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Weekend

Kiwanis Club Good Citizen Award



Kiwanians Mitch Travera, El Segundo Police Chief, and George Funk give Travis Siegel (center) the "Good Citizens" award on behalf of the El Segundo Kiwanis Club. The Kiwanis Club awarded the "Good Citizens" award to Siegel, whose quick action led to the arrest of a burglary suspect. Siegel arrived home and saw a bicycle leaning against the garage of a neighboring residence. Siegel then observed a male subject walking the bicycle towards the street. Knowing that the home was currently vacant, he felt this activity was suspicious and entered his home to retrieve a flashlight and cell phone. He then noticed a female subject in the same area of the vacant residence. Although the male subject had already left the area, the female was detained by officers and found to be in possession of a driver license and credit cards that were reported stolen in a vehicle burglary a week prior. Photo courtesy of ESPD. •

Gregg McClain: El Segundo's New Planning Manager

By Brian Simon

As the City of El Segundo's new Planning Manager, Gregg McClain's primary responsibility is to keep projects on track while also assisting with budget requests, staff supervision, land use policy decisions, and goal-setting for his division, among other focuses. He arrives with a wealth of prior experience heading planning for the neighboring town of Hawthorne. "We are very happy to have convinced Gregg to come work for us," City Manager Greg Carpenter said. "In a lot of ways, we picked him and he picked us. We needed his experience and he likes the variety of interesting planning projects and issues we have. He also has a very helpful and calm approach to dealing with long-range/big-picture planning projects as well as individual customer needs-which is exactly what we need with this position."

While seemingly born to be a planner, that career choice certainly wasn't the plan when McClain was in college. Admitting that he had no idea what he wanted to do with his life at the time, he enrolled at the University of Iowa and ended up majoring in anthropology because he could earn consistent A grades just by showing up at the lectures. That led McClain to initially delve into archaeology. "On my first day of field work the summer after my freshman year, I found a Clovis stone spearhead lying in a cornfield," he recalled. "My instructor, who had been an arrowhead collector since age five, was stunned because he had never found a Clovis point—which is at

least 6,000 years old—and here I was finding one on top of the dirt not 10 minutes into my training program. I was hooked, and spent the next three years working for the Iowa State Archaeologist part-time while going to school."

Told during his second year that he needed to study a foreign language, McClain chose Japanese partly because his high school girlfriend was from Tokyo, but mainly due to his uncanny knack for learning kanji-the principal

characters used in writing the language. "Japanese was also determined by the university to be a difficult language, so I could take just two years and be done with it as opposed to European languages that required three," he said. Since kanji constituted 50 percent of the grade, McClain managed to maintain a B even though he struggled with the grammar and could barely construct a proper sentence. His

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Forecast

Saturday Partly Cloudy 70°/62°

Friday

Partly

Cloudy

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Sunday Sunny 74°/64°



School Board Meets on the First Day of School in the District

By Duane Plank

The Tuesday night meeting of the El Segundo Unified School District School Board featured five special presentations, including a one-hour presentation that included all of the District principals speaking about their administrative highlights and priorities in the District's Long-Range Facilities Master Plan (LRFMP), and the swearing-in of new student representative to the Board Alex Nilsson.

Tuesday was the first official day of school in the District, and with the last School Board meeting taking place six weeks ago, the agenda was dotted with multiple presenters and presentations, and nearly two dozen items placed before the

five-member Board for their consent.

The initial presentation of the 135-minute meeting was the administration of the oath of office to Nilsson, who then made her first official report to the Board about events at the High School.

Ed! Foundation CEO Carol Pirsztuk then briefly presented to the Board. She noted Ed! s 33 years of work with the District, helping to provide the students with a rich, rounded world class education. The theme for this year is "Every student wins." She noted that while each school site relies on the active participation of site parent's in PTA's, the "\$1.3 million needed to keep our District's curriculum is solely made

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Obituaries

Jim Nelson November 3, 1942 – August 12, 2016

Jim Nelson of Simi Valley passed away peacefully August 12, 2016 with family by his side. Jim was born to Jimmy and

Maxine Nelson on November 3, 1942. Jim grew up in El Segundo, California where he met the love of his life Lynda Klock in 1961 at a Surfer's Stomp. They were married on December 6, 1963 and pro-



ceeded to have four sons. He was blessed with six grandchildren and one grandson on the way. Jim was a hardworking man and a dedicated employee of Chevron Corporation for thirty years. He loved his family with all of his heart, and cherished spending time with them; his favorite moments were

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spent with his children and grandchildren at Kern River and cheering them on while they played sports.



Jim is survived by his wife of 53 years, Lynda Nelson; his sister Carol McAndrews; his four children, Tom (Michele), Timoney, Tyler (Stephanie), and Tevin (Kelly); and six grandchildren, Tanner, Taylor,

Thomas, Turner, Teagan, Trenten and one new grandson on the way.

Services will be held at 11:30 am on Saturday, August 27, 2016 at New Beginnings Church, Simi Valley with a Celebration of Life immediately following at the home of Tom and Michele Nelson. •

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Police Reports

Monday, August 15, 2016

One male adult was detained at 0340 hours from the 700 block of Main Street for possession of stolen property.

A petty theft report was taken at 0804 hours from the 600 block of West Mariposa Avenue. Unknown suspect(s) stole side view mirrors from the victim's vehicle.

Traffic accident (no injuries) occurred at 1046 hours from the 300 block of Main Street. Vehicle versus vehicle.

Forgery report was taken at 1132 hours from the 900 block of North Sepulveda Boulevard.

One male adult was arrested at 1150 hours from the 1800 block of East Sycamore Avenue for violation of a restraining order and resisting arrest.

A petty theft report was taken at 1433 hours from the 500 block of California Street. Unknown suspect(s) stole a bicycle.

Traffic accident (unknown injuries) occurred at 1752 hours from the 100 block of South Sepulveda Boulevard. Vehicle versus vehicle. Criminal threats report was taken at 1858 hours from the 300 block of North Conti-

nental Boulevard. One female adult was arrested at 2358 hours from the 500 block of North Sepulveda

Boulevard for public intoxication.

Tuesday, August 16, 2016

Grand theft auto report was taken at 0820 hours from the 200 block of Center Street. Taken was a 2015 International Bobtail truck.

Two male adults were arrested at 1034 hours from Rosecrans Boulevard and South Sepulveda Boulevard for grand theft auto and possession of burglary tools.

A recovered vehicle report was taken at 1235 hours from LASD Lennox Station. Recovered was a 2015 International Bobtail truck.

A found property report was taken at 1505 hours from the 500 block of Lomita Street.

A misdemeanor burglary report was taken at See Police Reports, page 6

Gregg McClain

love of the characters and the culture prompted him to take three years of Japanese as well as a few literature classes. The extra courses were enough for him to wrap up college with a double major. An impressive achievement... until McClain realized neither field would help pay the bills.

With the Midwest in economic decline offered me a job in the mailroom of her comyears into the program, he realized the subject in post-war Japan. After several more years I had and the narrower my prospects were becoming," he noted. "It was only then that I planners." And then the lightbulb went on...

From there, McClain's future began to crystaland the McClains moved to the South Bay.

figured he was in line to succeed the Planning Director with the latter expected to retire two or three years down the road. "Then only a few months afterwards, my boss accepted an

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by the time McClain had graduated in the mid-1980s, he decided to move to Southern California where two of his aunts lived in Glendale. "They knew I needed help, so one pany in Los Angeles so I could make money for grad school, and the other arranged for me to go to Japan with the local Lion's Club for the summer," he said. He went to grad school in St. Louis for two years to earn his Masters degree before returning to the West Cost to study political science at UCLA. Two wasn't for him and he switched to geography with his eventual thesis on population changes of study and another Masters under his belt, McClain was in crisis mode. "I realized the more education I was getting, the more debt learned through the UCLA Career Center that geography graduates are sometimes hired to be

lize. Through the suggestion of a college friend (who was a planner for the City of Monterey Park), he sent letters out to various planning departments to volunteer his time and pick up some experience. The City of Hawthorne responded immediately. "After a few months, they hired me as Assistant Planner and for three years, I had a great mentor in my boss," he said. "Also, he seemed to be in meetings most of the time and I was the only other planner in the city—so I learned a lot quickly." With Hawthorne going through a tough phase in the late 90s, McClain moved to the private sector doing consulting work for Pac Bell and AT&T helping to obtain permits to build wireless antenna sites throughout the Southland. Three years, three companies and six bosses later, he missed the stability of a government job. As it happened, Monterey Park was hiring and McClain spent the next five years as Associate Planner there. During this period, he also married his high school sweetheart Nikki and the two started a family (they now have an 11-year-old son and 10-year-old daughter). He began taking classes in landscape architecture through UCLA Extension, but shelved it when he learned of an opening for the Senior Planner position in Hawthorne in 2005. He got the job

Upon his return to Hawthorne, McClain

early retirement incentive and I became the acting Planning Director," he said. "It was at times a very difficult, but mostly rewarding job. There were only three planners, so I had to do a lot of work that most directors delegate



Gregg McClain.

and it was fun to have so much influence over that city's future."

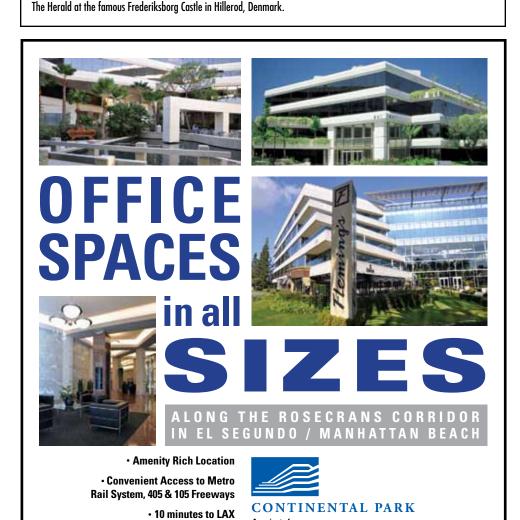
Among McClain's accomplishments, he helped secure competitive grants to help Hawthorne map out that future. The list included the Downtown Hawthorne Specific Plan, and the plan to transform the industrial area near Crenshaw and El Segundo boulevards.

While proud of making positive inroads in Hawthorne, McClain also found it a "frustrating place" and looked to move to a municipality that had a more coherent vision going forward. That led him to El Segundo where he feels his skill set will be particularly useful. "In my experience, planners too often treat the municipal code as doctrine and fail to ask why it says what it says," McClain explained. "I have a good sense of the big picture. Only when you understand why can you give a good answer to the question, 'Can we make this better, faster, less costly, or less bureaucratic?"

McClain also prides himself in his customer service acumen, which he said he picked up through his private industry work when he saw that planners "were at the forefront of resisting the infrastructure buildout" for wireless technology. "I vowed to never be that kind of narrow-minded planner," he said. "I do not believe all changes are good, but change is inevitable and it is my job to recognize this and help the City Manager and City Council respond in a way that puts El Segundo in a position to take advantage of the change and turn it into something positive."

Only two months into his new role, Mc-Clain's short-term goal is to develop a good understanding of how things are done here. "Already I have some ideas on how to improve processes, but before I make changes I need to understand the history and culture of the

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Aetna Customers Won't Be the Only Ones Switching ACA Plans

By Rob McCarthy

Aetna Health's decision last week to stop participating in the federally mandated individual health-insurance program doesn't affect Californians, however, many residents covered under the Affordable Care Act will be shopping for another health plan in 2017 anyway.

That's because the health plans offered through the California marketplace are raising their rates by an average of nearly 13 percent in the next enrollment period. The double-digit increase for next year's coverage will require participants to switch plans or pay most of the increase themselves, according to the exchange's top official.

"Almost 80 percent of our consumers will either be able to pay less than they are paying now, or see their rates go up by no more than 5 percent, if they shop and buy the lowest-cost plan at their same benefit level," said Peter Lee, the executive director of Covered California, in last month's rate announcement.

"Shopping is going to more important this year than ever before," Lee stressed ahead of re-enrollment that starts on Nov. 1.

The rates charged by the health companies in the ACA are capped by law, and the rate increases reflect the cost of medical care to plan enrollees, Lee explained. The 10 health plans in the state's insurance marketplace received permission from state officials to bump up rates 2017 after negotiations that took place this summer. Insurers won't be making "excessive profits" from the higher rates, the head of Covered California assured consumers.

State officials approved the rate increases partly because an artificial cap on premiums is ending next year. The cap, known as reinsurance, was in place for the first three years to slow rate increases, which it did. The loss of the reinsurance cap accounts for up to 7 percent of the increased rates for Californians enrolled in the ACA.

Medical inflation, especially higher prices

for specialty drugs, will be a cost driver for patients and their insurers next year, officials said. Two plans, which Lee did not identify, asked for rate relief because they expect consumers who are sick and need care to enroll in the next calendar year. Though the state's exchange approved the increase, the federal government will help pay some of it.

The federal government will contribute more next year to defray the higher premiums for individuals and families, according to Covered California spokeswoman Lizelda Lopez. Federal assistance pays the full amount of coverage for people with incomes well below the poverty level, and low-income adults can qualify for financial assistance to pay their plan premiums.

Consumers will can review their new rates and change plans for their 2017 health coverage when renewal notices arrive starting in October, officials said. Lee warned consumers to be ready to shop the marketplace for comparable coverage at the best price. Enrollees who automatically re-enroll in the same plan and skip any price comparisons could regret it.

"Some consumers who choose to keep their plan will see a significant increase in their premium for 2017, while others will see a more modest increase, depending on where they live and what insurance plan they have," Lee sai.

While the federal formula is complicated and estimating next year's costs for individuals is difficult because everyone's circumstances are different, Lopez said the less a person makes, the more assistance they can receive through California's exchange. The state was one of 16 states, plus the District of Columbia, to create health-care marketplaces in 2014 when the Affordable Care Act, known as "Obamacare," and its individual-coverage mandate became law.

There is no connection between the ACA marketplace and the rate outrage among

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Covered California Rate Changes

	2014-2015 Change	2015-2016 Change	2016-2017 Change	3-year Average Change
Weighted Average Increase	4.2%	4.0%	13.2%	7.0%
Lowest-Priced Bronze (unweighted)	4.4%	3.3%	3.9%	3.9%
Lowest-Priced Silver (unweighted)	4.8%	1.5%	8.1%	4.8%
Second Lowest-Priced Silver*	2.6%	1.8%	8.1%	4.1%
If a consumer switches to the lowest-priced plan in the same tier	-	-4.5%	-1.2%	_

*Second-lowest priced Silver plans are the best basis of determining federal tax credit and are often used as a basis for comparison to national rates.

Data provided by Covered California.



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Community Briefs

Grand Opening

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A Special Case



This big boy is nothing but sweet and docile! He is about eight years old and weighs 78 lbs, according to the vet. I first found him on my back doorstep, trying to escape the summer heat in South Los Angeles; he was limping on his back leg and covered in dirt and fleas. He was even so thirsty, he tried drinking a puddle of oil that had been leaking from a parked car. Luckily, I was able to coax him into getting into my car and put a leash and collar on him. He was limping, bleeding from being so flea-infested, covered in black blotches of dirt, and had a huge swollen ear. His breaths were drawn out and exasperated, and he barely wanted to move. In fear that he was seriously injured or sick, I took him to the vet that same day; she explained that he had an extremely large hematoma in his ear that would require surgery as soon as possible as well as advanced arthritis in his back legs. After getting him some much needed flea medicine and an anti-inflammatory for pain, I returned the dog to my house where he is now camping out in my bathroom. Unfortunately, I am not allowed to have dogs at my place of residence, and I already am fostering a cat. He is just too sweet and loving though; even in his poor condition, he nudges his head

onto my lap for me to hold and pet him. This dog has earned his right to be able to spend his last years being well cared for and loved; he needs to enjoy his last years in peace. I am in search for any rescue or family that can lend a hand to help keep this big boy stay out of the pound and streets and get into his rightful, forever home! Interested parties please call 310-755-1626.•







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- 46. Overpowering fright 48. Hair coloring
- 49. Taxi or limo

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53. Bit of butter

59. Narrow cut

65. Aesthetic fields 67. Conversant with

68. Couple of times

store 71. Cook by slow boil

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72. He and she

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8. Intelligence

9. Perfect

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56. As well

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- 10. Last part 60. Hold up
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23. Soccer's target

27. Journey stage

31. Sun emission 32. Laugh heartily
33. Do__ others...
34. Root or ginger
35. Declined

Compassion

44. Drink cooler

47. Diner sign

52. Inception 53. Hollow cylinders

57. Statutes 58. Rod at a pig roast

54. On your own 55. Uptight 56. Skill

50. Soft seat

51. Express

41. A head

37. ___ colored glasses
38. Much used verb in history

42. One of a couple, for short

45. Pets
46. Fortune teller's leaves

29. Writing fluid 30. Singer Morrison

- **64.** Morning rose moisture
- 66. "Tinker, tailor, soldier, _

Last Week's Answers

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

Eagles Looking to Soar with This Offense

Story and Photos by Gregg McMullin

What does the El Segundo High School football team's offense look like this season, people are asking. Will it be the same type of offense that averaged 34.7 points per game last season, 41.2 in 2014 and 34 points in 2013? The Eagles have a few question marks

Lagarde are both seniors and where Palmer might have an edge because of his two games he played quarterback at the end of last season, Lagarde has demonstrated his leadership skills and knack for the complexity of the offense. Palmer's quickness and strong arm reminds people of his older



Jake Palmer will figure prominently in the Eagle's offense.

entering the season but make no mistake, this season should be just as productive, in terms of scoring, as the past three seasons. The Eagles will have a new quarterback and the void at the guard position, due to graduation, which will allow some talented sophomores to fill in. There will be two-way players and of course there will be injuries during the season that will need to be addressed with some inexperienced players. This will be a roster of more than forty players with each playing a vital role.

The quarterback position will be between two gifted athletes. Jake Palmer and Kobee

brother Grant, who ran the offense a few years ago. If Palmer solidifies his place in the backfield, he could generate the kind of numbers Grant did. Grant passed for 1,600 yards and 20 TDs in just eight games his senior year. If Lagarde leads the offense, it will mean Palmer moves to a slot receiver position. Lagarde is a transfer in and has picked up the difficult offensive scheme so well and so quickly that expectations are running high. He has a strong arm and opposing defenses will be challenged to bring down someone with a running back body.

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Usain Bolts Toward Immortality

By Adam Serrao

As he waited in the tunnel underneath Olympic Stadium, the crowd could be heard from miles away, throbbing like a heartbeat. Everyone was there to see one person. Everyone was there to witness greatness. As the chanting started in the crowd, all eyes were fixed toward the tunnel, waiting to see his tall, daunting visage emerge. "USAIN BOLT, USAIN BOLT!" the crowd excitedly roared. They all knew what they wanted to see and

Olympics has made the sprinter out of Jamaica the legend that he has become today.

"I would have never thought I could go back-to-back-to-back Olympics," Bolt explained. "The first one, I was just happy. The second one was a challenge, and the third one is just unbelievable." Over the course of the past three Olympics, Bolt has not only dominated the 100 meter race, but has also completely conquered the 200 meters and the 4x100 relay, as well. Basically, if he steps foot on the track, he is

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all of a sudden, there he was, emerging as if a gladiator stepping into the arena. Usain Bolt has never been short on confidence, nor has he been shy on talent. As he emerged onto the track in Rio, dancing and smiling to the brim, he knew he was going to win, it was just a matter of how much he was going to win by. By taking home his ninth gold medal in this year's Rio Olympics, Usain Bolt has done what he had originally set out to do. Usain Bolt has become a legend.

Early on in his career, no one would have ever guessed that Bolt would have grown into the champion he has now become. In 2004, a young, 17-year-old Bolt traveled to Athens to participate in his first Olympics. As skinny and frail as they came, Bolt did exactly what everyone thought he would do. He aggravated an ankle injury, lost in the 200 meters, and went back home. That trip home proved to be a life changing one for Bolt. He didn't take losing lightly, and from then on he would be motivated to become the world's best ever.

Fast forward to the 2008 Summer Olympics in Beijing, China. Bolt was back, in his prime, and this time, he was ready to make an impact. With a remarkable time of 9.69 seconds in the 100 meters, he did just that by completely dusting the world record. Nine gold medals later and domination in three straight

going to win a short distance race. When Bolt steps foot on the track, every single person who knows about it is going to stop and watch.

Winning gold medals isn't as effortless as Bolt makes it seem, though. The hard work and dedication that he puts into his training is what has made him the great athlete that he has become today. "Competition is the easy part," Bolt said. "Behind the scenes, is where the work is done. I think a lot of people, they see you run and they say, 'Oh, it looks so easy'. Before it gets to that point, it's hard work. It's day in and day out sacrifice, day in and day out, just dying."

The sacrifice has paid off. Not only has Bolt been the world's fastest man for over 12 years now, but he has also become a legend that we will all likely one day tell our children and grandchildren about. "What else can I do to the world to prove I am the greatest? I'm trying to be one of the greatest," Bolt said after winning his latest 200 meter gold in Rio. "Be among Ali and Pele. I hope after these Games, I will be in that bracket."

Bolt doesn't only have nine gold medals to fall back on to symbolize his greatness. He has also broken a significant amount of world records, as well. 2008 proved to be Bolt's coming out party. He set the world record in

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Sports Shorts

Local Soccer Club Wins Tournament Championship



Strikers FC South Bay GO7 are a local soccer club, headquartered out of El Segundo. The team is comprised of girls from all over the South Bay (majority of them live in El Segundo). On the weekend of Aug. 13, the team took 1st place at the West Coast Futbol Classic in Orange County. This tournament is one of the largest tournaments in Orange County, with teams traveling from all over the Western U.S. to compete. The Strikers defeated FC Long Beach in the championship game, 8-1. In the four games played in the tournament, they outscored the competition 20-2. Pictured from left to right: back row: Ava Adlam, Cameron Lane, Sam Neumier, Amy Strait, Olivia McPherson, Coach Olly Muggleton, Jesi Cobian and Sam Stahl. Front row: Maureen Glastetter and Allie Stevenson. Photo by Patricia Glastetter.

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<u>Film Review</u>

In Directorial Debut "A Tale of Love and Darkness," Natalie Portman Honors Jewish Heritage

By Morgan Rojas

Natalie Portman is regarded as one of the most ambitious and hardest working people in Hollywood today. Opting to place her career on hold to attend Harvard University in 1999 (getting her degree in Psychology), she is a perfect example for actors everywhere that one shouldn't rely on beauty, not even talent alone, to survive in show business. The new film "A Tale of Love and Darkness," based on Israeli author Amos Oz's bestselling memoir, further proves her abilities as a triple threat in a film that Portman not only stars in, but adapts and directs. Oh, and did I mention brave face as the matriarch of the household amongst the turmoil, but battles internal forces that eventually become too overwhelming.

In tackling the vast historical context of Middle East politics, "A Tale of Love and Darkness" is slower and much denser than any of Portman's other work. Its appeal is that it is non-commercial, but that doesn't mean it lacks cinematic inspiration. Some of the most vivid scenes come from the nightly bedtime stories Fania tells Amos. Just as the character Sara in "A Little Princess" created fantasy worlds for her friends while in boarding school, the stories Fania tells are acted



Natalie Portman in "A Tale of Love and Darkness." Courtesy of Voltage Pictures.

the film is in Hebrew with English subtitles?

"A Tale of Love and Darkness" is told from the perspective of Amos as an elderly man, reminiscing about his childhood in the budding State of Israel in the 1940s and '50s. Amos (Amir Tessler) is a 10-year-old Jewish boy, not yet mature enough to comprehend the politics of the Middle East. He meets a young Arab girl at a party and although they only speak a few words, they are enough for him to understand the conflict around him. His father Arieh (Gilad Kahana), an author with an awareness of the political state of the country, tries to teach his son life lessons every day. His mother, Fania (Portman), puts on a out in a similar fashion.

This film is not just Natalie Portman's directorial debut, it has also been her passion project that she worked on for over 10 years. It is an interesting choice for a filmmaker's debut, as it definitely goes against the grain of formulaic Hollywood films. However, after watching, it seems like no one else could have pulled off this striking balance between romance and melancholy as well as the triple-threat Portman.

"A Tale of Love and Darkness" is rated PG-13 for thematic content and some disturbing violent images. 95 minutes. Now playing at the Landmark Theater.

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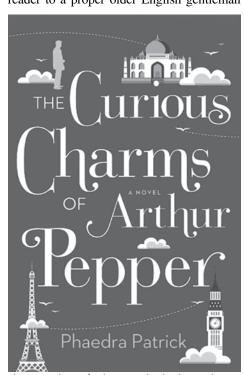


Check It Out

The Curious Charms of Arthur Pepper By Phaedra Patrick

El Segundo Library Staff Book

Reviews and Recommendations Phaedra Patrick's debut novel, The Curious Charms of Arthur Pepper, introduces the reader to a proper older English gentleman



The Curious Charms of Arthur Pepper by Phaedra Patrick.

who finds comfort in continuing his routine life, once shared with his late wife, Miriam. Arthur Pepper gets out of bed at exactly 7:30 a.m. every morning, wears the same mustard yellow sweater vest, the same gray pants and waters his fern, lovingly named Frederica, before heading out to his garden.

On the one-year anniversary of Miriam's death, Arthur decides it is time to move on from mourning. While cleaning out her belongings, Arthur finds a mysterious gold charm bracelet, never seen on Miriam's wrist. As his curiosity is sparked, Arthur breaks out of his very comfortable daily routine, adding spontaneity to his life by embarking on life-changing adventures to distant lands in search of clues that may help him understand Miriam's past.

Each charm has a story to uncover, intriguing Arthur on his journey to get to know his late wife's past. Beginning with the tiny emeraldstudded elephant which takes him to India, Arthur's travels resume as he follows leads

on charms that include an artist's palette, a book, a thimble and a heart, Arthur finds himself in places that include New York, London and Paris.

As Arthur's character evolves through his travels, his journey becomes one of his own self-discovery as well as rebuilding relationships with family and friends. Phaedra Patrick's novel is a sweet story of loss, hope and healing and the challenges we face along the way.

The Curious Charms of Arthur Pepper is the book selection for October's Evening Book Club that will meet at the El Segundo Public Library on Wednesday, Oct. 26, at 6:30 p.m. If you would like to join us in discussing this book, please visit the library to check out a copy.

The El Segundo Public Library offers access to its collection of titles in a variety of formats, including traditional hardback, e-books and books on CD. To check out The Curious Charms of Arthur Pepper, or any other title on your to-read list, please visit the library to apply for your free library card, or please contact the reference staff for further assistance. Reviewed by Julie Todd, Adult Services Manager, El Segundo Public Library. •



Julie Todd.

Police Reports

1522 hours from the 1400 block of East Imperial Avenue. A vending machine was broken into.

One male adult was arrested at 1856 hours from Playa Vista Drive and Fountain Drive for possession of stolen property.

An identity theft report was taken at 1840 hours from the 2100 block of East Rosecrans Avenue.

A grand theft report was taken at 2153 hours from the 900 block of Loma Vista Street. Known suspect stole tools from the victim's construction job site.

Wednesday, August 17, 2016

One male adult was detained at 0116 hours from the 500 block of North Sepulveda Boulevard and transported to Harbor General Hospital for a 72 hour psychiatric evaluation.

An online petty theft report was reported on 8/14/16 at 0139 hours from the 600 block of West Pine Avenue. Taken were side rear view mirrors from a Yukon.

An online petty theft report was reported on 8/15/16 at 1022 hours from the 1800 block of East Sycamore Avenue. Taken was a purse containing \$700.00.

One female adult was arrested at 1231 hours from Rosecrans Boulevard and Nash Street for one outstanding ESPD misdemeanor warrant.

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Traffic accident (with injuries) occurred at 1803 hours in the 700 block of West Palm Avenue, vehicle versus pedestrian.

One male and one female adult were arrested at 2344 hours from the 1900 block of East Grand Avenue for identity theft.

Thursday, August 18, 2016

Two males and one female adult were arrested at 0112 hours from the 1900 block of East Grand Avenue for identity theft.

One male adult was arrested at 0747 from the 100 block of Vista Del Mar for plain intoxication in public.

Burglary (residential) occurred between 08/17/16 and 08/18/16 in the 2500 block of East El Segundo Boulevard. A storage bin was broken into and miscellaneous items were taken.

One male adult was arrested at 1007 hours from the 600 block of Washington Street for attempt burglary.

Forgery report was taken at 1303 hours from the 2100 block of East Grand Avenue.

Burglary (residential) report was taken at 1733 hours from the 200 block of West Imperial Avenue. A bicycle was stolen from

Eagles from page 5

The crop of receivers that Palmer or Lagarde will have to throw to is a deep and an experienced bunch. Taj Balogun and Billy Brasher will see time at tight end. Balogun will use his 6'4" frame to make defenses second guess his assignments. With his size, speed and hands, he will make for a style through the line and second efforts have not gone unnoticed by opposing coaches. "Taz is on everybody's radar but that will only serve him to get to the next level of his game. He's a special talent," coach Shevlin said.

Aston Saltz is a big bruising fullback that averaged 5.9 yards per carry as a junior. He's

many believe is one of the program's best offensive lines in years. Hayes and Weldon are both three-year starters while this will be Caravello's second year. Hayes (6'4" 245) and Weldon (6'3" 260) both have good size at tackle and will move defenses back. Caravello (6'2" 235) has developed into one

Mason Susich, Rowan Seiter, Cameron Knott, Kyle Layana and Kobe Edquid could all see plenty of action.

The special teams unit will be led by kicker Tyler Villalobos, punter Jake Palmer who also will attempt PATs. As a sophomore Villalobos displayed the big leg to force 28



George Hayes is a three-year starter for an experienced line.

great option in the passing game. Brasher has become one of the better blocking tight ends in this offense but will also be targeted in the passing game.

Haamid Brooks Jr., CJ Shevlin, Danny McEntee and Palmer, when he's not at quarterback, lead a talented wide receiver crew. Brooks and Shevlin will look to be the standouts and both could have breakout seasons. "Haamid has had an outstanding summer," said head football coach Steve Shevlin.

Taz Tauaese returns at the running back position. The senior returns as one of the South Bay's prized running backs having rushed for 1,328 yards and 23 TDs last season. Out of the backfield he was one of the team's top receivers, catching 22 passes for 323 yards and five touchdowns. Tauaese will shoulder most of the load running the ball if for nothing else his sheer desire for extra yards. His slashing running gotten bigger and at 6'2 and 225 pounds, it'll be a challenge for defenses to go one on one with him. Coach Shevlin probably won't discount using Duncan Papalii and his 6"4" 260 pound frame in a pinch. Others who could see time sparing Tauaese might be juniors Kyle Freeman, Danny McEntee and Isaiah Gray.



CJ Shevlin will be one of many receivers for the Eagles.

of the top centers in the South Bay and he comes from great blood lines with his dad, Joe, playing in the NFL.

The question mark is where to find guards. Three sophomores have developed nicely and all could see action immediately. Ben Rosas (6'2" 220) has really stood out while Gunnar Rodgers (6' 200) and Kaden Lan-

touch backs. Palmer was as good as most punters in the South Bay averaging nearly 39 yards per punt and backed the opposition inside their own 20-yard line six times, which included a 68 yard punt. But like his brother Grant, who also served as punter, Jake is a duel threat to run for the first down if the opportunity arises. Palmer will most likely attempt the PATs and was successful on 28 of 31 last season.

This will be another exciting year for the offense and fans will be thoroughly entertained and have plenty to cheer about. With the talent, size and speed this offense has, the Eagles have expectations of themselves to prove they are that good. You can catch a glimpse of this soaring offense on Friday at home at 4 p.m. when they host West Torrance for a scrimmage. The season opener is next Friday when they host Leuzinger at 7 p.m. •

but make no mistake, this season should be just as productive, in terms of scoring, as the past three seasons."

"The Eagles have a few question marks entering the season

Of course no offense can thrive without

the play of a talented front line. The Eagles have three starters returning who the coaching staff says could be standouts and could play at the next level. George Hayes, Brandon Weldon and Jess Caravello anchor what

Jess Caravello is developing into one of the top centers in the South Bay

glois (5'10" 240) have shown they can play at the varsity level. The three seniors have embraced their younger teammates and are helping to mentor them. Depth on the line is as deep and perhaps deeper than at any other position. Papalii, Gabe Fernan, Tim Flores,



Kobee Lagarde has been impressive at quarterback



Running back Taz Tauaese will lead an explosive offense.



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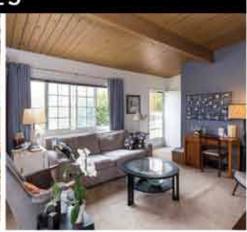
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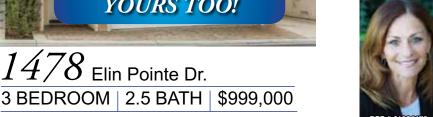
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Turn Your Empty Attic into New Living Space with Three Smart Moves

(BPT) - When your family outgrows your home's available space, moving to bigger digs isn't always the best option. Maybe you really love your current home. Perhaps you can't find a bigger home in your price range in the area of your choice. Whatever your reason for staying in place, expanding the home you already have can be a cost-effective option when your family needs more room.

Skylights or roof windows can be a better, more cost-effective way to bring natural light and fresh air into an attic. Installation is faster and cheaper than adding dormers, and they work well on slanted ceilings. Energy Star-qualified, solar-powered, fresh-air skylights like those from Velux America make it easy and affordable to bring natural light and fresh air into an attic space.



Converting an unused attic into usable living area is a reliable, cost-effective way to gain more space in a home. It's also a good investment; when you add an attic bedroom, you can expect to recoup about 77 percent of the construction cost when you resell the house, according to Remodeling Magazine's Cost vs. Value Report.

Three time-tested techniques can help you turn an empty attic into the extra space you dream of:

1. Rely on Natural Light for Beauty, Visibility and Cost **Savings**

Attics don't usually have many windows, and adding them can be difficult if the ceiling is sloped. Adding dormers - a typical solution - can be costly and time-consuming, and eat up wall space that is often at a premium in attics.

Add solar-powered blinds in designer colors and patterns, and the skylight becomes an even more valuable piece of the room's overall decor. Solar-powered skylights close automatically in case of rain. They, and the blinds, are operated by programmable remote control, making it easy to adjust the amount of sunlight that enters the space. Both products, plus the installation costs, are eligible for a 30 percent federal tax credit to the homeowner. Learn more at www.whyskylights.com.

2. Pay Close Attention to **Insulation**

In any home, the attic is often the hottest spot in the summer and the coldest in the winter. The amount and quality of insulation in the attic directly affects the comfort level in the space - and the overall energy efficiency of your home.

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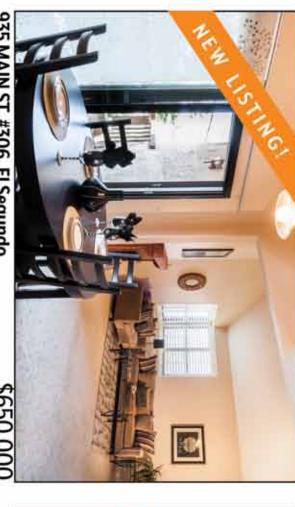
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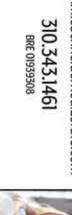
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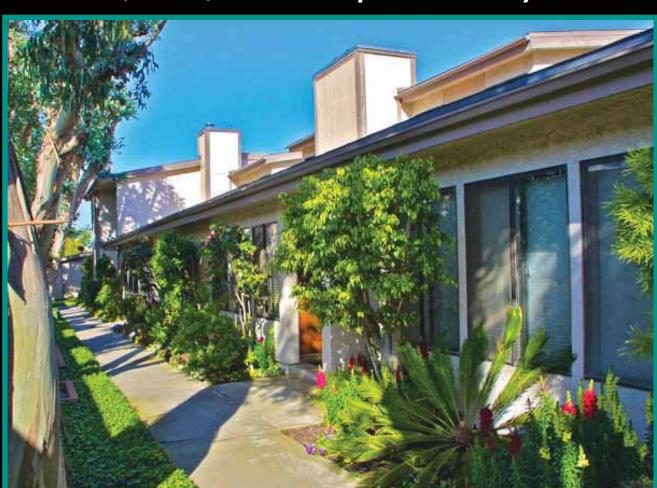
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Have an insulation pro evaluate the insulation in your home's attic before you begin planning your conversion. You may need to add insulation or even replace older, inefficient types - a move well worth the investment since insulation is so important to your home's overall comfort and energy efficiency. Many insulation pros will recommend spray insulation for attics because it goes easily between existing joists. Plus, it can create a tight air barrier without losing the inches of space required for thick fiberglass batt insulation.

3. Get Smart about Plumbing

If your attic conversion will incorporate a bathroom, good for you! Bathroom additions return more than 56 percent of your initial

investment when you resell, according to the Cost vs. Value Report.

If pipes are already present in your attic, adding a bathroom can be simple. If no plumbing exists, consider cost-effective alternatives that will have less impact on the space, like up-flush plumbing. Because it fits into the kind of tight spaces that often occur in attics, up-flush plumbing can be an easy, cheaper way to plumb a sink, toilet or shower stall in an attic space.

Converting an unused attic into living area can be a great way to expand your space without moving. Plus, when you finally are ready to move one day, that attic renovation may end up paying for itself by boosting the sale price of your home. •





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employer-sponsored health plan participants and the self-employed who buy their own coverage, spokeswoman Lopez with Covered California said. Any suspicions that insurers are passing along higher costs to insure previously uninsured people through the government-mandated coverage system is unfounded, she said.

Health-care premiums for ACA participants have increased on average by 7 percent a year, and even steeper rate increases preceded the creation of the health-coverage marketplace three years ago, Lopez said.

The outrage "is not new and not attributable to the ACA," she said, stressing that rates paid by consumers for health insurance were going up by double digits before the ACA happened.

Aetna Health was never a participant in the California exchange, so its decision to stop offering coverage in states operating health-insurance exchanges has no effect on

the availability of plans or rates. However, California may have played an indirect role in the widely reported and scrutinized pullout from the government-mandated health care program Aetna once backed.

Media reports that followed Aetna's announcement suggested the company was making good on a threat by its top executive to bail out from the three-year-old ACA unless federal regulators approved its proposed merger with Humana. Federal regulators rejected the merger, and one of those opposed to the creation of an Aetna-Humana health-care juggernaut was the California insurance commissioner.

Commissioner Dave Jones urged the Department of Justice in late June to reject the merger plan, calling it anti-competitive. Following a study of the effects on consumers if the two health insurers combined, Jones gave it a thumbs down, citing the state's "already highly concentrated" health insurance market, and the likelihood of reduced consumer choice, reduced quality, and increased prices for individual, group and Medicare supplemental plans.

The commissioner reported that a combined Aetna-Humana would control 26 percent of all Medicare Advantage enrollees in the country, more than any other health-care insurer. The Department of Justice on July 21 blocked the merger, prompting California's insurance commissioner to issue a congratulatory announcement to federal antitrust regulators who agreed with him.

The original health plans in the state's exchange are still participating, and a 12th company joined after the first year and has since dropped out, according to Covered California's spokeswoman. The existing plans are offered by Anthem Blue Cross of California, Blue Shield of California, Chinese Community Health Plan, Health Net, Kaiser Permanente, L.A. Care Health Plan, Molina Healthcare, Oscar Health Plan of California, Sharp Health Plan, Valley Health Plan, and Western Health Advantage. They are competing for 1.4 million residents enrolled with Covered California.

Almost all California enrollees will have three or more plans to select from next year, officials said, and even without Aetna the state's health-insurance marketplace is strong for low-income and improverished residents, according to officials. The concern elsewhere in the country is that insurers are retreating from states and communities, where health coverage is needed most and where poverty rates are among the highest.

"This is really going to be felt in Southern states and rural areas," predicted Cynthia Cox, who is associate director of health reform and private insurance the Kaiser Family Foundation. •

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Thursday, September 8, 2016 5:30 p.m. PLACE: City Council Chambers 350 Main Street

El Segundo, California TAKE NOTICE that the El Segundo PLANNING COMMISSION will hold a public hearing at the time and place indicated above on the following:

SUBJECT: Environmental Assessment No. EA-1166 and Administrative Use Permit AUP No. 16-11

Address: 204 Main Street Applicant: Kristian Krieger

Property Owner: HJM International, LLC Planning Division received application for No. EA-1166 Administrative Use Permit AUP No. 16-11 for alcohol service in a new restaurant (Brewport) located at 204 Main Street in the Downtown Specific Plan Area. The proposed project involves alcohol service on-site and off-site within the indoor dining area and in the outdoor patios proposed at the front and rear of the restaurant. The total patio area is approximately 376 square feet. The on-site and off-site sale of beer and wine requires the approval of an Administrative Use Permit under the Downtown Specific Plan. The project site is located on the block between Grand Avenue and Franklin Avenue in the Main Street Transitional District.

The Director of Planning and Building Safety approved the application for the Administrative Use Permit; however pursuant to the Downtown Specific Plan and ESMC § 15-24-8, the decision must be reviewed by the Planning Commission before it becomes final

The proposed project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to 14 California Code Regulations § 15301 as a Class categorical exemption (Existing The project includes an Facilities). Administrative Use Permit to allow the

sale of alcohol at a restaurant. project is a negligible expansion of the use of an existing building involving alcohol service within certain areas of the uses are permitted uses in the Downtown

Files for the above-mentioned proposal are available for public review Monday through Thursdays between 7:00 a.m and 6:00 p.m. in the Planning Division Department of the Planning and Building Safety, located at 350 Main Street, El Segundo. Any person may give testimony at the public hearing at the time and place indicated above. Please contact Louis Morales, Contract Planner in the City Planning Division at (310) 524-2351, for further information

Note that any appeal of a decision made following a public hearing may be limited to the issues raised by evidence submitted before or during that public hearing.

Sam Lee, Directo Building Planning and Safety Department; and, Secretary to the Planning Commission

City of El Segundo Mailing Date: August 25, 2016 Publication Date: August 25, 2016 Posting Date: August 25, 2016 El Segundo Herald Pub. 8/25/16

NOTICE INVITING SEALED BIDS

LICENSE OF WATER PUMPING RIGHTS IN THE WEST COAST BASIN FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017, FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018.

AND FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019 IN THE CITY OF EL SEGUNDO RFP No.: 16-03

The City of El Segundo invites sealed proposals for water pumping privileges that must be received before 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 20, 2016, by the City Clerk's office for the city of El gundo, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, CA 90245. The City of El Segundo owns adjudicated ground water rights to pump up to 953 acre feet of ground water from July 1st to the following June 30th of each ear. The City will finish the 2016-2017, 2017-2018, and 2018-2019 Fiscal Years with unused ground water production rights in the West Coast Basin of 953 acre feet per year. The City intends to license its production rights to the highest bidder(s) who are pumpers in 2017/18, and 2018/19 water years (July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 **and** July 2017 through June 30, 2018 *and* July , 2018 through June 30, 2019). The City will license the total of 953 acre feet of annual production rights for 2016-17, 2017-18, and 2018-19 water years, or respective portion thereof, to the highest bidder(s) on a per acre foot basis. Bids should be submitted separately for each water year. The City will evaluate the 2016-17, 2017-18, and 2018-19 bids independently and may award its production rights to separate bidders for each water year based on the highest annual bids submitted. The City may award the license of the water rights to one or more bidders so as to result in the highest total amount of money for

Upon determination of the highest responsive bidder(s), license agreement between the City (lessor), and each licensee, will be prepared by the City and sent to the successful bidder(s) for execution following approval by the EI Segundo City Council

Each licensee will be required to pay all Water Replenishment District of Southern assessments imposed California the amount of water production that is licensed. The City will inform the West Coast Basin Watermaster as to the amount of water rights licensed and the intention of both parties. After approval is received from the West Coast Basin Watermaster, the City will submit an invoice for the amount of rights licensed. Payment is due not later than forty five (45) days from the date that the City tenders the license agreement to the licensee for execution or by the end of the Basin's Fiscal Year (June 30) whichever occurs first.

Copies of the Request For Proposal are available from the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department, City of El Segundo, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, California, 90245. The Request For Proposal is alternately available electronically via http://www.elsegundo. org/depts/works/project_request_

contact_form.asp The terms and conditions for bidding on the Project are described in the Request For Proposal documents.

Bids must be prepared on the approved Proposal forms in conformance with the Instructions to Bidders in the Request For Proposal documents

DATED this 25 day of August

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO, CALIFORNIA Tracy Weaver, City Clerk El Segundo Herald Pub. 8/25, 9/1/16

H-25259

ORDINANCE NO. 1520

AMENDING EL SEGUNDO MUNICIPAL CODE §§ 15-2-7, 15-2-14, 15-5F-8, AND 15-15-5 ALLOW OUTDOOR DINING AREAS AND OUTDOOR GATHERING AREAS TO BE LOCATED UP TO 5-FEET FROM A PROPERTY LINE IN THE MU-S ZONE TO MODIFY THE FRONT AND SIDE YARD SETBACK REQUIREMENTS FOR BUILDINGS IN THE MU-S ZONE; TO ALLOW ONSITE PARKING TO ENCROACH INTO INTERIOR SIDE YARD AND REAR YARD SETBACK AND LANDSCAPED SETBACK AREAS IN THE MU-S ZONE.

SUMMARY OF ADOPTED ORDINANCE Ordinance No. 1520 amends four sections of the El Segundo Municipal Code (ESMC), and would be applicable to properties within the MU-S Zone (Mixed se-South Zone). The amendment to ESMC Section 15-5F-8(D) reduces the minimum building setback standard to 20 feet, and is applicable to all front yards in the MU-S Zone, except for those along Rosecrans Avenue

The amendment to ESMC Section 15-2-7(E) reduces the setback requirements outdoor dining areas and outdoor gathering areas, allowing said areas to be located up to 5 feet from a property line, rather than 10 feet. These areas would also be permitted to be covered by non-solid trellises, pergolas, retractable awnings or other similar non-permanen

the amendments to ESMC Section 15-2-14(B)(3)(a) and Section 15-15-5(D)(2) allow onsite parking spaces on properties within the MU-S Zone to encroach up to interior side and real property lines (zero setback), provided that the interior side and rear property lines do not abut a public or private street.

ADOPTED BY UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE: MAYOR FUENTES, MAYOR PRO TEM BOYLES. COUNCIL MEMBER DUGAN, COUNCIL MEMBER BRANN, COUNCIL MEMBER PIRSZTUK - 5/0 AUGUST 16, 2016 El Segundo Herald Pub. 8/25/16

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF GOODS TO SATISFY LIEN **AUCTION LOCATION** 13020 YUKON AVE. BLDG Q, HAWTHORNE, CA. 90250

accordance with the provisions the California Commercial Code. Sections 7201-7210, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, September 10, 2016 at the hour of 10:00 am of said date, at 13020 Yukon Ave. Bldg Q, City of Hawthorne. County of Los Angeles State of CA, the undersigned will sell at public auction for cash, in lawful money of the United States, the articles hereinafter described, belonging to, or deposited with, the undersigned by the persons hereinafter named at Gentle Giant Moving. Said goods are being held on the accounts of: Chris Paul Austin, Kristine Aronsohn, Leslie Barnes, Jacqueline K Bright, Mehmet Bakraclar, Gyan Kuma Buyyala, Edgar Davis, Joe Ellis, Robert Farber, Christian J. Glick, Anita and Dave Holomb, Mark Dancsecs Andrew Hooper, Scott Holland, Erica Mutch, Beverly Petal, James Ramming, Anthony Roselli, Anthony Schmitt, Evelyn Smukler, Bridgett West, Joop Wijnhoven, Bennett Yankowitz, Deborah Young, Jon Fields and Trista Fields-Torrez and Fred Zax.. All other goods are described as household goods, furniture, antiques, appliances, tools, misc goods, office furniture, and articles of art, equipment, rugs, sealed cartons and the unknown. The auction will be made for the purpose of satisfying the lien of the undersigned on said personal property to the extent of the sum owed, together with the cost of the sale. For information contact Gentle Giant Moving. Terms: Cash only with a 13% buyer's premium, 10% for cash buyers. Inspection at sale time. Payment and removal day of sale. Auction conducted Associates (800) 838-SOLD, (909) 790-0433 or www.americanauctioneers.com Bond #FS863-20-14 /S/ Gentle Giant

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If you want to be happy, be. - Leo Tolstoy

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING September 8, 2016 DATE: TIME: 5:30 p.m.

350 Main Street El Segundo, California TAKE NOTICE that the FL SEGUNDO

public hearing at the time and place indicated above on the following: Environmental Assessment No. 1154, Specific Plan Amendment No. 16-01. Subdivision No. 16-01, Development Agreement Amendment No. 16-01

PLANNING COMMISSION will hold a

Address: 540 East Imperial Avenue Applicant: D.R. Horton Homes CA2.

Property Owner: El Segundo Unified

School District

Project Description/Background

On January 26, 2012 the El Segundo Commission approved Environmental Assessment No. EA-890, General Plan Amendment No. 10-03, Zone Change No. 10-01, Specific Plan 10-03, Zone Text Amendment No. 10-06, Development Agreement No. 10-02, and Subdivision No. 10-01 for Vesting Tentative Map Nos. 71410 and 71582 to allow for the construction of one of two possible conceptual options on a 5.65-acre surplus school site. Option 1 consisted of a three-story, 150 unit assisted living complex and a 154unit senior apartment/condominium complex. Option 2 consisted of 34 multifamily dwelling units taking access from Imperial Avenue, and 24 single-family dwelling units taking access from Walnut Avenue, for a total of 58 units. On March 20, 2012 the City Council approved the

project and certified the Environmental Impact Report (EIR)

El Segundo Unified School has entered Assessment No. EA-890. As described Homes for the latter's right to purchase and develop the property. D.R. Horton Homes seeks to develop the property as expressed in the Option 2 conceptual layout of the approved 540 East Imperial Avenue Specific Plan (540 FIASP)

Since the approvals under both options of the 540 EIASP were conceptual, in order to design and build the homes to the specific single-family and multifamily product mix unique to the D.R. Horton style, modifications of the original approvals are necessary.

The proposed modifications requested approvals include:

 A Specific Plan Amendment to clarify design details to implement the Mixed Residential Development Option 2. The clarifications include: adjustments to lot coverage, floor area ratio, height for the multi-family unit stair tower element a reduced guest parking requirement for the multi-family units, decrease in the combined front yard and rear yard setback for single family homes, street widths narrowed on the single-family side, modified modulation requirements, and LEED Certification requirements.

Agreement No. 10-02. An Amended Vesting Tentative Tract Map No.71410 to adjust the parcels and street widths to accommodate the D.R. Horton housing project. The overall configuration remains the same.

An Amendment to Development

Environmental Determination On March 20, 2012, the City of El Segundo

above, the applicant is eking to modify that project. Under CEQA, an El Segundo, CA 90245. Any person may Addendum to a previously certified EIR is appropriate if minor changes or additions to the EIR are necessary to reflect the proposed modifications to the project in the environmental analysis and none of the conditions described in section 15162 of the CEQA Guidelines calling for the preparation of a subsequent EIR or negative declaration occurred (CEQA Guidelines §15164). Generally, the conditions described in Section 15162 have not occurred if the proposed modifications do not result any new significant impacts or a substantial increase in the severity of previously identified significant impacts. The Addendum need not be circulated for public review (CEQA Guidelines §15164[c]); however, an addendum must be considered by the decision-making

project (CEQA Guidelines §15164[d]). This Addendum to the previously-certified EIR demonstrates that the environmental analysis, impacts, and mitigation measures identified in the 2012 EIR for Environmental Assessment No. EA-890 remain substantively unchanged despite the proposed project revisions It supports the finding that the proposed project does not raise any new issues and does not exceed the level of impacts identified in the previous Environmental

body before making a decision on the

The existing files for the above-mentioned matter are available for public review

City Council certified an Environmental Monday through Thursday between Impact Report (EIR) for Environmental 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. in the City of EI Superior Court of California, County of Los Superior Court of California, County of Los Segundo Planning and Building Safety give testimony at the public hearing at the time and place indicated above. Please contact Trayci Nelson, project planner, in the City Planning Division at (310) 524-2342 or any other Planning Division staff member, for further information.

Please note that the Addendum to the EIR and the project applications are being presented to the Planning Commission to review the merits of the project, and that the Planning Commission will develop a recommendation to the City Council. The Planning Commission's recommendation on the project will then be presented to the City Council for action. Public notice will be provided of future City Council meetings

Note that if you challenge the above described project in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City at, or prior to, the public hearing. Sam Lee. Director Planning and Building

Department: and Secretary to the Planning Commission City of El Segundo Mailing Date: August 25, 2016 Publication Date: August 25, 2016 Posting Date: August 25, 2016 El Segundo Herald Pub. 8/25/16

H-25251 9/15/16

Order to Show Cause for Change of Name

Petition of: Christopher Garrick Ritchie and Gretchen Kari Torrison for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Christopher Garrick Ritchie and Gretchen Kari Torrison filed a petition with

this court for a decree changing names as Piper Bensen Ritchie to Piper Bensen

Torrison The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause 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: 10/14/16, Time: 8:30AM., Dept.: K, Room: A203 The address of the court is: 1725 Main Street

Santa Monica, CA 90401 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: El Segundo Herald

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Date: August 12, 2016 JUDGE GERALD ROSENBERG Judge of the Superior Court El Segundo Herald Pub. 8/25, 9/1, 9/8,

Order to Show Cause for Change of Name Case No. SS026372

Petition of: JOSEFIN RUNDSTROM for

Change of Name TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner JOSEFIN RUNDSTROM filed a petition with this court for a decree changing

JOSEFIN RUNDSTROM to

JOSEFIN ADLER 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.

Date: 9/16/16, Time: 8:30 AM., Dept.: K, Room: A203 The address of the court is: 1725 MAIN STREET

SANTA MONICA, CA 90401

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: EL SEGUNDO HERALD

GERALD ROSENBERG

Judge of the Superior Court El Segundo Herald Pub. 8/4, 8/11, 8/18,

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Gregg McClain from page 2

city," he said. "For the long term, I hope to help sustain El Segundo's great reputation as a friendly and helpful city. There is always opportunity to improve and we should constantly be looking for that. It is good that I come with fresh eyes and a different perspective. Also, El Segundo has benefited from many historically smart decisions that have led to the pattern of development seen today. There were a few missteps, but they seem fixable. I hope to play a role in the fixes, but also in making the right choices to keep the City strong and healthy in an ever-changing world."

In his short time here, McClain said the first thing he noticed was "how pleasant everyone is here" and that the conversation remains civil and respectful even when there is disagreement. "I believe this is a result of widely accepted buy-in of the community's priorities and goals," he said. "Aside from that, I am absolutely impressed with the commercial and industrial vitality of the city. El Segundo is the envy of

all South Bay cities in this regard."

McClain also found comfort in El Segundo's small-town feel and industrial history, having come from somewhat similar roots growing up in the little community of Moline in northwestern Illinois where the primary business was building tractors. When he was 13, his family moved to a farmhouse surrounded on three sides by corn. "We moved there in the summer and you could not see past the edge of the cornfields," he recalled. "In the

fall after the harvest, you could suddenly see everything within 20 miles. It was a magical place for my brother, sister and me to spend the last years of our childhood." There was also time when sections of El Segundo were overrun with bean and strawberry fields. Though that reflects a bygone era inevitably replaced by development, McClain sees a balance. "El Segundo is in a unique position to continue to grow while still remaining a magical place for families," he said. •

PUBLIC NOTICES

Fictitious Business 2016188551

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as POKEZARD, 22005 ANZA AVENUE, TORRANCE, CA 90503, LA COUNTY, Registered Owner(s): JAMES TAKASHI NAITO, 22005 ANZA AVENUE, TORRANCE, CA 90503. This business is being conducted by an Individual The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A Signed: JAMES TAKASHI NAITC NAITO. OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JUÍ Y 28 2016

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on JULY 28, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JULY 28, 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)

Pub. 8/4, 8/11, 8/18, El Segundo Herald: Pub. 8/25/2016 **HT-1486**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016168213

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BLUE ROD PLUMBING, 3844 W. 106TH ST., INGLEWOOD ST., INGLEWOOD CA 90303. LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): BULMARO RODRIGUEZ, 3844 W. 106TH ST., INGLEWOOD, CA 90303. 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: BULMARO RODRIGUEZ, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 6, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statemen expires on JULY 6, 2021, A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JULY 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). Pub. 8/4, 8/11, 8/18,

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 8/25/2016 HI-1487

Fictitious Business 201681694

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as POWER HUNGRY PRODUCTIONS, 6230 WILSHIRE BLVD #1791, LOS ANGELES, CA 90048, LA COUNTY.Registered Owner(s): MELINDA TOMELLERI, 6230 WILSHIRE BLVD #1791, LOS ANGELES, CA 90048 This business is being conducted by an INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commer to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 07/2016.Signed: MELINDA TOMELLERI OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 20, 2016

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on JULY 20, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JULY 20, 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).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016195920

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as INNOVATIVE PROPERTIES, 6601 CENTER DRIVE WEST SUITE 500, LOS ANGELES, CA 90045, LA COUNTY Registered Owner(s): MICHAEL WAYNE ANDERSEN, 6601 CENTER DRIVE WEST SUITE 500, LOS ANGELES, CA 90045. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registran commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: MICHAEL WAYNE ANDERSEN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 5, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statemen expires on AUGUST 5, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statemen must be filed prior to AUGUST 5, 202 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 Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). El Segundo Herald: 8/25, 9/2/2016 Pub. 8/11, 8/18,

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016195942

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as INNOVATIVE PROPERTIES GROUP, 6601 CENTER DRIVE WEST SUITE 500, LOS ANGELES, CA 90045 LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): MICHAEL WAYNE ANDERSEN, 6601 CENTER DRIVE WEST SUITE 500, LOS ANGELES, CA 90045. 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: MICHAEL WAYNE ANDERSEN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 5, 2016.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016186135

The following person(s) is (are) doing JANVIER, 550 S. HILL 1490, LOS ANGELES, business as JANVI STREET #1490, CA 90013. LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): EIGHTERNITY, 550 S. HILL STREET #1490, LOS ANGELES, CA 90013, CA. This business is being conducted by A CORPORATION. The registrant commenced business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 11/2003. Signed: EIGHTERNITY, RAHUL PARIKH, PRESIDENT. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 26, 2016

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on JULY 26, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JULY 26, 2021. The filing of this 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. 8/18, 8/25, 9/2,

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Fictitious Business 2016202555

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CKO KICKBOXING 2, 4415 REDONDO BEACH BOULEVARD LAWNDALE, CA 90260, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON: 201535510015 Registered Owner(s): CKO LOS ANGELES LLC, 2500 LUCERNE AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90016. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability The registrant commenced business name or names listed above on: 12/2015. Signed: CKO LOS ANGELES LLC, ASHA ROSS, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on August 12, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on August 12, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to August 12, 2021. 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 Pub. 8/18, 8/25, Lawndale Tribune: 9/1, 9/8/16 HL-1492

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016195418

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SYNCHRONY STUDIOS, 1) 18500 CRENSHAW BLVD, TORRANCE CA 90504; 2) 3600 GIDDINGS RD AUBURN HILLS. MI 48326. ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON: 3151112. Registered Owner(s): SPINIFEX GROUP, 18500 CRENSHAW TORRANCE, CA 90504. This business is being conducted by a Corporation business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 07/2016. Signed: SPINIFEX GROUP INC. KATHLYN M. RASMUSSEN, Secretary Recorder of Los Angeles County on August 4, 2016.

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Name Statement 20162041000

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SHU TANG, 14315 S business as NORMANDIE AVE STE 400, GARDENA CA 90247, LA COUNTY. Registered MICHAEL BRATCHER 14315 S NORMANDIE AVE STE 400, GARDENA, CA 90247. This business being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 08/2016. Signed: MICHAEL BRATCHER, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 16, 2016.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016199723

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) TOP TIER COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE, 2608 184TH STREET REDONDO BEACH, CA 90278, LA COUNTY. 2.) TOP TIER CRE TOP TIER EQUITY & STRUCTURED Registered Owner(s): EDWIN DUTERTE, 2608 184TH STREET CA 90278. REDONDO BEACH, ILDEFONSO S DUTERTE, 1405 VINC PARK WAY, SAN JOSE, CA 95131 This business is being conducted by a GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. The registran commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on: 08/2016. Signed: EDWIN DUTERTE, PARTNER. This statement Angeles County on AUGUST 10, 2016.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016192687

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) CRAFT SHACK FUELED BY SIMMZY'S, 850 S SEPULVEDA BLVD STE K200, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245 LA COUNTY, 2.) 1148 MANHATTAN AVE #1, MANHATTAN BEACH, CA 90266 Registered Owner(s): SIMMZY'S LLC 1148 MANHATTAN AVE #1, MANHATTAN BEACH, CA 90266, CA. This business is being conducted by A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 06/2016. Signed: SIMMZY'S LLC THOMAS M SIMMS JR. MANAGING MEMBER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 2, 2016.

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Fictitious Business

Name Statement

2016204444

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) ATVENDING, 23300 SANDALWOOD ST., WEST HILLS, CA 91307, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 2.) @ VENDING, 23300 SANDALWOOD ST. WEST HILLS, CA 91307. Registered Owner(s):1.) CHRISTOPHER THOMPSON 4733 SAN FELICIANO DR., WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91364 GIUSEPPE ALLEVA. SÁNDALWOOD ST., WEST HILLS, CA 91307. This business is being conducted by A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: CHRISTOPHER THOMPSON, PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 16, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement

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Fictitious Business 2016206575

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1.) LIFEBUILDERS COUNSELING SERVICES INSTITUTE, 1838 W. 88TH PLACE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90047, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 2.) LIFEBUILDER'S, P.O.BOX 9038, INGLEWOOD, CA 90305. 3.) LIFEBUILDER'S COUNSELING SERVICES. Registered Owner(s): DR. DORIS G MORGAN, 1838 W. 88TH PLACE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90047. This business is being conducted by an The registrant commenced Individual. to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 08/2016. Signed: DR. DORIS G MORGAN, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 18, 2016.

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Fictitious Business 2016203005

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FODOR'S TRAVEL, 909 N. SEPULVEDA BLVD 11TH FLOOR, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): INTERNET BRANDS, INC., 909 N. SEPULVEDA BLVD 11TH FLOOR, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, DE. This business is being conducted by A CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 06/2016. Signed: INTERNET BRANDS, INC., B. LYNN WALSH, SECRETARY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 15, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on AUGUST 15, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to AUGUST 15, 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. 8/25, 9/1, 9/8, 9/15/2016 **H-1500**

Fictitious Business 2016203003

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FODOR'S, 909 N. SEPULVEDA BLVD. 11^{TH} FLOOR, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): INTERNET BRANDS, INC., 909 N. SEPULVEDA BLVD. 11[™] FLOOR, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, DE. This business is being conducted by a CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 06/2016. Signed: INTERNET BRANDS, INC., B. LYNN WALSH, SECRETARY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 15, 2016. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on AUGUST 15, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to AUGUST 15, 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. 8/25, 9/1, 9/8, 9/15/2016 **H-1501**

Fictitious Business

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as WA\$TEDYOUTH, 13108 DAPHNE AVE, GARDENA, CA 90249, LA COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): MICHAEL ANTONY JONES JR., 13108 DAPHNE AVE. GARDENA. CA 90249. 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: MICHAEL ANTONY JONES JR., OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles

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<u>Lookina Up</u>

Two Pairs of Planets Perform in the August Twilight

By Bob Eklund

Step outside as the stars come out, look southwest, and you'll see an eye-catching pattern. For the next few days, bright orange Mars shines to the right of Saturn and the reddish supergiant star Antares. The three form a tall triangle that changes every night.

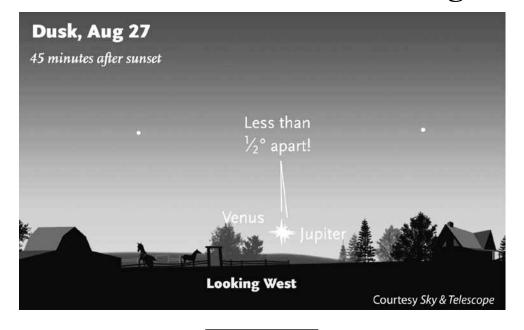
Mars is moving leftward on its way toward passing between the other two. On Aug. 23 and 24, the triangle shrinks down to a nearly vertical line of three shining points.

After that, Mars will continue leftward and the triangle will widen again, now pointing in the opposite direction.

Not that the three have anything to do with each other. Mars is the nearest of them, 7 light-minutes from Earth (79 million miles). Saturn is almost a dozen times farther away: 82 light-minutes (914 million miles). Antares, the lowest of the three in the sky, is about 550 light-years in the background, or 3.3 quadrillion miles into deep space.

Fainter stars of the constellation Scorpius glimmer in the area too.

Notice that, being a star, Antares is the only one of the bright three that twinkles. That's not the star's own doing; twinkling is caused by the slight heat waves that are always rippling through in Earth's atmosphere, mostly just a few miles from your eyes. Planets appear larger from our viewpoint, so the separate twinklings of each point on a planet's face



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generally average out to a steady glow.

Venus and Jupiter too/. Meanwhile, the two brightest planets—Venus and Jupiter—are going through a dance of their own. They're very low in the sky, due west after sunset. Look for them close to the horizon, somewhat left of where the Sun went down, 20 or 30 minutes after sunset. If you have a very low view and clear air, you'll see that Venus and Jupiter are drawing closer together every evening. Venus is the lower one. If the air is hazy, binoculars will help.

The brightest of all the planets, Venus recently returned to the evening sky after spending several months as our "morning star." We will continue to enjoy its presence as the "evening star" through the fall and winter months.

By Aug. 24, Venus and Jupiter will appear separated by just two finger-widths at arm's length. On the 26th they'll be less than one finger apart. Then on Aug. 27, they'll have such a close conjunction that you may need binoculars to see that they're two objects,

Again, looks are deceiving. The two planets merely happen to be along our same line of sight. Venus on Aug. 27 is 13 light minutes from Earth (144 million miles), while Jupiter is four times farther: 53 light-minutes away, or 592 million miles.

Astronomers refer to such close apparent pairings as conjunctions, and this is the last of a recent trio of very close ones involving Venus and Jupiter. The other two occurred before dawn on August 18, 2014, and on October 26, 2015.

For skywatching information and astronomy news, visit SkyandTelescope.com or pick up Sky & Telescope magazine. Sky & Telescope and SkyandTelescope.com are divisions of F+W, a content and ecommerce company. F+W also publishes SkyWatch (an annual guide to the night sky) as well as books, star atlases, posters, prints, globes, apps, and other astronomy products. •

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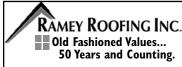
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School Board

from front page

from donations to Ed!" Tonight marks the kick-off of the 2016-17 pledge drive, which will continue through September 30.

The Board next viewed a presentation about the ESUSD's technology plan. Marissa Janicek, the District's Executive Director of Educational Services, District IT Director Danny Gauna and Darryl Vidal, a consultant from Network Solutions made the presentation, with Vidal doing the heavy lifting.

The eight-slide presentation began with Vidal noting the development process and the strategic planning building-blocks of the plan. Power-point slides noted the different inputs to the formulation of the document, including the melding of Board of Education goals, the Local Control and Accountability plan, Common Core requirements, and the District's Long-Range Facilities Master Plan.

The Educational Technology Strategic Plan was detailed, and the key element of aiding professional development "communities" in the District with technology was illuminated. The final slides spoke to the timetables for implementation of the plan, as well as to cost estimates.

One of the key parts of the presentation was the fact that the District's data center is in dire need of an upgrade. Vidal said that a more correct term would be District office data room, because "you don't really have a data center." Vidal went on to say that, in his view, the data center was "at risk", and was woefully in need of an upgrade. Though the center had not failed yet, Vidal said, one of his first recommendations would be an immediate upgrade of the data center. Vidal said, though that the District's LRFMP does not call for an immediate upgrade of the data center.

After the Technology Plan presentation, the Board discussed ramifications of the plan, including what type of staffing issues would need to be factored in to implement the data center hardware and software upgrade. Board President Jim Garza asked about the "human cost to maintain" the data center equipment. Board clerk Emilee Layne wanted to know "what would be realistic staffing for this?" Member Jean Nishime voiced a need for a staffing plan that should be considered to accompany the Technology Plan.

Next on the agenda was a presentation detailing the administrative highlights of the District's LRFMP. The presentation was made by the principals at the High School, Middle School, Center Street Elementary, and Richmond Street Elementary. Dylan Farris, the District's Executive Director of Human Resources, spoke on the priority issues at the Arena High/Eagle's Nest/District office complex.

The over-riding priority items addressed by the Principals were the need to upgrade facilities dealing with student safety and security, such as main entry improvements and upgrades. Alleviating space limitations and possible building and classroom expansion were also listed as priority items at the campuses, as were overcoming parking challenges.

The only discussion item on the Tuesday evening agenda involved assembly bill 2073, which relates to the "restriction of alcohol use on school properties." Superintendent Melissa Moore mentioned that the possibility of having an event at the High School, maybe in

celebration of El Segundo's 100th anniversary in January of 2017, where alcohol would be served, had been informally inquired about.

Board members discussed the possibility of allowing an event to take place at the High School where alcohol would be served. Member concerns included liability, possible damage to the facility, and the precedent it would set in the community. No specific consensus was reached on this discussion item.

There were numerous consent items on the evening's agenda. Twenty three, to be precise. The Board quickly approved all of the items.

Among the items consented to: the renewal of the District's Project Lead the Way contract for multiple disciplines; an agreement with El Camino Community College to allow for opportunities for High School students to take community college courses while still in high school; contracts for mobile music and fall photos at Eagles' Nest Preschool; an assembly at Richmond Street School that will take place in October and feature the motivational theme "Think Kindness"; agreements with a gardening consultant and art consultant at Arena High School; and the approval for Middle School students to again participate in the alwayspopular LACOE Outdoor Science School.

After the acceptance of gifts in the action item portion of the meeting, the Board officially approved the District's Long-Range Facility Master Plan; approved the High School's request to incorporate a new textbook for the two sections of advanced placement (AP) Art History that are being offered for the 2016-17 school year; the approval of a new textbook that will be utilized in the High School's AP Chemistry class; and the approval of an amendment to the District calendar, which will shift the end of the Fall semester to January 27 to January 20, "to establish parity between the number of days in the Fall and Spring semesters."

The only information pending action items on the agenda were a review of a Board policy that relates to "issues specific to high school graduation requirements as it relates to placements in mathematics courses," the consideration of the aforementioned District Technology Plan, which will "drive the implementation of technology, accountability in curriculum and best practices for students and staff as well as address the mandated component of Internet safety issues for students." The Technology plan is slated to be returned to the Board as an action item at the next regularly scheduled meeting on Tuesday night, September 13.

Moore then noted events on the District's September informational calendar, including early September back-to-school nights.

After the District's ASB financial statements and High School Fall sports schedules were noted, the Board member reports began. Vice-President Bill Watkins spoke of attending a "very exciting opening day"; Layne noted how "registration went smoothly"; Nancy Cobb welcomed Alex Nilsson as the Board's newest member; and Nishime said she was "looking forward to all the energy that a new school year brings."

Moore concluded the meeting with her Superintendent's report, in which she congratulated the principals and staff for going "above and beyond" to make opening-day on the District's campuses a success. •

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both the 100 and 200 meters that year, running the 100 in 9.72 seconds and the 200 in 19.3. Bolt later broke his own 100 meter world record twice, running it in 9.69 seconds in the Beijing Olympics and then again in 2009 by running it in 9.58 at the World Championships in Berlin. Bolt also broke his own 200 meter world record at the same World Championships, decreasing his time from 19.3 to 19.19. Bolt and the Jamaican relay team also hold the world record for fastest time in a 4x100 meter relay, setting it at 36.84 seconds at the London 2012 Olympic Games.

Though Bolt has shown no signs of slowing down and could certainly add more gold

medals to his mantle if he wanted to, he has assured the national media that his career in racing competitively is over. The sports world is so used to seeing our superstars hang on until they absolutely cannot play anymore, but for Bolt, it is important to go out on top.

"I've proven to the world I'm the greatest," he said. "I really put Jamaica on the map. I've really got people taking a look at where the talent is coming from. I've done all I can do." It has now become Bolt's time to sprint off into the shadows. The world's fastest man has nothing left to prove and will now forever be a legend in the eyes of anyone who ever reflects upon his illustrious career. •

Seniors

The Truth About Alzheimer's

Early Detection Makes A Difference



(BPT) - It's the sixth-leading cause of death in the United States, affects more than 5 million Americans and one out of every three seniors will die from it. Yet misconceptions surround Alzheimer's disease.

Contrary to what many people think about Alzheimer's, it's not a normal part of growing

early may help the person with Alzheimer's, caregivers and loved ones in multiple ways.

People who receive an early diagnosis may have more time to explore treatments that could help relieve some symptoms, and help them stay independent longer. They may be able to participate in a clinical drug trial to

"It's the sixth-leading cause of death in the United States, affects more than 5 million Americans and one out of every three seniors will die from it."

older. And while there's not yet a way to prevent, cure or even slow the progression of the disease, people with Alzheimer's can benefit from detecting it early. During June - Alzheimer's & Brain Awareness Month - the Alzheimer's Association is encouraging everyone to learn the truth about Alzheimer's disease.

"Misunderstanding crucial facts about the disease can have consequences that can lead to stigma, delayed medical attention and inadequate support for caregivers," says Ruth Drew, director of family and information services, Alzheimer's Association. "Greater understanding of Alzheimer's is urgently needed given the dramatic impact of the disease. It devastates too many families for it to remain a mystery. We need everyone to know the truth about Alzheimer's so we can bridge current gaps and build greater support toward advancing treatments and finding a cure."

Debunking Common Myths

Alzheimer's is most often associated with memory loss, but the truth is the disease can appear through a variety of signs and symptoms. A progressive and fatal disease, Alzheimer's attacks the brain, killing nerve cells and brain tissue, which affects a person's ability to remember, think and plan.

While the majority of people who have Alzheimer's are seniors, it can also affect people in their 30s, 40s and 50s - a form of the disease known as younger-onset Alzheimer's. About 5 percent of people with the disease have younger-onset Alzheimer's. Everyone is, technically, at risk of developing Alzheimer's, but certain groups have elevated risks; African-Americans are twice as likely as whites and Hispanics one and a half times as likely to develop Alzheimer's. Nearly two-thirds of all people who have Alzheimer's are women.

Empowering Information

Every 66 seconds, someone in the U.S. develops Alzheimer's, according to the Alzheimer's Association. Detecting the disease

help advance Alzheimer's research. Resources such as Alzheimer's Association TrialMatch can help you find current studies.

Detecting Alzheimer's early can also give people with the disease, their caregivers and loved ones more time to plan for the future. If you are diagnosed in the early stages of the disease, you may be able to participate in decisions about your care, living arrangements, and financial and legal matters.

Only a doctor can accurately diagnose Alzheimer's disease, but the Alzheimer's Association has developed 10 warning signs and symptoms that may help you decide it's time to consult a physician, including:

- Memory loss that disrupts daily life.
- Challenges in planning and solving problems.
- Difficulty completing familiar tasks.
- Confusion over time or place.
- Trouble understanding visual images or spatial relationships.
- New problems with spoken or written words.
- Misplacing things and not being able to find them by retracing your movements.
- Decreased or poor judgment.
- Withdrawal from others at work or in social situations.
- Changes in mood or personality.

"If a person is having trouble doing something that they routinely did for years or they demonstrate a significant shift in personality that lasts over time - those are warning signs that need to be explored," Drew says. "Too often people dismiss these changes as stress or having too much to do, but when they persist over time, it's best to get it checked out. Ignoring the situation is the worst way of handling it."

To learn more about Alzheimer's disease and to find resources for caregivers, families and people living with the disease, visit www.alz.org, the website of the Alzheimer's Association. •





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If you believe everything happens for a reason you'll appreciate my story. I'm Russell a 5-year-old, male purebred Miniature Schnauzer. If I hadn't been confiscated, along with eight other dogs, due to neglect and taken to an L.A. County shelter, I never would have been rescued. Most of the dogs were adopted but my friend, Corky, and I were such a mess it's no surprise that no one wanted us. I don't think I had ever been groomed in my entire life and my ears were so infected that it hurt to be touched. I was terribly matted and it was extremely difficult to tell which end was which - even my natural tail didn't help much. Is it any wonder that folks were speaking to the wrong end trying to get my attention? At first I was put in the observation building and had no visitors. It wasn't due to aggression, but I

was in so much pain that I was fearful and couldn't stand to be touched. During my neutering the shelter folks did their best at grooming me so I look somewhat presentable. If I hadn't been in the observation building, I might not have been rescued. After being rescued, I immediately went to the Vet to get my ears taken care of. A little sedation to help diagnose the problem and three weeks of treatment - voila I'm feeling great and loving life. I never knew that being petted; receiving and giving affection and interacting with humans could be so wonderful. It's opened a whole new world to this 21-pound guy who is a real sweetheart and now looking for a family to let me love them. It will be worth everything to find my forever home. If you are interested in Russell, please email info@msfr.org for more information.

They call me **Corky** and I'm a 6-year-old, female purebred Miniature Schnauzer. Just like my friend, Russell, I was confiscated with eight other dogs and we all ended up at an L.A. County shelter. Most of the other dogs were adopted but Russell and I were pretty repugnant. In addition to being a stinky, matted mess, my eyes were all crusted over, due to an untreated dry eye condition, and my teeth were so bad that even I didn't want to be around me. The rescue folks, who by the way are very savvy, suspected that I had bladder stones and they were right! One procedure took care of the stones, the neutering and a dental, which resulted in the removal of 15 teeth. Looking





good, feeling even better than I look but I will have to remain on eye drops to keep my eyes clear and on Rx dog food to prevent reoccurring stones. I'm just a bit of a gal, only 12 pounds, but I get along great with other dogs and I'm very affectionate. I'm cute as a button with my natural plume of a tail and I know you'll love having me as part of your family.

If you're interested in Corky, please email info@msfr.org for more information.



Earl

Hi there, my name is **Randy** and for a guy who's only 5 months old, I've had a pretty interesting life. I was born around March 12, but then I was dumped at an L.A. County shelter without any explanation. My previous owners called the next day and wanted me back but then never came to take me home. I think that it probably worked out for the best because it's obvious they really didn't love me. When I was rescued, I was extremely matted, not well socialized and clearly neglected. No wonder I was fearful of people and I sure didn't trust that groomer person with the clippers and scissors. I guess that why I ended up with a "mop top" makeover. Even if it's a bit unconventional, I think I look pretty cute for a tiny, 6 pound, Miniature Schnauzer/Shih Tzu pup. Since moving in with my foster family, I've gotten with the program and have proven that I am a sweet guy at heart who loves giving kisses. I'm still going to require an owner that is dog savvy and without small children to be the best guy I can be. Would you be willing to give me a home and show me that life can be loving and good? If you are interested in Randy, please email info@msfr.org for more information.

Have you ever seen a 2-year-old, 60-pound, male Catahoula mix dog? If you'd like to meet one, just ask for Earl. I was rescued from an L.A. County shelter where they called me a stray but I was just lost. I'm very intelligent and would be a great addition to your family. I have fine leash and car manners, I'm housebroken, crate and doggy-door trained. I aced my leadership-based obedience classes but like many large-breed adolescents, I can be stubborn. I would do best with an "alpha" handler who has experience and time to help me fulfill my potential. In fact, I thought I had found my forever home, but unfortunately I was returned after just a few months. My over-scheduled adopter decided that she did not have time for a young, very active dog who's is a happy, playful and affectionate boy. I absolutely love people of all ages, sizes and genders. If you are interested in meeting Earl, please email Emread@verizon. net for more information. •

Happy Tails

Although we tried for six months to place Ziggy and her sister Stardust together, it just didn't happen. Last month after Stardust was adopted, Ziggy was a bit depressed and missed her sister but lo and behold, Ziggy truly hit the lottery. She now has an 11-year-

Congratulations to Ziggy - the last of old, Maltese Terrier sister named Bella and our "Bowie" trio – and her new family. they look so much alike they could be twins! Her mom has recently retired and spends all day providing attention and a great home for her furry kids in Pasadena. As a further sign that it was meant to be. Mom was also a big David Bowie fan! Wishing everyone a great life of fun and adventures. •



If you see a dog with a YELLOW RIBBON or something yellow on the leash, this is a dog who needs some space. Please do not approach this dog with your dog. Please maintain distance or give this dog and his/her person time to move



There are many reasons why a dog may need space: **HEALTH ISSUES** IN TRAINING BEING REHABILITATED SCARED OR REACTIVE AROUND OTHER DOGS

THANK YOU! Those of us who own these dogs



Ziggy found a new home and sister!





Green Eggs and Ham Cups



Recipe by www.egglandsbest.com., provided by BPT.

Prep time: 10 minutes - Cook time: 15 minutes - Makes 12 cups

Ingredients

- 7 Eggland's Best Eggs (large)
- 1 cup fresh spinach, chopped
- 1/4 cup onions, finely chopped
- 1/2 cup broccoli florets, finely chopped
- 3/4 cups extra lean ham, diced
- Salt, pepper and garlic powder to taste
- Shredded cheese of your choice (optional)

Preparation

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.
- 2. Sauté onions and broccoli over medium heat until soft. Add spinach, ham and continue cooking until spinach is wilted.
- 3. In a mixing bowl, whisk together eggs and seasonings. Add vegetable and ham mixture to eggs.
- 4. Coat 12 muffin cups with nonstick cooking spray and fill each muffin cup with egg/veggie mixture.
- 5. Top with shredded cheese.
- 6. Bake 15-17 minutes or until eggs spring back or toothpick comes out clean.
- 7. Cool on a rack and remove from pan. Enjoy warm or room temperature.

*Egg cups can be rewarmed in the microwave or toaster oven if desired.



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