so on. Here's a roundup of common telemarketing scams targeting seniors and how you can avoid them:

Be wary, even if callers appear legitimate. Caller ID "spoofers" pretending to represent your bank, credit card company or government agencies may try to trick you into revealing personal information under the pretext of fixing a security breach. When in doubt, hang up and contact the organization yourself.

Other common telemarketing scams include: - You've supposedly won a free prize but are asked to pay for handling postage or taxes. By law, you never have to pay for any legitimate prize.

- Get-rich-quick schemes, like those involving Nigerian princes trying to smuggle funds out of their country using your bank account in exchange for a cut of the amount.

- The "Grandparent Scam," where someone pretending to be your grandchild calls in a panic, claiming to have been arrested or injured (often abroad) and asking you to wire them



or services you never actually receive.

- Some particularly brazen thieves will even offer to help you recover money you've lost to other scammers (who are often part of the same operation).

Although direct telephone contact is common, scammers also use mailers, email, texts and advertisements to lure potential victims into contacting them for further information. A few tip-offs these offers - whatever the channel might be bogus:

- The offer sounds too good to be true.

- High-pressure sales tactics - they won't take no for an answer have sensible-sounding answers for your every question or hesitation.

- You must make a decision "right now" because the offer will expire soon.

- Claims that you are one of just a few people eligible for the offer.

- Your credit card number is requested for verification. Never provide credit card or other personal information by phone, letter or email unless you made the initial contact.

- You are urged to provide money quickly and not given time to consider the offer.

- There is no risk. All investments have some risk, except for U.S. Government obligations.

- They refuse to provide detailed written information.

- You are asked to trust the telemarketer. Like your mother always said, "Don't trust strangers."

The Federal Trade Commission (www.ftc.gov) has a Scam Alert Blog that exposes the latest scams, as well as a site where you can file a complaint if a business doesn't make good on its promises or cheats you out of your money. •

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Isaac Luna (El Segundo #7) fields a Centennial punt and set up El Segundo with good field position. Photos by Dirk Dewachter.

Dathan Baliey (El Segundo #22) tries to gain more yardage as a Centennial defender closes in during the opening plays of their league contest.



El Segundo players are congratulating Joey Garza.

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T's November, and that means pumpkin, turkey and cranberry time. For the next three weeks, I will feature some great thanksgiving recipes for your family to enjoy. The first one is a quick, easy dessert and can be done a day ahead to keep your oven space free for everything else.

The Chef

# Pumpkin and Dried Fruit Pecan Trifle



1 box of yellow cake mix, bake according to directions and cool (or you can use any kind of sponge cake or biscuit you'd like)

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by Chef Shafer

Pumpkin Mousse (1) 15 oz. can Libby pumpkin meat 1 cup brown sugar 1 tablespoon vanilla 2 cups heavy cream <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup brown sugar 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon 1 cup chopped dried fruits (figs, dates, apples cherries or plums)

1 cup toasted, salted pecans

Mix the pumpkin, brown sugar and vanilla in a bowl. Set aside. Whip the cream, brown sugar and cinnamon to a stiff peak. Keep chilled.

Assemble in a large glass bowl.

With alternating layers of cream, cake, pumpkin, fruit, nuts. Ending with whip cream on the top final layer.

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# Sports

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El Segundo's Isaac Luna (El Segundo #7) fields a kick off following a Centennial score. Photos by Dirk Dewachter.

consuming over six minutes.

During the drive the Eagles were forced to punt, but benefited from a muffed return. Stewart recovered the ball near the one-yard line. After a penalty moved the ball back to the six-yard line, Nootbaar used a bootleg route to dive into the end zone for a 24-14 lead.

Centennial answered with a 25-yard touchdown pass from Shaw to Bailey. Walz and Dewayne Polk dropped Shaw for a loss on the two-point PAT attempt and Centennial had closed the gap to 24-20 with a little more than six minutes remaining.

El Segundo went to a ball control phase using Kelly and the Eagles drove to the Centennial 15-yard line where the drive stalled. Rocha then drilled a 32-yard field goal with 2:24 left in the game for a 27-20 El Segundo lead.

With time winding down to under a minute, the finishing touches on this game were made. Garza picked off Shaw near midfield and raced over 50 yards for a game- and league championship-clinching touchdown with 24 seconds remaining.

It has been a long year and injuries have at times decimated the Eagles. With gamechanging players like Miguel Wagner, Daniel Zeman and Henry Doby out for the year, word on Rincon's condition was still unknown as of this writing.

The Eagles look to win their third Pioneer League championship in six years and the first undefeated conference season in memory. Also with the win, the Eagles will advance to the CIF playoffs for a school record sixth consecutive year.

The fifth-ranked Eagles host South Torrance Friday at 7 p.m. on Senior Night. A win could propel the Eagles into one of the top four seeds for the playoffs and a guaranteed first round home game next Friday night, Nov. 15 at 7:30 p.m. •



The El Segundo High School band performs during half time of the El Segundo - Centennial varsity football game.





Ryan Kelly (El Segundo #45) in action in the fourth quarter against Centennial.



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# **Are You Covered? Five Tips for Roof Replacement Projects**



(BPT) - Seasonal storms are a reminder to make certain your roof is well-equipped to help provide protection from Mother Nature. Considering a roof replacement? Follow these tips for outstanding performance, increased curb appeal and enhanced comfort for your family.

1. Check the Warning Signs One of the best ways to stay in front of a roof replacement is to look for small annoyances that could eventually turn into big problems. Do a thorough investigation, but remember to practice ladder safety. Look for discoloration, cracking, uneven surfaces, curled and missing shingles and stains on the underside of the roof deck when viewed from the attic and excessive amounts of granules in the gutter, which

fall from shingles and expose the asphalt underneath. If any warning signs are evident, it's time to get in touch with a contractor to assess your roof's condition and discuss replacement.

### 2. Choose a Complete **Roofing System**

When most people think about roof replacements, they think shingles. While shingles add beauty and character to a home's exterior, it's important to understand that they're only the first line of defense in protecting your home from the elements. For true peace of mind, your roof should consist of high-quality shingles and underlayment products to help guard against severe weather outside, as well as ventilation products that balance airflow to control temperature and humidity inside.

"A high-performance roof needs to include components and layers that are specifically designed to work as one system for outstanding protection," says Carl Baca, director of strategic marketing for Owens Corning Roofing and Asphalt.

### **3. Select your Contractor Wisely**

Finding a skilled and reputable professional who will be able to guide you through the roof replacement process from start to finish is key. It may seem like a difficult task, but it doesn't have to be. Begin by looking for preferred contractors on roofing manufacturers' websites. Ask trusted friends and neighbors for recommendations. Then, obtain quotes from multiple contractors and ask for references. Insist on someone who is in good standing with the Better Business Bureau, holds at least \$1 million in general liability insurance and carries all required state and local licensing. The best contractor for the job will be specifically certified to install the roofing components you've selected and possess both a dedication to outstanding craftsmanship and knowledge of the latest industry standards and technologies.

### 4. Plan for the future

Replacing a roof can be a significant investment, so make sure it's protected with a strong warranty. If you've installed a roofing system, ask your contractor about adding on a warranty that covers the system of components. Some of these system warranties also include contractor workmanship coverage. Be sure you review and understand the details, limitations and requirements of the warranty before your roof is installed.

### 5. Don't hesitate to insulate

While your roof is being replaced, consider adding another layer of protection to the top of your home. Ask your contractor to assess your insulation levels when he's in the attic inspecting the underside of your roof. When installed in an attic, loosefill insulation contributes to energy savings and helps control interior temperatures for a comfortable living environment. This could be a DIY project, but many contractors are specifically certified to install insulation making it an easy add-on to your roofing project.

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used to incite negative public opinion about TopGolf. "I'm ashamed of these individuals... spreading lies," she said. Fellhauer described TopGolf as "something different, but it is something better," and added that the only negative she sees is that the cost to hit golf balls will be higher.

As for those costs, Fisher contended that the price tag could actually end up lower because TopGolf charges an hourly rate (\$20 per bay) that can be split between up to six people regardless of the number of balls hit-and the time can be broken up into

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20-minute increments. The Lakes charges a flat rate for balls (\$11 for two buckets, according to Fisher).

In the end, Fisher asked those opposed to TopGolf to consider whether the company would actually choose to run an operation that would hurt its business and also reminded those in attendance of his and the Council's own commitment to El Segundo. "It's incredible to me that anyone would think that we would vote for something that would put this city at risk-it blows my mind," he said. •



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# **Looking Up** The Farthest Place: Astronomers Discover

# **Universe's Most Distant Galaxy**

### By Bob Eklund

Researchers from Texas A&M University and the University of Texas at Austin teamed up to detect the most distant galaxy ever found-one created only 700 million years after the Big Bang. Their research is published in the Oct. 24 edition of the journal Nature.

The galaxy, known by its catalog name z8\_GND\_5296, was observed as it was 13 billion years ago. That's the time it took for the galaxy's light to travel to Earth. Because the universe has been expanding all that time, the researchers estimate the galaxy's present distance to be roughly 30 billion light-years from Earth.

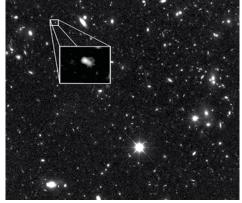
"Because of its distance, we get a glimpse of conditions when the universe was only about 700 million years old-only five percent of its current age of 13.8 billion years," said Texas A&M astrophysicist Casey Papovich, who is second author of the paper.

He explains that researchers are able to accurately gauge the distances of galaxies by measuring a feature from the ubiquitous element hydrogen called the Lyman alpha transition, which emits brightly in distant galaxies. It's detected in nearly all galaxies that are seen from a time more than one billion years from the Big Bang, but getting closer than that, the hydrogen emission line, for some reason, becomes increasingly difficult to see.

"We were thrilled to see this galaxy," said lead author is Steven Finkelstein, an assistant professor at the University of Texas at Austin. "And then our next thought was, 'Why did we not see anything else?' We're using the best instrument on the best telescope with the best galaxy sample. We had the best weather-it was gorgeous. And still, we only saw this emission line from one of our sample of 43 observed galaxies when we expected to see around six. What's going on?"

The researchers suspect they may have zeroed in on the era when the universe made its transition from an opaque state in which most of the hydrogen is neutral to a translucent state in which most of the hydrogen is ionized. So it's not necessarily that the distant galaxies aren't there-it could be that they're hidden from detection behind a wall of neutral hydrogen fog, which blocks the hydrogen emission signal.

The Nature paper grew out of raw data gleaned from a powerful Hubble Space Telescope



imaging survey of the distant universe. Using that data, the team was armed with 43 potential distant galaxies and set out to confirm their distances.

On a crisp, clear April night, team members sat behind a panel of computers in the control room of the W. M. Keck Observatory, which is perched atop the 14,000-foot summit of Hawaii's dormant Mauna Kea volcano and houses the two largest optical and infrared telescopes in the world, each standing eight stories tall, weighing 300 tons and equipped with 10-meter-wide mirrors.

They detected only one galaxy during their two nights of observation at Keck, but it turned out to be the most distant ever confirmed. It had a redshift of 7.51-indicating that it was created about 13 billion years ago. Because the universe is expanding, the space between galaxies also is increasing. And as objects move away from an observer, their light becomes redder. In essence, the higher the "redshift," the farther away the object. Only five other galaxies have ever been confirmed to have a redshift greater than 7, with the previous high being 7.215. •

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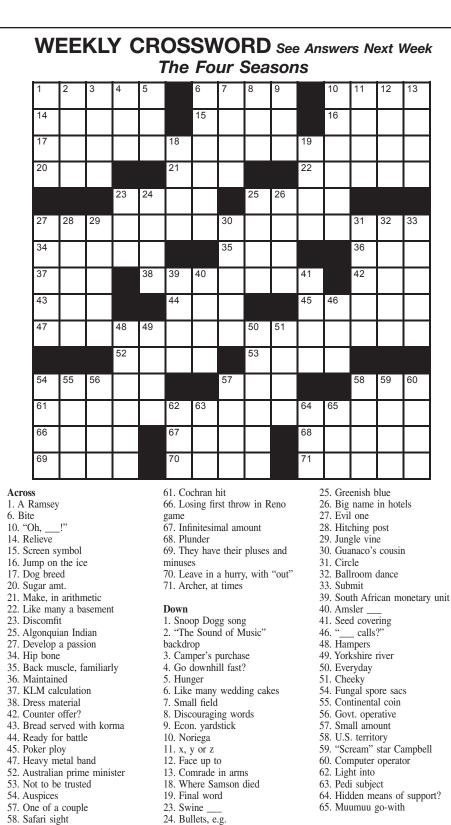
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Name Statement

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PRODUCTIONS. 16514 KRISTIN AVE, TORRANCE, CA 90504. Registered

Owner(s): Jerry's Moving Systems, Inc.

16514 Kristin Ave, Torrance, CA 90504.

This business is being conducted by a

Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious

business name listed: April 22, 1988

was filed with the County Recorder of Los

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SEQ., Business and Professions Code)

2013 and November 07, 2013. H-991. **Fictitious Business** 

Name Statement

2013220068

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE BUSINESS CENTER. 5757 UPLANDER WAY, SUITE 209,

CULVER CITY, CA 90230. Registered Owner(s): Charles Copeland, 6050 Canterbury Dr. E217, Culver City, CA

90230. This business is being conducted

by an Individual. The registrant

commenced to transact business under

the fictitious business name listed: October

1 2013 Signed: Charles Copeland

Owner. This statement was filed with the

County Recorder of Los Angeles County

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Inglewood News: October 31, 2013 and

SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

November 07, 14, 21, 2013, HI-996,

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El Segundo Herald: October 17,

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#### 2013223230 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

Current File #2013097175 The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: BOULANGERIE, 4841 W. 96TH ST, INGLEWOOD, CA 90301. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in the County of Los Angeles ON MAY 10, 2013. Registrants: SERGIO MAGALLANES, 4841 W. 96TH ST INGLEWOOD, CA 90301. This business was conducted by an INDIVIDUAL. Signed: SERGIO MAGALLANES, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 28, 2013.

INGLEWOOD NEWS: October 31, 2013 and November 07, 14, 21, 2013. HI-997

#### 2013220724 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME Current File #20081558894

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: G AND D METAL FABRICATORS, 114 LOMITA ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245-4113. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in the County of Los Angeles ON OCTOBER 28, 2008. Registrant(s): GLEN F BERINGER JR, 114 LOMITA ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. This business was conducted by an INDIVIDUAL. Signed: GLEN F BERINGER JR, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 23,

El Segundo Herald: October 31, 2013 and November 07, 14, 21, 2013 . H-998



# The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ETTR. DESIGNS. 315 CENTER ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245.

Registered Owner(s): John Lazear Center St, 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: John Lazear. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County

Fictitious Business

Name Statement 2013215313

on October 15, 2013. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on October 15, 2018, A new Business Name State Fictitious must be filed prior to October 15, 2018. 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: October 24, 31, 2013 and November 07, 14, 2013, H-995.

#### Fictitious Business Name Statement 2013229101

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1. EL SEGUNDO LOCKSMITH. 2. EL SEGUNDO LOCKSMITHS. 3. EL SEGUNDO LOCK AND KEY. 401 MAIN ST, EL SEGUNDO CA 90245. Registered Owner(s): Industrial Lock and Security, Inc, 401 Main St, El Segundo, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: April 01, 2004. Signed: Elyse D. Rothsein, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on November 05, 2013. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on November 05, 2018. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to November 05, 2018. 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: November 7, 14, 21, 28, 2013, H-1002.

#### Fictitious Business Name Statement 2013211486

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CANOA'S CARPET SUPPLIES. 1259 W MANCHESTER AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90044, Registered Owner(s): Juventino Salas, 1259 W Manchester Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90044. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: N/A. Signed: Juventino Salas, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on October 09, 2013. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on October 09, 2018. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to October 09, 2018. 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). Inglewood News: October 24, 31, 2013 and November 07, 14, 2013. HI-994

#### **Fictitious Business** Name Statement 2013206861 The following person(s) is (are) doing

business as 1. SOCIETY 8 2. PRIVY 3. PRIVY.NET. 207 E. FRANKLIN AVE., SUITE B, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. Registered Owner(s): Privy Groupe, Inc., 207 E. Franklin Ave., Suite B, El Segundo, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: September 18, 2013. Signed: Privy Groupe, Inc., Stephen Liu, President. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on October 03, 2013. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement

expires on October 03, 2018. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to October 03, 2018. 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: October 17, 24, 31,

#### Fictitious Business Name Statement 2013228321

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THINK DIFFERENTLY FITNESS. 859 PENN ST., EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. Registered Owner(s): Nelwood Entertainment Corp., 859 Penn St, El Segundo, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: September 30, 2013. Signed: Nelwood Entertainment Corp, Secretary, Sheila Miller-Nelson. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on November 04, 2013. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on November 04, 2018. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to November 04, 2018. 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: November 7, 14, 21, 28, 2013. H-1001.

#### **Fictitious Business** Name Statement 2013209252

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SHEAR GENIUS. 13837 HAWTHORNE BLVD, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. Registered Owner(s): Charles Anthony Owens, 15524 Gundry Ave, Paramount, CA 90723. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: November 01, 2004. Signed Charles Anthony Owens, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on October 7, 2013. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on October 7, 2018. A new

Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to October 7, 2018. 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). Hawthorne Press Tribune: October 17, 24, 31, 2013 and November 7, 2013. **HH-990.** 

#### Fictitious Business Name Statement 2013214468

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KINXPRESS. 11701 HAWTHORNE BLVD, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. Registered Owner(s): 1. Claudia Maria Juarez A, 10909 S. Burl Ave, Inglewood, CA 90304. 2. Claudia Yessenia Juarez A, 10909 S. Burl Ave, Inglewood, CA 90304. This business is being conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: N/A. Signed: Claudia Y Juarez A, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on October 15, 2013. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on October 15, 2018. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to October 15, 2018. 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,

Hawthorne Press Tribune: October 24 31, 2013 and November 07, 11, 2013. HH-993.

#### Fictitious Business Name Statement 2013221620

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HACIENDA HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER AT LAX. 525 N. SEPULVEDA BLVD., EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245 2. 2500 N. DALLAS PKWY, SUITE 600, PLANO, TX 75093. Registered Owner(s): Rubicon B Hacienda LLC, 1117 East Putnam Avenue, #481, Riverside, CT 06878. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: September 04 2013. Signed: Vincent F. Cuce, Authorized Signer/Agent. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on October 24, 2013.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on October 24, 2018. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to October 24, 2018. 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: November 7, 14, 21, 28, 2013. H-1000.

#### **Fictitious Business** Name Statement 2013223898

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as #SLICE'D. 303 CULVER BLVD, PLAYA DEL REY, CA 90293. Registered Owner(s): Bobby J's LLC, 336 E Walnut Ave, El Segundo, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: N/A. Signed: Bobby J's LLC, Manager, William Delfino. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on October 29, 2013.

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2013 and November 07, 2013. H-992

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or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

# **PUBLIC NOTICES**

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE Date of Filing Application: October 3, 2013 To Whom It May Concern: The Name(s) of the Applicant(s) is/are: PETROS KAFE INC The applicants listed above are applying

to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to sell alcoholic beverages at: 131 W GRAND AVE "A" EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245-3738 Type of license(s) Applied for: 41-ONE-SALE BEER AND WINE -EATING PLACE Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control 3950 PARAMOUNT BLVD STE 250 LAKEWOOD CA 90712 (562) 982-1337 El Segundo Herald Pub. 11/7/13 H-24020

NOTICE OF COMMUNITY WORKSHOP NOTICE TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES NOTICE OF COMMUNITY WORKSHOP FOR GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT NO. GPA 13-02 (HOUSING ELEMENT UPDATE EA-1044)

Date: November 21, 2013 Time: 6:00 p.m. Place:City Council Chambers 350 Main Street El Segundo, California NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the CITY OF EL SEGUNDO will hold a Community Workshop at the time and place indicated above regarding the following project:

Environmental Assessment No. EA-1044 and General Plan Amendment No. GPA 13-02 (Housing Element Update) Review of State Law, Existing Conditions and Community Profile Report, and existing Housing Element Goals, Policies and Objectives

Applicant: City of El Segundo Address: Citywide

PROJECT DESCRIPTION AND OVERVIEW

The proposed project is an update of the Housing Element of the El Segundo General Plan. Pursuant to SB 375, the City must adopt its Housing Element Update of the El Segundo General Plan for the 2013-2021 cycle not later than February 12, 2014. The Housing Element must be submitted to the California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) for its review and comment. Revising the Housing Element requires public participation to provide the public with an overview of the Housing Element process including a review of applicable law; Community Profile information and an existing conditions report; an overview of the existing Housing Element Goals, Policies, and Objectives; and an opportunity to receive public input regarding the Housing Element Update

The public is encouraged to attend and participate in this community workshop on the update of the Housing Element Copies of the current Housing Element of the El Segundo General Plan are available for review at the El Segundo Public Library or in the Planning and Building Safety Department at the City offices or on the

Planning and Building Safety Department web-site located at http://www.elsegundo. org/depts/planningsafety/planning.org. In addition, copies of the updated Community Profile for El Segundo are available for review. Additional information on Housing Elements is available on-line at the State Housing and Community Development website at www.hcd.ca.gov/hpd/hrc/plan/ he.org/

The related files for the above-mentioned projects are available for public review, Monday through Thursday between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. in the Planning Division of the Planning and Building Safety Department located at 350 Main Street, El Segundo. Please note that Citv Hall is closed on Fridays. Any person may provide comment at the community workshop at the time and place indicated above. Please contact Kimberly Christensen, AICP, Planning Manager, in the City Planning Division at (310) 524-2340 for further information.

#### COMMENTS

Written comments may be submitted to Kimberly Christensen, AICP, Planning

Manager, Planning and Building Safety Department, City of El Segundo, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, CA 90245. Comments may also be submitted at the community workshop. Your comments may also be sent by Fax to: (310) 322-4167. All written comments must be received by November 20, 2013 to be available at the community workshop.

Please be advised that if you challenge the proposed actions in Court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the community workshop described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered at or before the community workshop

#### Sam Lee Director

Department of Planning and Building Safety; and, Secretary to the Planning CommissionCity of El Segundo

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#### Denal

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Trip

along with everyone they meet, from children to dogs to other cats, making them the perfect additions to any family.

**Trip** is a happy-go-lucky goofball kitten with adorable white stockings and a chest and face that set off his orange Tabby striping perfectly. This playful dude is very outgoing and affectionate, always purring up a storm. He is bigger than his siblings and has cute pink toes.

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As small as she is, Molly is a jumper. Not really on people because she normally hops on her hind legs straight up like she's dancing...it's actually pretty cute. But she



Elsie (on the left. Now "Molly") hits the jackpot!

has jumped out of the playpen several times when I've tried to separate them. He's almost twice her height and doesn't do that. I've actually covered her playpen and she hasn't done it since. I just don't think she likes to be alone.

I've told a lot of people about your rescue and will continue doing so because it was a great experience, and I really enjoyed meeting you. Thanks for all the photos. I just love them, and I am so glad Molly is a part of our family now. She just fits right in. She is great and we love her! Take care and I will keep in touch.

- Connie."

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