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50 Years of Honoring Those Who Go Well Beyond the Call of Duty



Officers, Sergeants, Lieutenants, Captains and the Police Chief attended the Medal of Valor ceremony and supported our awardees. Photo Provided by City of El Segundo. See story below.

Five ESPD Officers Honored at Medal of Valor Ceremony

By Brian Simon

Five members of the El Segundo Police Department (ESPD) were among those celebrated during last Thursday's South Bay Medal of Valor Awards luncheon. Held at the Torrance Marriott, with about 500 people in attendance, this marked the 50th year of the annual ceremony honoring police and fire personnel who go well beyond the call of duty, demonstrating bravery and heroism in situations of extreme and imminent personal danger. Organized by the South Bay Police and Fire Memorial Foundation, the event recognizes the deeds of first responders from the nine neighboring mutual aid municipalities that, in addition to El Segundo, also include Gardena, Hawthorne, Hermosa Beach, Inglewood, Manhattan Beach, Palos Verdes Estates, Redondo Beach, and Torrance. Last Thursday's ceremony highlighted the acts of 32 individuals, resulting in three Distinguished Service Awards, five Sustained Superiority Awards, 20 Life-Saving Awards, and four Medal of Valor designations (the highest of all honors). Long-time news anchor Glen Walker served as moderator while 12-year-old El Segundo resident Charlee Groendal sang the National Anthem.

The particular incident that earned distinction for ESPD occurred the morning of February 17, 2025, when Sergeant Alex Leavitt and Officers Collin Furrow, Baron

Gaunt, and Brook Marshall responded to a series of emergency calls stemming from an active assault in an apartment on Penn Street. Neighbors heard a woman in an apartment screaming "help me" and "call 911," and they alerted ESPD. Directed by witnesses outside to the unit in question, the arriving officers approached the doorway. They found the victim on the floor, covered in blood, after she suffered multiple stab wounds to her head, neck, arms, and torso. The suspect, later confirmed as the woman's son, stood just a few feet away, wielding a knife and refusing to drop his weapon despite repeated commands to do so.

With the woman's life in serious danger and little time to spare, Sergeant Leavitt and Officer Marshall immediately moved between the armed suspect and the victim to protect her and thwart any additional attack. Creating this crucial protective barrier allowed Officers Furrow and Gaunt to swiftly mobilize and pull the victim out of the apartment and into safety. In the process, the two became covered in blood themselves.

Though out of harm's way from the assailant, the woman was in critical condition due to the excessive blood loss. By that point, Officer Mike Keltner had arrived to assist Officer Gaunt with life-saving measures. "Together, the officers applied tourniquets to control the severe hemorrhaging and worked

to stabilize her while waiting for paramedics," a summary from ESPD command reported. "Despite the severity of the victim's injuries, the officers' actions kept her alive. She was transported to the hospital, where she ultimately survived and made a full recovery." Meanwhile, after a lengthy standoff, the remaining officers managed to apprehend the suspect and bring him into custody with no injuries sustained by those onsite.

For these brave actions, Sergeant Leavitt and Officers Furrows, Gaunt, and Marshall received the four Medal of Valor awards. Officer Keltner garnered a Life Saving Award for his critical role in helping the victim survive the assault.

The selection process for the annual Medal of Valor recipients starts within individual departments that issue recommendations. Once vetted, the nominations then go through a screening panel of executive officers and chiefs from the Memorial Foundation. Since the first luncheon held in March 1975, including this year, ESPD officers have garnered a combined 20 Medal of Valor, 18 Distinguished Service, two Sustained Experience, and five Life Saving awards. The five recipients in 2026 match 2001 for the most El Segundo representatives in any calendar year.

Sergeant Leavitt joined the department in the spring of 2007 and currently works on

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Weekend Forecast

Friday
Partly
Cloudy
68°/58°



Saturday
Partly
Cloudy
70°/60°



Sunday
Mostly
Sunny
73°/60°



Herald in Mexico



The Bonilla's and Zecchini's celebrating Nicolas and Chandler's wedding in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico.

El Camino Touts Benefits of Dual Enrollment for Fall

El Camino College wants El Segundo teens to consider earning high school and college credit at the same time through dual enrollment at the community college. College leaders explained the many benefits of the program Saturday at a workshop at the Torrance campus.

The most obvious is students can earn a college degree more quickly and pay no enrollment fees while they're still in grades nine through twelve because El Camino waives the fees, organizers explained. Students who apply to the program and are accepted can build confidence as they experience and succeed in college-level courses, according to the workshop presenters. Also, high schoolers who dual enroll get a head start with college application and registration processes.

Two types of dual enrollment are available for the summer and fall of 2026. The first is dual enrollment in El Camino College classes, both on-campus and online. Students choosing this track must register themselves and pay for textbooks and fees. The other option is dual enrollment at local high schools. This track is also known as

dual enrollment, career pathways or early college classes. High schools will provide the college textbooks, though the registration is done at El Camino or online.

Besides El Segundo and Arena high schools, other local campuses that participate include Hawthorne, Lawndale, and Leuzinger from the Centinela Valley District. Inglewood High School, Animo Inglewood and Lennox also partner with El Camino; so does Da Vinci Communications, Design and Science in El Segundo. Mira Costa and Redondo Union high schools.

Six-week summer classes start June 22 and meet Monday through Thursday. Fall classes begin Aug. 24 and end Dec. 12 though there are some eight-week courses available. Home-schooled teens are eligible for dual enrollment, too.

More information about dual enrollment class schedules and how to apply can be found at <https://www.elcamino.edu/academics/dual-enrollment/docs/Summer-Fall-2026-Info-Session.pdf>. For questions about the program, email at dualenrollment@elcamino.edu or call 310-660-3344. •

Letters

Dear Editor,

On behalf of C.A.S.E. Food Pantry, we would like to take this moment to thank the incredible El Segundo community for the continued generosity and support they show our neighbors in need. To our donors, local businesses, schools, students, charitable partners, and community members — thank you. Your compassion and commitment make it possible for CASE to continue serving local families facing food insecurity. El Segundo is a special community because people here truly care for one another. This generosity is behind everything we do and gives us purpose every day. We could

not do this without you. Every donation, large or small, and every act of kindness makes a meaningful difference. A special thank you to our El Segundo schools that have engaged students and families in our work — You are instilling values of service and empathy in the next generation, and that is perhaps the most meaningful gift of all. If you would like to learn more about CASE and how you can help, visit casepantryelsegundo.org and then help spread the word.

*With gratitude, C.A.S.E.
(Community Alliance to Support and Empower)*

Police Reports

Monday, May 18

A traffic collision (non-injury) report was taken at 0815 hours from the 600 block of Hawaii Street, vehicle versus vehicle.

A traffic collision (with injuries) report was taken at 0844 hours from the 100 block of South Aviation Boulevard, vehicle versus bicyclist.

A traffic collision (non-injuries) report was taken at 0909 hours from the 1900 block of East Maple Avenue, vehicle versus vehicle.

A hit and run report was taken at 1053 hours from the 300 block of Main Street, vehicle versus vehicle.

A grand theft report was taken at 1429 hours from the 600 block of East Imperial Avenue. An unknown suspect(s) stole the victim's catalytic converter.

A petty theft report was taken at 1510 hours from the 700 block of South Pacific Coast Highway. An unknown suspect(s) stole store merchandise.

A found property report was taken 1605 hours from the 1900 block of East Mariposa Avenue. Two firearms were found.

A hit and run report was taken at 2154 hours from the 800 block of South Pacific Coast Highway, vehicle versus vehicle.

Tuesday, May 19

One male adult was arrested at 1414 hours from the 500 block of North Pacific Coast Highway for petty theft.

One male adult was arrested at 1910 hours from the 700 block of South Pacific Coast Highway for petty theft with priors.

A missing persons report was taken at 2020 hours from the 300 block of Main Street. A female adult was reported missing.

One male adult was arrested at 2046 hours from the 700 block of South Pacific Coast Highway for carrying a concealed weapon.

One female adult was arrested at 2046 hours from the 700 block of South Pacific Coast Highway for one misdemeanor warrant out of LASD.

One female adult was arrested at 2046 hours from the 700 block of South Pacific Coast Highway for one no bail out of state warrant and one misdemeanor warrant out of LAPD.

Wednesday, May 20

A hit and run (non-injury) report was taken at 0612 hours from the 600 block of South Douglas Street, vehicle versus center median.

A stolen vehicle report was taken at 1104 hours from the 500 block of East Imperial Avenue. A 2016 Hyundai was stolen.

A stolen vehicle report was taken at 1423 hours from the 1000 block of East Imperial Avenue. A 2018 Hyundai was stolen.

Thursday, May 21

A traffic collision (non-injury) report was taken at 0707 hours from the 200 block of Noth Douglas Street, vehicle versus vehicle.

One male adult was detained at 1443 hours from El Segundo Boulevard and Arena Street and transported to Exodus hospital for a 72-hour psychological evaluation.

A dog bite report was taken at 1512 hours from the 300 block of Main Street.

A found property report was taken at 1738 hours from Washington Street and Walnut Avenue. A computer was found.

A shoplifting report was taken at 1943 hours from the 300 block of North Pacific Coast

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Sports

Seniors Sign Their Letters of Intent

Story and Photos by Gregg McMullin

El Segundo High School is a California Distinguished School. So, students’ classroom demands can be challenging. Couple that with the competitiveness of athletes in their sport, and it can be said that El Segundo High School helps prepare them for their college experience.

One of the most significant milestones of a student-athletes’ journey is receiving a verbal offer from a collegiate program. Years of dedication on the field of play and in the classroom have led to this exciting moment. But the process isn’t complete until the student-athlete signs a Letter of Intent, binding them to the school that made the offer.

El Segundo High School has had plenty of success both in the classroom and on the playing field. Besides being brilliant in the classroom, some have excelled as athletes as well. The chances of earning an athletic scholarship are pretty slim, so it’s reserved for the gifted in the classroom and on the playing field. The Class of 2026 had eighteen student-athletes sign their Letters of Intent in front of a full gym of family and friends.

The 18 student-athletes who celebrated their signing day represent those who excelled in soccer, lacrosse, basketball, tennis, baseball, beach volleyball, swimming, and water polo. So, let’s meet the first 10 special student-athletes who will compete in soccer, lacrosse, basketball, and tennis. Next week, we’ll highlight the other eight who will compete in swimming, Beach Volleyball, softball, and baseball while earning their degrees.

Josie Topar
(Women’s Soccer)

Josie is a four-year letterwinner for the

Eagles, playing forward. She will attend Westmont College, study psychology, and play for the Warriors. During her four years, she earned First-team All-League honors and was named the team’s Legacy Player. She will cherish having Jersey Mike’s picnics after practice and would like to thank her father for his support. “My dad is the reason I kept playing, and I can’t be any more grateful for his support.”

Maxwell Abroms
(Men’s Soccer)

Maxwell has been one of the soccer program’s elite players over his four years as a center-back. He was named the Ocean League’s Defensive Player of the Year, a two-time All-Bay League first team member, and selected to the All-CIF and All-Regional First Team. Maxwell will attend Nichols College (Massachusetts) and study Business while playing for the Bison’s soccer team. He says his favorite high school moment was defeating Redondo in a CIF-SS playoff during his junior year. He would also like to thank his family, especially his mother and father, for their incredible support and reason for his success.

Kalista McMillon
(Women’s Lacrosse)

Kali is a two-sport star who starred on the basketball team and excelled on the lacrosse CIF-winning team. She is a four-year starter on the lacrosse team, earning All-Ocean League first-team honors three times, All-Area honors twice, team MVP honors, and being an All-America nominee. Kalista will study Sports Management at the University of Colorado, Colorado Springs, and play soccer for the Mountain Lions. She says

her favorite memory is playing for a CIF Southern Section title twice and winning her senior year. Kalista would like to thank her mother and father for their passionate support through her journey, her coaches for providing her with amazing teammates she can call her family.

Grace Beetner
(Women’s Lacrosse)

Grace is a gifted lacrosse player who was a standout for the first three years of high school before an injury sidelined her during her senior year. This defenseman earned All-League honors during her sophomore and junior years, and All-Area honors as a junior. Grace will be attending Oberlin College (Ohio) and studying Global Health and Biology. She says her favorite memory would be playing for a CIF championship as a junior. She said being there, cheering on her team on the sidelines to win the title as a senior, was special. Grace would like to thank her coaches from L.A. Select, Coach Trenna and Coach Meghan, who helped guide her to love lacrosse. Her high school coaches, Coach Mac and Coach Lana, saved the program, created a family atmosphere, and guided the team to back-to-back CIF championship games. Lastly, Grace would like to thank her parents for their support and for putting up with 3 a.m. drives to lacrosse tournaments, all the drives to practices, and their loving support throughout her entire life.

Kyra Snell
(Women’s Lacrosse)

Kyra is another four-year standout on the lacrosse team. She is a two-time All-League player and earned All-CIF honors, as well as earning the Heart of the Team Award as a

sophomore. In college, she plans on studying Sports Science and physical therapy at Johnson and Wales University (Rhode Island) while playing for the Wildcats. Winning the CIF Southern Section Division 2 championship with her teammates was a favorite memory she will cherish. Kyra would like to thank her coaches for their support and for never stopping believing in me. “To my mother for her endless support and my friends for always being there to celebrate with me after everything was over.”

Isaiah Rodriguez
(Men’s Lacrosse)

Isaiah is a standout two-sport athlete who helped lead the football team to back-to-back years to a CIF playoff berth and four consecutive CIF playoff berths in lacrosse. This defenseman was selected to two All-League lacrosse teams and will take his talents to play lacrosse for the Lynn University (Boca Raton, Florida) Fighting Knights. Isaiah, who will study Sports Management in college, says his favorite high school moments were on the bus rides home after winning a game. He is grateful for what direction the future has in store for him and said, “I’m grateful for the support I got from my parents, coaches, friends, and teammates because they have been there with me along this incredible ride.”

Mason Smith
(Men’s Lacrosse)

Mason is one of those special players you’d like on your team because of his competitiveness and his team player attitude. This defenseman excelled for the Eagles for three years and earned All-Ocean League status and a spot on the TLI All-Star team.

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Josie Topar will be playing soccer at Westmont College while studying Psychology.



Maxwell Abroms will play soccer at Nichols College and study for a Business degree.



Kalista McMillon, a two-sport star, will play lacrosse at the University of Colorado, Colorado Springs.



Grace Beetner will take her lacrosse talents to Oberlin College.

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WEEKLY CROSSWORD

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Across

1. Kind of hat or coat

4. Shirt label

7. Give

11. Be in arrears

12. In past time

13. Footnote acknowledgment

15. Gave power to

17. Mistreated

18. Basket material

19. Parcel of land

20. I-pod maker

23. Recalled

28. Briny water

29. Shower suds

31. Stringed toy

32. Small amounts of

35. Non-winning race horse

37. Bust, so to speak

38. Sunrise occurs at this time

39. Babe

42. Expense division

46. Group of contestants

47. Subdued

48. Past ____; late bill

49. With no deviations

52. “I ____ thought about it”

54. Soul artist, Charles

55. Shed item

57. Sword or spear, for example

61. Dark forests

64. At the table

65. Lunch time, for some

66. Mine yield

67. Garden shader

68. “Indeed”

69. Candle material

Down

1. Final X, maybe

2. ____ up!

3. Necklace gem

4. Story

5. Worn

6. Divinity

7. Mammal coat

8. Equip

9. Solid water

10. Directed and managed

13. Exhausted

14. “I do solemnly swear ... ,” e.g.

16. Queen, for example

19. Backtalk

20. Barbecue remnant

21. Split soup

22. Greek god of fields and flocks

23. Is no longer

24. Eager

25. Reel companion

26. Heart of a hurricane

27. Succeeded

29. Grey flannel clothing

30. Hackneyed

33. TV series category

34. Cheering crowd member

35. Husband, to his wife, say

36. Thunderstruck reaction

38. Boulder ____

39. ____ Too Late

40. Acrobat’s lifesaver

41. Way out of reach

42. Persian, e.g.

43. Like 1, 3, 5 or 7

44. “Head for the hills!”

45. Furthermore

47. Commandment pronoun

50. Chipping choice on a golf course

51. Street band

52. Biker’s mount

53. Grant

55. Whistler’s whistle

56. Single entities

57. Rainy

58. Big elephant feature

59. Had a bite

60. Pizza

61. Christmas carol emotion

62. One for the history books

63. Male or female, e.g.

Last Week's Answers

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SUDOKU Medium

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Each Sudoku puzzle consists of a 9X9 grid that has been subdivided into nine smaller grids of 3X3 squares. To solve the puzzle each row, column and box must contain each of the numbers 1 to 9.

Medal of Valor

from front page

patrol. He also received a Life Saving Award at last year's event. Officer Furrows joined ESPD at the end of 2022 and is a Field Training Officer. Officer Gaunt came aboard in the summer of 2023 and is a Motor Officer. Officer Marshall came to the department in July 2024 and is a Detective.

ESPD Chief Saul Rodriguez noted that he was proud to personally hand out the awards to the officers during the event. "I was honored to attend the 50th Annual South Bay Medal of Valor Awards," he said. "Five officers from the El Segundo Police Department were recognized with four Medals of Valor and one Life Saving Award. Their heroic and courageous actions were instrumental in resolving a chaotic situation safely without any loss of life. The officers responded swiftly and decisively, placing themselves in harm's way while working to prevent further harm to others. They represented the City of El Segundo and the El Segundo Police Department with honor, professionalism, and poise. The Medal of Valor is the highest honor an officer can receive in the region, and we are proud to serve alongside such extraordinary heroes." •



Five members of the El Segundo Police Department were recognized at last Thursday's South Bay Medal of Valor Awards event. Here they are along with presenter Police Chief Saul Rodriguez (far right). The honorees, from left to right, were Officer Collin Furrows, Officer Baron Gaunt, Officer Brook Marshall, Sergeant Alex Leavitt and Officer Michael Kelter. Photo Provided by City of El Segundo.

Police Reports

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Highway. An unknown suspect(s) stole store merchandise.

One female adult was arrested at 0129 hours from Imperial Avenue and Main Street for resisting arrest and battery on a police officer.

Friday, May 22

A vandalism report was taken at 0939 hours from El Segundo Boulevard and Pacific Coast Highway.

An identity theft report was taken at 0947 hours from the 300 block of Main Street.

A petty theft report was taken at 1051 hours from the 700 block of South Pacific Coast Highway. Merchandise was stolen from the business.

One male adult was arrested at 1336 hours from the 700 block of South Allied Street for one misdemeanor warrant out of Redondo Beach Police Department.

One male adult was arrested at 1343 hours from the 500 block of Richmond Street for public intoxication and one misdemeanor warrant out of Gardena Police Department.

A lost property report was taken at 1927 hours from the 2100 block of East Rosecrans Avenue. A wallet was lost.

One male adult was arrested at 0059 hours from the 100 block of West Imperial Avenue for one misdemeanor warrant out of LAPD.

One male adult was arrested at 0316 hours from Imperial Avenue and Pershing Street for driving under the influence.

One female adult was arrested at 0343 hours from Grand Avenue and Pacific Coast Highway for possession of drug paraphernalia and one misdemeanor warrant out of LASD.

Saturday, May 23

One male adult was arrested at 2017 hours from the 300 block of North Pacific Coast Highway for petty theft with priors, shoplifting, criminal conspiracy, possession of a controlled substance, and two Downey PD misdemeanor warrants.

One female adult was arrested at 1946 hours from the 300 block of Pacific Coast Highway for shoplifting and criminal conspiracy.

One male adult was arrested at 2017 hours from the 300 block of South Douglas Street for burglary and possession of a controlled substance.

One male adult was arrested at 2057 hours from 1900 block of East Mariposa Avenue for possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of a dirk or dagger.

One male adult was arrested at 2257 hours from the 1900 block of East Mariposa Avenue for possession of a controlled substance with two priors, possession of drug paraphernalia, and possession of a controlled substance.

One female adult was arrested at 2359 hours from the 600 block of Bungalow Drive for public intoxication. •

Check It Out

Whidbey by T. Kira Madden

By Mary Martes, Library Assistant, El Segundo Library

Whidbey, referring the Whidbey Island, Washington tells the story of three different women dealing with the trauma of sexual abuse by one man. Calvin Boyer is the unassuming son of Mary Beth, an overindulgent, fiercely supportive mother. He is also a serial sex abuser, who assaulted Birdie Chang at the age of nine, and Linzie King at fourteen. These three women will all reckon with painful reality of never-ending trauma.

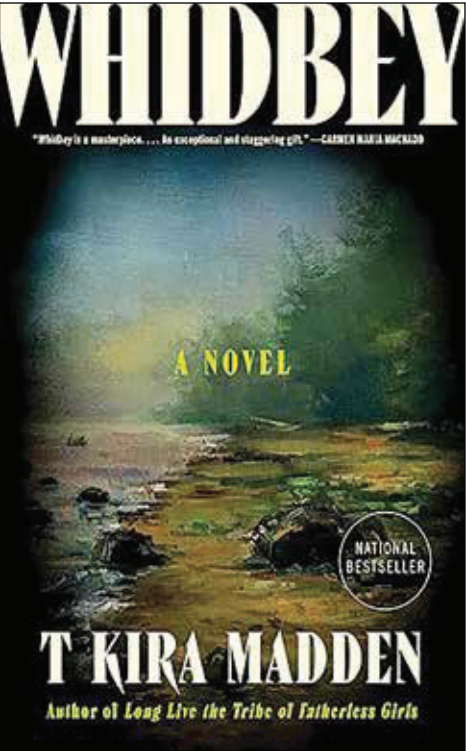
Linzie King is a young woman who has been constantly belittled and abused by her father. Unbeknownst to her, pictures and an application were submitted to the Dating Game show. When she does go on the show, she is manipulated into revealing the sexual abuse by Calvin. She is then thrust into the clutches of an overbearing ghost writer/manager who crafts an entirely fictional "memoir" of Linzie's fight to put the past behind her and take charge of her life. Linzie floats along like so much flotsam and jetsam in her story arc, and her naivete can become cloying.

Birdie Chang is a brusque, secretive 28-year-old who hides from the world in the projection room of the theater where she works. She finds it difficult to trust anyone, but she finds a home with her girlfriend Trace. When Linzie's book becomes a bestseller with details of her court testimony and a thinly veiled attempt at protecting her identity, Birdie decides she needs to disappear for a while. She randomly picks Whidbey Island to hide from the fallout. While Trace and Birdie's mother warn her not to read the memoir, Birdie secretly stashes a copy in her luggage. She becomes obsessed by the book - anger, pain, and confusion alternatively raging within her.

And then there is Mary Beth, a mother who simply won't accept that her son is a bad person, just one with an affliction he cannot control. Despite all evidence proving his guilt, she continues to support her son in every way possible. When Calvin is found murdered, run over five times, she is ragged with grief, listing in and out of the present reality. Her profound loss competes with her sense of injustice at the casual way Calvin's murder is handled.

This novel confronts the brutal reality of the aftermath of sexual abuse, the trauma that can only be processed by those who experienced it, and the repercussions that run through whole families. It depicts the confusion of how to deal with the pain and paranoia, the loss of the person before, the future stolen, who they might have been.

The tension remains taut throughout the novel. When an unnamed narrator is introduced, the denouement hits fast and hard, a sad requiem of shattered lives. •



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Sports

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Mason will be studying Fire Science at Colorado Mesa University and play lacrosse for the Mavericks. Mason says playing in the Catalina Bison Lacrosse Tournament stands out as a favorite memory of his. There are so many people to thank for his journey, but he said his mother and father were his biggest supporters.

Luka Pavlovic
(Men's Lacrosse)

Luka is another one of those players you'd wish were your teammate. He is the consummate team player and is always making others better. He played attack for the Eagles and hopes to do the same playing for the Hanover College (Indiana) Panthers. This Engineer Major played for the Croatia National lacrosse team in a multi-nation tournament says defeating Santa Monica,

this season was a highlight of his senior year. Luka would like to thank his mother and father for their unwavering support throughout the years and the friends he has made playing a sport he loves.

Mason McLennan
(Men's Basketball)

Mason made an immediate impact for the Eagles this past season. As one of the top guards in the Pioneer League, he was one of the team's top scorers. He says his first game of the season, when he scored 16 points and had double-digit rebounds, is a favorite memory. Mason was an All-Pioneer League selection and earned a spot in the South Bay All-Star Game. He says he will be attending Occidental College and studying Business and Finance while playing for the Tigers. Mason would like to thank his

mother, father, and older brother, "For the massive part they took in my journey. You served as both my biggest role models and supporters, and for always pushing me to be the best version of myself on and off the court. And to all my coaches, thank you for the constant discipline you instilled in me."

Shane Hines
(Men's Tennis)

Shane is a gifted tennis player who has led the Eagles for four years. He is a Pioneer League champion and a Bay League finalist and has led the Eagles to a deep CIF Southern Section team run. Shane led the Eagles to a semi-final appearance this season, where they fell to Dos Pueblos the eventual CIF champions. Shane will attend Howard University (Washington D.C.) and study Sports Medicine while competing for the Bison.

He thanked his mother, father, and coach and said, "Thank you to my mom and dad for always supporting my dream and Coach Maye for helping me throughout the season."

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to Crown Champions

Closing Ceremonies for the El Segundo Little League are set for Saturday. It will be a full day of baseball and fun for the whole family with bounce houses and Creamy Boys Ice Cream.

The El Segundo Little League will be crowning the league's champions on Saturday with the first game at 9 a.m. for the Double-A division, followed by the Triple-A division at 11:30 a.m. and the Majors at 2 p.m. Closing Ceremonies, which will include introducing the All-Star teams and other league awards, will follow up with the Home Run Derby. •



Kyra Snell is a four-year standout who will play lacrosse for the Johnson and Wales Wildcats.



Isaiah Rodriguez helped guide the lacrosse Eagles to four consecutive playoff appearances.



Mason Smith will be studying Fire Science while playing lacrosse for the Colorado Mesa Mavericks.



Luka Pavlovic will be earning a degree in Engineering while playing lacrosse for the Hanover Panthers.



Mason McLennan will play guard for the Occidental College Tigers' basketball team.



Shane Hines has led the Eagles tennis program for four years and will take his talents to Howard University.

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ESTATE PROPERTIES

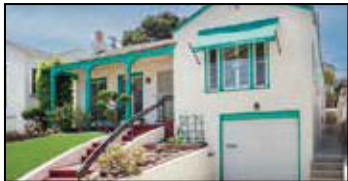
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574 E Imperial Ave
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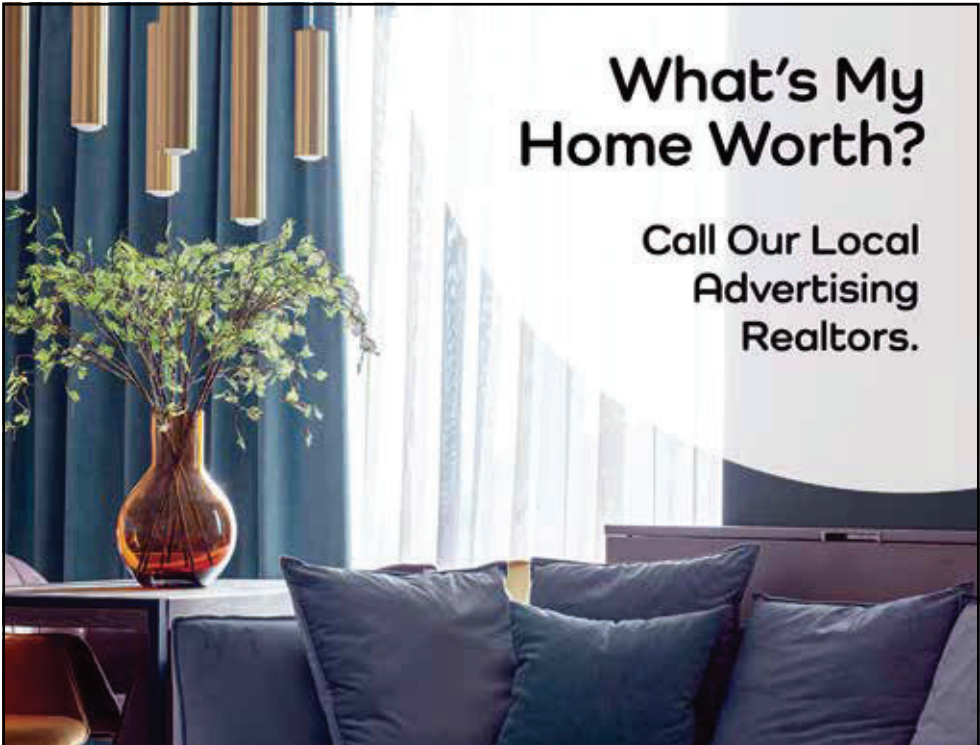
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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026071677

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) ABBYSON, 2) ABBYSON HOME, 4607 LAKEVIEW CANYON RD. #508, WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA, 91361, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON B20260104358

Registered Owner(s): HORIZON GLOBAL PARTNERS, LLC, 4607 LAKEVIEW CANYON RD. #508, WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA, 91361. CORP: DELAWARE

This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed: HORIZON GLOBAL PARTNERS, LLC, VICE PRESIDENT, NAEEM ARASTU. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 1, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 1, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 1, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026082680

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AGILE BRIDGE CLUB, 1732 AVIATION BLVD SUITE 425, REDONDO BEACH, CA, 90278 LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): JEFFREY TEN GROTENHUIS, 1732 AVIATION BLVD SUITE 425, REDONDO BEACH, CA, 90278

This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 09/2011.

Signed: JEFFREY TEN GROTENHUIS, OWNER, JEFFREY TEN GROTENHUIS. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 15, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 15, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 15, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026089714

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) XTERMICON 2) AL & SONS TERMITE AND PEST CONTROL, 10820 ASHBY AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90064, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): XTERMICON SPV INC, 10820 ASHBY AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90064. CORP: CA

This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed: XTERMICON SPV INC, PRESIDENT, SYDNEY PARDEY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 23, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 23, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 23, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026091606

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) CENTRAL LOAN ADMINISTRATION & REPORTING 2) CENLAR, 3043 TOWNSGATE ROAD SUITE 200, WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA, 91361, VENTURA COUNTY. AI #ON 200809310130

Registered Owner(s): PENNYMAC LOAN SERVICES, LLC, 3043 TOWNSGATE ROAD SUITE 200, WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA, 91361. CORP: DELAWARE

This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed: PENNYMAC LOAN SERVICES, LLC, MANAGER, MARK ACOSTA. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 27, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 27, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 27, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026092605

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as QUICK SERVICE SUPPLY, 3205 MERRILL DR APT 7, TORRANCE, CA, 90503, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): YUNG UN SONG, 3205 MERRILL DR APT 7, TORRANCE, CA, 90503.

This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2026.

Signed: YUNG UN SONG, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 28, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 28, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 28, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026088058

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PURPOSE TELEHEALTH, 516 N. LARCHMONT BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90004, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 201609010051

Registered Owner(s): MONTAGE RECOVERY CA, LLC, 516 NORTH LARCHMONT BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90004. CORP: CALIFORNIA

This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed: MONTAGE RECOVERY CA, LLC, CFO, ELLIOTT LIEBHARD. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 22, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 22, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 22, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026093529

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as UNIMATRIX WORKS, 25852 MCBEAN PARKWAY #603, VALENCIA, CA, 91355, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON B20250301287

Registered Owner(s): HIVE MIND MEDIA LLC, 25852 MCBEAN PARKWAY #603, VALENCIA, CA, 91355. CORP: DE

This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed: HIVE MIND MEDIA LLC, CEO, JACOB HOFFMAN. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 28, 2026.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026090662

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as WALMART FUEL STATION #2526, 19821 RINALDI ST., PORTER RANCH, CA, 91326-4145, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): WALMART INC., 1 CUTOMER DR, BENTONVILLE, AR, 72716. CORP: DELAWARE

This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 08/2025.

Signed: WALMART INC, SECRETARY, GEOFFREY EDWARDS. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 24, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 24, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 24, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

Current File #2025282982

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: WALMART FUELING STATION #2526, 19821 RINALDI ST, PORTER RANCH, CA, 91326. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in the County of Los Angeles on December 22, 2025. Registrants: WALMART INC., 1 CUSTOMER DR. BENTONVILLE, AR 72716. CORP: DELAWARE. This business was conducted by a Corporation. Signed: WALMART INC, SECRETARY, GEOFFREY EDWARDS. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on April 24, 2026.

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/7, 5/14, 5/21, 5/28/26 **H-4465**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026102764

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BRAVE NEW FLOORS, 4435 W 129TH ST, APARTMENT 102, HAWTHORNE, CA, 90250, LA COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): CHRIS MANUEL MARROQUIN, 4435 W 129TH ST, APARTMENT 102, HAWTHORNE, CA, 90250.

This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed: CHRIS MANUEL MARROQUIN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 11, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 11, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 11, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026102421

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as COAST CONSTRUCTION GROUP, 2217 BORDER AVE, TORRANCE, CA, 90501, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON C4700446

Registered Owner(s): COAST CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING, INC., 2217 BORDER AVE, TORRANCE, CA, 90501. CORP: CA

This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 10/2024.

Signed: COAST CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING, INC, VICE PRESIDENT, CLARK MCNULTY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 8, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 8, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 8, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026098894

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CORONADO LAW GROUP, 3620 PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY SUITE 200, TORRANCE, CA, 90505, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): EDGAR CORONADO, 3620 PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY SUITE 200, TORRANCE, CA, 90505.

This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2026.

Signed: EDGAR CORONADO, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 5, 2026.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026089894

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as QUEEN NAILS&SPA, 222 W. GRAND AVE., EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): HOUSE OF QUEEN NAILS, LLC, 222 W. GRAND AVE., EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245. CORP: WY

This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 03/2026.

Signed: HOUSE OF QUEEN NAILS, LLC, MANAGER, MELANIE TRAN. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 24, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 24, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 24, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026097684

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BOULEVARD AT WILSHIRE, 2121 AVENUE OF THE STARS SUITE 3200, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90067, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): NP MUSEUM GARDENS, LLC, TWO SEAPORT LANE, 15TH FLOOR, BOSTON, MA 02210. CORP: DELAWARE

This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed: NP MUSEUM GARDENS, LLC, MEMBER, NEAL K. SHARMA. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 4, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 4, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 4, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026097687

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ESCO, 7060 HOLLYWOOD BLVD, FLOOR 2, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90028, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 201805110458

Registered Owner(s): COMMERCE MEDIA HOLDINGS, LLC, 7060 HOLLYWOOD BLVD., FLOOR 2, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90028. CORP: DELAWARE

This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed: COMMERCE MEDIA HOLDINGS, LLC, CFO, EMERSON YENOKIDA. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 4, 2026.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026101280

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RAFI HEALTH, 4300 BISCAYNE BLVD, SUITE 203, MIAMI, FL, 33137, MIAMI-DADE COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): KAVOD KOLLECTIONS, 9701 WILSHIRE BLVD., SUITE 1000, BEVERLY HILLS, CA, 90212. CORP: CALIFORNIA

This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 03/2026.

Signed: KAVOD KOLLECTIONS, PRESIDENT, ZAZA ATANELOV. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 7, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 7, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 7, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/14, 5/21, 5/28, 6/4/26 **H-4472**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026103061

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RETROJUNKSHION, 4001 INGLEWOOD AVE BLDG 101 STE 168, REDONDO BEACH, CA, 90278, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): MARICELA BUSTAMANTE, 4001 INGLEWOOD AVE BLDG 101 STE 168, REDONDO BEACH, CA, 90278.

This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/2026.

Signed: MARICELA BUSTAMANTE, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 11, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 11, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 11, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/14, 5/21, 5/28, 6/4/26 **H-4473**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026102902

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) WOODBRIDGE PRO SHOP 2) WOODBRIDGE PRO SHOP BY PENINSULA TENNIS, 1952 PACIFIC COAST HWY, LOMITA CA, 90717, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON B20250275352

Registered Owner(s): ABC DREAM ATHLETICS, LLC, 1952 PACIFIC COAST HWY, LOMITA CA, 90717. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

Signed: ABC DREAM ATHLETICS, LLC, MEMBER, DANIEL INUKAI. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 11, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 11, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 11, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 **H-4474**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026105302

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) MALENDRINA 2) MALENDRINA WINES 3) MALENDRINA WINE BAR, 5627 RAVENSPUR DR #104, RANCHO PALOS VERDES, CA, 90275, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): CORI MALENDRINA, 5627 RAVENSPUR DR #104, RANCHO PALOS VERDES, CA, 90275. CORP: CA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/2026

Signed: CORI MALENDRINA, SECRETARY, AMANDA ARAGON. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 13, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 13, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 13, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 **H-4475**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026099598

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JIM'S COINS AND BULLION, 2601 W 168TH ST., TORRANCE, CA, 90504, TORRANCE COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): JAMES WILSON, 2601 W 168TH ST., TORRANCE, CA, 90504. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

Signed: JAMES WILSON, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 6, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 6, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 6, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 **H-4476**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026108517

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SALON H, 22827 HAWTHORNE BLVD, TORRANCE, CA, 90505, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): 1) HALA ESPINOZA, 1754 PERCH STREET, SAN PEDRO, CA, 90732. 2) JOE ESPINOZA, 1754 PERCH STREET, SAN PEDRO, CA, 90732. This business is being conducted by an General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/2026

Signed: JOE ESPINOZA, GENERAL PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 18, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 18, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 18, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 **H-4477**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026107801

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MERCURY FUELS, 2780 SKYPARK DRIVE SUITE 300, TORRANCE, CA, 90505, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): MERCFUEL LLC, 2780 SKYPARK DRIVE SUITE 300, TORRANCE, CA, 90505. CORP: DE

This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

Signed: MERCFUEL LLC, CFO, LAWRENCE SAMUELS. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 15, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 15, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 15, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 **H-4478**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026105583

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JOLLY JOLT, 4924 WEST 122ND STREET, HAWTHORNE, CA, 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): JOLLY JOLT LLC, 4924 WEST 122ND STREET, HAWTHORNE, CA, 90250. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 06/2026

Signed: JOLLY JOLT LLC, MANAGING MEMBER, MICHAEL DUNCAN. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 13, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 13, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 13, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 **H-4479**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026102926

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SIMPLY CLEANING, 13235 KORNBLUM AVENUE, 6, HAWTHORNE, CA, 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): SARVIA MERIDA, 13235 KORNBLUM AVENUE, 6, HAWTHORNE, CA, 90250. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

Signed: SARVIA MERIDA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 11, 2026.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 11, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 11, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Seniors

Awareness is Key: 3 Steps to Help Recognize Stroke Signs and Risks for Better Outcomes

(Feature Impact) - A stroke can happen to anyone at any age.

In fact, every 40 seconds someone in the United States has a stroke, with approximately 800,000 people experiencing a stroke annually, according to the American Heart Association, making it a leading cause of death and serious, long-term disability.

A stroke happens when normal blood flow in the brain is interrupted. When parts of the brain don’t get the oxygen-rich blood they need, those cells die.

However, many strokes may be prevented, treated and overcome by understanding the risk factors and taking steps toward managing them.

“When a stroke happens, every minute matters,” said Dr. Adrian Jaquin-Valdivia, a stroke neurologist at HCA Healthcare and American Stroke Association volunteer expert. “The faster someone gets treatment, the better the chance of saving brain function. On average, nearly 2

million brain cells die every minute a stroke goes untreated. Early treatment improves survival rates and reduces disability.”

Take control of your brain health with this information from the American Stroke Association.

Know the Warning Signs

Because strokes do not discriminate, knowing the signs is key. To help you recognize common warning signs and symptoms of stroke and take action in moments that matter, remember this simple acronym: B.E. F.A.S.T.

B: Balance loss – sudden difficulty with walking, dizziness or loss of balance or coordination.

E: Eye (or vision) changes – sudden vision loss or trouble seeing in one or both eyes.

F: Face drooping – one side of the face droops or feels numb; a smile may look uneven.

A: Arm weakness – one arm feels weak or numb or drifts downward when raised.

S: Speech difficulty – a telltale sign of a stroke is slurred speech or trouble speaking.

T: Time to call 911 – If someone is having any of these symptoms, even if the symptoms go away, call emergency services immediately to jumpstart care. Be sure to check the time so you’ll know when the first symptoms started.

Explore the signs by playing the interactive, web-based B.E. F.A.S.T. Experience to see what stroke symptoms may look, feel and sound like.

Take Steps to Protect Your Health

Approximately 80% of strokes are preventable, according to the American Stroke Association. Everyday choices – such as eating well, moving more, not smoking and keeping up with routine health screenings, along with managing risk factors with the support of a health care professional – can help lower stroke risk.

Manage Risk Factors

High blood pressure is the leading risk factor for stroke, according to the 2025 American Heart Association/ACC Guideline for the Management

of High Blood Pressure in Adults. Controlling blood pressure through regular checkups, at-home monitoring, following your treatment plan and maintaining a healthy lifestyle can significantly reduce your risk of stroke and support overall brain health.

Additionally, having a stroke or mini stroke, known as a Transient Ischemic Attack (TIA), increases the chances of having a second one. That’s why identifying what caused your stroke and reducing your personal risk factors can help protect your health and reduce the risk of another stroke.

To learn more about stroke risk factors and better understand the warning signs, visit Stroke.org/StrokeMonth, where you can also access stroke support services and subscribe to the Stroke Connection e-newsletter for the latest resources.

– Source Provided by American Stroke Association •

PUBLIC NOTICES

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026104366

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) BEVERLY HILLS VISION CENTER 2) CEDARS-SINAI PRIMARY CARE, 3) CEDARS-SINAI ORTHOPAEDICS AT SANTA MONICA, 4) CEDARS-SINAI HEALTH ASSOCIATES, 5) CEDARS-SINAI MEDICAL NETWORK, 6) CEDAR-SINAI HEART, 7) MARINA WEIGHT MANAGEMENT CENTER 8) CEDARS-SINAI ORTHOPAEDICS, 9) CEDARS-SINAI PHYSICIAN NETWORK, 10) CEDARS-SINAI IPA AT HUNTINGTON 11) CEDARS-SINAI PHYSICIAN NETWORK AT HUNTINGTON, 12) CEDARS-SINAI IPA HUNTINGTON, 13) CEDARS-SINAI ENDOSCOPY CENTER, 14) CEDARS-SINAI ENDOSCOPY CENTER AT BEVERLY HILLS, 6500 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD 19TH FLOOR, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90048, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 1877856. Registered Owner(s): CEDARS-SINAI MEDICAL CARE FOUNDATION, 6500 WILSHIRE BLVD, 19TH FLOOR, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90048. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 12/1994 Signed: CEDARS-SINAI MEDICAL CARE FOUNDATION, VICE PRESIDENT, TERRI CAMMARANO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 12, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 12, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 12, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 H-4481



Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026104608

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CEDARS-SINAI ENDOSCOPY CENTER AT SPALDING, 450 N. ROXBURY DRIVE SUITE 602, BEVERLY HILLS, CA, 90210, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 201730310200 Registered Owner(s): SPALDING TRIANGLE SURGERY CENTER, LLC, 450 N. ROXBURY DRIVE SUITE 602, BEVERLY HILLS, CA, 90210. CORP: CA This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2026 Signed: SPALDING TRIANGLE SURGERY CENTER, LLC, VICE PRESIDENT, TERRI CAMMARANO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 12, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 12, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 12, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 H-4482

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026079638

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) CEDARS-SINAI IPA AT HUNTINGTON 2) CEDARS-SINAI PHYSICIAN NETWORK AT HUNTINGTON, 3) CEDARS-SINAI IPA HUNTINGTON, 3330 LOMITA BOULEVARD, TORRANCE, CA, 90505, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 1253263. Registered Owner(s): TORRANCE HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC., 3330 LOMITA BOULEVARD, TORRANCE, CA, 90505. CORP: CA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 01/2026 Signed: TORRANCE HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC., VICE PRESIDENT, TERRI CAMMARANO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 10, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 10, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 10, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 H-4483

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026103348

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ACCESS HEALTH MEDICAL GROUP, 9233 W. PICO BLVD., STE 230, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90035 LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 5917482 Registered Owner(s): SENIOR DOC INTEGRATED MED. PC, 5 HUTTON CENTRE DR, STE. 950, SANTA ANA, CA, 92707, CORP: CALIFORNIA. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A Signed: SENIOR DOC INTEGRATED MED, PC, SECRETARY, ANGELICA SOTO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 11, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 11, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 11, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 H-4484

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026103345

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) RIVIAN 2) RIVIAN, LLC, 4776 COMMONS WAY, STE H, CALABASAS, CA, 91302, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 202019610964 Registered Owner(s): RIVIAN, LLC, 14600 MYFORD RD., IRVINE, CA, 92606. CORP: DELAWARE. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A Signed: RIVIAN, LLC, CFO, CLAIRE MCDONOUGH. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 11, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 11, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 11, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 H-4485

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026103342

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as WALMART #4305, 1001 N CENTRAL AVE., COMPTON, CA, 90222, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 1634374. Registered Owner(s): WALMART INC., 1 CUSTOMER DR., BENTONVILLE, AR, 72716. CORP: DELAWARE. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A Signed: WALMART INC, SECRETARY, GEOFFREY EDWARDS. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 11, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 11, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 11, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11/26 H-4486

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026113000

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LERNER PERFORMANCE, 3820 WEST 242ND STREET, TORRANCE, CA, 90505, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): ADAM LERNER, 3820 WEST 242ND STREET, TORRANCE, CA, 90505. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A Signed: ADAM LERNER, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 21, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 21, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 21, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18/26 H-4487

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026111767

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as COVERAGERESOURCEALERTS, 909 N PACIFIC COAST HWY STE 300, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 200214010027 Registered Owner(s): THE WISDOM COMPANIES, LLC, 909 N PACIFIC COAST HWY STE 300, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245. CORP: CA This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/2026. Signed: THE WISDOM COMPANIES, LLC, MANAGING MEMBER, MARK MCKENDRY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 20, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 20, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 20, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18/26 H-4488

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026111332

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TOPS UPS, 1820 220TH ST. STE. 215, TORRANCE, CA, 90501, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): KEVIN DAVID FALK, 1820 220TH ST. STE. 215, TORRANCE, CA, 90501. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 08/2010. Signed: KEVIN DAVID FALK, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 20, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 20, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 20, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18/26 H-4489

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026113377

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AI4NONPROFITS, 531 MAIN ST., PMB 958, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): VIOLET MUSE ENTERPRISES, LLC, 7850 W MANCHESTER AVE., PLAYA DEL REY, CA 90293. CORP: CA This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A Signed: VIOLET MUSE ENTERPRISES, LLC, MANAGING MEMBER, YUCHIH LIQU. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 22, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 22, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 22, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18/26 H-4490

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026113377

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CALLIE LIU, 531 MAIN ST., PMB 958, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): VIOLET MUSE ENTERPRISES, LLC, 7850 W MANCHESTER AVE., PLAYA DEL REY, CA 90293. CORP: CA This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 02/2021. Signed: VIOLET MUSE ENTERPRISES, LLC, MANAGING MEMBER, YUCHIH LIQU. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 22, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 22, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 22, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18/26 H-4491

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026111468

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FRIZZY, 5404 WHITSETT AVE, STE 157, VALLEY VILLAGE, CA, 91607, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON B20250222014 Registered Owner(s): FROZEN NATURE LLC, 5404 WHITSETT AVE, STE 157, VALLEY VILLAGE, CA, 91607. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A Signed: FROZEN NATURE LLC, MEMBER, RINAT LIBERMAN. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 20, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 20, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 20, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18/26 H-4492

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026109393

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) UNIVERSAL – MILLHOUSE MUSIC (BMI) 2) SHEDDHOUSE MUSIC (ASCAP), 2105 COLORADO AVENUE, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): POLYGRAM PUBLISHING, INC., 2105 COLORADO AVENUE, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A Signed: POLYGRAM PUBLISHING, INC, SECRETARY, JOIA LEE. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 18, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 18, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 18, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18/26 H-4493

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026109390

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VIRGIN MUSIC LABEL & ARTIST SERVICES, 2220 COLORADO AVENUE, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): UMG RECORDINGS, INC., 2220 COLORADO AVENUE, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 03/2021. Signed: UMG RECORDINGS, INC, SECRETARY, JOIA LEE. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 18, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 18, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 18, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18/26 H-4494

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2026111465

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as WARNER BROS. CLOCKWORK, 4000 WARNER BLVD, BURBANK, CA, 91522, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 2500832 Registered Owner(s): WB STUDIO ENTERPRISES INC. 4000 WARNER BLVD, BURBANK, CA, 91522. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A Signed: WB STUDIO ENTERPRISES INC, SECRETARY, CLARE M. CONROY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 20, 2026. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 20, 2031. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 20, 2031. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18/26 H-4495

“Failure is the

condiment

that gives success

its flavor.”

— Truman Capote

Finance

How Hiring Veterans Can Strengthen the Workforce

(Feature Impact) - Every year, about 200,000 service members transition from military service into civilian careers, offering employers access to a highly skilled and mission-driven talent pool. As organizations across industries seek dependable employees who can adapt and lead, veterans bring experience that translates directly to business success.

Veterans enter the workforce with a wide range of technical and professional skills. Military occupations span fields such as logistics, engineering, cybersecurity, aviation and health care, many of which align closely with civilian roles. This experience allows veterans to apply their training to roles across industries, from manufacturing to information technology, using their practical knowledge

developed during their service.

Beyond technical expertise, veterans are widely recognized for their reliability, adaptability and strong work ethic. Military culture emphasizes responsibility, teamwork and accountability – qualities that can strengthen workplace culture and improve team performance. Additionally, employers that hire veterans with disabilities often qualify for federal tax credits, and many workplace accommodations are available to employers at no cost.

Despite these advantages, veterans transitioning from military service to civilian employment still face challenges. One of the most common obstacles is translating military experience into language civilian employers understand. Although more than 80% of military roles have civilian equivalents, differences in job titles and terminology related to responsibilities and accomplishments gained during service may not align neatly with traditional job descriptions, making it difficult for veterans to clearly communicate their qualifications.

To address these challenges, resources aimed at improving the understanding of military experience have grown in recent years. For example, DAV (Disabled American Veterans), a nonprofit organization that provides a lifetime of support for veterans of all generations, their families and survivors, recently released an updated edition of “The Veteran Advantage: DAV’s Hiring Guide for Employers of the Military Community,” a resource designed to help companies better recruit, hire and retain veteran and military spouse employees. The guide is available for free download at davyhiringguide.org.

The no-cost guide offers practical information for employers seeking to build veteran-friendly workplaces. It includes guidance on translating military skills into civilian job qualifications, developing hiring initiatives focused on the military community and establishing employee resource groups for veterans and military spouses. It also highlights inclusive hiring practices designed to reduce barriers and better support those who have served.

“Veterans and military spouses consistently demonstrate strong work values, but many still face hurdles when transitioning into civilian careers,” DAV CEO Barry Jesinoski said. “Hiring veterans doesn’t just fill open roles – it strengthens organizations. But employers who don’t understand how to align military experience with business needs might overlook that talent.”

The nonprofit organization also connects employers with veteran job seekers through employment initiatives and outreach efforts. These programs help organizations better understand the value veterans bring to the workforce while supporting successful transitions into civilian careers.

These efforts are especially important as many veterans continue to face barriers to employment. According to the U.S. Department of Labor, the veteran unemployment rate in March 2026 was 3.8%, with the rate climbing to 5.4% among veterans with disabilities, underscoring the persistent challenges many encounter when transitioning to the civilian workforce.

For many employers, hiring veterans is not simply about filling open positions. It’s an opportunity to bring experienced leaders and skilled professionals into the workforce – individuals whose service has prepared them to contribute in meaningful ways long after their military careers have ended.

– Source Provided by
Disabled American Veterans •

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
The El Segundo City Council
to consider adopting the Fiscal Year
(FY)
2026-27 Annual Operating and
Capital Improvement Budget
during the regularly scheduled
City Council meeting
June 2, 2026, 6:00pm, Council
Chamber

A public hearing will be held before the
City Council of the City of El Segundo
on June 2, 2026, at 6:00pm in the
Council Chamber, City Hall located at
350 Main Street, El Segundo, CA
90245, to consider adopting the FY
2026-27 Annual Operating and Capital
Improvement Budget for the period of
July 1, 2026, to June 30, 2027.
All persons wishing to appear for or
against the proposed FY 2026-27
Budget are directed to attend the
hearing or file a statement in writing
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prior to the hearing. All persons may
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Brocoli Cheddar Soup

Provided by College Inn

Serves: 4 | Prep Time: 20 minutes | Cook Time: 30 minutes



Ingredients

- 1/4 cup unsalted butter
- 1 medium onion, diced (1 1/2 cups)
- 2 medium carrots, coarsely grated (1 1/2 cups)
- 1 tsp. kosher salt
- 1/4 tsp. freshly ground black pepper, plus additional for garnish
- 2 tsp. minced garlic
- 1/4 cup all-purpose flour
- 3 cups College Inn® 40% Less Sodium Chicken Broth
- 2 cups whole milk
- 4 cups chopped broccoli flowerets and stems (1/4- to 1/2-inch pieces)
- 1 Tbsp. Dijon mustard
- 8 oz. sharp Cheddar cheese (about 2 cups), grated, plus more for garnish

Directions

- **Step 1:** Melt butter in a Dutch oven over medium heat. Add onion, carrot, salt and pepper; cook about 5 minutes until softened. Add garlic and cook about 1 minute until fragrant.
- **Step 2:** Add flour and cook 1 to 2 minutes, stirring constantly, until golden brown and forms a paste. Add broth in a slow stream, stirring constantly with a whisk.
- **Step 3:** Add milk, broccoli and mustard; bring to a simmer over medium-high heat. Reduce heat to medium-low and continue cooking about 15 minutes, stirring occasionally, until the broccoli is tender.
- **Step 4:** Reduce heat to low. Stir in cheese, a handful at a time, until melted. Ladle into bowls and garnish with additional cheese and pepper, if desired.

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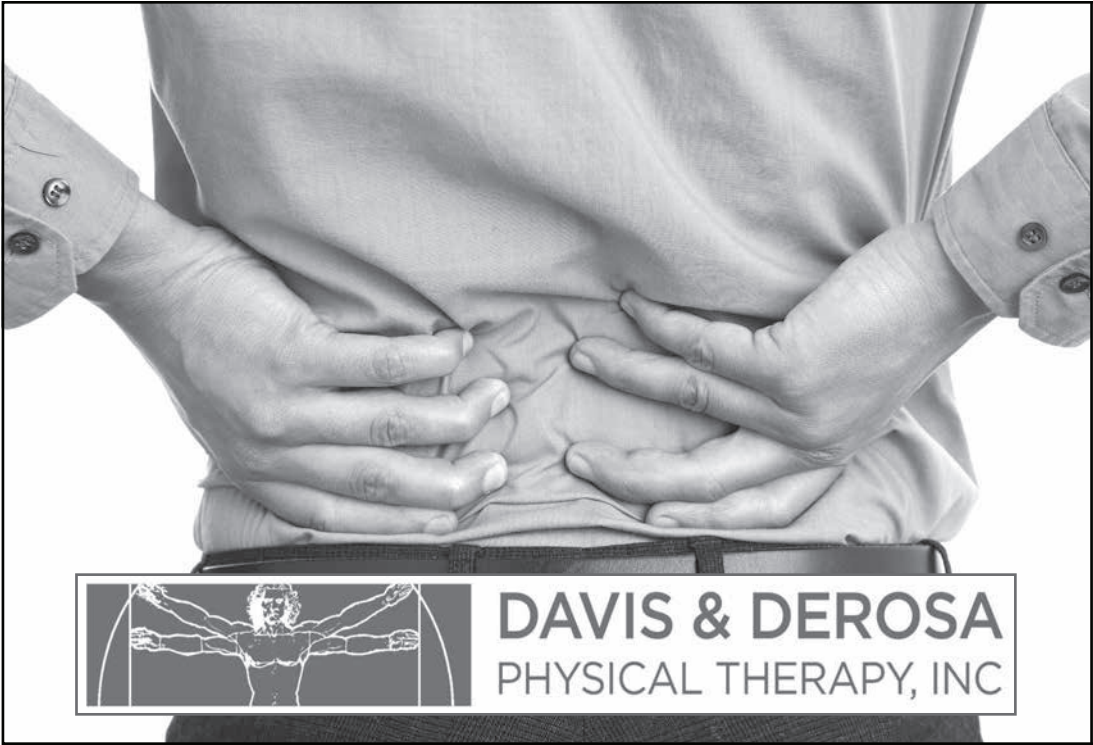
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Featured Pets of the Week

Provided by Hannah Collett, spcaLA

Introducing **Hamlet**! This stunning Siberian Husky turns heads wherever he goes with his striking blue eyes and happy smile. Hamlet walks well on a leash and enjoys spending time in the play yard with staff and volunteers. He is very affectionate and loves to lean into your hand for more pets. Stop by the spcaLA South Bay Pet Adoption Center to meet Hamlet today! <https://spcala.com/adoptable/pet/?ss=LACA-A-22673>.

Meet **Milan**, a gorgeous Black Lab mix with a playful spirit and a love for adventure! Milan enjoys spending her days in the play yard where her energetic personality can shine. She's smart, eager to learn, and does a great job picking up new commands. Milan is an active dog who would thrive with a family who enjoys walks, hikes, playtime, and plenty of fun activities. If you're looking for a loyal companion, Milan might be the one for you! <https://spcala.com/adoptable/pet/?ss=LACA-A-22610>.

Meet **Kite**! This lovely brown tabby Domestic Shorthair has a gentle and sweet personality. She may be a little shy when you first meet her, but a few neck scratches are all it takes for her to warm up and show her affectionate side. Kite came from a home with several other cats so she might make a wonderful addition to a multi-cat household. If you're looking for a loving and laid-back cat, Kite is ready to steal your heart! <https://spcala.com/adoptable/pet/?ss=LACA-A-22405>.

Say hello to **Fudge Bar**! This adorable kitten is looking for a home to grow up in! Fudge Bar can be shy at first, but spend a little time with him and his curious and playful personality quickly shines. He came to spcaLA with 4 siblings who have since been adopted, and now it's his turn! Stop by spcaLA South Bay to meet him today! <https://spcala.com/adoptable/pet/?ss=LACA-A-22355>. •

Hamlet

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