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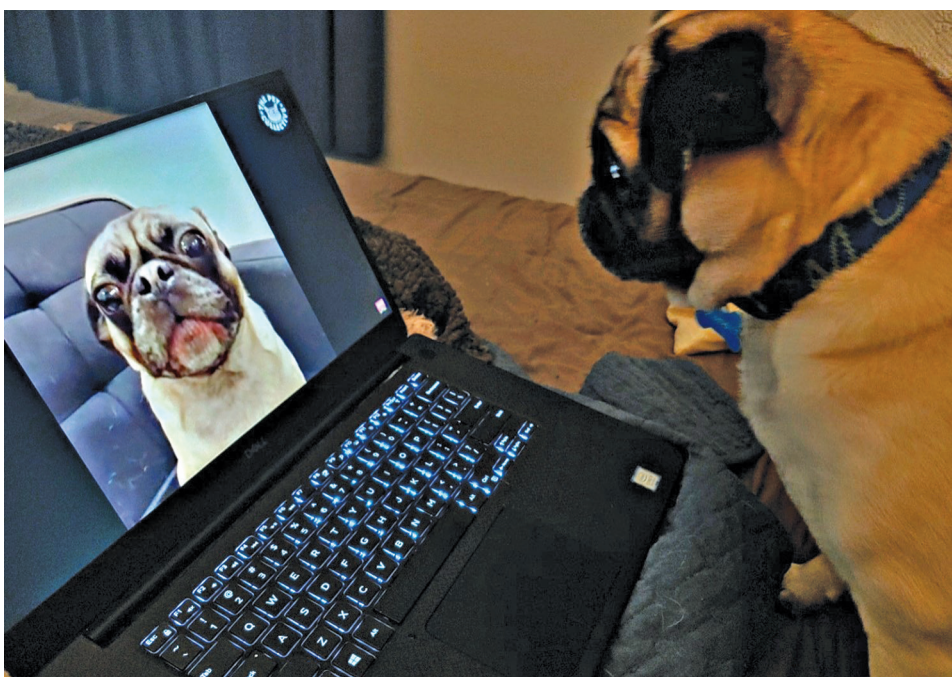
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**Luke Riedel** is on the laptop catching up with his sister **Leia** via Zoom. For more local family photos, see page B2. PHOTO BY MONIQUE RIEDEL

# State preps for wildfires

By **JENNY KIRCHNER**  
REPORTER/PHOTOGRAPHER

On July 9, Gov. Gavin Newsom held a press conference at McClellan Air Force Base in Sacramento about the state's wildfire preparedness efforts. According to Newsom, there were 628 fires the first week of July in the state of California and 4,112 wildfires from July of last year to July of this year, as of the press conference.

It's no secret that wildfire season has

extended over the years. We almost don't come out of fire season anymore and living in a mountain community like Idyllwild, we have to be aware and vigilant.

"We were able to pass a \$54.3 billion budget this year," Newsom said. Of that \$54.3 billion, \$285 million will go towards the purchase of a dozen Black Hawk helicopters (capable of flying at night), new camera equipment and Technosylva services. (Technosylva is a company that "provides advanced

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Gov. **Gavin Newsom** speaks to the public about fire season during a press conference on July 9 at McClellan Air Force Base. IMAGE COURTESY OF THE OFFICE OF GOV. GAVIN NEWSOM



# Want to be an IFPD commissioner?

By **MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ**  
EDITOR

Another Idyllwild Fire Protection District (IFPD) commissioner resigned, the second one this year. Jerry Buchanan resigned last week and IFPD is soliciting resumes with a cover letter to fill the position. The deadline to submit a resume and cover letter is 5 p.m. on July 23. The next IFPD board meeting is 3 p.m. Tuesday, July 28.

"After nearly nine years of serving on the board, it is time for me to spend

as much time as possible with my family," wrote Buchanan on his reason for resigning.

The board will determine how to move forward with the vacancy at its July 28 meeting. Buchanan's seat is up for election in November.

Earlier this year, Larry Donahoo, whose seat is also up for election in November, resigned for personal reasons. His seat was filled at IFPD's June 30 meeting. Only one person, Dan Messina, submitted a resume and was unanimously approved by the board to fill the vacant seat left by Donahoo.

## COVID-19 LOCAL UPDATE

# Plans for the new school year in progress

By **MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ**  
EDITOR

The 2020/21 school year is just around the corner and the Hemet Unified School District (HUSD) will be updating its plan in response to the governor's press conference last Friday.

As of press time, there are still no COVID-19-related deaths reported for the area of Idyllwild-Pine Cove and there are a total of 10 reported cases since the outbreak, according to the Riverside University Health System – Public Health (RUHS) website.

Because Riverside County is unable to provide recovery data by area, it is unknown how many of the 10 total cases are active since the area's first reported case on April 3.

HUSD was set to discuss its reopening plan for the 2020/21 school year at its board meeting Tuesday, July 21. The Town Crier goes to press before the meeting so we will cover that update in next week's edition. HUSD families received the following communication from the district over the weekend: "In light of the most recent California Department of Public Health order the District is anticipating opening the 2020-2021 school year via an online learning model. At the next regularly scheduled Board Meeting, Tuesday, July 21, the Governing Board will take action regarding the instructional model that HUSD will implement at the beginning of the new school year. Communication regarding our updated plan for the 2020-21 school year will be sent to families on Wednesday."

As of press time on July 21, Riverside County has  
*See COVID-19, page A5*

# Steele T13 at the Memorial

By **JACK CLARK**  
PRO GOLF CORRESPONDENT

Brendan Steele posted a 1-over par 68-75-71-75 — 289 on a tough Muirfield Village Course last week to tie for 13th place. Play was interrupted more than once because of threatening weather.

This marked his fourth top-20 finish in 16 PGA Tour starts this pandemic-impacted season. Three of the four were top-six finishes — two of those he finished in the

*Brendan moved up to 39th on the FedExCup list and is currently ranked the 100th best player in the world on the Official World Golf Ranking.*

top four. He finished second at the Sony Open early this year.

The Idyllwild native's stats indicate that he played well all-around last week with drives averaging 304.5 yards finding 62.5% of the fairways, while hitting 61% of the greens in regulation and gaining 0.721 strokes on the field with the putter.

Brendan moved up to 39th on the FedExCup list and is currently ranked the 100th best player in the world on the Official World Golf Ranking.

Brendan has this week off.



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Wildfires

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GIS-enabled [geographic information system] software solutions for wildfire protection planning, operational response & firefighter and public safety,” according to their website).

While a majority of fire personnel are seasonal and not full-time, Newsom added, “We are also adding an additional 172 full-time permanent staff members to Cal Fire. It’s a significant increase.”

COVID-19 has added an extra layer while dealing with fire season. During these COVID times, things have had to change to keep fire personnel safe.

“One thing we recognize is if we are going to count on our front-line employees and make these kinds of investments, we have to keep them safe and COVID-free,” Newsom added.

“It is of the utmost importance that we keep our crews healthy so they can continue their work and that we adjust evacuation and shelter plans to protect communities from the spread of COVID-19,” Cal Fire Director Chief Thom Porter said.

Porter also pleaded with the public, “We need you as the public to wear your masks. Your mask is what’s going to keep you safe from infections coming into your

*“We need you to be vigilant. Call in fires. Note suspicious activity. Just in 2020, we have already arrested 45 arsonists. That is because of tips that come from you.” — Cal Fire Director Chief Thom Porter*

community and keep our firefighters and emergency responders safe from taking infection out into their population.”

According to a press release, some of the actions Cal Fire has been taking to help protect fire personnel from COVID-19 are holding virtual briefings and keeping non-essential base camp staff off site. The California Department of Social Services (CDSS) and California Governor’s Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) have updated mass care and sheltering protocols to include health screenings, pre-packaged meals and dedicated cleaning staff and medical professionals on-site, including mental health professionals.

Another critical action that has been taken this fire season is holding utility companies responsible if they don’t follow safety shut-off orders. The governor signed SB 350, which put into place heavy consequences if companies don’t act safely, including a company takeover if seen fit, according to the press release.

“We have much more oversight at the Public Utilities Commission,” Newsom said. “We also have a new capacity that allows us to take PG&E over if they are not performing on the expectation and mandates we have set forward. We are about safe, reliable and affordable

service, more oversight and more accountability.”

With the officials doing their part, they also ask the public to do theirs.

“We need you to be vigilant,” Porter reminded the public. “Call in fires. Note suspicious activity. Just in 2020, we have already arrested 45 arsonists. That is because of tips that come from you.”

“We will continue to commit to aggressive initial attack,” Porter said. “If we can keep fires small, we will do everything in our power to do so. We will make it happen. We have the air fleet to do so.”

If an evacuation happens, agencies are planning on how to evacuate the public safely and doing their best to make sure everyone’s health is accounted for.

“This year, we are doing some things a little differently,” Cal OES Director Mark Ghilarducci said. “We may be putting you into hotels for families and individuals so they aren’t congregating. If you do go to a shelter, there will be requirements. There will be temperature checks, mandatory mask-wearing. We will set up shelters with social distancing.”

According to the press release, not only are hotel rooms a possibility for evacuation shelters, college dormitories, Airbnbs, fairgrounds, and campgrounds are also a possibility that would allow individuals and families to shelter in non-congregate settings.

“This is a partnership that also includes all of you,” Ghilarducci said in closing. “It’s not just a government issue.”

With fire season here, please be aware and as vigilant as possible. Pay attention, have an evacuation plan in place, and if you’re told to evacuate, do so. It’s for everyone’s safety.

FVWD board pushes back on vehicle purchase

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ  
EDITOR

Almost a month after the Fern Valley Water District (FVWD) board passed its FY 2020/21 budget — which included the up to \$60,000 expenditure for a new vehicle equipped with safety lights and radio for newly appointed Assistant General Manager Jessica Priefer when out in the field — the board pushed back on the allocation.

However, during the meeting the board made suggestions such as equipping Priefer’s own personal vehicle with safety equipment and questioned how insurance would play into that plan.

General Manager Victor Jimenez fired back, asking the board what is the price of Priefer’s life in the event an accident did occur? The item was tabled to the August board meeting so more detailed information regarding all-available options could be gathered.

The district’s office will remain closed for the time being due to safety concerns amid the pandemic.

With respect to the pipeline replacement project, the board voted on a payment for the remaining change order in the amount of \$97,273.86. Board member Jim Rees voted against the approval of the extra work completed by El-Co Contractors, Inc., citing it was too much money.

Jimenez gave his general manager’s report that included the repair of a small leak on Cougar Road, inspecting properties affected by the upcoming pressure change in the system and preparing to implement the new pressure regulating stations.

Jimenez wrote in his report, “El-Co Contractors, Inc. has completed the pressure regulating stations and we will be placing them in service as soon as we complete our due diligence regarding pressure regulators and confirm and plan existing main alterations.”

The administrative staff, which includes Priefer and Jimenez, worked on completing the FY 2019/20 year-end reports, preparing new fiscal year projects and purchases, assisting field crew and printing and mailing the 2020 Consumer Confidence Report to all customers.



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Riverside County Health hosted a one-day mobile COVID-19 testing site on Tuesday, July 21 at the Mountain Resource Center on Franklin Drive. According to staff, about 250 people signed up to get tested for COVID-19.

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Saturday 7/25



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Sunday 7/26



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Monday 7/27



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Tuesday 7/28



88/61

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Find the latest weather information from the National Weather Service at [www.weather.gov](https://www.weather.gov).

Idyllwild this year

Date	High	Low	M	S
07/14	84	55	0.00	x
07/15	86	51	0.00	x
07/16	88	52	0.00	x
07/17	86	56	0.00	x
07/18	88	54	0.00	x
07/19	86	55	0.00	x
07/20	88	54	0.00	x


Idyllwild last year

Date	High	Low	M	S
07/14	92	54	0.00	0.0
07/15	91	57	0.00	0.0
07/16	86	51	0.00	0.0
07/17	86	49	0.00	0.0
07/18	83	49	0.00	0.0
07/19	82	47	0.00	0.0
07/20	84	49	0.00	0.0

The Town Crier's Idyllwild daily high and low temperatures and rain and snow totals in the past were taken directly from the National Weather Service website, which gets its Idyllwild weather

information from automatic weather sensing equipment at Idyllwild Fire Station, an official NWS COOP reporter. [We are seeking reliable Idyllwild and Pine Cove full-time residents to provide this information. Residents who follow CoCoRaHS procedures would be strongly preferred. CoCoRaHS is an organization of private, amateur weather observers that provides carefully collected data for use by the NWS. If you are interested in providing us with rain and snow reports, please contact [jack@town-crier.com](mailto:jack@town-crier.com) or (951) 659-2145.]

Our weather season is July 1 to June 30. Our season totals now have been corrected for the period July 1 through September 17, 2018, which prior to this issue of the TC had been in error. For Hill road conditions and Hill weather, visit us on the Internet at [www.idyllwildtowncrier.com](https://www.idyllwildtowncrier.com) or call Caltrans road update at 1-800-427-7623.



It was a hot and sunny July day in Idyllwild Tuesday.

PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER





Greetings Idyllwild Community,

I am tremendously excited to share with you the appointment of Marianne Kent-Stoll to the position of Head of School at Idyllwild Arts, effective immediately. I will remain in the role of President.

When I came to Idyllwild Arts Academy in 2014, it was the intention of the Board of Trustees to have a President as well as a Head of School. In 2016, it was necessary to combine the role of President and Head of School in order to achieve greater continuity across the entire Idyllwild Arts Foundation, as well as the Academy.

Idyllwild Arts is now embarking on the school's next strategic plan, which will shape the future of Idyllwild Arts for the next five years and beyond. An anonymous donor has generously agreed to support our efforts. We are pleased to begin work with Michael Kaiser, former President of the Kennedy Center, to create strategic planning goals and a Board Development Plan. In addition, the school will conduct an Environmental/Sustainability Audit, a Campaign Feasibility Study, and a Marketing Implementation Plan. To support my work with the Board of Trustees and to position the school to advance our mission, vision, and goals, it is with great honor that I make this appointment.

Marianne started at Idyllwild Arts in 2012 as Dean of Academics. In 2016, she was appointed Assistant Head of School. In 2019, she became a member of the senior leadership team of Idyllwild Arts Foundation and was appointed Vice President, Educational Programs. In this role, Marianne worked closely with teachers to support enhanced curricular offerings. She strengthened relationships among Academy leadership and removed divisions between academic and arts departments, and supported our teachers' exploration of new methodologies, enhanced technologies in the classroom, and collaborative work within and across departments.

In addition to working tirelessly for our school community, she has created partnerships with other communities, such as the relationship she initiated with Red Cloud Indian School on Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, in South Dakota. This partnership has led to Lakota artists giving master classes at Idyllwild Arts and Lakota student interest and enrollment in our Academy and Summer Program.

Marianne brings more than 35 years of experience in education to this position. In the last 18 years of her career she has served in leadership roles. Marianne and her husband, Don Stoll, are deeply committed to Tanzania, East Africa, where they founded the nonprofit organization, Karimu International Help Foundation.

Please join me in congratulating Marianne Kent-Stoll. We are fortunate to have her as the educational leader of Idyllwild Arts Academy.

Warmly,

*Pamela Jordan*

Pamela Jordan  
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# The Town Crier office is open, just use your phone. We will get through this!

By JACK CLARK  
CO-PUBLISHER

We're still open for all the services we usually provide. But, for the safety of our staff, the Town Crier office will do its business by phone. You can call from your home, your place of work — you can even talk to Mandy by phone while sharing smiles through our front office window — and you can slip papers under the door. But we want to eliminate person-to-person contact as much as possible during these COVID times for the safety of everybody.

And, please, let's all help get California back on its feet as quick as we can by wearing our masks whenever we're out and keeping social distancing as much as possible for the duration. You know, my parents went through an even worse virus pandemic as tots, then the Great Depression as teens, then the Second World War in their twenties. That's a lot of negativity for one young generation.

We will get through this, too — full-timers, part-timers and all you Town Crier Members out there who count as extended members of our Hill community — all of us.

So, let's pull together, each of us doing his and her part to get our community well and back to normal as soon as we can — masks and distancing, everybody!

Once again, a huge thank you to all you Members who keep renewing and to all you Members joining us just now. And a thank you to our Advertisers! You are all helping to keep a real newspaper serving our community.



An exterior shot of the new Town Crier office.  
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*So, let's pull together, each of us doing his and her part to get our community well and back to normal as soon as we can — masks and distancing, everybody!*

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### Abatement inspection update

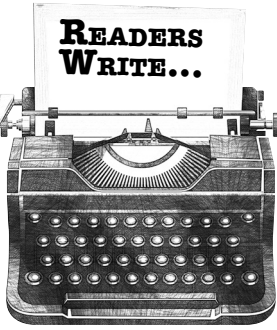
DEAR EDITOR:

(Editor's note: Chuck Weisbart wrote a letter to the editor published on June 18 expressing concern about abatement requirements not being enforced for absent property owners. Here's his follow-up about the situation in his neighborhood.)

Ralph Hoetger, president of the Idyllwild Fire Protection District (IFPD) board, and Chief Mark LaMont came out to walk the lot in question.

When crossing paths with Hoetger, I was informed that after the walking of said lot a notice of abatement was sent to the owner of the lot. There has been no formal response from the fire department.

As it's been about 30 days, we are unaware if a citation has been issued. When we asked about prior years notices and citations etc., LaMont stated they could only find notices from 2019 and those were the only records he could find.



No mention of a citation or follow-up. The lot hasn't been cleaned in the 10 years we have been here and it looks like IFPD just goes through the motions with no follow-up and even less follow-through.

How IFPD wears a Teflon coat and is never held responsible for what the residents are paying them to do is beyond me!

CHUCK WEISBART  
IDYLLWILD

### Wearing masks

DEAR EDITOR:

Do you wear a seat belt in your car?  
Do you obey the speed limit?  
Do you wear a helmet when riding your motorcycle?  
Do you stop at a stop sign?  
These are all laws and regulations created to save your life or someone else's life. Wearing a face covering is exactly the same.

It isn't taking anything away from your freedoms but certainly can save a life! Wearing a face covering can get us over this crisis quicker and on with the freedoms we all enjoy.

None of us likes to wear a mask but you can do it!  
SANDY REED  
IDYLLWILD

## IWD director calls out the TC and the TC pushes back

By JACK AND BECKY CLARK  
CO-PUBLISHERS

Since Idyllwild Water District (IWD) Director Dave Hunt is a public official, he surely is aware that his public utterances are of interest to the public he serves. He hardly could be more public with his utterances than to send them directly to the editor — or to the publishers — of his local newspaper, which he did on July 1 and again on July 17. Standard protocol is that comments to the news media are never "off the record" unless both parties clearly agree in advance. ... And we do not keep secret the remarks of

public officials.

Hunt's most recent email reads, in relevant part, as follows:  
"Jack and Becky,

"I don't know what your editor's obsession is with Hosny Shouman, but after seeing the Past Tense mention in One-Year Ago it's starting to look to me like harassment based on cultural discrimination! Employees everywhere get performance evaluations all the time, yet somehow he gets singled out.... Employees everywhere use their earned PTO for various legitimate reasons, but again he gets singled out! I know that the editor has 'someone special' whispering in her ear, but every time she submits another PRA request in an attempt to investigate a scandal where there is none, it just costs IWD ratepayers more and more money! It sounds like the numerous [name of private citizen deleted] complaints, but now it just seems like harassment based on cultural discrimination. Really sorry to see this from the Town Crier!"

First off, Town Crier Editor Melissa Diaz Hernandez does not direct the content of the Past Tense column, which is researched and written each week by another TC staffer without her input. Hunt's suggestion or accusation to us, her employers, of "cultural discrimination" on her part is demeaning and devoid of justification.

Hunt also complains that our editor's California Public Record Act requests cost IWD time and money

to answer. It is now a matter of public record that as a result of IWD Directors' firing of General Manager Michael Creighton last year, IWD is now financing the legal defense of Creighton's \$578,476 damages lawsuit for wrongful termination. Yet Hunt objects to the costs to IWD of responding to our editor's requests to view public records regarding this and other unusual IWD matters?

We do note that Hunt is the sole member of the IWD Board of Directors to be mentioned by name in Creighton's complaint against IWD — no less than three times in Exhibit B thereto.

A story in last week's TC issue related that not long after Creighton's firing, IWD Chief Financial Officer Hosny Shouman self-authorized a \$12,083 payout to himself by cashing out 160 hours of his own accumulated Paid Time Off. We note that in 2014 a similar such payout authorization to Shouman required two approving signatures those of the GM and the IWD board president. So, what changed at IWD since then that allowed Shouman to solely authorize a payout to himself? No longer a need for the board president's signature? One would think that in the absence of a GM the board president's authorization would be even more necessary.

The Creighton firing also deserves, and will receive, public investigation. On Sept. 17, 2019, Creighton, the top executive at IWD at

that time, wrote a formal letter of reprimand to IWD Chief Financial Officer Hosny Shouman regarding an independent investigation that was adverse to Shouman. IWD paid the law firm Aarvig & Associates to investigate accusations that Shouman had been harassing and bullying members of IWD's female staff.

A week later, on Sept. 25, 2019, Creighton wrote a letter of unacceptable performance to Shouman reprimanding him for granting an employee's "Supplemental Pay Authorization" request without the authority to do so and for giving employees incorrect information and advice regarding how to use their Paid Time Off.

Later that same day, the IWD Board of Directors fired Creighton.

These are curious circumstances indeed. The general manager formally reprimands the chief financial officer for harassing and bullying employees, which was confirmed by an independent investigation paid for by IWD's directors, and the directors fire ... the general manager?

The GM then sues IWD for well more than a half-million dollars ... and the local newspaper is remiss for investigating this? We would be remiss if we did not.

There is now a great deal of taxpayer and ratepayer money on the line at IWD due to the decisions of its board of directors, of which Dave Hunt is a member.

And, yes, the Town Crier is investigating.



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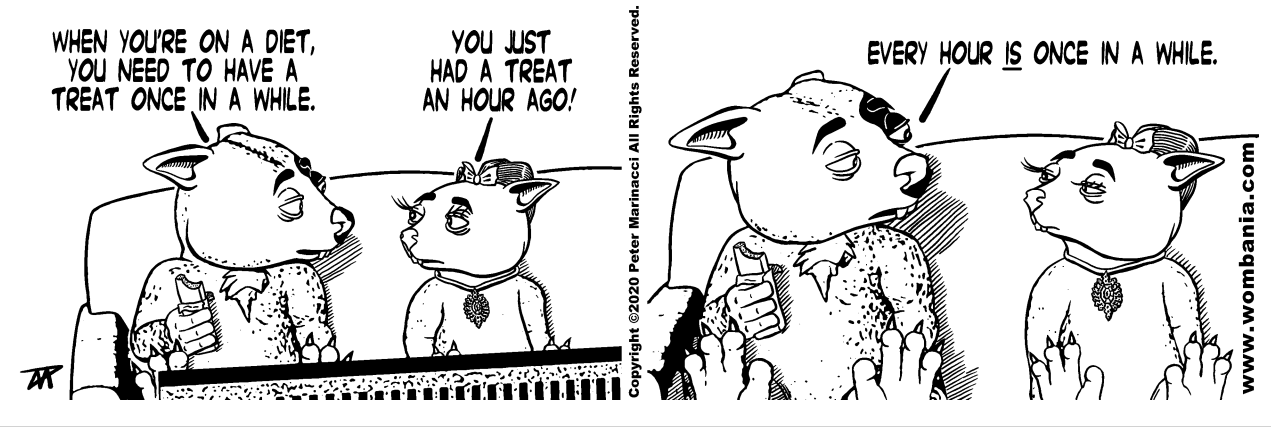
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COVID-19

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30,890 confirmed COVID-19 cases. There are 589 deaths related to COVID-19 and 11,058 people have recovered. There are 536 individuals being hospitalized and of those 135 are in the intensive care unit (ICU).

As of press time on July 14, Riverside County had 26,481 confirmed COVID-19 cases. There were 553 deaths related to COVID-19 and 9,893 people had recovered. There were 536 individuals being hospitalized and of those 136 were in the ICU.

As of press time on July 7, Riverside County had 21,101 confirmed COVID-19 cases. There were 506 deaths related to COVID-19 and 8,896 people had recovered. There were 518 individuals being hospitalized and of those 130 were in the ICU.

To date, 329,415 people have been tested for COVID-19 in Riverside County, according to RUHS. The age range with the most confirmed cases is 18- to 39-year-olds. The two demographics with the highest number of cases are Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander and Hispanic/Latino.

The county announced last week as the Town Crier was going to press that a “team of federal doctors and nurses are arriving at Eisenhower Health hospital Thursday [July 16] to support the facility as the hospital copes with the influx of coronavirus patients.”

“The federal support will provide much-needed assistance to Eisenhower at a time when the entire medical system deals with the rise in coronavirus cases,” said Bruce Barton, director of the County of Riverside Emergency Management Department. “That assistance will make a difference for those who are being impacted by this virus that has taken so many lives.”

“The hospital is nearing capacity in our ICU and on our COVID-19 units,” says Alan Williamson, M.D., chief medical officer at Eisenhower Health. “Currently, we only have three more ‘staffed’ beds available in the ICU. Additionally, we are approaching 80% of bed capacity within the hospital, but are at virtually 100% of our staffing capacity. We are grateful for the support from FEMA and its Air Force Medical response team. It comes at a critical time.”

The county is urging residents and visitors to follow the state’s face covering requirement in common and public indoor spaces and outdoors when distancing is not possible. In addition to covering your face, the county also urges everyone to keep 6 feet of distance and wash their hands. The county is on the state’s COVID-19 watch list due to the increase of case numbers and hospitalizations.

In a recent press release, Riverside County health officials reminded all residents there is still a statewide stay-at-home order. Businesses have been allowed to open only to be shut down again.

COVID-19 testing

COVID-19 testing is available for those with or without symptoms. Testing is free and available for everyone.

Residents can visit [www.rivcoph.org/coronavirus/testing](http://www.rivcoph.org/coronavirus/testing) to schedule an appointment online or call 800-945-6171 between the hours of 8 a.m. and 10 p.m. to make an appointment over the phone for drive-up testing. Looking for a shorter wait time when calling to make an appointment? The county suggests calling between the hours of 5 and 10 p.m.

Riverside County hosted another one-day mobile COVID-19 testing unit at the Mountain Resource Center on Franklin Drive Tuesday, July 21. According to staff, 250 people signed up to get tested. The county hosted the first mobile testing in the area in June at the Idyllwild Library.

State testing sites are also operational in Riverside County. To make an appointment, visit <https://lhi.care/covidtesting> or call 888-634-1123.

Fern Creek Medical Center in Idyllwild offers a COVID-19 antibody test.

Reopening

In addition to the closure of all bars shortly after reopening, restaurants, wineries and tasting rooms, movie theaters, family entertainment centers, zoos and museums, and cardrooms had to move business outdoors, and if unable, close their businesses once again.

Restaurants and other businesses may still do takeout but are not permitted to have indoor dining.

Additional restrictions recently implemented include fitness centers and gyms, worship services, offices for non-critical sectors, personal care services, hair salons and barbershops, and malls.

The county said that these businesses may do curb-side retail, as long as there are no indoor operations.

In a recent press release the county wrote that it “has experienced a steady rise in confirmed cases, hospitalizations and patients requiring intensive care dating back to Memorial Day.”

“As we struggle with national laboratory issues artificially depressing new case counts, people need to realize we’re far from being out of the woods,” said Dr. Cameron Kaiser, Riverside County public health officer. “Summer heat isn’t stopping COVID-19, but for some of these sectors, the heat means there may be no good way to do them outdoors. We need to reduce the impact on our hospitals by reducing transmission, and as long as the numbers keep rising, the state’s need to reimpose restrictions will keep rising too.”

Riverside County has been able to keep the following open as of press time: investment properties for short-term rentals, destination retail stores including swap meets, casinos, hotels (for tourism and individual travel), racetracks, campgrounds and outdoor recreation.

As a reminder, youth sports are still not permitted. For more information on state guidance, visit <https://covid19.ca.gov/industry-guidance/>. Visit [www.RivCoBiz.org](http://www.RivCoBiz.org) for modifications and other measures encouraged by the county to keep employees, customers and clients safe.

Small business grant funding

Between now and Aug. 31, sole proprietors and those small businesses that received the SBA Economic Injury Disaster Loan or advance are now eligible for the second round of funding (up to \$10,000) provided to small businesses that have been impacted during the coronavirus pandemic, the county explained in a press release. “The first round of funding for the small business program resulted in \$7.3 million that will be distributed to 738 small businesses in Riverside County.”

Funding is limited and not available to “businesses that have received federal funding through the Paycheck Protection Program. Awardees must also develop and implement a safe reopening plan that addresses employee and customer health prior to disbursement.”

For information on how to apply, visit <https://rivcocsd.org/covidbizhelp>, and for questions, email [rclfaq@mainstreetlaunch.org](mailto:rclfaq@mainstreetlaunch.org) or call 951-955-0493.

Food assistance

For those needing to connect with food resources, visit <https://rivcoph.org/coronavirus> and select “Food Access” at the top right for a county map directing you to food pantries, senior and school meals.

Riverside County created the Courtesy Pantry program to serve seniors and adults with disabilities who are unable to get food for themselves at this time. This program is available to those 60 years of age and over and adults with disabilities. You must live in Riverside County. Call 951-867-3895 to see if you qualify.

Behavioral health

For those in need of behavioral health assistance, you may utilize a computer and smartphone app called TakeMyHand.co. You may also contact 2-1-1 or call the behavioral health CARES line at 800-706-7500. A 24/7 free, confidential crisis or suicide intervention service can be reached at 951-686-HELP (4357).

Staying cool

Riverside County opened cooling centers with modifications to accommodate coronavirus safety guidelines. For a list of cooling center locations, visit [www.capriverside.org](http://www.capriverside.org).

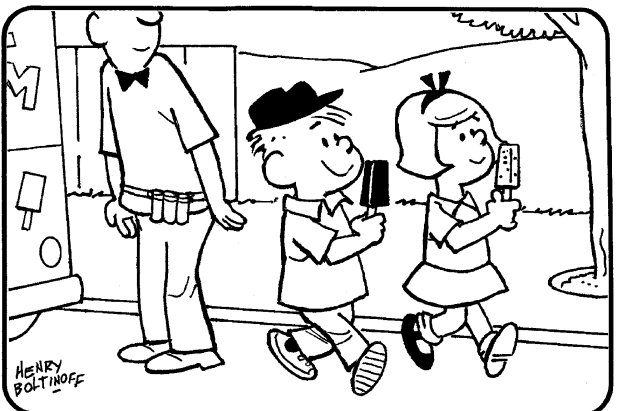
Local entities update

**Art Walk & Wine Tasting:** The event has been canceled.

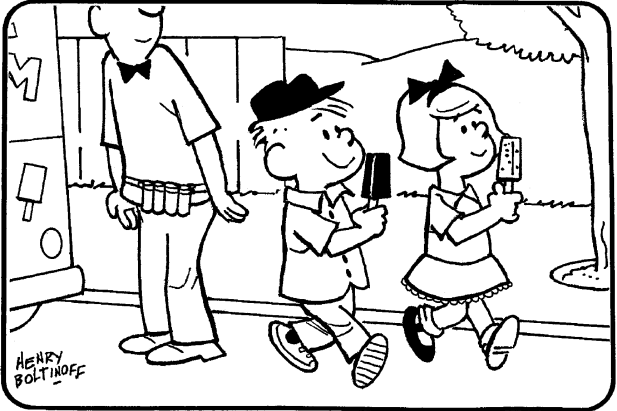
**Fern Valley Water District:** The office is still closed to the public.

**Hemet Unified School District:** The district sent out a mass communication to parents and guardians after Gov. Gavin Newsom released new information regard-

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ing school operations Friday that it anticipates opening the school year with online education only.

**Idyllwild Area Historical Society:** This year’s Home Tour is canceled, and the museum remains closed.

**Idyllwild Community Center:** ICC has closed all of its programs (including sports, senior fitness and childcare) for the time being. The food distribution program is still occurring. The Farmers Market is back Sundays from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. outside at Town Hall, 25925 Cedar Street.

**Idyllwild Fire Protection District:** The front office is open to the public.

**Idyllwild HELP Center and Thrift store:** Check their Facebook page for updates.

**Idyllwild Library:** The library is open for express service only. The express service hours for Idyllwild Library are Mondays and Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Saturdays 10 a.m. to noon. All online services are still up and running. Staff are available for Live Chat or Ask a Librarian reference from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday through the Riverside County Library System website at <http://www.rivlib.info>.

**Idyllwild Pharmacy:** The pharmacy is open. A face mask is required. Check the Idyllwild Pharmacy Facebook page for updates on hours.

**Idyllwild Shuttle:** The current schedule is as follows: Door-to-Door service from Pine Cove to Mountain Center is provided Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call the day you need a ride. There is transportation to Palm Desert and Palm Springs on Mondays via Mountain Center. Transportation to Hemet via Mountain Center is provided on Wednesdays. To get transportation to the food share at Mountain Center on Thursdays, meet at the HELP Center at noon. Reservations are required. Call 951-426-9688 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. If you are utilizing the shuttle, a face mask and hand sanitation is required. Off-Hill transportation is for medical appointments only.

**Idyllwild Summer Concert Series:** The outdoor musical series is on hold through July, pending changes to state and county recommendations for such gatherings.

**Idyllwild Town Crier:** The office is closed to the public. For advertising information, contact Lisa Streeter ([lisa@towncrier.com](mailto:lisa@towncrier.com)) or Mandy Johnson ([mandy@towncrier.com](mailto:mandy@towncrier.com)) and for editorial questions contact Melissa Diaz Hernandez ([melissa@towncrier.com](mailto:melissa@towncrier.com)). Newspapers will be available to purchase in front of the new Town Crier office at 54391 Village Center Drive Suite #5, Idyllwild Pharmacy, Mountain Center and Pine Cove markets and at Village and Fairway markets, Mountain Top Liquor, the Idyllwild Chevron and Shell stations, and Lake Hemet Market.

**Idyllwild Water District:** Call 951-659-2143 for updates on office hours.

**Pine Cove Water District:** The district’s office is closed to the public until further notice.

**Riverside County offices:** Visit county department websites or call for updates and assistance on how to complete requests online, over the phone or through the mail. State parks: Visit [www.parks.ca.gov/FlattenTheCurve](http://www.parks.ca.gov/FlattenTheCurve) for updated information.

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NEWS OF RECORD

Idyllwild Fire

Idyllwild Fire Protection District recently responded to the following calls.

- July 12 — Medical aid, 9:37 p.m. Highway 243.
- July 13 — Medical aid, 4:17 a.m. Oakwood St.
- July 13 — Power line down, 4:12 p.m. Jameson Dr.
- July 15 — Medical aid, 4:21 a.m. N. Circle Dr.
- July 15 — Smoke scare, 8:35 p.m. Fern Valley Rd.
- July 16 — Carbon monoxide incident, 12:24 p.m. Idyllbrook Dr.
- July 16 — Medical aid, 4:54 p.m. Marian View Dr.
- July 16 — Medical aid, 4:54 p.m. Linger Ln.
- July 16 — Medical aid, 8:46 p.m. Saunders Meadow Rd.
- July 17 — Smoke scare, 5:45 p.m. Meadow Dr.
- July 18 — Medical aid, 12:11 p.m. Lake Ln.
- July 18 — Smoke scare - odor of smoke, 8:30 p.m. Scenic Dr.
- July 18 — Public service assist, 9:57 p.m. Double View Dr.
- July 19 — Medical aid, 1:28 p.m. N. Circle Dr.
- July 19 — Walk-in medical assist, 10:15 a.m.
- July 19 — Medical aid, 11:56 p.m. Double View Dr.

Cal Fire

Cal Fire recently responded to the following calls by station.

Station 23 - Pine Cove

- July 7 — Traffic collision, 2:40 p.m.
- July 7 — Traffic collision, 2:48 p.m.
- July 8 — Breathing problems, 1:04 p.m.
- July 9 — Vegetation fire, 12:51 p.m.
- July 9 — Power lines down, 2:10 p.m.
- July 9 — Vegetation fire, 3:20 p.m.
- July 9 — Sick person, 5:47 p.m.
- July 11 — Vegetation fire, 8:10 p.m.
- July 12 — Vegetation fire, 9:50 p.m.
- July 13 — Vegetation fire, 3:08 p.m.
- July 14 — Fire - false alarm, 8:26 a.m.
- July 14 — Smoke check - false alarm, 9:59 p.m.
- July 16 — CO/gas alarm, 12:24 a.m.
- July 16 — Falls, 5:45 p.m.
- July 16 — Traumatic injuries, 6:11 p.m.
- July 16 — Unconscious, 10:10 p.m.
- July 17 — Fire - false alarm, 2:59 p.m.

**Station 30 - Pinyon Pines**

- July 7 — Falls, 10:12 a.m.
- July 7 — Vegetation fire, 11:10 a.m.
- July 8 — Traffic collision, 8:56 p.m.

- July 9 — Vegetation fire, 12:51 p.m.
- July 9 — Vegetation fire, 3:20 p.m.
- July 10 — Outside fire, 6:16 p.m.
- July 11 — Seizures, 12:56 p.m.
- July 11 — Vegetation fire, 8:10 p.m.
- July 12 — Breathing problems, 9:26 a.m.
- July 12 — Vegetation fire, 9:50 p.m.
- July 13 — Traffic collision, 10:01 a.m.
- July 13 — Vegetation fire, 3:08 p.m.
- July 13 — Traffic collision, 10:58 p.m.
- July 14 — Chest pain, 12:42 p.m.
- July 14 — Chest pain, 1:58 p.m.
- July 14 — Additional mop up, 8:53 p.m.
- July 17 — Fainting, 8:25 a.m.
- July 18 — Fire - false alarm, 12:41 p.m.

Station 53 - Garner Valley

- July 7 — Breathing problems, 11:08 p.m.
- July 9 — Vegetation fire, 12:51 p.m.
- July 9 — Vegetation fire, 3:20 p.m.
- July 9 — Fire - false alarm, 8:43 p.m.
- July 10 — Outside fire, 6:16 p.m.
- July 11 — Sick person, 1:27 a.m.
- July 12 — Vegetation fire, 9:50 p.m.
- July 13 — Vegetation fire, 3:08 p.m.
- July 13 — Fire - false alarm, 4:23 p.m.
- July 13 — Breathing problems, 6:45 p.m.
- July 14 — Traffic collision, 1:57 p.m.
- July 14 — Chest pain, 1:58 p.m.
- July 14 — Additional mop up, 8:53 p.m.
- July 16 — Smoke check - false alarm, 3:59 p.m.
- July 17 — Fainting, 8:25 a.m.
- July 17 — Fire - false alarm, 7:53 p.m.
- July 18 — Fire - false alarm, 12:41 p.m.

Station 63 - Poppet Flats

- July 6 — Vegetation fire, 9:06 p.m.
- July 7 — Traffic collision, 2:40 p.m.
- July 7 — Traffic collision, 2:48 p.m.
- July 8 — Traumatic injuries, noon.
- July 11 — Vegetation fire, 8:10 p.m.
- July 11 — Vegetation fire, 11:18 p.m.
- July 12 — Falls, 10:56 p.m.
- July 15 — Vegetation fire, 1:39 a.m.
- July 18 — Breathing problems, 6:09 p.m.

Sheriff's log

The Riverside County Sheriff's Department Hemet Station responded to the following calls Sunday to Saturday, July 12 to July 18.

Idyllwild

- July 12 — Petty theft, 11:02 a.m. Cedar St. Report taken.
- July 12 — Unlawful entry, 11:40 a.m. Lookout Ln. Handled by deputy.
- July 12 — Alarm call, 4:44 p.m. Meadow Glen Dr. Handled by deputy.
- July 12 — Possession of stolen property, 5:15 p.m. Oakwood St. Arrest made.
- July 12 — Alarm call, 7 p.m. 25000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- July 13 — Battery, 1:34 a.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- July 13 — Public assist, 3:35 p.m. 25000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- July 13 — Assist other department, 4:08 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- July 13 — Lost hiker, 7:35 p.m. Address undefined. Report taken.
- July 13 — Alarm call, 11:13 p.m. Pioneer Rd. Handled by deputy.
- July 14 — Suspicious circumstance, 2:32 p.m. Saddle Dr. Handled by deputy.
- July 14 — Alarm call, 5:32 p.m. 25000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- July 14 — Public disturbance, 7:56 p.m. 52000 block of Doubleview Dr. Handled by deputy.
- July 15 — Shots fired, 8:03 a.m. San Jacinto Rd. Handled by deputy.
- July 15 — Follow-up, 10:08 a.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- July 15 — Assist other department, 10:09 a.m. Linger Ln. Handled by deputy.
- July 15 — Harassing phone calls, 11:28 a.m. Address withheld. Unfounded.
- July 15 — Alarm call, 1:39 p.m. 52000 block of Doubleview Dr. Handled by deputy.
- July 15 — Alarm call, 2:15 p.m. 52000 block of Doubleview Dr. Handled by deputy.
- July 15 — Alarm call, 6:16 p.m. 25000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- July 16 — Trespassing, 2:28 p.m. Fir St. Handled by deputy.
- July 16 — Overdose, 4:08 p.m. Linger Ln. Handled by deputy.
- July 17 — Alarm call, 4:16 a.m. 55000 block of Pine Crest Ave. Handled by deputy.
- July 17 — Silent alarm, 11:40 a.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- July 17 — Unlawful entry, 12:48 p.m. Lookout Ln. Unfounded.
- July 17 — Public disturbance, 1:58 p.m. 53000



Submit listings and changes to melissa@towncrier.com. All events are subject to last-minute changes.

**Note: Some events, meetings and office hours may be canceled or modified due to precautions being taken to limit the spread of COVID-19.**

Wednesday, July 22

- Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
- Al-Anon weekly Zoom online meeting, 5 p.m. Join meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86652637379>.

Thursday, July 23

- Women's Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
- Feeding America, 1-2 p.m. Calvary Chapel Mountain Center, 29430 Highway 243, Mountain Center.
- Idyllwild Community Meditation, 6 p.m. Call Valerie Kyoshin Velez at 951-659-5750 for information.

Friday, July 24

- Free community Mat Pilates classes, 9 a.m. Call 760-200-5757 for information & directions.
- Women's Writing Group with fellow writers, 2-4 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat. Call 951-659-2523

Saturday, July 25

- Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.

Sunday, July 26

- Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
- Course in Miracles discussion, 11 a.m. Call Karin at 951-973-8651 for location.

Monday, July 27

- Women's Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
- Al-Anon weekly Zoom online meeting, 6:30 p.m. Join meeting: <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/4111202127pwd=R2l1e-jhwLORlenRVQGVULzIzQVmtGdz09>.

Left-hand turns cause collisions on Highway 243

By JENNY KIRCHNER  
REPORTER/PHOTOGRAPHER

Two collisions occurred on Highway 243 over the last two weeks both including left-hand turns, according to California Highway Patrol (CHP) Public Information Officer Matt Napier.

On July 15 at 5:02 p.m., Fay Lynn Rosinsniffen, 64 of Idyllwild, was stopped in her white 1995 Ford Explorer on the shoulder of Highway 243 north of Saunders Meadow Road preparing to make a left turn onto Highway 243. According to CHP, she failed to yield as she crossed over the north-bound lane in front of Christian Aguilar, 33 of Hemet, who was driving a blue 15-foot semi-truck north on Highway 243 at 25

mph resulting in the collision of her car and the semi-truck. Neither car was towed. No one was injured in the incident.

On July 7, 2020 at 2:45 p.m., Michael Ryan Rockwell, 34 of Idyllwild, was parked in a private driveway in his 2016 white Dodge Ram preparing to make a left-hand turn onto Highway 243. Juan Bautista Diaz, 51 of Mecca, was driving his 2007 red Ford Focus at 50 to 60 mph north on Highway 243 just south of Poppet Flats Road. Rockwell failed to yield and pulled out of the driveway in front of Diaz, causing both vehicles to collide and resulting in significant damage to both vehicles. Both vehicles were towed by Idyllwild Garage, but no one was injured in the incident.

block of Tollgate Rd. Handled by deputy.

- July 17 — Area check, 5:56 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.

- July 18 — Public disturbance, 4:52 p.m. Saddle Dr. Handled by deputy.

- July 18 — Public assist, 9:10 p.m. 24000 block of Fern Valley Rd. Handled by deputy.

- July 18 — Public disturbance, 11:14 p.m. Crestview Dr. Handled by deputy.

Mountain Center

- July 14 — Alarm call, 5:03 a.m. 29000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.

- July 17 — Alarm call, 2:05 p.m. McCall Park Rd. Handled by deputy.

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Pine Cove

- July 12 — Suspect info, 4:05 p.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.

- July 12 — Trespassing, 7:07 p.m. Rockmere Dr. Handled by deputy.

- July 14 — Found property, 6:01 p.m. 25000 block of Marion Ridge Dr. Handled by deputy.

- July 15 — Petty theft, 11:20 a.m. Cedar Glen Dr. Report taken.

- July 15 — Petty theft, 11:20 a.m. Cedar Glen Dr. Handled by deputy.

- July 16 — Vandalism, 2:53 p.m. Nestwa Trl. Report taken.

- July 16 — Danger to self/

Tuesday, July 28

- Idyllwild Fire Protection District board meeting, 3 p.m. Idyllwild Fire Station, 54160 Maranatha Dr.

Wednesday, July 29

- Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
- Al-Anon weekly Zoom online meeting, 5 p.m. Join meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86652637379>.

Community service hours

- California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (bark beetle issues), 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Mon.-Fri. Mountain Resource Center, 25380 Franklin Dr. 951-659-3335.
- Idyllwild Nature Center, 25225 Highway 243, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Wed.-Sun. 951-659-3850.
- Idyllwild Area Historical Museum, 54470 N. Circle Dr., 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Fri., Sat. and Sun. (Mon. holidays.) Group tours by appt. 951-659-2717.
- Idyllwild HELP Center, 26330 Highway 243, 10 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m. Tues.-Fri. 951-659-2110.
- Idyllwild Library, 54401 Village Center Dr., Strawberry Creek Plaza, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Mon., Wed.; noon-8 p.m. Tues.; noon-5 p.m. Thurs. and Fri.; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sat. 951-659-2300.
- Idyllwild Transfer Station, 28100 Saunders Meadow Rd., 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Thurs.-Mon. (Closed New Year's Day, Easter, Fourth of July, Thanksgiving and Christmas Day); Grinding Facility, 8 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m. Wed. and Fri.
- Idyllwild Ranger Station, 54270 Pine Crest Ave., 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Fri.-Tues. 909-382-2921.

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COC2002165  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 505 S. Buena Vista  
Ave., Room 201, Corona, CA 92882. Branch  
name: Corona Courthouse.

SUSAN SHU-CHENG WANG TO ALL  
INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner: SUSAN SHU-CHENG WANG filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

a. Present name: SUSAN SHU-CHENG WANG changed to Proposed name: SHU-CHENG WANG

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 at least two days before the hearing on the petition. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

**NOTICE OF HEARING**

a. Date: 07/29/2020 Time: 8:00AM, Dept. C2.

b. The address of the court is same as noted above.

3. a. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Riverside, Idyllwild Town Crier.

Date: 6/4/2020  
CB HARMON  
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT  
Pub. TC: July 2, 9, 16, 23, 2020.

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as GNV CONSTRUCTION at 25350 Scenic Dr., Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing Address: 31559 Crimson Dr., Winchester, CA 92596. GARRETT ERROL WOODS, 31559 Crimson Dr., Winchester, CA 92596.

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

on 02/23/2009.

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:  
ROBERT LOUIS GREENE

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on July 1, 2020.

FILE NO.: R-202006779

NOTICE — IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT GENERALLY EXPIRES AT THE END OF FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE ON WHICH IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK, EXCEPT, AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION (b) OF SECTION 17920, WHERE IT EXPIRES 40 DAYS AFTER ANY CHANGE IN THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 17913 OTHER THAN A CHANGE IN THE RESIDENCE ADDRESS OF A REGISTERED OWNER. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION.

THE FILING OF THIS STATEMENT DOES NOT OF ITSELF AUTHORIZE THE USE IN THIS STATE OF A FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME IN VIOLATION OF THE RIGHTS OF ANOTHER UNDER FEDERAL, STATE OR COMMON LAW (SEE SECTION 14411 ET SEQ., BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE).

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

**CERTIFICATION**

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

PETER ALDANA,  
County Clerk

Pub. TC: July 9, 16, 23, 30, 2020.

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as GREENLAND HOME SERVICES at 53330 Meadow Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing Address: PO Box 584, Idyllwild, CA 92549. ROBERT LOUIS GREENE, 53330 Meadow Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549. JOHN MICHAEL FREELAND, 53330 Meadow Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549.

This business is conducted by Co-partners. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on 5/25/2020.

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:  
ROBERT LOUIS GREENE

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on July 1, 2020.

FILE NO.: R-202006771

NOTICE — IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT GENERALLY EXPIRES AT THE END OF FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE ON WHICH IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK, EXCEPT, AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION (b) OF SECTION 17920, WHERE IT EXPIRES 40 DAYS AFTER ANY CHANGE IN THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 17913 OTHER

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County Clerk

Pub. TC: July 9, 16, 23, 30, 2020.

**NOTICE OF WAREHOUSEMAN'S LIEN SALE**

In accordance with the California Commercial Code 7209 and 7210, ARROYO FAIRWAYS NO 2 LP will sell the mobile home located at 44730 FLORIDA AVE SPC 38, HEMET, CA 92544 by public sale on 8/11/2020 at 10:00 AM. The sale will take place on site. The mobile home is BUDGER HOMES BUDGER Serial # 53172G, DECAL # AAX1501. The total amount of the warehouseman's lien through is \$4,666.32. This lien is based on a termination of tenancy notice dated 02/11/2020. Legal demand has been made to the registered owners, legal owners and/or lienholders to pay the lien, yet no payment was tendered within the required period. In order for you to be permitted to bid at the sale, you

must be in possession of cash or a cashier's check equal to the minimum starting bid of \$4,666.32. Upon purchase, the mobile must be removed from the premises. Please call 909-889-2000 for more details.

Pub. TC: July 16, 23, 2020.

**NOTICE OF WAREHOUSEMAN'S LIEN SALE**

In accordance with the California Commercial Code 7209 and 7210, ARROYO FAIRWAYS NO 2 LP will sell the mobile home located at 42751 FLORIDA AVE SPC 144, HEMET, CA 92544 by public sale on 7/28/2020 at 10:00 AM. The sale will take place on site. The mobile home is LANCER Serial # S626, DECAL # LBC6526. The total amount of the warehouseman's lien through 7/28/2020 is \$8255.08. This lien is based on a termination of tenancy notice dated. Legal demand has been made to the registered owners, legal owners and/or lienholders to pay the lien, yet no payment was tendered within the required period. In order for you to be permitted to bid at the sale, you must be in possession of cash or a cashier's check equal to the minimum starting bid of \$8255.08. Upon purchase, the mobile must be removed from the premises. Please call 909-889-2000 for more details.

Pub. TC: July 16, 23, 2020.

**LIEN SALE**

THE FOLLOWING VEHICLE WILL BE SOLD AT LIEN SALE ON 8/6/2020, 900 E 6TH ST, BEAUMONT CA 92223 AT 9:00AM, 15, CHRY, 2001L, 4D, 699A75, NV, 1C3CCCABXFN694332

Pub. TC: July 23, 2020

**LIEN SALE**

THE FOLLOWING VEHICLE WILL BE SOLD AT LIEN SALE ON 8/6/2020, 1462 E 6TH ST, BEAUMONT CA 92223 AT 9:00AM, 97, RDRNG, 24, CCH, 1GP2060, CA, 1KR24KT4V8286427

Pub. TC: July 23, 2020



## Idyllwild Nature Center receives some TLC

BY JENNY KIRCHNER  
REPORTER/PHOTOGRAPHER

The Idyllwild Nature Center was scheduled to reopen July 8, but on July 1, museums (indoor) were once again ordered to be closed.

Park Ranger Steve Perez spoke with the Town Crier about the work he's been doing while the museum has been closed.

"A lot of the exhibits weren't set up in a coordinated way, so what we've done is consolidate museums into like themes," Perez said. "It's sad to say that a lot of the museum upkeep wasn't done since the '90s. So, it's been an undertaking."

New stain has been applied throughout the museum, the exhibit façades were all redone and repainted and newly donated baskets and pelts were added to the Cahuilla exhibits. All of the taxidermy were put into one exhibit, instead of being dispersed throughout the museum, which helps keep it cohesive.

While the museum has been closed, Idyllwild Nature Center's trails have continued to be open so the public can get out and hike and enjoy nature.

"Our grounds have been open to the public aside from the height of the pandemic for a few weeks back in March," Perez said. "We are offering the one activity that the public can participate in that is safe and gets people out of their house."

With people wanting to get out of the house, the Idyllwild Nature Center has experienced an increase in visitors.

"We've seen probably 25% more visitors than this time last year," Perez said.

Due to COVID-19, Perez is now the only staff member at the nature center. "We ended up losing 10% of our staff countywide," Perez said.

With that, the Idyllwild Nature Center depends highly on volunteers. While the nature center has always had many volunteers, they are hoping for more



Some of the redesigned exhibits with fresh paint. PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER



When you enter the Idyllwild Nature Center, there are signs to remind visitors what's allowed and not allowed during these COVID-19 times. PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER

during this time.

"Anyone interested in volunteering, we need them," Perez said. "Someone that has an hour or so to volunteer and willing to do what needs to be done would be great. None of our volunteers are interacting with the public right now due to COVID-19, so it's all COVID-safe vol-

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— Park Ranger Steve Perez



Part of the live animal exhibit that can be viewed once the museum reopens. PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER

unteering."

If you are interested in volunteering or visiting the nature center's grounds, it is open (as of press time) Thursday through Sunday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. For those interested in volunteering, you may call the Idyllwild Nature Center at 951-659-3850.



Hill Jackson Family Music Studio presented Jason Jackson and Rosena Hill Jackson talking about their performance at the Sounds of Sarah Vaughan Concert in 2012 in New Jersey. Find more Jazz in the Pines photos on page B5. PHOTOS COURTESY OF IDYLLWILD ARTS ACADEMY



### Some safety tips from Cal Fire:

1. Don't mow or trim dry grass on windy days.
  2. Never pull your vehicle over in dry grass.
  3. Target shoot only in approved areas, use lead ammunition only, and never shoot at metal objects.
  4. Check and obey burn bans.
  5. Ensure campfires are allowed, and if so, be sure to extinguish them completely.
  6. Report any suspicious activities to prevent arson.
  7. If you see something — say something.
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- Step 3: Organize disaster supplies in convenient locations.
- Step 4: Minimize financial hardship by organizing important documents, strengthening your property and considering insurance.

**During:**

- Step 5: Drop, cover and hold on when the earth shakes.
- Step 6: Improve safety after earthquakes by evacuating if necessary, helping the injured and preventing further injuries or damage.

**After:**

- Step 7: Restore daily life by reconnecting with others, repairing damage and rebuilding community.

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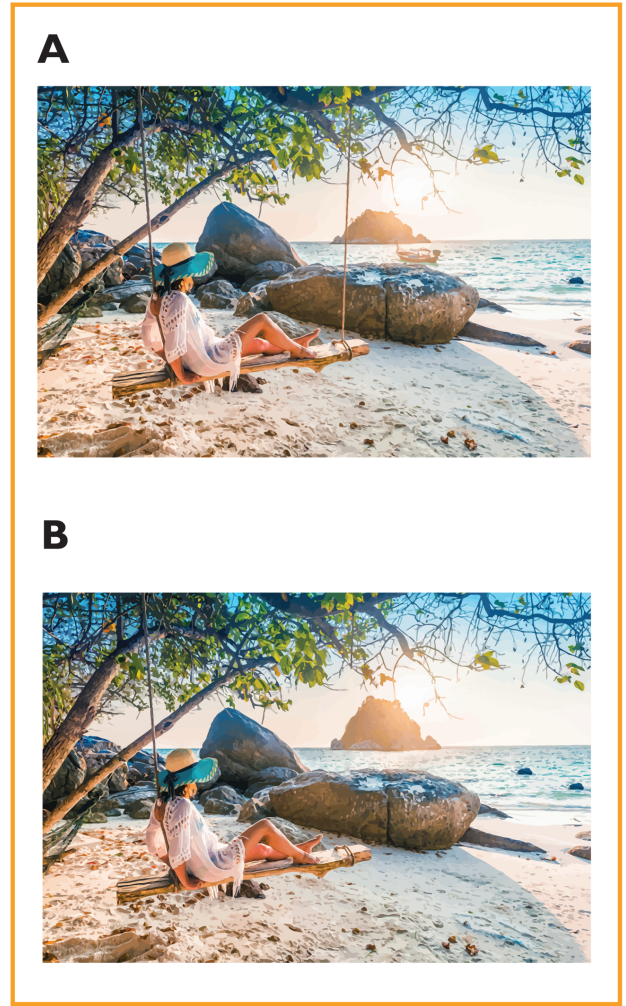
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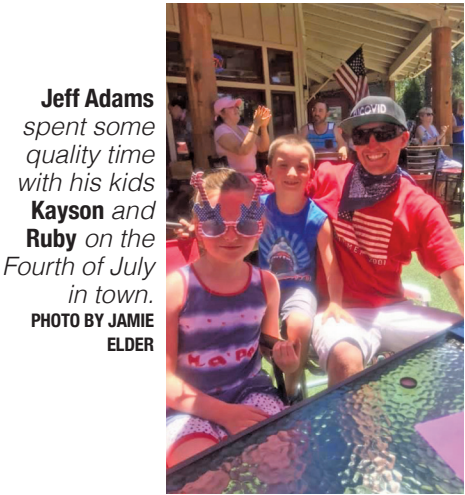


What’s the Difference?

There are four things different between Picture A and Picture B. Can you find them all?



Answers: 1. Rope on swing missing 2. Boat missing 3. Extra rock in water 4. Distant island bigger



Jeff Adams spent some quality time with his kids Kayson and Ruby on the Fourth of July in town. PHOTO BY JAMIE ELDER



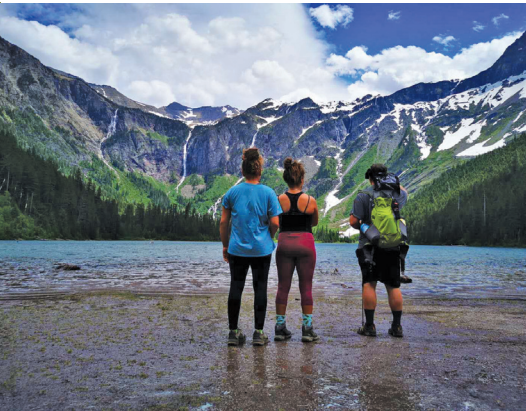
Laura Huff's dog Poochini (left) and her friend Maya (right) enjoyed some play-time during quarantine. PHOTO BY LAURA HUFF



Judy Way, granddaughter Caylee Ouimette and Robert Peek spent some family time together recently. PHOTO BY CAYLEE OUIMETTE



Erin Latimer and her dog Chewy have kept each other company while staying at home, but they have also made sure to text mom Elaine Balkman daily with photos to keep the family connection strong since they can't visit each other due to quarantine. PHOTOS COURTESY OF ELAINE BALKMAN



Allen Riedel, Monique Riedel and sisters Sierra Riedel and Makaila Riedel have done lots of hiking and outdoor activities to cope with the quarantine. Here they are at Glacier National Park. PHOTOS COURTESY OF MONIQUE RIEDEL



Twin sisters Sierra and Makaila Riedel, and brother Michael Millenheft spend some sibling time together during quarantine. PHOTO BY MONIQUE RIEDEL



Sandii Castleberry utilizes FaceTime to call her 96-year-old mother Martha Castleberry. She's in an assisted living memory care facility. Sandii can't visit because of COVID-19. They FaceTime about five times a week to keep in touch. PHOTO BY SANDII CASTLEBERRY

**ANIMAL FACT:**

THIS SEA CREATURE IS A LARGE MOLLUSK THAT RESIDES INSIDE A CONICAL SHELL.

ANSWER: CONCH

**THIS DAY IN... HISTORY**

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**New Word**

**TIDE**

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**How they SAY that in...**

**ENGLISH:** Coast

**SPANISH:** Costa

**ITALIAN:** Costa

**FRENCH:** Côte

**GERMAN:** Küste

**GET THE PICTURE?**

Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: LIGHTHOUSE

**CREATURE CORNER**

BY JANICE MURASKO

Last week in “Days of Our Nine Lives,” ARF cats discussed how adoption makes sense.

**Zeus:** Hey Bear, did you hear that the ARF House is now closed except for those humans who make appointments?

**Bear:** Closed? Why? What’s wrong?

**Zeus:** It’s closed because of the COVID pandemic. The ARF humans just want to be certain they are all safe.

**Whiskers:** What about people who find a dog or want to adopt one? Or maybe adopt one of us cats?

**Zeus:** Don’t worry! All of those things will still happen. It’s just that the ARF House will be closed to casual traffic. But anyone who wants to see one of us still may, but with an appointment.

**Whiskers:** And what if someone finds a loose dog?

**Pepper:** I’m guessing that they should call ARF right away. ARF will still help.

**Sadie:** That’s right, Pepper. All of the same services will be available. A phone call is all it takes.

**Pepper:** What about Sadie’s Clinic or the nail trim clinic?

**Zeus:** Those will still be happening with the safety measures in place.

**Pepper:** Whew! That’s good news. I guess people just need to make their appointments as they always have.

**Sadie:** When are the clinics?

**Bear:** The big sign outside says the next nail trim clinic is on July 28 and the next Sadie’s Clinic is on Aug. 5.

**Heavenly Whiskers:** Zeus, you mentioned there are safety measures at the clinics. What does that mean?

**Zeus:** It means that when a human and their pet arrive at ARF, they will check in with the friendly volunteer who will let them know when it is time for the pet to go into the clinic. The pet will be taken in at the front door by another volunteer and the human will then go to the back door to pay and be reunited.

**Bear:** Voila!

Be sure to keep up with the animal antics of “Days of Our Nine Lives” each week. Please stop in to say hello to the entire adoptable cast at the ARF House, 26890 Highway 243 from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. on Saturdays and from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. on Sundays, or by appointment Monday-Friday by calling 951-659-1122.

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**Pepper**

**Lulu**

**Zeus**

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— Charlotte Whitton

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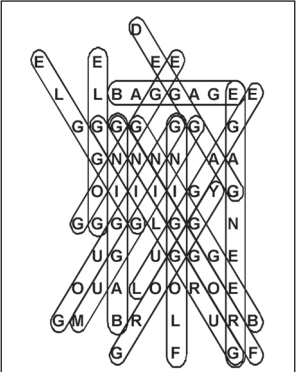
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Answers to Word Search (Puzzle on next page)

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Answers to Sudoku (Puzzle on next page)

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Answers to Crossword (Puzzle on next page)

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Ron Wright was playing live at the gazebo on Saturday afternoon. PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER



Gil Quesada performed in front of Artspresso Art Gallery and The Prairie Dove Boutique on Saturday. PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER



Those Folk performed live on their Facebook and Instagram pages on Saturday night from their home in Idyllwild. PHOTO COURTESY OF THOSE FOLK



Guitarist Andy Brown and vocalist Petra van Nuis were live from Winter's Jazz Club in Chicago on Facebook Friday. PHOTO COURTESY OF IDYLLWILD ARTS ACADEMY



Susan Agin and Judy Carmichael were live at the Queensborough Performing Art Center in New York doing a question and answer session about Carmichael's career. PHOTO COURTESY OF IDYLLWILD ARTS ACADEMY



Cathy Segal-Garcia and jazz vocalist Dianne Reeves spoke live via Zoom on Idyllwild Arts Academy's Facebook page Friday afternoon. PHOTO COURTESY OF IDYLLWILD ARTS ACADEMY



**Past**  
**70 years ago - 1950**  
The local square dance class completed nine lessons, which was the complete course, in one week. Then it announced it was opening to the public.

**65 years ago - 1955**  
Hidden Lodge swimming pool opened daily. The cost was 60 cents for adults, and 40 cents for children.

**60 years ago - 1960**  
Model T clubs chugged up the Hill to the County Park and attended the second Woodsman Breakfast of the season.

**55 years ago - 1965**  
Noise from Town Hall dances was a problem for folks living nearby. Irritations like this didn't exist when the town was more sparsely populated, they said.

**50 years ago - 1970**  
Despite protests from thousands of people, the green light was given for Great American Land Company to begin its 3,911-lot development in Garner Valley.

**45 years ago - 1975**  
Richard Smith of Idyllwild was injured in a motorcycle collision on

Jameson Road. It was the third local motorcycle crash within a 10-day period.

**40 years ago - 1980**  
Hikers through the Mt. San Jacinto State Park were rewarded with sights from another time period, such as a logging wagon from 1900. Lumbering on the Hill was at its peak between 1880 and 1910.

**35 years ago - 1985**  
The U.S. Forest Service and California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection were investigating the cause of the 1,800-acre Cabazon Fire that wounded 28 people. Nearly 1,600 firefighters battled the blaze. A Southern California Edison work crew was thought to be responsible for starting the fire.

**30 years ago - 1990**  
Birchard Studio on the Idyllwild Arts Academy campus was remodeled. Birchard was the first building to be constructed on what was then, and is now, the sprawling campus of Idyllwild Arts Academy.

**25 years ago - 1995**  
Due to budget reductions in the county Public Library System, the Idyllwild Branch was again fighting for hours. The Riverside County Board of Supervisors was looking at 40% cuts across the board.

**20 years ago - 2000**  
Two visitors to the Hill fell from Tahquitz Rock during a climb and died tragically.

**15 years ago - 2005**  
Kyle D. Ferree pleaded guilty to causing the Verbernia Fire by shooting a gun.



About 50 people gathered at the Idyllwild School of Music and the Arts' (now Idyllwild Arts Academy) Birchard Studio Sunday, July 22 to hear stories and watch videos at a ceremony commemorating the 40th anniversary of the studio's dedication. Photo originally ran July 26, 1990. TOWN CRIER ARCHIVES

Ultimately, the fire consumed nearly 4,000 acres northwest of Idyllwild and Pine Cove.

**10 years ago - 2010**  
The U.S. Forest Service issued new and tighter fire restrictions for the San Bernardino National Forest. Forest officials were spurred to action by recent high temperatures, which were rapidly reducing vegetative moisture levels.

**5 years ago - 2015**  
The California Department of Forestry and Fire Prevention (Cal Fire) filed a lawsuit against Tarek M. Al-Shawaf, James Nowlin and Donna Nowlin for the

costs of fighting the Mountain Fire. Hill residents Lon and Susan Paul, Martin Prevosto, Alisia Fisher, Doug McKellar and MTS&L Inc. aka McKellar Tree Service and Landscaping Inc. also filed a separate lawsuit for damages they sustained in the same blaze.

**1 year ago - 2019**  
Gabriel Calvera, wilderness park aid, had started his trek up Marion Mountain looking for a horse, Monty, who had supposedly died the day before. His concern turned to delight after finding his lost victim. To his surprise and happiness, he found Monty weak and thirsty, but alive.



On the final day of Jazz in the Pines, many artists were live on Facebook and Zoom. Rose Colella sang with Rick Shaw and Michael Bluestein live from Los Angeles Friday afternoon. PHOTO COURTESY OF IDYLLWILD ARTS ACADEMY

Marshall Hawkins and Bob Boss performed live from San Diego on Zoom Friday afternoon. PHOTO COURTESY OF IDYLLWILD ARTS ACADEMY



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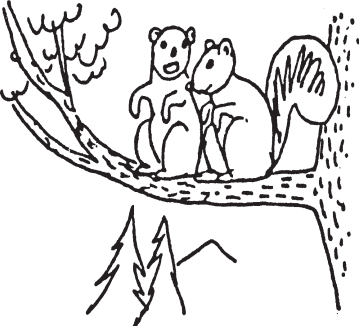
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally  
Unlisted clue hint: A GROUP OF GEESE

Baggage	Flogging	Goggle	Gurgling
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CROSSWORD

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King Crossword

ACROSS

1 Fleet from far-away?  
5 "— Impossible"  
8 Get a look at  
12 Strict disciplinarian  
14 Small grimace  
15 Geometric curve  
16 Former European capital  
17 Can metal  
18 "Gracias"  
20 Orbital point  
23 Affair of honor  
24 Coalition  
25 New Jersey borough  
28 Coquettish  
29 Parking lot structure  
30 Bigwig, for short  
32 "Semper —" (Coast Guard motto)  
34 Toy block name  
35 Thing  
36 Angle

DOWN

1 Ref  
2 Sky safety org.  
3 Bobby of hockey  
4 Radio interference  
5 A party to  
6 Aviv lead-in  
7 Heights  
8 Mummify, maybe  
9 Any time now  
10 Play a prank on (Sl.)  
11 Longings  
13 Sacred wading bird  
19 Listen to

37 Destroyer  
40 Pod occupant  
41 Chimney grime  
42 Irrational fear  
47 Lip  
48 Fluidless barometers  
49 Act  
50 Siesta  
51 Feed the hogs

20 Kimmel's network  
21 Fall into a beanbag chair  
22 Sauce source  
23 Piece of information  
25 Jif rival  
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27 Portent  
29 Partner  
31 Cauldron  
33 Disturbed the peace  
34 Argentine grasslands  
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39 Venetian magistrate  
40 Get ready, for short  
43 Literary collection  
44 Lubricate  
45 Wedding utterance  
46 Venomous viper

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July 2020 — Week 4

ARIES

**March 21 – April 19**  
A bit of Arian contrariness could be keeping you from getting all the facts. Turn it off, and tune in to what you need to hear. It could make all the difference this week.

TAURUS

**April 20 – May 20**  
Getting an answer to a vital question involving financial matters might take longer than you'd expected. A new factor might have to be dealt with before anything can move forward. Be patient.

GEMINI

**May 21 – June 21**  
Use your good sense to see what might really be driving a colleague's workplace agenda. What you learn could lead to a new way of handling some old problems.

CANCER

**June 22 – July 22**  
A change of mind might once again turn out to be a good thing. True, most of your co-workers might not like the delay, but as before, they might appreciate what follows from it.

LEO

**July 23 – August 22**  
You revel in golden opportunities this week. One cautionary note, though: Be careful to separate the gold from the glitter before you make a choice. Someone you trust can help.

VIRGO

**August 23 – September 22**  
Marriage is important this week, as are other partnerships. Don't let yourself be overwhelmed by sentiment. Instead, try to steer a path between emotion and common sense.

LIBRA

**September 23 – October 22**  
Dealing with someone who has let you down is never easy. But the sooner you're able to clear up this problem, the sooner other problems can be successfully handled.

SCORPIO

**October 23 – November 21**  
A "friend" who is willing to bend the rules to gain an advantage for both of you is no friend. Reject the offer and stay on your usual straight and narrow path.

SAGITTARIUS

**November 22 – December 21**  
After all the effort you've been putting in both on the job and for friends and family, it's a good time to indulge your own needs. The weekend could bring a pleasant surprise.

CAPRICORN

**December 22 – January 19**  
You might want to do something new this weekend. Close your eyes and imagine what it could be, and then do it, or come up with the closest practical alternative.

AQUARIUS

**January 20 – February 18**  
Your good deeds bring you the appreciation you so well deserve. But, once again, be careful of those who might want to exploit your generous nature for their own purposes.

PISCES

**February 19 – March 20**  
Trolling for compliments isn't necessary. You earned them, and you'll get them. Concentrate this week on moving ahead into the next phase of your program.

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

	6			8		2	
4			6				8
		7		5		9	
6	2		7	4		1	
		1	9			3	
	3			2			6
1				6			5
	8		2			1	
		9			7		8

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging  
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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