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## Torrance's Emily Day Wraps Up Championship Weekend



Beach volleyball great and Torrance's own Emily Day (pictured on the right) and her partner Brittany Hochevar successfully defended their AVP Gold Series // Manhattan Beach Open title by defeating Nicole Brough and Brandie Wilkerson this past Sunday. Day and Hochevar were also inductees during last Thursday's Walk of Fame ceremony that kicked off the tournament. Photo by Mpu Dinani.

## Council Approves Grant Application For Justice Assistance Funds

By Cristian Vasquez

A recommendation by Torrance Interim Police Chief Michael Browne to approve the 2017 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) application was unanimously passed by members of the Torrance City Council on Tuesday.

This year the City of Torrance was eligible for \$14,211 in grant monies, which will be required to be used for enhancing law enforcement programs; prosecution and court programs; prevention and education programs; corrections and community corrections programs; drug treatment and enforcement programs; planning, evaluation and technology improvement programs; crime victim and witness programs (not to include compensation); and mental health programs and related law enforcement and corrections programs.

This year the Torrance Police Department requested that the JAG funds being applied for be used to pay for its Cadet Program. Councilman Milton S. Herring expressed his support for the program that is to benefit from the grant. "I just want to say that some of the cadets that I met, I am just so proud of the young men and women who are going into the program," he said. "We have a lot to be proud of in the city of Torrance with what we are doing to prepare them, and reaching out to this generation."

The Cadet Program was created in 2002 and has extended the opportunity to full-time college students between the ages of 18-21 interested in a law enforcement career to gain experience with the department. "Since 2007 we have hired 11 full-time police officers from the cadet program, so it has been very successful,"

said Browne. "At the moment there are eight cadets with the department and one is in the background check process in order to become a police officer."

Police cadets are assigned to various tasks throughout the department's multiple divisions, such as community outreach, report writing, preliminary investigations and customer service. All cadets must also engage in monthly ride-alongs to better prepare them in responding to all types of public concerns. Through the 2017 JAG funds, the department will be capable of supplementing other funds for the purpose

of retaining the current eight cadet positions, expand the pool of potential recruits, and add to the department's ability to provide services throughout its different programs.

The Office of Justice Programs homepage describes the JAG as the leading source of federal justice funding to state and local jurisdictions. The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant was created in honor of New York Police Department Officer Edward R. Byrne who in 1988 was murdered while on assignment protecting a witness that had agreed

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## Aircraft Noise Complaints Soar Under New System

By Rob McCarthy

When asked how they deal with the sound of jets arriving and departing around-the-clock at Los Angeles International Airport (LAX), area residents will shrug and either say they don't hear the noise anymore or it comes with the territory, so why complain? Living in the flight path of an international airport has a desensitizing effect on the eardrums, though that's not true not for everyone. Neighbors upset about plane noise are a small, yet vocal lot.

LAX a year ago installed a new reporting system for neighbors of the surrounding communities to file complaints about jet noise, low-flying planes, changes in flight paths and other annoyances. In that time,

the number of monthly complaints and individuals contacting airport authorities about planes flying too low or over their houses has increased dramatically, according to an analysis of the community response reports from LAX.

Last month, the public filed 5,287 complaints about planes operating in LAX airspace. The most recent number of grievances was nearly 1,100 higher than a year ago in July, which is the height of the summer travel season. Four communities--Culver City, Santa Monica, Monterey Park and Los Angeles--topped the list and those residents, in some cases, complained 30 times apiece to airport authorities either

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## Weekend Forecast

**Friday**  
Partly  
Cloudy  
76°/67°



**Saturday**  
Sunny  
79°/68°



**Sunday**  
Sunny  
81°/69°





# Police Reports

## Sunday, August 6

Burglary-Residential 8/6 10:54 PM 2500 BLOCK 230TH ST. Suspect(s) pries open sliding glass door for entry, ransacks and takes unknown loss at time of report.

Burglary-Residential Betw. 8/6 9:48:30 PM & 8/6 9:48:40 PM 2600 BLOCK 230TH ST. Suspect(s) removes window screen for entry, then flees upon hearing the victim/no loss.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 8/6 6:00:00 PM & 8/7 9:00:00 AM 4100 BLOCK 182ND ST. Suspect(s) pries open door for entry, ransacks/ no loss at time of report.

Theft Betw. 8/6 12:00:00 PM & 8/6 12:30:00 PM 23900 BLOCK OCEAN AVE. Suspect(s) takes victim's property/shoes.

Vandalism 8/6 10:22 AM 16900 BLOCK PRAIRIE AVE. Suspect(s) damages victim vehicle's windshield and side mirror by unknown means.

Theft Betw. 8/6 8:45:00 AM & 8/6 8:55:00 AM 5200 BLOCK DEELANE ST. Suspect(s) takes unattended property from front of location/bicycle.

## Monday, August 7

Theft Betw. 8/7 11:40:00 PM & 8/8 2:15:00 AM 2600 BLOCK PACIFIC COAST HWY. Suspect(s) removes front wheel from bicycle by unknown means.

Vandalism 8/7 9:14 PM 4000 BLOCK 182ND ST. Suspect(s) scratches victim's vehicle's paint and pours unknown substance on door handle.

Robbery-Weapon Betw. 8/7 8:50:00 PM & 8/7 8:53:00 PM 25600 BLOCK LAZY MEADOW DR. Suspect-1 attempts to take money from victim's hand and kicks victim in the leg before five additional suspects punch and kick victim and take his property/cash.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 8/7 7:25:00 PM & 8/7 8:45:00 PM 21200 BLOCK HAWTHORNE BLVD. Suspect(s) smashes windows for entry and takes property/laptop, laptop bag, paperwork.

Theft Betw. 8/7 7:20:00 PM & 8/7 7:40:00 PM 3000 BLOCK SEPULVEDA BLVD.

Suspect(s) removes unattended property from counter/cell phone.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 8/7 6:30:00 PM & 8/7 9:00:12 PM 21500 BLOCK HAWTHORNE BLVD. Suspect(s) smashes window for entry and takes property/watch, bag, paperwork, day planner.

Theft Betw. 8/7 4:55:00 PM & 8/7 4:59:26 PM 16400 BLOCK WILTON PL. Suspect(s) takes property off of porch/delivered parcel.

Theft Betw. 8/7 1:50:00 PM & 8/7 2:15:00 PM 2500 BLOCK PACIFIC COAST HWY. Suspect bumps victim and removes property from backpack/wallet.

Theft Betw. 8/7 1:20:00 PM & 8/9 8:00:00 AM 3500 BLOCK DEL AMO BLVD. Suspect(s) takes property off of porch/delivered parcel.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 8/7 3:30:00 AM & 8/7 9:00:00 AM 1400 BLOCK CRAVE.NS AVE. Suspect(s) pries open parking structure gate, enters victim's unlocked vehicle, and take property/arts and crafts, bag.

Burglary-Commercial Betw. 8/7 1:03:00 AM & 8/7 1:05:00 AM 20900 BLOCK EARL ST. Suspect(s) enters building by unknown means, smashes pharmacy window and takes property/medicine.

## Tuesday, August 8

Burglary-Auto Betw. 8/8 11:30:00 PM & 8/9 8:00:00 AM 20400 BLOCK ANZA AVE. Suspect(s) enters vehicle by unknown means and takes property/bag, tools, garage remote.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 8/8 9:00:00 PM & 8/9 5:50:00 AM 21000 BLOCK ANZA AVE. Suspect(s) enters vehicle by unknown means and takes property/work ID, internet access card, keys.

Auto Theft-All Betw. 8/8 9:00:00 PM & 8/9 7:00:00 AM 20400 BLOCK ANZA AVE. Stolen Vehicle: '14 Daix Scooter.

Burglary-Residential Betw. 8/8 6:00:00 PM & 8/9 10:00:00 AM 1800 BLOCK 178TH ST. Stolen vehicle: '98 BMW 528i.

Battery-Simple 8/8 1:10 PM 2000 BLOCK ABALONE AVE. Suspect punches victim

in the head.

Theft Betw. 8/8 11:55:00 AM & 8/8 12:15:00 PM 3300 BLOCK TORRANCE BLVD. Suspect(s) removes unattended property from computer station/laptop.

Burglary-Commercial Betw. 8/8 5:50:00 AM & 8/8 6:00:00 AM 23800 BLOCK HAWTHORNE BLVD. Suspect(s) uses a brick to smash glass door for entry, uses another brick to gain access to office/unknown loss at time of report.

Auto Theft-All 8/8 4:47 AM 100 BLOCK VIA SEGO. Stolen Vehicle: '17 Toyota Rav4.

## Wednesday, August 9

Burglary-Auto Betw. 8/9 11:00:00 PM

# 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, AUGUST 24

• Propagation Society – Planting Seeds for the Future, 10:30 AM., Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve, 3201 Plaza Del Amo, free to public, Call: 310-782-3989.

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 25

• Free Advance Directive Workshop, 10:00 AM. – 11:00 AM., 5315 Torrance Blvd. Suite #B1, Call: 310-543-3402.  
• Friday Fun for Kids, 10:00 AM. – 12:00 PM., free, Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve, 3201 Plaza Del Amo, Call: 310-782-3989.  
• CITY HALL – Closed (All Day)  
• So Cal Annual Dance Competition, 5:00 PM., Tickets \$15, James Armstrong Theatre, 3330 Civic Center Drive, Call: 310-494-1022.

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

• Torrance Certified Farmers' Market at Wilson Park, 8:00 AM. – 1:00 PM., 2200 Crenshaw Blvd., Between Carson St. & Sepulveda, Call: 310-781-7520.

& 8/10 9:30:00 AM 5100 BLOCK REESE ROAD. Suspect(s) enters vehicle by unknown means and takes property/wallets, gift cards, cash, paperwork.

Burglary-Auto Betw. 8/9 8:30:00 PM & 8/12 12:00:00 PM 5000 BLOCK HALISON ST. Suspect(s) enters vehicle by unknown means and takes property/MP3, cash, knife.

Auto Theft-All Betw. 8/9 8:00:00 PM & 8/10 7:00:00 AM MAPLE AVE. & MONTEREY ST. Stolen vehicle: '91 Toyota Cressida.

Theft Betw. 8/9 7:00:00 PM & 8/9 8:00:00 PM 2900 BLOCK SEPULVEDA BLVD. Suspect(s) removes property from unlocked locker/cell phone, keys, bag. •

• Free Concert In The Park, At The New Amphitheater at Wilson Park, free, 4:00 PM. – 6:00 PM., 2200 Crenshaw Blvd., 310-618-2376.

• Sister Act (Torrance Theater Company), 8:00 PM., Tickets: \$35/\$30, James Armstrong Theatre, 3330 Civic Center Drive, Call: 310-781-7171.

## SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

• Walking Tour of Historic Old Torrance, 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM., free, open to public, wear comfortable shoes.

## MONDAY, AUGUST 28

• Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve - CLOSED, 3201 Plaza Del Amo.

## TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

• 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, Council Chamber, 3031 Torrance Blvd., Call: 310-618-2780.

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

• Propagation Society – Planting Seeds for the Future, 10:30 AM., Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve, 3201 Plaza Del Amo, free to public, Call: 310-782-3989. •

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# Community Briefs

## Support Group for Families with Mentally Ill Members

The South Bay Affiliate of the all-volunteer non-profit National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) is offering a Family Support Group for families with a person with a mental illness in the family from 7 to 8:30 p.m. on the fourth Monday of the month starting August 28 in the Rose Garden Room, El Segundo Library at 111 West Mariposa Avenue, El Segundo. This support group is in addition to other support groups offered in other South Bay locations and to the educational programs on mental illness provided by NAMI South Bay. It is open to adults with loved one who live with a mental illness. It is free of cost to participants. No specific medical therapy or medication is endorsed or recommended.

Persons should attend who desire to improve coping skills and discover your inner strength, find hope in knowing that you are

not alone, learn from the collective knowledge and experience of other participants and gain support in a confidential setting.

NAMI South Bay is an affiliate of NAMI California and NAMI National. NAMI is the nation's largest grassroots mental health organization providing advocacy, education, support and public awareness so that all individuals and families affected by mental illness can build better lives. For more information please visit the NAMI South Bay website at [www.namisouthbay.com](http://www.namisouthbay.com).

NAMI South Bay has regular monthly meetings on the third Monday of the month, unless there is a legal holiday. The Caring and Sharing Family support group meets, in English, 6 p.m. to 7:15 p.m., followed by the general meeting, First Lutheran Church, 2900 West Carson Street, Torrance.

– Source: NAMI South Bay

## “Concert of the Century” Celebrates Torrance High Centennial

Torrance High School (THS) celebrates 100 years with an event that will be music to your ears! The Torrance High Centennial Committee is hosting a special “Concert of the Century” featuring talented Tartar alumni, including David Pack best known as the co-founder, singer and guitarist of Ambrosia who wrote and sang all of the timeless hits they produced in the 1970s and ‘80s. David will be performing his classic hits “Biggest Part of Me,” “How Much I Feel,” and “You’re the Only Woman.”

Beyond Ambrosia, David established himself as a successful solo artist, Grammy-winning record producer and music director of global special events—including both of President Clinton’s Inaugural Galas, and events for Barbara Streisand, Elton John, Billy Joel, Madonna and others. His music mentors were friends Quincy Jones and the late Leonard Bernstein, but it all started for David in his hometown of Torrance. He has worked with THS Centennial Committee for a

year to make this one of the most meaningful events of our lives.

The concert will be led by THS alumni (and still best friends) Fred Beato and David Pack, performing songs from their recent album Beato Band ([www.beatoband.com](http://www.beatoband.com)). Joining them onstage will be alumnus Tom Croucier, their former high school bandmate.

The night would not be complete without a tribute to Torrance High’s own Symbols of Tyme, winners of the 1968 United States Battle of the Bands that includes original lead singer Croucier and other surprises!

After nearly a year of blending the new with the old, the restoration project of the 800-plus seat Torrance High Auditorium is complete, and that is where this “Concert of the Century” will be held on Saturday, September 9 at 7 p.m. For ticket information, go to [www.TorranceHighCentennial.com](http://www.TorranceHighCentennial.com).

For details regarding associated Centennial events, visit [www.TorranceHighCentennial.com](http://www.TorranceHighCentennial.com).

– Source: Torrance Historical Society

## Concert Benefits Torrance-South Bay YMCA Military Family Support Program

To help support the Torrance-South Bay YMCA Military Family Support Program, the community is invited to a special private concert and wine tasting event. This event will feature Robert Mondavi One Hope Wines and live entertainment provided by Andy Hill and Renee Safier.

The Y benefit concert and wine tasting will take place on Sunday, September 10, 2-5 p.m. at a private hilltop residence overlooking the ocean in Hollywood Riviera in Torrance. Individual tickets are available for \$50.

“What better than an afternoon of great wine, old school rock by Andy and Renee, overlooking the ocean, Queens’s Necklace and our beautiful South Bay all in support of the Y’s veterans programs,” said Athena Paquette-Cormier, Y supporter and host. “I hope you can join us for this first ever House Concert to support the Y and our vets.”

For more information about this event, please contact Athena Paquette at 310-218-6855. To purchase tickets visit [www.ymcala.org/torrance-south-bay/pages/torrance-south-bay-y-benefit-concert](http://www.ymcala.org/torrance-south-bay/pages/torrance-south-bay-y-benefit-concert)

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# Sports

## Up and Adam

## West Football Looking for Pioneer League Championship

By Adam Serrao

The West High Warriors were the best football team from the city of Torrance in the Pioneer League last season. That is certainly a feat that head coach Greg Holt and the rest of the Warriors will be looking to duplicate once the year gets started again next Friday night at Culver City. Though Holt and West were better than four other teams from within their own division, including all of their inner-city rivals, there was still one team that kept them out of first place. With a new season about to get underway, the Warriors will be looking to take the next step in attaining an undefeated record in divisional play and a Pioneer League championship this season.

If there is any one adjective to describe the West High football team from one season ago, it is the word dominant. That dominance was on full display early on in the season when the Warriors came out of the gates and took down a Culver City Centaurs team that challenged for first place in the Ocean League last year. From the very first game of the season, starting quarterback Drake Peabody showed that he would become a leader for the team. Two rushing touchdowns and two passing touchdowns not only accounted for 27 of his team’s 34 points against the Centaurs, but also led the Warriors back from a 17-7 deficit to hang on for a 34-33 win.

West was able to squeak out various other close victories throughout the season last year as well, like a 24-21 win over Carson or the 14-10 victory over rival North High. In each of those games, it was again Peabody igniting the offense to bring his team back from behind in order to capture what turned out to be victories.

Peabody wasn’t the only player producing on offense for West last year. Another quarterback by the name of Max Parish filled in excellently for Peabody when the latter was forced to the sideline due to injury. Parish and the team’s starting running back, EJ Hatter, formed a nice duo that looked virtually unstoppable at times. When West had back-to-back shutout victories over the Centennial Apaches and bitter cross-town rivals, the South High Spartans, it was Parish and Hatter who gave the team momentum with 28 of the team’s 42 total points against Centennial. In the team’s matchup against South, Peabody was back in action, but he and Hatter combined for three of the team’s four touchdowns on the night to grab another

28-0 victory for the Warriors.

Though the Warriors experienced an extremely successful season filled with mostly triumphs and accomplishments, there did prove to be a team or two that acted as a thorn in West High’s side. One of those teams was the Leuzinger Olympians. Leuzinger came out of nowhere last year to put together a 15-win season and finish in first place in the Pioneer League standings. One of those 15 wins was over the Warriors when the Olympians’ defense held West to zero second-half points in a 25-10 defeat. That loss for the Warriors was one of only four on the year, but it was the team’s very next defeat that would prove to be the most costly and crucial.

After locking up the second place spot in the divisional standings, the Warriors moved on to the playoffs where they ran up against an absolute powerhouse in the Lawndale Cardinals. Lawndale is a team expected to be dominant once again this season, but it also took it to West in the first half of last year’s playoff matchup at Lawndale High. Despite getting on the board first with a touchdown, the Warriors gave up 34 unanswered points in a 48-14 loss. West was kicked out of the playoffs and its season was officially over with the loss.

It has been a long offseason for Holt and the Warriors, but one that is finally about to come to an end when they take the field in one week. When they do, it will be without a variety of key players from last year’s team. Among the notable departures will be Peabody, along with Hatter, wide receiver Shige Kato and 17 other seniors from last year’s team. One saving grace for West is that Parish will be back to play under center. He’ll take over a very young roster that is up against stiff competition this season as the Warriors will be looking to get back into playoff contention.

In West’s quest for success this season, it will play a schedule that is identical to last year. A win against Leuzinger clearly sits atop the Warriors’ agenda this season—but with so many departures from last year’s squad, a win against any divisional opponent will have to do. West High found success last year, but may just find that success a little bit harder to come by for a second year in a row. Holt and the rest of the roster will need major contributions from the young players on the team in order to keep up with the likes of North High and other rivals from the Pioneer League this season. •

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# TerriAnn in Torrance

## Torrance Gardens Are Coming Up Roses Again...

By TerriAnn Ferren

It all began about two months ago when a new composite fence replaced my old wooden, termite-infested fence surrounding my garden and patio. Preparing for the construction, I dutifully moved my potted plants from the fence and had the larger pots moved for me by horticulturist extraordinaire John Bauman--along with the removal of my wall fountain, my red terra cotta temperature gauge, and a pottery sun that I have had for a long time--to the opposite side of the garden, safe from any possibility of breakage. Taking such precautions, I thought, would ensure the builders a safe construction zone. In fact, after John carefully removed all the vines from the fence, I even relocated my white iron table and two chairs into the garage, feeling secure all was safe. That was my first mistake.

Setting the fence anchor posts into the ground took a couple of days, but the assembly of the slats took only one day. Up she went! Coming home through the front gate for the first time, after the new fence had been installed, was a shock. Sure, the fence was beautiful, but my garden had taken a beating. Not only were the flowerpots dislodged, but also the trellis of jasmine was

lying on the concrete, looking rather sad. And for me, what is a garden without the sound of water? My fountain was laying on the blanket just waiting to be placed back onto the wall.

Then I saw them, or rather, saw where they used to be. My two favorite Fragrant Cloud rose bushes had been casualties of the construction. Nothing was left of the two rosebushes I have had for many years. And I mean nothing. Only dirt remained. It had been a complete annihilation. I realize they were not the heartiest of bushes, but they still produced flowers. It was sad, but I had prepared myself for the worst, realizing it was a possibility.

Have you ever tended a flower, plant, tree or shrub only to have it die inadvertently or suddenly? Well, my two favorite rosebushes were gone, but despair wasn't on the menu, so off I went to the local nursery in search of replacements. As luck would have it, the shop had two five-gallon Fragrant Cloud rosebushes in their inventory. Snapping them up, and just barely fitting them both into my car, off I went--home with my treasure.

Now what? At this point I realized why people have weekly gardeners. Granted, lots of people enjoy planting their own annuals,

but even our City of Torrance Adopt-A-Rose Garden near the corner of Torrance Boulevard and Maple Avenue has a team of "semi-professional" gardeners tending the sea of roses. Every time I pass that rose garden, I marvel how beautiful it looks. I wished I had help or the name of someone who tends the roses for the city rose garden.

Lifting the five-gallon rosebushes out of my car was no easy task and moving them into the garden wasn't easy either. They were heavy! Thankfully, I remembered I had my rolling cart in the trunk of the car and that sturdy little device helped me--one five-gallon tub at a time--move the rosebushes into the patio. When I scooted the second rosebush off of the cart, I actually felt a sense of accomplishment. For me, those two rosebushes were very heavy (I did notice, though, that when I next drove my car, the fragrance of the blooms still lingered inside).

I left the two five-gallon rosebushes inside my garden for the night, deciding the next day was soon enough for hunting down help for the planting. As it turned out, finding someone who would plant the two rosebushes wasn't as easy as you might think. First of all, it was a small job. But I knew I needed someone to dig two deep holes, which most assuredly would entail cutting through a maze of roots. I am not a wimp, but I realized it was a job much too strenuous for me. Nursery? No luck. Florist? No luck. At this point, I was toying with the idea of actually giving it the old college try myself--heck with my back! But saner moments prevailed and waiting a week or so proved helpful because I ran into my handyman who said he could dig the holes. Really? But he is a carpenter/electrician/painter/designer and not a gardener. "No worries," he told me, "After all, it is simply digging holes, isn't it?" What a relief!

Two days later, my handyman arrived with his assortment of shovels. He told me what kind of shovels he had brought and frankly, I never knew there were so many different styles with so many different shapes and uses. I left him to his work and went out for the day.

When I arrived home, my two beautiful Fragrant Cloud rosebushes were planted. You would have thought it was Christmas! No matter that I still have to dig a moat around each bush and provide feed and deep water. I was just so happy seeing the roses back where they belonged--in the ground. Actually, truth be told, the new bushes were much healthier, stronger, bigger and better looking than the old bushes.



A plethora of roses.

Since the planting of my rosebushes last weekend, I have driven around Torrance admiring citizens' rosebushes. I spotted three rosebushes alongside a house that reminded me of mine. Then I noticed a plethora of rosebushes in front of several other houses with explosions of blooms. My rosebushes are flowerless at the moment, but I intend on feeding, watering, spraying and nurturing them so they will grow strong and produce an abundance of super-fragrant flowers. After all, Fragrant Cloud is my favorite fragrant flower.

May I suggest you take a look at your own garden, no matter how small, and tend to it a little? Torrance is a beautiful place and all the home gardens I noticed have special plants and flowers. We are so blessed with our summer sunshine. Let's not waste an opportunity for beautifying our wonderful city of Torrance. •



The City of Torrance Adopt-A-Rose Employee Rose Garden.

## Aircraft Noise

by phone or online.

Neighbors who used the LAX noise disturbance reporting system last month complained most about unusually loud planes (2,008) and low-flying planes (1,156). Late-night or early-morning flights drew 535 comments, which LAX officials say is to be expected because the international airport operates 24 hours a day. Another 457 airport neighbors objected to planes flying over their homes, but LAX responded to those commenters that the flight paths of incoming and outbound planes are determined by the Federal Aviation Administration and not the airport.

Under the year-old noise-reporting system, airport administrations investigate and reply to five complaints registered per person in a month and include their findings in month reports posted at the LAWA.org website. The policy limits the number of public nuisance investigations by LAX, but that hasn't stopped residents from Culver City to Palos Verdes from filing multiple complaints, most of which are about daytime air traffic.

An analysis of July's community response to LAX aircraft points to hot pockets in South Bay where residents who see something, say something. Behind Santa Monica and Culver City, it was Inglewood residents who had the most problems with plane noise. LAX reported 161 complaints from 22 Inglewood residents.

Nine people in Hawthorne generated 40 noise complaints last month. Seven Manhattan Beach residents lodged 24 complaints about planes, followed by Playa del Rey where four people made 18 comments about disturbances

coming from the airport. The average number of complaints per resident in those cities was between three and four, compared to one per month for El Segundo, Lawndale and Torrance residents, the data showed.

Redondo Beach residents weren't as quiet as their neighbors to the north and east. The beach city generated 153 aircraft complaints last month coming from 45 individuals. Overall, the number of noise complaints coming from area residents has increased steadily since January. LAX officials who prepared the July noise and disturbance report have seen a 30 percent jump in public complaints compared to a year ago, July 2016.

Some of the bothersome issues caused by jets are out of the airport's control while others are maintenance-related as LAX continues its modernization of terminals and runways, administrators say in their comments left for individuals who have complained about night flights and planes using the outer runway close to Imperial Avenue. "The FAA has ultimate authority over aircraft flight patterns and regulates virtually all aviation activity with the major emphasis on safety," airport administrators charged with investigating public comments repeat often in their findings when aircraft deviate from normal flight patterns or circle the airport at a low altitude.

Fog and low clouds can amplify the noise of aircraft inbound or leaving LAX, and neighbors are often advised that the weather was likely the reason why planes were louder than normal on a given day. It's not always a matter of perception when plane noise gets

reported. Last week, LAX closed the south inbound runway nightly for five hours to complete construction on the runway's safety area. Beach city residents to the south of the airport were warned to expect more noise overnight from 1 to 6 a.m. because the outer runway would be busier with inbound and outgoing air traffic. The inner runway was expected to reopen on August 21, the airport said.

LAX also assured South Bay residents that nighttime air traffic will continue to use an eastbound approach from the ocean between midnight and 6:30 a.m.

The Los Angeles airport authority launched the LAWA Noise Management comment system on August 1, 2016 to allow the public to submit noise concerns and for the airport staff to collect and study the issues reported by individuals. People as far north as Thousand Oaks and in Huntington Beach to the south have filed noise complaints through the LAX system over the past 12 months. In most cases, the comments from far-reaching comments are found to have no connection to activity at LAX.

Often, a single event will trigger multiple complaints at the LAX noise-reporting site. Officials ask anyone filing a noise complaint to provide their address and city to allow staff to identify disturbances and trends in specific neighborhoods surround LAX. There are four ways to report aircraft disturbances to LAX administrators, who are required to follow up and make an investigation based on aircraft that were in the air at the time of a reported incident:

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- Complete a noise complaint form at [www.planenoise.com/lawa/nR9k3pXb/lax/](http://www.planenoise.com/lawa/nR9k3pXb/lax/).
- Log on to LAX WebTrak Site to track flights in real time. Users can view, identify aircraft operations and perform self-investigation, according to LAX officials. Click on the online comment form tab at the top left hand corner, then the "Comment Form" button.
- Download the LAX Mobile Web App from an iPhone or Android mobile device at the link: <http://www.planenoise.com/mobile/lawa/nR9k3pXb/lax/>
- For those who prefer to call and speak with an airport staff member, there is a 24-hour LAX Aircraft Noise Comment Line at (424) 64-NOISE or (424) 646-6473. LAX "makes every effort to answer the line whenever possible," it says. Callers who can't reach a staff person should leave a detailed message, including the date and time when an aircraft created excessive noise, was flying low or performed a questionable maneuver in LAX airspace.

For unexplained reasons, the number of individuals reporting aircraft noise and activity to LAX has jumped 135 percent in the past year, from 113 in July 2016. Last month, 331 people lodged complaints with the airport. One individual in Calabasas, northwest of Malibu, complained 36 times last month. Two Palos Verdes addresses accounted for 73 complaints to the airport. That paled in comparison to one annoyed household in Rosemead, sandwiched between the Pomona Freeway and the 10 Freeway. A single address in the community east of downtown Los Angeles objected 64 times last month to LAX traffic. •



# Chocolate Chip Cookies



## Ingredients

- 1/2 cup butter, melted
- 1 egg
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1/4 cup Sugar In The Raw
- 1/2 cup Stevia In The Raw Bakers Bag
- 1 1/4 cup all-purpose flour
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup macadamia nuts
- 1 cup chocolate chips

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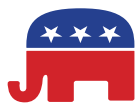
## Preparation

1. In a medium bowl, toss blueberries with flour. Add sugar and vanilla extract. Toss. Preheat oven to 375 F.
2. In a large bowl, beat together the melted butter, egg, vanilla extract and the Sugar In The Raw/Stevia In The Raw Bakers Bag combo. Meanwhile, mix dry ingredients (flour, baking soda, salt) in a separate bowl.
3. Add dry ingredients to wet ingredients and stir well to combine. Slowly add nuts and chocolate chips until well combined. Drop the dough in spoonfuls onto ungreased baking sheets. Bake for 10 minutes. •

Makes 2 dozen cookies. Nutrition information:  
Per serving (1 cookie): 144 calories, 9 g fat (4.5 g saturated fat), 16 g carbohydrate, 1 g protein, <1 g dietary fiber, 75 mg sodium.



# Politically Speaking



## One Man's Opinion

### When Education is Sacrificed, Consequences Can Be Troubling

By Cristian Vasquez

Cutting funds from education is dangerous because it leaves young minds vulnerable to misinformation. When money is tight, we have become accustomed to targeting education with budget cuts. Typically areas like the arts and music are the first to suffer, but the entire curriculum is affected. The danger is that when students have to miss out on lesson plans, whatever the cause, they go through school with certain blanks in their knowledge because teachers might have to skip or rush through sections. Enter the comments by Christian radio host Bryan Fischer.

The Christian entertainer used his platform to express that the recent eclipse is a sign of God. To Fischer's credit he did say his comments are "a metaphor," but he immediately followed that disclaimer with "or a sign, of the work of the Prince of Darkness in obscuring the light of God's truth." While the radio host might have very well been speaking metaphorically, the fact that he threw in that little "or a sign" make his comments dangerous. Why dangerous? Because we know through basic science what causes an eclipse. We know that a solar eclipse is caused when the moon orbits in between the earth and the sun, causing sunlight to be fully or partially blocked. We also know that a lunar eclipse is when the moon passed directly behind the earth, into our planet's shadow.

So, is an eclipse really a sign from God? Metaphorically speaking it could be compared to anything--but when he sneaks in "or a sign," the message being sent out can have

detrimental effects. I'm going to guess that this radio host has a pretty sizeable following and that those listeners are reasonable grownups who can see past subtleties of the language. However, what happens when a kid is listening? Granted the hypothetical child in this example isn't receiving life-threatening information, but it is taking in false information that can be a detriment to their overall education.

Yes, parents can impart any religious teachings they deem appropriate for their child. Furthermore, the school shouldn't (unless faith-based) interfere with said religious teachings. However, when schools suffer budget cuts, there is a negative trickle effect throughout the student body because of the lessons missed that they will not get back. I currently work with kids and the two weeks leading up to the eclipse were filled with questions about the event: "Is it true it's the end of the world?" or as vague as, "I heard it's something with God." Fortunately, our principal made it a point that we focused on the eclipse and explained why the event was such a big deal in the news.

I'm not trying to attack Fischer for his comments, or belittle what he does or believes. He caters to a grown-up audience that can very well turn the dial if they don't like what they hear. And kids will always have some outlandish rumor that they heard to explain a particular event. However, when false comparisons are made and education is the easiest area to cut from when money is short, that can lead to troubling consequences. •

## Another Man's Opinion

### Missouri State Senator Calls for Trump's Assassination, and the Elite Media's Response: Crickets

By Duane Plank

Newsflash: Senator Maria Chappelle-Nadal was adamant that she isn't resigning over a Facebook post calling for President Donald Trump's assassination. Chappelle-Nadal, a University City, Missouri Democrat, has faced calls by Missouri's top Democrats and Republicans demanding she resign from the legislature over a comment she posted on her personal Facebook Thursday: "I hope Trump is assassinated."

Perfect. Ms. Chappelle-Nadal apparently removed her outrageous post, but has caught little, if any pushback. Imagine if a Republican pol had called for Mr. Obama's assassination?

This is where we are, now, politically speaking. A Dem pol posits for the assassination of our President. And doesn't apologize. And, in this tilting leftist world, no one apparently cares enough to make it a big deal. Instead, on CNN's Sunday morning weekly media round-up show, the focus was on how unfit and unstable Trump is, and how the heck can we get him out?

Did CNN and MSNBC go 24/7 demanding this lady, who wants to assassinate our President, be adiosed? Uh, no. Shockingly, they moved on and out, hoping to make a conflagration out of the Boston walk-arounds last Saturday. A nothing-burger in which leftist protesters--many of them the same folks who are paid to travel around the country and stir up trouble--were asked by the brave men and women who were trying to keep the peace in Boston (the police) to refrain from "throwing

bottles, rocks and urine" at them.

Any of you see the movie *Monuments Men*? I watched the first 20 minutes, got bored. Short attention span, which comes with old age.

Anyway, aging military Americans, a mish-mash of historians, art scholars and dreaded academics, went into Germany to rescue old stuff that had been gripped by ruthless Nazis.

Now a bunch of folks--and I guarantee you this, some who could not even spell *monument*--who should maybe secure a job, as opposed to being paid to protest (you do know that a lot of these thugs on the left are paid protesters, right?) are demanding the removal of historic statues.

CNN is going 24/7 right now, Saturday morning, as the peaceful protest is going on in Boston. Dems and sycophants are out there wandering around with signs and wearing Skechers--and many of those paid protesters are presumably on the dole, pleading for an opportunity to get on TV. Fifteen seconds of fame. As fabled conman and boxing promoter Don King once said, "Only in America."

CNN was very disappointed that no heads were crushed, that no idiot decided to try to run over some of the protesters. No viral videos. No talking points for the next day's news cycle.

Based out here in California, the monument question is a tangential fight, right?

BTW, what happened to the Russia collusion deal? Now it is all about the monuments. When this imbroglia peters out, what is the next talking point in the leftist playbook? •



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## City Council

to testify in court against local drug dealers. The Department's Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) administers the program, hence allowing states and local governments to fund a wide range of activities designed to prevent and control crime, as well as to improve the criminal justice system.

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The department accepts applications on an ongoing basis. Persons interested can fill an application by visiting: <https://www.torranceca.gov/government/police/join-our-team/cadet-application-form>. Applications are also available at the Torrance Police Department and can be submitted to the front desk officer upon completion. Additional information about the Cadet Program can be obtained by calling the Cadet Program Coordinator at (310) 618-2325.

"I would say to any young adult that is listening tonight that has any interested in law enforcement, contact the Torrance Police Department and take this opportunity to get that experience in law enforcement," said Browne. •

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**Across**  
1. Award  
6. Prayer leader  
10. Winter Palace ruler  
14. Hippodrome, e.g.  
15. Tibetan languages  
16. Maui dance  
17. Not concentrated at one point  
19. Group of poems  
20. Emerald city visitor  
21. Trawling equipment  
22. Declivitous  
23. Go out with  
24. Position  
25. Loud noise  
26. \_\_\_\_ Carson  
27. Defeat  
29. Emission that's bad for the environment (abbr.)  
32. To no \_\_\_\_  
35. Castle barrier  
36. Duffer's cry  
37. Not extreme  
40. Medieval drink  
41. Wound  
42. Comparison shopper's quest  
43. To each his \_\_\_\_  
44. Brass component  
45. Able-bodied  
46. Wood sorrels

48. Pedestal topper  
50. Champagne with Perignon  
53. Vocalize like a bird  
55. Titanic's nemesis  
56. Hindu Mr.  
57. Confidential helper  
58. Written order for the payment of a sum  
60. Braveheart hillside  
61. Aztec comparable  
62. Looped rope  
63. Peddle  
64. Like Easter eggs  
65. Antique auto

**Down**  
1. Manhandles  
2. "It's a Wonderful Life" role  
3. "Robinson Crusoe" author  
4. Unknown writer (abbr.)  
5. Fond du \_\_\_\_, Wis.  
6. Atlas enlargement  
7. MSc  
8. Forever and a day  
9. Like some scientists  
10. Precedes iota  
11. Very trendy  
12. Plant with healing properties  
13. Farrier's tool  
18. Squad

22. Soak  
24. Window feature  
25. Baseball great  
26. Cruel pirate  
28. Formal affirmation  
30. German lady  
31. Formally surrender  
32. Magazine contents  
33. Penthouse feature  
34. Sounding as if the nose were pinched  
35. Express regret  
36. Where boys will be boys  
38. Sponsorship: Var.  
39. Satan's forte  
44. Destroy  
45. Old-fashioned guy  
47. Angler's basket  
49. Be reluctant  
50. Carpentry grooves  
51. Thin opposite  
52. Marine gastropod  
53. NY street users  
54. Put on the payroll  
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56. Warner \_\_\_\_  
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**SUDOKU** *Medium*

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE STUDIO 4U 1) 211 W BEACH AVENUE, INGLEWOOD, CA, 90302, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 2) 4330 W 60<sup>TH</sup> STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90043. Registered Owner(s): 1) JOANA TROCAN-GARRETT, 4330 W 60<sup>TH</sup> STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90043. 2) MEGAN SAHNAZOGLU, 10911 TERRYVIEW DRIVE, STUDIO CITY, CA, 91604. This business is being conducted by A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: JOANA TROCAN-GARRETT, PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 27, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on JULY 27, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JULY 27, 2022. 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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HI-1679

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017209020

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) SECURITY TRUCK LOCKS, 10827 ACACIA AVE., LENNOX, CA 90304. 2) P.O. 91114, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90009. LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): RAUL BARBA INC. 3327 W. 112<sup>TH</sup> STREET, INGLEWOOD, CA 90303. CA. This business is being conducted by a corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 09/1992. Signed: RAUL BARBA INC, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 2, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on AUGUST 2, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to AUGUST 2, 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).

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HI-1684

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017186802

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) LOVE N LIGHT TIDYING 2) LOVE N LIGHT VISION, 113 S AVIATION BLVD, MANHATTAN BEACH, CA 90266, LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

Registered Owner(s): MANDARIN KAR LING SO, 113 S AVIATION BLVD, MANHATTAN BEACH, CA 90266. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 07/2017. Signed: MANDARIN KAR LING SO, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 17, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on JULY 17, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JULY 17, 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).

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H-1670

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017203166

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) PHELPS FAMILY DAYCARE 2) PHELPS FAMILY CHILD CARE, 5240 W 124<sup>TH</sup> PLACE, DEL AIRE, CA 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): 1) ELLAINE PHELPS, 5240 W. 124<sup>TH</sup> PLACE, DEL AIRE, CA, 90250 2) ELLAINE PHELPS, 5240 W. 124<sup>TH</sup> PLACE, DEL AIRE, 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: 07/2017. Signed: ELLAINE PHELPS, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 31, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on JULY 31, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JULY 31, 2022. 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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H-1675

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017205040

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DYNAMIC COAST SALES, 1) 2362 W 233<sup>RD</sup> ST, TORRANCE, CA, 90501, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 2) 2362 W 233<sup>RD</sup> ST, TORRANCE, CA, 90501. Registered Owner(s): DUSTIN ERNEST SHAEFER, 2362 W 233<sup>RD</sup> ST, TORRANCE, CA, 90501. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: DUSTIN ERNEST SHAEFER, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUG 1, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on AUG 1, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to AUG 1, 2022. 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. 8/10, 8/17, 8/24, 8/31/2017

HT-1680

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017219766

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) KWIKSHOPS, 13003 ARCTURUS AVENUE, GARDENA, CA 90249. 2) KWIKSHOP INDUSTRIES, P.O. BOX 4029, CULVER CITY, CA 90231. LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): VURNE BOBBS JR., 13003 ARCTURUS AVENUE, GARDENA, CA 90249. This business is being conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 08/2017. Signed: VURNE BOBBS JR., OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 10, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on AUGUST 10, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to AUGUST 10, 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).

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H-1685

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017200686

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LA POSADA DE VALLEY MOTEL 1) 7615 SEPULVEDA BLVD, VAN NUYS, CA, 91405, LOS ANGELES COUNTY 2) 19317 DERBYSHIRE LANE, CERRITOS, CA, 90703. Registered Owner(s): TANGIERS LODGING LLC, 7615 SEPULVEDA BLVD, VAN NUYS, CA, 91405.

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: 05/2007. Signed: TANGIERS LODGING LLC, MANAGING MEMBER, RAJUBHAI L PATEL. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 27, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on JULY 27, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JULY 27, 2022. 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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H-1671

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017203935

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CANABIS WORKS, 1) 1715 W ANAHEIM STREET, LONG BEACH, CA 90813, LOS ANGELES COUNTY 2) 4026 HICKMAN DRIVE, TORRANCE, CA 90504. Registered Owner(s): 1715 W ANAHEIM LLC, 1715 W ANAHEIM STREET, LONG BEACH, CA 90813.

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: N/A. Signed: 1715 W ANAHEIM LLC, MANAGING MEMBER, DAN CORBEI. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 31, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on JULY 31, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JULY 31, 2022. 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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H-1676

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017209404

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LUXURY LIFESTYLE CREATIONS 1) 17801 CRENSHAW BLVD., #3, TORRANCE, CA 90504, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 2) 10926 CHANERA AVENUE, INGLEWOOD, CA, 90303. Registered Owner(s): LATANYA WYATT, 17801 CRENSHAW BLVD., #3, TORRANCE, CA, 90504. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: LATANYA WYATT, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUG 3, 2017.

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TORRANCE TRIBUNE: Pub. 8/10, 8/17, 8/24, 8/31/2017

HT-1681

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017200804

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TRAVELERS INN MOTEL, 1) 10100 S INGLEWOOD AVE, INGLEWOOD, CA, 90304, LOS ANGELES COUNTY 2) 19317 DERBYSHIRE LANE, CERRITOS, CA, 90703. Registered Owner(s): RAJUBHAI L PATEL, 524 N LA BREA AVE, INGLEWOOD, CA, 90302.

This business is being conducted by an INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 08/2007. Signed: RAJUBHAI L PATEL, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 27, 2017.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017204175

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SALON KILIAN, 6370 SUNSET BLVD. RM#116, LOS ANGELES, CA 90028, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): ZACHARY KILIAN, 1004 LEIGHTON AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90037. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 07/2017. Signed: ZACHARY KILIAN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 31, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on JULY 31, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to JULY 31, 2022. 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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H-1677

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017214805

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SWIFT COMPUTER SERVICES, 13915 LEMOLI AVENUE APT 215, HAWTHORNE, CA, 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): JOSEPH FRANCIS UDOH, 13915 LEMOLI AVENUE APT 215, 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: N/A. Signed: JOSEPH FRANCIS UDOH, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 7, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on AUGUST 7, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to AUGUST 7, 2022. Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

HAWTHORNE TRIBUNE Pub. 8/10, 8/17, 8/24, 8/31/2017

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017200806

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LAX AIRPORT HOTEL, 1) 107 W JUNIPER ST, INGLEWOOD, CA, 90302, LOS ANGELES COUNTY 2) 19317 DERBYSHIRE LANE, CERRITOS, CA, 90703. Registered Owner(s): MORAR PROPERTY MANAGEMENT, INC., 107 W JUNIPER ST, INGLEWOOD, CA 90302. This business is being conducted by a CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 08/2003. Signed: MORAR PROPERTY MANAGEMENT, INC., PRESIDENT, RAJUBHAI L PATEL. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on JULY 27, 2017.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017209660

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BE HAPPIER IN YOUR HOME, 1601 21<sup>ST</sup> STREET, MANHATTAN BEACH, CA, 90266, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): TANYA NIES, 1601 21<sup>ST</sup> STREET, MANHATTAN BEACH, CA, 90266. This business is being conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: TANYA NIES, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 3, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on AUGUST 3, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to AUGUST 3, 2022. 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 2017214514

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TRINITY ACUPUNCTURE, 4305 TORRANCE BLVD., SUITE 208, TORRANCE, CA, 90503, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): TRINITY ACUPUNCTURE, INC., 4305 TORRANCE BLVD, SUITE 208, TORRANCE, CA 90503. This business is being conducted by a corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 07/2013. Signed: SOU YEONG KIM, PRESIDENT. SOU YEONG KIM/TRINITY ACUPUNCTURE, INC. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 7, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on AUGUST 7, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to AUGUST 7, 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).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017230258

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) NUTWOOD ESTATES HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION , 807 EAST NUTWOOD STREET, INGLEWOOD, CA 90301; 2) P.O. BOX 1331, INGLEWOOD, CA, 90308, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): 1) JONATHAN BRIEN, 807 E. NUTWOOD ST. 1, INGLEWOOD, CA 90301. 2) ANA AGUILAR, 807 E. NUTWOOD ST. 2, INGLEWOOD, CA 90301; 3) QUENTRELLA JACKSON, 807 E. NUTWOOD ST. 3, INGLEWOOD, CA 90301; 4) ARTURO MARTINEZ, 807 E. NUTWOOD ST. 4, INGLEWOOD, CA 90301. This business is being conducted by an Unincorporated Association other than a Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 01/1994. Signed: JONATHAN BRIEN, TREASURER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on AUGUST 21, 2017. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on AUGUST 21, 2022. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to AUGUST 21, 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).

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# Real Estate

## Natural Selection: Live-Edge Wood in Home Design

(BPT) - Live-edge hardwood, in which the sides of the slab are left unmilled to retain the natural profile of the tree trunk, is an increasingly popular decorative trend in today's residential interiors. The technique is not only used for pieces of standalone furniture such as tables and benches but also for built-in elements like shelving, mantles, counter tops, bars and kitchen islands.

"Most mills cut off the rough tree edges, turning the raw timber into neat boards," says Linda Jovanovich, of the American Hardwood Information Center at [www.HardwoodInfo.com](http://www.HardwoodInfo.com). "But the current demand for live-edge slabs has led to a small but vigorous subset of producers who specialize in the category."

"Some larger sawmills sell live-edge slabs to the public," Jovanovich continues. "You visit their showroom and pick your own one-of-a-kind piece of ash, cherry, red oak, walnut or whatever other hardwood species they have in stock. A cabinetmaker can then custom-make a piece of furniture or a built-in feature to your exact specifications."

Sustainability-minded entrepreneurs are responsible for another niche in the live-edge hardwood market: small urban suppliers that source culled or fallen trees from the backyards of private homes, public parks, graveyards

and other leafy locations in their city and its immediate environs. One such enterprise, RE-CO BKLYN in Brooklyn, New York, recently harvested four 12,000-pound logs from a 150-year-old storm-felled elm in nearby Prospect Park. The logs were taken

counters, shelves, headboards and other beautiful custom-made pieces it produces.

"It was George Nakashima, the legendary Japanese-American mid-century furniture maker, who pioneered the use of live-edge slabs in refined residential settings," says

- elements that referenced the traditions, myths and aesthetics of the American Old West. With his gorgeous large-scale pieces, comprising multiple slabs of characterful woods like walnut and cherry connected with butterfly joints, Nakashima showed us how unfinished natural edges and richly figured knotted surfaces fit perfectly into even the most sophisticated urban interiors."

Today, original Nakashima pieces are highly collectible and command high prices at auction. But his free-edge aesthetic is more influential than ever as homeowners discover the ability of live-edge furniture to work with almost any decorative style. Paired with blackened-steel legs, for example, a live-edge slab of burl walnut creates a dining table with loft-worthy industrial chic. New York-based designer Laura Bohn has even used the chain sawed cross-section of an elm trunk - complete with its bark - as a counter top on which to mount a stainless steel powder-room sink. "It introduces a decidedly rustic note into a thoroughly modern space," she says. "And yet it looks perfectly natural, as if it had just grown there of its own accord."

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to an upstate mill to be sawn into live-edge slabs and dried before being shipped back to Brooklyn, where they were either sold or used by RE-CO for tables, desks, bar

New York-based designer Glenn Gissler. "Previously, untrimmed wood planks, sometimes with the bark still intact, were used for rustic, log-cabin or ranch-house effects



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