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Typewriters Tapping in Torrance



Janet Payne, in charge of special events at the Torrance Historical Society and Museum, and former typing teacher Maxine Trevethen check out a vintage Remington model as part of the museum's typewriter exhibit. For more details, check out this week's TerriAnn in Torrance column. Photo by TerriAnn Ferren.

Flight Industries Land Major Vote of Confidence to Stay Competitive

By Rob McCarthy

South Bay's space and air defense companies are one step closer to having a state commission to make sure their industry remains competitive and stays grounded in California.

Assemblyman Al Muratsuchi, D-Torrance, introduced a measure to create a California Aerospace and Aviation Commission. Its purpose would be to advise policymakers about what the \$100 billion flight and defense sector in the state's economy needs from state elected officials. The commission would "serve as a central point of contact" for the flight and space mission companies and "support the health and competitiveness" of the businesses -- including those in the South Bay -- that form the backbone of the aerospace and aviation industries in California, according to the bill.

The Assembly voted 75-0 to create a commission dedicated to smoothing the way for the industry's growth as the nation sets its sights toward missions to Mars someday. The 15-member commission would operate without taxpayer dollars and be overseen by the Governor's Office.

"The goal is to bring together the stakeholders and bring together policy recommendations so we can continue to grow and lead the nation and the world in innovation, advanced manufacturing and job creation," Muratsuchi said last month as the bill was advancing in the Assembly.

The advisory commission would have 15 members, with nine being appointed by the governor to represent aviation and aerospace companies, their suppliers and labor unions. The other members would be selected for expertise

in economic development, transportation and higher education. Members would serve for two years and be limited to three terms.

Muratsuchi said he spent a year working on his bill and building support among Sacramento lawmakers. He is chairman of the California Assembly's Select Committee on Aerospace.

California held nearly one-tenth of the combined space and aircraft market in the world in 2016, according to the bill. The aerospace industry is "being challenged" by foreign competitors with emerging economies and the technology they lacked in the past. The commission-creation measure says the state must prepare in case of military base closures by the Department of Defense and shifts in funding priorities by NASA.

Florida has enticed at least one California aerospace company to relocate, and industry leaders say that Space Florida has the money and clout with lawmakers that is lacking here.

Sean Casey, managing director of the Silicon Valley Space Center, told an industry publication that other states take a more aggressive approach to convincing companies to leave California.

The Assembly's full-throated endorsement of a California Aerospace and Aviation Commission delivered a message that it's taking the challenge by Space Florida very seriously. Judy Kruger, who oversees aerospace sector activities at the Los Angeles Economic Development Corporation (LAEDC) had high praise and hopes that the commission will become a reality soon.

The Assembly vote was a small step for the South Bay players in aerospace, which according to the bill is among California's largest industries and employers. It generates \$140 billion per year within the state, making it a global leader, according to figures

See Flight Industries, page 6

Weekend Forecast

Friday

Sunny
61°/44°



Saturday

Sunny
61°/46°



Sunday

Sunny
65°/48°



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Police Briefs

Traffic Collision at Hawthorne and Carson

On Feb. 16 at approximately 10:25 p.m., officers from the Torrance Police Department responded to a major traffic collision at the intersection of Hawthorne Boulevard and Carson Street.

On arrival, officers discovered that a maroon BMW driven by a 50-year-old female, traveling northbound on Hawthorne, had collided with a 23-year-old male pedestrian, north of Carson Street. It was determined that the pedestrian was crossing Hawthorne Boulevard outside the marked crosswalk. The sole occupant of the BMW was treated for minor injuries and transported to a local hospital and listed in stable condition. The pedestrian sustained major injuries, was treated by Torrance Fire Department personnel at the scene and transported to a local hospital where he is listed in critical condition.

The northbound lanes of Hawthorne Boulevard between Carson Street and Del Amo Circle Drive were closed for approximately four hours during the investigation.

This collision is being investigated by the Torrance Police Department's Traffic Division under the command of Captain Martin Vukotic, Commander of the Special Operations Bureau. Anyone with information regarding this collision is encouraged to contact the

Torrance Police Department's Traffic Division at (310) 618-5557.

— Source: Torrance PD

High Visibility Enforcement Results

On Thursday, Feb. 15, an HVE operation was conducted at Pacific Coast Highway and Hawthorne Boulevard between 7 and 10 a.m. The majority of the violations centered around improper cellphone usage, failure to obey signs, and unsafe speed.

A second HVE operation was conducted the same day at the intersections of Crenshaw Boulevard and Artesia Boulevard, as well as Redondo Beach Boulevard and Prairie Avenue between 3:30 5:30 p.m. The majority of the violations centered around improper cellphone usage and stoplight violations.

Five pedestrians were cited for jaywalking, and an additional driver was cited for travelling on the wrong side of the road. An unlicensed 17-year-old, who was clocked at 90 mph on a motorcycle, was also cited.

The Torrance Police Department will continue to partner with our community to address traffic safety concerns throughout the city. Traffic sign boards reminding drivers to obey traffic laws will be used at intersections while motor officers devote the majority of their time to educating the community.

— Source: Torrance PD •

Police Reports

Sunday, Feb. 4

Battery-Weapon/Agg Betw. 2/4 9:20:00 PM & 2/4 9:30:19 PM 2800 BLOCK 227TH ST. Suspect hits victim with a paintball, causing injury.

Robbery-StrongArm Betw. 2/4 4:45:00 PM & 2/4 4:46:00 PM 2400 BLOCK 169TH PL. Suspect forcibly takes victim's property from his neck/jewelry.

Monday, Feb. 5

Theft Betw. 2/5 9:20:00 PM & 2/8 7:30:00 AM 2700 BLOCK ANDREO AVE. Suspect(s) takes property from parked vehicle's engine compartment/battery.

Theft Betw. 2/5 8:15:00 PM & 2/5 8:30:00 PM 24400 BLOCK CRENSHAW BLVD. Suspect(s) takes property from victim's purse as she shops/wallet.

Theft Betw. 2/5 8:15:00 PM & 2/6 7:30:00 AM 2400 BLOCK 228TH ST. Suspect(s) takes property from parked vehicle's engine compartment/battery.

Theft Betw. 2/5 7:00:00 PM & 2/6 6:10:00 PM See Police Reports, page 7

Calendar of Events

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

THURSDAY, FEB. 22

- Smoke and Mirrors – 11:00 AM. – 5:00 PM., Torrance Art Museum, 3320 Civic Center Drive (Exhibit Runs 11:00 AM. – 5:00 PM. Tues-Sat, Jan 21th – March 10th)
- The 19th Annual TUSD's Dance Collaboration Effort, (West High School Dance Dept.), 7:00 PM. – 10:00 PM., Tickets: \$12/\$10, James Armstrong Theatre, 3330 Civic Center Drive, Call: 310-781-7171.
- State of the Region, 11:30 AM. – 2:00 PM., lunch served at noon, Double Tree Hotel - Torrance, 21333 Hawthorne Blvd., Tickets are \$46 for TACC Members and \$76 for non-members.

FRIDAY, FEB. 23

- ToddlerTime, 10:15 AM. & 11:00 AM., children 18 months to 3 years, free, Katy Geissert Civic Center Library, 3301 Torrance Blvd., Call: 310-618-5964.
- City Hall – CLOSED (All Day)
- Torrance KofC Friday Lent Fish Fry, 5:00 PM. – 7:00 PM., Nativity Parish Annex, 1415 Engracia Ave., Tickets: \$9 Adults, \$8 Seniors, \$5 Children under 12, Profits support the Knight's charitable causes.

SATURDAY, FEB. 24

- Torrance Certified Farmers' Market at Wilson Park, 8:00 AM. – 1:00 PM., 2200 Crenshaw Blvd., Between Carson St. & Sepulveda, Call: 310-781-7520.
- Serendipity Saturdays, 10:30 AM., kids ages 1-5 welcome, free, Katy Geissert Civic Center Library, 3301 Torrance Blvd., Call: 310-618-5964.
- Dancing With The South Bay Stars, 7:00 PM. – 10:00 PM., Tickets: \$65/\$45/\$35, James Armstrong Theatre, 3330 Civic Center Drive, Call: 310-781-7171.
- DFQ: the Dale Fiedler Quartet, 2:00 PM., free, Katy Geissert Civic Center Library, 3301 Torrance Blvd., Call: 310-781-7599.

SUNDAY, FEB. 25

- Twelfth Night (The Torrance Cultural Arts Foundation: National Theatre Live Series), Tickets: \$17.50, James Armstrong Theatre, 3330 Civic Center Drive, Call: 310-781-7171.
- Katy Geissert Library - OPEN

MONDAY, FEB. 26

- Baby Time at the Library, 10:30 AM. & 1:30 PM., children ages 6 to 18 months, free, Katy Geissert Civic Center Library, 3301 Torrance Blvd., Call: 310-618-5964.
- Pajama Rama: Evening Storytime, 6:30 PM., children ages 2 and up can wear their pajamas, free, Walteria Library, 3815 242nd Street, Call: 310-375-8418.

TUESDAY, FEB. 27

- Torrance Certified Farmers' Market at Wilson Park, 8:00 AM. – 1:00 PM., 2200 Crenshaw Blvd., Between Carson St. & Sepulveda, Call: 310-781-7520.
- City Council Meeting, 7:00 PM. – 9:00 PM., City Hall, 3031 Torrance Blvd.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 28

- Craft Delight, 12:00 PM. – 2:00 PM., free, Henderson Library, 4805 Emerald Street, Call: 310-371-2075.
- Pajama Rama: Evening Storytime, 6:30 PM., children ages 2 and up can wear pajamas, free, Henderson Library, 4805 Emerald Street, 310-371-2075.
- Pajama Rama: Evening Storytime, 6:30 PM., children ages 2 and up can wear pajamas, free, North Torrance Library, 3604 Artesia Blvd., Call: 310-323-7200.

THURSDAY, MAR. 1

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COMING SOON: SUNDAY, MAR. 4

- Music In The Garden, 12:00 PM. – 4:30 PM., South Coast Botanic Garden, Nine schools will perform. Tickets: \$25 per family, \$15 per individual adult, \$5 per child under 18. •

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Sports

Up and Adam

Torrance Tartars Fall to Culver City Centaurs After Thrilling First Round Win

By Adam Serrao

The Torrance Tartars boys basketball team endured a postseason that was eerily similar to the regular season that ended nearly two weeks ago. Joy and elation ultimately mixed with sadness and dejection – all feelings that any basketball team must surely experience throughout a long and grueling year. For the Tartars, the team’s postseason joy came Wednesday night when they welcomed the Glendora Tartans to town and beat them in a first round playoff thriller by a final score of 65-63. Unfortunately for Torrance and head coach Paul Nitake, dejection followed when a 76-57 loss to the Culver City Centaurs ended the Tartars’ playoff hopes and eliminated the team in the second round of the postseason.

This year’s Tartars team made it farther into the playoffs than any other Torrance High squad in the last six seasons. That alone is something to be proud about for Nitake and the rest of his ball club. That same ball club played with massive amounts of pride last Wednesday night when it defeated Glendora by just two points. Torrance trailed by a score of 58-57 with only two minutes remaining in the contest. That’s when Kofi Asante came to life. Asante not only scored his first points of the game to give Torrance a one-point lead, but then contributed six points in a row to eventually crush the Tartans’ hopes of pulling out a last-second win.

“We played our hearts out at the end of the game,” Asante said of his excellent, crunch time performance. “It wasn’t really about me. It was about the team and making the right play down the stretch.” Two of Asante’s teammates played instrumental parts in making those right plays when it mattered the most. Jaylen Bourgeois scored a team-gigh 20 points in the game, while Konichi Morofuji buoyed the team with 16 of his own -- eight of which came in the third quarter of play.

Torrance was unfortunately unable to acquire such stellar performances in the second game of the CIF Southern Section Division 3A playoffs against the Ocean League’s very own Culver City Centaurs. Despite senior forward Jerome Duhon beginning the game with six early points, the Tartars soon fell behind by 10 points and saw the deficit widen to 23 points by the half. In a game in which they were clearly outmatched, the Tartars could only look on as opposing forward Cyrus Johnson and guard Tevian Jones poured in the points. The two combined for 37 points and 13 rebounds in what eventually became a 76-57 pounding to eliminate the Tartars from playoff contention. Asante scored a team-high 15 points for Torrance.

Even with the loss, the Tartars still succeeded in putting themselves back on the high school basketball map in the city of Torrance this season. Repeating such a process may prove to be difficult with the departure of 12 seniors from this year’s playoff team including Asante, guard Tyler Morimoto and the aforementioned Duhon. Nitake will benefit from the return of junior forward Abdul Ahmad, junior guard Kenichi Morofuji and sophomore guard Jaylen Bourgeois, who all had standout seasons this year. With a little bit of health and a lot of dedication, this Torrance team should find itself back on top of the Pioneer League standings before you know it.

West High

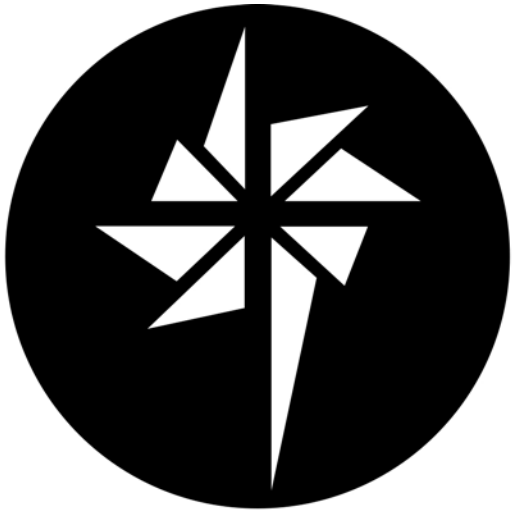
The West High Warriors’ postseason progressed in much the same fashion as that of the Torrance Tartars. After a huge 62-54 victory in the first round of the CIF Southern Section Division 3AA playoffs against the Schurr Spartans, the Warriors were slipped up in the second round by the St. Paul Swords-men. A 52-48 loss put a cap on an otherwise successful season for West and head coach Perlmutter, who will undoubtedly look to improve upon a third place finish in this year’s Pioneer League standings.

An incredible performance from senior guard Ken Asai helped guide West’s come-from-behind victory in the first round. The Warriors found themselves behind by three points as the fourth quarter commenced. As usual, a great all-around team effort pulled West out of the deficit. While Asai led all Warriors players with 18 points, senior guard Nick Snyder and junior guard Alex Mishaw each chipped in with 12 of their own. Senior guard Justin Hight also brought 10 points to the table to make it four West High players to score in double digits in their eight-point win.

The Warriors’ success was short-lived after they took on a St. Paul team that had lost only seven games all season long. It was evident that neither Perlmutter nor his team cared about St. Paul’s record, as the Warriors led for basically the entire the game and played an extremely scrappy contest for four straight quarters.

West was up by three points after one quarter and took a 23-21 lead into the half. The Swordsmen tightened things up and tied the game heading into the fourth. Despite Mishaw’s 28 points on the night, the West High offense went cold at the most inopportune time. After holding a three-point lead with just over four minutes to play, the Warriors went scoreless over two minutes of game

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TerriAnn in Torrance

Typewriter Exhibit at the Torrance Historical Museum Brings Back Key Period in Time

By TerriAnn Ferren

On a beautiful “summer in winter” Sunday afternoon, I headed to the Torrance Historical Museum for a unique *Typewriter Event and Display*. Yes, you heard me right. Typewriters are cool and popular again. On display were over a dozen or so manual typewriters including a 1912 Corona folding typewriter,



Tate Landgon, age 9.

a 1920s Remington Standard #12 (red keys), early 1900s Ideal S&N (made in Germany), 1930s maroon Corona portable, and a 1950s Remington “Quiet Riter” with portable with green keys, among others. What was great about this exhibit was that you could actually sit down at the table and type on these pieces of history. They work!

When I entered the museum, I immediately noticed a young man, Tate Landgon, age 9, who was typing for the very first time on one of the manual typewriters. “It feels like a computer, but the difference is you really have to move your fingers up toward and really push it down hard when you type,” he said. I asked him how it would be typing a paper for school on a manual typewriter and he said, “Hard!” He said typing on a computer keyboard is much easier. Well, I can’t disagree with that. Tate’s father Jim Wimberg told me, “He [Tate] is doing a project for third grade, ‘Touring Torrance.’ So he has to pick at least four things that he wants to write about. He wanted to write about the Torrance Historical Society, the Western Museum of Flight, the Red Car... Torrance is an interesting town. We have lived in Torrance 17 years. When I was in junior high, I learned to type and I had a typing teacher and she was a drill sergeant.” Jim told me when he was learning to type, he didn’t think typing would be of much use,

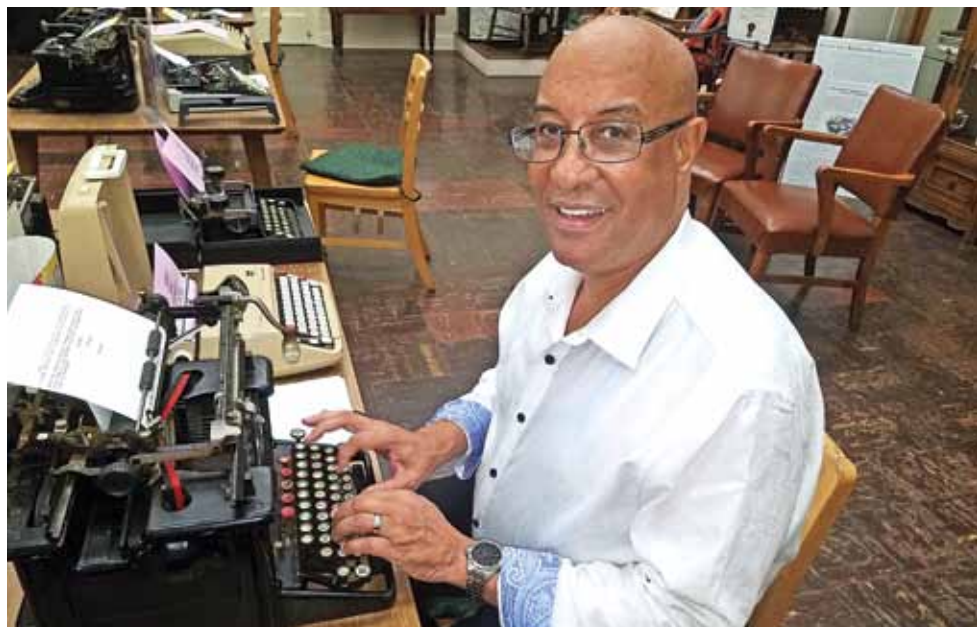
but admittedly it comes in extremely handy now with the computer. “It is a lot easier on the computer, I can type a lot faster ‘cuz the keyboard is so low-profile and the keys are so sensitive,” he added. After a few minutes, I noticed Tate was typing faster and faster. As he practiced, he seemed to get the hang of it quite well.

On the other end of the exhibit, I met 50-year resident Maxine Trevethen, who was typing on another old machine. She told me she used to type 75 words a minute in her heyday in the ‘60s and ‘70s after learning how to type in high school – in the ‘40s on manual typewriters. “When I started teaching – I started teaching in Long Beach and that was 1954 – we had manual typewriters. Then I went to El Camino College and I taught typing for 25 years. At first, that’s all we had was manuals. Then we got electrics. The touch was completely different. It is kind of like what we have on computers now. It’s a pushing movement, whereas when I taught, we had to teach stroking and you had to teach the girls they couldn’t have long fingernails. They had to have short fingernails ‘cuz you stroked the key going out and clicking in. You really had to hit the keys – you couldn’t just touch them.” She told me when they changed to electric typewriters that they were so sensitive, it took some time getting used to them in class.

Over toward the end of the exhibit row, I noticed a cute, compact typewriter. Former Councilwoman and School Board member Maureen O’Donnell told me an interesting story that happened in the early ‘50s relating to that portable, compact typewriter she sat beside. “It [the typewriter] belonged to my father, Thomas O’Donnell, who was an

attorney, who for some years had been an attorney for the Northwestern Railroad and traveled all around the country because they [the railroad] were under federal law and tried cases around the country.” Maureen told me that the typewriter she brought to the display was a correspondence typewriter, made by Hermes, which is a Swiss company -- the kind that journalists used. “My father carried that with him all the time and at one point in the early ‘50s, he was on a train that was snowed in at Donner Pass for something like a week. So there he was with his faithful journalist typewriter typing up passengers’ statements for the railroad. They ran out of food, they ran out of heat and it was quite something. Periodically the History Channel will show a documentary of the train being snowed in at the Donner Pass.” I learned Thomas O’Donnell later became head council for Allstate Insurance, but the Western Railroad for which he worked for 10 years had also been the railroad for which attorneys Lincoln and William Jennings Bryant also worked. “And during the time my father worked for the Western Railroad, we traveled around the country – everything first class – that was in the 1940s, early ‘50s,” added Maureen. Can you imagine traveling by train around our beautiful country back then in first class? Wow. Maureen told me she knew her father would be delighted to know his typewriter was at this very special exhibit.

Next, I met with 1st Vice President of the Torrance Historical Society Debbie Hays and asked her about how the exhibit came to be and she told me, “Well, typewriters are



Councilman Milton S. Herring I stopped by to try his hand at the old typewriters

what’s trending now and we found out that Julie Randall from the Torrance Street Faire Antiques had a big collection come in and she was refurbishing some of them so that she could sell them. So Janet [Payne] asked if we could borrow them and have a display and then we found out one of our members used to be a typing teacher/business teacher and we put the whole program together so everyone could come get a glimpse of the past and hear the past as they click-clack on the typewriter keys.”

Author Ron Kovic stopped in the exhibit and was busily typing away and I could hear the clicking and clacking, as Debbie said. I asked Ron how it felt typing on a manual typewriter and he told me, “You know, I wrote *Born on the Fourth of July* on a manual typewriter in about a month and a half. A Brother typewriter – a blue plastic model. I haven’t typed on a manual for years and hitting these keys, I got a chill down my back. It is just a wonderful feeling and reminded me there is an intimacy missing with my laptop. Only by typing on this manual typewriter today at the Historical Society did I realize what had been missing between the old typewriter and the laptop. There is a certain intimacy with the word and literature when you write. I feel more connected... and also may I say this, I don’t feel like anyone is going to hack my

writing. I don’t feel like anyone is spying on me and I can’t help when I work on the computer these days, especially post 9/11, that anything I write could be surveilled and probably millions of us who write are being watched and monitored. On this typewriter it is only me and my mind -- and no one else knows what I am writing.” Well, there



Ernest Hemingway’s typewriter he used in Cuba (photo courtesy of Dr. Terence Hammer).

is something to that, I suppose. Ron told me he learned to type at the Marine Corps Barracks when he was sent to Morse Code School in Norfolk, Virginia.

Finally, I sat down to try my hand at a manual typewriter. I learned to type one summer at Torrance High School and can still vividly remember the sound of that noisy



Former Councilwoman and recipient of the Jared Sidney Torrance Award Maureen O’Donnell.

classroom. We had to do exercises and work on memorizing the keys. My teacher did tell us that someone had done a study and found out that there was an alternative way the letters could be arranged on the keyboard to allow the typist to type faster, but it would be a mess for everyone having to learn all over again where the letters were. Don’t ask me why I remember that bit of trivia. Maybe I was happy we didn’t have to re-learn the key placement. After the class, I remember I learned how to type, but I wasn’t great at it. It wasn’t until I began typing on a computer keyboard that I became a pretty good typist. Now, it is second nature. What is that saying? Practice makes perfect. Ah, yes.

My afternoon around these albeit outdated typewriters was fun as they had their “day in the sun,” so to speak. After all, the actor Tom Hanks now collects them and there is a documentary called *California Typewriter* that is popular. What is it about a typewriter that still fascinates us? Perhaps it is the security, the feel of the keys, or the distinct sound each typewriter makes – like a song. My two manual typewriters in the garage probably won’t replace my lovely keyboard, but they comfort me. I know how many college papers I wrote on those typewriters. Call me sentimental, but the manual typewriter is fun. Try it again when you get a chance. Happy typing! •

Marinated Garlic and Lemon Roasted Chicken

Recipe provided Nestle's Balance Your Plate

Ingredients

- 10 chicken drumsticks
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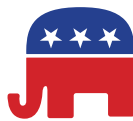
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Preparation

1. In a bowl, mix together lemon juice, zest, olive oil, chopped garlic, paprika, oregano, salt and pepper. Add chicken drumsticks and toss to coat evenly. Cover bowl with plastic wrap and place in refrigerator for at least 30 minutes. When ready to cook, let chicken come to room temperature for about 20 minutes.
2. Preheat oven to 375 degrees.
3. Arrange chicken on oiled foil-lined sheet pan.
4. Bake uncovered for 20 minutes. Flip chicken pieces and cook another 10 minutes until chicken reaches 165 degrees and is no longer pink.
5. Make sauce in a small bowl by whisking together the mustard and honey. Add water as needed for a workable consistency.
6. With a small pastry brush, brush sauce over chicken and broil 5 minutes until bubbly. Place chicken pieces on a serving platter and sprinkle minced parsley over all.



Politically Speaking



Congress Finds a New Target to Attack

By Cristian Vasquez

In all honesty I never thought that Congress would come out one day and pass legislation attacking people with disabilities, but the day has come. The House of Representatives passed the ADA Education and Reform Act with a 225-192 vote. In essence, this act would require people with disabilities to provide a written notice that a business does not provide adequate access to persons covered under the American With Disabilities Act. Through this law, for which there is no version of in the Senate yet, a business would have 60 days to respond to a written complaint, as well as another 60 days to actually begin improving their location to accommodate people protected under the ADA.

For 28 years, the ADA has ensured that the public is protected from discrimination "on the basis of disability in the full and equal enjoyment of the goods, services, facilities, privileges, advantages, or accommodations of any place of public accommodation" -- Title III/Specific Construction of the ADA. Why then, does the House of Representatives find it necessary to make this modification? Current and potentially new business owners already know some of the basic requirements (access ramps, modified restrooms, etc...) set by the ADA, so they do not need a written notice. Requiring people with disabilities to give a written notice shifts a business responsibility from the owner to the public for no good reason. Supporters of the bill argue that this will keep money-seeking lawyers from filing frivolous lawsuits against local businesses for ADA violations, hence saving the business money. Well, you know

what else would save the business money? If they just complied with the ADA requirements. They've been in place since 1990. How much more of a warning do you need? Are these accommodations expensive? Yes, they are, but we are at a point where these accommodations are part of the business expense. They aren't surprise requirements.

The amendment also requires that a model program to "promote alternative dispute resolution mechanisms to resolve such claims" be created in order to have a method to determine "relevant facts related to such barriers." All this was done with the "goal" of resolving an accessibility issue before resorting to litigation. So not only do these amendments give business owners a way out of complying with ADA requirements, but they place the unnecessary burden of proving that a business is not complying on the people who are supposed to be protected by the ADA. If they are lucky, people with disabilities will see modifications begin happening 120 days after their complain. That's if the model program doesn't kick in to continue stalling.

There is no need for this amendment. The ADA requirements have been in place long enough. Maybe some corporate donors become a little more generous and are looking forward to future projects where they can skip meeting these ADA requirements. Or maybe Congress has just really does not care about people. It's anyone's guess. Fortunately, you don't have to guess who voted for this amendment and can see the full list at <https://www.govtrack.us/congress/votes/115-2018/h80>. •

Mass Murder in Parkland, Florida: How the Heck Do We Keep Our Kids Safe?

By Duane Plank

So last Wednesday probably started as a typical school day in Parkland, Florida. Groggy students and parents awoke, ran to their phones to check what they had missed on social media (nothing, you addicts), then maybe had a bit of breakfast, and finally raced off to school and work.

Parents dropped the kids off at school, cuz God forbid a kid would actually...walk to school.

It was Valentine's Day, so some of those young folks may have exchanged the little cards or trinkets that the people trying to sell stuff -- so help me, Hallmark -- shame us into buying on those special days.

Anyway, you drop your kid off in that Richie Rich neighborhood and another ho-hum midweek day commences.

And then you hear about an "active shooter" at your child's high school. And your child doesn't come home. Ever. Can't fathom that, as a parent. A few years ago, there was carnage in Isla Vista -- a party town bordering UC Santa Barbara, where my son graduated. Was frantic to hear from him. As a kid, he was not necessarily going to check in with Mom and Dad. Fortunately, he was not involved. He was okay.

Before he was assassinated, President John F. Kennedy posited that if someone wanted to take him down, there was basically no cover and that he wasn't going to worry about it. Said JFK: "If someone wants to shoot me from a window with a rifle, nobody can stop it, so why worry about it?"

Unfortunately for America, his words

were prescient.

There is no way to stop a man or woman who doesn't care if they themselves die from slaughtering innocents. Tighten this up, tighten that up, take away the guns. Won't matter. How is the security at your place of employment? Bet you have no clue -- and if you asked whomever is allegedly in charge of that, they will obfuscate, or mumble platitudes. Lie. Or are probably distractedly looking at their electronic device as they allow darn near anyone with a backpack to enter the workplace.

I have no solutions to the carnage that keeps occurring in our schools. If I did, I would forward them to the obviously overmatched folks working at the FBI who have wasted a ton of your dollars looking for collusion in an election that was over more than 16 months ago.

Apparently Special Counsel Bob Mueller, after spending a ton of our money, now said a bunch of Ruskies tried to influence our election. Yet we, as Americans, have been trying to influence elections in other countries forever. So the other team does the same thing. We used to assassinate foreign dictators before they and their murderers could get to us. We should still have that policy in place. May have mitigated 9/11.

Saw a commercial recently and nearly teared up. Not sure which branch of the military was represented, but the crux of the powerful message: "To get to you, they have to get through us." Maybe some of those brave folks need to be deployed in-country to protect us from lunatics like the Florida murderer -- a deranged soul with a big rifle. •

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Up and Adam

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time and gave up the lead. St. Paul pulled ahead by two points with less than one minute remaining and eventually closed the Warriors out with a 52-48 final score. Snyder added 10 points in the effort for West.

The Warriors will lose six seniors to

graduation, including Asai, Snyder and Hight. Mishaw will return to lead a team that will look to take down the Pioneer League and position itself for a longer, more successful playoff run next year.

- Aserra06@yahoo.com •

Flight Industries

from front page

provided to the Legislature.

The state Senate still must vote on the measure, and the governor needs to sign the bill. The momentum so far in the lower chamber in Sacramento is one small step for California, and one giant leap for a South Bay industry that designs, builds and supports air and space travel.

“The state hears and sees what’s happening in the industry and wants to protect it and grow it,” Kruger said, adding “it also sends a message outside the state of California.”

Texas, Georgia and Michigan are moving forward to create commissions, which the LAEDC says are completely dedicated to growing their states’ aerospace industries. The work envisioned for the California body will be to market the state’s tax and business climate at industry events where other states will have a presence.


The LAEDC has backed the bill to create a California commission to protect against states looking to “poach our aerospace as-sets,” it says. The bill got another huge lift right after the Assembly voted: SpaceX in Hawthorne successfully launched its powerful

Falcon Heavy into space. The company calls its Falcon Heavy the most powerful rocket in service today, able to carry a fully loaded and fueled 737 jetliner weighing 141,000 pounds into orbit.

The Legislature lately has shown a willingness to help defense contractors to be competitive in bidding for federal contracts. Lawmakers in 2014 supported an enhanced tax credit and tax exemption for Lockheed Martin and Northrop Grumman, both of whom were competing for federal Department of Defense contracts.

In 2016, the Legislature again approved a tax measure favorable to defense and aero-space manufacturers. Lawmakers extended a sales and use tax exemption on manufacturing equipment.

Aerospace is prized by state and local lawmakers because average salaries top \$100,000 and contractors and their suppliers create manufacturing jobs -- some of which require a high school diploma. The demand for workers with technical skills is expected to grow in the Los Angeles metro area, according to a recent LAEDC report about the future of work in the region. •



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13. Cooked sufficiently
14. Popular wedding gift
15. Company
16. Departure
17. The vanquished
18. Choice word
19. Docs for dachshunds
20. Humanities
21. Moves a muscle
23. Hale
24. Showing little change
27. Kodaks, e.g.
31. Dear
32. Overpower
35. Put out
36. Admittance
38. Vacation spot
39. Place for showmanship
40. '80s rock band
41. Of greatest age
43. Total
44. Musical demonstration
46. Preferences
48. Gob

49. Attractiveness
51. Credit or tarot follower
53. Map
54. Sponge cake ingredient
58. Winter drink
59. Lois or Diane
60. Stake
61. Multitude of colors
62. Hand-me-down
63. Kind of lamp
64. Tall grass
65. Withdrawn
66. Dance bit

Down
1. Dash
2. Tough exam
3. Reduced by
4. Most recent
5. Dog
6. Military groups
7. Achieves
8. Brusquest
9. "Schindler's ____"
10. Those described
11. Road cover
13. Any clever maneuver
14. Demand
22. Fastidious

23. Portly
24. Asparagus stalk
25. Uptight
26. Storage room
27. Stick
28. Bake a turkey
29. Debate
30. Insinuates
33. Deliver an order
34. Tail
37. Compel by coercion, threats, or crude means
39. Supernova
41. Put away
42. Declared
45. Currently
47. Is suspicious
49. Go at it
50. Sweetheart
51. Apple throwaway
52. Farm measure
53. Not only that
55. Bearded animal
56. Crumpled
57. Rice Krispies sound
58. ____-pool

Last Week's Answers

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SUDOKU *Medium*

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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.

Police Reports

AM 23400 BLOCK WALNUT ST. Suspect(s) takes property off of parked vehicle/hubcaps. Theft Betw. 2/5 1:00:00 PM & 2/5 2:00:00 PM 2700 BLOCK PACIFIC COAST HWY. Suspect(s) takes unattended property from restroom/jewelry. Battery-Simple Betw. 2/5 11:15:00 AM & 2/5 11:25:00 AM 23500 BLOCK CRENSHAW BLVD. Suspect grabs victim by the arm.

Theft Betw. 2/5 12:00:01 AM & 2/12 12:00:01 AM 21800 BLOCK HAWTHORNE BLVD. Suspect(s) takes property from business/sewing machine.

Tuesday, Feb. 6

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/6 10:00:00 PM & 2/7 6:00:00 AM 3400 BLOCK MARICOPA ST. Suspect(s) enters unlocked vehicle, ransacks and takes property/ID, FasTrak, chargers, watch.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/6 10:00:00 PM & 2/7 8:45:00 AM 3400 BLOCK MARICOPA ST. Suspect(s) enters vehicle by unknown means, ransacks and takes property/cash, document, first-aid kit, manual.

Vandalism Betw. 2/6 9:30:00 PM & 2/7 8:30:00 AM 3400 BLOCK MARICOPA ST. Suspect(s) cuts vehicle’s convertible top/no entry, no loss.

Theft Betw. 2/6 3:56:00 PM & 2/6 3:56:15 PM 19900 BLOCK INGRUM WAY. Suspect(s) takes property from porch/delivered parcel/

Vandalism 2/6 1:38 PM 4100 BLOCK 185TH ST. Suspect(s) graffiti’s school walls.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/6 12:00:00 PM & 2/7 9:00:00 AM 100 BLOCK VIA LOS MIRADORES. Suspect(s) enters vehicle by unknown means and takes property/backpack, cell phone.

Vandalism Betw. 2/6 8:45:00 AM & 2/6 10:00:00 AM 2600 BLOCK PACIFIC COAST HWY. Suspect(s) defeats lock and takes property from locker/bag, ID, credit card, keys, cash.

Theft Betw. 2/6 8:30:00 AM & 2/6 8:45:00 AM 3600 BLOCK SARA DR. Suspect(s) takes unattended property off of hood of vehicle/laptop.

Burglary-Commercial Betw. 2/6 7:40:00 AM & 2/6 7:50:25 AM 2600 BLOCK 235TH ST. Suspect(s) forces open laundry room door, cuts padlock securing laundry machine coin box and takes property/cash.

Theft Betw. 2/6 7:25:00 AM & 2/6 8:40:00 AM 4200 BLOCK REDONDO BEACH BLVD. Suspect(s) pries lock and takes property from locker/fanny pack, cell phone, keys, ID.

Theft Betw. 2/6 12:30:00 AM & 2/6 1:00:00 AM 2300 BLOCK 228TH ST Suspect(s) takes property from parked vehicle’s engine compartment/battery.

Wednesday, Feb. 7

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/7 9:30:00 PM & 2/8 10:05:00 AM 3900 BLOCK REDONDO BEACH BLVD. Suspect(s) pries door lock for entry, ransacks and takes property/camera.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/7 4:55:00 PM & 2/7 5:05:00 PM 17800 BLOCK VAN NESS AVE. Suspect(s) takes property from unlocked vehicle/cash, notebooks.

Robbery-StrongArm Betw. 2/7 4:30:00 PM & 2/7 4:33:53 PM 21600 BLOCK WESTERN AVE. Suspect enters open business and forcibly takes two victims’ property from their possession/jewelry.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/7 4:00:00 PM & 2/10 9:00:00 AM 21300 BLOCK HAWTHORNE BLVD. Suspect(s) punches door lock for entry and takes property/suitcases, shoes, purse, clothes, makeup.

Robbery-Weapon Betw. 2/7 1:50:00 AM & 2/7 1:52:27 AM 19000 BLOCK HAWTHORNE BLVD. Suspects enter open business and demand property at gunpoint/cash.

Battery-Simple 2/7 12:45 AM 19300 BLOCK BECKWORTH AVE. Suspect uses a skateboard to hit victim.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/7 & 2/7 2:00:00 AM 5100 BLOCK 190TH ST. Suspect(s) enters possibly unlocked vehicle, ransacks and takes property/bowling ball, bowling bag, shoes, skateboard, ping pong paddle, Bluetooth, cologne, key, golf ball, sunglasses.

Thursday, Feb. 8

Auto Theft-All Betw. 2/8 11:00:00 PM & 2/9 7:00:00 AM 23900 BLOCK LOS CODONA AVE. Stolen vehicle: ‘95 Honda Civic.

Theft Betw. 2/8 10:00:01 PM & 2/9 5:30:00 AM 18300 BLOCK ERMANITA AVE. Suspect(s) takes property off of parked vehicle/tailgate.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/8 6:00:00 PM & 2/9 10:40:00 AM 18400 BLOCK FLORWOOD AVE. Suspect(s) smashes window for entry/no loss.

Theft Betw. 2/8 5:30:00 PM & 2/9 7:45:00 AM 3300 BLOCK 187TH PL. Suspect(s) takes property off of parked vehicle/tailgate.

Vandalism Betw. 2/8 2:00:00 PM & 2/11 4:36:56 PM 23700 BLOCK VINE AVE. Suspect(s) breaks off parked vehicle’s side mirror.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/8 12:30:00 PM & 2/8 1:00:00 PM 2200 BLOCK CRENSHAW BLVD. Suspect(s) takes property from unlocked vehicle/purse.

Battery-Simple 2/8 7:42 AM 18200 BLOCK WESTERN AVE. Suspect punches victim in the mouth.

Theft Betw. 2/8 3:30:00 AM & 2/8 3:34:13

AM 19300 BLOCK HAWTHORNE BLVD. Suspect(s) takes unsecured property from exterior of location/wooden pallets.

Burglary-Commercial Betw. 2/8 2:05:00 AM & 2/8 2:10:00 AM 19800 BLOCK HAWTHORNE BLVD. Suspect(s) enters business via a gap and takes property/security camera.

Friday, Feb. 9

Auto Theft-All Betw. 2/9 10:10:00 PM & 2/9 11:10:00 PM 4200 BLOCK REDONDO BEACH BLVD. Stolen vehicle: ‘16 Honda CRV.

Robbery-StrongArm Betw. 2/9 2:10:12 PM & 2/9 2:12:12 PM 21300 BLOCK HAWTHORNE BLVD. Suspect attempts to forcibly take victim’s bank bag from his possession.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/9 10:45:00 AM & 2/9 3:20:00 PM 3500 BLOCK CARSON ST. Suspect(s) enters vehicle by unknown means and takes property/stereo.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 2/9 8:30:00 AM & 9/18 10:00:02 AM 2200 BLOCK CRENSHAW BLVD. Suspect(s) smashes window for entry and takes property/purse.

Auto Theft-All Betw. 2/9 6:30:00 AM & 2/9 4:15:00 PM 1900 BLOCK TORRANCE BLVD. Stolen vehicle: ‘04 Chevrolet Silverado.

Saturday, Feb. 10

Battery-Simple 2/10 8:32 PM 3500 BLOCK CARSON ST. Suspect spits her bloody saliva at police officer while in police custody.

Theft Betw. 2/10 6:15:00 PM & 2/10 7:51:34 PM 4200 BLOCK REDONDO BEACH BLVD. Suspect(s) defeats lock and takes property from locker/gym bag, wallet.

Theft Betw. 2/10 6:00:00 PM & 2/11 12:00:00 PM 22400 BLOCK KENT AVE. Suspect(s) takes unlocked property from rack/bicycle. •

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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. 2/8, 2/15, 2/22, 3/1/2018 H-1752</p>	<p>Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018018825</p> <p>The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VILLAGE CASA, 4402 HIGHGROVE AVE, TORRANCE, CA, 90505, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI#ON 408633. Registered Owner(s): CASA GLOBAL, INC, 4402 HIGHGROVE AVE, TORRANCE, CA, 90505, CA. This business is being conducted by a CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: CASA GLOBAL, INC, PRESIDENT, SALLY SHIN. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JANUARY 23, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on JANUARY 23, 2023. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JANUARY 23, 2023. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). TORRANCE TRIBUNE: Pub. 2/8, 2/15, 2/22, 3/1/2018 HT-1753</p>	<p>2018019321 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME Current File #2017307664</p> <p>The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: NEXT CONVERSATION COACHING, 2101 GRAMERCY AVENUE TORRANCE, CA, 90501. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in the County of Los Angeles on OCTOBER 25, 2017. Registrants: KRISTY LYNN BUSIJA, 2101 GRAMERCY AVENUE, TORRANCE, CA, 90501. This business was conducted by an Individual. Signed: KRISTY LYNN BUSIJA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on JANUARY 23, 2018. TORRANCE TRIBUNE: Pub. 2/15, 2/22, 3/1, 3/8/2018 HT-1754</p> <div><div>H</div><div>H</div><div>H</div><div>H</div><div>H</div></div>
<p>Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018036579</p> <p>The following person(s) is (are) doing business as EXIT REALTY SOUTH BAY, 1963 CARSON ST, TORRANCE, CA 90501, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable) AI#ON: C3221143. Registered Owner(s): STINK ON A MONKEY, INC., 1963 CARSON ST, TORRANCE, CA, 90501, CA. This business is being conducted by a CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: STINK ON A MONKEY, INC., PRESIDENT, IRMA CASTANEDA. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on FEBRUARY 12, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on FEBRUARY 12, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to FEBRUARY 12, 2022. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). TORRANCE TRIBUNE Pub. 2/15, 2/22, 3/1, 3/8/2018 HT-1755</p>	<p>Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018036229</p> <p>The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HIS HANDS HANDYMAN, 811 MAIN ST, APT A, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): MICHAEL J LIND, 811 MAIN ST, APT A, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245. This business is being conducted by an INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: MICHALE J. LIND, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on FEBRUARY 12, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on FEBRUARY 12, 2022. 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This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on FEBRUARY 12, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on FEBRUARY 12, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to FEBRUARY 12, 2022. 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. 2/15, 2/22, 3/1, 3/8/2018 H-1757</p>	<p>Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018039424</p> <p>The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) BOCKOFF AND ASSOCIATES 2) BOCKOFF AND ASSOCIATES, 1219 W 212TH STREET, TORRANCE, CA, 90502, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): JARED E. BOCKOFF, 1219 W 212TH STREET, TORRANCE, CA, 90502. This business is being conducted by an INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 01/2018. Signed: JARED E BOCKOFF, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on FEBRUARY 15, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on FEBRUARY 15, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to FEBRUARY 15, 2022. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). TORRANCE TRIBUNE Pub. 2/22, 3/1, 3/8, 3/15/2018 HT-1759</p>	<p>Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018036271</p> <p>The following person(s) is (are) doing business as COOKEDRAW, 20531 S. VERMONT AVE, UNIT 2, TORRANCE, CA, 90502, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): 1) MATIAS F. PIANA, 20531 S. VERMONT AVE, UNIT 2, TORRANCE, CA, 90502, CA. 2) YMAN TAJZOY, 20531 S. VERMONT AVE, UNIT 2, TORRANCE, CA, 90502, CA. 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: 01/2018. Signed: MATIAS F. PIANA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on FEBRUARY 12, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on FEBRUARY 12, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to FEBRUARY 12, 2022. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code). TORRANCE TRIBUNE Pub. 2/22, 3/1, 3/8, 3/15/2018 HT-1760</p>	<p>Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018040602</p> <p>The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JERMAINE THOMPSON BAIL BONDS 1) 317 W 60TH ST, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90003, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 2) 1929 W 41ST, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90062. Registered Owner(s): JERMAINE JOSEPH THOMPSON, 317 W 60TH ST, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90003. This business is being conducted by an INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 02/2018. Signed: JERMAINE JOSEPH THOMPSON, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on FEBRUARY 16, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on FEBRUARY 16, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to FEBRUARY 16, 2022. 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Five Tips to Avoid Seasonal Pest Problems

(BPT) - Daydreaming of spring is something everyone does during the coldest days of winter - even pests. The promise of warmer weather on the horizon is also a boon for the numerous species of pests that inhabit your area, and when the temperature perks up, many of those pests come out of hiding and start looking towards your home for food and shelter.

Protecting your home and property from seasonal intruders is a year-long job, but your task could be simpler if proper preparations are made in advance of spring's first bloom. To help you do just that, the National Pest Management Association (NPMA) offers these tips for keeping your property pest-free this year:

Identify the Threats

To start your pest prevention effectively, the first step is to know what to look for. The winter months saw an influx of furry critters trying to invade homes, but springtime pests are more often of the six-legged variety. Ants, flies, bees/hornets, ticks, mosquitoes and termites are all common nuisance pests during this season. Visit www.pestworld.org to learn



more about what threats are most common in your area and how to identify them.

Block the Openings

Even the smallest pests are able to find a way into your home, and in many cases that way is through your windows. Keep windows shut during swarming periods for insects like ants or termites and install screens and door sweeps to keep winged intruders, like flies, mosquitoes and hornets, out.

Make Your Yard Less Inviting

Don't allow your yard to be a base of operations for future pest activity. Keeping your grass freshly cut makes the space less appealing to pests, and trimming trees and bushes near your home is a great way to prevent easy access for potential travelers. Lastly, and perhaps most importantly, you should also remove standing water from your property. Even an upside-down Frisbee can

collect enough water to be a breeding ground for mosquitoes. Fill wet patches with dirt, if necessary, and tip over any cups, flower pots or bowls that collected water during the winter.

Look for Signs of Activity

A pest infestation can't stay hidden forever. Alive or dead insects in your home are a sign of a larger problem, as is damage to wood if you live in an area where termites are prevalent. Signs of a potential problem may exist outside, as well. Take a stroll around your home and check your roof for hornet nests. They will be small in the spring but will grow larger throughout the season if action isn't taken.

Contact the Experts

If you're looking for even more strategies to reduce the risk of pests infesting your home or you suspect your home has already succumbed to an infestation of some type, your local pest control professional can help you rid your home of existing threats and shore it up to prevent against new invaders. Visit www.pestworld.org to find a local exterminator in your area. It's the easiest way to turn your spring pest problem from growing to gone. •

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