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Ready to Start the New Season



The Eagles are looking to return to the CIF playoffs led by their captains. From left #1 James Fraelich, #67 Justin Delgado, #44 David Madrid, #18 Jackson Ross, #3 Nick Villa, #13 Scott Melton, #2 Arman Sayson and #77 Gerardo Blanco. Photo by Gregg McMullin.

El Segundo Continues to Step Up Efforts to Address Homelessness

By Brian Simon

A little over a year ago, the El Segundo City Council adopted the community's first plan to address homelessness. Using grant monies from Los Angeles County, the City of El Segundo retained housing consultant Lois Starr to create the plan. Recently, El Segundo Police Lieutenant Dan Kim provided an update of the plan and a report on the latest homeless count.

According to the most recent data, there were 19 homeless individuals within the local community in 2019. However, a separate, independent police count put the total at 15. That goes to show that this is a fluid amount, which El Segundo Councilmember Don Brann referred to as a "snapshot in time." And while less than 20 homeless people in an entire town doesn't seem like very much, new El Segundo City Manager Scott Mitnick warned against complacency. He cited the case of Yuba City (where he worked in the late 1990s) and reported a substantial rise in homelessness there during his tenure. "It consumed our time," he said of the attention to the problem. Mitnick spoke of the need to take preemptive measures to "stay ahead of the curve" or else the numbers could "flip overnight" and grow exponentially -- even in El Segundo.

A look at El Segundo's homeless statistics over the past four years indicates no significant spikes that would spur panic. The counts ran 20 people in 2016, 25 in 2017 and 14 in 2018 before the 19 reported in 2019. But the overall homeless problem in Los Angeles County had reached enough of an epidemic proportion to spur voters to approve a \$1.2 billion bond to build housing. With that in mind, El Segundo's strategy in tackling its own home-

less demographic is to identify what the City can do, what resources are available and what resources will still be needed.

The local plan features seven goals. The first is to ensure resident safety and wellbeing by supporting the police and fire departments as well as City staff in responding appropriately, safely and effectively to persons experiencing homelessness in El Segundo. The second is to help residents and businesses respond safely and effectively to individuals who are homeless here.

The third goal entails sharing responsibility for addressing homelessness with neighboring cities in order to expand permanent solutions to homelessness. That, Kim noted, involves getting homeless people off the streets and into shelters. While there has been some success in that area, it's not at all an easy thing to accomplish. "There are a number of people we do get off the streets," Kim said, pointing out that his department helped 14 individuals do just that and in the process made a positive impact on those lives. But he also added a disclaimer. "Many more we approached didn't want our help." Among the primary reasons for declining assistance, the individuals in question simply don't trust the police or government in general. It could take numerous attempts at direct contact and lengthy periods of time to develop enough of a rapport where someone finally agrees to accept the help.

The fourth goal of the plan is to support faith groups to effectively help individuals experiencing homelessness in town. On a related note, the fifth goal looks to reduce homelessness among El Segundo residents. One key way is to recognize when a person

or family is teetering on the edge of becoming homeless. One local church established a food drive to help El Segundo residents on the verge of homelessness. Citizens in town can make a difference by contributing to that cause. Another newer approach discussed is to engage school resource officers and teachers to be on the lookout for students who may be homeless when the latter might otherwise go undetected.

The sixth goal is to improve City responses to homelessness by obtaining additional resources to address the issue in El Segundo and creating efficiencies in the use of current resources. The final goal is to support the availability of regional housing opportunities in the South Bay for populations at risk of homelessness. But, as Kim reminded, "finding housing is difficult."

In El Segundo, local police recently implemented a beach patrol detail to address homeless beach camping. The project includes utilization of more sand-accessible vehicles that can get closer to those living along the shore.

When attempting to communicate with homeless individuals, the main objective is to get them off the streets or the beach and into safe shelter. El Segundo Mayor Pro Tem Carol Pirsztuk emphasized that putting forth the right messaging is absolutely key, with a clear-cut statement that the ultimate goal is to help these people –not to arrest them. As part of the ongoing effort, the police department staffs two dedicated officers for homeless outreach efforts. El Segundo also continues to collaborate with surrounding jurisdictions to address homelessness and additionally utilizes the services of a clinician from the Department

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Obituaries

Arlene Janet Baxter

Arlene Janet Baxter was born Arlene Janet Weesner in Newton Kansas on September 3, 1931 and went to be with our Lord on August 21, 2019 surrounded by her loving family.

Arlene grew up in Newton Kansas and worked at the phone company in her early years, eventually meeting and marrying John Wayne Baxter from Bentley Kansas on December 5, 1957.

John worked for Continental airlines and his job took them to California and Texas over several years until they settled in El Segundo California in 1968. This is where they raised their three children Joseph Wayne,



David Allan and Jennifer Lynn. Arlene had lived in El Segundo for 47 years and enjoyed the small town atmosphere. She was a long time member of the United Methodist Church in El Segundo and was active in several church groups.

Arlene is survived by three children Joseph (Beverly), David (Theresa) and Jennifer (Dave). Six grandchildren

Jason, Matthew, James, Kathleen, Michelle, Jeff and Kaitlyn. Four great grandchildren Ollie, Haley, Max and Ace. We ask that in lieu of flowers a donation be made to the Alzheimer's Research Foundation. •

Eddy Francis Landrum

Eddy Francis Landrum, age 73 of Pennsboro, WV, formerly of El Segundo, California, departed this life on Saturday, August 24, 2019 at his residence. He was born on May 23, 1946 in Rainelle, WV a son of the late Leslie Ladura and Margaret Ruth Landrum. Eddy had worked as a mechanic for the City of Torrance, California. He was a veteran of the United States Army, member of the Pennsboro United Methodist Church. He enjoyed his pets, gardening and canning, reading, a history buff, photography, working on things, wood working and an avid Los Angeles Angels Baseball fan.

He is survived by his wife Norma C. Landrum; sons, Derek T. Landrum, Palmdale, CA and Erik T. Landrum, Pennsboro, WV; step-daughters, Jessica Cox (Jacob), Ellenboro, WV and Ashley Richmond (Jacob),

Pennsboro, WV; grandchildren, Amelia Cox, Lilah Cox, Jesse Monzon, Mitchell Norris, Adrian Landrum and Christian Landrum; very special Uncle, Dr. Fred Landrum (Sity) and many special cousins and his beloved dogs, Rusty, Toby and Benny. In addition to his parents, Eddy was preceded in death by a son, Chad Eric Landrum; sister, Mary Morgan; brother, John Landrum.

Funeral services will be held at 11 A.M., on Friday, August 30, 2019 at the Mc-Cullough Rogers Funeral Home, Pennsboro, WV with the Rev. William Durst and Rev. Ethan Rapking officiating. Burial will be at the convenience of the family. Friends may call at the funeral home on Thursday, August 29, 2019, from 4 PM until 8 PM. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.mcculloughraiguel.com. •

Calendar of Events

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

THURSDAY, AUG 29

- El Segundo Certified Farmer's Market, 3:00
 PM. 7:00 PM., located on Main Street,
 Downtown El Segundo.
- Back to School Movie Screening, 3:00 PM. 5:00 PM., Come on in and watch a movie after school, not suitable for children under 8, El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., Call for more info: 310-524-2726.

FRIDAY, AUG 30

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

SATURDAY, AUG 31

 Saturday Night Dance, 7:00 PM. – 9:45
 PM., Cost: \$5.00 Per Person, Adults of all Ages Welcome, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call: 310-524-2705.

SUNDAY, SEPT 1

 Bridge & Pinochle Groups, 11:30 AM. – 3:45 PM, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.

MONDAY, SEPT 2

- HAPPY LABOR DAY!!!, No School for ESUSD Students
- El Segundo Public Library CLOSED... due to the Holiday.
- Canasta Group, 11:30 AM. 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, Free, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.

TUESDAY, SEPT 3

- Pinochle, 11:30 AM. 3:30 PM., Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.
- Aging Mastery: Advance Planning and Healthy Relationships, 11:00 AM. – 1:00 PM., Registration is required for this event, El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., Call: 310-527-2728.
- City Council Meeting, 6:00 PM., City Hall, 350 Main Street, Call: 310-524-2306.

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Letters

Butterfly Benefactor

The El Segundo High School Class of 1967 would like to thank the Blue Butterfly for their generous donation of coffee for our 70th Birthday Celebration that was held at the Old Town Patio on August 17.

– April Gimlen, ESHS Class of '67 Reunion Committee

Veterans

El Segundo Cares thanks the community

for all of the generous veteran donations. We have been able every other week to deliver a car load of donations to the Long Beach homeless vet's facility items have been infant clothing to wheelchairs, all gratefully received.

Our next visit to the Wilshire hospital is August 23. We need two things, wheelchair lap robes and volunteers. Please contact me, if you can help. Thank you. Jan Cruikshank, 310 322-2809

- Janice Cruikshank •

El Camino Doubles Down on Promise to Make College Affordable

By Rob McCarthy

El Camino College made a promise five years ago that it would show recent high school graduates the money if they put in the work. And the Torrance campus is doubling down on that offer this fall to pick up the tuition costs for two years for 800 incoming freshmen.

The tuition-free deal offered through the South Bay Promise attracted 2,000 young adults, many of them who are the first ones in their families to attend college. The promise is a locally funded endowment that offers an affordable pathway directly from high school to college for students in the El Camino Community College District. It opened enrollment for the current fall semester with a stretch goal of attracting 700 applications. It got 2,000.

The college's president Dena Maloney describes the program, and the tremendous growth in the number of applications for 2019-20, as an investment in young people. The promise originally was aimed at South Bay high school graduates, however, this year that restriction was removed to include anyone who earned a diploma from an accredited California high school.

"Our promise to students is to invest in their education," Maloney said. "We are investing in them." The South Bay Promise does more than offer young adults a helping hand with their enrollment fees, she added. At its core, the promise this fall will assist the 2,000 participants to complete their educational goals and plug in at El Camino College.

Data tracking the college choices of South Bay graduating seniors points to the local two-year campuses as a training ground for students moving on to college. South Bay graduates have a plethora of choices when it comes to picking a community college, too. The nearby campuses include Los Angeles Southwest College, West Los Angeles College, Santa Monica College and L.A. Trade Tech. El Camino also runs a satellite campus in Compton. In-state tuition, excluding housing costs and student fees, was about \$1,100, according to the 2017-18 data at the web site called college simply.

That year, El Camino College had 7,834 students enrolled full time basis and 16,515 attended part time. The cost to attend Los Angeles Southwest College, close to Inglewood, was a bit higher at \$1,220, which included a small student fee.

The South Bay Promise this fall dropped the South Bay graduation requirement to be eligible for the tuition and academic assistance. Now, all first-time, full-time college students regardless of school district who meet the eligibility guidelines and attend El Camino College directly after their senior year can take up ECC on its promise. Plus, ECC students have access to counseling and support services as they work to transfer to a university or pursue a rewarding career.

The application for the Fall 2020 South Bay Promise will be available on November 1. Before applying, a high school senior who's on track to graduate either this winter or next spring must complete the El Camino College admission application. Don't worry about the fund running out of money. Every eligible freshman was accepted and funded this fall.

The college credits the exponential growth of the tuition and counseling assistance package to an outreach El Camino started to middle and high schools in the South Bay. More participants in the South Bay Promise means more support programs were in place for the start of the fall semester, too. These are critical "to ensure that all students are part of a group they can turn to for help when needed," ECC explained.

The college is proud of the fact that nearly 80 percent of participants reported being first-generation college students, whose parents did not graduate from a four-year college or university. El Camino College says it is focused on responding to and supporting the fast-growing first-generation college student population on campus so they know that ECC is a place where they belong and where they can succeed. Support activities and events are planned for the fall, including a "First-Gen Awareness Week,"

Financial aid literacy is a focus of the promise. and the freshmen who qualified attended summer workshops to learn how to navigate the financial aspect of their educations. ECC made scholarship money available, too, to those with greater financial needs, it said. The additional aid can be spent on student fees, textbooks and other expenses directly connected with campus life. The fall semester at El Camino began on Aug. 24.

Current high school seniors and their families may apply for the 2020-21 South Bay Promise starting later this fall. The cutoff deadline for applications is April 30, 2020. •

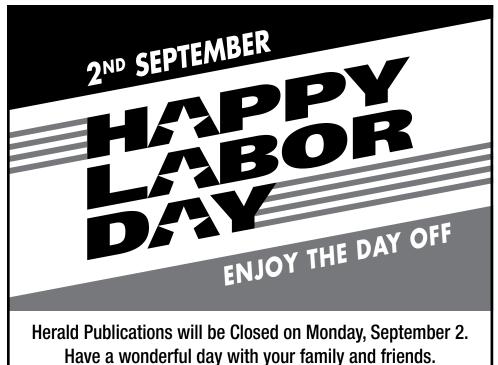
Community Briefs

New City Manager Has Meet and Greet



New El Segundo City Manager Scott Mitnick held a meet and greet with members of the city's committees, commissions and boards, along with local businesses leaders, at Slice & Pint on Grand Avenue in downtown El Segundo on Monday, Aug. 12.

- Photo: City of ES •



School



Spotlight

Sports

Eagles Look to Rebound This Season

By Gregg McMullin

The El Segundo football team missed out on advancing to the CIF Southern Section playoffs last season after a 5-5 finish. It marked the first time in eight seasons the Eagles missed out on playing in the playoffs. Head coach Steve Shevlin, starting his 26th season, believes the Eagles will be in contention to return to the playoffs despite being in one of the South Bay's toughest leagues. Culver City is the top ranked team in the CIS-SS Division 5, Lawndale is ranked third in Division 3 and Santa Monica is ranked fourth. Besides a challenging Ocean League schedule the Eagles will have face Peninsula ranked seventh in Division 10, North Torrance sixth in Division 9 and Mira Costa, which is a perennial powerhouse.

Coach Shevlin, with 153 career wins, is second behind Mira Costa head coach Don Morrow for most wins in the South Bay. He says the success he's had can be traced to the assistant coaches that have been part of the program over the years. This season there has been a lot of changeover with the coaching staff. Defensive coordinator Dan Heck, DB coach Tyler Murray, OL coach Jeramie Stewart, DB/OLB coach Nick Kessler have decided to step down after years of dedication to the program. The transition has been very smooth and the continuity of the program hasn't missed a beat according the Shevlin.

Coach Heck has retired after a stellar 10 year career as the Eagles Defensive Coordinator. Long time veteran coach Mike Wagner will be take over the defense. Shawn Green has been promoted to associate head coach for the Eagles. Coach Green brings his 19 years of experience as a head coach and assistant coach at the lower levels. Shaun Kemp returns as an assistant coach with the OL/ DL for the Eagles while first year assistant Marco Bowers will handle defensive backs. Paul Keiser returns to the Varsity level after serving as the co- defensive coordinator on the freshman level the last four years will serve as the defensive line coach. Long time assistants Jason Parker will handle RB/LB, Jeff Puffer and Joey Bolder the defensive line return. Darin Glotz will be the frosh/soph head coach while Makanna McCarty will assist as the frosh/soph defensive coordinator.

The Offense Key Returnees

WR- Scott Melton - 6'2"/180 Sr., WR-James Pearson 6'2"/170 Jr.; WR/RB - James Fraelich 5'9"/ 165 Sr.,;FB/RB - Arman Sayson 5'9"/200 Sr. All- Ocean League RB; OL-Justin Delgado - 5'11"/260 Sr. All-Ocean League; OL- Adrian Wexler - 6'2/225 Jr.; OL - Alex Everard 5"11/210 and OL - Gerardo Blanco - 6'2"/260 Sr.; and OL - Ben Villa - 5'11/180 Jr.

Newcomers

Connor Hochberg 5'9"/165, Matt Higginbotham 5'11"/180; Aiden Pagel 6'0"/260, Wyatt Coulter- 6'1"/185; Duke Sanders 5'11"/185; Cody Simmons 5'11/180; Sam Pachuta 6'1"/170; Mason Kahn 5'11/165; Conrad Bernstein 5'11"/165; and Jack Stoker 5"10"/160

The offense returns All-Ocean League running back Arman Sayson who averaged 6.3 yards per carry and scored nine touchdowns. With the loss of two-year starting quarterback, Matt Romero, to graduation Nick Villa moves from his All-Ocean League cornerback position into the starting role under center. With his speed, arm and athleticism Villa is a natural to lead the Eagles. The offense returns a lot of experience including Scott Melton, James Fraelich, Julian Rodriguez, and James Pearson. According to Coach Shevlin each has had an outstanding summer camp and should help ignite the offense. Kyle Myers, Matt Kusserow and Cody Simmons could also see plenty of action. The offensive line has four starters returning including All Ocean League three year starter Justin Delgado. Others include Gerardo Blanco, Adrian Wexler, and Alex Everard and parttime starter Ben Villa. Depth won't be an issue with three talented sophomores Damian Garcia, Aiden Pagel, and Matt Higginbotham ready for action.

The Defense Key Returnees

DT- Luis Beas – Sr. 5'11"/180; DE- Jose Hurtado - Sr. 5"10"/170; LB - Jackson Ross Sr. 5'11"/180 All Ocean League; LB - David Madrid Sr. 5'11"/180; LB- Julian Rodriguez Jr. 6'1"/185; CB - Kyle Myers - Sr. 5'10"/160; and FS- James Fraelich, SS- Scott Melton

Others to Watch

Ray Silva - Sr. LB 5'9"/170, Kahlel Flores-Cummings –Jr. LB 5'10"/175,;Justin Gil -Jr.- LB 5'10"/170, Duce Spivey- Soph 5'9" 165 CB/F; and Higginbotham LB, Sayson LB, Pearson DE, Pagel DT, Sanders DT, Nick Villa- FS/CB

Defensively, the team returns a core from last season led by linebackers including All-Ocean League Jackson Ross, Julian Rodriguez and David Madrid. All Ocean League defensive back Nick Villa has moved to QB but could play some free safety. Also returning is defensive back Kyle Myers who had an outstanding summer in passing league competition. The question mark of the defense could be the line. Adrian Wexler will start at DE besides playing on the offensive line. Luis Beas was outstanding a season ago and will be one of the defensive unit's leaders. Other key contributors will be seniors Don Robinson, and Jose Hurtado as well as juniors Wyatt Coulter and James Pearson.

Overall the outlook is bright for the Eagles entering the season. The Eagles have a challenging non league schedule opening up on the road with Peninsula (CIF Finalists last year) on Friday at 3 p.m.; at home on September 6 against North Torrance (Semi Finalist last season); at Mira Costa (Quarter Finalist) on September 13; at an improved Torrance on September 20; and at home on September 27 against South Torrance; all games at 7 p.m. unless otherwise indicated.

Long Over Due

This will be the last season the El Segundo high school athletic program will compete in the Ocean League. Starting the fall of 2020 the Eagles will return to the Pioneer League where they belong. The Eagles will face Torrance, West Torrance, North Torrance, South Torrance and Lawndale in the revamped Pioneer League.

Kelsey Cummings Wins Pier to Pier

Former Eagle standout Kelsey Cummings repeated as the first woman finisher in the International Surf Festival Dwight Crum Pier to Pier swim. Her time of 38:27 was good for seventh best out of 1,023 finishers. Cummings led the Eagles to a 2008 CIF-SS Division III title. •

"Football is fantastic because you can live great emotion through a big competition." - Hugo Lloris

ESUSD El Segundo School Board Approves

Joint Agreement with the City

Tuesday evening, the night before classroom sessions resumed in the El Segundo Unified School District (ESUSD) for the 2019/20 school year, School Board members approved a joint agreement with the City of El Segundo for the use and payment for of the parking lot property at Richmond Street School (RSS).

The agreement stipulates that the City will pay 70% for the construction of the parking lot, around \$307,206, and the District will chip in the remaining 30%, in the area of \$131,660. Similar percentages were agreed upon when the City and the District entered a joint agreement in 2018 to repair the aging Urho Saari Swim Stadium, know locally as

The City Council gave their approval to the joint agreement with the District at their meeting of Aug. 20.

While there were five special presentations on the Tuesday evening agenda, four were relatively brief. The oath of office was administered to new student representative to the Board Ella Tichy, who then gave her first report. New school resource officer Stephanie Martinez was next introduced to the Board by El Segundo Police Department Lieutenant Dan Kim, who also "re-introduced" school resource officer Joe Cameron to the current configuration of the Board.

El Segundo Education Foundation (Ed!) CEO Carol Pirsztuk then gave her monthly report, highlighting upcoming foundation fundraisers and events as Ed! gears up to try to exceed their fundraising goals (\$1.8 million) for the school year. The final, lengthier presentation was helmed by Dr. Dylan Farris, the District's Executive Director of Human Resources. He introduced a proposal to the Board that has the ESUSD entering into a short- term agreement with Alder University for the development of a teacher residency program that will support Alder students as they work towards a Master's Degree and teaching credential during the 2020/21 school year. The ESUSD will partner with four District's in the ambitious program, including Da Vinci Schools, Environmental Charter, WISH Charter, and ICEF.

Prior to speaking about the Alder opportunity, Farris noted how the ESUSD had a "record number of new teacher-hires" for the 2019/20 school year.

The Board next tackled consent agenda items, including the approval of the annual Outdoor Science School contract, which sixth graders at the Middle School are able to participate See ESUSD, page 6

WUSD

Wiseburn School Board Meets Briefly, **Looks Forward to the New School Year**

By Duane Plank

Time flies when you are having fun, it is said, and time has definitely flown for the younger students in the Wiseburn Unified School District (WUSD), who went back to the classrooms two days ago, many gearedout with the pre-requisite new and stylish back-to-school attire.

For the long-time members of the WUSD School Board, last Thursday evening's very short meeting (30-minutes), was probably a welcome detour from the anticipated longer meetings as the Board meets typically twice monthly in regular session to guide the path of the WUSD in 2019/20.

With no special presentations on the agenda last Thursday evening, the assembled Board members gave very brief reports, with Vice president/Clerk Roger Banuelos noting how he was "really looking forward to the new school year," but noting how his children were "not so much" looking forward to spending their days in the classroom. Banuelos referenced "a lot of excitement" in the start of the school year and shared the past successes of the District's robotics team, and how they will be hosting a regional competition in the District in 2020.

Board President JoAnne Kaneda acknowledged the recent change in administrative positions in the District, with two new principals taking over since the conclusion of the 2018/19 school year. She called it a "huge effort" to identify and qualify new personnel and thanked all who have worked to make that happen. "You have done a wonderful job through a time of huge change," she said. She also noted how she "loves walking the community" and hearing the calm and optimistic vibes "about living and schooling in Wiseburn."

Chief Financial Officer Dave Wilson then spoke, thanking all the team members who have pitched in over the short summer to make sure that there is a seamless transition

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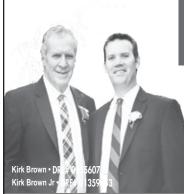
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in; an agreement with the Long Beach City College District Tomorrow's Teacher Preparation program, which will allow Long Beach students to gain valuable fieldwork activities inside ESUSD classrooms, observing and providing assistance to the classroom teacher.

Also passed during the consent portion of the 90-minute meeting: a consultant agreement with Jamie Douraghy for a workshop that will take place on Nov. 1, and is slated to help High School educators to "identify and articulate core beliefs as educators to create clarity, define purpose, and form a more unified culture." Other agreements ratified ran the gamut from an agreement to provide the District with an actuarial study of District retiree health benefits, to the reupping of a contract with American Pest Services to provide monthly pest control services.

After Board clerk Tracey Miller-Zarnecke accepted gifts to the District, the Board next plunged into the action item portion of the first regularly scheduled meeting since July 9. The joint agreement with the City regarding the RSS parking lot was ratified, as was the agreement with Alder, and a deal that will partner the District with Mattel, Inc., to provide what is termed the "Barbie Dream Gap Project Curriculum." RSS has been selected as a Project test site. The project helps to address issues that research has uncovered that many girls, starting as early as five, start to develop "limiting beliefs," including believing that they are not as smart as boys; they tend to shy-away from leadership opportunities; and many begin to doubt that they can do or be anything that they put their mind to.

The Board also approved a growing list of qualified architectural firms that have been selected to provide their services to the District as the ESUSD continues implementing its Long-Range Facilities Master Plan (LRFMP).

Board President Nancy Cobb, in an email sent prior to the meeting, touted the District's new motto, "Transforming Education for a Changing World," citing what she called examples of this transformation, including expanding course offerings, and teaching approaches that focus on more personalized learning. She noted the new teaching stations that teachers were able to take advantage of on Wednesday, as well as the access to ramped-up technology in-and-out of the classroom. She mentioned that, thanks to the proceeds from the sale of the old Imperial school site, and the passing of bond Measure ES, many of the facility upgrade projects delineated in the (LRFMP) have either been implemented, are under construction, or are on the front-burner as the District kicks-off a new school year.

The only information pending action item on the agenda involved the teaming of the District with the El Camino Community College to develop seamless pathways from high school to community college for students interested in furthering their career technical education

The next regularly scheduled Board meeting is set for Tuesday evening, Sept. 10. •



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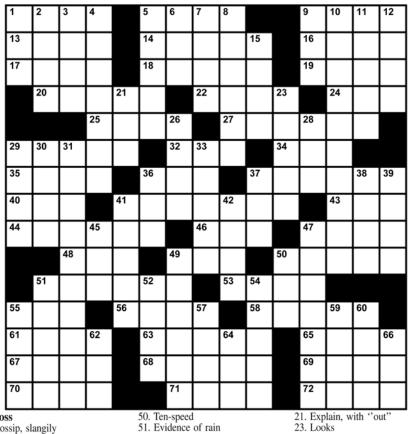
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WEEKLY CROSSWORD

See Answers Next Week



Across
1. Gossip, slangily

Deuces

9. Last slice of loaf Just lying around

Dressing

16. What is more

17. Coarsely-ground corn 18. Member of a cast of

thousands

19. Confusion I-pod maker

22. Painter's medium

24. Siamese 25. Part of SSE

27. A lot29. Like koalas

32. Duty

34. Tuner's talent

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40. Part of T.G.I.F.

 Election data 43. Country partially within the Arctic Circle, abbr.

46. Daylight source

48. Fanciful story

49. Fountain

47. Money accumulation

6. Car wash option Not duped by 8. Actor's "homework"

Prelude to a duel

53. Clothing 55. Belfry dweller 56. FedEx, e.g. 58. Wonderful

61. Where India is

and groan

68. Sweet, sticky stuff, alternative

63. Frightening

spelling 69. Wild about

70. Transmitted

72. Home paper

. Slow-witted

Inspiration

Assistants

Grove view

Down

71. Gave temporarily

65. 67. Break

It's often cured 10. Like some music

Test format, perhaps

Needing directions

15. Entrance way

54. "Cleopatra" setting 55. Low voice 57. Truth alternative 59. Opposite of "all" Take out

51. Wallop

62. Disposed

26. Word with "imagine" or

dust shalt thou

"fancy" 28. Doze

return"

38. On a

29. Baking sheet

33. Cause to smile

36. Cardinal color

37. Wayside lodge

39. Kind of diagram

47. Infamous type of scheme

49. Eyebrow touch-up stick

41. Swamp growth

50. Compact, e.g.

52. With a discount of

Crosspiece 45. Tease

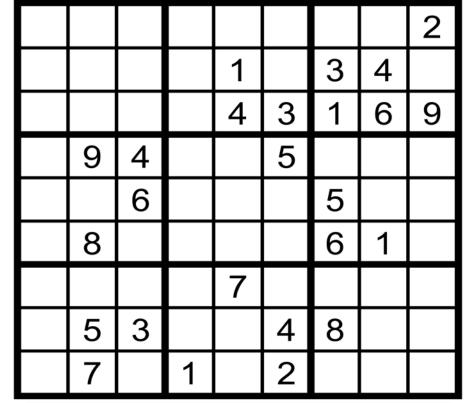
31. New Year's decision

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Last Week's Answers

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SUDOKU Medium



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

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to 2019/20. Dr. Mary Ring touted the recent efforts of the Counseling Care team, which recently held meet-and-greet events at three school sites. Ring also mentioned the "onboarding activities" for District new hires that have helped prepare them for the new school year. President Kaneda interjected, mentioning how

the District is "not just replacing people who left," but seeing the creation and opportunities of new positions in the District, citing the opportunity for upward mobility in the District for educators and District personnel.

Superintendent Dr. Blake Silvers then spoke to the Board, noting the upcoming District kickoff address was to be made by guest speaker Dr. Luis Cruz, a well-respected motivational speaker. Cruz was to speak about the importance of data-informed decision-making, and the necessity of collaboration as school District's attempt to make to take a more holistic view on learning opportunities.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019205570

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as COVETED WEB DESIGN, 2851 WEST 120TH STREET, SUITE E #506, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): LYNNETTE A. CANADA, 3500 WEST MANCHESTER BLVD UNIT 198. is being conducted by an Individual business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 07/2019. Signed: LYNNETTE A. CANADA, Signed: LYNNETTE A. CANADA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on July 26, 2019.

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Hawthorne Press Tribune 8/15, 8/22, 8/29/19 HH-2023

Fictitious Business

Name Statement

2019222212

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) $1^{\rm ST}$ CLASS MARTIAL ARTS, 17240 HAWTHORNE BLVD.,

TORRANCE, CA, 90504, 2) FIRST CLASS MARTIAL ARTS, P.O. BOX 26,

TORRANCE, CA 90507, LOS ANGELES

COUNTY. AI #ON: 842688690. Registered Owner(s): SOUTH BAY DYNAMIC'S.

LLC. 3505 EL CAMINO REAL. PALO

ALTO, CA 94306. 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: 08/2019

CALVIN WANG, SECRETARY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on

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Business and Professions Code)

August 15, 2019.

El Segundo Herald:

ed: SOUTH BAY DYNAMIC'S LLC

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019210539

The following person(s) is (are) doing BRIGHT HORIZONS COUNSELING SERVICES, 1) HAWTHORNE BLVD. #3, HAWTHORNE. CA 90250, 2) 14123 JEFFERSON AVE HAWTHORNE, CA 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): BLESSY M. GIRON FRANCO, 14123 JEFFERSON AVE., HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 07/2019. Signed: BLESSY M. GIRON FRANCO, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles

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Fictitious Business

Name Statement

The following person(s) is (are) doing

business as PAINTING BY OLEA, 4538 W 159TH ST, LAWNDALE, CA 90260,

LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered

Owner(s): CESAR CRISTHYAN OLEA, 4538 W 159TH ST, LAWNDALE, CA 90260.

This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced

to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on:

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Owner This statement was filed with the

County Recorder of Los Angeles County

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Lawndale Tribune:

9/5, 9/12/19

2019211960 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

Current File #2016040253

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: HOLLY PARK FISH MARKET, 1041 S PRAIRIE AVE SUITE #13. INGLEWOOD CA 90301. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in the County of Los Angeles on FEBRUARY 19, 2016 Registrants: A & R FAMILY, INC., 1041 S. PRAIRIE AVE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90301. This business was conducted by a RICARDO VALENZUELA, President. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 2,

INGLEWOOD DAILY NEWS: Pub. 8/15,







Fictitious Business Name Statement

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SAGA ARCHITECTURE, 233 CALIFORNIA STREET, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): FRANK GLYNN ARCHITECT PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION, 233 CALIFORNIA STREET, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 02/2006. Signed: FRANK GLYNN ARCHITECT PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION, FRANK CHRISTOPHER GLYNN, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles

County on August 1, 2019. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on August 1, 2024. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to August 1, 2024. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal. State. or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2019215036

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) DOUBLETREE BY HILTON HOTEL LAX – EL SEGUNDO, 2) DOUBLETREE BY HILTON LAX – EL SEGUNDO, 3) DOUBLETREE BY HILTON EL SEGUNDO. 4) DOUBLETREE BY HILTON LAX, 1985 E. GRAND AVENUE, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245 201705910385. Registered Owner(s) UHG LAX PROP, LLC., 62 WILD OAK PLACE, DANVILLE, CA 94506. 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: 07/2017. Signed: UHG LAX PROP, LLC., TIMOTHY WAGNER, Manager. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on August 7, 2019.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LITTLE PEST ELIMINATION, 4327 WEST 142ND STREET UNIT C, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250, LOS ANGELES Registered PATRICIA LITTLE, 4237 WEST 142N STREET C, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 08/2019. Signed: PATRICIA LITTLE, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County

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In his presentation, Cruz was slated to share anecdotes, and inspiring stories about the importance of the work educators do to motivate District learners.

Dr. Silvers, in his comments last Thursday evening, spoke about the District's plan to meet the need of all WUSD students. Earlier this week, at back-to-school kickoff activities, Silvers referenced that he was excited to see the "bustle of our schools, echoing the sounds of happy students, encouraged parents, and our amazing staff," noting that "we have worked hard to make these transitions just a little bit easier."

In his beginning-of-the-school-year speech, Silvers thanked the input from the new leadership team, the Guiding Coalition, to help address the needs of all District students. He said that the Wiseburn staff is "compassionate, caring, kind, and inclusive, which makes for a solid foundation to begin our work this year."

Agenda items OK'd by the Board last Thursday included multiple personnel items including the ratifying of a new assistant principal, Jennifer Williams, who will be tasked to do double-duty as the assistant principal at both Burnett and Cabrillo.

Williams has worked in the WUSD for 15 years, teaching first grade at Cabrillo, and working as a Cotsen mentor and Mathematics Teacher on Special Assignment (TOSA). She is eagerly anticipating her new assignment in the WUSD. "I am so excited to begin this journey into the role off assistant principal for both Burnett and Cabrillo," she said. "I am looking forward to working with both the principals and teachers to continue to pursue my passion in creating a positive and successful learning experience for the students."

Prior to the meeting, Silvers stressed how the WUSD is always attempting to meet the needs of all students and is continuing to steadfastly work to bolster campus security, with the possible implementation of a District-wide ID card.

Other personnel items addressed included the retirement of 24-year employee and teacher Michael Spiwak, which Silvers said was a great loss to the WUSD community, and the re-assignment of Kim Jones to the post of administrator on special assignment, and the naming of the new Dana School Secretary, Sarah Moulton.

Upcoming District events include multiple school-site open houses, with the next School Board meeting set for Thursday, Sept. 12. •

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NOTICE OF ORDINANCE CITY OF EL SEGUNDO **ORDINANCE 1581**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT
BETWEEN THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL SEGUNDO AND THE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE CALIFORNIA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

SUMMARY OF ADOPTED ORDINANCE This ordinance adopts an amendment to the existing contract between the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees' Retirement System and the City Council of the City of El Segundo. The amendment reflects the change in labor agreements negotiated and signed by and between the City and the El Segundo Police Officers Association (POA) and Firefighter Association (FFA), amending the "employees sharing additional cost" allowed by Government Code section 20516, to 3% for classic local police officers of the POA and 3% for classic local fire members in the FFA. The whole number of the City Council of said City is five. The foregoing Ordinance No. 1581 was duly introduced by said City Council at a regular meeting held on the 19th day of February, 2019, and was duly passed and adopted by said City Council, approved and signed by the mayor, and attested to by the City Clerk, all at a regular meeting of said Council on the 4th day of June, 2019, and the same was so passed and adopted by the following vote

Mayor Boyles, Mayor Pro Ayes: Tem Pirsztuk, Council Member Brann, Council Member Pimentel and Council Member Nicol

Noes: None Absent: None Abstain: None

A copy of the ordinance is available for viewing in the City Clerk's office, 350 Main St. El Segundo. CA or the Citv's website at http://www.elsegundo.org then go to Available Documents

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NOTICE OF URGENCY ORDINANCE CITY OF EL SEGUNDO **ORDINANCE 1585**

AN URGENCY ORDINANCE ADOPTED INACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT CODE §36937(B) APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL SEGUNDO AND THE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE CALIFORNIA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM

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The whole number of the City Council of said City is five. The foregoing Ordinance No. 1585 was duly passed, approved and adopted by said City Council, approved and signed by the mayor, and attested to by the City Clerk, all at a special meeting of said Council on the 4th day of June 2019, and the same was so passed and adopted by the following vote:

Aves: Mayor Boyles, Mayor Pro Tem Pirsztuk, Council Member Brann, Council Member Pimentel and Council Member Nicol

Absent: None Abstain: None

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PUBLIC NOTICES

City of El Segundo

The PLANNING COMMISSION will hold a public hearing on:

Public Hearing Notice



3-Unit Condo Subdivision

Project Description: The applicant is requesting approval to construct three residential condominium units with one at-grade garage and a semi-subterranean parking level. In addition to the subdivision, the project includes an Adjustment to allow two semi-subterranean two-car garages to have an interior width of 19'6" rather than the required 20'0"; and to allow the driveway to have a width of 11'3" rather than the required 12'0".

Applicant:

Hearing:

Lyle Maul on behalf of Villas on Sierra, LLC

Thursday, September 12, 2019, 5:30pm City Council Chambers

350 Main Street, El Segundo, CA 90245

Environmental Determination: The proposed project is categorically exempt from additional CEQA analysis pursuant to CEQA Guidelines § 15303 exemption (New Construction) and §15032 exemption (Infill Development).

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

Gregg McClain Planning Manager

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Summer Time was so much fun...now back to school means we are on the run...Remember to always have fun and don't take life too seriously! - Mom



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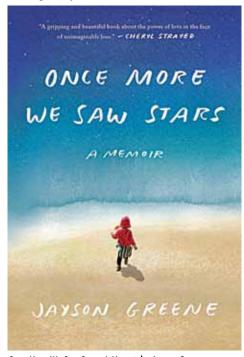


Check It Out

Once More We Saw Stars: A Memoir by Jayson Greene

By Roz Templin, Library Assistant, El Segundo Public Library

There is a terrible beauty in the grief-stricken words of Jayson Greene as he describes the accident that killed his daughter. In this searing story, the author rewinds time and



Once More We Saw Stars: A Memoir by Jayson Greene

describes in affecting prose what happened to two- year-old Greta during a visit to her grandmother one afternoon in New York City. He and his wife Stacy rush to the hospital and discover that Greta's injury is so severe that she will never wake up. Jayson revisits the unimaginable and recounts their last hours with their tiny daughter, shared with both the loving assistance and also, seemingly heartless treatment they receive from medical staff.

This is not just a tale of misery and woe, however. There are touching memories of Greta in anecdotes of her short time on this Earth: Jayson singing "Between the Bars," a song by Elliott Smith, to Greta every night. The way Greta would pat his shoulder & say" It's OK, Daddy" when he felt frustrated or tired. Greta's "milk drunk" expression. As a reader (or listener, as I experienced the library's book on CD format), it is easy to smile but also easy to flinch from these memories.

Jayson and Stacy's travels through circuitous pathways of anguish lead them to several methods of dealing with their loss. They attend a retreat seminar led by an author, a yoga teacher and a medium named Maureen. It is the portion devoted to Maureen that captivates me: Maureen "works" the room with a microphone, somewhat like a standup comedian, pacing the room and spouting rapid-fire stories. She explains that she is coaxing her audience to laugh, cry, "...those activities help bring our energies up, and that helps me tune in to you." No matter how you might feel about "ghost whisperers", it's difficult not to buy in a bit here. There is much more impact when you listen to the book on CD to Jayson's description of fellow attendee Peter and Maureen's disclosures about his recently deceased brother. Cold reading? Perhaps. There might be a shiver when Jayson and Stacy get their own "message" from Greta.

The reader is carried along as Jayson and Stacy navigate grief groups and their families, friends and strangers as they seek to find balance and healing. And there is the Golden Willow Retreat: a place built by a grief-stricken man who lost his entire family in a succession of sad twists of fate. It is a "resting place for those in deep grief." It is here that our valiant couple participate in healing ceremonies administered by "Jim," a counselor schooled in indigenous shamanic rituals. Finding themselves pregnant again, Jayson and Stacy find a bridge to Greta and the new life they carry, Harrison.

This is a book that will stay with you for some time after you read/listen to it. You will share in its humanity, cry in its sorrow, and feel righteous anger for a mother and father forced to continue on when their family's light has been extinguished. And you will share their hope for a future that honors the past without dwelling in it.

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Roz Templin

Homelessness

of Mental Health to assist in helping those who are homeless and/or suffering a mental crisis.

Regionally, El Segundo is part of Service Planning Area (SPA) 8 –a coordinated entry system (CES) for youth, individuals and families experiencing homelessness. The CES brings together existing regional programs under one umbrella to access the best resources that can meet their needs. The network includes street outreach, crisis housing and individual support.

Those needing assistance can get connected by calling the information and referral line "211." Among those who would use 211 are adults with legal custody of a minor-aged child (or children), mother-to-be in her third trimester, mother-to-be with a high-risk pregnancy, and parents under 18 with legal custody of a minor child. The 211 line additionally caters to those literally homeless, including living out of a vehicle, as well as others in a serious housing crisis - and also those with incomes at or below 50 percent of the annual area mean.

El Segundo Police Chief Bill Whalen pointed out that it is unrealistic to believe that homelessness itself can be eliminated. The way his department measures success in addressing the problem is "by minimizing the impacts that homeless has on our community." While the homeless count rose from 15 to 19 from 2018 to 2019, Whalen noted that call complaints about homelessness decreased over the last year. "Homelessness itself is not a crime," he said, adding that he and the department "take personal pride in helping to manage this issue"

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with compassion. Those who are homeless, on the verge of becoming so or know someone else in a similar predicament may contact Officer Marco Lemus at mlemus@elsegundo.org for assistance. He can also be reached at 310-524-2200. •

Calendar of Events

• El Segundo Kiwanis Club Meeting, 12:10 PM., The Lakes at El Segundo, Contact: elsegundokiwanis.org.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 4

• Bowling, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM, 50 Plus, Senior Club of El Segundo, Gable House Bowl, 22501 Hawthorne Blvd., Torrance, Cost: \$8.50 for 3 games, Call Joyce at: 310-322-7621.

THURSDAY, SEPT 5

 El Segundo Certified Farmer's Market, 3:00 PM. - 7:00 PM., located on Main Street, Downtown El Segundo.

• El Segundo Historical Committee Meeting, 7:00 PM. – 8:00 PM., El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., Call Sari: 310-364-0117

FRIDAY, SEPT 6

- Bingo, 1:00 PM. 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, \$3.00 minimum, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon Street
- Yoga in Library Park, 8:30 AM. 9:30 AM., All levels of experience welcome, Meet at the Gazebo in Library Park.

SATURDAY, SEPT 7

• Saturday Night Dance, 7:00 PM. – 9:45 PM.,

Cost: \$5.00 Per Person, Adults of all Ages Welcome, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call: 310-524-2705.

• Heritage Room Open to the Public, 1:00 PM. - 3:00 PM., El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., Call Sari: 310-364-0117.

SUNDAY, SEPT 8

• Bridge & Pinochle Groups, 11:30 AM. -3:45 PM, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.

MONDAY, SEPT 9

• Maker Monday: Story Scroll Wreaths,

12:00 PM. - 1:00 PM., El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., Call:

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- High School Teens: Travel Tic-Tac-Toe, 3:00 PM., El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., Call: 310-524-2728.
- Canasta Group, 11:30 AM. 3:00 PM., 50 Plus, Free, Senior Club of El Segundo, 339 Sheldon St., Call Pam at: 310-318-2856.

TUESDAY, SEPT 10

310-524-2728.

• Board of Education Meeting, 7:00 PM., District Administrative Offices - Board Room 641 Sheldon St. •

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