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WTC rescuer found faith, patriotism and unity

By MARY SCHLEY

FIREFIGHTER ANTHONY Kastros was part of an urban search and rescue team at the World Trade Center after the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001, and spent 11 days digging through the rubble in search of survivors, and then, bodies. But he hasn't spoken of the experience much since then.

Now, with the 20th anniversary of that day approach-

ing, and a special memorial ceremony planned in Devendorf Park Saturday morning, the Carmel Valley resident decided it was time to tell the story and honor the fallen and everyone who served.

Kastros, the younger brother of two other local firefighters, Mitch and Demetrius Kastros, served as a volunteer with the Carmel Fire Department from 1987 to 1991

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Anthony Kastros searched for survivors as part of FEMA's Urban Search and Rescue Task Force 7, which landed in New York the day of the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks. A task force member took a moment to capture images of the devastation.

Restaurants get 30-day reprieve for parklets

■ \$842 rent starts Sept. 13

Customers

owners say

still reluctant

to eat indoors,

By MARY SCHLEY

THE CITY council narrowly agreed this week to let restaurants keep their parklets until at least Oct. 12 and to charge them \$842 per month for each parking space they

In anticipation of the June 15 reopening of restaurants and businesses, the city council last May decided tasting rooms' parklets had to be gone by July 14 and restaurants had to take them out by Sept. 12. But with the coronavirus pandemic still causing problems, and a recent spike in infections due to the delta variant, owners asked the council

to reconsider.

Arguments for allowing them to remain, planning director Brandon Swanson said, include customers who are reluctant to eat indoors, more revenue, the possibility that the state and county could impose restrictions again, and that they add to the character of downtown. Reasons for parklets to go are parking, traffic and safety issues, their inconsistency with the zoning code and general plan, that

they're an "inappropriate private use of public land," and that they detract from the character of the village and clog sidewalks.

Not surprisingly, most of the restaurant operators who spoke at the Sept. 7 meeting argued in favor of keeping their parklets, with some saying they should be left in place to the end of the year or the end of the pandemic.

'A nightmare'

Lydia Lyons of Patisserie Boissiere said she receives calls daily from people "asking to sit outside, because people are still very concerned about their health and the health of their families."

Constructing the parklets cost thousands of dollars, she added, and taking them down, only to put them up again

during a resurgence "would be an absolute nightmare."

Anton & Michel owner Tony Salameh, who doesn't even have a parklet but does serve in a courtyard, said outdoor dining is critical right now, and Cantinetta Luca owner and hotel operator David Fink said almost half of his customers at the Italian restaurant last month asked to eat outside. They also said they'd be willing to pay rent, as did Ken Spilfogel, who runs Flaherty's.

City meetings virtual

Bashar Sneeh, co-owner of Dametra and a couple of other Ocean Avenue restaurants, pointed out that just last week, city administrator Chip Rerig decided all city meetings should continue to be held virtually, rather than in person, due to Covid risks.

"If you can't meet indoors in the city," for safety reasons, he said, people should continue being able to dine outdoors for safety reasons, too.

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Countywide indoor mask mandate crumbles

By KELLY NIX

A PROPOSAL by Monterey County Supervisor Luis Alejo to force nearly everyone in Monterey County to wear a mask indoors failed Tuesday when only two of his colleagues joined him in supporting the idea.

Three supervisors, Mary Adams, Wendy Root Askew and Alejo OK'd the mask requirement, while the remaining two, John Phillips and Chris Lopez rejected it. The emergency ordinance — which needed four of five votes to pass — would have required residents and visitors, regardless of vaccination status, to wear masks indoors for at least 60 days. It would have applied to businesses, restaurants, gyms, offices and other indoor areas in the county's incorporated and unincorporated areas.

Not popular

Phillips, who represents District 2, and Adams, the 5th District supervisor, said they got a lot of feedback from constituents about the proposal, mostly from people who opposed it. Most of those who addressed the supervisors Tuesday also were in opposition.

In explaining why he didn't support the law, Phillips

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CHS outbreak puts football on hold

Administrators say it's under control, kids not surprised it happened

By MARY SCHLEY

FIFTEEN CARMEL High School football players tested positive for Covid over a two-week period, forcing the cancellation of practices and two games, and prompting school officials to assure parents, students and the public that everything will be OK.

"Keeping students in full, in-person learning while maintaining the physical and psychological safety of our students and staff continues to be our goal," new Carmel Unified School District Superintendent Ted Knight said in an email to parents Tuesday. "Therefore, we are collaborating with local health officials and will continue to operate the high school schedule as normal, with added caution," including hiring contract tracers, ramping up testing, more

See CHS page 13A

CHIEF TOMASI LEAVING CPD FOR AQUARIUM JOB

By MARY SCHLEY

AFTER 13 years at Carmel P.D. — five of them as chief — Paul Tomasi is retiring next month. But he's not planning on hanging out on the beach sipping drinks decorated with tiny umbrellas. Instead, he'll embark on his next career, as director of security and emergency management at the Monterey Bay Aquarium.

"As you get later in your career, you start thinking about what you want to do next, and I've been talking about this post for the last five years," he said Tuesday. "It's a job that I'm interested in and a job that I've wanted. It connects my career in law enforcement with my passion for marine sciences."

In short, he said, as a lifelong diver who grew up on Lake Superior and the son of parents who owned a dive shop and led underwater excursions to explore shipwrecks all over the country, "it really encompasses who I am."

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Police Chief Paul Tomasi (right) took pleasure in being out in the community he served, including doing bike patrol alongside Sgt. Mike Bruno.

Sandy Claws

By Lisa Crawford Watson

On the alert

SHE'D HAD Buster just two weeks when he went out into the yard, snagged a peach and swallowed it whole. She presumed he liked peaches but wondered how toxic the pit might be for the Parsons Jack Russell puppy she'd just rescued.

She took Buster to visit the veterinarian, who gave him medicine to help expel the pit. When it didn't come up, he went in for a \$6,000 surgery to retrieve it and avert further stress.

After Buster recovered, his person signed up for puppy training, which was going well, so the pair set out for a walk from their Murphy-built home, just blocks from Carmel Beach.

"It was a beautiful Sunday," she said. "A lot of folks were out walking their dogs. I stopped to talk with a friend, while Buster took an interest in another dog and bolted, pulling me up into the air. My landing knocked my hip out, and I couldn't move."

This episode seriously injured her, and she was laid up for awhile.

"A friend in Big Sur took in Buster while I was in



the hospital," his person said. "I missed Buster so much, and I knew he'd be happy to see me. Actually, he'd had such a good time in Big Sur, he'd totally

> forgotten about me." Nearly five years later, Buster is deeply bonded with his person. He stands like a sentinel in her yard, announcing guests and vetting them before allowing them in through the gate. He used to frequent the beach, where he'd run and run along the shore. Now, he seems content in his round bed, where he pretends to sleep, but actually is keeping watch over the home front.

> She continues to take Buster out for his constitutionals, but she watches her step and has taken to wearing a helmet. Just in case he spies a squirrel.

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Larry Elder makes appearance in Marina, blasts Newsom

By KELLY NIX

THE RADIO host and candidate with the best shot at unseating Gov. Gavin Newsom in next week's gubernatorial recall election made a stop in Marina this week to tell supporters why he believes he's the best person to lead California.

Amid a crowd of roughly 150 to 200 people chanting his name, Elder, a Republican, appeared in front of Mia Coffee on Reservation Road Tuesday afternoon, thanking his supporters for turning out a week before the Sept. 14 election in which he'll face nearly four dozen other candidates on the ballot.

"What a reception," Elder, 69, said. "Not bad for the Black face of White supremacy," he joked, referring to a story in the L.A. Times that labeled Elder a racist.

Flanked by two high-profile allies, Elder tackled the state's biggest issues, some of which he and others argue have become much worse under Newsom's leadership.

"Rolling brown outs, lack of water, bad forest declining management, quality of public schools,

people leaving California for the first time, the way [Newsom] ignored science and shut down this state while letting his own kids enjoy in-person private education the man has to go," Elder said to big cheers from the crowd.

Many issues

He blasted Newsom's responses to California's skyrocketing homelessness problem and the coronavirus, which he said has

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forced many businesses owned by people of color to be shuttered.

Elder also pointed to low California school test scores, especially among minority students, and brought up the topic of school choice, which would allow parents to send their children to whatever school they like. The mighty California Teachers Union opposes school choice.

"Before the pandemic, 75 percent of Black boys educated in our government schools could not read at state levels of proficiency," Elder said. "And the math scores are even worse. Polls show that Black and Brown parents living in the in-



Dozens of people converged outside a Marina coffee shop this week to hear gubernatorial candidate Larry Elder speak

ner city want school choice. They want the money to follow the child, rather than the other way around."

He also weighed in on the defund-the-police movement, cashless bail, and the rise in crime in California, and he mentioned the mugging of former state Sen. Barbara Boxer in July and an attack in Oakland against Newsom in June by a

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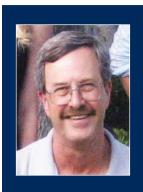


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Police & Sheriff's Log

September 10, 2021

Road rage and pepper spray

HERE'S A look at some of the significant calls logged by the Carmel-by-the-Sea Police Department and the Monterey County Sheriff's Office last week. This week's log was compiled by Mary Schley.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 17

Carmel Valley: Deputies responded to Via Contenta for a report of a restraining order violation.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Collision in a parking lot at Junipero and Sixth at 1502 hours. Driver collided with a wall while trying to park. Mistook gas pedal for brake pedal. Driver was evaluated by arriving paramedics and claimed no injury or complaint of pain. Collison occurred on private property and involved no crime or injured parties.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Backpack left on a bench near the restrooms at Scenic and Santa Lucia Avenue.

Pacific Grove: Theft of a catalytic converter on Park Street.

Carmel area: Male on Summit Field Road reported the theft of his dog. Perpetrator(s) remain at large.

Carmel Valley: A male on Berwick Drive was pepper sprayed after a road-rage inci-

Pebble Beach: A female attempted suicide and was placed on a 72-hour hold.

Big Sur: Juvenile ran away from home. Case continues.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Female reported her friend was possibly drugged at a local bar on

Pacific Grove: A phone was turned in to the PGPD lobby. Owner has been contacted and will schedule a pick-up.

Big Sur: Deputies responded to a verbal dispute between husband and wife on High-

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Non-injury traffic accident involving a vehicle vs. a rock wall at Lasuen and Dolores at 0132 hours. There was no damage to the wall, and the vehicle sustained moderate damage. The vehicle was privately towed, and no traffic accident report was desired.

> See POLICE LOG page 8RE in the Real Estate Section



The gavel falls

Verdicts, pleas and sentencings announced by Monterey County District Attorney Jeannine Pacioni

July 9 — The district attorney's office reached a settlement totaling \$42,747 in a civil law enforcement action against Sophia Fisheries Inc. and its principals for violations of laws and regulations protecting Monterey County's eight state marine reserves and nine state marine conservation areas.

California regulations prohibit injuring, damaging, taking, or possessing any living, geological, or cultural marine resource for any purpose in an SMR; in an SMCA, these activities are prohibited for commercial and recreational purposes.

Using GPS technology, Department of Fish and Wildlife's marine patrol personnel determined that Sophia Fisheries Inc.'s vessel, the Navigator, was fishing for spot prawn with traps in the Portuguese Ledge SMCA on separate occasions in 2019 and 2020. The Portuguese Ledge SMCA, located 4 miles off the coast of the City of Pacific Grove, spans 10.64 square miles and encompasses a portion of the Monterey Canyon, an important foraging site for many seabirds and marine

Portuguese Ledge SMCA also protects vital habitats for overfished deepwater rockfish and groundfish species. The only commercial or recreational fishing allowed in this SMCA is for pelagic finfish.

During their investigation, the Department of Fish and Wildlife also determined that Sophia Fisheries, Inc., and its principals did not hold a general trap permit, which is required for commercial spot prawn fishing using traps.

Without admitting they were fishing in the Portuguese Ledge SMCA, Sophia Fisheries, its principals, and their counsel worked cooperatively to resolve this matter with the district attorney's office without litigation. They also immediately obtained a general trap permit.

Under the final judgment, Sophia Fisheries, Pete Guglielmo Sr. and Pete Guglielmo Jr. will pay \$25,000 in civil penalties in addition to reimbursement of investigation costs. They will also be bound under the terms of an injunction prohibiting similar violations of law in the future.

Underwater footage of the landscape and wildlife in the Portuguese SMCA can be seen in this Department of Fish and Wildlife video: youtube.com/watch?v=ydCfDmirQ8s



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Sources: Councilwoman fibbed to get under-12 son vaccinated

By KELLY NIX

A PACIFIC Grove councilwoman who has passionately urged citizens to get vaccinated against Covid-19 apparently thought it was so important that she misrepresented her son's age to get him inoculated against the disease.

Multiple sources told The Pine Cone that Jenny McAdams, 46, first elected to the council in 2018, admitted to them that she misled health officials so her youngest son could get immunized.

The Food and Drug Administration has only authorized the vaccine for children 12 years and older, but McAdams' kid - an elementary school student — is several years younger than that.

Numerous attempts to get McAdams' version of events were not successful, including sending a message to her mother, former P.G. Mayor Carmelita Garcia.

Though it's not clear when and where McAdams had her son immunized, in July, she wrote on social media, "My little guy is under 12 and not yet able to get vaccinated. Please wear a mask to protect those who are not able to get vaccinated." In a July, 24 post, she said, "Save the elderly and our children. Get the damn vaccine."

Risky practice

While there is no California law prohibiting parents from lying to get their children the shot, the practice presents real health risks, according to physicians.

Epidemiologists don't yet know precisely how the vaccine will affect children younger than 12, and questions remain about proper dosages and whether the vaccine is equally safe and effective.

"When it comes to giving vaccines and other medications, doctors cannot simply

assume young children can be treated as little adults," Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula Dr. Martha Blum told The Pine Cone. "The growing bodies of young children have different physiology, and therefore it is important to determine whether they may have different reactions or side effects than adults or teens."

Blum — who was speaking generally and not about McAdams' situation - said medical trials of the vaccine can uncover "rare adverse effects." For example, teens and young adults, particularly males, appear to be at greater risk for inflammation of the heart muscle and its lining after vaccination with the Pfizer and Moderna vaccines, she explained.

No proof necessary

To make it easy to get inoculated, the Monterey County Health Department and other agencies do not require parents to prove their children's ages prior to Covid-19 immunization. Officials trust parents to tell the truth.

"Date of birth is provided by the client or parent or guardian, if the client is a minor, and verified verbally prior to administration of Covid-19 vaccine," county health department spokeswoman Karen Smith told The Pine Cone. "Monterey County Health Department encourages all vaccine service providers to follow FDA" and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices' guidelines for administration of Covid-19 vaccine.

Besides the health risks, parents who lie to get their kids vaccinated could find themselves in awkward conversations with their health insurance providers if representatives discover age inconsistencies while processing claims.

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FAMILY SEEKS HELP BRINGING MURDERED MAN'S BODY HOME FROM PERU

By MARY SCHLEY

 ${
m A}$ PACIFIC GROVE man was killed in an airport hotel in Lima, Peru, while on a surfing trip last week, and now his longtime partner and his mother are raising money to bring Jesse Lamb's body home.

"The hotel desk heard a commotion in his room and a window break. They called the police. Police called an ambulance. It was too late," his mother, Julianne Oberg, wrote on the gofundme.com page she set up to raise money for his transport and funeral expenses. "I think it's obvious my beautiful son was robbed and murdered. I have zero money to spend on the mortuary in Lima. Transferring his body back. The mortuary here. And his funeral. My heart is broken in a million pieces.'

A few days later, on Sept. 7, she said she'd heard from the U.S. Embassy that Lamb's murder had been confirmed by authorities, who have surveillance footage and are pursuing suspects in the case, and that his body was being released for return to the United States.

'Coming home soon'

"Jesse will be coming home soon because of all of you and your love and care and generosity," Oberg wrote Wednesday. "You all have helped immensely with the load on my shoulders and the pain in my heart. I'm planning a

huge celebration of life in Carmel, and everyone will be invited."

Linda Keller, the woman with whom Lamb shared his life for the past two decades, and whose kids he helped raise, said he grew up on Santa Rita Street and attended Carmel public schools.

"Everybody knew him," she said. Lamb was 43 and made his living as a house painter.

'A kind soul'

His passion for surfing took him all over the world, according to Keller, and he was on his way to his next destination when he was killed in Peru."He would travel all over and had been everywhere," she said.

When she received word that Lamb's body was being released, she said, "his mom turned everything over to me to get him home. They'll bring him to San Francisco, and then we have to make arrangements with Paul Mortuary to get him here."

Keller and her sister-in-law, Rebekah, also set up a gofundme campaign to help defray those costs.

"We're all so distraught over this sudden loss and want Jesse home," they said.

Rebekah Keller described Lamb as "a kind soul with a sweet heart who deserves to be remembered." "He is loved by many in our community," she said.



Jesse Lamb's love of surfing took him to destinations all over the world, including Iceland a few years ago.

Marcy Heger, a longtime surfer and Carmel resident, said Lamb "always had a twinkle in his eye" and "was a little mischievous."

"I'm so bummed, and I'm so sad for Linda," she said. "I just loved him."

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Selfie stumble leads to cliffside rescue near Hurricane Point

By CHRIS COUNTS

MOST OF Big Sur's trails may be closed, but a tourist in Big Sur found a creative way to need to be rescued anyway no trail required.

The incident happened Saturday just north of Hurricane Point. The unidentified tourist was trying to take a selfie when she lost her balance.

"The woman said she stepped up to a rock to get more height for her selfie, and the rock broke loose," Mid-Coast Fire Brigade Chief Cheryl Goetz told The Pine

By the time the dust had settled, the woman found herself more than 30 feet below where she had been standing. Luckily

for her, woman didn't slide any further.

"Another 12 inches and the story would have ended way different," Goetz suggest-

Making things more difficult, the woman wasn't wearing appropriate footwear, and she was scared, the fire chief observed.

State parks rangers were the first to arrive on scene, and Goetz showed up a short time later. The fire chief made it down to where the woman was stuck, and she was placed in a harness and lifted up by members of the Mid-Coast Fire Brigade and Big

Goetz said the woman refused to give her name, and quickly left the scene with-

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Wolf sighted more than a month AFTER TRAIL WENT COLD

By CHRIS COUNTS

 \mathbf{F} OR THE first time since losing track of him in April, researchers have a lead on the whereabouts of OR-93, the young male wolf who became the first of his kind to travel deep into California in roughly a

Earlier this year, researchers tracked the wolf as he wandered for hundreds of miles through 16 counties in the state, including Monterey County. But they lost track of him in early April near the border between Monterey and San Luis Obispo counties.

This week, those same researchers announced they have discovered footage showing a wolf resembling OR-93 in southwest Kern County. While the video

footage comes from mid-May — at least five weeks after the previous sighting — it provided hope the wolf is still alive.

"Though California Fish and Wildlife cannot confirm this at this time, it is possible the wolf could be OR-93 because of video evidence of the collar and the last known whereabouts of OR-93," the agency reported last week. "Even though the video evidence is more than three months old, we will immediately investigate the area for additional information in hopes of finding wolf DNA for analysis. We will also conduct flyovers to attempt to connect to the collar through radio telemetry."

The lone — and probably lost — wolf

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City agrees to enforce Scenic parking ban — when possible

By MARY SCHLEY

TRAFFIC JAMS caused by sightseers who park on Scenic Road around Carmel Point prompted Monterey County to install new signs warning that illegal parkers could be fined \$250, and if they leave their vehicles, they could be towed. But the Monterey County Sheriff's Office and the California Highway Patrol — which have jurisdiction in the problem area since it's just outside Carmel's city limits — said they won't enforce the parking ban. Instead, the county board of supervisors asked the city's police department to handle it "when

and 17th "on an 'as time permits' basis,"

and would write and process parking tickets and tows. The city would collect and

keep any fines but would also handle any appeals and wouldn't get any other compensation from the county for the time and effort. The agreement would run five years but could be terminated with 60 days' notice by either side.

Not sure it's possible

But the city is down several officers, and Tomasi is retiring next month to take a job in the private sector, so resources are

'We would enforce it as we could, and currently our staffing is at a level where I don't know if that's even possible," Tomasi

told the council Sept. 7. "It would not be an expectation by the county that we would be out there patrolling."

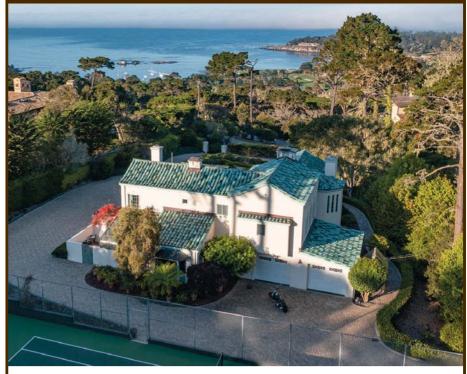
But residents of the area might expect and even demand it.

"We had an incident this past weekend where a resident called and was adamant that we go out there and conduct parking enforcement," Tomasi said, since Carmel Point was packed with cars due to heavy Labor Day traffic. "We didn't have the staffly, we weren't able do it."

the whole Scenic area, it can actually help the city as well," said Jay Pack. "And I as-

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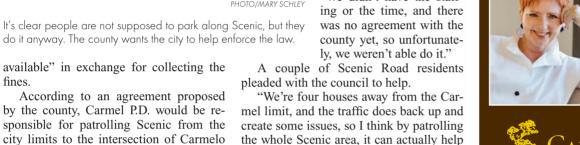


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C.V. WOMAN SEEKS 'GIFT OF LIFE'

By CHRIS COUNTS

m MORE THAN 100,000 people in the United States need a kidney transplant, and one of those is longtime Carmel Valley resident Maddie Linebarger.

Unfortunately, there are far fewer kidneys available than people who need them.

"There are 97,000 on the waiting list," Linebarger told The Pine Cone. "In California, there's a 7- to 10-year wait. You hope you can outlive the list."

In 1999, Linebarger was diagnosed with chronic kidney disease.

"I fought it off for years by changing my diet and exercising more," said Linebarger, who worked at the former Doubletree Hotel in Monterey for nearly two decades before becoming a travel agent.

Over time, though, Linebarger couldn't keep the disease at bay. She started dialysis in December.

"The average kidney functions at between 100 and 110 percent," she explained. "As you get older, kidney function can go down to 60 percent. When you get to 30 percent, you have to start paying attention. At 15 percent, you need dialysis. When I got down to 5 percent, I was hospitalized."

Dialysis, is turns out, is a lot of work.

"I do dialysis at home 5 days a week for 4 hours each day," the woman said. "It's a full-time job."

While dialysis can be a hassle, it's also a lifeline.

"Dialysis keeps me alive," she observed. "As much as I hate my machine, I love my

Linebarger had been hopeful her husband could give her one of his kidneys, but he had a heart attack. While he survived, it made him ineligible to be a donor.

'I'm a fighter'

Linebarger's best chance is for a someone to donate a kidney to her. "It's a real hard ask, but you would be giving the gift of life," she said. "A lot of people aren't aware they can donate a kidney.'

Regardless of the challenges she faces, and whether or not she gets a new kidney, Linebarger said she plans to make the most

"I'm a fighter," she added. "I'm not going to let it slow me down."

According to Linebarger, donors need to be younger than 65, and in good health without diabetes or high blood pressure. For more details, contact cvgirl54@com-

Coyote vs. bumper ends sadly, driver doesn't seem to notice

By CHRIS COUNTS

PACIFIC GROVE resident Brian Roth came upon a startling sight in the morning fog at Asilomar Conference Grounds in

Pacific Grove last Saturday - a dead coyote stuck to the front of a parked gray Mazda sedan.

The man snapped a photo of the unfortunate animal, who was wedged between the car's bumper and its grill. His wife, Julie, sent the image to The Pine Cone. "Apparently the driver didn't know they hit it," she said.

The woman said coyotes have gotten pretty aggressive in the neighborhood.

"They feed on a dead whale that's on the beach, roam the area, and harass walkers," she reported. "They have chased me

down the boardwalk at Asilomar and we see them almost every day."

Friend or foe?

Adaptable and resilient, coyotes have long plagued ranchers by killing and eating their livestock, and in recent decades, they've become a more common sight in suburban neighborhoods, where they can hunt down and kill domestic dogs and cats.

But coyotes also have their defenders a Larkspur-based nonprofit, Project Covote, celebrated a decision last month by the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors to stop paying a federal agency to kill coyotes at the behest of ranchers. The group contends that coyotes keep the population of numerous pests in check, and many of the problems associated with them can be traced to people feeding them.



A motorist hit a coyote and apparently didn't notice it got stuck to the front of their vehicle. The photo was taken in Pacific Grove.

But the animals definitely can be dangerous. Just last week, two toddlers were attacked by a coyote in Massachusetts. This past spring, five people were bitten by

a coyote in Moraga and Lafayette. Like they are in many places around the world, coyotes are common in Monterey County. According to the Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History, they will eat just about anything, can run up to 40 miles per hour, and even swim. But their frequent interactions with people takes a toll on their population — it's estimated that as many as 50 percent of coyote deaths are caused by humans.

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Carmel Valley Art Association loses lease, needs new home for gallery

 Γ HE PLACE where all things creative seem to meet in Carmel Valley, the Carmel Valley Art Association gallery needs a new home because Jerome's Market next door is expanding.

Art Roundup

By CHRIS COUNTS

"Last Tuesday we received news that our landlords are not going to renew our lease so that they can extend the market's footprint," Shelley Allioti told The Pine Cone.

The gallery represents more than three dozen artists, including Will Bullas, Sam Johnston, Thomas Hawley, Mary Masten and Shelley Cost.

Allioti is getting the word out that the gallery needs a new space, and she's said the group's board is committed to keeping it in Carmel Valley. They need at least 2,000 square feet, along with an office, some outside space and parking.

"We are looking for a new place for our light to shine," Allioti said. "Please help us with any ideas you may have."

Despite the challenges the nonprofit is facing, Allioti has no interest in "walking away." Instead, she hopes to expand the gallery's offerings to include classes and workshops. The onetime for-profit business was recently transformed into a nonprofit, and its members are busy exploring opportunities for grants.

'We have survived ups and downs, economic lows and the pandemic," she added. "We will rise like the phoenix."

■ Up close and personal

In a series of startlingly intimate portraits on display at Folktale Winery's Provisions shop in Carmel Valley, photographer Sergio Silva takes a close look at the wildlife of the African savannah.

Silva, 29, made his first journey to Africa eight years ago. Typically, he works for a year in the local hospitality industry, and then, spends a year traveling "all over the African continent.'

His interest in the continent began when he had an opportunity to study abroad in South Africa, said the photographer, a lifelong Monterey resident who works as a wine educator at Folktale. "I lived a half an hour from an animal park," he said.

Not only has Silva photographed many big game animals, but he's done it at a proximity that would scare the pants off most people. Experience is the key, he said.

"You learn what to do and what not to do," he explained. "I've gone on over 200 wildlife outings."

When he captured a striking portrait of a black-maned lion licking its lips, he was sitting in his car just a few feet away. But he wasn't too worried because he knew the lion wasn't hungry. "He had his belly full," he recalled. "He was eating a wildebeest."

Also, according to Silva, animals are wary of cars because they see them as something big and dangerous. "A car is like a huge animal for him, and he has much easier food nearby," he explained.

Silva said there's nothing quite like catching a photo of a lion staring in your direction.

"You make contact, and there's this huge animal staring down the lens," he said. "It's truly extraordinary."

Perhaps even more impressive was the day Silva spent with a ranger and about 200 chimpanzees. The chimps had long known the ranger, which made the meeting possible, since the species of apes can be very aggressive and dangerous. "They knew him, so they automatically trusted me," he noted.

Silva said that sales of his photos will help him attend Chapman College in Monterey, where he plans to study clinical psychology.

The show will continue through Sept. 20. The shop is open Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday from noon to

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Resident and Monterey Peninsula Water Management District water demand manager Stephanie Locke said she was representing both interests. The water district suspended its permit requirements so restaurants can have un-

limited outdoor dining until at least April 2022, and while parklets violate the zoning code and general plan, "these are unprecedented and hopefully temporary times.'

"As a resident of Carmel, I would greatly appreciate the ability to enjoy local restaurants' outdoor seating," especially those that don't have tables available on private property, she said. "My family and I are not comfortable dining indoors for various reasons, and I am very aware there has been a significant investment in many of the outdoor spaces."

Gallery owner Richard Kreitman said he and his wife won't eat inside a restaurant, either, and he recommended letting them keep their parklets awhile longer.

"It's kept the town alive through the pandemic," he said. "There's a lot of demonstrated success here," agreed resident Ara Azhderian. "There's a lot of demonstrated in-

Fairness question

Opponents included the Carmel Residents Association's Tim Twomey, who said it's time to make restaurants return to normal operations, now that they are at full capacity with no restrictions. "Using valuable parking for restaurant parklets limits other retailers' storefront access, and parking capacity remains a critical issue," he said.

Further, the look and feel of many of the parklets "do not add to the charm of the village."

Graeme Robertson, a resident for more than 50 years,

said he initially supported parklets but now feels it's time for them to go.

"We already have outdoor dining in Carmel in 32 of the 56 restaurants," he said. "I believe and many other residents believe these parklets detract from the character and charm of the village that we all know and love and is known around the world."

Robertson said using parking spaces for restaurants is unfair to retailers. "I know it to be factually correct that people are not coming to town to shop in the retail stores because of the lack of parking," he said.

A lot to dislike

Council member Bobby Richards said he generally dislikes the parklets but could support letting them stay for another 30 days. "For so many reasons, I want to see them gone," he said, including aesthetics, but tourist dollars and public health outweigh them, for now. Richards also supported charging the \$842-per-space monthly rent.

Councilman Jeff Baron doubted restaurants are having a hard time filling seats and said he observed many places that were full inside, while their parklets ranged from empty to full, on Monday night. He also remarked that the wine barrels, tables and other shoddy setups in parking spaces are ugly, especially by daylight.

Baron said the parklets should go away on Sept. 12 as planned, and councilwoman Karen Ferlito agreed.

"If I didn't see restaurants packed to the gills inside, maybe I would be more compelled to understand," she said, adding that parklets are unfair to other downtown businesses.

She also said people are avoiding coming downtown because they don't like the sensation of "walking through a restaurant" when they're on the sidewalk.

"If we were sitting here and didn't have the delta variant and kids could get vaccinated and people were not still uncomfortable, I'm all for getting rid of them — but we're not there yet," countered councilwoman Carrie Theis. She also said Sneeh's observation that "the city doesn't feel comfortable having indoor meetings is a good one."

Theis said she wants locals and visitors to be safe and to have options, including eating outdoors, and she supported charging rent because that might encourage business owners who are not really using their parklets to go ahead and get rid of them. She favored extending the deadline to mid-January 2022 so the council wouldn't have to have the same conversation every month.

Mayor Dave Potter also said he'd rather not discuss parklets monthly and that restaurant owners who have them should pay for them. "If contractors have to pay for their use of a parking spot, why wouldn't somebody who's making money off of that space?" he asked.

City administrator Chip Rerig suggested making the rent due Sept. 13 and forcing anyone who doesn't pay within a day to dismantle their parklets.

Richards held fast to the 30-day extension rather than letting it run for longer, and it passed 3-2, with Ferlito and Baron dissenting. Their vote to charge \$842 per space per month, with the money due by the close of business Sept. 13, was unanimous.

RESCUE

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out thanking rescuers.

The fire chief, who leads a brigade of volunteers who spend countless hours getting people out of self-inflicted pickles like this one, urged people to consider the consequences before trying something that could be deadly. She also pleaded with them to avoid the many unofficial trails that can be found along the western edge of Highway 1.

"Please think before you try to get that selfie," she said. "Do not leave the road unless you're on a real trail — none of which go to the beach from Hurricane Point or Bixby Bridge."

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CHS From page 1A

vigorous cleaning and sanitizing, and making it even easier for kids to get vaccinated.

At Wednesday night's school board meeting — the first to be held in person since the pandemic began — Knight said the outbreak at the high school "does seem alarming," but that it's already flattening out

"We 100 percent believe this is a minor flare-up, and we will continue to teach and learn in the full in-person manner that we have been," he said.

Some are afraid

Knight also said the California Department of Public Health modified its quarantine requirements for unvaccinated students who've been in close contact with infected people. They no longer have to isolate, but they can't participate in any after-school sports, clubs or other activities.

"All of that would be heartbreaking for a student to, say, not be able to play on the football team for 10 days," he said. "We are happy the state has acknowledged that they need to stay in the classroom."

But student Hannah Filly, who represents CHS at board meetings, said many of her classmates are afraid of getting sick, and she lamented that the infections are interfering with planning for activities like the annual Powderpuff game, which "is pending at the moment with all the students getting diagnosed with Covid."

"I heard a lot of fear from students I talked to today," she said Sept. 8, because they have older parents and are "feeling a little nervous about being around so many kids at school."

She credited them for being proactive, though. "I personally got tested today at school, and I know a lot of others did," she said, which will help curb outbreaks the interference they cause.

Lisa Brazil, vice president of one of the district's unions, said she has heard from

parents who are also concerned about mitigation strategies, exposure, and their children not being able to participate in activities because of Covid infections. She quoted 2nd-century Roman emperor Marcus Aurelius, who wrote that "the art of living is more like wrestling than dancing."

"Right now, I think we're all kind of wrestling," she said.

Aria Moya, a junior, said she knows quite a few football players because her boyfriend is on the team. He has been vaccinated and remains Covid-free but is frustrated by not being able to play.

She, too, has gotten the shot, but she suspects many haven't. Moya has also been notified by the school that classmates were infected in her math and engineering classes, but since officials don't identify which students contracted Covid, it's difficult to know whether she's been exposed.

As a precaution, she decided to get tested, since the school is giving free PCR tests to students who have had at least two exposures.

"I'm glad they offer free testing," she said Wednesday. "I am getting mine to-morrow."

She's not worried, since she's young, healthy and vaccinated, but she's nonetheless aware she could still carry the virus and spread it to more vulnerable people like her parents or her coworkers at a local hardware store, some of whom are quite a bit older.

Enforcement lacking

When sophomore Jean Lewellen received notice that a classmate had Covid, she already knew, since they are friends. "My initial reaction was irrational panic, as I am a bit of a hypochondriac," she admitted.

But she calmed down, since she's also vaccinated and unlikely to suffer much if she contracts the disease, though she worried about inadvertently giving it to others.

"I was also upset about the repercussions this case would have on my social

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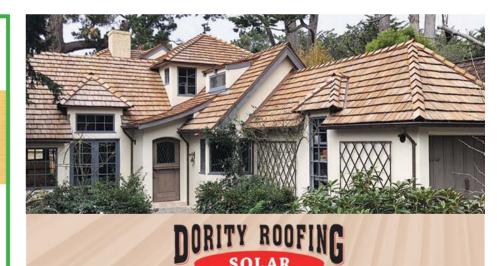


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TOMASI From page 1A

Tomasi, 53, admitted the Aquarium job came a little sooner than he'd planned, but he had to go for it when the chance arose.

"I was hoping to go a few more years, but it's an opportunity, and if I wait, it might not be there," he said. "So, I'm retiring earlier than I wanted, but for something I truly wanted."

Tomasi described himself as "a science nerd" and observed that "people don't know that about me."

He started scuba diving when he was 14 and fell in love with it. "That was my life," he said. "Before I joined the military, that was what I loved."

Army beats Navy

Considering his youthful interest in diving, you might think he went on to become a Navy diver, and in fact he was ready to sign up, but the Army recruiter he had to walk past on the way to the Navy's lured him in.

"I got to go in with my best friend, and we would be able to stay together for three years," he said. And the Army involved shooting guns and camping — two of his other favorite things.

"Of course, I thought it sounded like a lot of fun," he said. He was 18. "I didn't realize I would be carrying all my own stuff."

He served his three years, most of it at Fort Ord, and after getting out, he stuck around, attending Monterey Peninsula College and then Sacramento State.

"Then I transferred to CSUMB in '95 when it opened," he said, making him a "pioneer student."

He studied marine sciences but struggled with calculus, so he switched to a liberal arts major and graduated in 1997.

CSUMB is also where he caught a whiff of a career in law enforcement. As a student, he worked at the police department, and later became a parking officer and then ran the shuttle buses.

He was working on his teaching credential when, in 1999, the university's police department recruited him as an officer and put him through the academy.

"And that was that," he said.

Tomasi worked at CSUMB's police department until 2006, when he went to be an officer in the new City of Citrus Heights, "just to get more experience."

"And it was a new police department, so I wanted to experience that," he said.

The plan was to stay five years, with hopes of returning to the Peninsula afterward. Two years in, he discovered the job opening for a sergeant at Carmel P.D.

"I listened to my wife when she said, 'You need to put in for that," he recalled.

Tomasi was already familiar with Carmel and its quirks, of course, but it still took time to settle in.

"For me, it was a perfect fit," he said.

Selling service

In January 2013, he was promoted to commander, and a year later obtained his master's in public safety admin-

Oil refinery fight subject of new book

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

BACK IN the 1960s, Humble Oil (now part of ExxonMobil) had a plan to build a 50,000-barrel-a-day oil refinery in Moss Landing. But a cast of local notables that included State Senator Fred Farr, Pebble Beach's SFB Morse, and photographer Ansel Adams, among others, managed to put a stop to the idea, helping protect the bay and wildlife for future generations.

So say authors (and husband-and-wife team) Glenn Church and Kathryn McKenzie, who have written and published their book, "Humbled: How California's Monterey Bay Escaped Industrial Ruin." Church is a self-described farmer who operates a Christmas tree farm, and McKenzie is a freelance journalist who previously wrote for the Monterey Herald.

They'll be at River House Books in the Crossroads shopping center on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 12, from 2 to 3:30, signing copies of their book, which documents what they call, "one of the first major battles of the modern environmental movement."

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istration from Alliant University. In December 2016, city administrator Chip Rerig hired him to replace Mike Calhoun, who was retiring, as chief.

"He's very humble. He's team oriented and interested in finding solutions," Rerig said at the time. "He has such poise and presence, and such a friendly demeanor. He's perfect for the team and perfect for the village. He's a good human being."

At the time he took the post, Tomasi told The Pine Cone, "We are like a business, and what we sell is service. We can't sell anything else, but we have an opportunity to provide the best service we can, and that's how we're judged."

Five years later, he said, "It has been an honor to have been given the community's trust."

The past year-and-a-half, with all the drama and trauma of the pandemic, burned him out a bit, thanks to the extra-long days and sometimes brutal work and unforgiving feedback. But, he said, "I marvel how we got through this pandemic — it's a strong community."

He described the city and its residents, business own-

ers, workers and public officials as "incredible."

Nonetheless, when the Aquarium job appeared, he knew he had to pursue it, and so did his wife, Amy.

"My wife's really excited, because she knows how much I wanted the job and how excited I am to go work there," he said. "She's super happy. She says it's time."

The couple has three boys — Dominic, Joseph and Ryan, who are 15, 14 and 11, respectively — and the family lives off River Road in the Las Palmas area. Based on his 2020 base salary of \$173,893 and his 23.5 years of work in law enforcement in the state, Tomasi's annual taxpayer-funded retirement will be roughly \$122,594 per year.

He'll be on the job through Oct. 10 and has orientation for the new position Oct. 11. Tomasi will be managing security at all the Aquarium's facilities, developing and maintaining emergency operations plans, training staff, and teaching.

"I was raised on community service and being social with people, and that's going to stay," he said. "That will always be the same."



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and then became a full-time firefighter while attending school in Sacramento. He was also a member of one of the Federal Emergency Management Agency's 28 Urban Search and Rescue teams and was at an annual USAR meeting in San Diego the day hijacked planes crashed into the World Trade Center and the Pentagon.

"As the second tower fell, I was told we were going," he said. Commercial and private planes were grounded, so Kastros high-tailed it in a car back to Sacramento and to Travis Air Force Base, where he and his team would fly in a military transport plane escorted by two fighter jets all the way to New York City.



Ingrid McDonald

ngrid McDonald, 53, of Carmel Valley, California, died at home on Tuesday, August 10, 2021. Her death came after many years of struggle related to her physical condition. Through all this, her inner strength and her fierce determination to have a full life were always evident.

Born in 1968 in Berkeley, California, Ingrid grew up in coastal California, including Mendocino County, Carmel Valley, Pacific Grove, and Redwood City. Her childhood was punctuated by medical crises, which she handled bravely. Despite her disability, she rode a pony as a child, took ballet, and participated in high school theater productions.

Ingrid had a life-long love of cats, reading, and good food. She enjoyed the company of friends, and was tremendously proud of her son and grandson. She had a close relationship with her late grandmother, Margaret McDonald, who looked out for her and with whom she lived for a time in Redwood City. For many years, Ingrid's life was closely intertwined with that of her mother Susan, in that they lived nextdoor to one another and Susan supported her in numerous ways. More recently, Ingrid lived at Rippling River Center in Carmel Valley, where she shared an apartment with Patches, her cat. Ingrid's friends among the residents at Rippling River were a great help over this past year.

She will be remembered for her courage, strength of will, and the beauty of her spirit.

Ingrid is survived by her son, Derek Stevens of Santa Fe, NM; grandson Zia, also of Santa Fe; her parents, Michael McDonald of Oakhurst, CA, and Susan Brodey of Carmel Valley, CA; her brother David McDonald of Santa Fe; and sister Rachael McDonald of Eugene, OR.

A memorial service will be held in the coming months. Gifts in her memory may be made to the Spina Bifida Association, and the SPCA for Monterey County(Salinas, CA).



Condolences may be written to the family at www.bermudezfamilyfunerals.com

"We were one of the first teams from California to go," he said. Before the day was out, they were on the ground amid the tragedy and ruins of the World Trade Center. As they drove in, "we were gridlocked with emergency equipment of all kinds trying to get into the city.'

Kastros recalled seeing things burning and smoking, and abandoned cars "thrown around like Matchbox cars' with their headlights on and windshield wipers moving. But most shocking "was seeing FDNY engines flattened like pancakes," and coming to grips with how many firefighters had been killed while trying to rescue people from the towers.

"We had high hopes of rescue — that's what we were there for — we were not there to do body recovery," he said, but the destruction was so devastating that there wasn't anyone to rescue.

"I think everyone was really stricken by this paradox where you're standing in the rubble of two 110-story skyscrapers, and you see the remnants of these buildings and these massive steel components that are twisted like a little kids play set," he said. "And you know there were thousands of people in these buildings."

In the detritus of 220 stories' worth of offices, one might expect to find desks, phones, supplies and the like not to mention remnants of the large passenger planes

"But there was nothing. All the contents were pulverized as they came down, including the human beings," he said. "So when we did find people, it was rare to find someone intact.... The dust that we were walking in and kicking up was everything."

FDNY's losses

Kastros also remembered the initial challenges of working alongside New York City firefighters who were struggling with losing hundreds of their own.

"We were used to working with other agencies," he said. "But FDNY was the largest fire department in the world, and they had never needed help before."

Kastros had known his counterparts on FDNY's urban search and rescue team, including good friends who tried to rescue people from the towers before they fell.

"I had a friend die that day," he said.

The fire department also had to find workers to replace the fallen "while managing hundreds if not thousands of first responders coming from all over the place."

Kastros also recounted seeing crowds of people running down the street toward them one day as they walked toward "the pile."

"When thousands of people are running at you, you don't ask why," he said, you just turn around and run with them. An evacuation signal had been activated due to the risk of another building collapsing, but they hadn't heard it, and "after a few blocks, we stopped running and made our way back to the pile," which he described as "vast."

Unexpected welcome home

Kastros and his team worked at the site of the towers for 11 days, compartmentalizing the enormity of it all and the deaths of so many they knew and had worked with, focusing on doing what they could do to help find the dead, and trying not to focus on the devastating fact they couldn't rescue a single person.

When they returned home, landing at Travis in the middle of the night, they were surprised to find hundreds of people there to welcome them. "The entire drive back from to Sacramento at 3 a.m., we were escorted by fire engines, CHP cars and police cars, and every overpass was full of people with flags," he said. "We were blown away."

The entire mission "was very exhausting," Kastros

said. "And I think that's why to this moment I have not talked about it. My dad was in World War II, and he was the same way. I think those of us who went just don't have the appetite to talk about it."

But speaking about 9/11 honors those who died and their heroism, Kastros said, "and what America can do when we come together."

In the days and weeks following the attacks, people were dropping off cookies at their local fire stations, and "were letting each other in when stuck in traffic, and saying 'please' and 'thank you," and were otherwise being thoughtful, the now retired firefighter recalled. "I want to emphasize the faith and patriotism and the unity we had in the face of all that," and to remind people they can tap into that kindness and compassion again, without a national tragedy driving it.

At the Devendorf Park ceremony, which will include speeches, prayers, songs and other tributes to those who died that day and those who served, Kastros will have the "huge honor" of introducing his longtime friend, Congressman Jimmy Panetta, who joined the Navy and was deployed to Afghanistan after 9/11.

IBRAHIM IHSAN POROY

Born 1/3/1929 Died 8/27/2021

brahim (Ibosh) Poroy was born in Istanbul in interesting times and was brought up by his father, Ihsan Namik Poroy, a key player in deposing the Sultan in the revolution that ended a 623-year monarchy. As a Young Turk and close companion to Ataturk, his father helped form the Republic and make Turkey a modern secular state. Ibrahim was schooled at Galatasary in French and managed top grades in spite of constantly ditching school, and spent all his summers swimming and boating on the Bosphorus with his gang of friends. They were all clever and audacious and often barely escaped getting in trouble because they were hanging with "Ihsan Bey's" son.



Only 18 when his father died, he had to make a new life. He was offered both a Fulbright and Rockefeller grant and used the Fulbright to study economics at U.C. Berkeley. Initially at a loss, underprepared and with weak English, he first panicked and then threw himself into it with intensity and quickly turned things around. He loved Berkeley, loved economics and took up reading voraciously on a range of subjects, reveling in the freedom of expression in this society. When he got his Ph.D. he worked first at the U.N. in Geneva, then U.B.C., San Diego State University (where he was tenured) and then at U.C. Berkeley. He taught on the U.S.S. Hancock during the Vietnam War.

and became a U.S. citizen in 1975. He was always grateful to this country for the opportunities he received. He loved classical music, backgammon, literature, art, the sea, chocolate and all animals.

He could be a bit grandiose and he missed teaching so would lecture at the drop of a hat. Many who knew his history have died as have most of his old friends and his beloved sister. Over the last few years he enjoyed retirement in Monterey. He loved his cats and his rescue dog never left his side. He came to enjoy the colorful cottage, and little flower-filled garden. He enjoyed watching waves at Del Monte Beach and the geese at El Estero with a Peet's coffee at hand. When he couldn't travel, this man who'd covered the globe enjoyed remembering those days while sipping tea in his garden. He told everyone he had a wonderful life

He is survived by his wife, local painter Maria Poroy; his son, Denis; grandson, Alexander; his daughter, Leyla Shields; her daughters, Hayleigh and Sydney. He is greatly missed by all including his constant companions, Wolfie and Kalinda.

When we have recovered a bit, we hope to have an informal gathering, knowing Ibosh would be the first to laugh at many of the stories we could share.

MANDATE

pointed to the declining Covid-19 cases in Monterey County in the past few weeks, figures that led county health officer Dr. Ed Moreno — who would normally be the one to issue such a mandate — to decline to implement another indoor mask law, although he recommends people wear masks indoors.

"I have a serious concern whether our numbers justify us overruling our health director," Phillips said before voting. He said implementing the law now while there is a downward trend in cases would "undermine" Moreno's credibility.

Ignored science

Adams was on the fence about the ordinance. While she was swayed by testimony from a mom who said her two young children had been infected with the virus, Adams also said she was concerned about the enforcement aspect of the law and had questions about the data showing a decline in case rates in the county. In the end, she voted to

"I feel I should be supportive of a mask mandate," Ad-

For the past few weeks, Monterey County's test positivity, case rates and hospitalizations have decreased significantly, while vaccine coverage among residents has increased, and the same things are happening statewide.

According the California Department of Public Health, Monterey County's rate of new cases per day per 100,000 residents declined from 14.8 on Aug. 17, to 10.5 today. California's rate has declined even more, from 33.2 in mid-August to 23.9 now.

However, Askew, who represents District 4, and Alejo, the District 1 supervisor, seemed to suggest that the data is not as important because some people are still getting sick.

Alejo said if the mask requirement prevents just one of "our county residents from being hospitalized," it's worth instituting. Citing the emergence of new coronavirus variants, Alejo said the county is "not in a good situation."

When the a majority of public speakers at the super-

visors' meeting opposed the mandate, and it looked like Lopez and Phillips would vote against it, a clearly frustrated Alejo requested his colleagues implement a 30-day mandate instead of the 60 days he first proposed.

"Not passing this today will be one of those decisions my colleagues will regret," Alejo claimed, "because we do have the ability to save lives."

Askew said the mask law would help "to mitigate the impact of this pandemic as it continues to ravage through our community." In making her case, she pointed to the dangers to unvaccinated children, long-term health problems in people who get infected, testing shortages, "critical nursing shortages" in hospitals and other issues.

Also irked that Phillips and Lopez likely wouldn't support the ordinance, Askew asked the two supervisors what coronavirus data would compel them to require county residents wear masks indoors.

"Would it be waiting until our rates are trending upward again?" she said. "Would it be waiting until we start having child deaths in Monterey County?"

Lopez and Phillips weren't swayed. Lopez, who represents the Salinas Valley, said he was concerned about breaking with Moreno on the issue — something the supervisors have rarely done since the start of the pandemic and he voted against the mask requirement.

He also noted the declining number of cases in the county and said medical experts such as Moreno and his team should make decisions regarding the health and safety of the public.

"I didn't go to college to be a doctor, I didn't go to college to be an epidemiologist," Lopez said. "We hire those people."

Several restaurant and inn owners and hospitality groups opposed the ordinance. Some asked that if supervisors were going to approve it, that it also contain some modifications, including exceptions for meetings and conferences, provided participants are fully vaccinated and can show negative tests.

More than three dozen people spoke, most of whom urged the supervisors to ax the mask law idea.

A Carmel Valley man accused Alejo and Askew of ignoring the science and data regarding declining coronavirus cases and said the two supervisors were instead "following anecdotes" in supporting the masking law.

He also addressed Phillips and Lopez.

"I implore the two of you to stand by this and vote no," the man said. "The chief health officer has made it very clear that the science and the data does not support this."

Does liberty matter?

Katie Annigoni of Pacific Grove, a mother of three children, including one who is not old enough to be vaccinated, said her family and others need the protection against coronavirus that an indoor mask requirement would en-

"I urge the community and the public to put aside our freedoms and anger and do a simple act of putting on a mask and protecting our most vulnerable," Annigoni said.

Sonoma County resident Patrick Kennell, a frequent visitor to Monterey County, said he would not return as a tourist if the supervisors implemented the mandate. He spoke of "liberty" and the "ability to make your own decisions."

"What is happening here is that one subset of the population is claiming that they are justified in taking away the liberty and choice of another subset of the population," Kennell explained. "If someone is going to take away the choice of another, the onus is really on them to do the due diligence to prove it. And I don't think that's been done here."

Had the ordinance been approved, it would have been the only one in the state to have been authorized by county supervisors, according to Monterey County counsel Les Girard. The 28 other California counties that have indoor mask laws were implemented by county health officers.

Exemptions for the proposed mandate had included individuals in vehicles, homes where people are with members of their family, swimming, showering, medical and dental procedures where masks have to be removed, and "actively eating or drinking."



lice "Uaper" Halbourian was born on January 30, 1925 to Onnig and Siranoush Zarounian Ain South Milwaukee, Wisconsin. She was the second of four children. She passed away on August 19, 2021, with family by her side.

Alice's family moved to California and settled in the Monson area where she attended grammar school until the eighth grade. She then graduated from Dinuba High School in 1943. She recounted fondly of being a farmer's daughter, working year-round on the 80-acre grape ranch and in the packing house. Her favorite childhood memory was her family's month-long vacation in the Sequoia National Park each year. She was a member of St. Mary Armenian Apostolic Church in Yettem, and was a member of St. Mary Ladies Society.

Alice met the love of her life, Khachig Halbourian, and they were married in Yettem in 1947. They made their home in Pasadena where they were active members of the St. Gregory Armenian Apostolic Church. She donated both her time and money in support of the church which included founding and organizing an annual ladies' luncheon and fashion show that continues to this day. Alice was also a devoted wife and daughter-in-law, working tirelessly for her in-laws dry cleaning business.

In July 1975, Alice and her husband relocated to Pebble Beach, where Khachig passed away on July 10, 1986.



A hard-worker and perfectionist, Alice embarked on a career as a teller for Bank of America. After retirement, she channeled her love of high-style and fashion by working at boutique shops in the Carmel area, including The Duchess. She also spent several years as a volunteer at Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula. Alice's loving personality, positive attitude, and generous spirit earned her a lifetime of beautiful friendships.

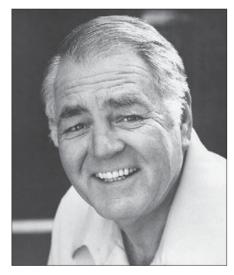
Loved and cherished deeply by her family, Alice is survived by her sister Gladys Zarounian; nieces Carol Ann Hovannisian and Gail Groefsema; nephew Gary Zarounian; brother-in-law George Halburian and sister-in-law Shirley Halburian; nephew Gregory Halburian and niece Georgeann Ikuma; and many more. She is survived by eight great-nieces and nephews and eleven great-great nieces and nephews. She also leaves behind her devoted and beloved dog, Pebbles.

The family would like to especially thank Mila Ramirez, a truly dedicated companion and caretaker, for the love and compassion she showed Alice over the past few years.

A funeral service will be held at St. Mary Armenian Apostolic Church in Yettem, California, Friday, September 10, 2021, at 10:30 a.m.

A Celebration of Life will take place in the Monterey Bay area at a date and time to be determined.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Mary Armenian Apostolic Church, P.O. Box 367, Yettem, California 93277 or donor's choice.



JORGEN CARLSEN

orgen Carlsen passed away on August J31st, 2021, in Carmel, CA, at the age of 99, surrounded by loving family. He was born in Denmark in 1922 to Ingeborg and Axel Carlsen as the eldest of four children.

After being trained in the textile and clothing trade, Jorgen immigrated to Canada as a young man working various jobs in the interior and Montreal. After going back and forth between Denmark and Canada, he was inspired to move to California in 1955 and eventually settled in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Through his hard work ethic, Danish persistence and the business acumen of his late wife, Marriott Carlsen, Jorgen was successful as a business and manufacturing representative. He brought impeccable manners, sharp wit and dry humor to every situation. During his retirement in Marin County, he hiked every week with the MCPHARTS, Marin County Parks Hiking and Recreational Trails Society.

Jorgen is survived by his siblings, Niels Carlsen and Bodil Willumsen; nieces, Heidi Carlsen, Tanya Carlsen, Charlotte Carlsen, Hanne Gaardstine, Else Willumsen and nephew, Peter Carlsen.

Jorgen will be sorely missed but remembered for his loyalty, generosity and love for family. There will be no service. Please visit www. thepaulmortuary.com to sign Jorgen's guest book and leave messages for his family.

mentally ill man.

"So we are releasing [prisoners] early and treating cops like felons while releasing felons on our streets," Elder said. "While the people who are hurt are the very Black and Brown people that the left claims they care about."

In a topic especially relevant to Monterey Peninsula residents, Elder said the state has not added to its water infrastructure in any substantial way in "about 40 or 50 years," when California had a lot fewer people. He pointed to the country of Israel's strong desalination program.

"Droughts are God-made, but shortages are manmade," he said.

Asked what he would do to help push through a desal plant proposed by California American Water that would offer a drought-free supply for the Monterey Peninsula, Elder said he would declare a statewide emergency that would allow "many of these obstacles" on water proposals by private companies to be eliminated.

'We are going to solve this water problem," he said. "We are going to save water during wet years to get us through the drought years. This is just common sense, it's

calls," in the Carmel area, and the CHP is unlikely to both-

with taking on these expectations," while councilman

Bobby Richards said he was concerned about that, too,

but "we have to keep these cars moving," so traffic doesn't

back up into the city and affect its residents. He called it

son enough to deny the county's request, councilwoman

Karen Ferlito argued, and she argued that if officers don't

respond when people expect them to, "we will be looked

iff needs to address it," she said. "I want my the policemen

in Carmel addressing things that we need them to address,

considering jurisdictional boundaries are invisible to most

like illegal fires on the beach and problems downtown."

people and the city should be a good neighbor.

"I really think this is the sheriff's problem, and the sher-

Potter pleaded with the council to at least give it a try,

"I think it is important to be considerate of the people

Ultimately, he convinced everyone to give it a go, with

"And in that period of time, if there's abuse of staff, if

there's overreaching, if there are demands that are inappro-

priate and expectations that are false, then I'll bring it back

Short staffing in the police department would be rea-

Councilman Jeff Baron said he was "really struggling

er with parking enforcement, either.

"good tourism management."

in this community," he said.

to council to revoke," he promised.

a review in six months.

not complicated."

Former California State Senator and Democratic majority leader Gloria Romero told the crowd in Marina that she's endorsing Elder for his stance on school choice, and she accused the California Teachers Association of "lining the pockets" of Newsom.

"I'm a Democrat, I'm an American," Romero said. "I believe in the right of the people to petition their government when things are going wrong, and that's what this recall has been. It's our vote.'

More endorsements

Also endorsing Elder is former lieutenant governor of

While polling in the last two weeks suggests Newsom will keep his job, Elder — who holds the lead over 45 other challengers — said taking his place would change the perception of the Republican Party, a concept he said is

What they're afraid of is I'm going to break this tie, this bond, this Jedi mind trick that the Democrats have had over Black and Brown voters, because I'm from the

WOLF

was originally part of what's known as the White River pack, which lives in Northern Oregon. Fish and wildlife put a radio collar on him last summer and successfully

A group called Los Padres Forest Watch, a nonprofit

"OR-93 is much larger than a coyote and has a purple collar around its neck which should make the animal easy

"Wolves are protected by law in California, and it is



PHOTO/CALIFORNIA FISH & WILDLIFE

Known to researchers as OR-93, a young male wolf was captured

California Abel Maldonado, who rejected the Newsom campaign's framing of the recall effort as a "Republican" drive. He brushed off Newsom's dire warning that more people would die from coronavirus under Elder's leadership, something he called a scare tactic.

frightening to the Democrats.

'hood," Elder said.

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tracked him until early April.

that supports the reintroduction of wolves in California, celebrated the sliver of good news about OR-93, and urged people to report any sightings to the state department of fish and wildlife, while reminding everybody that wolves are protected.

to identify," the group said.

unlawful to harass, harm, pursue, hunt, shoot, wound, kill, trap or capture gray wolves," it continued.



on a wildlife camera in mid-May.

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sume it can be a nice revenue producer."

Another asked police to stop and ticket cars, or at least tell the drivers to move, when they are parked illegally. "We have pedestrians, children, pets, cars triple parked across a one-lane road, and it's just very, very dangerous," she said. "Thank you very much for any help you can give us."

Councilwoman Carrie Theis was worried about the public expectation "that we are going to respond to every call we get about parking.'

"I don't think we can live up to that expectation," she said, adding that the \$250 wouldn't even cover the costs of an officer going out there.

"Why isn't the county doing this?" she asked.

'Tourism management'

Mayor Dave Potter said the Scenic Road parking problem has persisted since he was on the county board of supervisors years ago, and he asked the council for its support. Homeowners in the area just outside the city limits are important, he added, since "they do come into our town all the time and spend money here."

He also said the sheriff's office "barely responds to any

MANNIE 'VIC' DARBY JR.

annie "Vic" Darby Jr., originally of Gastonia, North Carolina and 55-year resident of Seaside, $^\prime$ $^{f l}$ California, transitioned peacefully in his home surrounded with family, love and light, August

At the age of 18, Mannie joined the United States Army. After 20 years of dedicated service to country and family, Mannie retired as a proud decorated Vietnam veteran. While accumulating numerous commendations, awards, and recognition for his service, his time in the military also gave him the opportunity to share his phenomenal talents on the football field. His legendary speed and prowess left indelible cleat prints in Army football history. His time in the Army is also where he met his loving wife, Jean Darby, at Camp Zama Army Base, Japan. His dedication to his fellow veterans continued long after retirement, serving as a Commander of the V.F.W. Post 8679 and passionately volunteering in service to his veteran community.

After retiring from the Army, Mannie embarked on yet another career path — serving the United States Postal Service for over 20 years. Loved by all, Mannie was proud of the lifelong relationships he developed during his time serving in Carmel, California. Always in service with a friendly hello, a welcoming gesture, and that famous "Darby Smile," Mannie was the "Gentleman's Gentleman." His selflessness and generosity were contagious with customers and colleagues alike.

His passion for the game of golf made him a fixture on the area golf courses and active in charity tournaments throughout the state. Lover of all things music and an avid vocalist, Mannie graced many stages with his karaoke talents and was a regular

volunteer at the Monterey Jazz Festival for several years. When not on the links, Mannie's second home was the El Dorado Casino and Hotel in Reno, Nevada, where he was a joyful fixture beloved

Mannie is lovingly remembered by his wife, Jean Darby; son, Derik Darby; daughters Tracy, Cynthia, and Tanya Darby; grandchildren Derek Taylor, Raven Trahan, Jadyn Trahan, and greatgranddaughter, Maliyah Taylor.

He was born to Mannie Darby Sr. and Pearl Reid of South Carolina. Mannie "June" Darby is survived by sisters Hazel Niles, Geneva Darbyand Dorothy Carrasquillo and brothers James Darby, Roy Darby, and Robert Darby. He was preceded in death by sister Mary Darby.

Mannie will be laid to rest 11 a.m. Tuesday, September 14, at California Central Coast Veterans Cemetery in Seaside, California, 2900 Parker Flats Cut Off Rd. Celebration of Life to follow at V.F.W. Post 8679, 1996 Fremont Blvd., Seaside, California. Flowers and tributes can be sent directly to the Veterans Cemetery.

> 160 BERMUDEZ FAMILY

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

93923.
Mailing address: 2553 Winsford Lane,
Carmichael, CA 95608.
County of Principal Place of Business: nterey. ne of Corporation or LLC as shown in Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.:

Name of Corporation or ILC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.:
WEDO'S, ILC, 201 Via Gayuba Street, Monterey, CA 93940.
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA
His business is conducted by a limited liability company.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictifious business name or names listed above on N/A.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT.
IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is quilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filing pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-627). E/Christopher Leidig, Member Date: August 25, 2021
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on August 31,

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NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20212017
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The following person(s) isfare doing business as: DEL MAR WINDOW CLEANING, 5065 Beach Wood Dr., Seaside, CA 93955.
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NESIOR ISNAEL LAGUINAS 130 Encina Ave., Apt. 4, Monterey, CA 93940.
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OUTBREAK

life," she said, because she wasn't sure how her other friends would react.

Lewellen said she knows the vaccination status of her closest friends, but not of her acquaintances or other kids at the high school.

A CUSD official said the district does not track which students have been vaccinated.

No surprise

The outbreak among football players didn't surprise Lewellen.

"With the amount of physical activity involved in sports, kids are bound to take off their masks," she

And when they're in closed spaces like locker rooms, they're at greater risk of infecting each other, she added.

The district and school have imposed many safety measures intended to prevent the spread of coronavirus, but Lewellen said she's found that enforcement of the rules leaves much to be desired.

"We are asked to wear our masks indoors, but the second we step outside, the whole school is allowed to bunch together maskless on the bleachers for a rally," she observed. "But even inside, the follow-through on restrictions isn't particularly well monitored."

It varies greatly among teachers, she said, with "some who are very strict regarding mask policy, and some who don't even wear their own masks properly."

Costly burglary at consignment shop

By MARY SCHLEY

FIVE PEOPLE smashed a window at an upscale resale store near the post office shortly just after 4 a.m. Saturday and stole tens of thousands of dollars in inventory in just a few minutes, according to Carmel Police Sgt. Jeff Watkins.

"Preliminary loss, according to the owners, may be somewhere from \$150,000 to \$300,000," he said Wednesday. "They are still inventorying the store."

Surveillance video from inside Foxy Couture indicates the burglars were adult men wearing sweats and hoodies, masks and gloves, according to Watkins.

"The alarm was activated when they smashed the window," he said. But by the time officers got there, the burglars were long gone, along with a lot of the store's expensive purses, clothing and other valuable items. "They were in and out in under three minutes," he said.

Similar high-dollar smash-and-grab burglaries are often tied to crime rings, but Watkins doesn't know if that's the case with the Foxy break-in, and officers are still running down leads.

"City cameras captured the vehicles coming and going," he added.

But, he said, it could be linked with another similar burglary at the Corral Market on Highway 68 that happened about 30 minutes earlier.

Ryan Sanchez, who owns the market — as well as Bruno's and Surf N' Sand in Carmel — said surveillance footage showed five people breaking in and going straight for where the cash was kept. The burglary occurred around 3:40 a.m. Sept. 4.

"They threw a sledgehammer through the window," he said. "It was very calculated — they were good. I think they cased the place in advance, because it was too strategic. They were in and out in less than a minute, and there were five of them."



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Jazz trumpeter, legendary lead singer bring live music back to Golden State

AFTER THE postponement of Buddy Guy's show last week, jazz trumpeter Chris Botti kicks off Golden State Theatre's 2021-22 musical lineup Friday. Six days

On a High Note

By CHRIS COUNTS

later, the Beach Boys — featuring founding member Mike **Love** — perform on the same stage.

Botti, who has had four of his albums rise to No. 1 on the jazz charts, won a Grammy Award in 2014 for best pop instrumental album ("Impressions"). A frequent visitor to the Monterey Peninsula, he last played here in 2017. The show in Monterey marks the start of a 10-day California

"We are so pleased that Chris is returning," the theater's Ben Bransford said. "No one has mastered the trumpet as beautifully as him, and it's no wonder he has is simply the best-selling American instrumental artist."

Tickets start at \$55. Showtime is 8 p.m.

Love 'n' the Beach Boys

When **The Beach Boys** take the stage at Golden State Thursday, they will be led by Love, who sang lead vocals on many of the band's biggest hits. While he worked in the shadow of his legendary songwriting cousin, Brian Wilson, Love had a hand in writing "I Get Around," "Help Me Rhonda," "Fun, Fun, Fun," "Good Vibrations" and many other popular singles.

Also performing with the Beach Boys is singer Bruce Johnston, who replaced Glen Campbell in the band in 1965 just as the latter's solo career was taking off. Johnston won a Grammy Award in 1977 for writing the Song of the Year — Barry Manilow's "I Write the Songs."

Tickets start at \$59. The music begins at 7:30 p.m.

If you're coming to either show at Golden State, you will need to show proof of a Covid vaccination or a negative Covid test, or you will be required to wear a mask.

The theater is located at 417 Alvarado St. Call (831) 649-1070 or visit goldenstatetheatre.com

■ Live music Sept. 10-16

The Barnyard shopping center — singer and guitarist Fred McCarty (Saturday at noon). 3663 The Barnyard, thebarnyard.com.

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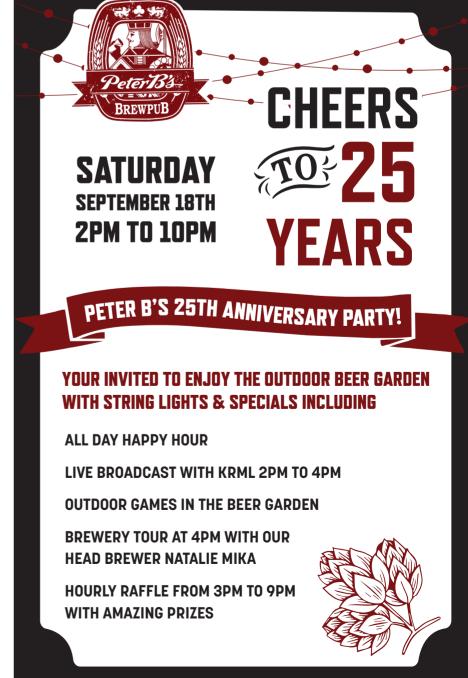




Grammy Award-winning jazz trumpeter Chris Botti (left) takes the stage at Golden State Theatre in Monterey Sept. 10, kicking off the venue's musical 2021-22 musical lineup. Singer Mike Love (right) brings the latest incarnation of the Beach Boys to the same site Sept. 16.



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FOOD & WINE

NEW PLAZA HOT SPOT FILLS BIG HOLE, A JAZZY DINNER, AND FLAVORS OF P.G.

F OR THE first time in what feels like forever, Carmel has a bona fide donut shop. Dutch Door Donuts opened in the Plaza over the weekend to great anticipation and lines of people willing to wait for their made-to-order treats, which sold out each day, according to co-owner Chris Whitman.

"The most common comment we got all weekend from the locals was that this is much needed in town, and they're excited that we're open," he said Tuesday.

The shop opens daily at 7:30 a.m., and plans are to close at the time the Plaza shuts down — 6 p.m. on weekdays and 5 p.m. on Sundays — if the supplies last that long.

Soup to Nuts

By MARY SCHLEY

"The dough needs to be made the night before, so we ballpark it based on what we think we're going to sell," he explained. "When we sold out on Friday, we added more dough on Friday night for Saturday, and when we sold out on Saturday, we added more Saturday night for Sunday." Sunday sold out too, of course.

"We're still trying to gauge how much we need," he said

Chef Tucker Bunch — the Donut King — has long been making the iconic breakfast pastry and tweaked the dough recipe for production on a bigger scale for the shop, which is equipped with areas for making, working and cutting the dough, frying the pastries, glazing or topping them, and packaging them up to go. The wait after ordering isn't long.

This week's offerings included glazed, cinnamon-sugar, and chocolate, which are available daily, with seasonal and otherwise inspired flavors, like Carmel Valley plum, changing regularly.

"We're going to have three staple flavors, and right now we're seeing what sells," Whitman said. "And our specials will be seasonal or change monthly."

While the donuts are made to order and served hot, they hold up well for hours and are perfectly delicious at room temperature. Whitman said he's also heard from people who refreshed them in the oven for a minute or two and "loved them that way."

Dog donuts

The shop's owners are also collaborating with Brad's Barkery, the dog-treat business a few blocks away on San Carlos south of Seventh, to carry donut-shaped decorated dog treats. Their packaging includes both businesses' logos, and they are kept separate from goodies intended for humans, of course.

"They've done really well," Whitman said. "We're happy to have treats for humans and treats for their fur babies when they come in."

Like almost every other retailer and restaurant, staffing has been a challenge for Whitman and his partners at Dutch Door, "but we're extremely happy with those who have joined our team, and we're obviously looking for more young fun people who enjoy donuts who want to join the team."

During the grand opening weekend, he said, the eight employees on duty "were truly amazing and did us very proud."

He's also glad to be in Carmel Plaza, which he said is the "perfect location."



Dutch Door Donuts celebrated its grand opening over the weekend and was a hit, especially with the kids who sat at the bar to watch the sweet treats being made.

■ Full circle at Luca

Executive chef Jason Balestrieri, who helped open Cantinetta Luca 15 years ago and created many of its mainstay dishes, has returned to the kitchen at the Dolores Street restaurant after leaving to start a high-end butchery and charcuterie shop in Seaside and then helping to develop the menu at the new Village Gem restaurant on Mission north of Fifth. Balestrieri went back to Luca after executive chef Eddie Moran left.

■ Jazz dinner

In celebration of the Monterey Jazz Festival, Estéban Restaurant in the Casa Munras hotel in Monterey will offer an after-hours dinner and music package Sept. 25, with diners taking their seats between 7:30 and 8 p.m., and dinner and music running from 8 to 10.

The Next Generation Women in Jazz Combo will perform live on the outdoor patio while executive chef Mario Garcia serves "jazz-inspired Spanish cuisine."

The ticket price is \$75, which includes \$50 good toward the meal and a \$25 donation to the jazz festival.

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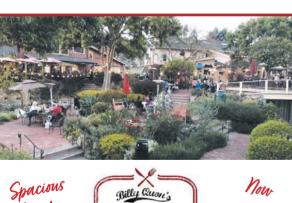


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■ MPC gala tickets on sale now

The MPC Foundation will present the 4th Annual Evening of Opportunity Gala Nov. 6 at the Monterey Plaza Hotel & Spa, starting at 5 p.m., and tickets are on sale now, so there's plenty of time to dig up the appropriate cocktail

The event has the mission of "raising dollars for scholars," and tickets are \$150 per person, while table sponsorships begin at \$2,500.

Find the details at mpcfoundation.org.

■ Bigger market match

Everyone's Harvest, the nonprofit that organizes farmers markets in Pacific Grove, Seaside, Marina and Salinas, has increased the amount of money it donates to people using government assistance to buy fresh produce. Everyone's Harvest's Market Match program matches purchases through CalFresh, the modern equivalent of food stamps, up to \$15. Formerly, it had contributed up to \$10.

"Market Match increases CalFresh usage at the farmers' markets while increasing sales by farmers, too," the market organizer said. "Over the last five years, CalFresh and Market Match redemption has tripled at Everyone's Harvest's farmers markets," and hit an all-time high in

For more information, visit everyonesharvest.org or marketmatch.org.

■ Flavors of P.G.

The P.G. Chamber of Commerce hosts the annual Flavors of Pacific Grove food and wine event Sept. 30 from 5:30 to 8 p.m. with "a delightful self-guided tour of Pacific Grove's diverse and exquisite culinary landscape."

"Meet the chefs, savor their unique flavors and artfully plated small bites, featuring local ingredients and the flavors of the area," chamber representatives said. "As part of the tour, there will be entertainment as well as wine, beer and spirits at various locations."

Nineteen restaurants have committed, including nearly a dozen downtown, a handful on Forest Hill, and others around Asilomar and near the Monterey city limits.

Tickets are \$60 apiece and will also include a \$10 coupon good at any of the participating restaurants through Nov. 15. Tickets and more information, including the full lineup of restaurants and chefs who will be welcoming Flavors of P.G. participants, are available at pacificgrove.org or by calling (831) 373-3304.

■ ABC news

According to the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 12,870 restaurants, bars, brewpubs and wineries had their annual renewal fees waived this year, amounting to \$10 million saved for the industry as a whole. ABC Director Eric Hirata encouraged business owners who haven't taken advantage of the giveaway to go to abc. ca.gov to see if they are eligible for the fee waiver, which is available to all "on-sale" businesses, which sell alcoholic beverages to be consumed onsite.

No new ones, though

According to ABC spokesman John Carr, Monterey County has approximately 1,450 liquor licenses and did not receive any more in the annual allocations made by the ABC based on population growth. To get a new offsale license, the county would have had to grow by 2,500 residents, while for on-sale, the population would have had to increase by 2,000.

Carr said the county has 418 licenses for stores, 753 for on-sale businesses like restaurants and bars, and 279 licenses for manufacturers and producers, and the only way for a new business to get one is to find another that's willing to sell it. "Even then, they will need to file for a person-to-person transfer with their local ABC office," he

The fee for a new license is \$15,835, and a transfer costs \$6,000.

■ New drinks at Rio

The Rio Grill in the Crossroads celebrated the arrival of new executive chef Luis Osorio and the debut of a handful of cocktails with a party last month and a three-day "Happy Hour event" last week that featured live music nightly.

Patrick Fischer, who oversees the cocktail programs for the Rio Grill and owner Coastal Roots' other restaurants, Tarpy's and Montrio, came up with the new drinks, includ-



Flavors of Pacific Grove will feature 19 restaurants, including one famous for its chowder.

ing a strawberry margarita, The Butterfly Effect (gin, Maraschino liqueur, lime, grenadine and grapefruit), and the Pom Apple Sour with Jack Daniels apple whiskey, Pama pomegranate liqueur, lemon, orange, agave and egg white.

Fischer said he envisions the company's cocktail programs as having "a foundation in the classics, but with creative twists that sometimes will take patrons outside of their comfort zone," and said the bars at all three places "will be stocked with farm-fresh produce, hand-squeezed citrus, botanicals and housemade infusions."

■ Agtech talk

Amy Wu, author of "From Farms to Incubators: Women Innovators Revolutionizing How Our Food is Grown," and Mayra Ruiz-Valtierra from Digital Nest will hold a virtual talk organized by the Watsonville Public Library Saturday, Sept. 11, from 10 to 11 a.m. They will explore how agriculture and technology intersect and create career opportunities in the agtech sector, especially for women.

Wu became an expert in her field while covering the agricultural industry for a local newspaper, and Ruiz-Valtierra is an education specialist and designer for Digital Nest, which teaches teens and young adults coding, programming, film and sound, graphic arts, game design and leadership.

The talk is open to people of all ages, and registration is not required. To participate, visit cityofwatsonville. org/2247/From-Farms-to-Incubators and click on the Zoom link.



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Time didn't stand still for these athletes — it just felt that way

WHAT LOCAL coaches are rediscovering this fall is, (1) absence makes the heart grow fonder, and (2) teenage kids get bigger, stronger, faster and better as they mature.

The pandemic robbed volleyball players of their 2020 season, but the gymnasiums at Santa Catalina and Stevenson are filled this month with players with pent-up energy and enthusiasm ... and, my, how they've grown!

Peninsula Sports

By DENNIS TAYLOR

"A girl I didn't recognize at first came into my gym, pulled down her mask, and said, 'I don't think you remember me," said Stevenson's first-year head coach, Skyler Allen, of 6-foot-1 middle hitter Gina Da Silva, a freshman Allen coached as a 10-year-old. "And I said, 'Oh, my gosh! You've grown!"

Surprises — lots of them — are pleasing Allen and Santa Catalina's veteran head coach, Paul Elliott, as they shake the mothballs out of programs that have been dormant for two years due to the coronavirus.

"I like that we have large numbers, and a whole bunch of very talented players," Elliott said. "There were 41 kids at our first practice — more than we've seen in several years — and a lot of them have volleyball experience."

Getting acquainted

Seven Santa Catalina players got varsity experience on a young 2019 team that went 6-9 in the Pacific Coast Athletic League's Mission Division, and 7-11 overall, missing the playoffs for the second-straight year after back-to-back 27-1 seasons

And while Elliott isn't forecasting a return to the Nor-Cal finals, where his 2016 and 2017 teams finished, he sees a rainbow on the horizon.

Big things are expected from a list of returning letter-winners that will include 5-foot-6 Annie Yeh, a savvy and athletic junior with extensive experience on travel teams. Yeh figures to emerge as one of the PCAL's best players as an outside hitter, and she'll also play setter alongside senior Annabella Hrepich, who got varsity time at the position in 2019.

Yeh will be joined at the net by outside hitters Jacqui Boe and Sydney Lee, and two senior middle hitters, Uso Atigbu, a 5-9 leaper, and 5-10 Helen Yensen, a varsity player since her freshman year.

Defensive specialist Sofia Enea, a senior, is another varsity returnee who will bring experience to Catalina's back row. Enea also saw action as a setter two years ago.

New players on the varsity squad who should make an impact include Presley Acosta, who got JV experience in 2019, and Sophia Luna, a 5-9 sophomore newcomer who will start at outside hitter.

Luna is one of multiple sophomores with travel-ball experience, five who made the varsity team, and a half-dozen more who will gain experience on a junior varsity squad that is expected to be Catalina's best in years.

The challenge at Catalina, after two years away from the court, will be getting the team to gel after having just a brief getting-acquainted period. The Cougars' first day of practice, Aug. 31, was nearly four weeks after most other schools began.

"We're going to make some mistakes early in the year.

We're going to be a bit confused, and volleyball isn't a good sport to be confused," Elliott said. "But we're not going to worry about those things — we'll just fix them as we go. I expect the second half of our season to be very good."

Santa Catalina will return to the Mission Division this season, which will include tradition-rich King City and Notre Dame, as well as Gilroy, Monte Vista Christian, Monterey and Soledad.

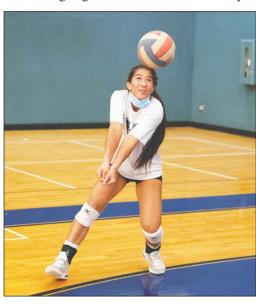
Veterans return

Allen, Stevenson's JV coach since 2018, was delighted to find 43 players waiting on her first day as head coach, including five who played varsity volleyball for the Pirates two years ago.

That list includes senior Kira Seggerty, a varsity player since her freshman season, and juniors Sydney Clymo and Mandy Wang, all outside hitters. The middle hitter, senior Shea Stornetta, won a letter in her sophomore season.

Daniela Fernandez, a strong transfer student with natu-

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(Left) Santa Catalina's Annie Yeh brings her travel team experience to the court. (Right) Stevenson's first-year varsity coach, Skyler Allen (with the ball) discusses tactics with outside hitter Kira Seggerty, setter Daniela Fernandez, and middle hitter Shea Stornetta.



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Editorial

Give private business a role

THE MONTEREY Peninsula's water shortage was created by the government and is being perpetuated by the government, which makes it odd that so many people won't even hear of the idea that government might need help to solve it.

Last week, the county board of supervisors took a major step toward letting private business play a bigger role in the implementation of desal technology here. They did it by floating the idea of making it legal for a private company to own a desal facility — something that's been prohibited in this county for decades. Congratulations to supervisors John Phillips, Chris Lopez and Luis Alejo for proposing to overturn the ban, which is not only unnecessary, it's counterproductive. It's a real mystery why the two supervisors who represent the Peninsula, where the water shortage is worst, want to keep the ban in place.

Maybe it's because they buy into the argument constantly put forth by anti-Cal Am activists who insist that a government-operated desal plant would invariably produce water at a lower cost. This idea is nonsense, of course. The government never does anything more cheaply or efficiently than a private company does, for the simple reason that the government usually makes decisions for political reasons, not economic ones. A good example of this is the minimum wage. Say what you will about the justice or fairness of a \$15 minimum wage, one thing it's not going to get you is cheaper hamburgers.

Meanwhile, it was the government, way back in 1995, that declared the Carmel River off-limits as a local water source and ordered the people of the Monterey Peninsula to find a replacement supply. Twenty-six years later, with millions of dollars spent to develop a new water source, we still don't have one. Is that because nobody has proposed anything? Hardly. Cal Am has tried and tried and tried to get permits for the desal plant it wants to build in Marina, only to have the way blocked by an assortment of regulatory agencies.

We are not arguing that the government should play no role in solving our water shortage. In the last couple of years, the water district and the wastewater treatment district have done admirable work bringing a reclamation plant online that, even as we speak, is turning wastewater into drinking water to add to our meager supply. We love the reclamation plant, and we congratulate the people who got it built. The problem is, it's too small to provide the amount we need, and even if it's expanded, it still won't be adequate - particularly during a severe drought, when people are using even less water. We wouldn't mind at all if those same two agencies built and operated a large desal plant, and the sooner the better. But they're not even trying.

The point is that private business is very good at solving problems as innovatively and efficiently as possible. The whole reason for banning private ownership of desal was its nearly guaranteed success. In the 1990s, nogrowth forces had a death grip on our water, and the private-ownership ban was enacted was to prevent new water from being created. With government in control, they knew, nothing would happen for many years, and they have been proved right.

BEST of BATES



"I could have been rich, but I settled for handsome."

the Editor

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Sad legacy Dear Editor,

Two weeks prior to 9/11, I took my daughter and two sons to the North Tower of the World Trade Center for a tour. Little did we know it would be the last time we would ever stand there.

On 9/11, my high school freshmen son decided he would join the military to fight terrorism. He joined the U.S. Marines four years later and was deployed to Iraq twice, completing two tours in Fallujah and Ramadi.

In a few days we will be honoring 9/11 twenty years later. I am greatly saddened that after all the deaths, injuries and sacrifices made on 9/11 and during the Middle Eastern wars, the Biden administration has turned Afghanistan over to the Taliban and soon ISIS will resurface as well. The president has also recklessly allowed Afghans to flee to the U.S. without proper vetting, all while leaving Americans behind to die.

He allows our southern border to be wide open, dangerously welcoming terrorist attacks on U.S. soil.

Our country is in more danger now since the commander in grief has arrived.

Sharon Wood, Carmel

Public vs. private Dear Editor,

The Pine Cone missed the obvious story on what happens with private ownership of desal. The story, "Law requiring public desal ownership may change" makes no mention of how private water company Cal Am, with the help of Supervisor Phillips, has held up a new water supply for over two years now because it wasn't profitable for Cal Am. There is no mention of the fact that Cal Am continues to stall on signing a water purchase agreement for an additional 2,250 acre-feet of water that we urgently need from Pure Water Monterey.

This is the problem of private ownership of water — a community has no control. It's not about limiting development. It's about the cost to the consumer and the danger of for-profit entities controlling wa-

Has the county learned nothing from its experience with Cal Am's private ownership of desal? If Cal Am had not used its political power to block the expansion of Pure Water Monterey this publicly owned project would be delivering water by now and storing it for drought. But because Cal Am is a private company, no one can force it to buy this water from a public agency (at no profit) and without a water purchase agreement, the Pure Water Monterey Expansion cannot be built. The question of public versus private ownership of desal really comes down to cost. If you want to pay more for water, then go with private ownership.

Melodie Chrislock, Carmel

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Long before Ed Ricketts, David Jordan studied coastal science

ONE OF the prominent names in the early history of Carmel was David Starr Jordan. The once revered writer and lecturer has become a victim of today's "cancel culture." Love him or hate him, he was a thought leader in his day and is a part of our local history. We will discuss his modern critics in a later column. This week, let me introduce you to the man who was a respected scientist during his lifetime and lauded at the time of his death.

Those who remember Jordan know him best as the founding president of Stanford University in 1891. He served in that role until 1913. Palo Alto remained his home until his death in 1931. However, he and his wife, Jessie, bought several lots here in 1905 and built a large vacation home on Camino Real south of Seventh. They became part of Carmel's early life and attracted other Stanford professors to build around here, creating an area along Camino Real that was known for decades as Pro-

History Beat

By NEAL HOTELLING

Jordan was 40 when he came to Stanford with an already impressive resume. He graduated from Cornell in 1872, where, in less than four years, he completed advanced studies in botany in addition to the requirements of a bachelor's degree and was accordingly awarded a master's of science degree. While his major was botany, he especially enjoyed several classes in history, which he said, "deeply interested me, not as a record of battles and intrigues but as the 'biography of man.'" He also studied French, German, Spanish, Italian and Chinese. "Knowledge of modern

languages," he wrote, "has always seemed to me necessary to any just view of the modern world.'

After a year of teaching at Lombard College (1872-1873) in Galesburg, Ill., Jordan was selected to join Louis Agassiz for the first gathering of a Summer School of Science at Penikese, one of the Elizabeth Islands off the coast of Massachusetts. Agassiz instilled in his educator-students adages like, "Study nature, not books," and "Be not afraid to say, 'I don't know."" Jordan lived by, and also taught, these maxims.

Field guide

Jordan was recommended by Agassiz and named president of the Appleton Collegiate Institute in Wisconsin in the fall of 1873. Underfunded, the school closed permanently at the end of Jordan's first year. Jordan returned to Penikese in the summer of 1874, with most of the previous group, but without Agassiz, who had died in December. With his death, fundraising dried up and the students closed the bankrupt

school. Agassiz's son settled the debts.

Among those who studied at Penikese was Susan Bowen. In March 1875, she became Mrs. Jordan and joined her husband in Indianapolis, where he had taken a job as a high school science teacher in the fall of 1874. The next year, Jordan became professor of biology at Northwestern Christian University in the Indianapolis suburb of Irvington. There, Jordan completed his first major published work, a field guide he had begun in Wisconsin.

Young professor

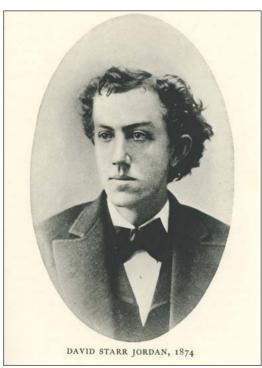
His "Manual of the Vertebrates of the Northern United States" was published in 1876, when he was only 25. The compact book was created for use in the field but was quickly adopted as a college text. Within the 342 pages of the first edition, Jordan described 817 species representing 116 families. In his preface, Jordan said, "This book has been written to give collectors and students who are not specialists

> a ready means of identifying the families, genera and species of our vertebrate animals." He also acknowledged that he had adopted a system of artificial keys for identification of mammals,

reptiles and fish, similar to that used by Dr. Elliott Coues for the study of birds. A revised and expanded second edition was published in 1878. It remained an important resource for decades with a 13th edition published in 1929, when Jordan was

Each summer in the late 1870s, Jordan traveled with one of his students, Charles Gilbert, to make extensive studies of fish. As they began to prepare their research for publication in 1879, Indiana University of-

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PHOTO/FROM "THE DAYS OF A MAN," 1922

At 23, Jordan was a dashing young natural scientist with a passion to expand his understanding of the world around him

HE FOLLOWED A TOUGH PATH WITH THE HELP OF SOME ARTISTIC GIANTS

HE NAVIGATED a challenging childhood and teenage missteps, but Leonard Han emerged with a voracious appetite for art that brought him to the doorsteps of some of the best-known artists in the United States and the world during his lifelong pursuit of learning.

On Sept. 17, from 7 to 9 p.m., the

69-year-old Monterey Peninsula artist will host a reception for his one-man exhibition, "An Ethos for the Living — Paintings and Monotypes," at Studio 311 on the third floor of the

American Tin Cannery (125 Ocean View Blvd., Pacific Grove). Han will display 15-18 paintings he created between 1976 and

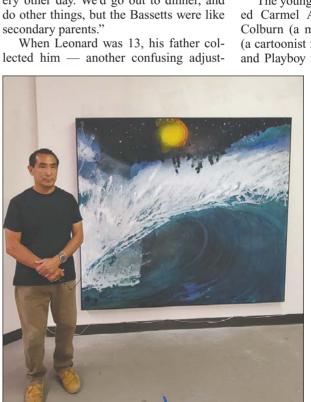
The exhibit will continue through Oct. 16 by appointment. Call (831) 224-7071 or email lennyh2986@gmail.com. Gallery hours also will be announced, Han said.

'Surrogate family'

His parents, Joan Chung and Paul Han, met at Columbia University in New York, then traveled to Monterey, where Paul had a job waiting at the Defense Language In-

Their marriage lasted just two years. Joan returned alone to the East Coast, and Paul, unable to raise their son as a single parent, found a surrogate family for 2-yearold Leonard.

"My father put me with an American family (Ralph and Bernice Bassett of Monterey) that raised me for about 10 years, through my formative years," he said. "My dad would visit weekly - sometimes every other day. We'd go out to dinner, and do other things, but the Bassetts were like secondary parents."



Shown with his work, "Beneath the Wave, Luna," Leonard Han creates what he calls "staged dramas" on canvas, using acrylics and dry pastels to create his images.

ment. "After about a year, I started going through this feeling of guilt," he said. "I was very connected to the Bassetts but felt bad that I might be making my father feel like I didn't want to be with him.'

The despondent teenager ran into trouble with marijuana and the law, and served time in the California Youth Authority, but

Carmel's Artists

By DENNIS TAYLOR

graduated from Monterey High in 1970.

At 17, he was contacted by an aunt who helped him reconnect with the mother he had never really known.

"My mother owned a gift shop in Manhattan when my aunt put us in touch. We corresponded, but she had moved to Chicago and had a restaurant by the time I went to visit," Han said. "We spent a week or so getting reacquainted."

His interest in art accelerated at Monterey Peninsula College, where Han took painting classes from Alex Gonzalez, learned principles of form and color from Richard Bibler, studied figure drawing with Andrea Sparks and became enamored with art history under Bob Nelson.

"I also had a job then at Luciano Antiques in Carmel, next door to Laky's Gallery on San Carlos Street, and eventually met Les Laky, who hired me to help install exhibitions," Han said. "We became close friends, and he really helped enculture me, taught me to look at art with a more discerning eye."

The young artist subsequently befriended Carmel Art Association artists Sam Colburn (a modernist) and Eldon Dedini (a cartoonist for Esquire, The New Yorker, and Playboy magazines), and their wives,

Grace Meredith and Virginia Conroy, both iconic figures on the Peninsula art

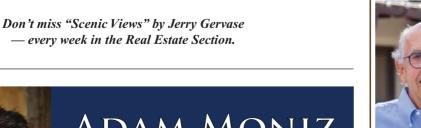
The legends

He was introduced to Pebble Beach resident Chang Dai-Chien, one of the most prodigious Chinese artists of the 20th century, best known as a modern expressionist and impressionist.

Han became acquainted with another local legend who would gain global acclaim, S.C. Yuan, known for still lifes, seascapes, High Sierra snowscapes, and European and Mexican scenes in watercolor and

"Yuan had a very mercurial temperament, but I had a tremendous amount of respect for him, and the range and quality of his

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fered Jordan the role of professor of natural

He resigned from Northwestern Christian and, after a summer in Europe, moved to Bloomington, Ind., to begin his new job and complete publication of the fish studies. Plans soon changed.

The 1880 census was on the horizon, and the U.S. Census Bureau decided to add an analysis of marine industries.

The bureau turned to the U.S. Fish Commission, which had been assisting Jordan and Gilbert on their compilation. The commission asked Jordan if he would take on the study on the West Coast from Southern California to Northern Washington.

Picturesque indentation

The school approved his absence for the government project, and in December 1879, Jordan and Gilbert took the train to California and then worked their way up the coast from San Diego, stopping at every city with a post office within 5 miles of the ocean. In March 1880, they reached

Monterey, where they found not only their "best collecting ground," but also Nellie Vandergrift, the new sister-in-law of Robert Louis Stevenson. In 1874, she had been one of the students at the Indianapolis high school where Jordan was a teacher.

While in the area, they visited the Carmel Mission, which was still in ruins, and Carmel Bay. In his report to the census bureau, he wrote of Carmel:

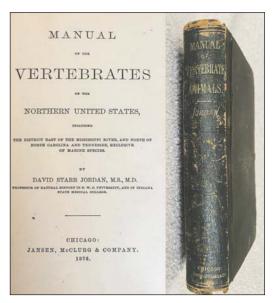
"Of all the indentations on the coast of California, the most picturesque and most charming is the little bay of Carmelo, which lies just south of the point of Los Pinos, between this and the rocky cape of Los Lobos, its blue waters sheltered from the northwest trades by the pine-clad peninsula which ends in the reefs of the Point of Pines. No one lives on this bay at present except a farmer or two, a little colony of Chinese fishermen who have a Pescadero or fishing camp in the edge of the pines, and a little group of Portuguese who watch for whales on a rocky ledge near Point Lobos."

When they completed their government project in September 1880, Gilbert headed to Washington D.C. to begin compiling the reports they had sent back and to further study the specimens they had sent to the national museum. Jordan went east at a slower pace, completing research at Lake Tahoe and in lakes in Utah before returning to his duties at the university. Over Christmas, Jordan joined Gilbert to finish sorting the materials.

Leading scientist

The book that Jordan and Gilbert had begun in the 1870s was finally completed and released in late 1882. "Synopsis of the Fishes of North America" included more than 1,000 pages of detailed information. This work not only helped cement Jordan's reputation as one of the nation's leading natural scientists, it led to his appointment as president of Indiana University in December 1884, a month before his 34th birth-

The Indianapolis Journal at the time wrote that despite his youth, Jordan "already has his name attached to more genera and species of animals than any man living, and the honors which he has borne as a scientist so modestly will no doubt stand him in hand as president of a school of general learning."



"Manual of the Vertebrates of the Northern United States" in 1876 was the first of many publications written by David Starr Jordan (1851-1931)

Six years later, Jordan was selected to open Stanford University. Next week we'll cover how Jordan came to be chosen for Stanford and more on his relationship to the Monterey Peninsula.

ARTIST

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painting. He was probably one of the first major mentors I had," Han said. "He gave me important input at an early point in my painting.'

He visited Carmel Art Association painter Gerald Wasserman. He experimented with the sand-base techniques of Taiwanese figurative abstractionist Hu Chi-Chung. "I valued my friendships with all of them," Han said. "They were great people and great artists, and each impacted my development as an artist."

He went from MPC to UC Santa Cruz, where professors Hardy Hanson, Don

Weygandt, Edward Carrillo, Doug McClellan, Alan Parker and Key Metz helped take his art to new levels, along with visiting artists Miguel Angel Arguello, Seymour Rosofsky and John Shuler.

Higher education

Han earned a bachelor's degree in painting and printmaking, then embarked on a five-month adventure to Europe and Scandinavia, exploring museums and visiting noted sculptor Jack Zajac in Italy.

When he returned, Han sought out Irving Petlin, famous for a mastery of pastels and his anti-Vietnam War activism, at his Manhattan studio.

"I saw his work there, and he gave me some good input on my own art," he said. "Petlin was a very significant painter who had a major impact on me."

Han enrolled at the University of Pennsylvania, where his instructors included landscape artist Neil Welliver and printmaker Hitoshi Nakazato. Under their tutelage, Han earned a master's degree in painting, drawing and printmaking.

"I lived between Chinatown and Center City, a seedier part of Philadelphia, but also culturally rich," said Han, who began to study with a kung-fu master whose lessons were steeped in Chinese culture.

"Growing up with an American family, I was American as apple pie — I had major cultural gaps," said Han, whose father was Chinese and mother is Korean.

'My father actually taught Mandarin at the DLI but never taught me a word of Chinese. I believe he was more concerned about my education and helping me assimilate into American culture than putting me in touch with my roots."

In 1993, Han traveled to China to visit his father's only known relatives, two cousins, and further explore his Asian ancestry.

Tai chi, qi gong, lion dance

"I put my painting aside for a while and studied tai chi in China and qi gong in America," Han said of the spiritual and physical exercise techniques he teaches at Chamisal Tennis and Fitness Club, Carmel

Valley Manor, and in his art studio at the American Tin Cannery. "These practices are grounded in Taoist philosophy, which is woven throughout Chinese medicine, and in my own life, they provide structure and a spiritual base."

Since 1994, he has also served as executive director of the Monterey Bay Lion Dance Team, whose mission is "dedicated to preserving, understanding and sharing the rich cultural performance art of traditional Chinese lion dance."

He taught tai chi and qi gong from 1998 to 2017 with the kinesiology department at CSU Monterey Bay, and was a lion dance instructor for one year.

Han has shown his work in numerous group and solo exhibitions in Pennsylvania, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and throughout California, and has received multiple awards.

His exhibit at the American Tin Cannery will be composed of "selected paintings and monotypes that have provided a malleable dialogue with myself over a 40year period," Han declared in his artist's statement.

Han is the father of two sons, and has been married for more than 20 years to Jia Zhu, a native of mainland China.

Images of his art and additional information can be found at leonardhan.com.

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'Eager to control' Dear Editor,

Because of climate change, speculators all across the country are eager to control as much water as possible to sell to the highest bidders. That's why Monterey County supervisors should continue to require that desal facilities be owned and operated by public entities. Supervisors can still grant well considered exceptions when needed.

Please remember that the only new water sources available for our region have been developed by local nonprofit, public agencies working together, not by a for-profit company. Since water is a vital public good like fire protection, it is advantageous that water be controlled by local, public entities that operate transparently and for public benefit - not private companies with closed books whose highest priority is to maximize their own profits.

More than 82 percent of Californians receive their water from publicly owned water systems. Public agencies provide more affordable water, receive fewer water quality violations, are accountable to their local communities, and seriously consider and plan for the needs of all their users, including low and moderate income water users. Those are some of the reasons our county enacted Ordinance 10.72 and why we should keep it.

Marli Melton, Carmel Valley

Dear Editor, I have not been a fan of Monterey Coun-

'We have his back'

ty health officer Dr. Ed Moreno because he has tended to follow the crowd rather than the science.

But in recent weeks, there has been a sea change in his thinking: he justifies his decisions by looking at the data. He recently argued that we don't need an indoor mask mandate because the case numbers are low, current measures seem to be working, the vaccination rate is high, and even many of the unvaccinated have natural immunity because of earlier Covid infections.

But county supervisor Luis Aleio tried to override Moreno's judgment with a new county-wide mask mandate. Alejo's reasoning? He said, "I think we are just trying to resort back to what our public is familiar with, what we have done before." In other words, let's not make our decisions based on data or reasoning but, instead, on what we're used to. That is not, to put it mildly, good reasoning.

Those of us, and there are many, who have been critical of Dr. Moreno should assure him that, this time, we have his back.

David R. Henderson, Pacific Grove

Those greedy rich people Dear Pine Cone,

When I read your front-page article about the Pickup Posse removing litter from the streets of Carmel, my first reaction was gratitude for their public-spirited volunteerism. However, as an old fogey, I can remember when governments, elected

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by the public and funded by public taxes, provided public services, to benefit what was called the "public commons" — areas, services, and facilities shared by all.

One of those services was litter removal, and another was the provision and maintenance of public trash cans. Somehow those services for the common good have disappeared from most locations in America. "Somehow" is because some people and corporations don't want to pay taxes for public services. They take advantage of recessions (created by corporations that don't want to pay taxes) to convince the voting public that governments should not spend money for the common good, but only for specific vested interests, such as corporations.

This has resulted in the loss of funding for national and state parks, schools, infrastructure, and, yes, public services such as litter removal. Hopefully the public are beginning to realize how they are being swindled by the rich.

Bruce Merchant, Big Sur

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Cibo restaurant in Monterey — The Dave Holodiloff Duo ("jazz and more," Sunday at 7 p.m.), singers Lee Durley and Scotty Wright (jazz and r&b, Tuesday at 7 p.m.) and The Ben Herod Trio (jazz and swing, Wednesday at 7 p.m.). 301 Alvarado St., (831) 649-8151.

Folktale Winery in Carmel Valley — Two Rivers (Americana, Friday at 3 p.m.), singer and guitarist Alex Lucero (Saturday at 3 p.m.) and singer and multi-instrumentalist Joe Kaplow (folk, Sunday at 11:30 a.m.), singer and multi-instrumentalist Bobcat Rob (Monday at 3 p.m.) and singer and guitarist Asher Stern (Thursday at 3 p.m.). 8940 Carmel Valley Road, (831) 293-7500.

Gusto Pizzeria in Seaside — Two Rivers (Americana, Thursday at 5:30 p.m.). 1901 Fremont Blvd., (831) 899-5825

Henry Miller Library in Big Sur — Ty Segall & the Freedom Band (rock, Wednesday at 7 p.m.). On Highway 1 28 miles south of Carmel, (831) 667-2574.

Hyatt Regency Monterey Hotel — singer-songwriter **Zack Freitas** (Friday at 6 p.m.) and singer and guitarist **Fred McCarty** (Saturday at 6 p.m.). 1 Old Golf Course Road, (831) 372-1234.

The Inn at Spanish Bay in Pebble Beach — pianist Gary Meek, bassist Steve Uccello and drummer Andy Weis (jazz, Friday at 7 p.m.) and pianist Bill Spencer, bassist Steve Uccello and drummer Andy Weis (jazz, Friday at 7 p.m.). 2700 17 Mile Drive, (831) 647-7500.

Intercontinental Hotel in Monterey — guitarist John Sherry (rock, folk and blues, Friday at 6 p.m.), guitarist Richard DeVinck (classical, Saturday and Saturday at 6 p.m.) and singer and guitarist Adrea Castiano (Sunday at noon). In the C Restaurant, 750 Cannery Row, (831) 375-4500.

Juice and Java in Pacific Grove — Open Mic Night (Friday at 6 p.m.). 599 Lighthouse Ave., (831) 373-8652.

La Playa Hotel — The David Morwood Band (jazz, Sunday at 4 p.m.). Camino Real, (800) 582-8900.

The Lodge at Pebble Beach — singer and guitarist Johan Sotelo (Friday at 6 p.m.), singer and guitarist Casey Wickstrom (Saturday at 6 p.m.) and singer and guitarist Zack Freitas (Sunday at 6 p.m.). In the Terrace Lounge at 1700 17 Mile Drive, (831) 624-3811.

Lucy's On Lighthouse in Pacific Grove — singer and guitarist Lisa Long (Saturday at 2 p.m.) and singer and percussionist El Kallpa (Sunday at 2 p.m.). 1120 Lighthouse Ave., (831) 920-2006.

Massa Tasting Room in Carmel Valley — singer and guitarist Rick Chelew (folk, Sunday at noon). 69 W. Carmel Valley Road (831) 659-6221.

Mission Ranch — singer and pianist Maddaline Edstrom (jazz and pop, Friday through Sunday at 5 p.m.) and pianist Gennady Loktionov (jazz, Monday through Thursday at 5 p.m.). 26270 Dolores St., (831) 625-9040.

Monterey Plaza Hotel & Spa — pianist Steve Mann (classical and jazz, Friday and Monday at 6 p.m.), saxophonist and keyboardist Gary Meek (jazz, Saturday and Tuesday at 6 p.m.) and guitarist John Sherry (rock, folk and blues, Sunday at 1 p.m.). 400 Cannery Row, (831) 646-1700.

Rio Grill — singer and violinist **Razzvio** (rock, Friday at 5 p.m.), singer and guitarist **Casey Wickstrom** (Saturday at noon, and singer and guitarist **Zack Freitas** (Sunday at 1 p.m.). In the Crossroads shopping center, (831) 625-5436.

Hyatt Carmel Highlands — singer and pianist **Dino Vera** (jazz, blues and r&b, Saturday at 7 p.m.). 120 Highlands Drive, (831) 620-1234.

Tarpy's in Monterey — singer and guitarist Adrea Castiano (Friday at 5 p.m.), singer and guitarist Zack Freitas (Saturday at 1 p.m.) and singer and guitarist Johan Sotelo (Sunday at noon). 2999 Highway 68, (831) 647-

Trailside Cafe in Carmel Valley — singer-songwriter Dave "Nomad" Miller (Friday at 6 p.m.) and singer Meredith McHenry (Saturday at 6 p.m.). 3 Del Fino Place, (831) 298-7453.

Traffic dilemma Dear Editor.

Two years ago you printed an article highlighting the terrible traffic problems on Flanders Drive. My neighbor, Lindsey Peelman, and her daughters even set up a table to get petitions signed to help us get some recognition from our supervisor, Mary Adams. We were able to get a large number of signatures from concerned neighbors and support from the Carmel High Track Team who run up Flanders during track practice.

Then we took the petition to Adams' office and asked for help. We have been told we need a traffic survey before we can get a 25 mph zone put in. We asked for that survey and also asked for more speed bumps. Our one and only speed bump is very old and does not deter speeders!

We did not see any action on the survey, and then the pandemic hit and traffic came to a halt. It is back now. We, neighbors on Flanders, Whitman Circle, and Morse

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have signed a new petition, as well as another petition by the neighbors who will be most affected by the possible installation of lights for football games at Carmel High School. I have called Mary Adams office twice in the past several weeks but gotten no response.

What has to happen to get our county representatives to listen to us? Does it take one of our nursing home residents who walk Flanders every day, or one of us walking our dogs, or most importantly, one of our children getting hurt? I have over 25 more signatures and am once again asking for help.

Susan Wytyshyn, Carmel

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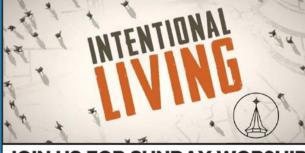
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WOMEN IN BUSINESS

LOCAL WOMEN - REAL SUCCESS

This is what happens when you take your daughter to work

By ELAINE HESSER

IT WAS 1947, and amid a post-World War II building boom, Sacramento was still the sort of place where neighbors patronized each other's businesses. That's when John Otto started Otto Construction in the state capital, building some of the city's commercial buildings, said his grand-daughter, Allison Otto.

Carl Otto (Allison's father) took over the company from John in 1971 and was in charge until his death in 2007. Allison, who joined the company as vice president in 2000, became president and CEO this past July. That may have been inevitable. As a youngster, she rode around with her dad in his truck, visiting his work sites.

"I'd always come to work with him on the weekends," she said. He had so much pride in his work, she said, he'd show off the buildings he was responsible for, and she thought they were pretty cool. In 1995, the company took on the biggest project it had done — a \$40 million construction job at Community Hospital.

Doing her own thing

While work there was getting underway, Otto went to USC, earning a bachelor's degree in business administration in 1998. There was no pressure to work for her dad.

"I didn't know what I was going to do when I was going through college, honestly," Otto said. "I wanted to do my own thing. I wanted to go through the interview process and work for somebody I didn't know."

Partly, she just needed to know if she could do it on per own

She could, and she did — for about two years she worked for the California Business Roundtable, a lobbying group in Sacramento.

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Allison Otto is the third-generation president and CEO of Otto Construction. Among its many local buildings, the firm was responsible for the Marina VA clinic, where the interior is as light and welcoming as the exterior is dramatic.

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W O M E NI I NI D I

She followed her heart right through the produce section

By LISA CRAWFORD WATSON

GROWING UP outside of Detroit, Mich., Chloe Dolata never ate a home-cooked meal. Her mom didn't cook — couldn't cook — so Dolata was raised on the hot-lunch program at school, on airplane food during the family's frequent travels, and a whole lotta McDonald's. Then she read "Fast Food Nation," by local author Eric Schlosser, and changed her palate and her life.



Chloe Dolata

Still, she had no idea she would become a foodie, or that farm-fresh food would become her passionate pursuit.

All the trips to faraway places during her childhood fostered a fascination with other people and places, which led Dolata to major in anthropology at St. Mary's College. There, she met husband Jay Dolata, with whom she returned to her native Detroit, where the couple worked together in advertising for eight years.

Romantic shopping

What Dolata likes to remember most about their years in Detroit were the couple's regular trips to their favorite community grocery store. They loved wandering the aisles, holding hands, looking at things that were fresh and interesting, and feeling young and loving and romantic.

One time she looked up at her husband and said, "We should open a grocery store."

The idea kept coming up, she said, and it never stopped making sense to her. The Dolatas moved to California to realize their dream and began looking for grocery stores to buy.

"We discovered Nielsen Bros. Market was for sale," she said, "but we felt it was a bigger project than we could do. We went into Carmel Belle for lunch — it had been open one month — and shared our ideas with the owners. Two weeks later they called and asked if we'd like to buy Carmel Belle."

It wasn't a grocery store, she said, but it followed the same vein of being local, organic and community oriented. In 2009, the Dolatas bought the cafe in the Doud Arcade.

They wanted to develop it into a public marketplace, a gathering of great food and fine wine from local vendors,

'We pay attention to our community and our vendors, and we learn every day.' à la the Ferry Building in San Francisco.

Despite considerable success with Carmel Belle in creating a hub for fresh, really good food, the Dolatas' vision of a marketplace was not meant to be. At least, not there.

'Sink or swim'

Nearly a dozen years later, in February 2020, when the aging Monte Vista Market came up for sale in Monterey, the Dolatas bought it as the first step in making their marketplace happen. They named it Elroy's Fine Foods after their elderly miniature Doberman pinscher, Elroy, whom they lost in March 2020.

Covid postponed their planned opening that month, but they completed their renovation with a midcentury modern façade and an enormous sign, and opened in August 2020.

"Although we'd never owned a grocery store," Dolata said, "we learned with Carmel Belle that we could either sink or swim. We chose to swim. We also hired a highly qualified general manager and a produce manager from a similar grocery store, who have become our consultants. We pay attention to our community and to our vendors, and we learn every day."

A year later, Dolata said they've realized that Elroy's is perfect as a community market she'd rather replicate than expand. The store offers a lot of variety in just 6,000 square feet, which is tiny compared with larger outlets that sprawl over 40,000 square feet or more.

"We want to represent as many local providers of fresh food and products as possible — products that often have a mission tied to them about bettering our community, our world. We want to support family businesses, not corporations," she said.

Quality rules

Dolata recognizes that fresh-made and locally farmed foods, provided in small batches, often cost more than packaged goods bought by the case to fill the shelves at a supermarket. But she also knows it's worth it.

"We're not trying to be bougie — creating an air of sta-

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PICTURED FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: KATIE HEMRICK, MARA CARRILLO AND ANYA MENENDEZ

Katie Hemrick is an Esthetics Instructor at California Cosmetology Academy, as well as a graduate of the program. In 2018, she decided to change careers and follow her dream of working for a company that truly appreciates her talents. She graduated from Cali Cosmo and became a licensed Esthetician in 2019. Katie joined the CCA Educational team in 2021. In addition to teaching Esthetics, she also works as an esthetician at The Spa California in Carmel Valley and will be managing the Esthetics department at the Positive Parlor in Seaside when it opens.

Mara Carrillo is Cali Cosmo's Assistant Director and Cosmetology Instructor, and has been educating future professionals for over 10 years. Mara went to Paul Mitchell The School and received her Cosmetology license in 2005. She started working as a hairstylist at a Paul Mitchell-focused salon and continued to work behind the chair until 2010, when she began teaching Cosmetology at Marinello School of Beauty in Seaside. While working at Marinello, she learned the ins and outs of how a beauty school should function. Mara took that invaluable knowledge and utilized it while

working closely with the owner/director, Hannah, to make the dream of Cali Cosmo a reality. She has been an integral part of CCA since its inception.

Anya Menendez is the Educational Manager at California Cosmetology Academy. She is passionate about education and as such also teaches both the Esthetics and Cosmetology programs. Anya began her journey in the beauty industry in 2010 at the Aveda Institute in San Francisco. She completed her education at the Marinello School of Beauty in Seaside and became a licensed Cosmetologist in 2011. While at Marinello, she was taught by Mara Carrillo, who she now gets to work closely with every day. Anya spent the first part of her professional career working at different Aveda salons on the peninsula. She specialized in dimensional haircolor, but also did special event hair and makeup, haircutting, and styling as well as waxing and facial treatments. Anya decided to shift her focus to educating future professionals, and has been teaching Cosmetology and Esthetics full time since 2016. She joined the Cali Cosmo team in 2019.



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Never underestimate the value of a great role model

By ELAINE HESSER

THE LATE 1970s and the 1980s saw many breakthroughs for women. Sandra Day O'Connor rose to the highest bench in the land in 1981 and Sally Ride shattered the atmospheric ceiling, while Mary Tyler Moore famously portrayed an independent, single woman who found success in an all-male newsroom.

Seeing females in careers traditionally dominated by men was inspirational, but there were still plenty of challenges. That was the world into which local realtor Carole Heinrich stepped when she became a stockbroker, and fortunately, she found a mentor close by.

"When I applied at Merrill Lynch as a stockbroker, there was only one other woman. The manager there was Mary Kay Higgins." Higgins had been sent to Carmel by



Way back when, Ben and Carole Heinrich moved here against her father's better judgment, but it all worked out.

Merrill Lynch in 1978, after working in New York and Washington, D.C., and Heinrich looked up to her.

"She was someone I really respected — she was always giving me sage advice," Heinrich said, on job-related issues and how to maintain a good work-life balance with

Around the world

The Memphis, Tenn., native had role models back home, too. Heinrich said her father was a consummate salesman, noting that when he was 25, he convinced her mother's parents to let their 17-year-old daughter marry him. Heinrich was the second of their five children.

"They were lovebirds. He just adored her," Heinrich remembered. Her mother was a talented singer and actor, while her dad was a serial entrepreneur. His businesses included oil wells, a chain of automated carwashes (where Heinrich had her first job, as a cashier), and a Budget Rent-a-Car franchise, where Heinrich also worked.

When she was 15, her father decided to show his family the places he'd seen as a pilot in the Army Air Corps. Over the course of 63 days, they flew to New York, then to the great cities of Europe. From there, it was on to the Middle East, India, Asia and Hawaii — with a stop at Disneyland before returning home.

After high school, Heinrich followed her older sister to the University of Oklahoma. There, she met her husband and future business partner, Ben Heinrich, who was in the Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps. He earned his commission as an Air Force officer, and soon they were traveling around to his duty stations.

Undaunted

Meanwhile, Heinrich's father, who was originally from Sacramento, persuaded her mother to leave the cold Tennessee winters and hot, muggy summers, to live in a home on Scenic Drive. When Heinrich and Ben talked about moving here, too, her father cautioned, "Usually people make their money before they move to Carmel."

Undaunted, in 1976, they packed up and came anyway.

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Then, she said, "My dad called and asked, 'What do you think about our family business?' and I said, 'I'm absolutely interested,' and it was the best decision I ever made. I think I was about 25 when that happened, and I've been here ever since."

The Carmel Pine Cone

She said her father realized his industry was changing. "Dad was very good at bringing in business," she remembered,

but it was all based on his reputation with people who already knew him. He didn't have a formal marketing department.

Otto created all the marketing materials — print, online and so forth — to support the growing firm. By then, its Monterey office on Garden Road was getting busier,

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CHRISTINE WINGE





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Christine Winge, executive director of Meals on Wheels of the Monterey Peninsula, has been elected to the Meals on Wheels California (MOWCA) Board of Directors. MOWCA is a state association that oversees advocacy efforts in tandem with Meals on Wheels America. Its mission is to create a unified voice for nutrition providers and broaden the impact of MOW programs to improve the lives of seniors, adults with disabilities and their families.

"Christine's extensive experience in nonprofits and her ability to guide MOWMP through the unprecedented demands of the pandemic enables her to bring a unique and critical perspective to our Board of Directors," said MOWCA Board Chair, Ashley McCumber. "Over the past year, MOWMP prepared and delivered more meals to more clients than ever before in its 49-year history. We are so appreciative of her willingness to contribute to our mission."

"Christine is widely known and respected throughout Monterey County's nonprofit circles and has demonstrated innovative thought leadership and the ability to take MOWMP to the next level by collaborating with other area nonprofits," says MOWMP Board Chair, Debbie Winick. "We are excited to see her share her insights, helping MOW programs statewide become stronger, so they can nourish more people in their areas."

Of her board appointment, Winge says, "Meals on Wheels became a household name in the early 1970s, and there's a great opportunity to come together as sister agencies and emphasize that we do much more than just deliver meals." She continues, "I look forward to working with Ashley and the other members of the board to help MOWCA carry those values forward and build upon our rich and deeply rooted history."

Along with 10 years of nonprofit and community leadership experience, Ms. Winge has extensive expertise in fundraising, community relations, nonprofit and human resource management.





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Tiny, sparkling works of art that you can wear almost anywhere

By ELAINE HESSER

IT SEEMS like you can't throw a rock downtown without hitting an art gallery. Some galleries, however, are already full of rocks — the pricey, colorful kind.

Elaine Kaufman, longtime owner of Ladyfingers on Dolores near Ocean (with husband Steve Kaufman), and relative newcomer Jarilyn Lim of Jarilyn Jewelry at Mission and Fifth, refer to the collections in their shops as "wearable art."

Mill Valley, Maylasia

Kaufman and her husband moved here in 1977. She was in real estate, and he was in the jewelry business in Mill Valley when they met. Steve opened a shop on Cannery

Row, and in 1978, moved it to Carmel to the space now occupied by Bijou. They've



Elaine and Steve Kaufman (right) at their shop, Ladyfingers. They've been selling jewelry for 44 years.

been in their present location since 1986.

Kaufman started working part-time in the shop when it was on Cannery Row, but took on most of the administrative management after they moved to Carmel. "I'm super-organized," she said. Then she laughed a little. "Steve thinks I am — he's an artist," she explained modestly.

Lim's journey began in Maylasia, where she lived with her parents until she was 16, then moved to be with her aunt in Australia and attend high school and college. In 1993, she came to San Francisco on a work visa to take over the operations of one of her family's many businesses, a dental and medical supply company. She loved visiting this area, and moved here in 2010, opening a skincare business that won

For years or decades, local women have been diamonds' best friends

a Golden Pine Cone in 2011. Over time, however, the repetitive movements of giving facials caused problems with her wrists and hands.

As she tried to decide what to do next, Lim remembered that her mother had designed her own jewelry and had it made by a friend who was in the business. Intrigued by the idea she could work in the industry, she took classes online with the Gemological Institute of America. In what she called "a sign," one of her skincare clients — who knew nothing of Lim's plans — mentioned to her that she was looking for someone to take over her jewelry shop, then known as Mission Jewelry.

Creative frauds

Kaufman also took classes from the Gemological Institute, as well as gemology courses at Monterey Peninsula College, and met with a group of other like-minded people regularly to discuss the business.

Methods of identifying gems — and sorting out the fakes — are still important. "We always had to be careful. Now we have to be super-careful — they're really getting creative," Kaufman said of those who turn out phony jewels. And, she said, she doesn't hesitate to call another expert for help if she's out of her depth.

Meanwhile, Steve designs and makes



A love of beauty led Jarilyn Lim to jewelry.

pieces that are sold in the shop alongside international jewelers, some of whom have worked on permanent exhibitions for the Smithsonian Institution. "He's an artist," she said of her husband. "He can figure out

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Heinrich got a job at Autolease, a company that leased late-model German automobiles, before she applied to Merrill Lynch. After 10 years as a stockbroker, Heinrich applied for her real estate license because she wanted to be a mortgage broker, which she did at Carmel Mortgage, then at First Western. In the meantime, Ben had become established in the real estate business, eventually opening his own firm, and he convinced her to join him.

Heinrich excels at real estate sales, as she has at other jobs. In addition to having a good work ethic, she said, "You have to have a good attitude and listen. Be open to new ideas and new things. I'm always curious and always learning. I can still learn something new every day at this job." Clearly, it works: she's in the top 1 percent

of Coldwell Banker realtors worldwide in gross sale volume.

It's not always easy, Heinrich said. "You're keeping all the balls in the air so you don't drop everything. Stressful situations give you strength."

Laugh together

Coldwell Banker bought the Heinrichs' firm in 2002. Within the larger corporation, Heinrich is the chief financial officer of the five-person Heinrich Team, while Ben is the CEO. Husband and wife seem to have figured out how to work together admirably.

"We both have patience. We have fun together. We laugh and we play together. We've always just been able to get along," Heinrich explained.

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Carole Heinrich (in pink, center) with her parents and siblings, the year of their round-the-world tour.

Annette Boggs

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Annette Boggs has enjoyed a high level of success in her 35 years in business, starting her career in the Title and Escrow industry and Real Estate lending. She has been a Top Producer on the Monterey Peninsula for the past 7 years. She focuses on sales in Pacific Grove, Monterey, Pebble Beach and Carmel and has been actively selling for 15 years. Annette and her husband, Kevin, moved to the Monterey Peninsula 15 years ago from the Central Valley. One might say that "real estate runs through her veins," as both her parents had been real estate Brokers for more than 45 years and she has been around real estate most of her life.

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WOMEN IN BUSINESS

Teaching the next generation of women — and men — in business

By ELAINE HESSER

WHEN DENISE Cook was trying to get back to her home in Monterey from Mexico after a recent vacation, she had trouble navigating the international Covid-testing waters to get the results she needed to get through the airport. She ultimately needed to rely upon the kindness of a stranger — specifically, an Uber driver.

Fortunately, Cook is adept at making friends with almost everyone who meets her — she asks tons of questions and then actually listens to the answers. The driver understood the problem, called a friend at the testing clinic and helped Cook and her boyfriend get home. And that basic skill set — connecting with other people and communicating clearly — is what she tries to pass on to her students.

Influencing thousands

Cook is an instructor and director of placement services at Central Coast College in Salinas (which belonged to Robert and Elizabeth Schaefer of Carmel Valley for more than 30 years, until they sold it in 2018), and she also teaches at Hartnell College. Her background includes a master's in education that she earned while in her 50s and a bachelor's in human services

'Technology allows us to avoid face-to-face communication'

(similar to social work).

She uses her training and her experience as a businesswoman to teach students the people skills they'll need to succeed in their careers. If you've gone to a doctor's office on the Peninsula, chances are good you've met one of her students, as Central Coast College has trained thousands of medical assistants and billing specialists in the past few decades, and Cook was there for most of them.

New rules

From the days when working in job placement included spirited debates over the color and quality of paper that worked best for resumes, and the right amount of makeup to wear for an interview, to today — when Cook sometimes has to fret over what's on a student's Facebook page or Instagram account — she's been mentoring and teaching kids who haven't had strong role models for professional careers.

Cook tries to exemplify what she wants to see in her students. She greets them with eye contact, a smile and a firm handshake, to be sure — but also genuinely listens to them and gets to know them. That sort of engagement can be challenging for young people raised on technology.

"We're dealing with a generation that can communicate very comfortably without having to look someone in the eye or meet someone in person," she said. "So, we have a society that has allowed us to not have to deal with people face-to-face like previous generations have had to do."

That's problematic when your bosses

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Women in healthcare: From the front lines to opening a premier medical aesthetics practice.

Joanne Shiffman, Clinical Director of CRMA, started her professional career as a registered nurse over 37 years ago. She started in med/surg nursing and became chemo-certified in oncology where she remained for several years until her promotion to Clinical Coordinator for the Med/Surg Unit.

After coming to the Monterey Peninsula in 1994, Joanne took a position as a part-time recovery room nurse in an outpatient surgical unit and concurrently earned her certification as an emergency room nurse while working in the ER at Natividad Medical Center and Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital. She later received her Bachelor of Science in Nursing, BSN, and her public health nurse credential, PHN, as well as her genetics clinical nurse credential, GCN. In the year 2000, when the medical aesthetics field was in its infancy, Joanne took a position as a "Spa" nurse at Pebble Beach learning the specialty of medical aesthetics, laser technology, Botox* and fillers.

In 2007, after successfully opening two aesthetic practices for other doctors in the area Joanne, along with her supportive physician husband, Roger Shiffman, MD, decided to open Aesthetics & Genetics by the Bay overlooking the beautiful Monterey Bay on Cannery Row. They chose to provide quality aesthetics' services as well as genetic counseling for individuals with a strong family history of an inherited cancer syndrome. The company has continued to evolve over 14 years from "Face First Laser Clinic" to the present "Cannery Row Medical Aesthetics".

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Meet three sisters whose wheels are always turning

By ELAINE HESSER

A FEW decades ago in Selma (south of Fresno), Amber Nelson Billingsley, Kellie Lewison and Ashley Murray, three of five children, grew up with the family business always in the background. Their dad, Dwight Nelson, owns eight auto dealerships that make up the Selma Auto Mall, plus one each in Visalia, Hanford and Elk Grove.

Last December, when Sam Linder decided to sell his Land Rover, Jaguar and Volvo operation in Seaside, Nelson - who knew Linder as a fellow Honda dealer — bought it and handed it off the three young women daughters to run. "We're honored to carry on Sam Linder's reputation," Billingsley said.

She mentioned that they were no strangers to the area. "My parents have a second home in Carmel-by-the-Sea," she said, and they enjoy the area's premier automobile event every August. "We're thrilled to be business owners in this market. We've gone to Concours for years and years." The Seaside dealership co-sponsored this year's McCall's Motorworks Revival at the Monterey Jet Center.

Although they remember washing cars for sale or working as cashiers, Nelson never pressured his daughters about their futures. "Dad definitely wanted us all to go to college," and to follow their dreams, Lewison said. She and Billingsley went to Loyola Marymount in Los Angeles, and Murray studied psychology at UC Santa Barbara and got her master's degree in the subject at Cal Poly San Luis Obispo.

Ultimately, however, all three of them — and Murray's husband — ended up working for Nelson. Lewison's degree is in accounting and business administration, and Billingsley's is in business and marketing. Billingsley worked for a while in an automobile marketing agency in San Francisco, and now performs that job for her family's companies. Lewison manages accounting and works with human resources and legal issues for all the family dealerships, while Murray handles customer satisfaction.

A sense of humor

Although they say the world of cars is still mostly a man's world, the women don't feel disadvantaged. They said they've learned a lot from men, and they have a sense of humor about the situation.



Sisters (left to right) Ashley Murray, Kellie Lewison and Amber Billingsley brought their family's auto business to town this year.

Lewison said, "Every year the National Automobile my badge and say, 'Oh, sorry." Dealers Association has a huge convention with dealers and vendors." With a laugh, she said that even though her name badge clearly indicates she is a dealer, and her husband's says he's a spouse, "Ninety percent of the men stick their hand out right in front of my husband, then look at

The Seaside dealership is their first big foray into the luxury market, apart from the Selma shop where they sell Hyundai's high-end brand, Genesis. They find that the big-

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Otto Construction built classrooms at CSUMB, and for Greenfield and King City schools. Forest Theater upgrades are on the local list, too. And, the company built the large Veterans' Administration medical facility off Highway 1 in Marina.

"I love to drive by that one," Otto said. That's a big part of the appeal of putting up commercial buildings — the ability to contribute something to a whole community, she explained. Most of the firm's work is in the public sector, with schools, medical facilities and the like.

When Otto's father died unexpectedly in 2007, she might have succeeded him as president, but, she said, "We went outside the family. I wasn't quite ready." Instead,

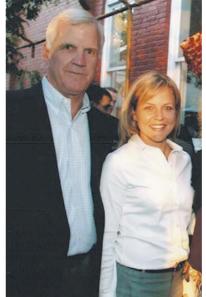
Carl Barrett, another longtime employee, took on the job.

Lots of listening

In 2014, Barrett announced he was going to retire in 2021, and stuck to his word, despite Otto's protestations that he could stay as long as he wanted. "I couldn't believe it got here that fast," she said of her promotion to president and CEO in July. "And yes, I haven't slept one night since," she laughed.

Otto isn't really intimidated by the job. "Carl left me with all the tools I needed," she said, and she's confident in the people who work for her. She estimated that she spends a surprising 90 percent of her

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Not Pictured: Susannah Ashton

WOMEN

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They've lived in the same house in Carmel Valley for 32 years. Son Grant resides in Arlington, Va., with his wife and sons, ages 13 and 15. They usually travel abroad together, but this year, Heinrich said, they had a staycation. The family came here and everyone went to some Giants games, visited the Monterey Bay Aquarium and checked out the cars at Concours on the

Heinrich and her husband aren't thinking about retiring. "We still love what we do," she said. She said she especially enjoys selling homes on Carmel Point, where she has happy memories of visiting her parents. Of course, working on gorgeous properties farther south is fun, too. "Big Sur has a really special place in our hearts," she said.

And, as is common for those who have had the privilege of learning from others'

'You're keeping all the balls in the air so you don't drop anything.'

experiences, Heinrich said she also enjoys mentoring the younger members of her team, passing on her knowledge.

When she's not at work, you can find her out walking with Ben and their 11-yearold rescue dog, Puddin', who serves as the team's mascot. Puddin' followed a string of golden retrievers, Rottweilers and pugs, and was the Heinrichs' first-ever rescue dog. She came from Peace of Mind Dog Rescue, and, Heinrich said, "She's the best dog we've ever had."



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tus — by offering high-priced products," she said. "But we also are not Nabisco or PepsiCo — or Jeff Bezos, with his huge buying power. We are working with momand-pop businesses. Our supply chain is direct, with no middle person."

She's in the process of launching "Bear Essentials," a line of lower-priced grocery basics, dairy and frozen foods. The name plays off Elroy's bear-on-a-bicycle logo. "These products still meet our strict requirements for quality food; we simply lowered the price."

Dolata takes delivery of produce the day it was picked and bread the morning it was baked, and the result, she said, is both freshness and flavor.

"Our produce is always super special and tastes amazing. Something we have one week might not be available the next week. It's very much like a farmers market."

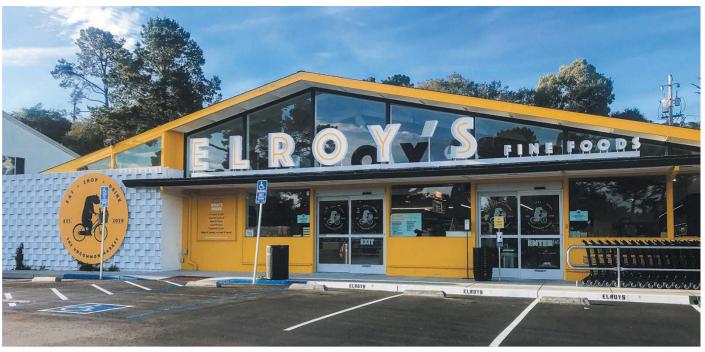
Offering choices

As welcoming as she is to fresh produce, Dolata is adamant about 47 ingredients she doesn't allow, which she emphasized by printing the list on a T-shirt she wears and sells in the store.

"We ban these ingredients because they are reported to cause an assortment of health or behavioral issues, and we are not willing to sell what isn't good for us. This limits but also refines what we can bring into the store," she said.

Dolata admits she is less interested in being an "ingredient educator" and more engaged by celebrating good, body-positive food. She pays attention to how well it's made and how good it tastes.

"I don't want to preach or make people feel bad for their food choices," she said. "On the other side, people who care about clean, fresh ingredients don't have to read the labels when they come to Elroy's. They can just know."







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anything."

One of those other artists, Bernd Munsteiner, is a German best known for cutting the more than 10,000-carat Dom Pedro Aquamarine, which is on exhibit near the Hope Diamond in the Smithsonian.

Kaufman also carries rings by Jean Francois Albert, who has patented a design called the Signature Fit. Kaufman explained that as people get older, knuckles often grow larger, making it difficult to get rings on and off. Albert's rings have an unobtrusive sliding mechanism that



enables them to slip over the knuckle and then fit snugly on the finger.

Puzzle pieces

Lim has patented her own award-winning line of rings, which she calls Love Clicks. They're birthstone rings that fit and click together, like pieces of a puzzle, and made so that people can add the birthstone of a new child or grandchild, for example. Love and passion are important ingredients in Lim's work. She says rings are "like hugs."

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remember when you couldn't take a phone to another room, let alone to the dinner table. Managers, Cook said, "want to communicate in person — have lunch, have coffee. To build that network that's going to help you, you're going to have to develop that ability."

With typical optimism, she added, "I think the upside is they're going to have the skills to use so much technology in their careers." Here, she laughed at her own frustration with getting the Covid test results she needed to get home from Mex-

"When an older person — such as myself — is having a meltdown, the younger people have the ability to take it all in stride. I'm having a problem and they're

Terry Ream,

saying, 'Don't worry,' like that Uber driver. The thing I try to spend a lot of time on in my classes is making people talk and engage, pair up, get in a group, or present something together."

Ironically, she's spent the last year trying teach that level of engagement to students who couldn't be in the same room. However, one of her Hartnell College classes got a boost from the virtual envi-

Virtually better?

Cook teaches a class in emotional management, meant for students who are dealing with anxiety, depression, anger or just adjusting to college life. She helps them talk through the problems they're facing and learn about some of the tools that are available to help them deal with their sit-



When she's not in a classroom, Denise Cook's happy place is anywhere outdoors.

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uations so they can be successful in their

classes, and ultimately, on the job.

She'd taught the course in the classroom for more than five years, "But when I taught it online, everyone was more open to talking, maybe because they were more comfortable in their own space (at home). It was a big surprise, so maybe that's a better format for this class," she mused.

Odd jobs

Cook has been involved in private enterprise, including an eco-tour business called Tierra y Mar Expeditions, that she

ran with a partner in Guatemala. For 18 months, they took people on tours near the Bay Islands of Honduras, leading expeditions involving snorkeling, spear fishing and kayaking, and to see wildlife like howler monkeys and exotic birds.

She also was a beauty school director in Seaside, and has worked many odd jobs while traveling in Central America, where her upbeat attitude and openness to new experiences served her well.

"I just think that my experience can be

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time in conversations with employees, helping them solve problems and find resources.

Otto retained the company's flat leadership structure, letting employees make decisions on their own whenever possible. She's learned to delegate whatever tasks she can to free herself up for the strategic planning she enjoys.

She only accepts jobs within 90 minutes' drive of either the Sacramento or Monterey office, so that everyone can avoid hours-long commutes. She added that she never wants the company to get so big that she doesn't know everyone by name.

Otto spends plenty of time in the Monterey office, and has a home on Carmel Point. Recently, she got a fantasy - a project for the Monterey Bay Aquarium.

"I've been wanting to work there the whole time we've had an office in Monterey. They're putting a new exhibit in the Baja California section called 'Into the Deep,' and it's going to mimic the activity that happens on the ocean floor," she said.

She's also trying to get more women into the business, estimating that Otto Construction is about 18 percent female, with women serving in nontraditional roles like project engineer and project manager, as well as estimators and accountants. But there's not just a shortage of women - Otto noted that the pool of prospective employees for all jobs is shrinking as baby boomers retire and younger folks aren't filling in the gaps.

To help out, she is working with Build California, a project of the Associated General Contractors of California, which aims to "create a steady, motivated and skilled workforce pipeline for California's construction industry," by having industry representatives visit schools and encourage students to consider construction-related careers.

Too bad she can't just drive them around in a pickup truck on weekends and show them her cool buildings.

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gest differences between selling a run-of-the-mill pickup truck versus a Land Rover come in the number of features that are available and in customers' expectations.

"They're like a spaceship," said Lewison of the more expensive vehicles' dizzying array of features. "One of our challenges is to find out what the customer needs daily and not overwhelm them with the whole spaceship." Customers also know the value of their time, so conveniences like house calls to sign paperwork are part of the deal, too.

Be with family

"Being women, I feel like we add a little bit of softness and understanding," said Billingsley. That's particularly important when it comes to managing 450 employees in

"Employees are family. When you come to work for us, you join our family," said Lewison. They've instituted celebrations for birthdays, anniversaries and other milestones, as well as holiday parties and employee recogni-

Billingsley added, "My dad's good about dividing work and family. We can have a disagreement at 4 p.m. and all sit down to a birthday dinner at 6. Business is business. We're all still on the same team." And, they've continued his philosophy of making sure nobody sacrifices their home life for work

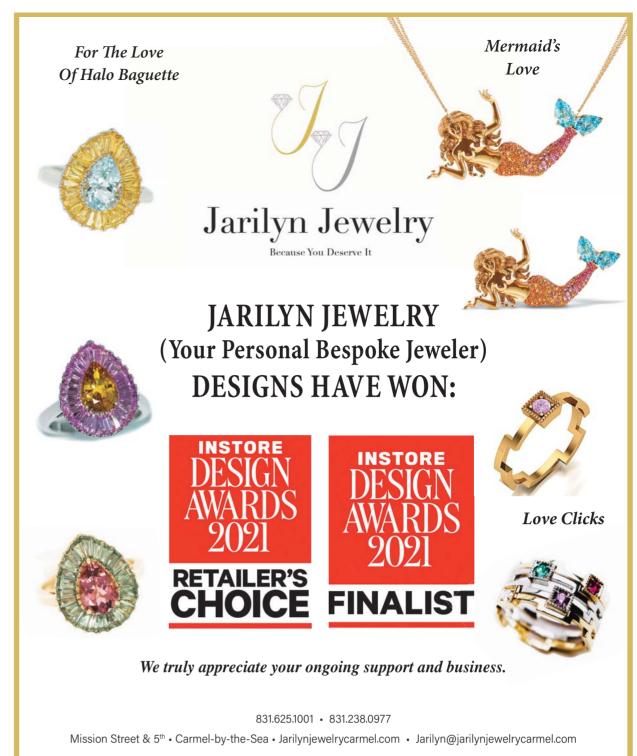
"My dad always says, 'Don't stay past the time you're scheduled. Go home, be with your family," she explained.

They practice what they preach. Billingsley goes home at night to three children, Murray has four and Lewison has a 9-year-old son. Some of the youngsters were in the dealerships' commercials.

Lewison's son might be even more involved one day. "Two years ago, on back-to-school night, I went to his desk and there was a folder that said, 'future car salesman." When asked about it, he said, "I just want to work

And yes, she said, that felt as great as you'd imagine.







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used to encourage people to get some real-life experience communicating with others, engaging with them, looking them in the eye — very simple soft skills that some students haven't developed as well they could."

Now in her mid-60s, she said, "I love teaching people to discover who they are and who they want to be and how to navigate life. I always tell them, 'Life is not a straight line, so you need to navigate hills and valleys and go along

'Life is not a straight line, so you need to navigate hills and valleys and go along with the ride!'

with the ride!""

Cook has also been a coach for Team in Training, which prepares people to run or walk marathons and other long-distance events while raising money for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. And, she volunteers at Rancho Cielo, because she likes "working side by side with kids who have not always had the best mentors and seeing them grow and blossom."

Contagious enthusiasm

During Covid, she organized co-workers at Central Coast College for a fitness challenge, with weekly exercise sessions and weigh-ins, to keep up morale and help everyone stay active.

Watching her build her students' confidence in their job interviewing skills, or cheer on runners and walkers at a 10k or marathon, you can't help but embrace her contagious enthusiasm. Cook is the ultimate cheerleader for everyone around her, no matter what goals they're trying



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WOMEN IN BUSINESS

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She's also won design awards for a piece called Mermaid Love, and a ring she dubbed For the Love of Halo. Jarilyn Jewelry provides a showcase for Lim's work, as well as the work of other jewelers she admires.

Traveling, meeting and learning about jewelry designers is part of the job for Kaufman, who said the travel ban and shutdowns put a damper on 2020, although the year didn't bring her and her husband the same devastation it did for many other retailers.

"This past Christmas," during the pandemic, she said, "there was a big uptick in men online or on the phone buying jewelry. They wanted to celebrate something." She surmised that there was money that hadn't been spent on travel that was redirected into some bling under the holiday tree.

Lim's sales also continued to be fairly strong. "I've been very blessed with a lot of international clients, through referrals," she said. "I even made some money, if you can believe that."

Although she doesn't yet have an e-commerce site — she prefers being able to work in-person — she said that online sales are in her future.



Jarlilyn Lim with her mother, who inspired her to design jewelry.



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Kaufman said she sees many repeat customers, some going all the way back to the 1970s. She and Steve have spotted items they've sold in places as far away as London, where a diner in an Indian restaurant was wearing a piece of jewelry Kaufman recognized from the shop.

More recently, a customer brought in a garnet ring that she purchased more than three decades ago, to have it cleaned. On Kaufman's recommendation, the garnet was replaced with a sapphire, and as the woman left, Kaufman said, "I'll see you in another 35 years!"

Carole Heinrich

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Carole Strauch Heinrich was raised in Memphis, TN, in a large family with four siblings before she attended the University of Oklahoma. At the university she met her future husband Ben Heinrich and they later moved to Carmel with their son Grant in 1976. Here she worked as a stockbroker and subsequently as a mortgage Broker and in 1987 she achieved the designation Certified Financial Planner®, the highest designation among financial planners and built an extensive clientele with her easy-going manner and professional attitude. In 1990 Carole started her career as a licensed Realtor and together with her husband built a successful Real Estate business. Her team is consistently in the top 1% of Coldwell Banker Northern California Agents. Ben and Carole enjoy living in Carmel Valley with their rescue dog Puddin', the Heinrich Team mascot.

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Jennifer was a stay at home mom and volunteered wherever her kids and family were involved. She loves teaching people how to make something they will enjoy and providing a space where friends, families and co-workers can gather, relax, and create.



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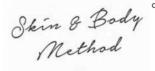


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SPORTS

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ral leadership qualities, figures to run the offense this season as a junior setter.

Da Silva, the 6-1 freshman, is expected to develop into a formidable force at the middle of the net.

"We have a lot of talent this year, so I've got a really good feeling about this season, and I'm very excited about our future," said Allen, whose team will join Gonzales, North County, Pacific Collegiate, Rancho San Juan, St. Francis and Trinity Christian in the PCAL's Santa Lucia Division.

"Our varsity only had two practices before our opener,

so the challenge will be forming that team bond as quickly as possible," she added. "But I love the coachability of these kids, and all the hard work they're putting in."

■ Upcoming events (Sept. 10-16)

Football — Carmel at King City (scheduled for Friday but canceled due to Covid)

Girls water polo — Stevenson at St. Francis Invitational, Mountain View (Friday, TBD)

Field hockey — Stevenson Jamboree (20-minute scrimmages, all on Saturday): Santa Catalina at Stevenson, 9 a.m.; Notre Dame at Stevenson, 11:30 a.m.; Monterey at Stevenson, 1 p.m.; San Benito at Stevenson, 2:30 p.m.; Salinas at Stevenson, 4 p.m.

Boys water polo — Carmel at Aragon tournament (Saturday, TBD)

Girls water polo — Stevenson at St. Francis Invitational, Mountain View (Saturday, TBD), Carmel at Aptos tournament (Saturday, TBD)

Girls tennis — Carmel at Everett Alvarez (Monday, 4 p.m.)

Girls water polo — Santa Catalina at San Benito (Monday, 4 p.m.)

Girls volleyball — Carmel at Alisal (Monday, 6:30 p.m.)

Field hockey — Salinas at Stevenson, (Tuesday, 3:30 p.m.)

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Girls golf — Stevenson vs. Santa Catalina at Old Del Monte Golf Course (Tuesday, 3:30 p.m.)

Girls tennis — Stevenson at Salinas, 4 p.m.; Carmel at Pacific Grove, 4 p.m.; York at Santa Catalina (Tuesday, 4 p.m.)

Girls volleyball — San Benito at Carmel, 6:30 p.m.; Santa Catalina at Monte Vista Christian (Tuesday, 6 p.m.)

Boys water polo — Stevenson at Santa Cruz (Tuesday, 7 p.m.)

Girls tennis — Pacific Grove at Stevenson (Wednesday, 4 p.m.)

Girls water polo — Pacific Grove at Santa Catalina

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Girls volleyball — Stevenson at Pacific Collegiate (Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.)

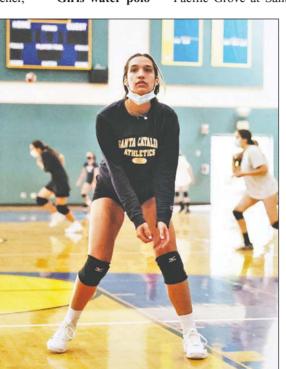
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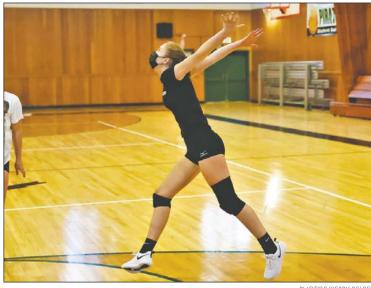
Girls golf — San Benito vs. Stevenson at Spyglass Hill (Thursday, 3:30 p.m.), Gilroy vs. Santa Catalina at Old Del Monte (Thursday, 3:30 p.m.)

Cross country — Carmel, Santa Catalina, PCAL Center Meet, Christmas Hill Park, Gilroy (Thursday, 3:30 p.m.)

Girls tennis — Santa Catalina at Carmel (Thursday, 3:30 p.m.)

Girls volleyball — Everett Alvarez at Carmel, (Thursday, 6:30 p.m.) Monterey at Santa Catalina, (Thursday, 6 p.m.)





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Annabella Hrepich (left), a varsity setter for Santa Catalina in 2019, will share those duties with junior Annie Yeh, a talented outside hitter with travel-ball experience. Middle hitter Shea Stornett (above), is one of four varsity veterans returning at Stevenson, along with Sydney Clymo, Kira Seggerty and Mandy Wang.

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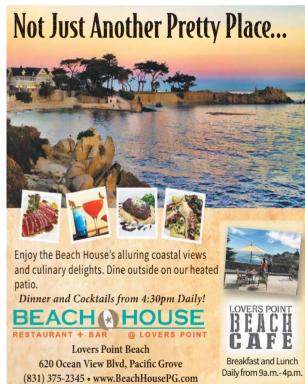
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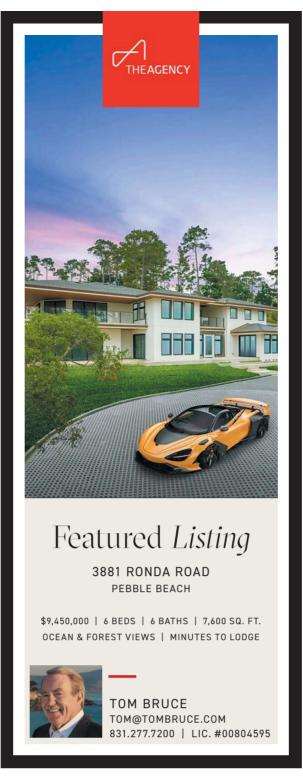
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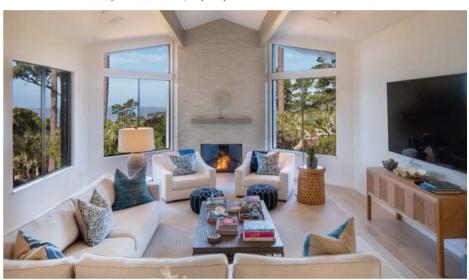
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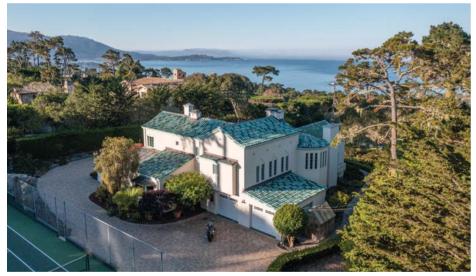
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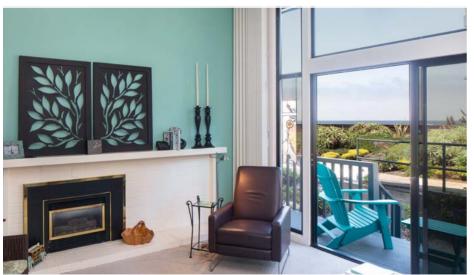


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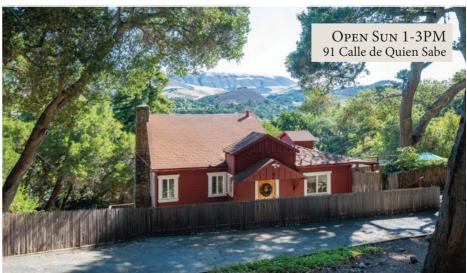


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Totally unscientific parameters of what constitutes a perfect day

"The sun has set and golden clouds" Gleaming in the evening sky.'

- "A Perfect Day," Roger Whittaker.

GOOD WEATHER really does happen on the Monterey Peninsula. Labor Day weekend broke sunny and warm, bring-

ing tourists streaming to our area - so many that I wasn't sure they'd all find a place to park.

As I drove north Sunday morning, the southbound traffic on Highway 1 was

backed up from Ocean to way beyond Carpenter. Two lanes of cars as far as I could see. I wondered how many were lined up bumper-to-bumper in each mile of road.

Let's see, according to The Mechanic Base website, the average sedan is 15.7 feet in length. Plus 3 feet of space front and back. Divide 5,280 feet by 21.7 feet and you get 243.3. Times 2 (lanes) = 486.6cars in a mile of road. Unscientific, but say it's about 500 cars per mile.

That, times an unspecified number of hours, and you have a splitting headache just thinking about it.

The solution: Stop thinking about it, because otherwise it was a perfect day.

A pure heart

What constitutes a perfect day for you? I discussed the topic, in terms of weather, with friends during the weekend. When I moved to California, I was amazed at how nice people were compared to the East Coast and the Midwest. I decided much of it had to do with weather. You get pretty grouchy living in a place where the sun sometimes doesn't shine for a couple of weeks, and one of the most important accessories that comes with your car is the ice scraper for your windshield.

Where you live shouldn't really matter

if you follow the maxim "Home is where the heart is," attributed to Pliny the Elder. Not being familiar with the Plinys, I know not if there was Pliny the Younger, or Pliny the Bratty Teenager. The Elder Pliny was letting us know that if your heart isn't pure, even the old real estate cliché — location,

Scenic Views

By JERRY GERVASE

location, location—won't help.

Limiting one's use of social media is all-important to maintaining a semblance of sanity. I haven't used my Twitter and Instagram accounts in so long that I've forgotten my passwords. I don't want to set new ones because so much of what is posted there is political. There was a time when you could sustain relationships with people of opposing viewpoints, but we are so divided now that often it is best to avoid contact at all.

And that's a shame. We are prohibited at family gatherings from discussing religion and/or politics. Yet, what subjects are more important? One directs our temporal lives, and one defines our eternal lives.

Yes, I am on Facebook because it is the best way to keep in touch with the dozens of nieces, nephews and their children many of whom I've never met. My postings are usually limited to birthday greetings. I prefer sending real greeting cards. It bothers me that greeting cards cost more than a gallon of gas.

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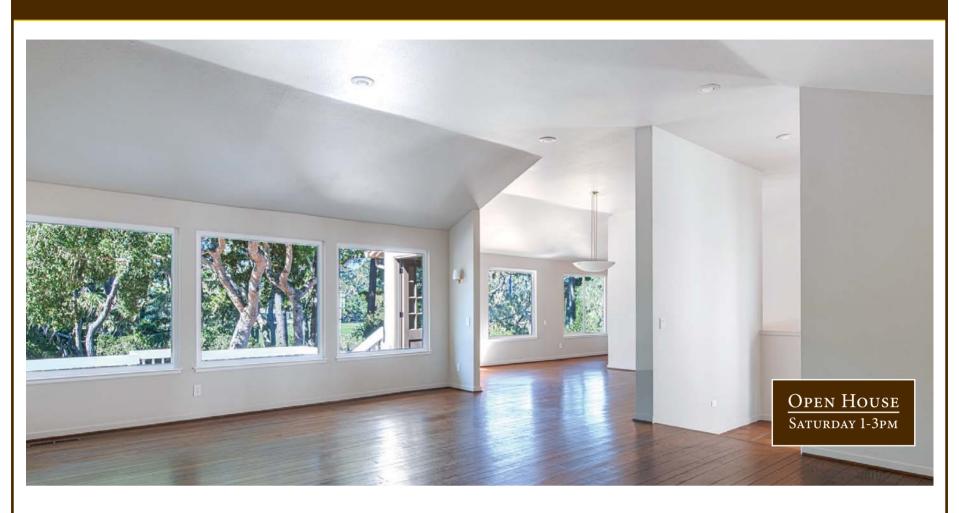
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POLICE LOG

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 19

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Police and ambulance dispatched to a Dolores Street address for a subject who passed away from natural causes.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Junipero Street resident requested a welfare check on a roommate who believed people were watching him at all hours of the day/night. Report regarding people watching the roommate found to be unfounded. A mental health evaluation was conducted on the roommate, who was deemed to not be a danger to self or others. Information only.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Medical emergency at Ocean and Dolores. It was determined one female was intoxicated and unable to care for herself. The female's husband arrived on

scene and took custody of her.

Pacific Grove: Non-injury solo-vehicle accident and DUI arrest of a 30-year-old male on Ocean View Boulevard at 0020 hours. He was booked into Monterey County Jail.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 20

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle towed from Junipero south of Seventh for 22651(k) CVC — parked for over 72 hours.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Responded to a report of a loose dog at Forest and Ocean. Officer located the dog at its unsecured residence. The owner was contacted, and information for preventing a muni code violation was discussed. Some actions to secure the fencing had been worked on. A warning was given.

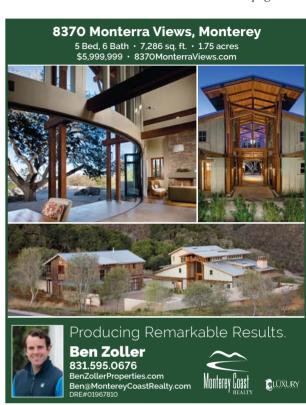
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Female stated her elderly mother fell outside at Ocean and Junipero. Neither subject was willing to provide ID or let pictures be taken. The caller later stated that "nothing happened."

Pacific Grove: Responded to a medical call on Central Avenue. Subject was transported to the hospital. Subject's bike was collected for safekeeping.

Pebble Beach: Deputies conducted a welfare check on an

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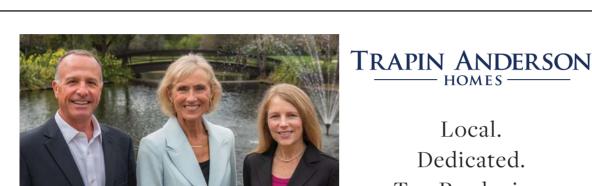
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elderly female on Cypress Drive.

Carmel Valley: Deputies responded to a dispute between landlord and tenant on Laureles Grade.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Police officer observed two vehicles parked in contact with each other on Dolores Street. Unknown cir-

cumstances or if any damage was present. Neither party contacted police at the time of this report. Information only.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a hit-andrun collision involving a parked vehicle on Casanova Street at 1926 hours. Minor damage to both vehicles, and the 29-year-old male Berkeley resident was arrested on hitand-run and other charges, including DUI and resisting arrest. He was booked at Monterey County Jail.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Intoxicated person fell and was injured on city property at Junipero and Sixth.

Pacific Grove: Vandalism of a car on Da-

Pacific Grove: Trailer reported abandoned on Alder Street was towed for expired registration.

Pacific Grove: Theft from a vehicle parked on Lighthouse Avenue.

Pacific Grove: Dispatched to an attempted home invasion in progress on Forest Av-

Pacific Grove: Subject was suffering from a mental health crisis. He was taken to CHOMP by ambulance per his request.

Carmel area: Deputies responded to an argument between a male and female at the

Carmel Valley: A burglary of a residence

See LOG next page

GERVASE

Hallmark's headquarters in Kansas City?

Finally, one of the key elements to a perfect day is whether you are living alone or with someone. There are good argu-

ments for both situations. I lean toward "with someone," if only for the practical reason that two people have a better chance of surviving a catastrophic event, such as a heart attack. They also experience fewer depressive symptoms.

Yet if those are the only reasons, one can do just as well with Alexa and a blood pressure monitor.

My perfect day begins with the gift of waking up — a very good start. The first person I see in the morning is the first person I want to see every morning because I am with someone who loves me. Within minutes, I get my first kiss and hug of the day. I immediately have a feeling of gratitude. My day will be spent with a favorite person in a favorite place.

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on Tierra Grande Drive was reported.

Big Sur: Several cars were burglarized on Highway 1 near Point Lobos, with at least eight victims identified. The suspects, a 44-year-old female and a 39-year-old male, were later arrested after using stolen credit cards at businesses in the Seaside area. The male and female were arrested for the burglaries and numerous firearm-related offenses.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Intoxicated person fell on city prop-

Big Sur: Deputies responded to a verbal argument on Coast Road.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 22

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Male and female at Scenic and 10th reported being harassed due to prior professional responsibilities. Awaiting further information.

Pacific Grove: Report of a domestic dispute on Grand. Parties separated.

Pacific Grove: Report of a fall on public property on Ocean View Boulevard.

Pacific Grove: Minor injury collision on Congress.

Carmel Valley: Deputies responded to a report of someone on Village Drive heard calling for help. It was later determined that a male had said he was going to kill himself.

Carmel area: Report of theft by the usage of the victim's credit and debit cards.

Carmel area: Subject was warned about trespassing at a residence on Rio Road.

Carmel area: Subject on Mission Fields, a 60-year-old female, violated a restraining order and her probation terms.

MONDAY, AUGUST 23

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject was transported to the hospital for a mental health evaluation hold.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Trespass warning at Torres and

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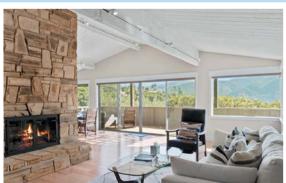
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From the Mother Ship, 226 17th Street, Pacific Grove, CA 93950, County of Monterey, Registered Owner(s):
Corene Gay Schnelz, 226 17th Street, Pacific Grove, CA 93950
This business is conducted by an Individual Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictilious business name listed above on Not Applicable 5/ Corene Gay Schnelz This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 08/04/2021
8/20, 8/27, 9/3, 9/10/21
CNS-3498181#
CARMEL PINE CONE
Publication dates: Aug. 20, 27; Sept. 3, 10, 2021 (19082)

Publication dates: Aug. 20, 27; Sept. 3, 10, 2021. (PC822)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2021/1757
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: COLEYS CLIPPINGS, 250
Forest Ridge Rd, Unit 72, Monterey, CA
93940.
Mailing address: P.O. Box 51428, Pacific
Grove, CA 93950.
County of Principal Place of Business:
Monterey,
Registered Owner(s):
NICOLE BROWN, 250 Forest Ridge Rd,
Unit 72, Monterey, CA 93940.
This business is conducted by an individual.
The registrant commenced to transact
business under the fictitious business name
or names listed above on July 22, 2021.
S/NICole Brown

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 22, 2021. S/Nicole Brown Date: July 22, 2021 BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000]. I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filing pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-6277). This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 27 2021. NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 1441) et seq., Business and Professions Code). Publication dates: Aug. 20, 27; Sept. 3, 10, 2021. (PC823)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20211800 Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING The following pages 1 Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RHYTHMLINE LEADERS, 250 Forest Ridge Rd, Unit 72, Monterey, CA 93940.
Mailing address: P.O. Box 51428, Pacific Grove, CA 93950.
County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey, Name of Corporation as shown in the Articles of Inc., Org., Reg.:
LANK INC, 250 Forest Ridge Rd, Unit 72, Monterey, CA 9340.
State of Inc., Org., Reg.:
This business is conducted by a corporation.

corporation

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. S/Nicole Brown, President Date: July 30, 2021

Date: July 30, 2021 BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filing pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-6277). This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on August 2, 2021.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20211864 The following person(s) is(are) doing

The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:

Carmel Marina Corporation, 11240
Commercial Parkway, Castroville,
CA 95012, County of Monterey
Mailing Address: 800 Capital Street,
Suite 3000, Houston, TX 77002
Registered Owner(s):
USA Waste of California, Inc., 800
Capital Street, Suite 3000, Houston,
TX 77002
This business is conducted by a Corporation

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ration
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 09/24/2001
S/ Courtney A. Tippy, Vice President and Secretary
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 08/10/2021
8/27, 9/3, 9/10, 9/17/21
CNS-35028/1#
CARMEL PINE CONE
Publication dates: Aug. 27; Sept. 3, 10.

Publication dates: Aug. 27; Sept. 3, 10, 17, 2021. (PC827)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20211861 The following person(s) is(are) doing business for business as:
Salinas Disposal Service, 1120
Madison Lane, Salinas, CA 93907,

County of Monterey
Mailing Address:
800 Capitol Street, Suite 3000, Houston, TX 77002

ton, TX 77002 Registered Owner(s): USA Waste of California, Inc., 800 Capitol Street, Suite 3000, Houston, TX 77002; Delaware This business is conducted by a Corpo-

This business is conducted by a Corporation
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 10/24/2001
S/ Courtney A. Tippy, Vice President and Secretary
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 08/10/2021
8/27, 9/3, 9/10, 9/17/21
CNS-3502803#
CARMEL PINE CONE
Publication dates: Aug. 27; Sept. 3, 10,

Publication dates: Aug. 27; Sept. 3, 10, 17, 2021. (PC828)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20211549 Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING, The following person(1) In the following person(s) is (are) doing business as: THE FOLLIARD TEAM, 1459 North Davis Road, Salinas, CA 93907. Mailing address: P.O. Box 2225, Salinas, CA 93902. County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey.

Moniterey, Registered Owner(s): Redistered Owner(s): THOMAS J. FOILLARD, 1459 North Davis Road, Salinas, CA 93907. This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictilious business name or names listed above on June 28, 2021. S/Thomas J. Folliard Date: June 28, 2021 BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant

NOTICE TO BIDDERS BID NO. 21-06 The Santa Lucia Preserve

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Directors of the Santa Lucia Community Services District ("District") hereby calls for sealed bid proposals to be received by the Executive Assistant of the District, at the Gate House, One Rancho San Carlos Road, Carmel, California 93023 on or before Thursday, **September 23, 2021** at 10:00 am U.S. Pacific Time Zone, verified at www.time.gov.

All bids will include delivery to above address and all appropriate sales tax etc. for Monterey Co.

Please contact Aimee Dahle (831) 620-6780 or adahle@ santaluciapreserve.com for specifications/questions.

One (1) 2022 Ford F350 XLT Super Duty, Super Cab, 8' Box, 6.7L Power Stroke V8 Turbo Diesel Engine, TorqShift 10-speed automatic transmission, 3.31 Non-Limited slip axel ration, tow package, in Stone Grey

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and any or all items of such bids and to waive any informality or irregularity in any bid but if the bids are accepted, the contract for the equipment will be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

At 10:00 am September 23, 2021, the Bid Proposals will be taken by the Executive Assistant for the District and opened and publicly read by her or her authorized representative. All bids received after this time will be returned unopened. The bids, together with a report of the bidders and the respective amounts of the bids, will be presented to the Board of Directors of the Santa Lucia Community Services District on Tuesday, November 9, 2021.

Date of Publication: September 3rd, September 10th & September 17th, 2021

By order of the Board of Directors of the Santa Lucia Community Service District. State of California

Publication date: Sept. 3, 10, 17, 2021 (PC905)

who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000), am also aware that all information on this

exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Tam also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filing pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-6277). This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on June 28, 2021. NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictifitous Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 1441) et seq., Business and Professions Code).
Publication dates: Aug. 20, 27; Sept. 3, 10, 2021. (PC829)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20211939 ing type: ORIGINAL FILING The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MARIPOSA HEALING PLACELLC, 140 El Camino Real, Greenfield, CA 93927.

Mailing address: P.O. Box 1641, Greenfield, CA 93927.

County of Principal Place of Business:

reanfield, CA 93927.
County of Principal Place of Business: Monitersy. Name of Corporation or LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.:
MARIPOSA HEALING PLACE LLC., 140 El Camino Real, Greenfield, CA 93927.
State of Inc./Org./Reg.:
MARIPOSA HEALING PLACE LLC., 140 El Camino Real, Greenfield, CA 93927.
State of Inc./Org./Reg.:
This business is conducted by a limited liability company.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 11, 2021.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is quilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000), I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filing pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-6277, and Sections 19, 2021).

Cristina Magana Sotelo, Member tte: Aug. 19, 2021 : Aug. 19,⁻2021 statement was filed with the County of Monterey County on August 19,

Date: Aug. 19, 2021
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on August 19, 2021.
NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 1441) et seq., Business and Professions Code).
Publication dates: Aug. 27; Sept. 3, 10, 17, 2021. (PC830)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20211853
Filing type: RENEWAL FILING - filed within 40 days of the expiration date and no
CHANGES(S) from the previous filing
the following person(s) is (are) doing
business as: ENVIRO CLEAN SYSTEMS
INCORPORATED, 5 Wyndemere Vale,
Monterey, CA 93940.
Mailing address: P.O. Box 1811, Pebble
Beach, CA 93953.
County of Principal Place of Business:
Monterey.

Beach, CA 93953.
County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey.
Name of Corporation or LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.: ENVIRO CLEAN SYSTEMS INCORPORATED. 5
Wyndemere Vale, Monterey, CA 93940.
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA
This business is conducted by a corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on August 3, 2021.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filipic record upon filipic Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-6277).
S/iili Kathleen Clay, Secretary Date: August 3, 2021.

6277).
S, Jill Kathleen Clay, Secretary
Date: August 3, 2021.
This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Monterey County on August 9,

Inis statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on August 9, 2021.

NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where if expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 1441) et seq., Business and Professions Code).

Publication dates: Aug. 27; Sept. 3, 10, 17, 2021. (PC831)

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME File No. 20211934 Filing type: ABANDONMENT: County of Filing: Monterey Date of Original Filing: March 22, 2021 File No.: 20210759 The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: JC-ENVIRO, 25439 Larkspur Ct., Salinas, CA 93908.

County of Principal Place of Business: Registered Owner(s): SUNG JOONG KIM, 25439 Larkspur St., Salinas, CA

NIM, 23439 Larkspur St., Salinas, CA
33908.
This business is conducted by an individual.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL
INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT
IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant
who declares as true any material
matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the
Business and Professions Code that the
registrant knows to be false is guilty of a
misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to
exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). I
am also aware that all Information on
this statement becomes public record
upon filing pursuant to the California
Public Records Act (Government Code
Sections 6250-6277).
S/Sung Joong Kim

S/Sung Joong K August 18, 2021 statement was filed with the County k of Monterey County on August 18,

Clerk of Monterey 2021.
NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision
(a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name NUILLE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictifious Business

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20211942 Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING The following The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: WESTON PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, 251 Highway 1, Carmel, CA 93923.

CA 93923.
County of Principal Place of Business:
MONTEREY.

County of Principal Place of Business: MONTERY.
Registered Owner(s):
ZACHARY COLE
Highway 1, Carmel, CA 93923.
This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Aug. 16, 2021.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
S/Zachary Cole Weston August 19, 2021
This statement was filed with the County

Yugust 19, 2021 his statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on August 19,

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Publication dates: August 27; Sept. 3, 10, 17, 2021. (PC833)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20211945
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(4): The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RETREAT WITH RACHEL LLC, 725 Spencer St. #6, Monterey, CA 93940.

of Principal Place of Business: Monter Monterey.
Name of Corporation or LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.:
RETREAT WITH RACHEL LLC, 725 Spencer St. #6, Monterey, CA 93940.
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA
This business is conducted by a limited lizability company.

This business is conducted by a limited liability company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALI INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be talse is quilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). If am also aware that all information on this statement becomes public record upon filing pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Sections 6250-6277).

6250-6277).S/Rachel Marie Thompson, Manager
Date: Aug. 20, 2021
This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Monterey County on August 20, 2021

Clark of Monterey County on August 20, 2021.

NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision of of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clark, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 1441) et seq., Business and Professions Code). Publication dates: Aug. 27; Sept. 3, 10, 17, 2021. (PC834)

> SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. 21 CV002593
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner, BERNARDINIS JOHNSON PARRY and ALEXANDER HAPP, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

LIEN SALE AUCTION ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that Pursuant to the California Self-Service Storage Facility Act, (B&P Code 21700 et. Seq.), the undersigned will sell at public auction; personal property including but not limited to furniture, clothing, tools, and /or other misc. items.

Auction to be held at 1pm on September 17th, 2021 at www.selfstorageauction.com. The property is stored at: Leonard's Lockers 816 Elvee Dr. Salinas Ca 93901

NAME OF TENANTS Jesus Escobar Castillo Elizabeth Maxine Fernandez

Tyra Ramirez Rolanda Rochell Hennings

Srgio Escorciaguzman

Publication dates: Sept. 3, 10, 2021 (PC904)

A. <u>Present name</u>: CHRISTIAN RUPERT BERNARD JOHNSON

CHRISTIAN RUPERT BERNARD
JOHNSON
Proposed name:
CHRISTIAN RUPERT BERNARD
JOHNSON PARRY
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING:
DATE: October 8, 2021
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
DEPT: 15
The address of the court is 1200
Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: The Carmel Pine Cone, Carmel,
[5] Thomas W. Wills
[5] Thomas W. Wills
[6]

printed in this 'county.' The Carmel Pine Cone, Carmel. (s) Thomas W. Wills Judge of the Superior Court Date filed: Aug. 23, 2021 Publication dates: Aug. 27; Sept. 3, 10, 17, 2021. (PC835)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20211769
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: TWIG AND PETALS, 3674
The Barnyard D27, Carmel, CA 93923.
County of Principal Place of Business: MONTEREY.

Registered Owner(s): Registered Owner(s): ARABELLA JEWEL HIBBS, 3451 Fisher

Registered Owner(s):
ARABELLA JEWEL HIBBS, 3451 Fisher Place, Carmel, CA 93923.
RACHEL TRAUTMAN, P.O. Box 266, Carmel, CA 93921.
This business is conducted by a general partnership.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 28, 2021.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
S/Arabella Jewel Hibbs July 28, 2021.
This statement was filed with the County Clark of Monteyer.

S/Arabella Jewel Hibbs
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Clerk of Moniterey County on July 28,
2021.
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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 14411 et seq., Business and
Professions Code).
Publication dates: August 20, 27; Sept. 3,
10 2021 [PCR30] Publication dates: August 20, 27; Sept. 3, 10, 2021. (PC839)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20211970
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: KAPITAL QWESTS, 316 Mid Valley Cr. #319, Carmel Valley, CA 93923.
County of Persons 1

County of Principal Place of Business: MONTEREY.

County of Principal Place of Business: MONTEREY.
Registered Owner(s):
JUDITH MARIE HAMBLIN, 43 E. Carmel Valley Rd. #1, Carmel Valley, CA 93924.
This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Aug. 24, 2021.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
S/Judith Marie Hamblin August 24, 2021
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on August 24.

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S/Judith Marie Hamblin
August 24, 2021
This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Monterey County on August 24,
2021.

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under Federal, State, or common law
(See Section 1441) et seq., Business and
Professions Code).
Publication dates: Sept. 3, 10, 17, 24,
2021. (PC901)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2021/988
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: HAIR AFFAIR, San Carlos St. between 7th & 8th, Carmel-by-the-Sea, CA 93921.
Mailing address: 3320 Sea, CA 93921.

Mailing address: 3330 Del Monte
Blvd., Apt. 218, Marina, CA 93933.

County of Principal Place of Business:
MONTERFY

County of Principal Place of business. MONTEREY.
Registered Owner(s):
KRYSTYNE FILORA MELICIA, 3330
Del Monte Blvd., Apt. 218, Marina, CA 93933. This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business angle

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Aug. 21, 2021.
BY SIGNING, I DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
S/Krystyne Flora Melicia August 27, 2021
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on August 27, 2021

Clerk of Monterey County on August 27, 2021.

Clerk of Monterey County on August 27, 2021.

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under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Publication dates: Sept. 3, 10, 17, 24, 2021. (PC902)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20211973
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ADEEB ENTERPRISES, 656
Munras Ave., Monterey, CA 93940.
Mailing address: P.O. Box 565,
Monterey, CA 93942.
County of Principal Place of Business:
Monterey.

County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey. Name of Corporation or LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.: JMA RESIDENTIALS LLC, 656 Munras Ave.,

JMA KESIDENTIALS LLC, 630 Munras Ave., Monterey, CA 93940.
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA
This business is conducted by a limited liability company.
Legistrant commenced to transact business under the licitious business name

Ine registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business mane or names listed above on June 30, 2021.

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5/Manal Mansour, President Date: August 25, 2021.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on August 25, 2021.

NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision

Inis statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on August 25, 2021.

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Publication dates: Sept. 3, 10, 17, 24, 2021. (PC903)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20212019
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: R G R TRUCKING, 470
Venice Way, Gonzales, CA 93926.
Mailing address: P.O. Box 1834,
Gonzales, CA 93926.
County of Principal Place of Business:
MONTEREY.

County of Principal Place of Business: MONTEREY, REGISTER OF AROJAS, 470 Venice Way, Gonzales, CA 93926.
This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Aug. 25. 2021.

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S/Ricardo Garcia Rojas
Sept. 1, 2021

This statement was filed with the County

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\$/Ricardo Garcia Rojas

sept. 1, 2021

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Publication dates: Sept. 10, 17, 24; Oct. 1, 2021. (PC907)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20211995
Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING.
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PEPPER DRIVE LIVING, 2
NW of 7 on San Carlos - Unit C, Carmelby-the-Sea, CA 93921.
Mailing address: 287 Ocean Ave., Unit B, Monterey, CA 93942.
County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey.
Name of Corporation or LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.:
PEPPER DRIVE & CO, 287 Ocean Ave., Unit B, Monterey, CA 93940.
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA
This business is conducted by a corporation.

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Symechele Neeley-Scholis, Chief Executive Officer Date: August 27, 2021.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on August 27, 2021.

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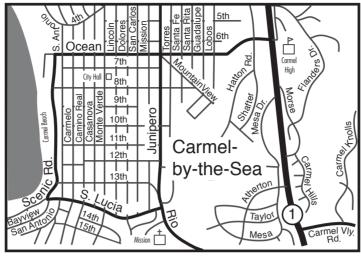
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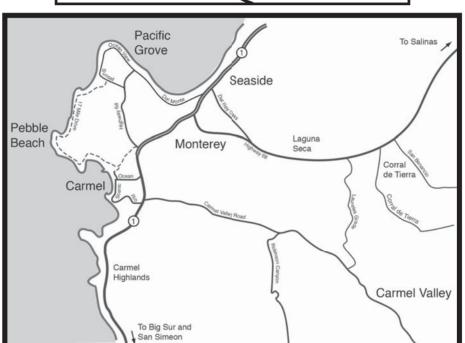
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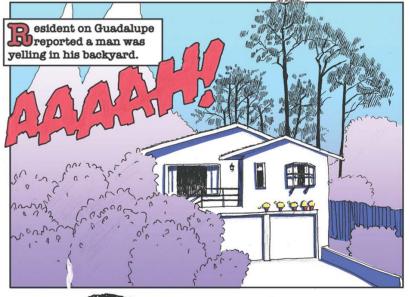
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Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle towed for blocking a driveway on Sixth west of San Carlos.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle towed from Ocean and Torres for expired registration.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle towed from Junipero and Ocean for a civil repossession.

Pacific Grove: Graffiti on a light pole on

Pacific Grove: False impersonation reported on Sage.

Carmel area: Report of burglary of a business on Carmel Rancho Boulevard.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

Carmel area: Emotional abuse of a dependent adult on Carmel Rancho Boulevard.

Pacific Grove: Non-injury accident occurred in the 700 block of Fountain Avenue.

Pacific Grove: Fraudulent credit card ac-

tivity reported on David.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Resident at Camino Real and Jane Powers Walkway reported the placement of a rodent trap in her front yard, put there by an unknown female for unknown reasons. Empty trap was collected for de-

Carmel area: Deputies received a report of an ex-boyfriend excessively emailing his ex-girlfriend.

Carmel area: Theft reported on Palo Colorado Road

Pacific Grove: Bus sideswiped a parked vehicle in the 100 block of Forest Avenue.

Pacific Grove: Non-injury collision involving a runaway vehicle and a parked vehicle on Lighthouse.

Pacific Grove: A 50-year-old male was contacted on Ransford for vehicle code violations and found to have an outstanding warrant for his arrest. Issued a citation and released at the scene.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Involuntary repossession of a vehicle reported on Monte Verde.

Pacific Grove: Theft from an unlocked vehicle on Central.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Welfare check requested on a family member on Mission south of 12th. The family member was checked and did not meet criteria for a hold. The family member just wanted time away from their family.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject was warned about trespassing at a business on Dolores north of Seventh.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Theft from a vehicle on Sixth east of Lincoln. No suspect infor-

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Non-injury traffic collision of a vehicle vs. a parked vehicle at Santa Rita and Third.

Pacific Grove: Vehicle towed from Carmel Avenue for an excessive vehicle alarm.

Carmel area: Unknown subject(s) broke a window at a business on Carmel Rancho Boulevard.

Carmel Vallev: Welfare check of a resident on La Rancheria who was found deceased.

Carmel area: Suspicious circumstances reported and investigated on Cabrillo Street.

Carmel Valley: Verbal argument at a residence on Nason Road.

Carmel area: Male on High Meadow Lane reported being a victim of cybercrime. Subject(s) remain at large.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A 23-year-old female restaurant worker from Salinas was arrested at Ocean and Carpenter at 0128 hours for DUI, driving on a suspended license, probation violation, possession of cocaine and DUI while on probation. She was taken to Monterey County Jail.

Carmel Valley: Male on Carmel Valley Road reported being a victim of identity theft. Perpetrator(s) remain at large.

Pacific Grove: Personal property reported as lost on 17 Mile Drive.

Pacific Grove: Subject on Forest Avenue reported criminal threats.

Pacific Grove: Theft of a purse on Surf

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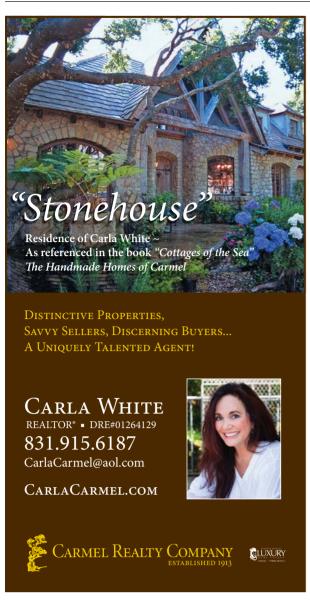
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