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Gundo Girls Gearing Up for Tournament Run in Lancaster



The El Segundo Girls Softball 12u team heads to Lancaster this weekend for the State B Tournament. See Sports on page 5 for more details. In the photo, front row: Dallas Silva, Charli Pages, Caroline Mackechnie and Allie Stevenson. Middle row: Taryn Walker, Peyton Jackson, Vanessa Rodriguez, Hailey Wantz, Sienna Mayer, Audrey Garcia and Taylor Peacock. Back row: Coaches Brandy Peacock, T.D. Mayer, Ryan Wantz, Eric Stevenson and Jim Walker. (Photo Provided by Yvette Pages)

City Looks to Artists to Reimagine the Main and Imperial Entryway

By Brian Simon

The City of El Segundo is looking for a few good artists. Well, maybe one really good artist or perhaps a cohesive team of innovative creative types who can come in with a vision to revitalize the decidedly outdated entryway into the community at Imperial Avenue and Main Street. Discussions to revamp the longtime northwest welcome to town actually started many years ago, but died on the vine due to a mixture of fiscal limitations and lack of a point person or group to spearhead the effort. One of the suggestions was to enlist the aid of the Boy Scouts or a non-profit to handle the task pro bono, but that idea also ran out of steam.

With a renewed commitment to rebrand El Segundo in the midst of an unprecedented growth period, the City Council in November 2018 authorized the formation of the Gateway Committee to oversee creation of a new iconic entry experience into town. The objective is “to create a dynamic, distinct and memorable entry... that reflects the unique and charming character of El Segundo.” The challenge is to successfully meld the old and the new in a way that preserves the community’s historic assets while accentuating its progressive aspects. Plus it’s always important to make a good first impression – and this gateway is the initial glimpse most newcomers have of El Segundo as they enter the town after exiting the 105 freeway.

With that in mind, the City recently put

out a call for entries open to “emerging and established artist/architect/landscape architects over the age of 18 working in California.” Team members may also include engineers or signage company professionals. Candidates have until 5 p.m. on July 31 to send in their proposals and qualifications for the redesign. In August, the Gateway Committee will review the submissions and select the three to five top artists/teams to further develop conceptual components. The finalists will receive a \$2,000 stipend and have six to eight weeks to further fine-tune their ideas into a visual presentation that will include detailed concepts as well as estimated costs. The City’s overall budget for the project as approved by the Council last year is \$150,000.

“While this project has been off-again, on-again over many years, we look forward to putting some real concrete ideas in motion,” Recreation and Parks Director Meredith Petit said. “This entryway is just as important as those on PCH, where the City already has entry signage located at PCH and Rosecrans Avenue and PCH and Imperial Avenue.”

After reviewing the shortlist of candidates, the Gateway Committee’s second jury will pick a winner in October to contract with the City for the project. “This is an exciting opportunity for an artist or design visionary to create a tangible and iconic welcome to our incredible city,” said Gateway Committee Chair and City Park Maintenance Superintendent Christopher Hentzen. “We are truly excited

to see what can be imagined.”

The Gateway Committee met a number of times over the first several months of the year to discuss parameters for the project and to prepare a Request for Qualifications (RFQ)/Call to Artists/Request for Proposal (RFP) for the design of the signage and art. In addition to Hentzen, the other committee members are Lily Craig (Chevron External Affairs Manager), Frank Glynn (architect), Jay Hoeschler (El Segundo Planning Commissioner and design director), Marsha Hansen (El Segundo Chamber of Commerce CEO), Brenda Newman (El Segundo Planning Commissioner and Main Street business owner), George Renfro (El Segundo Art Walk coordinator and graphic designer), Orlando Rodriguez (City Senior Plan Check Engineer) Julie Stalnack (El Segundo Recreation and Parks Commissioner) and Barbara Voss (El Segundo Deputy City Manager).

“The amount of local talent on the Gateway Committee is truly remarkable and I know they will steer this project in a direction that makes sense for all city stakeholders,” Petit said. “It was important to compile a team of individuals with diverse viewpoints and proven commitment to the greater good of El Segundo. The new gateway will be an expression of El Segundo that is as unique as the city itself.”

While one of El Segundo’s calling cards
See Artists, page 11

Weekend Forecast

Friday

Partly
Cloudy
70°/62°



Saturday

Partly
Cloudy
69°/62°



Sunday

Partly
Cloudy
69°/62°





MANHATTAN BEACH
2019 GRAND PRIX



SUNDAY, JULY 21
7am - 4pm
LIVE OAK PARK

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Community Briefs

Your Voting Date Will Be Changing

El Segundo registered voters just received a notice about a required change of voting date that aligns and consolidates with the statewide California general election, per a change in the statewide elections code. El Segundo registered voters will now vote on the first Tuesday, after the first Monday, in March, of even-numbered years.

Mark your calendars - the next general municipal election and election for council members, city clerk and city treasurer will take place on Tuesday, March 3, 2020.

The March 3, 2020 election will also be the first election utilizing LA County's new voting system, Voting Solutions for All People (VSAP). Additional information and follow up will be shared in the coming months.

– Source: City of El Segundo

Slurry Seal Resurfacing Project

The City of El Segundo's annual Slurry Seal Resurfacing Project will begin July 8. Weather permitting, it will be completed in early August. Construction hours will be Monday through Friday 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

July 8 to July 17: Mobilization and street preparation

July 18 to July 24: Slurry seal resurfacing and temporary street closures

July 31 to Aug. 6: Striping and pavement marker installation

Street preparation will include vegetation removal, crack sealing, asphalt repairs, valve and manhole covering, and striping removal.

Streets will be temporarily closed for at least five hours to allow the slurry seal resurfacing to set. American Asphalt South will post temporary No Parking signs on a street at least 72 hours before it is slurry sealed.

For any questions or assistance, please contact:

1. Jeri Grant, American Asphalt South, Inc. (909) 427-8276
2. Floriza Rivera, City of El Segundo (310) 524-2361

– Source: City of El Segundo

Free Paper Shredding, E-Waste and Mulch Event

EDCO and the City of El Segundo are sponsoring a FREE paper shredding, e-waste collection and mulch event on Saturday, July 13 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at City Hall, 350 Main St. There will be certified shredding trucks during the event, and all items will be shredded onsite. Limited to two bankers boxes (10"x12"x15") per household.

Unwanted electronics will also be collected including TVs, computer monitors, printers, fax machines, VCRs, etc. However, no household hazardous waste (HHW) material will be accepted.

Also available will be free mulch for residents (while supplies last). This is a self-serve, self-loading service, so please bring your own cans/bags and shovel. Limit of three cans/bags per vehicle. If you plan to haul your mulch in an open truck or trailer, please remember to bring a tarp to cover your material. The event is for El Segundo residents only. For more information, please call (310) 540-2977.

– Source: City of El Segundo •

Bill Ruane's ReMax is Ready for the 4th of July Holiday!



Our thoughts are with the Lueck Family

Gas Tax Hike Sparks Rebellion Ahead of Independence Day

By Rob McCarthy

It's always something, isn't it? And by something, I am talking about taxes. This week, the state-imposed tax that Californians pay at the pump jumped another nickel. Friends on social media were not happy about it, considering how a gallon of unleaded fuel already cost \$3.75 per gallon and summer prices were heading higher as of last week.

The tax increase was small, yet the reaction on social media and comments online were loud and angry. Residents unloaded on Sacramento politicians, while people who've left the state because of what they consider overtaxation and regulation gloated about

\$2.99-per-gallon prices for gas next door in Arizona and close by in Utah.

The criticism was directed at Gov. Gavin Newsom, too, though it was the former Gov. Jerry Brown who cut the road tax deal with lawmakers. The lieutenant governor for two terms under Brown, Newsom in 2018 defeated Republican candidate John Cox in the general election. Cox campaigned against the tax-for-roads package that November.

California voters had a chance to undo the gas tax last year, but left it intact. Proposition 6, which took aim at Brown's transportation spending plan financed through higher

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Fire Safety Corner

4th of July Fire Safety

By James Carver,
El Segundo Fire Department

Happy 4th of July! As you celebrate our nation's independence with family and friends, remember to stay safe. All fireworks, including the "safe and sane" type, are illegal in the city of El Segundo. Although fun and exciting, fireworks have many safety risks and potential for injuries and property damage. If you are found in possession of any types of fireworks, those fireworks will be confiscated and you may be cited or arrested. Fireworks injuries have been steadily increasing each year in California. Sparks from a firework can exceed 3,000 degrees Fahrenheit, which will cause instant burns. Dangerous fireworks, like firecrackers, aerial shells, bottle rockets, M-80s and other kinds of high explosives can blow off fingers and cause severe burns, hearing loss and loss of sight.

While enjoying a barbecue with family and friends, remember these safety tips:

- Charcoal can still start a fire when it's grey. Make sure all charcoal has cooled before placing in a trash can.
- Keep children away from barbecues and smokers. They can inadvertently run into the barbecue and get a severe burn.
- If out in the sun, wear an SPF 50 sunscreen to help prevent sunburn.
- If you have a pool, have one adult always be a watcher, watching everyone in the pool.
- If you have a recreational fire, make sure it is in a listed portable fireplace with a spark arrestor and guards. Keep someone at the fire until it goes out or is extinguished.

Be safe and catch the "Spark at the Park" during the City-sponsored fireworks show at Recreation Park on July 4th. Do not use fireworks. •

Calendar of Events

Deadline for Calendar items is the prior Thursday by noon. Calendar items are \$1 per word up to 25 words. Email listings to marketing@heraldpublications.com. We accept Visa and MasterCard.

THURSDAY, JULY 4

- HAPPY 4TH OF JULY!!!!
- 4TH of July Celebration at ES Rec Park, Daytime Events: 10:00 AM. – 3:00 PM., Evening Events: 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM., Fireworks Start at 9:00 PM.
- El Segundo City Hall and the El Segundo Public Library will be CLOSED due to the holiday

FRIDAY, JULY 5

- Bingo, 1:00 PM. - 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, \$3.00 minimum, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon Street

SATURDAY, JULY 6

- The 38th Annual Boy Scouts Soap Box Derby, 10:00 AM. - 3:00 PM., in the 400-500 blocks of East Grand Avenue; fun for the entire family with races all day long.
- Saturday Night Dance, 7:00 PM. – 9:45 PM., Cost: \$5.00 Per Person, Adults of all Ages Welcome, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call: 310-524-2705.

See Calendar, page 4

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Errors: Please check your advertisements immediately. Any corrections and/or changes in an ad must be requested prior to the following Tuesday deadline in order to receive a credit. A credit will be issued for only the first time the error appears. Multiple runs will only be credited for the first time the error appears. No credit will be issued for an amount greater than the cost of the advertisement.

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To appear in next week's paper, submit your Classified Ad by Noon on Tuesday. Late Ads will incur a \$20.00 late fee.

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- Heritage Room Open to the Public, 1:00 PM. – 3:00 PM., El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave, Call Sari: 310-364-0117.
- SUNDAY, JULY 7**
- Bridge & Pinochle Groups, 11:30 AM. – 3:45 PM, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.
- MONDAY, JULY 8**
- Canasta Group, 11:30 AM. – 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, Free, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.
- TUESDAY, JULY 9**
- Pinochle, 11:30 AM. – 3:30 PM., Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.
- Board of Education Meeting, 7:00 PM., District Administrative Offices Board Room, 641 Sheldon Street
- Teen Club: Boondoggle Keychains, 3:30 PM. – 4:30 PM., El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., Call: 310-524-2726.
- WEDNESDAY, JULY 10**
- Bowling, 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM, 50 Plus, Senior Club of El Segundo, Gable House Bowl, 22501 Hawthorne Blvd., Torrance, Cost: \$8.50 for 3 games, Call Joyce at: 310-322-7621.
- Library Club: Dinosaur Stomp, 3:00 PM. – 4:00 PM., El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., Call: 310-524-2726.
- THURSDAY, JULY 11**
- El Segundo Certified Farmer's Market: Super Heroes, 3:00 PM. – 7:00 PM., located on Main Street, Downtown El Segundo, Keep your secret identity safe by creating your own super hero mask with a special guest.
- My Fair Lady performing at the El Segundo Performing Arts Center, July 11th - July 13th. \$15, www.musicwest.org
- Bay Cities Coin Club, 6:00 PM., Meeting starts at 6:30 PM., El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., We have Show and Tell, Auctions, 50/50, and a Raffle. All ages are welcome. Gifts for kids, Contact: baycitiescc@gmail.com.
- FRIDAY, JULY 12**
- Bingo, 1:00 PM. - 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, \$3.00 minimum, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon Street
- SATURDAY, JULY 13**
- Saturday Night Dance, 7:00 PM. – 9:45 PM., Cost: \$5.00 Per Person, Adults of all Ages Welcome, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call: 310-524-2705.
- Community Shred Event, 10:00 AM. – 1:00 PM., El Segundo City Hall, 350 Main Street, Call EDCO with questions: 310-540-2977
- SUNDAY, JULY 14**
- Summer Concerts In The Park : Cash, The King, and the Killer, 4:00 PM. with music starting at 4:30 PM., El Segundo Library Park. Bring the family and have some fun!!
- Senior Comedy Afternoons Show & Luncheon, Tickets on Sale Now, www.seniorcomedyafternoons.com, Call: 714-914-2565.
- Grand Launch & Book Signing of the new children's book, "Lucky", 2:00 PM., Lollipop, 1813 S. Catalina Ave., Redondo Beach.
- Bridge & Pinochle Groups, 11:30 AM. – 3:45 PM, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.
- MONDAY, JULY 15**
- Canasta Group, 11:30 AM. – 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, Free, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.
- TUESDAY, JULY 16**
- City Council Meeting, 6:00 PM., City Hall, 350 Main Street, Call: 310-524-2306. •

WEEKLY CROSSWORD

See Answers Next Week

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19. Waste away
20. Plants and shrubs attraction
23. Cone producer
24. Excuse
25. Significant period
26. ___ Love You..62' McCartney song
29. Produce
32. Sorority letter
34. Occasionally
40. Perjurer
41. Very
42. It follows that
43. Rod Black, for one
48. Prescribed
49. Canine cry
50. D.C. bigwig
51. Disobedient
54. Break a commandment
56. Put on
58. Kind of force
65. Wealthy one
66. Soybean paste
67. Workshop gripper
68. Ammonia derivative
69. Seed cover
70. Coastal raptors
71. Famous
72. Gone
73. Decomposes
- Down**
1. Cutting remark
2. Medley
3. Disoriented
4. Joltless coffee
5. Painkiller
6. Mass of material in a liquid
7. Indian music
8. Convex molding
9. Put away, in a way
10. Unit of pressure
11. + end
12. Exodus commemoration
13. Howler
21. Not yet final, at law
22. Expert
26. Politicians, for short
27. Bit
28. Aviation acronym
30. Pro ___
31. Key material
33. Gathering clouds, say
35. Makes a mistake
36. Kind of wolf
37. Tolkien creatures
38. S-shaped curve
39. Norse goddess of fate
44. Platform for experimentation
45. Commotion
46. Dark yellow color
47. Abreast of
51. Neighbor of Nigeria
52. Spanish name for a polar tree
53. Ledger entry
55. Wanderer
57. "When hell freezes over!"
59. Secret message
60. Bog down
61. Geisha girl's continent
62. Beginner
63. Ain't correct?
64. Ex and pro followers

Last Week's Answers

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5	8	4	3	1	2	7	9	6
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SUDOKU Medium

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

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Spotlight

Sports

Catching Up on Sports in El Segundo

By Gregg McMullin

With El Segundo High School’s success as baseball, softball and swim teams won league titles in the spring, one additional squad was celebrated for a special achievement. The girls lacrosse team earned the program’s first league title after upsetting

Player of the Year for the second consecutive year. Abi Layne, the Eagles’ leading scorer, repeated as a first team selection. Three freshmen, including Sydnee-Anne Moeller and Kat Luetgens, were selected to the All-Defensive team and Faith Desemone was selected to the second team. Bonney and



Pictured (R-L): some of ESHS’s Ocean League CIF lacrosse honorees: Abi Layne, ‘Kat’ Luetgens, Morgan Wood, Sydnee-Anne Moeller and Faith Desemone. Photo by Giselle Murphy.

nationally ranked Downey on a tiebreaking goal by Grace Bonney. Bonney recovered the ball and scored after a blocked shot by Morgan Wood. Wood had tied the game with under a minute left with her sixth goal and Bonney scored the game-winner with seconds remaining to pull off the upset.

Seven players received all-league honors including Wood, who was named Offensive

Scarlett Long were selected to the second team on defense. Seniors Tia Valentino and Belle Pirsztuk were team co-captains for the Eagles’ most successful season to date.

Babe Ruth All-Stars in Action this Weekend

The 13-15 all-stars begin their journey at the five-team state tournament at Kendall Field in

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El Segundo Girls Softball Qualifies for State Tourney

By Theodore Mayer

The June 21 weekend was another success for the Gundo Girls 12u and 14u teams as both qualified for the July 5-7 State “B” Tournament in Lancaster (highest level of USA Softball recreation softball). The 12u team continued its outstanding play by finishing as the runner-up in the 10-team District Tournament, losing two heartbreaking extra inning games to rival Torrance.

Targeting more success, the 12u girls decided to tune up for the 100-plus-degree heat in Lancaster by playing this past weekend in the 35th annual Freedom Tournament in Escondido. This is known as one of the best invitational summer tournaments. Among the 12-team field, it boasted eight squads competing in the upcoming State Tournament. The Gundo Girls powered through pool play, winning all three games by a decisive 27-1 margin. Sunday’s elimination games proved to be a battle, as in their way to a championship arguably stood the division’s top teams.

First up was a Torrance team that came into the tournament with a 22-1 record on the season (its only loss coming in the season’s first tournament against the Gundo Girls). Down by two runs in the final inning, hits by Dallas Silva, Sienna Mayer, Peyton Jackson

and Charli Pages led to a dramatic, walk-off 6-5 win. In the semifinals, Haley Wantz delivered a six-inning gem by defeating (3-1) a gamely Penasquitos team that had just upset a four-loss Scripps Ranch team.

Next up in the finals was powerhouse Bonita Valley (two losses in 32 contests on the season). Bonita Valley as a league boasts four all-star teams and over 90 girls in the 12u division, so it was quite impressive for a team with a third of that size go toe to toe. The Gundo Girls executed some timely hitting and behind four strong innings on the mound by Taylor Peacock were ahead 5-3. Unfortunately the game got away from the Gundo Girls late, so they once again settled for runner-up status.

With a 21-7-2 record and five runner-up finishes in five tournaments (Penasquitos, Camarillo, Laguna Niguel, Escondido and LA South Bay districts), the 12u Gundo Girls are poised to make some noise in this weekend’s State Tournament. Check the league website (ElSegundoGirlsSoftball.com) for more information on the State draw and upcoming game times (which are set to begin Friday July 5). For those hardcore fans, you can follow the El Segundo ESGS All Stars 12u team on the GameChanger App. •

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Wiseburn Board Doubles Up as District Enjoys the Summer Break

By Duane Plank

Last week the Wiseburn School Board met not only at 7 p.m. on Tuesday evening, but also gathered at 7:30 a.m. on Friday to address various concerns. The Tuesday evening meeting was bereft of special presentations. Action items passed by the Board included approval of a portable classroom to be installed at Peter Burnett Elementary School; the renewal of a contract with Wiseburn Unified School District’s law firm to retain services for the upcoming school year; an agreement to continue working with Charter School Management Corporation to continue its support of the CALPADS program; an agreement with All City Management Services that will continue to provide the District with three crossing guards who will work to ensure student and employee safety on the streets; and continuation of the agreement, now in its fifth year, to have food service management company Chartwells supply District meals.

Superintendent Dr. Blake Silvers noted that the third crossing guard had been added midway through the 2018/19 school year at the corner of 135th Street and Isis, which he termed “a big thoroughfare.” He said that adding an additional crossing guard was a “big plus for us,” noting it was the “best option that we had.”

Personnel items approved on Tuesday included a new job description for long-time District administrator Dr. Mary Ring; authorization for Julie Walker to become the District Elementary Mental Health Clinician; and a promotion for Juan de Anza Elementary’s Susan Castellanos to ascend to the position of school secretary.

Ring, whose new title is Assistant Superintendent of Psychological and Student Services, emailed that she “will continue to work tirelessly as a cabinet member in both Wiseburn and Da Vinci schools to aid at-risk youth, build specialized programs, and support staff and families.” Silvers effusively praised the work of Ring and added, prior

to the meeting, that the experienced Castellano was “a perfect fit for the job” at Anza Elementary.

The Friday morning meeting, which lasted about an hour, featured the members passing the District’s Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) as well as approving the 2019/20 financial budget. The LCAP is a revolving three-year plan that is state-mandated to describe the goals, actions, services, and expenditures to “support positive outcomes that address state and local priorities.”

District Chief Business Official Dave Wilson emailed about some of the highlights of the 2018/19 school year, including that the District will end up with a net increase to the general fund; was able to provide a 2.5 percent salary increase to certificated and classified staff; invested in technology by spending more than \$200,000 in student devices, teacher laptops and tech infrastructure; and established a new special education program -- the Success Learning Center -- that strives to educate students who are not typically in a traditional school setting.

Wilson spoke in detail to Board members at the Friday morning meeting. He gave an “in the weeds” presentation that was greatly appreciated by the Board members, who are tasked with increasing and spending District funding. Wilson’s presentation took place the day after freshman California Governor Gavin Newsom signed off on his first California budget, in which he earmarked more than \$103.4 billion be directed towards California K-12 classrooms and programs. Wiseburn filed a “positive certification” at both mandated interim financial reports during the 2018/19 school year. That means that the District is confident it will be able to meet its financial obligations for the current and two subsequent fiscal years.

Board members asked about the always rising costs of District employee benefits packages, with Wilson noting that more than 80

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percent of the budget goes to “people costs,” saying that “we are in the people business.” Board members also were interested in receiving more information about how the State of California is prudently dealing with the funding and costs of the benefits packages.

The members thanked Wilson for his work putting together the budget package, calling it a “great presentation.” Dr. Neil Goldman termed the work done by Wilson as “phenomenal,” with Board President JoAnne Kaneda opining that the presentation was “awesome.”

Also passed Friday morning: a consultant’s agreement with Jacqueline Jimenez to provide the District with psychological services to work with students at the Success Learning Center; and the recommendation that the District add 350 extra temporary hours to split between instructional aides at the summer Wiseburn Child Development Center during their summer camps.

Prior to the Tuesday evening meeting, Silvers, wrapping up his first year as the

superintendent, said, “I am lucky to be in this position. We have a great staff, a great teaching force, people who are committed, a community that is super-driven by the right things. They help me do the best I can for kids.” Silvers continued, “Whatever decisions are made, they are made in the best interests of kids.” He added that the District has “real good plans set up for next year.” He pointed out that Wiseburn is striving to “provide school sites with the best resources that we can, but allow teaching leadership to take the lead in professional development” to continue top-notch collaboration practices, integration between the schools, and to ensure that professional development days are meaningful to the participants. Silvers concluded, “Lots of good things are coming.”

In other District news, school site administrators emailed their highlights for the year, with Juan Cabrillo Elementary Principal Lisa Baggio noting how her school had been able to sustain their Cognitively Guided Instruction

(CGI) mathematics practices, and that the CGI program continues to grow. She also touted the success of a school-wide implementation of small reading group instruction, and the success of Christy Lane Dance Night, Multicultural Night, and Olympic Day -- events that, she wrote, “helped bring together our amazing community.”

Burnett Principal Kim Jones reported that her campus was selected as a California Honor Roll School for the second year in a row; received more than \$9,000 in grant funding from the Cotsen Foundation to support CGI math practices; had a productive year with its onsite Teacher-On-Special-Assignment (TOSA) leading professional learning; and that several Burnett teachers were trained and certified in Project Lead the Way and Coding.

R.H. Dana Middle School Assistant Principal Lisa Wilberg emailed that this was the first year on the job for her and Principal Kiana Clark. She mentioned the advent of the

new Google Portfolios of Student Growth, as well as their students’ first place finish in the Herndon Science Competition, the “Literacy Rocks” school-wide scavenger hunt during Dana Literacy Week, and the \$18,000 that the campus raised during the Pennies for Patients campaign that benefits the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. “Things are always evolving and building at Dana,” Wilberg wrote. “And we can’t wait to see what the 2019/20 school year has in store!”

Anza Principal Alberto Paredes mentioned that his school has a new assistant principal in Katie Masterson, who has a master’s degree in education from Pepperdine University. She comes to Wiseburn from the Culver City Unified School District, where she had spent most of her time in a fifth grade classroom preparing students for their transition to middle school.

The next Wiseburn School Board meeting is slated for July 18. Classes commence for the 2019/20 school year on Aug. 27. •

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PUBLIC NOTICES

**Order to Show Cause
for Change of Name
Case No.19TRCP00169**

Superior Court of California, County of
LOS ANGELES
Petition of: JOANNE CONNIE
ZAMBRANO for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner JOANNE CONNIE
ZAMBRANO filed a petition with this
court for a decree changing names as
follows:
JOANNE CONNIE ZAMBRANO to
JOANNE CONNIE AGUILAR
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
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reasons for the objection at least two
court days before the matter is scheduled
to be heard and must appear at the
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Judge of the Superior Court
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H-26457

**Order to Show Cause
for Change of Name
Case No. 19TRCP00172**

Superior Court of California, County of
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Petition of: CLAIRE ESTELLE
SHIFFLETT BY HER MOTHER
WHITNEY PEARSE SNYDERS for
Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
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WHITNEY PEARSE SNYDERS filed a
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Notice of Hearing:
Date: 8-16-19, Time: 8:30 AM., Dept.: B
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H-26462



**City of El Segundo
Public Hearing Notice**

The CITY COUNCIL will hold a public hearing on:

The Beach Cities Media Campus Project

Address: 2021 Rosecrans Avenue

Project Description: A request to consider Environmental Assessment No. EA-1201 to: a) certify a Final Environmental Impact Report and b) adopt a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program; and c) approve a General Plan Amendment and General Plan Map Amendment No. GPA 17-01 and Zone Change and Zoning Map Amendment No. ZC 17-01 to amend the Land Use designation and zoning from Commercial Center to Mixed Use South, and d) approve Development Agreement No. DA 17-02 to define the project parameters, standards and conditions that will govern development of the project site. The Beach Cities Media Center Project (BCMC) proposes the development of an approximately five-story, 240,000 square foot office building, a one-story, 66,000 square foot studio and production facilities building, and 7,000 square feet of retail uses in two, one-story buildings. The project site is approximately 6.39 acres in area.

On May 23, 2019, the Planning Commission held a public hearing and adopted resolutions recommending that the City Council certify the Final EIR, adopt a Statement of Overriding Considerations, and approve the project.

Applicant: Rosecrans-Sepulveda Partners 4, LLC ("RSP4")

Hearing: **Tuesday, July 16, 2019, 6:00pm**
City Council Chambers
350 Main Street
El Segundo, CA 90245
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Environmental Determination: EIR. The City prepared an Environmental Impact Report (SCH# 2017121035) for the project in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), as amended (Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq.), and the State CEQA Guidelines for Implementation of CEQA (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15000 et seq.). Implementation of the Project would result in significant unavoidable environmental impacts relative to population, housing, and employment (City and regional population and housing demands), and Transportation, Traffic and Parking (four impacts at Existing plus Project and three impacts are Future plus Project; and cumulative construction traffic) for which the City will consider adopting a Statement of Overriding Considerations. The FEIR is available for review at the following locations:
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Also at: <https://www.elsegundo.org/depts/planningsafety/planning/>

Further Information: Any person may give testimony at the public hearing at the time and place indicated above. Written comments may be submitted to Ethan Edwards, AICP, Contract Planner, at eedward@elsegundo.org or mailed to the address above. Note that any appeal of a decision made following a public hearing may be limited to the issues raised by evidence submitted before or during that public hearing.

Gregg McClain, El Segundo Planning Manager



**The El Segundo City Council
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held before the City Council of the City of El Segundo to consider the following ordinance on **Tuesday, July 16, 2019, at 6:00 PM** in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, CA 90245. Interested persons will be given an opportunity to testify.
Proposal: A City of El Segundo Ordinance amending Titles 3 and 15 of the El Segundo Municipal Code to establish a Cultural Development Fund and Cultural Development Fee. The proposed ordinance will require new construction of commercial or industrial development projects of at least \$500,000, or repair/renovation projects of existing commercial or industrial buildings with cumulative valuation of at

least \$500,000 to pay to the City of El Segundo a fee equivalent to one percent of the building or project valuation for public art. For those projects valued at or exceeding \$7.5 million dollars, the owner or developer has the option of either paying the fee or providing a publicly accessible art work on the project site or within the vicinity of the site, with the cost or value of such work being equal to or exceeding one percent of the project cost, but no more than \$100,000. The project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to 14 CCR § 15061(b)(3) of the CEQA Guidelines because it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the proposed ordinance will have a significant effect on the environment. A copy of the proposed ordinance is available for public review at the Office of the City Clerk located at City Hall,

Room 5, 350 Main Street El Segundo, CA 90245, phone number 310-524-2307. All persons wishing to appear for or against the proposed ordinance are directed to attend the hearing or file a statement in writing with the Office of the City Clerk, 350 Main Street El Segundo, CA 90245 prior to the hearing. If you wish to challenge this action in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else rose at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City Council and/or City Clerk's Office, at, or prior to, the public hearing. If you have any questions, please contact Library Director Melissa McCollum at 310-524-2730. Tracy Weaver
City Clerk
El Segundo Herald Pub. 7/4, 7/11/19
H-26481

**Order to Show Cause
for Change of Name
Case No. 19TRCP00178**
Superior Court of California, County of
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Petition of: RACHEL MARTINA
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Notice of Hearing:
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PUBLIC NOTICES

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019157900

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CALIFORNIA TACTICAL FIREARMS, 1) 120 WEST 155TH STREET SUITE 103, GARDENA, CA 90248, 2) 16706 HAWTHORNE BLVD, LAWNDALE, CA 90260, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): 1) WILLIAM JAMES MULLAN II, 2433 250TH STREET, LOMITA, CA 90717, 2) DUNCAN ANTHONY ELLIOTT, 728 WEST PINE AVE, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: WILLIAM JAMES MULLAN II, Partner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 10, 2019.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 10, 2024. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 10, 2024. 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 2019164101

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) LEGACY PRO BUILDERS, 2) LEGACY PRO BUILDERS CONSTRUCTION, 2321 W. 161ST ST., TORRANCE, CA 90504, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): BRYAN GEIGER, 2321 W 161ST 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: BRYAN GEIGER, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 14, 2019.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019170691

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) VELOCITY PERFORMANCE, 2) ROTATIONAL ATHLETE PERFORMANCE, 538 ARENA ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON: 2503671. Registered Owner(s): C. NOOTBAAR INC, 538 ARENA ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 01/2019. Signed: C. NOOTBAAR INC, President. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 18, 2019.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019172756

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019173807

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NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 20, 2024. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 20, 2024. 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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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AERIDES GENERAL STORE, 5406 BONFAIR AVENUE, LAKEWOOD, CA 90712, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): JAYDEE DIZON, 5406 BONFAIR AVENUE, LAKEWOOD, CA 90712. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 6/2019. Signed: JAYDEE DIZON, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 14, 2019.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019172472

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CCS PUBLICATIONS, 14 JOHNS CANYON ROAD, ROLLING HILLS, CA 90274, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): TEN FORWARD LLC, 14 JOHNS CANYON ROAD, ROLLING HILLS, CA 90274. 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: 05/2019. Signed: TEN FORWARD LLC, CATHERINE C. SHULTZ, Member. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 19, 2019.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019153654

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as IN THING BOUTIQUE, 1580 ½ 36TH PLACE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90018, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): SHYVONNE GAYNAIR, 1580 ½ WEST 36TH PLACE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90018. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 06/2019. Signed: This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 4, 2019.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019177320

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JASON LOWE ANIMATION AND DESIGN, 18039 FONTHILL AVE, TORRANCE, CA 90504, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): JASON MICHAEL LOWE, 18039 FONTHILL AVE, 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: 01/2019. Signed: JASON MICHAEL LOWE, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 25, 2019.

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El Segundo Herald: Pub. 7/4, 7/11, 7/18, 7/25/19 **H-2002**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019162037

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) JINS DEL AMO, 3525 W CARSON STREET, TORRANCE, CA 90503, 2) JINS DEL AMO, 151 POWELL ST, SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94102, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): JINS EYEWEAR US, INC., 151 POWELL ST, SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94102. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 07/2018. Signed: JINS EYEWEAR US, INC., JIN ARAI, President. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 13, 2019.

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El Segundo Herald: Pub. 7/4, 7/11, 7/18, 7/25/19 **H-2003**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019161861

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SOUTH BAY BABY CARE, 1) 323 36TH STREET UNIT A, MANHATTAN BEACH, CA 90266, 2) 641 HILLCREST STREET, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): SOUTH BAY BABY CARE NURSING SERVICES INCORPORATED, 323 36TH STREET UNIT A, MANHATTAN BEACH, CA 90266. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 5/2019. Signed: SOUTH BAY BABY CARE NURSING SERVICES INCORPORATED, LISA GROSSMAN, President. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 12, 2019.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019178315

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LIGHTHOUSE MEMORIALS & RECEPTIONS, 5310 TORRANCE BLVD., TORRANCE, CA 90503, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): WHITE & DAY, INC., 5310 TORRANCE BLVD., TORRANCE, CA 90503. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 6/2019. Signed: WHITE & DAY, INC., JOHN KIRK, President. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 26, 2019.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 26, 2024. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 26, 2024. 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. 7/4, 7/11, 7/18, 7/25/19 **H-2005**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019163988

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) 1ST CLASS MARTIAL ARTS, 17240 HAWTHORNE BLVD., TORRANCE, CA 90504, 2) FIRST CLASS MARTIAL ARTS, P.O. BOX 26, TORRANCE, CA 90507, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON: 472297610. Registered Owner(s): HAPPY IN PARADISE, 17240 HAWTHORNE BLVD., TORRANCE, CA 90504. 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: HAPPY IN PARADISE, CALVIN WANG, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 14, 2019.

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El Segundo Herald: Pub. 7/4, 7/11, 7/18, 7/25/19 **H-2006**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019181596

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as EAGLES OF EIGHTY-TWO, INC., 1009 E. WALNUT AVENUE, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON: 3682429. Registered Owner(s): EAGLES OF EIGHTY-TWO, INC., 1009 E. WALNUT AVE., EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 06/2014. Signed: EAGLES OF EIGHTY-TWO, INC., JULIE D. STOLNACK, President. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 28, 2019.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 28, 2024. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 28, 2024. 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 2019177951

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SOUTH BAY AUTOHAUS, 4875 W. ROSECRANS AVENUE, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON: 03098700. Registered Owner(s): Q & D AUTOHAUS, INC., 4875 W. ROSECRANS AVENUE, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/2008. Signed: Q & D AUTOHAUS, INC., QAIS NOORY, President. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 26, 2019.

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Hawthorne Press Tribune: Pub. 7/4, 7/11, 7/18, 7/25/19 **HH-2008**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019183237

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NICE THINGS COMPANY, 332 STANDARD STREET #7, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): CYNTHIA JESKE, 332 STANDARD STREET #7, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. 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: CYNTHIA JESKE, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on July 2, 2019.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on July 2, 2024. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to July 2, 2024. 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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is its mid-century feel, change is inevitable and the current Main and Imperial welcome that dates back well over 50 years is a bit long in the tooth. The rock walls came first during the 1960s on the east and west corners, followed in the 1970s by accent landscaping and community service club signage.

While the refresh of the corner will be a significant change, prospective designers will have to closely follow certain guidelines. Any new signage is to be “uniquely reflective of El Segundo: its character, nature, history and potential future.” The rock walls that launched the original gateway will stay put. However, the existing landscaping and signage may be removed. The project may feature new landscaping as well as lighting. Also, the words “El Segundo” must be incorporated in a horizontal orientation. Some of the potential themes to keep in mind as identified by the

Gateway Committee include the buzz words iconic, unique, organic, kinetic/moving, photo opportunity, and safe.

The committee members also envision a more abstract interpretation of El Segundo in referencing its most well-known elements such as the aerospace industry, Chevron, tech companies, proximity to the beach and the blue butterfly. Other parameters include height restrictions so as not to clash with overhead power lines, plus no water/fountain features or structures that go over the streets.

Those who wish to be considered can email Hentzen at chentzen@elsegundo.org and include in the submission name/team members, contact information, statement of interest/letter of understanding, brief personal/team resume and samples of work and/or images that support their qualifications to take on this project. •

Sports in El Segundo

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Torrance starting Sunday, July 7. The team is led by Lloyd Sapanza, Brendan McAndrews, James Pearson and Cooper Stalnack. The Pacific Southwest Tournament is scheduled to be played in Taft, California and will be hosted by the Northwest Bakersfield Babe Ruth League.

The 14-year-olds have a talented team led by Brian Pham, Nolan Kelly and Max Dering. It could advance out of the six-team state tournament being played at La Crescenta/Glendale Babe Ruth starting July 6. The winner advances to the Pacific Southwest Tournament in Arroyo Grande, hosted by Five Cities Youth Babe Ruth League. Manager Larry Robinson is no stranger to all-star competition. The former standout catcher has been an assistant or manager on three teams that have advanced to the World Series.

The 13-year-old team has a number of players on its roster that competed on last season’s Little League all-star team. Lucas Bonham, Cruz Ochoa, Dylan Immel, James Baldino and others helped lead that team to the Little League Southern California All-Star Tournament. Should this group win the seven-team state tournament, held at Westchester Babe Ruth, starting July 6, it would advance to the Pacific Southwest Tournament in Price, Utah starting July 22.

Little League All-Star Teams Continue their Quest

The El Segundo Little League All-Stars are in full swing and look to advance to the Section Tournament. The 12s are playing at Marine Park in Manhattan Beach where they’ve battling through the loser’s bracket. After falling to Manhattan Beach LL in the opener, they have defeated Hermosa Beach LL, Palos Verdes LL and Rolling Hills LL before facing Redondo Beach LL in the loser’s bracket final. The winner plays Manhattan Beach Little League in the championship game on Friday at 6 p.m.

The 11s defeated Manhattan Beach Little League and lost to Rolling Hills in the second game. They overcame a rally to hold off Silver Spur in an elimination game to face Palos Verdes this past Monday. They would need to defeat Palos Verdes and had to get past Rolling Hills yesterday to advance to the finals against Redondo Beach LL on Friday. All games are being played at Palos Verdes Little League at 3801 Via La Selva, Palos Verdes.

The 10s defeated Rolling Hills LL and Hermosa Beach LL before squaring off against Redondo Beach LL in the winner’s bracket earlier in the week. The tournament is being played at Perry Park 2301 Grant Avenue, Redondo Beach. •

Gas Tax

vehicle registration fees and fuel taxes, was defeated. So, the long-range plan to fix roads and improve mass transit using \$5 billion per year in new taxes continues.

The 5.6-cent increase on July 1 made California’s tax rate on gasoline tops in the nation, according to published reports. And, the reminder to retailers about the second increase in the tax coincided with the start of Independence Day. The news sparked the minor rebellion over the “tax-and-spend” mentality of Democrats who control both chambers in Sacramento. Gas pricing in California is confusing, partly because of taxes.

Robert McClelland, a think tank staff member at the Tax Policy Center, suggested the state do better at explaining to drivers how a gallon of gasoline is taxed. “Perhaps if California could simplify its gas tax regime, its residents would realize what they are paying and for what. This could make the levies less unpopular,” he wrote last November.

Every gallon of unleaded carries a 2.25 percent sales tax and an additional 47.3-cent excise tax. Gasoline sold in the state is reformulated to reduce smog-forming emissions, which raises the price by about 10 cents per gallon, according to figures McClelland cited.

Other environmental regulations make fuel more expensive for Californians, he concedes. A lower-carbon fuel standard approved in 2010 requires producers of gasoline and other petroleum-based fuels to gradually reduce the “carbon intensity” of their products each year through 2020. That rule may add about 4 cents a gallon to the

price of gasoline, he said. A cap-and-trade system to limited greenhouse gas emissions was extended to fuel producers four years ago, adding another 9 cents to the per-gallon price of fuels.

As of this week, the state is collecting 46.7 cents per gallon on unleaded and premium blends. Drivers and fleet owners who run diesel-engine cars and trucks are paying. The diesel fuel tax rate nearly doubled to 67 cents per gallon under Brown’s road-repair plan.

“California’s bewildering array of frequently changing explicit and implicit taxes has made it very difficult for people to understand how much they are paying in taxes when they purchase gasoline, even though gasoline prices are among the most well-known prices for consumers,” McClelland said.

Complaining about taxes and government policy is an American tradition. Taxes and trade were the issues that fueled the rebellion against England that the nation celebrates every July 4th. King George III imposed a stamp tax on any official deed or document a decade before the fed-up colonists declared they’d seen enough. The British ruler refused to permit early Americans to trade with other nations, creating a captive audience for England. Thomas Jefferson drafted the Declaration of Independence document, which Congress approved on July 4, 1776, and included the king’s taxes and restrictive trade policies among the laundry list of grievances that Americans used to demand self-rule.

After declaring, “We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal,

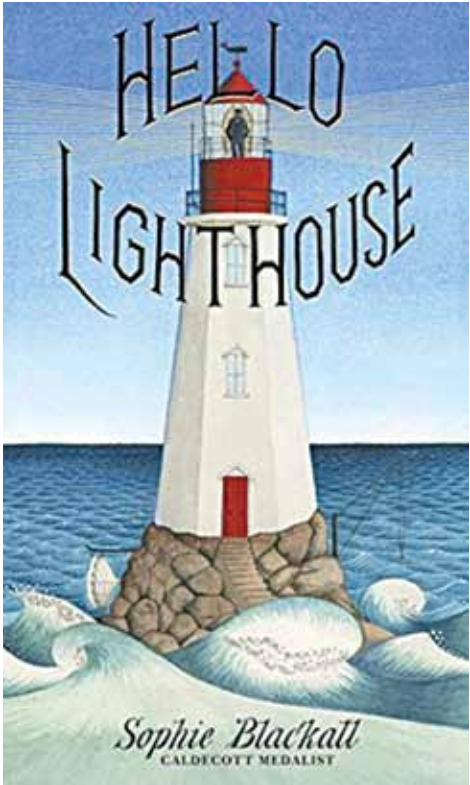
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Book Review: *Hello Lighthouse* by Sophie Blackall

Reviewed by Kristen Morrell, Youth Services Librarian

We learn not only the story of the exterior of this gorgeous lighthouse, but about the family that lives inside it. If you’re looking for the perfect summer read, *Hello Lighthouse* will



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take you seaside with its vivid and colorful illustrations. Written by two-time Caldecott Medal award-winner Sophie Blackall, this beautiful story about a lighthouse keeper, his wife and young child transports you back in time

The story begins with the new lighthouse keeper beginning his journey to care for the lighthouse. He keeps track of every detail that goes into the care in his logbook. As the seasons change, the lighthouse keeper grows lonely. He begins to write a letter and

throws it out to sea, hoping for a reply. Soon the keeper sees the tender out at sea who brings him food, supplies and his wife! On a dark, windy night, disaster strikes and the keeper helps rescue sailors who were out at sea. Soon after, the keeper falls ill, but his wife is there to help him. The season changes and soon his pregnant wife is ready to have her new baby. The tender arrives again with supplies, food and a letter in the mail. The letter brings news about the future for the lighthouse keeper and his family.

Hello Lighthouse was the winner of the 2019 Randolph Caldecott Medal for the most distinguished American picture book for children. I highly recommend this wonderful story for children of all ages and their families. To check out *Hello Lighthouse*, or to browse more fun picture books for kids, please visit the library to apply for your free library card. For more young reader picks and staff favorites, stop by our Youth Services Desk. Our friendly Youth Services Librarians would love to help you find your next great read and remember to sign-up for Summer Reading on Friday, June 14! •



Kristen Morell

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that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness,” Jefferson inserted into the historic text two hot-button issues of his day, which remain controversial 243 years later. “For cutting off our Trade with all parts of the world. For imposing Taxes on us without our Consent,” the declaration says. The latter issue, known as taxation without representation, has been addressed over the nation’s history by the civil rights-era Voting Rights Act of 1965.

The other concern -- creating tension over U.S. trade policy -- has returned with the White House’s threat to impose tariffs on Mexico and Canada. President Trump and his trade representative Robert Lighthizer placed a 10 percent import tariff on Chinese goods and products late last year. The administration in mid-June raised tariffs to 25 percent in an attempt to pressure Chinese trade negotiators to agree to buy more U.S. products and take swift action to protect the intellectual property rights of U.S. companies.

The trade talks focused on protecting U.S. drug patents and cellphone technologies continue. The tariff war has hurt farmers and manufacturers here in the South Bay who rely on parts and components made in China.

Finding new suppliers outside China can take a local company years, and the uncertainty about the North American Free Trade Agreement has South Bay’s manufacturing industry weighing whether to switch suppliers or wait out the trade war with Beijing, says economist Stephen Cheung with the Los Angeles Economic Development Corp.

“As it takes months (if not years) to establish to supply chain for these companies, the long-term risk is a slowdown in growth plans,” Cheung said about the path forward for local industry. He added most companies won’t be able to absorb the sharp increase and will likely have to pass this cost onto their consumers. “You can expect a decrease in demand when there is an increase in cost,” he said, citing past history with tariffs on the U.S. economy. •

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