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## Cardinals Upset Warriors in CIF Playoffs



Lawndale High boys' soccer players celebrate a go-ahead goal by Irvin Miranda Rivas in last week's CIF-Southern Section Division IV playoff match against West Torrance. The Warriors would tie the match near the end of regulation but the Cardinals outshot West 6-5 on penalty kicks for a 2-1 upset. Lawndale lost the quarterfinals to Bellflower 3-0 last Saturday. For story, see page 5. Photo by Joe Snyder.

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## Lawndale City Council Opposes Placement of 70 Foot Monopole To No Avail

By Nancy Peters

Two months ago the city of Lawndale received word from the Los Angeles Regional Interoperable Communications System (LA-RICS) Authority that a 70 foot monopole would be placed within the property, owned by the County of Los Angeles, at the site of the 147th Street fire station. The notice was received that the construction would commence within four days of that letter, with no chance for the city to agree with, oppose, ask questions about, or make any response to the declaration announced by LA-RICS. On Monday, March 2, Patrick Mallon, Executive Director for LA-RICS, attended the Lawndale City Council meeting to present the elected officials and the people with the specifics of the project.

The CEQA-exempt construction of the 70 foot monopole, with an added lightning rod atop the transmitting equipment and no flashing red light for pilot alerts, already has begun. According to a resident whose home is less than 75 feet from Fire Station 21 at 4312 West 147th Street, a large retaining hole is dug out, concrete is poured, and other equipment has been delivered to install the monopole. In fact, Mallon advised the City Council that construction was slated to begin on Wednesday, March 4.

The project involves a grant that must be utilized no later than September 30, 2015, and, additionally, must be constructed either at a fire station, police station, or Sheriff's station in order to remain CEQA-exempt. The towers are to facilitate a cohesive network between fire, police, and sheriffs in the county, particularly when there is a disaster of massive proportions. Currently, each first responder is on a different communication system. The Long Term Mobil (voice) (LMR) and Long Term Evolution (data) (LTE) are necessary for the system to be effective.

Since the city does not own the property (it is county-owned), any amount of opposition will not stop the project from moving forward. The approval of the site and the placement on

that site, which is 10 feet from two private residences, lies solely with the Los Angeles County Fire Chief. Mayor Robert Pullen-Miles stated that the placement of the monopole must be reconsidered due to the residential proximity and contact with the fire chief would be made to stop the erection of the monopole on March 4.

Other fire stations operated by the Los Angeles County Fire Department may sit on land owned by the individual cities, such as the city of Hawthorne, and those cities have rejected the building of a monopole at their fire stations. The mayor also advised that the County Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas would be consulted to assist in obstructing the construction at this time. The participation of the city of Lawndale in the Joint Powers Agreement with LA-RICS will be reexamined at a future date.

Despite no effect of any voting, the Lawndale City Council did cast a unanimous vote, with Council member Larry Rudolph absent, on a motion to oppose the construction of the 70 foot monopole at 4312 West 147th Street in the city of Lawndale.

The City Treasurer reviewed the mid-year budget versus actuals and reported that the General Fund is in need of adjustment due to less sales tax collected from the sale of gasoline that was sold at lesser rates over the first six months of the 2014-2015 fiscal year. However, property taxes and franchise fees have increased, although only a few percentage points. The revenues are not at the levels originally anticipated. Expenditures seem to be more due to telephone rates and water rates being increased. Although city staff is reviewing ways to cut down on costs in both of these utilities, it is necessary to make an adjustment in these line items for the next six months in the range of \$27,000.

Additionally, in order to be more realistic about the budget, the anticipation of the \$13.3 million dollars due to be received from the state for the deferred LRA loan capital improvement projects dating back to 2000 and the cash on

hand of \$7.65 million dollars, as well as the monies in the General Fund from the defunct UDAG funds, the city budget will be adjusted to \$20,935,879.

The City Council unanimously accepted the mid-year review of the budget for the 2014-2015 fiscal year.

The Harold E. Hofmann Lawndale Community Center will be permitted to purchase 100 new seat cushions and 25 round banquet tables for use in the Great Room for daily events, and at times two events per day, as over the three-year period since the Center was opened the tables and chairs have been used and are in need of replacement due to general wear and tear.

The Lawndale Historical Society is granted one extension of the original three-year lease for use of the property at 14616 Grevillea Avenue, Lawndale, for the Lawndale Historic Museum and will be allowed to occupy the space until February 22, 2018.

The Public Safety report included the apprehension of three of four burglary suspects who illegally entered a business on Prairie Avenue and ransacked the business. Also arrested was a male suspect for committing forgery and cashing fictitious checks at a Money mart business on Hawthorne Boulevard. A transient was arrested for possession of methamphetamine while he was being questioned as to his living conditions in a tent under the 405 Freeway at Manhattan Beach Boulevard.

Sheriff Captain Steven Sciacca advised that persons who are traversing the streets and are using their cell phones while walking should be overly cautious about exposing the equipment to potential thieves who will walk up to an inattentive citizen and grab the phone from the user's hands and be off and running very quickly. Be aware of your surroundings, be aware of those around you, be attentive, and don't be a victim.

The next meeting of the Lawndale City Council will be held on Monday, March 16 at 6:30 p.m. •

### Weekend Forecast

Friday  
Sunny  
74°/52°



Saturday  
Sunny  
76°/54



Sunday  
Sunny  
75°/54



# Briefs

# Police Reports

## Chamber of Commerce Chumash Casino Trip

Hawthorne Chamber of Commerce Santa Barbara Chumash Casino Resort bus trip March 7, 2015; \$25.00 per person. Please arrive at the Hawthorne Chamber office, 12519 Crenshaw Blvd., by 6:30 a.m. RSVP by March 2, 2015 to Patricia at (310) 754-9564.

## Inglewood Library Film Screening

The Inglewood Public Library will host a screening of "Tom Bradley's Impossible Dream," a new documentary on the life and legacy of Los Angeles Mayor Tom Bradley, on Wednesday, March 11 at 6:00 p.m. in the Gladys Waddingham Lecture Hall at the Main Library, 101 West Manchester Boulevard. This screening is free and open to all. Parking at the Library is free after 4:00 p.m. For more information about this program call (310) 412-5380 or visit library.cityofinglewood.org.

## Parent Workshop: "7 Steps to Raising a High Achiever"

The Inglewood Public Library invites the community to a free parent workshop entitled "7 Steps to Raising a High Achiever" with teacher and author Dr. Noline Ambe. This special program will be held Saturday, March 14, 2015, at 12:00 noon in the Gladys Waddingham Lecture Hall. Parents and caregivers of children of all ages are encouraged to attend.

Dr. Ambe will show parents simple but effective strategies they can immediately implement at home to help their children raise their grades, excel in school, and prepare for a successful future in college, career and life. She believes that education is the gateway to a successful future, and by implementing a few simple ideas effectively,

every parent can help their child succeed in school and life. This is a free program open to the community. For more information about this program, call (310) 412-5645 or visit library.cityofinglewood.org.

## El Camino College Seeks Nominations for 2015 Women of Distinction Award

The Women's History Month Committee at El Camino College is seeking candidates for the 2015 "Women of Distinction Award." The Women of Distinction Award recognizes outstanding women from the El Camino College area, honoring them for their contributions to the community. Honorees are selected by the committee each year during March - Women's History Month.

Award nominations may be made by friends, family, and colleagues; or individuals may nominate themselves. Nominees will be judged for their contributions in one or more of the following areas: professional accomplishments; leadership and/or mentorship; and social, educational, or health services.

Those nominated must also live or work in the communities within the El Camino Community College District: El Segundo, Redondo Beach, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Lawndale, Lennox, Inglewood, Hawthorne, and Torrance.

The nomination deadline is March 16. The leaders will be honored at the annual Women's Wall of Fame Program set for May 5. They will also be featured on the El Camino College Women's Wall of Fame throughout the year and their names will be engraved on a plaque that remains on the wall permanently.

To nominate a candidate, go to [www.elcamino.edu/events/docs/WHM\\_NominationForm\\_2015.pdf](http://www.elcamino.edu/events/docs/WHM_NominationForm_2015.pdf) or call 310-660-3868.

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 Property Taken: 8 Bottles Of Tide Detergent  
**ROBBERY** W 135TH ST/S CORDARY AV STREET, HIGHWAY, ALLEY Tue 02/17/15 23:47  
 Property Taken: \$40 In US Currency (2x\$20)  
**ROBBERY** 12700 S HAWTHORNE BL STREET, HIGHWAY, ALLEY Thu 02/19/15 09:00  
**ROBBERY** W 120TH ST/S CRENSHAW BL STREET, HIGHWAY, ALLEY Fri 02/20/15 11:40  
**CARJACKING** 13600 S DOTY AV STREET, HIGHWAY, ALLEY Sun 02/22/15 02:30  
**BURGLARY - RESIDENTIAL** 4800 W 118TH ST APARTMENT/CONDO Mon 02/16/15 06:30  
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**BURGLARY - RESIDENTIAL** 3700 W 139TH ST HOUSE Tue 02/17/15 21:33  
 Property Taken: Laptop, APPLE IPAD, PS4, 3 Playstation Games, Micheal Kors Purse, Two Tables (Unknown Type), Wallet, Passport, Social Security Card  
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S PRAIRIE AV STORAGE SHED Wed 02/18/15 07:48  
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**BURGLARY - COMMERCIAL** 14200 S HAWTHORNE BL LIQUOR STORE Fri 02/20/15 02:30  
**BURGLARY** 14700 S CERISE AV AUTO/VEHICLE Fri 02/20/15 08:00  
 Property Taken: (1)Black Leather 3rd Row Seat  
**BURGLARY - RESIDENTIAL** 13500 S DOTY AV APARTMENT/CONDO Fri 02/20/15 15:20  
 Property Taken: (2) 14k Gold Bracelets Engraved With "Arturo", (1) 14k Gold Bracelet Engraved With "Vicky", (2)14k Gld Rings, 1-Vigin Mary, 1-7rings (Rose Gold), (3)14k, 1-Horse Shoe, 1-Letter"W", 1-Horse W/Diam, (2) 14k Gold Necklaces (Kids), (1) Lenovo Laptop  
**BURGLARY - RESIDENTIAL** 13800 S DOTY AV HOUSE Fri 02/20/15 18:02  
 Property Taken: (1) Silver Macbook Pro  
**BURGLARY - RESIDENTIAL** 3700 W 120TH ST HOUSE Sat 02/21/15 13:00  
 Property Taken: Black Sony Playstation Gaming Console, Gry Acer Laptop  
**BURGLARY - COMMERCIAL** 4900 W 147TH ST OTHER Sat 02/21/15 19:55  
 Property Taken: (1) Black Fossil Wallet, CDL D5787452 The Name Of Decastrosouza  
**ATTEMPT COMMERCIAL BURGLARY** 12800 S CRENSHAW BL RESTAURANT, FAST FOODS, CAFÉ Sun 02/22/15 03:47  
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# Obituaries

## Patricia Ann Evans, 1934 – 2015



**Patricia Ann Evans**, 80, of Nauvoo, IL, recently from Hawthorne, California succumbed to Alzheimer's and returned to her heavenly home on Monday, March 2, 2015 at 9:00 AM at her home in Nauvoo. She was born to Roy and Elizabeth Gideon Gilbert on September 25, 1934 in a small Navy hospital at Coco Solo Naval Air Station in Colon, Panama.

Survivors include a son, Kenneth Ruff, Jr. of Campbell, California; two daughters, Sharon Cohen of Nauvoo, Illinois, and Kelly Moxley of Lisle, Illinois; five grandchildren, Jenifer Culwell, Jillian Powers, Kelly Ruff, Karlie Oosterbaan and Andrew Oosterbaan; ten great-grandchildren, Emma, Landon, Lily, Malia and Ryland Culwell, Daniel, Faith and Ian Powers, Bryce and Macy Nitcher; a brother, Robert Gilbert; and a sister, Caryl Thornton. Pat was preceded in death by her parents.

As a young child, Pat lived the life of a military family with frequent relocations until the family settled in Laurelhurst, Seattle, Washington. Pat's fondest memories of her teenage and college years include her involvement with the Jimmie Rainwater Riding Academy in Kirkland, Washington and drag racing the Chrysler Town and Country convertible that her father bought for

her. After graduating from Roosevelt High School in 1952, Pat attended the University of Washington where she was a proud member of the Sigma Kappa sorority.

Pat enjoyed a long and fulfilling career in the field of computer programming and training with FMC and Flying Tigers eventually retiring in 1999 from FedEx in Hawthorne, California. She was privileged to travel the world, including Australia, Holland, Greece and Israel, where she was baptized in the Jordan River.

Pat was a strong member of Hope Chapel Hermosa Beach for over 25 years, where she disciplined other women through a weekly mini-church held in her home. She is remembered there for sharing hundreds of personalized heart shaped notes with spiritual messages of encouragement. For reasons of health, Pat left her beautiful Hawthorne home in 2013 and moved to Nauvoo, Illinois to be cared for by her daughter, "Shari" and son-in-law, Bruce Cohen. While a resident of Nauvoo, Pat faithfully embraced the restored gospel of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints and joined with them through the waters of baptism.

Pat was an educator at heart. Her "students" describe her as inspiring, gracious, kind, and patient. She always had time to listen sincerely, to provide insight and encouragements, no matter the need or concern. She is dearly missed by her loved ones, who celebrate the fact that she has been taken home to that God who gave her life.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, March 5, 2015 after 12:00 noon with family meeting friends between 1:00 and 2:00 PM at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in Nauvoo, Illinois. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, March 5, 2015 at 2:00 PM at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in Nauvoo, Illinois. Burial will follow at the Nauvoo City Cemetery.

Memorials have been established in memory of Patricia Evans. Online condolences may be left for the family at [www.lamportefuneralhomes.com](http://www.lamportefuneralhomes.com). Lamporte - St. Clair Funeral Home of Nauvoo is in charge of arrangements. •

# Hawthorne Happenings

## News for the 'City of Good Neighbors'

### From City Clerk Norb Huber



#### STATE OF THE CITY LUNCHEON

Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup> has been selected as the date for our annual State of the City luncheon to be held at the Memorial Center. Registration begins at 11:30 a.m. and the program starts at 12 noon. Mayor Chris Brown will give us an update as to what is going on in our city. In addition, the selections for the 2015 Hawthorne Hall of Fame will be announced during the program. Each year, the luncheon brings business and civic leaders together to celebrate the city of good neighbors. For more information please contact the Chamber of Commerce.

#### PANCAKE BREAKFAST RECAP

We served a total of 220 people last Saturday at the inaugural Hawthorne Hometown Pancake Breakfast sponsored by the Hawthorne Historical Society. The rain held off and it turned out to be a great day for all who came over for the hot cakes. There were residents from all parts of Hawthorne and a few of our HPD patrol officers stopped by as well. Many people who had not seen the Hawthorne Museum before got an opportunity to tour the facility. We look forward to making the pancake breakfast an annual event.

#### TEN REASONS WE LIVE HAWTHORNE

A recent LA Times article indicated that California has not lost it's golden shine with most residents of the state. It made me think of a few reasons we live here in Hawthorne. Here is my "off the top of my head" list: Cold weather every where else in the USA

1. The beach is down the street
2. Family lives here
3. Close to LAX
4. Many jobs close by
5. A lot of colleges and universities to attend

6. Entertainment galore
7. Short drive to the desert or to the mountains
8. Mexican food
9. Sunshine a lot of the year

#### GOLF TOURNAMENT STILL HAS OPENINGS

The annual golf tournament sponsored by the Hawthorne Parks and Recreation Foundation will be held on Monday, March 31 at the Coyote Hills Golf Course in Fullerton. There are still some openings for foursomes or single golfers. If you would like to participate, please contact Dick Huhn at 310-643-9157.

#### STADIUMS

Who is going to win? It's Inglewood vs Carson in a race to build their NFL football stadiums. Each city has the land to construct the structures. Which city will have theirs built? Which plan will dry up just like so many other proposals in the past? Or are both proposed football stadiums going to be built within 10 miles of Hawthorne? If both are built and we have two games being played on the same Sunday, we might have over 100,000 fanatic fans traveling our freeways and surface streets to get to the venues. This would bring business to our city. Our hotels and restaurants should benefit. There would be construction and venue jobs available to those looking for a job. The downside would be the congestion caused by the additional cars on our area byways.

#### TOO TOXIC TO TRASH

Time to clean out your garage of all those old paint cans and pesticides. There will be a household hazardous waste and E-waste roundup held on Saturday, April 11 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. over at the parking lot of the Betty Ainsworth Sports Center at the corner of El Segundo Blvd. and Doty Ave. •

# Classifieds

The deadline for Classified Ad submission and payment is Noon on Tuesday to appear in Thursday's paper. Advertisements must be submitted in writing by mail, fax or email. You may pay by cash, check, or credit card (Visa or M/C over the phone).

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# Tech Talk

## Do I need a website?

By Sid Kato, Array Systems, Inc.

Yes. If you own a business, you need a website.

Like most people, I often use a company's website to learn basic information about that company. If you don't have a website you are portraying your company as very small or living behind the times. Neither one makes a good impression on today's customers.

Most websites are informational, letting your potential customers know about you, your team, and your philosophy. Twenty years ago, people learned about your company by your business card and company brochure or tri-fold. Today, people expect to find this information on your company's website.

Some companies make their websites interactive, allowing their customers to log in to access or receive information. My CPA's website is an example of an interactive

website. After completing my tax returns, my CPA posts them as PDF documents on their website. Using a secured login, I can then access both my business and personal tax returns throughout the year.

Your marketing plan should also incorporate your website, especially if you're using social media like Google, Facebook, LinkedIn, and/or others. All of these tools work together to write the story of you and your company for potential customers.

Make sure you have a website so it can tell your story!

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# Sports

## Lawndale Hangs on to Top Mira Costa; Advances to Semis

By Joe Snyder

Photos by Joe Snyder

In several of Lawndale High's boys' basketball games, it appeared that the Cardinals were headed to wins then blow late leads. For instance, Lawndale had fourth quarter leads of nine and 11 points in Ocean League showdowns against champion Beverly Hills and was not able to hold on to them.

In the CIF-Southern Section Division IIAA quarterfinals last Friday at Lawndale, the Cardinals jumped on Mira Costa for a 19-2 first quarter lead and still led by as many as 10 points in the final period. The Mustangs cut Lawndale's lead to three points, behind senior guard Dylan Kim who scored 16 of his team high 22 points, got as close as three points (55-52) when he connected on one of his two four-point plays. This time, the Cardinals were able to wake up and top Mira Costa 67-59 to advance to the semifinals for the first time in the program's history.

Lawndale, which improved to 19-10, hopes to get its first-ever final appearance with a win at Elsinore in the semis last Tuesday. Elsinore knocked off second seed Glendora 53-30 in the quarterfinals on Friday. The championship is Friday or Saturday at either the Honda Center in Anaheim, Azusa-Pacific University or Godinez High in Santa Ana.

The Cardinals got off the starting gate very well as they dominated the first period, behind 6-foot-10 University of Southern California-bound Chimezie Metu and D'lano Beckles. In the second quarter, though, Mira Costa, which ended its season at 18-11, caught fire with a 16-4 run that cut Lawndale's lead to five points (23-18). The first half finished with the Cardinals ahead 29-20.

Lawndale led 42-32 after three quarters and continued to lead by as many as 10 points in the fourth but key turnovers and some missed free throws, that included one that was an air ball by Beckles, got the Mustangs back in the game. Beckles, though, was able to convert on his final five shots from the charity line and added a key basket that enabled the Cardinals to put the game away.

"It was a physical game," Lawndale head coach Christopher Brownlee said. "We didn't trail. We are not yet an elite and that's why



Lawndale's Jose Giron races against West Torrance's Josh Williams for the ball in last week's CIF-Southern Section Division IV boys' soccer second round playoff game. Lawndale High's Paulino Coutino heads ball during last week's CIF-Southern Section Division IV boys' soccer playoff action against West Torrance. The Cardinals stunned the second seed Warriors 2-1 (6-5 in penalty kicks) in the second round but lost in the quarterfinal at Bellflower 3-0 on Saturday. We're not in the Open Division (a division for the Southern Section's top 16 teams overall). We haven't matured enough. We are in the semis and we want to keep improving."

Beckles led the Cardinals, who entered the Division IIAA playoffs as the fourth seed, with a game-high 24 points. Metu added 14 points, six rebounds and four blocks, and Brandon Newman chipped in 12 points, including making his final four critical free throws. Brodrick Jones, Lawndale's other six-foot-10 player, contributed seven points and seven rebounds. Adam Griese finished with 10 points for Mira Costa.

In the second round at Kaiser in Fontana on February 24, the Cardinals eliminated Kaiser 68-54. Quincy Pinkard led Lawndale with 15 points. Metu had 14 points, eight rebounds and seven blocks. Tedric Johnson and Jones each put in 10 points.

### CARDINAL KICKERS FALL IN QUARTERS

Coming off a CIF-Southern Section Division IV upset win at second seed West Torrance on February 25, Lawndale High's boys' soccer team was ousted from the playoffs by host Bellflower 3-0 in the quarterfinals last Saturday.

The Buccaneers, who finished third in the

Suburban League, got things going fast with a pair of early goals from Alan Anguian and Miguel Garcia. Anguian scored, again, in the second half. The Cardinals, who tied El Segundo for the Ocean League title, mustered just three shots on goal against the stingy Bellflower defense.

At West, Lawndale was in a dogfight with the Warriors, who won the Pioneer League with an unbeaten 10-0 record, before Irvin Miranda Rivas blasted the ball into the net from approximately 20 yards out to give the Cardinals a 1-0 lead in the 68th minute.

Lawndale's lead would last until the regulation extra time when Mason Shortland scored off a header from Zac McGraw to tie the game with about two minutes before the officials whistled the end of regulation.

Each team went scoreless during the two 10-minute overtime periods forcing the penalty kicks. After seven rounds of penalty kicks, it was sophomore Osvaldo Garcia who kicked the ball through the lower middle right portion of the net to give Lawndale a 2-1 win after outkicking West 6-5. "I saw the West goalkeeper go to the left so I went to the right," Garcia said.

"This is the biggest win in my whole life," Lawndale head coach Angel Mendez. "We came here to put up a fight and do the best we can. It was 0-0, then 1-0. It's the playoffs.



Lawndale High's Kevin Valencia takes control of the ball in last week's CIF-Southern Section Division IV second round playoff win over West Torrance.



Lawndale's Tedric Johnson attempts a three-point basket in last Friday's CIF-Southern Section Division IIAA boys' basketball quarterfinal against Mira Costa. The Cardinals topped the Mustangs 67-59 and played at Elsinore in the semifinals last Tuesday. Lawndale is seeking its first final appearance in the program's history.

West is a good team and well coached. The game could have gone either way."

Leuzinger, Inglewood and Morningside Get Ousted: Leuzinger and Morningside High's boys' basketball teams were eliminated in the quarterfinals of their CIF-Southern Section divisions and Inglewood lost in the second round to host Roosevelt High 33-32 in the second round of the Division IAA playoffs on February 24.

In the IIIA division at Leuzinger, the Pioneer League champion Olympians were ousted by third seed Tahquitz from Hemet 61-58. In the Division IVAA at Chaminade in West Hills, the Monarchs fell to the Eagles, last year's California State Division III champion, 77-66.

The Sentinels, who finished second behind champion Redondo in the Bay League, lost a tight defensive battle to Roosevelt, which was eliminated by top seed Temecula Great Oak 81-70 last Friday. Last year, Inglewood advanced to the IAA semifinals where it lost 48-47 to eventual champion Long Beach Poly.

### COUGARS WIN OPENER

Hawthorne High's baseball team won its season opener at home against St. Monica 5-1 in the Southern California Invitational last Friday. Winning pitcher Charles Phelps went six innings allowing one earned run. He struck out seven batters. •

## Finance

### How To Become Credit Visible

(BPT) - Are you credit invisible? You may have never heard this term before, but if you are credit invisible, then you've certainly felt its affects.

Those who are credit invisible lack a credit score due to non-existent, limited or dated credit histories. More than 30 million Americans have been unable to get a credit score at one time in their lives according to VantageScore Solutions LLC, a credit score model developer. This group of people - the credit invisibles - fall prey to this category primarily because they either:

- lack a credit history as a young adult (41 percent);
- avoid credit and/or rely on cash (22 percent); or
- lack a credit history when moving to the United States (16 percent).

A few examples of those who are credit invisible include students who just started building their credit files, people who only make cash purchases and don't own a credit card, and veterans who have just returned to the United States and haven't used credit in years. Another example of how a consumer can become credit invisible is the retiree who may pay cash for large items versus



financing. Flash forward to that person wanting or needing to finance an unplanned item or event; they often find they have lost their credit score due to non-credit usage. So as you can see, credit invisibles can easily be your neighbor, a son or daughter, family member or a friend.

Across the nation, there are an estimated 30-

35 million credit-invisible Americans typically not scored by conventional credit scoring models. Based on research commissioned by VantageScore Solutions, this number is significantly higher than consumers initially estimated. In fact, half of Americans estimated the number of credit-invisible Americans to be less than 25 million; clearly showing the problem is larger than most people realize.

### Creating Credit Magic

So how do we help credit invisible consumers become visible? There are effective and safe methods that consumers can use in order to establish credit and thus become more scoreable.

Open a secured credit card. A secured credit card is a credit card issued by a mainstream bank, credit union or credit card issuer. Consumers have to apply for the account which requires a deposit that will open up a line of credit usually in the amount of the deposit. As a true extension of credit, an issuer can report the account to credit reporting agencies. Credit scoring models can use this information to generate a credit score.

Become an authorized user on someone else's credit card. An authorized user is

someone who has been added to a cardholder's credit card, giving him or her access to the cardholder's line of credit. Most credit card issuers report the activity of the account to the authorized user's credit reports. And if the account has always been paid on time and has a low balance relative to the credit limit, then it will benefit the authorized user's credit profile. Conversely, also be aware that missed payments and high balances will negatively impact both the cardholder and the authorized user.

Take out a credit builder loan. Credit builder loans are modest loans - normally less than \$1,000 - issued by credit unions to a borrower. While the borrower pays off the loan over a compressed period of time, the lender reports that activity to the credit reporting agencies, thus helping build a credit report.

Having and maintaining a high credit score is a foundational element of personal finance. If you are credit invisible, this can cause higher financing rates or even a loan rejection. That's why simple steps to building credit can help, not only to get you in the practice of paying off debt consistently, but also to get you on the right track to becoming more credit visible to lenders. •





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## Lemony Peas & Pasta Salad

*Servings: 6-8*

### Ingredients

**Prep time: 20 minutes**

- 1 box Dreamfields Penne Rigate
- 2 cups sugar snap peas
- 2 cups fresh or frozen green peas
- 1/4cup fresh lemon juice
- 2teaspoons lemon zest, plus extra for garnish
- 1/2teaspoon salt
- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 4 cups baby greens (arugula, spinach or blend)
- 1/4cup chopped fresh herbs (optional)
- Parmesan cheese, shaved

### Preparation

**Cook time: 10 minutes**

Cook pasta according to package directions, adding sugar snap and green peas during last 3 minutes of cooking; drain. Rinse with cold water; drain again. Place in large bowl. Meanwhile, combine lemon juice, zest and salt in small bowl. Whisk in oil. Toss with pasta and peas. Gently toss in greens and herbs, if using. Garnish with shaved Parmesan and additional zest, if desired.

**Note:** For herbs, use one or a combination of chopped mint, thyme, chives, basil, parsley or other favorites.

**Nutrition information (1/6 of recipe):** 328 calories; 8 g total fat (1 g saturated fat); 12 g protein; 56 g total carbohydrate; 9 g total dietary fiber; 0 mg cholesterol; 218 mg sodium. •

