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## West Torrance Shuts Out South



The West Torrance High School football team remained undefeated in the Pioneer League after a 28-0 win over South Torrance last Friday. The Warriors improve to 6-2 overall on the season and 3-0 in league play. West will travel to Leuzinger Friday for a 7 p.m. kick off. For more photos see page 5 and 12. Photo by Dirk Dewachter. •

## License Agreement Approved For Union Carbide to Monitor Groundwater Wells

By Cristian Vasquez

A recommendation by the Community Development Director Jeffery W. Gibson to approve a license agreement with a local contractor, Union Carbide Corporation, was approved by the Torrance City Council. The agreement is for two groundwater wells to be monitored for the former Union Carbide Corporation facility, located at 19500 Mariner Avenue.

"The California Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC) has directed Union Carbide Corporation, as former owner of the property located at 19500 Mariner Avenue, to install two (2) monitoring wells," states the staff report signed by Gibson. "The purpose of the wells is to monitor for possible hydrocarbon migration contamination, which may have migrated from the site."

The request to install two groundwater-monitoring wells came from Union Carbide Corporation since they will be located in the public right-of-way. A report by the DTSC highlights the need to monitor plume migration west of the site; hence why the wells to be installed will be in Mariner Avenue and Voyager Street. Plans place the wells for installation in the parking lane of both streets, causing minimal disruption to current traffic.

"The drilling, installation and development of the proposed wells will take approximately four (4) days," states the staff report. "The boreholes will be ten (10) inches in diameter and approximately 60 feet deep. The monitoring wells will be four (4) inches in diameter. A traffic vault well lid will be set flush with ground surface and contain a locking watertight gap."

The agreement required a \$20,000 bond, along with a \$673 license fee and a \$1 million

liability insurance policy, were Union Carbide not be self-insured. The agreement does exempt the city from all financial and legal obligations tied to the construction, operation and relocation based on the data results from both wells. The agreement is for 10 years and can be renewed at the city's discretion.

"At the end of the term of this agreement, the proposed wells will be either abandoned in place or removed in accordance with approved standards," states the staff report. "Staff is in the process of gathering information to create a database for monitoring wells to track location, reporting requirements, status and number of wells located with the

City boundaries."

### Council Approves Premium Adjustment of Excess Workers' Compensation Insurance

An adjustment to the Excess Workers' Compensation Insurance premium from the California State Association of Counties [CSAC] Excess Insurance Authority [EIA] in the amount of \$14,198 was approved by the city council under the recommendation of Finance Director Eric E. Tsao.

The City of Torrance has been with CSAC EIA since Jul of 2002. The EIA, a joint powers authority established in 1979, has a

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## Sue Key Explains the Grant Monies for STEM Education

By Cristian Vasquez

Members of the Torrance School Board approved the participation of J.H. Hull in the Girls Build LA [GBLA] Challenge during the 2016-2017 school year. Girls Build LA is sponsored by LA Promise Fund and was created with the intent of empowering teams of young women throughout Los Angeles County.

The teams will be challenged and prepared to identify issues they consider to be of major significance in their school and community; the young women's leadership program also prepares them to take action addressing the issues they identify.

"The J.H. Hull GBLA team will compete in a challenge addressing STEM

Education & College Access," states the staff report presented to the school board members. "The Challenge that the team will address looks at the fact that in ten years there have been three times as many new jobs created in STEM related fields than in any other field."

Girls Build LA, a three-year program designed to reach girls in public schools throughout L.A. County, has been inviting middle and high school girls to be part of the Girls Build LA Challenge. Girls Build LA will in turn provide students with resources and support to address the issues they identify. During the very first Girls Build LA Challenge 43 teams

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## Weekend Forecast

### Friday

Partly  
Cloudy  
67°/59°



### Saturday

Partly  
Cloudy  
66°/59°



### Sunday

AM Clouds/  
PM Sun  
65°/56°





# Letters

**A Democrat for David Hadley**  
I'm a Democrat who's voting for Hillary Clinton. And I'm voting for David Hadley for Assembly. Why? Because nothing else is more important than addressing special interest money in politics. And that's going to take bipartisan support.

David Hadley has shown that bipartisan leadership, voting Yes on every Clean Money bill that the legislature could put into law. He voted for the California DISCLOSE Act to expose dark money on political ads. He

voted for AB 2523 to place limits on campaign contributions in local elections. And he provided the deciding vote for SB 1107, authored by our own Democratic Senator Ben Allen, to allow local governments and the state to pass citizen funding of election campaigns.

I don't agree with all of David Hadley's votes, but he has my vote because he's been a bipartisan champion for the most important issue of all – getting big money out of politics.

– James Bennett Saxon •

# Film Review

## ‘Moonlight’ Shines Light on a Chorus of Exciting New Voices in American Cinema

By Jasper Bernbaum  
for [www.cinemacy.com](http://www.cinemacy.com)

In an age of franchises and blockbusters, it's funny that a film like "Moonlight" feels so monolithic. It is a coming-of-age story that is both expansive and yet so personal– not only to the filmmakers and talent involved but personal to everyone occupying a theater

young men cast evoke the same personality through more subtle details of speech and body language. But in a sense, it feels almost fitting that the three manifestations of Chiron feel so eerily similar, yet look distinctly separate. The power of director Barry Jenkins' character study is that, through Chiron, he is not telling the story of one young black



Alex R. Hibbert and Mahershala Ali in 'Moonlight.' Courtesy of A24.

seat. It is a necessary and vibrant depiction of race and sexuality in America during a divisive time in this country, yet the film does not feel political, rather, like a chorus of exciting new voices in American cinema. A quiet, patient feature, this is a film that feels like a landmark, for not only this moment but will maintain relevance for years to come. In its own unique way, "Moonlight" is a blockbuster in its own right.

The story follows a young African-American man named Chiron on his journey to discover the definition of manhood. Framed as a triptych, the film portrays a different actor playing Chiron in three key moments of his youth. As a young kid, Chiron confides in a drug dealer whom he considers a father figure, while his mom's own addiction escalates. Years later, as a high school student, Chiron struggles to understand his sexuality after developing feelings for the only classmate that shows him respect and friendship. Later, as a young adult, Chiron has established a tough persona as a dealer, yet finds himself struggling with his masculinity after reconnecting with the classmate.

One of the most apparent successes of "Moonlight" is the casting of Chiron in all three stages of his life. Despite not particularly resembling each other, each of the three

man growing up in America, but thousands. Chiron is a character who deals with some similar tribulations that often limit people of color in film, however, in "Moonlight" these struggles are depicted with much more angst as the character is forced to deal with misgivings about his masculinity, sexuality, and family. The powerful portrayal of these universal themes of struggle are the makings of not just a great film, but an essential one.

Jenkins continues the conversation that he started in his first and only prior feature, "Medicine for Melancholy." Charming as it was, his debut was conversational and frequently ham-fisted for a film that didn't fall far from the early 'mumblecore' movement. In form, "Moonlight" could not be more different. Operatic in its scope, yet gentle in its expression, "Moonlight" is Jenkins' butterfly. There is an intimacy to how Jenkins and cinematographer James Laxton follow their characters without interfering with their reactions to the environment. As filmmakers and dramatists, this guidance proves to be their greatest gift; it results in a film both refined and poetic, while staying raw and pure.

"Moonlight" is rated R for some sexuality, drug use, brief violence, and language throughout. 110 minutes. Now playing at the Landmark. •

# Calendar of Events

Deadline for Calendar items is the prior Thursday by noon. Calendar items are \$1 per word. Email listings to [marketing@heraldpublications.com](mailto:marketing@heraldpublications.com). We take Visa and MasterCard.

- THURSDAY, OCT. 27**
- Torrance Art Museum Presents: The Gildless Age, free to the public, 11:00 AM. – 5:00 PM, 3320 Civic Center Drive, Call: 310-618-6388.
  - Propagation Society – Planting Seeds for the Future, 10:30AM., Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve, 3201 Plaza Del Amo, free to public, Call: 310-782-3989.
  - World Voices Book Group, 6:30 PM., free to public, Southeast Library, 23115 Arlington Ave., Call: 310-530-5044.
  - Halloween Story and Craft, 4:00 PM., free, Waleria Library, 3815 W. 242 St., Call: 310-375-8418.
- FRIDAY, OCT. 28**
- Torrance Art Museum Presents: The Gildless Age, free to the public, 11:00 AM. – 5:00 PM, 3320 Civic Center Drive, Call: 310-618-6388.
  - Friday Fun, 10:00 AM, Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve, 3201 Plaza Del Amo, free to public, 310-782-3989.
  - Toddlertime, 10:15 AM. and 11:00 AM., Katy Geissert Civic Center Library, Polly Watts Story Theater, 3301 Torrance Blvd, Call: 310-618-5964.
  - Anza Elementary YMCA Haunted House, 6:00 PM. – 9:00 PM., Entry is \$2, Wristbands are \$5, 21400 Ellinwood Dr., Call: 310-316-8072.
  - Music Man Jr. (Metropolitan Education Theatre Network/MET2), 7:30 PM., James Armstrong Theatre, 3330 Civic Center Drive, Call for ticket prices: 310-781-7171.
- SATURDAY, OCT. 29**
- Torrance Art Museum Presents: The Gildless Age, free to the public, 11:00 AM. – 5:00 PM, 3320 Civic Center Drive, Call: 310-618-6388.
  - Serendipity Saturdays, 10:30 AM., Katy Geissert Civic Center Library, 3301 Torrance Blvd., call: 310-618-5964.
  - LA Ride for Kids – benefitting the Pediatric Brain Tumor Foundation, 8:00 AM. – 1:30 PM., \$40 suggested donation, American Honda, 1919 Torrance Blvd., Call: 310-780-5635.
  - Music Man Jr. (Metropolitan Education Theatre Network/MET2), 7:30 PM., James Armstrong Theatre, 3330 Civic Center Drive, Call for ticket prices: 310-781-7171.
  - The Artwork of Vonda K. Whittaker, 6:00 PM., \$20 Admission Fee, George Nakano Theatre, 3330 Civic Center Drive, Call: 310-344-0773

- SUNDAY, OCT. 30**
- Music Man Jr. (Metropolitan Education Theatre Network/MET2), 7:30 PM., James Armstrong Theatre, 3330 Civic Center Drive, Call for ticket prices: 310-781-7171.
- MONDAY, OCT. 31**
- Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve – CLOSED.
  - Babytime, 10:30 AM. and 1:30 PM., Katy Geissert Civic Center Library, 3301 Torrance Blvd., Call: 310-618-5964.
  - Pajama-rama, 6:30 PM., Waleria Library, 3815 W. 242 St., Call: 310-375-8418.
  - YMCA Halloween Carnival, 10:00 AM. – 12:00 PM., Registration required, Torrance-South Bay YMCA, 2900 W. Sepulveda Blvd., Call for ticket prices: 310-325-5885.
  - Halloween Carnival, 4:00 PM. – 8:00 PM., Wristbands \$10, No pets allowed, Wilson Park, 2200 Crenshaw Blvd., Call: 310-618-2930.
- TUESDAY, NOV. 1**
- Family Storytime, 10:30 AM., North Torrance Library, 3604 Artesia Blvd. Call: 310-323-7200.
  - Family Storytime, 10:30 AM., Henderson Library, 4805 Emerald St., Call: 310-371-2075.
  - Family Storytime, 11:00 AM., Southeast Library, 23115 Arlington Ave., Call: 310-530-5044.
  - Pajama-rama, 6:30 PM., Katy Geissert Civic Center Library, 3301 Torrance Blvd., Call: 310-618-5964.
  - City Council Meeting, 7:00 PM., City Hall, 3031 Torrance Blvd., Call: 310-618-2780.
- WEDNESDAY, NOV. 2**
- Toddlertime, 11:00 AM., El Retiro Library, 126 Vista del Parque, Call: 310-375-0922.
  - Pajama-rama, 6:30 PM., Henderson Library, 4805 Emerald St., Call: 310-371-2075.
  - Pajama-rama, 6:30 PM., North Torrance Library, 3604 Artesia Blvd., Call: 310-323-7200.
  - Dystopical –A Teen Book Group, 4:30 PM., free - teens only, Waleria Library, 3815 W. 242 St., Call: 310-375-8418.
- THURSDAY, NOV. 3**
- Propagation Society – Planting Seeds for the Future, 10:30 AM., Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve, 3201 Plaza Del Amo, free to public, Call: 310-782-3989.
  - Teen Zone: Movie, 3:30 PM., free – teens only, Katy Geissert Civic Center Library, 3301 Torrance Blvd., Call: 310-618-5964.
  - Thrilling Thursday Theater, 4:00 PM., free, Henderson Library, 4805 Emerald St., Call: 310-371-2075.
  - Tyke Hike, 10:00 AM., free –donations accepted, Madrona Marsh Center & Preserve, 3201 Plaza Del Amo, Call: 310-782-3989. •

## City Council

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worker's compensation program pool made up of 50 county members, along with 120 public entities such as schools, cities and other districts in the state. In June of 2015 the

"CSAC EIA offers limited coverage limits, in excess of our \$2 million self-insured retention," states the staff report. "The pool self-insures losses up to \$5,000,000 per oc-

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council agreed to purchase Excess Workers' Compensation Insurance to cover the period of July 1, 2015-July 1, 2016, through Alliant Insurance Services for a total of \$173,545.

"State law requires that employers provide workers' compensation benefits to all employees," states the staff report signed by Tsao. "Many public agencies and large corporations are largely self-insured due in part to the high cost and limited availability of coverage. However excess insurance is often purchased as protection against high exposure losses."

The city has a self-insured retention of \$2 million for each occurrence for workers' compensation. The insurance would then pay a required amount of coverage at the moment the city was to exceed retention levels.

currence, and insures losses above \$5,000,000 through several large re-insurers."

In August, CSAC asked for payroll verification for the pay period covering from July 1, 2015-July 1, 2016. The city's payroll was higher than previous projections at the time the initial application was completed and which generated a premium adjustment of \$14,198.

"CSAC has provided the City with the option to roll the increase premium amount into a future renewal period of July 1, 2016 to July 1, 2017. In order to avoid overlapping premiums, staff recommends approval of the adjustment due for the July 1, 2015 to July 1, 2016 Excess Workers' Compensation Insurance premium in the amount of \$14,198," concludes the staff report. •

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# Why the Do-Not-Call List Needs a Superhero

By Rob McCarthy

What happened to the National Do Not Call list that was supposed to stop unwanted telemarketing calls?

The national registry of households that don't want to be bothered with unsolicited sales pitches worked for several years after the block took effect in 2003. The telemarketers backed off for awhile, however, more than a decade later the robocalls are back. Companies behind them are using phone technology that makes a caller look legitimate, and so more of us are picking up.

What people in Washington, D.C., would really like is for the phone service providers to function as Robocops.

"Robocalls have become epidemic but the phone companies have been slow to provide their frustrated customers with relief," said Tim Marvin, who heads up the End Robocalls campaign for Consumers Union, the policy and advocacy division of Consumer Reports.

Blocking phone numbers or the location of the caller is called spoofing, and it's no laughing matter to the keepers of the Do Not Call Registry. They say that technology that blocked unwanted callers after the registry was created has been re-engineered for bad purposes.

The head of the Federal Communications Commission has enlisted the nation's telephone providers to build more consumer-protections into phone services. The Robocall Strike Force met once over the summer, and is brainstorming to create counter technology and other fixes to spoofing. There are obstacles, however, because of changes in how phone service is provided.

Consumers are opting for phone service via Internet, called VOIP, because of higher-quality sound and robocall blocking services. Scammers have discovered technology to defeat the blocks when they send a call into the phone network. Authorities say the cloak-ing technology hides the callers' real identity and their location, appearing to be a relative or a government office.

One California congresswoman is determined to slap the telemarketing blitz with a federal ban that takes its name from a futuristic movie franchise. The Repeated Objectionable Bothering of Consumers on Phones (ROBOCOP) Act would require telecom companies to offer consumers free optional robocall-blocking technology, according to its sponsor.

"ROBOCOP will put an end to the scourge of robocalls so families can enjoy dinner in peace, people can watch their favorite show without constant interruption, and you won't ever be left wondering if you actually won a Caribbean cruise," said Rep. Jackie Speier, D-San Francisco.

She introduced ROBOCOP four months before the FCC Robocop Task Force sat down for the first time. A spokeswoman for the FCC reported after the meeting that "stopping unwanted calls is a simple idea but complex to accomplish," thus tempering expectations for a permanent fix anytime soon. The task force and FCC have narrowed down what realistically should be done.

Calls that impersonate a U.S. government office should be stopped, said spokeswoman Alison Kutler in a report last month on the FCC web site. A low-tech solution offered is that phone providers block the frequently spoofed phone numbers coming into their

networks.

Their databases would include numbers that robocallers use to impersonate government, healthcare agencies and banks. Political campaigns and charities are exempt from the Do Not Call list, so even the proposed fixes wouldn't stop them from calling and asking for donations.

The phone providers, especially the voice-over-Internet users, could authenticate caller ID if they chose to, Kutler said. It's the phone providers who are partly to blame for robocallers getting through their networks to customers, she suggested. If the Internet-phone



This movie character inspired a robocall-stop bill in Washington.

services all included "robust" robocall blocking and filtering, all subscribers in the network could block unwanted callers and send them to voicemail. The FCC says it's working with providers to do just that.

The agency also collects data on which phone numbers generate the most complaints from consumers. More than 3 million complaints about robocalls were filed last year, according to the consumer federation. The data has helped robocall blocking companies improve their systems, according to the FCC.

Its power to stop incoming calls from outside the country is very limited, according to the FCC's spokeswoman. So is the government's ability to deter overseas operators who defy the Do Not Call law. Less than 10 percent of the fines were paid, says the Consumer Federation of America which is supporting the ROBOCOP Act in Congress.

The ROBOCOP Act, among other things, would direct federal regulators to require telecom companies to offer free robocall-blocking technology to consumers, according to Speier's office.

While the bill works its way through Congress, phone customers are being urged to voice their displeasure through lower-level channels. The phone providers need the pressure turned up on them, says a leading advocate for strengthening the call registry that worked well until 2011.

"If you want to be mad at someone," says Tim Marvin, the campaign manager for the Consumers Union's End Robocalls campaign, "call your phone company." •

## Police Reports

**Vandalism** 10/15/2016 11:00:00 PM 16800 BLOCK YUKON AVE

Suspect(s) smashes vehicle window; no entry, no loss

**Vandalism** 10/15/2016 11:00:00 AM 3900 BLOCK 182ND ST

Suspect(s) smashes vehicle window; no entry, no loss

**Auto Theft-All** 10/15/2016 11:00:00 AM 21800 BLOCK HAWTHORNE BLVD

Stolen vehicle: '97 Honda Accord

**Burglary-Auto** 10/15/2016 1:00:00 AM 2800 BLOCK MISTY MORNING ROAD

Suspect(s) smashes window for entry and takes property; wallet, cell phone

**Auto Theft-All** 10/14/2016 9:45:00 PM 163RD ST & ARDATH AVE

Stolen vehicle: '95 Honda Civic

**Burglary-Auto** 10/14/2016 9:00:00 PM 2400 BLOCK PACIFIC COAST HWY

Suspect(s) smashes window for entry and takes property; stereo

**Burglary-Auto** 10/14/2016 9:00:00 PM 2400 BLOCK PACIFIC COAST HWY

Suspect(s) enters unlocked vehicle and takes property; stereo

**Burglary-Auto** 10/14/2016 9:00:00 PM 2400 BLOCK PACIFIC COAST HWY

Suspect(s) enters unlocked vehicle and takes property; stereo

**Burglary-Auto** 10/14/2016 9:00:00 PM 2400 BLOCK PACIFIC COAST HWY

Suspect(s) smashes window for entry and takes property; GPS/stereo

**Burglary-Residential** 10/14/2016 5:30:00 PM 2400 BLOCK CABRILLO AVE

Suspect(s) forces open garage pedestrian door and takes property; bag of diapers

**Vandalism** 10/14/2016 5:00:00 PM 3600 BLOCK 182ND ST

Suspect(s) damages window with BB gun; no entry, no loss

**Burglary-Auto** 10/14/2016 4:00:00 PM 4900 BLOCK HALISON ST

Suspect(s) enters possibly unlocked vehicle and takes property; cash, ID, parking card

**Theft** 10/14/2016 3:49 PM 2500 BLOCK REDONDO BEACH BLVD

Suspect(s) takes victim's unattended property/ purse

**Burglary-Auto** 10/14/2016 3:00:00 PM 1800 BLOCK DEL AMO BLVD

Suspect(s) smashes window for entry, ransacks and takes property; cash, gift cards, sunglasses

**Auto Theft-All** 10/14/2016 10:33 AM 25900 BLOCK ROLLING HILLS ROAD

Stolen vehicle: '88 Chevrolet Camaro

**Burglary-Residential** 10/14/2016 7:00:00 AM 2600 BLOCK 181ST ST

Suspect(s) pries garage pedestrian door for entry and takes property; skateboards

**Auto Theft-All** 10/13/2016 6:00:00 PM 23900 BLOCK ANZA AVE

Stolen vehicle: '98 Nissan Frontier

**Vandalism** 10/13/2016 5:30:00 PM 4200 BLOCK ARTESIA BLVD

Suspect(s) smashes business window; no entry, no loss

**Burglary-Auto** 10/13/2016 4:30:00 PM 25900 BLOCK ROLLING HILLS ROAD

Suspect(s) enters unlocked vehicle, ransacks and takes property; remote, knife, TV

**Theft** 10/13/2016 4:30:00 PM 1900 BLOCK 232ND ST

Suspect(s) takes property off of front porch; delivered parcels

**Auto Theft-All** 10/13/2016 3:30:00 PM 3200 BLOCK 187TH PL

Stolen vehicle: '16 VW Jetta

**Burglary-Auto** 10/13/2016 1:30:00 PM 23900 BLOCK ANZA AVE

Suspect(s) enters vehicle by unknown means and takes property; remote, battery booster

**Theft** 10/12/2016 7:45:00 PM 21400

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## METRO'S PLAN MEANS MORE FOR LA COUNTY.



# Metro Briefs

### SOUTH BAY

#### Metro Proposes Measure M

On November 8, 2016, LA County voters will be asked to authorize a Los Angeles County Traffic Improvement Plan called Measure M. Angelenos spend an average of 81 hours a year stuck in traffic. Currently, there are 10.2 million people living in LA County, and we are projected to grow by 2.3 million people in the next 40 years. Traffic congestion and air pollution are expected to get worse with more growth, and the measure is intended to raise money to meet those needs. Get educated before you vote at [metro.net/theplan](http://metro.net/theplan).

#### Go Metro to LA Football

The Bruins take over the Rose Bowl, and the Rams and Trojans share the Coliseum this fall – and Metro wants to get you there. Metro provides frequent bus and rail service to both stadiums, so you won't get caught in traffic or miss a minute of the action. To plan your trip and find the route that's best for you, visit [metro.net/gameday](http://metro.net/gameday).

#### Airport Metro Connector Final EIR Nearing Completion

Metro is planning a new station that will connect the Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) to the regional transit system. The Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for this project is almost complete. Please visit [metro.net/laxconnector](http://metro.net/laxconnector) for more information.

#### Metro Launches Off Peak Podcast

Off Peak celebrates the true tales and secret stories that happen between Point A and Point B in Southern California and beyond. Challenging the traditional car-centric narrative of Los Angeles, Off Peak explores the rich history and future of rail, bus, cycling, walking and all modes of getting around in LA. Listen to episodes of the podcast at [metro.net/offpeak](http://metro.net/offpeak).



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# Sports

## Up and Adam

### Warriors Show Dominance in Rout of Spartans

Story by Adam Serrao  
Photos by Dirk Dewachter

With the end of the regular season steadily approaching, the Pioneer League is beginning to figure itself out. Teams that are good enough to be toward the top of the division are rising to the top, while teams that simply don't have the firepower this season are slowly sinking towards the bottom. That's exactly what happened last weekend when the South High Spartans traveled to West High to take on the Warriors. A 28-0 rout by the Warriors not only explained why the West is one of the best teams in the Pioneer

League this season, but also explained why a team like the Spartans is a year or two away from having enough weapons to keep the team competitive with other cross-town and division rivals.

The story of the night was the stout defense of the Warriors. Sure, the offense

lead in the first quarter before Peabody connected with backup quarterback and wide receiver, Max Parish, on a 15-yard touchdown completion. Just like that, it was 21-0 at the half and while the Warriors were impressed with their own all-around team effort, the Spartans and head coach Matt Mishler were wallowing in their sorrow and miscues. "We just made too many mistakes in the beginning," Mishler said. "We knew this was an important game for us and we let that kind of get to us early on."

While South may have had the jitters early on, West was able to put points on the



South Torrance's quarterback Anthony Bjazevich game was disrupted by a strong performance of West Torrance' defense.

board both early and late. The team tacked on another touchdown halfway through the third quarter when Hatter went 20-yards for his third score of the night. West would recover a fumble and record another two interceptions before all was said and done. The game ended at 28-0, without much more



West Torrance quarterback Drake Peabody finished the game with 112 yards on 12 of 25 passing.

also put up four touchdowns, but to hold an opponent - and an inner-city, divisional rival, at that - to zero points, is certainly a great feat to accomplish. "We've built up a lot of defensive momentum in the last two games," Warriors senior defenseman Kyle Reinsch explained. "Our defensive line and linebackers have really stepped it up the past few weeks." Reinsch stepped it up in this game, too. He finished with two interceptions to lead West's superior defensive attack and hold the Spartans at bay.

While South was having problems moving the ball, West and their starting quarterback, Drake Peabody, were marching all over the field. Two short-distance touchdown runs by E.J. Hatter got the team off to a nice 14-0

action in the fourth quarter as things were already well out of reach for the Spartans.

Hatter finished the night as the biggest offensive star for West, recording three touchdowns on 10 carries for 78 yards. Peabody finished the game with one touchdown and 112 yards through the air on 12 completions. The Spartans were only able to amass a total of 25 yards rushing all night and aside from their own offensive miscues, not much else. Coach Mishler and his Spartans (3-5, 1-2) will be looking to right their wrongs as they host the last place Centennial Apaches (0-8, 0-3) this Friday night at South High in a get-right-game, looking to rise out of the fifth place spot (tied with Torrance and

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### L.A. Can't Dodge the Cubs

By Adam Serrao

The curse in Chicago is over. The one in Los Angeles, however, still remains. With a 5-0 victory over the Dodgers last Saturday night in Game 6 of the National League Championship Series, the Chicago Cubs qualified for their first World Series appearance since 1945. The team hasn't won a championship since 1908. For the Dodgers, the team failed to put up even one run in their biggest game of the year. With Clayton Kershaw - the team's best pitcher - on the mound, Los Angeles squandered yet another playoff run by losing three games in a row and watched as the Cubs celebrated their biggest win of season at Wrigley Field.

The Dodgers have a strange way of creating rivals in the National League by losing in the playoffs. Two years ago, it was the St. Louis Cardinals. Last year, it was the New York Mets. This year? The Cubs. There's quite a different feeling surrounding the loss to Chicago, though. The team that won 103 games during the regular season and finished with the league's best record simply deserves their shot at the World Series. With one of the best pitching staffs in the league and possibly the best offense, the Dodgers did well to attempt to keep up with Chicago, but ultimately the better all-around team won the series.

"We only have four more, so let's go do it now," an ecstatic Ben Zobrist of the Cubs explained. "We're in the exact spot we wanted to be in. We've got a chance to do something that hasn't been done in 108 years. Let's go do it." The Cubs left fielder will face-off against the Cleveland Indians in this year's World Series to battle it out for the ring. Despite Cleveland having an amazing team in their own rite, destiny certainly seems to be pointing toward the dugout including the Cubs. "Making the World Series is no small feat," said Clayton Kershaw, possibly the best pitcher in the game who has been trying his best to make it that far for seemingly his whole career. "Give a lot of credit to the Cubs the whole series, they started swinging the bats the last three games. Better team."

That better team took it to Kershaw early and often in Game 6. From the outset, you could tell that Kershaw simply didn't have his stuff and after the first run scored in the first inning, it was obvious that both the Dodgers ace and his team were going to be in for a long night. Two runs in the first, followed by one more in the second, one in the fourth and one in the fifth, all basically given up (four earned) by the pitcher who has

struggled mightily in his postseason career. A career postseason 4.55 ERA lies in stark contrast to his pristine 2.37 career regular season. In the end, though, it's not just one pitcher who loses a game or a series. "You know what, I think that they beat us," Dodgers manager Dave Roberts said plainly. "We made mistakes. And you hate to have sour grapes, but the better team won the series. That's why you play seven-game series, and they showed it."

It was Chicago who had the better offense and as Game 6 plainly stated, it was also the Cubs who had the better defense. As their outfielders were consistently making dazzling gems all over the grass, the Dodgers had Andrew Toles taking his eye off the ball in left field dropping a routine fly ball for what would have been the second out of the first inning last Saturday night. While the Cubs had four, maybe even five started who could pitch deep into games in the playoffs; the Dodgers had Kershaw and rich Hill. Los Angeles was simply not deep enough where it meant the most and ran into a team that, simply stated, was.

The Dodgers will now look to refocus their attention on next year after what was certainly a successful season, despite their playoff loss. The team's needs have made themselves glaringly evident because of the playoffs, and their strengths have stood out, as well. A great first year manager, paired with an amazing rookie shortstop in Corey Seager and MVP caliber third baseman in Justin Turner all stand out as strengths for the club, among many more. Pitching, pitching, and more pitching highlight the weaknesses that fans can certainly expect to be addressed this offseason. After watching a Cubs offense that exploded for 31 runs in the six game series versus the Dodgers, more offense wouldn't be a bad thing, either.

So, it's back to the drawing board for the Dodgers, who will open next year's regular season April 3 at Dodger Stadium against the San Diego Padres. The team's loss will certainly sting all offseason long, but the lessons learned will be carried over into what should certainly be another postseason run next year. The Dodgers will be looking to win their fifth National League West division title in a row while trying to also stave off their rivals from San Francisco, as usual. Naturally, no season is considered a success without a World Series ring. That's exactly what the Dodgers will be focused on attaining once again next year.

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**Violet** is a wonderful little kitten who nearly starved to death at birth, but was rescued by dedicated Kitten Rescue volunteers. Violet is very independent and good at taking care of herself. She never has accidents with the litter box, eats like a champ, and can be found playing with her littermates at nearly any time of the day. Violet will need another kitten or cat to play with in her forever home. Ideally, she would be adopted her with her brother Beauregard who has a very loud purr and is content to curl up in your lap for affection.

**Bertie** was the smallest one of her litter and was pretty shy to begin with. Now she's a very curious, playful and sweet little kitten. Because she's still a baby, it's important that Bertie goes to a home with another cat or kitten, so she's not lonely and can grow up to be a well mannered kitty. Both of her brothers have been adopted, so she really wants a playmate. Bertie is easygoing and loves everyone she's met so far, cats, dogs, people, you name it. Bertie is so excited to find her forever human and kitty



Bertie

family and has her little suitcase all packed up and ready to go!

**Charlie** and **Chloe** are a bonded brother/sister pair who are looking for a home together. These two love playing with other cats and dogs, but are most often with each other. They were bottle fed by Kitten Rescue volunteers, so are they especially affectionate with people. Chloe is the big cuddle bug of the two. Charlie is an avid explorer - and yes, his eyes are different colors!

**Orly** has not had an easy start. For some reason, she found herself in the pound at three months old. Orly must have had a family before that because she is very loving and craves being touched. She was next in line to be euthanized when Kitten Rescue stepped in to save her. Orly has learned about love and play and she now needs the security of a forever home. Orly would love to be adopted with one of her step siblings: brother Meeko, or sisters Elle or Kiwi. If she is not adopted with one of them, she needs the interaction with another kitten or cat.

**Kiwi** is quiet and sweet until you feed her and she turns into a Gremlin! She has the softest little mew, but once she is eating she starts to growl at anyone nearby. She is just saying "my food, stay away." Kiwi is a nut...a beautiful loving little nut who could be yours! She would love to be adopted with either her step brother Meeko or step sisters Elle or Orly or into home with another kitty. Kiwi is good with other cats, friendly dogs and children over 8 years old.

**Margot** is playful and full of energy. She loves to use her scratching post, sit in the window to watch birds, play with lasers, shoelaces, and anything else she deems a toy! She recently had a litter of six adorable kittens. They all went to good homes and now she needs an amazing forever home too. Margot loves to go on walks outside on a leash and harness. She growls at other cats since she had to fend for herself on the hard streets of L.A., but she would probably do best with another kitty to play with (it just might take a little bit to realize the other kitty isn't a threat). Margot is a wonderful model and is sure to be the next famous internet cat! She can be a bit nippy, so she is probably not a good match for kids. She's a lot of fun and will make an excellent pet for an owner who has time to play or has another kitty.

**Bandit** is absolutely adorable and extremely photogenic. She loves to play with all sorts of toys including feathers, which she will drag around. Bandit has the cutest meow which she will display when you pet her. She will lay top of your feet in bed just to me near you. Bandit needs to be in a home with other kitties so she can have a playmate.



Kiwi



Charlie and Chloe

**Ragnar** is pure joy. It must be good to be Ragnar, because everything is just so much fun for him. He is a super sweet, cuddly, affectionate goofball with just a hint of cerebellar hypoplasia (his reward for surviving panleukopenia). Its not enough to cause any real impairment, but enough so that he has a slight head bobble and is clumsy, in a very endearing way. It certainly doesn't slow him down as he gets the zooms just like any other kitty his age. Ragnar has been brought up in a home with several cats and kittens as well as dogs. He's more a fan of his feline compadres and would be a great companion for anyone who likes to cuddle and play. Ragnar will certainly a smile to your face with his sweet and clumsy shenanigans.

These kitties are available for adoption through Kitten Rescue, one of the largest cat



Orly



Margot



Bandit



Ragnar

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# TerriAnn in Torrance

## Celebrating Heroes

### Story and Photos by TerriAnn Ferren

There are all kinds of heroes, famous, and not so famous. Sharefest is a local non-profit organization serving the greater Los Angeles area, founded in 2006 by South Bay resident, Chad Mayer. Sharefest helps communities through its two major programs. One is an Annual Workday, where hundreds of volunteers join together improving areas where we work, and play. For example schools, parks, city buildings, community centers and other public areas are given a 'face lift'. The Workday relies on working coalitions and enables communities to improve themselves. Their other program, the Youth Development Academy, consists of a summer, and a year-round academic component, providing mentors, academic courses for high school credit, and tools to prevent violence, learn life skills, and achieve self-sufficiency and awareness allowing for productive, informed decision-making. The program curriculum promotes the value of education, improves educational outcomes, and creates a path for effective, realistic career planning.

That sounds like a huge undertaking and I wondered how this organization got started. Chad Mayer is the Executive Director and Co-Founder of Sharefest, who lives with his wife Valerie, and their two children Eden, age 11 and Beau, age 7 in the South Bay. "I knew early on that I wanted my life and career to be about doing something I was passionate about, something that would allow me to serve others. I've always wanted to live a life of purpose and meaning," said Chad. Moving to the South Bay while with the Air Force in 1999, Chad knew

a difference in other people's lives, despite their own circumstances," said Chad. Sharefest does this by serving underserved youth by providing them with education opportunities they may not otherwise have. They also focus on team building and leadership development, and center their learning on getting to know their communities and finding ways to give back. Chad said the way communities and organizations come together blows him away every year. "I've definitely grown a lot through my work with Sharefest. I was 25 years old and newly married with no children when I first got involved. Now, still happily married to my wife, [Valerie, and two children, Eden, and Beau,] my family is my biggest support through the ups and downs of building a solid organization," added Chad. He told me Valerie is his rock throughout the evolution of Sharefest and one of the main reasons for Sharefest's success and without her support, he would have given up long ago. Chad said, "If someone would have painted a picture of the success we would have, I might have laughed. I couldn't envision at that time where we would be now. God has been good to us and has definitely given us favor with those who we are blessed to serve and partner with." Chad told me he loves living in the South Bay with the beach so nearby, with the amazing sports teams, the amazing school districts, and the wonderful people he has met.

I wondered what Sharefest has been up to lately and found out they had just completed a 12 day home makeover for Salvador Lara, a community hero in Wilmington. The project officially kicked off on Aug. 25, when

court. While Jerry is known to most for his basketball achievements, it is an honor to present the Bill Sharman Humanitarian Award to him at the 2016 Sharefest Gala in recognition of his lifetime achievement of quietly and selflessly helping others. My husband would be so proud for him to receive this award," Joyce Sharman, Wife of Bill Sharman, Honorary Chair of the 2016 Sharefest Gala.

a sponsor for the Sharefest Gala in Torrance, access [www.sharefest.inc.org/gala](http://www.sharefest.inc.org/gala).

What about the future of Sharefest? They have just moved into a new building which will allow them to extend their youth programming providing a positive, safe place to learn. They plan on establishing a Youth Development Center, which will help local youth explore and engage in positive contributions that they can make within their



Bill Sharman, right, acknowledges the crowd with Gail Goodrich, left, Jerry West and Pat Riley during a 2012 ceremony at Staples Center to honor the 1971-72 team on its 30th Anniversary (Getty images).

I recently spoke with 2015 Sharefest Legacy Award Recipient, and Honorary Chair of the 2016 Sharefest Gala, Joyce Sharman, wife of the late Bill Sharman, NBA twice Hall of Famer as player and coach, founder of the shoot-around, and the 3-point shot, about how she got involved with Sharefest and she told me, "I had the great privilege of meeting Chad through an associate, Carter Calhoun. Chad was working with Carter to plant a garden with his Sharefest youth for a non-profit that Carter and I were involved with at the time. I was extremely impressed with Chad and his passion for what he does. It was just 2 years ago, but I feel that I have known Chad and Brenda forever. They are both wonderful people and they are completely committed to making a difference for the young people that Sharefest serves." Joyce also told me that she was impressed with Sharefest because they work with young people, showing them they can improve their neighborhoods and this in turn, helps instill pride and self-esteem by doing things such as painting community centers, participating in neighborhood clean up days, planting gardens, and much more. For tickets and information about becoming

communities. It will be a place they can get academic support, learn about key skills for college and career, explore their creativity, and develop skills to become leaders in their schools and communities. They will do this through mentor relationships and peer collaboration. One of the biggest areas of focus will be on civic engagement. They want the youth to identify civic concerns in their schools or communities, and interact with local leaders, finding ways to address problems. "We hope to show them how they can step up to make a difference in their communities, regardless of their personal circumstances," said Chad.

If you would like to get involved with Sharefest, contact them at [www.sharefest.org](http://www.sharefest.org) and learn how you can make a difference right in your own neighborhood. "I still pinch myself when I see people like Joyce Sharman and Jerry West take part in an event that supports our work. It's been exciting and humbling to see the many people who have stepped up to participate and support the work of Sharefest," added Chad. True enough, heroes sometimes come quietly among us, doing remarkable things. •



Salvador Lara viewing his newly remodeled home.

he didn't want to leave the area after his Air Force duty ended. He told me that the idea for Sharefest came from his desire to bring organizations and churches together to give back to communities. He started with one community project aimed at building working coalitions to meet needs and foster volunteerism. It has been thirteen years and now Sharefest has an annual Workday that brings nearly 3,000 volunteers to complete 250 projects at schools (West High School being one of them), community centers and other sites across the South Bay and Harbor City areas. What really impressed me was this organization does this at absolutely no cost to the recipients, thanks to the organizations and companies sponsoring the project sites and donating materials. The next Workday takes place on May 6, 2017.

"Sharefest is also committed to developing youth as future leaders. That is my other passion. I love seeing young people get excited when they realize they can do something to help bring positive change to their communities. Our goal is to empower them to not look to others for solutions, but to realize that they have been created to make

Sharefest and Wedgewood joined together to surprise Salvador with a complete home makeover. Salvador has given of himself to his community unceasingly by launching the Clean Wilmington program in 2007. Check out the video at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3Hrvsj4cySU> and see how Salvador's home was transformed in two weeks. Incredible.

This amazing organization runs on funds donated by community businesses, and their annual gala. This year, the 13th Annual 2016 Sharefest Gala, takes place on Saturday, Nov. 5, at the Torrance Marriott at 6 p.m. The event, An Evening of Everyday Heroes, Architect of Transformation, will honor Jerry West with the Bill Sharman Humanitarian Award, presented by Mychal Thompson. Master of Ceremonies for the evening will be John Ireland. This prestigious award will be bestowed on Jerry West for his selfless philanthropy. "There are people who leave an indelible mark of excellence upon the lives of others as they propel them to achieve greatness. For as long as I have known him, Jerry West has been helping others fulfill their dreams on and off the



Sharefest Volunteers Beautifying West High School grounds.



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from different schools helped hundreds of people to register to vote, and hundreds others to receive screenings for blood pressure and HIV. Students also led 138 workshops for fellow students on issues such as sexual harassment, healthy body image, and careers for women in technology. In the end, those projects engaged, activated, or served almost 20,000 of peers and community members throughout the county.

“J H Hull’s team will meet after school and on Saturdays supervised by science teacher, Kristy Mar, who will serve as Site Coordinator,” states the board’s staff report. “Students will attend an orientation day at USC, where each team will learn and practice how to design and create a digital footprint for this project that includes building a website, running a social media campaign, and recording engaging video.”

Money to cover expenses will be paid through a grant from the LA Promise Fund, as well as via community donations. The site coordinator is scheduled to receive a \$1,500 stipend, which will be paid directly by LA Promise Fund, freeing the district from any financial obligations. The Los Angeles Fund for Public Education has been partnering with schools across the county in order to invest in “innovative, results-oriented programs” tailored to ensuring that all students have a chance to succeed.

“In Los Angeles County, women represent only 24 percent of the STEM workforce,”

states the staff report. “Young women need to be equipped for the economy of the future by attending college, building skills, and gaining experience that can be applied to 21st century careers.”

LA Fund, an independent nonprofit, works in collaboration with school districts’ leadership, donors, and other stakeholders dedicated to the field of education. Through private-public partnerships, LA Fund works toward spurring positive and sustainable change in order to have a direct impact on education.

By working directly with teachers and district leaders, LA Fund has earned a strong reputation for creating “meaningful systemic change” with LAUSD [Los Angeles Unified School District]. “From ensuring that hundreds of thousands of students have access to a healthy breakfast everyday, to providing life changing professional experiences for deserving students at leading companies, to empowering young women to solve the most urgent challenges in their communities, change is happening,” states the LA Fund website [https://www.lafund.org/what-we-do].

“The challenge will draw attention to the problems that girls face everyday, allow teams to pilot interventions, and ultimately facilitate meaningful change in Los Angeles County,” states the board’s staff report. “The team [J.H. Hull] will attend the project EXPO in May for final presentations, awards, scholarships and other prizes.” •

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) SICARIUS VIC KATE, 11719 DALESIDE AVE, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 2.) NATEBLUE, 2851 W 120<sup>TH</sup> ST E-163, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. Registered Owner(s): FLOYD NATHANIEL BLUE, 11719 DALESIDE AVENUE, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. This business is being conducted by an INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 01/2016. Signed: FLOYD NATHANIEL BLUE, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on SEPTEMBER 30, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on SEPTEMBER 30, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to SEPTMBER 30, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). Hawthorne Press Tribune: Pub. 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27/2016 **HH-1521**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016241871

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JW HOME CARE L.A., 22315 S VERMONT AVE, TORRANCE, CA 90502, LA COUNTY. AI #ON: 3945724. Registered Owner(s): WAGONER MANAGEMENT CORP. II, 22315 S VERMONT AVE, TORRANCE, CA 90502, CA. This business is being conducted by a CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: WAGONER MANAGEMENT CORP. II, WILLIAM GREEN, SECRETARY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on SEPTEMBER 30, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on SEPTEMBER 30, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to SEPTEMBER 30, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). Torrance Tribune: Pub. 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27/2016 **HT-1522**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016228949

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GARDEN OF EARTH PROJECT, 534 VENICE WAY STE #18, INGLEWOOD, CA 90302, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): DAWN ACCIUS, 534 VENICE WAY STE #18, INGLEWOOD, CA 90302. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 09/2016. Signed: DAWN ACCIUS, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on SEPTEMBER 16, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on SEPTEMBER 16, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to SEPTEMBER 16, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). Inglewood Daily News: Pub. 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27/2016 **HI-1523**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016229561

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) MDDLEON TRANSPORTATION, 1014 S FIR AVE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90301, LA COUNTY. 2.) MDDPLUS TRANSPORTATION. Registered Owner(s): MICHELLE LEON, 1014 S FIR AVE, INGLEWOOD, CA90301, CA. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 09/2016. Signed: MICHELLE LEON, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on SEPTEMBER 16, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on SEPTEMBER 16, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to SEPTEMBER 16, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). Inglewood Daily News: Pub. 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/2016 **HI-1524**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016244069

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) THE RED LINE & CO., 21606 SE 32<sup>ND</sup> PLACE, SAMMAMISH, WA 98075, KING COUNTY. 2.) 531 MAIN SREET #866, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. Registered Owner(s): TRLC, INC., 21606 SE 32<sup>ND</sup> PLACE, SAMMAMISH, WA 98075, WA. This business is being conducted by a CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 09/2016. Signed: TRLC, INC., WENDY BAILEY, SECRETARY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 4, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 4, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 4, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/2016 **H-1525**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016245945

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MUHIMU CLOTHING, 8214 SOUTH 3<sup>RD</sup> AVENUE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90305, LACOUNTY. Registered Owner(s): CARLA RUSHING, 8214 SOUTH 3<sup>RD</sup>, AVENUE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90305. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 10/2016. Signed: CARLA RUSHING, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 6, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 6, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 6, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). INGLEWOOD DAILY NEWS: Pub. 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/2016 **HI-1526**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016246004

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) STANZA AUTOMOTIVE, 1373 E GRAND #A, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LA COUNTY. 2.) 531 MAIN ST. #216, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. Registered Owner(s): HENRY CASTANAZA, 1373 E GRAND AVE #A, 531 MAIN ST. #216, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, CA. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 08/2016. Signed: HENRY CASTANAZA, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 6, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 6, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 6, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/2016 **H-1527**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016243481

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BUDGET GARAGE DOORS, 16685 CRENSHAW BLVD #6, TORRANCE, CA 90504, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): ANTHONY DIAZ, 16685 CRENSHAW BLVD #6, 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: ANTHONY DIAZ, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 4, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 4, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 4, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). Torrance Tribune: Pub. 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/2016 **HT-1528**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016243445

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MAJAVII PRESS, 214 MAIN ST SUITE 256, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): MAMTA JAIN VALDERRAMA, 935 MAIN ST APT 201, 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: MAMTA JAIN VALDERRAMA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 4, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 4, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 4, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/2016 **H-1529**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016241899

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) FW VISTA APARTMENTS, 3519 WHISTLER AVE, EL MONTE, CA 91732, LA COUNTY. 2.) 5320 STONEHAVEN DR, YORBA LINDA, CA 92887. Registered Owner(s): WESLEY S PAN, 5320 STONEHAVEN DR, YORBA LINDA, CA 92887. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 09/2016. Signed: WESLEY S PAN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on SEPTEMBER 30, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on SEPTEMBER 30, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to SEPTEMBER 30, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11,3,2016 **H-1530**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016243787

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PACIFIC PREMIER SERVICE, 2501 ARTESIA BLVD., REDONDO BEACH, CA 90278, LA COUNTY. AI #ON: 99719682. Registered Owner(s): COMPUTER ELECTRONICS DEVICE, 2501 ARTESIA BLVD., REDONDO BEACH, CA 90278, CA. This business is being conducted by A CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 09/1991. Signed: COMPUTER ELECTRONICS DEVICE, DARYUSH MOASSESSI, PRESIDENT. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 4, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 4, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 4, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/2016 **H-1531**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016247422

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CHIC HAUS PROPERTIES, 830 S. SEPULVEDA BLVD #200, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): CRISTINA SAUCEDA, 2421 W. 227<sup>TH</sup> ST #39, TORRANCE, CA 90501. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 10/2016. Signed: CRISTINA SAUCEDA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 7, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 7, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 7, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10/2016 **H-1532**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016249696

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) SWANKI TRAVEL, 9663 SANTA MONICA BLVD. #1276, BEVERLY HILLS, CA 90210, LA COUNTY. 2.) SWANKI EVENTS. 3.) BECK AND CALL TRAVEL. Registered Owner(s): CHANTAL NICHOLAS, 9663 SANTA MONICA BLVD. #1276, BEVERLY HILLS, CA 90210. 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: CHANTAL NICHOLAS, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 12, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 12, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 12, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10/2016 **H-1533**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016249616

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JOURNEYS BY YOU, 9663 SANTA MONICA BLVD. #1276, BEVERLY HILLS, CA90210, LACOUNTY. Registered Owner(s): CHANTAL NICHOLAS, 9663 SANTA MONICA BLVD. #1276, BEVERLY HILLS, CA 90210. 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: CHANTAL NICHOLAS, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 12, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 12, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 12, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10/2016 **H-1534**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016250705

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) THE HAPPY SIDE OF DIVORCE, 1908 FAYMONT AVENUE, MANHATTAN BEACH, CA 90266, LA COUNTY. 2.) HAPPY SIDE OF DIVORCE. Registered Owner(s): TANYA NATHAN, 1908 FAYMONT AVENUE, MANHATTAN BEACH, CA 90266. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 10/2016. Signed: TANYA NATHAN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 13, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 13, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 13, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10/2016 **H-1535**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016250204

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) LOCAL SMILE CO. DENTAL PRACTICE OF ANDREA PINNICK GAMBLE, DDS, INC., 1706 S. ELENA AVE., SUITE C, REDONDO BEACH, CA 90277, LA COUNTY. 2.) LOCAL SMILE CO. AI #ON: 3747588. Registered Owner(s): ANDREA PINNICK GAMBLE, D.D.S., INC., 07 N JUANITA AVE #1, REDONDO BEACH, CA 90277, CA. This business is being conducted by A CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: ANDREA PINNICK GAMBLE, D.D.S., INC., ANDREA PINNICK GAMBLE, PRESIDENT. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 12, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 12, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 12, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10/2016 **H-1536**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016253003

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as G12 PLUMBING, 1539 NEW YORK DRIVE, ALTADENA, CA 91001, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): ARMEN GEUVJEHIZIAN, 1539 NEW YORK DRIVE, ALTADENA, CA 91001. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 10/2016. Signed: ARMEN GEUVJEHIZIAN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on OCTOBER 17, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on OCTOBER 17, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to OCTOBER 17, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17/2016 **H-1537**

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EJ Hatter (West Torrance No. 5) scored three of West's touchdowns against crosstown rival South Torrance.



West's Dutch Silverlake interception set up West at the 2-yard line in the first quarter of play, setting up West's second touchdown of the quarter.

North) that they have fallen into. West (6-2, 3-0) will look to keep making a strong run toward the end of the regular season as they travel to Leuzinger (6-2, 3-0) to take on their divisional rivals in what has now become a battle for the first place spot in the Pioneer League.

North High

The North High Saxons finally found a way to throw their two-game losing streak aside and get their first win of league play last Friday night with a 45-0 blowout on the road at Centennial. Teams have found their ways to run all over the Pioneer League's last place team this season. The Saxons did the same under the Friday night lights. The game was over early as starting

quarterback Glenn Searcy had one of his best performances of the season for the Saxons. Losses at home against West High and on the road and against Leuzinger at home made-up the first two losses of league play for North and head coach Todd Croce, who fell victim to a tough schedule to begin league play this year.

With the two top teams in the Pioneer League now out of the way, the Saxons can finally get back to their winning ways, as they have now begun to do after their victory versus Centennial. Searcy, Croce and the rest of the Saxons (4-4, 1-2) will look to start a winning streak as the season now begins to come to a close. A home matchup with the Torrance Tartars waits this Friday

night before the season ends for North on the road at South.

Torrance High

The Torrance Tartars have won when it has counted this season, taking it to the last place Centennial Apaches in the first game of the league play by a final score of 28-6. Aside from that win, however, things have been tough sledding for head coach Rock Hollis and his young team. A loss to South High in a rivalry game quickly followed before Torrance welcomed the Leuzinger Olympians to town. While the Tartars have been struggling to get wins on the board this season, Leuzinger has been battling it out with West High for place all season long. That fact certainly showed in the final box

score of the game. A 39-3 shellacking gave Leuzinger another win and Torrance another loss as the Tartars were only able to manage one field goal on offense all game long.

The offense hasn't been much to write home about for Torrance this season, but the team will look to get things back on track this week as they travel to North High to take on the Saxons. The Tartars (1-7, 1-2), who are in a three-way tie for third place in the Pioneer League (North, South,) will be looking to distance themselves from the bottom of the standings as the regular season quickly comes to a close. A victory over the Saxons would be just what the doctor ordered this week for Hollis and his Tartars.. asixlion@earthlink.neT •



Carl Richardson (South Torrance No. 3) is tackled by Ryan Shoda (West Torrance No. 55) and Austin Turner (West Torrance No. 53) during the opening drive of the cross town rivalry.



Patrick Patterson (South Torrance No. 11) is tackled by Shige Kato (West Torrance No. 18). South only gained 25 yards on 28 carries against a strong West Torrance defense.



The interception by West's Kyle Reinsch (West Torrance No. 88) set up West at the 2-yard line for West's first score of the game.