

Penguin

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is good for America, period. End of story.

The folks from Brazil were ecstatic about snaring the Games, and good for them. Said President Liz Ignacio Lola de Silva: "I confess to you that if I died now, my life has been worthwhile." Lola was still breathing when he continued: "Be sure of this. Rio's Olympics will be full of the passion, happiness and creativity of the Brazilian people."

Now if they can just work on a few of those nasty problems involving crime and the occasional white powder overindulgence, things should work out just fine. They have six or so years to figure it out, right?

Speaking of figure it out, did I miss some-

thing with the David Letterman mea culpa last Thursday night?

Some sleazoid was trying to blackmail the not-so-funny (to me) left winger. Was kinda busy over the weekend myself trying to avoid potential lawsuits, but is it true that the 62-year-old geezer had to admit to having sex, before he was married, with women who worked for him?

Quit laughing, folks. It is deplorable that that kind of thing occurs, anywhere, anytime. And I am sure that the late-night southpaw will think twice before making fun of Sarah Palin's kids, or Governor Edwards, or Governor Sanford, or... •

Kings

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Captain Dustin Brown has always been known as a tough, hard-working forward. He produced 24 goals last season, down from his career-best year of 33 in 2007-08. A 30-goal season from the captain should make Coach Terry Murray happy. Other forwards who need to pick up the scoring slack include center Jaret Stoll, right-wing Justin Williams, and second-year King Wayne Simmonds, who tallied five markers in the pre-season.

On the defensive side of the ice, second-year pro Drew Doughty, all of 19, will again get tons of ice time. This kid is going to be a superstar, write it down, folks.

Just hope that it happens here in L.A. But he really struggled against Phoenix. Jack

Johnson, old man Sean O'Donnell, and Matt Greene are a few of the other blue-liners that the Kings will throw out on their side of the redline, hoping to keep opposition forwards in check.

And between the pipes, Jonathan Quick and Erik Ersberg return from last season.

As mentioned in a previous column, the Kings need one of their netminders to seize the number one job, make the routine save, and occasionally make the brilliant stop. Limit the so-called "bad" goals, which seem to sap a team's will to compete.

That's a bit of info on my favorite hockey team. The Kings are talking playoffs, and it is about time. Time to put up or shut up, eh? •

Eagles

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when he's throwing the ball and we throw it a lot," he said.

This was also a game to get the Eagles ready for their Pioneer League schedule because of he numerous looks that St. Bernards gave the Eagles' defense. The Vikings not only went with a no-huddle offense, but ran the QB option from the shotgun formation and ran the wing-T formation--and the defense didn't flinch.

The Eagles, who improved to 2-2 on the year, travel to Bishop Montgomery (1-4) Friday night for a 7 p.m. game. The Knights are a young team that has given up an average of 31 points per game thus far.

Upcoming Schedules

The girls' tennis team led by (40th ranked in the SCTA's Girls 16s) Hazuki Onaga hosts Torrance today at Recreation Park in a Pioneer League match at 2:30 p.m. The Eagles then travel to North Torrance to take on the

Saxons on Tuesday, October 13 at 2:30 p.m.

The boys' water polo team, which is ranked fourth in the latest CIF Southern Section poll, plays Chadwick at home on Friday at 3 p.m. The water polo alumni game is slated for Saturday, October 10 at 4 p.m., and on Monday, October 12, the Eagles travel to Torrance for a 3 p.m. Pioneer League game.

The El Segundo cross country team is enjoying a successful season thus far. On Saturday, the Eagles will participate in the prestigious Palos Verdes Invitational and they have their second Pioneer League meet on Thursday, October 15 at 2:30 p.m. at Wilson Park in Torrance.

The El Segundo boys' soccer team is currently having a fundraiser for their program selling an Eagle Scarf. For more information on this fundraiser and other Eagle sports and activities, you can call (310) 615-2662 ext. 312 or 313. •

Vultures

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and foreclosure prevention hoaxes.

The office of California Attorney General Jerry Brown offers five tips on its website to avoid real estate scams:

--Don't pay up-front fees. Foreclosure consultants are prohibited by law from collecting money before services are performed.

--Don't ignore letters from your lender or loan servicer. Responding to those letters is your best bet for saving your house.

--Don't transfer title or sell your house to a "foreclosure rescuer." Beware! This is a scam to convince homeowners they can stay in the home as renters and buy their home back later. It might also be part of a fraudulent bankruptcy filing. Either way, a scammer can then evict the victim and take the home;

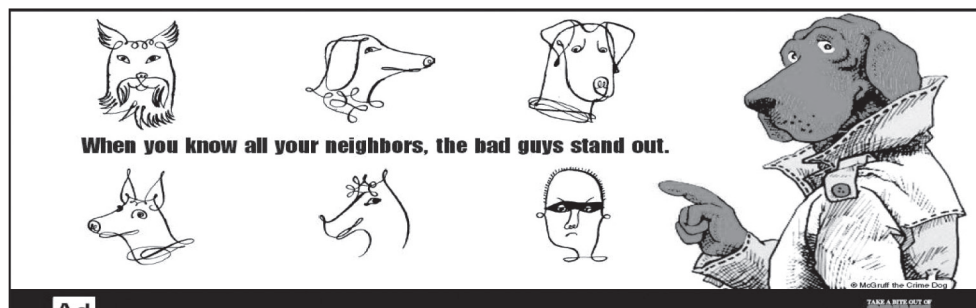
--Don't pay your mortgage payments to

anyone other than your lender or loan servicer. Mortgage consultants often keep the money for themselves.

--Never sign any documents without reading them first. Many homeowners think that they are signing documents for a loan modification or for a new loan to pay off the mortgage on which they are behind. Later, they discover that they actually transferred ownership of their home to someone who is now trying to evict them.

"If I knew then what I know now, my wife would be a lot happier with me," said Hernandez.

But also, he added, government officials share a lot of the blame for the troubled real estate environment. "The government," he said, "should have taken the lead and avoided all this a long time ago." •



ESEF

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website at <http://elsegundousd.org/>.

As in the past, fulfilling the 2008-2009 \$450,000 pledge to the ESUSD was made possible through the community's generosity. The ESEF has donated more than \$2.75 million to the ESUSD, including more than \$900,000 in the last 2 years. Local residents and businesses are encouraged to continue the Foundation's legacy of *Fostering Excellence in Education* by making tax-deductible donations online at www.elsegundoesd.org; by mail to ESEF, P.O. Box 591, El Segundo, CA 90245; or in person at the El Segundo Unified School District Office, located at 641 Sheldon Street. Many employers match charitable contributions, which can double a gift at no additional cost to the donor; please contact your employer's Human Resources

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Frankly

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than perfection. Much like my readers do.

So the Dodgers have regrouped, and are hosting playoff baseball at the Ravine. Didn't fare so well against the Birds this season, losing the season series, 5-2 and being outscored, 31-19. Don't know who they are counting on to be their ace in the series that started Wednesday night. Can't be Randy Wolf, the dude who, when last spotted on the hill, was chucking 70-m.p.h. Frisbee-like curve balls to the Rockies. Maybe Clayton "Koufax" Kershaw will be the man, but the kid is just 21 and has no track record of anything in the postseason. How bout the alleged ace, Chad Billingsley, who has done nothing but scuffle for the past three months?

The Cards will lead with two bona fide aces, Chris Carpenter and Adam Wainright, who pretty much stifled the Blue Crews' lumber when they faced the Dodgers this season. Gave up something like five runs in a combined 30 innings.

Manny better be Manny, or the Dodgers could be out in four. But because I am a homer, have friends who bleed the Blue, I will select...Cards in four. Sorry, but I must maintain, or try to establish, my journalistic integrity.

And because I know that you really, really hang on my predictions, I will say Yankees in four, and the Phillies in four.

The NFL enters week five and I have

already screwed up in my Fantasy League. Those of you who participate in the colossal waste of time that is FF football may feel my pain. I didn't check my roster this week, obviously being incredibly busy doing who knows what. Anyway, returned to the mansion on Sunday morning after my run around the local dilapidated high school track, and checked on my team. And noticed that about half of my players weren't playing, were having a bye week. Including my man-crush QB, Kurt Warner. So I scrambled to move players around, and ended up adding the bust Mark Sanchez as my QB. That worked out well. Think that the dude garnered me about four points. Loser. And running back Darren McFadden, who plays for the joke that is the Raiders, scored 0.5 points. Seriously. I think if you get injured during the game, they award five points. Damn.

So I tanked, as did my Rams, who were edged by the 49er's 35-0. And sorry Raider fans, but you are still stuck with J. Russell at QB. But we all must stand behind our teams, right?

Least that's what I overheard Sunday afternoon from a Raider supporter, who cheers for her team, whether they lose, or lose! But she does have an alternate jersey she sometimes sport from the fine city of New Orleans. Who happen to be 4-0. Can't hurt to hedge your bets, can it? •



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