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Fire Department Dons Pink Shirts in Honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month



From Tuesday, Oct. 23 to Thursday, Nov. 1, all members of the Manhattan Beach Fire Department wore pink T-shirts in support of Breast Cancer Awareness Month. "Worldwide, approximately 1.3 million cases of breast cancer are detected each year, which means that everyone has been affected by this disease in some way — whether they have experienced it personally or known a friend, coworker or loved one who has been afflicted or lost someone close to them," said Manhattan Beach Mayor Wayne Powell. "Our fire department's mission is protecting the health and safety of others, so we are proud to join the fight against breast cancer and support Breast Cancer Awareness Month." Photo courtesy of the City of Manhattan Beach.

Pier to Pier friendship Walk Raises \$750,000 for Children with Special Needs, Education

More than \$750,000 was raised for children with special needs and education through this weekend's SKECHERS Pier to Pier Friendship Walk. The 2012 donations were significantly higher than last year's total of \$580,000 thanks to the record number of walkers, more than 8,500 people, and the many donations by local and national businesses, including presenting sponsor Nickelodeon.

"Four years ago when the SKECHERS Pier to Pier Friendship Walk began we had 2,200 people come out; now we've surpassed 8,500 walkers in 2012, which is a testament to the compassion and dedication of our community," said SKECHERS president Michael Greenberg. "The \$750,000 we raised through this year's walk will help many children with special needs continue to thrive through the Friendship Circle programs; it's inspiring to see what a big impact small gestures can make. Many South Bay education foundations that are in dire need of funding will also benefit from the money we've raised through this year's walk."

The 3.4 mile walk from the Manhattan Beach Pier to the Hermosa Beach Pier and back was hosted by fitness expert Denise Austin, who rallied the crowd before the walk. Legendary Hall of Fame baseball manager Tommy Lasorda also spoke about the importance of giving back to make a positive impact in the community, and Dancing with the Stars co-host Brooke Burke-Charvet congratulated SKECHERS and all the walkers for making a difference to help children with special needs and for supporting education foundations in Southern California.

In addition to presenting sponsor Nickelodeon, the SKECHERS Pier to Pier Friendship walk thanks its generous sponsors True Religion, Wells Fargo, DIRECTV, WSS, Michael Stars, Kids Foot Locker, Ross, Body Glove, Marshalls, Murad, Chevron, Fresh Brothers, Union Bank, Equinox, Travel Store, Bobeli Screen Printing, Premier Displays and

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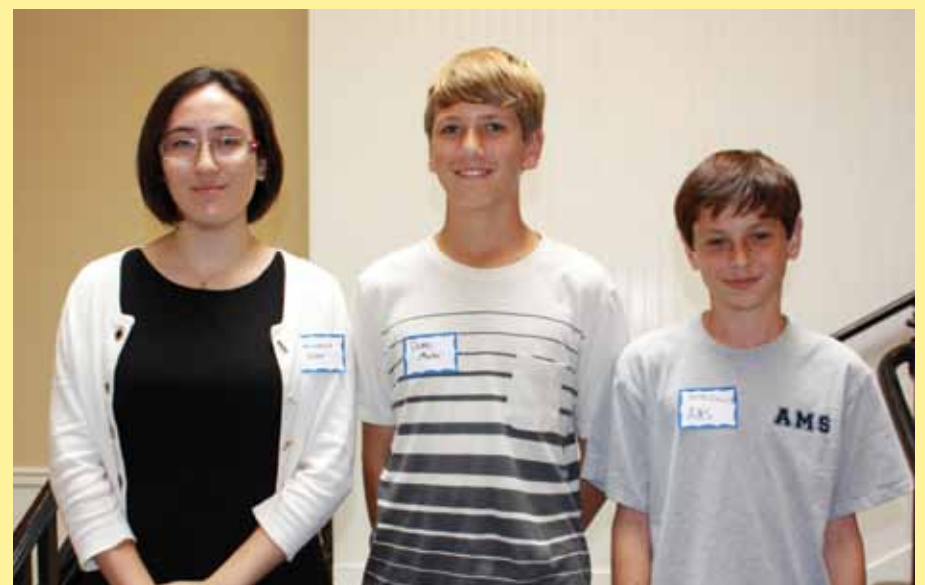
others who have provided funds and support to make a difference in children's lives. For more information about the SKECHERS Pier to Pier Friendship Walk, please visit: www.skechersfriendshipwalk.com.

Manhattan Beach Coordinating Council Honors Students of the Month

By Lynne S. Gross

At its first luncheon of the school year, the Manhattan Beach Coordinating Council honored three Students of the Month—Nicolette Olson from Mira Costa

Vaughan, mentioned that she is "an exemplary student with a strong work ethic, who is always prepared and organized." She also writes for the school newspaper and the literary magazine.



October Students of the Month — Nicolette Olson, Mira Costa High School; Duke Mahr, Manhattan Beach Middle School; Derek Gunny, American Martyrs School. Photo courtesy of the Manhattan Beach Coordinating Council.

High School, Duke Mahr from Manhattan Beach Middle School, and Derek Gunny from American Martyrs School.

Nicolette was selected by her school's faculty primarily for her scholarship. The teacher who introduced her, Shannon

Duke is the student council president who also participates in many other activities such as recycling, announcing the morning news, soccer, scuba, and helping less fortunate kids. His teacher, Ro Schreiner, **See Student of the Month, page 5**

Weekend Forecast

Friday
Partly
Cloudy
67°/58°



Saturday
Mostly
Sunny
73°/59°



Sunday
Sunny
79°/62°



SMILE awhile



Jonah Jamner, Richmond Street kindergartener, gets curious with two of his friends. Photo submitted by mom Elizabeth.



The kids from front to back are Taylor, Noah, Zac and AJ. This picture was taken in 2001 the kids were 3, 5, 7, 9. Now they are 14, 16, 18, 20. Photo submitted by Pegi Sue Stone.

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Calendar

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2

• Bach's Lunch Recital, 12:15-12:45 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church, 1340 Eleventh St.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

• Farmer's Market, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., 13th Street and Morningside Drive.

• City Council Meeting, 6:30 -11:30 p.m., City Council Chambers, 1400 Highland Ave.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10

• 4th Annual Savor the Flavor Beer and Spirits Extravaganza, 6:30 p.m., at Four Points by Sheraton LAX. For more information visit www.siManhattanBeach.org.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

• 15th Annual Veterans Day Multi-Generation Event, 11 a.m., Veterans Monument, Veterans Parkway: Valley Drive and 15th St. For more information call (310) 802-5448 or (310) 802-5404.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

• Art Soiree and Dinner Reception "Pines of Hope", 6:30 p.m., ARSTS Manhattan, 811 John St. For more information call (310) 798-4904.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

• 8th Holiday Open House and 23rd Annual Pier Lighting, 6-9 p.m., Downtown Manhattan Beach and Manhattan Beach Pier.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17

• Harpists Charissa Barger and Kate Loughrey, 2 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church, 1340 Eleventh St.

UPCOMING

• Reflect on the Past, Give Meaning to the Future- Community Discussion Celebrating the 100th Anniversary of Manhattan Beach, Dec. 1 from 9 a.m.- 3:45 p.m., Joslyn Community Center, 1601 Valley Drive. For more information call (310) 802-5448.

• 26th Annual Family Holiday Crafts Night, Dec. 2, from 5-7 p.m., Joslyn Community Center, 1601 Valley Drive (310) 802-5448.

ONGOING

• Mayor Wayne Powell's Walk 'n Talk is the first Tuesday of each month at 9:00 a.m. at Peets Coffee & Tea, 328 Manhattan Beach Blvd. Also the third Tuesday of every month at 9:00 a.m. at North End Café, 3421 Highland Ave.

October 2012 Winner

SMILE awhile

Our Staff Pick for September is Carson (3 yrs.) with his new friend at the Long Beach Aquarium. The winner will receive a \$25 gift certificate from our advertiser "Rock & Brews". Congratulations.



Photo provided by Jeff & Jill Puffer.

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Police Reports

OCTOBER 23

Stolen Vehicle: 1100 Block of Meadows Ave. Unknown suspect(s) stole the victim's vehicle that was parked at 11th St. and Meadows.

OCTOBER 21

Theft: 300 Block of 6th St. when the victim fell from his skateboard it rolled away. While he was still on the ground, two male Hispanics grabbed the skateboard.

OCTOBER 19

Grand Theft: 3000 Block of Oak Ave. Unknown suspect(s) took a surfboard from an unlocked vehicle.

OCTOBER 17

Armed Robbery: 1700 Block of 1st St. At approximately 7:56 p.m., an MBPD Officer made a traffic stop in the 1800 Block of Manhattan Beach Blvd. The subsequent investigation revealed the passengers in the vehicle were involved in an armed robbery that occurred in the 1700 Block of 1st St. (The suspects were also related to other crimes that had occurred in Redondo Beach and El Camino College). The four suspects were arrested for armed robbery.

OCTOBER 16-19

Vandalism: 500 Block of 36th St. Unknown suspect(s) shattered a sliding glass door with an unknown object.

OCTOBER 16-17

Vehicle Burglary: 200 Block of N. Highland Ave. Unknown suspect(s) smashed the window and entered the vehicle. The suspect stole a laptop computer which was on the back seat and an attaché case from the right front passenger seat. In addition, the wallet from the glove compartment was stolen.

OCTOBER 16

Residential Burglary: 3600 Block of Pine Ave. Unknown suspect(s) broke a hole through a door with paned glass and took cash, jewelry, and a laptop.

OCTOBER 15

Counterfeit: 1100 Block of N. Meadows Ave. At approximately 2:59 a.m. an MBPD Officer made a traffic stop in the 1100 Block of N. Meadows Ave. During the investigation the driver was found to be in possession of Counterfeit \$10 dollar bills and was arrested.

OCTOBER 12

Grand Theft: 500 Block of 18th St. Unknown suspect(s) entered an unlocked vehicle and took various items. The items were later recovered from the scene of a separate vehicle burglary.

OCTOBER 11-12

Theft: 200 Block of 9th St. Unknown suspect(s) stole a bicycle from an open garage.

OCTOBER 11

Residential Burglary: Unknown suspect(s) entered the residence through an open door. The suspect(s) ransacked the bedroom and stole a laptop computer.

Vandalism: 1600 Block of N. Ocean Dr. Unknown suspect(s) punctured the front passenger side tire and threw eggs at a vehicle.

OCTOBER 10

Theft: 1700 Block of Gates Ave. Unknown suspect(s) stole a cell phone from the mailbox.

Robbery: 600 Block of 35th St. Unknown suspect(s) stole a leaf blower and equipment at knife point.

OCTOBER 8

Residential Burglary: 200 Block of 26th St. Unknown suspect entered the residence through an open side window. The victim returned home as the suspect was walking out the front door with property. When confronted by the victim, the suspect dropped the property and fled on foot. The victim called 911 and officers from Hermosa Beach PD, El Segundo PD, Hawthorne PD, and an LAPD airship responded to assist with containment of the area. Off-duty Manhattan Beach Detectives were jogging on the Strand, in the area of the crime, when they observed a subject matching the description of the outstanding suspect. The off-duty Detectives detained the subject until he was positively identified by witnesses. The suspect was arrested and charged with burglary.

Residential Burglary: 3600 Block of Palm

Ave. Unknown suspect entered the residence through an unlocked door. The victim (juvenile) arrived home to find the suspect in the kitchen. After seeing the victim, the suspect ran out the back door. The victim called his parents, who then called 911. Officers responded to assist, including K-9 Teams from El Segundo PD, Hawthorne PD, Redondo Beach PD and an LAPD airship. A perimeter was set up but the suspect was not located. The suspect is described as male black adult, mid 20's, approximately 5'9"-5'10", thin build, short brown hair, light beard, last seen wearing a white shirt and black gloves.

OCTOBER 6

Vehicle Burglary: 1500 Block of Pacific Ave. Unknown suspect(s) punched the driver's side door lock and stole groceries and a purse containing a camera, wallet, checkbook, and cash.

OCTOBER 5-6

Theft: 4400 Block of N. Highland Ave. Unknown suspect(s) stole mail from a mailbox.

OCTOBER 5

Residential Burglary: 1300 Block of Lynngrove Dr. Unknown suspect(s) entered the residence through an unlocked door and stole a laptop computer.

Vandalism: 1400 Block of 11th St. Unknown suspect(s) vandalized (possibly "keyed") the victim's Volvo.

Stolen Vehicle-Recovered: 5th St./Crest Unknown suspect(s) stole a Cadillac Escalade. The vehicle was later recovered in Downey.

OCTOBER 2

Residential Burglary: 200 Block of S. Ardmore Ave. Unknown suspect(s) entered the residence through a window and stole a camera and equipment, clothing, jewelry, an iPad, two iPods, and a Mac laptop.

SEPTEMBER 30 TO OCTOBER 1

Vehicle Burglary / Stolen Vehicle: 2000 Block of N. Meadows Ave. Unknown suspect(s) forced entry into a GMC that was parked in the driveway. The suspect stole miscellaneous items, clothing, and a key to a Mercedes. The suspect then used the key to steal the Mercedes.

SEPTEMBER 30

Grand Theft: 700 Block of N. Highland Ave. Unknown suspect(s) stole a briefcase from the victim's front doorstep. The briefcase contained a laptop and miscellaneous clothing.

Vehicle Burglary: Highland / 27th St. Unknown suspect(s) smashed the passenger side car window and stole an iPod and interface cord, gym bag with clothes, and miscellaneous coins.

SEPTEMBER 29-30

Theft: 3600 Block of N. Highland Ave. Unknown suspect(s) stole two bicycles that were locked to a pole.

Grand Theft: 1800 Block of 8th St. Unknown suspect(s) stole the catalytic converter from a Toyota truck.

Theft: 700 Block of N. Valley Dr. Unknown suspect(s) entered an unlocked vehicle and stole various items. •

Underrepresented Youth Inspired by STEM Education

Courtesy of Northrop Grumman

The Northrop Grumman Foundation hosted the Sally Ride Science Educator Institute for 50 teachers from Southern California on how they can inspire students, including girls, minorities and underprivileged youth, to pursue careers in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM).

Nationally recognized educators from Sally Ride Science, a science education company founded by America's first woman in space, trained teachers to view the study of STEM with a fresh perspective. One of the many hands-on exercises included "The Mystery Box" that challenged teachers to use the scientific method to determine contents of a sealed box, underscoring the need to empower students to rely on their own independent hypotheses rather than instructors for the correct answer.

"National Science Education Standards state that advancements in science and technology occur through the contributions of women and

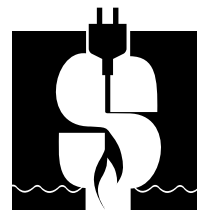
men from diverse backgrounds," said Sandy Antalis, director of Professional Development for Sally Ride Science. "Inspiring teachers to relate to students in 'their world' has proven to ignite student interest in STEM subjects and careers."

Kathy Carabajal, principal of Zela Davis STEM Prep Academy, a Title 1 school with a high percentage of students from low-income families, attended the training along with five colleagues. "I was pleased to be able to work with my entire STEM team to continue learning how best to support our students," said Carabajal. "The training was remarkable and we will integrate many of the strategies presented to enhance our current STEM program."

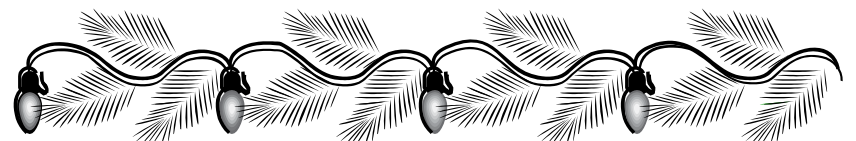
Through various innovative training sessions, educators were able to better assess their effectiveness in teaching STEM subjects and their impact on the career pursuits of thousands of students. •



Middle school algebra teacher Monique Gonzalez from Hermosa Valley School tries to determine what is in the "mystery box."



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Politically Speaking

Political Penguin

By Duane Plank

The four-year marathon that is a run for the presidency in the United States is now down to a sprint, with less than a week to go until the Tuesday general election that will either rubber-stamp the policies of the incumbent President Obama and his administration, or set up a mid-course correction and install Elephant Party standard-bearer Mitt "The Glove" Romney and his family in the historic White House residency on Pennsylvania Avenue in the District.

A month ago, the tea leaves, it seems, had been mostly read by the pundits and prognosticators, with Obama comfortably ahead in any and all calculations necessary to capture the necessary 270 electoral votes to keep his job. Which is supposed to be running the country--not running for re-election, btw.

Then the debates happened and gave a spike to Romney after the Prez's tepid performance in debate numero uno. A total of three presidential debates ensued and Obama more than held his own in the last two, but the die had been cast and the inevitability of an Obama coronation on the first Tuesday in November was suddenly, violently, shaken.

Suddenly pollsters, who had all but conceded the win to Obama, were producing polling numbers that showed a virtual dead heat. And some polls, including the very well-respected Gallup Poll, actually produced numbers portending a Romney surge, leading to a possible presidential upset.

Course most of us are astute enough to know that the polls tend to lose their appeal when we step into the voting booth in a couple of days. And that nationwide popularity polling may make for interesting perusing, but mean little when the all-important electoral votes

are tallied. Not to repeat, but it is worth repeating, that you win the presidency by tallying a minimum of 270 electoral votes.

And that all the figuring still posits that Romney will have a tough road to get to 270--that he must triumph in critical swing states like Ohio, Michigan, Florida, Virginia and Pennsylvania if he hopes to receive a concession call from President Obama in the early morning hours the day after the election.

Unfortunately--at least for Californians--our votes (at least for the presidency) will be merely symbolic. Obama has sewn up the Great Bankrupt State from the get-go. Which meant that the Romney campaign turned its backs on the available 55 electoral votes, preferring to invest his campaign capital in crucial swing states.

Which doesn't mean an eligible Cali voter should just stay home on Tuesday. While there aren't many contentious statewide races on the ballot, there are some very important ballot props out there, including number 30, which has been crafted by Governor Jerry Brown and associates and would increase personal income taxes on the well-heeled as well as sales taxes in this tax-and-spend state for the next four years. If Prop 30 passes, the idea is to use some of the cash windfall to help fund the struggling state school system.

Read the information out there and take the time to become informed enough to make thoughtful choices. And don't use the old excuse that one vote doesn't matter, that you don't have the time to vote. If you can spend precious moments watching reality TV or following the latest adventures of some sub-moronic New Jerseyites, you can invest a bit of time this weekend perusing your voter election guide. •

One Man's Opinion

By Gerry Chong

For most of four years, and through 169 columns, this writer has maintained a constant drum beat opposing Barack Obama. Finally today, we are on the cusp of bidding adios to the Error of the Era. For some readers, my constant refrain had become monotonous. For others, some columns seemed over the top. To both charges, I plead "guilty" and apologize. Nevertheless, I stand firm in my belief that this presidency has been a greater disaster

than Carter and look forward to its demise. A wag recently asked, "If Romney wins the presidency, will he inherit Bush's economy or will he inherit Obama's"? This President has never acknowledged the effect of his policies on the economic crises afflicting America. The 23 million unemployed, the 46 million living below poverty, the 47 million on Food Stamps and the \$16 trillion on national debt are more than abstract numbers. They are shorthand for the pain he has wrought on every American, rich or poor. Obama can claim that we are making progress, but the numbers are a scoreboard that belies that claim.

GM boasts that 67 percent of its employees reside outside the U.S.

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More insidiously, there is a growing belief that under Obama, the American dream of upward mobility is dead, that holding a job--any job--constitutes success, and that the impoverished must cling to governmental dependency to survive.

Obama's governing philosophy disdains the importance of private property. In the GM bailout, for example, he simply seized the assets of a private company. Think about that. His CEO wiped out the assets of

stockholders, bondholders and scores of independent dealers without due process. He refused to guarantee the retirement programs of hundreds of thousands of non-union employees, causing them to collapse--but he did guarantee the retirement programs of union workers, even giving a 17 percent ownership in the company to the UAW, which supported his election.

Today's irony is that GM boasts that 67 percent of its employees reside outside the U.S.

and 70 percent of its cars are made outside the U.S.--mostly in China. Even as the President excoriates companies that export U.S. jobs and pays no income taxes, his company is the poster child for everything he condemns.

In believing government can more wisely invest in industries than the private sector, Obama had given nine billion taxpayer dollars to the green industry. Of that sum, \$7.5 billion went to 34 companies that have either failed or are failing. Nineteen have already gone bankrupt while the remaining 15 are in the process of laying off workers.

In relations with other branches of government, all Presidents from Teddy Roosevelt through George Bush had issued only 121 Executive Orders. But in only his first 40 months, Obama issued 923 orders, bypassing both Congress and the Constitution.

God willing, this disaster will end in less than two weeks and optimism will spring anew for a more hopeful, more prosperous nation--one that returns to its roots as a free people living lives of self-reliance with compassion for others less fortunate. God willing. •

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Student of the Month

from front page

called him "a natural leader who is humble and who easily gains the respect of others." In addition, he has his own business related to his interest in cooking.

Derek Gunny's presenter, Jeff Lee, mentioned that one of Jeff's major traits is "his persistent good nature even if things don't go his way." He is a student who loves to learn and frequently helps others with their school work.

The luncheon, which was held Thursday, October 18 at Verandas on Rosecrans Avenue, also featured a talk by George Butts, President of the Manhattan Beach Community Emergency Response Team Association

(MBCERTA). He discussed the functions and structure of his association, as well as the need for emergency preparation.

The meeting was presided over by the Coordinating Council President, Jill Brunckhardt, and included a raffle to raise money for scholarships and announcements from representatives of community organizations. Student representatives—Andie Maloney (American Martyrs), Talia Horrow (Middle School), and Ryan Patel (Mira Costa)—presented updates concerning the events that are taking place at their respective schools. The next luncheon will take place Thursday, November 15. •



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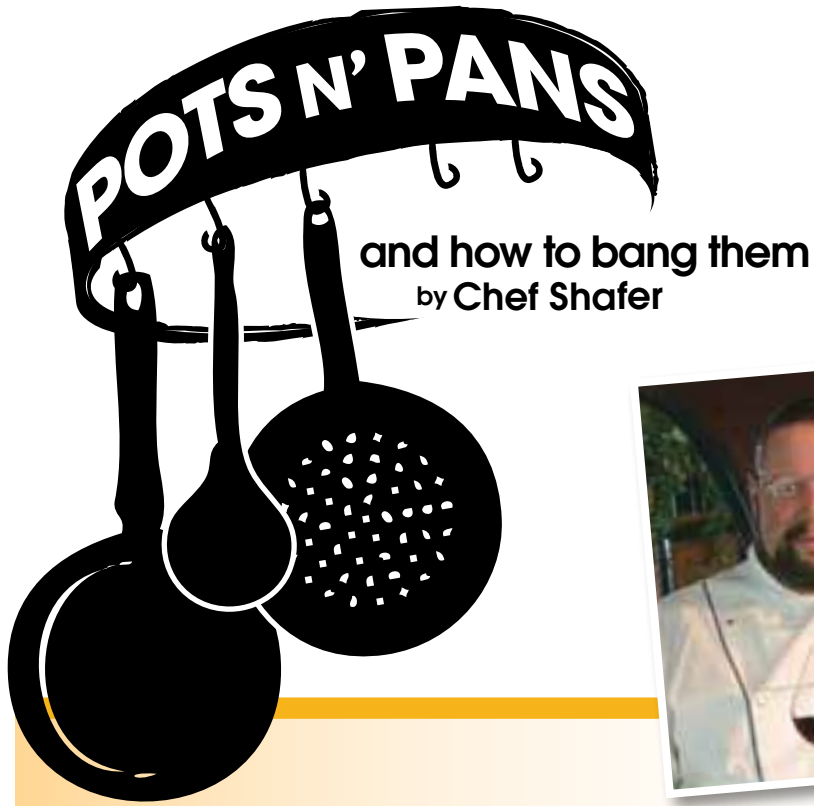
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The sites of autumn were great but the smells of autumn are enchanting. I have a vivid memory of the scent of roast pork stuffed with dates and pecans coming out of the oven on a bed of roasted vegetables all cooked in the juices of the pork loin. This was a Sunday dinner that I still do to this day. Hope you enjoy it.

The Chef

Roast Pork Loin Stuffed with Dates and Pecans



5 lbs. pork loin

½ fine chopped onions

1 cup chopped pecans

1 cup chopped pitted dates

Salt

Pepper

Butcher String to truss the loin with
Cut the pork loin into thirds to create a sheet of pork or have your butcher do it
See photos
Sprinkle the onions pecans dates salt and pepper on the pork sheet then roll and tie the loin.

Season the Roast with salt and pepper then cook in a 350 degree oven for 45 minutes to one hour. Let it rest 10 minutes before you serve it.

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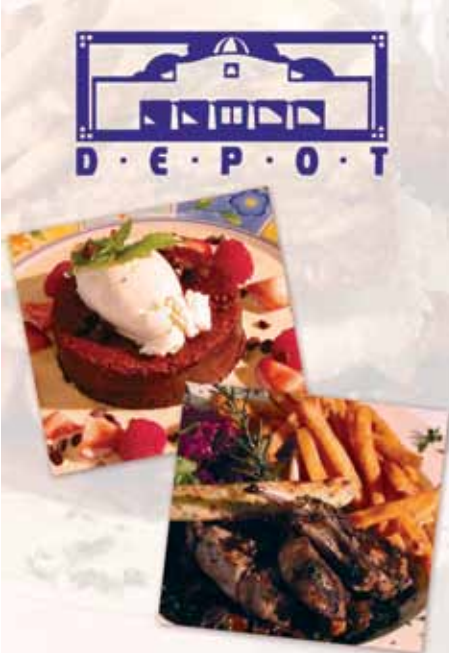
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Wrangler (along with his siblings Nash and Derby, also available for adoption) was born on August 26, 2012 to his mother Pinny (also available). Pinny is a Boston Terrier mix weighing 15 pounds. She was pulled out of the Downey Shelter pregnant and ready to give birth. Wrangler is the biggest and most outgoing of the three puppies. He is a barrel of laughs, happy and healthy and full of energy too. His day consists of playing, eating and sleeping. He is a sweet, lovable, happy puppy. Wrangler needs to be adopted locally (south LA County or northern Orange County) as he will need to return to us for shots and be neutered when he is of age. As of October 24, Wrangler weighed 4.3 pounds. Wrangler is current on all vaccinations, de-wormed, microchipped, good with other dogs, good with kids and cat-safe.



Wrangler

Indy is an adorable Rat Terrier mix puppy who was born on July 2, 2012. He weighed nine pounds as of October 13. His sibling **Domino** is also available for adoption. This little guy is very sweet and has unique coloring. We love his



Indy tri-colored face and coat and the white socks on all of his feet. Indy is a loving, gentle little guy. He loves to run and play all day long, but he is also very snuggly and endearing.

Domino is ready now for his forever home. He will need to come back to us to be neutered by the end of November. Indy will be neutered, is current on all vaccinations, de-wormed, microchipped, good with other dogs, good with kids and cat-safe.

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Purrrfect Companions

Happiness is waiting around the corner when you adopt a purr-fect partner.

Fan has a stunning coat of pale orange and dark gray lines mixed on a soft gray background with gentle, green eyes. Her fur is very soft and she adores being petted. Fan loves to sleep on the bed with you when she isn't snuggling at your side or on your lap. This sweet little girl also gives nose rubs to show her affection, all the while purring away like a motor. She's a big cuddle bug and is super outgoing. Fan loves other kitties and is okay with small, calm, cat-friendly dogs. Because she is so bonded to her brother, Rahmi, a handsome Russian Blue mix, she would love to be adopted into a forever home with him.



Turtle

Chucky is a handsome boy, all ready for a black tie event in his snazzy tuxedo with matching mittens. He has spectacular yellow/green eyes that change shade from day to day. Chucky is a mega lap cat and will spend hours snuggling in your arms. At night, he is a huge bed hog, always wanting to cuddle and sprawl along your side. Chucky can be a touch food-aggressive toward other kitties and would like his own bowl and his own spot to eat. He is a high-energy kitty with a lot of love to give, very outgoing and confident, and he loves other cats. Chucky

Tabby stripping in a spiraling, classic pattern. Turtle will most likely remain a very dainty little girl and needs a special home where she can continue to thrive. She loves to play and gets along with other kitties and calm or easygoing dogs.

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Fan

must be adopted either with a resident kitty or with a foster buddy.

Turtle is a very special little angel who was found when she was barely three weeks old. Due to her initial battle to survive, Turtle is a very dainty girl who would be best in an all-adult home. She is an absolute love bug who loves to be on your shoulders where she can nuzzle her face in your hair and knead the back of your neck with her teeny paws. Turtle is the sweetest angel in the world, just wanting love and attention. Her coat is very unique, a fascinating design of dual-colored



Chucky

Happy Tails

Stretch is One Hot Dog

Hot dog! Our little clown Stretch was adopted! Here's an update from Stretch and his fur-ever family...

"Hi! Stretch has been a great little addition to the family and not only do we love him, but so does everyone else who meets him. He is learning our house very well and seems to be fitting in. Cross our fingers--he has only had one accident in his kennel room and has been going outside since day one. We understand now why everyone was laughing when asked about Stretch. We are now laughing about the funny things he does too...Thank you again for the opportunity to bring home Stretch!

Things are going really well with Stretch and he is adjusting well. He is settling in

quite nicely and is already the king of the castle! We have introduced him to our family and close friends and everyone who meets him falls in love with him as we did. He is such a joy and makes us smile and laugh everyday. We are truly a family and we could not imagine life without him! Thank you so much for all your help. You all have been amazing. We have some really great pictures of Stretch in his new home that I will send to you soon. Thank you again! Lots of love..."

— Danielle, Eric and Stretch.

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

