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## Hurkey Creek bridge replacement on Hwy. 74

By MARSHALL SMITH  
STAFF REPORTER

Caltrans will begin construction on April 15 of a \$2.5 million project to replace a 1930s-era bridge over Hurkey Creek on Highway 74 in Garner Valley.

During construction of the bridge, slated to take 195 working days, according to Caltrans District 8 Public Information Officer Joy

Sepulveda, one lane of traffic will be open at all times. During additional work days devoted to "plant establishment," two lanes of traffic may be open. The affected area on Highway 74 is from mile marker 62.3 to 62.5, just across from the Lake Hemet Campground. Commercial truck traffic will be rerouted during bridge construction, according to Caltrans.

The bridge is currently only 23 feet wide from side railing to railing, and 34.1 feet long.

The bridge, the narrowest section of Highway 74, is not wide enough to safely accommodate present-day use by either wide or high-speed vehicles, according to Caltrans. The new bridge will almost double the current width to 43.5 feet.

Project plans specify removing the existing bridge; constructing a two-span, 43.5-foot wide, 50-foot-long bridge; regrading creek

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## IFPD acquires new ambulances

By J.P. CRUMRINE  
NEWS EDITOR

The Idyllwild Fire Protection District is the proud owner of two new ambulances, which were purchased last Wednesday through a General Services Administration auction and picked up Friday.

Both were acquired for slightly less than \$45,000 each.

Although Fire Chief Patrick Reitz and the district's Finance Committee have discussed replacing the district's two ambulances, an emergency action was necessary at Tuesday's commission meeting to authorize their possible purchase with a limit to bid up to \$50,000 for each ambulance.

"I was just notified Monday about one ambulance and I did the research and found two," Reitz told the commission. "I see this as an opportunity and don't know when we'll get another chance."

Based on the research of new ambulances, which he had already completed, Reitz said, "One brand new rig never driven would cost about \$130,000 per unit."

Both of these are very low-mileage units and conform to Riverside County's Emergency Medical Service's standards, Reitz added. One has less than 20,000 miles and

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## Winter wonderland exploration



On Sunday morning, March 1, two brave hikers head up Devil's Slide Trail as the snow continues to fall. More weather photos inside. PHOTO BY GALLAGHER GOODLAND

## Rain, snow prevalent over weekend

By J.P. CRUMRINE  
NEWS EDITOR

Needed rain and snow fell on the Hill this weekend, but the several days of intermittent precipitation did not relieve the drought. Snow — winter's normal gift to the mountains — did arrive and was visi-

ble everywhere, although depths varied considerably.

Between 5,300- and 5,500-foot elevations, temperatures were substantially cold enough to bring considerable snow to the higher elevations. Barely more than an inch of snow fell from Saturday through Monday morning in

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**Chunki**, 80, and **Nyunghyun**, 78, **Chang**, who were visiting from Riverside, were out enjoying the snow on their morning walk Tuesday.

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A large branch fell across Hemstreet around 8 p.m. Sunday. Wet, heavy snow caused the branch to snap, landing on a black sedan and arcing the power lines, which caused power to go out in the area. Idyllwild Fire responded to the incident to block the road from traffic while awaiting for Southern California Edison to arrive.

PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER

Winter

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Strawberry Valley, but Pine Cove received 9.5 inches, more than Big Bear and almost equal to Mt. Summit for this storm. Fern Valley residents reported about 6 inches of snow and 1 inch was recorded at the Idyllwild Fire Station.

At lower elevations, the precipitation came as rain. The U.S. Forest Service's Keenwild Guard Station recorded 1.36 inches of rain and the Vista Grande Guard Station recorded 1.34 inches. In Pine Cove, 1.14 inches fell and Idyllwild Fire received about 1.82 inches of rain.

Total rainfall this season (since

July 1) has been 16.12 inches in Pine Cove and 15.12 inches at the Idyllwild Fire Station. Both levels remain below the historic average for rain through the end of February, which is 18.7 inches.

The average March rainfall is about another 4.1 inches. The National Weather Service forecast for the next two weeks indicates the likelihood of rain is above normal. But the longer-term forecast for the month says the odds of above- or below-average rainfall are about even. Consequently, there is no expectation that the drought conditions will change in the Southwest before fall.

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Fern Valley road at 1 p.m. Monday during the recent multi-day snowstorm.

PHOTO BY MARSHALL SMITH

Idyllwild Weather

From the National Weather Service

Thursday 3/5



53/34  
Sunny.

Friday 3/6



58/37  
Sunny.

Saturday 3/7



62/39  
Sunny.

Sunday 3/8



65/40  
Sunny.

Monday 3/9



64/38  
Sunny.

Idyllwild this year

Date	High	Low	M	S
2/24	45	29	0.51	
2/25	60	33		
2/26	60	51		
2/27	51	29		
2/28	40	35	0.19	
3/1	39	35	0.67	0.5
3/2	37	30	0.45	0.5

Idyllwild last year

Date	High	Low	M	S
2/24	70	40		
2/25	64	38		
2/26	54	38		
2/27	53	40	0.54	
2/28	53	40	2.10	
3/1	53	43	1.93	
3/2	51	38	0.13	

Moisture in inches

To date this season (Idy): 15.12  
To date last season (Idy): 8.44  
Total last season (Idy): 14.88  
To date this season (PC): 16.2  
Total last season (PC): 19.94

Snow in inches

To date this season (Idy): 5.2  
To date last season (Idy): 2.6  
Total last season (Idy): 5.0  
To date this season (PC): 18.5  
Total last season (PC): 44.75

TEMPERATURES AND 24-HOUR moisture and snow totals for Idyllwild are recorded daily at 4 p.m. at the Idyllwild Fire Station. Pine Cove totals are measured by resident George Tate, also at 4 p.m. Moisture inches include all precipitation such as rain, melted hail and melted snow.

Weather season is July 1 to June 30. For Hill road conditions and Hill weather, visit the Internet at [www.idyllwildtown-crier.com](http://www.idyllwildtown-crier.com) or call Caltrans road update at 1-800-427-7623.

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# Idyllwild Water on brink of Stage 3

## Board concerned about demands on waste treatment system

By J.P. CRUMRINE  
NEWS EDITOR

Stage 3 water emergency is imminent depending upon how much rain and snow arrived last weekend, according to Idyllwild Water General Manager Tom Lynch.

"We are in Stage 2. However, we meet the criteria level for Stage 3," Lynch told IWD directors last week. "We are evaluating day-to-day."

Two important criteria for declaring Stage 3 have been met. The groundwater levels for the Foster Lake wells recently fell to 50 feet and the downtown wells are below the 20-foot depth criterion.

"We'll try to hold off declaration of Stage 3 until we see what the next storm does," Lynch told the board at its Feb. 25 meeting. On Monday, March 2, he said the staff was to evaluate well levels this week to determine how beneficial this storm may have been.

While fresh precipitation will not be immediately salutary because of the time it will take to percolate from the surface to the wells, it will be a sign that well levels will improve. Even the multiple inches of rain Sunday and Monday a week ago had minimal effect on Foster Lake's level.

"The rain has done little to impact the condition at the lake," Lynch said then. "There's a large puddle which continually evaporates in the warmer weather."

Director Mike Freitas encouraged Lynch to move on a declaration soon since immediate rainfall will still take months before any positive effect is apparent.

However, Lynch agreed that a decision would likely

*"The rain has done little to impact the condition at the lake. There's a large puddle which continually evaporates in the warmer weather."*

*Tom Lynch*

be soon and expects the issue to be on the agenda for the March meeting.

In last week's Field Poll, nearly 95 percent of registered voters believe the water shortage is serious or extremely serious. From a year ago, the percentage of respondents who feel the water shortage is not serious has fallen from 10 to 5 percent.

Most voters prefer voluntary reductions rather than mandatory water rationing, according to the Field Poll. Southern California (excluding Los Angeles County) was the area most strongly in support of voluntary compliance.

The drought and lower wells levels also are costing IWD money. Not only are revenues falling as customers strive to conserve water, but expenses increase because it requires more electricity to pump the deeper wells. Through January, IWD's net water income is about \$150,000.

In addition to nature's help from precipitation, Lynch told the board that two recent projects — refurbishing the Oakwood well and re-opening the horizontal and vertical wells above Foster Lake — are awaiting state approval to be incorporated into IWD's distribution system.

"I'm hoping with these we'll restore the water table near the lake," he added.

In January, IWD customers used 6.3 million gallons of water, which was 68,700 gallons less than in January 2014.

In non-water business, the board approved two contracts. One will replace the current 45-kilowatt failed inverter, which failed this fall with a series of three smaller inverters. This equipment converts the DC power generated from the solar panels to AC or alternating current at the district's solar facility. The project's cost is expected to be about \$25,000, and, with the greater efficiency and power produced, it should have a payback of three years, according to Lynch.

The second contract would evaluate IWD's waste-treatment system, particularly its ability to provide service to the proposed brew pub in town. This contract will cost

about \$10,000 and the owners of the proposed pub will share the costs.

"The results of the study don't constitute any obligation on the district," affirmed IWD Board President Jim Billman. "This research is at their request and whether we can handle any discharge."

Lynch agreed that the need for the study arose from the owners' inquiry about access to the district's sewer system.

"It's what we're capable of taking and evaluating adjustments as a result of bringing the brewery into the system," Lynch stated.

He stressed that the pub has alternatives for handling its waste besides through the district's wastewater. "They can handle their waste through pre-treatment or nothing into our system and trucking it off the Hill," he added.

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## Bridge

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slopes nearest bridge abutments and placing rocks for slope protection; constructing four retaining walls at the sides of the bridge and installing bridge-approach railings; applying architectural treatments to minimize visual and cultural impacts; and removing only trees within the new bridge path. Planners said part of the project would include planting trees and vegetation to complement the site once the bridge is installed.

Planning for the bridge project began in 2012 with project approval and approval of an environmental document, bridge design and award of the project, public meetings to explain the project to area residents and a public-comment period.

Granite Construction of Vista won the open bid for the project. Other California projects of Granite Construction have included the San Jose International Airport Terminal, Route 91 Express Lanes and the San Carlos Community Development in Carmel where Granite crews built water reservoirs, storage ponds and nine bridges to connect a 60-mile road network in an environmentally sensitive area.

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## Idyllwild Death Café

Idyllwild Death Café is from 2 to 4 p.m. Tuesday, March 24 and Wednesday, March 25, at Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood. It is limited to 12 participants. Register at 951-659-2523 or [info@spiritmountainretreat.org](mailto:info@spiritmountainretreat.org). Call Francoise Frigola at 659-4146 for more information.

Meetings are the fourth Tuesdays and Wednesdays of each month except in December when they are on the third Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

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## OUT LOUD



In my adult life, I've been a vegetarian, a vegan and an omnivore. Right now, I'm an omnivore because I feel healthier, but if you're not, you might not want to read further.

Asking Jack, "What are you doing this weekend?" draws the most depressed reaction, he being so certain a task is forthcoming. I knew he would but I asked anyway on Saturday morning. His entire body drooped about 2 inches — head, shoulders, arms, knees. "Oh, no," he said.

I smiled. "Did you know Fairway is having an Italian sale?" I asked. "Don't you think it's a good day to make your spaghetti sauce?" And then he smiled back and started making plans.

Every winter, Jack makes a vat of an incredible spaghetti sauce, originally based on his mother's recipe, but that he improved upon years ago and refines a bit more every year.

He headed to Fairway with list in hand and was back fairly soon, taking over the kitchen, soon chopping fresh vegetables, sauteing ground beef and sausage, combining all with herbs and such until the kitchen looked like a bunch of tomatoes had exploded.

I puttered around once in a while cleaning up after him, directing him to different appliances, while he worked the sauce into the 16-quart stainless steel pot brought out annually only for this purpose.

Then the sauce simmers for 24 hours. But when he's not looking, I taste. And I get in trouble if I'm caught because "it's not readyyyyyy!!!" And I always get caught. Even so, it's good; it's really good.

While the snow fell outside Saturday, we cooked — he in the kitchen and I, our Saturday meal, in a dutch oven on the wood stove. And we laughed to discover our "secret" ingredient was the same. We had a warm, yummy weekend.

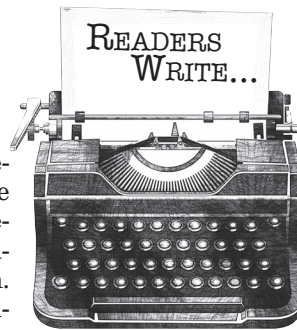
BECKY CLARK, EDITOR

## Grateful for TC columnists

EDITOR:

I love the thoughtful reflections published in the Town Crier. I greatly appreciated Bryan Asch's "Human Etiquette" column (Jan. 29, 2015) and last year's interview of the enthusiastic young scientist who followed his passion and became an astronomer, specializing in cosmology.

But Conor O'Farrell's "Love is Active" meditation (Feb. 19, 2015) was so great and on the mark that I had to write to you. In essence he said that love is not just a warm feeling; it's how we treat the person we love that really counts, and then he quoted St. Paul's famous passage



on love in 1 Corinthians 13. I'd like to say "amen" by quoting a much humbler source: the funny little snowman named Olaf in the Disney animated movie, "Frozen." At a climactic point in the movie when Princess Anna has just been betrayed and is in danger of freezing to death, she tells Olaf, "I don't even know what love is anymore."

He answers her, "That's OK; I do. Love is putting someone else's needs before yours." That is so close to the Christian agape, the highest form of love, which desires what is best for the other person.

I appreciate all of you great columnists for sharing your wisdom with us.

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## FIRE & FOREST

BY CHRIS KRAMER,  
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## FIRE ABATEMENT HELPS ALL ...

With the recent election of officers on the Mountain Communities Fire Safe Council, I'd like to introduce myself as the new president.

I plan to keep our message going in the same positive direction that past president Mike Esnard did with this column. I also will ask other board members to contribute, writing on different topics throughout the year.

Change. Is it good, necessary or just something we resist or accept and get comfortable with? We all encounter change in one form or another throughout our lives.

In my 30 years as a career firefighter, I saw a lot of changes during that time. Personal protective equipment, power tools (think chainsaw instead of an axe), technology and a much greater variety of training were just a few things that evolved over the years.

Changes in fire-service tactics and

strategy, along with laws and regulations imposed upon us at a state or federal level, also affected our daily operations. OSHA — the federal Occupational Health and Safety Administration — is not a small town in Wisconsin.

Very often things such as warning labels have come about because someone had a serious lack of good judgment. The next time you go to a hardware store, look at all the warnings printed on a ladder. Somewhere, at some time, somebody thought an aluminum ladder was safe to put near electrical lines. And then the lawyers got involved.

So now think of our everyday lives and some of the things we have. Seat belts, helmets and child safety seats — all things, which we can agree, came about for a reason. When people choose not to follow regulatory changes there are usually consequences.

All of us who choose to own land and/  
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# Before Our Time

YOU DON'T HAVE TO LIVE IN IDYLLWILD TO LEAVE YOUR

MARK — IDYLLWILD INSTITUTE-FIESTA ...

BY ROBERT B. SMITH

Some 32 summer camps have now been documented in the Idyllwild area since 1920. But Idyllwild Institute-Fiesta stands out for its oddly nondescript name.

This was a program to cultivate leadership and patriotism in high school girls enrolled in the Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps. Given the tendency of JROTC to attract disproportionate numbers of low-income and ethnic minority students, Idyllwild's mountain setting offered a unique experience for many of them.

But why Idyllwild, how did the camp come into being, and where did that odd name originate?

Institute-Fiesta was the brainchild of Ann Lay, who ran the program throughout its nearly 40 years of operation. She and her husband Roy were originally from Beaumont, which likely acquainted her with Idyllwild.

Around 1940, they settled in West Riverside (now Jurupa Valley), where Roy owned a confectionary and variety store with a soda fountain.

Ann had long been involved in civic and political affairs, especially the Federation of Women's Clubs and the Republican party, and she habitually rose to leadership positions. But her life took a decisive turn after 1943, when she became a Gray Lady at March Field.

The Gray Lady Corps was a non-medical Red Cross hospital auxiliary. During World War II, it expanded to offer recreational activities also at military installations.

As director of the March Field unit, Ann devised a project in 1950 called the Riverside Armed Services Center, which arranged recreation to connect airmen with everyday life in nearby communities.

The first outing Ann planned exploited her familiarity with Idyllwild. In 1951, collaborating with the local Izaak Walton League, she brought 14 men and one woman here to camp in the state park, take in a community campfire and a Woodsman's Breakfast, then hike Devil's Slide to Tahquitz Valley.

At year's end, Max Krone hired Ann and Roy Lay to manage the Idyllwild Inn, which was briefly owned by ISOMATA. This lasted just long enough for Ann to bring the Federation of Women's Clubs of Riverside County to the ISOMATA campus for its annual meeting.

Then, in 1954, ISOMATA hosted the federation's four-day "Clubwoman's Institute-Fiesta," a social and



Ann Lay in the early 1970s.

FILE PHOTO

educational conference that exploited Idyllwild's strength in the creative arts.

Ann's cumulative experience with Idyllwild and with both women's and military affairs prompted her in 1959 to create Idyllwild Institute-Fiesta. It operated initially at a location on Marion View Drive. In 1965, it moved to Four Chimneys, the compound on Delano Road built in 1934 as an elaborate vacation retreat by Hollywood director Al Santell.

As Institute-Fiesta matured, it developed community ties through events like an annual home tour, the project that would later be revived as an enormously successful fund-raiser by the Idyllwild Area Historical Society.

Ann Lay's contributions to Idyllwild were recognized in 1994 by her selection as grand marshal of the 4th of July Parade. She continued to run Institute-Fiesta until her death in 1997. Her final wish was that the Center for Prayer Mobilization be given use of the facilities, an arrangement that continues to this day.

Bob Smith is a researcher and archivist with the Idyllwild Area Historical Society. He welcomes comments, questions, corrections and suggested topics for this column at [rbsmith9@greencafe.com](mailto:rbsmith9@greencafe.com).

## MATTER OF FACT

In last week's photo of the Stratford Players on page 14, Roger Bates, who sang with Barbara Rayliss, was incorrectly identified as John Wesley Leon.

Town Crier regrets the error.

## CERT training next week

Riverside County Office of Emergency Services is holding a Community Emergency Response Team Light Search and Rescue training from 6 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, March 11, at the Idyllwild Nature Center.

The class is open to graduated CERT participants and is limited in size. Registration is required at [www.rivcocert.org](http://www.rivcocert.org).

# Covered Cal offers extension of 2015 enrollment

Will help minimize future tax penalty

Covered California is offering a special enrollment opportunity for consumers who did not know or understand there was a tax penalty for being uninsured in 2014 or who learned they may face the tax penalty for 2015.

"For the first time, health care and taxes now are linked arm in arm," Covered California Executive Director Peter V. Lee said. "The law requires everyone to be insured, and if you're not, you may face a significant financial penalty when you file your taxes this year."

Until April 30, 2015, consumers are eligible to apply for health coverage during special enrollment by attesting that they did not realize there was a tax penalty.

To attest to this fact, they can select "Informed of Tax Penalty Risk" when filling out an application at [CoveredCA.com](http://CoveredCA.com).

The new tax penalty for being uninsured — known as the "shared responsibility payment" — motivated many consumers to purchase insurance this year during the November to February open-enrollment period via Covered California.

Unfortunately, many people who are supposed to purchase insurance may be unaware of the penalty and surprised when they go to their tax preparation professional for help.

"We don't want anyone to feel blindsided by the shared responsibility payment," Lee said. "That's why we are establishing this limited-time, special-enrollment that builds on the broader availability of coverage for Californians who have a change of circumstance making them eligible outside of open enrollment."

"If you didn't realize the tax consequences of not having insurance, you can enroll in a Covered California plan ... until April 30."

The tax penalty aside, Californians who have a life-changing event — for example, having a baby, getting married, losing their health-care coverage because they have changed jobs or moving to another area — can qualify for a special-enrollment period through Covered California.

They can sign up for coverage as long as they do so within 60 days of the qualifying life event.

For the first time, consumers filing their taxes this year may be paying a penalty for not having health insurance. And the penalty for going without insurance in 2015 will go up significantly, nearly doubling.

During the final weeks of open enrollment, Covered California served consumers who literally went straight from their tax adviser to a certified enroller after learning they would lose hundreds of dollars because they were uninsured in 2014.

"We know this will continue throughout the upcoming weeks as more and more people do their taxes and discover how this new era of health care works," Lee said.

"We don't want there to be any surprises, and we want to make sure that everyone who is eligible gets covered."

Consumers may enroll at [CoveredCA.com](http://CoveredCA.com) and can find the nearest certified enrollment counselor or certified insurance agent to help them enroll. Consumers also can call the Covered California Service Center at 1-800-300-1506, where a representative will help them.

To get across the finish line for open enrollment, with coverage effective March 1, however, consumers cannot enroll without the help of an agent, a counselor or Covered California Service Center.

## F&F

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or live on this mountain bear the responsibility to maintain our property under the direction and language of Public Resources Code Section 4291. This is the law governing property fire abatement.

PRC 4291 fuel reduction and required clearances serve several purposes. The obvious one is to reduce or prevent the easy spread of fire to our homes. Another would be reducing the amount of readily ignitable material, slowing the spread of fire to adjacent land and structures.

This is where we can all benefit from each other's abatement work. There are often unseen positive advantages to having good clearance around your home. When firefighters are assigned to do structure protection, the decision to defend and protect certain properties is made with consideration for their own safety first.

The next decision is the defensible space, make-up of the home and topography of the area. Give yourself, your neighbors and firefighters a chance the next time we're threatened by a fire.

Make fire abatement of your property a priority every year.



## Stone to open Murrieta office next week

State Sen. Jeff Stone and the Murrieta Valley Chamber of Commerce invite the public to attend the grand opening ceremony for the senator's new Southwest office from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Thursday, March 12.

The office is located at 25186 Hancock Avenue, Suite 320, in Murrieta and serves residents of Southwest Riverside County.

"It is a truly an honor to represent the people of the 28th District," Stone said in a press release with the announcement. "We are doing everything possible to treat constituents as our top priority. I invite everyone to come by to say hello and meet our staff."

In addition to the Murrieta office and his office in Sacramento, Stone has an office in Indio to serve constituents in the Coachella Valley. A grand opening ceremony will be held at that office on March 19.

The ribbon cutting will be at 7 p.m. The event is free and open to the public.

For more information call Field Representative Megan Locke at 951-894-3530 or email her at [megan.locke@sen.ca.gov](mailto:megan.locke@sen.ca.gov).

## Ruiz submits legislation for mitigation assistance after fires

By J.P. CRUMRINE  
NEWS EDITOR

Last week, U.S. Rep. Dr. Raul Ruiz (D-CA 36) and Rep. Jared Polis (D-CO 2) announced the introduction of H.R. 1009 to target disaster relief funds to victims of wildfire so the communities are ensured they have access to the same resources as victims of other natural disasters.

The proposed legislation is slightly different than Ruiz's bill H.R. 3992 in the 114th Congress.

"As the drought in California continues, our forests and surrounding communities are at an even greater risk of wildfire destruction," said Ruiz. "This bipartisan, pragmatic bill takes critical steps to proactively provide firefighters with the resources necessary to protect communities in the aftermath of a wildfire, and help stop the next fire before it starts — to save lives, property and resources."

Republican co-sponsors of the bill include Don Young of Alaska and Paul Cook of California and Yucca Valley. The bill has been referred to the Subcommittee on Eco-

nomic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.

Under current law, victims of wildfires aren't eligible for the "post-disaster" mitigation resources that victims of other natural disasters, such as hurricanes and tornados, are. These resources can be used to mitigate the effects of wildfires, such as post-fire flooding and mudslides, and prevent future fires. Funds for these purposes has been shown to be particularly effective — it's estimated that every dollar spent on mitigation saves \$4 in future disaster costs.

Under this bill, states, tribes and local communities would be eligible to receive mitigation assistance grants for up to 15 percent of the total cost of fire suppression efforts regardless of whether a major disaster has been declared or not. This extra amount for mitigation is cost-shared on a 75 percent federal and 25 percent state/local basis.

"As a representative, nothing frustrates me more than when I tour the aftermath of a wildfire, see the ruins of houses in communities near Fort Collins and Boulder, and then find out that the federal government has refused to provide disaster relief because of a technicality," said Polis. "This bill will ensure that those people or communities that have been devastated by wildfires will have access to the resources and relief that every other natural disaster victim can receive to rebuild their homes, towns and lives."

"I congratulate representatives Ruiz, Polis and the bill's other cosponsors for introducing this bipartisan legislation," said Fire Chief G. Keith Bryant, International Association of Fire Chiefs president and board chair, in a press release. "This bill will help communities that recently had to deal with the tragedy of a wildland fire to mitigate the effects of flooding, mudslides and other disasters that could result after the fire. I urge Congress to move quickly to pass this legislation."

The Wildfire Prevention Act of 2015 is supported by IAFC, the International Association of Fire Fighters, the National Association of Counties and the National Fire Protection Association.

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## Local forest officials seeking public assistance for grant requests

By J.P. CRUMRINE  
NEWS EDITOR

San Bernardino National Forest recreation managers are seeking public comments on their proposals for the 2014 and 2015 State of California Off-Highway Vehicle grant program.

The state requires public comments to submitted from Tuesday, March 3, through Monday, April 6.

The state uses a three-step application process to allow public comment and feedback before final submittal. In February, the Forest Service solicited, received and considered public recommendations during the development of the preliminary grant applications, which were due March 2, 2015.

The second public review and comment period is open now. The Forest Service will review and consider the public comments and then submit its final grant applications on May 4.

At this time, SBNF is soliciting public input specific to the forest's 2013-14 grant application proposals for Cooperative Agreements with the Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division. The public is encouraged to provide constructive criticism and/or suggestions to enable SBNF to better its program.

SBNF will submit five preliminary grant applications. The grants include projects for ground operations, law enforcement, development and restoration. Preliminary applications are available online at the California State OHV Grants and Cooperative Agreements program ([www.ohv.parks.ca.gov](http://www.ohv.parks.ca.gov)).

Grants for the ground operations and law enforcement will benefit the San Jacinto District, according to John Ladley, the district's supervisory natural resource specialist.

"The ground operations help us with the day-to-day work such as trail maintenance and repair, visitor education and signage," Ladley said. "This is the piece I really use."

Hard copies may be requested from Deveree Kopp at either her phone (909) 382-2831 or email at [dkopp@fs.fed.us](mailto:dkopp@fs.fed.us). The division's website will provide detailed in-

structions for accessing the preliminary application and submitting comments. Comments must be submitted via email to both the OHMVR Division and the SBNF. Comments to the national forest should be submitted to Al Colby at [acolby@fs.fed.us](mailto:acolby@fs.fed.us) and to California State Parks by using the "Grants" tab at [www.ohv.parks.ca.gov](http://www.ohv.parks.ca.gov).

State regulations require annual public participation in this fund-allocation process. The agreements support OHV management activities on the national forest, including operations and maintenance, restoration, law enforcement, and education and safety.

In 2014, the forest was successful in obtaining more than \$600,000 in grant funds, which helped provide the public with world-class OHV recreation opportunities.

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## HUSD seeks trustee

The Hemet Unified School District is seeking applicants to fill a vacancy on the governing board from Area 3 in the Hemet area. Idyllwild, Mountain Center and Pine Cove all are in Area 1.

Trustee Dr. Lisa DeForest resigned Feb. 11. She was re-elected to the board in November 2012.

The period of service for this position will extend from the anticipated date of appointment, April 7, through the end of the current term — Dec. 2, 2016.

If interested, submit a Board Candidate Application available at [www.hemetusd.org](http://www.hemetusd.org) or at the district office at 1791 W. Acacia Ave. in Hemet. Interested candidates may contact the office of Superintendent Dr. Barry L. Kayrell at 951-765-5100, ext. 1001. Applications must be received at the Professional Development Service Center, 1791 W. Acacia Ave., Hemet, CA 92545, before 4:30 p.m. Friday, March 13. Applications received after that time will not be considered.

It is anticipated that eligible and qualified applicants will be interviewed at a meeting of the governing board on April 7 and the successful candidate will be appointed, sworn in and take seat at that time.

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# The 5k/10k race is on after all

BY MARSHALL SMITH  
STAFF REPORTER

Saturday, June 6 is the date set for the annual running of the Idyllwild 5k/10k Race and Fitness Walk. "We're just a bit behind schedule but everything will be ready by race day," said Matt Kraemer, Idyllwild School principal and race committee member.

Bill Whitman, publicity coordinator for the committee, said there has been a changing of the guard with many of the original members of the committee no longer actively involved.

The new committee consists of Kraemer, Whitman, Dan Roberts, Dave and Barbara Pelham, Michael and Anna Slattery, Mona Gutierrez, Darren McKay and Chip Schelly.

"Chip has been really helpful in getting in touch with advertisers and sponsors," said Kraemer.

The race raises about \$4,000 annually to fund physical education supplies at Idyllwild School. In the past the race has funded a climbing wall in the gymnasium, artificial grass on the playing fields, the gym scoreboard, treadmills, elliptical equipment and other equipment which, without the race proceeds, would not have been funded.

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# Plastic bag ban suspended until voters decide

BY J.P. CRUMRINE  
EDITOR

The ban on using plastic bags in California has a reprieve, at least until November 2016. Last week, officials for the state's Secretary of State office confirmed that opponents of the plastic bag ban gathered enough signatures to secure a place on the November 2016 general election ballot for a referendum on the continued use of plastic bags.

Election officials confirmed that more than enough signatures were gathered to place the referendum on the future of the bags on the ballot so that state voters will decide the disposition of the bags.

The referendum now suspends the law, Senate Bill 270, passed this fall and that Gov. Jerry Brown signed on Sept. 30, 2014. SB 270 banned the bags from use in larger stores beginning in July 2015. In July 2016, the ban would extend to convenience food stores, food marts and entities engaged in the sale of a limited line of goods. These are all suspended until November 2016, when voters will approve or reject the bill.

Local ordinances that banned the plastic bags — such as in Palm Desert and Palm Springs — will not be affected by the 2016 referendum.

In order to qualify for the ballot, the ban on single-use plastic bags referendum needed 504,760 valid petition signatures, which is equal to 5 percent of the total votes cast for governor in the November 2010 gubernatorial election. A referendum can qualify via random sampling of petition signatures if the sampling projects a number of valid signatures greater than 110 percent of the required number. The plastic bag ban referendum needed at least 555,236 projected valid signatures to qualify by random sampling, and it exceeded that threshold.

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# Recent motorcycle fatalities on local roads underscore speed risks

BY MARSHALL SMITH  
STAFF REPORTER

Recent motorcycle fatalities on mountain roads, two within six days, underscore an ongoing problem of irresponsible motorcyclists riding winding roads at unsafe speeds.

Three fatalities and nine incidents in less than four months (from Oct. 5, 2014 to Feb. 21, 2015) represent a significant increase over previous years.

In 2012, there were 18 motorcycle collisions for the whole year on Hill roads but no fatalities. In 2011 there were 14 incidents and no fatalities. In 2010 there were 24 incidents and three fatalities.

CHP Public Information Officer Darren Meyer connects the uptick in the economy with more motorcycle traffic on Hill highways and as a result more serious incidents. "More people have discretionary money and may be spending it on motorcycles," he posited.

But Meyer cautioned that Idyllwild's economy benefits from responsible motorcyclists and that there is a fine line in how to regulate and patrol. "We will ramp up enforcement, using aerial surveillance and education targeting motorcycle clubs," said Meyer.

Statistics show, the problem has existed in the past at similar levels and has not gone away.

By comparison, in 2008 prior to the economic downturn, motorcycle collisions on highways 243 and 74 claimed five lives, with three fatalities occurring within one month of each other. In all cases in 2008 but one, and in all of the nine incidents within the last four months, motorcyclists were found at fault from driving at unsafe speeds and crossing over the double yellow line.

In 2008, California Highway Patrol Officer Daryl Crandall, reporting officer on the incidents, said, "The roads don't cause crashes; the roads are well marked. All they [the cyclists] have to do is take heed to the advisory signs."

Of the most recent incidents at the end of 2014 and the beginning of 2015, in addition to the fatalities, riders sustained major injuries in two, three with minor injuries and one with no injuries.

CHP Public Information Officer Darren Meyer said his office is working with Caltrans on a variety of means to educate and deter motorcyclists from operating in unsafe ways on mountain roads. Caltrans discussions are underway on removing debris from mountain roads, sweeping gravel and installing additional signage.

Eyewitnesses at the recent fatality noted that the woman killed was wearing a GoPro camera on her helmet. CHP cannot yet confirm either that she was wearing the camera or that, as some eyewitnesses reported, that there were regular "races" from Hemet to Idyllwild.

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## Grants available for nonprofits

The Community Foundation of Riverside and San Bernardino Counties is accepting online grant applications from nonprofits for capacity building projects through April 6. Nonprofits must provide services in Riverside and San Bernardino counties to be eligible. Funding for these grants comes from the Community Impact Fund.

Eligible nonprofits may apply for one of two types of capacity building grants. Grants are available for a one-year responsive grant, up to \$10,000, or for a multi-year grant, which can award as much as \$60,000 over three years. Because this is a change to the CIF grant process, a technical workshop is being offered from 10 a.m. to noon Friday, March 6, at The Community Foundation Office, 3700 Sixth Street, Suite 200, Riverside. wRSVP to [dshackelford@thecommunityfoundation.net](mailto:dshackelford@thecommunityfoundation.net).

Capacity building support enables an organization to carry out its mission by strengthening capacity, effectiveness and sustainability. These funds should provide an opportunity for nonprofits to reflect, learn and take action in developing short- and/or long-term, sustainable solutions to the challenges they face in addressing critical community needs.

Organizations interested in applying should visit [www.thecommunityfoundation.net](http://www.thecommunityfoundation.net) and navigate to the Grants Schedule for more information, including eligibility. Applications will be reviewed and grants awarded by June 30.

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For the Idyllwild Arts & Entertainment Calendar, see "On the Town," on page 9.

### Wednesday, March 4

- Idyllwild Rotary Club, 7:30-9 a.m. American Legion Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
- Town Crier News Meeting, public welcome, 8:30 a.m. Oma's, 54241 Ridgeview Dr.
- Soroptimist International of Idyllwild, 8:30 a.m. breakfast; 9 a.m. meeting. Mile High Cafe, 29470 Hwy. 243.
- Garner Valley Women's Group, 10:30 a.m. Garner Valley Common, 61600 Devil's Ladder Rd.
- Spanish Class for Home-schoolers, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; Unclaimed Property, 2-2:30 p.m. Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.; 6 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, women only, 26120 Ridgeview Dr. (the Courtyard Building).
- American Legion Post 800 Auxiliary board, 5 p.m. Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
- Co-dependents Anonymous meeting, 7:30 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, Church of Religious Science, 26120 Ridgeview Dr. (the Courtyard Building).

### Thursday, March 5

- Alcoholics Anonymous women's meeting (open), 9 a.m. & "We Don't Know" Agnostic & Atheist meeting, 6-7 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr.; meeting, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
- Women's Bible Study, 10 a.m.-noon. Cross Road 243 Church office, 29375 Hwy. 243, Mountain Center. 951-659-0097.
- Free warm lunch, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
- Idyllwild Rotary Anns, 11:30 a.m. Call 951-852-2306 for more information.
- Bridge, 12:30 p.m. Creekstone Inn, 54950 Pine Crest Ave. Persons interested

may show up or phone 951-659-4910.

- Narcotics Anonymous, 7:30-9 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr.

### Friday, March 6

- Idyllwild Play Group, 10:30 a.m. Call Monica Sierras at 951-659-5932 for information and location.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.; Pick-a-stick candlelight, 7:30 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr. (The Courtyard Building).
- Inlandia Writers Workshop, 2-4 p.m. Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr.
- Feeding America, 3-4 p.m. Cross Road 243 Church, Mountain Center.

### Saturday, March 7

- Pine Cove Property Owners Association, 9 a.m. Pine Cove Fire Station, 24919 Marion Ridge Dr., Pine Cove.
- Meditation, Zen-style, 9 a.m.-noon. The Loft in the Courtyard Building, 26120 Ridgeview Dr. Valerie Kyoshin Velez, 951-392-6507 or kyoshinvelez@gmail.com.
- American Legion Post 800 meeting, 10 a.m. Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
- Career Vision Workshop, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.; 7:30 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr.

### Sunday, March 8

- Occupy Idyllwild stand and discuss with the 99 percent. 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Town center at Harmony monument. Call Sue at 909-228-6710.
- 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. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr. (the Courtyard Building).
- Narcotics Anonymous, 8-9 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, Church of Religious Science, 26120 Ridgeview Dr. (the Courtyard Building).

### Monday, March 9

- Alcoholics Anonymous women's meeting (open), 9 a.m. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr.; meeting, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
- Zen-style meditation & dharma discussion, 6-7:30 p.m. The Loft in the Courtyard Building, 26120 Ridgeview Dr. Call Valerie Kyoshin Velez at 951-659-5750 for info.
- Al-Anon, Open Meeting, 7-8 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr.; 7-8:30 p.m. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
- Narcotics Anonymous, "Just for Today," 8-9 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, 26120 Ridgeview Dr.

### Tuesday, March 10

- 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.; men's meeting, 6-7 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, Church of Religious Science, 26120 Ridgeview Dr. (the Courtyard Building).
- La Leche League, 1 p.m. Call 659-8321.
- Lovingkindness Meditation Group, 5-5:30 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St. Call 659-2523.
- International Healing Rooms of Idyllwild, 5-7 p.m. Shiloh Christian Ministries, 54495 Village Center Dr.
- Women's Council, 6 p.m. Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr.

### Wednesday, March 11

- Idyllwild Rotary Club, 7:30-9 a.m. American Legion Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
- Town Crier News Meeting, public welcome, 8:30 a.m. Oma's, 54241 Ridgeview Dr.
- Riverside County Mobile Health Clinic, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
- Pine Cove Water District board, 10 a.m. PCWD, 24917 Marion Ridge Rd., Pine Cove.

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- La Leche League, 10 a.m. Call 659-8321.
- Spanish Class for Home-schoolers, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; Unclaimed Property, 2-2:30 p.m. Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr.
- Community Church Guild, noon. Church, 54400 North Circle Dr.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.; 6 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, women only, 26120 Ridgeview Dr. (the Courtyard Building).
- County Service Area 38 Advisory Committee, 3:30 p.m. Pine Cove Water District, 24917 Marion Ridge Rd., Pine Cove.
- CERT Light Search & Rescue training, 6-9 p.m. Idyllwild Nature Center, 25225 Hwy. 243.
- Co-dependents Anonymous meeting, 7:30 p.m. Spiritual Living Center, Church of Religious Science, 26120 Ridgeview Dr. (the Courtyard Building).

### Community service hours

- California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (bark beetle issues), 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. Mountain Resource Center, 25380 Franklin Dr., 659-3335.
- Idyllwild HELP Center, 26330 Hwy. 243, 9 a.m.-noon & 1-3:30 p.m. Tuesday-Friday. 659-2110.
- Idyllwild Area Historical Museum, 54470 North Circle Dr., 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday & Sunday. Group tours by appointment. 659-2717.
- Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr., Strawberry Creek Plaza, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday; noon-8 p.m. Tuesday; noon-5 p.m. Thursday and Friday; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, 659-2300.
- Idyllwild Nature Center, 25225 Hwy. 243, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday 659-3850.
- Idyllwild Transfer Station, 28100 Saunders Meadow Rd., 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Thursday-Monday; Grinding Facility, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday.

To submit  
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Listings are sub-  
ject to the editor's  
approval.



## Watch for GSOB signs

*This is the perfect time of year to spot black oaks that may be harboring Goldspotted oak borers. Oaks with brown leaves still on the branches should be inspected, according to the Mountain Communities Fire Safe Council. Here is an oak with retained leaves throughout the branchy canopy. A team composed of Ron Perry, Elliott Taylor and Doris Lombard spotted this tree during their morning drive-by windshield survey.*

PHOTO BY DORIS LOMBARD

## NEWS OF RECORD

### Fire log

The Idyllwild Fire Station responded to the following calls, Wednesday to Monday, Feb. 25 to March 2.

### Idyllwild

- Feb. 25 — Service call, North Circle Dr., 7:03 a.m.
- Feb. 25 — Trash or rubbish fire, contained, Dickenson Rd., 6:03 p.m.
- Feb. 26 — Medical aid, in station, 9:20 a.m., one patient.
- Feb. 26 — Smoke detector activation, no fire, Circle Dr., 10:57 p.m.
- Feb. 27 — Medical aid, Live Oak Ln., 7:51 a.m., one patient.
- Feb. 27 — Medical aid, Country Club Dr., 7:17 p.m., one patient.
- March 1 — Smoke detector activation due to malfunction, 54000 block of South Circle Dr., 9:42 a.m.
- March 1 — Power line down, Hemstreet Pl., 7:56 p.m.
- March 2 — Medical aid, 54000 block of Pine Crest Ave., 11:09 a.m., one patient.

### Mountain Center

- Feb. 21 — Traffic collision with injuries, 11:25 a.m., two patients.
- Feb. 23 — Cover assignment, standby, move up,

hwy. 243 and 74, 10:08 a.m.

### Pine Cove

- Feb. 26 — Medical aid, Sylvan Way, 12:19 a.m., one patient.

### Sheriff's log

The Riverside County Sheriff's Department Hemet Station responded to the following calls, Sunday to Saturday, Feb. 22 to 28.

### Idyllwild

- Feb. 22 — Assist other department, Lodge Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Feb. 22 — Public disturbance, Strawberry Valley Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Feb. 23 — Alarm call, Seneca Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Feb. 24 — Alarm call, Fernleaf Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Feb. 24 — Trespassing, Daryll Rd. Unfounded.
- Feb. 25 — Check the welfare, Memory Ln. Handled by deputy.
- Feb. 25 — Noise complaint, address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- Feb. 25 — Public disturbance, Memory Ln. Handled by deputy.
- Feb. 25 — Follow-up, address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- Feb. 25 — Harassing phone

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# 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](mailto:becky@towncrier.com).

### Wednesday, March 4

- Bondo: Paul Carman & Marshall Hawkins, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Idyll Awhile Wine Shoppe Bistro.
- "Kingsman: The Secret Service," 7 p.m. Rustic Theatre.

### Thursday, March 5

- "Kingsman: The Secret Service," 7 p.m. Rustic Theatre.
- Barry's Big Slot Tournament, all day. Soboba Casino, San Jacinto.

### Friday, March 6

- Forest Folk Movie Night & Potluck, "Shawshank Redemption," 5:30 p.m. Mountain Resource Center.
- Keith McCabe, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Idyll Awhile Wine Shoppe Bistro.
- "McFarland, USA," 7 p.m. Rustic Theatre.

### Saturday, March 7

- Yu Gi Oh! Card Playing Club for teens, 10 a.m.-noon. Idyllwild Library.
- "Kingsman: The Secret Service," 11:30 a.m.; "McFarland, USA," 2, 4:30 & 7 p.m. Rustic Theatre.

- Art Alliance of Idyllwild's Eye of the Artist, 6-9 p.m. Caine Learning Center.
- 3 Skinz, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Idyll Awhile Wine Shoppe Bistro.

### Sunday, March 8

- "Kingsman: The Secret Service," 11:30 a.m.; "McFarland, USA," 2, 4:30 & 7 p.m. Rustic Theatre.
- Tim Hornsey, 2-4 p.m. Idyll Awhile Wine Shoppe Bistro.

### Monday, March 9

- Forest Folk Cribbage Group, 10 a.m.-noon; Children's Storytime, "Kites & Wind," 10:30-11:30 a.m. Idyllwild Library.
- "McFarland, USA," 7 p.m. Rustic Theatre.

### Tuesday, March 10

- Pickleball, 8 or 9 a.m. Idyllwild Community Park.
- Knit Wits, 1-3 p.m. Idyllwild Library.
- "McFarland, USA," 7 p.m. Rustic Theatre.

### Wednesday, March 11

- "McFarland, USA," 7 p.m. Rustic Theatre.
- Spring Dance Concert, 7:30 p.m. IAF Theatre, Idyllwild Arts.

### Thursday, March 12

- "McFarland, USA," 7 p.m. Rustic Theatre.



### Drums, bass on tap

Justin Holmes (center) adds tap dancing into the mix during the "History of the Drum" event Thursday at Idyllwild Arts. Musicians providing rhythm for Holmes are (from left) Bob Boss on guitar, Marshall Hawkins on bass, Toby Williams on drums and Najite on African drums.

PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER

### Friday, March 13

- Forest Folk Movie Night & Potluck, "The Theory of Everything," 5:30 p.m. Mountain Resource Center.
- Spring Dance Concert, 7:30 p.m. IAF Theatre, Idyllwild Arts.

### Saturday, March 14

- Yu Gi Oh! Card Playing Club for teens, 10 a.m.-noon. Idyllwild Library.

### Monday, March 16

- Forest Folk Cribbage Group, 10 a.m.-noon; Children's Storytime, "St. Patrick's Day," 10:30-11:30 a.m. Idyllwild Library.

### Tuesday, March 17

- Pickleball, 8 or 9 a.m. Idyllwild Community Park.

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# Pulitzer Prize-winning photographer to judge artist show

BY MARSHALL SMITH  
STAFF REPORTER

Rick Rickman, author, documentarian and Pulitzer Prize-winning photographer, will judge the upcoming Art Alliance of Idyllwild Eye of the Artist art show and fundraising auction on Saturday, March 7.

Rickman won the Pulitzer for team coverage of the 1984 Olympics held in Los Angeles. Working for the Orange County Register, Rickman shared the award with fellow OCR photographers Brian Smith and Hal Stoelzle.

Eye event organizers Kirsten Ingbreetsen and Les Walker snagged Rickman as judge for the event. Walker, himself an award-winning photographer, has long known Rickman and worked with him frequently in the past. "It's the first time a Pulitzer winner has judged an AAI event," said Walker.

Rickman's work has been featured on the covers of both Time and Newsweek. His project and documentary work have appeared in publications including National Geographic, Life, Sports Illustrated and Smithsonian.

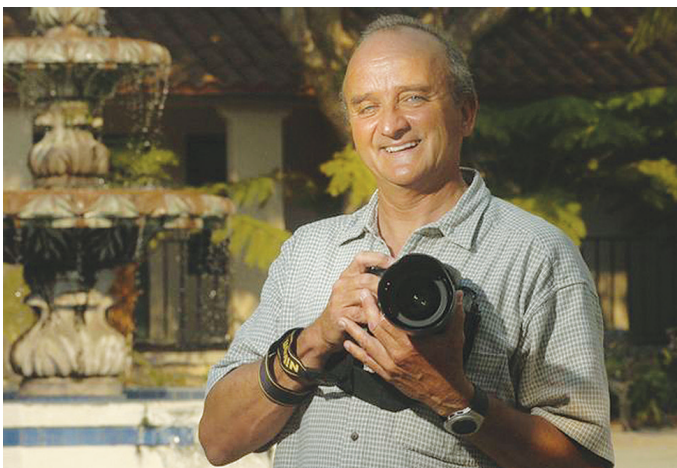
Rickman said he started late as a photographer because he was on his way to dental school to become a dentist before he caught the photography bug. "I became a photographer because I couldn't draw and I always wanted to find a way to express myself visually. I love telling stories and this was a great medium to do that."

He spent the first 12 years as a photographer at the Colorado Springs Sun, Des Moines Register and the OCR before launching his own photography, documentary and publication career. One of his passions is photographing and telling the stories of senior athletes and adventurers who push their limits to defy conventional wisdom of what it means to age. His book, "The Wonder Years: Portraits of Athletes Who Never Slow Down," was coauthored with Donna Wares (Chronicle Books, 2009) with a forward by Olympian gold medalist figure skater Peggy Fleming.

Asked what he would be evaluating as he judges AAI entrants, Rickman said, "I'm a big fan of aesthetic value. When you see a piece, does it make you feel something? You read words but you feel pictures [and fine art]. That's what I'll be looking for."

Eye of the Artist 2015 starts at 6 p.m. and continues until 9 at the Caine Learning Center, 54385 Upper Pine Crest in Idyllwild. There is no admission fee, and there are opportunity drawings and a silent auction that afford attendees the chance to take home fine art by AAI member artists. The Eye of the Artist is one of AAI's longest running and most iconic events. For more information visit [www.artinidyllwild.org](http://www.artinidyllwild.org).

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**Rick Rickman** (left), Pulitzer Prize-winning photographer, who will judge the March 7 AAI Eye of the Artist art show.

PHOTO COURTESY LES WALKER

Below, one of **Rick Rickman's** Pulitzer Prize-winning photos from the 1984 Olympics at Los Angeles.

PHOTO COURTESY RICK RICKMAN



## Casino reveals new gaming area

Last Friday, Soboba Casino in San Jacinto revealed a new gaming area, The Nook.

"Over the past year, we have been working very hard to raise the bar in terms of our products, and services," said Joe Whitman, director of slots. "We have made sweeping changes to the layout of the gaming floor in order to create a more comfortable gaming experience."

The Nook is the newest addition to Soboba's non-smoking gaming area. It offers 37 slots with a variety of great games, including classics such as Mr. Cashman, and current hits like Quick Hits Platinum progressive slots. It also will feature new favorites like 4 Card Cleopatra Keno and 4 Card Caveman Keno, as well as traditional video poker and keno games.



## Spring Dance Concert

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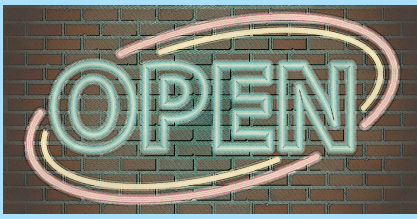
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## BUSINESS CHANGES

### Lake Hemet getting a makeover

By Marshall Smith  
Staff Reporter

Memorial Day at **Lake Hemet Campgrounds** will be big. For the first time, swimming will be permitted at the lake. And not only swimming, but a water park for families featuring 11 floating play structures, three of them dedicated to very young children.

**Kelly Lam**, marketing director for the **California Parks Company** that operates the campground and **Lake Hemet Market**, reassured adults that they, too, could use the park, called **Splash Island II**. “The II denotes that this is the second of our water park facilities. The first was a huge success at **Lake Gregory** in the San Bernardino mountains,” said Lam.

Admission to the park will cost \$10 a day in addition to the admission to Lake Hemet itself. Season passes will be available but prices have not yet been set for the



Above, a photo of the inflatable water park, **Splash Island**, at Lake Gregory in the San Bernardino Mountains. The same park will be installed at Lake Hemet Campground and will open on Memorial Day 2015. At top, An artist's rendering of the upcoming renovations at Lake Hemet Market. PHOTO COURTESY KELLY LAM, MARKETING DIRECTOR, THE CALIFORNIA PARKS COMPANY

passes. Admission includes required life vests.

The inflatable park will be anchored just off a shallow beach near campground 5. General swimming off the beach will also be allowed in addition to use of the park. There will be no additional charge for just using the beach for swimming.

Lam said the remodel of the Lake Hemet Market is also proceeding on schedule and both the park and market should be open for Memorial Day.

Send your business updates to [marshall@towncrier.com](mailto:marshall@towncrier.com).



By Jack Clark  
Contest Judge



Well, last week's photo was the white fence around the front of the Stop Light thrift shop on Cedar Street. The names in the hat were **Chris Morse**, **Kathy Muir**, **Diane Rabe**, the **Jeff Smith** family and **Jim Wise**. Congrats to Rabe, she gets the gift card worth two adult tickets to **Shane Stewart's Rustic Theatre**. Now, take a look at this week's photo.

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.

## CLUBS

### Friends of the Idyllwild Library

The **Friends of the Idyllwild Library** announce a change of date for the return engagement of **Penelope Engard** this year in the first of her bi-monthly Power-Point presentations in the library's Community Room from 4 to 5:30 p.m. Monday, March 23. (The presentation scheduled for Feb. 23 had to be postponed.)

The subject of the February program is “WPA Murals.” One of the more controversial of all the New Deal programs, the eight-year operational period of the Works Progress Administration remains a landmark project, whether viewed as an aesthetic boondoggle or as a true American renaissance. In particular, the Federal Arts Project gave fiscal and motivational opportunities to nearly 5,000 artists in the years 1935 to 1943, resulting in the creation of some 2,500 mural projects in all 48 states of the union, as well as individual incentives to other media for such talents (budding, flourishing or otherwise) as **Dean Cornwell**, **Stuart Davis**, **Fritz Eichenberg**, **Yasuo Kuniyoshi**, **Jackson Pollock** **Joseph Stella**, and others.

The focus of Engard's presentation will be those murals and artists native to California, both during the WPA years, immediately following the Second World War and into the turbulent 1960s and 1970s. Pictorial information also will be embellished by her thoroughgoing knowledge of the historical background, as evidenced from her previous series of library lectures.

### Free lunch every Thursday

Every Thursday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., St. Hugh's Episcopal Church at 25525 Tahquitz Drive offers a free, warm lunch through the cooperation of Christina Nordella and Fairway Market. The Caring Community Lunch is open to anyone.

## Postal Service to honor Angelou

The U.S. Postal Service will honor Maya Angelou — the beloved author, poet, actress and champion of equality — with a Forever Stamp.

“Maya Angelou inspired our nation through a life of advocacy and through her many contributions to the written and spoken word,” said Postmaster General Megan J. Brennan. “Her wide-ranging achievements as a playwright, poet, memoirist, educator and advocate for justice and equality enhanced our culture.”

The Postal Service will preview the stamp and provide details on the date and location of the first-day-of-issuance ceremony at a later date.

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**SHOW TIMES:**  
**Monday-Friday 7 pm, Saturday-Sunday 2, 4:30 & 7 pm**

**“Kingsman: The Secret Service”**  
**Through Thurs., Sat. & Sun. March 7 & 8**

Mark Millar and Dave Gibbons' comic series is adapted for the big screen in this Matthew Vaughn-directed action thriller. The story centers on a secret agent who recruits a juvenile delinquent into a top-secret spy organization. Starring: Colin Firth, Michael Caine, Samuel L. Jackson; Director: Matthew Vaughn; Genre: Action/Comedy; Run time: 2 hr., 9 min. Rated: R

**SHOW TIMES:**  
**Through Thursday 7pm, Saturday-Sunday 11:30 am ONLY**

**“The Divergent Series: Insurgent”**  
**Starts Friday, March 20, runs through Thursday, April 2**

Tris and Four are now fugitives on the run, hunted by Jeanine, the leader of the Erudite elite. Racing against time, they must find out what Tris' family sacrificed their lives to protect, and why the Erudite leaders will do anything to stop them. Starring: Shailene Woodley, Theo James and Jai Courtney; Director: Robert Schwentke; Genre: Action/Adventure; Run time: 1 hr., 58 min. Rated: PG-13

**“Furious 7”**  
**Starts Friday, April 3, runs through Thursday, April 16**

The Fast and the Furious franchise speeds on in this installment directed by James Wan (The Conjuring), and featuring the late Paul Walker in his final film role. Starring: Vin Diesel, Paul Walker and Dwayne Johnson; Director: James Wan; Genre: Action/Adventure; Run time: 2 hr., 9 min. Rated: PG-13

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*Snow-capped mountains frame Garner Ranch on Tuesday morning after a Sunday and Monday snowstorm.*

PHOTO BY HALIE WILSON



*Above, **Ken Luber** reads selected poems from his new book "Everybody's Shadow" to a large turnout at the Idyllwild Library on Friday, Feb. 27.* PHOTO BY JOHN DRAKE

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Photographer **Susan White** stands next to a triplet of wolves at her artist reception Thursday night. Her collection of black and white photographs, "Caught in Time," is now on display at Idyll Awhile Wine Shoppe Bistro. PHOTO BY JOHN DRAKE

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## Live webcams of wildlife

Anyone interested in viewing local wildlife may enjoy visiting the live cameras online at the James Reserve.

They feature nest boxes for various species such as Western bluebirds. This provides the scientists the opportunity to eavesdrop on the nesting behavior of the species using the boxes.

The most common species to use the boxes is Western bluebirds but violet-green swallows and chickadees use them, too. View these at [james.ucnrs.org/nestbox-webcams/](http://james.ucnrs.org/nestbox-webcams/).

For birdfeeder and other wildlife cams, visit [james.ucnrs.org/birdfeeder-webcams/](http://james.ucnrs.org/birdfeeder-webcams/).

## Nest-box walk in Lakeview

Friends of the Northern San Jacinto Valley is hosting a bird-nesting boxes hike from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, March 14, at the San Jacinto Wildlife Area, 17050 Davis Road, Lakeview. Meet at the parking lot where Samantha Dempster, naturalist and bird-nesting box specialist, will take visitors to some of the 45 nesting boxes in the area and show them how to inspect, clean and survey the boxes.

Information will be provided on how to install and maintain nesting boxes and attract a variety of cavity-nesting birds to your yards. For more information, call Sue Nash at 909-228-6710.



*Idyll Awhile Wine Shoppe Bistro raffled off a holiday basket and raised \$615 for the Idyllwild Animal Rescue Friends. The winner of the basket was **Joseph Mattioli**. It included two bottles of Dry Creek wine, two Idyll Awhile wine glasses and a two-day stay at the Rainbow Inn. Shown receiving the money is (from left) ARF representative **Janice Murasko** and Idyll Awhile Co-owner **Julie Dillon**.*

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# New policies increase adoptions at Living Free

By MARSHALL SMITH  
STAFF REPORTER

Founded in 1980, Living Free Animal Sanctuary was among the first privately funded no-kill animal sanctuaries, with a mission of rescuing cats and dogs from imminent shelter euthanasia.

And in an effort to better acquaint the mountain communities with Living Free's mission, the board has inaugurated "town meetings," prior to board meetings. The next is scheduled from 10 to 11 a.m. Saturday, March 7 at the Living Free facility in Mountain Center. "We're wide open to having the town attend these sessions, to ask questions and get to know us," said President Randall Harris. "We want to be part of the community and less isolated."

He noted the board is now more involved in creating policy and in day-to-day management. As part of that, there is a concerted move to increase public awareness within the mountain communities and off-Hill through more outreach, new branding, and website and social media campaigns. "We're committed to full transparency in how we operate," said Harris. "Now 82 cents of every dollar we take in goes to animal-related services."

"We're also working more closely with ARF. There is no competition. One thing we have is no shortage of animals who need help," said Harris.

Policy changes at Living Free have increased pet adoption rates, according to Harris. "Last year we broke adoption records for our 34-year history," said Harris. Staff now has more discretion in matching pets with prospective owners, leading to higher adoption rates. Where-

as in previous years, 25 cats and dogs might have been adopted in a single year, last year more than 200 animals found permanent homes.

Minor changes in adoption guidelines have made the difference, said Harris. Previous guidelines required a home to have a 6-foot fenced yard with a specified amount of space. "Now, there is a small-dog exception," said Harris, so smaller dogs can be adopted. "It's now on a case-by-case basis," Harris noted. "We will try to find a match for you." He stressed some fixed guidelines that cannot be altered, such as forbidding de-clawing of cats or allowing them to be adopted into mountain homes where they're allowed to go outdoors.

Also adding to increased adoptions, Harris cited construction of a puppy quarantine facility and a "kittery," allowing LF to take in young puppies and kittens and keep them isolated, monitored and medically treated until ready for adoption. "We dedicated a chunk of resources to building these new facilities so we could take in these young animals," he said.

Harris said LF rescues animals from kill shelters, saving them from euthanasia. "For every animal you adopt from Living Free, you save two lives — the one you take home and the one that can now fill the space your compassion has created," he said. [www.living-free.org](http://www.living-free.org) notes that each year, 7 million cats and dogs are abandoned to shelters and 4 million killed. The 4 million represent 3 percent of animals bought annually from breeders, retailers and puppy mills. If that 3 percent were rescued animals rather than ones purchased, there would be no euthanasia, says the site.

# Soroptimist's event focuses on human trafficking

By MARSHALL SMITH  
STAFF REPORTER

Soroptimist International of Idyllwild will feature Opal Singleton, president and CEO of Million Kids ([www.millionkids.org](http://www.millionkids.org)) and training and outreach coordinator for the Riverside County Sheriff's Anti Human Trafficking Task Force at a Wednesday, March 18, event. Singleton will present "Seduced: The Grooming of America's Teenagers" as part of Soroptimist's focus on the growing crisis of human trafficking in Riverside County.

The event is a fundraiser and silent auction with the themes of educating and ultimately eliminating human trafficking. Singleton notes in her presentation that contrary to popular belief, 72 percent or three out of every four young women pressed into human slavery in California are U.S. citizens. "Gangs can sell a gun once but can sell a woman many times," said Singleton. "Pimps can make \$150,000 to \$180,000 a year selling one young girl." She said all

parents should be concerned about the growing threat in Riverside and San Bernardino counties as illustrated by a January 2014 headline in the San Diego Union Tribune noting human trafficking had replaced gang drug sales as the highest generator of gang income in the county.

She will speak about how predators identify young targets through social media and online gaming, and how they groom and recruit them in the Inland Empire.

Singleton's mission is to educate — speaking to nonprofits and faith-based organizations about how they can create programs to protect youth most at risk.

The event, "Celebrating Women in the Arts," begins at 5:30 p.m. with a wine reception and silent auction at the Rainbow Inn at 54420 South Circle Drive, followed by Singleton's presentation at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$20, available at the door or at Prairie Dove and Muir Mountain Realty. Contact [artistscreatingchange1@gmail.com](mailto:artistscreatingchange1@gmail.com) or 951-452-4599.

## TC IN S. AFRICA

Pine Cove residents Janice Murasko and Robert Hewitt (right) escaped winter with a trip to South Africa. Here they are with safari guide Mike (left) and tracker Enoch (second from right). During their vacation, they "... spent six days on game walks and drives, followed by a week in Cape Town and wine country."

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Kindergarten and 1st-grade teacher Mrs. Tirheimer chose 1st graders Ashenara Pilkington and Crystal Patlan as students of the week saying, "both students always have a positive attitude, try their best, and are kind to others."

PHOTO BY MARSHALL SMITH



## Steele 11th at The Honda

By JACK CLARK  
PRO GOLF CORRESPONDENT

After being among the leaders the whole way — he had the outright lead for a short period about half-way through — Brendan Steele had more trouble in the Sunday/Monday fourth round at The Honda Open in Palm Beach Gardens, Florida. He didn't play poorly; he hit every green on the front nine in regulation, but none of the birdie putts would drop, so he posted nine straight pars. He picked up three bogeys on the back nine against only one birdie, which came with a 12-foot putt at the par-3 13th.

The Idyllwild native finished the final round on the PGA National course at 2-un-

der-par for the tournament in a tie for 11th. He picked up 62 FedExCup points to bring his season total to 471, and he won more than \$129,000 in official prize money.

Steele's tournament stats: He hit 63 percent of the fairways with drives averaging 298 yards, second in the field in that latter category. He reached two-thirds of the greens in regulation and needed 1.708 putts per green. He picked up 8.736 strokes tee to green, but gave back 0.404 strokes putting (or 0.101 depending upon which pgatour.com webpage you're looking at).

Steele is taking this week off.

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## Idyllwild School Orchestra at Tahquitz High



The Idyllwild School Orchestra played a concert at Tahquitz High Saturday. Director Dwight "Buzz" Holmes conducts the students. PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER

## Pizza v. Lumber



Ginger Dagnall, playing for Idyllwild Pizza Co., and Lance Fogle, of Forest Lumber, meet at the net during Town Hall Adult Volleyball Saturday afternoon at Idyllwild School. PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER

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More info & artists' online registration available at [www.artinidyllwild.org](http://www.artinidyllwild.org)





## Mountain Folk

### O'Farrell lands TV pilot

Idyllwild resident actor and Town Crier columnist **Conor O'Farrell** has landed a major role in a new TV pilot, "Silence of Games." He plays alongside **Bre Blair** and **Demetrius Grosse** as a corrupt lieutenant governor planning to make a run for Congress.

O'Farrell has had many lead and co-starring roles throughout his 35-year career, including in "Lincoln Lawyer," "Stir of Echoes," "True Blood," "CSI," "Law & Order," "The Mentalist," "Cold Case," "N.C.I.S.," "Nip & Tuck," "Desperate Housewives," "Medium," "Boston Legal," "Without a Trace" and "Buffy the Vampire Slayer."

His TC column, "Off the Leash," is published the third week of the month.

### TC in Denver



**Tom Adamson**, former Idyllwild resident now living in Salida, Colorado, at the Denver Capitol building, the "People's House," proudly holding the Town Crier. Adamson was there to receive the Direct Services Provider 2015 Award, along with his employers at Star Point on Feb. 18, Awareness Day. Adamson is employed as a support team member.

PHOTO COURTESY JENNIFER ADAMSON



Idyllwild Arts Jazz students performed at the Winter Jazz Concert on Tuesday night a week ago on campus. The theater was filled to the brim with fellow students, parents and visitors. PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER

## Jazz and drums at Idyllwild Arts



Idyllwild Arts students played with some of music's finest Thursday during a tribute to Black History Month. Musicians gathered to teach about the history of the drum from Africa to modern-day jazz. **Marshall Hawkins** organized and produced the event, which filled the Idyllwild Arts Theatre.

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## CREATURE CORNER

BY MIMI AND HOOTCH

Paws up to **Juliet**, our Chihuahua-mix. She is in the best forever home ever, and can often be seen visiting around town.



**Furball Bill** is a 3-year-old male with gorgeous champagne color. He's a bit shy, and even though he's 3, he still loves to play. He is good with other felines, and loves to watch the birds or just lie around and look stunning.

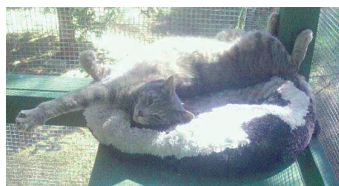
**Buddy** is a 3-year-old young husky/shepherd-mix. Such a sweet boy and so eager to learn. Bring a leash and take a stroll with this guy. Or even better, he would love a ride in the car. He loves to play, enjoys children and adults, but is not too keen on the feline crowd.

**Carly** (right) and **Sadie** are twin sisters about 2 years old. Sadie loves at-



ten-tion, especially around feeding time. Carly, on the other hand, is very shy. She only shows love to her sister. They can be adopted together or separately.

**Tommy** is in his favorite spot, lounging in the sun in the outdoor cattery. Yes, he's a big boy, but so gentle. He often can be found napping with one eye open, always checking out the birds. He is about 3 years old, very mellow with other felines and OK with dogs, and loves humans.



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This week, Creature Corner is sponsored by Idyllwild Vacation Rentals & Nugget, our office dog. To sponsor the column, call Lisa Streeter at the Town Crier, 951-659-2145.



## Past

## Tense

### 65 years ago - 1950

Ernie Maxwell and Ralph Accardi, conducting the snow survey, got lost near Hidden Lake. But Maxwell declared, "Each year we get a little less lost."

### 60 years ago - 1955

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### 55 years ago - 1960

An experiment by the U.S. Forest Service to attack beetle-infested pines by spraying insecticide from a helicopter was conducted at Chimney Flat.

### 40 years ago - 1975

It was announced that the Pacific Crest Trail, which was two-thirds built, would pass through the San Jacinto and Santa Rosa mountains. The trail, which would be the nation's longest, was scheduled for completion in 1980.

### 35 years ago - 1980

It was raining again to the dismay of Leonard Hale, general manager of the Lake Hemet Municipal Water District. Recent



Sled dog races in February 1974. FILE PHOTO

storms had badly eroded the granite below the auxiliary dam at Lake Hemet, threatening to cause a loss of an estimated 2.6 billion gallons of water.

### 30 years ago - 1985

A public hearing was held by the Riverside County Planning Department on a request to expand the Eleanor Park fast-food facility into a family-type restaurant. The applicant, Bill Hunt of Idyllwild, was the operator of the Woodpecker's Hut Git-N-Go Kitchen on the site.

### 25 years ago - 1990

Five hundred students from Idyllwild Elementary School planted 1,500 trees on the grounds of the Living Free Animal Sanctuary.

### 20 years ago - 1995

A team of Idyllwild School students were the first-place winners in The Science Olympiads regional contests. It was the first time Idyllwild School students had participated in the event, which was attended by more than 200 students representing 15 participating schools.

### 15 years ago - 2000

The Women's Guild of the Idyllwild Community Presbyterian Church gave a tribute to Grace Moore, who had recently retired after 15 years of running the church's Thrift Shop. Funny thing though, Grace seems to have forgotten that and can still be found running around the Thrift Shop.

### 10 years ago - 2005

Idyllwild's favorite poet, Stefi Chase, died at the age of 91. She had owned Idyllwild's first bookstore, The Bookend. Her poetry was published by Strawberry Valley Press, then a Town Crier publishing company, and by Idyllwild's Stonehill Books.

### 5 years ago - 2010

Idyllwild resident actor Conor O'Farrell was featured in the 10-part mini-series, "The Pacific," which aired on HBO.

### 1 year ago - 2014

Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. signed legislation to assist drought-affected communities and provide funding to better use local water supplies.

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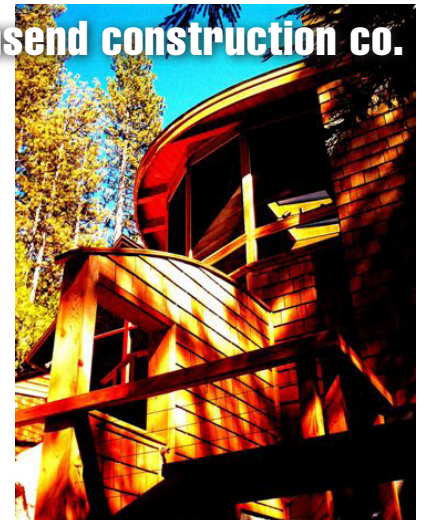
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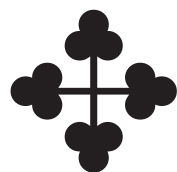
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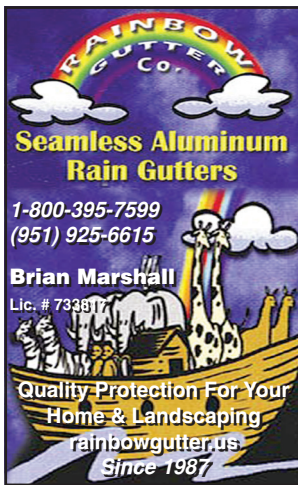
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Bearden (shown) was ecstatic as she accepted the payout, musing, "This is life-changing money." Dancing around in jubilation in front of the Survive the New Year Zombie Apocalypse drawing board, she exclaimed, "This is the best day of my life."

Soboba's "Survive the New Year" promotion ran during the months of January and February and offered players a chance to win a share of more than \$120,000 in cash and free slot play.

Soboba Casino's Director of Marketing Michael J. Broderick quipped, "We are just so happy for Karyn and all of our winners during this 'zombie-rific' event. Her odds of winning — or anyone's who was drawn for that matter — the top prize was less than 1 percent so she is one lucky lady."

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• Feb. 27 — Public intoxication, 26000 block Hwy. 243. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 27 — Alarm call, Fernleaf Dr. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 27 — Public assist, 24000 block of Fern Valley Rd. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 27 — Public disturbance, 26000 block of Hwy. 243. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 28 — Follow up, address withheld. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 25 — Noise complaint, Cedar Dr. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 26 — Grand theft, Sherman Dr. Handled by deputy.

### Pine Meadows

• Feb. 22 — Check the welfare, Hop Patch Spring Rd. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 24 — Public disturbance, Devils Ladder Rd. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 28 — Alarm call, Butterfly Peak. Handled by deputy.

### San Bernardino

#### National Forest

• Feb. 23 — Follow-up, address withheld. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 23 — Harassing phone calls, address withheld. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 24 — Prowler, 31000 block of Pine St. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 27 — Assist other department, 61000 block of E. Hwy. 74. Handled by deputy.

• Feb. 28 — Grand theft, 49000 block of E. Hwy. 74. Unfounded. Handled by deputy.

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Area	Faced	Lion	Slot
Argue	Facts	Looks	Snow
Bags	Fear	Mode	Sofa
Band	Fine	Moon	Soft
Bold	Fired	None	Solo
Call	Fully	Nose	Spill
Cord	Furry	Oils	Stew
Cried	Glare	Once	Suit
Cute	Good	Parts	Term
Dash	Hath	Plus	Twist
Data	Heard	Puts	Uses
Days	Hush	Rain	Victims
Dots	Intend	Ride	Wine
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PETER ALDANA,  
County Clerk  
By: A. Acevedo, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 19, 26, Mar. 5, 12, 2015.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as MIDDLE RIDGE, INC., MIDDLE RIDGE WINERY, LILY ROCK CELLARS, COCKTAILS SUR LIE, TALES SUR LIE, TWO CAR WINERY at 52825 Middle Ridge Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing address: PO Box 4157, Idyllwild, CA 92549. MIDDLE RIDGE, INC., 52825 Middle Ridge Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549. A California Corporation.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on 07/18/2007.

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 JOHNSTON  
President  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Feb. 9, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-01325  
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). 6064. 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  
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PETER ALDANA,  
County Clerk  
By: A. Acevedo, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 19, 26, Mar. 5, 12, 2015.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as LILY ROCK NATIVE GARDENS at 54385 North Circle Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing address: PO Box 1193, Idyllwild, CA 92549. BRONWYN ELIZABETH JONES, 25220 Palomar Road, Idyllwild CA 92549, JACKIE LYNN LASATER, 54480 Jameson Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on February 11, 2013.

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:  
BRONWYN ELIZABETH JONES  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Feb. 9, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-01327  
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  
By: A. Acevedo, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 19, 26, Mar. 5, 12, 2015.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as BALDY MOUNTAIN RANCH at 52601 Hy 74 Mountain Center Ca 92561, Riverside County. Mailing address: PO Box 10 Mountain Center CAL 92561. ALMA JEAN PETERS, 52601 Hy 74, Mountain Center Ca. 92561. 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:  
ALMA JEAN PETERS  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Feb. 17, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-01505  
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  
By: C. Berg, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 26, Mar. 5, 12, 19, 2015.**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
On Wednesday, April 1st, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. in the Board Room at the Pine Cove Water District office, 24917 Marion Ridge Rd, Idyllwild, the Board of Directors of the Pine Cove Water District will hold a public hearing for the purpose of considering all oral and written objections to the declaration by the Board of Adopting Resolution No. 503 Establishing and Reaffirming Rates and Charges for Water Service, pursuant to Article XIIIID of the California Constitution.  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 26, Mar. 5, 2014.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as MOUNTAIN RADIO NETWORK at 24410 Rocky Point RD, Pine Cove, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing address: PO Box 643, Idyllwild, CA 92549. MILE HIGH RADIO CLUB, PO Box 1204, Idyllwild, CA 92549. A California Corporation. 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 TELL  
President  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Feb. 17, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-01546  
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  
By: C. Berg, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 26, Mar. 5, 12, 19, 2015.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as WNKI 578 - 1610 AM at 54160 Maranatha DR, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing address: PO Box 1204, Idyllwild, CA 92549. MILE HIGH RADIO CLUB, PO Box 1204, Idyllwild, CA 92549. A California Corporation. 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 TELL  
President  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Feb. 17, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-01545  
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  
By: C. Berg, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 26, Mar. 5, 12, 19, 2015.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as ALEXANDERS CONSTRUCTION at 53640 Idyllbrook, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing address: PO Box 855, Idyllwild, CA 92549. JAMES JAY ALEXANDER, 53640 Idyllbrook, Idyllwild, CA 92549.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on April 1994.

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:  
JAMES JAY ALEXANDER  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Feb. 5, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-01202  
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  
By: S. Berry, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 12, 19, 26, Mar. 5, 2015.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as THE GREEN ANGEL at 45525 Hwy 79 S. #378 Aguang Ca, Riverside County. Mailing address: PO Box 952, Aguang, CA 92536. RHONDA BOERSMA (GAYLE), 45525 Hwy 79 S #308, Aguang, CA 92536. 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:  
RHONDA BOERSMA (GAYLE)  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Jan. 27, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-00858  
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  
By: A. Ribac, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 12, 19, 26, Mar. 5, 2015.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as JOE LABS at 29049 Hidden Meadow Drive, Menifee, CA 92584, Riverside County. JOSEPH ALLEN WINN, 29049 Hidden Meadow Drive, Menifee CA 92584. 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:  
JOSEPH A WINN  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Jan. 16, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-00556  
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CERTIFICATION  
I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office.

PETER ALDANA,  
County Clerk  
By: K. Moore, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 12, 19, 26, Mar. 5, 2015.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as NGC INDUSTRIES at 12741 Magnolia Ave, Riverside, CA 92503, Riverside County. INLAND EMPIRE INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES, INC., 12741 Magnolia Ave, Riverside CA 92503. A California Corporation. 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:  
JEFF MCNAMARA  
President  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Feb. 3, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-01090  
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  
By: D. Santana, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 12, 19, 26, Mar. 5, 2015.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as MGT NETWORKS at 53825 Marian View Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing address: PO Box 3027, Idyllwild, CA 92549. MICHAEL TIM GUSTIN, 53825 Marian View Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549. This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on January 1, 2002.

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:  
MICHAEL TIM GUSTIN  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Feb. 3, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-01056  
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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County Clerk  
By: D. Santana, Deputy  
**Pub. TC: Feb. 12, 19, 26, Mar. 5, 2015.**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as EAGLE EYE REALTY, TIGHTWAD REALTY at 53651 Hwy 371, #42, Anza, CA 92539, Riverside County. Mailing address: SAME. SANDRA NELL WILKS, 53651 Hwy 371, #42, Anza, CA 92539. 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:  
SANDRA NELL WILKS  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Jan. 30, 2015.

FILE NO.: R-2015-00979  
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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## Birth Keenan Wallace Garcia Lande

Sean Lande and Teresa Garcia-Lande are proud to announce the arrival of their son, Keenan Wallace Garcia Lande.

Keenan weighed 6.157 pounds at birth and was 21-1/2 inches long.

He was welcomed by older brothers Jacob and Jimmy Lande, and sister Kaysa Garcia.



## Stone's legislation would limit boards' payback

By J.P. CRUMRINE  
NEWS EDITOR

Sen. Jeff Stone (R-Riverside County) introduced legislation that will reduce political patronage and save the taxpayers of California several million dollars.

Where allowed by law, Senate Bill 281 will set the annual salary of members of more than a dozen state boards and commissions at \$12,000 annually. Currently appointed members of these often part-time boards are paid salaries that can reach more than \$120,000 per year.

On the same day Stone introduced his legislation, Gov. Jerry Brown appointed a former state senator, Ellen Corbet, to the California Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board and her annual salary will be \$128,109.

"Californians are being taxed more than ever before, and our students at UC and CSU campuses are starting at tuition increases," said Stone. "It seems tone-deaf that we are paying large salaries to people on boards and commissions who too often have little experience other

than being termed-out legislators."

Most people on these boards are doing a great service to the people of California, Stone said. However, in some cases these appointments are used as a way of taking care of former legislators by offering them high-paying positions in areas where they have little expertise.

"People who serve in these largely part-time posts should treat their appointments as a public service instead of a full-time patronage positions," Stone said.

J.P. Crumrine can be reached at [jp@towncrier.com](mailto:jp@towncrier.com).

### Free community healing offered

Christina Nordella offers free, 15-minute healing sessions from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month at St. Hugh's Episcopal Church. The next date is April 7.

She is a 15-year Jin Shin Jyutsu practitioner, Reiki master and Shaman. The sessions are on a first-come, first-serve basis.

## Legals

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County Clerk  
By: K. Moore, Deputy

Pub. TC: Feb. 12, 19, 26, Mar. 5, 2015.

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that a public lien sale of the following described Personal property will be held at the hour of 1:00 p.m. March 23rd 2015 At Perris Mini Storage, 369 East Third Street In The City of Perris, County of Riverside State of California. The items to be sold are generally described as follows: household items, misc. furniture, Misc. tools and equipment. This notice is given in accordance with the provisions of section 21700 ET. Seq. Of The Business And Professions Code Of the State Of California.

Manager - Rolando Corral  
Publish Dates: March 5th and March 12th  
RE: Notice of Public Sale  
Misc. Household Items; Furniture; Tools and Equip.  
RE: 3071 of Vehicle Code

Perris Mini Storage  
369 East Third Street  
Perris, CA 92570  
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Maribel Villareal

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Socorro Cruz/ Robert Lizardo

Pursuant to section 3071 of the vehicle code, the following vehicle will be sold at public auction for the purpose of unpaid storage///

Auction to be held on AT 1:00 PM Perris Mini Storage

Rolando Corral - Manager  
American Auction Service  
FS8632014

Pub. TC: March 5 and 12, 2015.

#### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as ABLE TREE SERVICE at 32910 Ridge Oak Rd, Wildomar, CA 92595, Riverside County. JANICE DARLENE GILLILAN, 32910 Ridge Oak Rd, Wildomar, CA 92595.

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:  
JANICE DARLENE GILLILAN  
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on Feb. 25, 2015.

FILE NO.:  
R-2015-01902  
NOTICE — IN ACCORDANCE WITH  
SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A

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PETER ALDANA,  
County Clerk  
By: J. Hylton, Deputy

Pub. TC: March 5, 12, 19, 26, 2015.

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that a public lien sale of the following described Personal property will be held at the hour of 11:30 am on March 19th, 2015 at: Lockaway Storage, 1181 N. State Street, in the city of Hemet, County of Riverside, State of California. The items to be sold are generally described as follows: household items, misc. furniture, boxes, misc. tools & equipment. This notice is given in accordance with the provisions of section 21700 ET. Seq. of the Business and Professions Code of the State of California.  
Grant, Angela C102

Billar, Larry C306

Huffman, Rick D302

Ramirez, Michael E106

Winbush, Aumuniqu H19

Auction to be held on March 19th, 2015 @ 11:30 AM.

Lockaway Storage Hemet  
American Auction Service  
Bond # FS8632014

Pub. TC: March 5 and 12, 2015.

#### RIC 1502382 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 4050 Main St.  
Riverside, CA 92501.

PETITION OF TAO JIN HAIHONG XU.  
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner: TAO JIN HAIHONG XU filed a petition with this court for a decree changing name as follows:

a. Present name: CANGO ANNIE JIN changed to Proposed name: ANNIE CANGO JIN.

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: 4/10/15 Time: 8:30 AM 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: Idyllwild Town Crier.

Date: FEB 27 2015  
JOHN W VINEYARD  
JUDGE JOHN W VINEYARD OF THE  
SUPERIOR COURT

Pub. TC: March 5, 12, 19, 26, 2015.

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# Idyllwild Fire may change election dates

By J.P. CRUMRINE  
NEWS EDITOR

The traditional late August special district election of fire commissioners may change in a few years. Idyllwild Fire Protection District President Jerry Buchanan asked his colleagues to consider a proposal to shift IFPD's future elections to November general election ballots.

"It would give a better opportunity for more people to vote," Buchanan said. "August is a typical vacation time."

The November elections in even-numbered years alternate between presidential and gubernatorial elections, which have traditionally generated greater turnout than the late-summer mail-in elections.

Even though state and county turnout was historically low for the 2014 election, 63 percent of Idyllwild registered voters went to the polls in November. A total of 965 ballots were cast in the Idyllwild precinct four months

ago compared to the about 591 in IFPD's 2013 election.

The average number of Idyllwild registered voters casting ballots in the four general elections since 2008 was 1,310 compared to an average of 652 ballots cast in the past four IFPD elections.

The actual cost to conduct the election, about \$4,000, would not change. The district will have to pay about \$800 for a one-time notice to voters of the change in the election procedures, according to Buchanan.

The Riverside County Board of Supervisors must approve the change before it is implemented, Buchanan said. Also, it would not change the election scheduled for this summer, August 2015. The first election for which it would apply would be the commissioners whose terms are to end in December 2017.

Commissioners Rhonda Andrewson, Jeannine Charles-Stigall and Nancy Layton were all elected for four-year terms in August 2013. If the election were moved to a general election, their terms would be extended until December 2018, an additional year, Bu-

chanan added.

The three-month period between the August election and the term beginning in December was Buchanan's second argument in favor the change. He felt this was a long time to wait until being sworn into office.

In financial business, the commission received its first actuarial study of current and future retiree health-care costs. These type of studies are now required for all government levels, pursuant to the General Accounting Standards board.

If all the current employees continue their careers with IFPD until retirement and live an expected life span, IFPD's estimated total cost for retiree benefits will be about \$646,000. The consultant, Total Compensation Systems Inc., estimates the annual cost would be about \$40,000.

To amortize the total unfunded liability for retiree benefits (excluding pensions which IFPD funds through CALPERS), IFPD would have to set aside about \$46,000 annually, according to the study.

Fire Chief Patrick Reitz said the study's results would be incorporated into the district's 2013-14 audit, which he expects to be available at the March meeting.

"It gives us a base to start from and does give us more information if we want to refinance," he told the commission.

In other finance matters, the commission agreed to review the current year budget and make any needed adjustments next month, too.

The commission approved the appointment of Calvin Gogerty to the district's Finance Committee. Gogerty was formerly the alternate citizen member of the committee. An application for the alternate position will be available on the district's website, idyllwildfire.com.

The commission also reviewed the fire ambulance report for January. Andrewson again expressed some concern about the number of reported false alarms.

Reitz explained that limitations on the reporting system result in an over-reporting of the number of false alarms. In many cases, he said, "No one is in violation. It's regular ringing but for a valid reason." As an example, Reitz described a local establishment where the wind changed and brought some smoke in through another entrance activating the alarm, although there was neither fire nor smoke from burning material.

J.P. Crumrine can be reached at [jp@towncrier.com](mailto:jp@towncrier.com).

## Ambulances

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the other less than 25,000 miles compared to the district's ambulances which both have more than 100,000 miles, with one approaching 150,000 miles.

Another \$10,000 investment per ambulance will be needed to get them ready for use, including equipment, he estimated.

The district has sufficient cash reserves for the purchase, according to President Jerry Buchanan, who said in an email announcing the successful acquisition, "We currently have sufficient cash flow to handle the purchase if we decide to use our own funds instead of a loan or lease."

Reitz will investigate financing options over the next several weeks. If he identifies financing beneficial to the district, Buchanan said the commission will discuss it at the March meeting.

"If we choose to finance them, the chief will be coming back at the next meeting on financing terms and our best options. This



One of the two new ambulances the Idyllwild Fire Department acquired last week was parked at the station Monday.

PHOTO BY J.P. CRUMRINE

way we do not need to rush the process as financing is tough to hurry," he added.

When asked what will happen to the two existing ambulances, Reitz told the commission, "I'd like to keep at least one for reserve. The other can go down the road or equip for transport for the volunteers."

J.P. Crumrine can be reached at [jp@towncrier.com](mailto:jp@towncrier.com).

## Career Vision Workshop on Saturday

The Inland Library System is sponsoring a Career Vision Workshop from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 7, at the Idyllwild Library.

No registration is required for this free event but arrive early as space is limited and bring a lunch.

This workshop is described as providing out-of-the-box, innovative and imaginative ideas that turn the job search process from reactive to proactive and puts the job seeker or career changer in the driver's seat to finally "get," not "have," to go to work.



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