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The Pine Cove Water District is helping the Monarch Butterfly population by planting milk weeds and giving the caterpillars a safe habitat to transform. The district wrote on its website: "Our season looks like it's complete as all of the caterpillars we had have hatched and flown away. We are happy that a couple have decided to stick around and play in our milkweeds and look forward to next year when we can help the community more."

PHOTO COURTESY OF PINE COVE WATER DISTRICT

Caltrans' culvert work update:

The culvert work projects on highways 243 and 74 are scheduled to be completed by the end of 2020, weather permitting. Caltrans will again perform blasting operations on Highway 243 near Saunders Meadow Road between Idyllwild and Mountain Center Wednesday, Sept. 16, between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. All lanes will be closed during this time. Lane closures with flagging will also be in place from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Motorists are advised to use Highway 243 as a detour route to avoid delays. If you experience delays that exceed 30 minutes or if you have questions or concerns, contact public affairs at 909-383-4631.

Four people still
officially missing

By JENNY KIRCHNER
REPORTER/PHOTOGRAPHER

Four people are still officially listed as missing through the Riverside County Sheriff's Department (RCSD).

The Town Crier contacted RCSD Friday morning for any updates on the cases of missing people Roy Prifogle, Melissa Lane, Dia Abrams and Rosario Garcia. In addition, the newspaper asked why there was a deputy in a RCSD SUV hauling an off-road vehicle Thursday afternoon on Highway 243.

The newspaper did not receive a response from RCSD's media information bureau by press time.

Melissa Lane, 41, was last seen June 15, according to a poster on display in the Mountain Center area. The Town Crier spoke to Kathy Lamont, Lane's mother, "She was an avid hiker, but didn't have a destination. She was last seen in Pine Cove. I don't know if she's dead or alive."

Rosario Garcia was last seen July 7 wearing a brown shirt and blue jeans at the 26000 block of Katherine Street in Hemet. Garcia is a 73-year-old Hispanic female and it is possible she suffers from dementia or Alzheimer's disease. She is 5' 3" tall and 120 pounds.

Palm Desert deputies from the RCSD were dispatched to the area of 70000 East Highway 74 in Pinyon Pines at 11:46 a.m. on July 9 after Garcia's vehicle was found unoccupied. Garcia was not located after a search of the area was conducted.

Earlier in the year, local Roy Prifogle
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Lydia 'Dia' Abrams
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Roy Prifogle
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Fire sprinklers:
a topic of
contention

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ
EDITOR

The big point of contention leading up to, at and since the last Idyllwild Fire Protection District (IFPD) board of commissioners meeting is an ordinance proposal. Resolution 513, requiring automatic sprinklers, would replace Resolution 480. The item was tabled to the Sept. 22 IFPD board of commissioners meeting. The meeting will begin at 3 p.m.

The proposed resolution would require "automatic fire sprinklers in all residential structures built or moved into the district." When it comes to existing structures "fire sprinklers will be required for any addition(s) to existing structures where the area added is greater than 30% of the existing square footage or the total addition exceeds 1,500 square feet. Consecutive additions made which exceed 30% of the original square footage (not the current square footage) in any period will require the addition of an automatic fire sprinkler system."

The units requiring residential automatic fire sprinkler systems are single family dwelling, multi-family dwelling, duplexes, manufactured homes, attached garages, carports, workshops, storage buildings, auxiliary rooms whether constructed/erected, moved or relocated into the district shall be protected by an automatic life safety fire sprinkler system in accordance with the National Fire Protection Association standards and
See IFPD, page A3

COVID-19 LOCAL UPDATE:
Recovered numbers
rising, confirmed
numbers slowing

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ
EDITOR

As of press time, there are still a total of 22 reported COVID-19 cases since the outbreak and one death reported for the area of Idyllwild-Pine Cove, according to the Riverside University Health System – Public Health (RUHS) website.

The website now reports recovered cases by area. Twenty-one of the 22 people have recovered.

Riverside County tested 101 people at its free COVID-19 testing day at the Idyllwild Library Sept. 9.

As of press time on Sept. 15, Riverside County has 55,986 confirmed COVID-19 cases. There are 1,125 deaths related to COVID-19 and 51,032 people have recovered. There are 155 individuals being hospitalized and of those 49 are in the intensive care unit (ICU).

As of press time on Sept. 9, Riverside County had 54,735 confirmed COVID-19 cases. There were 1,085 deaths related to COVID-19 and 48,761 people had recovered. There were 185 individuals being hospitalized and of those 62 were in the ICU.

As of press time on Sept. 1, Riverside County had 53,153 confirmed COVID-19 cases. There were 1,026 deaths related to COVID-19 and 44,024 people had recovered. There were 216 individuals being hospitalized and of those 68 were in the ICU.

To date, 578,966 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-
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COVID

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olds. The two demographics with the highest number of cases are Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander and Hispanic/Latino.

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.

Gov. Gavin Newsom recently "signed Assembly Bill 1867, legislation that immediately extends critical paid sick days protections to California's work-

force. ...This legislation means that every California employee that has been exposed to or tests positive for COVID-19 will have access to paid sick days for the rest of the 2020 calendar year," the press release states.

Riverside County announced a COVID-19 business grant program. The \$10,000-grant for small businesses (less than 50 employees) is on first-come first-served basis. Applications are available at www.RivCoBizHelp.org and will be accepted beginning Sept. 16 through 5 p.m. on Oct. 30. Funds may be used for payroll/employee retention, working capital, purchase of personal protective equipment, rent or mortgage payments and paying vendor invoices.

Previously, the Riverside County board of supervisors unanimously approved using \$4 million in CARES Act funding for the Pathways to Employment program which will recruit 500 unemployed adults impacted by the pandemic to receive work training and mentoring.

Participants will receive a stipend of \$20 per hour, training and mentoring from nonprofit and government partners and supportive services including transportation, clothing, counseling and technological assistance.

For more information, please call the Housing, Homelessness Prevention and Workforce Solutions department at 951-955-1161.

Three collisions on local roads

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ
EDITOR

Three traffic collisions occurred on local roads over the last month, according to California Highway Patrol Public Information Officer Matt Napier.

On Aug. 28 at 4:25 a.m., Sirinapa Ralph Phouphayry, 31 of Yucca Valley, was driving a white 2005 Nissan Titan northbound on Highway 243 south of Twin Pines Road at an unknown speed, and for unknown reasons, crossed into the southbound lane and collided with the mountainside before overturning.

Phouphayry was transported by AMR to Desert Regional Medical Center for suspected serious injuries. The vehicle was towed by Idyllwild Garage.

On Aug. 30 at 1 p.m., Jeff Cooper, 41 of Escondido, was driving his gray 2002 Chevrolet Suburban northbound on Highway 243 at a stated speed of 40-50 mph when, due to Cooper's intoxicated state was unable to negotiate a right-hand curve, crossing the double-yellow line when Lawrence Spector, 58 of Idyllwild, was driving a blue 2017 Subaru Forester southbound on Highway 243 at a stated speed of 25-35 mph and maneuvered to get out of the way. The left side of Cooper's vehicle grazed the rear left side of Spector's vehicle.

The Suburban was towed by Idyllwild Garage.

On Sept. 4 at 4 p.m., Timothy Jack Newton, 55 of Spokane Valley, Washington, was riding a 2004 Harley-Davidson Electra Glide eastbound on Highway 74 1.9 miles west of McLaugh Road at a stated speed of 40 mph negotiating a left-hand curve, and for unknown reasons, continued straight on the highway. The motorcycle overturned and Newton was ejected. The motorcycle came to rest in the eastbound lane.

Newton was transported by AMR to Hemet Valley Medical Center for minor injuries. The motorcycle was towed by Idyllwild Garage.

COVID-19 updates & resources

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 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.

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.

Schools update

The Hemet Unified School District (HUSD) began the school year Aug. 17 fully online. Idyllwild Arts Academy (IAA) students began their 2020/21 school year Aug. 31 with distance learning.

IAA students will be able to return to campus Oct. 1. Dr. Cameron Kaiser, the county's public health officer, said "They are authorized to allow students back as a hotel as a boarding school, not for in-person instruction." IAA staff

hopes that in-person instruction can begin by the time students return Oct. 1. The county must move from purple to red on the governor's new tier system.

HUSD provides mobile hot spots. However, it realized that was not always adequate in the areas of Anza and Idyllwild. In response, the district stationed two buses that distribute a WiFi signal — one at Idyllwild Community Playground and the other at Camp Maranatha — from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays and from 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Wednesdays. HUSD partnered with the Anza Community Center to bring internet access to students.

Riverside County public and private schools, kindergarten through sixth grade, may now apply for a waiver to conduct in-person education, the county announced Friday, Aug. 21. The district is "assessing the requirements associated with the waiver process and will be engaging the governing board in a study session Sept. 22 to seek direction," wrote HUSD Public Information Officer Alexandra Sponheim.

Reopening

Gov. Gavin Newsom outlined a color-coded, tiered system that will use two metrics to measure the coronavirus:

spread rate and test positivity percentage.

The tiers are designated by four colors: purple (widespread), red (substantial), orange (moderate) and yellow (minimal with the lowest restrictions).

Counties must remain at each tier for a minimum of 21 days. The metrics will be tracked at www.COVID19.ca.gov. Once a county is in the red tier for at least two weeks, schools can reopen without a waiver.

As of press time, hair salons and barbershops, and malls (at 25% capacity) are allowed to reopen. Bars remain closed. Restaurants, wineries and tasting rooms, movie theaters, family entertainment centers, zoos and museums, and cardrooms must move business outdoors, and if unable, close once again. Restaurants and other businesses may still do takeout but are not permitted to have indoor dining. Restrictions have also been placed on the following: fitness centers and gyms, worship services, offices for non-critical sectors and personal care services. The county said that businesses may do curbside retail, as long as there are no indoor operations.

For more information on state guidance, visit <https://covid19.ca.gov/industry-guidance/>. Visit www.RivCoBiz.org for modifications and other measures encouraged by

the county to keep employees, customers and clients safe.

Cooling center

Riverside County opened cooling centers on June 1 with modifications to accommodate coronavirus safety guidelines. For a list of cooling center locations, visit www.capriverside.org.

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.

HUSD serves students supper, lunch and breakfast at no charge for students enrolled at Hamilton School, Hamilton High School, Idyllwild School, Academy of Innovation and Hemet High. Meal kits are distributed Mondays and Thursdays from 2:30 to 4 p.m. and will contain breakfast, lunch and supper for three days.

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).

Local entities update:

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

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

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 child care) for the time being. The food distribution program is still occurring. The Farmers Market is back Sundays from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. outside at Town Hall, 25925 Cedar Street.

Idyllwild Fire Protection District: The front office is open by appointment.

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 Wednes-

days. 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 Songwriter Festival: The festival, originally scheduled for Sept. 25 to 27, has been canceled.

Idyllwild Town Crier: The office is open to the public by telephone only. For advertising information, contact Lisa Streeter (lisa@towncrier.com) or Mandy Johnson (mandy@towncrier.com) and for editorial questions contact Melissa Diaz Hernandez (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: The office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Pine Cove Water District: The office is closed to the public indefinitely. Staff is on-site weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Riverside County Fair & National Date Festival: This was scheduled for Feb. 12 to 21, 2021, and has been canceled.

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 for updated information.

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COVID-19 BUSINESS ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM

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ELIGIBLE USE OF FUNDS

✓ Payroll/Employee retention

✓ Working capital

✓ Purchase of Personal Protective Equipment

✓ Rent or mortgage payments

✓ Paying vendor invoices

INELIGIBLE BUSINESSES

✓ Public entities

✓ Passive income real estate investments

✓ New/Startup Businesses with less than one year of operating history (as of 3/1/20)

✓ Cannabis-related

✓ Casinos/gambling establishments

✓ Adult entertainment related

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Grants are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

Applications will be accepted beginning on September 16th until October 30th at 5pm.

ELIGIBLE BUSINESSES

✓ NEW - Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) Recipients (\$75,000 or less)

✓ Located in Riverside County: if within a city must have a current business license/registration

✓ Private For-Profit

✓ Small businesses with less than 50 employees

✓ Sole Proprietors that do not have employees

✓ Businesses that received the SBA Economic Injury Disaster Loan or advance

✓ Must have experienced a financial hardship as a result of COVID-19

✓ Operating for a minimum of one-year as of March 1, 2020

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Idyllwild Weather

From the National Weather Service

Wednesday 9/16

84/68
Haze

Sunday 9/20

79/61
Sunny

Thursday 9/17

86/68
Mostly sunny

Monday 9/21

79/53
Sunny

Friday 9/18

84/66
Mostly sunny

Tuesday 9/22

78/53
Sunny

Saturday 9/19

80/64
Sunny

Find the latest weather information from the National Weather Service at www.weather.gov.

Idyllwild this year					
Date	High	Low	M	S	
09/08	83	69	0.00	x	
09/09	79	50	0.00	x	
09/10	78	45	0.00	x	
09/11	81	46	0.00	x	
09/12	86	50	0.00	x	
09/13	88	55	0.00	x	
09/14	78	53	0.00	x	

Idyllwild last year					
Date	High	Low	M	S	
09/08	77	45	0.00	0.0	
09/09	79	45	0.00	0.0	
09/10	x	x	0.00	0.0	
09/11	78	46	0.00	0.0	
09/12	86	53	0.00	0.0	
09/13	89	50	0.00	0.0	
09/14	90	51	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@towncrier.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 or call Caltrans road update at 1-800-427-7623.

A small amount of smoke covered the Hill on Tuesday as temperatures hovered in the 80s throughout the day.

PHOTO BY EDDIE ALCAZAR

IFPD

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local standards as approved by the fire chief.”

It was brought to the newspaper’s attention by departments within Riverside County that the district may need to first complete a fact finding with the state before the ordinance could be presented to the commission for adoption. When asked about this Chief Mark LaMont wrote, “The 2008 Ordinance was passed by the board and we are looking to track the process that was used 12 years ago. We do know that we are not required to submit to the California Building Standards Commission (CBSC).”

The newspaper contacted the CBSC to get clarification on the process. The CBSC stated that the ordinance would be filed with the Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) and that the HCD is the department that reviews fire protection district amendments.

When contacted, HCD stated that the district does need to have findings but those findings only need to be included with the resolution or an included package. If the resolution is approved by the board of commissioners, it would then go to the county to be ratified by the Riverside County Board of Supervisors. If ratified, the county sends it to HCD with a copy of the ordinance and the proof it was approved and accepted by the county.

HCD requires the following documentation:

“Amendment documents must be expressly marked to identify or demonstrate the following:

- The state law providing the authority for the

amendment.

- The Title 24 section being amended. The amendment text should be discernable from the text of Title 24 not being amended.
- The fire protection district board made an express finding that amendment to building standards for fire and panic safety in Title 24 is reasonably necessary because of local climatic, geological, or topographical conditions.
- The fire protection district presented the proposed amendment(s) to the city, county, or city and county where the amendments will apply for a 30-day review.
- The fire protection district obtained ratification (approval) by the city, county, or city and county where the amendment will apply.

“The amendment is not effective without the ratification by the city, county, or city and county where the amendment will apply. When ratified, the amendment becomes effective.”

Local Hal Carey expressed concern regarding this proposed resolution writing in a recent letter to the editor “Such an ordinance could also reduce code compliance, lead to less construction projects thereby negatively impacting our local contractors, or dissuade potential homebuyers or businesses from investing in our community.”

Chief Mark LaMont sent his response to Carey’s concerns to the newspaper: “Thank you for your correspondence. I am attaching supportive and background information which clearly shows the life safety benefits of automatic fire sprinklers and our reasoning for the same.

“Currently California fire code requires that all new homes include fire sprink-

lers.

In 2008, the Idyllwild Fire Protection District [IFPD] adopted resolution 480 and the appendix to 480 which requires fire sprinklers to be installed in any building which undergoes a 50% or greater addition to the original permitted square footage.

“For perspective I offer the following example.

“The average square footage of all single-family residences currently built in Idyllwild is 1,216. Under the current IFPD regulation (Resolution 480), you can add 608 square feet to the average home without the addition of fire sprinklers. With an average bedroom size of (10’X12’) 120 square feet and an average bathroom size of (6’X10’) 60 square feet, this would mean that you could add four (4) 120 square-foot bedrooms and two (2) 60 square-foot bathrooms to the average home in Idyllwild with 8 square feet to spare, all completed currently without being required to add fire sprinklers. In contrast to the current regulation (Resolution 480), the proposed requirement would take the 50% square footage down to 30% of existing square footage. Using the same average square footage of 1,216 under the proposed regulation, a property owner could add 364.8 square feet without being required to add fire sprinklers. This would allow a property owner of a 1,216 square-foot home to add two (2) 120 square-foot bedrooms and two (2) 60 square-foot bathrooms all without being required to add fire sprinklers.

“Any addition to existing structures increases the overall fuel loading and risk. Decades of data clearly shows that automatic fire sprinklers (1) save lives (2) minimizes

property damage (3) buys critical time for fire department resources to arrive on scene (4) cost an average of \$1.50 to \$3 per square foot to install and (5) may decrease homeowners insurance premiums.

“I was recently asked why we were proposing such an expensive regulation onto the property owners of Idyllwild when we don’t have a large number of structure fire related deaths within the community. My answer was/is, if we have the opportunity to save even one life, then we should. We also do not have a large number of automobile accident deaths within the community of Idyllwild, should we then remove the costly air bags and seatbelts until the number of deaths reaches a level proportionate to the cost of these critical safety appliances?

“I understand that there is a cost involved in requiring fire sprinklers to new homes and additions. I also place human life above those costs. We are proposing a proactive solution to a threat to human life and property damage.”

The newspaper has received letters to the editor both in favor and against this resolution.

IFPD assistance on fires

IFPD has assisted on the following fires during the FY 2020/21 season:

ONC1 staging (Team 11, Redding), Mile Post Fire Hoopa CA (Team 11), ONC2 staging (Team 11 Redding), Indian Fire (Anza), Apple Fire Beaumont, Whitewater Fire (Cabazon), Red Salmon Fire (Willow Creek, CA), Ranch Fire (Azusa).

Abatement/citation update

The district sent out

failed abatement citations to 157 properties.

Grants

The district filed a FEMA CARES Act grant for additional costs due to COVID-19. The first phase for \$150,536.86. The entire grant submittal is estimated to be \$368,000. The district was awarded the Assistance to Firefighters Grant it applied for back in February. The district will use the \$148,571.43 to purchase four new cardiac monitors, new ambulance gurneys and additional EMS/medical gear. The district was also awarded a VFA grant for wildland gear and radios.

Siren update

The Idyllwild Water District does not wish to move forward as a partner in the emergency siren alert system due to overall cost and on-going maintenance concerns. The Fern Valley Water District (FVWD) will be partnering with IFPD on the project. The siren will cost \$25,994.91.

The newspaper previously reported “LaMont recommended that the board select Sentry Siren, which the board unanimously approved. The project could be completed in 45 days from the time Sentry is given the go-ahead. Sentry requires a 15% deposit, 35% once the pole is set and the remaining balance once the project is complete.” IFPD allocated up to \$15,000 for the project in its FY 2020/21 budget. FVWD allocated up to \$30,000 in its FY 2020/21 budget.

Board reviews fire chief

The board reviewed and evaluated LaMont’s performance as the district’s fire chief.

“We gave Mark LaMont an excellent review and we are all moving forward,” said IFPD Commissioner President Ralph Hoetger.

Health insurance assistance

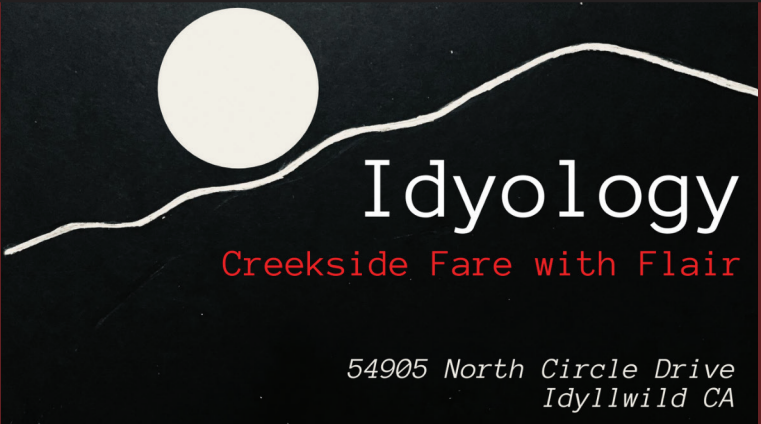
For those who lose their jobs that provided health insurance, Covered California may allow access to preferred doctors, hospitals and pharmacies.

Any change in life, such as losing a job, moving, getting married or having a baby, allows families to obtain low-cost health coverage through Covered California, and in many cases receive help from the federal government to pay the monthly premium.

If you lose your health coverage due to loss of a job or other reasons, know that:

- You can sign up for Covered California during any time of the year through Special Enrollment.
- Covered California may be cheaper than COBRA, since there is a possibility you will get financial assistance to pay your monthly premium.
- You may be able to maintain the same network of healthcare providers, and 85 percent of hospitals in California accept Covered California health plans.
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FERN VALLEY WATER DISTRICT

NOTICE OF VACANCY ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE FERN VALLEY WATER DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a vacancy has occurred on the Board of Directors of the Fern Valley Water District as a result of the resignation of Trischa Clark.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT appointment will be made as prescribed by Government Code Section 1780 by the Board of Directors of said District.

The Board of Directors intends to fill the vacancy by appointment at their Regular Board meeting to be held at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, October 16, 2020 at the District office, 55790 South Circle Drive, Idyllwild, California.

INTERESTED FERN VALLEY LAND OWNERS SHOULD CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR AN APPLICATION TO BE INCLUDED WITH THEIR LETTER OF INTEREST AND RESUME TO THE DISTRICT OFFICE NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 9, 2020. THE OFFICE IS LOCATED AT 55790 SOUTH CIRCLE DRIVE, IDYLLWILD, CA OR YOU CAN SUBMIT BY MAIL TO PO BOX 3039, IDYLLWILD, CA 92549.

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- Letters do not necessarily reflect the opinions of Town Crier staff.
- Letters may be submitted by e-mail to melissa@towncrier.com and must include "Letter to the Editor" in the subject line.
- The deadline is 10 a.m. Monday.

Members, readers, businesses and organizations ...

By JACK CLARK
Co-PUBLISHER

The message is out that community newspapers — throughout our state and all over our country — have been closing down because of serious decreases in advertising revenue. But we remain convinced that advertising in a local newspaper — both ink-on-paper and online — is the most focused means for local businesses and organizations to connect with the local market they seek to reach. And you also reach tourists because each Hill inn is able to pick up complimentary copies for its guests. These days, the Town Crier needs

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help from our readers to continue serving our Hill community. Happily, our Members are renewing generously and new Members are joining them. So, the Town Crier can continue its mission of monitoring our local public entities that Town Crier readers do not have the time to monitor themselves. Of course, you can still read the Town Crier by purchasing a copy each week at 10 Hill locations: Fair-

way, Village, Pine Cove, Mountain Center and Lake Hemet markets, Idyllwild Pharmacy, Idyllwild's Chevron and Shell stations, Mountain Top Liquor and the new Town Crier office next to the pharmacy. Idyllwild and Pine Cove inns may pick up a free copy for each guest room. Idyllwild HELP Center clients receive complimentary copies, and you can read the Town Crier for free at Idyllwild Library, both online and on paper (as soon as the library reopens). So, once again, we sincerely thank and congratulate our Members, readers and advertising businesses and organizations for keeping a real newspaper serving our Hill community.


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2020 Ernie Maxwell Community Spirit Award

Please fill out and return to the Town Crier office, mail to P.O. Box 157, Idyllwild, CA 92549 or stop by our office at 54391 Village Center Dr. #5, by 4 p.m. Friday, Sept. 25.

Please select one (one entry per person):

- ☐ Stephanie Yost
- ☐ Mark Yardas & Mara Schoner
- ☐ Robert "Bob" Romano



Ernie Maxwell and his wife Betty founded the Town Crier in 1946. Until his death in 1996, Ernie was a leader in the community on conservation, art and education, among many causes. He would have been 109 years old on July 7, 2020.

Fire Sprinkler Resolution

DEAREDTOR
I strongly disagree with the Resolution 513-01. The unexpected consequences of the poorly thought out resolution would have such a severe impact on local property owners of both home and business owners on the Hill.



I have been a part timer on the Hill for over 50 years and can see that the financial impact would be a great detriment to anyone thinking of acquiring property in Idyllwild. A coolant mix of water and ethylene glycol in the presence of high temperatures will decompose the water out of solution and the remaining ethylene may undergo auto ignition. Does not seem appealing in a mountain community.

Marc Reis, DDS
Idyllwild



Effective communication

By CALLIE WIGHT

We are continuing our exploration of effective communication by looking deeper into the effect of contempt in personal and social relationships along with a few ideas about how to escape the habit of contempt for others. Last month, the focus was on John Gottman's research on contempt as an avenue to destructive negativity in relationships (See link below). By harboring contempt for the other person, we begin to ignore, then forget, our partner's positive qualities. Gottman calls it the "immediate decay of admiration." This negativity seeps out whether subtly or openly, fostering the growth of relationship-destroying negativity. Here's your "take-home message:" To counteract and overcome contempt, purposefully and outwardly express appreciation and respect which will strengthen fondness and admiration. Fondness and admiration are the very antidotes to contempt. What is it about contempt that makes it such a relationship destroyer? It spurs us to turn another person into a one-dimensional caricature of themselves or of some fearful object. It causes us to think of another person as "the other," as different, separate, alien and less-than. We feel justified in negatively judging the other. We neglect to think that the other person may have extenuating circumstances or a backstory, or even a good reason for doing whatever it is they're doing that we abhor. Contempt aids us to fall into the trap of either/or thinking, even though life is usually in between somewhere filled with positive, negative and neutral aspects. We deny the multidimensionality of the other person and our relationship with them. And we let ourselves conveniently off the hook for our own part in the problem. And our own part in the solution. Contempt seems to be pervasive these days. We hear it on social media. Of course, it's notorious for that. We hear it on television. We hear it in conversations with our friends and family. We harbor it ourselves in our own thoughts. It even has its own sound; a certain cadence; a certain inflection; a certain tone. Certainly, it has its own language. We know what's coming when we hear that sound, almost like a code, and we find ourselves falling right into that cadence. What we may not realize, though, is that the feel-good snark is severing relationships. Through contempt we are being uncivil. Contempt and incivility are threats to our

social fabric. Another's uncivil behavior is not an excuse for our own. By fostering this separateness and severing personal and social relationships in this way, we sow division. With division comes rigid opposition. Positive change in personal and social relationships is hard to come by when rigid opposition is in the driver's seat. Renowned community organizer Saul Alinsky once said that relationality is at the core of social movements. In other words, challenging the status quo requires being in relationship with others and we cannot do that when we are full of contempt for them. John Morley

Tell yourself, "Wait, there is something more to find out here. I may abhor the behavior but I don't have to hate this person."

wrote "On Compromise" in 1874. Forty years ago, I saw the Ben Shawn poster of this quote in the library at my nursing school and it has stuck with me ever since: "You have not converted a man [sic] because you have silenced him." By refusing to be contemptuous of the other — by being civil — we are opening up relationships as we confirm and maintain our shared humanity with all-around us. How to overcome the habit of contempt? Absolutely, this is not easy. Nevertheless, breaking this habit is simply a skill. Like any other skill it takes practice to perfect. We will need to be able to sit with discomfort — to sit flexibly with complexity. Approach it as a challenging yoga pose. Ease into it. Give yourself time to get better at it. Don't abandon the work. Listen deeper to discover what the other person is really worried about or fearful of. When you hear the feel-good snark in your head, countermand it. Tell yourself, "Wait, there is something more to find out here. I may abhor the behavior but I don't have to hate this person." Relinquish that either/or polarized thought. Go for "both/and" — be able to find the great, the not-so-great and the neutral in one person all at the same time. Find something you can respect or appreciate in this person. Try all of this with a public figure with whom you are not personally close but whose behavior you really don't like. It's easier to practice when the emotional investment in the personal relationship is not on the line. Remember what Ghandi said, "Be the change you want to see." We can do this. We must do this. *Nothing in this article is meant to be medical advice. Please consult your health care provider. Some information above taken from: "Why Marriages Succeed or Fail...and How You Can Make Yours Last" by John M. Gottman. https://www.gottman.com/blog/category/column/the-four-horsemen/ https://BrainyQuote.com* *Callie Wight is a California state-licensed registered nurse with a Master of Arts in psychology.*

Tips to conserve energy
California Independent System Operator (ISO) highlights three simple actions individuals and businesses can take to reduce energy consumption:

- Set your thermostat to 78 degrees or higher between 3 and 10 p.m.
- Refrain from major appliance between 3 and 10 p.m.
- Turn off unnecessary lights and appliances.

Explore Idyllwild Directories and Maps
Attention local businesses: Contact the Town Crier office located at 54391 Village Center Drive Suite #5 to arrange to pick up your Explore Idyllwild Directories and Maps. For safe pickup, please call ahead to 951-659-2145 on Monday-Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Helpful COVID-19 links for Idyllwild business owners
UC Riverside: <https://techpartnerships.ucr.edu/covid19>
Orange County/Inland Empire SBDC Network: ociesmallbusiness.org/resource/covid-19
Riverside County resources for businesses: www.RivCoBizHelp.org

Need an electric vehicle charging station?
Fern Valley Inn, 25210 Fern Valley Rd., and Fireside Inn, 54540 N. Circle Dr., both have charging stations for your electric vehicle. If you have a local business that has an electric vehicle charging station available for public use, please let us know at melissa@towncrier.com.

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.

To learn how you can be prepared for wildfires and evacuation steps, visit ReadyForWildfire.org and prewtwildfireca.org.



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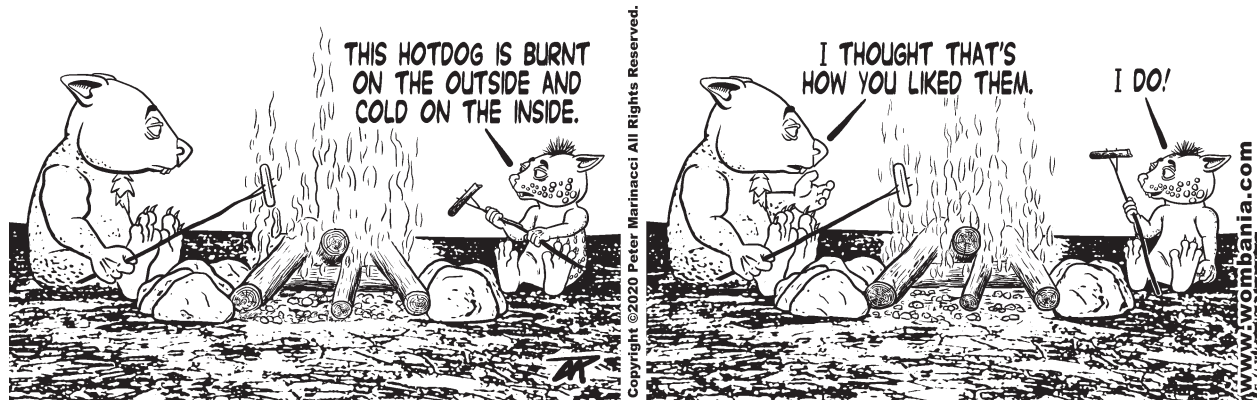


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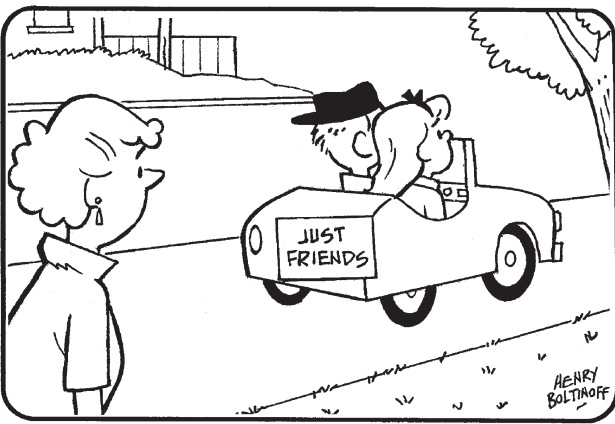
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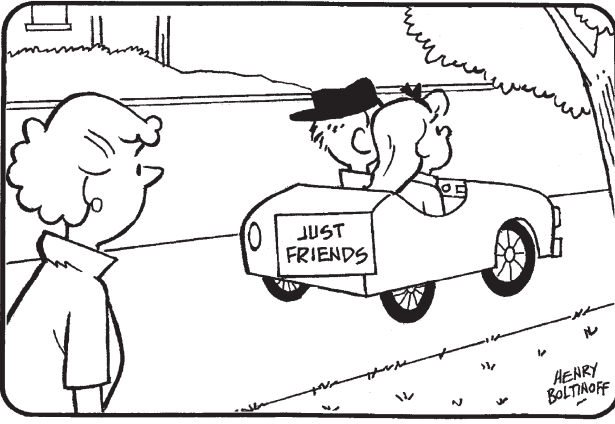
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Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Tree is larger. 2. Fence is missing. 3. Windshield is gone. 4. Earring is different. 5. Hubcaps are different. 6. Wall has been extended.

Former IWD intern reveals new information

BY MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ EDITOR

Former Idyllwild Water Department (IWD) intern Natalie Vidales wrote a letter to the district dated Sept. 17, 2019 addressing an incident that occurred in the office on Monday, Sept. 16, 2019.

In her letter she writes, "On Monday, Sept. 16, 2019 at approximately 4:30 p.m. there was an incident in the front office of IWD. Someone aggressively knocked on the back door and tried to enter. When I looked outside the back window, I saw Board Member Steve Kunkle's car in the parking lot.

"The chain on the back door prevented said person from entering so Amy [Hawley] got up and went to open the door. At this point, she did not know it was Steve Kunkle. When she got to the door, she let him in after he made a snarky remark about 'needing a password to enter the office now.' Before she realized who was entering, Board Member Steve Kunkle stepped in and invited in [IWD Chief Financial Officer] Mr. Hosny Shouman, who is under direct order by the General Manager Michael Creighton to maintain adequate distance between himself and the front office staff, Amy and Jeannine [Olsen]. At this point, Jeannine had left work early (2:30 p.m.) as she was feeling sick."

Vidales further explains that after Kunkle and Shouman entered the building they searched the front office

for Kunkle's old confidential employee file. Olsen is the office staff with access and so neither Vidales nor Hawley could assist them. Vidales writes that she came out of her office to meet Kunkle because she had not met him.

Kunkle, according to the letter, asks Vidales "Why are you standing there? Are you watching me? Am I not allowed to be in the office?" Vidales explains that she was speechless and didn't understand his reaction.

Hawley explains that Shouman's presence made them uncomfortable and that some warning would have been appreciated. Kunkle replies that Shouman was with him. Hawley then tried to explain to Kunkle that Shouman is not allowed there under Creighton's orders.

Kunkle leaves the office with Olsen's contact number by 4:35 p.m.

Vidales submitted a resignation letter Sept. 26 — the day after former General Manager Michael Creighton was fired from the district during a special meeting on Sept. 25 — stating her last day with the district would be Oct. 16. Her first day with the district was May 13, 2019.

She graduated in 2017 from University of California, Merced with a degree in environmental engineering. Her role was to write a report regarding the district's ground water and lake levels.

Before his firing, Creighton wrote two letters, a week apart, regarding Shouman's actions. One was a letter of

unacceptable performance dated Sept. 25 for providing incorrect information to an employee regarding paid time off. The other was a letter of reprimand dated Sept. 17 regarding an investigation by Aarvig and Associates. Creighton explains in the Sept. 17 letter that an "investigation concluded that the charges of violating district policy related to conduct in the workplace, described herein, were sustained, and you [Shouman] are receiving a written reprimand with ordered anti-bullying/anti-harassment training or management coaching, at the district's option."

Creighton filed a wrongful termination lawsuit against IWD on Jan. 31 based on alleged violations of the California Government Code's Fair Employment and Housing Act, and the California Labor Code. The complaint sets forth two causes of action, each alleging that the IWD Board of Directors unlawfully terminated him from his general manager position in retaliation for actions he took in opposition to harassment of female co-workers.

The lawsuit also alleges that some of the district's board members violated the Brown Act.

The court vacated the trial settlement conference in the Creighton lawsuit and set a trial readiness conference for Dec. 16. The district is denying all of the allegations made in the complaint. Creighton's lawsuit seeks \$578,476 in damages from IWD.

How to prepare and cook pumpkin seeds

BY METRO EDITORIAL SERVICE CONTRIBUTED

Nutrition and Halloween do not necessarily go hand-in-hand. While many parents may go to great lengths to ensure their youngsters' Halloween treats offer at least a little nutritional value, the bulk of costumed children's hauls still tends to be candy.

Pumpkin seeds are one delicious yet often overlooked Halloween treat. According to Healthline — an online medical resource that aims to educate readers as they pursue their health and overall well-being — pumpkin seeds provide a host of health benefits.

Department of Agriculture indicates that a single cup of pumpkin seeds can provide as much as 22% of a person's daily recommended value of dietary fiber.

In addition, pumpkin seeds are loaded with vitamin K, which plays a role in blood clotting and bone metab-

olisms and helps to regulate blood calcium levels.

Pumpkin seeds tend to be easily accessible come Halloween, as they're right inside the pumpkins many who celebrate this ghoulish holiday turn into jack-o'-lanterns.

When carving pumpkins this Halloween, people can forgo relegating pumpkin seeds to the garbage can in favor of cooking them. The following are some tips, courtesy of Whole Foods, to help Halloween celebrants prepare and cook pumpkin seeds.

- Remove seeds from the inner cavity. Pumpkin seeds may sometimes be covered in excess pulp. Upon removing the seeds from the inner cavity, wipe off the pulp and then spread the seeds out evenly on a paper bag, allowing them to dry overnight.

- Place the seeds in a single layer on a baking sheet.

Once the seeds have dried, they can

be placed in a single layer on a baking sheet. Roast the seeds in the oven at a temperature between 160 and 170 F for 15 to 20 minutes. Whole Foods notes researchers found that roasting pumpkin seeds for more than 20 minutes can lead to unwanted changes in the fat structure of the seeds. To avoid such changes, make sure the seeds are not roasted for more than 20 minutes.

Once they have been roasted, pumpkin seeds can be served as-is as a delicious snack. Whole Foods notes that seeds can be sprinkled into mixed green salads. Pumpkin seeds can even be ground with fresh garlic, parsley and cilantro leaves and then mixed with olive oil and lemon juice to create a delicious salad dressing. Chopped pumpkin seeds also can be added to cereals.

This Halloween, don't forget to add a little nutrition to celebrations by roasting some pumpkin seeds.



Pumpkin seeds are one delicious yet often overlooked Halloween treat.

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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, Sept. 16**
- Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
 - La Leche League, 10 a.m. Call 951-659-8321.
 - Garner Valley Book Club, 10:30 a.m. Call 951-659-6049 for location.
 - High Valleys Water District board meeting, 3 p.m. HVWD office, 47781 Twin Pines Rd., Twin Pines.
 - Al-Anon weekly Zoom on-line meeting, 5 p.m. Join meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86652637379>.
 - Idyllwild Water District board meeting, 6 p.m. IWD board room, 25945 Highway 243.

Thursday, Sept. 17

- 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.
- Lake Hemet Municipal Water District board meeting, 3 p.m. LHMWD office, 26385 Fairview Ave., Hemet.
- Idyllwild Community Meditation, 6 p.m. Idyllwild Yoga Studio, 54445 N. Circle Dr. Call Valerie Kyoshin Velez at 951-659-5750 for information.

- Friday, Sept. 18**
- Free community Mat Pilates classes, 9 a.m. Call 760-200-5757 for information & directions.
 - Fern Valley Water District board meeting, 9 a.m. Call 951-659-2200 for meeting information.
 - Women's Writing Group with fellow writers, 2-4 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat. Call 951-659-2523

- Saturday, Sept. 19**
- Antifreeze, batteries, oil and paint center, 8:30 a.m.-4:30

p.m. Idyllwild Transfer Station, 28100 Saunders Meadow Rd.

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

- Sunday, Sept. 20**
- Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
 - Peace Meditation Practice, 10 a.m. Tibetan Buddhist Dharma Center, 53191 Mountain View, Pine Cove.
 - Course in Miracles discussion, 11 a.m. Call Karin at 951-973-8651 for location.

- Monday, Sept. 21**
- Women's Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
 - Al-Anon weekly Zoom on-line meeting, 6:30 p.m. Join meeting: <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/4111202127pwd=R21le-jhwL0RlenRV0GVULzQVmt-Gdz09>.

- Tuesday, Sept. 22**
- Idyllwild Fire Protection District board meeting, 3 p.m. Idyllwild Fire Station, 54160 Maranatha Dr.
 - Lovingkindness Meditation Group, 5-5:30 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat. Call 951-659-2523.
 - Self-Realization Fellowship Meditation, 6-7 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat. Call 951-659-2523.

- Wednesday, Sept. 23**
- Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
 - Al-Anon weekly Zoom on-line meeting, 5 p.m. Join meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86652637379>.

Missing persons

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was reported missing after going on a hike in the Pine Cove area Wednesday, March 4. He left home at about 1 p.m. and was last seen at the Pine Cove Market at 6:30 p.m. on the same day. He was last seen wearing a red backpack and jeans.

RCSD Deputy Jeremy Parsons said, "After six full days of searching in between inclement weather, searching 8 to 10 hours per day, Prifogle has not been located. The Riverside Mountain Rescue Unit (RMRU), as well as search and rescue volunteers from San Bernardino County, Orange County and San Diego County, were assisting. In total, about 150 people have been searching during those six days." Also adding, "On the second or third day of the search, we found his backpack, but have found no other clues as to his whereabouts."

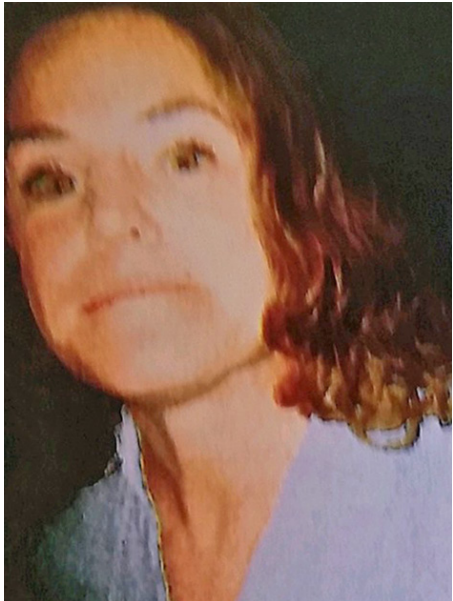
On Sunday, June 7 at approximately 8:24 a.m., Hemet Station Deputies were dispatched to the 58000 block of Bonita Vista in reference to a missing person. Lydia "Dia" Abrams was placed into the system as a missing person.

Abrams is 65 years old, 5' 5" tall, 130 pounds with blonde hair and blue eyes. She was last seen wearing a black and turquoise jack, yellow shirt and blue jeans.

According to RMRU, their team of volunteers was dispatched to Abrams' 160-acre ranch in the Apple Canyon area (between Mountain Center and Garner Valley) on June 9. They conducted a search from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. with no success of finding Abrams.

RMRU went out again on June 10 to search more difficult areas on the property including a creek bed and the hills overlooking her ranch. All assignments were completed by 6 p.m. At that point, detectives took over the investigation and called off the physical ground search.

If you have any information regarding the whereabouts of Roy Prifogle, Dia Abrams, Rosario Garcia or Melissa Lane, contact the RCSD immediately at 800-950-2444.



Melissa Lane, 41, was last seen June 15. PHOTO BY HALIE WILSON



Rosario Garcia PHOTO COURTESY OF THE RIVERSIDE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

NEWS OF RECORD

Idyllwild Fire

Idyllwild Fire Protection District recently responded to the following calls.

- Sept. 8 — Unauthorized burning, 8 p.m. Riverside County Playground Rd.
- Sept. 9 — Smoke scare, 2:40 p.m. Double View Dr.
- Sept. 10 — Medical aid, 11:18 p.m. N. Circle Dr.
- Sept. 11 — Walk-in person in distress, 10 a.m.
- Sept. 11 — Smoke scare, 11:35 a.m. Forest Haven Dr.
- Sept. 11 — Natural vegetation fire, 3 p.m. Forest Haven Dr.
- Sept. 11 — Medical aid, 8:15 p.m. Cedar St.
- Sept. 12 — Medical aid, 7:49 a.m. Country Club Dr.
- Sept. 12 — Walk-in medical aid, 11:30 a.m.
- Sept. 12 — Medical aid, 2:46 p.m. Forest Haven Dr.
- Sept. 12 — Motor vehicle with accident, 3:15 p.m. Highway 243.
- Sept. 12 — Gas leak, 7:30 p.m. N. Circle Dr.

Cal Fire

Cal Fire recently responded to the following calls by station.

Station 23 - Pine Cove

- Sept. 7 — Smoke check - false alarm, 1:54 a.m.
- Sept. 10 — Outside fire, 8:02 p.m.
- Sept. 11 — Vegetation fire, 6:08 p.m.
- Sept. 12 — Cardiac arrest, 7:49 a.m.
- Sept. 13 — Falls - public assist, 9:25 a.m.
- Sept. 13 — Fire - false alarm, 10:09 a.m.

Station 30 - Pinyon Pines

- Sept. 8 — Traffic collision, 8:43 p.m.
- Sept. 8 — Traffic collision, 9:57 p.m.
- Sept. 9 — Structure fire, 2:31 p.m.
- Sept. 9 — Fire- false alarm, 6:15 p.m.
- Sept. 10 — Sick person, 1:16 a.m.
- Sept. 10 — Complications of pregnancy, 2:42 p.m.
- Sept. 10 — Outside fire, 8:02 p.m.

Station 53 - Garner Valley

- Sept. 7 — Unknown medical alarm, 1:09 p.m.
- Sept. 8 — Traffic collision, 8:43 p.m.
- Sept. 8 — Traffic collision, 9:57 p.m.

- Sept. 10 — Fire - false alarm, 9:27 a.m.
 - Sept. 12 — Cardiac arrest, 11:18 a.m.
 - Sept. 12 — Smoke check - false alarm, 12:34 p.m.
- Station 63 - Poppet Flats**
- Sept. 13 — Electrical hazard, 5:36 p.m.

Sheriff's log

The Riverside County Sheriff's Department Hemet Station responded to the following calls Sunday to Saturday, Sept. 6 to Sept. 12.

Idyllwild

- Sept. 6 — Animal abuse, 1:41 p.m. 25000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 6 — Suspicious circumstance, 2:49 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 7 — Noise complaint, 12:40 a.m. Tahquitz Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 7 — Noise complaint, 12:47 a.m. Glen Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 7 — Alarm call, 9:27 a.m. 52000 block of Double View Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 9 — Alarm call, 5:05 a.m. 54000 block of Pine Crest Ave. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 9 — Suspicious circumstance, 7:20 p.m. Delano Dr. Handled by deputy
- Sept. 9 — Public disturbance,

7:29 p.m. Cedar St. Handled by deputy.

- Sept. 10 — Alarm call, 10:23 p.m. Pioneer Rd. Handled by deputy.

- Sept. 11 — Alarm call, 2:43 p.m. N. Circle Dr. Handled by deputy.

- Sept. 11 — Trespassing, 6:20 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.

- Sept. 11 — Public disturbance, 8:03 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.

- Sept. 12 — Unattended death, 7:49 a.m. Address withheld. Report taken.

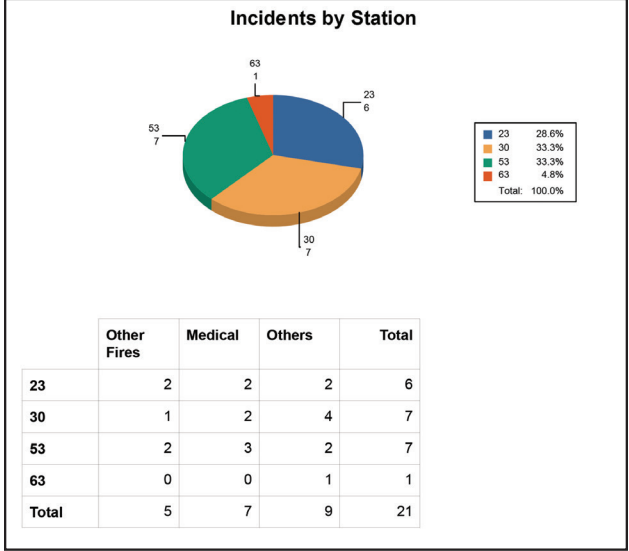
- Sept. 12 — Public disturbance, 10:04 a.m. 26000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.

Mountain Center

- Sept. 8 — Alarm call, 5:28 p.m. McCall Park Rd. Handled by deputy.

Pine Cove

- Sept. 6 — Suspicious circumstance, 12:43 a.m. Scenic View Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 7 — Public disturbance, 12:56 p.m. 23000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 10 — Check the welfare, 10:08 a.m. Marion Ridge Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 10 — Noise complaint, 6:29 p.m. Nestwa Trl. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 10 — Unknown trouble, 7:46 p.m. Mountain View Dr.



Calls from Cal Fire by station. Station 23 is Pine Cove. Station 30 is Pinyon Pines. Station 53 is Garner Valley. Station 63 is Poppet Flats. CHART COURTESY OF CAL FIRE

Handled by deputy.

- Sept. 12 — Shots fired, 1:03 p.m. Silver Fir Dr. Handled by deputy.

Pine Meadows/Garner Valley

- Sept. 7 — Public disturbance, 8:25 a.m. Table Mountain Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 8 — Alarm call, 7:49 a.m. Lion Peak Rd. Handled by deputy.

Poppet Flats/Twin Pines

- Sept. 10 — Assist other department, 7:34 p.m. 46000 block of Poppet Flats Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 11 — Shots fired, 10:13 a.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy
- Sept. 11 — Shots fired, 11:41

a.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.

San Bernardino National Forest

- Sept. 6 — Follow-up, 11:20 a.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 7 — 911 hang up from cellphone, 10:36 a.m. McCaugh Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 7 — Lost hiker, 11:47 a.m. Rocky Point Rd. Report taken.
- Sept. 8 — Follow-up, 9:12 a.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- Sept. 8 — Assist other department, 7:34 p.m. 19000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as GREENHAUS GUERILLA KITCHEN at 54225 North Circle, Idyllwild, California 92549, Riverside County. Mailing Address: 24800 Fern Valley Rd, Box 1093, Idyllwild, California 92549. CASEY NICOLE BROOKSHIRE, 24800 Fern Valley Rd, Idyllwild, CA 92549. RYAN BARRETT TAUGHER, 24800 Fern Valley Rd, Idyllwild, CA 92549.

This business is conducted by a Married Couple.

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: CASEY BROOKSHIRE / RYAN TAUGHER

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on August 19, 2020.

FILE NO.: R-202008683

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).

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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

Pub. TC: Aug. 27, Sept. 3, 10, 17, 2020.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as EAST IMPERIAL at 53224 Pina Vista

Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing Address: PO Box 1612, Idyllwild, CA 92549. BRADEN -- DIOTTE, 53224 Pina Vista Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

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

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Registrant Signature: BRADEN -- DIOTTE

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on August 26, 2020.

FILE NO.: R-202008888

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CERTIFICATION

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, September 29th 2020 at 10:00 AM

Perris Mini Storage

Ana Alvarez – Manager

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: Sept. 10, 17, 23, 30, 2020.

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 10:00 AM September 29th 2020 At Perris Mini Storage, 369 East Third Street in the City of Perris, Country of Riverside State of California. The Items to be sold are generally described as follows: household items, misc. furniture, Misc tool 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 – Ana Alvarez

Publish Date: Sept. 10, 17, 2020

RE: Notice of Public Sale: Misc, Household Items, Furniture, Tools and Equip. RE: 3071 of Vehicle code

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Ana Alvarez – Manager

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Pub. TC: Sept. 10, 17, 2020

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as JABS: CUSTOMERCH at 1029 S. Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs, CA 92264, Riverside County. Mailing Address: 69940 Papaya Ln, Cathedral City, CA 92264. JASON RICHARD MORRIS, 1029 S. Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs, CA 92264.

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: JASON MORRIS

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on August 19, 2020.

FILE NO.: R-202008696

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CERTIFICATION

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PETER ALDANA, County Clerk

Pub. TC: Sept. 10, 17, 23, 30, 2020.

NOTICE OF SALE OF AUTOMOBILE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Sections 3071 of the Civil Code of the State of California the undersigned will sell the following vehicle(s) at lien sale at said address below on: 09/25/2020 09:00 AM Year of Car / Make of Car / Vehicle ID No. / License No. (State) 2017 NISSAN 1N6AD0FVXHN704018 58612D2 CA. To be sold by ALBA'S TOWING 51951 HARRISON COACHELLA, CA 92236. Said sale is for the purpose of satisfying lien for together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

Pub. TC: Sept. 17, 2020

LIEN SALE

THE FOLLOWING VEHICLE WILL BE SOLD AT LIEN SALE ON 9/30/2020, 82375 MARKET ST 9, INDIO CA 92201 AT 9:00 AM, 14, CHEV, 1500, PK, 854RLA, KY, 3GCUKREC2EG248031

Pub. TC: Sept. 17, 2020

LIEN SALE

THE FOLLOWING VEHICLE WILL BE SOLD AT LIEN SALE ON 9/30/2020, 788 S VELLA RD, PALM SPRINGS CA 92211 AT 9:00 AM, 00, CHEV, CAMARO, 2D, L17HV, FL, 2G1FP22K0Y2109917

Pub. TC: Sept. 17, 2020

LIEN SALE

THE FOLLOWING VEHICLE WILL BE SOLD AT LIEN SALE ON 9/30/2020, 46137 COMMERCE ST, INDIO CA 92201 AT 9:00 AM, 2019, FORD, F150, PK, C89070X, CA, 1FTFW1R67KFC89070

Pub. TC: Sept. 17, 2020



Local restaurant helping those in need

BY JENNY KIRCHNER
REPORTER/PHOTOGRAPHER

Gabbi Rose, owner of The Sugarloaf Cafe & Market, recently spoke to the Town Crier about the efforts she's making to keep her restaurant afloat during these unprecedented times while serving her community that she holds so dear.

The Sugarloaf Cafe is in Pinyon Pines and has been a destination over the years as people navigate Highway 74. According to The Sugarloaf Cafe's website, it was established in 1937 and was the go-to spot for the workers who constructed Highway 74.

While the historic landmark has been open and closed throughout the years, the name has stayed the same. Rose has owned the restaurant for two years and

has learned to be flexible with the challenges she's faced during this COVID-19 pandemic.

"You have to be willing to do business in an unorthodox way to provide a quality product to your customers," Rose said. "You have to go out on a limb."

Outside of selling amazing barbecue and pies, the restaurant also has campsites.

"We have 17 acres of property," Rose said. "We've launched a new campsite and we are unearthing the historic campsites. I've found 12 of the 25 historic campsites and working on bringing them back to life. Then, we can deliver food to the campers."

This year has been tough for everyone and trying to keep a restaurant alive has been extremely difficult, as Rose found

out earlier this summer when she almost lost power which would have taken out her refrigerator and freezers.

"The last heat wave we went through, we got a message from Anza electric that they were going to turn off the power," Rose explained. "With the amount of barbecue I had on hand, we would have lost a tremendous amount of money if the fridge and freezers went out."

Rose had to quickly figure out how to sell a lot of barbecue in a short amount of time, and Idyllwild was there to lend a hand.

"I put out the post on social media that I needed to sell all of this barbecue, and Idyllwild totally showed up for

me," Rose said. "We delivered it for free. I delivered to four different restaurants, so the restaurant owners were helping me out. They bought barbecue for their staff."

All in all, The Sugarloaf Cafe had 36 orders go out the door for Idyllwild that Sunday, and Rose decided that Idyllwild gets free delivery every Sunday from now on as a thank you for helping her out in her time of need.

"It taught me the real power a community can have when you ask for help," Rose expressed.

As that sense of community is so powerful, Rose also wants to help those who

See Sugarloaf, page B5

Above, The Spaceman Trilogy performed at The Sugarloaf Cafe on Aug. 3.

PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER

Not all musicians are in the public eye

BY JENNY KIRCHNER
REPORTER/PHOTOGRAPHER

Idyllwild local Peter Davison has always had an interest in music. He began playing the flute when he was six years old. Starting at such a young age, Davison was ahead of the music game early on in life.

Playing an instrument like the flute led him to play in the LA City Orchestra at the age of 10.

"It was kind of scary because I was the only boy out of half a dozen flutists," Davison said. "All these pretty girls were so good, but it was fun."

As Davison reminisced about his early days in music, he explained how important music was within the educational system.

"Music was such a big part of education back then, and it should be still today," he said.

"I liked it because it got me out of other classes," Davison said with a chuckle. "In junior high and high school, I was one of those band and orchestra kids. It was all I wanted to do."

By the time he was a teenager, he had taken up rock 'n' roll and the blues. He was in bands playing guitar, saxophone and bass, while touring and living the life many dream of living. However, Davison discovered it wasn't his dream after all.

"I realized I didn't want to tour," Davison confessed. "I wanted to be at home working on music not out waking up in hotels. I'm more of a homebody."

When Davison was 19 years old, he fell ill. He was hospitalized for a month then bedridden for four straight months. Davison had a lot of time to reflect and think about what he wanted to do with his future.

"I decided I wanted to be a composer," Davison said. "I didn't really enjoy performing that much, but I loved making music. Those four months were fantastic because I just sat there and thought about what I really wanted to do. I realized I wanted to go get a bachelor's and master's in music composition."

From 1970 to 1975, Davison attended California State University, Northridge and did exactly what he set out to do. He received his bachelor's degree in 1973 and his master's degree in 1975, both in music composition.

While he was still in college, he started making and recording scores, which launched his career in the television and movie industry.

"From 1974 to 2011, I was a composer making television and film scores," Davison said. "If you watch the History Channel, Discovery, A&E, Biography, The Learning Channel, you've heard my music."

One of the biggest turning points for Davison was in 1988. From 1988 to 2007, Davison scored music for multiple television series on PBS.

"I would sign a new contract every year for a 26-episode series," Davison explained. "That went on for 19 years."

Just like the music industry, the film and television industries provide many opportunities from word-of-mouth. Davison benefited from that and was composing and orchestrating for bigger companies until 2011.

"I also did a lot of orchestration for television with Warner Bros., Universal Studios and Disney," Davison said.

On Aug. 17, 2011, Davison moved to Idyllwild full time. For years, he had been a part-time resident, splitting his time between Idyllwild and Santa Monica.

"Once I moved up here full time, I stopped scoring music for film and television shows and have been able to do my own music," he said. "Almost everything I did for television still plays, and because I own the composer and publishing rights, financially it works out well."

See Peter Davison, page B5



Peter Davison in his studio in Idyllwild.

PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER



Peter Davison playing the flute at nine years old.

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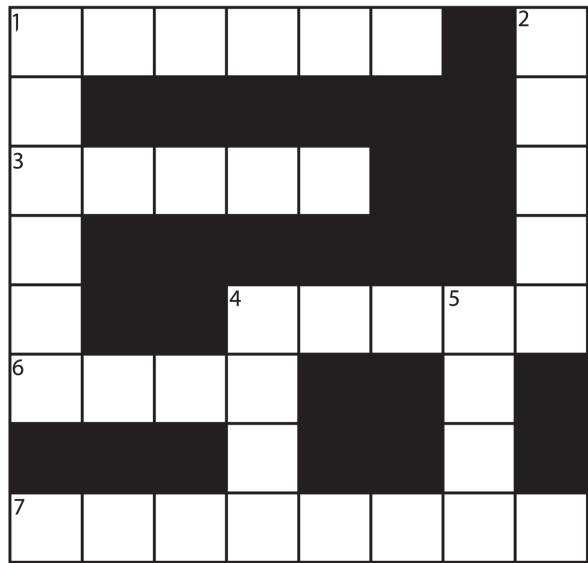
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- ACROSS**

 - 1. Condition of being protected
 - 3. Of great weight
 - 4. Aches and _____
 - 6. Large vehicle (abbr.)
 - 7. Gaining knowledge
- DOWN**

 - 1. Education building
 - 2. Things to read
 - 4. Flow into a stream
 - 5. Person, place or thing

Answers:
Across
1. Safety 3. Heavy 4. Pains 6. Limo
Down
1. School 2. Books 4. Pour 5. Noun 7. Learning

Steele T29 in Safeway Open

By JACK CLARK
PRO GOLF CORRESPONDENT

Brendan Steele fired a 13-under-par 65-70-69-71 — 275 this week in the first tournament of the new 2020-2021 PGA Tour season to tie for 29th place in the Safeway Open on the Silverado Resort and Spa North Course in Napa.

His drives averaged 305.9 yards and found 53.57% of the fairways, while he hit 81.94% of the greens in regulation. With the putter, he gave away a tiny average of 0.1815 of a stroke per round to the field.



Beth Swanson works at her new desk in the newly remodeled front office at Idyllwild School.
PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER



An internal view of Idyllwild School's front entry.
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Patrons peruse Art in the Park over Labor Day weekend.
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Flame-worked glass beads were available at the Labor Day weekend's Art in the Park.
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David Salk sells his handmade ceramics at Art in the Park.
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Beautiful jewelry was for sale at Art in the Park.
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Art in the Park was filled with unique, creative art pieces for all to enjoy despite the heat over the Labor Day weekend.
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ANSWER: FARMS

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SEP 14

- 1814: FRANCIS SCOTT KEY COMPOSES THE LYRICS TO "THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER."
- 1959: THE SOVIET SPACE PROBE LUNA 2 BECOMES THE FIRST MAN-MADE OBJECT TO REACH THE MOON WHEN IT CRASHES INTO THE LUNAR SURFACE.
- 1994: THE 1994 BASEBALL SEASON IS CANCELED AFTER THE 34TH DAY OF A PLAYERS' STRIKE.

CREATURE CORNER

By JANICE MURASKO

Last week in "Days of Our Nine Lives," ARF cats were very concerned about pets in severe heat.

Whiskers: Last week, we talked about how pets are likely to suffer in extreme weather. I've done some more research, thinking that we could share it.

Sadie: I think it's a good idea.

Whiskers: I wonder how many humans know the symptoms of overheating in pets, which include excessive panting or difficulty breathing, increased heart and respiratory rate, drooling, mild weakness, stupor or even collapse. Symptoms can also include seizures, bloody diarrhea and vomit along with an elevated body temperature of over 104 degrees.

Sadie: Holy heatwave! What should the human do if his dog or cat has these symptoms?

Pepper: The human needs to immediately contact a veterinarian, right?

Whiskers: Absolutely! And did you know that pet guardians should feel free to trim longer hair on their dogs, but they should never shave the dog.

Sadie: What? Why not? Wouldn't that make the dog cooler?

Whiskers: The layers of dogs' coats protect them from overheating and sunburn. And brushing cats more often than usual can prevent problems caused by excessive heat.

Pepper: I'm feeling silly. There is so much I didn't know!

Whiskers: Please don't feel silly. And humans who didn't know shouldn't either, as long as they are learning.

Pepper: What else should we all know?

Whiskers: If a dog has gone into the yard, the guardian should give him plenty of water so he may stay hydrated and there should be a place in the shade where he can go to escape the sun. No dog should be exercised too much and he should stay indoors if it's too hot.

Pepper: What about water play?

Whiskers: Many dogs really enjoy that, but you won't find as many cats that do!



Flora



Lulu

Be sure to keep up with the animal antics of "Days of our Nine Lives" each week. And please stop in to say hello to the entire adoptable cast at the ARF House, 26890 Highway 243 on Saturdays 10 a.m.-3 p.m. and Sundays 10 a.m.-2 p.m. or by appointment M-F by calling 951-659-1122.

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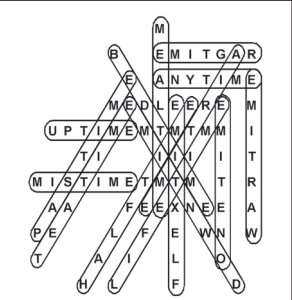
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Sugarloaf

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are most in need.
“We have a responsibility to feed our community,” Rose said. “We are living in a community where there are a number of families that live below the poverty line that we can’t see. So, as a restaurant during this time, I want to find ways to feed those people.”

Rose has created a program called Pie it Forward. The idea is anyone can purchase a meal for someone else and Sugarloaf will make sure it goes to someone who needs it.

“We offer two meals for our community that are designed to help those who can’t afford a lot,” Rose explained. “We have a \$5 sack lunch that changes each week, or you can pick up a whole chicken with four sides for \$25.”

Now let’s assume that maybe \$25 is too much, but you still have your family to feed. You can show up to The Sugarloaf Cafe and say, “I want to order the family meal with extra pickles” and The Sugarloaf will give you the meal for free.

“Every week, we’ve had more people give us money to buy other people meals than we’ve had people asking for free meals,” Rose confessed. “We’ve publicly announced this and it’s been really great. Now, I need to know who’s hurting so I can help them.”

Rose makes sure to be discreet and quick when dropping off meals to those in need.

“I want to be of service to our community,” she reiterated. “I like the idea of communities funding their own communities when there’s a need. It allows us to be connected to one another in a different way.”

With unemployment at an all-time high, Rose is looking to employ more people. The Sugarloaf Cafe has a tight-knit work team and they are looking for experienced servers to join them and become a part of their team.

The Sugarloaf Cafe is currently open Thursday through Sunday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. They are taking all precautions to ensure the health and safety of their staff and customers is the number one priority.

“Thursdays, we have a limited menu,” Rose explained. “The tables are socially-distant and we can seat up to six people at one table. We are taking reservations through Open Table and on our website. The kitchen closes at 9 p.m.”

Community is important but even more so during these times. Reach out to one another, enjoy some pie and barbecue and be kind.

If you know someone in need of a meal or if you want to sponsor a meal for someone else or are looking for employment, contact Rose at gab@sugarloaf.com.



The back patio at The Sugarloaf Cafe as people enjoyed the Thursday night limited menu with live music from The Spaceman Trilogy.

PHOTO BY JENNY KIRCHNER

Peter Davison

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Throughout his career, Davison has been the administrator of all of his work. He’s done around 700 scores for films and television companies. He is also administrator to 3,000 tracks in his library.

Living in Idyllwild, he’s completed 35 albums of his own music and is currently about halfway through his 36th. His music is streaming on Spotify, Pandora, Apple Music, Amazon, YouTube, and about another dozen music streaming sites. His Pandora site recently hit a huge milestone of 75 million streams.

Davison has won multiple awards for his work. In 2010, his instrumental song “Sip of Wine” from his album “Future, Present, Past” received the Best Song of the Year Award from the Hollywood Music in Media Awards.

In 2018, his album “Iris-Bringer of Dreams” received the Global Music Awards Silver Medal in the New Age category.

In 2019, his song “Blooming Memories of Spring” from his album “My Universe in Harmony” received the Silver Medal New Age at the Global Music Awards. Two of his albums were also on the Billboard Top 10 New Age Albums.

“I was able to make my living composing music as my day job,” Davison said. “It was my dream come true.”

When he’s not in his studio creating his music, Davison can usually be spotted around town with his wife Iris and their dog Jake, enjoying all that Idyllwild has to offer.



Service, began planning an improvement program, including new restroom facilities and more stoves and tables.

70 years ago - 1950

Because of the increasing mountain population and the heavier downstream needs, it was estimated that the community would soon need another 7 billion gallons of water.

65 years ago - 1955

After receiving a \$4,000 appropriation for campground improvement, District Ranger John Gilman, U.S. Forest

60 years ago - 1960

Prompted by the steady increase in enrollment at both the Idyllwild Elementary and Anza schools, trustees of the Hemet school board discussed the possibility of a junior high school in Mountain Center.

55 years ago - 1965

When the 1965 season opened for seven weeks of hunting in the San Jacinto and Santa Rosa mountains, Forest Service patrolmen reported better signs of deer.

50 years ago - 1970

State Park Supervisor Bill Stahlberg reported that on a Saturday night, more than 700 people camped at Round Valley in the Mt. San Jacinto Wilderness State Park and warned that restrictions would soon be necessary.

45 years ago - 1975

After a bit of confusion on the first day of school, a representative from the Transportation Department of the Hemet Unified School District was in Idyllwild attempting to clarify bus arrangements for pupils attending Idyllwild Elementary School.

40 years ago - 1980

Firefighters were taking care of the last few hot spots along the upper side of the desert divide, which was all that remained of the mammoth 28,655-acre Dry Falls Fire.

35 years ago - 1985

A seven-person film crew of the ECONews television series was on location in the San Jacinto Mountains. They visited the James Reserve to film footage for a TV series on a range of environmental subjects.

30 years ago - 1990

The Riverside County Board of Supervisors decided to temporarily rezone commercial and multi-use properties on the Hill as single-family residential, concerning people in the construction and real estate industries.

25 years ago - 1995

Parents of Idyllwild School students asked if the teachers were imposing a stricter attitude on the children because of the new and updated Parent/Student Handbook. Some rules followed changes made by the California Legislature, such as the threat of expulsion for hate crimes.

20 years ago - 2000

A John Villani book was to name Idyllwild as one of the 100 best small art towns in America.

15 years ago - 2005

After the devastating Hurricane Katrina hit New Orleans, four elementary school students at Idyllwild School went to Principal Diane Cardinalli and pleaded that the school mount a fundraising drive to assist the affected children.

10 years ago - 2010

A semi truck for a local food program overturned on Highway 74 at the Mixing Station. The real tragedy of the event was that more than a thousand pounds of meat and about 14,000 pounds of canned food and dry goods never made it to Idyllwild. It was to be distributed that day to low-income people and seniors.


5 years ago - 2015

Hours after thieves broke into the Mountain Center Market and took the ATM machine, two men were arrested on Highway 74, just west of the Forest Service’s Cranston Ranger Station.

1 year ago - 2019

The Ghost Town event was back in the center of town in the open space along Highway 243 and in front of the Idyllwild HELP Center.

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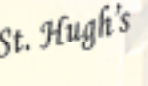
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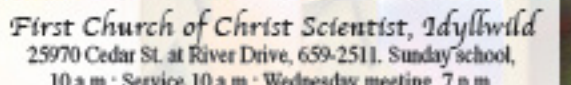
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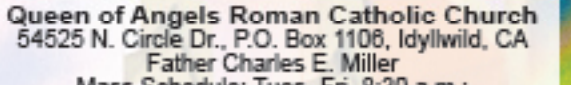
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Peter Davison in 1974 working with a Serge synthesizer.

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Peter Davison's collection of awards, CDs and DVDs of his work.

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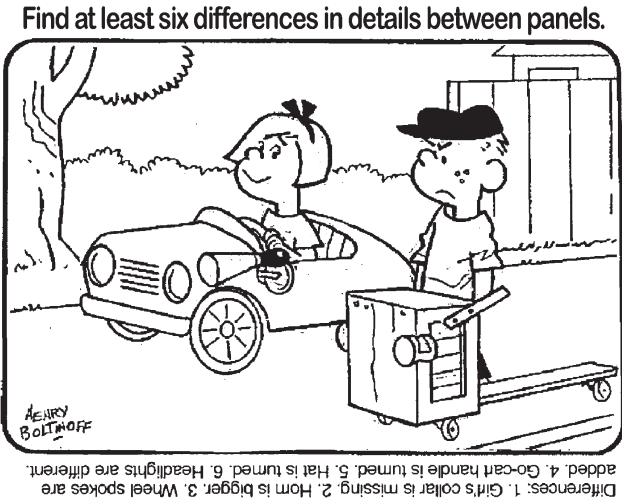
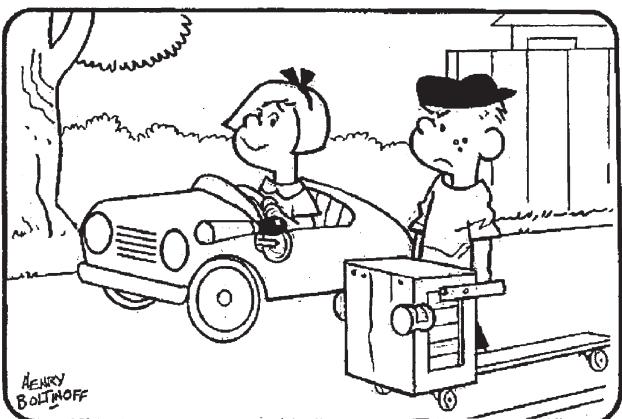
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IT'S DIFFERENT



Differences: 1. Girl's collar is missing. 2. Horn is bigger. 3. Wheel spokes are added. 4. Go-cart handle is turned. 5. Hat is turned. 6. Headlights are different.

CROSSWORD

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King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Amorphous mass
- 5 Pouch
- 8 Con job
- 12 Portrayal
- 13 Id counterpart
- 14 Actress Jessica
- 15 "The danger has passed"
- 17 Borscht ingredient
- 18 Shelton or Lively
- 19 Chopping spree?
- 21 Breakfast for many
- 24 Jam ingredient?
- 25 Treaty
- 28 Teeny bit
- 30 Cow's chaw
- 33 Ostrich's cousin
- 34 Small chalkboard
- 35 Work with
- 36 Suitable
- 37 Gasp for air
- 38 Impale
- 39 Masseuse's workplace
- 41 Not this way!
- 43 Plot
- 46 Supermarket section
- 50 Cupid's alias
- 51 2,000 pounds
- 54 Legal wrong
- 55 "Wham!"
- 56 String
- 57 Gospels follower
- 58 Longing
- 59 Robert of "Airplane!"
- 16 Journey segment
- 20 Pinnacle
- 22 Big bash
- 23 Rise
- 25 Pod dweller
- 26 Pump up the volume
- 27 Curtail
- 29 "Beetle Bailey" dog
- 31 NAFTA signatory
- 32 Society newcomer
- 34 Unwanted email
- 38 Tattletale
- 40 Nuisances
- 42 Stratego situation
- 43 — good example
- 44 Gator's kin
- 45 Catch sight of
- 47 Old portico
- 48 Australian parrot
- 49 Conclusions
- 52 Weeding need
- 53 Have

DOWN

- 1 Snatch
- 2 Take to the hammock
- 3 — podrida
- 4 St. Thomas —
- 5 Witness
- 6 — Khan
- 7 Stopper
- 8 Israeli indigene
- 9 Unambiguous
- 10 Help a hood
- 11 Partner

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WORD SEARCH

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MAGIC MAZE ● END OF TIME

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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: **After Sunrise, Before Sunset**

Airtime	Flextime	Mistime	Teatime
Anytime	Halftime	Onetime	Uptime
Bedtime	Lifetime	Pastime	Wartime
Downtime	Mealtime	Ragtime	

HOROSCOPES

September 2020 — Week 3



March 21 – April 19
Personal matters claim a good deal of the Lamb's time in the early part of the week. But by midweek, pragmatic considerations (work, school, job-seeking, etc.) begin to take priority.



April 20 – May 20
The seasonal shift ignites the Bovine's creative aspects. You could do well if you try to combine your penchant for innovation with the more pragmatic demands of the week.



May 21 – June 21
Ideas come easily to you this week. And never mind that some might suggest they're unworkable and/or impractical. It's your vision that counts. Work them out and see what turns up.



June 22 – July 22
Personal matters continue to dominate the early part of the week. By midweek, more workaday issues once again begin to emerge. Balance your time to give both the attention they need.



July 23 – August 22
A new contact could provide an expanded opportunity. But be sure you get all the facts before you consider signing on. Ask questions, and be wary if you don't get the right answers.



August 23 – September 22
An unexpected development could cause some supposedly resolved disagreements to reignite. Deal with the situation before it leads to some really serious problems.



September 23 – October 22
A clash of work-linked viewpoints needs to be discussed openly, honestly and calmly by all concerned before it can impede progress on an ongoing project.



October 23 – November 21
The Scorpion's pragmatic side helps you accept the possibility that a change of plans might be the wise thing to do. Be sure to weigh all your considerations carefully.



November 22 – December 21
Some people might not take no for an answer. Never mind. Keep your resolve if you're sure you don't want to be involved in a potentially sticky situation.



December 22 – January 19
All other facts and figures aside, it's what you learn about potential colleagues that can be most helpful in assessing any decisions you're likely to make regarding a new project.



January 20 – February 18
You might want to reconsider some of your outside commitments if they continue to demand more time than you can spare. Be honest with yourself when making a decision.



February 19 – March 20
Pay attention to that inner voice of Piscean wisdom counseling you to remove those rose-colored glasses and take an honest look at any decisions you might face this week.

FOR ENTERTAINMENT PURPOSES ONLY

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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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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