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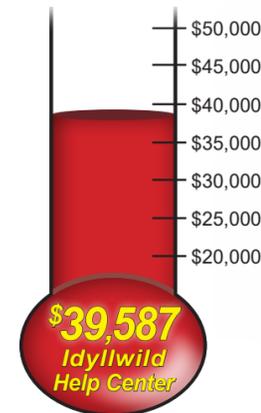
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ICC to reopen Saturday Mountain Market

By STEPHANIE YOST
ICC BOARD PRESIDENT

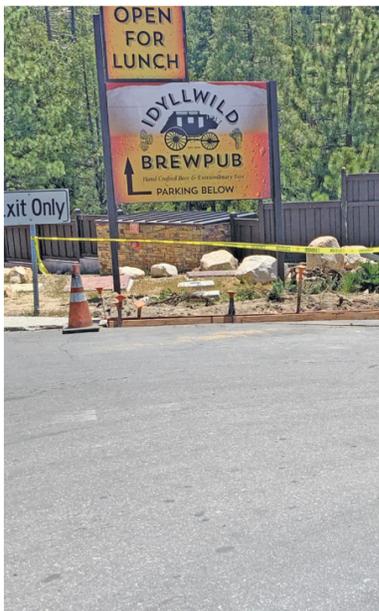
The Idyllwild Community Center (ICC) is reopening the Saturday Mountain Market in the parking lot of the Idyllwild Community Playground this coming Saturday, May 22. Market hours are 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

ICC has confirmed that our regular local and off-the-Hill vendors will be there, in addition to several new vendors. And, as always, the Idyllwild HELP Center will participate, offering an amazing array of gently used clothing, antiques and curios.

Only inclement weather will prevent the Saturday Mountain Market from being open on any given Saturday between May 22 and Labor Day weekend in September. ICC will post closure notices on its Facebook page by Friday before a scheduled market in the event of a planned closure.

The rental fee for a 10-by-10 booth space is \$20 for individuals and businesses on non-holiday weekends and \$30 on holiday weekends. Local nonprofit organizations can obtain booth space free of charge. All net proceeds collected by ICC go to support programs for visitors and residents to Idyllwild and the surrounding mountain communities.

Interested new vendors can find out more information by calling ICC at 951-659-2638.



Idyplaza LLC, new owners of all of the Strawberry Creek Shopping Plaza, are paving the parking and building sidewalks. Photo taken Wednesday, May 12.

PHOTOS BY BECKY CLARK



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Lunch with the Hemet-San Jacinto Action Group and Supervisor Washington

By ANN SMITH
REPORTER

What started as a normal Southern California spring day, Friday May 14, became an opportunity to educate a licensed attorney about the law as it pertains to the freedom of a journalist to attend a meeting on public property. Specifically, individuals in California must have access to public meetings and public records.

The Hemet-San Jacinto Action Group hosted a private, by invitation only luncheon for a select group of people, primarily city employees, city council members and others with a specific vested interest. The group's webpage says it is "a non-profit, non-partisan, non-political advocacy network of community leaders dedicated to improving the quality of life in the San Jacinto Valley." After emailing the group and asking for its nonprofit registration number, the executive assistant emailed back writing the group is a 501(c)(4) association.

The luncheon, which included guest speaker Riverside County Third District Supervisor Chuck Washington, was held on public grounds at the Hemet Unified School District (HUSD) property on Acacia Avenue in Hemet.

On entering the building, I was told by Hemet attorney Rob Davis, who is an HUSD board member, that this event was by invitation only and since he was the one who sent out the invitations, he knew I was not on the list.

Davis was initially appointed to the board in September 2017. Vic Scavarda (Idyllwild's representative) and then-Board Member Gene Hikel voted against the appointment in a 4-2 vote. Davis replaced his business partner Joe Wojcik after he resigned due to having already moved out of the district.

The invitation, which I received a copy of, was not clear regarding who was and was not invited. No problem. See Action Group, page A2



Riverside County Third District Supervisor **Chuck Washington**
PHOTO COURTESY OF RIVERSIDE COUNTY

Emergency siren alert system

The Idyllwild Fire Protection District will test its emergency siren alert system at 1 p.m. the third Saturday of the month. The test will last 10 seconds. When you hear the siren for 30 seconds three times in a row, tune in to WNKI-AM 1610 to receive information regarding the alert. The following websites will also have information regarding the reason for the alert: www.idyllwildfire.com, fernvalleywater.com and mdpityllwild.org.

Trustee of Abrams' estate still being contested

By THE TOWN CRIER

David Gotfredson, investigative producer with CBS News 8, published a story April 5 regarding a petition filed by Keith Harper, Lydia "Dia" Abrams' self-proclaimed live-in boyfriend/fiancé, with the Riverside County court March 22 "asking a judge to appoint him successor trustee to the Abrams estate, as spelled out in the trust agreement."

"The Dia Kenschalo Abrams Trust originally was signed by Abrams in December 2016; though at the time, her properties east of Idyllwild were not transferred into the trust."

"The trust was then restated and amended by Abrams on May 22, 2020 to exclude as beneficiaries her two adult children, Crisara Abrams and Clinton Abrams of La Jolla. Abrams transferred her Idyllwild-area properties into the amended trust on the same date, property records showed."

"The amended trust named Harper as both trustee and beneficiary of the estate, in the event of Abrams' death or incapacitation."

"The trust agreement does not, however, include language spelling out exactly what should happen if the trustor, Abrams, were to go missing."

Gotfredson also reports that Harper "is represented by attorney Dennis Healey of Palm Desert, who originally drew up Abrams' amended trust." He also reported that Abrams' children asked the court to remove Harper as a trustee in a March 9 filing.

Eight people have gone missing in the area since March of last year and four — Roy Prifogle, Melissa Lane, Abrams and Diana Perez Gonzalez — remain missing.

Four people remain missing

Another search of the area where Prifogle went missing was conducted Sunday, April 18. "A search was completed on Sunday in the area where it was believed Roy [Prifogle] was last near," the Riverside County Sheriff's Department (RCSD) media information bureau wrote in an email response. "No evidence and or items were located during the search." Before April 18, multiple searches had been conducted.

Prifogle was reported missing after going on a hike in the Pine Cove area Wednesday, March 4, 2020. He left home at about 1 p.m. and was last seen at the Pine Cove Market at 6:30 p.m. the same day. He was last seen wearing a red backpack and jeans.

Lane was last seen June 15, 2020. "I love my daughter so much and I've been praying for the other three families," Lane's mother Kathy Lamont said. "My heart tells me there is foul play somewhere."

Lane's cousin, local Todd Gilliland, was the last person to see her before she went missing. "I miss her a lot," Gilliland said. "I wish we would get some kind of word about her. It's nerve racking. They [RCSD] have interviewed me once when she was reported missing and haven't talked to me since. I was the last one to see her. You would think they'd want to go over it with me again." See Missing persons, page A2

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COVID-19 LOCAL UPDATE: Riverside County still in orange tier

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ
EDITOR

Riverside County is still in the orange tier of the state's tier system.

The newspaper has heard of locals experiencing adverse reactions to the COVID-19 shot. Email melissa@towncrier.com by 5 p.m. Sunday, May 23 if you would like to share your experience for an upcoming story.

According to the Riverside University Health System - Public Health (RUHS) website, the area of Idyllwild-Pine Cove has a total of 117 reported COVID-19 cases since the outbreak and two deaths reported. One hundred and fourteen of the 117 people have recovered.

As of press time on May 18, Riverside County has 300,039 confirmed COVID-19 cases, 4,598 deaths related to COVID-19 and 294,018 people have recovered. Fifty-four individuals are being hospitalized, and of those, 11 are in the ICU. The county's positivity rate is 1.6%. The current adjusted case rate per 100,000 is 2.8. The county is reporting that 36.4% of its population has received the full dose of the COVID-19 shot. Last week, the county reported 36.7%

As of press time on May 11, Riverside County had 299,376 confirmed COVID-19 cases, 4,590 deaths related to COVID-19 and 293,289 people had recovered. Seventy-four individuals were being hospitalized, and of those, 16 were in the ICU. The county's positivity rate was 1.6%. The current adjusted case rate per 100,000 was 2.7. The county was reporting that 36.7% of its population had received the full dose of the COVID-19 shot.

As of press time on May 4, Riverside County had 298,777 confirmed COVID-19 cases, 4,574 deaths related to COVID-19 and 292,409 people had recovered. Sixty-eight individuals were being hospitalized, and of those, 17 were in the ICU. The county's positivity rate was 1.9%. The current adjusted case rate per 100,000 was 3.4. The county was reporting that 32.5% of its population had received the full dose of the COVID-19 shot.

To date, 3,051,518 total tests have been given for

Action Group

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lem with being excluded from the luncheon but there was a big problem when I was told I could not attend the portion of the event that was hosting Washington.

After protesting, Davis commented, "I'm a lawyer and I don't know the law on this" and ushered me into the room.

The substance of Washington's comments related to COVID: the impact it had on the county and the declining numbers of COVID cases. Many of his comments are public information appearing on various pages of the Riverside County website.

There were several questions asked by attendees.

Longtime Hemet City Council Member Linda Krupa asked Washington to comment on redistricting. He commented on the growing population and demographic changes within his district. Since it's the California Assembly and Senate that deal with redistricting, he wasn't able to provide an answer to the question, simply stating "the third district is the fastest growing district and we have the most population right now." He stated that lines are redrawn from time to time.

The lines are drawn every 10 years after the census data is received by each state.

Former Hemet City Council Member Lori VanArsdale commented about the fact that hospitals were excluded from COVID financial assistance. She asked him to please try to get some help with that. VanArsdale served on the Healthy Valley Foundation (started in 1980 as the Hemet Hospital Foundation) executive committee as its secretary from 2015 to 2017. Davis served as its vice president during that time. The leadership portion of the website is not current.

Generally speaking, this event brought together many who are already in regular contact with one another.

As an aside, when introductions were being made, current Hemet Mayor Pro Tem Joe Males introduced himself to the crowd. We spoke briefly after the event ended. His comments took place before I was allowed access to the event. Males told me, "We were all given the chance to give our names and what we do. I said, 'My name is Joe Males and I'm your Mayor Pro Tem of Hemet and I do not like special interest groups. The reason I don't like special interest groups is because they have worked very hard to get me off city council. My last day will be May 27.'" This was Males' recollection of his introduction to the crowd.



Hemet Unified School District Board Member **Rob Davis**
PHOTO COURTESY OF HUSD

COVID-19 in Riverside County, according to RUHS. According to the U.S. Census Bureau, Riverside County has an estimated population of 2.47 million.

CNN reported nine members of the New York Yankees have tested positive for the coronavirus after receiving the COVID-19 shot.

The CDC defines vaccine as "A product that stimulates a person's immune system to produce immunity to a specific disease, protecting the person from that disease. Vaccines are usually administered through needle injections, but can also be administered by mouth or sprayed into the nose."

Gov. Gavin Newsom previewed his recovery package last week, "providing additional direct payments to middle-class families that make up to \$75,000. Under the plan, two-thirds of Californians will benefit from \$600 direct payments. Qualified families with dependents, including undocumented families, will also now be eligible for an additional \$500. The plan triples California's previous investment, reaching more people and giving bigger benefits."

"California's recovery is well underway, but we can't be satisfied with simply going back to the way things were," said Newsom. "We are tripling the Golden State Stimulus to get money in the hands of more middle-class Californians who have been hit hard by this pandemic. Two in three Californians will receive a check from the state and more than \$5 billion in aid will be made available to those who need help paying their rent or utility bills."

Newsom recently stated the state would open up June 15 if "vaccine supply is sufficient for Californians 16 years and older who wish to be inoculated" and hospitalization numbers remain low. He also said the June 15 date would be revisited, if needed.

The county advised seniors and their caregivers to "never give out financial information to callers, websites or emailers who insist the data is required to schedule a COVID-19 vaccination."

"Riverside County does not ask residents to pay for vaccinations or vaccination appointments," said Jewel Lee, director of Office on Aging. "Scammers are preying on seniors and at-risk adults who are seeking services during the pandemic recovery."

If you think you have been targeted, call the Adult Protective Services (APS) hotline at 800-491-7123.

If you book your own appointment at a county-run clinic, you "will be asked to provide basic personal information" and possibly your Social Security number.

For information on how to avoid a vaccine-related scam, visit https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/blog/2021/04/covid-vaccines-are-free?utm_source=govdelivery.

Missing persons

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According to Lamont in December, the RCSD last searched in early September with cadaver dogs on Black Mountain Trail, north of Pine Cove, where Lane was last seen. The search came back with nothing.

Abrams was 65 years old at the time she went missing. She is 5' 5" tall, 130 pounds with blonde hair and blue eyes. She was last seen wearing a black and turquoise jacket, yellow shirt and blue jeans.

On June 6, Abrams was last seen by Harper at her ranch in Apple Canyon (between Mountain Center and Garner Valley). Since the initial search efforts more than 11 months ago, the RCSD has not provided new information or updates regarding her disappearance.

Gotfredson previously reported that the San Juan County Sheriff in New Mexico obtained a search warrant and deputies impounded the RV Harper drove to New Mexico taking evidence from inside. However, the RCSD has not provided any persons of interest or suspects regarding Abrams or any of the other missing people.

Riverside Mountain Rescue Unit conducted searches on Abrams' property before assigning the case to detectives.

The most recent woman to go missing from the Hemet/San Jacinto area is Diana Perez Gonzalez who was reported missing Dec. 11 and 27 years old at the time she went missing. According to family, Gonzalez visited the Idyllwild area regularly. She was last seen by her boyfriend.

Christy Rojas, Gonzalez's

For more information on the COVID-19 shot, visit www.rivcoph.org/COVID-19-Vaccine or call 2-1-1. Seniors can call the Riverside County Office on Aging at 800-510-2020.

Newsom's office announced last Tuesday, "Under Governor Newsom's California Comeback Plan, the state would also offer the largest renter assistance package of any state in America, with billions of dollars to help low-income Californians pay back 100% of their back-rent, their rent for the months to come and overdue water and utility bills."

For rental assistance, visit <https://www.unitedlift.org/>. Supervisor Chuck Washington's office let residents know "the program will provide one-time rental assistance support to cover up to 12 months of unpaid rent during the period between March 13, 2020, until the time of application, plus an additional three months of future rent. Eligibility is limited to renters in Riverside County with a current lease agreement who are earning 80% or below of the area's median income and can document a loss of income due to COVID-19 economic impacts that leave them unable to make their rent. Assistance is provided without regard to immigration status."

The Small Business Administration (SBA) "will begin registrations on Friday, April 30, 2021, at 9 a.m. EDT and open applications on Monday, May 3, 2021, at noon EDT for the Restaurant Revitalization Fund. The online application will remain open to any eligible establishment until all funds are exhausted." It is a \$28.6-billion fund.

"This program will provide restaurants with funding equal to their pandemic-related revenue loss up to \$10 million per business and no more than \$5 million per physical location," the press release reads. "Funds must be used for allowable expenses by March 11, 2023."

Priority will be given to businesses owned and controlled by women, veterans, and socially and economically disadvantaged individuals for the first 21 days.

Visit restaurants.sba.gov for more information and to register.

For information on SBA's assistance to small businesses, visit sba.gov/ppp or treasury.gov/cares. To contact the county of Riverside's Business and Community Services department, call 951-955-0493 or send an email to bizinfo@rivco.org for local assistance.

Visit the U.S. Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Health Administration's (OSHA) website at <https://www.osha.gov/laws-regs>, to become familiar with the laws and regulations pertaining to personal protective equipment, including what is mandatory with regards to respirators, etc.

sister, and her family are struggling with her sister missing.

Rojas said, "We've been terribly sad. We think about her every day and have dreams of her, waiting for any sign or a miracle because we miss her and love her a lot. But the most important, her baby needs her. We can see the sadness in her eyes. Although she can't speak, we know she misses her mom." Gonzalez is also pregnant.



Melissa Lane
PHOTO COURTESY OF TODD GILLILAND



Roy Prifogle
PHOTO COURTESY OF KENDRA JOHNSON



Lydia 'Dia' Abrams
PHOTO COURTESY OF LYDIA 'DIA' ABRAMS



Diana Perez Gonzalez
PHOTO BY DIANA PEREZ GONZALEZ

Idyllwild Weather

From the National Weather Service

Wednesday 5/19

71/47
Sunny

Sunday 5/23

66/48
Sunny

Thursday 5/20

62/39
Sunny

Monday 5/24

73/49
Sunny

Friday 5/21

53/37
Sunny

Tuesday 5/25

73/45
Sunny

Saturday 5/22

58/43
Sunny

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

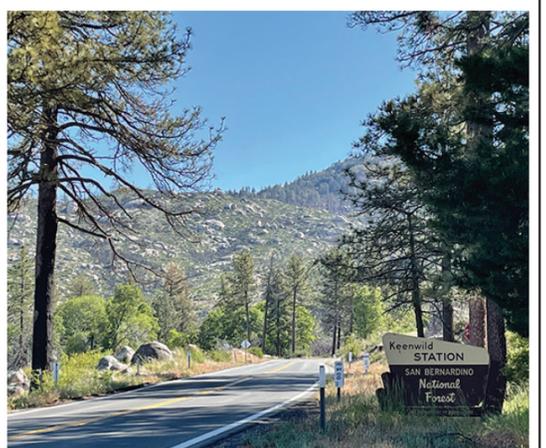
Idyllwild this year					
Date	High	Low	M	S	
05/11	83	44	0.00	0.0	
05/12	85	45	0.00	0.0	
05/13	79	46	0.00	0.0	
05/14	79	43	0.00	0.0	
05/15	72	42	0.00	0.0	
05/16	56	42	0.00	0.0	
05/17	69	38	0.00	0.0	

Idyllwild last year					
Date	High	Low	M	S	
05/11	73	41	0.00	0.0	
05/12	63	49	0.00	0.0	
05/13	62	35	0.00	0.0	
05/14	68	39	0.00	0.0	
05/15	72	41	0.00	0.0	
05/16	76	44	0.00	0.0	
05/17	74	44	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 view from Keenwild Station on Tuesday as temperatures hovered in the upper-60s throughout the day.
PHOTO BY EDDIE ALCAZAR

Teachers get extra love this year

By IDYLLWILD SCHOOL PTA CONTRIBUTED

Faculty at Idyllwild School were treated to some well-deserved pampering May 3 through 7 during Teacher Appreciation Week.

Idyllwild School PTA organized and sponsored the week of morning goodies, lunches and gifts of gratitude.

"We know how challenging it's been for teachers in 2020 and 2021 given the pandemic and having to totally change their teaching style to a distance model," said Idyllwild School PTA President Mary Lunetta. "We wanted to go all-out this year and let them know how much we appreciate their hard work and dedication to our kids."

Breakfast and lunch were supplied each day by a local restaurant, bakery and coffee shop. There were also beverages donated by a local grocery store available anytime in a stocked cooler.

Teachers got to enjoy everything from burritos to bimbap and doughnuts to candied apples.

The PTA also sent home a flyer with ideas for students and parents to get in on the action, and "the response was great," Lunetta said. Teachers were showered with flowers, cards, original art and gifts from their students throughout the week.

Gennesse Sandlin, who serves on the PTA executive committee and is a bilingual aide at Idyllwild School, said the feedback from teachers was overwhelming. "They kept telling me this was the best Teacher Appreciation Week they'd ever had."

One teacher even visited every business that participated to personally drop off a thank you card.



Jannette Santiago stands with Lucas Davis, who is holding the many flowers her first graders brought to school for her to show their appreciation.

PHOTO BY GENESSE SANDLIN



Middle school teachers Bob Leih and Mike Van Zee are enthusiastic about their delicious lunch from FERRO Thursday, May 6.

PHOTO BY GENESSE SANDLIN

PCWD brings forth FY 2021/22 draft budget; hearing in June for standby fees

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ EDITOR

The Pine Cove Water District (PCWD) Board of Directors held its meeting last week. Directors Rose Venard and Lou Padula were absent.

The approval of the March and April financial statements were tabled to the next meeting. Director Vicki Jakubac abstains from voting on the items due to her ties to SoCal Propane. The present board members unanimously approved the March meeting minutes and the third quarter budget comparison.

The board asked General Manager Jerry Holldber why the "other income" was at 292%. The district sold the skid steer for \$23,111. The newspaper reported after the district's February meeting: "The board voted to purchase a New Holland L234 T4B-C Skid Steer Loader. Holldber stated that the district should receive \$20,000 for the current skid steer if it is traded-in, bringing the purchase price down to \$44,000 from \$64,111.20. Tax is included in the amount. Holldber stated the district can afford to pay for the piece of equipment out of its-

See PCWD, page A4

Pine Cove Water District Budget 2021/2022 Resolution #		
	2020-2021 BUDGET	2021-2022 BUDGET
INCOME:		
Property Tax	160,000	168,000
Interest	3,000	3,000
Current Services	660,000	710,000
Special Assessments	26,000	26,000
Leased Premises	225,000	236,000
Meter Sales	18,000	27,000
Misc. Fees	10,000	10,000
Other Income	15,000	15,000
Total Income	1,117,000	1,195,000
EXPENSES		
Services and Supplies:		
Communications	6,000	7,000
Household	1,000	1,000
Insurance	20,000	21,000
Office Expenses	21,000	22,000
Maintenance-Vehicles and Equip.	35,000	37,000
Maintenance - Structures	20,000	22,000
Maintenance System	30,000	32,000
Safety - Environmental	8,000	9,000
Engineering & Inspecting	12,000	15,000
Audit	8,500	11,000
Legal	18,000	20,000
Legal Requirements/GASB	4,000	4,000
Lab-Testing	14,000	18,000
State Department of Health	9,000	10,000
Board Fees	3,500	3,000
Small Tools	4,000	4,000
Transportation & Travel	18,000	20,000
Utilities	48,000	50,000
Fees and Memberships	6,000	7,000
Manager Discretionary Fund	3,000	4,000
Elections	11,000	0
TOTAL EXPENSES:	300,000	317,000



Firefighters responded to a house fire at Canyon Drive and McKinney Lane Wednesday evening, May 5.

PHOTO BY MANDY JOHNSON



Carlsbad Police training in Idyllwild Wednesday, May 12.

PHOTO BY BECKY CLARK

The Pine Cove Water District's Draft Budget for FY 2021/22. DOCUMENT COURTESY OF THE PINE COVE WATER DISTRICT



Dear Idyllwild Community,

This week we will bid farewell to the 35th graduating class of Idyllwild Arts Academy. Each year, Idyllwild Arts has its unique challenges that, as of late, seem to be of a biblical nature. But even in the face of forest fires and floods, little compares to the global health pandemic and all that will be left in its wake.

The class of 2021 is forever changed by the effects of the global health pandemic, the societal challenges that have come to light in recent years and the new-found ways in which these students have communicated, lived and learned in the past two years. They leave us to take gap years, attend the best universities and conservatories in the world and to pursue their passion for artmaking in professional arenas.

We acknowledge with deep gratitude, the teachers and staff who helped our young students pursue their passions and fulfill their dreams. From the classroom to the dorm room to the dining hall, this faculty and staff have challenged the students, nurtured them, and carried them through life's ups and downs. They have helped ease the pain of disappointments and they have celebrated the many milestones these students have achieved. They did whatever it took to keep our community together during the pandemic by meeting students virtually and providing the same care and kindness they created in their physical spaces.

Seventy-five years ago, when the founders of Idyllwild Arts established our world-renowned Summer Program, they did so with the profound belief that art is the greatest teacher of humanity and that artmaking is only one outcome of a creative life. They established Idyllwild Arts as an international haven for artists of all ages and believed that, through artmaking, our students would carry beauty and hope to villages, communities, and cities around the world. They built Idyllwild Arts Academy and Summer Program, believing in both the transformative power of art and the magic of Idyllwild, to provide the perfect respite for citizen-artists who wished to make a difference in the world.

As the class of 2021 leaves Idyllwild and spreads out across the globe, they now join our alumni network of citizen-artists whose lives have been enriched by our mission, "changing lives through the transformative power of art." We know that these graduates will make our mission matter and that they will make a difference in this world, just as our founders envisioned over seven decades ago.

With gratitude,

Pamela Jordan
President, Idyllwild Arts Foundation



How to get a letter published

The Town Crier welcomes letters reflecting all opinions.

- Letters should be concise and to the point.
- They should be no longer than 400 words.
- Letters must be typewritten, double-spaced and in upper/lower case (not in all caps).
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- We reserve the right to reject or edit letters for length, taste, clarity or frequency of submission.

- Only one letter per author within a 28-day period.
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- 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.

Mental health

DEAR EDITOR:

May is Mental Health Month. By urging my public officials to prioritize suicide prevention, mental health and crisis care, I am hoping to influence collective change to support #MentalHealth4All.

Right now, individuals in crisis are able to call 1-800-273-8255 to reach the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline. The Lifeline provides 24/7, free and confidential support for people in distress and those who care for them. Soon, it will be much easier to remember how to reach the Life-



around mental health. Together, we can ensure #MentalHealth4All.

Dorothy Torres
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Idyllwild Arts Academy

DEAR EDITOR:

I was saddened reading Pam Jordan's letter regarding the list of student grievances published in the Town Crier. As the parent of two Idyllwild Arts Academy (IAA) graduates, I know the school has its ups and downs, and will occasionally have problematic personnel. However, knowing many of the people named, the list of grievances came off to me as a few genuine problems, some issues that could have been resolved through discussion, and several unwarranted attacks on excellent teachers and staff.

It will be difficult for teachers and staff to do their jobs in the hostile environment she has created.

In characterizing the students making these unsubstantiated public attacks as “brave,” prior to investigating, Ms. Jordan deflected from her failure to lead, by throwing some of IAA's best people under the bus. It will be difficult for teachers and staff to do their jobs in the hostile environment she has created.

Jon Zorn
Idyllwild

Reliable funding will help to ensure all 988 callers can reach a counselor in their own state who is familiar with and can connect them with local resources.

line as the number will be changing to “988” nationwide by July 2022.

Knowing this, it is critically important that states pass legislation NOW to reliably fund 988 and their state's crisis response system. Reliable funding will help to ensure all 988 callers can reach a counselor in their own state who is familiar with and can connect them with local resources. Culturally competent support and local connections can better help all callers through their crisis and in their recovery.

Join me this month in urging your public officials to fund 988. We all play a role in changing the culture

PCWD

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serves. He will try to sell the current skid steer first, hoping to get \$25,000 for it.”

Operations report

Holldber reminded everyone a meeting did not occur in April.

The reimbursement of the FEMA/OES final check still has not been received by the district. The amount, according to the district, is for just over \$4,000 for management fees for road repairs in 2019.

Holldber said he hopes to start services on Pine Ridge and Deer Path roads within the next few weeks. He also let the board know the county is going to chip seal (pavement surface) everything west of the highway and he is asking the county to hold off to give the district a chance to get the services tied over. The district has installed three meters so far this year.

The district started its “spring cleaning and maintenance of all facilities.” It has “finished servicing of all veh-

icles and equipment, plus rebuilding of three trailers and one to go.”

Holldber told the board that “after all these years I will continue to help anytime but I resigned from the Fire Safe Council.”

Public hearing

The district will hold a public hearing June 9 regarding standby fees. Resolution 554 reads: “It is hereby resolved, by the board of directors of the Pine Cove Water District, that pursuant [sic] to Section 31032.1 of the Water Code for the State of California, Water Standby Assessments for the Fiscal year 2021-2022 are imposed as follows: A) Thirty dollars (\$30) per acre per year for each acre of land or portion thereof, in any single parcel, which is not served by an active metered service.”

Draft budget

The three-page draft budget for FY 2021/22 is included with the story. Holldber told the board members in attendance he has set up a meeting with Venard to go over the budget and will also have a meeting with Padula to do the same.

The expenses increased due to Holldber wanting to fund a third full-time field employee. He told the board that is why they see a big jump in salaries and see a drop in the part-time category.

Pine Cove Water District Budget 2021/2022 Resolution #		
	2020-2021 BUDGET	
SALARIES & BENEFITS		
Salaries	321,000	387,000
Standby & Overtime	16,000	18,000
Part Time	56,000	15,000
PERS Retirement	51,000	58,000
P.E.R.S. Unfunded Liability	56,000	70,000
FICA, SDI, ET, UTT (Taxes)	32,000	35,000
Worker's Comp.	17,000	20,000
Medical & Life Insurance	43,000	59,000
OPEP	0	5,000
A.D.O.M.	4,000	6,000
Training	4,000	1,000
TOTAL	600,000	674,000
IMPROVEMENTS		
Well Upgrades and Replacement	10,000	10,000
Main Line Replacement	58,000	30,000
Rocky Pt. Tanks & Repeater Sites	10,000	10,000
Structures	20,000	50,000
Meter Replacement Program	0	0
Conservation & Rebates	2,000	2,000
Water Shed/Backflow Program	0	0
Storage Tank Upgrades	0	0
TOTAL	100,000	102,000
Equip., Loans & Liabilities		
Office-Field Equipment	32,160	39,760
USDA Loan	12,240	12,240
CNH Industrial	22,600	0
New USDA Loan Payment	0	50,000
Total Equipment & Loan Payment	67,000	102,000

Pine Cove Water District Budget 2021/2022 Resolution #		
	2020-2021 BUDGET	
SUMMARY		
TOTAL INCOME	1,117,000	1,195,000
EXPENSES:		
Service & Supplies	300,000	317,000
Salaries & Benefits	600,000	674,000
Improvements	100,000	102,000
Equipment & Loan Payments	67,000	102,000
TOTAL EXPENSES:	1,067,000	1,195,000
To Reserves	50,000	
	1,117,000	
IMPROVEMENT RESERVES	200,000	200,000
LOAN & GRANT RESERVE	25,000	25,000
CONTINGENCIES	20,000	20,000
GENERAL RESERVE	180,000	180,000
TOTAL RESERVES	425,000	425,000

The Pine Cove Water District's Draft Budget for FY 2021/22. DOCUMENTS COURTESY OF THE PINE COVE WATER DISTRICT

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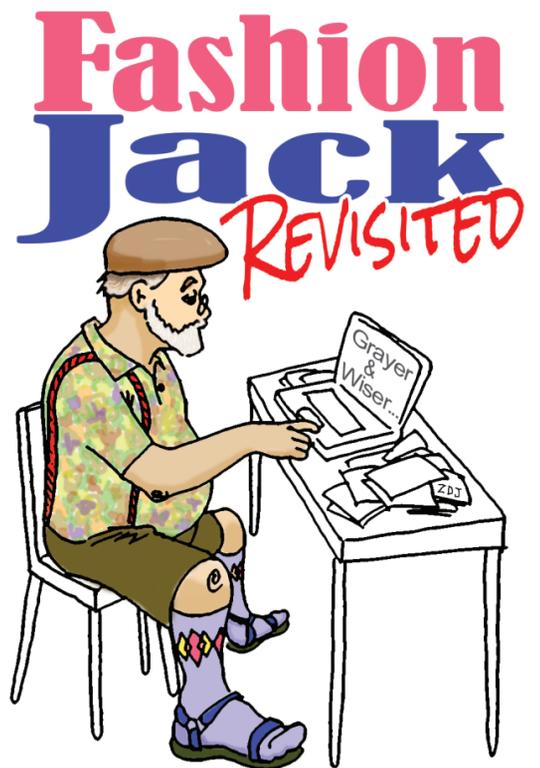
By JACK CLARK
Co-PUBLISHER

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FAVORITE SHIRTS, STOUT & OVERNIGHT PACKING

Q. I have a favorite shirt. My wife nags me because it's a bit tattered. How long should a man be allowed to wear his favorite shirt? -Leonard, Sun City

A. There's nothing as comfortable as a favorite shirt. You shouldn't stop wearing it just because it has tatters. I have favorites that I've worn for years beyond that stage. Of course, you have to be a bit careful while pulling them on. If you get your head caught in a collar that's half off, you might just rip off the whole thing.

Q. What should I wear for a day of drinking stout? -Alvin, San Marcos

A. Black shirt and pants might be a good idea.

Q. What clothes should I pack for an overnight stay? -Alice, Banning

A. I never pack for an overnight stay. I just wear two of everything.

One collision on Highway 243

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ
EDITOR

One reportable collision occurred on Highway 243 almost two weeks ago, according to California Highway Patrol (CHP) Public Information Officer Matt Napier.

The newspaper will report on the fatality that occurred on Sunday, May 9 as soon as CHP is able to release information.

At 10:55 p.m. Saturday, May 8, Jaimethon Llyr Tities, 20 of Twentynine Palms, was driving his red 1998 Honda Civic at 50 mph northbound on Highway 243 40 feet south of mile marker 10.75. He was unable to negotiate a left curve and collided with the metal guardrail.

A passenger of the vehicle suffered minor injuries but was not transported by ambulance. The vehicle was towed by Idyllwild Garage.



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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, May 19**
- Jazzercise, 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Camp Maranatha, 54162 Maranatha Dr.
 - 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.
 - Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.

- Community Church Guild, noon. Idyllwild Community Presbyterian Church, 54400 N. Circle Dr.
- High Valleys Water District board meeting, 3 p.m. HWVD office, 47781 Twin Pines Rd., Twin Pines.
- Al-Anon, 5-6 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.
- Idyllwild Water District board meeting, 6 p.m. IWD board room, 25945 Highway 243.
- AA Emotional Sobriety, 6-7 p.m. Center for Spiritual Living, 54240 Ridgeview Dr.
- Co-dependents Anonymous, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.

- Thursday, May 20**
- Jazzercise, 8:30 a.m. Camp Maranatha, 54162 Maranatha Dr.
 - Fern Valley Water District board meeting, 9 a.m. Call 951-659-2200 for information.
 - Women's Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
 - Alcoholics Anonymous women, open, 10 a.m. Center for Spiritual Living, Courtyard building, 54240 Ridgeview Dr.
 - AA meeting, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
 - Lake Hemet Municipal Water District board meeting, 3 p.m. LHMWD office, 26385 Fairview

- Ave., Hemet.
- Healing Rooms, 3-5 p.m. Shiloh Christian Ministries, 54295 Village Center Dr.
- American Legion Post 800 board meeting, 6 p.m. Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
- Idyllwild Community Meditation, 6 p.m. Idyllwild Yoga Studio, 54445 N. Circle Dr. Call Valerie Kyoshin Velez at 951-659-5750 for information.
- AA "We Don't Know" Agnostic & Atheist, 6-7 p.m. Courtyard building, 54250 Ridgeview Dr.

- Friday, May 21**
- Jazzercise, 8:30 a.m. Camp Maranatha, 54162 Maranatha Dr.
 - Fit After 50, 9-10 a.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
 - Free community Mat Pilates classes, 9 a.m. Call 760-200-5757 for information & directions.
 - AA, Daily Reflections, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
 - Women's Writing Group with fellow writers, 2-4 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St. Call 951-659-2523
 - Celebrate Recovery (hang-ups, hurts & habits safe talk place), 7 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
 - Pick-a-stick candlelight, 7:30 p.m. Center for Spiritual Living, 54240 Ridgeview Dr

- Saturday, May 22**
- Jazzercise, 8:30 a.m. Camp Maranatha, 54162 Maranatha Dr.
 - Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
 - Healing Rooms, 10 a.m.-noon & 2-4 p.m. Shiloh Christian Ministries, 54295 Village Center Dr.
 - Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
 - Alcoholics Anonymous 5:30 p.m. Center for Spiritual Living, 54240 Ridgeview Dr.

- Sunday, May 23**
- Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
 - Course in Miracles discussion, 9:30 a.m. Call Karin at 951-973-8651 for location.
 - Peace Meditation Practice, 10 a.m. Tibetan Buddhist Dharma Center, 53191 Mountain View, Pine Cove.
 - Alcoholics Anonymous, open meeting, noon-1 p.m. Idyllwild Water District, 25945 Highway 243.
 - Al-Anon "Mixed Nuts" open meeting, 6-7:30 p.m. Center for Spiritual Living, 54240 Ridgeview Dr.

Monday, May 24

- Jazzercise, 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Camp Maranatha, 54162 Maranatha Dr.
- Fit After 50, 9-10 a.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
- Women's Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
- AA, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
- Grief Support Group, 4-5 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.
- American Legion dinner, 5-6 p.m. Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
- Overeaters Anonymous, 5-6 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.
- Alcoholics Anonymous men, 6-7 p.m. Center for Spiritual Living, 54240 Ridgeview Dr.

- Tuesday, May 25**
- Tai Chi, 10-11 a.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood.
 - Feeding America, noon-1 p.m. Calvary Chapel Mountain Center, 29430 Highway 243, Mountain Center.
 - Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
 - Idyllwild Death Café, 2-4:30 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St. Register at 951-659-2523 or info@spirit-

- mountainretreat.org.
- Idyllwild Fire Protection District board meeting, 3 p.m. Idyllwild Fire Station, 54162 Maranatha Dr.
- Lovingkindness Meditation Group, 5-5:30 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St. Call 951-659-2523.
- AA Grapevine, 5:30 p.m. Center for Spiritual Living, 54240 Ridgeview Dr.
- Jazzercise, 5:30 p.m. Camp Maranatha, 54162 Maranatha Dr.
- Self-Realization Fellowship Meditation, 6-7 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St. Call 951-659-2523.

- Wednesday, May 26**
- Jazzercise, 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Camp Maranatha, 54162 Maranatha Dr.
 - Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
 - Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
 - Al-Anon, 5-6 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.
 - AA Emotional Sobriety, 6-7 p.m. Center for Spiritual Living, 54240 Ridgeview Dr.
 - Co-dependents Anonymous, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.

NEWS OF RECORD

Idyllwild Fire

The Idyllwild Fire Protection District recently responded to the following calls.

- May 10 — Public service assist, 3:20 a.m. N. Circle Dr.
- May 10 — Medical aid, 12:31 p.m. Saunders Meadow Rd.
- May 10 — Medical aid, 1:22 p.m. N. Circle Dr.
- May 10 — Medical aid, 10:25 p.m. Marian View Dr.
- May 11 — Medical aid, 11:52 a.m. Hillsdale St.
- May 11 — Medical aid, 3:51 p.m. N. Circle Dr.
- May 11 — Police matter, 4:15 p.m. Highway 243.
- May 11 — Medical aid, 6:30 p.m. Highway 74.
- May 11 — Medical aid, 7:16 p.m. Delano Rd.
- May 12 — Medical aid,

- 1:33 a.m. N. Circle Dr.
- May 12 — Medical aid, 3:31 a.m. Cougar Rd.
- May 12 — Medical aid, 5:55 a.m. Highway 243.
- May 15 — Medical aid, 12:47 a.m. N. Circle Dr.
- May 16 — Walk-in medical aid, 9:29 a.m.

Sheriff's log

The Riverside County Sheriff's Department Hemet Station responded to the following calls Saturday to Friday, May 8 to 14.

Idyllwild

- May 8 — Noise complaint, 5:06 a.m. Glen Rd. Handled by deputy.
- May 8 — Alarm call, 5:58 a.m. 54000 block of Pine Crest Ave. Handled by deputy.

- May 8 — Alarm call, 7:53 a.m. Upper Rim Rock Rd. Handled by deputy.
- May 8 — Search and rescue operation, 10:53 a.m. 24000 block of Fern Valley Rd. Report taken.
- May 8 — Public disturbance, 1:12 p.m. 53000 block of Double View Dr. Handled by deputy.
- May 8 — Alarm call, 2:37 p.m. Upper Rim Rock Rd. Handled by deputy.
- May 8 — Noise complaint, 2:49 p.m. Glen Rd. Handled by deputy.
- May 8 — Noise complaint, 5:13 p.m. Glen Rd. Handled by deputy.
- May 8 — Public disturbance, 6:18 p.m. 25000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- May 8 — Check the welfare, 7:14 p.m. Lily Wy. Handled by deputy.
- May 8 — Noise complaint, 8:37 p.m. Glen Rd. Handled by deputy.

- May 9 — Noise complaint, 2:12 a.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- May 9 — Noise complaint, 6:40 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- May 10 — Public disturbance, 12:24 p.m. N. Circle Dr. Handled by deputy.
- May 10 — 911 call, 4:56 p.m. N. Circle Dr. Handled by deputy.
- May 11 — Solicit prostitution, 9:07 a.m. N. Circle Dr. Handled by deputy.
- May 11 — Unattended death, 12:08 p.m. Address withheld. Report taken.
- May 11 — Public intoxication, 4:40 p.m. Address undefined. Arrest made.
- May 12 — 911 hang up from cellphone, 3:28 a.m. Cougar Rd. Handled by deputy.
- May 12 — Danger to self/other, 3:38 p.m. 53000 block of Marian View Dr. Report taken.
- May 13 — Alarm call, 6:51

- a.m. Cedar St. Handled by deputy.
- May 13 — Suspicious circumstance, 10:36 a.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- May 13 — Public disturbance, 4:39 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- May 14 — Check the welfare, 10:17 a.m. Delano Rd. Handled by deputy.
- May 14 — Public disturbance, 10:08 p.m. Middle Ridge Dr. Handled by deputy.

Mountain Center

- May 8 — Suspicious circumstance, 1:05 p.m. 53000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- May 8 — Public disturbance, 5:07 p.m. 53000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.

Pine Cove

- May 14 — Follow-up, 8:54 a.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.

- Pine Meadows / Garner Valley**
- May 12 — Suspicious circumstance, 9:22 a.m. Gold Shot Creek Rd. Handled by deputy.
 - May 14 — Battery, 8:10 p.m. Keyes Rd. Arrest made.

Poppet Flats/Twin Pines

- May 9 — 911 hang up from cellphone, 3:28 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- May 14 — Illegal dumping, 1:06 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.

San Bernardino National Forest

- May 12 — Check the welfare, 8:35 a.m. Canyon Trl. Handled by deputy.
- May 13 — Public disturbance, 1:13 p.m. 56000 block of E. Highway 74. Handled by deputy.
- May 14 — Assist other department, 1:45 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.

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Riverside County on April 14, 2021. FILE NO.: R-202104642

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.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as LA CASITA MEXICAN RESTAURANT at 54650 North Circle Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549 Riverside, Riverside County, Mailing Address: PO Box 1273, Idyllwild, CA 92549. ROBERT — GARCIA, 54650 N Circle Dr, Idyllwild, CA 92549.

This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on 3/1/2009. 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.)

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.

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: May 6, 13, 20, 27, 2021.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as ABRACADABRA GARAGE DOOR COMPANY at 79084 Cliff Street, Bermuda Dunes, CA 92203, Riverside County. MODERN MAGIC DOOR LLC, 79084 Cliff Street, Bermuda Dunes, CA 92203. The List State of Limited Liability Company is CA. This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on 05/03/2021. 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.)

Registrator Signature: ALBERT HERSHEY MANAGING MEMBER
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on May 3, 2021.

FILE NO.: R-202105424
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.

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: May 13, 20, 27, June 3, 2021.

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

The following fictitious business name ABRACADABRA GARAGE DOOR, 79084 Cliff St, Bermuda Dunes, CA 92203, County: Riverside, has been abandoned by the following persons: CAROL ANN HERSHEY, 79084 Cliff St, Bermuda Dunes, CA 92203. This business is conducted by a Individual. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Riverside County on 08/10/2018.

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

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on 05/03/2021.

FILE NO.: R-201811113
Pub. TC: May 13, 20, 27, June 3, 2021.

PINYON PINES COUNTY WATER DISTRICT

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Fax - Phone 760-349-3261
www.pinyonpineswd.ca.gov

NOTICE OF HEARING ON WATER ASSESSMENTS CHARGES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the secretary of the Pinyon Pines County Water District as follows:

(1) A written report has been prepared and filed with the secretary concerning the proposed Water Standby Assessments for the fiscal year 2021-2022 pursuant to Resolution #118.

(2) DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY AND PROPOSED ASSESSMENT:
This report contains a description of each parcel of land and the amount of the assessment proposed to be levied for said fiscal year on each parcel as follows:

(a) Thirty dollars (\$30) per year for each acre of land or parcel of land less than one acre for all lands within the boundaries of Pinyon Pines County Water District.

(b) Such water standby charge shall not apply to any parcel of land less than one and one-quarter acres (1 1/4) on which an active service connection exists thereon on or before July 1, 2021.

(c) With respect to tracts of one and one-quarter acres (1 1/4) or more, one and one-quarter (1 1/4) acres of land shall be exempt from the water standby charge for each active service connection which exists thereon on or before July 1, 2021.

No billing for such assessment shall be rendered, instead the amount of the assessment shall be added to the county tax roll and shall be collected together with general taxes.

(3) INSPECTION OF REPORT: This report is available for inspection by calling the District at (760) 349-3261.

(4) HEARING ON REPORT: A hearing on said report will be held before the Board of Directors at 9:00 am on June 6th, 2021 at 63500 Pozo Drive, Mountain Center, Pinyon Pines, California.

At this hearing, the Board of Directors shall hear and consider all objections or protests, if any, to said report and upon conclusion of the hearing, the Board may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any assessment or overrule any oral objections. This Notice is given pursuant to Sections 31032.1 through 31032.9 of the Water Code of the State of California.

Arra Lorigo
Assistant Manager of the Pinyon Pines County Water District and of the Board of Directors thereof
Pub. TC: May 20, 27, 2021.

LIEN SALE
On 6/2/2021 at 1870 BEL AIR ST. CORONA, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 1975 OMEGA HULL#26730875 STATE: AZ CF#: AZ2779R at 10:00 AM
Pub. TC: May 20, 2021.

LIEN SALE
On 6/2/2021 at 68080 TORTUGA RD. CATHEDRAL CITY, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2016 SEDOO HULL#YDV29607A616 STATE: CA CF#: 4544RX at 10:00 AM
AND

On 6/2/2021 at 68080 TORTUGA RD. CATHEDRAL CITY, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2017 ZEIMIN VIN: 1ZCS14010H2348657 STATE: CA LIC: 4RFH459 at 10:00 AM
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Kid Scoop FIT & FUN

Piggy Bank Workouts

MONEY MATTERS: Shop Local!

Ever wondered where the money you spend in a store goes? Where that money goes is different depending upon who owns the store where you shop. In a store that is owned by someone who lives locally, more money stays in your community.

When you shop at a locally owned business, \$68 stays in your community.

When you shop at a non-locally owned business, \$43 stays in your community.



\$32 dollars goes out of town for supplies and materials.



\$57 dollars goes out of town for supplies and materials.

Who cares?

Everyone should care about how much money stays in the community. Why? Look at the pictures below. They show a few of the many ways local businesses use the money spent in their stores to help their communities.



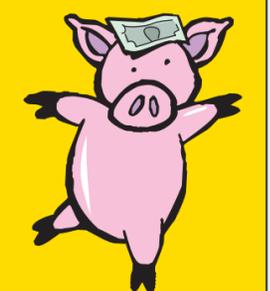
Piggy Bank Shake
Pretend you are a piggy bank and shake yourself. Can you hear the jingle of coins? Shake to the left! Shake to the right!



Jingle Jump
Toss ten coins onto the sidewalk. Can you hop from coin to coin, standing on one foot? Next, do deep knee bends to pick them all up!



Heads or Fails?
Try to do ten sit-ups while balancing three coins on your head. Now have a friend try. Could either of you do it?

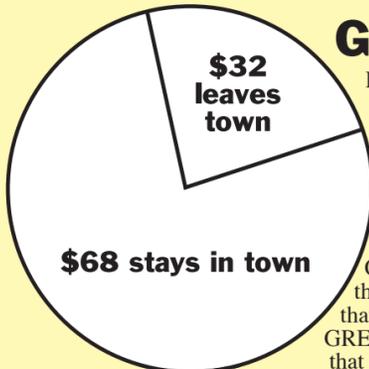


Balanced Budget
Try to walk across your yard with a dollar bill on your head. It'll take some smooth moves to keep the dollar from dropping!

Standards Link: Physical Education: Use a variety of basic and advanced movement forms.

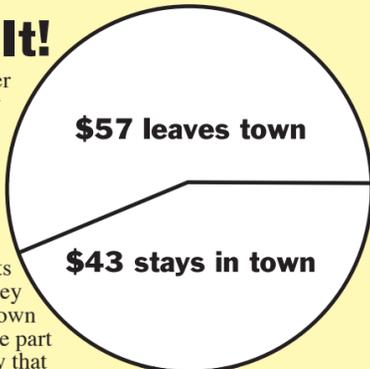
Locally Owned

Non-Locally Owned



Graph It!

Here's another way to show how shopping locally matters. Color these pie graphs. Color the parts that show money that STAYS in town GREEN. Color the part that shows money that LEAVES town RED.



Standards Link: Math: Organize and display data in graphs.

Source: Independentwestand.org/Civic Economics-Andersonville Study of Retail Economics

Missing Words

Replace the missing words in this news article using these words:

SHOW STORE TEAM SCHOOL LOCAL

New Scoreboard Highlights Power of Shopping Locally

MID COUNTY – On Thursday night, the Mid-County Titans basketball _____ got to watch their shots light up a new scoreboard, thanks to Homer's Office Supply. The Titans won the game and had extra reason

Homer Stapleton, the owner of the _____, said this was a good year for business and that many of the families did their back to _____ shopping at his store. Business was up by 70% over last year thanks

"I want to _____ my customers how much I appreciate their shopping at my store," Stapleton said. "I know they have a choice and that my _____ store isn't the only place to shop."

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Use context clues to determine the meaning of words.

Where I Can Shop Locally

Where can you buy the following items in your local area? Look through the newspaper or online and write the name of a local business that sells each of these items.

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|--------------------|-------------------|
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| _____ | _____ |
| FLOWERS | CLOTHES |
| _____ | _____ |
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| _____ | _____ |
| HARDWARE | BOOKS |
| _____ | _____ |



Extra! Extra!

Local Business

Use your newspaper to make a list of 10 or more businesses in your community. Find out which of these are locally owned and which are not. Create a chart to show your findings.

Standards Link: Data Analysis: Organizes data in simple charts.

Kid Scoop Puzzler

What is a skunk's favorite kind of money?

To find out the answer, cross out every B-I-L-L and the remaining letters reveal the answer.

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T b I L L b i L L
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Find the words in the puzzle. How many of them can you find on this page?

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Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognize identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

Local Government

Find an article in the newspaper about someone who works in local government. What does he/she do? Why are they in the newspaper?

Standards Link: Civics: Understand the organization of local government.



Can turkeys really jump higher than a mountain?

ANSWER: Of course. Mountains can't jump at all!

Write On!

When I Grow Up

What do you want to be when you grow up? Write a paragraph about a job you would like to have one day and why you would be good at it.



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IDYLLWILD, CA

THURS., MAY 20, 2021

Idyllwild School Principal Matt Kraemer to retire

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ
EDITOR

Principal Matt Kraemer will be retiring at the end of June and handing over the job to current Idyllwild School sixth grade teacher Nicole Picchiottino. The newspaper ran a front-page story on her last week.

Kraemer was with the Hemet Unified School District for 24 years. He was a teacher in Yuma, Arizona for 15 years before that, giving him a total of 39 years in education.

"They offered an early retirement incentive," Kraemer explained. "I was going to retire at the end of next year, then they offered the incentive, so it made sense to do it now."

He has been the principal at Idyllwild School for 14 years and held the same title at Little Lake Elementary seven years before that. He started with the district as assistant principal at Whittier Elementary.

"This was always my dream job and the highlight of my career to be here, and a highlight to end here," Kraemer admitted. "It has been a true blessing." He has lived here for the last five of the 14 years he has been principal of Idyllwild School.

"We will be coming to Idyllwild quite often but I want to be closer to my parents to help out," he said.

In a 2012 Town Crier story about Kraemer being named the district's principal of the year, Kraemer is quoted saying "She [principal at Hamilton High] suggested I speak to a district official about an assistant principal position that was being filled. Well, the salaries here were better than Yuma, so I talked to him."

I asked Kraemer to name some

of his accomplishments as Idyllwild School's principal. He said the Super Kids Bowl was his greatest accomplishment, which he started about 15 years ago.

"I came in 2007 and that was just in time when the recession hit and the housing market crashed," Kraemer said. "The district was financially in a really bad spot and it had to lay off em-



Idyllwild School Principal Matt Kraemer retires at the end of June after 14 years as the school's principal.

PHOTO BY J.P. CRUMRINE

ployees. We had no funding for middle school sports or arts programs. One of the things I am proud of is we never lost those programs. We maintained them through community support. We are in a [sports] league with private schools, so we were able to have games and able to have a theater program in the fall. We had adult softball games to raise money, and back then, we had signs on the outfield fence. We also got a donation from San Manuel. We received one from Cahuilla last year.

"We won two district school awards, one in 2008 and another in 2014. Emily Shaw [Idyllwild School principal before Kraemer] had more to do with the award in 2008.

"We won the Title 1 Academic Achievement Award at least five times since I have been here and we have been on the state's honor roll numerous times."

The sports and arts programs have been important to Kraemer and he is grateful to the community for its role in maintaining that.

"My personal belief and succeeding in education with kids is you teach to the whole brain and you provide those extracurricular activities like sports, music and art because students engaged in those activities have been proven to do well. And sometimes, that's the only hook you have with some students."

Right now, extracurricular activities have been minimal and that bothers him a lot.

"We still have Mr. [William] Beuche teaching instrumental and we have band, but we lost all of our sports."

He is hoping they can bring back Town Hall sports to the top field after June 15, when Gov. Gavin Newsom has said he would be reopening the state should it meet two metrics.

"If I had to handpick anyone, which I can't, I would handpick Nicole [Picchiottino]." According to Kraemer, the district did two rounds of interviews with the candidates. He does not know how many people applied for the position.

I asked Kraemer if he had any retirement goals yet.

"One of my goals is to be a better fisherman," Kraemer said.

Sixteen deer and one coyote take center stage in IdyPark

By ART ALLIANCE OF IDYLLWILD
CONTRIBUTED

The Art Alliance of Idyllwild (AAI) staged its third "Herd Gathering" May 15 to the delight of locals and visitors. IdyPark provided the perfect setting to display the 13 newly painted deer and one coyote, together with three refurbished deer from the original 2013 herd.

Due to the sponsorship of the Ruth & Joseph C. Reed Foundation for the Arts, students and their families created magic with their paintbrushes and imagination.

Taking part were: Anjali & Yuvana Panchal with a buck "Royalty" destined for a space near The Sunflower and two fawns "Warli" and "Expressions" headed for Idyllwild Bunkhouse.

Maddie Williamson with "Oiseaux" featuring birds of the San Jacinto Mountains and to be installed at the Idyllwild Community Garden.

Orion Colinson, Monica Sierras and Colin Smith created "Sir Tahquitz" that is a tribute to Idyllwild's color-

See AAI, page B6



Ruth Eversole fell in love with 'Sir Tahquitz.'

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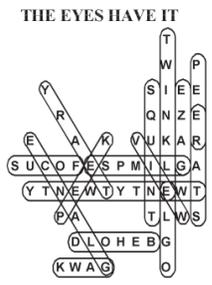
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THE EYES HAVE IT



Answers to Word Search
 (Puzzle on next Classified page)

Answers to Crossword
 (Puzzle on next Classified page)

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WORD SEARCH
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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: BRIEFLY SHUT THE EYES

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CROSSWORD
(Answers on previous classifieds page)

King Crossword

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1 Green shade	45 Move fast	11 Tolkien creatures
5 Police officer	47 Wiped out	16 Muscat's land
8 Achy	51 Teen fave	20 Overhead trains
12 Last writes?	52 Oliver Twist's request	23 Speed (up)
13 Coach Parseghian	54 Margarita garnish	24 Devoured
14 Bard's river	55 Leading lady?	25 Good-looking
15 Besides	56 Buffalo's lake	27 CEO's deg.
17 Hatchling's home	57 "A Room of — Own"	29 "Top Hat" studio
18 Bagel choice	58 Sailor	30 Chow down
19 Aquarium favorites	59 Grit	32 Swimming reptiles
21 Weir	DOWN	34 Smooth talker
22 Mediocre	1 May honorees	37 Shoe width
23 Fan's cry	2 Bassoon's kin	39 Malaria symptom
26 '60s war zone	3 Round Table titles	42 Map within a map
28 Entrap	4 Lieu	44 London newspaper
31 Coup d' —	5 Neanderthal	45 Hawaiian city
33 "The Voice" network	6 Raw mineral	46 Tennis score
35 "My Way" composer	7 Medicare section	48 Asta's feeder
36 Event location	8 "Evil Ways" band	49 Ireland
38 "Eureka!"	9 Type of volleyball serve	50 Monopoly card
40 Speck	10 Activist Parks	53 Eggs
41 Zwei follower		
43 Literary rep		

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HOROSCOPES
May 2021 — Week 3

March 21 – April 19
Home conditions still demand attention. Also, keep an open mind about a sudden question of trust involving a close friend. All the facts are not yet in.

April 20 – May 20
With summer just around the corner, travel begins to dominate your sign. Make plans carefully to avoid potential problems in the first half of June.

May 21 – June 21
A romantic Libra sets a challenge that your "sensible" side might question, but your idealistic self finds the prospect too intriguing to resist. The choice is yours.

June 22 – July 22
Those tense times in your personal life are just about over. Concentrate on reaffirming relationships. Your love of travel opens a surprising new opportunity.

July 23 – August 22
The Big Cat usually loves to be in the center of things. But this week it might be wiser to watch and learn from the sidelines. A Pisces wants to make you purr.

August 23 – September 22
"New" is your watchword this week. Be open to new ideas, both on the job and in your personal life. A romantic Aries or Sagittarian beckons.

September 23 – October 22
Some difficult family decisions have to be faced, but be sure to get more facts before you act. Be careful not to neglect your health during this trying time.

October 23 – November 21
You still need to support a loved one through a difficult time. Meanwhile, things continue to work out to your benefit in the workplace.

November 22 – December 21
Aspects continue to favor expanding social opportunities. A Gemini reaches out to offer a chance for re-establishing a once-close relationship.

December 22 – January 19
There's a potential for misunderstanding in both your job and your personal life. A full explanation of your intentions helps smooth things over.

January 20 – February 18
You might be feeling restless on the job, but delay making any major moves until all the facts are in. A Scorpio has a surprising revelation.

February 19 – March 20
Your business sense works to your advantage as you sort through the possibilities that are opening up. A Libra is Cupid's best bet for your romantic prospects.

FOR ENTERTAINMENT PURPOSES ONLY
(Answers on previous classifieds page)

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.

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Wednesday, May 19

- Talk & Tour, 1 p.m. Alpenglow Lilac Gardens, 25025 Fern Valley Rd.
- Fireside Book Club: "The Tuscan Child," 2-3:30 p.m., Idyllwild Library, Call 951-659-2300 or email idyllwildlibrary@rivlib.net for location. Visit <http://www.rivlib.net/website/branch-page-829/location/Idyllwild>, for more information.

Thursday, May 20

- Talk & Tour, 1 p.m. Alpenglow Lilac Gardens, 25025 Fern Valley Rd.

Friday, May 21

- Talk & Tour, 1 p.m. Alpenglow Lilac Gardens, 25025 Fern Valley Rd.

Saturday, May 22

- Idyllwild Nature Center Family Story Time, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Idyllwild Nature Center, 25225 Highway 243.
- Talk & Tour, 1 p.m. Alpenglow Lilac Gardens, 25025 Fern Valley Rd.

- Trick Dog Band (rock, Motown and R&B), 2-5 p.m. Middle Ridge Winery Tasting Gallery, 54301 N. Circle Dr.

Sunday, May 23

- Farmers Market, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
- Talk & Tour, 1 p.m. Alpenglow Lilac Gardens, 25025 Fern Valley Rd.
- Jac Jacaruso (R&B and rock), 2-5 p.m. Middle Ridge Winery Tasting Gallery, 54301 N. Circle Dr.

Tuesday, May 25

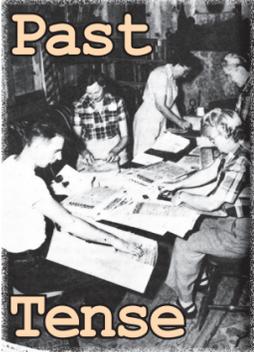
- Idyllwild Author – Mark S. Walton's "Crucial Creativity," 6-7:30 p.m., Idyllwild Library, Call 951-659-2300 or email idyllwildlibrary@rivlib.net for location. Visit <http://www.rivlib.net/website/branch-page-829/location/Idyllwild>, for more information.

Wednesday, May 26

- Talk & Tour, 1 p.m. Alpenglow Lilac Gardens, 25025 Fern Valley Rd.

Thursday, May 27

- Talk & Tour, 1 p.m. Alpenglow Lilac Gardens, 25025 Fern Valley Rd.



70 years ago - 1951

Opening of trout season was marred by severe weather and tragedy. Ten camping parties had to be rescued from Dark Canyon Campground and a boy froze to death when he attempted to hike out seeking help for his father who had suffered a heart attack.

65 years ago - 1956

In a story entitled "Pine Cove Humming," the Town Crier reported that Pine Cove had been added to the U.S. Postal Service Star Route, the Pine Cove Country Store was having its grand opening, and a Richfield gas and service station was almost ready to open.

60 years ago - 1961

The Idyllwild Inn dining room offered a complete dinner for \$2.60 and lunch for \$1.25.

55 years ago - 1966

About 750 schoolchildren attending the sev-

en-week outdoor school at Camp Roosevelt (now the site of Camp Ronald McDonald) in Garner Valley planted 2,500 pine seedlings around the camp.

50 years ago - 1971

Riverside County Boy Scouts, participating in the Save Our American Resources project, headed by Idyllwild's Dr. Norman Mellor, added almost two miles of firebreak to the national forest along Red Hill truck road.

45 years ago - 1976

The 5th-annual Idyllwild Bluegrass Invitational, a two-day event, drew thousands of people to Idyllwild County Park.

40 years ago - 1981

Nearly 100 people were on hand for the ground-breaking ceremonies at the building site of the Idyllwild Bible Church on Pine Crest Avenue. Until the 4,700-square-foot facility was built, worshippers would continue meeting at Town Hall.

35 years ago - 1986

The secret recipe for the Idyllwild Rotary Club's Memorial Day Apfel Pfannkuchen Pancake Breakfast was taken out of its secret hiding place so that Rotary cooks could review the ingredients.

30 years ago - 1991

Idyllwild School physical education teacher Hol-

ly Guntermann was organizing the 10th-annual Idyllwild 5K and 10K Race for June 4.

25 years ago - 1996

The Riverside County Board of Supervisors amended the county gun ordinance to prohibit target practice in Garner Valley.

20 years ago - 2001

The U.S. Forest Service offered some relief for those seeking public restroom facilities in Idyllwild when it was announced that public restrooms would be built in the Forest Service Station on Pine Crest Avenue.

15 years ago - 2006

Idyllwild Arts celebrated its new addition with the dedication of Nelson Hall, which would serve as a dining hall and meeting facility.

10 years ago - 2011
For the first time in many years, the Idyllwild Chamber of Commerce had a full board of 11 directors.

5 years ago - 2016

The Idyllwild Fire Department and the city of San Jacinto had been discussing the establishment of a joint powers authority to provide fire and emergency medical services to the city.

1 year ago - 2020

The California Highway Patrol (CHP) San Geronimo Pass Area, California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), and the Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC) held a virtual press conference regarding the increase of those driving over 100 mph due to less traffic.



Creek fishing for trout is a favorite pastime for this boy and dad. Many other outdoor enthusiasts will have a variety of activities to choose from during the busy Memorial Day weekend in Idyllwild. Photo ran May 21, 1981. TOWN CRIER ARCHIVES

Steele to play in PGA Championship

By JACK CLARK
PRO GOLF CORRESPONDENT

Brendan Steele will tee it up this week in the PGA Championship on the Ocean Course at Kiawah Island, South Carolina.

The PGA is one of four "major" tournaments on the PGA Tour. The Idyllwild native has played the PGA seven times, posting three top-25s including two top-20s — his best being a tie for 12th in 2015.

Brendan will tee off Thursday at 4:16 a.m. PDT and Friday at 9:41 a.m. PDT. He'll play with Rob Labritz and Harold Varner III both days.

The PGA will be telecast on ESPN and CBS.

CREATURE CORNER

By JANICE MURASKO

Last week in "Days of Our Nine Lives," the ARF cats learned about Shorty's adoption.

Pepper: I keep hearing laughter and squealing. What is it?

Whiskers: I hear it, too.

Ellie: Relax! It's just some humans visiting the three kittens. They are so entertaining.

Miss Kitty: They make everyone laugh.

Ellie: Have they been spoken for? I mean, do they have forever homes lined up for when they are old enough to leave us?

Stevie: Not yet, but I hope so very soon.

Ellie: They will be old enough to go to their homes in about a month.

Miss Kitty: How does a human guarantee she will be able to adopt one?

Pepper: I can answer that. Humans make an appointment to meet the kittens, and if they want to adopt one, or more, they complete an application and leave a deposit.

Stevie: That's all?

Miss Kitty: Well, they will have to wait until they are old enough to leave.

Pepper: And what does ARF's adoption fee cover?

Whiskers: It covers a lot! The fee will take care of all necessary vaccinations and the spay or neuter.

Pepper: The new kitty parents need only to follow-up on scheduled appointments.

Ellie: And give the new family member lots and lots of love.

Miss Kitty: I bet a kitten or one of us beautiful adult cats would go a long way in offering comfort and affection.

Whiskers: And with the challenging time everyone has been facing for over a year, this comfort and love will make the human feel so good.

Ellie: Not to mention the good feeling a person gets by rescuing a cat or kitten that really needs a forever home.

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, by appointment. Please call 951-659-1122.

Creature Corner is sponsored by Sandi Mathers.



Performing "Four For Tango" by Astor Piazzolla at the Idyllwild Arts Academy's Chamber Music Brunch Saturday morning in Lowman Concert Hall are Riley Gramley and Joshua Summerlin, violins, Heather Netz, viola, and Andrea Beck, cello. Netz coached the group. PHOTO BY BECKY CLARK FROM ZOOM



Gary Parton's lilac garden in Fern Valley Saturday afternoon. "It grows on you," said Parton of his massive and varied lilac yard. He is giving tours and selling lilacs through May 30. PHOTO BY BECKY CLARK



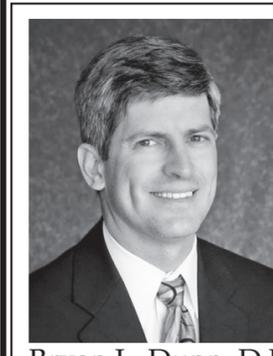
At the Idyllwild Arts Academy's Chamber Music Brunch Saturday this trio performed "Waltz No. 3 for Flute, Clarinet, and Piano" by Dmitri Shostakovich (1906-1975). Kate Prestia-Schaumburg coached Zelin Lisa Wang, flute, Xiyuan Rita Lai, clarinet, and Yichen Jane Wang, piano. PHOTO BY BECKY CLARK FROM ZOOM



Nathan James entertained a large crowd with the blues at Middle Ridge Winery Tasting Gallery Saturday afternoon. PHOTO BY JACK CLARK

Churches & Spiritual Centers Directory of Idyllwild

<p>Calvary Chapel Mountain Center 29375 Hwy. 243, Mountain Center, Ca. 92561 Sunday Worship Service 10:00 am Nursery Care, Children's & Youth Ministries Weekly Bible Studies & Home Groups</p>	<p>Community Church 54400 N. Circle Dr. 659-2935 www.icpchurch.net Your Mountain Family in Christ Sunday Worship - 9:30 a.m. • Rev. Dr. Robert Mitchell Celebration: 5th grade & under during worship - Child care available Wednesday: Men's Breakfast ----- Women's Bible Study, 9 a.m.</p>
<p>2 Services Idyllwild Bible Church 25860 Highway 243, Pastor Tim Westcott A Family Friendly Bible Based Fellowship Sunday Worship & Nursery Care 9-10 a.m. Mid-week Bible Studies & Youth Groups Call Church Office for Information, 951-659-4775</p>	<p>St. Hugh's Episcopal Church Sunday Services 10 AM Phone (951) 659-4471 • www.sthughsidyllwild.org 25525 Tahquitz Dr.</p>
<p>Queen of Angels Roman Catholic Church 54525 N. Circle Dr., P.O. Box 1106, Idyllwild, CA Father Charles E. Miller Mass Schedule: Tues.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.; Sat. 4 p.m.; Sun. 8 a.m. + 10 a.m.; Confession: Sat. 3:30 p.m. or by appt. 659-2708</p>	
<p>Temple Har Shalom of Idyllwild Rabbi Lazar: May 21 6PM Services Torah Study May 22 9:30AM Candle lighting 7,14,28 5:55 PM For Zoom Addresses: 951-468-0004 TempleHarShalomIdyllwild.org</p>	



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AAI

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ful flowers, also to be installed at the Idyllwild Community Garden.

A family of deer will grace The Fort: a buck "Anthony" by Fiona McMullen, a doe "Jeanine's Sparkle" by Sasha Nicol and a fawn by MeiXing Hunt-Babcock. Situated nearby will be the colorful art of Wyatt Brown, n.s. david and Zach Mroczkowski in the form of a coyote.

Sarah and Emily Brosterhous crafted an enchanted forest with the doe "Ivy" to be placed in front of Forest Realty.

The Idyllwild Arts Academy Visual Arts Department Class of 2021 painted a family of deer with the buck "Camouflage," a doe "Tribute" and a fawn "Diversions." These will be installed on the Idyllwild Arts Academy campus.

Jon Bauer honored Cahuilla traditions with the buck "Native Deer" and its traditional baskets. It will be installed at Strawberry Creek Plaza along with "Ida Quilter," one of the refurbished 2013 deer (previously at Pine Cove Market).

The AAI's generous raffle donors and volunteers contributed to the success of this project and herd gathering event. The Butterfields and Shane Stewart permitted the use of IdyPark.

These new additions bring the herd up to 61 deer and two coyotes. The "Trail of the Painted Deer" map is being updated to include these new works of art.

The AAI is a nonprofit dedicated to promoting artistic excellence in Idyllwild. Join as an "Art Lover" for as little as \$40 per year. Your membership supports the many community art programs that add sparkle to Idyllwild. More information at www.artinidyllwild.org.



The herd waiting for transport from Franklin Drive. PHOTO BY DONNA ELLIOT



Charlie with 'Jeanine's Sparkle' by Sasha Nicol. PHOTO BY DONNA ELLIOT



Orion Colinson painting 'Sir Tahquitz.' PHOTO BY MONICA SIERRAS



IdyPark provides the ideal setting for the herd gathering. PHOTO BY DONNA ELLIOT

Memorial Day Weekend Yard Sale

Use the treasure map below to plan your yard sale adventure. The number at the end of each yard sale listing corresponds to the location number on the map.

TREASURE MAP



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Yard Sales
Beat the crowds of Memorial Day weekend & score the weekend before! 3 family yard sale. Sat., May 22nd, 9am-2pm. No early birds, please. We have everything! Household items, clothing, jewelry, kitchenware, books, artwork, rugs, antiques & more! 25680 Country Club Dr. (17)
Yard Sale: Furniture, home decor., kitchen/cookware, art, frames, clothing, computers, TV. 54010 Pine Crest Ave. Friday & Saturday, 9am to 3pm. Sunday, 10am to 2pm 50% Off. (1)
Cleaning out an estate of 30 years. Everything imaginable. Kitchen ware, home decor, gardening equip., tools, folding chairs, florals, mattresses, couches, misc. furniture. If you don't see what you want just ask. We probably have it! Fri., Sat. & Sun. 25554 Scenic Dr. (2)

Yard Sale: 52-780 Idyllmont Road, before bridge to IdyArts on Tollgate. May 29 & 30, 8 am - 2 pm Masks required. Misc. incl. Viking reenactment and nice stuff. (3)
Yard Sale: Vintage goods, home decor, furniture, yard art & more. Fri. & Sat., May 28 & 29, 9 am to 4 pm at 26141 Hemstreet Plc. Wear a mask. (4)
54400 Tahquitz View Dr. (Pine Ave). New owners with lots of household goods for sale. Tools, lamps, TV, toaster oven, dishes, pots and pans, leaf blower, and more. Saturday, 5/29 only, 8am-1pm. (5)
Huge Moving Sale. Fri., Sat. & Sun. May 28 - 30, 10 am - 4 pm. 54440 Valley View Dr. Top of Pine St. off Saunders Meadow. (6)

Idyllwild Area Historical Society museum yard sale. 54470 N. Circle Dr. Collectibles, puzzles, tools, books, LPs, 45s, CDs, DVDs, Cassettes (Audiobooks), lamps, vintage clothes, Halloween décor, toys, vintage pop & classical sheet music & much more. Sat. 5/29 & Sun. 5/30, 8 am to 3 pm. All purchases benefit the museum. (7)
HUUUGE MULTI-FAMILY SALE. Rare art and vintage items. 1989 tent trailer. Household items, tools, clothing, little kids toys, books and much more!!! Fri., Sat., Sun., 9am-5pm (no early birds). 59292 Donna Mae Pl. in Garner Valley. Everything must go!!! (8)

Yard sale: 53125 Overlook Drive. Pine Cove, Idyllwild. 2 chairs and 1 loveseat, wood burning stove, islands, tons of throw pillows in + outside, hammock chairs, fridge+dishes AND LOTS MORE. (9)
MULIT-FAMILY YARD SALE. Apple software, womens clothing & shoes, kitchen ware & kid bikes. 53069 McKinney Lane. Sat. & Sun. only. 8 am. (10)
Not your Grandma's yard sale! Treasures galore, Native American artifacts, new & vintage furniture, Bauer pots, costume jewelry, art books, tools & MUCH, MUCH MORE. May 28-29-30 8 am - 3 pm. 25895 Tahquitz Dr. (11)

Thurs. May 27 thru Sun. May 30 8-5. Lots of kids items, holiday items, collectibles, women's clothes sizes XS-4X, kids, newborn to 14. Scentsy Sale, Origami Jewelry Sale and Lu La Rue kids to adults all sizes to include Disney and Holiday clothes. Lots of misc 25628 Big Pine off 243 Cedar Glen. (12)
Lots of jewelry for great prices. All kinds of household goodies priced to sell. Friday Saturday and Sunday. 53530 Middle Ridge Dr. 9am til 2pm (13)
Neighborhood Sale. Kitchen goods, electronics, decorations, appliances, clothing, shoes, furniture, toys, books, pet stuff, FREE kids books and clothing. Venmo/PayPal/Cash accepted. 52823 Sugar Pine Drive. Sat. 29th and Sun. 30th. 8am - 3pm. (14)

Tire chains, woodworking clamps, saw blades, jigs, camp stove, sleeping bags, lantern, propane, digital cameras, dishes, Oreck Vac, dog carrier, misc. Fri. -Sat. 8 am - 12 pm; 25340 Tahquitz Rd. (15)
Memorial Day Sale. Designer clothing, St. Johns, St. Laurent, Escada, Bally shoes, YSL Paris, Ferragamo, etc., size 7. Purse, artwork & lot of other items. Must see. 26441 Forest Hill Dr. off Crest View. 8 am to 2 pm. Saturday Only. (16)
Susies treasures, silk flowers vases baskets antiques dishes & linens. John is cleaning out too. Art & art supplies, yard art tools large & small, potted plants lumber. 53990 Linger Ln, Idyllwild. May 28 & 29. 8 am - 3 pm. (18)

Missed advertizing your yard sale this week? You can still make it in the paper and on the map next week for \$20. Email Mandy at mandy@towncrier.com for details