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## Ground Breaks on New Multi-Use Sports Fields, Future AYSO Host



On Monday, Nov. 18, the City of Torrance broke ground on its new multi-use sports fields, located at 555 Maple Avenue. Mayor Frank Scotto announced the "kick-off of development." According to the City, more than 15,000 Torrance youth currently use City parks for sports practices and games, and the demand for field space is increasing. The new multi-use sports fields will also be used during the July 2014 AYSO National Games hosted in Torrance. Anticipated completion date is Feb. 2014. Pictured above are (L to R) L.A. Superior Court Asst. Supervising Judge Steven Van Sicklen, Former Assemblymember Betsy Butler, L.A. Superior Court Supervising Judge Mark Arnold, Field Deputy Representing the Office of Supervisor Don Knabe Steve Napolitano and Torrance Mayor Frank Scotto.

## Numark Resigns Council Seat

By Dylan Little

The Nov. 26 Torrance City Council meeting was the last one for Councilmember Cliff Numark. He resigned from the Council after being elected to the El Camino Board of Trustees. The Council is currently seeking applicants to fill the vacant seat.

Numark's resignation came near the end of the meeting. He described the experience of serving on the Council as a dream come true. He thanked his former colleagues on the Council for their skill and respectful discourse, even when issues would pit them on opposing sides of an issue. He also made sure to thank the voters of Torrance for their faith in his abilities both as a Councilmember and a future college trustee.

"It's certainly a bittersweet time for me," said Numark. "I am inspired and thrilled the residents elected me to help lead El Camino College, but of course I'm saddened because my time here has come to a close. I am privileged and humbled to have had the opportunity to serve here."

Each member of the Council spoke highly of Numark's dedication--not just to City governance, but to his family and career as well. All of them saw him as an example of service to the public, as well as an intelligent and insightful member of the Council. Councilmember Bill Sutherland joked that Numark's vocabulary kept the former reaching for a dictionary. Similarly Councilmember Barnett regretted losing Numark on the Council. "You're a smart son of a gun," said Barnett. "El Camino's gain is certainly our loss."

Mayor Frank Scotto said that he expected Numark to go on to bigger things than either the Torrance City Council or the El Camino College Board of Trustees. "I know that there will be a time when you have a much higher office," said Scotto. "The City of Torrance

is truly a better place having had you on the Council." A formal going-away party is planned for Numark at the Torrance Art Museum on Dec. 7 from 3 to 5 p.m. and the public is welcome to attend.

With Numark's resignation, the Council is--for the second time this year--put in the position to appoint someone to fill a vacant seat. While the Council could choose to hold a special election, in this case it feels it would be fiscally irresponsible. City Clerk Sue Herbers said a special election would cost the City about \$200,000 and could only be scheduled in a way that the eventual winner would have to run simultaneously in the special and general election and only hold the seat for one month before potentially losing the seat in the general election.

However, the appointment process has its own challenges. The Council only has 30 days from Numark's resignation to appoint a successor, which with the holidays at the end of the month means a quick timetable to screen a replacement. Councilmember Pat Furey voiced his support for the appointment process, despite the limited time. "It's a short deadline, but it'll work," he said.

In order to meet the 30-day cutoff, applications for the vacant seat are already available and will be due to the City Clerk no later than 5:30 p.m. on Dec. 11. The Council will then make its appointment on Dec. 17 and the term will last from then until new members are sworn in following the June 2014 election. Scotto noted that this process

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## Weekend Forecast

Friday

Few Showers  
68°/53°



Saturday

Sunny  
69°/53°



Sunday

Partly Cloudy  
69°/54°



## TerriAnn in Torrance

### One Heart, One Voice

By TerriAnn Ferren

Thanksgiving is part of the fabric of our lives and most everyone looks forward to this special holiday. Lots of us either cook or help the cook prepare the annual celebration. As for me, I have been cooking for my family for many years but have memories of family Thanksgiving dinners as a child where I did nothing at all but enjoy the day and celebration.

Our world seems smaller today with the technology available and those in need are brought to our attention with rapid, live reports from our smartphone, radio or television. This year in addition to the needs of those around us in our own town and area, we are profoundly aware of the

needs of those far away. Last week, in Chicago, the deadly tornados left a huge path of destruction--and before that, the Philippines were struck with the diabolical typhoon Haiyan that was so enormous that the results of if its power created massive tragedy almost beyond comprehension. The hardest-hit city, Tacloban, is still in dire need of help. The United States immediately sent assistance to help the people affected by the storm. As a citizen of the United States, I am proud our country is lending a hand. Many other countries around the world responded to the cry of the Filipino people after the devastating storm.

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# Business Briefs

## CVS Celebrates New Location



Present at the Nov. 13 ribbon cutting of the new CVS Pharmacy, located at Sepulveda Blvd. and Normandie Ave. in Storm Plaza are (back, L to R) CVS District Manager Paul Stewart, Storm Industries Board Member Tom Grzywacz, (front, L to R) Harbor City Harbor Gateway Chamber's Esther Dailey and Joeann Valle, CVS Store Manager Veronica Garcia, Georgia Claessens, Claudia Grzywacz and Elizabeth Storm McGovern, Storm Properties President Jay Ahluwalia and Senior Project Manager Larry Carr. Photos provided by Ann Romano.

## InjectAbility Clinic Marks Anniversary



Anita Gardner and Leslie Fletcher (holding certificate) are flanked by (L to R) City of Torrance Councilman Kurt Weideman, Councilman Bill Sutherland, Mayor Frank Scotto and Councilman Tom Brewer.



The InjectAbility Clinic's staff includes (L to R) Anita Gardner, Leslie Fletcher, Brett Fletcher, Cookie Atencio and Leah Hutchison.



Owner Leslie Fletcher cuts the ribbon in front of the InjectAbility Clinic, located at 1327 Post Avenue in Downtown Torrance. Mayor Frank Scotto and several other city and chamber dignitaries attended the celebration, which included a tour of the clinic and refreshments provided by Chef Shafer of the Depot Restaurant. Photos by Charlene Nishimura.



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# Community Briefs

## Lending Library Program in Torrance



SBCCOG Chair & Gardena Mayor Pro Tem Dan Medina (L) and Torrance Mayor Frank Scotti pictured with a small sample from the lending library book collection. Photo by Marilyn Lyon.

The South Bay Cities Council of Governments (SBCCOG) announced the launch of a pilot Lending Library Program with the City of Torrance. The SBCCOG will lend a collection of reference books and resource materials on energy efficiency practices, water conservation, transportation options, climate action planning and recycling measures, which have been housed at the South Bay Environmental Services Center (SBESC). The one-year pilot program allows the collection to be integrated into the current collection at the Katy Geissert Civic Center Library in Torrance.

SBCCOG started its collection when it acquired books on energy efficiency to support educational workshops and trainings as part of its contracts with Southern California Edison and The Gas Company. West Basin Municipal Water District, another partner of the SBCCOG, made a generous donation of \$1,000 for the purchase of books on water topics. These books cover the history of water in California, current water issues in the state, gardening books with information on water conserving plants, practices, and designs, and California native plants.

### State of the State Address

California State Assemblymember Al Muratsuchi delivered a State of the State address to a full-house breakfast gathering of Torrance political and business leaders at the Miyako Hybrid Hotel on Nov. 20. He spoke on jobs, education, public safety and veteran issues and reported that these areas are better overall, but "we still have a lot of work to do." This first annual State of the State was coordinated by the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce and sponsors included ExxonMobil, Toyota, Kaiser Permanente, Northrop Grumman, All Yellow Taxi and the Daily Breeze. Photos by Charlene Nishimura.



(L to R) City of Torrance Councilman Bill Sutherland with Stan Myles from the South Coast Air Quality Management District.



The presentation of colors was performed by the Torrance Police Department color guard including (L to R) Scott Cameron, Guillermo Sandoval, Danielle Morreale and Darryl Tatum.



VIPs included (L to R) Pam Crane (Torrance Memorial Board of Trustees), Claire Coignard (Torrance Memorial Health Education), Shari Weaver (Harbor Interfaith Services), Laura Schenasi (Torrance Memorial Foundation), Tara Nierenhausen (Community's Child), Su Hwang (Harbor Interfaith Services), Sandy VandenBerge (Torrance Memorial Foundation), Pat Rillera (MADD), Paul Stansbury (NAMI South Bay), Lisa Van Ingen Pope (Torrance-South Bay YMCA) and Ann O'Brien (Torrance Memorial Public Relations).



Al Muratsuchi, California State Assemblymember representing District 66, addresses a sold out crowd.

### Typhoon Haiyan Relief

Through a special board meeting, the Torrance Kiwanis Foundation has approved the collections of funds to be sent directly to the Philippines to assist the families that have been devastated by Typhoon Haiyan. Communication has been made with Juan "Ito" Torres, MD, past president of Kiwanis International, and the Kiwanis Club of New Manila to assist with the distribution of funds. Torres and his wife are working through the Kiwanis Clubs in the Philippines to get supplies and assistance to the families that were hit the hardest in the southern part of the Philippines.

If you would like to make a donation, please make your check payable to the Torrance Kiwanis Foundation, in the memo write: "Typhoon Haiyan Relief." For more information contact Tony Molino 323-692-4010 or molino@molinolawfirm.com

### Annual Holiday Shoppers' Free Bus Service

In the spirit of offering ease to shopping the Hawthorne corridor this holiday season, Torrance Transit will offer the community its annual "Shoppers' Special Bus" service. This year, it will begin on Black Friday, Nov. 29, with continuing free bus service every

Saturday and Sunday through Sunday, Dec. 22. The Saturday/Sunday service will operate from approximately 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The bus will be decorated in a festive holiday theme and will stop at the intersections of Carson St./Del Amo Circle Blvd.; Hawthorne Blvd./Carson St. (northbound only); Hawthorne Blvd./Torrance Blvd.; Hawthorne Blvd./Del

Amo Blvd.; Hawthorne Blvd./Talisman St.; 182nd St./Hawthorne Blvd. (southbound only); South Bay Galleria Transit Center; and Hawthorne Blvd./Artesia Blvd. (southbound only). This is a free service and transfers will not be sold. For additional information, contact Torrance Transit at (310) 781-6266 or visit [www.TorranceCA.Gov](http://www.TorranceCA.Gov).

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## Calendar

### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29

• The Y's Men's Club Christmas Tree Lot, 1 p.m., Madrona Ave. at Del Amo. Proceeds support Y programs. For more information call (310) 328-3670.

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3

• City Council Meeting, 7-10 p.m., City Hall Chambers, 3031 Torrance Blvd.  
• Torrance Memorial 30th Annual Holiday Festival, 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Dec. 3-5, 7, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Dec. 8, Torrance Memorial Medical Center, 3330 Lomita Blvd. For information call the Torrance Memorial Health Care Foundation at (310)-517-4703.

For recorded general event information call (310) 517-4606.

### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

• Bach's Luchtime Recital Featuring AlmaNova, 12:15 p.m. Dec 6, First Lutheran Church of Torrance, 2900 W. Carson Street.

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

• Nativity Catholic School Presents - A Christmas Boutique. 9AM to 2PM. 2371 W Carson St, Torrance Ca 90501.

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# Politically Speaking

## One Man's Opinion

By Gerry Chong

Happy Thanksgiving, one and all!  
In the spirit of the season, The White House has a turkey on the rotisserie that is getting more and more cooked with each rotation of the spit. Unless you've been living under a rock, you know the turkey lied about people being able to keep their health plans and doctors. When he

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finally conceded that he had "misled" the public, he claimed his lie only affected a "small sliver" of the public. Yet, he and his administration are on the record in 2010 acknowledging that over 50 percent of employer-provided medical plans and 50-75 percent of individual plans could be voided by Obamacare, resulting in as many as 53 million people losing their health plans. Incredibly, the lost coverage could be greater than planned enrollment under Obamacare (this turkey is stuffed and basted).

The turkey then feigned ignorance about the extent of the Obamacare website problems, but last March the Administration's consultant McKinsey and Co. had predicted many of the website's problems. For political reasons, however, the turkey chose to proceed with an Oct. 1 program start nevertheless (he's beginning to sweat).

In mid-October, he claimed the website would be up and running by the end of November, but Henry Chao, Deputy Chief Information Officer for Medicare/Medicaid (CMS), disagreed, saying that as of Nov. 20 only 200 of the 600 problems have been corrected and new problems are being discovered daily. Chao believes that on a best case basis, the website

may be operational by mid-January (the turkey spins and spins again and again).

Moreover, Chao says as much as 40 percent of the operating program has not even been written yet (turn the crank and see if the turkey can make another prediction).

If and when the website is completed and running, it will contain the world's greatest

collection of personal data, so HHS Secretary Sebelius was asked if personal data will be secure. She said consultant Mitre's corporation had tested the system and raised no red flags. But Mitre says it had never been tasked with that assessment (just a brownin' and a sweatin').

A Sept. 3 memo from Tony Trenkle of CMS said the security "threat potential and risk to the system is limitless." He estimated a mid-2014 to early 2015 deadline for completion, at best (this baby is COOKED!).

The conclusions drawn from this debacle are obvious. No one has reason to believe the system will ever run, nor any reason to believe the government will protect their data, and finally no reason to believe the President will be truthful.

It is a truism that leadership and credibility are intertwined, but today there is neither. The bottom line question of the day is therefore: Acknowledging Obamacare will drastically increase insurance premiums across the country, will you sign up for this increased monthly expense now or just wait until you need medical care before making the commitment? Simple question, simple answer. The turkey's fate awaits your response. •

## Another Man's Opinion

### Politician's Addiction Should be Cause for Concern, Not Ridicule

By Cristian Vasquez

Recent news that Florida Congressman Trey Radel is addicted to cocaine has set off a storm of opinions demanding that he resign from his position. Radel, a 37-year-old Republican, announced plans to start an "intensive" inpatient treatment program right away. In addition to his treatment plans for substance abuse, the Congressman plans to donate his salary to charity while his offices would stay open. However, for an elected official who was vocal about drug-testing recipients of government aid, a leave of absence from office should not be enough for everyone to drop the issue. There are some concerns that arise from this fiasco.

For one, Radel's admission to drug addiction has to result in his removal from office. No amount of rehab, donating his salary to charities or sincere apologies are enough for him to stay in office. He has a substance abuse problem that impairs his judgment. Why should he, after so many bad decisions and after having admitted his mistake, get to keep his job? If anyone reading this column calls into work after having been arrested for buying cocaine, there is a low possibility that they will keep that job. Why should the circumstance be any different for Radel?

Second, he should be doing jail time. Purchasing drugs from an undercover law enforcement officer is a crime—even in Florida. Unfortunately, I am sure that the Congressman has enough money to afford a good lawyer who will in all likelihood make sure that he does not spend a day in jail, which is absurd. While I will

not get into the socioeconomic disparities of our legal system, we are reminded that politician (like celebrities) live by a different set of rules and suffer few, if any, consequences. While it is a misdemeanor charge, which usually comes with lesser penalties, it is still a crime and he has to be held accountable.

Lastly, the hypocrisy behind what Radel preached and his actions should be enough to never win him a position as an elected official. Radel was a vocal supporter of drug-testing welfare recipients. In an effort to protect public funds, Radel supported asking those receiving public funds to provide a urine sample. Yet, here we have Radel, who gets paid with public funds, going out on cocaine shopping sprees. By the logic of what he was advocating for anyone receiving taxpayers' money, he should be defunded. The only way to defund Radel is to remove him from office. There should be no recall. There should be no special election to remove him from office. Florida shouldn't have to wait for the next election cycle. Radel needs to be removed from office, period.

Late-night talk shows, radio personalities and people in general are cracking jokes at the expense of Radel's addiction. Some of the jokes are cause for a good chuckle, but the situation is serious. Radel should leave office, deal with his legal issues and pull himself away from the grips of his drug addiction. Reconnecting with himself and his family is more important than staying in office—and being in office requires absolute concentration. Neither of the two will occur as long as cocaine is involved. •

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# TerriAnn in Torrance

from front page

These reports remind me of our blessings. We are blessed we are able to send help to those in need. All around us, there are those less fortunate and especially at this time of year, we are moved to help. After listening to the needs of those here and abroad, it became very clear to me why the early settlers to this land were thankful for what they had after going through so much themselves. As our first Thanksgiving participants reached out to those around them, so too must we remember to reach out to those we can touch. As Americans, we are a giving people united in one heart.

Thanksgiving has been celebrated from the beginning of our heritage--especially in New England, where since as far back at 1621 the Pilgrim fathers celebrated a Harvest Thanksgiving Festival every year in Plymouth, Massachusetts. It was there in that place where they gathered as one community, together for the first time, with family and friends sharing what they had so no one would be wanting. It was this spirit of generosity, unity and thankfulness that set the example for countless Thanksgivings to come. President Abraham Lincoln proclaimed Thanksgiving a national holiday on October 3, 1863 and said, "It has seemed to me fit and proper that God should be solemnly, reverently and gratefully acknowledged, as with one heart and one voice, by the whole

care of the table arrangement. If this is a year you decide not to cook, you could be making "reservations" as I have done a few times in the past. And there are many of us that plan to help serve and hand out food at local shelters this year. The local Salvation Army, church organizations and shelters all offer opportunities to reach out. Our local Torrance Salvation Army always holds a beautiful and elegant Thanksgiving dinner for anyone who arrives at their hall on Earl Street. Sharing is part of the fabric of our heritage. Countless organizations are sending aid to those who need help, including aid to the Philippines. The Red Cross reached out to raise funds in a telethon last weekend for the Philippines.

Maybe this is especially the perfect Thanksgiving to ask one another what we are thankful for as we sit around the dinner table. Let this holiday, that is set apart as a day of thanks, be the renewed beginning of the habit of remembering those who are in need and extending help wherever when can in whatever way we are able. As President Abraham Lincoln said long ago, "...that God should be solemnly, reverently and gratefully acknowledged, as with one heart and one voice..." let us give thanks and remember the reason for Thanksgiving Day. Happy Thanksgiving, everyone! •



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American people. I do therefore invite my fellow citizens in every part of the United States, and also those who are at sea and those who are sojourning in foreign lands, to set apart and observe the last Thursday of November as a day of Thanksgiving and praise to our beneficent Father who dwelleth in the heavens." Many years after Lincoln spoke those eloquent words and after much disagreement and often contentious debate, the official date for the Thanksgiving holiday was confirmed by Congress in 1941.

Thanksgiving may be the carrying on of long-held traditions with family and friends. You might be like me, making lists upon lists making sure you don't forget anything. Yes, I will be cooking again this year. Somehow, I long for the wafting scent of turkey roasting in the oven filling the house and the bustle in the kitchen. My mom usually helps me with my turkey. She is an expert cook and her calm in the kitchen is something I count on every year. A point of gathering as no other time of the year, the kitchen becomes the living room. And if your family is like mine, everyone has an idea of how to put the finishing touches on everything from the expert carving of the turkey by my daddy to the debate between whipped cream or Cool Whip.

A few years ago, I started making my own fresh cranberry sauce and can't wait to hear those red, tiny globes pop in the hot saucepan making that ruby red delight I love. This year I have agreed to accept help with the dinner from my family. My sister Linda will bring fruit and the relish tray with carrots, celery, olives, pickles and anything else she can think of. My parents always take care of securing the pies and my nephew David, who is studying to be a lawyer and works part-time at a winery, usually knows what type of wine to bring. My daughter Michele will bring a new acorn squash recipe she is excited to try and her famous deviled eggs, and Ronnie will take

Festival Trees for Pre-Sale December 3-5

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- **Thursday, December 5** ..... 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.
- "Senior Day #2" – Free admission to seniors ..... 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- Community Service Group Night – Special Rate \$2**..... 4 p.m. - 9 p.m.
- **Friday, December 6** – Closed to the Public
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# Sports

## Up and Adam

### Torrance Tumbles Against Powerhouse

By Adam Serrao

The Torrance Tartars have finally found themselves back in the playoffs and after their 42-20 victory over Azusa two weeks ago, have made it to the second round for the first time since the 2004-2005 season. The Tartars have been rolling on all cylinders, especially towards the second half of the season this year and have been doing it behind an impressive running game. Bobby Wilson, Sean Luna and David Aros have formed a three-headed monster for the Tartars that has bowled over opponents and carried the team to a third place finish in the Pioneer League standings and a date with Nordhoff in the second round of the playoffs. The Tartars have beaten the Tri Valley League's Rangers before, outscoring them by one point in the quarterfinals of the 2011-12 playoffs with



Dale Rouse (West Torrance #4) was able to gain some yards with this run in the second quarter of play in the West Torrance - Palmdale CIF Northern Division quarterfinals. Photos by Dirk Derwachter.

a 34-33 victory. This year, though, the matchup proved to be not-so-ideal for Torrance. Nordhoff, last year's reigning champions and competitors in the semifinals of the CIF playoffs twice in the past three seasons, overcame a fast start last Friday night at Zamperini Stadium and withstood a strong final push from the Tartars to eventually take a 38-20 win and eliminate Torrance from playoff contention.

The Tartars came out ready to play, still riding a high from last week's first round victory over Azusa. Knowing that a game against Nordhoff is never an easy task to handle, Torrance attempted to get started right away. The Tartars put the first points of the game up on the board and left it to none other than their running game to get things started. It was Aros this time who took the ball in from one yard out and after a successful extra point gave Torrance a 7-0 lead. Unfortunately for the Tartars, that touchdown served to wake a sleeping giant. After the first touchdown of the game, Nordhoff put up 38 consecutive points to eventually take a 38-7 lead and practically blow the game out of the water. Those points were spread out over four quarters, with seven in the first but a big 17-spot in the second quarter while holding Torrance to zero. What was once a 7-0 Tartars' lead became 24-7 at the half and 38-7 into the fourth. Backup quarterback Vincent Huey attempted to rally the Tartars in the fourth quarter, tossing a 10-yard touchdown pass to Sam Hudson for Torrance's second score of the game and driving the ball down the field for Tyree Harris to score on a five-yard touchdown run to bring the score to 38-20.

Huey passed for 72 yards in relief for the Tartars while the crux of their offense came on the ground again. Harris was the leading rusher for Torrance, compiling 81 yards and a touchdown on just eight carries. While the Torrance running game is normally stout, though, Nordhoff's ground game is what really came up big. Matt Woodcock rushed 21 times for 144 yards and three touchdowns for Nordhoff,

continually leading the charge on offense and running Torrance right out of the game. A successful season for head coach Rock Hollis and the Tartars came to an end there, but the team can take solace in the fact that it made it past the first round of the playoffs for the first time in almost 10 years.

#### West High

After an offensive explosion two weeks ago that led the West High Warriors to a 35-27 victory over Canyon, Greg Holt and his team were locked in a defensive struggle in the second round against Palmdale. You wouldn't know it was a defensive battle by looking at the first half stats for the Warriors, however. They allowed 244 yards and two touchdowns to a Palmdale team that just about came away with a victory. Once the defense woke up, so

did the Warriors as they rallied for a 17-14 victory last Friday night against the Falcons.

The Warriors were able to get themselves on the board first in the game behind their standout starting quarterback Zach Heeger. Heeger connected with Kurtis Guelff on a 12-yard touchdown pass to give his team the lead and most of the momentum to start things off. Palmdale was able to answer right back with a 53-yard touchdown of its own before gashing the Warriors' defense again for another 99-yard touchdown to give the Falcons a 14-7 lead with 10 minutes remaining in the half. The Warriors added a field goal just before the half expired to pull within four at 14-10.

The second half is when the Warriors really stepped up, as they had been prepared to do. "We came in wanting to out-tempo them and win the second half," Heeger said. "We started off hot and stepped it up in the second half. I give all the credit to the defense. They won this game for us." That defense held Palmdale scoreless the entire second half and force five punts. It gave Heeger and the offense just enough opportunity to get the go-ahead score on the board. Going 80 yards in just 13 plays, Heeger spotted Dale Rouse wide open. Twenty-one yards later, the Warriors not only had another touchdown, but also found themselves a convenient 17-14 second round playoff victory.

Heeger was once again the star of the night for the Warriors, going 19 of 36 for 184 yards and two touchdowns despite a semi-stagnant offense due in large part to a tough Palmdale D. "Our offense wasn't clicking much, but give credit to Palmdale," explained Holt. "We're in the second round of the playoffs and they're not league champions for nothing." The league champions he spoke of are the Hart Indians, who are coming off an impressive 33-12 victory over the Bay League's own Palos Verdes Sea Kings. All that stands between West and another CIF championship appearance is this Friday's game. •

## Orgeron Fighting On

By Adam Serrao

These certainly aren't the days of Lane Kiffin anymore. Naturally, everyone who follows USC already knows that and head athletic director Pat Haden knows that as well. Haden's job may have just gotten a little bit easier, though. With Kiffin's departure, a distinct hole was left in the coaching regime of the USC football team. There were questions as to who would take over and which big names were on the radar. As a few high-profile coaches were spoken of in the media, Ed Orgeron simply kept at his job. Arizona, Utah and Oregon State all fell victim to Orgeron and the interim tag that has been placed upon him. Then, as if those wins weren't good enough, Orgeron and his Trojans took on and defeated the number four-ranked Stanford Cardinal, who just beat a powerhouse in the Oregon Ducks themselves. If the win did nothing else at all, it certainly helped Haden in his exploration for a new coach. He can stop that search now. The Trojans next big-name coach has been right in front of them all along and his name is "Coach O."

With his slight down-south accent and the infectious personality that unmistakably follows Oregon around, it has become clear that he is the best coaching choice for the USC Trojans going forward. In a feat that seemed completely improbable, Orgeron has turned the Trojans around from a team that constantly bickered with each other and lost games at an overwhelmingly irritating rate for its fans to a team that has been invigorated with a breath of life and a sense of purpose. Just two months ago, the Coliseum—a stadium that has witnessed so much greatness over the past decade and more—was half empty, watching Kiffin's Trojans stumble around the field, attempting to play a style of sport that he chose to call football. That same stadium was half empty two weeks ago, but those empty seats were still warm from the bodies that had left them and charged the field to surround the Trojans and Orgeron after an amazing upset victory over number four Stanford.

Forget all of the big names. Coach Orgeron has quickly turned his own name into the most popular one around campus, endeared by both fans and players alike. "When you have a father figure like Coach O come in here and take us under his wings and treat us like his own, we just want to run through a brick wall for him," said linebacker for the Trojans Hayes Pullard. If Orgeron is a father figure that has taken the team under

his wings, then Kiffin must have been the mistress that Haden and the Trojans hired on just for attention. Undoubtedly, that is something that comes with the head coaching position of the USC Trojans. The proprietor of the position, oftentimes, must be a well-known or "sexy" name, as they say. That is precisely why Kiffin was hired in the first place, but it is also precisely why Haden should have learned his lesson. Orgeron is as "sexy" as it gets and if he doesn't get the opportunity to prove that with USC, he will certainly get it done elsewhere.

Haden has certainly made it clear that Orgeron is on his radar in a search for a new head coach. "What Ed has done has been absolutely remarkable," Haden told KFWB-AM. "He is clearly in our eyesight. We understand. It's not just the fans. We're sophisticated enough and know enough about this to understand the attributes that he has, and he's a known quantity." But Haden is still hesitant to remove the interim tag, raising many questions. Does he think he can find a better coach? Does he have an agreement in place with Denver Broncos' defensive coordinator and former USC All-American Jack Del Rio? Haden explained, "My job is to find the best coach of USC, not just for this year, for five or six or eight games or next year, but hopefully for five, 10 or 15 years. The good news is we had a lot of time to think about this thing and to really open the universe to potential opportunities because this is a really good job." The longer Haden waits, however, the more restless his fan base will become. The coach that he wishes to find is already on his sidelines. All that is necessary now is that Haden remove the interim tag.

Haden has already put it out there on the table that he won't make any decisions until the season is over. Perhaps that is the smartest and most fair way to go about things if you are the athletic director of a program like USC. But the name Ed Orgeron is beginning to make more and more sense. If Haden wants someone who is going to stick around, someone who is going to bring in four-and-five-star recruits and most importantly, someone who is going to win games, Orgeron is his man. There is no doubt that he already has the players' support. He certainly has the fans' support. Now all that Coach O needs is the support of his bosses. The process of turning USC's football program around has already begun and Ed Orgeron is the man who should finish what he has started here in Los Angeles. •



Lots of smiles and excitement on the West Torrance sideline following their 17-14 victory against Palmdale in the CIF Northern Division quarterfinals.

# Simplifying Holiday Baking

(BPT) - From cookies to cupcakes, the holidays just aren't complete without freshly baked treats to gift, serve and enjoy. But baking isn't always a piece of cake, whether you're an expert or novice baker. So this year, as you preheat your oven and prepare to whip up dozens of your favorite recipes, check out these five helpful tips to ensure your holiday cookies don't crumble.

Pre-freeze cookie dough. Freeze cut-out cookies for 10 minutes before baking. They'll keep their shape better during baking and also rise slightly higher.

Use parchment paper. The versatility of parchment paper allows for fuss-free baking. It can be used to line baking sheets for evenly cooked treats and makes

cleanup a breeze.

Bake on the center rack. To allow for the most even heat circulation, bake your holiday cookies on the oven's center rack. Additionally, don't over-crowd the oven. This can cause uneven baking, resulting in underbaked or burnt cookies.

Use an airtight container. After baking, place your cookies in an airtight container before they are completely cooled. Doing so will prevent them from drying out and will keep them nice and chewy.

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Tony Molino is chair of this committee. He has already set up communications with Juan "Ito" Torres, MD past president of Kiwanis International and the Kiwanis Club of New Manila to assist with the distribution of funds. Dr. Torres and his wife Alice are already working through the Kiwanis Clubs in the Philippines to get supplies and assistance to the families that were hit the hardest in the southern part of the Philippines.

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For more information contact Tony Molino 323-692-4010 or [molino@molinolawfirm.com](mailto:molino@molinolawfirm.com)

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# City Council

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is difficult not only for the Council that has to choose between many highly-skilled potential applicants, but also for those looking to be appointed as well. Despite having to face rejection, Scotto asked anyone interested in serving to come forward and attempt it. "I understand that some people don't want to put their name in because they feel [they won't be chosen]. But just that process would be beneficial to them," said Scotto. "I want to encourage people to put their name in and go through the process. It'll make you more informed about the City."

The Council also approved a plan to sell the naming rights to the new sports field complex at 555 Maple Avenue. The

City is hoping to earn at least \$1 million from the naming rights of the complex, as well as the two fields within it, to be used to cover the set-up and operational costs of the complex as well as fund other open spaces in the city. Assistant City Manager Mary Giordano explained that companies would be getting a positive reputation and exposure to thousands of youth and adults throughout the South Bay and the nation from the deal. While Scotto seemed confident in the City's ability to bring forward a corporate sponsor, he warned that the process would take time. "I don't want anyone to think that we're going to have someone willing to donate a million dollars tomorrow," said Scotto. •



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**Order to Show Cause for Change of Name**  
Case No. YS025460

Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES  
Petition of: JAMES HALE GACK by KRISTAL LYNNE TRAPANI for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:  
Petitioner JAMES HALE GACK by KRISTAL LYNNE TRAPANI filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
JAMES HALE GACK to JAMES HALE TRAPANI GACK

The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Notice of Hearing:  
Date: 12/23/13, Time 8:30, Dept. M, Room: N/A  
The address of the court is 825 MAPLE AVE, TORRANCE, CA 90503

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: LOS ANGELES  
Date: NOVEMBER 8, 2013  
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**HT-24042**

**Fictitious Business Name Statement**  
2013222784

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1. THE HOPE CHURCH. 2. SEND ME I'LL GO. 628 E TURMONT ST, CARSON, CA 90746. PO BOX 689/10736 W. JEFFERSON BLVD, CULVER CITY, CA 90230. Registered Owner(s): The Favor of God (FOG) Ministry Inc, 628 E Turmont St, Carson, CA 90746. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: October 13, 2013. Signed: The Favor of God FOG Ministry Inc, Gail Elder, Secretary. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on October 25, 2013.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on October 25, 2018. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to October 25, 2018. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).  
Inglewood News: November 21, 28, 2013 and December 05, 12, 2013. **HI-1008.**

**Fictitious Business Name Statement**  
2013236095

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TICO SUPER STORE. 4717 W 152<sup>ND</sup> ST, LAWDALE, CA 90260. Registered Owner(s): Ernesto Ujueta, 4717 W 152<sup>ND</sup> St, Lawndale, CA 90260. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: October 23, 2013. Signed: Ernesto Ujueta, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on November 14, 2013.

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Lawndale Tribune: November 21, 28, 2013 and December 05, 12, 2013. **HL-1006.**

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE**  
October 29, 2013

To Whom It May Concern:  
The Name(s) of the Applicant(s) is/ are: CALIFORNIA FISH GRILL INVESTMENTS LLC

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**STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME**

Current File #20081558894

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: G AND D METAL FABRICATORS, 114 LOMITA ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245-4113. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in the County of Los Angeles ON OCTOBER 28, 2008. Registrant(s): GLEN F BERINGER JR, 114 LOMITA ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. This business was conducted by an INDIVIDUAL. Signed: GLEN F BERINGER JR, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 23, 2013.

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

**Fictitious Business Name Statement**  
2013228321

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THINK DIFFERENTLY FITNESS. 859 PENN ST., EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. Registered Owner(s): Nelwood Entertainment Corp., 859 Penn St, El Segundo, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: September 30, 2013. Signed: Nelwood Entertainment Corp, Secretary, Sheila Miller-Nelson. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on November 04, 2013.

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El Segundo Herald: November 7, 14, 21, 28, 2013. **H-1001.**

**Fictitious Business Name Statement**  
2013229101

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1. EL SEGUNDO LOCKSMITHS. 2. EL SEGUNDO LOCK AND KEY. 401 MAIN ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. Registered Owner(s): Industrial Lock and Security, Inc, 401 Main St, El Segundo, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: April 01, 2004. Signed: Elyse D. Rothsein, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on November 05, 2013.

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El Segundo Herald: November 7, 14, 21, 28, 2013. **H-1002.**

**Fictitious Business Name Statement**  
2013230543

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NAX (USA), INC. 5343 W. IMPERIAL HWY #100, LOS ANGELES, CA 90045. Registered Owner(s): Nakamura Air Express (U.S.A), Inc., 5343 W. Imperial Hwy #100, Los Angeles, CA 90045. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: 2003. Signed: Nakamura Air Express (USA), Inc., Yumi Kimura Pegel, Treasurer. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on November 06, 2013.

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Inglewood News: November 14, 21, 28, 2013 and December 05, 2013. **HI-1003.**

**Fictitious Business Name Statement**  
2013221620

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HACIENDA HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER AT LAX. 1. 525 N. SEPULVEDA BLVD., EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245 2. 2500 N. DALLAS PKWY, SUITE 600, PLANO, TX 75093. Registered Owner(s): Rubicon B Hacienda LLC, 1117 East Putnam Avenue, #481, Riverside, CT 06878. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: September 04, 2013. Signed: Vincent F. Cuce, Authorized Signer/Agent. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on October 24, 2013.

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El Segundo Herald: November 7, 14, 21, 28, 2013. **H-1000.**

**Fictitious Business Name Statement**  
2013221483

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as EAGLERIDER. 11860 S. LA CIENEGA BLVD, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. Registered Owner(s): J.C. Bromac Corporation, 11860 S. La Cienega Blvd., Hawthorne, CA 90250. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: N/A. Signed: J.C. Bromac Corporation, Jeff Brown, V.P. Operations. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on October 24, 2013.

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Hawthorne Press Tribune: November 21, 28, 2013 and December 05, 12, 2013. **HH-1007.**

**Fictitious Business Name Statement**  
2013227701

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CALL CENTER SERVICES. 909 N. Sepulveda BOULEVARD, 6<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. Registered Owner(s): Mazarine Enterprises, Inc., 909 N. Sepulveda Boulevard, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, El Segundo, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed: N/A. Signed: Daryl Okimoto, Corporate Secretary. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on November 04, 2013.

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El Segundo Herald: November 14, 21, 28, 2013 and December 05, 2013. **H-1005.**

**Fictitious Business Name Statement**  
2013223898

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

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## WEEKLY CROSSWORD See Answers Next Week

### Long Shots

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#### Across

1. Peephole
7. Put back
11. Hoo-ha
14. Managed
15. Wheeling's river
16. Thimberlig prop
17. Coerced ceremonies
20. Choice
21. Beef, e.g.
22. Word with bar or arm
25. Cybercafe patron
27. Make the grade?
28. Abnormal protuberance
29. Support provider
30. Schuss
32. Masked man?
33. Pond swimmer
34. Put out
38. Be in charge
42. Use a prie-dieu
43. Brain part
44. Clear
45. Predecessor of rock steady
47. Boolean logic operator
48. Some transfusions
49. Auspices
52. Temple

#### Down

1. Germany's Dortmund-\_\_\_ Canal
2. Derisive cry
3. Nigerian state
4. Don't hold back
5. Writers' award
6. \_\_\_ bus
7. Promulgate
8. Somewhere else
9. Somateria
10. Pitt play character
11. Sleep \_\_\_
12. A founder of impressionism
13. Hops driers
18. Kind of network
19. Grin descriptive

22. Express disapproval
23. Compassionate
24. Copious
26. Desert basin
29. E.U. member
31. Brush against
33. Pillow \_\_\_
35. Judicious
36. Reversal
37. Time piece?
39. Boarder, e.g.
40. Mistake type
41. Denouement
46. Angled structure
48. State bordering Arizona
49. Gourmand
50. Like some accents
51. Beset
53. Harsh
54. Great Lakes salmon
56. Rush order?
58. Theories
60. Metallica's first hit
61. Check
62. Schooner's cargo
63. Clarinetist Lewis

### Last Week's Answers

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62	U	R	G	E		63	U	T	I	L	E		64	E	R	G	O	
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### SUDOKU Medium

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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.

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## Wowzer Schnauzer

If you're wondering how I got the name **Lefty**, just look at my left side. Pay particular attention to the markings on my left ear, my left hip and the left side of my head. I'm one-of-a-kind with spots that highly resemble a parti-colored Schnauzer but are most likely a result of my being a mixed breed. I'm a two-year-old Schnauzer mix who likes to play and makes friends easily with other dogs. I consider myself very lucky because I was rescued from an overcrowded, remote shelter on the day I was to be euthanized. I'm a little 14-pound cutie who would love to meet you. Please come visit me at our adoptions and see how unique I am.

My name is **Justin**, and I sure would like to get a break. I'm only three years old and

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Justin



Lefty

currently looking for my fourth home. I ended up at a shelter after my first home and I was adopted. A year later, I was taken to an L.A. County shelter again and was rescued by MSFR. A really nice family adopted me last July, but my owner had some unexpected health issues and could no longer care for me, so here I am, looking for a new home again. If you're looking for a black purebred

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Kimmie

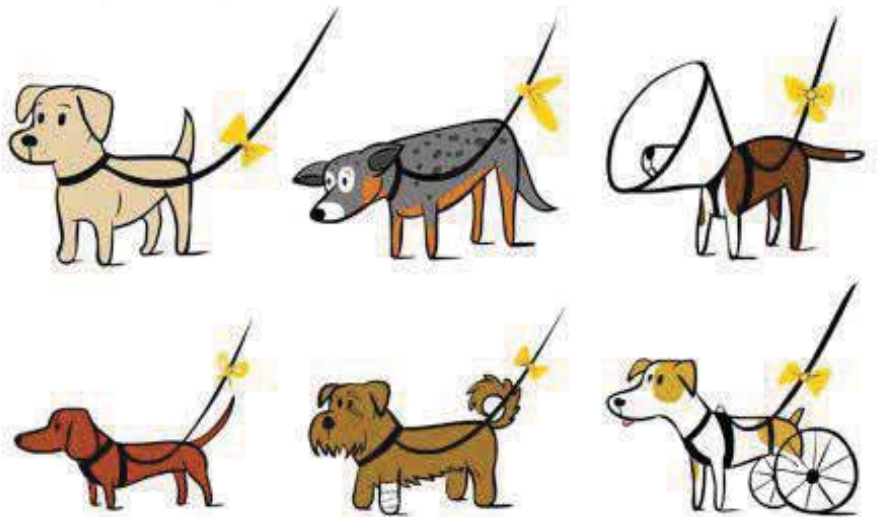
Hi, I'm **Biscotti**, and I think they gave me that name because I'm such a treat. I am a 10-year-old male Pomeranian mix with a whopping weight of 12.5 pounds! I was rescued from the Orange County Shelter and can be seen anytime at Yellow Brick Road Doggie Playcare in El Segundo. The people at Yellow Brick Road say I'm one of the nicest dogs they have come across in a long time. It's because I'm really friendly - even with strangers and get along great with other dogs, ride quietly in a car and walk perfectly on a leash. I'm the whole package! I have a perineal hernia, which will be surgically repaired next week and I'll be fine. I'll be available for adoption within a couple of weeks, and I would love to meet you. **Please contact the folks at Yellow Brick Road, (310) 606-5507.** •



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# Real Estate

## Home Security Tips to Keep the Holiday Season Merry and Bright

(BPT) - During the holidays, family and friends will be gathering to share stories, hand out gifts and enjoy time spent together. It is also a season with houses left empty and large piles of valuable gifts often sitting out in plain sight through the windows - making this time of year ideal for would-be burglars.

"Taking steps to protect your home during the holidays isn't radically different from what most people should be doing the rest of the year," says Thomas Leman, a retired 27-year police force veteran and criminal justice professor at Argosy University. Yet, according to the FBI, victims of burglaries suffered a loss of \$4.7 billion in 2012 alone. "The problem," says Leman, "is that most people get lured into a false sense of security and tend to let their guard down thinking that crime won't happen to them."

Just as the holidays seem to start with the change in your home decor, so should your view on safety. When it comes to holiday decorations, modesty is definitely the best policy, says Leman. "While you may love the look of a Christmas tree in your front window, expensive decorations on display can be a signal that there are valuables inside your home worth a criminal's time. Gifts under the tree are the most blatant of these displays and are a welcome invitation for thieves." Leaving gifts tucked away until the last possible minute is a quick and easy safety precaution.

Whether you are home or out and about, take care to close and lock all doors and windows and set alarms. "Given that most

people have extra valuables and gifts in their homes during this time, it's a good idea to practice home safety whether you're there or not," says Leman.

USAA, a leading provider of banking, insurance and investment services to the military community, advises customers to

install tapered inch-long deadbolt locks on exterior doors to make it harder for a wrench to twist the door open. Leman adds that a simple dowel placed in a sliding glass door or window can be an inexpensive way to secure those entrance points as well.

"Alarms or closed circuit video surveillance

systems are a great and inexpensive way to protect your home," says Leman.

A well-lit and well-groomed home not only shows well, but provides an important measure of safety. "The better the lighting in your home and yard, the fewer places there are for criminals to lurk," says Leman. USAA recommends homeowners use the "3 foot/6 foot rule," trimming branches to 6 feet off the ground and shrubs down to 3 feet to minimize hiding places for burglars.

While leaving the box for your new 55-inch flat screen on the curb will win you cool points with the neighborhood and the title of host of the next big football party, it could land you in trouble with potential burglars. "When it comes to big ticket items and valuables, boxes on the curb can be an advertisement for the new valuables in your home," cautions Leman. "Take the time to break down boxes and recycle them or put them on the curb over time and inconspicuously," he advises.

If you plan on traveling for the holidays, you need to plan ahead for home safety. Whether you opt to have a neighbor collect mail and newspapers or have your service stopped by calling the post office and your neighborhood delivery person, be sure neither piles up at home. "Set your lights and television on timers," suggests Leman, who also advises homeowners to have a neighbor park their car in your driveway intermittently to keep up the appearance someone is home.

While keeping your home safe may not top the list of your holiday to-dos, taking a few extra precautions can go a long way to make sure your season stays merry and bright. •



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