Woman bloodied in fall at sidewalk trouble spot

By MARY SCHLEY

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ANYONE WHO'S spent even a brief amount of time walking on Carmel's sidewalks knows they are often treacherous, with uneven surfaces in a wide range of materials, from asphalt and aggregate to tiles, pavers and bricks. But it's possible no one has witnessed more trips, stumbles and frightening falls than Kirkor Kocek, who's had his jewelry store on San Carlos south of Ocean for



PHOTOS/IABOVE) MARY SCHLEY, (RIGHT) KIRKOR KOCEK

After a woman tripped on uneven bricks Tuesday afternoon, requiring treatment from paramedics and help from police (right), the city painted the raised edges orange and barricaded it (above).

Cal Am desal hearing Nov. 17 in Salinas

By KELLY NIX

MEMBERS OF the California Coastal Commission will consider OKing California American Water's proposed desalination plant during the state agency's November meeting in Salinas, a spokesman for the agency said this week.

Earlier this month, commission staffers deemed Cal Am's application for the roughly \$350 million project complete, but the Peninsula utility still needs commissioners with the agency to approve the project itself. Coastal commission official Tom Luster told The Pine Cone this week that the panel is scheduled to hear Cal Am's proposal when it convenes at the Monterey County Board of Supervisors' chambers, 168 W. Alisal St. in Salinas.

"We're expecting the hearing will be on Nov. 17," Luster told The Pine Cone. "We should have more details and meeting procedures as we get closer to the date."

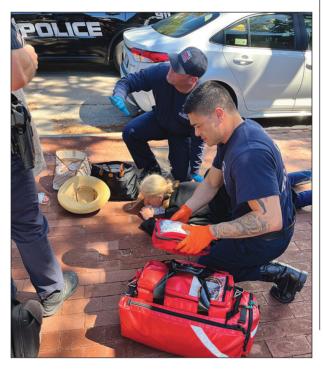
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nearly half a century.

On Tuesday around 1:45 p.m., Kocek said, a woman tripped on uneven bricks and landed face down and bloodied. Denis Boaro, who owns Basil restaurant next door, dialed 911, and an ambulance arrived a few minutes later to assist the woman, with police officers standing by.

"Tripping on the bricks is almost an everyday

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PacRep gets another \$1 million donation

■ Will help complete Golden Bough, build storage in Corral de Tierra

By CHRIS COUNTS

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m To}$ HELP PacRep Theatre complete a makeover of the Golden Bough Playhouse — and to start developing off-site storage and housing — Monterey philanthropist Darnell M. Whitt has given the theater company \$1

According to the theater group, \$500,000 will go toward completing an extensive renovation of the theater on Monte Verde between Eighth and Ninth. The balance, meanwhile, will "support the development of a 10-acre parcel on Corral de Tierra Road, purchased by PacRep earlier this year as a site for set, costumes and properties storage, and future artist housing." According to PacRep's founder and executive director Stephen Moorer, the land was bought in January.

Whitt, who has donated to numerous local charities and nonprofits, told The Pine Cone that the gift is a "tribute" to Moorer.

"I have an enormous amount of respect for Stephen," he said. "He has dedicated 40 years of his life to PacRep. To me, he is PacRep."

A member of the theater group's advisory council, Whitt is a past president of the Carmel Mozart Society, the Carmel Music Society and the Monterey History and Art Association, and a former vice president of the Monterey

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Tesla battery fire, toxic gases in Moss Landing

By KELLY NIX

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m A}$ FIRE at a PG&E battery storage facility in Moss Landing Tuesday morning prompted a shelter-in-place advisory for thousands of residents and forced the closure of part of Highway 1. Nobody at the plant was injured, but property damage is expected to exceed \$50,000, a PG&E spokesman said

The fire broke out about 1:30 a.m. at what the utility company calls the Elkhorn Battery Storage facility. With a capacity of 182.5 megawatts, the facility is made up of 256 Tesla Megapack battery units mounted outdoors on concrete slabs between the familiar Moss Landing smokestacks and Elkhorn Slough. While the fire was contained to one battery pack, Monterey County issued a shelter-inplace advisory because when a Tesla lithium-ion battery burns, it emits dangerous fumes.

"There is an ongoing hazardous materials incident in Moss Landing," Monterey County spokeswoman Maia Carroll told news reporters Tuesday at about 10:20 a.m.

"Nearby residents are advised to shut their windows and turn off their ventilation systems. In the event of changing weather patterns, impacted areas may change."

Traffic diverted

The county also closed scenic Highway 1 from Molera Road to Jensen Road, forcing traffic onto inland routes. The North County Fire Department, Monterey County Sheriff's Office and other emergency personnel responded to the scene to monitor the fire and try to keep it from spreading. Residents who live nearby were allowed to return to their homes if they showed identification.

By late afternoon, the battery had burned itself out, and the county was able to lift the shelter-in-place advisory and open up the roads.

"While the fire is considered fully controlled, smoke may still occur in the area for several days," Carroll said.

PG&E spokesman Jeff Smith told The Pine Cone that

"That civic activism led me to run for office," she said.

Sade's bar owner Parker Logan said he's a

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Candidates take stands on housing, cell towers and addresses at CRA forum

By MARY SCHLEY

FOUR CANDIDATES for seats on the Carmel City Council in the November election weighed in on house numbers, cell towers, design guidelines, housing and other issues during the Carmel Residents Association's 17th bi-annual forum Wednesday night.

Former U.S. Rep. Sam Farr moderated the discussion and noted at the outset that he was glad to see a panel that is "less elderly."

'I talk a lot'

In his opening statement, incumbent Jeff Baron talked about his accomplishments while in office, including helping to shepherd the city and residents through the pandemic, developing his monthly newsletter to keep residents informed, creating a neighbors-helping-neighbors group with former councilwoman Jan Reimers, and drafting climate change plans and documents that have been adopted by the council.

"I talk a lot on the dais, I try to be honest with my thoughts — which sometimes gets me into trouble — and I love the village," Baron concluded.

Challenger Alissandra Dramov said she's lived in town

for most of her life — 30 years full-time and 20 years parttime — and worked in television as a reporter and anchor "I want to preserve the Carmel that I love, and I want to before moving back here. She wrote four books on the make Carmel better, as Carmel deserves better." history and architecture of the village, and most recently became involved in the fight with Verizon over plans to install a cell tower on Carmelo south of Eighth.



Jeff Baron







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WHEN SHE met him at Animal Friends Rescue Project in Pacific Grove, folks were calling him Binks. But as she studied the 8-pound Yorkshire terrier-poodle mix - who had Ewok ears and looked at her as if he were saying, "I'm your little man" - she decided he needed a cooler version of his name. By the time they got home, Mr. Binx had become her best friend.

Although she adored her daughter's Great Dane, she'd really wanted her own little companion, someone small enough to snuggle with her as she got through her grieving process after the sudden loss of her husband.

"Every morning, I get my coffee and I sit down to watch the news," she said. "Mr. Binx waits for me to get the blanket just right, and then he snuggles in. He's so affectionate and loving."

He also loves the beach, trotting along the shoreline with his person close behind, just to be sure of her. The first time he went to Carmel Beach, he got confused and began following the wrong woman.

"I could see he was panicked as he chased this other woman," his person said. "I was running down the beach, trying to rescue him. It was comical — but not for him."



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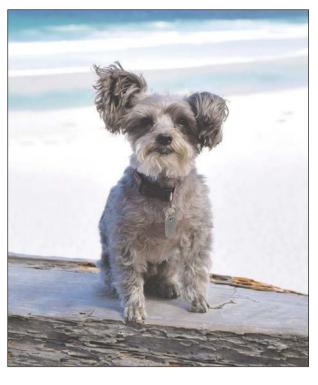
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By Lisa Crawford Watson



Mr. Binx, now 11, is much more in command of his 2-acre yard in Carmel Valley, where the Yorkie in him chases down rodents, lizards and an occasional bobcat. He also chases delivery trucks.

"Mr. Binx becomes friends with everyone, including the UPS driver," his person said. "Every time he comes up the driveway, Binx jumps into his truck and waits for his treat. If he doesn't stop at our house, Binx will run up the street to track down that treat."

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Caltrans: Boulders at Bixby aren't a traffic fix, will be gone soon

By CHRIS COUNTS

AT BIXBY Bridge in Big Sur—where hordes of visitors can bring traffic to a standstill in their quests for photos—eight large boulders were placed in the southbound turnout last week, leaving even less room than usual for motorists to park.

Locals naturally concluded that the boulders were placed there to reduce chronic congestion and traffic hazards at the site, where both are common. But in a surprising twist, Caltrans told The Pine Cone that the boulders are only being stored there until the state roads agency can find a better place to put them. Kevin Drabinski of Caltrans called the site a "temporary landing spot" for the boulders and said it's uncertain when the rocks will go away. "They're waiting to be removed," he reported.

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week, Caltrans did a "rock-scaling operation" at Hurricane Point, Drabinski added. The three-day effort closed Highway 1 for up to 20 minutes at a time.

"Crews rappelled down and removed

the loose stuff," he explained. "We removed about 100 cubic yards of material — the boulders came from that."

How bad a mess?

Keeping motorists and pedestrians safe at Bixby Bridge has proved to be quite a challenge for county and state officials. Motorists frequently back into traffic, which brings the flow to a standstill on a busy highway. Also, some motorists stop in the middle of the road and wait for a parking space to open up, causing gridlock in their lane and frustrating those who have to wait behind them.

Many motorists, meanwhile, park alongside the Old Coast Road and walk to the turnout, but they must cross busy Highway 1 to do so.

A resident with an interest in helping to solve the traffic troubles at Bixby Bridge, Marcus Foster of the group Keep Big Sur Wild spent four hours at the site over Labor Day weekend and counted 648 people crossing Highway 1 to get from where they

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Eight large boulders were recently placed in the turnout near Bixby Bridge, leading some to conclude that their arrival had something to do with fixing the parking troubles at the site.

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Police & Sheriff's Log

September 23, 2022

Even the wise can't cheat death

HERE'S A look at some of the significant calls logged by the Carmel-by-the-Sea Police Department and the Monterey County Sheriff's Office last week. This week's log was compiled by Mary Schley.

The Carmel Pine Cone

LABOR DAY

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Found \$105 in U.S. bills at San Carlos and Fifth. Five \$20 bills

Carmel Valley: An elderly female with dementia wandered away from her home on Carmel Valley Road and was returned.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Found North Carolina driver's license at the beach near 10th. Owner was contacted and picked it up from

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A dog owner called to report his dog had escaped. Later the dog was found by a visitor and brought to the station. The dog was then released to the owner.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of theft at Lincoln and Seventh.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Fall on city property on San Carlos north of Seventh.

Pacific Grove: At about 1640 hours, a traffic stop was conducted in the 200 block of 15th Street. The driver was subsequently cited for several outstanding warrants as well as fresh charges for possession of narcotics, no proof of insurance and driving on a suspended license.

Pacific Grove: Deceased owl found on Ocean View.

Carmel area: A student was cared for during a medical issue at Carmel High School.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a resident at Casanova and 12th forgetting to pay her utility bills and receiving a final shutoff notice for water and electricity. Adult Protective Services was contacted and a referral was completed with an APS worker.

Pacific Grove: Dog vs. dog at Sinex and

Pacific Grove: Towed vehicle from Piedmont Avenue for expired registration over six

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The gavel falls

Verdicts, pleas and sentencings announced by Monterey County District Attorney Jeannine Pacioni

Aug. 19 — Rayo Garcia Flores was found guilty by a jury of misdemeanor driving under the influence of alcohol and driving with a blood alcohol content of .08 percent or higher.

The jury found true the special allegations as to each count that Flores refused to complete a chemical test to determine the alcohol content of her blood and that she drove with a BAC of .15 percent or higher. The Department of Justice Freedom Lab Criminalist, Denise Cornejo, in Watsonville determined the alcohol content of her blood to be .195 percent at 4:46 a.m., three hours and five minutes after she was involved in a collision.

At approximately 1:45 a.m. on June 12. 2021, Flores drove her 2010 Lexus RX 350 into the median at the intersection of the southboand offramp of Highway 1 and Highway 68 (Holman Highway). She later admitted to driving her vehicle onto the median and trying to drive it off the median without success. Her vehicle sustained front end damage and the left front wheel was detached. Several citizens telephoned

911 to alert authorities to the possibility of injured parties. Flores was the sole occupant of the Lexus and reported that she was

An investigation by the CHP determined she was under the influence of alcohol at the time of the incident. A search warrant for the withdrawal and analysis of her blood was obtained.

This incident was investigated by Monterey CHP Officers Sean Turntine and Adrienne Araiza.

Aug. 19 — The Hon. Gilbert T. Brown held defendant Gustavo Morales to answer for the first-degree murder of Salinas police officer Jorge David Alvarado. Brown issued his holding order after hearing evidence at the preliminary hearing for the case. Brown also held Morales to answer for two special circumstances. First, Brown found probable cause to believe Morales murdered Alvarado while he was engaged in the performance of his duties. Second, Brown found probable

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MIDDLEBURY FACULTY MEMBER SUES MONTEREY COLLEGE FOR 'AGEISM'

By KELLY NIX

AN ARABIC studies professor who worked at Middlebury Institute of International Studies at Monterey for more than a decade has filed a lawsuit against the college alleging age discrimination and wrongful termination after school officials fired him several months ago.

In a Sept. 20 civil complaint, Mahmoud Abdalla, 62, Middlebury's former Arabic language studies head, contends that despite being a faculty member at the school since 2010 — and having worked at and run an affiliated Arabic summer school program for 26 years — Middlebury terminated him in June.

"Despite glowing recommendations by all parties and myriad commendations for his decades of service, Middlebury did not renew Prof. Abdalla's contract," according to his lawsuit, filed for him in Monterey County Superior Court by Lafayette attorney Hillary Benham-Baker.

While the Vermont-based college told Abdalla that its decision was "due to financial concerns," the professor "believes the decision was made based on his age," his lawsuit contends.

Abdalla said he was "invited to join" the faculty after Middlebury took over the Monterey Institute of International Studies.

A Middlebury faculty evaluation committee, he said, supported renewing his contract, "laying out his extraordinary contributions" to the college "in unambiguous terms," including Abdalla's "strong dedication to students," teaching record and scholarly contributions to the teaching of Arabic.

But on April 30, 2021, Middlebury's provost and executive vice president, Jeffrey Cason, told Abdalla that his contract would not be renewed "due to a need to reduce the number of faculty" members "for financial reasons," the suit says.

While six months later the Monterey college placed a "moratorium on financially based non-renewals of faculty appointments," the college's vice president and dean called the practice "arbitrary, unfair and inefficient in practice," according to Abdalla.

Abdalla alleges that the college did not follow its own guidelines regarding his termination, which he said calls for

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CUSD board creating districts to satisfy state voting laws

■ Moving from at-large to trustee-area elections by 2024

By MARY SCHLEY

ONE OF the biggest obstacles facing the Carmel Unified School District Board of Education as it decides how to move from at-large elections to trustee areas is apathy, board member Karl Pallastrini said at last week's meeting.

"I tried to talk to people downtown about this — they're not interested in it at all," he said, surmising that if students could vote, they would be paying more attention to the topic than adults are. "There's clearly a lack of community interest at a level which I have never seen with 11 years on the board."

District elections will help the school

board comply with the California Voting Rights Act of 2001, which states, "An at-large method of election may not be imposed or applied in a manner that impairs the ability of a protected class to elect candidates of its choice or its ability to influence the outcome of an election," and defines protected classes as "members of a race, color, or language minority

Not the only target

After the board passed a resolution earlier this year committing to eliminating at-large elections, the League of United Latin American Citizens sent a letter urging the district to move forward with the transition, and the board held its first public hearing in June. (LULAC also recently

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Local National Merit finalists named

ON SEPT. 14, the National Merit Scholarship Program released the names of more than 16,000 semifinalists for the program's scholarships. Five local students were among them, including Jia Hai Huang and Yan Ce Zack Sima of Stevenson School, Elena Oh of Santa Catalina, Joseph Smock of York School, and William Coen of Pacific Grove High School.

The high school students became semifinalists by being among those with the highest scores on the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test (PSAT) in California. According to a press release from the scholarship program, they represent less than one percent of U.S. high school students.

To become finalists, the students must complete an application documenting their participation in school and community activities, honors and awards, and other information, be endorsed by their school and continue to demonstrate academic aptitude. Winners will be announced next spring, and may receive a scholarship from the National Merit Scholarship Program or from one of thousands of college and corporate sponsors.

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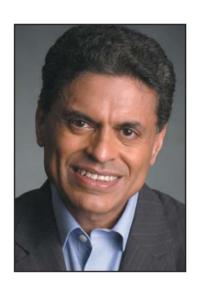
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Celebrating over 30 years on the Peninsula

Monterey 'street apparel' shop faces lawsuit over loan

By KELLY NIX

The Carmel Pine Cone

A NEVADA woman has filed a lawsuit against the operator of a Monterey clothing store claiming she loaned the man \$15,000 after he led her to believe that his business partner was the son of one of the world's most famous rappers and made "false statements" in order to get the money.

Marsha Edmands of Reno alleges in the Sept. 14 lawsuit that Broken Street Apparel operator Mark Huber in February asked her for a \$15,000 loan for the store at 415 Alvarado St., telling her among other things that sales were "going through the roof," and that "celebrity Snoop Dogg's family or son were current partners in Broken Street Apparel" — a statement she said was not true.

'Successful business'

"In order to induce Edmands to make a loan to Broken Street Apparel, Huber made false statements about his personal financial situation and the financial situation of Broken Street Apparel," according to the lawsuit, filed for Edmands by Los Gatos attorney Evan Livingstone.

Snoop Dogg, whose birth name is Calvin Cordozar Broadus Jr., is a rapper and actor whose debut album was released in 1993.

Snoop Dogg and his son are not named as defendants in Edmands' civil complaint.

Edmands said she believed Huber's representations about the success of the business because he showed her posts on social media that "portrayed Broken Street Apparel" as a "successful business venture and made other statements" that would lead a "reasonable person to believe" that the shop "was profitable and that Huber was solvent."

Edmands filed the suit after she said Huber failed to make his first payment and

each month thereafter. Huber, she contends, told her he needed the money to purchase inventory for the shop.

"Huber, knowing the money to be obtained by embezzlement, false pretense or trick, took possession of the money, concealed it, and withheld the money from Edmands," her suit alleges.

She also claims breach of contract and fraud and is seeking \$45,000 — three times the amount of the loan — and interest and late fees from Huber.

According to Broken Street Apparel's website, it is "committed to making organic streetwear and skategear that can be recognized anywhere."

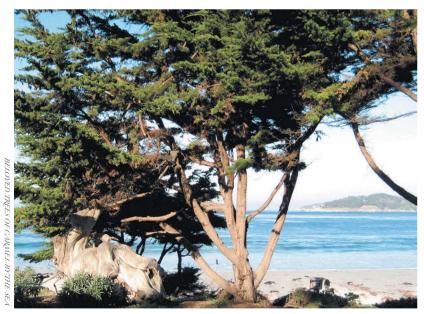
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POLICE ARE looking for a man on an e-bike who groped women while riding past them on two occasions. On Sept. 15 around 7 a.m., a woman was walking near Second and Camino Aguajito when the cyclist rode up behind her "and sexually battered her by grabbing her buttocks as he made an inappropriate comment and then fled," Monterey Police Lt. Jake Pinkas said. "The suspect was described as a white male adult with blue eyes, wearing a blue hooded sweatshirt, a blue facemask and blue jeans."

And on Sept. 20 around 6 a.m., the cyclist rode past a woman who was jogging on the rec trail and "sexually battered her by slapping her buttocks," he said.

Pinkas asked anyone with information, photos or video of the incidents to contact Sgt. Greg Galin at (831) 646-3872 or galin@monterey.org. To remain anonymous, call (831) 646-3840.

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Criticism of 'inclusion' chair mounts, Panetta calls for tolerance

By KELLY NIX

ANTI-CHRISTIAN comments posted on social media by the head of Pacific Grove's diversity, equity and inclusion task force last month are "under review" by city officials, according to the mayor, while Democratic Rep. Jimmy Panetta — who addressed the same panel just last week called for its members to be tolerant of all religions.

In August, Tina Rau, the chair of the DEI Task Force and a candidate for Pacific Grove City Council, reposted a statement on her Twitter account mocking Catholics and evangelical Christians. The comments sparked criticism by the Diocese of Monterey, several former city council members and others, who asked why Rau would ridicule religious groups, considering she leads the diversity and inclusion committee.

Mayor Bill Peake told The Pine Cone this week that Rau's comments are "under review." Asked if city attorney Brian Pierik is involved in the review, Peake said he was not at liberty to say.

'Tolerance expected'

In any event, criticism of Rau's comments mounted this week, with Panetta chiming in. The congressman, a Catholic, addressed the P.G. DEI Task Force last week to update members on what he and his congressional colleagues are doing to "further equity and diversity."

On Wednesday, however, Panetta said he expects "members of the Pacific Grove Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Task Force" to "exercise tolerance and acceptance for all genders, races and religions, and use empathy, common sense, and civility in their work, social media platforms, and service to our communities.

Panetta said he has the same expectations

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for his congressional colleagues.

During the public comment period at Wednesday's city council meeting, resident Terrence Zito called Rau a "bigot," and said her words about Christians were not "very inclusive." He recommended Rau be removed from the task force, and he chastised the council for creating it.

"Now you're a laughingstock," Zito told council members. "It was supposed to be woke but now you're a joke."

'Hateful' words

"Buy a Bible, don't read it, and you'll be a Catholic," according to Rau's Aug. 7 Twitter post. "Buy a Bible, read only what suits you and you will be an Evangelical."

City council candidate Mark Chakwin said he met Rau Tuesday during a candidates' forum at the city's community center and found her to be "friendly, helpful and very positive in all the contacts we had."

"However, it is wrong for anyone to mock the religion of others, period," Chakwin said — whether in a public forum or privately.

He went on to say the DEI Task Force's mission "is undermined when a member mocks or depreciates any religion," Chakwin said. "Those actions hurt the credibility of DEI Task Force. In this case, it makes it problematic for our community to endorse her as a model" to "promote inclusion and healing.

In a Monday letter to council members, a woman called Terri Kelley questioned whether Rau would be "terminated for her hateful speech toward Catholics."

"Ms. Rau should not represent the City of Pacific Grove in any capacity, much less the head of inclusion," Kelley said.

Rau told The Pine Cone last week that she made the comments after being upset

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Playing it safe, Seaside hires firm to assess integrity of pedestrian bridge

By CHRIS COUNTS

LIKE PRETTY much every bridge, the overpass for pedestrians that spans San Pablo Avenue in Seaside — and connects Lincoln-Cunningham Park with Manzanita-Stuart Park — has a limited life span. As a result, the city has temporarily closed the bridge, and at its Aug. 4 council meeting, approved spending about \$40,000 from its general fund to have it assessed by Whitson Engineers.

The investigation, which hasn't been done in decades, will determine if the bridge needs to be replaced or simply needs regular maintenance or repairs.

"The bridge was constructed in 1960 and may have exceeded its useful lifespan," according to a city report. "Staff have determined they need the assistance of a registered structural engineer with experience in bridge inspections to determine if periodic maintenance, immediate repairs, or total replacement of the bridge is

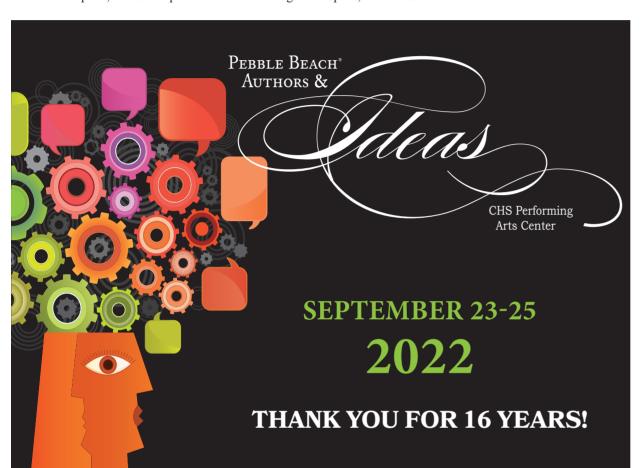
recommended."

The engineering firm will work with another, Quincy Engineering, to complete the task, which includes preparing a detailed inspection report, assessing the load rating of the bridge, and coming up with recommendations to address "existing deterioration before it becomes a liability to the city or a safety hazard to the traveling public."

The city's public works director, Nisha Patel, told The Pine Cone that if cars used the bridge, Caltrans would do the assessment, but because it's only used by pedestrians, the state transportation agency isn't involved.

"We want to have the bridge evaluated and confirm it's in good condition," Patel added. "It's been taped off out of precaution."

The bridge provides a critical link in a greenbelt that runs north from the Martin Luther King Jr. School of the Arts to Ord Terrace Elementary School and another green space, Havana Soliz Park.





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Newsom signs law to add protection for great whites

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

GOV. GAVIN Newsom this week signed into law an Assembly bill that provides new protections for great white sharks in California waters, the California Department of Fish and Wildlife announced Thursday afternoon.

Sponsored by Assemblyman Steve Bennett, the bill passed the California Legislature with overwhelming support before Newsom signed it Monday. The new restrictions aim to get ahead of activities that may lead to increased conflicts between white sharks and humans, and to give law enforcement more tools to protect white sharks from intentional efforts to catch or attract them, the fish and wildlife department said.

Iconic species

The new law also helps protect the public from interactions with white sharks that have been unintentionally hooked by fishermen by restricting when and where chum and shark bait can be used, while still allowing other legal fishing activities

to continue.

"Sharks are one of California's most iconic marine species, and it's our responsibility to ensure that their populations are sustained," Bennett said. "At the same time, public safety is of the utmost importance."

It is illegal to fish for or catch white sharks, which have been protected in California since Jan. 1, 1994. White sharks in California are also protected by federal regulations and must be immediately released if caught accidentally.

Fish and wildlife director Charlton Bonham said the bill represents a collaborative engagement among anglers, the scientific community, the legislature and his agency "to develop proactive, common sense approaches to further protect California's iconic white sharks, while also protecting ocean users and preserving recreational fishing opportunities."

The agency said fishermen should note the new rules regarding the taking of white sharks, which go into effect Jan. 1, 2023.

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This great white shark and his friends from the same species will be safer, thanks to Gov. Gavin Newsom, who this week signed a bill offering new protections for the predators.



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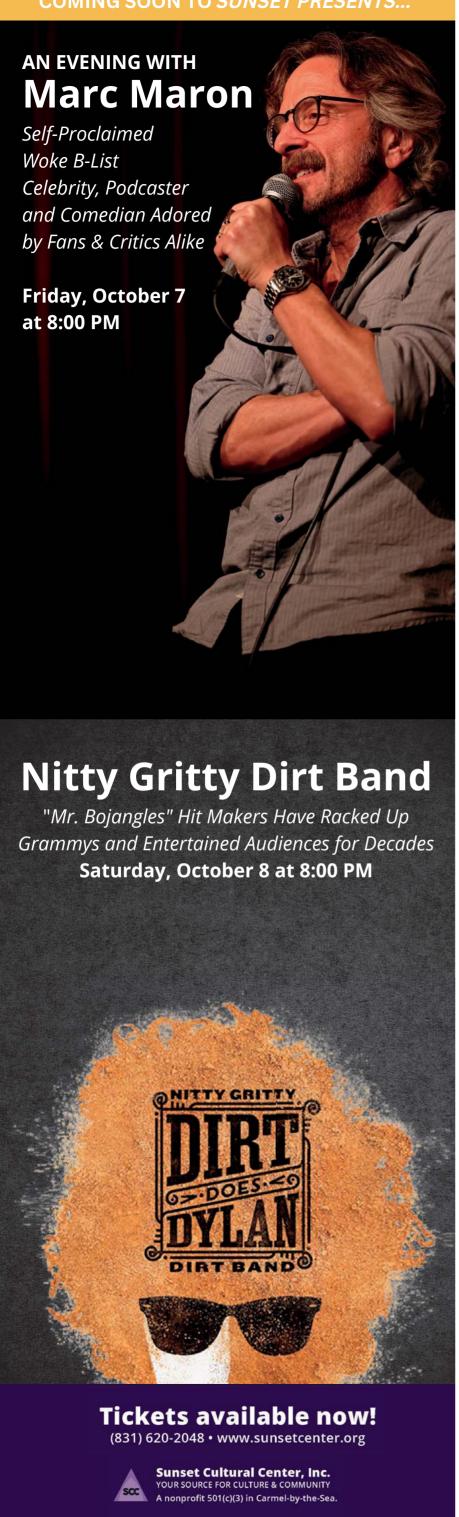
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City takes new approach at CPD with more pay for more work

By MARY SCHLEY

THE CITY'S police officers will get paid more to do more, and there will be fewer of them, according to a new labor contract approved by the city council last week that includes salary increases of 32 to 47 percent for officers and sergeants, among other compensation, while getting rid of some of the extra pay they used to get for taking on extra duties.

The higher salaries will help attract more job candidates and encourage those already working here to stay, city administrator Chip Rerig said at the Sept. 13 meeting, so Carmel can "remain competitive in a profession

that has been, dare I say it, somewhat maligned in the last few years."

"We were having trouble attracting and retaining police officers," especially with other cities offering five-digit signing bonuses to new hires, he added.

According to the new pay structure, salaries will be based on years of service. While they formerly had six "steps" of pay, they now have three.

Officers who've worked at the department for less than a year will see their annual salaries increase from \$82,056 to \$129,230,

retroactive to July 1, while sergeants serving less than a year will have their pay rise from \$97,261 to \$148,635, according to the contract and salary schedules.

Police Chief Alan Ward

Standby shifts

Those who've been working for more than a year but less than 10 will get \$136,032 if they're officers and \$156,458 if they're sergeants, and those with more than 10 years of service will receive annual pay of \$140,113 if they're officers and \$161,152 if they're sergeants. According to the old salary schedule, officers and sergeants maxed out at \$102,731 and \$121,784, respectively.

In addition, cops on the job will get more deferred compensation to the tune of \$10,000 in the first year, \$15,000

in the second and \$20,000 in the third.

The contract also states they'll be paid \$150 every time they work a 24-hour standby shift, when they must be relatively close by and can't drink alcohol in case they're suddenly called in to work.

Fewer people working

The agreement, which resulted from several negotiating sessions, offsets some of those new costs by eliminating three unfilled patrol spots and the corporal classification, which brings the maximum staffing to two sergeants and nine officers, along with a commander and a chief, the job Alan Ward assumed in June.

Earlier in the meeting, the council without discussion approved a new job description for police officers reflecting the increase in duties justifying higher pay. The

"heightened expectations" include "policing elements and specialized training in areas such as added mental health response skills, community policing/problem solving, field leadership responsibilities, detective-level capacity by patrol officers, special event coordination duties, and crime scene leadership," according to Rerig.

Further, the contract eliminates special pay for extra duties like working as the motor officer or field training officer, wellness reimbursements and other extra work, but retains it for higher education and bilingualism, since those "continue to add value in maintaining high service levels to the community and warrant continued special pay."

According to the agreement, "non-sworn" employees,

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"All blood types are needed, especially the most commonly transfused type O," he said.

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And since October is also Breast Cancer Awareness Month, he urged people to donate platelets, as well, since cancer patients undergoing surgery or chemotherapy may need blood or platelet transfusions.

Local blood drives are set for 1 to 5 p.m. Oct. 6 and 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Oct. 7 at the Hartnell Professional Center at 576 Hartnell St. in Monterey, Oct. 14 from 12:30 to 5:30 p.m. at Natividad Medical Center at 1441 Constitution Blvd. in Salinas, and Oct. 15 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Star Market, 1275 South Main St. in Salinas. For more information and to check eligibility, visit vitalant.org.

Big Sur retaining wall work continues

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

A TEMPORARY traffic light has been installed along Highway 1 just south of Post Ranch Inn to accommodate project to build a retaining wall and improve drainage.

The southbound lane will be closed for construction. Since late July, one-way traffic control had been provided through flagging operations. Motorists can expect delays of up to 10 minutes.

The work involves building a

soldier pile retaining wall, installing a guardrail, "enhancing" the drainage infrastructure, and landscaping.

Winter storms caused a slide at the site in early 2019. An emergency project "secured the hillside," and the K-rail was installed as a temporary

The project is expected to cost \$1.5 million. The contractor is FEC Future Contractors and Engineers Inc. of

This work is scheduled to be finished in February 2023.



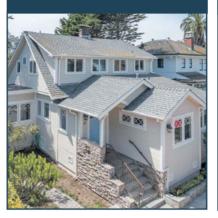




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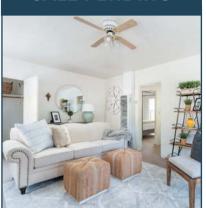
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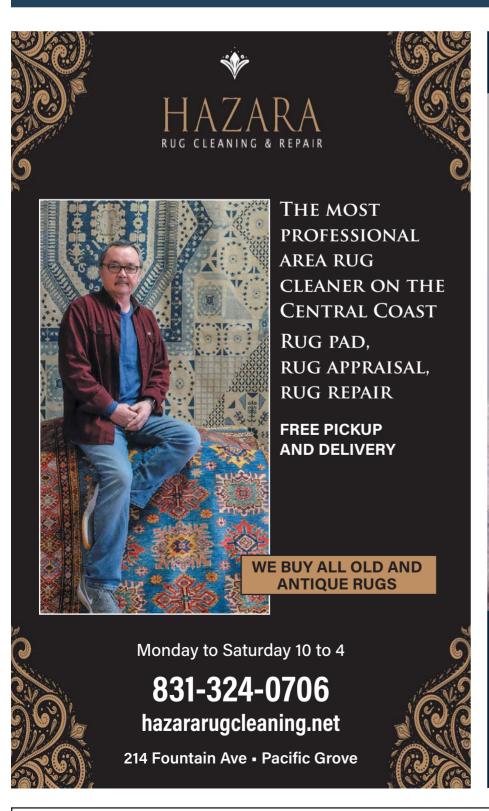
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Quick response stops C.V. fire

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

A CARMEL Valley wildfire — apparently caused by a black Honda that

caught fire after an accident
— broke out along Laureles Grade around 2 p.m.
Thursday.

A short time later, the road was temporarily closed in both directions, and fire-fighters arrived on scene.

By 2:30 p.m., the blaze had spread into brush and grass, and had burned about 2 acres.

A firefighting aircraft spread retardant in front of the fire's path, and soon, Cal Fire sent out word that its forward progress was stopped.

A photo showed a helicopter dropping water along the edge of a burned area, which is uphill from the road.



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Firefighters battle a smalll wildfire along Laureles Grade Thursday.





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PG&E and Tesla are conducting a joint investigation into the cause of the fire.

"Safety systems at the facility worked as designed when the issue was detected and automatically disconnected the battery storage facility from the electrical grid," Smith said.

The Elkhorn Battery Storage facility, he said, has "multiple safety systems and protocols" for fire prevention and mitigation, including thermal alarms within the battery packs and an early warning system with visible and audible alarms that inform and warn workers and first responders of a fire and to evacuate the area.

The fire did not cause any power outages, Smith said.

PG&E says its Moss Landing Tesla Megapack system, which went online last year, is one of the "world's largest utility-owned battery systems." It is one of two such facilities in Moss Landing. The other, owned by Vistra, also had an "overheating"

incident in September 2021 that "scorched batteries and melted wires," according to an industry publication.

The Moss Landing power plant, currently fueled with natural gas, burned oil when it began operating in 1950. The large smokestacks were added in 1964 and retired in 1995.



These rectangular blocks are Tesla batteries in Moss Landing that store electrical power. One of them caught fire this week, but crews let the fire burn itself out and nobody was injured.

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occurrence," Kocek said, estimating that just this year at least a dozen people have fallen and hurt themselves on the bricks, which have been pushed up out of the ground by the roots of a large pine.

"We have advised the city several times," he said, including sending photos of fall victims and the uneven ground, but with little to no response. Occasionally someone will come and check it, as was done three years ago, and on Wednesday, cones and orange paint marked the most dangerous spot.

The fix is relatively simple, if temporary, according to Kocek. The bricks need to be lifted out, the dirt underneath them removed, perhaps along with small bits of root, and the bricks then put back down. That suffices for five years or so, until the roots shove them up again.

According to Carmel Police Department records, officers have responded to falls on city property at least 32 times this year, with people going to the hospital on at least nine occasions.

The details don't specify whether the victims took their tumbles on sidewalks or other publicly owned land, such as the middle of the street. And it's impossible to know how many other people have fallen but didn't report the accidents to police

or seek medical assistance, even if they injured themselves.

"The city has people to check signs and windows and check for someone cutting a tree, but no one has time to make sure our sidewalks are safe for our people," Kocek said. "The city has been made aware of this area a multitude of times, and still nothing

Fix on the way

While the orange paint and cones alert pedestrians to the worst of the uplifted bricks, several others in the same area are tripping hazards, and Kocek predicted that, per usual, nothing would be done about any of them anytime soon.

On Thursday, public works director Bob Harary told The Pine Cone that the bricks will be repaired sometime in the next few weeks.

"We marked it out and placed delineators on them temporarily, and added this location to our list of sidewalk repairs," he

Harary said his department also "performs an annual sidewalk inspection survey and notes all areas for repairs.'

"Public works crews routinely make sidewalk repairs to the extent we can with the resources we have," he said. "In fact, we previously made brick sidewalk repairs in the same general area of this week's incident."

The city also contracts out larger repairs "as funding permits."



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Mr. Karl Pallastrini what do you know and when did you know it?

Below is a reprint from the Carmel Sandpiper, CHS newspaper

CMS Padres? The campus switch that almost was

Carmel High School students and graduates have witnessed numerous recent improvements to the campus, including renovations to the stadium, science wing and performing arts center; however, the vast majority are unaware of the historic decision that was made to improve upon the CHS campus in its current location, rather than move the high school down to the much larger middle school campus.

The property of Carmel Middle School, originally owned by William Hatton, was purchased in 1961 by the Carmel Unified School District, according to CMS teacher Anna Williams, a descendant of Hatton,. Before the opening of the then-grades 6-9 school, the property had been used as a dairy farm for the Hatton family.

"I believe it was 1961 when it was sold, and construction began later that year, resulting in a 1963 opening of the middle school," Williams says.

Originally, CMS was built with the intention of later becoming the high school campus. The January 1963 edition of the Carmel Pine Cone reads, "It is a school of the future both in orientation and use. According to plans, it will one day become a senior high school."

The Pine Cone notes that the objective was to have the high school located at the CMS property and have two junior high schools: one at the location of CHS and the other in the valley.

This option was explored based on CMS's expansive space, numerous sports fields, possibility of an additional gymnasium and ample parking, according to Board of Education member Karl Pallastrini, formerly a principal at both CMS and CHS. Pallastrini notes that because CMS was built at a time without neighborhoods nearby, heavily attended events and stadium lights would not have been an issue.

"During the final stages of construction, sentiment from the community and the School Board at the time changed, and the decision was made to keep CHS at its current and only location," Pallastrini says. "What happened then was a rare change of vision that you would never see happen

After construction, the notion was completely dropped for two decades until CUSD Board of Education noticed a significantly large surge in class sizes as the baby boomers enrolled in local elementary schools, according to former CHS teacher and graduate Jeffrey Wright.

"The Board of Education then gave serious consideration to moving the high school to the CMS campus because they had room to expand," Wright says.

This shift could have accommodated the increasing numbers of CUSD students.

While the possibility of expansion was more than likely at CMS, most teachers at CHS were against the move, fearing the loss of the "country club" beauty the high school has retained, Wright notes. Despite the abundance of space, there were other issues with the move, such as inadequate sporting facilities and a lack of natural light.

As it appears, the Board of Education accurately predicted the tsunami of students, as CHS classrooms were filled to the brim with teenagers, Wright

"I was teaching in Salinas then and the CHS campus was packed," Wright says. "Classrooms were scheduled every period of every day and jammed with as many desks at they could stuff into the rooms!"

After the baby boomers went through the district and eventually graduated, the number of CHS students gradually decreased and has begun to slowly climb again throughout the past few years.

This hypothetical switch has not been considered since; however, it is an interesting option considering the general desire of the CHS population to have lights on the sports fields and issues with parking.

-Annalise Krueger

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Museum of Art.

Moorer said he was thrilled to hear the news of the

"We are amazed, humbled and so very grateful for Darnell's wonderful generosity," Moorer told The Pine Cone. "In the theater, we talk a lot about timing, and Darnell couldn't have picked a better time. We've been reeling over price increases to the renovation, so this gift is the perfect kickoff to our final push to finish the phase II Golden Bough capital campaign."

The makeover includes completely redoing the inside of the theater. "The main auditorium is getting a complete demo, and we're rebuilding the seating in the shape of a bowl," Moorer explained. "We're addressing all our ADA issues, and we're getting a full heating, ventilation and airconditioning system. We're adding more bathrooms, and we're adding a second lobby.

\$6 million to finish

According to Moorer, \$1.7 million is still needed to complete the work because costs have gone up so much due to the pandemic. The project was expected to total \$3 million in 2018, but now it's anticipated to cost \$6 million

Moorer said he's optimistic about raising the money, and PacRep has applications out for more than \$400,000 in grants. "We have a lot of support, and we're talking to a lot of donors," he reported.

If all goes according to plan, the Golden Bough could reopen by late 2023.

As for the 10-acre parcel on Corral de Tierra Road, Moorer said PacRep bought it "earlier in the year through the kindness of a longtime donor" for \$525,000. Moorer said the plan is to create housing and storage. "It has interior roads and utilities," he reported.

Looking forward

For now, Moorer said the theater group is focused on creating a storage facility on the land. He said they need a place to put costumes, sets and props

"We're paying \$75,000 a year in storage costs," he noted. "We're renting 14,000 square feet in Castroville and another 5,000 square feet at the American Tin Cannery.'

Ultimately, Moorer wants to see housing on the site — short-term and long-term — for performers, directors, designers, administrative staff and others who bring PacRep's productions to life.

Moorer told the newspaper that Whitt's generosity makes it possible for the theater group to thrive in the future.

"We're looking at succession planning," he added. "All the remaining founders retire in the next decade, including me."

To honor Whitt, PacRep is renaming its School of Dramatic Arts as the Peppy Garner and Darnell Whitt School of Dramatic Arts

Moorer said the gift also solves "a growing storage and



Half of a \$1 million gift that PacRep just received will go toward the costs of a \$6 million project to renovate and add ADA upgrades to the Golden Bough Theater (above).

production problem that had almost reached a crisis point" by helping to finance the development of the Corral de Tierra Road property.

Eleven years ago, Whitt gave \$250,000 to the theater group to buy and install state-of-the-art double-revolving stages at the Golden Bough.



THE BIAKANJA CHILDREN Lucy Marie, Benjamin David and Leigh Annabelle

The Biakanja Children entered into God's hands Sunday, August 14, 2022.

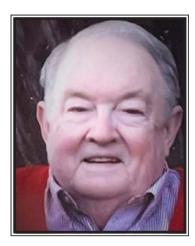
Leigh Annabelle and Lucy Marie, age 14, were born on August 5, 2008, and Benjamin David, age 12, was born on June 16, 2010, in Santa Clara, California. They are survived by their father, Steven, and their stepmother, Thuan.

All three children attended Carmel Middle School and previously enjoyed many years at Tularcitos Elementary School in Carmel Valley. Leigh, an honor roll student, was a member of the Sea Cadets, played piano and violin. She also enjoyed playing softball and loved art. Lucy was passionate about animals and played piano and flute. She enjoyed going to estate sales and vintage shopping on the weekends. Ben had a friendly disposition with a smile to match. He was a passionate collector of WWII memorabilia, was also a member of the Sea Cadets and learned to play the cello. All three loved the outdoors, camping, hiking and spending family vacations in Incline Village, Lake Tahoe. Leigh, Lucy and Ben were honorary Junior Firefighters at Fire Station 16 in San Jose.

It was always a joy when Leigh, Lucy and Ben were together with their 16 cousins at family gatherings and holidays. They will always be loved by their uncles, Krist, John (Christine) and Jim (Nini) Biakanja and their aunts, Katherine Saville (Terry), Mary Paolini (Mario), Susan Biakanja and Karen Greaves (Jeff, predeceased). They are together in heaven with their grandparents, Dr. Krist and Julia Biakanja, Uncle Mike B., and David. The children's loving and tender spirits will be missed by all.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the SPCA of Monterey County www.spcamc.org in the children's names. This is a special place, where Steve and the children loved to visit and play with the animals.

A Funeral Mass and Celebration of Life for the children will begin at noon on October I, 2022, at St. Lucy's Church, 2350 South Winchester Blvd., Campbell, California 95008. Steve and Thuan would like this to be a day of celebration for Leigh, Lucy and Ben. Family and friends please dress for a joyful occasion.



Richard Stuart Yant, Jr.

ichard Stuart Yant, Jr., often known as "Dick Yant" and Rovingly referred to as "Papa," passed away on July 25, 2022, in his Pebble Beach home of 45 years. He was 83 years young. Richard was born in Omaha, NE, on July 11, 1939, the oldest child of Richard and Jean Yant. He grew up in Omaha and Lincoln, and attended the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, where he took pride in being a Sigma Nu. It was there he met the love of his life, Marion "Emmie" Yant. He graduated in 1960 with a bachelor of science in accounting and became a Certified Public Accountant shortly thereafter.

Richard and Emmie moved to the Monterey Peninsula in 1978 after years spent in Kansas City, KS and Sioux Falls, SD. He established his own CPA practice in Pacific Grove, then later worked with his son, William, at Peninsula Payroll in Carmel. In 2000, Richard decided to "retire"; however, he continued to provide accounting services to select individuals and companies in the area. Known for his warmth, kindness, sense of humor, smarts and ability to chat, Richard loved to spend time with his family and was a diehard Nebraska Cornhusker and Kansas City Chiefs football fan. His other love was Lake Okoboji in Iowa. Memories of family gatherings, his boat, fishing, and all things lake life remained at the top of his favorites list.

A music and movie lover, he enjoyed his garden (when he could get things to grow), and became a "cat person," loving his 7-yearold tabby, Cali. Emmie and Richard had four children who all live locally. Richard and Emmie were blessed to celebrate 57 years of marriage before her passing on May 27, 2016. He is preceded in death by his parents; his sister, Mary Alice Yant; his beloved grandson, Richard Yant, IV, who passed away on May 9th, 2016; and his wonderful daughter-in-law, Tiffany Stauffer Yant, who passed away on January 9, 2019. Richard is survived by his sons Richard, III (Tiffany); William (Kimberly); daughters, Kathryn, and Allison; grandchildren Joseph, Ethan, and Savanna.

A celebration of Richard's life will be held on Saturday, September 24. Please contact a member of the family for more information. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the SPCA of Monterey County.

Sandcastles from past, present and future







At Saturday's 59th annual sandcastle contest at Carmel Beach, (left to right) fried chicken and lots of desserts earned the team of Jason and Marijane Johnson and crew and their version of Hawk Tower the "Best Bribe" award, while "Best Theme" went to Patrick Liddell for "Carmelvania." And "Classical Conversations of Salinas," a team of home-schooled children, won the "Best Kids" category for their piece, "Comstock thru Carmel's Story."

"COACH" JOHN ABLES

August 16, 1938 to September 14, 2022

John Hamilton Ables, the man who most people knew simply as "Coach," died peacefully at Westland House in Monterey on September 14, 2022, after a long battle with congestive heart failure, complicated by cancer. He was 84.

Coach was born on August 16, 1938, in Salinas as the fourth and final child of Otto Ables and Lena Mae Ables (née Hinkson). He had three older sisters: Wilma, Shirley and Winona. He was raised by his mother, Lena, and stepfather, Porter. During his early life, he worked in the lettuce fields to help support his family.

He graduated from Salinas High School in 1956 and then went to Fresno State. He also took classes at San Jose State College.

On February 14, 1960, Coach married his high school sweetheart, Lynda Hansen. They had two sons, Scott and Chad, and lived in Carmel before they got divorced in 1966. He moved to Pebble Beach with his second wife, Michelle Machette. He later married again, and his wife, Missy gave birth to his third son, Charles.

During his early working years in the 1960s, he was mentored by A.C. Bigham, the founder of the Cork N' Bottle liquor store chain. Coach eventually became the general manager of five of those stores, including the landmark store in Carmel on Ocean Avenue near Dolores.

He was a gifted athlete and a passionate tennis player, and in the early 1970s landed an additional job as tennis instructor at the Beach and Tennis Club in Pebble Beach. It was there where he met celebrities and industry executives, often serving as a doubles partner for many of them.

His rugged good looks also led to modeling assignments, culminating in a series of print ads in 1973 and 1974 for the Chevrolet car company in which he became "The Camaro Man."

His life in the 1960s and 1970s was the definition of "life in the fast lane," and that life finally caught up with him. His lifestyle was not healthy; the liquor business declined rapidly after the end of the "fair trade" price protection; and his stores went under, causing him to lose all his

His life reached a turning point when, on February 1, 1979, a friend helped him get an assistant coaching job at Robert Louis Stevenson School in Pebble Beach. Early one evening that winter, as he was walking to his car, a voice came out of the darkness and simply said, "Goodnight, Coach." After years of working hard and playing even harder, but having never been held in high esteem, the respect from that student, conveyed in the word "Coach," changed his life. He knew at that moment what he wanted to do for the rest of his life.

During the next decade, he first coached track, basketball and football at RLS and then later coached at Monterey High. He also coached youth sports. In addition to coaching, he managed the daily affairs of Doris Day's estate.

However, even though he had already coached for a decade, John Ables became "Coach" when he arrived at Carmel High School in 1990 as an assistant coach for track and cross country. After also assisting for several years in both the football and basketball programs, in 1993 he became head coach for both track and cross country and began to amass one of the most impressive coaching records in Monterey County history.



He coached both the boys' and girls' teams, and during his tenure those teams won an astounding 58 league championships. At one point, the girls track team won 136 straight Thursday meets, 16 consecutive MTAL titles and 105 straight dual meets. The boys' and girls' cross country teams each won three Central Coast Section titles. The crowning achievement came in 2003 when the boys' cross country team won the Division IV state championship.

When he arrived at Carmel High in 1990, there were only 20 athletes on the track team. Ten years later, that number had grown to 130 athletes in a school whose total enrollment was 800 students. This is all the more remarkable because it is often said of track and cross country, "My Sport Is Your Punishment." This massive increase in enrollment for a punishing sport was due to Coach.

Influencing the lives of his athletes away from the track gave him even greater pleasure than winning. He helped those whose lives were troubled by problems at home, or who got in trouble from poor lifestyle choices. His background and upbringing made him uniquely qualified to offer this help. More than a few athletes spent nights at Coach's apartment when there was no other place to go. He also gave what little money he had to athletes who could not afford shoes or other basic equipment.

Coach assembled a group of amazing, dedicated and very loyal coaches, most of whom stayed with him during his entire 23-year Carmel High career. His athletes were even more loyal and devoted. However, his relationship with parents and school administrators was often stormy. He was "old school" in every respect. He was unbending. He taught teamwork to his athletes and gave them life lessons in what that word meant, but often failed to apply his own lessons to his dealings with parents and administrators. By the end of 2012, those failings caused the school to not renew his coaching contract for the following year. After he left, so did many of his coaches, and both the track and cross country programs faltered for many years.

He is survived by his three sons, Scott, Chad, and Charles, and by hundreds of athletes whose lives he changed forever. A remembrance ceremony is being planned by former athletes. Details will be circulated via email and social media in the coming weeks.

Coach was grateful for the loving care he received from the staff at Sunrise of Monterey and then The Cottages of Carmel.

Coach leaves a legacy that will never be forgotten by the young men and women who ran for him. Those athletes will remember his many lessons, often summed up with his favorite phrase: "Strength and Honor." They will also understand this final line, something he created in order that everyone would get the same level of recognition for their achievements. So, in that spirit:

One clap for Coach Ables.

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fourth-generation resident who's running for council "because I think I can make a difference."

September 23, 2022

"I have the energy, time and voice of leadership," he said, and his platform is "the residents," who have lost confidence in their city leaders.

Gallery owner Ashley Stoddard talked about her involvement in the art world and her deep family roots. Married with three kids, Stoddard said she focuses on community projects and empowering youth through the arts. She was inspired to run for office by her experience as board chair of the Carmel Chamber of Commerce, especially during the pandemic, when she saw how people worked together and observed "the best in humankind."

"I believe each person in the community has an obligation to serve," she said. "I absolutely love working here and will not take it for granted."

Design guidelines and housing

With the state's "regional housing needs allocation" — the "minimum projection of additional housing units needed to accommodate projected household growth of all income levels" over a certain period of time — concluding the city needs to accommodate 349 new housing units by 2030, Stoddard noted that the town lacks enough water to accomplish that.



Carmela Lucia Vollmer March 16, 1942 - September 12, 2022

armela Lucia Vollmer passed away with grace and peace Monday, September 12, 2022, in Monterey, California.

Born and raised in Panama, Carmela served as the personal secretary to the Panamanian president, Marco A. Robles, from 1964-1968. She was decorated and honored for her outstanding services to the country. She moved to the United States shortly after and became a citizen. Well into her life, this was a great sense of pride for her. She met her husband, Ernest Vollmer Jr., shortly after and they raised their family on their beautiful ranch in San Luis Obispo, California.

Known for her generosity, passion, sense of humor, incredible cooking and joyful dancing, she was loved by many. Her life was tragically interrupted at 54 by a stroke. True to the importance of family, her daughters continued her care so that she would have the best quality of life.

She is survived by her loving daughters, Marguerite and Wanda Vollmer of Carmel. Additionally, Carmela is survived by Ruby Varcacia, Berta Hanhausen, Felipe Hanhausen, Rosi Hanhausen, Jose Luis Hanhausen, Cris Hanhausen, Alberto Hanhausen, Carmela Varcacia and her family.

Her daughters would like to express heartfelt thanks to her extended family, friends, doctors and caregivers over the years who loved her as one of their own. Special thanks to the team at Continuum Hospice for their care in her final days. Love and gratitude to Maria Williams for her devotion to Carmela.

Her legacy is the memories she left so many. Fly, Moppa, fly, and never stop the music. We love you Mommy - cheers to you and

In lieu of flowers, donations to the American Stroke Association are appreciated.

> A private ceremony will be held at a future date.

"I would utilize what we do have — we have many homes that are not occupied much of the year," that might be somehow used or expanded to accommodate workforce housing, she said.

Baron said he has no idea where that many new residences would go but that next year's update of the housing element and zoning code will contemplate that question. "We will all together come up with a way to do this," he said. "I don't know what the answer is." He also said he's confident the state will resolve the ongoing water shortage.

Dramov focused on converting more downtown office space into residences. "Carmel Plaza has been too large for our community," she added. "The whole top floor could be turned into residential, which would be a great way to get to some of those numbers and would be refreshing." She said the north lot at Sunset Center could also be developed.

Logan said the city lacks the land and other resources for that many new residences and should seek an exemption from the requirement.

Regarding ongoing efforts to revise the city's residential and commercial design guidelines, Logan said they should be updated to allow for new building materials but retain the "whimsical architecture" and avoid modern

"We can't go back and build Comstock cottages, but we can keep things whimsical and unique," he said.

"Carmel is eclectic — we have homes from all different decades starting from the beginning of time," Stoddard commented. "What I think is beautiful is we don't have cookie-cutter homes in this town. We need to embrace that we have the freedom to have very different looking homes that fit into our village and make it interesting and unique.'

Baron likened banning modern architecture to mandating that restaurants use only recipes developed before 1950. "Architecture moves forward," he said. "The thing that brings people to Carmel is not the individual houses, it's that they are part of the environment and are all different from one another. That is the thing that is enchanting in Carmel."

Dramov said the key is maintaining historic buildings and being aware of context when approving new homes. "The problem is when going through the process, people don't look at the surroundings and see if they fit in," she said. Dramov also supports the idea of reinstating the design review board to focus on applications for new homes and remodels.

Parking and house numbers

One of the city's perennial controversies is downtown parking, with many of the city's spaces occupied by workers, leaving visitors and residents with no place to put their cars while they shop or dine. Whether to charge for parking or has been hotly debated, discussed and tested for decades.

Dramov said she'd work with the chamber and business owners to get employees to stop occupying valuable spaces in the commercial district. "I would like that to be part of a comprehensive downtown plan," she said, adding that paid parking could also be reinstated in the north lot at Sunset Center.

"I am 100 percent against paid parking downtown," Logan said. "It's been tried before, it's failed before, and if you put it to a vote of the residents, I'm sure it would be shot down."

Stoddard suggested that if employees are the problem, the city could operate shuttles, and she said paid parking would allow people more time for shopping and dining than the current two-hour limit. Residents could get passes.

Baron said charges for parking downtown could be more expensive, and in surrounding areas less so, to encourage employees to park outside the central commercial area. Circling blocks in search of parking also releases more pollutants and puts pedestrians and others at greater risk of being hit.

Should houses have numbers? Stoddard said it's a "touchy subject" and that she'd support street addresses to make getting credit cards, loans, utilities and emergency services easier, but not home mail delivery.

"I would also like to advocate for better service at the post office," she said, including better hours.

Baron supports street addresses. "I spoke to two different households that were awakened by an ambulance that came to the wrong home," he said. "We have residents

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ROY DAVID LORENZ

October 25, 1927 – April 3, 2022 Monterey, CA

At the age of 17, Roy Lorenz obtained his parents' permission to enlist in the United States Navy during World War II. He wanted to serve, to volunteer, and to help make his community and his country a better, safer place. So began a long, meaningful life of volunteerism and a career in human relations that meshed well with his friendly, people-oriented disposition and desire to serve others.

Born to John and Regina Lorenz in Philadelphia, PA, Roy was the youngest of four siblings, an honors graduate of Northeast High School, Philadelphia, and the first member of his family to attend college. He received his bachelor's degree in 1951, using the GI Bill to pay for much of his education at The College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, VA. He later earned a master of science degree in personnel administration from George Washington University in Washington, D.C.

It was in the college choir at William and Mary that Roy met his duet-partner-for-life, Carol Gardner. Carol and Roy were married in Foundry Methodist Church in Washington, D.C. on June 28, 1952. Throughout their 59-year marriage, music filled their home and much of their spare time. They were founding members of I Cantori di Carmel and enjoyed singing with other local choral ensembles, including the Carmel Bach Festival Choir and the chancel choirs at Carmel Presbyterian Church, Church of the Wayfarer and First United Methodist Church, Pacific Grove.

Professionally, Roy spent most of his career in human relations with McCormick and Company, Inc., first in Baltimore, MD, then in its Schilling Division in Salinas, becoming manager of human relations in 1967. He closed out his professional career in personnel management with Nestlé Foods in Salinas.



Roy transitioned easily to retirement, pouring his calm demeanor and gregarious personality into 25 year of volunteering with the Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula (CHOMP) Auxiliary. During those cherished years, he accumulated over 27,000 hours serving in many roles, including president of the Auxiliary and sitting on the board of trustees.

Also active in civic affairs, Roy served on several governor's committees in Maryland, and was a vice president and a director of the Personnel Administration Association of Baltimore. Locally, he enjoyed membership in the Rotary Club of Salinas and a year-long term as a foreman on Monterey County's Civil Grand Jury.

Roy and Carol were deeply devoted to family and invested immeasurable love and care raising their two daughters in Carmel Valley. As empty nesters, they decided to move closer to the water and enjoyed many years living in Pacific Grove and Monterey. Roy was predeceased by his wife in 2011 and is survived by his daughters, Connie Lorenz Summers (Ken) and Debbie Lorenz McDevitt (Hugh); granddaughters, Kristie Summers Donavan (Keith) and Karina Summers Cruz (Adriel); three great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Roy had the heart of a volunteer, a contagious smile, an outgoing and affable personality. He captured the hearts of many in the Monterey Bay Area. If you knew him, sang with him, worked or volunteered alongside him, please join in a Celebration of Life Service at 2 p.m. Saturday, October 1, at the First United Methodist Church, Pacific Grove (the Butterfly Church). With a spirit of caring for one another, please wear a mask when inside the sanctuary.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making an offering of your time or money to Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula or the charitable organization of your choice.

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hunting around on the street trying to figure out where the ambulance is supposed to go. I think addresses are vital to public safety, and I think they're coming."

Dramov suggested inputting the locations of homes into Google so they can be more easily located and said she doesn't support home mail delivery, because the post office would be closed as a result.

Logan doubted having street addresses would ensure better emergency responses, since crews might not be able to read house numbers in the dark, anyway, and he doesn't support the concept.

Climate and cell towers

As the city works to draft new telecom ordinances and fights with Verizon in court over a cell tower, Baron said it's important "that all the interests are represented at the table," and said people who have poor cell service aren't being included in the ongoing conversation.

Dramov, an ardent supporter of the Stop Cell Towers in Carmel Neighborhoods group, wants to see strict ordinances to prevent cell towers from proliferating.

Logan said he doesn't have a landline. "Many of us probably don't," he said. "I have wonderful cell service." But he also speculated the wireless companies aren't trying to improve cell service, but to capture more of the

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The meeting is set to be from Nov. 16-18, and commissioners will hear other issues unrelated to the desal plant.

Cal Am spokesman Josh Stratton told The Pine Cone earlier this month that the utility, which serves about 40,000 Peninsula residents, was pleased the coastal commission officials had signed off on the application, and noted the years-long desal proposal process.

"As input and recommendations have been made by the public, coastal commission staff, and other stakeholders such as environmental protection groups and environmental justice groups, we have included that input into our project application," Stratton said.

The coastal commission's acceptance of the application comes 27 years after the Monterey Peninsula was ordered by the State Water Resources Control Board to develop a new water supply, and about two years after Cal Am applied for a permit for the desal component of its Monterey Peninsula Water Supply Project, which also includes the wastewater reclamation project dubbed Pure Water Monterey.

If approved, the desal plant will use slant wells in Marina to draw seawater from beneath the ocean floor and deliver it to a desal facility where it would be treated and piped to Cal Am's Peninsula residential and commercial customers.



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Stoddard said "some of us need faster internet service," and argued that poor quality interferes with the ability to conduct business and could impact people's safety during emergencies. But she also said adding cell towers "needs to be done responsibly, aesthetically and in the right places."

The city's new climate adaptation plan and climate action plan approved by the city council in August call for sweeping changes, including electrifying city buildings as much as possible, undergrounding power lines, pushing "energy renovations" in residential and commercial buildings and energy efficiency in new construction, developing a bicycle master plan, updating the city's fleet and pushing people to drive electric vehicles.

But Dramov said she's concerned things are moving too quickly, especially since the state's power grid can't meet current demand.

"It will also increase the costs of building homes," she said. "The intentions are good, but we're really not ready to push for some of this."

Logan agreed. "The climate action plan is getting way ahead of county and state guidelines," he said.

"I would rather be in front of it than behind it," Stoddard said, to protect the area and its natural resources so the generations that follow can enjoy and appreciate them.

"I appreciate the work that's been done, and I say, 'Let's go,'" she said.

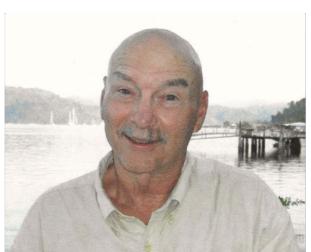
Baron, who helped develop the climate action plan with outgoing councilwoman Carrie Theis, said he "obviously" agrees with Stoddard and that the city needs a project manager to oversee the plan's implementation.

"Climate change is the issue of our generation," he said. "Obviously, we're going to do our part, or we're not."

The candidates outlined some of their long-term visions



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PEYTON BRYAN

1939-2022 A Rock has Rolled

On Monday, August 8, 2022, Peyton moved on from this earth to join his beloved wife and love of his life, Pauline.

Peyton was a deep thinker, a voracious reader, an artisan and off-grid epicure, a loving, patient father and a stubborn yet devoted husband. A quiet exemplar of strength, stability and support, he was always ready to lend an ear and share a few wise words or a joke. Peyton was a treasured constant in our lives and will be dearly missed by family and friends alike.

A celebration of Peyton's life will be held on October 8th. Invitation with details to follow.

In lieu of store-bought flowers, please make a taxdeductible donation to the Jamesburg School donation box or PO Box 1464 Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924. Home-grown flowers are always welcome. for the city. Logan said he is "adamant about keeping the quaint essential charm that Carmel has delivered for so many decades," while Stoddard said she aims to "teach the children how to love this place that we love."

Baron said the town needs more full-time residents to fuel a vibrant social scene that has been disappearing, and Dramov said she wants to preserve the town's traditions and heritage, beautify the village and better use cityowned buildings.

Lightning round

Candidates were also given an opportunity to give thumbs up or thumbs down to several questions.

All agreed the city council, boards and commissions should be better informed of each other's efforts and aligned.

On the subject of banning beach fires and allowing only propane, Dramov was the only candidate who said she wanted wood fires to end.

Baron was the only one to support an "empty home tax," which some other cities are considering.

Everyone, of course, liked the idea of spending more money and time on making the village prettier.



Brigette M. Kuhnert Urquides

Prigette M. Kuhnert Urquides (née Wolf), age 87, a longtime resident of Carmel Valley, California passed away at home surrounded by family on September 10, 2022, after a brief illness. Brigette was born in Fulda, Germany on February 1, 1935, to Maria and Gerhard Wolf. She lived as a child during WWII surviving many hardships. Brigette moved to the United States in 1954 at the age of 19. The war made a significant impact on her values of life and family.

She was married to Raymond, her husband of 49 years, who passed in 2011. She is survived by her children, all of whom represented a great source of pride for their diverse and numerous accomplishments. Brigette's grandchildren gave her much joy in her later years. She is also survived by a brother and sister who live in Texas.

Brigette worked as a loving geriatric caregiver for five decades on the Monterey Peninsula assisting numerous families. Brigette was also well known for her sense of fashion and flair, always up to date combining her classic style with modern trends.

Brigette lived a faith-filled life, honoring her relationship with God. She gained peace being a friend and benefactor to the Carmelite sisters residing at the Carmelite Monastery. She enjoyed spending time on the grounds of the monastery praying while viewing the natural beauty of Carmel.

At her request, Memorial Mass will be celebrated at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, October 29, 2022, at St Joseph's Church, 1 Railroad Avenue, Spreckels, CA 93962.

Refreshments to follow the Memorial Mass.

In lieu of flowers, a donation may be made to the Carmelite Monastery 27601 Highway 1, Carmel, CA 93923.

Funeral arrangements by
Struve and Laporte Funeral Home.
Online condolences to
www.struveandlaporte.com

Funds for Monterey Airport safety lauded by GM

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

CONGRESSMAN JIMMY Panetta announced this week that the Monterey Regional Airport would get a \$9.5 million federal safety grant from the Federal Aviation Administration.

The taxpayer grant for the airport improvement program will be used to pay for the design, engineering, construction and construction management of the newly relocated aircraft rescue and firefighting facility at the Monterey airport, Panetta said.

The airport's aircraft rescue and firefighting services are provided by Monterey Fire.

"This investment in the Monterey Regional Airport demonstrates the federal government's support for our local transportation infrastructure and the people it serves throughout the region," he said. "The relocation of this facility will pay dividends for years to come, protecting the lives and livelihoods of our people here on the Central

Monterey Regional Airport general manager Michael LaPier thanked Panetta and his staff for helping secure the funds, which amount to \$9,483,367.

"The grant allows us to take the next step in our effort toward completing the safety enhancement program," LaPier said.

The Pine Cone has been a member of the Carmel Chamber of Commerce for more than 100 years.

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BOULDERS

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parked their cars on the Old Coast Road to the spot where they typically photograph the bridge.

Keep Big Sur Wild is working with another group, the Community Association of Big Sur, to chronicle the impact of increased visitation to Big Sur in recent years, with the latter leading the effort.

"It's important to show county officials what is happening here — when you have 20 parking spots and 200 cars trying to stop there, it leads to a public nuisance and safety issue," Foster said.

It's better than nothing

Like many others, Foster assumed the boulders were placed alongside the road to help with parking.

"It's kind of a good idea," he added. "They're trying to stop double parking — all day long people double park there. Without the boulders, there is just enough room for people to pull in behind parked cars. It causes a big backup on the highway. I worry that it's just going to move more cars over to the Old Coast Road, but I praise [Caltrans] for trying to figure out solutions, however small.'

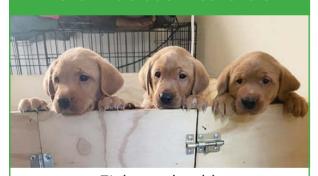
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cause to believe that Morales murdered officer Alvarado to avoid a lawful arrest. Brown also held Morales to answer for shooting at an occupied motor vehicle, assault on a peace officer with a semiautomatic firearm, possessing a firearm as a prohibited person, and carrying a loaded firearm that was not registered to him in his vehicle. Morales was also held to answer for several enhancements for personally using a firearm.

Morales murdered officer Alvarado on Feb. 25 at approximately 10:45 p.m. when Alvarado initiated a traffic stop on East Market Street in Salinas. Morales initially complied with the traffic stop and pulled over in his vehicle on Griffin Street. Almost immediately after pulling over, Morales exited his vehicle carrying a firearm. He rapidly approached Alvarado, who was alone in his patrol car, and fired a barrage of rounds at Alvarado, who was able to return fire during the shooting, injuring the web of Morales's left hand, before dying.

Gustavo Morales will be arraigned on Oct. 27 at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. 5 of the Monterey Coumty Superior Court.

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Pearson is currently the pianist for the Count Basie Orchestra and can be heard on their latest Grammy nomi-nated release the "Count Basie Orchestra, Live at Birdland." He is chair of the department of music at Alameda College

For years Pearson was the musical Director for the world renowned "Bovs Choir of Harlem," and he served as principal keyboardist and arranger for Grammy award winning singer/songwriter Regina Belle.

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Thursday 22 September, 7-10 PM

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Saturday 24 September, 9:30 PM - 1:45 AM

Andrew Speight - sax great - recording artist - from

"Stanford's Bird with Strings"

Matthew Clark - piano - 1st call California studio musician Tomoko Funaki - bass - veteran of symphonies and jazz bands David Morwood - drums

Friday 23 September, 9:30 PM - 1:45 AM

Scotty Wright - vocal star - international recording artist Glen Pearson - piano

Doug Miller - bass great - from the Basie and Ellington

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John Nava - conguero muy caliente! David Morwood - drums

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"Excerpt from the Monterey County Weekly about the David Morwood all-star band after last year's 2021 Hyatt jam session:" The 64th annual Monterey Jazz Festival confirms: Jazz is in good hands.

"However, my highlight from the weekend came in a scene outside the festival grounds. I've long heard the bar at Monterey's Hyatt Regency is the hub of the festival's after hours. Although a little tired after two days of the festival, I resolved to stop by for "one drink" on Saturday night. Arriving at 10 pm, the entire ground floor of the hotel was teeming with familiar festival faces, from the au-dience and stage alike. The David Morwood All-Star Band was playing standard after standard, and the crowd's energy was hurtling toward crescendo. It was impossible to leave. One drink turned into a few."

"As the clock approached midnight, Morwood's band eased into another song when Wilkins snatched the mic and began to scat along with the band. After a few bars, an energetic Daryl Johns stepped in and showed off his vocal range before handing it off to the Immanuel Wilkins Quartet drummer, Kweku Sumbry, to finish it off. Oh and I should mention, all this happened while George Benson looked on from the bar. "

Christopher Neely, staff writer, chris@mcweekly.com - Pam Marino, staff writer, pam@mcweekly.com









Trio of painters explores the west with color and emotion

THREE PAINTERS with a special affection for the American West display their latest work in show opening Friday at Gallery Mar Carmel.

Titled "New West Perspectives," the exhibit showcases the talents of Annie Hooker, Jeffrey Pugh and Matt Sievers.

Hooker offers a fresh perspective on bison, cowboys and horses by infusing them with wild colors. "It's pop art meets outsider art meets western illustration,' gallery owner Thomas Cushman said.

Pugh exclusively employs a palette knife — and not a brush — to capture landscapes. He often emphasizes "colors and shapes and values" over details like "dirt and trees and sky."

Sievers uses vibrant color and dramatic

light to infuse his paintings with emotion.

Located on Dolores between Ocean and Seventh, the gallery will be the site of a reception Friday at 5 p.m. For more details, call (831) 624-2000.

■ Museum welcomes 'In My Life'

New at the Monterey Museum of Art is "In My Life," an exhibit that celebrates the photography of Chris Johnson.

Johnson first came across Wynn Bullock's images in a San Francisco bookshop in 1971. At the time, he was pursuing a career as a folk singer. The discovery helped to convince the young man to alter his path and take up photography. A short time later, he met Bullock

at one of Ansel Adams' photography workshops at Yosemite National Park — and he would later be mentored by both Bullock and Adams. He said Bullock became "one of the earliest and deepest influences" on his creativity.

Today, more than a half century after that fateful bookshop visit, Johnson is a professor of photography at the California College of the Arts in Oakland, and his images can be found at the Smithsonian



'Square Dance" by painter Jeffery Pugh is included in a show opening Friday at Gallery Mar Carmel.

The show continues through Dec. 11. The museum is located at 559 Pacific St. montereyart.org

■ Dreaming of creativity

On display at the Pacific Grove Art Center is painter Melissa Ulrich's "Forgotten Stories" show, which can be found along the walls that connect the art center's three main galleries.

> Also a poet, composer and world traveler, Ulrich often finds creative inspiration when her head is resting on a pillow. "I am inspired by dreams — the images I see in my sleep, and the

wispy, forgotten stories that are a part of us all," she explained. "Using color to feel at the edges of that story, or place, or emotion is my ultimate bliss. I also write poems and

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By CHRIS COUNTS

Art Roundup

Institution, the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art and in many other collections.

According to the museum, Johnson's images stand as "a testament to a fearless career of experimentation and an unrelenting hunger for creative growth."

NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20221890
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MONTELONGO GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, 25 Myrtle Ct., Salinas, CA 93905.
Registered Owner(s):
SEKGIO MIGUEL MONTELONGO RUBIO, 25 Myrtle Ct., Salinas, CA 93905.
This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 1, 2022.

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S/Sergio Miguel Montelongo Rubio Date signed: Sept. 13, 2022.

This statement was filled with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 13, 2022.

NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision

Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 13, 2022.
Clerk of Monterey County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictifious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 1441) et seq., Business and Professions Code).
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File No. 20221831
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Carmel, CA 93923.
Registered Owner(s):
SUNDAY SPENCER, 3622 Eastfield Rd.,
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2022.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2022|844
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MOSAIC STUDENT HOUSING, 225 Cypress, Marina, CA 93933.

Mailing address: 4554 Caterpillar Rd., Suite C, Redding, CA 96003.

Registered Owner(s): ROBERT JAMES BERG, 4554 Caterpillar Rd., Suite C, Redding, CA 96003. This business is conducted by a limited

This business is conducted by a limited partnership. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 1, 2022. BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). S/Robert J. Berg Date signed: Sept. 7, 2022. This statement was filled with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 7, 2022. NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision

Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 7, 2022.

NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Ficitifious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictifitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictificous Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 1441) et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20221871
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING,
The following person(s) Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING
The following person(s) is (are) doing
business as: CARMEL RIVER DENTISTRY,
26365 Carmel Rancho Blvd., Ste. E,
Carmel, CA 93923.
Mailing address: 6988 Lebanon Rd.,
Ste. 102, Frisco, TX 75034.
County of Principal Place of Business:
MONTEREY.
Name of Corporation or LLC as shown in
the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.:
JERIT DAVIS, DDS DENTAL CORPORATION, 26365 Carmel Rancho Blvd., Ste E,
Carmel, CA 93923.
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA
This business is conducted by a corporation.

This business is conducted by a corporation.
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, October 4, 2022 at 4:30 p.m. or later, the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea will conduct a **Public Hearing** at East side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues, Carmel-by-the-Sea, California in the Council Chambers.

Subject of Public Hearing: The purpose of the hearing is to hear a first reading of an Ordinance: AMENDING SECTION 2.52.630 REGARDING ELIGIBILITY FOR NEW HIRES TO USE ACCRUED VACATION LEAVE IN THE FIRST YEAR OF EMPLOYMENT.

Public Participation: This meeting is via teleconference and in-person at city hall. Governor Newsom's Executive Order N-29-20 has allowed local legislative bodies to hold public meetings via teleconference and to make public meetings accessible telephon-ically or otherwise electronically to all members of the public seek-ing to observe and to address the local legislative body. To that end, this meeting will be held via teleconference and in-person in the City Council Chambers at City Hall located on Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenue. To participate via site between Ocean and sevenin Avenue. To participate via teleconference click the following link to attend via Zoom (or copy and paste link in your browser): https://ci-carmel-ca-us.zoom.us/j/81367162379 Meeting ID: 813 6716 2379 Passcode: 924438 Dial in: (253) 215-8782. To participate in this meeting in-person in the City Council Chambers, the public must show proof of prescipation line displaying the person and provided in the city council Chambers, and provided the council and the council and the council and the city council chambers, and provided the council and the city council chambers, and the city council chambers are considered. of vaccination (including virus booster) and wear a face covering at all times. Seating will be limited and available on a first come first served basis.

Persons interested in the proposal are encouraged to review additional materials available at the Administrative Services Department located at City Hall on Monte Verde Street between Ocean and 7th Avenues, phone number 831-620-2000, prior to the meeting date.

If you challenge the nature of the proposed action in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the city council at, or prior to, the public hearing.

Proposed Action: Waive reading in full and introduce first reading of an Ordinance Amending Section 2.52.630 Regarding Eligibility for New Hires to use Accrued Vacation Leave in the First Year of Employment.

Signed: Nova Romero, MMC City Clerk

09/19/2022 09/23/2022 Dated: For Publication:

Sept 23, 2022

The health and well-being of our residents are the top priority for the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea. To that end, this meeting will be held via teleconference and web-streamed on the City's at http://www.ci.carmel.ca.us and found by clicking on "Government" and then "Meetings." The City Council meeting will be broadcast live on the City's website at https://carmel.novusagenda.com/agendapublic/meetingsresponsive.aspx and the City's YouTube Channel at https://www.youtube.com/c/CityofCarmelbytheSea and archived there after the meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, October 4, 2022, on or after 4:30 p.m., the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea will hold a Public Hearing via teleconference and in-person.

To attend via Zoom, copy and paste this link into your browser:
https://ci-carmel-ca-us.zoom.us/j/81367162379
Meeting ID: 813 6716 2379 Passcode: 924438 Dial in: +1 253 215 8782

To participate in this meeting in-person in the City Council Chambers, the public must show proof of vaccination (including virus booster) and wear a face covering at all times. Seating will be limited and available on a first come first served basis.

Government Code section 54953(e) authorizes local legislative bodies to hold

public meetings via teleconference and to make public meetings accessible telephonically or otherwise electronically to all members of the public seeking to observe and address the local legislative body. Also, see the Order by the Monterey County Public Health Officer issued March 17, 2020. To that end, this meeting will be held via teleconference and in-person at City Hall located on Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues.

All interested persons are invited to attend in person or via teleconference at the firme and place specified above to give oral or written testimony concerning this matter. Written comments may be submitted to the City Clerk at City Hall located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues, Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, 93921 or P.O. Box CC, Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, 93921 or by email cityclerk@ci.carmel.ca.us prior to the meeting. With respect to written comments, please submit them at least 2 hours before the meeting in order to ensure they are provided to the legislative body and made part of the record. Comments received after that time and up to the end of the public hearing will be saved as part of the record but may not be provided to the legislative body prior to or during the public hearing.

The staff report and relevant documents will be available at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting on the City's website at http://www.ci.carmel.ca.us. For more information regarding City Council meetings, please contact the City Clerk's office at 831-620-2016 or by email: cityclerk@ci.carmel.ca.us

MA 22-214 (Ludwick)

Christopher & Adrienne Ludwick Trust,
Owner
Southeast Corner of San Antonio
Avenue and 4th Avenue
Block HH, Lot 28
APN 010-253-018
Consideration of A Mills Act Contract Consideration of a Mills Act Contract application, MA 22-214 (Ludwick), for the historic "Frederick Ten Winkel House" located at the southeast corner of San Antonio Avenue and 4th Avenue in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) District.

MA 22-204 (Prentiss) Amanda Prentiss and Matthew Mer-mer, Owners Vizcaino Avenue 12 southwest of

Mountain View Avenue Block 102, Lots 12, 13 & 14 APN 010-055-021

Consideration of a Mills Act Contract application, MA 22-204 (Prentiss), for the historic "Marion Daniels Shand House" located on Vizcaino Avenue 12 southwest of Mountain View Avenue in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) District.

MA 22-254 (Strom & Miller) Gavin Miller and Nancy Strom Owners

Monte Verde Street 2 northeast of 9th Avenue Block 94, Lot 18 APN 010-193-010 Consideration of a Mills Act Contract application, MA 22-254 (Strom & Miller), for the historic "Enoch A. Lewis House" located on Monte Verde Street 2 northeast of 9th Avenue in the Sin-

gle-Family Residential (R-1) District.

City of Carmel-by-the-Sea Brandon Swanson, Community Planning & Building Director

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including dispatchers and parking enforcement officers, will get a 5 percent salary increase retroactive to July 1, followed by 3 percent raises effective July 1, 2023, and July 1, 2024.

To pay for the bigger salaries, the council will have to approve a budget adjustment at midvear.

The contract is set to end in mid-2025, and the city will conduct a full operational review after two years to see how well the new arrangements are working.

"This is a relatively unorthodox approach" that's being tested, Rerig said. "This is a program we'll do our noble best to make work.

No one from the public commented on the proposed Carmel P.D. contract or either of the other two updated labor agreements with the general employees and management-level employees council members were considering.

"This has been a very, very collaborative process, which is not normally the way labor negotiations go," said Mayor Dave Potter, who had encouraged everyone at the negotiating table to think in terms of common goals, such as fiscal health and retention, while hammering out the deals. "It's almost always about the money, and this time we were able to sit down and figure out common interests that we could come to agreement on, first. That made a big difference, and it's a very refreshing

The council unanimously approved all three contracts.

SHARKS From page 12A

The rules, found in the California Fish and Game Code prohibit the use of shark bait, shark lures or shark chum to attract a white shark. Anglers also may not place those items into the water within 1 nautical mile of any shoreline, pier or jetty, when a white shark is visible or known to be

CDFW said it's continuing to "work with partners" to proactively address the potential for fishing activities to lead to white shark interactions.

"We have seen increased use of

California beaches as nursery habitat for juvenile white sharks," according to Dr. Chris Lowe, a professor in marine biology and director of the Shark Lab at California State University, Long Beach. "This bill will help reduce fishery interactions with white sharks, helping the protected sharks and ocean users by reducing the risk of hooking these sharks at public beaches and ocean piers where people are swimming, surfing and diving."

For more information about white sharks, go to the CDFW's shark information page at wildlife.ca.gov/Conservation/ Marine/White-Shark. The site includes answers to frequently asked questions and shark incident information going back to

AGEISM From page 5A

"alternative ways to employ affected faculty members within Middlebury.'

"On information and belief, MIIS did not seek alternative ways to employ Abdalla at Middlebury," his complaint

Abdalla, who said he's suffered "emotional and physical harm" due to the college's decision to fire him, alleges age discrimination and wrongful termination, and he seeks an undisclosed amount in damages, including punitive damages, exceeding \$25,000.

A Middlebury spokeswoman told The Pine Cone Thursday that the college does not comment on pending litigation and

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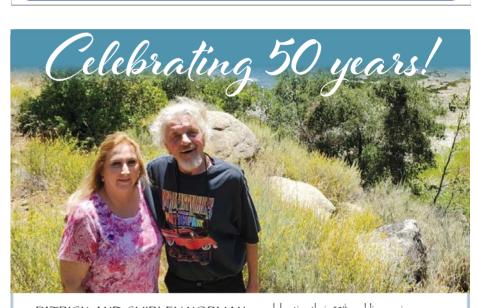
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PATRICK AND SHIRLEY NORMAN are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on September 23rd. Both lifelong residents of Monterey County, born and raised in the Carmel Valley/Big Sur area. Pat and Shirley both graduated from Carmel High School, falling madly in love after seeing each other at football games, saving Pat from the occasional valley parties, or hunting and hanging out on the ranch. Pat could not stay away from the beautiful Shirley and got married immediately after graduating in the local San Carlos Church in Monterey on September 23, 1972.

Pat and Shirley have two wonderful children, Sean (36) and Kathryn (32). While Pat is enjoying semiretired life, Shirley is still working in her respected accounting position, approaching 25 years with her employer, Cypress Healthcare Partners. Although Pat is done crawling in attics and basements, he still performs small jobs throughout the peninsula to ensure homes are well-lit, light fixtures not falling out of the ceiling, and man-handling the occasional circuit breakers for homeowners. Pat has been a successful electrician in the Carmel/Pebble Beach area for all of his adult life. I still remember to this day helping my father and Uncle Steve hang a beautiful chandelier in a large Pebble Beach home. Terrible fears ran through my head of dropping a crystal or disappointing father in some sort of way that my electrical skills were not sufficient. You can occasionally catch Pat at the Del Rey Oaks Starbucks, or cruising around town in his majestic, white and red 1960 Chevrolet Impala.



Pat and Shirley spent many years together with their friends and family before having children. They spent summers at Lake Shasta fishing, sunbathing on the roof of the houseboat or play fighting with family members in the hot sun. They were fortunate enough to travel to Hawaii and other unique places with Shirley's previous company, Mobile Parks West. They were young, adventurous souls that rode in helicopters and traveled across country to Disney World. They enjoyed their vacations with one another and continue to travel to their favorite spots such as Reno, Nevada for the annual car show, Hot August Nights

Pat and Shirley established their own roots in the beautiful sun belt area off Highway 68. Still residing in their sunny San Benancio home, they are greeted daily by the family fur babies and enjoy the hot summer nights outside under Shirley's infamous colorful umbrellas. After Pat and Shirley's first 13 years of marriage, they had their first-born son, Sean. Four years later came their daughter, Kathryn. Pat and Shirley never missed their children's after-school sports and activities. They were constantly supporting Kathryn in softball along with supporting Sean's college education in automotive education in Santa Barbara.

How did our parents do it, you ask? How are they still going strong? They spent their love story with one another for more than 10 years, without children. They established who they were as a couple, grew their own roots, and created this beautiful family. They fostered a safe and healthy environment for my brother and me to thrive and be happy in. It is our turn now to take care of our parents so their love for one another continues to grow until the last breathe they take. Pat and Shirley's love for one another is extremely special, rare and one of a kind.

Happy Anniversary, Mom and Dad! We love you and are very proud of you both! Wishing you 50 more years of love and happiness!

All our love, **Sean and Kathryn**

Editorial

No more nominations, please

IF THEY ever get around to building a NIMBY Hall of Fame, winners from all over the country will surely be represented, but nobody can beat Monterey Peninsula's activists when it comes to yelling, "Not in my backyard!"

Examples from over the years are legion — and we don't just mean classics like the people who build houses and then try to stop the owners of nearby vacant lots from doing the exact same thing. Or people buying homes near the airport and then complaining about the airplanes. Things like that are child's play compared to what's gone on around here.

Remember the late 1990s when Gaspar Cardinale tried to get permission to sell soup and sandwiches at his coffee shop? That was a good one. Letting him expand his menu offerings would lead to a "proliferation of fast food restaurants in town," the naysayers complained during a pitched battle that lasted (we kid you not) three years. Eventually, Cardinale won, served his soup and sandwiches, and the fast food never arrived.

And what about the smart meters we all got a decade ago? When they were under consideration, dire health consequences were foretold with the authority of the Ten Commandments and the certainty of tomorrow's sunrise. Things like "dizziness, flu-like symptoms, irregular heart rhythms, ringing in the ears and cognitive problems like memory loss," not to mention, "cell damage, breaks in DNA chains and breaches in the blood/brain barrier." Has any of that happened? No.

We should also mention the roundabout on Highway 68 near CHOMP. It's such a success it seems hard to believe there was a time when people predicted it would make traffic worse, confuse motorists, cause accidents, block emergency vehicles from getting to the hospital and bring havoc to nearby neighborhoods in the form of noise and light pollution. "This is an abortion of a project and whoever did the research for this thing needs to go back to school," said one objector, choosing her words carefully. Instead, the roundabout is an unmitigated blessing.

And then there's the Pebble Beach affordable housing project, which was vehemently opposed by environmentalists and activists of all kinds, and even (to its everlasting shame) by the Pacific Grove City Council. This serene, 4-year-old 24-unit housing project not only helps provide something the Peninsula badly needs, it's barely noticeable in its isolated, forested setting just off Congress Road. But when it was proposed, predictions of doom ranged from gridlock on Highway 68, to overburdened schools and libraries in P.G., to damaged property values in Del Monte Park. One partisan even predicted it would "smell like a meth lab." Laughable, but true.

Any of those might have qualified for the Peninsula's NIMBY GOAT at least until the current controversy over the proposed lights at the Carmel High School football stadium. Opponents of that harmless project claim it will ruin the tranquility and property values of the neighborhood around the school, block access for emergency vehicles on Highway 1, and pollute the night sky from Point Lobos to halfway up Carmel Valley.

It's not like lights at high school stadiums are something new. Thousands of schools and small colleges around the country have them, including several right here on the Peninsula (Seaside, Pacific Grove and MPC). If they're such a terrible idea, it should be a simple matter of gathering testimony and empirical evidence from these locations to show that the disastrous consequences are real. Which they aren't.

We wish we could time travel 10 or 20 years, at which point the lights at CHS will be considered just another part of the everyday landscape. Nobody will give a hoot, just like they don't about all the things that were hated when they were proposed but are easily accepted today.

And another thing will be true in 10 or 20 years: The anti-stadium-lights crowd will still be the record holders for most ridiculous NIMBY campaign of all time.

BEST of BATES



"The ocean? Yeah, top of the hill, right next to the high school. You can miss it."

Letters to the Editor

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Verizon celebrating? Dear Editor,

Verizon has to be celebrating their upcoming appeal victory against us in the 9th Circuit Court. Verizon need look no further than the Carmel by the Sea (CBTS) 3rd Draft Ordinance (17.47.06) on page 10 of 22, "Notice Decisions & Appeals", "E. Decision Notices" where we hand them a victory! It says CBTS, within 5 days, must send the applicant (Verizon) a written notice of denial explaining the reasons for denial.

When CBTS denied Verizon's application for a cell tower permit on Carmelo next to the La Playa last year, we did not do that (the premise for Verizon's lawsuit) and in this draft wireless ordinance we are admitting that CBTS should have mailed Verizon an explanation for the denial of a

Ironically, Gail Karish, one of our attorneys who is supposed to be assisting in Carmel's defense against Verizon, is the author of the CBTS Draft Wireless Ordinances. CBTS should not be paying attorneys, who pretend to be on our side and who we are paying to be on our side to represent us, to instead be on Verizon's side in order to help them win their appeal against us. Outrageous!

Gail Karish & her firm, Best Best & Krieger need to be fired for helping Verizon and the Draft Wireless Ordinances she's authored must be taken down immediately from the CBTS website!

Michael McWalters, Carmel

The epitome Dear Editor.

It seems that Ms. Snowflake, Tina Rau, Pacific Grove's chair of diversity, equity, and inclusion, no less, is offended by anyone who believes in God, based on her social media comments mocking Christians. She epitomizes what uber liberals stand for, and if I had to guess, she thinks Joe Biden is doing a crackerjack job as president

Gregory D. Lee, Pebble Beach

The dangers of 'send' Dear Editor,

Some people have a compunction to express their thoughts and opinions on social media and, unfortunately for them, press "send." This is obviously the with Ms. Rau, who has absolutely no business being on any so-called diversity, equality and inclusion group, especially

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A tale of the Pine Inn and the elusive Mrs. Dora Wingate

IN THE early days of Carmel-by-the-Sea, the city's cornerstone was the Pine Inn. The Duckworth brothers, Santiago and Belisario, who unsuccessfully tried to establish Carmel City, built the hotel as The Carmelo at Junipero and Ocean in 1889. Frank Powers and Frank Devendorf reimagined Carmel in 1902, renamed the hotel the Pine Inn, and moved it closer to the beach, at the northeast corner of Monte Verde and Ocean.

Carmel Development Co. sold it to Dora Wingate. This began an era of tumultuous

Devendorf, although less often at the Pine

Inn, and at the end of the 1911 season,

financial and legal affairs of the concern. It is stated that Mrs. Dora Wingate, who

formerly conducted the Pine Inn and made of it the social center of Carmel, will be offered an opportunity to again assume its management.

Missing pieces

Digging back through other records, we find that Wingate sold the Pine Inn to Claud C. Belmont in March 1914. Over the next 18 months, Belmont sold to William Watson in May 1914, who sold to George W. Creaser in October 1914, who sold to George Shields in August 1915, who sold to Florence McAuliffe a month later. McAuliffe was a talented 29-year-old San Francisco attorney and an associate of Frank Powers. He deeded the Pine Inn back to Carmel Development Co. at the end of the year.

But who was Wingate, the woman credited with making Pine Inn "the social center" of Carmel? There is regrettably little we can piece together about her. She was born Dora Thompson about 1861, and had a sister Mabel who lived with her during her two seasons in Carmel. I'm not sure when or where either lady was born.

There is some indication they were British, in part because Wingate's husband was a retired British officer. She married

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History Beat

By NEAL HOTELLING

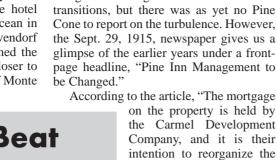
Devendorf often met with prospective real estate buyers in the Pine Inn's dining room. In the Feb. 3, 1933, Pine Cone, Perry Newberry described his first meeting with Devendorf. As he and his wife, Bertha, wandered near the coast in 1910, Bertha saw a pine tree near the beach she wanted for her very own and sought out Devendorf.

"We found both dinner and Devendorf at the inn. He was a pleasant man to do business with and admitted that he had been saving the lot with the pine tree on it just for us. He took out a map from his pocket, pushed the birdbath side-dishes away to spread it out, and said, 'Now just where is this pine tree?" Identifying it as in either block Y or Z, near 13th Avenue on the seaward side of Carmelo (although neither street was yet built), they soon headed out to confirm the location.

Casual deals

"Devendorf located the lot on his map and wrote the name Newberry across it. Watching over his shoulder, I saw that the name sprawled over the adjoining lot to the south, and called his attention to the encroachment. He explained, 'You'll want both of them, Newberry. Not now, but someday. And I'll be keeping the other one for you when you do."

Such casual deals continued under

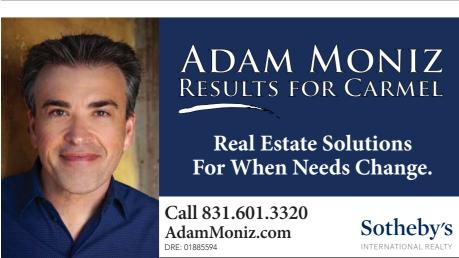


Col. Thomas Oliver Wingate in Reno on



This 1910 postcard shows Carmel's Pine Inn as it appeared during the second decade of the 20th Century – a time of turbulent transitions among the inn's management and ownership

Don't miss "Scenic Views" by Jerry Gervase — every week in the Real Estate Section.



Tradition, persistence and a dream

By DENNIS TAYLOR

LIFE TOO frequently becomes a story of dreams delayed and dreams denied - a reality Guna Hebbar reluctantly accepted throughout her adult years.

"From a very young age, whenever someone asked me what I wanted to do, I always said, 'I'm going to be an artist," remembered Hebbar, who grew up in a small fishing village near Bangalore, India's third-largest city. "I participated in

every art competition, all the way through

high school, and always won, so I never

Permission at age 56

tional scientist, an educator, a business

owner, a wife, a mom, and two-time grand-

mother, she granted herself permission to

women's fitness franchises she owned

locally and began painting and sketching

again, creating the boldly colorful land-

scapes, seascapes and florals she shows

at the Salinas Valley Art Gallery. She

works with oils, watercolors, acrylics and

career and my entire life thinking about

painting — nothing else," she said. "It's all

I've ever really wanted to do, and it's never

been about making money or hanging the

group shows in India and the United States

Her work has been juried into multiple

She also serves on the board of directors

art on my wall. I just like to paint.

and has won several awards.

"I've spent my entire professional

In 2010, at age 56, Hebbar sold the

turn her dream into reality.

charcoal.

After more than five decades as a nutri-

thought of myself in any other way."

Carmel's Artists

of the Monterey Bay Plein Air Painters Association and the Central Coast Art Association.

'...like Indira Gandhi'

"I was very happy and very friendly as a child — my whole town knew me. My teachers used to say, 'One day you will become prime minister of India, like Indira Gandhi." Hebbar reminisced. "And when

> I went to art school, my teacher there said, 'Someday you'll become a movie star, or some celebrity!' But of course, none of that happened."

grandfather had Her studied to become an attorney but instead founded a successful business school, which he passed along to his son — Hebbar's father — also a lawyer by education.

'My father helped a lot of people in India by giving them a free education — a lot of very poor people got to go to college because of him," she said. "My mother also was known for her generosity. She loved helping the poorer members of our community. A lot of people came to her every day for their food. My parents were role models."

Family plan, but not hers

But watching their daughter pursue an art career wasn't part of the family blueprint.

"They wanted me to be a doctor," said Hebbar, who pursued a pre-med path at the University of Mysore, earning Bachelor of Science degrees in chemistry, botany and zoology.

After graduating, she was wed to Shesh

"It was an arranged marriage. My father wanted me to marry well and had high expectations, interviewed many men,

and always said, 'No, not good enough ... not good enough!" she said. "Then. on a day when Father was not there, Shesh's mother came and proposed. It happened just like that."

For Guna, the experience was not traumatic. She liked Shesh and was impressed by his education and ambition.

"I wanted someone tall, and didn't get that, but it was OK, because he is good-looking," she confided with a laugh.

A controversial choice

After paving the road toward a medical career, Hebbar fed her parents a bitter pill, opting instead to enroll in an art school.

They were angry, she said, and the department chair at her university also was stunned.

"She said, 'But you've worked so hard for your

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Guna Hebbar, a native of India, is known for the colorful palette

You see what's illuminated, but she focuses on what's lighting it

THE WOMAN admiring the new lighting being installed at the Carmel Valley Athletic Club parking lot might have looked like a passerby — someone who was admiring the improvements to what has been kind of a spooky place at night or early in the morning.

"Actually, this is my project," the woman said. "I'm having them installed."

Meredith Nole, owner of Monterey Lighting, has been illuminating spaces for

more than 40 years. For the parking lot at

CVAC, which is nestled in a valley adja-

cent to residential homes, she chose lamp-

posts curved into shepherd's crooks, with a

which means there is no light pollution,

no up-lighting" said Nole. "All light goes

straight down, only into the parking lot,

so there is no spillover to the surrounding

Engineering Society, said that lighting

Nole, a member of the Illuminating

"For this project, I went with 'dark sky,'

trumpet-hood down light.

residences."

Great Lives

By LISA CRAWFORD WATSON

ensure its productivity is to know exactly what is needed for the purpose and setting.

Whiter and warmer

Monterey Lighting sells any type of lighting material, "wholesale factory direct" to retail, commercial and residential clients. "If you were going to change a tire store to a dress shop, you would need to introduce a different type and color of lighting to show off the specific merchan-

dise," she said. "We can do

Nole walked Augustina's on Ocean Avenue and noticed the designer boutique had upgraded its ceiling lights to LED, which

she believes is the most important shift needed for energy reduction. Yet she also noticed old-fashioned fluorescent tubes on the wall that were throwing additional color onto the clothing. She brought in a sample lightbulb, which was whiter and warmer, and it clearly did a better job highlighting the apparel.

"All Meredith did was change old, ugly fluorescent bulbs to newer LED tubes, and it was the best thing that ever happened," said Tracy Odle, owner of the 30-year-old boutique. "Meredith is the nicest, most professional woman I've ever met. I changed the lighting because of her, because I trusted her opinion. She's a lighting expert who's really good at what she does. It was a great thing.

Nole also designed the median lighting on Ocean Avenue, introducing soft-but-effective illumination that doesn't distract drivers but enables better visibility.

"I'm obsessed with lighting," she said.

She's been in the business more than 40 years and worked all over the country. The Monterey Peninsula, she said, is a "lighting desert" — a place full of beautiful and interesting fixtures, "but they were designed for looking, not for seeing."

Nole, who lives at the mouth of Carmel Valley, was born into a big Italian family in Newark, N.J. She grew up believing she wanted to become a doctor, particularly after her mother was diagnosed with cancer. Yet, soon after heading off to col-

sell lightbulbs.

lege on a pre-med path, she dropped out of school and returned home to care for her

City skyline

Nole moved to San Diego and was looking

for a job when she saw a posting by Philips

Lighting and was hired as an outside rep to

bulbs. My focus was on trying to save

energy, to get people rebates and better

lighting. I started to call on wholesale

"My focus was strictly industrial-commercial lighting," she said. "I sold large lamps, streetlights, factory lighting, giant

After her mother's passing in 1971,



Meredith Nole

coming in as the low bid and keeping her overhead costs "to the bone." "Because each building had its own unique architecture, history and personality, the lighting was designed to reflect those individual historic and architectural char-

acteristics," she explained.

"It transformed the Newark

distributors; large facilities or electoral

to work as a technical and lighting consul-

tant on three office towers as part of New-

ark's Operation Skyline campaign to make

owners that lighting the exteriors would

First, she had to convince building

be worthwhile, that it would

enhance the Newark skyline

and increase the value of

the buildings. Next, she had

to assure her clients that it

would be affordable. To this

day, Nole makes a point at

the city appear safer and more inviting.

In 1989, Nole went back to New Jersey

contractors.

skyline." Nole has always championed the alchemy in the art and science of lighting. She wants people to understand and benefit from the science, but also achieve visual impact and beauty.

Today, she's also focusing on energy reduction.

"The most important thing in lighting is to get rid of the heat from any kind of lamp that could be incandescent," she said. "Instead, we focus on the quality and the type of LED — the color, the shape, the brightness of it."

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master's degree ... and I have worked so hard to help you! And, now, you don't want to continue?' Everyone was very upset," Hebbar recalled.

"But it was one of the best art schools around, and I did a lot of paintings there." said Hebbar, whose style at the time was intricate realism.

However, traditional, real-life responsibilities forced her art dream to a back burner for more than three decades.

In 1983, her husband, an aeronautics engineer, was hired by NASA, a job that brought the Hebbars to Mountain View, bringing Guna to the United States for the first time.

'It's so quiet here!'

"My first impression was, 'It's so quiet here! Where are all the people?" she remembered. "India is very loud, very noisy, and I missed that. Now, when I go back to India, I can't take the noise — it's too much!"

Ouieter still was Alabama, where he took another aeronautics job in 1986, and She enrolled at Tuskegee University to earn her master's degree in nutritional science.

In 1988, when her husband, a Ph.D., was hired by the Naval Postgraduate School as an aeronautics professor, the Hebbars moved to Marina, where she worked several years as a nutritionist in the agriculture industry.

In February of 2000, Hebbar became owner/operator of Slender Lady Fitness Centers, where she offered fitness counseling to her members.

In 2010, she received a lucrative offer,

sold her franchises, and, for the first time since leaving India, returned her focus to

"Since then, I have only focused on painting, and over the past three years, I've taken workshops from many of the wellknown artists in this area," she said.

Plein air painting pals

Hebbar has also acquainted herself with the robust art scene along the Central Coast, joining multiple local organizations.

"I go out with Monterey Bay Plein Air Painters Association every Wednesday to some location," she said. "We were at the Custom House Plaza yesterday. We've been to Point Lobos, a place I go again and again. I also think Marina State Beach is one of the most beautiful places I've ever

Pre-pandemic, the Hebbars returned to India every other year, a vacation routine they hope to resume.

"I still love India very much. They have a festival for some god there every other something I miss here in America," she said. "When I'm in the United States, I miss India. And when I'm in India, I miss the United States."

Hebbar's work can be seen at Salinas Valley Art Gallery (218 Main St., a block from the Steinbeck Center), which participates monthly in the city's First Friday Downtown Art Walk.

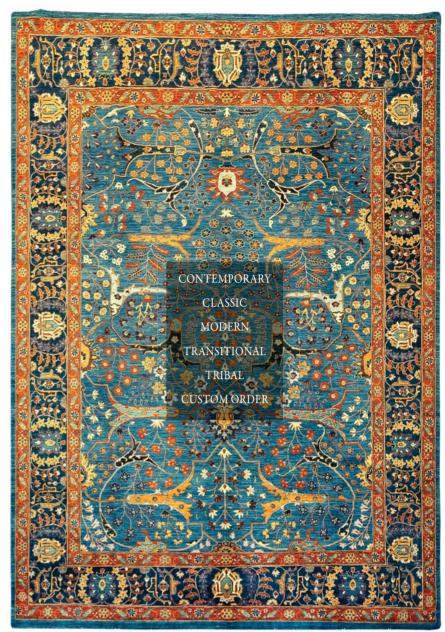
She also is a frequent entrant in shows by the Monterey Bay Plein Air Painters Association, the Central Coast Art Association and Pacific Grove Art Center, among

Images of her art and additional information can be found online at gunahebbarart.com

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one supported by taxpayers. She is certainly entitled to her opinions and entitled to share them on social media, but her opinions mean that she needs to be off that particular board.

Joan Grabe, Carmel Valley

Skates vs. butterflies Dear Editor,

I am a very concerned citizen. Many activists have begun clamoring for a skate park for young skaters in Pacific Grove. This would be a fine idea in an area that can tolerate a lot of noise, people on skates, whooping and fun, and was already paved or suitable for pavement.

An area of George Washington Park on Sinex and Alder is proposed by one group, mainly skaters or their affiliates.

Some members of this group have become very aggressive and bullying and have strongly objected to environmentalists and concerned local neighbors of the park who have raised objections on the basis of noise and especially the welfare of monarch butterflies. The skate park in Washington Park group openly derided a local citizen's letter on the issue and rudely answered defenses of Jane Flury's well-articulated complaint.

Not so long ago, it seemed as if the butterflies might become extinct. They made a comeback over the pandemic and scientists and naturalists believe it was due to decreased traffic and noise.

At the present there is a ballfield near this area, which is not used extremely often, nor very noisy, and a small playground, with swings, benches and tables nearby. It is a very peaceful environment for small children and their parents. There are also a great many trees which would be destroyed by a plan to "pave paradise and put up a parking lot," alias, concrete

We simply cannot afford to drive the monarchs out of their habitat in the park, or any well-established monarch habitat in Pacific Grove.

This shortsighted group needs to be reminded to be civil and to respect nature. There are many other areas already paved and suitable in Pacific Grove.

Nan Jorgensen, Pacific Grove

Fan mail Dear Editor.

I have written to you many times from our home in Ohio. We love Carmel and are retired now, but have traveled to that area for over 40 years. We would relocate there but, well, you know better than we do the "challenges" of buying/owning a home in and around the Peninsula. So we make due with renting a wonderful "cottage," usually through Sanctuary Rentals, for October, most years.

I just wanted to thank you, once again, for The Pine Cone. Reading each Friday makes us feel connected and we pretend we live in lovely (sometimes crazy) Carmel.

We have just returned from a monthlong trek hiking the Swiss Alps. It was a lifetime goal which Covid delayed four times. Soon to be 70, it was now or never. It was the trip of a lifetime, for sure.

We long for the sea and a little fog every now and then. This year we will stay at Sticks and Stones. We will enjoy hiking Big Sur, along Asilomar, Pt. Lobos and every morning along Scenic around to Mission Ranch.

Have a great weekend and thanks for all the "scoops" in Carmel.

Linda and Crick Neubig, Granville, Ohio

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sent a letter to the City of Pacific Grove threatening to sue if its council elections don't follow the same course.)

The Sept. 14 meeting was the fourth on the topic and had board members examining seven maps outlining potential areas from which each of the five trustees would

Shelley Lapkoff, the demographer hired to create the maps, said the top priority is population equality, with just under 4,600 people in each area, based on 2020 U.S. Census numbers showing a total district population of 22,971.

Most from Carmel

Providing some historical perspective, Pallastrini looked at the composition of the board going back to 1981.

"The City of Carmel has had the greatest proportion of school board members: 12, with varying lengths of terms," he said, while the mid-valley area had four, including one who served for 27 years. Six Carmel Valley residents have served during that time, as well as three from Pebble Beach, two from the Carmel Highlands, and one from Big Sur.

"That goes to show you that the remote areas of our district have had very little representation, for whatever reason," he said.

Lapkoff noted the maps have been posted on the district's website at carmelunified.org/Page/4924, where anyone can draw their own proposed maps, too. All versions show Carmel-by-the-Sea and Pebble Beach combined in Trustee Area 1, with Trustee Area 2 comprising unincorporated Carmel, both based on previous direction from the board.

'Different communities'

How the three remaining areas are drawn remains a bit more up in the air, and most of the discussion focused on whether rural Cachagua and Big Sur should each have their own. Ultimately, the board decided they should, to increase the chance that residents in each will be elected to the school board.

"I lived on Tassajara Road for two years, and my family is from Big Sur, so I definitely feel strongly that those are two different communities," commented board member Seaberry Nachbar. "If there's an opportunity for equity, I feel strongly we have two separate voices from these communities.'

They also decided Carmel Valley Village should be split between two areas. since it's a population center that could otherwise dilute the power of voters in the more rural regions of the trustee area.

All the proposed maps, public feedback and other information are posted on the district's website, and at an Oct. 19 meeting, the board is set to decide which one to use. A county committee will review the proposal in November, and the first election by trustee areas is set for November



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Nov. 10, 1899. Their home then was San Francisco, but they soon settled in Santa Barbara. The colonel was born in Scotland in 1840 and spent much of his adulthood in India. He had 11 children, nine of whom were born in India with his first wife. Five died there in infancy. None came with him to America, although one visited in 1906. The Wingates seem to have had an active social life in Santa Barbara until the colonel died in August 1909. His grave marker indicates "Col. Bengal Staff Corps."

So, it was as a widow that Dora Wingate came to Carmel and bought the Pine Inn. She arranged for a major upgrade for the hotel in June 1912 when she hired Monterey plumbing contractor John Mulcahey to add a steam heating plant. The system came from N.O. Nelson Manufacturing Co. of St. Louis, Mo., and worked well. However, payment for it became an issue. In May 1913, Nelson claimed there was a balance due of \$580.83 and filed suit in Monterey Superior Court, naming Mulcahey and Wingate as defendants. Even Carmel builder M.J. Murphy was named as a defendant, not because he owed anything, but because he had also placed a lien on the inn for unpaid services. Mulcahey claimed Wingate still owed him \$362.50.

Lasting legacy at All Saints

It's not clear how the suit was resolved, but I suspect the expense of the heating system and the subsequent legal bills led to Wingate's decision to sell the Pine Inn the following March and leave town. Later reports indicate that when she left town, she also owed Carmel's Charles O. Goold for livery services.

Despite the financial problems, Wingate's two seasons running the Pine Inn were largely successful. In addition to looking after the needs of the hotel and its restaurant, Wingate played a role in the young city's spiritual life. As the 1912 Lenten season began, Wingate arranged for Ash Wednesday services at the Pine Inn. Then, along with her sister Mabel, Wingate organized the first meeting of the St. Anne's Guild in May 1912 to launch the effort to build what would become All Saints Episcopal Church.

Wingate also hosted community programs at the inn, many to benefit the All-Saints fund. The most publicized of these was the May 24, 1913, lecture by writer Mary Austin, who had left Carmel in November 1907 and didn't

INCLUSION

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with the U.S. Supreme Court's decision to overturn the 1973 Roe vs. Wade and the 1992 Casey v. Planned Parenthood — decisions that had made abortion a constitutional right. Rau blames Christians for the high court's decision.

Rau said last week she would make similar comments about Islam and the Koran if "either was used to make decisions about my body, my healthcare or my marriage."

Rau also called for "defunding" the Supreme Court and said the court is a "political tool that does not represent the United States Constitution or the will of the people."

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piano songs that go with my paintings, in hopes that I can fully capture the dimension of the expression."

New at the art center, as well, are shows by Monterey Bay Plein Air Painters Association ("Coastal Passions"), the Image Makers photography group ("25 Years"), painter Denese Sanders ("Resilience") and Monterey High School students ("The Things We Love").

The exhibits will be on display through Oct. 27. The art center is located at 568 Lighthouse Ave. For more details, visit pgartcenter.org.



return until late 1912. From late 1907 until mid-1910, Austin had sojourned in Europe. Her well-attended talk at the Pine Inn was titled "Notable People I Met in Europe."

After leaving Carmel in 1914, Wingate settled in Oakland. The Oct. 6, 1915, Pine Cone reported, "Mrs. Dora Wingate was in town on business concerning Pine Inn last Sunday." They apparently did not come to terms, and she did not return to manage the hotel.

I can find no clear record of her life after that last visit neither where she lived nor even where she died. Wingate and her sister, Mabel, seem to have just disappeared. However, their living legacy is as midwives to All Saints Episcopal Church, which was built in 1913 and consecrated in early 1914.





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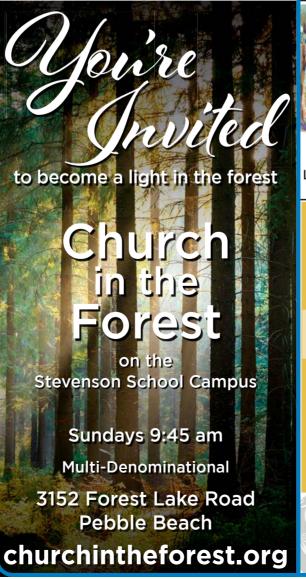


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The Carmel Pine Cone

Stevenson volleyball team plans to ascend beyond last year's peak

STEVENSON'S GIRLS volleyball team ascended to record heights last season, qualifying for the Central Coast Section playoffs for the first time in school history. This

Peninsula Sports

By DENNIS TAYLOR

year, with a roster stacked with veteran players, they're hoping to reach the summit.

'What we accomplished a year ago, during my first year as head coach, put me over the moon," said Skyler Allen, who came to Stevenson in 2018 to coach the junior

varsity team after playing college volleyball at CSU Monterey Bay (2013-2016). "Not only did we have the best season since they started the program here in 1996, but our junior varsity team went undefeated and won the league."

First-round CCS win

The Pirates varsity shared the Pacific Coast Athletic League's Santa Lucia Division crown in 2021 with Gonzales with a 10-2 record, then beat Pacific Bay Christian in the opening round of the CCS Division V playoffs, but lost in the quarterfinals to Summit Shasta of Daly City, to finish 14-9 overall.

They did it with a roster with 10 underclassmen, including three stellar freshmen.

Those ninth-graders included Ava Edwards, who was

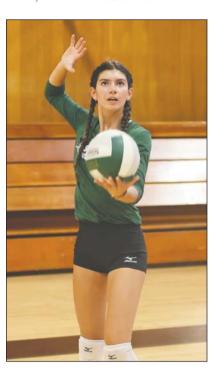
voted Offensive Player of the Year in the Santa Lucia after hammering 174 kills and drilling 45 aces from the service line — both team bests. Defensively, Edwards ranked second on the squad in digs (128) and third in blocks (7).

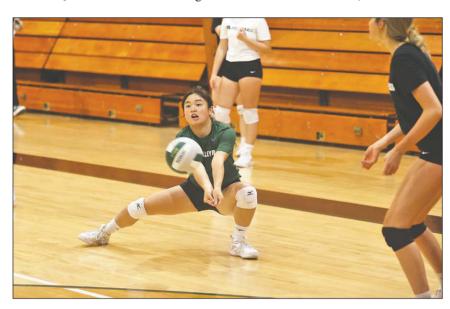
Classmate Grace Von Schack piled up 321 assists as the starting setter, ranked second in service points with 88, and was third in aces (33) and digs (98). She was a second-team all-division player.

The third freshman, Gina Da Silva — now almost 6-foot-1 as a sophomore — blocked 21 shots, a team high, and had 68 kills, third among the Pirates.

During the offseason, that trio played in the USA Volleyball Junior National Championships with the Sand City

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Sophomore Ava Edwards (left), Santa Lucia Division Offensive Player of the Year as a ninth-grader, is an all-around standout for Stevenson. Defensive standout Taylor Onitsuka (center) started at libero last year as a sophomore and led the Pirates with 90 service points. Grace Von Schack (right) amassed 321 assists and 88 service points as the starting setter in 2021, her freshman season.



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Volleyball Club's age-15 team.

Indeed, the Pirates' 2022 roster is spangled with yearround club volleyball players who reported to practice this fall with vastly improved skills — which made Coach Allen very happy.

"In fact, everybody on my team this year has been in my program before, which is really nice," the coach said. "They all know me, they know what I expect, they know what our standards are.

Beckett Judd-Ward, a 5-8 outside hitter, earned second-team All-Santa Lucia recognition as a junior, when she ranked third on the team in blocks and service points, and fourth in kills, aces and digs.

Another senior, outside hitter Sydney Clymo, is "a natural-born talent with an excellent volleyball IQ," Allen said. "She instinctively seems to know when she needs to adjust something to get us more points — something that's really hard to teach.'

Strong defensive players

Juniors who lettered a year ago include defenders Abby Yamashita — a court general on the back row — and last year's starting libero, Taylor Onitsuka, a quiet leader-by-example type. Onitsuka's 90 service points ranked

No. 1 on the squad during her sophomore season, and her 35 aces were second-best.

"The truth is, we have a very well-rounded team, which is exciting because I feel like I can put anybody in there at any time," Allen said. "It's actually pretty hard picking a lineup right now, because so many players are legitimately competing for playing time."

Others who lettered a year ago include seniors Camille Griffin, a 5-9 middle hitter, Mandy Wang, a 5-7 right-side hitter, and junior defensive specialist Claren Wong, a solid passer with a wicked serve.

First-year varsity players — all from that unbeaten JV team — include senior right-side hitter Anouk Catania, juniors Megan Lee, vying for playing time at setter, 5-9 middle hitter Maya Chavez, and Emma Sondergaard, a talented right-side hitter.

New varsity players from the sophomore class are 5-10 middle hitter Lucia De Marignac - "probably our second-best blocker right now," the coach declared — and Amelia Myer, a defensive specialist on JVs who is converting to right-side hitter this year.

Focus on mental game

"When we lost at CCS last year, I felt like our mental resilience was low, just as an overall team," Allen said. "So this year, we're devoting 15-30 minutes at the beginning of every practice to mental-toughness training something we actually began last year.

"We've already noticed massive improvements," she

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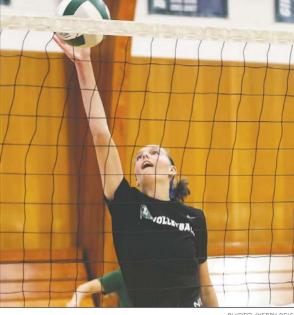
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Gina Da Silva, a starter last season as a freshman, is expected to be a force at the net at nearly 6-foot-1.

said. "Our self-talk has gotten better. Our bounce-back after making a mistake has gotten better. We talk openly about things, which has helped us become really trustful of

each other, and that's helped our overall game." Allen sees a roster filled with experienced, battle-tested veterans, confident newcomers, court leaders, and improved mental toughness. Her Pirates might need all of that in 2022, as brand-new members of the PCAL's much tougher Mission Division, where their competition will include King City, Monte Vista Christian, Pacific Grove, Monterey, Watsonville and North Salinas.

"We've been bumped up two divisions, which means we can expect more intensity from our opponents every night — and that's something we're working on in our own gym right now," she said.

"Having so many returning players has made it really nice," Allen added. "Everybody knows my expectations and we're all on the same page, which allows us, as coaches, to focus more on the technical stuff."

The Pirates return to action Monday at North Salinas, then play Watsonville at home on Wednesday. Both matches have 6:30 p.m. starting times.

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Jazz fest looks forward as it marks 65th year, bluegrass legend plays the Sand Box

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The festival also proves a stage for The Next Generation Jazz Orchestra, which includes 20 student-musi-

On a High Note

By CHRIS COUNTS

cians from as far away as Florida. The orchestra has helped mentor many musicians who have gone on to bigger and better things, including Redman.

"This year sees the Monterey Jazz Festival redoubling its focus on artists that will shape the future sound of jazz, the festival announced. "Over its long and distinguished history, the festival has not only earned a reputation for paying homage to jazz greats, but for its passion for new and diverse sounds.

Ticket packages range from one-day grounds passes — \$50 for Friday, \$75 for Saturday and Sunday — to threeday full access passes that start at \$285. For more details, visit montereyjazzfestival.org.

■ Famous fiddler in town

A rare California-born bluegrass legend, singer and multi-instrumentalist Laurie Lewis plays Friday at the Sand Box in Sand City.



A two-time winner of the California's Women's Fiddling championships, Lewis was named Female Vocalist of the Year by the International Bluegrass Awards in 1992 and 1994. She was also nominated for a Grammy Award in 1995. While her music is steeped in tradition, she has also pushed it beyond the boundaries of bluegrass.

"She is an inspiration and a ground-breaker across genres, across geography and across gender barriers," Sand Box owner Michelle Djokic said.

Lewis will be joined on stage by accordionist Sam



Violinist Cindy Wu (left) has been named the new artistic director of Chamber Music Monterey Bay, which opens its 2022-23 season in mid-October. Singer and multi-instrumentalist Laurie Lewis shares the stage Friday with accordionist Sam Reider at the Sand Box in Sand City.

Reider, who recorded an album at the Sand Box last year. "Sam's work brings together various streams of American music, from jazz and folk, to popular songs and contemporary compositions," Djokic continued.

Together, the two will play their own compositions, as well as songs "from their shared folk, bluegrass and jazz repertoire, while leaving space for solo pieces as well." "This kind of chemistry experienced in the intimacy of the

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The Carmel Pine Cone

On Oct. 8 from 4 to 7 p.m., guests who pay \$35 per ticket — some of which funds scholarships distributed by the nonprofit vintners and growers group — can stroll

through town to meet and chat with local artists while sipping Monterey County wines. The event begins at Devendorf Park at Ocean and Junipero, where special logoed wine glasses will be

available for participants and photographer Randy Tunnell will have an exhibit showcasing "Carmel Bohemian Painters."

Blue lanterns will mark each participating gallery, including Kevin Milligan Gallery, Delia Bradford Gallery, Gallery North, Galerie Plein Aire, Joaquin Turner Gallery, Bennett Sculpture and Kathy Sharpe Gallery. Also Mary Titus Gallery, Aaron Chang Gallery, Lisa Bryan Gallery, Scott Jacobs Gallery, Light + Shadow Fine Art, Gallery Sur, and the Jennifer Perlmutter Gallery. Skipping the wine and food and just touring the galleries is free.

Wineries set to pour are yet to be announced but will be organized by the MCVGA.

For tickets and updates, visit carmelcalifornia.com/meetthemakers.

■ Get Hooked

Folktale Winery's supper club is holding a Get Hooked Dinner Thursday, Sept. 29, from 6 to 9 p.m. The "evening of culinary delights and fun" will benefit the Monterey Bay Fisheries Trust and the Monterey Bay Community Seafood Program, which provides seafood from the ocean to families, farmworkers, seniors and others in need

Soup to Nuts

By MARY SCHLEY

while supporting local fishermen, food workers and businesses.

Dinner will feature a selection of locally caught seafood in dishes created by the winery's culinary team and paired with Folktale wines. It will take place in the upper courtyard of the wine garden and will include representatives from the local fishing community, games and more.

Tickets are \$75 for dinner, while the winery will set up a cash bar for wines and other drinks. Folktale Winery & Vineyards is located at 8940 Carmel Valley Road. Tickets are available through exploretock. com. Visit folktalewinery.com for more information.

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A seafood dinner at Folktale Winery in Carmel Valley Thursday will benefit the Monterey Bay Fisheries Trust and the Monterey Bay Community Seafood Program.

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■ A move in the Village

The Village Wine & Tap Room in Carmel Valley Village is moving from 19 E. Carmel Valley Road to a larger space on Del Fino Place formerly occupied by a short-lived tapas bar and tasting room.

"After some really difficult times these past two years, we are excited to announce we are moving to a bigger location — still in the village — with a patio and more," announced owner Jessica Trask.

She and her collaborators plan to get things dialed in during October and hope to open well before football season ends.

Sticker mania

Pastry chef Michelle Lee's baking busi-

The half-dozen different characters "represent meaningful places, people and events in my life," Lee said. "Add some cuteness to your bumper, binder, coffee

can be ordered online at michellekneadsdough.com or purchased from her directly at the Pacific Grove farmers market, where she sells her sweet and savory treats on Monday afternoons.

POMDR advocates for senior dogs and

Peninsula, providing support so older owners and pets can stay together and helping to rehome dogs whose owners can no longer care for them.

■ Political partying

Supporters of the Democratic Party should use that reason to visit former U.S. Rep. Sam Farr's stunning bluff-top Big Sur property, Point 16, which will be the site for a fundraising party Oct. 2 from noon

The event will include an afternoon of jazz featuring Akira Tana and the Political Upstarts, al fresco dining, wine, and mingling with local elected Democrats and candidates. All proceeds will support the Monterey County Democrats united campaign. Tickets are \$125 and can be purchased at montereydems.org.

■ PPG menu update

Tamie Aceves, owner of the Grill at Point Pinos in the clubhouse at the Pacific Grove Golf Links, recently updated the menu to feature "a variety of old favorites including award-winning huevos rancheros, avocado toast and a mix of egg Benedict dishes.

Aceves added and brought back favorites from Crema, the restaurant she operated on Lighthouse Avenue in downtown Pacific Grove, and now has vegan selections, too, including a burrito, rancheros, a breakfast bowl and chilaquiles.

The grill has begun using organic brown eggs from Glaum Egg Ranch in Aptos, according to Aceves. "We are committed to supporting fellow local, small

throughout businesses the tri-county area," she said. "We love working and collaborating with the owners of these businesses, and it just feels good to know that we are all there for each other."

Other local vendors with products in the kitchen and restaurant there include Verve Coffee Roasters, Baker's Bacon, Other Brother Beer, Alvarado Street Brewery, Dust Bowl Brewing, Gizdich Ranch (pies) and Marianne's Ice Cream.

To check out the

menu, visit grillatpointpinos.com. It's open seven days a week from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., with breakfast and lunch served from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. On Fridays and Saturdays, the bar stays open until 7 p.m. The P.G. Golf Links clubhouse is located at 79 Asilomar Ave.

■ British bake shop meals

The Great British Bake Shop at 8 W. Gabilan St. in Salinas is now offering family meals for

pickup. Monterey Peninsula-based English expats Lesley Everett and Chris Swainson recently opened their shop to offer some of the traditional foods of their homeland, including the ham and egg pies that Everett's grandmother, "Nanny" May Oxborough, used to bake. Oxborough was born

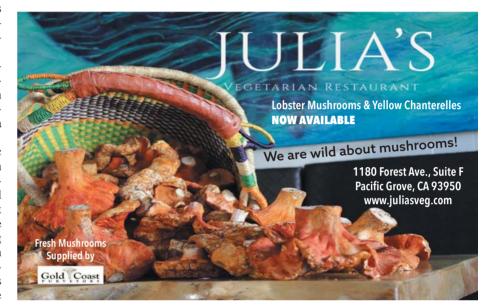


Winemaker Casey Di Cesare and Heidi Scheid of Scheid Family Wines are responsible for the new low-alcohol wine, Sunny with a Chance of Flowers.

in London in 1904, had 10 children and ran a pub where she provided home-cooked food for the locals.

Particularly popular were her ham and egg pies, which became a family favorite,

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ness, Michelle Kneads Dough, is now selling stickers of her logo artwork, with half the proceeds benefiting Peace of Mind Dog Rescue in Pacific Grove.

tumbler or water bottle.' The 3-inch stickers cost \$2 apiece and

senior people with dogs on the Monterey



The Great British Bake Shop in Salinas now offers meals to go with savory pies and sweets.

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and Everett's mother, Irene, kept the tradition going. Other family recipes included steak and ale pie, sausage rolls and sweet treats such as shortbread and Bakewell tarts, all of which can now be found at the couple's Salinas shop.

Everett and Swainson also believe "eating together as a family is more important than ever, because there are more competing distractions, more activity choices outside the home, and a constant bombardment of information from technology," so they've introduced family meals that can be ordered online for pickup.

Dinner for two includes two savory pies and two sweets for \$22, and dinner for four with four of each costs \$45.

The Deluxe Dinner Box contains four pies, four pasties and mixed desserts for \$80, and for those who only want sweets, a box with two slices of shortbread, two butterfly cakes, two Lancaster lemon tarts and two Bakewell tarts costs \$25.

Philanthropically minded, they have already donated \$750 to Partnership for Children, a local nonprofit that provides transportation and family support ser-

vices for children with life-threatening conditions living in Monterey, Santa Cruz and San Benito counties. Swainson has written two children's books, "Wilbur and the Ball" and "The Making of Johnny," which are available at the bakery, too, for \$12 apiece, and the couple will donate 50 percent of all book sales to the nonprofit. For more information, visit thegreatbritishbakeshop.com.

■ Scheid expands

Three brands of Scheid Family Wines are now distributed in the Latin American, Mexican and Carribean markets, as well as at USA Duty Free shops, through a partnership with Monarq Group, the winery announced last week. The distribution company is headquartered in Amsterdam with a regional hub office in Miami and locations in Mexico City, St. Maarten and Santiago, Chile.

The three Scheid brands now represented by Monarq will "meet

the consumer demand for healthier and sustainable alternatives," according to its founder and managing director, Robert de Monchy.

Sunny with a Chance of Flowers is a low-alcohol wine "made for mindful wine lovers who believe less can be more," with fewer calories and no sugar. Using proprietary alcohol reduction techniques to preserve aroma, flavor and mouthfeel, Sunny with a Chance of Flowers is 85 calories per 5-ounce serving and 9 percent alcohol by volume.

Ryder Estate is a "certified sustainable, eco-conscious wine brand in a pro-planet package," and its rosé has been named a Wine Enthusiast Best Buy for the past three vintages. District 7 is "celebrated for its elegant and varietally true taste profile," and is certified sustainable.

Scheid's portfolio of wines is expansive, and they are all produced at its wind-powered facility in Greenfield. The family-owned company is celebrating its 50th anniversary this year.

■ Cooking at Quail & Olive

The Quail and Olive in Carmel Valley Village will offer its next cooking class

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Jessica Trask is moving her Village Wine and Tap Room to a larger, better location in C.V. Village.

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Sand Box is magic," Djokic added.

Showtime is 7 p.m. Tickets are \$35. The Sand Box is located at 440 Ortiz Ave. sandboxsandcity.com

■ Violinist takes the helm

After serving for more than two decades as Chamber Music Monterey Bay's artistic director, Amy Anderson is handing the reins off to violinist Cindy Wu. Anderson called Wu a "spectacular new hire," and suggested she will bring fresh energy to the Carmel-based chamber music

An award-winning violinist, Wu is also an educator and lecturer who has a talent for connecting people to classical

"What a marvelous way to begin our concert season at Sunset Center, with a young, talented artistic director who is ready to lead us into the future," Anderson told The Pine Cone. "She's just wild about chamber music, and she's got all kinds of ideas."

Chamber Music Monterey Bay kicks off its new season Oct. 15 when **The Jupiter String Quartet** performs at Sunset Center. For tickets or more details, visit chambermusicmontereybay.org.

■ Soulful duo plays Folktale

A husband-wife duo from Michigan that has opened for Emmylou Harris, Sturgill Simpson and Mumford & Sons, The War and Treaty plays Sunday at Folktale Winery in Carmel Valley.

Showcasing the talents of singer Michael and Tanya **Trotter**, the duo serves a up a soulful blend of Americana

Also performing is singer and guitarist Teddy Grossman, who, like the headlining act, finds a sweet spot between folk and r&b.

The music starts at 5 p.m. Tickets start at \$40. Folktale is located at 8940 Carmel Valley Road. For tickets, visit folktalewinery.com.

Choir offers free concert

The Monterey Peninsula Gospel Community Choir celebrates its 15th anniversary with a free concert at the Golden State Theater Saturday. Founded by director Johnny Nash Jr. and others, the choir is dedicated to



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preserving gospel music as an art form, and expanding its reach. The concert begins at 4 p.m. The theater is located at 417 Alvarado St.

Next up at the downtown theater is heavy metal pioneer Y&T, which plays Sept. 30. For tickets, call (831)

■ Live music Sept. 23-29

Bernardus Lodge & Spa in Carmel Valley — pianist Michael Culver (jazz, Friday at 6p.m.), singer and guitarist Scott Slaughter (Saturday at noon), pianist Joe Indence (jazz, Saturday at 6 p.m.), guitarist John Sherry (folk, rock and blues, Sunday at noon and Tuesday at 5:30 p.m.) and singer and guitarist Scott Slaughter (Wednesday at 5:30 p.m.). On Carmel Valley Road at Laureles

Big Sur River Inn — singer and guitarist Rick Chelew '60s folk, Saturday at 12:30 p.m.) and The Zach Westfall Group (jazz, Sunday at 1:30 p.m.). On Highway 1 24 miles south of Carmel.

The Center for Spiritual Awakening in Pacific Grove singer and guitarist Anne Sibley and pianist Michael Martinez (Sunday at 1:30 p.m.). 522 Central Ave.

Cibo restaurant in Monterey — The Dave Holodiloff **Duo** (bluegrass and jazz, Sunday at 7 p.m.), singer Lee **Durley** and pianist **Bill Spencer** (jazz, Tuesday at 7 p.m.) and The Ben Herod Trio (jazz and swing, Wednesday at 7 p.m.). 301 Alvarado St.

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Singer and guitarist Anne Sibley joins pianist Michael Martinez Sunday for a concert at the Center for Spiritual Awakening in Pacific Grove.

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CALENDAR

Sept. 24 - Student Piano Recital - Chopin Ballades, 7 p.m. at Carmel Presbyterian Church, Ocean and Junipero, SE corner, featuring Taite Yard (CHS grad) & Zack Sima (Stevenson). Admission is free. Donations taken for Irpin Ukraine Bible Seminary Rebuilding Fund.

Sept. 28 - Summer Balance Series - Balance Your Life Montage Wellness Center, 10 to 11:30 a.m. at 1910 N. Davis Road, Salinas. Put it all together for enhanced overall well-being. RSVP to (877) 663-7651, or www. aspirehealthplan.org/connections2022. Call or register to receive the participation details for this FREE event

Sept. 30 - Reading at Tor House - John Dotson, former poet-in-residence, and Neale Inglenook, Fellow, will discuss their experiences at Tor House, read favorite Jeffers poems and their own work; 7 p.m., Tickets are \$10. Reservations required, www.torhouse.org

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Sept. 30 - Oct. 2 - Butterfly Days - Pacific Grove welcomes the monarchs home with three days of festivities, family fun and special events. Details: www.butterflydayspg.org

Oct. 2 - Get your tickets now for an amazing show with Lauren Monroe, Rick Allen and more at the fairgrounds in Monterey. Proceeds benefit the new homeless shelter for women and families coming to Monterey – the Shuman HeartHouse. Kids' activities, too, with the Art Council of Monterey! Kids' ticket free with purchase of adult ticket. Fun for the entire family! Ticket information @ bit.ly/3zNNJph

Oct. 2 - Blessing of the Animals, 2-4 p.m. at Community Church of the Monterey Peninsula, 4950 Carmel Valley Road, one mile east of Hwy. 1. To learn more, call (415) 385-

Oct. 3 - Welcome Back to the Carmel Woman's Club for a talk on the state of the City by Carmel Mayor Dave Potter, 2 p.m. The public is invited. Mayor Dave will give an update on current issues the city is facing and will take questions at the conclusion of his talk. A return of the bountiful coffee/tea buffet will follow the presentation. The Carmel Woman's Club is at Ninth and San Carlos in Carmel. Masks optional. Members free; guests \$10. (831) 624-2866 or (831) 594-6200.

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(country and classic rock, Saturday at 7:30 p.m.). 26135 Carmel Rancho Blvd., Suite B-3.

Cuz's Sportsman's Club in Seaside — The New Wave Band ('80s rock, Friday at 8 p.m.), B-Town (funk and r&b, Saturday at 8:30 p.m.) and singer and guitarist Tony Miles (Sunday at 4 p.m.), 594 Broadway Ave.

Cypress Inn — singer and pianist Dino Vera (jazz, blues and r&b, Friday at 7 p.m.), pianist Gennady Loktionov and singer Debbie Davis (cabaret, Saturday at 7 p.m.), The Andrea Carter Trio (jazz and blues, Sunday at 11 a.m.), guitarist Richard Devinck (classical, Sunday at 6 p.m.) and singer Lee Durley and pianist Joe Indence (jazz, Thursday at 6 p.m.). Lincoln and Seventh.

The Dust Bowl Brewing Company in Monterey – singer and guitarist Alex Lucero (Thursday at 5 p.m). 290 Figueroa St.

Folktale Winery in Carmel Valley — singer and guitarist Dan Cortes (pop and rock, Saturday at 4 p.m.) and singer and guitarist Benny Bassett (Monday at 4 p.m.). 8940 Carmel Valley Road.

Gusto Pasta and Pizza in Seaside — singer Janice Perl and pianist Gary Meek (jazz, Tuesday at 5:30 p.m.). 1901 Fremont Blvd.

Hyatt Carmel Highlands — singer and pianist **Dino** Vera (jazz, blues and r&b, Saturday and Thursday at 7 p.m.). 120 Highlands Drive.

Hyatt Regency Monterey Hotel — singer Scotty Wright, pianist Glen Pearson, bassist Doug Miller, percussionist John Nava and drummer David Morwood (jazz, Friday at 9:30 p.m.), saxophonist Andrew Speight, pianist Matthew Clark, bassist Tonoko Funaki, and Morwood (jazz, Saturday at 9:30 p.m.), flugelhornist Brian Stock, saxophonist Paul Tarrantino, Pearson and Morwood (jazz, Sunday at 9 p.m.) singer and guitarist Johan Sotelo (Wednesday at 5 p.m.) and Andrea's Fault Duo (jazz and blues, Thursday at 5 p.m.). 1 Old Golf Course Road, (831) 372-1234.

Intercontinental Hotel in Monterey — guitarist John Sherry (folk, rock and blues, Friday and Saturday at 6 p.m.). 750 Cannery Row.

Julia's Vegetarian Restaurant in Pacific Grove mandolinist Dave Holodiloff (bluegrass and jazz, Friday), singer and guitarist Kevin Smith (Saturday), singer and guitarist Brett Freshour (Sunday), singer and guitarist Zack Freitas (Monday), keyboardist Michael Martinez (Tuesday), singer and guitarist Talmon Owens (Wednesday) and singer and guitarist Rick Chelew ('60s folk, Thursday). All shows start at 7:30 p.m. 1180 Forest Ave.

The Inn at Spanish Bay in Pebble Beach — The

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Oct. 19, and it's already filling up, according to organizers. "Resident epicurean" Camilla Mann will demonstrate how to make tapas and prepare paella negra, and will also serve dessert.

"You may find yourself becoming familiar with different varieties of rice and their applications, making a perfect paella, and knowing how to prepare shellfish and other seafoods," they predicted.

Seabold Winery will be offering wines for sale by the glass or bottle throughout the evening.

The demo runs from 5 to 8 p.m. at The Quail and Olive at 14 Del Fino Place and costs \$129. Get tickets through Eventbrite.com by searching for "cooking demo class-paella and tapas."



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Andy Weis Band with pianist Bill Spencer and bassist Joe Dolister (jazz, Friday at 7 p.m.), The Andy Weis Band with pianist Gary Meek and bassist Dan Robbins (jazz, Saturday) and The Andy Weis Band with pianist Gary Meek and bassist Pete Lips (jazz, Saturday). 2700 17 Mile Drive.

La Playa Hotel — The David Morwood Band (jazz, Saturday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 4 p.m.). Bud's Bar, Camino



Saxophonist Joshua Redman performs Saturday at the Monterey Jazz Festival. The three-day festival at the Monterey Fairgrounds, the 65th since 1958, kicks off Friday.

(classic rock, Friday at 7:30 p.m.). Carmel Plaza, Mission and Ocean.

The Lodge at Pebble Beach — singer and multi-instrumentalist Casey Wickstrom (rock and blues, Friday at 6 p.m.), singer and guitarist Hayley Jane (rock, Saturday at 6 p.m.) and singer and pianist John Harris (jazz, Sunday at 6 p.m.). In the Terrace Lounge at 1700 17 Mile Drive.

Lucy's On Lighthouse in Pacific Grove — The Chuck Brewer Band (rock and blues, Saturday at 2 p.m.) and The Pacific Jack Band (rock and blues, Sunday at 2 p.m.). 1120 Lighthouse Ave.

Massa Tasting Room in Carmel Valley - singer and guitarist **Rick Chelew** ('60s The Links Club — Victory Lane folk, Sunday at noon). 69 W. Carmel Val-

ley Road.

Midici Pizza in Monterey - singer Scotty Wright and keyboardist Martan Mann (jazz, Sunday at 5 p.m.) and singer Lauri Hofer Romero and guitarist Bruce Forman (jazz, Thursday at 6 p.m.). 467 Alvarado St.

Mission Ranch — singer Maddaline pianist Edstrom (jazz, Friday through Sunday at 5 p.m.) and pianist Gennady Loktionov (jazz, Monday through Thursday at 5 p.m.). 26270 Dolores St.

Monterey Plaza Hotel & Spa — pianist Steve Mann (jazz, Friday at 6 p.m.), singer and pianist Scott Brown (jazz and pop, Saturday at 6 p.m.), keyboardist Peter Cor (jazz, Sunday at 6 p.m.), guitarist John Sherry (folk, rock and blues, Wednesday at 6 p.m.) and singer and guitarist Casey Frazier (Thursday at 6 p.m.). 400 Cannery Row.

Puma Road at Portola Plaza in Monterey - singer and guitarist Benny Bassett (Friday at 6 p.m.), singer and guitarist Kris Angelis (Saturday at 6 p.m.) singer and guitarist Tom Faia and singer Kate Miller (Sunday at 5 p.m.). 281 Alvarado St.

Rio Grill — Andrea's Fault Duo (jazz and blues, Friday at 5 p.m.) singer and guitarist Casey Frazier (Saturday at noon) and guitarist Johan Sotelo (Sunday at noon). Crossroads shopping center.

The Sardine Factory in Monterey singer and multi-instrumentalist David Conley (pop and rock, Friday and Saturday, Tuesday through Thursday at 7:30 p.m.). 701 Wave St.

The Salty Seal Pub in Monterey — Mixtape (pop and rock, Friday at 8 p.m.), Neon City Limits (contemporary country covers, Saturday at 8 p.m.) and singer and guitarist Kyle Kovalik (Thursday at 8 p.m.). 653 Cannery Row.

Sly McFly's in Monterey — The Joy Bonner Band (pop and soul, Friday at 9 p.m.), 5 Star (rock and soul, Saturday at 9 p.m.), The Stingrays (Sunday at 9 p.m.), The Long Distance Flyers (classic rock, Monday at 9 p.m.) and Rhythm Tribe West (classic rock, Tuesday at 9 p.m.) . 700 Cannery Row.

Tarpy's in Monterey - singer and guitarist Dan Cortes (Friday at 5 p.m.), singer and multi-instrumentalist Meredith McHenry (Saturday at noon) and singer and guitarist Kevin Pfeffer (Sunday at noon). 2999 Highway 68.

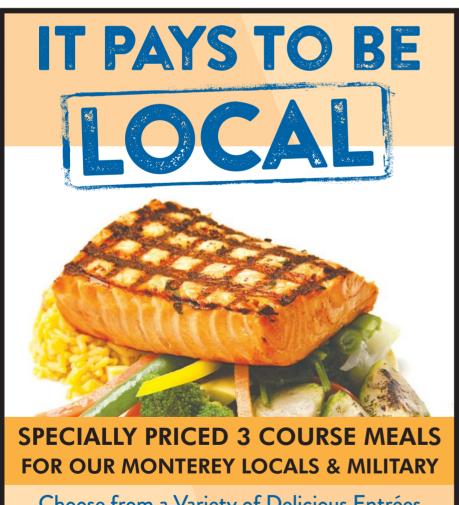
Trailside Cafe in Carmel Valley singer and guitarist Scott Fenton (Friday at 6 p.m.) and The Dave D'oh Show (pop, rock and soul, Saturday at 6 p.m.). 3 Del Fino Place.

Urban Lounge at the Red Lion Hotel in Monterey — Meez (rock, Friday at 7 p.m.) and the Tribe in the Sky's weekly Community Jam (Thursday at 7 p.m.). 1425 Munras Ave.

Wild Fish restaurant in Pacific Grove The Lighthouse Jazz Quartet with pianist Bob Phillips, saxophonist Paul Contos, bassist Zach Westfall and drummer Mike Shannon (Friday, Saturday at 6:30 p.m.). 545 Lighthouse Ave.

The Wine Bar in Carmel Valley singer and guitarist Tom Faia and singer Kate Miller (Friday at 5 p.m.). 1 E. Carmel Valley Road.





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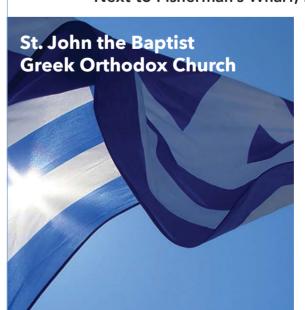






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NOTICE OF HEARING:
DATE: Oct. 21, 2022
TIME: 8:30 a.m.
DEPT: 14
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A copy of this Order to Show Cause
shall be published at least once each week
for four successive weeks prior to the date
set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation,
printed in this county: The Carmel Pine
Cone, Carmel.
(s) Thomas W. Wills
Judge of the Superior Court
By: Kristen DeMers, Deputy
Date filed: Aug. 23, 2022
Publication Dates: Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23,
2022. (PC 902)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. 22 V002509

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner, KAI ASTOR PINEDA-BOHN, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
APresent name:
KAI ASTOR PINEDA-BOHN

A Present name:

KAI ASTOR PINEDA-BOHN
Proposed name:
KAI PINEDA
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 that includes the reasons for the objection that includes the reasons for the objection that produced 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.
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(s) Inomas W. Wills
Judge of the Superior Court
By: Kristen DeMers, Deputy
Date filed: Aug. 23, 2022
Publication Dates: Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2022. (PC 903)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20221721 following person(s) is(are) doing

Ihe following person(s) is(are) doing business as:
Vision Center Brought to You By Walmart, 1800 North Main Street, Suite 700, Salinas, CA 93906, County of Monterey Mailing Address: 2435 Commerce Ave Building 2200, Duluth, GA 30096; Registered Owner(s):
National Vision, Inc., 2435 Commerce Ave Building 2200, Duluth, GA 30096; GA

Ave Building 2200, polo..., GA This business is conducted by a Corpo

ration
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 01/29/1997
S/ Jared Brandman, Secretary
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 08/18/2022
9/2.9/9.9/16.9/23/22

9/2, 9/9, 9/16, 9/23/22 CNS-3619446# CARMEL PINE CONE Publication

rublication Dates: Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2022. (PC 904)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20221720 following person(s) is(are) doing

business as:
America's Best Contacts & Eyeglasses, 1712 North Main Street, Salinas,
CA 93906, County of Monterey
Mailing Address: 2435 Commerce Ave
Building 2200, Duluth, GA 30096
Registered Owner(s):
National, Vision, Inc., 2435 Commerce

Registered Owner(s): National Vision, Inc., 2435 Commerce Ave Building 2200, Duluth, GA 30096; GA This business is conducted by a Corpo-

ration
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 11/17/2017
S/ Jared Brandman, Secretary
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 08/18/2022
9/2 9/9 9/16 9/23/22

08/18/2022 9/2, 9/9, 9/16, 9/23/22 CNS-3618984# CARMEL PINE CONE rublication Dates: Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2022. (PC 905)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20221713
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING
The following posses The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SHINE BRIGHT HCS, 905 Kimball Ave. #9, Seaside, California

93955.
Registered Owner(s):
MARIA DEL ROCIO MARIN
VELAZQUEZ, 905 Kimball Ave. #9, Seaside, CA 93955.
This business is conducted by an individual
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or
names listed above on Dec. 5, 2019.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL
INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT
IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant
who declares as true any material malter
pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business
and Professions Code the registrant knows
to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor
punishable by a fine not to exceed one
thousand dollars (\$1,000).
S/Maria Del Rocio Marin Velazquez
Date signed: Aug. 17, 2022
This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 17,
2022.

of Monterey County on Aug.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 17, 2022.

NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Interest of Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set Forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 1441) et seq., Business and Professions Code).

Publication Dates: Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2022. (PC 906)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20221667 Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING The following person(s) is The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DESIGNS BY ELAINE, 3612 The Barnyard, Ste. G-24, Carmel, CA 93923.

County of Principal Place of Business: MONTEREY.
Name of Corporation or LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Req.:
DESIGNS BY ELAINE LLC, 3612 The Barnyard, Ste. G-24, Carmel, CA 93923.
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: California This business is conducted by a limited liability company.
Registrant commenced to the commenced to th

This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 10, 2022.

BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INSTRUMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any materiel matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filing pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-6277). Selaine Lazarus, Manager Date: July 23, 2022

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 10, 2022.

NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision

Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 12, 2022.
NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a charge in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictifious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictifious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

Publication Dates: Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2022. (PC 908)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

Case No. 22CV002338
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Pelitioner, RYANNE ELIZABETH PRESSLER dka RYANNE E. PRESSLER, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A Present name:
RYANNE FITTE

A.Present name: RYANNE ELIZABETH PRESSLER aka RYANNE E. PRESSLER

RYANNE E. PRESSLER Proposed name:
RYANNE ELIZABETH HOWARD
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 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: Oct 7, 2022
TIME: 8:30 a.m.
DEPT: 15
The address of the court is 1200

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Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.
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printed in this county: The Carmel Pine
Cone, Carmel.
(s) Thomas W. Wills
Judge of the Superior Court
By: S. Mendez, Deputy
Date filed: Aug. 9, '2022
Publication Dates: Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23,
2022. (PC 909)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20221752 iling type: ORIGINAL FILING. he_following_person(s)_is_(are)_doing

business as:

1. MIJA MUJER
2. MIJA MUJER CLOTHES
202 Main St., Salinas, CA 93901.
Mailing address: 11080 Washington
St., Castroville, CA 95012.
Registered Owner(s):

St., Castroville, CA 95012.
Registered Owner(s):
SAMANTHA CRYSTAL VARELA, 11080
Washington st., Castroville, CA 95012.
Inis business is conducted by an individual.
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one housand dollars (\$1,000).
S/Samantha C. Varelo
Date signed: Aug. 24, 2022
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 24, 2022.
NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision

Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 24, 2022.
NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictifious Business Name Statement must

be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictifious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 1441) ef seq., Business and Professions Code). Publication Dates: Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2022. [PC 911]

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20221762 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: toribashi, 487 Alvarado Street, Monterey, CA 93940 County of MONTEREY

County or MOTIVE Registrant(s):
TORIBASHI FOOD INC, 487 Alvarado
Street, Monterey, CA 93940
This business is conducted by a orporation

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. TORIBASHI FOOD INC S/KIBONG CHOI, CEO, This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 08/26/2022.
9/9.9/16.9/23, 9/30/22
CN5-3611728#
CARMEL PINE CONE
Publication Dates: Sept. 9. 16. 23. 3.0

Publication Dates: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2022. (PC 914)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20221782
The following person(s) is(are) doing Optimum, One Court Square, Long Island City, NY 11120, County of Queens, NY

Queens, NY
Registered Owner(s):
Cequel III Communications I, LLC, One
Court Square, Long Island City, NY
III2O; State of Inc./ Org./Reg. Delaware
This business is conducted by a Limited
Liability Company
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name
listed above on August 1, 2022
S/ Marie Quatela, Secretary
This statement was filed with the
County Clerk of Monterey County on
08/29/2029
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08/29/2022 9/9, 9/16, 9/23, 9/30/22 CNS-3622035# CARMEL PINE CONE

Publication Dates: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2022. (PC 917)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20221783
The following person(s) is(are) doing Optimum, One Court Square, Long Island City, NY 11120, County of Queens, NY

Gueens, NY
Registered Owner(s):
NPG Cable, LLC, One Court Square,
Long Island City, NY 11120
This business is conducted by a Limited
Liability Company
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name
listed above on August 1, 2022
S/ Marie Quatela, Secretary
This statement was filed with the
County Clerk of Monterey County on
08/29/2022
CN5-3622037#
CARMEL PINE CONE
Publication Dates: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30,

Publication Dates: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2022. (PC 918) FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20221784 following person(s) is(are) doing ness as

business as:

Optimum, One Court Square, Long Island City, NY 11120, County of Queens, NY
Registered Owner(s):
Cebridge Acquisition, L.P., One Court Square, Long Island City, NY 11120
This business is conducted by a Limited Partnership

Partnership

Partnership
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on August 1, 2022
S/ Marie Quatela, Secretary
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 08/29/2022

9/9, 9/16, 9/23, 9/30/22 CNS-3622039# CARMEL PINE CONE Publication Dates: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2022. (PC 919)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20221810
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: AABHA INDIAN GRILL AND HOOKAH LOUNGE, 220 Olivier Street, Monterey, CA 93940.
County of Principal Place of Business: MONTEREY.
Name of Corporation or LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.:
AKAB INC, 3690 The Barnyard, Carmel, CA 93923.
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA
This business is conducted by a corporation.

tion.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Sept. 1, 2022.

BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuent to Section 17013 of the Business and TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be talse is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filing pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-6277).

S/Shupedner Singh, CEO

\$7\$hupedner Singh, CEO Date: Sept. 1, 2022 Date: Sept. 1, 2022 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 1,

2022. NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name (a) of Section 17220, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictilious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

Publication Dates: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2022. (PC 920) SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. 22CV002648
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner, KALEA RAYNE KELLER, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A.<u>Present name:</u> KALEA RAYNE KELLER

KAIEA RAYNE KELLER
Proposed name:
KAIEA TARA RAYNE
KAIEA TARA RAYNE
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 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: Nov. 4, 2022
TIME: 8:30 a.m.
DEPT: 15
Line address of the court is 1200

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printed in this county: The Carmel Pine
Cone, Carmel.
(s) Thomas W. Wills
Judge of the Superior Court
By: Stephanie Mendez, Deputy
Date filed: Sept. 6, 2022
Publication Dates: Sept. 16, 23, 30; Oct. 7,
2022. (PC 922)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. 22CV002696
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner, WENDY FARIAS TOPETE, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A.Present name: WENDY FARIAS TOPETE

A Present name:
WENDY FARIAS TOPETE
Proposed name:
JANELLE MONICA TOPETE
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 pelition 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 of a 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:
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DEPT: 14
The address of the court is 1200
Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.
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(s) Thomas W. Wills
Judge of the Superior Court
By: Stephanie Mendez, Deputy
Date filed: Sept. 6, 2022
Publication Dates: Sept. 16, 23, 30; Oct. 7, 2022. (PC 923)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. 22CV002697
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner, TOMMY LEE STANLEY, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A Present page: names as tollows:

A.Present name:
TOMMY LEE STANLEY

TOMMY LEE STANLEY
Proposed name:
TOMMY JOE STANLEY
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
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must appear at the hearing to show cause 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.

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printed in this county: The Carmel Pine
Cone, Carmel.
(s) Thomas W. Wills
Judge of the Superior Court
By: Stephanie Mendez, Deputy
Date filed: Sept. 9, 2022
Publication Dates: Sept. 16, 23, 30; Oct. 7,
2022. (PC 924)

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT
OF USE OF FICTITIOUS
BUSINESS NAME
File No. 20221853
Filing type: ABANDONMENT:
County of Filing: Monterey
Date of Original Filing: Oct. 14, 2020
File No.: 20201861
The following person(s) is (are)

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MONTEREY CAR CONDOS, 398 Shasta Street #B, Sand City, CA 93955.
Mailing address: P.O. Box 743, Seaside, CA 93955.

side, CA 93955.

County of Principal Place of Business: MONTEREY.

Name of Corporation or LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org/Reg.:

A. STROUSE & SON GLASS, INC. 398

Shasta Street, #B, Sand City, CA 93955.

State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA

This business is conducted by a corporation

This business is conducted by a corporation.

5/Cecilia Canisso-Strouse, Secretary Date: Aug. 24, 2022
BY SIGNING: I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilly of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filing pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-6277).

This statement was filed with the County Distriction of the County Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 8, 2022.

Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 8, 2022.
NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 1411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

Publication Dates: Sept. 16, 23, 30; Oct. 7, 2022. (PC 926)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. 22CV002652 TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner, CARLOS L. CLEMENTE, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A.Present name: CARLOS LAUREN CLEMENTE

CARLOS LAUREN CLEMENTE
Proposed name:
KARLOS CLEMENTE
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 change
sedescribed above must file a written
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The address of the court is 1200
Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.
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(s) Thomas W. Wills
Judge of the Superior Court
Date filed: Sept. 6, 2022
Publication Dates: Sept. 16, 23, 30; Oct. 7, 2022. (PC 927)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20221882
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RASHA MORAD, MD PA, 7020 Valley Greens Drive, Apt. 16, Carmel, CA 93923.
County of Principal Place of Business: MONTEREY.
Name of Corporation and Control of Corporation and Control of Corporation and Control of Corporation and Corporat

MONTEREY.

Name of Corporation or LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.:

RASHA MORAD MD, 7020 Valley Greens Drive, Apt. 16, Carmel, CA 93923. State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA
This business is conducted by a corpora-Ihis Dusiness is controlled by a servicion.
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Aug. 22, 2022.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS
TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any materiel matter purious services 17013 of the Business and

RUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any materiel matter pursuant to Section 1791 as of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be talse is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filing pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-6271).

52/7). 5/Rasha Morad, MD Oate: Sept. 12, 2022 This statement was filed with the County Clock of Monterey County on Sept. 12, 2022

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 12, 2022.

NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of tive years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) 15 Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name for the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of fiself 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 1411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

Publication Dates: Sept. 23, 30; Oct. 7, 14, 2022. (PC 928)

LEGALS DEADLINE: Tuesday 3:00 pm

Call Irma (831) 274-8645

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20221802
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CHRISTOPHER PRO INSURANCE SERVICES, 925 Fountain Ave, Pacific Grove, California 93950.
Mailing address: P.O. Box 221668, Carmel, California 93922.
County of Principal Place of Business: MONTEREY, MONTEREY, MONTEREY, OR OF CONTEREY, OR OF CONTEREY OF CONTENT O

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20221893 Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING, The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

business as:

1. GARDENS TO GROW AND MORE
2. VISTA LIFESTYLE SCREENS &
DOORS

5100 Coe Ave #9, Seaside, California, 93955.

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Registered Owner(s):
GAIL PATRICIA THOMPSON, 5100 Coe Ave, #9, Seaside, California 93955.
This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declores as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code the registrant knows to be false is guilly of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
S/Gail Thompson Jate signed: Sept. 14, 2022.
This statement was filled with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 14, 2022.
NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision

Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 14, 2022.

NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 1441) et seq., Business and Professions Codel.

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(Citacion Judicial)
CASE NUMBER: 22CV001580
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ne cour nas a statutory lien for waivea fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case. ¡AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 días, la corte puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su versión. Lea la información a continuación escucnar su version. Lea la información a continuación.
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presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible

que haya un formulario que usted pueda

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que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta.
Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le de un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.

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The name and address of the court is [El nombre y direccion de le corte es]: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF MONTEREY 1200 AGUAJITO ROAD MONTEREY, CA 93940

The name, address and telephone number of the plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is [El nombre, la direccion y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene obogado, es]:

Michael Avramidis, 277314 Pacific
Grove Law Group 207
16th St., Suite 303
Pacific Grove, CA, 93950
(831) 204-8223
Date: June 7, 2022
(s) Stephanie Mendez, Deputy
NOTICE TO THE PERSON
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416.10 (corporation)
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23, 2022. (PC912)

abogado,es):
Michael Avramidis, 277314 Pacific

State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA
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aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filiar
pursuant to the California Public Records
Act (Government Code Sections 62506277).
S/Mary Chancellor, President
Date: Aug. 27, 2022.
This statement was filed with the County
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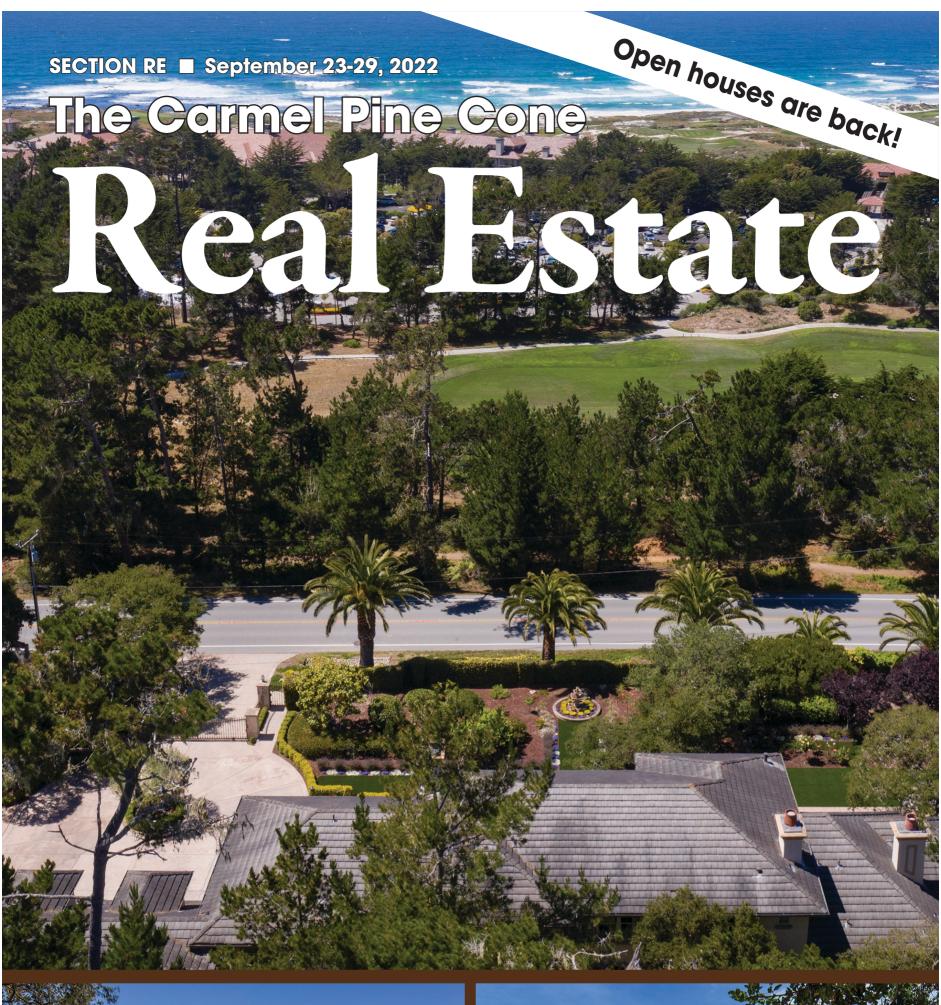
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■ This week's cover property, located in Pebble Beach, is presented by Christine Chin of Carmel Realty Company (See Page 2RE)



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September 23-29, 2022



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The Carmel Pine Cone

Guadalupe Street, 2 SE of Third Avenue -\$2,600,000

Pamela Eaton to David and Mary Alexander APN: 010-023-016

Carmelo Street, 4 NW of Eighth Avenue -\$3,800,000

Sara Penn to Sigmund and Nancy Lee APN: 010-268-004

See **HOME SALES** page 4RE

September 23, 2022

PANORAMIC VIEWS OF CARMEL POINT 2752 16TH AVENUE, CARMEL





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OPEN HOUSE | SAT 12-3 SUN 1-3 1116 Presidio Road, Pebble Beach



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OPEN HOUSE | SAT 12-3 SUN 1-3 936 Sand Dunes Rd, Pebble Beach



2 bedroom, 2 1/2 bathroom, 2127 sq.ft. Offered at \$3,695,000

Amazing Country Club West location walkable to Moss Beach, golf courses and Spanish Bay. Single level, corner lot beach house tastefully updated with beautiful gardens and filtered ocean views. This is a piece of paradise!

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3 bedrooms, 4 bath, 2,261 sq. ft. Offered at \$3,495,000

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UNDER CONTRACT 25340 Vista del Pinos



4 bedroom, 3 1/2 bathroom, 4107 sq.ft. Offered at \$3,695,000

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HOME SALES

From page 2RE

Carmel (con't.)

Lincoln Street, 4 NE of Seventh Avenue -\$6,000,000

Alexandra and Andrew Morgan and Robert and Christopher Eckhardt to Daniel and Karen Mason APN: 010-147-011

Carmel Highlands

190 Upper Walden Road - \$3,200,000

Eduardo and Renata Blas to Debra Milner APN: 241-282-004

133 Carmel Riviera Drive — \$3,668,000

Kenneth Shachmut to Kenneth and Ingrid Conroy APN: 243-162-002



133 Carmel Riviera Drive, Carmel Highlands — \$3,668,000

Carmel Valley

Country Club Drive - \$520,000

Chris and Lisa Shake to Mehdi Vatani APN: 187-331-006

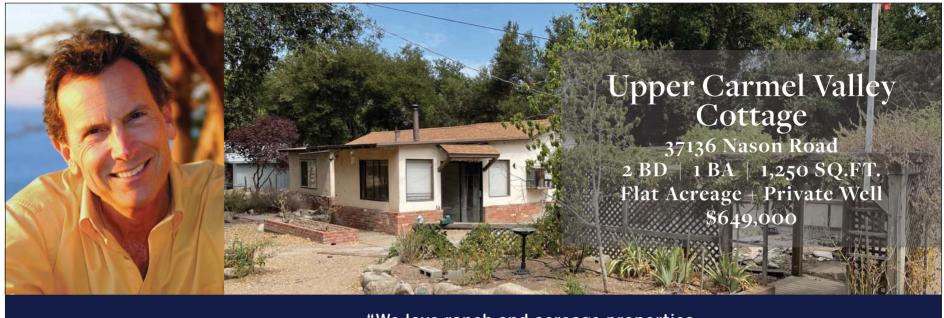


46 Rancho San Carlos Road, Carmel Valley — \$5,900.000

Carmel Valley (con't.)

16 Woodside Place - \$1,100,000

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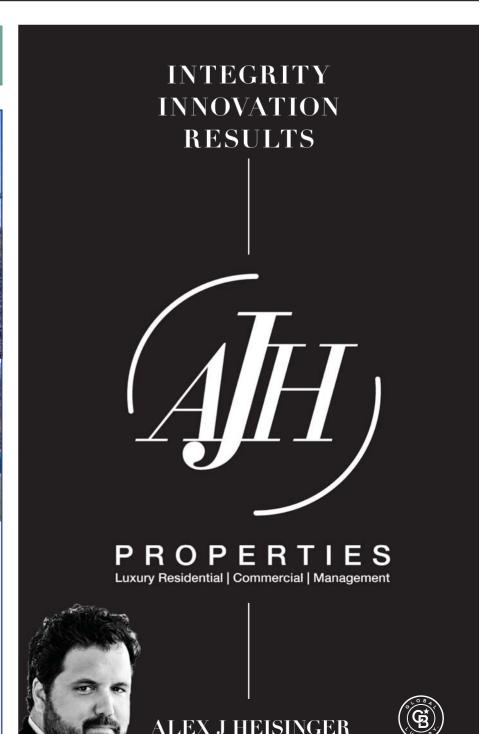
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Thoughts on the universe, the passage of time and fine grape jelly

"A sloop of amber slips away, Upon an ether sea, And wrecks in peace a purple tar, The son of ecstasy.

- "Sunset" by Emily Dickinson

RECENTLY TESS, the Transiting Exoplanet Survey Satellite, spotted a new planet only 31 light years away. Its name is GJ 357d. I'm not sure why astronomers chose that name — after all, Pluto is available. They could probably pick it up on GoDaddy for a few bucks. If anyone lives on GJ 357d and is observing us, they would say we live in a

I think Carmel-by-the-Sea is light years away from just

about any other place in the country. Once a haven for artists and poets, it's become a garden of earthly delight. Carmel abounds in artistic brilliance, fine dining, famous events that draw thousands of visitors, and splendiferous shopping to keep a steady flow of tourists happy they came and eager to return.

My preference when eating out is to dine al fresco. Usually the weather is too cool to eat outside, even if a restaurant has heaters. However, a recent spate of hot days

Scenic Views

By JERRY GERVASE

and warm evenings prompted us to seek an outdoor setting. We found one unconfined by the ceilings and walls of a building. It is the best place in town: a bench on Scenic Road overlooking Carmel Beach.

The meal we prepared was modest compared to a threestar restaurant. I chose jelly from Welch Vineyards, the source of America's No. 1 Grape Jelly. It has no artificial flavors or colors. It tastes great without them. I paired the jelly with a robust peanut butter for a classic PB&J sandwich. It is "boy" peanut butter, a designation given to it by my children when they were young, because it has nuts.

Galactic cathedral

Though our repast was humble, the smorgasbord of scenic splendor set before us was majestic. The ocean and the land saturated all five senses. We could smell the briny sea air. The spray coming off the surf was salty on our tongues, and we could touch the powdery sand. We listened to the keening of sea birds, and heard and saw the pounding waves on the shore.

Suddenly, it was time. Conversation ceased. The beach was still. We had entered the sanctuary of a great galactic cathedral to witness a ceremony that has taken place for ... for what ... millions of years? Yet, it was over so quickly. You have to enjoy it in the moment or it's gone. Do nothing. Say nothing. Just watch and relax into the experience. Savor the epitome of fleeting beauty, those inexplicable moments when time seems to stand still. Odd how something as visible as a sunset can make us aware of something as invisible and powerful as time.

See **GERVASE** page 8RE

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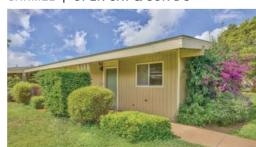
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From page 4A

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

Carmel Valley: Adult Protective Services reported neglect at an East Carmel Valley Road residence.

Pacific Grove: Found cell phone at Pine and Willow.

Big Sur: A deceased male was located at the bottom of a bridge on Highway 1. The search and rescue team was called, and the male was recovered.

Pacific Grove: Driver issued a citation for having a suspended license. Released at scene.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Traffic stop at Rio Road and Highway 1 at 2216 hours resulted in a 46-year-old male from Monterey being arrested for fentanyl sales and other charges, including felony appropriation of lost property, check fraud, possession of narcotics, possession of unlawful paraphernalia and driving on a suspended license. The 47-year-old female passenger, who lives at the same address, was arrested for various narcotics charges and violation of probation. Both subjects were lodged at county jail, and their vehicle was impounded.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle towed from Carmel Rancho Boulevard and Carmel Valley Road at 0300 hours for having expired registration and the driver being unlicensed.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Woman lost her cell phone while dining at a local restaurant.

Pacific Grove: A suspect was arrested at Ripple and 17 Mile Drive for violating a domestic violence restraining or-

wright Court where the reporting party did not desire prosecution and only wanted the incident documented for infor-

son. Person was located on Sunset Drive and removed from the missing persons system.

Pebble Beach: Adult Protective Services reported possible financial exploitation of a resident of Paradise Park Road.

See **SHERIFF** page 11RE

der, possession of unlawful paraphernalia and possession of a controlled substance. Pacific Grove: Dispatched to a reported battery on Ark-

Pacific Grove: Outside agency assist for a missing per-

Big Sur: Resident reported damage to three mailboxes on

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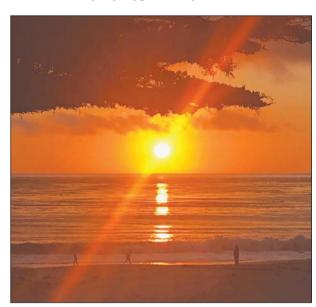
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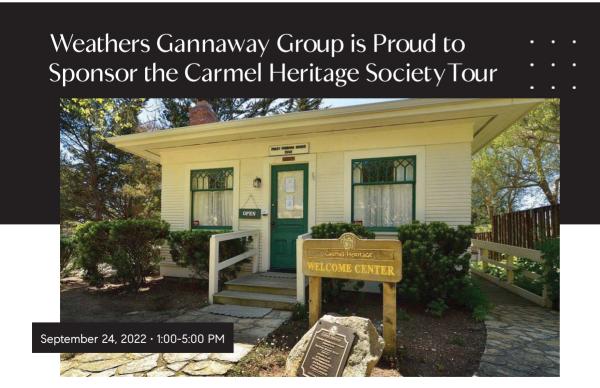
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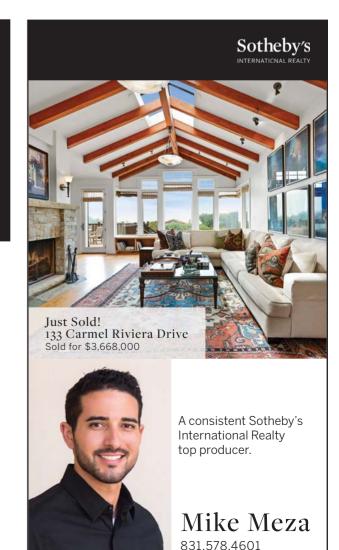
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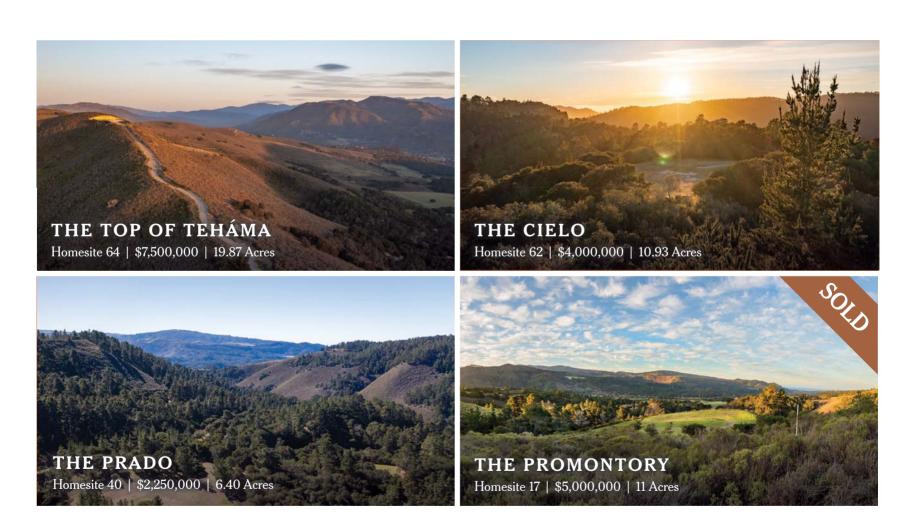


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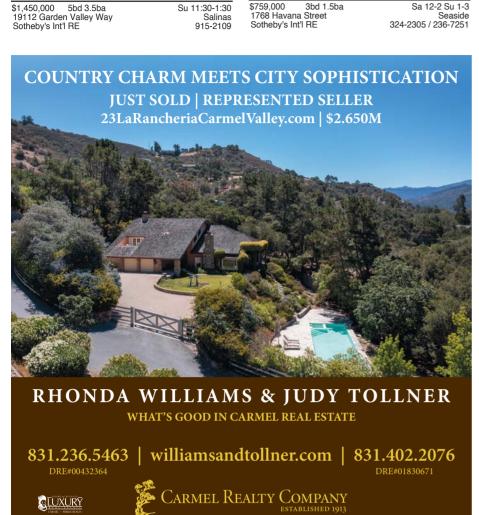


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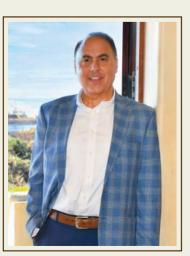


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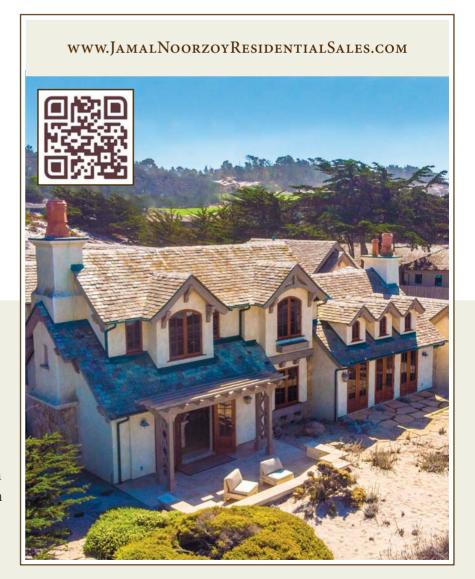
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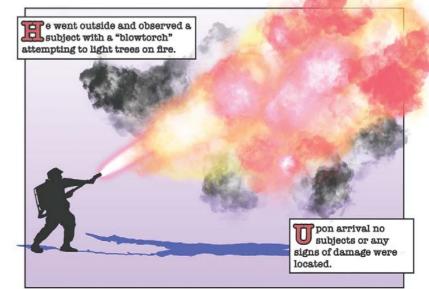
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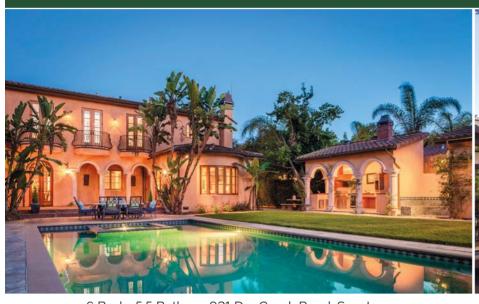
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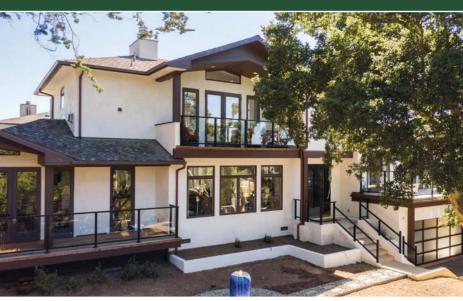
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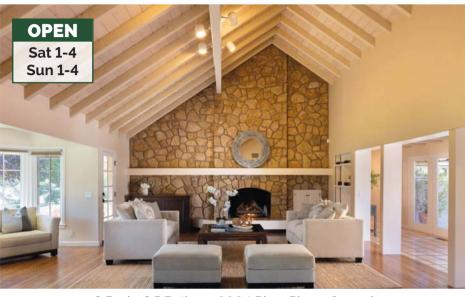
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