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25 rattlesnakes caught on private property last week

BY BECKY CLARK
EDITOR

Better Wildlife Control owner Tracy Phillipi said he has captured 25 rattlesnakes on residents' property in the Idyllwild-Pine Cove area this week.

He said one was a speckled and the others all Southern Pacifics, one of the most dangerously venomous snakes to humans and other animals in California.

Even more frightening is that seven of the snakes were captured inside homes. Phillipi said they made their way over thresholds. "They only need a half inch," he said.

Asked what people can do to avoid being bitten by a snake, he said, "Look for sticks and twigs on the ground because if you're doing that, you're going to see a snake."

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One of two boulders above Highway 243 at Deadman's Curve in Pine Cove is pulled off the steep slope on Wednesday morning. A Caltrans team is removing these so they do not fall unexpectedly on the highway, as one did last January. The crew used air bags to push the second boulder onto the highway. PHOTO BY JP CRUMRINE

CHP resident officer Ron Esparza retires

BY MARSHALL SMITH
STAFF REPORTER

California Highway Patrol Officer Ron Esparza is retiring. Since 1999, Esparza has served the Idyllwild Area Post. He and his wife Karleen have been Hill residents since 1989.

When Esparza first came to Idyllwild, he worked as a ranger for Riverside County Parks. For the CHP, he has worked both in Central Los Angeles and at the CHP Indio office.

Asked how patrolling has changed over the years, he noted that the work-

load used to be much heavier, with more crashes, more arrests and many more DUIs. "It's slowed down over the years," he said, citing the comparative lack of heavy storms that characterized the early day of his patrols and made navigating Hill roads more dangerous.

Esparza is soft-spoken and modest, with a ready smile. Asked to describe the most unusual incident he covered, he remembered one with a horse. He said the horse had been pulling a carriage in Idyllwild, on Cedar Street, when it got loose, still dragging its harness, buggy

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Retiring CHP Resident Deputy **Ron Esparza** and wife **Karleen** are seen here at the Town Crier.

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Pinyon resident accused of setting multiple fires

By JP CRUMRINE
NEWS EDITOR

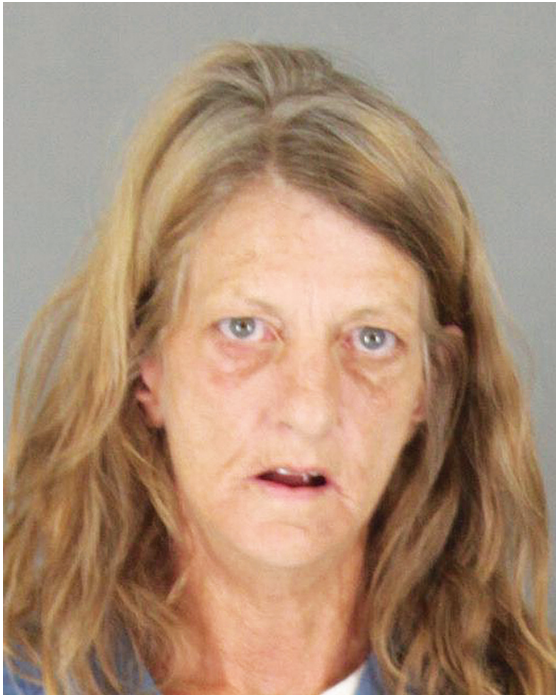
Cal Fire investigators made an arson arrest on Wednesday, June 29.

Traci Farley, 52, of Pinyon, was arrested for allegedly setting multiple fires in Pinyon, an unincorporated area of Riverside County. She was booked on 13 counts of arson, along with several pending additional arson charges.

Her arraignment was June 29 and she pleaded not guilty. A felony settlement conference is scheduled for Thursday, July 8.

Farley was transported to the Southwest Detention Center. As of Thursday morning, she was in custody with bail set at \$1 million.

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Traci Farley, suspected arsonist.
PHOTO COURTESY RIVERSIDE COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT

Green denied bail reduction, despite family support

By JP CRUMRINE
NEWS EDITOR

Marcus Green, 51, of Thermal, the driver of a car that went over the side of Highway 74 in May and resulted in the death of a 5-month-old child, had his request for a bail reduction denied.

At the June 29 bail review hearing, Green's attorney, David Greenberg, brought four witnesses and 17 written statements from family and friends. They all sympathized with Green, lamenting the tragic incident. The writers attested to his devotion to family since being released from jail nearly four years ago.

Armani Green, the child who died in the crash, was the daughter of Green and Kristen Lauer, 22, of Rancho Mirage.

He was charged with vehicular manslaughter with gross negligence, willful harm of a child and infliction of great bodily harm.

Green's bail is \$1.86 million and his attorney was trying to get a reduction. After hearing the witnesses and reading the character statements, Judge Alfonso Fernandez denied the motion and the bail remains as before.

The next felony settlement conference is scheduled for Aug. 9.

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Motorcycle crash on July 2

By MARSHALL SMITH
STAFF REPORTER

One crash took place on Hill roads over the last week.

At 4:30 p.m. Saturday, July 2, Amanda Weilbacher, 26, of Murrieta, was riding her 2015 Kawasaki Ninja motorcycle westbound on Highway 74 about 1,000 feet east of McGaugh Road when she rounded a sweeping right

curve, crossed over the double-yellow line and hit the embankment on the mountain side.

She was ejected from her bike and suffered moderate hip and ankle injuries. No other vehicles were involved in the incident. Weilbacher was transported to Riverside University Health System Trauma Center in Moreno Valley.

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Idyllwild Weather

From the National
Weather Service

Thursday 7/7

79/51
Sunny.

Friday 7/8

83/52
Sunny.

Saturday 7/9

81/52
Sunny.

Sunday 7/10

80/50
Sunny & breezy.

Monday 7/11

79/50
Sunny.

Tuesday 7/12

79/57
Sunny.

Idyllwild this year

Date	High	Low	M	S
6/28	89	61		
6/29	91	60		
6/30	88	57		
7/1	84	60		
7/2	85	57		
7/3	84	57		
7/4	84	51		

Idyllwild last year

Date	High	Low	M	S
6/28	78	61	0.16	
6/29	86	62		
6/30	89	59		
7/1	77	62	0.02	
7/2	81	57		
7/3	85	53		
7/4	85	59		

Moisture in inches

To date this season (Idy): 0.00
To date last season (Idy): 0.03
Total last season (Idy): 25.42
To date this season (PC): 0.00
Total last season (PC): 25.16

Snow in inches

To date this season (Idy): 0.00
To date last season (Idy): 0.00
Total last season (Idy): 17.5
To date this season (PC): 0.00
Total last season (PC): 31.00

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Victor Jimenez brings several decades of experience to Hill water district

By JP CRUMRINE
NEWS EDITOR

Native Californian Victor Jimenez is the new Fern Valley Water District general manager. He began July 1, replacing Steve Erler who retired. Jimenez was hired in March and spent the interim working with Erler to form a smooth transition.

He grew up in West Covina and spent most of his life in the San Gabriel Valley. It was there he met Diana, his wife, whose career has been in the dentistry industry. Five years ago, they moved to Lake Elsinore. They have two daughters, the oldest beginning a career in the fashion industry.

Jimenez was with the city of El Monte for 20 years before coming to Fern Valley. When he left, he was manager of the water department. While El Monte, being an urban area, has many more service connections, the area of the districts is comparable, Jimenez said.

Besides wanting to become a general manager with full responsibility for FVWD, Jimenez and his wife were seeking the tranquility and bucolic setting of the Southern California mountains.

"I saw the Fern Valley job posting on Friday night. On Saturday morning, we visited and fell in love right away," he stated. They walked through town, visited shops and even drove through the residential neighborhoods. "On Monday, I submitted an application," he added.

Jimenez met with the district's search committee, who recommended him to the board at the March meeting. He was unanimously chosen and began working with Erler in April.



Victor Jimenez, Fern Valley Water District general manager.

PHOTO BY JP CRUMRINE

ly clean," he said. "It does not have a bunch of bacteria. This is a beautiful and very reliable system."

His immediate goal is to become familiar with the FVWD system and operations. The board's direction will be important and he plans to devote time to reviewing the capital improvement plan.

"I'll investigate the possibility of grants for the capital improvement," he said. At El Monte, Jimenez exuded pride in his ability to shift some of the capital development work from contractors to his staff. He often was able to complete the projects for half the initial cost.

The Hill has proven to be as good as he and Diana hoped. "The people I work with and everybody gets along so well," he said with a smile. "It's a joy to come to work."

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One of his most positive impressions has been the quality of the staff. "The guys in the field are at the top of their game," he said. "Everybody, especially Jessica [Preifer, the office manager], is so conscientious."

When asked if anything at FVWD surprised him, he quickly said the amount of storage available for water supply. "There's less chance of an emergency if one of our wells goes down," he noted.

Several years ago, El Monte had to shut is second-best well down because of nearby development.

"It's not an issue here. With the storage, there's much more reliable supply of water," he stressed.

El Monte relied totally on well water, while Fern Valley's sources are both groundwater and stream flow. The latter is new for him. "It's amazing-

County has new early warning system

By JP CRUMRINE
NEWS EDITOR

Riverside County has implemented a new early warning notification system. The EWNS is used to alert and warn residents and businesses in the county of emergencies such as wildfires, floods, hazardous materials, severe weather and certain law enforcement incidents.

A request for proposal to replace the former EWNS, commonly referred to as "reverse 911," with a new system was issued in September 2015. Swiftreach Networks of New Jersey submitted the winning bid.

"There are more enhancements, including the ability to send notifications by email or text message," said Kathleen Henderson of the county's Emergency Management Department, who has been the lead on the project. "We can attach photos now, for example, of missing persons."

Another new capability is the use of cell phones to manage the system. Henderson or any EMD duty officer can initiate the system from a cell phone. The need to be at the Emergency Coordination Center has been eliminated.

"We can launch from any desktop or from apps for our cell phone," she added.

The EWNS serves the entire county. If residents or homeowners have a land line, then the county will have the phone number for that location. If residents have only voice over internet phones or cell phones, Henderson recommends they visit the EMD website, www.rivcoready.org/, and click the link for EWN to register your phone number.

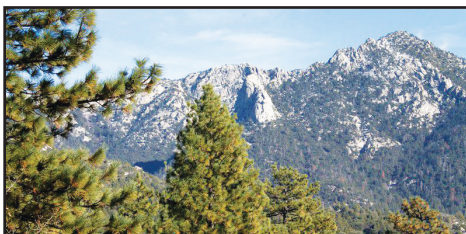
Henderson has invested more than two years preparing the RFP, reviewing the responses and working with Swiftreach to implement the system. The project will cost \$225,000 and is funded from a 2014 Homeland Security Grant for three years.

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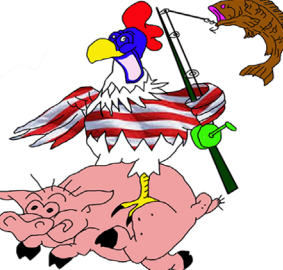
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ANOTHER POINT OF VIEW

'Transparency' can be foggy

BY JACK CLARK
GENERAL COUNSEL

The purpose of the Ralph M. Brown Act, which is California Government Code sections 54950 through 54963, is to mandate transparency in local government. The Brown Act is not perfect. It requires a good deal of transparency when it comes to the legislative bodies of our local public entities — i.e., councils, boards, commissions, committees, etc. — but very little with regard to their administrative staff.

Contrary to what some people have expressed, it is not a violation of the Brown Act for the administrators of two local public entities to communicate freely with each other, even if done entirely secretly.

So, the fact that IFPD's chief and battalion chief communicated extensively with San Jacinto's city manager and city attorney does not violate the Brown Act. These administrators were free to plan a proposed Joint Powers Authority in great detail before they presented their proposition to their respective boards. The administrators could even include two members of their respective boards in their ongoing discussions without violating the Brown Act — as long as no one, either directly or through intermediaries, passed any part of their discussions on to any of the other members of the board and city council. (Gov. Code, § 54952.2, subs. (a) & (b).)

This, in the main, is what IFPD and the city did in setting up their proposed JPA. This was not a violation of the Brown Act ... but was it "transparency"? A visit to the main page of IFPD's website shows that "Transparency" has its own first-page hot link, indicating that IFPD deems its transparency to be important.

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Open letter to Idyllwild Christians

EDITOR:

We live in perilous but predicted times. As the affairs around us grow darker, in unbelievable speed, we, as Judeo Christians, are supposed to grow brighter. There has never been a more important time since the foundation of our great country for Christians to stand up to protect our Christian values.

Our values are being stripped while we shake our heads in disbelief, talk about the injustice and do nothing.

Did you know that in the last presidential election, 25 million registered voters failed to vote? Where were you? Those votes would have made a big difference in the outcome. Every vote does count. Go to the polls and vote your faith because our faith matters.

There is so much attack on our Christian beliefs. What is wrong with the following pictures? Our children are not permitted to start their school day in prayer, our teachers are not allowed to keep a Bible on their desks, while non-gender bathrooms are installed and foot-washing facilities are installed in the schools.

Military chaplains are instructed not to use the name of Jesus in their services or at military funerals or face discharge. Servicemen and women are not permitted to talk to other active military about Jesus or carry a Bible on their person while in uniform.

We have come a long way from when the Holy Bible was the schools' primary reader or the Holy Bible was issued as part of the military gear to our servicemen and women.

I write all this to try to stir up a desire to use your voice at the polls. It is a God-given right — use it wisely. Pray for your part of participation. The future of our children and grandchildren is at stake.

There is no perfect candidate for they are mere humans. Our choice of candidates may look dismal when we forget that our Almighty God is in control. God bless America.

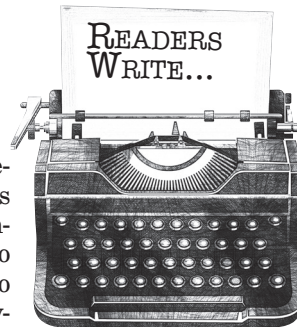
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Kudos for the shuttle ...

EDITOR:

Kudos to Forest Folk for making the Idyllwild Shuttle Service a reality. And to Riverside County for providing the shuttle and van, but also for the diligent work of



Reba Coulter and the board of Forest Folk.

This service is a godsend for seniors, the disabled and those without transportation. The local schedule from Pine Cove to Idyllwild makes life easier for so many.

At present, I am availing myself of the Tuesday schedule to the desert. Over the years, the drive down

the mountain becomes more arduous. Now, with our expert driver, Bob Hinkle, I can relax and enjoy the scenery with the company of new neighbors and friends.

May this wonderful addition to our community be appreciated and patronized.

RUTHE DONLON
PINE COVE

Time for a recall

EDITOR:

The crises of local governance in Idyllwild go much deeper than political divisions, ideology or money. Not only are mountain residents deeply divided on what to do about water, ambulance transport service and fire protection, our local boards notoriously fail to execute settled policies and law effectively.

Whether it be misplaced ordinances and policies, employment of notorious and ineffective counsel or mismanagement of day-to-day operations and resources, these boards hurt Idyllwild residents and businesses daily.

Morally deficient details are found within public grand jury investigations, adjudications, judges' rulings, hundreds of thousands of dollars lost/spent on employee/district misconduct, employee/former employee observations and homeowner perspective.

Enough is enough.

Ten Idyllwild proponents should sponsor a recall. Recall forms are found at www.sos.ca.gov/elections/recalls/procedure-recalling-state-and-local-officials/.

Registered voter lists can be acquired at www.voteinfo.net/docs/2014%20Application%20to%20Purchase-View.pdf.

JEFF SMITH
PINE COVE

We miss the bagpipers

EDITOR:

What happened to the Highlander bagpipes at this year's Independence Day Parade?

While we truly appreciate all the hard

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But IFPD administrators developed their proposed JPA with no input from the IFPD board — sitting as a board — or from the public IFPD serves.

On May 9, 2016, IFPD administrators issued a press release announcing the proposed JPA with a start date of July 1, 2016 — seven-and-a-half weeks later. They also posted online employment information for three classes of JPA personnel, stating that the application period opened on May 5 and would close on May 20.

All of this happened supposedly before the majority of the IFPD board or the majority of the San Jacinto City Council knew anything about the JPA — yet Chief Patrick Reitz commented on May 10, “This is a big deal, very big.”

From emails produced by IFPD in response to the Town Crier’s California Public Records Act request, we learned that Reitz and Battalion Chief Mark LaMont kept IFPD commission members Jerry Buchanan and Nancy Layton informed as to the evolution of their JPA discussions with the city — no Brown Act violation there since just Buchanan and Layton do not constitute a majority of any board or committee.

But on May 9, Layton exchanged emails with IFPD standing finance committee member Susan Weisbart in which Layton passed on to her a good deal about the JPA discussions. This would not have constituted a Brown Act violation either, since Layton and Weisbart were only two members of that five-member committee — except that Layton also copied that email to fellow committee members

Calvin Gogerty and Mark Lonsbury. That constituted a Brown Act violation, relative to the finance committee. We know that Layton did not cc: Gogerty and Lonsbury inadvertently because at one point in her email she wrote: “Please, DO NOT discuss this among yourselves. Direct any questions or concerns you have to me or to Patrick. We cannot risk violating the Brown Act on this one!” Ironically, her own email did just that.

From Layton’s email we also learn that “[m]ost of the detail in this email is not yet for public consumption, but [for] your eyes only until we can hold a joint meeting with the San Jacinto City Council members and City Manager,” which Layton estimated would likely take place on May 20. So, the original intent was that neither the IFPD Board of Commissioners nor the San Jacinto City Council would meet on its own to discuss the JPA at any public meeting prior to their joint meeting down in San Jacinto.

That was changed for some reason. Both boards eventually held separate public meetings regarding forming the JPA, and then held their joint public meeting in San Jacinto. At that joint meeting, problems emerged regarding arranging for a dispatch service, which resulted in postponing the JPA, apparently for a year. So, it’s all out in the open now, anyway.

Layton’s Brown Act-violating email was not a material factor in the larger JPA formation matter. The real point is that the Brown Act can be gotten around by administrators meeting among themselves and keeping a mere minority of their governing boards advised of developments, all outside of public view. Layton wrote: “Because of the

Final June 7 vote results

By JP CRUMRINE
NEWS EDITOR

The Riverside County Register of Voters has certified the results of the June 7 primary election. The final vote tallies have not changed the preliminary winners or the top two who will face off on the November general election ballot.

As usual, the turnout in Idyllwild and Pine Cove far exceeded the county and statewide turnout.

In Idyllwild and Pine Cove, two-thirds of registered voters cast ballots either by mail or at the local precincts. In the county, turnout was 44 percent and statewide turnout was 47 percent.

More Hill results will be in next week’s paper. Below are the final countywide vote totals.

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potential for CalFire (sic) to take various forms of retaliation, we really were hoping the cat could stay in the bag until the nuts and bolts were agreed upon and ready for signatures at a joint meeting.”

Did they really fear Cal Fire was going to “retaliate” against IFPD in some way? Well, Cal Fire knows about it now ... is it “retaliating”? Or does “retaliating” really just mean that Cal Fire might disagree and oppose? What? We can’t have that?

Really, why do it this way? What of the concept of “transparency” that IFPD’s website counts among its virtues?

Could not the administrators on both sides have kept the entirety of their respective boards advised by continually reporting on the progress of their JPA discussions as agenda items at their respective public meetings? Why did Layton, in her email, deem it necessary that finance committee members “remain mum and we’ll all have to dodge JP’s questions [a reference to J.P. Crumrine, news editor of the Town Crier], as we’re already having to do”?

Why would they not want the public to know about this JPA until it was a done deal? According to the JPA’s organizational chart (since removed from the IFPD web-site) Reitz will be spending 40 percent of his time (and LaMont 60 percent of his) administering the JPA, and only their respective remaining times administering IFPD. Did they fear the Idyllwild public might object to losing their services at IFPD a combined 50 percent of the time?

Perhaps IFPD believed that a JPA would be faster and easier to form if the public didn’t have an opportunity to question it. Probably true. But doesn’t that say that IFPD values expediency above transparency?

A democratic republic — and the transparency that goes with it — isn’t easy. A quiet oligarchy is a whole lot easier. But is that what we expect from our local government? Is that what we want?

Write us a short letter to tell us what you think. We publish letters.

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19th century California trademarks

California Secretary of State Alex Padilla announced the release of nearly 4,000 digitized California trademark images and applications filed with the secretary of state between 1861 and 1900. These images and documents are the largest digital collection ever assembled by the State Archives, a division of the secretary of state’s office.

“This is our history and it should be shared,” said Padilla. “I encourage Californians to explore these images, which for the first time are easily accessible to the public online.”

The collection may be viewed at www.sos.ca.gov/archives/trademarks.

Riverside County results as of 9:40 a.m. Tuesday, July 5

911,269 registered voters in Riverside County		
	Votes	Percent
Precincts Reporting Turnout	127,086	13.02%
Vote by Mail Reporting Turnout	276,742	30.35%
Total	403,838	44.31%

Democratic Presidential Race		
	Votes	Percent
Keith Judd	307	0.15%
Michael Steinberg	471	0.23%
Bernie Sanders	85,918	42.82%
Willie Wilson	640	0.32%
Roque de la Fuente	449	0.22%
Hillary Clinton	112,526	56.08%
Henry Hewes	330	0.16%
Total	200,641	

Republican Presidential Race		
	Votes	Percent
Donald Trump	124,056	81.25%
Ben Carson	4,850	3.18%
Ted Cruz	11,866	7.77%
John R. Kasich	11,124	7.29%
Jim Gilmore	787	0.52%
Total	152,683	

U.S. Representative 36th District		
	Votes	Percent
Jeff Stone	41,190	31.61%
Stephan “Steven” Wolkowicz	12,923	9.92%
Raul Ruiz	76,213	58.48%
Total	130,326	

County Supervisor 3rd District		
	Votes	Percent
Randon Lane	22,437	28.86%
Chuck Washington	31,083	39.98%
Shellie Milne	24,220	31.16%
Total	77,740	

Prop 50 - Suspension of Legislators		
	Votes	Percent
YES	268,397	73.85%
NO	95,020	26.15%
Total	363,417	

State Assembly District 71 - Districtwide Results (as of 12:15 p.m. July 6)

	Votes	Percent	Riverside Co percent
Leo Hamel	23,990	27.7%	32.40 %
Tony Teora	10,770	12.4%	15.95 %
Randy Voepel	51,857	59.9%	51.65 %
Total	86,617		6,865 total votes

Actors sought for casting

Idyllwild Arts Summer Film Program is seeking actors of all ages for several short films during the week of July 11 to 16.

Auditions are from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, July 9, at the Bruce Ryan Soundstage on campus.

There is no pay but meals are provided.

If interested, email IdyArtsCasting@gmail.com. Include alternate contact information, times available during the week and a photo.

Readers

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work and organization it takes to put on the parade, and we in no way mean to detract from all of that, we specifically come to the Idyllwild Fourth of July parade to see all the entries and so look forward to the bagpipers.

We are part-timers on the Hill with a long family history of spending summers here. (Tim’s family has owned a cabin here since 1949.)

Please bring back the bagpipes in 2017. No bagpiper is akin to sitting down to a gourmet Italian feast and forgetting the wine.

LISA AND TIM SMITH
FERN VALLEY

November ballot will present slew of propositions

17 and still counting will be presented to voters

By JP CRUMRINE
NEWS EDITOR

On Friday, July 1, California Secretary of State Alex Padilla announced that 17 propositions — legislative, initiative, and referendum measures — will be on the November 8 General Election ballot. The State Legislature is still considering three more possible additions.

Of the seventeen, six are amendments to the state constitution and one is referendum. The state legislature approved two and 15 are pure initiatives or amendments. Each of these required 365,880 valid voter signatures.

Secretary Padilla also invited interested Californians to submit arguments to be considered for inclusion in the Official Voter Information Guide. The guide is mailed to every voting household in California and posted on the Secretary of State's website. The full text and nonpartisan analysis, provided by the Legislative Analyst's Office, of the propositions will also appear in the Official Voter Information Guide.

The propositions are listed below, along with the Legislative Counsel's digest or the Attorney General's official circulating title and summary.

Proposition # Description

Prop 51 - School Bonds.

Funding for K-12 School and Community College Facilities. Authorizes \$9 billion in general obligation bonds: \$3 billion for new construction and \$3 billion for modernization of K-12 public school facilities; \$1 billion for charter schools and vocational education facilities; and \$2 billion for California Community Colleges facilities.

Prop 52 - State Fees on Hospitals.

Federal Medi-Cal Matching Funds. The initiative directs those fees and federal matching funds to hos-

pital-provided Medi-Cal health care services, to uncompensated care provided by hospitals to uninsured patients, and to children's health coverage.

Prop 53 - Revenue Bonds.

Requires statewide voter approval before any revenue bonds can be issued or sold by the state for projects that are financed, owned, operated, or managed by the state or any joint agency created by or including the state, if the bond amount exceeds \$2 billion.

Prop 54 - Constitutional Amendment - Internet Publishing of Bills.

The State Legislature approved this constitutional amendment, which prohibits it from passing any bill unless the bill has been in print and published on the Internet for at least 72 hours before the vote, except in cases of public emergency.

Prop 55 - Tax Extension to Fund Education and Healthcare.

Extends by twelve years the temporary personal income tax increases enacted in 2012 on earnings over \$250,000 (for single filers; over \$500,000 for joint filers; over \$340,000 for heads of household). Allocates these tax revenues 89 percent to K-12 schools and 11 percent to California Community Colleges.

Prop 56 - Cigarette Tax to Fund Healthcare.

Increases cigarette tax by \$2.00 per pack, with equivalent increase on other tobacco products and electronic cigarettes containing nicotine. The additional funding would be allocated primarily to existing healthcare programs; also for tobacco use prevention or control programs, tobacco-related disease research and law enforcement

Prop 57 - Criminal Sentences.

Allows parole consideration (early release) for persons convicted of nonviolent felonies upon completion of full prison term for primary offense, as defined.

Prop 58 - Senate Bill 1174 - English language education.

This bill would amend and repeal various provisions of Proposition 227, which was enacted in 1998. Among other things, the bill would delete the sheltered English immersion requirement and waiver provisions, and would instead provide that school districts and county offices of education shall, at a minimum, provide English learners with a structured En-

glish immersion program, as specified.

Prop 59 - Senate Bill 254 - Campaign finance

Voter instruction. asking whether California's elected officials should use all of their constitutional authority, including proposing and ratifying one or more amendments to the United States Constitution, to overturn Citizens United v. Federal Election Commission (2010) 558 U.S. 310.

Prop 60 - Pornography Health.

Requires performers in adult films to use condoms during filming of sexual intercourse. Requires producers of adult films to pay for performer vaccinations, testing, and medical examinations related to sexually transmitted infections.

Prop 61 - State Prescription Drug Purchases.

Prohibits state agencies from paying more for a prescription drug than the lowest price paid for the same drug by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs.

Prop 62 - Death Penalty.

Repeals death penalty as maximum punishment for persons found guilty of murder and replaces it with life imprisonment without possibility of parole and applies retroactively.

Prop 63 - Ammunition Magazines.

Prohibits possession of large-capacity ammunition magazines, and requires their disposal by sale to dealer, destruction, or removal from state. Imposes background checks on most individuals and they must obtain Department of Justice authorization to purchase ammunition.

Prop 64 - Marijuana Legalization.

Legalizes recreational marijuana use.

Prop 65 - Carry-Out Bags.

Redirects money collected by grocery and certain other retail stores through sale of carry-out bags, whenever any state law bans free distribution of a particular kind of carry-out bag and mandates the sale of any other kind of carry-out bag.

Prop 66 - Death Penalty.

Changes procedures governing state court appeals and petitions challenging death penalty convictions and sentences.

Prop 67 - Plastic Bags.

Referendum to Overturn Ban on Single-Use Plastic Bags.

Vote by mail may become universal in California

By JP CRUMRINE
NEWS EDITOR

Standing in line while waiting for the person in front of you to get their address correct and to stop asking about how to connect the arrows may become historic vignettes if California's Secretary of State Alex Padilla can convince the state Legislature to enact his proposal for a new voting process.

Padilla's recommendation, which Sens. Ben Allen (D-Santa Monica) and Bob Hertzberg (D-Van Nuys) have put forward, would offer every Californian registered voter the option to vote by mail. Four weeks prior to an election, registered voters would receive a ballot.

If voting by mail is not preferred, voters may still go to "vote centers," formerly polling places, and cast a ballot. One difference between the two is any voter registered in the county may cast a ballot at a vote center, which would be independent of local precincts.

The new vote centers would offer the following services: Drop off ballots; access same-day voter registration; receive replacement ballots; use accessible voting machines; and access language assistance and translated materials.

According to the bill, a vote center would be established for every 10,000 registered voters. Not only would these centers be open on election day, but also the Saturday through Monday preceding election day. A smaller number of vote centers, one per 50,000 voters, would be open for 10 days prior to election day.

If enacted, 14 of California's 58 counties would begin to implement the process for the 2018 elections. These counties, who would have complete vote-by-mail options in 2018, are Calaveras, Inyo, Madera, Napa, Nevada, Orange, Sacramento, San Luis Obispo, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Shasta, Sierra, Sutter and Tuolumne. The remaining counties would begin to use it for the 2020 elections.

Padilla was distressed with the low voter turnout for the 2014 elections and offered this proposal to raise voter participation in the election process. The 2016 primary election turnout is estimated to be 47 percent statewide compared to the 25 percent two years ago. In Riverside County, turnout this year was about 44 percent, about twice the 2014 turnout.

This proposal is modeled on Colorado's election process.

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Rattlesnake Avoidance Training For Dogs by Natural Solutions

10th Year in Idyllwild

Sunday, July 17

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Class Location: TBA

Email Linda at mccaughin@surfcity.net

Fire department grows in 2016-17

Revenue growth supports salary and benefit increases

By JP CRUMRINE
NEWS EDITOR

The Idyllwild Fire Protection District adopted its preliminary 2016-17 budget last week. The total budget is slightly more than \$2 million and about \$170,000 more than the 2015-16 budget.

Growth in revenues is largely from two sources. The revenues from the county's property taxes are expected to increase about \$140,000 and reimbursement from participation in fighting wildfires outside the district is estimated to increase \$60,000.

"The increase in taxes are based on recommendations from the county's assessor's office," Fire Chief Patrick Reitz stated.

The budget does not include any more revenue from either enactment of a proposed November ballot measure to increase the unit (or parcel) fee or the partnership with San Jacinto City to operate a joint powers agency, Reitz emphasized.

The estimated cost of employee benefits grows nearly \$110,000. This is the largest expense increase and is attributed to Cal PERS retirement payments and health benefits, according to Commission President Jerry Buchanan.

In addition, salary costs will increase \$60,000 (about 6.4 percent). Two drivers of this growth are the recently approved agreement with the firefighters' association, which provides a 2.3-percent salary increase, and the funding of three captain positions as well as a battalion chief.

Although Reitz said the district was planning to fill all the firefighter positions and to work with just two captains and the battalion chief, the budget allocation for the captains' positions is the same as 2015-16 when three captains were on staff.

One large expense savings is the projected decrease for legal expenses. While \$50,000 was budgeted for 2015-16 and actual expenses, through May, are nearly \$110,000, the 2016-17 budget includes just \$55,000 for legal costs. Nearly 80 percent of that total is the continuing defense of the case involving the dismissal of former Capt. James Reyes.

The board unanimously approved the preliminary budget and plans to have a hearing and adoption of the final budget at its August meeting, according to Reitz.

In other budget and financial decisions, the board approved a two-year extension of its contract with Rob Den-

nis, the financial consultant, and approved a \$500 stipend to the Mile High Radio Club for its emergency radio station, WNKI.

While he supported the donation, Buchanan recommended that the funds come from the Education and Donation account rather than General Funds.

Current Finance Committee Chair and Commissioner Nancy Layton reported that two of three community members on the Finance Committee were not returning for the next year. Mark Lonsbury and Susan Weisbart declined to continue, but Calvin Gogerty has committed for another year.

Layton told the board she planned to have several candidates available to be appointed at the July commission meeting, but would cancel the July committee meeting.

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Forest Service raises fire restrictions in San Bernardino National Forest

As June ends and fire season begins, the San Bernardino National Forest implemented seasonal fire restrictions effective Thursday, June 30.

"Monthly and seasonal weather outlooks predict above-normal, large-fire potential from July to September 2016. With these predictions, we want our visitors to be able to continue to enjoy their public lands, but our main priority is their safety, making fire restrictions a critical role in providing that safety when the fire danger levels are high," said Forest Supervisor Jody Noiron.

Live fuel moistures are about six weeks ahead of schedule, which represents drying patterns usually not occurring until late July into August. Winter rains were inadequate to overcome four years of drought, and June weather has already brought record heat.

Noiron has imposed the following fire restrictions and guidelines:

- In the San Jacinto Ranger District, building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire or stove fire is prohibited except within these seven campgrounds (Black Mountain Group, Boulder Basin, Dark Canyon, Fern Basin, Marion Mountain, Pinyon Flat and Ribbonwood

Equestrian) and three picnic areas (Fuller Mill Creek, Lake Fulmor and Lake Hemet). Individuals with a valid California Camp fire Permit may use a propane or gas cooking stove;

- Smoking is prohibited, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, or in the campgrounds or picnic areas listed above;

- Fireworks are always prohibited in the San Bernardino National Forest;

- An approved spark arrester is required for any internal combustion engine operated on designated forest routes. These include chainsaws, generators, motorcycles, and off-highway vehicles;

- Recreational shooting is limited to public shooting ranges operated under special use permit only, except for those persons engaged in legal hunting.

The U.S. Forest Service will aggressively cite those who do not comply with the posted restrictions. Violation of these prohibitions is subject to punishment by a fine of not more than \$10,000 or imprisonment for not more than six months or both, as Class B misdemeanors under federal law. Persons may also be responsible for resource damage, suppression costs and any injuries that

occur if they are found liable for causing a wildfire.

Forest visitors are encouraged to "Know Before You Go" and call ahead to the local ranger station to check on location conditions and restrictions at the following offices:

San Bernardino National Forest Supervisor's Office
602 S. Tippecanoe Ave., San

Bernardino
909-382-2600

Idyllwild Ranger Station
54270 Pine Crest, Idyllwild
909-382-2922

Santa Rosa & San Jacinto Mountains National Monument Visitor Center
51-500 Highway 74 Palm Desert
760-862-9984

Knotty Pine Cabins will close its doors permanently on July 16, 2016, after serving mountain visitors for 52 years. In 1964, Doug and Bonnie Reed and Doug's mother Elizabeth Wood, along with daughter Callie and son Ed, took on the exciting new life of inn keeping. Doug had worked for the department store chain Harris' as an interior decorator and Bonnie for the Sunnymead School District and the Hemet Unified School District. Sadly, Doug passed away in 1972. Bonnie married Hemet Unified School District teacher/administrator Robert Palmer in 1976, and they continued running the cabins until 1988 when son Ed and his wife Sandy took over the day to day operations. The Reeds, the Palmers and the Mains (Callie) thank the Idyllwild community for the many years of support and friendship and wish continued prosperity and health to all.

There will be a **liquidation sale** of all furnishings inside of the cabins, plus patio furniture, starting Sunday July 17, 2016, at noon until 5:00 pm and then from 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Monday - Saturday, July 18-23. See you then!

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Vitamin E
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EACH
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Pain Relieving Gel
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For the Idyllwild Arts & Entertainment Calendar, see "On the Town," on page 9. Submit listings and changes to becky@towncrier.com.

Thursday, July 7

- Town Crier News Meeting, public welcome, 8:30 a.m. Town Crier office, 54405 N. Circle Dr.
- Alcoholics Anonymous women, (open), 9 a.m. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr.; meeting, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.; "We Don't Know" Agnostic & Atheist, 6-7 p.m. Oneness Center, 151 Cedar St.
- Free warm lunch, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.; Fit After 50 exercise, 1:30-2:30 p.m. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
- Idyllwild Rotary Annns, 11:30 a.m. Call 951-852-2306 for more information.
- Bridge, 12:30 p.m., Creekstone Inn, 54950 Pine Crest Ave. If interested, show up or phone 951-659-4910.
- Healing Rooms, 3-5 p.m. Shiloh Christian Ministries, 54295 Village Center Dr.
- County Service Area 36 (recreation & street lights) Advisory Committee meeting, 5:30 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
- Narcotics Anonymous, 7:30-9 p.m. Oneness Center, 151 Cedar St.

Friday, July 8

- Sen. Jeff Stone's staff, 9 a.m.-noon. Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr.
- Free community Mat Pilates classes, 9 a.m. Call 760-200-5757 for information & directions.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, Daily Reflections, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.; Pick-a-stick candlelight, 7:30 p.m. Oneness Center, 151 Cedar St.
- Feeding America, 2:30-3:30 p.m. Cross Road 243 Church, Mountain Center.

Saturday, July 9

- LifeStream blood drive, 11

a.m.-4:30 p.m. Idyllwild Fire Station, 54160 Maranatha Dr.

- Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.; 5:30 p.m. Oneness Center, 151 Cedar St.

Sunday, July 10

- Peace Meditation Practice, 10 a.m. Tibetan Buddhist Dharma Center, 53191 Mountain View, Pine Cove.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, General Discussion (closed), noon. Idyllwild Water District, 25945 Hwy. 243; 5 p.m. Rancho Encino Mountain Club, 45915 Orchard Rd., Poppet Flats, across from Cal Fire Station 6.
- Al-Anon "Mixed Nuts" open meeting, 6-7:30 p.m. Oneness Center, 151 Cedar St.

Monday, July 11

- Friends of the Idyllwild Library, 9-10:30 a.m. Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr.
- Alcoholics Anonymous women, (open), 9 a.m. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr.; AA, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
- Debtors Anonymous, 12-step program for compulsive debting and spending, 7-8:30 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr.

Tuesday, July 12

- Mountain Communities Fire Safe Council public board, 9:30 a.m. Mountain Resource Center, 25380 Franklin Drive. Call 659-6208 for information.
- Mountain Quilters of Idyllwild, 9:30 a.m. Community Presbyterian Church, 54400 North Circle Dr.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
- La Leche League, 1 p.m. Call 659-8321.
- Fit After 50 Exercise, 1:30-2:30 p.m. St. Hugh's Episco-

Fire log

The Idyllwild Fire Station responded to the following calls Friday, June 10, to Sunday, June 26.

Idyllwild

- June 10 — Cooking fire, confined to container, 54000 block of S. Circle Dr.
- June 11 — Medical aid, Deerfoot Ln.
- June 11 — Lock out, 25000 block of Hwy. 243.
- June 12 — Medical aid, Hwy. 243.
- June 12 — Walk-in medical aid.
- June 13 — Walk-in medical aid.
- June 13 — Medical aid, Deerfoot Ln.
- June 13 — Medical aid, Double View Dr.
- June 13 — Medical aid, Village Center Dr.
- June 15 — Medical aid, Double View Dr.
- June 15 — Medical aid, Rising Glen.
- June 15 — Walk-in medical aid.
- June 15 — Smoke scare, odor of smoke, Temecula Dr.
- June 16 — Medical aid, Alderwood St.
- June 16 — Public service, 52000 Double View Dr.
- June 17 — Alarm system sounded due to malfunction, Howland Rd.
- June 17 — Walk-in medical aid.
- June 17 — Medical aid, Tahquitz Dr.
- June 18 — Three walk-in medical aids.
- June 18 — False alarm or false call, 25000 block of Hwy. 243.
- June 18 — Medical aid, Te-

pal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.

- Lovingkindness Meditation Group, 5-5:30 p.m.; Self-Realization Fellowship Meditation, 6-7 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St. Call 659-2523.
- Meditation & dharma study, 6 p.m. Idyllwild Yoga Studio, 54445 N. Circle Dr. Call Valerie Kyoshin Velez at 951-659-5750 for info.

Wednesday, July 13

- Idyllwild Rotary Club, 7:30-9 a.m. American Legion Post 800, 54360 Marion View Dr.
- Town Crier News Meeting, public welcome, 8:30 a.m.

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- June 20 — Medical aid, Hopkins Rd.
- June 20 — Smoke scare, odor of smoke, Tahquitz Dr.
- June 21 — Walk-in medical aid.
- June 21 — Medical aid, S. Circle Dr.
- June 22 — Medical aid, N. Circle Dr.
- June 22 — Hazardous condition, Strong Dr.
- June 23 — Animal problem, Country Club Dr.
- June 24 — Walk-in medical aid.
- June 25 — False alarm or false call, County Playground Rd.
- June 26 — Traffic crash with injuries, near Strawberry Creek.
- June 26 — Public service assistance, 54000 block of S. Circle Dr.
- June 26 — Medical aid, Hwy. 243.

Mountain Center

- June 12 — Medical aid, Donna Mae Pl.
- June 13 — No incident found, Hwy. 243.
- June 22 — Medical aid, Hwy. 243.
- June 26 — Cover assignment, standby, move up, hwy. 243 & 74.

Sheriff's log

The Riverside County Sheriff's Department Hemet Station responded to the following calls Sunday to Saturday, June 26 to July 2.

Idyllwild

- June 26 — Assist other department, address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- June 26 — Assist other

department, 25000 block of Hwy. 243. Handled by deputy.

- June 26 — Vehicle theft, Country Club Dr. Report taken.
- June 26 — Alarm call, 54000 block of Marian View Dr. Handled by deputy.
- June 26 — Follow-up, address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- June 26 — Narcotics, address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- June 26 — Suspicious circumstance, 52000 block of Double View Dr. Handled by deputy.
- June 27 — Unlawful entry, Delano Dr. Unfounded.
- June 27 — Assist other department, address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- June 27 — Suspicious vehicle, 26000 block of Hwy. 243. Handled by deputy.
- June 27 — Alarm call, 24000 block of Fern Valley Rd. Handled by deputy.
- June 27 — Noise complaint, 26000 block of St. Hwy. 243. Handled by deputy.
- June 28 — Alarm call, 25000 block of St. Hwy. 243. Handled by deputy.
- June 28 — Follow-up, address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- June 28 — Public disturbance, 54000 block of S. Circle Dr. Handled by deputy.
- June 28 — Battery, 26000 block of Hwy. 243. Arrest made.
- June 28 — Public disturbance, 53000 block of Double View Dr. Handled by deputy.
- June 28 — Alarm call, 24000 block of Fern Valley Rd. Handled by deputy.
- June 29 — Public disturbance, 54000 block of Pine Crest Ave. Handled by deputy.
- June 29 — Trespassing, address undefined. Unfounded.
- June 30 — Public assist, address undefined. Handled by

deputy.

- June 30 — Noise complaint, address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- June 30 — Noise complaint, 26000 block of Saunders Meadow Rd. Handled by deputy.
- July 1 — Harassing phone calls, address withheld. Report taken.
- July 1 — 911 call from business, N. Circle Dr. Handled by deputy.
- July 2 — Alarm call, 26000 block of Hwy. 243. Handled by deputy.
- July 2 — Suspicious circumstance, Hillsdale St. Handled by deputy.
- July 2 — Grand theft, Fernleaf Dr. Report taken.
- July 2 — Suspicious person, Strawberry Valley Dr. Handled by deputy.

Mountain Center

- June 28 — Check the welfare, 33000 block of Morris Ranch Rd. Handled by deputy.
- June 29 — Burglary, Barbara Lee Dr. Report taken.
- July 2 — Alarm call, Hop Patch Spring Rd. Handled by deputy.
- July 3 — Shots fired, address undefined. Unfounded.

Pine Cove

- June 26 — Alarm call, Cedar Crest Dr. Handled by deputy.
- June 26 — Public disturbance, Hotei Ln. Handled by deputy.
- June 29 — Suspicious person, address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- June 30 — Check the welfare, Walters Dr. Handled by deputy.
- July 3 — Follow-up, address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- July 3 — Alarm call, Franklin Dr. Handled by deputy.

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- Cancer support group, 4:30 p.m. Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr.
- Debtors Anonymous, 12-step program for compulsive debting and spending, 6:15-7:15 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.
- Co-dependents Anonymous, 7:30-9 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.

Community service hours

- California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (bark beetle issues), 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Mon.-Fri. Mountain Resource Center, 25380 Franklin Dr., 659-3335.
- Idyllwild Area Historical Museum, 54470 N. Circle

Dr., 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Sat. & Sun. (Mon. holidays.) Group tours by appt. 659-2717.

- Idyllwild HELP Center, 26330 Hwy. 243, 10 a.m.-noon & 1-4 p.m. Tues.-Fri. 659-2110.
- Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr., Strawberry Creek Plaza, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Mon., Wed.; noon-8 p.m. Tues.; noon-5 p.m. Thurs. & Fri.; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sat., 659-2300.
- Idyllwild Nature Center, 25225 Hwy. 243, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Wed.-Sun. 659-3850.
- Idyllwild Transfer Station, 28100 Saunders Meadow Rd., 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Thurs.-Mon.; Grinding Station, 8 a.m.-noon Tues. & Fri., 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Sat.

On the Town

Local Dining, Arts & Entertainment

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT CALENDAR

Arts & Entertainment Calendar listings are at the discretion of the editor. Submittal forms may be picked up at the Town Crier, or email becky@towncrier.com. Event charges may apply.

Thursday, July 7

- Idyllwild Arts Summer Program art exhibit, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Parks Center, Idyllwild Arts.
- Native Arts Festival Week, Kabotie Lecture Series: Michael Angsty, "Never Alone: A Computer Gaming Partnership in Alaska," noon. Krone Library, Idyllwild Arts.
- Supersized Candyland game, 3-5 p.m. Idyllwild Library.
- Grupo Bohemio, 7 p.m. Idyllwild Summer Concert, Sandii Castleberry & Friends, 6:15 p.m. Idyllwild Community Center site.
- Premiere Screening: PBS's "Craft in America: Teachers," IAF Navajo weaving teachers Barbara Ornelas & Lynda Pete, 7 p.m. Krone Library, Idyllwild Arts.

Friday, July 8

- Idyllwild Arts Summer Program art exhibit, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Parks Center, Idyllwild Arts.
- Youth "Writing for Performance," Art Alliance of Idyllwild, noon-3 p.m. Idyllwild Library.
- Chess Club, 2-5 p.m. Idyllwild Library.
- Adult Arts Center Student Show & Reception, 4 p.m. Parks Center Patio, Idyllwild Arts.
- Live music, 5-8 p.m.; Ka-

raoke, 8 p.m.-midnight. Lumber Mill Bar & Grill.

- Tom Hynes, Idyllwild Arts Faculty Jazz Jam, 6-9 p.m. Ferro Restaurant.

• Native Arts Festival Week, Global Dance Event: Flamenco, Afro-Cuban & Hoop Dancers, 7 p.m. Cargill Commons, Idyllwild Arts.

- Lemon Lily Festival Stargazing, 8:30 p.m. Idyllwild County Park.

Saturday, July 9

- Lemon Lily Festival, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Idyllwild Nature Center.
- Youth jazz concerts, 10-11 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. IAF Theatre, Idyllwild Arts.
- Idyllwild Arts Summer Program art exhibit, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Parks Center, Idyllwild Arts.
- Michael Britton & Karen Blanchard, noon-4 p.m.; Live music to 8 p.m.; Karaoke, 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Lumber Mill Bar & Grill.
- Wine in the Pines, Idyllwild Community Fund, 4-7 p.m. Rainbow Inn.
- Chuck Alvarez, 6-9 p.m. Ferro Restaurant.
- Comedy Under the Stars, Fritz Coleman, 7 & 9 p.m.; opening, Jimmy Burns. Uncle B's Smokin' BBQ.

Sunday, July 10

- Lemon Lily Festival, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Idyllwild Nature Center.
- Michael Britton & Karen Blanchard, noon-4 p.m.; live music to 8 p.m. Lumber Mill Bar & Grill.
- Idyllwild Arts Summer Program art exhibit, noon-5 p.m. Parks Center, Idyllwild Arts.

- The Len Tones & Family Jam, 1-4 p.m. Ferro Restaurant.

- Meri Nan-Ama Danquah, Idyllwild Author Series, 4 p.m. Café Aroma.

Monday, July 11

- Forest Folk Cribbage Group, 10 a.m.-noon; Children's Storytime, "Survivor Skills," 10:30-11:30 a.m. Idyllwild Library.
- Mutts of the Planet, 6-9 p.m. Ferro Restaurant.
- Writers Week Reading: Faculty & Guest Writers, 7-8 p.m. Krone Library; Opening Reception, 8-9 p.m. Parks Exhibition Center; Vocal Music Recital, 8-9 p.m. Stephens Recital Hall; Faculty Jazz Combo Concert, 8:30-9:30 p.m. IAF Theatre, Idyllwild Arts.

Tuesday, July 12

- Idyllwild Arts Summer Program art exhibit, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Parks Center; Studio Walk, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Art Studios, Idyllwild Arts.
- Knit Wits, 1-3 p.m. Idyllwild Library.
- Jazz Night, 6-9 p.m. Ferro

Restaurant.

- Writers Week Reading, 7-8 p.m. Krone Library, Idyllwild Arts.

Thursday, July 14

- Creedence Clearwater Revival cover band, 7 p.m. Idyllwild Summer Concert, Heard of Cats, 6:15 p.m. Idyllwild Community Center site.
- Writers Week Reading, 7-8 p.m. Krone Library, Idyllwild Arts.

Friday, July 15

- Youth "Writing for Performance," Art Alliance of Idyllwild, noon-3 p.m. Idyllwild Library.
- Chess Club, 2-5 p.m. Idyllwild Library.
- Children's Open House Multi-Arts, 2:45-3:45 p.m. Children's Center; Adult Arts Center Student Show & Reception, 4-5 p.m. Parks Center Patio; Youth Song & Dance Performance, 8-9 p.m. IAF Theatre, Idyllwild Arts.
- Live music, 5-8 p.m.; Karaoke, 8 p.m.-midnight.

Lumber Mill Bar & Grill.

- Live music, 6-9 p.m. Ferro Restaurant.

Saturday, July 16

- Youth Jazz Vocal Performance, all day. TBA; Mini-Musical, Adventures in Art, Painting & Drawing Culmination, 9:30-10:30 a.m. Children's Center; FUNdamentals of Film-making Culmination, 10-11 a.m. Children's Center; Piano Workshop Culmination, 10-11 a.m. Stephens Recital Hall; Youth Art Exhibit, 10-11 a.m. Parks Center; Youth Computer Animation, 10-11 a.m. Krone Library; Youth Fiction Reading, 10-11 a.m. Todd Quad; Youth Jazz Concert, 10-11 a.m. IAF Theatre; Dance Xplosion! Culmination, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Children's Center; Theater Adventures Culmination, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Children's Center; Youth Piano Recital, 1-2 p.m. Stephens Recital Hall; Youth Jazz Concert, 2-3 p.m. IAF Theatre, Idyllwild Arts.
- Music, noon-4 p.m.; live music to 8 p.m.; Karaoke, 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Lumber Mill Bar & Grill.

- Yve Evans Quartet, 6-9 p.m. Ferro Restaurant.

Sunday, July 17

- Michael Britton & Karen Blanchard, noon-4 p.m.; Live music to 8 p.m. Lumber Mill Bar & Grill.
- Adler, Blackburn & Quint, 1-4 p.m. Ferro Restaurant.
- Natasha Deon, Idyllwild Author Series, 4 p.m. Café Aroma.

Monday, July 18

- Forest Folk Cribbage Group, 10 a.m.-noon; Children's Storytime, Read for the Win Party, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Idyllwild Library.
- Juls Phillips & Mike G., 6-9 p.m. Ferro Restaurant.

Tuesday, July 19

- Idyllwild Arts Summer Program art exhibit, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Parks Exhibition Center Opening, 7-8 p.m. Parks Center, Idyllwild Arts.
- Jazz Night with Doug MacDonald, 6-9 p.m. Ferro Restaurant.

NPR Idyllwild recording now online

Anyone who missed or wants to hear again National Public Radio's "From the Top" that was recorded April 7 at Idyllwild Arts Academy, may visit www.fromthetop.org/show/nprs-from-the-top-with-host-christopher-oriley-idyllwild-california-323/.

Stone's staff at library on Friday

Sen. Jeff Stone invites constituents to meet with his staff members for coffee and conversation.

The event is from 9 a.m. to noon Friday, July 8, and no appointment is necessary.



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Idyllwild Arts dance event on Cargill Commons

Audience members will have a chance to learn new dance moves

By MARSHALL SMITH
STAFF REPORTER

Idyllwild Arts Summer Program's Native American Arts Festival week concludes with a public dance event on Cargill Commons. At 7 p.m. Friday, July 8, on the plaza between Lowman Concert Hall and the IAF Theatre, three dancers from very different traditional backgrounds will perform a collaborative piece and then perform their own distinctive dance styles.

Yakima/Tulalip hoop dancer Terry Goedel is a five-time world hoop dance champion. He uses 21 hoops in his dance to illustrate his Native American story.

Educated at Brigham Young University and Chapman College, Goedel is by profession a math teacher. But he has performed all over the world since 1973, teaching audiences in such disparate locations as Australia, Canada, Sweden, Denmark, Finland and Norway about hoop dancing as part of the Native American tradition. He performed at the opening ceremonies of the 2002 Winter Olympics held in Salt Lake City, Utah. Dancing with Goedel will be his son Michael, who placed third in the youth division at the world championships in 2015.

Texas-born Miguel Montana will perform Flamenco. He is a graduate of the University of Texas and the Escuela Superior de Danza, and is currently starting a Latin America dance program for the Palos Verdes Art Center where he is employed. Montana also is a film actor.

Cuba native Wilfredo Guilbiac Rodriguez will perform Afro-Cuban dance. Rodriguez, a choreographer and dancer, has represented Cuba internationally as a dancer and has danced in some of Cuba's most prestigious companies.

At the end of the dance performances, audience members will be invited to participate and learn some new dance moves.

The dance program is open to the public and is free of charge.

Prior to the Friday dance performance will be an ep-



Native American hoop dancer **Michael Goedel**, and five-time world champion, conclude the Native American Arts Festival at Idyllwild Arts with his son **Michael** (shown) at 7 p.m. Friday, July 8, on Cargill Commons on the Idyllwild Arts campus.

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isode of a premier of a PBS program "Craft in America: Teachers" at 7 p.m. Thursday, July 7, in the Krone Library. The episode airs in September. This is a sneak preview at which the director/producer Carol Sauvion will be present to introduce the episode, also open to the public.

Finally, Writers Week public readings begin on Sunday, July 10. All readings are at 7 p.m. in the Westin Room in the Krone Library except the first event, which will be held at 4 p.m. on the deck of Café Aroma as part of the Idyllwild Authors Series hosted by Eduardo Santiago. The guest author is Nana-Ama Danquah (see story in last week's edition.)

On Monday, July 11, Shanna Mahin, Victoria Chang and Ed Skoog will read. On Tuesday, July 12, Bruce Bau-

CSA 36 Advisory Council holds first meeting

Public opportunity to learn about community recreation

By MARSHALL SMITH
STAFF REPORTER

The reconstituted County Service Area 36 Advisory Council holds its first public meeting at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, July 7 at Town Hall.

The advisory council acts as the "eyes and ears" within the community for Third District Supervisor Chuck Washington on matters concerning street lights and parcel tax-funded public recreation. The council's public meetings offer CSA 36 residents a venue for raising questions and making suggestions regarding community recreation programs and CSA 36 finances.

Supervisor Washington will attend to swear in the new council that includes Ginger Dagnall, David Hunt, John Metroka, Wendy Read and Kathy Wilson.

In attendance, representing Riverside County's Economic Development Agency, will be Michael Franklin, senior development specialist. EDA now manages the CSA 36 public recreation program. As part of the agenda, the Town Hall recreation staff will make a presentation, detailing current and planned recreational activities.

Schedules of future meetings will also be set. The meeting concludes with a public comment section, reserved for all general information comments and questions.

The advisory council had been moribund for several years, owing to apparent disinterest by the general public. But these public meetings are the primary venue for recreational users and stakeholders to ask questions and raise suggestions regarding programs and CSA 36 finances.

man, Tonaya Craft and Amy Friedman read. On Wednesday, July 13, Ben Loory, Jaswinder Bolina and Samantha Dunn read. And finally, on Thursday, July 14, Danquah will join David Ulin.

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Pine Cove property owners share with community

By JP CRUMRINE
NEWS EDITOR

At its July meeting, the Pine Cove Property Owners Association announced its annual donations to local community organizations. This year, PCPOA is giving \$7,900, \$600 more than the 2015 gift total.

Two organizations — the Idyllwild HELP

Center and Mountain Disaster Preparedness — received \$1,500 each. And two others — Pine Cove Fire Station 23 and the Idyllwild Area Historical Society — were beneficiaries of \$1,000 each.

Other gifts ranged from \$600 to \$100. See the accompanying list for the complete list of awards.

The organization's membership exceeds 800 now, according to Treasurer Annamarie Padula.

After welcoming the beneficiaries and distributing the checks, President Marlene Pierce announced that the organization would not be able to participate in this year's Fourth of July parade. Among the reasons was the lack of a truck usually available to transport the contingent. She is hopeful PCPOA will return to the parade route in 2017.

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Recipients of the Pine Cove Property Owners Association's annual community gifts and donations are pictured here (from left) **Marlene Pierce**, PCPOA president; **Callie Wight**, Idyllwild HELP Center; **Colleen Meyer**, Idyllwild HELP Center; **Karen Doshier**, Idyllwild Soroptimists; **Jayne Davis**, Idyllwild Scholarship Fund; **Mike Feyder**, Mountain Disaster Preparedness; **Carolyn Levitski**, Idyllwild Area Historical Society; **Janice Murasko**, Animal Rescue Friends of Idyllwild; **Barbara Jones**, PCPOA; and **Bill Tell**, Mile High Radio Club.
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Pine Cove Property Owners Association 2016 donations and gifts to the community

Recipient	Amount
Animal Rescue Friends of Idyllwild	\$600
Pine Cove Fire Station 23	1,000
HELP Center (Christmas purchases for Pine Cove residents)	1,500
Idyllwild Area Historical Society	1,000
Idyllwild Scholarship Fund (Pine Cove residents)	600
Idyllwild School Booster Club	500
Mountain Disaster Preparedness	1,500
Mile High Radio Club	100
Jay Mulder	100
Soroptimist Tree Lighting	500
Woodies	500
Total	\$7,900

Seniors welcome at food share

The longstanding senior food distribution with no economic qualification was disbanded late last year.

However, according to organizers, seniors are still welcome at the weekly USDA food commodity program. No one has to qualify for distribution.

The USDA food distribution is the first Tuesday of each month at the Mormon Church at the corner of Highway 243 and Tollgate from 10:30 a.m. to noon. Bring a box. The next distribution will be Tuesday, Aug. 2.

Free breakfast/lunch for kids

Until Friday, July 8, Hemet Unified School District is offering free breakfast, snack and lunch for children and youths ages 18 and younger at Idyllwild School.

Participants must eat all the meals at the site with additional rules posted. Breakfast is from 8:55 to 9:15 a.m. and lunch is from 10:30 to 11 a.m. Monday to Friday.

For more information, call HUSD Nutrition Services at 951-765-5100, ext. 5301.

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Wine in the Pines — a thank you from ICF

Opportunity for community to say thanks, too

By JP CRUMRINE
NEWS EDITOR

Each year, the Idyllwild Community Fund allocates thousands of dollars to local organizations. The annual Wine in the Pines is both a celebration of this effort and a fundraiser to augment the coffers to increase the aid to the Hill.

The third-annual event is from 4 to 7 p.m. Saturday, July 9, at the Rainbow Inn.

The event is free and entertainment is led by emcee Conor O'Farrell. It also includes a silent auction and raffle. Two t'Suite — Nelms McKelvain on piano and Julie Holmes on cello — will soothe the environment during the afternoon with their repertoire from early Baroque through 1950s, 1960s and 1970s standards, Gershwin, Broadway's finest, country, rock and today's Top 40. Refreshments, including wine and craft beer, from local brewer Don Put will be available throughout the evening.

The celebration brings the community together to support the mission of providing grants to local nonprofit organizations to help them accomplish critical goals that enhance the quality of life for all our residents.

The Idyllwild School Youth Grantmakers is the principal beneficiary of Wine in the Pines. Youth Grantmakers was originally a program for high schoolers to learn about philanthropy. Five years ago, ICF's parent organization — The Community Foundation — founded a pilot grant program at Idyllwild School for middle-school students.

Due to its success, the Community Foundation wanted to expand its efforts to other schools, which resulted in less funding available here. ICF uses the proceeds from Wine in the Pines to augment the Youth Grantmakers funding.

"It's absolutely necessary to sustain the Youth Grantmakers program," said ICF President Marshall Smith.

The silent auction is the source of the money. This year, some of the items include photo prints, a night at the Idyllwild Grand Lodge, two nights at the Creekstone Inn, season tickets to the Idyllwild Master Chorale performances and Jazz in the Pines tickets, according to Suzanne Avalon, ICF board member and organizer of the event.

"The community has been very cooperative," she said. "Nobody has turned me down. All are very willing to help. A lot of nonprofits in town would not exist without the Community Fund assistance."

The Idyllwild Youth Grantmakers consists of local middle-school students who review proposals, conduct site visits and recommend grants for funding as part of a comprehensive, multi-session, afterschool philanthropy program. The initial Youth Grantmakers award was \$2,000 in 2012. The maximum allocation has been \$4,000 and this spring, they award \$3,000 to three separate local groups.

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Lemon Lily Festival this weekend

The seventh-annual Lemon Lily Festival begins with stargazing at 8:30 p.m. Friday, July 8, at Idyllwild County Park.

From 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, July 9 and 10, the festival continues at the Idyllwild Nature Center.

The complete program was inserted in last week's Town Crier or pick up a program at the event.

SouthBound and Company return with Creedence Clearwater tribute

By MARSHALL SMITH
STAFF REPORTER

Inland Empire-based SouthBound and Company was last here two years ago with a Buddy Holly tribute. They return in Creedence Clearwater form for Ken Dahleen's 2016 Idyllwild Summer Concert Series.

Taking the stage at 7 p.m. Thursday, July 14, are SouthBound leader, lead vocalist and rhythm guitarist Darryl Reed; guitarist and backup vocalist Michael Finn; drummer Mike Hunter; and new bass player Bob Dennis. Reed said a friend, sax player Rudy Villarreal, would be joining the four-man ensemble for its Idyllwild gig and that Villarreal also would fill in on keyboard.

Florida-born Reed said he loves the Southern rock sound that infuses the music of SouthBound and that he has "shared the stage" professionally with music notables Tim McGraw, Travis Tritt, Mel Tillis and the Ozark Mountain Daredevils.

Creedence fans can listen and dance to such hits as "Born on the Bayou," "Bad Moon Rising," "Down on the Corner," "Proud Mary" and "Who'll Stop the Rain."

There is no charge for the series that Dahleen and his ISCS board present as summer music and fun for locals. Each year, ISCS begins the summer with insufficient money to fund the series. Attendees are invited to bring food, beverages, chairs, blankets and money, especially money, to fill the donation jars passed around by concert volunteers.

Contributions to fund the series can also be sent to P.O. Box 1542, Idyllwild, CA 92549 or contact Ken Dahleen at 659-2229 if interested in being a series sponsor.

Dahleen started the series in 2000 beginning with four concerts, increased the series to five in 2001, to seven in year three and eight after the series moved to its present home on the Idyllwild Community Center site.

Opening for SouthBound at 6:15 p.m. is the local group Heard of Cats.

For more information about the ISCS series, visit www.idyllwildsummerconcerts.com.

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SouthBound and Company return for a Creedence Clearwater Revival tribute to **Ken Dahleen's** Idyllwild Summer Concert Series. PHOTO COURTESY SOUTHBOUND



Southern California native **Jana McCullough** is the featured artist of the month at the Higher Grounds Gallery. McCullough uses a variety of media to express her belief that "whimsy is the spice of life." Her display runs through July 15. PHOTO BY TOM KLUZAK

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Natashia Deon's first novel has stunning debut

Deon speaks at Eduardo Santiago's Idyllwild Author Series

By MARSHALL SMITH
STAFF REPORTER

Practicing attorney and mother of two, Natashia Deon pleaded with her publishers not to release her first novel, "Grace," this summer. "Are you kidding?" she said. "Nobody's going to notice 'Grace' if you release it in competition with all those two-million-dollar books."

But people have noticed. "Grace" received extraordinarily glowing reviews from the New York Times and many other publications. Released only two weeks ago, "Grace" is already in its third printing and on the shelves of major book outlets.

"With her debut novel, 'Grace,' Natashia Deon has announced herself beautifully and distinctively," said the Times reviewer. "[She] is not merely another new author to watch. She has delivered something whole, and to be reckoned with, right now."

What Deon has delivered is a wrenching story of slavery in the antebellum South, and the cycle of abuse and violence that afflicted enslaved women. It is the story of a mother's love that is so strong she continues to watch over her daughter after her own violent death. It is a story of an era in American history that unsparingly depicts the insurmountable obstacles faced by women caught in the iron vise of slavery — the virtual impossibility of escape and the degradation these women are forced to endure.

"Grace" spans 30 years encompassing the time before and after the Civil War, narrated beyond the grave by Naomi, the steadfast mother of the principal character, Josey. In reviews, Deon's writing has been described as visceral, with a startling ability to make the reader feel present — feeling, touching, smelling the world of her characters — their terror, their rage and their hopeless sorrow.

Deon said she wrote the novel almost intuitively, understanding the arc of her characters' lives and the reality of their world. "I needed to get the story out first," she said. "There was no way to hold the entire novel in my head at

one time. If a question came up, then I had to go to look for that, to research that."

As an example, while her novel was being readied for publication, she clashed with her editors about whether the Emancipation Proclamation in 1863 was something slaves in the South experienced as hopeful. "I felt that something was wrong, that the Emancipation Proclamation may have seemed hopeful but it wasn't that way for the slaves trapped in the South who had almost no way to get to freedom. I had to research more history and go back and change the trajectory of the story."

What stays with the reader in "Grace" is the intensity of a mother's love for her daughter — as she watches her child experience the same brutality and debasement she had suffered. From the afterlife, Naomi could not slip away and leave Josey. "After the first few weeks, I thought I'd leave Josey's side when I knew she was safe," Naomi relates. "Then I decided I'd leave after I saw her lift her head for the first time. Then, after she'd rolled over, then babbled, then walked, then ran. Then when. Then when. Then when."

Deon is the recipient of a PEN Center USA Emerging Voices Fellowship and has held residencies at Yale, Bread Loaf, Dickinson House in Belgium and the Virginia Center for Creative Arts. She was named one of 2013's Most Fascinating People by L.A. Weekly. She has a master's degree in fine arts from the University of California, Riverside in Palm Desert and is the creator of Dirty Laundry Lit, a popular Los Angeles-based reading series. "I wanted to create a place for writers to come together and be celebrated, to share and to party."

Deon said she has always been a storyteller, from childhood. "I never thought I would be a writer," she recalled. "But I always wrote and drew pictures. I had a little sister, and we did story time. When I tell stories I feel I become that story. I remember telling about Jonah and the whale. I could feel it — the water, the boat, something you saw and smelled."

Deon opens her novel with Naomi explaining about justice — that justice is getting what you deserve, mercy is being spared the bad you deserve, and grace "is getting a good thing, even when you don't deserve it."


Deon said she is both surprised and gratified by the reaction to "Grace." But, as reviewers have noted, it is a reaction well deserved because of the visceral power of her writing.



Natashia Deon is the next author for Eduardo Santiago's Idyllwild Author Series. Her first novel "Grace" has just been published and is already in its third printing. Reviews are glowing.
PHOTO COURTESY NATASHIA DEON

Deon appears with Eduardo Santiago at 4 p.m. Sunday, July 17, on the deck of Café Aroma. There is no charge for admission.

For more about Deon, visit www.natashiadeon.com.
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The Mountain Quilters' float was covered in red, white and blue. PHOTO BY JP CRUMRINE
Right: A very large crowd enjoys the 2016 Fourth of July Parade from near the corner of Village Center and North Circle drives. PHOTO BY PETER SZABADI



American Legion Post 800's color guard leads the Fourth of July parade down North Circle Drive. PHOTO BY TOM PIERCE



Pam Jordan, (center) president of the Idyllwild Arts Foundation, leads the Idyllwild Arts parade contingent. PHOTO BY JP CRUMRINE



Lloyd Wood, former Idyllwild postmaster, enjoyed the Fourth of July Parade from his chair. PHOTO BY JP CRUMRINE



The Idyll Beast dances with one of the parade's spectators. PHOTO BY TOM KLUZAK



Grand marshals of the 2016 Idyllwild Rotary Parade are Earl Parker, Craig Cooper-smith, Bob Lippert and Barney Brause, longtime members of the club. PHOTO BY CHANDRA LEVY

Parade and Family Freedom Festival a hit



The Butterfield Stagecoach arrives at Village Center Drive. PHOTO BY TOM KLUZAK



Rachel Teeguarden distributes flags from the Idyllwild Fire Department's ladder truck and Jerry Buchanan, president of the Idyllwild Fire Protection District commission, enjoys the ride.

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Dr. Charles Schelly grew longer legs for the parade and tottered down North Circle.

PHOTO BY JP CRUMRINE



Mayor Max ensures the spectators enjoyed the 2016 Fourth of July Parade.

PHOTO BY TOM KLUZAK

Some of the games available after the parade at the Butterfield Commons on Strawberry Creek.

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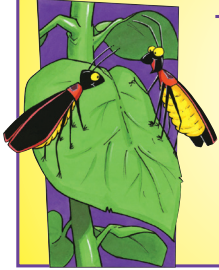


The Hemet Jeep Club is strong enough to haul two units and a large American flag.

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Jokes and Riddles



Q: Why couldn't the butterfly go to the ball?

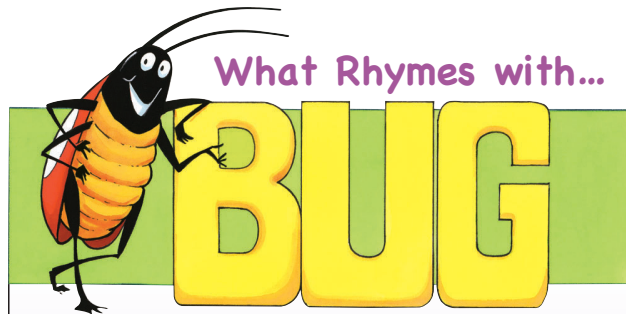
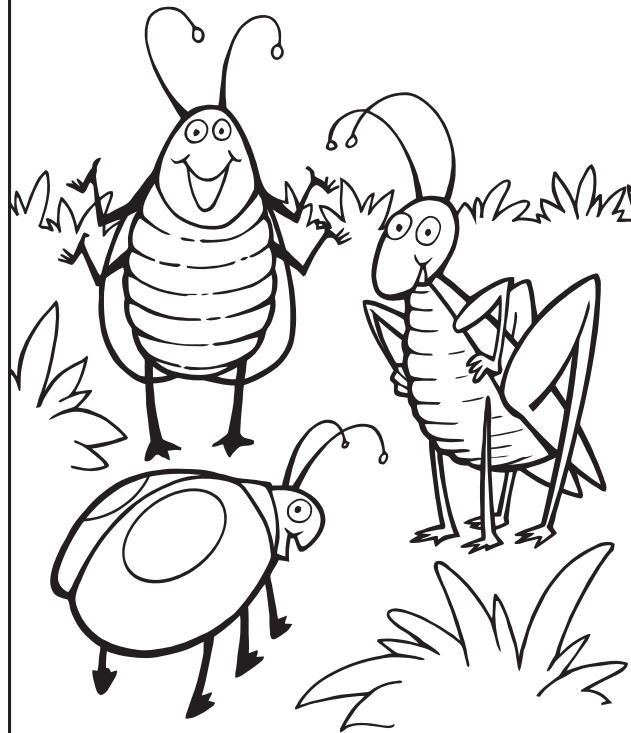
A: Because it was a moth ball.

Q: What did the firefly say to the other?

A: Got to glow now!



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List 10 words that rhyme with “bug.”

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

4. _____ 5. _____ 6. _____

7. _____ 8. _____ 9. _____

10. _____

Some answers: drug, dug, hug, lug, mug, pug, rug, shrug, tug



BY JACK CLARK
CONTEST JUDGE

There were four correct entries regarding last week's photo, including two newcomers. **Rochelle Ainsworth, Alex Burness, Tawny Harrington,** the **Jeff and Yvonne Smith** family and **Merrie Von Seggern** all identified the paisley-painted deer done by artist **Jerry Baccaire** in front of La Casita restaurant. Four names went into the hat and **Evelyn Johnson** drew out Tawny's name. Beginner's good luck? (Good luck to you next time, Alex.) Tawny, please come to the Town Crier to pick up ticket money for the Rustic Theatre. This week's photo should not be too hard.

One entry per household. Contest deadline: Monday noon. Not a race — correct entries go into a hat for a drawing. Full contest rules and guidelines available at the Town Crier office.



Idyllwild Arts Academy graduate **Valentina Plata** was awarded second place in the 2016 **GreenAllies Challenge**, a national scholarship competition that rewards middle and high school students who lead exceptional environmental projects in their communities. Plata's project stood out over projects from 13 different states.

Plata's environmental project focused on the impact of disposable bags on the environment, and she worked with community leaders and local businesses



to decrease plastic bag usage.

Plata also started the Environmental Club of Idyllwild Arts Academy. Club members are working on many projects, including a compost system, school garden and recycling education program.

GreenAllies is a national organization that works to empower students to take leadership roles in the environmental movement. Plata's example of student leadership embodies the organization's vision of student-driven environmentalism.



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Golf

Jim Crandall, Palms to Pines Golf Association handicap chair, provided this report about the Friday, June 17, monthly golf tournament, which was played at The Country Club at Soboba Springs in San Jacinto. It was sunny and hot, and the course was in good shape.

Jerry Daquila (course handicap 23) and **Lev Sanford** (23) tied for first place with net 67s. **Dave Robb** (14) was alone in third with a net 68. **Barry Wallace** (12) took fourth with a net 69. And **Ken Garelick** (24) and **John Brower** (10) tied for fifth with net 70s.

The closest-to-the-pin winners on the four par 3s were Crandall on three holes (numbers 4, 13 and 15) and Brower on hole number 8.

Brower also won the low gross side pot with an 80.

The 2015-2016 season runs from August 2015 through July 2016.

Here are the year-to-date points:

Place	Golfer	Points
1	Dave Robb	33
2	Pete Capparelli	25
3	Lee Lanfried	22
4	Barry Wallace	18
5	John Brower	17.5
6	Jim Crandall	17
7	Bill Ragland	14.5
8	Pete Holzman	13.33
tied	Barry Zander	13.33
10	John King	12.5
11	Bob Baker	12
12	David Hiemenz	11
13	Jerry Daquila	9.5
tied	Lev Sanford	9.5



An original Ernie Maxwell front page from the TC, July 9, 1954, in honor of the Town Crier's 70th anniversary this year.

15	Ken Garelick	8.5
16	John LoGiudice	8
17	Don DePalma	5
tied	Tom Flanagan	5
19	Gary Brown	4.5
20	Dale Calderon	4
tied	Chris Kramer	4
22	Walt Reeves	2.5
23	Robert Priefer	1.83
24	Mike Feyder	1
tied	Scott Schroeder	1
	Tony Viola	1

Points are awarded at each tournament as follows: first place, 6 points; second place, 4 points; third place, 3 points; fourth place, 2 points; fifth place, 1 point. Also,

Steele 5th at Barracuda; on to Troon

By JACK CLARK
PRO GOLF CORRESPONDENT

Brendan Steele posted +13 +7 E +12 = +32 in Stableford scoring last week in the Barracuda Classic on the Montreux Golf & Country Club course in Reno to grab a tie for fifth place. He did it with 18 birdies and an eagle against nine bogeys.

The native Idyllwilder collected his ninth top-20 finish in 19 starts this fine season, including two top-5s. He now stands 44th on the FedExCup list and 71st in the Official World Golf Ranking.

Brendan likes playing

the Barracuda so much he gave up the simultaneously played French Open in Paris this year, which he also enjoys very much. The Montreux course averages 5,600 feet in elevation, which is like Idyllwild, he has said.

Brendan now heads to Troon, Scotland, for a few days of practice before next week's The Open Championship, the third major of the season. So, get ready for some wee-small-hours, early morning live TV golf. We'll have his tee times posted next week.

Jack Clark can be reached at jack@towncrier.com.

one-half point is awarded to everyone who participates.

A member has to compete in at least five regular-season tournaments to qualify for the playoffs.

The club is a member of the Southern California Golf Association and is sanctioned to establish SCGA handicaps for members.

If interested in joining the club or playing as a guest, contact Crandall at jim.crandall@verizon.net or 951-265-5732, or Capparelli at pete@capparelli.com or 951-452-5552.

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Forest Service schedules workshops for new National Monument

The U.S. Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management will host four Sand to Snow National Monument collaborative workshops in July. The first will be July 13 in Yucaipa.

The workshops will provide an opportunity for information sharing between the public, Forest Service and BLM about the Sand to Snow National Monument. President Barack Obama established Sand to Snow National Monument on Feb. 12, 2016.

This 154,000-acre monument extends from BLM-managed lands on the Sonoran desert floor to an elevation of 11,500 feet in the San Geronio Wilderness of San Bernardino National Forest.

These workshops will be the first of many public outreach events. Participants will have an opportunity to discuss what they value most within Sand to Snow National Monument for the agencies to consider as the monument planning process begins.

Below are the dates and locations for the four workshops:

Wednesday, July 13 (5-7:30 p.m.)
Yucaipa Community Center
34900 Oak Glenn Road
Yucaipa

Thursday, July 14 (5-7:30 p.m.)
Big Bear Discovery Center
40971 North Shore Drive, Highway 38
Fawnskin

Tuesday, July 19 (5-7:30 p.m.)
Yucca Valley Community Center
57090 Twentynine Palms Highway
Yucca Valley

Thursday, July 21 (5-7:30 p.m.)
Miracle Springs Resort and Spa
10625 Palm Drive
Desert Hot Springs



Mike Feyder (left), president of Mountain Disaster Preparedness, presents the Core Medical Group volunteer of the year awards to **Chris** and **Gigi Kramer** on June 28 at Silver Pines Lodge. Feyder also presented the CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) volunteer of the year award to **Rick Foster** and **Nancy Layton**.

PHOTO BY TOM KLUZAK

Mary Ortiz, supervising code enforcement officer for Riverside County, receives an Idyllwild Rotary squirrel mascot from incoming Idyllwild Rotary President **Marc Kassouff**. Ortiz discussed the department's responsibility for enhancing public safety and quality of life, most commonly by investigating complaints from citizens.

PHOTO BY TOM KLUZAK



On its one-year anniversary, the American Medical Response crews had a barbecue to celebrate their service to Pine Cove. Here (from left) are **Jack Hansen**, AMR's operations manager; **Kim Brown**, EMT; **James Palmer**, supervisor; **Anita Flaa**, administrative assistant; **Rod Parr**, supervisor; **Sebastian Vargas**, EMT; **Richard Alvarado**, paramedic; and **Pat Price**, paramedic.

PHOTO BY JP CRUMRINE



With a great deal of calculating, Co-publisher **Jack Clark** managed to pack 3,350 Fourth of July Town Criers filled with Lemon Lily Festival programs inserts and 2,000 extra programs into a 2006 Subaru Forester that proceeded to climb 4,200 feet in elevation from Banning to Idyllwild-Pine Cove Wednesday morning, June 29. (With the help of a Thule on top, of course.)

PHOTO BY JACK CLARK



A lily, not a lemon lily.
PHOTO BY TOM PIERCE



American Legion Post 800 held its annual barbecue last Saturday. Serving beef and pork that had cooked in an open pit for 15 hours, along with coleslaw, beans, corn on the cob and rolls, the meals were complemented by music from Mark and the Workin' Men. PHOTO BY TOM KLUZAK



Pine Cove Property Owners Association members **Marlene Pierce, Lou Padula, Barbara Jones and Annamarie Padula** help prepare the pancakes for the Mountain Community Patrol Sunday breakfast at Town Hall. PHOTO BY PETER SZABADI



Local fine art photographers **Caryn Gilbert** (left) and **Erin O'Neill** opened their photography exhibit at Sky Island Gallery on Saturday, July 2. O'Neill is displaying canvas wildlife prints and Gilbert is featuring abstract prints. PHOTO BY TOM KLUZAK



Jac Jacaruso, guitar, and son **Luca** on keyboard entertained diners at Ferro on the Fourth of July. PHOTO BY PETER SZABADI



Max Lightbender displayed original works by LeRoy Neiman at his gallery from July 1 to 4. PHOTO BY TOM KLUZAK



Town Crier travelers **Kris Kirschbaum** and **Dave Hunt** (center) visit **Jen and Tom Adamson** in Salida, Colorado, recently. PHOTO COURTESY DAVE HUNT

CREATURE CORNER

BY JANICE MURASKO

Last week in "The Days of Our Nine Lives," ARF cats were talking about how to convince humans that adult cats are



Peppermint Patty



just as great as kittens.

Peppermint Patty: Attention! Attention! I am now the only kitten in this cattery!

Bill: Have you forgotten about little Lucy?

Peppermint Patty: No, I haven't, Bill. It's just that she went to a forever home on Sunday. So



Bobbie

I guess you adult cats will have to play with me now.

Bill: I'll play with you, no problem. Just don't bother Bobbie.

Leia: Have all of you met Dovey?

Bobbie: I have. She's pretty quiet and has the most beautiful green eyes I've ever seen.

Bill: How did Dovey end up at ARF?

Bobbie: Her forever mom passed away, so now she needs a new forever family.

Peppermint Patty: Do you think she'd like to play with me? I'll share my toys.

Bill: Oh, Patty, I think she needs some time to get comfortable here with all of us. She seems to be replacing Leia as the office cat.

Leia: Yea, she is. But it's OK. I kind of have fun with all you guys here in the cattery. I think Dovey will really enjoy meeting and greeting the humans in the ARF office.

Peppermint Patty: Playing in the office is fun. Lucy and I played there all weekend, meeting lots of very nice humans. They played with us and gave us lots of love.

Bobbie: And now Lucy will have that love every single day, forever.

Leia: Lucky Lucy. But I'm not giving up hope! I know the right family will come to ARF and find me.

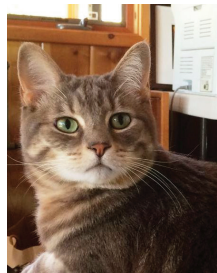
Bill: And me.

Bobbie: And me.

Peppermint Patty: And me, too.

How long will these ARF cats wait for their forever families? Be sure to keep up with the animal antics of "The Days of our Nine Lives" each week. And please stop in to say hello to the entire adoptable cast at the ARF House, 26890 Hwy. 243 on Saturdays 10-4 and Sundays 10-2, or by appointment M-F by calling 951-659-1122.

Creature Corner is sponsored in Coyote Red's and Chena.



Leia



65 years ago - 1951

Inie Wilson was in charge of Town Hall maintenance.

60 years ago - 1956

Pine Cove residents voted to form the Pine Cove County Water District.

55 years ago - 1961

Ernie Maxwell presented a program called "Some Fun in the Outdoors" as part of the Izaak Walton League's Outdoor Series.

50 years ago - 1966

Idyllwild held its first July 4th parade. The parade route started from the old county road yard on Pine Crest, went through the village around Eleanor Park, up Circle Drive and ended at Town Hall.

45 years ago - 1971

The Forest Service began requiring wilderness permits for people wanting to hike or camp in the national forest wilderness.

40 years ago - 1976

In honor of the nation's bicentennial, the Idyllwild Community Chorale gave a special performance on July 4



Small-town America was very much alive in Idyllwild in 1972 where children took part in the annual Fourth of July Parade. FILE PHOTO

at the ISOMATA (now Idyllwild Arts) campus.

35 years ago - 1981

The Town Crier's "Editorial Corner" commented on President Reagan's opposition to the proposed constitutional amendment called the Equal Rights Amendment, which was running out of time to be ratified.

30 years ago - 1986

Plants and bushes donated by the Idyllwild Garden Club were planted in the center of town as part of a fundraising project by Idyllwild's Jim Rizzor, who was earning money to participate in the International Sports Exchange track meet in Innsbruck, Austria. From there, the youth would travel to Germany as part of the local Rotary Club Exchange Student Program.

25 years ago - 1991

Hill Rotarians rolled up their sleeves and grabbed their tools to begin construction on a new children's play-

ground at Town Hall. The Rotarians provided the labor and split the cost of supplies and equipment with County Service Area 36.

20 years ago - 1996

Hill residents were evacuated as the 9,580-acre Bee Canyon wildfire came within a quarter of a mile of homes in Pine Cove on July 1. The Town Crier's July 4th edition's headline read, "We're still here!" and gave credit to the more than 2,000 firefighters who battled the blaze.

15 years ago - 2001

A local group called Concerned Citizens for the Conservation of Mountain Water was publicly questioning the right of Pine Cove resident Paul Black to export and sell water drawn from his property.

10 years ago - 2006

The grand marshal of the Fourth of July parade was Mary Arnaiz, who had worked at the local post office for 28 years.

5 years ago - 2011

Independence Day Parade, sponsored by the Idyllwild Rotary Club, had more than 70 entries and many other last-minute entries.

1 year ago - 2015

New bridge construction began on Highway 74 between Garner Valley and Idyllwild. The bridge, not having been worked on since 1930, was updated for larger vehicles. With a traffic light installed, residents experienced 24/7 traffic delays, and up to 15-minute delays during heavy traffic days and times.

Editor's note: In last week's "Past Tense," this entry was incorrectly shown as 25 years ago - 1991.

20 years ago - 1996

At the Chamber's installation dinner, Pete Capparelli was given the annual "Essence of Idyllwild" award and also received a plaque from then-3rd District Supervisor Jim Venable for his years of Chamber service.

Town Crier Photo Contest!

Deadline for entries: 5 p.m., Friday, August 19, 2016

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Contest is open to everyone. Submit up to three 8" x 10" glossy color images. If images are digital, they must be submitted on a CD or DVD, be at least 300 dpi when scaled to 8" x 10" and must be accompanied by high-quality glossy color prints for judging. Include your name, address, phone number, e-mail and location on the back of each print (make sure you use a pen that doesn't smear or bleed onto other prints). Also, include a self-addressed, stamped envelope for safe return of your work. **Limit 3 submissions per person.**

You can drop off your entries at the Town Crier at 54405 North Circle Drive, or mail to Town Crier Photo Contest, P.O. Box 157, Idyllwild, CA 92549. Sorry, no email submissions.

While the Town Crier will reserve the right to publish the photos and use them in promotional material, photographers will still own the rights to their work. Questions? Email: halie@towncrier.com



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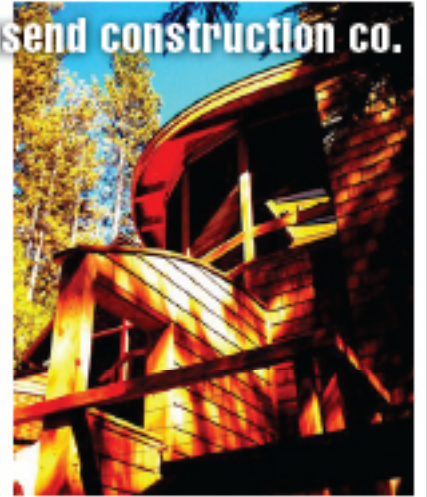


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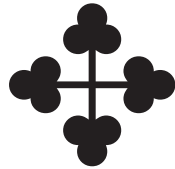
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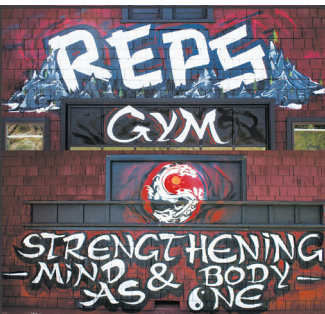


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Services

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FREE FLOWER ARRANGEMENT WITH CLEANING.
VALUED AT \$35
ASK FOR DETAILS

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Number of Lines	Each time
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Town Crier*

659-2145

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Answers to Word Search
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CROSSWORD

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- ACROSS**

1. Temperate fruit tree

7. "48____"

10. City on the Yamuna River

14. Anatomical ring

15. "____ Baby" (Linda Ronstadt hit)

16. Cut short

17. Afternoon service (2 wds)

18. Affectionate name (plural)

20. South Carolina river

21. Awful

22. Native of Kigali, Africa area.

24. Covet

28. Marienbad, for one

31. Cloth hanging down at the back of a coat

34. Jellied garnish

36. Used to keep

bugs away

38. Choppers, so to speak

39. Telephone sounds

40. Moray, e.g.

41. Appoints summarily

42. To cause sadness

47. Act of making something available

50. Mallets used by Judges

56. Opposite of enders

57. Lack of vigor

58. Enrich, in a way

59. After expenses

60. Firming muscles

61. Auspices

62. Oolong, for one

63. Meal

DOWN

1. Taps

2. Length x width, for a

rectangle

3. Withdraw gradually

4. Announce

5. On the safe side, at sea

6. Rodent that hangs around water

7. Plantain lily

8. Second growth of grass or hay

9. Dig discovery: Var.

10. Be part of the cast of

11. Pat

12. Cambodian currency

13. ____ line (major axis of an elliptical orbit)

19. Victorian, for one

23. Bizarre

24. Charity, often

25. Artist's stand

26. "Let it stand"

27. Allergic reaction

28. All in

29. Christmas trees

30. "Hamlet" has five

31. Commend

32. "Fantasy Island" prop

33. "The final frontier"

34. A chorus line

35. Hogwash

37. Protract

42. Nursery rhyme food

43. Pillbox, e.g.

44. About

45. Slope of loose rock debris

46. Seed coat

47. "Cast Away" setting

48. Alone

49. Delhi dress

51. Soon, to a bard

52. Blow off steam

53. Arabic for "commander"

54. Ancestry

55. Dressing ingredient

SUDOKU

Difficulty: Easy

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HOROSCOPES

July 2016 — Week 2



March 21 – April 19

Plans change, Aries. Be flexible. A repair is required, but it may take some time to find the right person. Be prepared to go the distance.



April 20 – May 20

For shame, Taurus. You knew there were strings attached, so why did you proceed? Now you have no choice but to pay the piper. Fortunately, it will be easy.



May 21 – June 21

Temperatures are heating up, opening up the possibilities for outdoor festivities. Choose what works best for you and your guests, Gemini. A secret is revealed.



June 22 – July 22

Are you ready to clean up, Cancer? Someone will be making a hasty exit, leaving you with quite the opportunity. Seize it. A single friend won't be single for long.



July 23 – August 22

Forget it, Leo. Some people are incapable of learning from their mistakes. Say nothing and move on. A friend invites you on an adventure.



August 23 – September 22

Break free, Virgo. You've been chained to your desk for long enough. Take a few days off and have some fun. You could use a change of scenery.



September 23 – October 22

Attention, Libra. You're slacking, and people are starting to take note. Don't let it go too far. A financial matter is resolved once and for all.



October 23 – November 21

Do you dare, Scorpio? The challenge is on, and as long as your heart is in it, you will succeed. Chores mount at home. Time to call in the troops.



November 22 – December 21

Small sacrifices now will make for big dividends later, Sagittarius. A mentor asks for your help. This is your chance to repay them for everything they have done for you.



December 22 – January 19

Freedom often comes at a price. Be grateful for those who are willing to pay that price, Capricorn. A secret is revealed, motivating you to reevaluate your life.



January 20 – February 18

A senior claims their independence. Be supportive in spite of your misgivings, Aquarius. It really is for the best. Debts are erased sooner than expected.



February 19 – March 20

Psst, Pisces. There is a loophole. Use it to get things moving. A home improvement project stalls. Look to a skilled friend for the expertise you need.

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RIC1607281
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 4050 Main St.,
(P.O. Box 431) Riverside, CA 92502-0431.
Branch name:

PETITION OF CAROLYN MARIE MALL
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
1. Petitioner: CAROLYN MARIE MALL
filed a petition with this court for a decree
changing name as follows:

a. Present name: CAROLYN MARIE MALL
changed to Proposed name: CAROLYN MARIE
WILCOCK.

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons
interested in this matter shall appear before this
court at the hearing indicated below to show
cause, if any, why the petition for change of name
should not be granted. Any person objecting to
the name changes described above must file a
written objection that includes the reasons for
the objection at least two court days before the
matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear
at the hearing to show cause why the petition
should not be granted. If no written objection
is timely filed, the court may grant the petition
without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING
a. Date: 07-18-2016 Time: 8:30AM, Dept. 2.
b. The address of the court is same as
noted above.

3. a. 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:
Riverside, Idyllwild Town Crier.

Date: 6/10/2016
JOHN W VINEYARD
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
Pub. TC: Jun. 16, 23, 30, Jul. 7, 2016.

RIC1607317
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 4050 Main Street,
Riverside, CA 92501. Branch name: Riverside
Courthouse.

PETITION OF MAURCEL GEORGE.
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
1. Petitioner: MAURCEL GEORGE filed a
petition with this court for a decree changing
name as follows:

a. Present name: MAURCEL GEORGE
changed to Proposed name: MAURCEL
GOODMAN.

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons
interested in this matter shall appear before this
court at the hearing indicated below to show
cause, if any, why the petition for change of name
should not be granted. Any person objecting to
the name changes described above must file a
written objection that includes the reasons for
the objection at least two court days before the
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at the hearing to show cause why the petition

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Riverside, Idyllwild Town Crier.

Date: 6/10/2016
JOHN W VINEYARD
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
Pub. TC: Jun. 16, 23, 30, Jul. 7, 2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT
The following person (persons) is (are) doing
business as LEASE DOCTOR, THE; DORN
AND COMPANY, 59422 Hop Patch Spring Rd,
Mountain Center, CA 92561, Riverside County.
Mailing address: PO Box 3583, Mountain Center,
CA 92561. INLAND HOLDINGS GROUP, INC.,
59422 Hop Patch Spring Rd, Idyllwild, CA 92549.
This Corporation is registered in CA.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.
The registrant commenced to transact
business under the fictitious name listed above
on 2008.

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).)

Registrant Signature:
ERMA FAY DORN
PRESIDENT
Statement filed with the County Clerk of
Riverside County on Jun. 9, 2016.

FILE NO.:
R-201607397
NOTICE — IN ACCORDANCE WITH
SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A
FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT GENER-
ALLY 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 OF 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
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ANOTHER UNDER FEDERAL, STATE OR
COMMON LAW (SEE SECTION 14411 ET
SEQ., BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE).

Publication of notice pursuant to this section
shall be once a week for four successive weeks.
Four publications in a newspaper regularly pub-
lished once a week or oftener, with at least 5 days
intervening between the respective publication
dates not counting such publication dates, are
sufficient. The period of notice commences with
the first day of publication and terminates at the
end of the twenty-eighth day, including therein
the first day.

CERTIFICATION
I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy
of the original statement on file in my office.

PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk
Pub. TC: Jun. 16, 23, 30, Jul. 7, 2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT
The following person (persons) is (are) doing
business as A PLUS SOLUTIONS, 108 Saron
Circle, Palm Desert, CA 92211, Riverside County.
SONDRA -- DE BOS, 108 Saron Circle, Palm
Desert, CA 92211.

This business is conducted by an Individual.
The registrant has not yet begun to transact
business under the fictitious name listed above.

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).)

Registrant Signature:
SONDRA -- DE BOS
Statement filed with the County Clerk of
Riverside County on Jun. 6, 2016.

FILE NO.:
R-201607187
NOTICE — IN ACCORDANCE WITH
SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A
FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT GENER-

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TO SECTION OF 17913 OTHER THAN A
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BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE
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THE FILING OF THIS STATEMENT DOES
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the first day.

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I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy
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PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk
Pub. TC: Jun. 16, 23, 30, Jul. 7, 2016.

RIC1607311
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 4050 Main Street,
P.O. Box 431, Riverside, CA 92502. Branch name:
PETITION OF JOSHUA RYAN STOUT.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
1. Petitioner: JOSHUA RYAN STOUT filed
a petition with this court for a decree changing
name as follows:

a. Present name: JOSHUA RYAN STOUT
changed to Proposed name: JOSHUA RYAN
BRUHN.

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons
interested in this matter shall appear before this
court at the hearing indicated below to show
cause, if any, why the petition for change of name
should not be granted. Any person objecting to
the name changes described above must file a
written objection that includes the reasons for
the objection at least two court days before the
matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear
at the hearing to show cause why the petition
should not be granted. If no written objection
is timely filed, the court may grant the petition
without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING
a. Date: 08-03-2016 Time: 8:30AM, Dept. 2.
b. The address of the court is same as
noted above.

3. a. 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:
Riverside, Idyllwild Town Crier.

Date: 6/10/2016
JOHN W VINEYARD
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
Pub. TC: Jun. 16, 23, 30, Jul. 7, 2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT
The following person (persons) is (are) doing
business as MINTY'S DESIGN LLC, 4790 North
Winners Circle, Unit A, Palm Springs, CA 92264,
Riverside County. MINTY'S DESIGN LLC, 4790
North Winners Circle, Unit A, Palm Springs,
CA 92264. This Limited Liability Corporation is
registered in CA.

This business is conducted by a Limited
Liability Corporation.
The registrant has not yet begun to transact
business under the fictitious name listed above.

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).)

Registrant Signature:
JONATHAN THOMAS MINTON
MANAGING MEMBER

Statement filed with the County Clerk of
Riverside County on Jun. 2, 2016.

FILE NO.:
R-201607043
NOTICE — IN ACCORDANCE WITH
SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A
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SET FORTH IN THE STATEMENT PURSUANT
TO SECTION OF 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 14411 ET
SEQ., BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE).

Publication of notice pursuant to this section
shall be once a week for four successive weeks.
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the first day of publication and terminates at the
end of the twenty-eighth day, including therein
the first day.

CERTIFICATION
I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy
of the original statement on file in my office.

PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk
Pub. TC: Jun. 23, 30, Jul. 7, 14, 2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing
business as LILY OF THE VALLEY FLORAL AND
EVENT PLANNING, 53825 Marian View Dr.,
Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing
address: P.O. Box 3027, Idyllwild, CA 92549.
CHRISTINE ALLISON HOLANDA, 53825
Marian View Dr., Idyllwild, CA 92549.

This business is conducted by an Individual.
The registrant commenced to transact
business under the fictitious name listed above
on 03/23/16.

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).)

Registrant Signature:
CHRISTINE ALLISON HOLANDA
Statement filed with the County Clerk of
Riverside County on Jun. 8, 2016.

FILE NO.:
R-201607312

NOTICE — IN ACCORDANCE WITH
SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A
FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT GENER-
ALLY 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 OF 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 14411 ET
SEQ., BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE).

Publication of notice pursuant to this section
shall be once a week for four successive weeks.
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intervening between the respective publication
dates not counting such publication dates, are
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the first day of publication and terminates at the
end of the twenty-eighth day, including therein
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CERTIFICATION
I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy
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PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk
Pub. TC: Jun. 23, 30, Jul. 7, 14, 2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing
business as MARIO'S LANDSCAPING AND
CONCRETE, 24683 Dodge Way, Moreno Valley,
CA 92553, Riverside County. DARCEDALIA
-- OCAMPO DELGADO, 24683 Dodge Way,
Moreno Valley, CA 92553.

This business is conducted by an Individual.
The registrant has not yet begun to transact
business under the fictitious name listed above.

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).)

Registrant Signature:
DARCEDALIA -- OCAMPO DELGADO
Statement filed with the County Clerk of
Riverside County on Jun. 14, 2016.

FILE NO.:
R-201607581

NOTICE — IN ACCORDANCE WITH
SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A
FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT GENER-
ALLY 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
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A REGISTERED OWNER. A NEW FICTITIOUS
BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE
FILED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION.

THE FILING OF THIS STATEMENT DOES
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the first day.

CERTIFICATION
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PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk
Pub. TC: Jun. 23, 30, Jul. 7, 14, 2016.

RIC1607745
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 4050 Main St.,

(P.O. Box 1547), Riverside, CA 92501. Branch
name: Civil.

PETITION OF RENEE MICHELLE MILLS.
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
1. Petitioner: RENEE MICHELLE MILLS
filed a petition with this court for a decree
changing name as follows:
a. Present name: RENEE MICHELLE
MILLS changed to Proposed name: RENEE
MICHELLE VACCO .

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons
interested in this matter shall appear before this
court at the hearing indicated below to show
cause, if any, why the petition for change of name
should not be granted. Any person objecting to
the name changes described above must file a
written objection that includes the reasons for
the objection at least two court days before the
matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear
at the hearing to show cause why the petition
should not be granted. If no written objection
is timely filed, the court may grant the petition
without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING
a. Date: 07-27-2016 Time: 8:30AM, Dept. 2.
b. The address of the court is same as
noted above.

3. a. 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:
Riverside, Idyllwild Town Crier.

Date: 6/21/2016
JOHN W VINEYARD
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
Pub. TC: Jun. 30, Jul. 7, 14, 21, 2016.

RIC1607665
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 4050 Main St.,
(P.O. Box 431), Riverside, CA 92502-0431.
Branch name:

PETITION OF KING ARTURO HEREDIA
GONZALEZ.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
1. Petitioner: KING ARTURO HEREDIA
GONZALEZ filed a petition with this court for
a decree changing name as follows:

a. Present name: KING ARTURO HEREDIA
GONZALEZ changed to Proposed name: KING
ARTURO HEREDIA.

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons
interested in this matter shall appear before this
court at the hearing indicated below to show
cause, if any, why the petition for change of name
should not be granted. Any person objecting to
the name changes described above must file a
written objection that includes the reasons for
the objection at least two court days before the
matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear
at the hearing to show cause why the petition
should not be granted. If no written objection
is timely filed, the court may grant the petition
without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING
a. Date: 08-02-2016 Time: 8:30AM, Dept. 2.
b. The address of the court is same as
noted above.

3. a. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall
be published at least once each week for four suc-
cessive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on
the petition in the following newspaper of general
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Riverside, Idyllwild Town Crier.
Date: 6/21/2016
JOHN W VINEYARD
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
Pub. TC: Jun. 30, Jul. 7, 14, 21, 2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as SEMPER FI HOMES; WWW.SEMPERFIHOMES.COM; SEMPER FIREALTY; SEMPER FIREAL ESTATE; SEMPER FI HOMES AND LAND; SEMPER FI REALTORS, 25220 Hancock Ave., Suite 300, Murrieta, CA 92562, Riverside County. Mailing address: 31229 Boulder Court, Murrieta, CA 92563. CHRISTOPHER DEAN FRANCIS, 31229 Boulder Court, Murrieta, CA 92563.

This business is conducted by an Individual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on 03/28/2011.

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).)

Registrant Signature:
CHRISTOPHER DEAN FRANCIS
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on May. 31, 2016.

FILE NO.:
R-201606943

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 OF 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 14411 ET SEQ., BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE).

Publication of notice pursuant to this section shall be once a week for four successive weeks. Four publications in a newspaper regularly published once a week or oftener, with at least 5 days intervening between the respective publication dates not counting such publication dates, are sufficient. The period of notice commences with the first day of publication and terminates at the end of the twenty-eighth day, including therein the first day.

CERTIFICATION
I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office.

PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk
Pub. TC: Jun. 30, Jul. 7, 14, 21, 2016.

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

The following fictitious business name IDYLLWILD COMMUNITY ACUPUNCTURE, 54445 N. Circle Drive Suites A&B, Idyllwild, 92549, has been abandoned by the following persons: Miles Million Thomas, 54445 N Circle Drive, Idyllwild CA 92549.
This business is conducted by an Individual.

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Riverside County on 04/05/2013.

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true, information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)

Signed:
Miles Million Thomas
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on 06/10/2016.

FILE NO.:
201303662

Pub. TC: Jul. 7, 14, 21, 28, 2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as IDYLLWILD COMMUNITY ACUPUNCTURE, 54445 N Circle Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing address: PO Box 2421, Idyllwild, CA 92549. IDYLLWILD COMMUNITY ACUPUNCTURE & BODY-WORK, INC., 54445 N Circle Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549. The list state for this Corporation is CA.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.
The registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name listed above.

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).)

Registrant Signature:
MILES MILLION THOMAS
PRESIDENT
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Jun. 10, 2016.

FILE NO.:
R-201607467

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 OF 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.

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CERTIFICATION
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PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk
Pub. TC: Jul. 7, 14, 21, 28, 2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as PALM SPRINGS FLYING SCHOOL, 56850 Higgins Drive #210, Thermal, CA. 92274, Riverside County. U.S. CENTURY MORTGAGE, INC., 56850 Higgins Drive #210, Thermal, CA. 92274. The list state for this Corporation is California.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

The registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name listed above.

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).)

Registrant Signature:
WILLIAM S. MARGULIES
PRESIDENT

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Jun. 21, 2016.

FILE NO.:
R-201607876

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 OF 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.

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CERTIFICATION
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PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk
Pub. TC: Jul. 7, 14, 21, 28, 2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as THE RED KETTLE, 54220 N Circle Dr., Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing address: P.O. Box 4006, Idyllwild, CA. 92549. THE PEREGRINE FALCON, LLC, 2602 Harmony Place, La Crescenta CA. 91214. The list state of this Limited Liability Corporation is CA.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on June 6, 2016.

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).)

Registrant Signature:
BRUCE S. ROSS
MANAGING MEMBER

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Jun. 27, 2016.

FILE NO.:
R-201608153

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 OF 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.

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PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk
Pub. TC: Jul. 7, 14, 21, 28, 2016.

RIC1608159 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 4050 Main St., (P.O. Box 431), Riverside, CA 92502-0431. Branch name:

PETITION OF PEDRO IVAR MIRANDA LEON.
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Record

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Poppet Flats

• June 26 — Civil dispute, 46000 block of Poppet Flats Rd. Handled by deputy.

• June 26 — Suspicious circumstance, Cryer Dr. Handled by deputy.

• June 26 — Suspicious person, Ellis Dr. Handled by deputy.

• June 26 — Runaway child, Keyes Rd. Report taken.

• June 26 — Follow-up, address withheld. Handled by deputy.

• June 29 — Assist other department, Lynx St. Handled by deputy.

• July 3 — Suspicious vehi-

1. Petitioner: PEDRO IVAR MIRANDA LEON filed a petition with this court for a decree changing name as follows:
a. Present name: PEDRO IVAR MIRANDA LEON changed to Proposed name: PEDRO IVAR LEON.

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING

a. Date: 08-12-2016 Time: 8:30AM, Dept. 2.
b. The address of the court is same as noted above.

3. a. 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: Riverside, Idyllwild Town Crier.

Date: 7/01/2016
JOHN W VINEYARD
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

cle, Orchard Rd. Handled by deputy.

San Bernardino National Forest

• June 26 — Assist other department, 22000 block of Hwy. 243. Handled by deputy.

• July 1 — Narcotics, Old Mine Trl. Handled by deputy.

• July 1 — Disoriented subject, 56000 block of E. Hwy. 74. Handled by deputy.

• July 1 — Public assist, 56000 block of Apple Canyon Rd. Handled by deputy.

• July 3 — Assist other department, 56000 block of Hwy. 74. Handled by deputy.

• July 3 — Shots fired, 21000 block of Hwy. 243. Unfounded.

Pub. TC: Jul. 7, 14, 21, 28, 2016.

LIEN SALE

THE FOLLOWING VESSEL AND/OR TRAILER WILL BE SOLD AT LIEN SALE ON 7/21/2016, AT 14350 LITTLE MORONGO RD, DESERT HT SPRINGS CA 92240 AT 9:00 AM, , NONE, , NONE 70, CREST, 14' 0", VSL, 2366G, 1A, 281053432
Pub. TC: Jul. 7, 2016.

LIEN SALE

On 07/19/2016 at 17760 VALLEY BLVD. BLOOMINGTON, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 1983 WNBGOVIN: 1GBJP37W6D3301506 STATE: CA LIC: 1HBM987 at 10:00 am
Pub. TC: Jul. 7, 2016.

LIEN SALE

On 07/19/2016 at 17760 VALLEY BLVD. BLOOMINGTON, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 1976 DATS VIN: HL530283602 STATE: CA LIC: 2FPW074 at 10:00 am
Pub. TC: Jul. 7, 2016.

LIEN SALE

On 05/17/2016 at 17760 VALLEY BLVD. BLOOMINGTON, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 1981 HACKN VIN: 81M0334 STATE: CA LIC: XM2610 at 10:00 a.m.
Pub. TC: Jul. 7, 2016.

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Water streamed down Crest-view Drive and puddled up before continuing on down Marian View Drive in a photo taken Monday, July 4. The leak apparently started under the asphalt several days before. It was not repaired until Tuesday. A phone call to the Idyllwild Water District general manager regarding the leak was not returned.

PHOTO BY JACK CLARK



Rattlesnakes

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The best thing to do to keep snakes out of your yard is to stack wood piles up off the ground from 6 inches to a foot, he said. And abate your property because they like to hide in ground cover.

Phillipi said he takes the live snakes to Dr. William K. Hayes, professor of biology at Loma Linda University, who collects the venom. The snakes are released back into the wild.

"For many snakes and lizards, the size of their home range (the area they use over the course of a year) is inversely related to resource availability," said Mark Fisher, assistant director of Boyd Deep Canyon Desert Research Station in Palm Desert.

"In other words, during dry years with low food supplies, they need to travel farther to secure food than during wet years when food is plentiful. However, they need to be relatively healthy to breed: If they are too thin and attempt to breed then they will not have enough energy or water to provide to developing eggs or embryos," said Fisher, a naturalist and herpetologist. "This could be fatal to both offspring and mother. To avoid this, females will not enter a reproductive state during drought years. If females are not reproductive, then they are not secreting pheromone trails and males will not be actively tracking females.

"Because this year's precipitation approached normal levels, snakes have found sufficient food to allow them to become reproductive. Thus we are seeing many more males out searching for females than we have seen in the past few years. This should decrease later in the summer as their priority shifts from mating to food."

On Sunday, Phillipi caught another six rattlesnakes and two before the Independence Day Parade on Monday. He also said he has caught 68 since March 20, his birthday.

Two years ago, a few local dogs suffered from Southern Pacific rattlesnake bites. One survived and at least two succumbed to the venom. A rattlesnake avoidance training class for dogs is scheduled for Sunday, July 17, in Idyllwild.

"The rattlesnake avoidance training for dogs can save their lives," said Linda A. McCaughin, a local volunteer who brought the training to the Hill nine years ago. "It is the only way I know of to teach dogs to avoid rattlesnakes in every situation, including when dogs are by themselves and encounter a rattlesnake. Most dogs are taken from their mothers too early to learn it from them..."

"After my son's Doberman-mix, Tracer, avoided a coiled rattlesnake on the May Valley Trail, I became a believer."

Becky Clark can be reached at becky@towncrier.com.

Missing Persons Day in Perris

About 1,200 missing persons have been reported in Riverside County dating back several years. Do you know someone who's missing? Family members and friends affected by a long-term missing loved one are encouraged to attend the Riverside County Sheriff's Department's Coroner's Bureau "Missing Persons Day" event from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 9, at 800 S. Redlands Ave., Perris (Coroner's Bureau).

Those who attend are encouraged to file a missing person report, update an existing report, and provide medical records, dental records, X-rays, and photographs of the missing person.

Biological family members can also submit DNA cheek swabs so that it can be compared to the National Missing and Unidentified Persons System's database. Families are encouraged to bring at least two biologically related family members of the missing person to provide DNA samples.

Forensic professionals and law enforcement officers throughout Riverside County will be present to assist and provide information for this event. This is a free event open to the public. Appointments are recommended, but not necessary. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call the Coroner's Bureau at 1-760-863-7028 or send an email to nris-si@riversidesheriff.org.

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shafts and poles. "The horse spooked, ran and made a fast turn onto North Circle and collided with Pastor Olsen's car parked in front of the Presbyterian Church," said Esparza. "It trashed the car and I did not know how to write it up, how to code it as a collision."

Esparza said his years serving the Hill have been very meaningful. "This job gave me the opportunity to meet a lot of people in town," he said. "It has enriched my life and my family's life."

Asked about how he will spend his time now that he is retired, Esparza said he'd assist with his wife's business — Esparza Family Daycare — and pursue his hobby, building his ghost town on his Mountain Center property, "Karley's Junction." "Over the years I've collected a lot of Western memorabilia and artifacts that I am using in the ghost town."

"He's an amazing woodworker," said Karley, who accompanied him to the Town Crier interview.

Ron and Karleen Esparza have two adult children — Christine, who is a theater tech at Disneyland, and Shaun, who is an animator and had attended Idyllwild Arts.

Obituary Cheryl Howton Nicols Berg 1944-2016

Sheri passed away Tuesday, June 21, 2016, in Idyllwild, at the age of 71 years young after a short battle with pancreatic cancer.

Sheri was born Aug. 23, 1944, in Salem, Oregon, to Garth and Margaret Howton. She was raised in Mill City, Oregon, and attended Santiam High School.

Sheri worked at Swanson's Grocery store until she "retired" around the year 2000. She was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary VFW Unit 1135 of Hoquiam, Washington, and The American Legion Ladies Auxiliary Unit 800 of Idyllwild.

Some of her greatest activities were shopping, cooking and shopping.

She is survived by husband David Berg of Hoquiam, Washington; daughter Traci Richards Smiley and son-in-law Ron Smiley Sr. of Mesa, Arizona; son Russell Richards and daughter-in-law Lynne Richards of Spokane, Washington; daughter Carli Nicols and son-in-law David Schnalzer of Idyllwild; stepdaughter Jennifer Berg of Hoquiam, Washington; stepson Victor Dalgord of Montesano, Washington; grandchildren Andrew, Ronnie, Shelbi, Taylor, James, Kenli, Gaige, Elias, Anastasia, Kaylee, Peyton, Jakey, Drew and Bobby; five great-grandchildren; and countless children that she was "Mom" and "Nanna" to. Also surviving are sisters Judi and Kathi, and younger brother Doug Howton.

She was greeted by her late husband Kenny Nicols, both of her parents and her younger brother Steve Howton when she crossed the Rainbow Bridge.

A Celebration of Life is from noon to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 16, at the Hoquiam VFW Post 1135. In lieu of flowers, you may make a donation toward Sheri's medical bills.



Ron Esparza (on left) when he began serving as resident deputy in 1999. PHOTO COURTESY RON ESPARZA

CHP Public Information Officer Darren Meyer said Esparza would be missed. "He always held the community and the public in high regard first," said Meyer. "He was 2014 Officer of the Year in our office."

Esparza's replacement is 31-year-old Graham Amistad, who has been with CHP since 2013. "Ron had been giving him ride alongs and helping familiarize him with the Hill," said Meyer.

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