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Richmond Third Graders Raise Money for C.A.S.E.



Third grade students from Richmond Street Elementary School, posing here for a group picture, recently raised \$600 from their community store to donate to El Segundo C.A.S.E. families in need. Photo Provided by Lisa Hong, Richmond Street School.

Mayor Highlights Past Year, Looks to Future in State of the City

By Brian Simon
Photos Provided by Robert Cetl,
City of El Segundo

El Segundo Mayor Suzanne Fuentes provided an overview of the past year's achievements as well as a look to the future in her State of the City address last week. Organized by the El Segundo Chamber of Commerce, the luncheon took place at SteelWave's INSITE facility—a recently repurposed industrial building at 2030 E. Maple Avenue now serving as creative office space. Fuentes called the INSITE transformation “remarkable” and noted that the “space, beams, cutouts, glass walls and aircraft artwork are gorgeous.”

The Mayor kicked off the proceedings with a centennial montage video in honor of the City of El Segundo's 100th birthday and made note of the year-long slate of festivities planned to celebrate the milestone—starting with a Birthday Bash at Library Park on January 18 and continuing three days later with the Centennial Ball at the Automobile Driving Museum. Next up will be the Chevron Carnival on August 27 and fireworks spectacular on October 7. Fuentes singled out the City's Centennial Committee and Recreation and Parks Department for their efforts in coordinating the events.

Looking at the work of the City Council and staff, the Mayor pointed to the development of a three-year strategic plan with the mission to “provide a great place to live, work and visit” with five major goals—enhance customer service and engagement; support community safety and preparedness; develop as a choice employer and workforce; develop quality

infrastructure and technology; and champion economic development and fiscal sustainability. Fuentes went on to thank City Manager Greg Carpenter for leading “this complex effort.”

After recognizing volunteer members of local commissions and committees, Fuentes recapped the accomplishments of each of the City departments over the last year. She noted that Human Resources welcomed new Director Lynn Lindberg and also recruited and filled 108 positions—with 54 of those full-time including 20 internal promotions.

In discussing the Police Department, Fuentes called it a “bittersweet time” with the retirement of Chief Mitch Tavera. “We are grateful for your 38 years of distinguished service to our city,” she said, adding that El Segundo “is a better town” because of his dedication and leadership. Noted police highlights of the past year included continued community outreach and education via various public programs and events, active shooting training, development of a coyote

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Weekend Forecast

Friday
 AM Clouds/
 PM Sun
 66°/56°



Saturday
 Sunny
 63°/55°



Sunday
 Sunny
 67°/58°



School District Searches for Two New Principals

By Duane Plank

With the 2016-17 school year rapidly careening towards early June's campus graduation and promotion ceremonies, El Segundo Unified School District administrators and School Board members are currently tasked with filling open principal positions at both El Segundo High School and El Segundo Middle School.

The middle school position opened up when current principal Jack Plotkin was promoted to the newly-created District position of Director-Innovation & Student Services. El Segundo High Principal Jaime Mancilla had submitted his resignation earlier in 2017 and will soon be assuming

the helm at Ridgecrest Elementary School in Rancho Palos Verdes.

During the consent agenda portion of the meeting, the Board unanimously approved slotting Plotkin in the new position for the 2017-18 school year. Plotkin had served as co-principal at the middle school during the 2011-12 school year, taking over the principal position at the beginning of the 2012-13 school year. Regarding his new opportunity, he said that he had been “tremendously fortunate” to work with the faculty and students at El Segundo Middle School for the past eight years—and that, in his newly created position, he hopes

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Calendar of Events

Deadline for Calendar items is the prior Thursday by noon. Calendar items are \$1 per word. Email listings to marketing@heraldpublications.com. We take Visa and MasterCard.

THURSDAY, MAY 25

- El Segundo Farmer's Market, 3:00 PM. – 7:00 PM., located on Main Street, Downtown El Segundo.
- Guitar 1 & 2 Spring Recital, 6:00 – 8:00 PM., ESMS Bulldog Hall, 332 Center Street, Call: 310-615-2690.
- Orchestras Concert, 7:00 PM., ESHS Performing Arts Center, 640 Main Street, Call: 310-615-2662.

FRIDAY, MAY 26

- Bingo, 1:00 PM. - 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, \$3.00 minimum, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Helen at: 310-416-9181.
- CSS Spring Sing, 8:30 AM – 10:00 AM., Center Street School, 700 Center Street, Call: 310-615-2676.

SATURDAY, MAY 27

- Saturday Night Dance, 7:00 PM. – 9:45 PM., Cost: \$3.00 Per Person, Adults of all Ages Welcome, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call: 310-524-2705.

SUNDAY, MAY 28

- Bridge & Pinochle Groups, 11:30 AM. – 3:45 PM, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.

MONDAY, MAY 29

- HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY!! (NO SCHOOL –ESUSD STUDENTS)
- Canasta Group, 12:00 PM. – 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, Free, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

- Bowling, 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM, 50 Plus, Senior Club of El Segundo, Gable House Bowl, 22501 Hawthorne Blvd., Torrance, Cost: \$8.00 for 3 games, Call Joyce at: 310-322-7621.
- Drop-In Lobby Events: Historic El Segundo Centennial Photo Plaques, 12:00 PM. – 1:00 PM., El Segundo Public

Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., Call: 310-524-2728.

- Evening Book Discussion Featuring: Swimming Lessons by Claire Fuller, 6:30 PM, El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Avenue, Call: 310-524-2728.

THURSDAY, JUNE 1

- El Segundo Farmer's Market, 3:00 PM. – 7:00 PM., located on Main Street, Downtown El Segundo.
- El Segundo Historical Committee Meeting, 7:00 PM. – 8:00 PM., El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., Call: 310-640-8923.

FRIDAY, JUNE 2

- Bingo, 1:00 PM. - 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, \$3.00 minimum, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Helen at: 310-416-9181.
- ESHS Band-O-Rama Concert, 7:00 PM. – 9:00 PM., Call for ticket prices, ESHS PAC, 640 Main Street, Call: 310-615-2662.

SATURDAY, JUNE 3

- Saturday Night Dance, 7:00 PM. – 9:45 PM., Cost: \$3.00 Per Person, Adults of all Ages Welcome, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call: 310-524-2705.

SUNDAY, JUNE 4

- Bridge & Pinochle Groups, 11:30 AM. – 3:45 PM, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.

MONDAY, JUNE 5

- LAST WEEK OF SCHOOL FOR ESUSD STUDENTS!!
- Canasta Group, 12:00 PM. – 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, Free, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.
- Arena High School Graduation, 6:00 PM., Arena High School, 641 Sheldon St., Call: 310-322-4500.

TUESDAY, JUNE 6

- El Segundo Kiwanis Club Meeting, 12:10 PM., The Lakes at El Segundo, 400 S. Sepulveda Blvd., Contact: elsegundokiwanis.org.

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Older Americans Credited for Their Valuable Service

By Rob McCarthy

They fill gaps in schools as tutors and as foster grandparents. They offer companionship to homebound seniors and lend business-management advice to non-profit organizations. Older Americans plug these social service gaps so that people in South Bay communities don't slip through the cracks and wonder if anybody cares.

People 55 and older collectively provide \$78 billion annually in economic value with their service, according to a new report, titled "Volunteering and Civic Life in America." That's the value of 3.3 billion hours of volunteer service, which lightens the load on parents, teachers, service providers and hospitals. Food banks depend heavily on senior volunteers to collect donated food. Nonprofits need volunteers with skills in fundraising and running a business too.

Older Americans are tackling critical work in their communities that might not otherwise get done. And their contributions often go unnoticed, which is why May is Older Americans Month. This is a chance to highlight the important contributions that active and service-minded seniors make. President John Kennedy started the monthly observance in 1963, and it's celebrated nationwide with volunteer-appreciating luncheons and special events.

The needs of children, families and seniors outstrip the available government funding, and local charities and social service agencies report ever-growing demand for food, housing and cash assistance. Statewide, nearly 16,000 senior volunteers are making a difference in their communities through the Senior Corps program.

"As local organizations experience increased demands with fewer resources, older Ameri-

cans are stepping up to fill in the gaps, and their service is more important now than ever," said Erin McGrath, acting director of Senior Corps.

Another group making a difference in local communities is the South Bay Village, an "all-volunteer village helping our member seniors remain active and engaged in our community, while remaining in their own homes." Volunteers with the Torrance-based Village drive seniors to appointments, do light home projects and will help them with shopping.

The Village is a national movement that spread to the South Bay in 2014. Nearly one-third of Americans 65 and older lives alone, according to the Village movement. Half of seniors who reach 85 live by themselves, and many report feeling lonely. Seniors who have regular visitations are healthier and happier, studies have demonstrated.

The need for companions for homebound seniors is growing, as U.S. life expectancy rates stretch. U.S. women on average are living to 80 and men to 76, based on figures from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control. In this country, an estimated 10,000 people turn 65 every day--a ready supply of new volunteers.

"Older adults are transforming society and addressing some of the toughest problems facing our nation by closing the mentoring gap, reducing crime and reviving cities, fighting the opioid epidemic, helping seniors remain independent in their homes, and rebuilding communities following disasters," McGrath with Senior Corps said.

Not only are older Americans doing good for others, they're also reaping the benefits of staying physically and socially active. The Senior Corp, which has 15,800 volunteers

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ESHS Class of 2017 Takes Walk Down Memory Lane



Students in El Segundo High School's (ESHS) Class of 2017 will put on their caps and gowns for the first time on June 2 and walk to the elementary school from which they got their humble beginnings over a decade ago. The elementary school students and staff will line the hallways and corridors to welcome and congratulate the alumni.

On Friday, June 2, Richmond Street School's "Senior Walk" will take place at 1 p.m. and Center Street School's will begin at 1:15 p.m. ESHS seniors will walk from the high school to either school as a group with teachers and administrators. Students walking to Center Street School will walk through the district preschool (located at the El Segundo Unified School District main office) while picking up Arena High School

graduates at approximately 1 p.m.

The event is a way for seniors to remember just how far they have come while inspiring the next generation of Eagles. "After a successful inaugural event last June, the entire school community is looking forward to this year's walk down memory lane," said Robin Espinoza, ESHS director of student activities. "When an elementary school teacher sees a former student in cap and gown they glow with pride, parents may well up with tears, and the students stand just a little bit taller knowing they are inspiring the next generation."

For more information about the ESHS Senior Walk, please contact Robin Espinoza at respinoza@esud.k12.ca.us.

– Photo and Content Provided by El Segundo Unified School District

Kiwanis Good Citizen Award



On Thursday, February 23, 2017, at 2:23 a.m., Michael Chandler observed a female seated behind the wheel of a vehicle. Two males exited the vehicle and walked away. Due to the late hour, Chandler believed this activity to be suspicious. He called police to report what he had witnessed and provided a description of the individuals, the vehicle and paper license plate. When officers located the vehicle, they found it to be stolen and there were numerous

burglary tools inside. Chandler's assistance led to the arrest of the female for auto theft and possession of burglary tools and the male for suspicion of burglary. In the photo L to R: El Segundo Police Captain Bob Turnbull, Michael Chandler, El Segundo Police Chief Mitch Tavera and El Segundo Kiwanis Club President George Funk)

– Photo and Content Provided by El Segundo Police Department

ESMS Builders Club Sends Thank You Card to Police, Fire



Last week, members of the El Segundo Police and Fire departments accepted a poster-size thank you card from the El Segundo Middle School Builders Club—a group sponsored by Kiwanis with the goal of encouraging students to develop leadership skills and participate in community service projects. Club members, who also went out at lunchtime getting signatures from fellow students, decorated the thank you

card presented to each department. They also expressed their appreciation for all that the public safety personnel do to protect and serve the community.

Last spring, the Builders Club presented goodie bags filled with candy and a personalized thank you card to all of the police and fire employees.

– Photo and Content Provided by Matthew Gallon, Kiwanis Advisor to the Builders Club •

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- CALENDAR ITEMS:** Monday at noon.
- PEOPLE ITEMS:** Monday at noon.
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WEEKLY CROSSWORD

See Answers Next Week

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60	61				62	63			64	
65					66				67	
68						69			70	

Across

1. Glass container
4. Auctioneer's shout
8. Shake
12. Dined
13. Evidence
15. Angle
16. Delivery person?
17. Mountain collection
18. Of the eye's middle layer
19. Clobbering
21. Typo
23. "Police" lead singer
24. Name
25. "Zip it!"
28. Sharpened
30. Certain weight
32. Connector
35. Retail store
36. Interest sharing nations
40. Drive a nail aslant
41. Kind of terrier
42. Vehemently incensed
43. Cambrian, for one
44. Yiddish for gossips
46. Gases up
51. Farm mother
52. Gret__

54. Builders must haves
56. Mythical creature
58. Notwithstanding
60. Crystal-lined rock
62. Shade of green
64. Palindromic begetter?
65. Deprive of courage
66. Paperback
67. Origin
68. Literary adverb
69. Perfect scores
70. Bishop's district

20. Tease
22. Good way to eat vegetables
26. Roll call call
27. There are many in every yr.
29. Watch feature, perhaps
31. Coin of Albania
33. Part of Scand.
34. Unhearing
36. Moonshine
37. Wanting company
38. Outfielder Mel
39. Subdue
42. Train-reversing track arrangement
45. Pie in the ___
47. Crooked
48. Display props
49. Place for gloss
50. Playground equipment
53. Inflexible
55. Phase
57. Hebrew month
58. Joint
59. Verge
60. Howitzer
61. Helm heading
63. Fate

Last Week's Answers

1	5	7	4	2	3	9	8	6
2	6	9	7	5	8	1	3	4
3	4	8	1	6	9	2	5	7
5	7	3	9	1	2	6	4	8
8	9	1	5	4	6	7	2	3
6	2	4	8	3	7	5	1	9
9	8	2	3	7	5	4	6	1
4	3	5	6	9	1	8	7	2
7	1	6	2	8	4	3	9	5

SUDOKU Medium

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				8	3		5	

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.

Sports

West Pays for a Long Day

By Gregg McMullin

The CIF Southern Section playoffs are in full swing, literally. The El Segundo High School baseball team, which won the Ocean League title, defeated West High 6-3 in the first round of the Division 3 baseball playoffs.

It wasn't so much how the Eagles won the game as it was the performance of Spencer Long. The senior pitcher made sure it was a long day, pun intended, for West High hitters—but he was also a force with his bat. All Long did was throw a complete game, giving up



Nico Celestial's defensive effort helped the Eagles win their first round game.

three runs on four hits while striking out six. He was also three for three with two doubles, a walk, one RBI and a run scored.

After an easy one-two-three first inning from Long, the Eagles got on the scoreboard. Long led off the bottom half of the inning with a double off the centerfield fence. Jake Palmer then hit his fifth home run of the season and the Eagles led 2-0. West responded in the second inning with a solo home run by Taylor Proo.

The Eagles had an opportunity to score in their half of the second inning go awry when Brendan Casillas hit a fly ball to right field that was misplayed. Casillas attempted to stretch it into a three-base error but was thrown out.

In the third inning, Mateo Camano doubled and scored on Long's RBI single. Jake Palmer walked and Nico Celestial's RBI double made it 4-1. Spencer Palmer then pounded an RBI single to right field to increase the lead to 5-1.

Long ran into trouble in the fifth inning. He walked the leadoff hitter and then allowed a double to Tanner Schafer. Long then showed the poise of an ace and struck out the next two

hitters. With two outs, Kyle Sonandres lofted a ball just out of reach of second baseman CJ Shevlin for a two-run single to make it 5-3. In the sixth inning, Kobe Estrada drilled a two-out RBI single to right field to give the Eagles a 6-3 lead and some breathing room.

In the seventh inning, West could only manage a leadoff walk. Long shut the door on the Warriors' season with a strikeout, ground ball and pop up to end the game.

The Eagles continue to carve their way into school history. It was their ninth straight win and it also marked their 26th victory of the season—the most by the program since 2005. Besides Long's perfect day at the plate Spencer Palmer was two for three with an RBI, while Jake Palmer was one for two with two RBIs and a walk. On defense, the left side of the infield was stellar. Celestial continued his highlight season at third base and Camano's play at shortstop was nothing short of brilliant.

The Eagles played host to Troy of Fullerton this past Tuesday. The Warriors, who were 22-8 on the season, were the Freeway League champions. Should the Eagles win, they would be on the road and advance to play the winner of the Sierra Canyon/ Walnut game in the CIF Southern Section Division 3 playoffs.

Softball Loses First Round

The Lady Eagles made the long trek north to face San Luis Obispo—the Pac-8 League champions. The hosts weren't so gracious and defeated El Segundo 8-3. The Tigers jumped out to a 6-0 lead before the Lady Eagles scored three runs in the sixth inning to make it 6-3. The Tigers would go on to score two more in the bottom of the sixth inning and El Segundo's season came to an end.

Locals Lead Soccer Team

The high school soccer season has been over for months, but that doesn't mean soccer takes a breather. The Strikers FC U16, coached by Marcus Chorvat, had an incredible season. The Strikers are a club team based here in the South Bay and play their schedule of games after the high school season ends. This program used to be the local "Gunners" and now has transitioned over the years to Strikers FC South Bay.

The Strikers have seven Eagles playing for them including Casey Lund, Sam Twigg, Logan Pismopulos, Nathan Salazar, Uly Lozano, Malcolm Holtzmann-Cisse and Chris Herrera. Together these players and their other teammates recently completed their season by competing in the National Cup.

The National Cup is for the top-level club

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Ball Bounces the Lakers Way

By Adam Serrao

A lot was on the line for the Los Angeles Lakers at the NBA Draft Lottery held on Tuesday, April 16. All the talk was of ping pong balls bouncing the right way as the Lakers held onto less than a 50 percent chance of landing a top-three pick through the selection process. A team that finished last season with a 26-56 record shouldn't necessarily expect to be rewarded, but the Lakers walked away from the lottery as the big winners of the day. Overcoming the odds, Los Angeles landed the second overall pick in the draft for what will now be the third year in a row. With fortune certainly on their side, new Lakers GM Rob Pelinka and President of Basketball Operations Magic Johnson will have one very big decision to make leading up to the June 22 NBA Draft.

Los Angeles avoided a true nightmare scenario when the team was lucky enough to land the second overall pick in the upcoming draft. Conspiracy theorists might say that the Lakers recent stretch of good luck at the Draft Lottery is the NBA's way of paying Los Angeles back for a Chris Paul trade that was blocked and eventually went awry. No matter what the reason for the luck, the Lakers now not only hold onto their 2017 draft pick, but also their 2019 first round pick that would have gone to the Orlando Magic should the Lakers have fallen out of the top three.

Every year seems to come to its own nail-biting conclusion with the Lakers, even though the team consistently finishes near the bottom of their conference and well out of playoff contention. Trades made in 2012 for Steve Nash

and Dwight Howard have been the reason for stressful and anxious times for the Lakers and their fans lately, but at last the team can now officially put those worries—and trades—in the rearview. With a little bit of recent success at being unsuccessful and a whole lot of luck, Los Angeles has built a young core that Pelinka thinks may be better than any other in the NBA. "We have as good a young core once we add this pick as any [team] in the league," Pelinka said after the lottery. "Even the great teams that are dominant like Golden State—they grew through the draft. We feel like we have that type of core, for sure."

The number two overall pick leaves the Lakers with a lot of flexibility in the draft, but even still, nothing is set in stone. Many fans have been hoping that former UCLA Bruins point guard Lonzo Ball would fall into L.A.'s lap, despite his father's unrelenting and overbearing nature. That opportunity has certainly now presented itself, but it's still no certainty that the Celtics won't choose to take Ball with the top pick, especially with the injury to and fallout surrounding Isaiah Thomas in Boston. While Ball is currently considered to be the heavy favorite to go number two to the Lakers, his possible departure to the Celtics at number one would leave Los Angeles to look at players like Washington's Markelle Fultz, Kansas' Josh Jackson, or even Kentucky point guard De'Aaron Fox.

Ideally, the Lakers would love to take Ball with the number two pick and in the process silence his father who seems to love being in

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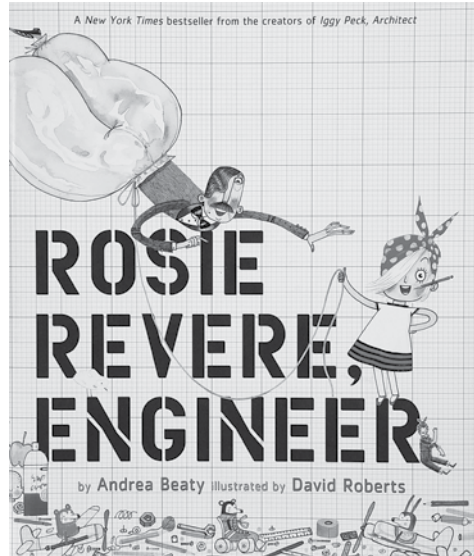
By Andrea Beaty and Illustrated by David Roberts;

Artist Ted

By Andrea Beaty and Illustrated by Pascal Lemaitre

Reviewed by Katrena Woodson, Teen and Young Reader Librarian, El Segundo Public Library

The school year is rapidly coming to an end and summer is coming full S.T.E.A.M. (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math) ahead! This week's review focuses on a couple of picture



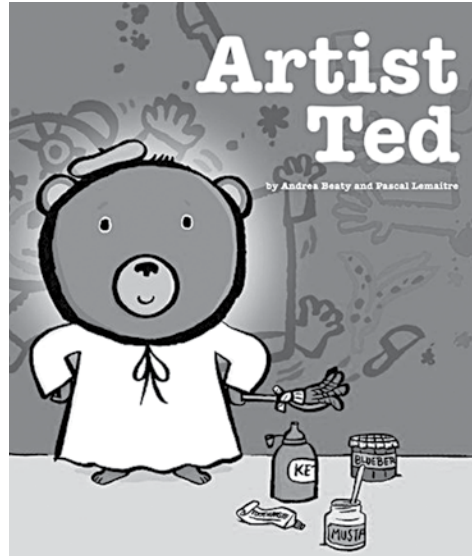
Rosie Revere, Engineer by Andrea Beaty and Illustrated by David Roberts.

books that put a spotlight on this year's summer reading program theme, Reading by Design! Young readers will be able to earn incentives throughout the summer for reading. Sign-ups for children and teens will begin June 9 in the children's department at the main library.

The first book is *Rosie Revere, Engineer* by Andrea Beaty and illustrated by David Roberts. Rosie is a girl who likes to build things, but is shy to admit it and her projects don't always work. Her confidence is broken after inventing a snake-deterrent hat for her uncle. Upon presenting it to him, he responded by laughing hysterically. When a fellow enterprising family member comes to visit, Rosie's faith in herself is restored. Beaty's message is that the words and actions of adults can have a major impact upon children. Roberts' illustrations do an impressive job of keeping the mood light and emphasizing creativity throughout the story. This picture book is appropriate for children ages five and up. Beaty has a few other similar books that are sure to be favorites if you enjoy this one.

Next is another title by Andrea Beaty called *Artist Ted* and illustrated by Pascal Lemaitre. This is part of a series of books that Beaty created following Ted (a bear) as he tries different professions. In this installment, we see Ted

wake up bored with his plain walls and bursting with enthusiasm to paint them. He doesn't have any paint or paintbrushes, so he has to make some out of mustard, chocolate syrup, etc. He paints and paints and paints. Ted even goes so far as to use a classmate's white shirt as a blank canvas. Ted is full of gusto even if he



Artist Ted by Andrea Beaty and Illustrated by Pascal Lemaitre.

is misguided at times. This story is filled with classic kid humor as well as some humor that will be appreciated by adults. Lemaitre's visual style is appealing and easygoing, making this story most suitable for readers three to seven years old. Readers will be anxious to follow Ted on his next adventure--detective work.

The El Segundo Public Library offers access to its collection of titles in a variety of formats, including traditional hardback, e-books and books on CD. To check out *Rosie Revere, Engineer* by Andrea Beaty and illustrated by David Roberts, *Artist Ted* by Andrea Beaty and illustrated by Pascal Lemaitre, or any other title on your to-read list, please visit the library to apply for your library card, or please contact the reference staff for further assistance. •



Katrena Woodson.

Film Review

Cate Blanchett is an Artistic Vision in Experimental Film *Manifesto*

By Morgan Rojas
for www.cinemacy.com

Cate Blanchett is a powerhouse performer, as proven by her two Academy Awards, three Golden Globes, three Screen Actors Guild Awards, and three BAFTAs, among countless other nominations. The Australian actress is now back with a film that strays from the mainstream, but displays her talent

resonate with your inner-creative. Personally, the one that most connected with me comes from Jim Jarmusch's essay, "5 Golden Rules of Moviemaking." His fifth rule states "nothing is original," and he ends the manifesto with one of Jean-Luc Godard's infamous quotes— "It's not where you take things from — it's where you take them to." In this scene, Blanchett plays a schoolteacher who



Cate Blanchett in *Manifesto*. Courtesy of FilmRise.

in a way that she has never done before. *Manifesto* is extremely unconventional, yet extraordinary--and serves as a springboard for Blanchett to showcase her talent, further convincing me to see every film she has ever been in or will ever make for the rest of her career.

Theatrical in its performance-driven style and gothic in nature, *Manifesto* is a series of vignettes starring Blanchett who recites monologues derived from famous 20th Century art movements. In every sense of the word, Blanchett carries the weight of the film on her shoulders as she is the sole focus of every scene. She takes on 13 different contemporary personas-- from homeless man to choreographer to anchorwoman-- in order to "modernize" the manifestos of the past as well as show lasting relevance in today's world.

The visionary mastermind behind the camera is director Julian Rosefeldt, a German visual artist whose past grandiose video installations serve as a precursor to this feature. In addition to directing, Rosefeldt also wrote and produced the film (although it's fair to say that technically the script was, for the most part, already "written" since it is a compilation of various historical works from past writers). I can honestly say that I have never seen more beautiful locations or intricate attention to detail than in *Manifesto*. I could re-watch it multiple times for visual inspiration alone.

As magical as the film is visually, *Manifesto* is equally as wonderful due to the many inspirational one-liners that are sure to

is passionately educating her students on the freedom that art should elicit in both the work as well as in the artist. It is a memorable scene with more than one strong takeaway.

If you're looking for a film that is neat and tidy with any sort of narrative structure, *Manifesto* is not that film and would stand a good chance of driving you crazy. With no direct plot line to speak of, the single thread tying the film together is the rhetorical question of "What is art?" along with the various manifestos that seek to answer that question. The vignettes, while absolutely picturesque, have no relation from one scene to the next and audience members trying to instill deeper meaning may only be left confused. The artistic liberty that is executed here is commendable and wholly original, but definitely not for the impatient.

That said, for those who enjoy avant-garde works of both art and film, *Manifesto* is a juicy bite of artistic vision. It is a colorful and vibrant call to action that stands to dissect the sanctity of art and challenges the viewer to question the authenticity of what we consider art to be today. Blanchett brings the star power and talent, Rosefeldt brings the vision, and together they create an experimental tour de force. On the surface it may seem like *Manifesto* only caters to niche "art house" enthusiasts--but if you consider yourself to possess any threads of creativity, I recommend exploring this unconventionally beautiful and stimulating work.

Manifesto is not rated. 95 minutes. Opening this Friday at the Nuart Theatre. •

Calendar of Events

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• City Council Regular Meeting, 7:00 PM. – 10:00 PM., City Hall Council Chambers, 350 Main Street, Call: 310-524-2306.

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• ESHS PTA Meeting, 7:00 PM., ESHS Library, 640 Main Street, Call: 310-615-2662.

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Lakers

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the spotlight with every opportunity that presents itself. The Lakers need a talent like Ball on the roster. He's a true pass-first point guard who would push D'Angelo Russell off of the ball where he excelled in limited time last year. With Ball, Russell, Brandon Ingram and other key role players on the team like Julius Randle, Jordan Clarkson and Larry Nance, Jr., the Lakers will be well on their way to rebuilding a roster that has been downright terrible over the last few years.

With a young and talented roster and the backdrop of Hollywood--which certainly doesn't hurt their cause--the Lakers should also be able to attract big-name free agents in the coming years as well. The most talked about free agent has been Paul George, whose contract will be up after the 2017-'18 season comes to an end. The addition of George would certainly make the Lakers a playoff team once again, though championship aspirations remain a bit

murky as long as Golden State and LeBron James are around. Before the Lakers can start thinking about a championship, though, they must first begin to construct a roster that will win more than 25 games in one season. Having the second overall pick in the draft will certainly help with that cause.

For the Lakers, many decisions remain as the team travels down a long and winding road back toward prominence. Those decisions will be

left to Pelinka, Johnson and the rest of the Los Angeles front office in the coming months and beyond. For now, a sense of relief persists. Relief that the Lakers not only kept their draft pick this year and in 2019, but also that the team moved all the way up to the number two spot. Everything seems to be slowly falling into place for L.A. Now, the only thing left to follow is a successful season within the Western Conference standings. --*Asixlion@earthlink.net*

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

DATE: June 8, 2017
TIME: 5:30 p.m.
PLACE: City Council Chambers
350 Main Street
El Segundo, California

TAKE NOTICE that the EL SEGUNDO PLANNING COMMISSION will conduct a public hearing at the time and place indicated above to consider:

Environmental Assessment No. EA-1135 (Environmental Impact Report and Mitigation Monitoring Reporting Program); General Plan Amendment No. 16-01; Zone Change No. ZC 16-01; Specific Plan No. SP 16-02; Zone Text Amendment No. ZTA 16-04; Site Plan Review No. 16-01; Lot Line Adjustment No. SUB 16-03; Conditional Use Permit No. CUP 16-05; and Administrative Use Permit No. AUP 16-09.

Address: 400 S. Sepulveda Boulevard (known as "The Lakes at El Segundo" golf course)

Applicant: CenterCal
Property Owner: City of El Segundo
Project Description

The proposed Lakes Specific Plan consists of the 26.55-acre area that currently comprises The Lakes at El Segundo. Although a 3.58-acre Southern California Edison easement

and a 0.67-acre portion of the West Basin Municipal Water District property are part of the proposed Project, they would not be part of the proposed Specific Plan area. The associated development Project proposed for the approximately 12-acres located within the southern portion of the Project site would replace the existing two-level 57-bay driving range with a three-story golf-themed, commercial recreation and entertainment facility, including hitting (driving) bays, a restaurant/bar, and other supporting accessory uses to be operated under the "TopGolf" brand. Additionally, other Project improvements would include modifications to the fairways and layouts of three holes at the existing golf course, parking lot expansion, screening pole installation, replacement of existing net poles, replacing driving range grass with high density fiber turf, and demolition of the existing clubhouse and construction of a new clubhouse. In addition to the Specific Plan, the proposed Project entitlements include a General Plan Amendment; General Plan Map Amendment; Zone Change; Zoning Map Change; Zone Text Amendment; Site Plan; Lot Line Adjustment; and Conditional Use Permit.

Should The Lakes Specific Plan be

approved, all future development within the 26.55-acre Specific Plan area would be subject to compliance with the Specific Plan's provisions and reviewed by the City to ensure consistency. The Lakes Specific Plan's proposed Land Use Plan would result in the development of approximately 71,579 square feet at buildout. The project involves the following discretionary approvals from the City of El Segundo:

Environmental Assessment No. EA-1135, to certify and approve a Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) and an associated Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program (MMRP); General Plan Amendment No. 16-01, to change the underlying General Plan Land Use designation of the Lakes at El Segundo golf course property from "Parks", to "The Lakes Specific Plan"; Zone Change No. ZC 16-01, to change the underlying Zoning designation from O-S (Open Space), to TLSP (The Lakes Specific Plan) with two Subareas classified PUB-REC/OS (Public Recreation/Open Space) and CPR-REC/OS (Commercial Public Recreation/Open Space); Specific Plan No. SP 16-02, creating a new specific plan for the Lakes at El

Segundo golf course;

Zone Text Amendment No. ZTA 16-04, to add the new Zoning designation to the Zoning Code;

Site Plan Review No. 16-01, for the development within The Lakes Specific Plan area, including a new Topgolf building, a redeveloped clubhouse, and modified holes in the golf course;

Lot Line Adjustment No. SUB 16-03, to reconfigure the existing two parcels in The Lakes Specific Plan;

Conditional Use Permit No. CUP 16-05, to allow onsite beer, wine and alcohol in the restaurants, bar and entertainment areas of the clubhouse and Topgolf facilities; and,

Administrative Use Permit No. AUP 16-09, for signage throughout the site.

Environmental Determination

An initial study of environmental impacts was prepared pursuant to 14 California Code of Regulations § 15063 ("CEQA Guidelines"). Based on the findings of the Initial Study, the Planning Department determined that preparation of an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) was required. The EIR concludes that the proposed project would have less than significant impacts, or no impacts at all, in the areas of Aesthetics, Agricultural Resources, Biological Resources,

Cultural Resources, Geology and Soils, Greenhouse Gas Emissions, Hydrology and Water Quality, Land Use and Planning, Mineral Resources, Population and Housing, Public Services, Recreation, Transportation/Traffic, and Utilities and Service Systems. The EIR finds that the proposed project has the potential for significant effects related to Air Quality, Hazards/Hazardous Materials, and Noise; however, each of these potential impacts can be mitigated to less than significant levels with the implementation of mitigation measures. A Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program has been prepared to ensure the mitigations measures recommended in the event the project is approved. The EIR reflects the independent judgment of City staff and considers project design features, site and surrounding environmental conditions, previous environmental evaluations, standard construction/engineering practices, and potential future projects.

Please note that the Final EIR and the project applications are being presented to the Planning Commission to review the merits of the project, and that the Planning Commission will be asked to make a recommendation to the City

Council. The Planning Commission's recommendation on the project will then be presented to the City Council for action at a later date. Public notice will be provided of future City Council meetings. The files for the above-mentioned matter are available for public review Monday through Thursday between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. in the City of El Segundo Planning and Building Safety Department, located at 350 Main Street, El Segundo, CA 90245. If you have any questions, contact Principal Planner Eduardo Schonborn in the City Planning Division at (310) 524-2312, or via email at eschonborn@elsegundo.org. All interested parties are invited to submit written comments, and to attend and give testimony at the public hearing at the time and place indicated above. Note that if you challenge the above described project in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City at, or prior to, the public hearing. Gregg McClain, Planning Manager; and Secretary to the Planning Commission
City of El Segundo
El Segundo Herald Pub. 5/25/17
H-25595

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

DATE: Thursday, June 8, 2017
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 on the following:

Environmental Assessment No. EA-1187, and Subdivision No. SUB 17-02 for (Vesting Tentative Parcel Map No. 75019).

Address: 929 Sheldon Street
Applicant: John Edwards
Property Owner: John Edwards

The Planning Division received an application for Vesting Tentative Parcel Map No. 75019 to subdivide an existing lot into two parcels. The existing lot is an interior lot with 90 feet of frontage on Sheldon Street. The project site contains an 1,800 square-foot single-family residential unit which will be demolished and replaced with 2 new single-family

residential units. The project site is in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) Zone within the block bordered by Imperial Avenue to the north, Walnut Avenue to the south, Cypress Street to the east, and Sheldon Street to the west.

The proposed two parcels are rectangular in shape. Proposed Parcel No. 1 is 45.03 feet wide by 113.88 feet deep, totaling 5,127 square feet and Proposed Parcel No. 2 is 45.02 feet wide by 113.87 feet deep, totaling 5,126 square feet.

The proposed project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to 14 California Code of Regulations § 15303 as a Class 3 exemption (New Construction), and §15315 as a Class 15 exemption (Minor Land Divisions). The project is not anticipated to have any significant impacts with regard to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality. The project will allow the new construction of two dwelling units in an urbanized area. Furthermore, the site has no value as habitat for

endangered, rare, or threatened species. Moreover, there are adequate utilities and public services to serve the project. Files for the above-mentioned proposal are available for public review Monday through Thursdays between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. in the Planning Division, Department of the Planning and Building Safety, located at 350 Main Street, El Segundo. Any person may give testimony at the public hearing at the time and place indicated above. Please contact project planner Maria Baldenegro, in the City Planning Division at (310) 524-2341, 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 hearing.

Gregg McClain, Planning Manager
Planning and Building Safety Department
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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF DAVID RANDOLPH GRIFFIN Case No. 17STPB04170

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of DAVID RANDOLPH GRIFFIN

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Paul D. Morgan in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Paul D. Morgan be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions,

however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on June 14, 2017 at 8:30 AM in Dept. No. 29 located at 111 N. Hill St., Los Angeles, CA 90012.

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

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

or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

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

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

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There is only one happiness in this life, to love and be loved.
- George Sand

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

DATE: June 6, 2017
TIME: 7:00 p.m.
PLACE: City Council Chambers
350 Main Street
El Segundo, California

TAKE NOTICE that the EL SEGUNDO CITY COUNCIL will hold a public hearing at the time and place indicated above on the following:

Environmental Assessment No. 1177 and Zoning Text Amendment No. 16-06.

Introduction of an ordinance amending various sections of the El Segundo Municipal Code (ESMC) related to the City's regulation of accessory dwelling units in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) and Two-Family Residential (R-2) zones.

Address: Citywide
Applicant: City Initiated
Property Owners: Various

The proposed ordinance would amend the City's regulations to make them consistent with California Government Code Section 65852.2 as amended by Assembly Bill (AB) 2299 and Senate Bill (SB) 1069 approved on September 27, 2016. Specifically, the proposed ordinance would a) allow proposed accessory dwelling units that are

contained within in existing single-family residences and existing accessory structures; b) allow proposed accessory dwelling units that are attached to a detached garage; c) eliminate parking requirements, d) set maximum size limits, and e) set architectural requirements for accessory dwelling units. If adopted, the proposed ordinance would allow such accessory dwelling units in the R-1 zone and in the R-2 zone on lots that are less than 4,000 square feet.

The proposed ordinance is statutorily exempt from further environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act (California Public Resources Code §§ 21000, et seq., "CEQA") and CEQA Guidelines (14 California Code of Regulations §§ 15000, et seq.), because it involves the adoption of an ordinance regarding accessory dwelling units in a single-family or multifamily residential zone to implement the provisions of Sections 65852.1 and 65852.2 of the Government Code as set forth in Section 21080.17 of the Public Resources Code, pursuant to CEQA Guidelines § 15282(h).

Please note that the proposed ordinance was initially reviewed by the Planning Commission on May 11, 2017. At the May

11th hearing, the Planning Commission adopted a resolution recommending that the City Council approve the proposed ordinance. The City Council is the decision-making body for the proposed ordinance.

The draft ordinance and related files are available for public review Monday through Thursday between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. in the Planning and Building Safety Department, located at 350 Main Street, El Segundo. Any person may give testimony at the public hearing at the time and place indicated above. Please contact Paul Samaras, in the City Planning Division at psamaras@elsegundo.org or (310) 524-2340, or any other Planning Division Staff person, for further information.

Note that if you challenge the above described project in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City at, or prior to, the public hearing.

Gregg McClain, Planning Manager
City of El Segundo
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

DATE: June 6, 2017
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 on the following:

Environmental Assessment No. 1161 and Zoning Text Amendment No. 16-03.

An ordinance amending certain sections of the El Segundo Municipal Code (ESMC) Title 15 (Zoning Code) to: (1) update definitions of terms, (2) clarify general provisions regarding fencing, vehicle visibility, open space areas and encroachments, screening, landscaping, (3) permit encroachments into front yard setback in the R-2 zone, (4) modify the front yard setback and open space requirements in the R-3 zone, (5) modify the permitted uses of various nonresidential zones, (6) update the off-site parking provisions, (7) modify various off-street parking development standards, (8) modify the parking requirements for multi-family residential and daycare uses, (9) permit deviations from the required open space

and landscaping requirements in the R-3 zone, and (10) clarify and correct certain other Zoning Code sections.

Address: Citywide
Applicant: City of El Segundo
Property Owners: Various

The proposed zone text amendment is exempt from review under the California Environmental Quality Act (California Public Resources Code §§ 21000, et seq., "CEQA") and the regulations promulgated thereunder (14 California Code of Regulations §§ 15000, et seq., the "State CEQA Guidelines") because it consists only of minor revisions and clarifications to existing zoning regulations and related procedures. It does not have the effect of deleting or substantially changing any regulatory standards or findings required thereof. The proposed Ordinance is an action that does not have the potential to cause significant effects on the environment. In addition, any environmental impacts associated with this ordinance are adequately addressed in the General Plan FEIR. Accordingly, this ordinance is consistent with the General Plan FEIR and is exempt from further environmental review requirements under the California Environmental Quality Act. Furthermore,

this ordinance constitutes a component of the El Segundo Municipal Code which the Planning Commission determined to be consistent with the FEIR for the City of El Segundo General Plan on December 1, 1992. Accordingly, no further environmental review is required pursuant to 14 Cal. Code Regs. § 15168(c)(2).

The draft ordinance and related files are available for public review Monday through Thursday between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. in the Planning and Building Safety Department, located at 350 Main Street, El Segundo. Any person may give testimony at the public hearing at the time and place indicated above. Please contact Paul Samaras, in the City Planning Division at (310) 524-2340, 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 hearing.

Gregg McClain, Planning Manager
City of El Segundo
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School Board

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to lead “with innovation that creates the best possible learning environment for all students, especially those that need it the most.”

It was a busy couple of days for the Board members, who not only attended their standard fourth Tuesday of the month meeting, but also were privy to a presentation on Monday evening from Tim Carty, a representative of Piper Jaffray. Carty spoke to the members about possible options to invest some or all of the \$22,625,000 that the District received in the final quarter of 2016 from the long-anticipated sale of the surplus District property located on Imperial Avenue.

Carty, Managing Director at Piper Jaffray, a leading middle market investment bank, delineated possible investment options. Issues considered included how much money to invest; when would be the best time to invest; what specifically to invest in; regulations governing school district investments; and the length of term that would yield the best return on the District’s investment. This information was digested by the Board members and District administrators as they continue to do their due diligence, gathering data and pondering the possibility of placing a school bond measure on the ballot in 2018.

Carty presented three investing options to the assembled members and Superintendent Melissa Moore, who is completing her third year at the helm of the District. Options discussed included investing all funds now; investing no funds now and waiting for the interest rates to go up; or investing some funds now and waiting

for interest rates to go up for the rest. The amount discussed to be invested was \$16 million, with the balance of the \$22,625,000 proceeds from the sale available to the District for capital outlays such as deferred maintenance or technology-related infrastructure items like a firewall. Funds from the sale of property are restricted in their use by Education Code parameters.

The money is currently with the LA County Treasury office, drawing minimal interest. Carty said that the county is restricted to investing the money in one of two type of securities--U.S. Treasury securities, or U.S. Agency securities--both termed by Carty as “the safest type of securities.” Three options were posited: Invest funds long-term, for example in 30-year bonds, which would yield the highest annual income but expose the District to the greatest possible loss of principal; invest short-term (five-year notes), which would yield the lowest annual income but expose the District to the lowest risk of principal loss; or a third scenario, termed a laddered or “rolling” investment, in which the potential \$16 million would be invested in notes or bonds with different or “rolling” maturities (i.e. \$4 million in five-year notes, \$4 million in 10-year bonds, \$4 million in 15-year bonds, and \$4 million in 20 -year bonds).

The third investment scenario, which was the proposal that the Board looked upon most favorably, would yield middle-ground annual income--with a middle ground for the loss of principal if the money needed to be

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Older Americans

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in California, says its community-service projects are a “great opportunity” to “meet critical community needs while contributing to longer, healthier lives.”

A growing body of research points to mental and physical health benefits associated with volunteering, including lower mortality rates, increased strength and energy, decreased rates of depression, and fewer physical limitations, according to Senior Corps.

Seniors are becoming more computer-literate and Internet-savvy, and the number of senior households with a computer was at 35 percent, based on 2015 Census data. Any older person looking for volunteer opportunities in the South Bay area will want to check the website volunteermatch.org. Nonprofits use this site to let interested volunteers know about staffing needs in these organizations. Now, older residents can match their interests with calls from volunteers from local nonprofits and organizations by checking the website, Volunteermatch.org.

A search for volunteer opportunities in the South Bay found needs for tutors, caregivers and people to help homebound residents both young and old with errands and grocery shopping. If you think you don’t have anything to offer as a volunteer, think again. Here are a few of the local groups in need:

South Bay Literacy Council needs tutors for its English as a Second Language program. The group also is looking for a

computer tutor, an event planner, and people to help with grant writing, public relations and in the office.

Hospice volunteers are needed at **Silverado Hospice** in Torrance. Volunteers visit patients in their homes or at a nursing facility, and read to them a newspaper or book, talk, listen to soothing music together, or share photos. Other ways to comfort hospice patients are with flowers from the garden.

The **Beach Cities Health District** for Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach and Redondo needs conversation companion volunteers for older and disabled adults with memory loss. Volunteers provide socialization and engagement through planned activities and are provided training and matched by the agency with a client.

The Beach Cities Health District also needs in-home exercise volunteers to visit with older or disabled clients to perform basic exercises that maintain the homebound person’s body strength and flexibility. Volunteers also are needed to run routine errands, including grocery shopping and mailing letters and packages. Errand volunteers are needed 90 minutes per week, mostly between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

The **Grandparents as Parents** group in Inglewood is recruiting a facilitator for the local support group. Duties include leading meetings, collecting data about group members and doing follow-up work when needed to assist participants. •

PUBLIC NOTICES

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017091509

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ALTA SOUTH BAY, 22433 SOUTH VERMONT AVE, TORRANCE, CA, 90502, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI#ON 201303910043. Registered Owner(s): TORRANCE PROPERTY OWNER, LLC, C/O AIG GLOBAL REAL ESTATE CORP, 80 PINE STREET, 4TH, NEW YORK, NY, 10005, DE.. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/2005. Signed: TORRANCE PROPERTY OWNER, LLC, VICE PRESIDENT, TIMOTHY BARRY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on APRIL 11, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on APRIL 11, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to APRIL 11, 2022. 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). Torrance Tribune: Pub. 5/11, 5/18, 5/25, 6/1/2017 HT-1629

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017089763

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as INGLEWOODSLA 1) 6411 SPRINGPARK AVE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90301 LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 2) PO BOX 451494, LOS ANGELES, CA 90045, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): STEPHEN ALLEN COTTON, 6411 SPRINGPARK AVE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90056. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2017. Signed: STEPHEN ALLEN COTTON, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on APRIL 10, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on APRIL 10, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to APRIL 10, 2022. 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 TRIBUNE: Pub 5/4, 5/11, 5/18, 5/25/2017 HI-1630

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017113351

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) X31 CREATIONS 2) X31 PHOTOGRAPHY 3) DEEP MYSTIC, 409 NORTH PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY #423, REDONDO BEACH, CA 90277, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): MICHAEL CRUZ, 409 NORTH PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY #423, REDONDO BEACH, CA 90277. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/2017. Signed: MICHAEL CRUZ, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 3, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on MAY 3, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to MAY 3, 2022. 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: Pub. 5/11, 5/18, 5/25, 6/1/2017 H-1631

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017104664

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TRUE LUXE EVENTS, 5514 BERAN ST, TORRANCE, CA, 90503, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Registered Owner(s): MICHAEL KAINITZ, 5514 BERAN ST, TORRANCE, CA, 90503. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: MICHAEL KAINITZ, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on APRIL 25, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on APRIL 25, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to APRIL 25, 2022. 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). Torrance Tribune: Pub. 5/18, 5/25, 6/1, 6/8/2017 HT-1632

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017109959

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LIL SIMMZYS ON THE DECK; 1) 850 S SEPULVEDA BLVD, STE K200, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY 2) 108 ARENA ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): SIMMZYS LLC, 108 ARENA ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245, CA. This business is being conducted by a LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 01/2017. Signed: SIMMZYS LLC, MANAGING MEMBER, THOMAS M SIMMS, JR. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 1, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on MAY 1, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to MAY 1, 2022. 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: Pub. 5/18, 5/25, 6/1, 6/8/2017 H-1633

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017121629

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ABU ALLIS MEDITERRANEAN GRILL, 21732 S VERMONT #130, TORRANCE, CA, 90502, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI#ON: 3979307. Registered Owner(s): FAIRPLAY VISION, INC., 21732 S VERMONT #130, TORRANCE, CA 90502, CA. This business is being conducted by a CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: FAIRPLAY VISION, INC, CEO, ALFRED ABUELAIS. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 11, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 11, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 11, 2022. 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). TORRANCE TRIBUNE: Pub. 5/18, 5/25, 6/1, 6/8/2017 HT-1634

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017114452

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MIRAKU 1) 18535 S WESTERN AVE, GARDENA, CA, 90248, LOS ANGELES COUNTY 2) 909 E WALNUT AVE, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): EL SEGUNDO BEACH, LLC, 909 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 or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: EL SEGUNDO BEACH, LLC, OWNER, MYUNGJA ASHWORTH. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 4, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on MAY 4, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to MAY 4, 2022. 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: Pub. 5/18, 5/25, 6/1, 6/8/2017 H-1636

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017124513

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NOMAD STUDIO, 20615 CHRISTINE AVENUE, TORRANCE, CA, 90503, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): 1) RICARDO PARRA, 20615 CHRISTINE AVENUE, TORRANCE, CA, 90503. 2) LAURA MALANDRINO, 20615 CHRISTINE AVENUE, TORRANCE, CA, 90503. This business is being conducted by a MARRIED COUPLE. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: RICARDO PARRA, HUSBAND. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 15, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on MAY 15, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to MAY 15, 2022. 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). TORRANCE TRIBUNE: Pub. 5/18, 5/25, 6/1, 6/8/2017 HT-1637

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017110894

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as STORAGE ETC TORRANCE 1) 2545 WEST 190TH STREET, TORRANCE, CA 90504, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 2) 2870 LOS FELIZ PLACE, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90039, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): RAMP UP LLC, 2870 LOS FELIZ PLACE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90039, DE. This business is being conducted by a LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: RAMP UP LLC, VICE PRESIDENT, CHRISTOPHER LYONS. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 1, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on MAY 1, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to MAY 1, 2022. 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). Torrance Tribune : Pub. 5/25, 6/1, 6/8, 6/15/2017 HT-1638

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State of the City

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management program, equipment upgrades (e.g. new patrol fleet and in-car video/body camera systems), and research leading to a new RV/oversized vehicle ordinance. Fuentes also touched upon the department's aggressive recruitment campaign that utilized virtual reality videos to target a wider applicant pool. "In 2015, there were 444 applicants for police officer, and in 2016 the number almost tripled to 1,215 applicants," she said.

The Mayor reported that the El Segundo Fire Department celebrated its own centennial on April 18 with a ceremonial badge pinning and historical march down Richmond Street. Accomplishments in the past year included completion of three initiatives—firefighter health and safety, leadership development, and purposes and values; three fire captain training days focusing on leadership, operational readiness, and administrative aptitude; a disaster preparedness fair as well as a public safety open house with the police department; and promotion of three fire captains plus the hiring of two engineers and six entry-level firefighters. Fuentes also revealed the department's new purpose statement: "Through courtesy and service, the El Segundo Fire Department stands committed to protecting our community against all risks with professionalism, integrity, compassion, dedication and teamwork."

Fuentes congratulated Mona Shilling, who was promoted to Deputy City Clerk II; and also Lily Sandoval for achieving City Clerk I status. She remarked that the City Clerk's office remained busy with new ordinances, resolutions, elections and public records requests.

The Finance Department received kudos for garnering the California Society of Municipal Finance Officers Award for Operating Budget Excellence. The Mayor additionally welcomed new Finance Manager Julia Demers and Revenue Manager David Davis to the department. She added that the City adopted a general fund budget for the current fiscal

year at \$67 million, including maintaining 18 percent in reserves (\$12.1 million) while also increasing economic uncertainty reserves and approving additional dollars for local infrastructure, technology and marketing.

The Library hired three new assistants and one clerk over the past year. Fuentes lauded Library Director Debra Brighton, who published the historical work *Images of America: El Segundo* with sales proceeds supporting Centennial Committee programs and events. Meanwhile The Friends of the Library, chaired by Sari Brann, sponsored a traveling "historical photo exhibit" with a tent display of historical shots.

El Segundo Unified School District received mention for various achievements, including three El Segundo High Engineering Pathway students who took second place in the Raytheon Engineering Games; an El Segundo High team of first-year engineering students who won first place at the regional Chevron Design Challenge as well as fourth place on the state level; Arena High student Jespa Awomah earning the Association of California School Administrators Every Student Succeeds Award; the District's Marisa Janicek's selection as Administrator of the year Region 14 by the Association of California School Administrators; and Superintendent Dr. Melissa Moore's selection for a nationwide Leading Educator scholarship to attend the ASU Global Silicon Valley Summit. Fuentes also noted Chevron's Partner in Educational Excellence Award and thanked the refinery for its role in building a K-12 Pathway for Project Lead the Way and STEM education.

Vistamar School's new Creative Common (to house its art, music, and digital media and film studios) is set for completion in late summer, and a new STEAM program is in the works. Past year highlights included a robotics team that made it to the state finals, and student athlete Luisa Delgado Heinz's travels to the Middle East with the Mexico girls soccer team to play in the World Cup—as well as senior Brian Dawson's signing with

Regis College in Colorado to play Division 2 basketball.

Wiseburn Unified saw one of its principals, Margaret Lynch, selected as Elementary Principal of the Year for the State of California by the Association of California School Administrators; and Peter Burnett Elementary students getting global notice on the band Coldplay's Instagram page for providing artwork depicting the song "Up and Up." Fuentes announced that Wiseburn High School is nearing the end of construction with a ribbon cutting in the summer and students coming in on August 22. The ongoing "Fill the Pool" campaign spearheaded by South Bay Sports, Health and Recreation continues with the goal to help fund the El Segundo Aquatics Center at the new Wiseburn High.

Recreation and Parks partnered in the design of the new aquatics center; relocated the weekly farmers market to the 300 block of Main Street; re-landscaped the Police Station and Fire Station #1; and installed a new playground at Hilltop Park and resurfaced the one at Recreation Park. The Mayor confirmed that the Campus El Segundo Athletic Fields are "on track for a complete turf replacement this summer" and announced that El SegundoTV now has over 1,100 subscribers through its YouTube channel with 14,000 monthly views. The department also hired two certified Tree Maintenance Workers and a new Recreation Superintendent, and promoted a Tree Maintenance Worker to Park Maintenance Supervisor.

Fuentes next welcomed Ken Berkman, who officially became Director of Public Works last week after serving in an interim capacity. Under his guidance, the department repaired or replaced nearly three miles of sewer main and one mile of water main—and also installed 560 smart water meters. Public Works underwent a reorganization that included reestablishing the City Engineer position to speed up infrastructure projects. Other highlights included co-naming

Lairport Street Carl Jacobson Drive, completing the Richmond Street Rehabilitation and Improvement Project, and upcoming upgrades to police and fire facilities on Main Street.

The Mayor also elaborated on economic development successes, thanking Economic Development Advisory Council Chair Al Keahi and the 15-member group for their efforts—as well as Chevron for awarding the City \$660,000 in grant funding. The City's "One Hundred at One Hundred" initiative surpassed its goal—with 118 new businesses joining the community in time for the centennial. Among the newcomers were Aerojet Rocketdyne, Kellstrom Defense, Guthy-Renker, Kite Pharma, eSalon, Sanrio, NYX, four hotels and many shops and restaurants.

Fuentes expressed excitement about the arrival of the company NantWorks, which acquired the Trisonic development plus four additional buildings for research and development, office, pharmaceutical manufacturing, and a state-of-the-art cancer treatment center. "Imagine--NantWorks is committed to finding a cure for cancer and an advanced personalized patient-centered health care solution that every individual, family and community deserves by 2020 with its Cancer Moonshot," Fuentes said. "You heard correctly, a cure for cancer will be found. Right here. In El Segundo."

Other notable economic development news included the City hosting the Bisnow Future of El Segundo event earlier this month at INSITE, and last October's Champions of Business Celebration (with a video shown from that event) at Vistamar School that recognized Continental Development Corporation President Richard Lundquist, Chevron and Kite Pharma for their contributions to local economic growth and success.

The Planning and Building Safety Department got a boost with the hires of a new Planning Manager, Principal Planner and Code Compliance Inspector—as developments

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Augustus

This week's kitties (and many others on our website) are all deserving of a home with a family to call their own.

Augustus craves and demands attention. He is currently residing at the Kitten Rescue Sanctuary where he is one of the volunteers' favorites and greets everyone who enters by hanging out near the front door and reaching his paw out to people who pass by. He is a genuine lap cat and very outgoing! Augustus lives with many other cats and gets along well with them, so he could be adopted into a home with other cats or as a single. Augustus is FIV positive from his time on the street. Cats with FIV+ often get passed over because people feel worried about the diagnosis. However, given proper care and attention, an FIV+ cat will live the same lifespan as an FIV negative cat. The disease is extremely hard to transmit from cat to cat and it requires direct blood contact (typically from a deep puncture wound). It is not transmissible to humans. Augustus would make your life complete...give this guy a chance!

Tyra came to us from the LA City Shelter system as a nursing mom kitty. Her kittens have both found a wonderful home, so



Tyra



Casey

now it's "Ty's" turn to find a loving home of her own! Tyra is an expressive, "almost tuxedo" young lady adorned in a black and white peignoir who is more of a lap visitor than a lap cat, as she's always busy playing and exploring. She is affectionate and very playful, with her favorite toys being a feather wand and ping pong balls. We think Ty was an only kitten early in life who missed the benefit of having another kitty teach her the proper etiquette of play, so Ty is a bit rough when playing. A patient and understanding adult-only home would be the best environment where Tyra could thrive and provide unconditional love. It takes a special adult to love Tyra. Could you be the one?

Looks? Personality? **Casey** is the total package! He is a darling boy who offers to his humans both a lot of affection and tons of entertainment. Casey loves getting petted and purrs loudly to let you know you are doing a good job petting him. His foster mommy cradles him like a baby, which he enjoys very much too. Casey is energetic and very playful, so he would absolutely love a playmate in his forever home. He gets along well with both boy and girl kitties. People



Rudy

who meet Casey for the first time are very impressed with his striking looks and then are even more impressed with his great personality! Casey is crossing his paws that he will meet you soon!

Rudy is a sweet, affectionate and very playful kitty who was kicked out of his house by his 19-year-old owner because she thought he would be happier as a "wild animal." Rudy wandered the streets for over a week without food or shelter until a nice neighbor found him and called a Kitten Rescue volunteer, who took him in. He is very social and loves people. He gets along with other cats and he tolerates dogs well. Sometimes Rudy can play a little rough--and so for this reason, he may not be the right fit for families with small children. Sometimes he bites hands lightly when he's playing. Rudy is a total love bug!

Venus is a friendly, sweet and spunky calico kitten with beautiful gold-colored eyes. Venus and her sister Mandy were hand-raised since they were two weeks old and have grown into adventurous, happy young kittens. Venus loves her sister and gets along well with our other cats. Although Venus is affectionate and friendly, she knows when to stand up to the adult cats. This curious kitty loves to sit on the kitchen counter and watch when you are cooking or puttering around. Venus loves to play and her favorite toy is a feather toy on a string--she will do amazing back flips while she tries to catch it. She also loves to run around with her sister like they were a herd of gazelles. It's cute to hear the pitter patter of eight little feet. Venus and Mandy would love to be adopted together, as they get along beautifully and will be great friends.

Mandy is a sweet calico kitten with gold-colored eyes who was hand-raised with her sister Venus since they were two weeks old. She's completely comfortable around people and is gentle and fun. Mandy has an easygoing personality and a very cute meow, which she uses to manipulate us into giving her treats. She loves to rambunctiously play with her sister. They chase each other and love racing up and down our stairs. Her favorite toy is a pink fuzzy ball that she bats around. Mandy is very tolerant of bathing and nail trimming. Unlike her sister, who likes to let everyone know that she doesn't appreciate baths, Mandy usually just gently mews a couple of times but otherwise relaxes in the tub. Mandy and her sister Venus would be a great addition to your family!

These kitties are available for adoption through Kitten Rescue, one of the largest



Venus

cat rescue groups in Southern California. All our kitties are spayed/neutered, microchipped, tested for FeLV and FIV, dewormed and current on their vaccinations. For additional information and to see these or our other kittens and cats, please check our website www.kittenrescue.org or email us at mail@kittenrescue.org.

Your tax-deductible donations for the rescue and care of our cats and kittens can be made through our website or by sending a check payable to Kitten Rescue, 914 Westwood Boulevard, #583, Los Angeles, CA 90024.

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

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Mandy

School Board

accessed earlier.

Board member thoughts followed, with comments about the District's investment philosophy and the need for flexibility in investing so that future Board members are not hamstrung by any decisions made by the current members in this time of relatively low-interest yields. In her comments, Moore said she believes that there has been an informal consensus to be conservative with the funds, insuring a legacy or endowment for future ESUSD students. Said Board President Bill Watkins: "The \$16-million goes on forever." The investment of proceeds issue is scheduled to be brought back to the Board, probably as a resolution and an information pending action item, at the June 13 meeting.

The main special presentation on the Tuesday night agenda was back-stopped by Marisa Janicek, District Executive Director, Educational Services. She and her presenting team detailed the genesis and implementation of the District's Math Leadership Corps program, a program that is wrapping-up year two in

El Segundo. The program, a collaborative effort between the District, the Cotsen Foundation and Loyola Marymount University, focuses on the alignment of the curriculum throughout the District, K-12, continuous improvement, student-led learning and shared leadership in the field of mathematics.

Other special presentations included soon-to-be-graduating senior representative to the Board Alex Nilsson noting upcoming events at El Segundo High. Nilsson, participating in her final meeting, was recognized and thanked by the Board for her term sitting on the dais.

The annual PTA report followed, featuring school-site PTA presidents. PTA Council President Marcy Cottrell was first to the presentation podium, introducing the school-site presidents, who extolled the hard, behind-the-scenes work that PTA volunteers accomplish, and the gifts that they have bestowed on each of the District schools.

Two SoCal ROC students, Auzhinay Andrews and Drake Vasquez, were recognized for their accomplishments highlighted at the recent So-

Cal ROC's "A Night of All Stars" ceremony. Both students received scholarships from the organization.

Two retiring employees were also honored Tuesday night. Iris Steinman, who teaches Spanish at El Segundo High, will be enjoying her upcoming retirement after serving the District for 15 years. And Susan Maisonet, first grade teacher at Richmond Street Elementary, will be packing up her teaching materials after 14 years with the District.

Eight action items were on the agenda, including the approval to contract with P.S. Arts to provide elementary students with a "visual arts curriculum" in the upcoming school year, and to update the job description for the soon-to-be-vacant District position of Sr. Human Resources Specialist, with current employee Shantai Turner relocating to Nevada.

One of the information pending actions on the agenda was a look at the proposed revision of a Board policy dealing with the allocation of sports field time at District schools. The local Strikers soccer club had shown up in droves at

a prior meeting, with many of their supporters addressing the Board about the need for more field time for the club, which has a plethora of local students playing for them.

A representative from the LA Galaxy Club Soccer organization, a group that has booked time on District fields, briefly addressed the Board at the beginning of the meeting. The Board members discussed parameters for field use priority, including percentage of residents in the group wanting to utilize the field, and whether the coaches and administrators are paid or are volunteers.

In the Board member comments portion of the 140-minute meeting, Clerk Nancy Cobb, looking towards upcoming June District graduations and promotions, said, "I just want to recommend to all families to stop and celebrate the milestones." Outgoing El Segundo Teachers Association President Daphne Moote, who was attending the meeting for the final time in that capacity, was thanked by the members for attendance at the Board meetings and for her District service. •

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continue to ramp up. Among the projects Fuentes pointed out were the proposed three-deck TopGolf facility that would replace the driving range at The Lakes and modify the existing course; the 180-room AC Hotel near Campus El Segundo opening in 2019; and the just-opened Cambria Hotel & Suites as well as recently-debuted Hampton Inn & Suites.

Also mentioned were renovations underway at 555 and 777 Aviation where the FAA will

move in; Smoky Hollow projects at 123 Nevada (mixed-use office/warehouse and condominium) and 201 Nevada (creative office space); DR Horton's new residential community at the former Imperial Avenue school site; additions and major remodels at 840 and 880 Apollo in Continental Park; the Apollo Landing project at the former Cozymel's site that will feature three new buildings and several restaurants with 3,700

square feet of outdoor dining; the Frank Gehry-designed Ascend project under construction at Utah and Douglas; Boeing's three-story addition on the west side of its S50 building on Imperial; the Lakers new training facility scheduled for completion this summer; the Shokeen office building project across from elevon that will be the home to Australia-based Moose Toys; and Raytheon's south campus project to build a

new retail center at El Segundo Boulevard between Nash and Continental.

The Mayor showed a brief video of Tech-Style's Anton von Reuden, who explained his reasons for coming to El Segundo. "All of the new businesses and developments... had many choices when deciding where they want to invest," Fuentes said. "It's humbling and gratifying these great companies chose El Segundo." •



The Mayor recaps a busy year for El Segundo.



The courtyard of INSITE, where this year's El Segundo State of the City luncheon took place.



Attendees get a chance to chat before the Mayor's address.



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Mayor Suzanne Fuentes discusses new El Segundo developments, including a Frank Gehry-designed office building.

Eagles

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soccer teams in the US. There were a total of 84 teams in their division. The Strikers were seeded 66th, but proved the seeding committee wrong by advancing to the round of 32 and then to the round of 16. Then the Strikers won their quarterfinal match on penalty kicks. The team's dream season came to an end in the semifinals. In the final three minutes of regulation, they gave up the go-ahead goal and fell 2-1.

Five players from the Strikers stood out for their play and earned a tryout with the Soccer Olympic Development program. Luis Garibay, Jose Olmos, Andrew Valverde as well as Sam Twigg and Casey Lund will showcase

their talents in the program in hopes of making the roster that will compete against the nation's elite.

Lund stood out because he's a vocal player in midfield and helps keep the team organized even when the game gets hectic. Lund gets up and joins the attack when he can, but with his speed and keen knowledge is one of the first to drop back and cover defensively when needed.

Twigg is one of the quickest players on the roster. He sees the field like few players his age and even though he is one of the top scorers on the team, his greatest strengths are his range of passing and pinpoint accuracy. •



The South Bay Strikers FC U16 team poses after an amazing showing in the National Cup tournament. Photo by Jessica Mentosaglu.