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## Congratulations to Public Safety Dispatcher Amanda Hanson



Amanda was recognized by the Southern California Chapter of APCO International as the Runner-Up for Outstanding Performance by an Individual. She was honored for her quick thinking and steady leadership during a high-stress incident last year. Amanda's calm voice and sharp focus helped guide the response and provided vital support to officers in the field. Amanda, thank you for being the calm in the storm — and the voice that helps keep our officers and community safe. Photo courtesy Inglewood Police Department Facebook page.

## Take Me Out to The Organ

By Ron Sokol

Living in the South Bay, within driving distance of Dodger Stadium, might just be a blessing, but also a bit of a curse. Case in point: The Los Angeles Dodgers. Truly an outstanding franchise. The Dodgers have some of the top players in the world, not the least of which is Shohei Otani. His remarkable play is historical. Last year, Shohei became the first player to hit 50 home runs and steal 50 bases. He is a charter member of the 50/50 club.

How about Mookie Betts – *Moooookie!* *Moooookie!* is the chant – what an exciting, agile athlete. Freddie Freeman, just about everyone has seen his stunning grand slam walk-off homer in last year's World Series, and then hugging his dad after the game. You no doubt have heard "Freddie meet Gibby", given the similarity of Kirk Gibson's notorious 1988 walk-off home for the Dodgers in the 1988 World Series.

Going to a Dodger game is a lot of fun. There is so much going on in the ballpark, including a great variety of foods and libations. Also, what about those big screens? The kiss cam, fans dancing, and fun games are played with the crowd. Of course, the team is really good. They not only won the World Series last year, but many think they could repeat this season.

A dilemma, however, I am sad to say: Going to the game can be costly. If you drive to Dodger Stadium, parking isn't cheap. Tickets may be expensive. Depending upon if you bring your own food, or buy there, you might spend another tidy sum. And, sorry, but there's the notorious traffic getting there and back; not much fun in many instances. (Taking the bus is a good alternative!)

In so many respects, we have been blessed to have the Dodgers nearby. For over sixty years, we had the incomparable storyteller Vin Scully. Vinnie did not just handle the play-by-play; he was downright lyrical at any given time. We also have had genuine, unforgettable, lovable characters, including Dodger Manager Tommy Lasorda, who "bled Dodger blue." Tommy was a motivational speaker, and not just on the ball field.

Perhaps, then, it is no surprise that the Dodgers once again led all major league baseball teams in fan attendance last year (over 3.9 million). That's more than 49,000 fans per game at the Stadium.

There is, however, something more. Something you might not think of offhand when you are talking about the Los Angeles Dodgers. A part of the game that you just might take

for granted: *Very cool organ music!*

In April of this year, we celebrated the 84th anniversary of the first time an organ was utilized at a major league ballpark. This was in 1941 at fabled Wrigley Field, Chicago. The first professional organist for a baseball team was Gladys Gooding, who played background music for silent films and at some sports events in Madison Square Garden before she began in earnest with the Brooklyn Dodgers at Ebbets Field in 1942.

With all the sound, lights, and excitement at Dodger baseball games, the organ may not be at the forefront of your fandom. Nancy Bea Hefley, for many years, was the Dodger Stadium organist. Nancy was what we today refer to as "more traditional." She contributed wonderfully well, and her sound was part

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Dodger Organist Dieter Ruehle. Image provided by Ron Sokol.

## Weekend Forecast

### Friday

Partly  
Cloudy  
71°/55°



### Saturday

AM  
Showers  
67°/55°



### Sunday

Partly  
Sunny  
66°/54°



# Entertainment

## Check It Out

### Broken Country by Clare Leslie Hall

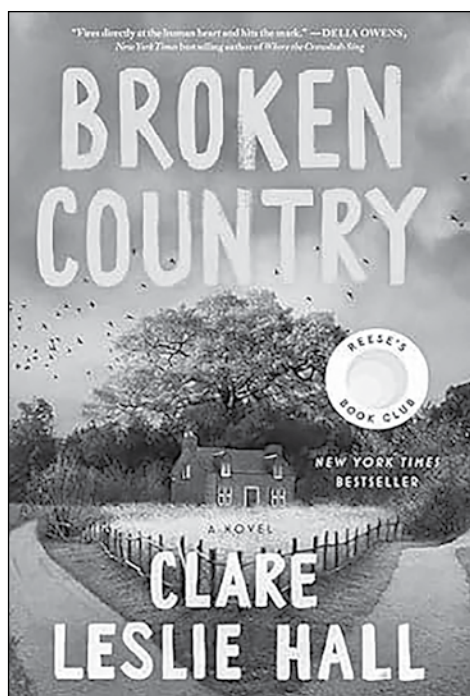
By Library Assistant, Mary Martes

In the verdant pastures of the English countryside, a story of now and then emerges in two timelines, both stories of deep love and passion. Now it is lambing season. Beth and Frank tend to their flock with the steady hands of lifelong devotion, assisted by Jimmy, Frank's brother. With practiced ease, they work and laugh, veteran ranchers who love what they do.

Then is the story of young love, two teenagers from different classes, determined that they will be the exception to the rule. Despite the disdain of his parents, and the worry of hers, these two lovers forge on, planning their future lives together. Naturally, life does not go as planned.

Years later, when Gabriel moves back with his young son into the mansion on the hillside, this love triangle slowly, but inexorably implodes. Neighbors once again, Beth must fight her long repressed yearning

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Broken Country by Clare Leslie Hall.

## Film Review

### The Uninvited Review: Lifestyles of the Rich and the Melancholic

By Morgan Rojas for Cinemacy

The *White Lotus* star Walton Goggins is returning to a screen near you in the upcoming indie drama, *The Uninvited*. Written and directed by filmmaker and his real-life partner Nadia Conners, Goggins stars as a Hollywood agent in this single-location ensemble film where he navigates through a chaotic night of secrecy, mystery, and self-reflection. *The Uninvited* is now playing at the Laemmle Monica Film Center.

Running a tight 97 minutes, *The Uninvited* takes place over the course of one night at the Hollywood Hills home of couple Sammy (Goggins) and Rose (Elizabeth Reaser). As they prepare to host a party, we see that there are clearly cracks in their relationship's foundation. Sammy and Rose bicker in what seems like routine fashion; subtle battles over career insecurities and motherhood woes rear their ugly head. They've reached the point in their relationship where now, even the smallest inconvenience seems cause for resentment. Through fairly on-the-nose dialogue, Sammy makes it clear that they are going through a rough patch. If they can get through the night unscathed, it would be a giant step in the right direction for their future together.

Despite best efforts, Rose is quickly distracted by a stranger who has found

herself in their home. The older woman, Helen (Lois Smith), is not well; sick, and confused. Rose decides it's best to stay with Helen until her family comes to get her. Meanwhile, at the party, Sammy confides in a friend with a bombshell of a secret: he lost his job and is desperate to get back on

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The Uninvited, courtesy Foton Distribution

## Frostbound and Down: Running the Antarctica Marathon

By Tommy Vinh Bui, MLIS, Associate Librarian, Inglewood Public Library

The wind howls desolate and the numbing of my fingers inch further and further up the wrist alarmingly. These unrelenting high-velocity winds continue to crank at unfathomable knots and send flurries of hard-wrought regrets ringing between the ears. The ears that are also like icicles at the moment as I toe the start line of the almighty Antarctica Marathon.

The desire to run a full 26.2-mile marathon in one of the world's most inhospitable environments in existence isn't without its fair share of cocked eyebrows and earnest inquiries into one's mental health. The journey to the continent alone is fraught with perils and seemingly constant inherent hazards. The Drake Passage is a notorious maelstrom of angry oceans converging and whipsawing ships with crashing four-story waves on a regular basis, and one finds themselves popping dramamine after dramamine with startling regularity to

keep the stomach from somersaulting right on overboard.

The race itself is a ramshackle affair. But most of the runners have traveled too far and braved too many inclement travails along the way to let minor aesthetics prevent them from hurdling over that finish line. Wet gravel, slushy snow, and bellicose gales that seem to haymaker you at every angle. The mile markers are pecked at by roving gentoo penguins and leopard seals languidly unhinge and stretch their jaws onshore by our inflatable zodiac boats. We remove our life vests and biosecure-safe rubber boots, and immediately, the cold air starts gnawing and perma-punching our ruddy cheeks. The start pistol can't klaxon the beginning of the marathon soon enough. The core body temperature is fast dipping and we welcome the grueling mileage ahead if just for the friction and chance to cobble a little warmth

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Tommy Bui at the Antarctica Marathon. Photos provided by Tommy Vinh Bui.

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## Cougars Take Part at the Long Beach Grand Prix



Hawthorne High School of Manufacturing & Engineering hit the track at the Long Beach Grand Prix — not as spectators, but as part of the action. Our student engineers teamed up with the Historic Motor Sports Association to work behind the scenes at the Historic Indy Car Challenge, helping with tech inspections, track operations, and even showcasing our cutting-edge 3D scanning skills to preserve vintage race cars. From safety checks to scanning historic vehicles, our students were hands-on and all in — learning what it takes to keep motorsports running at top speed. Photo courtesy Centinela Valley Union High School District Facebook page.



## GUNDOGRAM

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### Peach Orzo Salad

Provided by Campbells Soup Corp.

The secret to this salad is orzo that's simmered in Swanson broth until all of the wonderful flavor soaks right in. Add sweet peaches, spicy arugula and fresh mint for a unique and delicious summer salad.



#### Ingredients

- 2 cups Swanson® Chicken Broth or Vegetable Broth
- 8 ounces (about 1 1/3 cups) uncooked orzo pasta
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 tablespoon red wine vinegar
- 2 tablespoons lime juice
- 1 teaspoon grated lime zest
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper
- 2 large peach, pitted and chopped (about 2 cups)
- 2 cups baby arugula
- 1/4 cup chopped mint leaves

#### Directions

- **Step 1:** Heat the broth and orzo in a 2 1/2-quart saucepan over high heat to a boil. Reduce the heat to low. Cover and cook for 12 minutes until the orzo is tender and broth is absorbed, stirring occasionally. Do not drain. Remove the orzo to a large bowl and let cool for 30 minutes.
- **Step 2:** Beat the oil, vinegar, lime juice, lime zest, salt and black pepper in a small bowl with a fork or whisk. Add the lime mixture, peaches, arugula and mint to the orzo and toss to coat. Season to taste.

#### Tips

- **To Make Ahead:** Prepare as noted above but don't stir in the arugula and mint. Cover and refrigerate the orzo mixture and stir in the arugula and mint just before serving.

Send us a photo and recipe of your favorite dish. We'd love to share it with the community. Send to: [web@heraldpublications.com](mailto:web@heraldpublications.com)

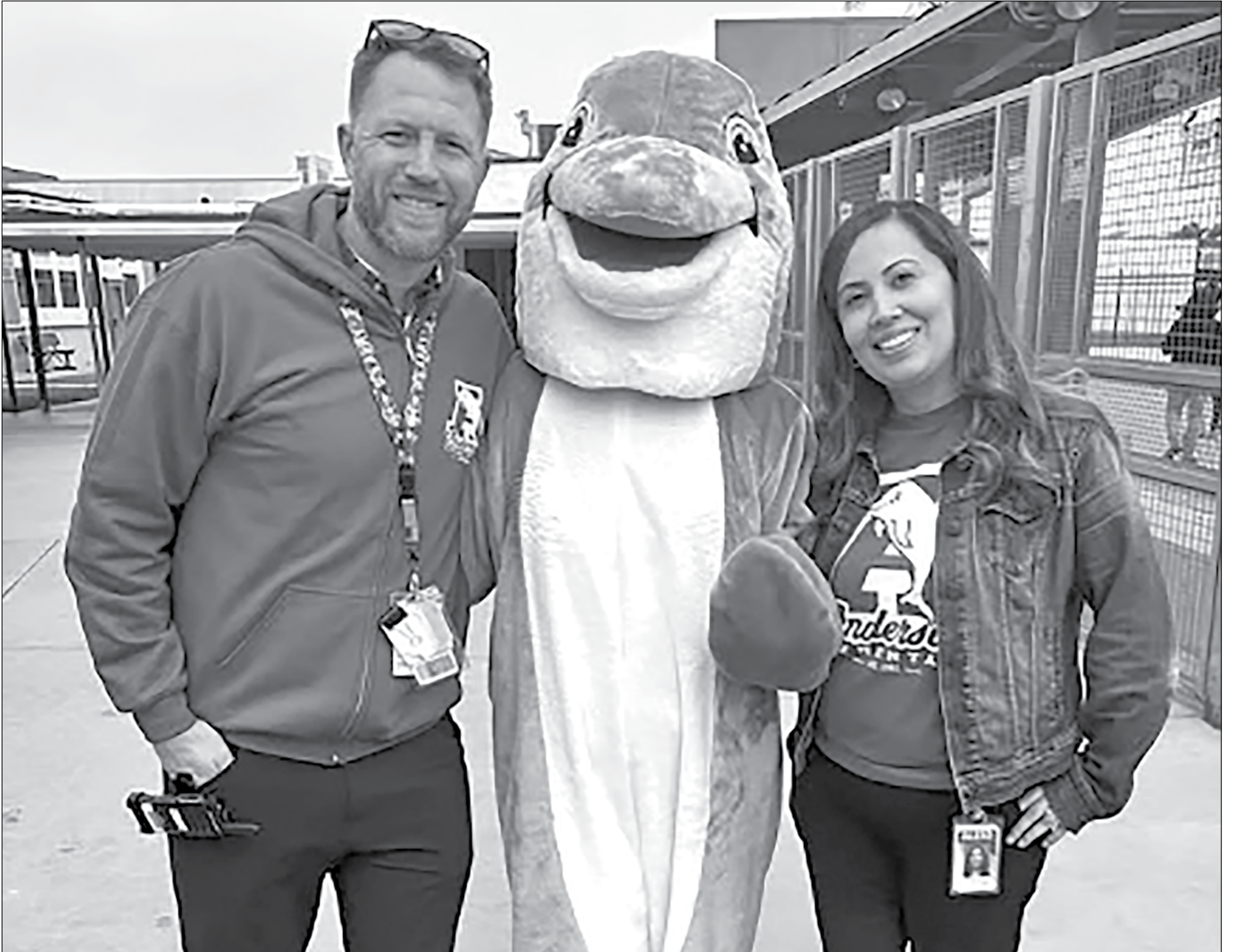
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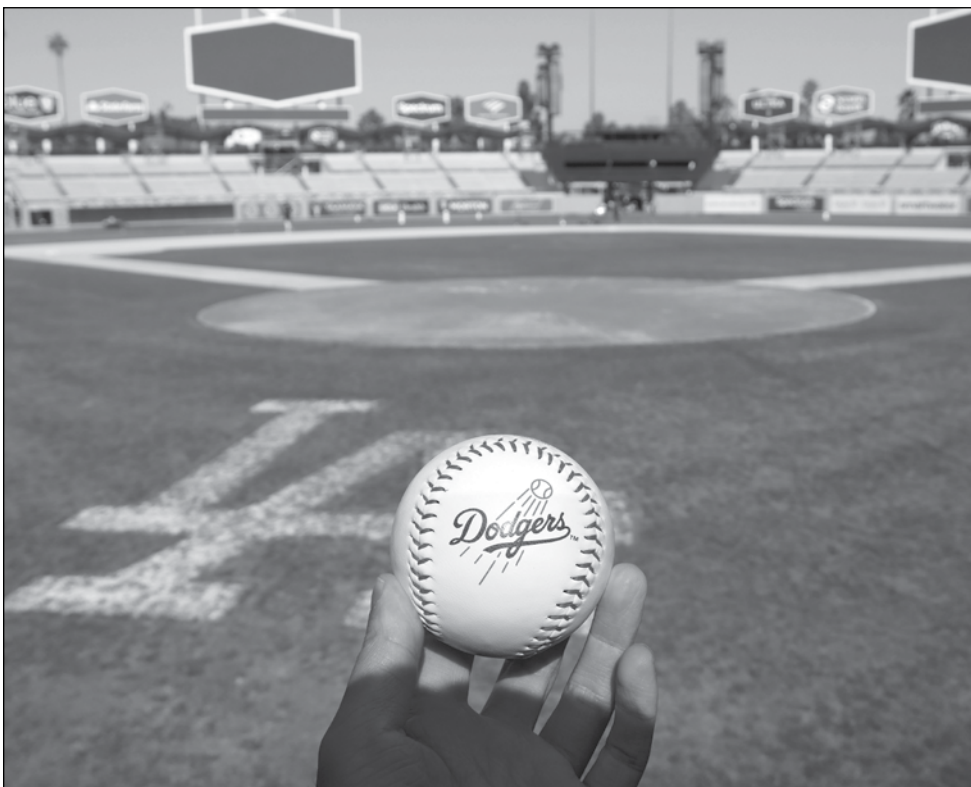
## We Embrace 'The Dolphin Way' in All School Settings, Which is to Be Safe, Respectful, and Responsible



Introducing our new mascot Bubbles. Thank you to our PTA for helping bring Bubbles to the Anderson family. Photo courtesy Anderson Elementary School Instagram page.

### Dodger Stadium

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Dodger Stadium. Images provided by Ron Sokol.

of the fabric, part of the experience, part of what you expected to hear when you went to the games. She retired in 2015.

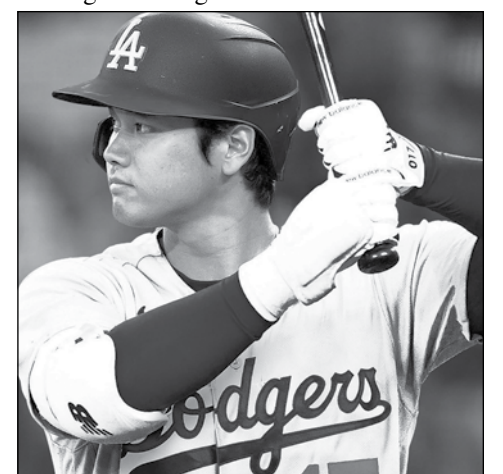
Nancy was replaced by Dieter Ruehle, who rocks out. You might hear the beginning of *Inna Gadda Da Vida* before the proverbial "Charge" is played (you know the Charge chant - *Dah Dah Dah Dah... DaDah!*). Or you may get some classical sound deftly played before the organ turns to the repeated sound of "Let's Go Dodgers!" The organ absolutely adds to the atmosphere and to the spirit. In fact, the theory is that the organ provides a "psychological accompaniment" to the game.

You can catch samples of Dieter's fun stuff on *YouTube*. By the way, do you think Ludwig Van Beethoven could foresee the well-known refrain from his Fifth Symphony would follow on the organ each time a Dodger pitcher strikes out an opposing batter? That one goes, as you lower the tone of your voice: *Dah Dah Dah Dahhhhhhh.....*

Yes, it's peanuts, hotdogs, and a beer that has been standard at Dodger Stadium and so many ballparks. Now, we can add sushi, yogurt, mixed drinks, saki, burritos, and pasta

(among other choices). The organ, too, has been spiced up! But, when it comes time to sing the traditional "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" during the seventh inning stretch, it is the classic organ that provides the music. This is how I came up with the phrase that became the title to this column.

Keep in mind that I did not ask to change the expression "Play Ball" to "Play organ," although that might make sense as well. •



Shohei Otani.

# Torrance Tribune

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## Honoring Our Senior Student Athletes



Torrance High School celebrated eight senior student-athletes who signed their National Letter of Intent to continue their academic and athletic career at the next level. We are very proud of you: Mateo Rickman, CSU Long Beach, Baseball; Paul Ngoie, University of NC at Asheville, Soccer; Travis Donahue, Hope International, Volleyball; Kiana Greer, University of Idaho, Volleyball; Ryan DaCosta, Embry Riddle Aeronautical University, Softball; Ayane Rokugawa, Williams College, Softball; Monica Villanueva, University of Redlands, Basketball; Isabel Garcia, Westmont College, Swim. Photo courtesy Torrance High School Facebook page.

### Check it Out

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for her first love Gabriel measured against the years of happiness and devotion with Frank. When Gabriels son's dog runs into the lambing session, Beth is drawn to him. Reeling from his parent's divorce, Leo is troubled and withdrawn. Beth begins to help Leo adapt to his new surroundings, which brings her directly into Gabriel's orbit. Frank, knowing their history, is understandably concerned about the simmering attraction between the two. Not as much as Jimmy, though, who will not allow anyone to disrupt their idyllic existence.

Tragedy follows, and all of them must reckon with the fallout. Heartbreaking and mesmerizing, this tale of love, forgiveness, and suspense plunges the reader right into the green countryside of Dorset. •



Mary Martes

### Film Review

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track. To complicate matters further, Rose's ex-boyfriend Lucien (Pedro Pascal) shows up, evoking thoughts of a romanticized alternate reality where they would be married with children. The past and present now collide, leaving Rose stuck in the middle to confront her insecurities, loneliness, and deteriorating marriage.

Rumors of Goggins and Connors' personal lives aside, the script feels authentic, seemingly alluding to complicated aspects of their relationship off-screen. Sammy admits to infidelity, which causes Rose to reflect on her place in their shared future together. It's a touching, if not sobering, moment in the film that takes courage to express publicly. Despite this vulnerability, however, *The Uninvited* seems to lack an overall sense of grit and memorability. It doesn't quite get under the surface the way it needs to for the audience to fully empathize with Rose's cathartic emotional climax. And while it is lightly comedic, it skews more towards uncomfortably tense.

*The Uninvited* is a tight-knit ensemble that gains momentum from the very talented performers on screen. While it may not be everyone's most notable work, it offers a unique perspective into the lives of people who seem to have it all when in reality, they're fighting to keep it together. •



Morgan Rojas

## South Bay Christian School Celebrates 60 Years of Christian Education

South Bay Christian School (formerly South Bay Junior Academy) is proud to announce its 60th anniversary, celebrating six decades of delivering high-quality Christian education to families in the South Bay area of Los Angeles County.

Founded in the fall of 1964, the school began with just a first-grade classroom and a mission to nurture young minds in a Christ-centered environment. Much has changed since those early days—Del Amo Boulevard has expanded beyond two lanes; the surrounding fields and farms have transformed into neighborhoods and tennis courts—but the school's commitment to its students and community remains unwavering.

One of the most heartwarming parts of the school's legacy is Principal Kirsten Born. A proud alumna of the original South Bay Junior Academy, Mrs. Born returned after college to teach fourth grade. It was during this time that she met Don Born, a parent at the school. Their story blossomed into marriage

and a family—with all children also attended South Bay Christian School. Today, Mrs. Born continues to serve as the school's beloved teaching principal, embodying the full-circle spirit of SBCS.

"Our history is deeply personal," says Mrs. Born. "This school helped shape who I am—as a student, teacher, wife, mother, and leader. It's a joy and a calling to help nurture the next generation here."

The school still enjoys a rare gem in urban life: nearly four acres of outdoor playing field, where students study and play on grass beneath open skies—a luxury in today's fast-paced world. Roughly ten years ago, the school's name officially changed to South Bay Christian School to more clearly reflect its mission to the community. Yet the foundation of its values has never shifted. SBCS remains "a loving, friendly, and safe environment" where parents entrust their children to the care of dedicated, talented educators. •



On Saturday, April 12th we marked this momentous milestone—of 60 years, hosting a wonderful celebration in the gym where past and present students and families joined us. Listed from Left to Right: Mayor George Chen of Torrance, CA joined us along with former student Fred Nichols of the first graduating class. Also pictured: Principal Kirsten Born, former Principal Susan Vlach, and our Chairman of the Board, Pastor John Jensen.

# Inglewood Daily News

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## Inglewood Educational Foundation Creates a Brighter Future for Our Students



Students from City Honors, Morningside, and Inglewood High participated in the 3rd Annual HBCU College Tour, exploring campuses across Virginia, Maryland, and Washington, D.C. This unforgettable journey gave students a firsthand look at the culture, excellence, and legacy of HBCUs and most importantly, the chance to see themselves in those spaces. With gratitude to IEF and IUSD Board Vice President and IEF President Dr. Carliss McGhee for making this vision possible. Photo courtesy Inglewood Unified School District.

### Marathon

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within our waterproof runner swaddling.

The sights were wondrous and placid to survey along the way. A sternum-shattering silence crawls in and curls up within the chest cavity throughout. This is a marathon free of traditional well-wishing revelers and cowbells and aid stations flinging electrolytes in your face. This is an environment largely free of

the trappings of the day-to-day quotidian of urbanite comforts. There wasn't a soul in sight for miles nor the distant din of traffic or all-encompassing compulsion to anxiously check an email inbox thrice in an hour. It was twenty-six miles of uninterrupted icy bliss.

Though definitions of bliss varied along the punishing race route, the stolid and serene panoramas were pleasant indeed for the first few miles. But eventually the monotony of the expansive nothingness of the peninsula started to wreak havoc on the sense of sanguinity. The microclimates that exist along the course wrung the spirits, and internal optimism fluctuated wildly. A good tailwind would nudge you helpfully in the warm embrace of sunshine one moment, and then the next, you're shivering with despair as your wet socks squelch and your retinas refuse to refocus due to snow blindness. I was ping-ponging between a smorgasbord of emotions mile upon mile.

But alas, that finish line eventually loomed large in the distance. And somewhere cockle-

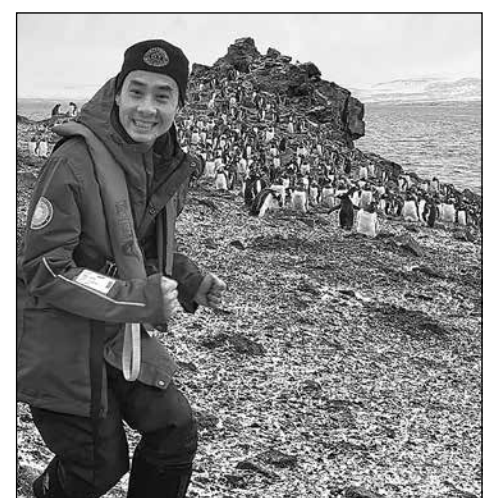
deep I was able to muster a renewed reservoir of reserve gallop in the calves somehow and lumbered over that finish tape. Arms raised triumphantly and smile ear to ear. Knowing full well and appreciating the one-and-doneness nature of this singular race. And taking considerable comfort in the knowledge that running this particular race helped raise money for nonprofit Oceanites, which supports research and data collection for monitoring climate change on the Antarctic Peninsula. A miserable race experience counterbalances the steady progress we're making advocating for the Antarctic environment through science, education, and transparent stewardship.

Bones aching from the grueling race conditions and toes nigh purple with frostbite, I was ready to crawl back to the ship and stick my feet into the microwave. But not before the pièce de résistance that is the polar tradition of diving headlong into the frigid waters shipside. Cold water therapy that's a wallop to the system.

I tread in the frosty waters and let the cold burrow into my marrow and drank deeply from the tranquility and sublime natural beauty of my surroundings. And I couldn't help but find myself smiling through clattering teeth as I came to the realization: Nothing quite warms the heart like a little Antarctica coursing through the arteries. •



Photos provided by Tommy Vinh Bui.



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**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:**  
**PAUL THOMAS MATASUMOTO**

**CASE NO. 25STPB04055**  
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of PAUL THOMAS MATASUMOTO  
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by KAREN IIDA in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that KAREN IIDA be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.  
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: MAY 19, 2025 at 8:30AM in Dept. 67 Room: 614 located at 111 N. HILL ST., LOS ANGELES, CA 90012  
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state

your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.  
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.  
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.  
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.  
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651-364-6002  
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**HT-28925**

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:**  
**SADIE WADE**

**CASE NO. 25STPB01992**  
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of SADIE WADE  
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by NAVONNE WADE MCWHORTER in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles.  
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that NAVONNE WADE MCWHORTER be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.  
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act with limited authority. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.  
A HEARING on the petition will be held on 6/16/2025 at 8:30AM in Dept. 62 located at 111 N. HILL ST. LOS ANGELES, CA 90012  
STANLEY MOSK COURTHOUSE.  
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the

court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.  
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.  
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.  
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.  
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**SUMMONS**  
**NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: JENSINA FUERTE and DOES 1 through 75, inclusive**

**YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: MARCO RUIZ, MAXIMILIANO RUIZ**  
NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below.  
You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.  
There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do

not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case.  
**CASE NUMBER: 21STCV23954**  
The name and address of the court is:  
Stanley Mosk Courthouse 111 N. Hill Street, Los Angeles, CA, 90012.  
The name address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: Trevor J. Herrera Esq. 301 West First Street, Tustin, CA 92780 (714) 832-4811  
**STATEMENT OF DAMAGES (Personal Injury or Wrongful death)**  
To: Jensina Fuerte  
Plaintiff: Marco Ruiz  
Seeks damages in the above entitled action, as follows:

- 1.General Damages**  
Pain, suffering, and inconvenience \$25,000.00
- 2.Special damages**  
A. Medical expenses (to date) \$10,000.00  
B. Future medical expenses (present value) \$5,000.00  
Date: 04.16.25  
Trevor J. Herrera, Esq.  
**STATEMENT OF DAMAGES (Personal Injury or Wrongful death)**  
To: Jensina Fuerte  
Plaintiff: Maximiliano Ruiz  
Seeks damages in the above entitled action, as follows:  
**1.General Damages**  
Pain, suffering, and inconvenience \$25,000.00  
**2.Special damages**  
A. Medical expenses (to date) \$10,000.00  
B. Future medical expenses (present value) \$5,000.00  
Date: 04.16.25  
Trevor J. Herrera, Esq.  
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**HH-28931**

**Order to Show Cause for Change of Name**  
**Case No. 25TRCP00179**

Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES  
Petition of: REGINALD ALBERT RICHARDSON for Change of Name  
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:  
Petitioner REGINALD ALBERT RICHARDSON filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
REGINALD ALBERT RICHARDSON to RICHARD ALLEN RICHARDSON  
The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.  
Notice of Hearing:  
Date: June 13, 2025, Time: 8:30 AM., Dept.: E. Room: 500  
The address of the court is:  
TORRANCE COURTHOUSE  
825 MAPLE AVE  
TORRANCE, CA 90503  
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county:  
Torrance Tribune  
Date: April 8, 2025  
Alan B. Honeycutt  
Judge of the Superior Court  
Torrance Tribune Pub. 4/17, 4/24, 5/1, 5/8/25  
**HT-28923**

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:**  
**LAWRENCE LELAND LYNN**

**CASE NO. 25STPB04189**  
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of LAWRENCE LELAND LYNN  
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by STEVEN RAY LYNN in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that STEVEN RAY LYNN be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.  
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.  
A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 05/12/2025 at 8:30 AM in Dept. 62 located at 111 N. HILL ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90012.  
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state

your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.  
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.  
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.  
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.  
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424-259-3550  
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**HT-28928**

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:**  
**MABLE JOYCE WRIGHT CASE NO. 25STPB04413**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of MABLE JOYCE WRIGHT aka MABLE J. WRIGHT aka MABLE NEAL WRIGHT  
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by JASON BERNARD WRIGHT SR. in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.  
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that JASON BERNARD WRIGHT SR be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.  
The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.  
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 5/19/2025 at 8:30 AM in Dept. 4 located at 111 N. HILL ST., LOS

ANGELES, CA, 90012.  
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.  
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.  
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.  
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.  
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**HH-28933**

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE (Division 6 of the Commercial Code) Escrow No. 889696-CB**

- (1) Notice is hereby given to creditors of the within named Seller(s) that a bulk sale is about to be made on personal property hereinafter described.
- (2) The name and business addresses of the seller are: Kwang Seob Kim, D.D.S., Inc., 12309 Carson Street, Hawaiian Gardens, CA 90716
- (3) The location in California of the chief executive office of the Seller is: Same as above
- (4) The names and business address of the Buyer(s) are: Steven S. Chang, 12309 Carson Street, Hawaiian Gardens, CA 90716
- (5) The location and general description of the assets to be sold are furniture, fixtures and equipment, goodwill, lease and leasehold improvement of that certain business located at: 12309 Carson Street, Hawaiian Gardens, CA 90716
- (6) The business name used by the seller(s) at that location is: Kwang Seob Kim, DDS., Inc.,
- (7) The anticipated date of the bulk sale is 05/12/25 at the office of Unity Escrow, Inc., 3600 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 900 Los Angeles, CA 90010, Escrow No. 889696-CB, Escrow Officer: Conny Bang.
- (8) Claims may be filed with Same as "7" above.
- (9) The last date for filing claims is 05/09/25.
- (10) This Bulk Sale is subject to Section 6106.2 of the Uniform Commercial Code.
- (11) As listed by the Seller, all other business names and addresses used by the Seller within three years before the date such list was sent or delivered to the Buyer are: "NONE"  
Dated: April 2, 2025  
Transferees:  
S/ Steven S. Chang  
424/25  
CNS-3919431#  
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**HH-28932**

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received in the City of Hawthorne City Hall, City Clerk's Office, Attn: Samuel English, 4455 West 126th Street, Hawthorne, CA, before 4:00 P.M. PST on Tuesday, May 27, 2025. One (1) original plus two (2) additional copies of each proposal and an electronic copy in PDF format on a Thumb-Drive must be submitted in a sealed envelope and clearly marked: **Local Hazard Mitigation Plan Update Preparation and Support**. Note: The PDF file must be delivered as an unlocked file. Proposal instructions and information is available on the City of Hawthorne website <https://www.cityofhawthorne.org/departments/public-works/engineering> under "Request for Proposal." Any questions regarding this proposal should be directed to: Samuel English, Legal Risk Specialist via email at [senglish@cityofhawthorne.org](mailto:senglish@cityofhawthorne.org). No response shall be given to verbal questions. Written questions are accepted by Friday, May 16, 2025, EOB; any questions received after that date will not be accepted. Responses to written questions will be emailed to all proposers receiving the Request for Proposal (RFP) after that date.  
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**HH-28929**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
**Zoning Text Amendment No. ZA-2025-0001**

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Hawthorne will hold a public hearing to consider the following matter:  
**Project Title:** Zoning Text Amendment No. ZA-2025-0001 - Alcohol Sales Regulations  
**Project Location:** City-wide  
**Project Description:** An ordinance of the City Council of the City of Hawthorne, California, amending Chapter 17.76 (sale of alcoholic beverages), and adding Section 17.76.030 (Operational Standards), of Chapter 17.76 (Sale of Alcoholic Beverages), of Title 17 (Zoning) of the Hawthorne Municipal Code  
**MEETING DETAILS:**  
**Day:** Tuesday  
**Date:** May 13, 2025  
**Time:** 6:00 PM  
**Place:** City Council Chambers  
4455 West 126th Street  
Hawthorne, CA 90250  
Those interested in this item may appear at the meeting and submit oral or written comments. Written information pertaining to this item must be submitted to the Planning Department prior to 5:00 PM April 15, 2025, at 4455 West 126th Street, Hawthorne, CA 90250 or emailed to For additional information, you may contact Planning Director Gregg McClain at 310-349-2970 or at the email noted above.  
**ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW:** The City Council hereby concurs with staff's determination and

hereby finds that the adoption of this ordinance is a type of organizational activity involving the administration of the City that does not have the possibility to have a direct or indirect effect on the environment and is therefore exempt from review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), pursuant to Title 14, California Code of Regulations, Section 15379(b)(5). In addition, the actions taken by this ordinance are not a "project" under CEQA because the ordinance does not involve any commitment to a specific project which may result in a potentially significant physical impact on the environment to a specific project, which may result in a potentially significant physical impact on the environment and is also exempt from CEQA pursuant to the "common sense" exemption because it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment. (Title 14, California Code of Regulations, Section 15061(b)(3)).  
**PLEASE NOTE** that pursuant to Government Code Section 65009: In an action or proceeding to attack, review, set aside, void, or annul a finding, determination or decision of the Planning Commission or City Council, the issues raised shall be limited to those raised at the public hearing in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission or City Council at or prior to the public hearing.  
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**Paprika** is a playful little sprite who loves humans and is very snuggly and full of purrs. She is friendly and outgoing and still in her silly kitten phase. This delightful girl absolutely loves getting attention from her people and will reward you with her purr motor. Because she is still quite playful, Paprika needs to be adopted to a home with another young and active kitty.

**Penelope** is a beautiful and intelligent kitten who will run to greet you at the door and charm you daily with her kitten antics.

With her sweet sister, Daisy, who is a cute dilute Calico, you would have the purr-fect pair. Penelope is a lap kitten who loves to play with a feather toy and then comes to sit on your lap for pets and purrs. Penelope is accustomed to a small friendly dog in her home

**Tiny Tim** aka Patch is a special little guy who has captured everyone's heart! He had a rough start in life, but with love and care, he has blossomed into a handsome boy. Despite the challenges, Tiny Tim is unbelievably lovable and playful, filling every room with his energy and affection. His special diet helps keep him at his best, and though he is a little unique, his charm knows no bounds. Whether Tim is cuddling up for a nap in his hammock or zooming around in a burst of energy, this sweet kitten's journey is just getting started! He must be adopted with a kitty friend or into a home with a friendly resident kitty.

A day with **Caroline** and **Serena** begins their morning zoomies. Caroline will greet you



Tiny Tim

with a loud meow asking for chin scratches. Serena will be five feet away also meowing almost as loud, demanding you look at her. Serena is very 'pet me' when she wants attention. Otherwise, she just likes to watch you and meow. Caroline is very food motivated and at the sound of a wrapper, she will come running. This beautiful pair is very affectionate. They love to sleep and cuddle with you and are very well mannered. Since Serena is younger than Caroline, she enjoys playing with different toys. Caroline will sometimes jump in but usually just watches Serena play. Caroline and Serna are very bonded and should remain together.

These cats and kittens are available for adoption through Kitten Rescue, one of the largest cat rescue groups in Southern California. All our kitties are spayed/neutered, microchipped, tested for FeLV and FIV, dewormed and current on their vaccinations. For additional information to see these or our

other kittens and cats and for a list of our weekend adoption events, please check our website [www.kittenrescue.org](http://www.kittenrescue.org).

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Penelope



Caroline and Serena