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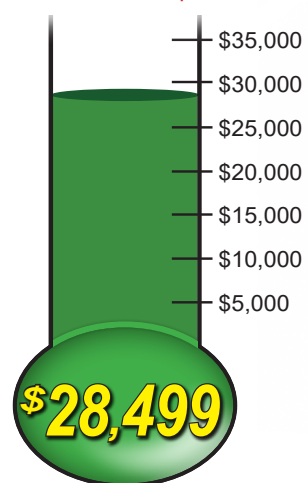
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Over 12,000 marijuana plants eradicated

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ
EDITOR

On Monday morning, Aug. 2, ARIS Helicopters, of Corona, supplied the helicopter and pilot for a marijuana eradication operation in Apple Canyon. The company used the helipad in the field just north of the Lake Hemet Sheriff's Substation. The Bureau of Land Management was also present.

When the newspaper first asked the Riverside County Sheriff's Department media information bureau (MIB) about its presence in the area, it responded, "I checked with our dispatch and we did not have any calls for service or other activity in the Lake Hemet area today. You might want to reach out to Southern California Edison for more information regarding your inquiry."

After the newspaper responded to MIB, writing that Deputy Parsons briefly spoke with the newspaper Tuesday and said that it was a marijuana eradication operation, the MIB responded: "Sheriff's deputies were conducting an operation in the area of Apple Canyon in Mountain Center when they located the marijuana plants. During the operation, 12,420 marijuana plants were eradicated and 150 pounds of processed marijuana was taken. No arrests were made."

Above, 10 sheriff's deputies were airlifted by helicopter, two at a time.

PHOTO BY JACK CLARK



Longtime resident **Marge Muir** celebrated her 90th birthday with friends and family at the Idyllwild Nature Center Sunday. Muir is not 90 until November. According to family, this was the best time to get everyone together. The planning of the event started a year ago. Muir has lived in Idyllwild since 1957. She has served on numerous boards and attended community and district meetings consistently over the years.

PHOTO BY MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ

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 1 minute. In an emergency, you will hear three consecutive 3 minute alerts. Tune into WNKI-AM 1610 to receive information regarding the emergency alert. The following websites will also have information regarding the reason for the alert and action that needs to be taken: idyllwildfire.com, fernvalleywater.com and mdpidyllwild.org.

Tree trimming to return in September and SCE responds to power outages

By BECKY CLARK
CO-PUBLISHER

Last week from Monday to Thursday, Aug. 2 to 5, a Caltrans tree crew performed routine maintenance tree trimming on Highway 243.

Caltrans Public Affairs Officer Terri Kasinga said the work "provides road clearance, visibility and reduces the weight of the branches. It also provides preparation work for winter months. This type of tree trimming and removal is routine maintenance."

The tree crew is scheduled to return in September once dates are set to continue tree maintenance. The Town Crier will report that information upon Caltrans notification.

She said wait times are typically 10 to 20 minutes under traffic control but, "It could go longer if they are having an issue with removal."

The Town Crier also contacted SCE Spokesperson Reggie Kumar regarding its work. When asked about the details, Kumar said, "Our primary focus of work in 2021 has been grid hardening. This includes replacing industry standard bare wire with insulated wire (covered conductor)."

He was vague on details regarding when and where work will continue. "We will be performing this same work through 2022," he said. "There might be more projects that extend past 2022, including maintenance work, and if that is the case, we will notify customers."

Kumar said the insulated wire "is part of our Wildfire Mitigation Plan to keep communities safe from wildfires. This work will also increase service reliability in the area."

Subcontractors Par Electric and Sturgeon are assisting SCE.

When asked if any of the projects had to be redone because of errors, he did not answer directly but said, "There are strict quality control processes in place with every project performed across our service area and if it doesn't meet industry standards during the inspection process then it may require us to make adjustments."

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Lockdown protests, 'breakthrough' cases, vaccine and clinical disease, and the spike protein

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ
EDITOR

People are protesting lockdowns and vaccine passports/green passes around the world in India, England, France, Australia, Germany, Netherlands, Spain, Canada, Italy, Greece, Israel, Austria and Ireland in some locations shouting, "We stand together," "No vaccine pass" and "We want freedom."

Governments have said for months the COVID-19 shot was safe and effective. Breakthrough cases are being reported all over the world. A Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) study out of Massachusetts reported 74% of those who contracted COVID-19 had received the full dose of the COVID-19 shot, which led to CDC Director Dr. Rochelle Walensky revising masking guidelines.

NBC Boston reported July 21 with an update July 25, "As of July 17, a total of 5,166 breakthrough cases had been reported to the state DPH. Of those, 272 people were hospitalized and survived. Of the 80 people who died, 23 died without being hospitalized; 57 died following a hospital stay."

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."

The state of California announced it is requiring public employees to get the shot or submit to weekly testing. President Joe Biden announced federal employees, regardless of location, will be required to get the COVID-19 shot or submit to weekly or twice-weekly testing. Contractors are also impacted.

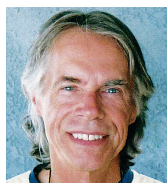
"Informed consent disclosure to vaccine trial subjects of risk of COVID-19 vaccines worsening clinical disease" that can be found at <https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/33113270/> and published March 2021 writes in Results of the study: "COVID-19 vaccines designed to elicit neutralising antibodies may sensitise vaccine recipients to more severe disease than if they were not vaccinated. Vaccines for SARS, MERS and RSV have never been approved, and the data generated in the development and testing of these vaccines suggest a serious mechanistic concern: that vaccines designed empirically using the traditional approach (consisting of the unmodified or minimally modified coronavirus viral spike to elicit neutralising antibodies), be they composed of protein, viral vector, DNA or RNA and irrespective of delivery method, may worsen COVID-19 disease via antibody-dependent enhancement (ADE). This risk is sufficiently obscured in clinical trial protocols and consent forms for ongoing COVID-19 vaccine trials that adequate patient comprehension of this risk is unlikely to occur, obviating truly informed consent by subjects in these trials."

The Salk Institute published April 30, 2021 "The novel coronavirus' spike protein plays additional key role in illness" and can be found at <https://www.salk.edu/news-release/the-novel-coronavirus-spike-protein-plays-additional-key-role-in-illness/>.

"Scientists have known for a while that SARS-CoV-2's distinctive 'spike' proteins help

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the virus infect its host by latching on to healthy cells. Now, a major new study shows that the virus spike proteins (which behave very differently than those safely encoded by vaccines) also play a key role in the disease itself.

“The paper, published on April 30, 2021, in *Circulation Research*, also shows conclusively that COVID-19 is a vascular disease, demonstrating exactly how the SARS-CoV-2 virus damages and attacks the vascular system on a cellular level. The findings help explain COVID-19’s wide variety of seemingly unconnected complications, and could open the door for new research into more effective therapies.

“A lot of people think of it as a respiratory disease, but it’s really a vascular disease,” says Assistant Research Professor Uri Manor, who is co-senior author of the study. “That could explain why some people have strokes, and why some people have issues in other parts of the body. The commonality between them is that they all have vascular underpinnings.”

“Salk researchers collaborated with scientists at the University of California San Diego on the paper, including co-first author Jiao Zhang and co-senior author John Shyy, among others.

“While the findings themselves aren’t entirely a surprise, the paper provides clear confirmation and a detailed explanation of the mechanism through which the protein damages vascular cells for the first time. There’s been a growing consensus that SARS-CoV-2

affects the vascular system, but exactly how it did so was not understood. Similarly, scientists studying other coronaviruses have long suspected that the spike protein contributed to damaging vascular endothelial cells, but this is the first time the process has been documented.

“In the new study, the researchers created a ‘pseudovirus’ that was surrounded by SARS-CoV-2 classic crown of spike proteins, but did not contain any actual virus. Exposure to this pseudovirus resulted in damage to the lungs and arteries of an animal model — proving that the spike protein alone was enough to cause disease. Tissue samples showed inflammation in endothelial cells lining the pulmonary artery walls.

“The team then replicated this process in the lab, exposing healthy endothelial cells (which line arteries) to the spike protein. They showed that the spike protein damaged the cells by binding ACE2. This binding disrupted ACE2’s molecular signaling to mitochondria (organelles that generate energy for cells), causing the mitochondria to become damaged and fragmented.

“Previous studies have shown a similar effect when cells were exposed to the SARS-CoV-2 virus, but this is the first study to show that the damage occurs when cells are exposed to the spike protein on its own.

“If you remove the replicating capabilities of the virus, it still has a major damaging effect on the vascular cells, simply by virtue of its ability to bind to this ACE2 receptor, the S protein receptor, now famous thanks to COVID,” Manor explains. “Further studies with mutant

spike proteins will also provide new insight towards the infectivity and severity of mutant SARS-CoV-2 viruses.”

“The researchers next hope to take a closer look at the mechanism by which the disrupted ACE2 protein damages mitochondria and causes them to change shape.

“Other authors on the study are Yuyang Lei and Zu-Yi Yuan of Jiaotong University in Xi’an, China; Cara R. Schiavon, Leonardo Andrade, and Gerald S. Shadel of Salk; Ming He, Hui Shen, Yichi Zhang, Yoshitake Cho, Mark Hepokoski, Jason X.-J. Yuan, Atul Malhotra, Jin Zhang of the University of California San Diego; Lili Chen, Qian Yin, Ting Lei, Hongliang Wang and Shengpeng Wang of Xi’an Jiaotong University Health Science Center in Xi’an, China.

“The research was supported by the National Institutes of Health, the National Natural Science Foundation of China, the Shaanxi Natural Science Fund, the National Key Research and Development Program, the First Affiliated Hospital of Xi’an Jiaotong University; and Xi’an Jiaotong University.”

Riverside County data

The area of Idyllwild-Pine Cove has a total of 123 reported COVID-19 cases since the outbreak and two deaths reported, according to the Riverside University Health System - Public Health website. One hundred and seventeen of the 123 people have recovered.

As of Aug. 9, Riverside County had 314,862 confirmed COVID-19 cases, 4,667 deaths related to COVID-19 and 303,889 people had recovered. Four hundred and eleven individuals were being hospitalized, and of those, 85 were

in the ICU. The current case rate per 100,000 is 25.2 and 11.5% positivity. As of Aug. 9, 50.6% of the county population received the full dose of the COVID-19 shot. County Public Health outlines variants and the number in Riverside County on its website: Alpha (163), Beta (0), Gamma (12) and Delta (65). The newspaper still has not received a response to its inquiry regarding how the tests differentiate from each other.

As of Aug. 3, Riverside County had 309,217 confirmed COVID-19 cases, 4,667 deaths related to COVID-19 and 300,387 people had recovered. Two hundred and eighty-eight individuals were being hospitalized, and of those, 73 were in the ICU. The current case rate per 100,000 is 16.9 and 8.9% positivity. As of Aug. 2, 49.9% of the county population received the full dose of the COVID-19 shot. County Public Health outlines variants and the number in Riverside County on its website: Alpha (149), Beta (0), Gamma (11) and Delta (26). The newspaper still has not received a response to its inquiry regarding how the tests differentiate from each other.

As of July 27, Riverside County had 305,589 confirmed COVID-19 cases, 4,658 deaths related to COVID-19 and 298,029 people had recovered. One hundred and ninety individuals were being hospitalized, and of those, 47 were in the ICU. As of July 26, 49.1% of the county population received the full dose of the COVID-19 shot.

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.

Still no updates on missing people

By The Town Crier

Six people, Luis Alberto Artieda, David O’Sullivan, Roy Prifogle, Melissa Lane, Lydia “Dia” Abrams and Diana Perez Gonzalez, remain missing. The newspaper contacted the sheriff’s department regarding any updates. The newspaper did not receive a response by press time.

Artieda “was last known to be in Idyllwild from June 26 to 29,” according to a flyer. “His car was found on La Mirada Road and Ramona Road near North Lyyken Trailhead in the city of Palm Springs.” His vehicle was towed July 8 by the Palm Springs Police Department (PSPD) after the vehicle was “initially noticed July 3.” Artieda is 5’10” and 155 pounds. He is 53 years old.

Neither the Riverside County Sheriff’s Department (RCSD) nor PSPD initially took the lead on this case. RCSD responded to the newspaper that they were “currently reaching out to Palm Springs PD to try to see what is going on with this inquiry” and that they would be in touch. The newspaper has not received any further information.

O’Sullivan, who was last seen at the Idyllwild Inn April 7, 2017, was 25 years old when he went missing. The Fowler-O’Sullivan Foundation (FOF) website writes of O’Sullivan, “David [O’Sullivan] was thru-hiking NOBO on the Pacific Crest Trail [PCT] from Mexico to Canada. On April 6, 2017 he sent an email to his family from an Idyllwild library. O’Sullivan, who is from Ireland, intended to hike north into the San Jacinto Mountains

the next day. He has not been seen since. There are several trails he could have taken to access the PCT from Idyllwild. We do not know which trail David took.”

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,” 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.”

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, 2020, Abrams was last seen by her self-proclaimed live-in boyfriend/fiancé Keith Harper at her ranch in Apple Canyon (between Mountain Center and Garner Valley). Since the initial search efforts more than a year ago, the RCSD has not provided new information or updates regarding her disappearance.

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.

Gonzalez, who is from the Hemet/San Jacinto area, 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 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 was pregnant when she went missing.



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



David O’Sullivan
PHOTO BY DAVID O’SULLIVAN



Luis Artieda
PHOTO COURTESY OF FACEBOOK

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As with Caltrans, SCE also runs tree-trimming operations. Kumar said, “SCE works closely with Caltrans on a regular basis and applies for permits to mitigate certain trees within Caltrans’ right-of-way when necessary. The current SCE vegetation management effort along Highway 243 is expected to take up to five weeks, but the schedule may vary based on weather conditions.

“Some tree maintenance will require SCE to schedule an outage and customers will be notified ahead of time. This work will also increase service reliability. State regulations require utilities to trim or remove trees and vegetation so they don’t grow or fall into high-voltage power lines, which could not only cause a power outage but could spark a fire or be a danger to the public.”

Despite being told through texts, emails and/or postal mail that power outages would only last from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. or from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., often the power outage ended much later, sometimes as late as 9 p.m.

Mary and Dave Knab, who live north of Pine Cove and both work from home, said the one-day-a-week power outages since March 2021 have been taking a toll. “First, the information is unreliable,” said Mary. “It never ends at 4:30 or 5 — more like 8, 9 or 10.

“Second, we still work fulltime, as do many folks due to COVID. I can’t lose power every week for 12 hours or more. The

cost of replacement or backup power for a never-ending maintenance program is an unrealistic burden.”

Kumar said, “We understand that being without power for an extended period of time is an inconvenience for our customers. Our crews work as quickly and as safely as possible to restore electricity and due to the scope of work, restoration times may vary.”

Janice Coopersmith, of Pine Cove, throws out food from her refrigerator and freezer every time the power goes out. SCE does provide free bags of ice with each mailed notice but the ice has to be picked up at one of two locations off the Hill.

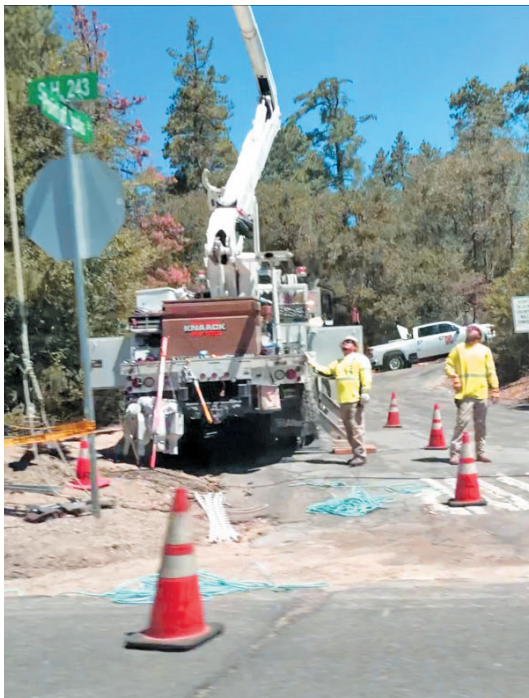
“It just seems like the offer of the Smart & Final ice was kind of tone deaf — like that’s going to do any good,” Coopersmith said.

When asked about this, Kumar offered, “We encourage our customers to file a claim with SCE and we will evaluate it thoroughly. The safety of our customers, communities and employees is our top priority.”

Coopersmith said she might give that a try. Claim forms are available at www.sce.com/customer-service/request-support/claims.

Mary added, “Third, we live in a small community — tiny compared to Idyllwild. I just don’t understand how this project can affect us for so long, with no answers as to why or when it will end.”

“People have a right to know about their power,” said Coopersmith.



Southern California Edison subcontractor replaces lines lining Highway 243 Tuesday, resulting in a scheduled power outage.
PHOTO BY EMMA DIAZ

Idyllwild Weather

From the National Weather Service

Wednesday 8/11



82/65

Chance of thunderstorms

Thursday 8/12



84/68

Mostly sunny

Friday 8/13



85/68

Sunny

Saturday 8/14



88/70

Chance of thunderstorms

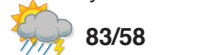
Sunday 8/15



87/67

Chance of thunderstorms

Monday 8/16



83/58

Chance of thunderstorms

Tuesday 8/17



79/56

Sunny

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

Idyllwild this year

Date	High	Low	M	S
08/03	93	60	0.00	0.0
08/04	93	62	0.00	0.0
08/05	91	64	0.04	0.0
08/06	89	57	0.00	0.0
08/07	88	54	0.03	0.0
08/08	89	57	0.00	0.0
08/09	88	61	0.00	0.0

Idyllwild last year

Date	High	Low	M	S
08/03	91	54	0.00	0.0
08/04	85	57	0.00	0.0
08/05	83	52	0.00	0.0
08/06	78	47	0.00	0.0
08/07	82	45	0.00	0.0
08/08	84	48	0.00	0.0
08/09	85	49	0.00	0.0

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

sensing equipment at Idyllwild Fire Station, an official NWS COOP reporter. [We are seeking reliable Idyllwild and Pine Cove full-time residents to provide this information. Residents who follow CoCoRaHS procedures would be strongly preferred. CoCoRaHS is an organization of private, amateur weather observers that provides carefully collected data for use by the NWS. If you are interested in providing us with rain and snow reports, please contact jack@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 Garner Valley on Tuesday morning as temperatures peaked in the mid-80s.

PHOTO BY MANDY JOHNSON

Riverside County awarded \$25.5 million in homeless funds

By RIVERSIDE COUNTY
CONTRIBUTED

Riverside County received an award of \$25.5 million in funding through the state’s No Place Like Home program. The funds will create 119 units of permanent supportive housing for individuals with severe and persistent mental illness who are homeless, chronically homeless or at-risk of homelessness. The housing units will be embedded within four affordable apartment communities that will be newly constructed. Construction of units is expected to begin in 2022.

“Riverside County remains steadfast in our commitment to taking an active role in addressing homelessness within our most vulnerable populations,” said Second District County Supervisor and Chairperson Karen Spiegel. “In addition to partnering with qualified developers with relevant experience in affordable housing development, residents will have access to many of the services that are essential in addressing a variety of complex needs including case management, peer support services, mental health care, substance use support and physical health care.”

The grant awards were announced by the California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD), which administers the No Place Like Home program. HCD reviewed applications and selected the awardees through a competitive application process.

“We are very pleased with the announcement of this funding and are excited to move forward to provide

much-needed permanent supportive housing for Riverside County,” said Dr. Matthew Chang, director of Riverside University Health System-Behavioral Health (RUHS-BH). “In addition to the 119 units that will be constructed for homeless households this financing helps the projects as a whole move forward creating 148 additional affordable units. We know access to housing is an important determinant of health and so we’re proud to help in this work. We look forward to these units becoming available starting in 2023.”

The permanent supportive housing will be created through a partnership between the county and four affordable housing developers that will develop, own and operate the apartment communities in which the permanent supportive housing units are located.

The Housing Authority of the County of Riverside also contributed 119 housing vouchers to help secure the award from the No Place Like Home program.

RUHS-BH currently provides supportive services to 197 units of permanent supportive housing in 9 apartment communities across Riverside County.

All four developments involve new construction and are located in the cities of Riverside, Temecula, and Palm Springs. They will be developed by National CORE, Jamboree Housing Corporation, Coachella Valley Housing Coalition and West Hollywood Community Housing Corporation. Additional supportive services at the projects will be provided by Hope Through Housing Foundation, Housing with Heart, and DAP Health (formerly Desert AIDS Project).



Many of **Marge Muir’s** (center in the pink shirt) family members came out to Idyllwild to celebrate her upcoming 90th birthday. Sunday’s celebration occurred at the Idyllwild Nature Center. In addition to the many family members who attended, friends of Muir were also present.

PHOTO BY MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ

Idyllwild Summer Concert Series

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Aug. 19th Mike Hammon's Grateful Dead Tribute

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Third District Supervisor **Chuck Washington** poses with deputies of the Lake Hemet Substation July 23 after presenting them with a belated certificate of recognition.

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Certificate of Recognition

Presented To

The Riverside County Sheriff's Department

On behalf of the Riverside County Board of Supervisors, I commend the Riverside County Sheriff's Department for their commitment to protect and serve the communities of the San Jacinto Mountains through the reopening and staffing of

The Lake Hemet / Mountain Sub-Station

Dated this 23rd Day of July, 2021

Supervisor Chuck Washington
Third District, Riverside County Board of Supervisors

The Riverside County Sheriff's Department Lake Hemet Substation opened Dec. 3, 2020. On Tuesday, Dec. 7, 2020, Sheriff **Chad Bianco**, members of his administration, Captain **Leonard Purvis** and members of the Hemet Station/Lake Hemet Substation, Riverside County Supervisor **Jeff Hewitt**, and members of the community met (outdoors with social distancing) at the Lake Hemet Substation to formally introduce sheriff's personnel and to announce the substation's opening and subsequent service to the public.

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Three members of the Riverside County Sheriff's Mounted Posse pose for a photo with the Idyllwild Fire ladder truck in the background at the National Night Out event last Tuesday.

PHOTO BY JOEL FEINGOLD



The sheriff's emergency response team and Deputy **Funkhouser** take a moment to pose for photos at last week's National Night Out event. The booth was quite popular.

PHOTO BY JOEL FEINGOLD



A group photo of all the agencies that participated in last Tuesday's National Night Out event at Lake Hemet. Riverside County Sheriff's Department, Cal Fire, Riverside County Code Enforcement, California Highway Patrol, Mt. San Jacinto State Park, U.S. Forest Service and Idyllwild Fire Protection District were present. Mountain Community Patrol sold hot dogs for \$1 each.

PHOTO BY MARK WALLACE



Cal Fire's mascot Capt. **Cal** sinks a putt at the Hemet Sheriff's Station booth at the National Night Out event last Tuesday.

PHOTO BY MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ

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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.

Short-term rentals

DEAR EDITOR:

I would like to chime in on the current debate over STRs (Short Term Rentals). As other Town Crier readers have mentioned, the county of Riverside is currently proposing upgrades to the existing ordinance 927, which regulates them. The upgraded ordinance can be viewed here: https://planning.rctlma.org/Portals/14/Ord_No_927Draftfor-Publication_1.pdf



As other Town Crier readers have mentioned, the county of Riverside is currently proposing upgrades to the existing ordinance 927, which regulates them.

The planner handling it is asking for input from the community. He is Steve Jones, sjones@rivco.org. He asks for the subject line to include 927.1.

Those of us who live here full-time, and those second-homers, who come here for peace and quiet, would do well to defend our tranquility by contacting the county planner to approve the new proposal and also to suggest other remedies which could be added.

For example, limiting STRs to a small percentage of a residential neighborhood, say 5%; having a dedicated county enforcer lodged at the Mountain Resource Center on Franklin Drive; limiting STRs to homes where the owner is resident on-site and making the license fee large enough to discourage casual/irresponsible operators.

Please write!

PENELOPE SMRZ
IDYLLWILD

Seeking EMax award nominees

For the 11th consecutive year, the Idyllwild Town Crier is requesting nominations for the annual Ernie Maxwell Community Spirit Award. Bring your nomination to the Town Crier office at 54405 N. Circle Dr., mail it to P.O. Box 157, Idyllwild, CA 92549, or send by email to melissa@towncrier.com by 5 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12.

The honor is given to an individual or group who represents EMax's spirit of community and volunteerism. Prior awardees took actions that created a spark sufficient to bring others into the fray just as Maxwell did with his activities involving the environment.

The nomination information should provide the reason why the individual or group has been nominated. They should have demonstrated a tangible, perhaps physical, effect on the community. The Ernie Maxwell Scenic Trail is an example of accomplishment.

How long has your nominee been active in the community?

Provide a description of their vounteer contributions and accomplishments for the community.

And finally, can you show how these efforts have been adopted or expanded by the community?

The previous awardees were the Mountain Communities Fire Safe Council in 2011, Dawn Sonnier in 2012, Robert Priefer in 2013, Annamarie Padula in 2014, Wendy Read in 2015, Janice Murasko/Robert Hewitt in 2016, Jay Mulder in 2017, Dave and Loie Butterfield in 2018, Phyllis Mueller in 2019 and Stephanie Yost in 2020. A plaque in the Town Crier office lists the awardees' names.

Later, you will have an opportunity to vote for the top three 2021 nominees. Group noting, e.g. collecting a list of signatures at a meeting, is not permitted. Votes must be on original, not copies of, ballots available in the Town Crier.

Businesses, you're back up now!

By JACK CLARK
CO-PUBLISHER

More and more businesses in our community have been reopening.

Our restaurants are filling up — especially on week-ends — and they are working hard to bring their staffing up to normal levels. So, now is the time to advertise your positions available to your future employees and to list your business hours, menus and specials for new and returning customers.

With visitors filling our streets on weekends again, inns are advertising their accommodations, and shops are advertising their wares.

Contractors are advertising for renewed business as folk are more willing to allow outside people in their homes again.

Reach Mandy Johnson, the Town Crier office manager, at Mandy@towncrier.com or at the Town Crier office: 951-659-2145 for all advertising.

The Town Crier is an active part of our community's recovery. The best of good fortune to us all!



SHOES

Q. I have more than 100 pairs of shoes? Is that too many?
-Lolanda, Idyllwild

A. It depends on how many feet you have. If you have only the two feet, and you have to look down to see what shoes you're wearing, you have too many.

Q. Should I wear brown shoes with orange pants?
-Howard, Homeland

A. Only if your orange shoes are in the wash.

(originally published April 30, 2015)

RUHS new Palm Springs facility

By RIVERSIDE COUNTY
CONTRIBUTED

Riverside University Health System (RUHS) announced that the Palm Springs Community Health Center, formally known as Palm Springs Family Care Center, began serving patients from a brand-new facility.

The all-new 35,000 sq. ft. facility is conveniently located near the previous location and will continue to provide the same services as well as additional health care options such as dental care. The clinic will also offer public health services such as WIC (Women, Infants and Children), HIV/STD testing and family planning as well as behavioral health services offering support, resources and referrals for those needing care with mental health conditions.

Community Health Centers (CHCs) play an important role in the health care delivery system by bringing primary health care services to largely underserved communities. Providing a full array of services, CHCs receive funding from Medicaid, Medicare, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), and patients based on a sliding fee scale and ability to pay. No one is ever turned away from receiving care in these centers.

This new location will continue to offer medical, dental, mental health and health promotion services to both adults and children, with all disciplines working collaboratively. In addition to laboratory and imaging needs, physicians also can provide comprehensive diabetes care, chronic disease management and many other health needs that a primary care doctor usually offers.

The all-new clinic is located near the previous location at 191 Sunrise Way in Palm Springs.

“The expansion of county health services in Palm Springs, through our new state-of-the-art Palm Springs Community Health Center, is a major advancement for health care in the Coachella Valley,” said Riverside County Fourth District Supervisor V. Manuel Perez. “At over three times the size of the previous location, this community health center will

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have significantly more space to integrate services, delivering care to the most vulnerable. I am very proud of our new community health center in Palm Springs, and acknowledge the Desert AIDS Project, whose campus expansion made this new facility possible.”

Zareh Sarrafian, assistant county executive officer for health and hospital services in Riverside County, said, “By providing a variety of healthcare services, education and resources in one location, RUHS is delivering patient-centered and integrated care that responds to the unique needs of medically underserved populations. This holistic approach will enable our team of providers to more effectively meet the needs



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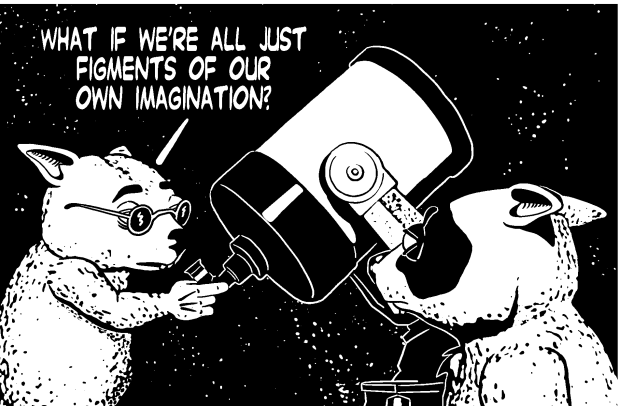


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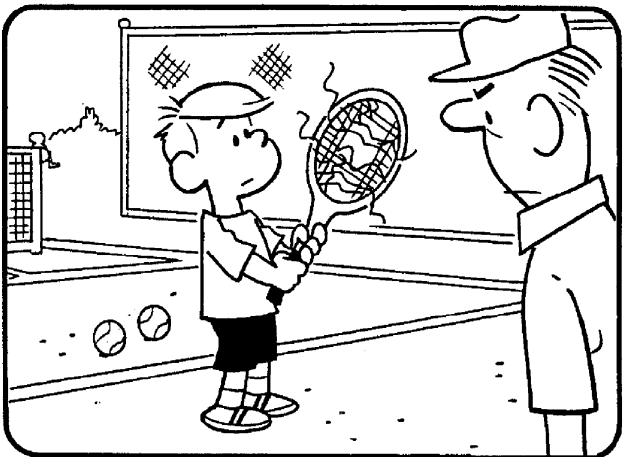
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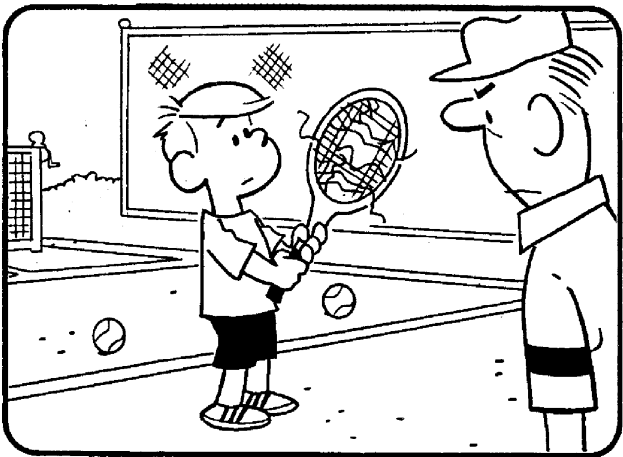
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IT'S DIFFERENT



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. String is missing. 2. Ball is moved. 3. Sleeve is different. 4. Hedge is smaller. 5. Sneakers are different. 6. Socks are missing.

Free golf lessons for kids

By JIM CRANDALL
CONTRIBUTED

After closing down for months because of the pandemic, Grandfathers for Golf (GFG) is starting up its free golf program for children in the Hemet/San Jacinto area at the end of August. The call is out for parents to sign up their kids and for volunteer instructors of any golf ability to join this immensely popular local program.

Sign-ups are now open for the fall/winter session. Classes will start at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 24 at Echo Hills Golf Course, 545 E. Thornton Ave., Hemet, or 3:30 p.m. Thursday Aug. 26 at Hemet Golf Course Driving Range, 7575 World Cup Ave., Hemet. Strict COVID protocols are in place whenever there is a group setting.

Enrollment in GFG is simple. Go to www.grandfathersforgolf.org/signup and follow the simple steps. Sign-ups are also available by calling 909-754-4148. Sign-up and participation are completely free. Every child is supplied with a golf shirt, hat, golf clubs and bag of their very own, as well as eight to 10 lessons per session.

Volunteer instructors are needed

Volunteers commit to as few as two to four hours a week. GFG volunteers come with all types of golf skills. You don't have to be a great golfer; you just need to convey your love of the game to a child.

Anyone interested in becoming a GFG volunteer please call Tony at 909-754-4148.

About Grandfathers for Golf

Grandfathers for Golf, Inc. has been a part of the San Jacinto Valley and surrounding communities for over 25 years. The program now teaches the children of early participants of the program. GFG is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization committed to teaching children how to play golf. In addition to learning the game of golf, children learn valuable life skills such as courtesy, etiquette, sportsmanship, perseverance, self-confidence and patience to name a few.

As the result of the program, a parent recently wrote GFG to thank us because, for the first time, her child requested some "golf equipment" rather than their usual request for a "game card" for their computer.

Peter Kindfield continues forest garden class series at the Idyllwild Community Garden

By IDYLLWILD COMMUNITY GARDEN
CONTRIBUTED

Renown Idyllwild Forest Garden expert Peter Kindfield will teach the second of his three class series this Saturday Aug. 14. New class time to beat the heat will be from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.

Sign up at www.idyllwildgarden.org in the Calendar section for all classes. They are free but donations are most welcome. You'll find more information about all programs on the website and on the Idyllwild Community Garden Facebook page.

The Community Garden and Education Center is located at the corner of Alderwood and North Circle Drive.

By JACK CLARK

PRO GOLF CORRESPONDENT

Brendan Steele posted a plus-3 score after two rounds of modified Stableford play at the Barracuda Championship in Truckee last week to miss the cut by seven points.

The Idyllwild native posted seven birdies against eight bogeys and a double while belting drives averaging 305 yards into more than two-thirds of the fairways. He hit 58% of the greens in regulation and averaged gaining 1.81 strokes per day against the field putting, but it wasn't enough.

Brendan now stands in 92nd place on the FedExCup points list and is ranked 107th on the Official World Golf Rankings.

Brendan will have this week off.

HUSD started back to school this week

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ
EDITOR

The Hemet Unified School District (HUSD) started back to school this week with in-person instruction, requiring everyone to wear a mask indoors, "regardless of vaccination status. Exceptions will be made for those with a qualifying medical condition, though they must wear a non-restrictive effective alternative, following the interactive process through Risk Management."

The district released the guidelines on its website at https://www.hemetusd.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=1695685&type=d&pREC_ID=1856039.

The district is having families pre-screen daily for fever (100.4 degrees or higher), cough and shortness of breath. If a student exhibits any of the above-mentioned symptoms they are to stay home, including if a student has been exposed to anyone who has tested positive for

COVID-19. However, asymptomatic students can continue to attend in-person instruction with a face mask, twice-weekly testing and will be quarantined from extra-curricular activities, of which the state has yet to release guidance. "Hemet USD will continue to partner with the local health department regarding positive case reporting, monitoring and follow-up," the district wrote.

The district is implementing physical distancing as much as possible while students are eating indoors.

The district is not requiring the COVID-19 shot for students, faculty or staff writing, "HUSD will follow the CDC Vaccine Verification Standards which allow for the submission of documentation with privacy protocols in place."

An HUSD school board meeting will be held at Hamilton School from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 17 and a meeting will be held at Idyllwild School from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 14.

Why do vaccinated students need to wear masks?

THE CDPH CONSIDERED THE SOCIO-EMOTIONAL IMPACTS OF CREATING "TWO CLASSES OF PEOPLE" AND UNINTENDED CONSEQUENCES LIKE BULLYING.

IMAGE COURTESY OF HUSD

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Send completed form to Idyllwild Town Crier, P.O. Box 157, Idyllwild, CA 92549.

Checks may be made payable to "Idyllwild Town Crier." | You may contact Becky at 951-659-2145 or membership@towncrier.com.





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, Aug. 11**
- Rotary International of Idyllwild meeting, 7:30 a.m. American Legion Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
 - Jazzercise, 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
 - Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
 - Riverside County Mobile Health Clinic, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
 - Pine Cove Water District board meeting, 10 a.m. PCWD, Meeting held via Zoom. Visit <https://www.pcwd.org/meetings/agenda/> for meeting information.
 - La Leche League, 10 a.m. Call 951-659-8321.
 - Community Church Guild, noon. Idyllwild Community Presbyterian Church, 54400 N. Circle Dr.
 - Alcoholics Anonymous, noon, St. Hugh's Episcopal Church,

- 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
- Al-Anon, 5-6 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.
 - Idyllwild Chapter of Citizens' Climate Lobby, 6 p.m. Zoom link will be sent to those who sign up at <https://citizensclimatelobby.org/>.
 - 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, Aug. 12**
- Jazzercise, 8:30 a.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
 - 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.
 - Idyllwild Community Meditation, 6 p.m. Idyllwild Yoga Studio, 54445 N. Circle Dr. Call Valerie Kyoshin Velez at 951-659-5750 for information.

- Friday, Aug. 13**
- Jazzercise, 7:40 a.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
 - 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, Aug. 14**
- Jazzercise, 8:30 a.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
 - Pine Cove Property Owners Association, 9 a.m. Mountain Resource Center Conference Room, 25380 Franklin Dr.
 - Coed Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp, 26375 Highway 243.
 - American Legion Auxiliary meeting, 10 a.m. Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
 - Alcoholics Anonymous, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
 - Narcotics Anonymous speaker meeting, 4 p.m. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
 - Alcoholics Anonymous 5:30 p.m. Center for Spiritual Living, 54240 Ridgeview Dr.

- Sunday, Aug. 15**
- 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, Aug. 16**
- Jazzercise, 7:40 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
 - 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.
 - Day of Mindfulness, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.
 - AA, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.
 - Grief Support Group, 4-5 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.
 - 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, Aug. 17**
- Idyllwild Garden Club board, 10 a.m. 25025 Fern Valley Rd.
 - 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.
 - 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, 54246 Ridgeview Dr.

- Jazzercise, 5:30 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
- Self-Realization Fellowship Meditation, 6-7 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St. Call 951-659-2523.
- Sons of the American Legion board meeting, 6 p.m. Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
- Hemet Unified School District board meeting, 5:30 p.m. Hamilton School, 57550 Mitchell Rd., Anza.
- Idyllwild Right to Life, 7 p.m. Call 951-659-3174 for location.

- Wednesday, Aug. 18**
- Rotary International of Idyllwild meeting, 7:30 a.m. American Legion Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
 - Jazzercise, 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
 - 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. HVWD 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.

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

NEWS OF RECORD

Idyllwild Fire

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

- Aug. 2 — Public service assist, 8:31 a.m. Dogwood Rd.
- Aug. 2 — Medical aid, 8:49 a.m. Highway 243.
- Aug. 3 — Public service assist, 12:39 a.m. Cougar Rd.
- Aug. 3 — Service call, 11:55 a.m. Pine Dell Rd.
- Aug. 3 — Medical aid, 1:28 p.m. Pine Crest Ave.
- Aug. 3 — Medical aid, 7:19 p.m. Whitmore Rd.
- Aug. 3 — Walk-in medical aid, 10:02 p.m.
- Aug. 4 — Medical aid, 3:57 p.m. Forest Hill Dr.
- Aug. 5 — Walk-in medical aid, 8:20 a.m.
- Aug. 5 — Walk-in medical aid, 12:27 p.m.
- Aug. 7 — Walk-in medical aid, 3:27 p.m.
- Aug. 7 — Good intent call, 8:45 p.m. Scenic Dr.
- Aug. 7 — Good intent call, 9:03 p.m. S. Circle Dr.
- Aug. 7 — Medical aid, 10 p.m. Highway 74.
- Aug. 8 — Medical aid, 3:17

a.m. Highway 74.

- Aug. 8 — No incident found on arrival at dispatch address, 6:10 a.m. Fern Valley Rd.
- Aug. 8 — Good intent call, 10:49 a.m. Ridgeview Dr.
- Aug. 8 — Medical aid, 1:51 p.m. Fern Valley Rd.
- Aug. 8 — Walk-in medical aid, 4:36 p.m.

Sheriff's log

The Riverside County Sheriff's Department Hemet Station responded to the following calls Saturday to Friday, July 31 to Aug. 6.

Idyllwild

- July 31 — Follow-up, 8:41 a.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- July 31 — Alarm call, 10:29 a.m. Rim Rock Rd. Handled by deputy.
- July 31 — Noise complaint, 6:12 p.m. N. Circle Dr. Handled by deputy.
- July 31 — Follow-up, 8:48 p.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- July 31 — Noise complaint, 9:36 p.m. N. Circle Dr. Handled by deputy.
- July 31 — Noise complaint, 10:08 p.m. Meadow Dr. Handled by deputy.

- Aug. 1 — Noise complaint, 12:37 a.m. 25000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 1 — Noise complaint, 2:57 a.m. Azalea Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 1 — Noise complaint, 4:50 a.m. Azalea Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 1 — Public disturbance, 6:34 p.m. Riverside County Playground Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 2 — Public disturbance, 6:58 a.m. 55000 block of S. Circle Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 2 — Assist other department, 6:58 a.m. 26000 block of Saunders Meadow Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 2 — Public disturbance, 9:31 a.m. Village Center Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 2 — Vandalism, 9:45 a.m. 26000 block of Highway 243. Report taken.
- Aug. 2 — 911 hang up from cellphone, 1:04 p.m. Fir St. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 2 — Public disturbance, 3:53 p.m. Pine Dell Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 3 — 911 call, 12:37 a.m. Cougar Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 3 — Suicide threat, 8:25 p.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 3 — Noise complaint, 9:46 p.m. 26000 block of Saunders Meadow Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 3 — 911 call from busi-

- ness, 10:06 p.m. Maranatha Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 3 — Area check, 10:26 p.m. 53000 block of Tollgate Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 4 — Alarm call, 2:01 a.m. Howland Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 4 — 911 hang up from cellphone, 1:09 p.m. Cougar Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 4 — Alarm call, 8:16 p.m. Pioneer Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 4 — Noise complaint, 8:50 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 5 — Alarm call, 8:49 a.m. Hemstreet Pl. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 5 — Check the welfare, 11:14 a.m. 53000 block of Double View Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 5 — Noise complaint, 2:08 p.m. Pioneer Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 5 — 911 hang up from cellphone, 6:43 p.m. Village Center Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 6 — Alarm call, 8:54 a.m. 25000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 6 — 911 call, 11:09 a.m. 25000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 6 — Suspicious vehicle, 3:08 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 6 — Suspicious circumstance, 10:20 p.m. 53000

block of Tollgate Rd. Handled by deputy.

Mountain Center

- Aug. 3 — Vehicle burglary, 8:49 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
 - Aug. 4 — Assist other department, 2:52 p.m. 29000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
 - Aug. 5 — Assault w/deadly weapon, 12:40 p.m. Address undefined. Arrest made.
 - Aug. 5 — Public disturbance, 12:42 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
 - Aug. 5 — Public disturbance, 12:45 p.m. 29000 block of Highway 243. Handled by deputy.
 - Aug. 6 — Grand theft, 11:29 a.m. McCall Park Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Pine Cove**
- July 27 — Alarm call, 1:08 p.m. Hop Patch Spring Rd. Handled by deputy.
 - July 29 — 911 call, 2:42 p.m. Pipe Creek Rd. Handled by deputy.
 - July 31 — Traffic collision - non-injury, 12:10 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
 - Aug. 1 — Harassing phone calls, 4:39 p.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.
 - Aug. 2 — Civil dispute, 8:53 a.m. 25000 block of Foster Lake Rd. Handled by deputy.
 - Aug. 5 — Noise complaint,

10:34 p.m. 25000 block of Foster Lake Rd. Handled by deputy.

Poppet Flats/Twin Pines

- Aug. 3 — Check the welfare, 11:41 a.m. 46000 block of Poppet Flats Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 3 — Suspected dui, 4:11 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 4 — 911 call, 6 p.m. 47000 block of Twin Pines Rd. Handled by deputy.

San Bernardino National Forest

- July 31 — Noise complaint, 2:05 a.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- July 31 — Alarm call, 6:22 p.m. Doe Canyon Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 1 — Shots fired, 8:43 p.m. Big Horn St. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 1 — Suspicious person, 9:05 p.m. Deer Trl. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 2 — Lost property, 4:41 p.m. Bautista Canyon Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 4 — Public disturbance, 6:04 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 4 — 911 call from business, 8:31 p.m. 28000 block of Saunders Meadow Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Aug. 5 — Suspicious vehicle, 6:05 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as HOUSE & HOME at 54710 N. Circle Dr #3, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing Address: PO Box 4305, Idyllwild, CA 92549. BLESS THIS ADDRESS, 54710 N. Circle Dr #3, Idyllwild, CA 92549. The List State of Corporation is CA.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on 02/23/2021.

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).)

Registrant Signature:
LIV ELIZABETH KELLGREN
CEO

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on July 9, 2021.

FILE NO.:
R-202109460

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

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

PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk

Pub. TC: July 22, 29, Aug. 5, 12, 2021.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE, DIAGNOSTICS, AND SERVICES at 26350 Delano Drive #6, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing Address: P. O. Box 1752, Idyllwild, CA 92549. LARRY LAVON DOSWELL, 26350 Delano Drive #6, 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.

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:
LARRY LAVON DOSWELL
Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on July 6, 2021.

FILE NO.:
R-202109246

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PETER ALDANA,
County Clerk

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 James Gates.

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, August 20, 2021 at the District office, 55790 South Circle Drive, Idyllwild, California, via teleconference and electronically.

INTERESTED FERN VALLEY LAND OWNERS SHOULD CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR AN APPLICATION TO BE SUBMITTED WITH THEIR LETTER OF INTEREST AND RESUME TO THE DISTRICT OFFICE NO LATER THAN AUGUST 17, 2021. THE OFFICE IS LOCATED AT 55790 SOUTH CIRCLE DRIVE, IDYLLWILD, CA OR YOU CAN SUBMIT BY MAIL TO PO BOX 3039, IDYLLWILD, CA 92549.

FERN VALLEY WATER DISTRICT
Date: August 2, 2021
By: Jessica Priefer, District Secretary.
55-790 SOUTH CIRCLE
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PHONE (951) 659-2200 FAX (951) 659-0350
Pub. TC: Aug. 5, 12, 19, 2021.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, PALM SPRINGS COURTHOUSE

Estate of
Catherine A. Dearing aka Catherine Ann Dearing, Decedent.
Case No.: PRIN2100289

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, subject to confirmation by this court, on August 20, 2021 at 9:00 a.m., or thereafter within the time allowed by law, Mark J. Bilecky and Lauren M. Bilecky, as administrators with will annexed of the estate of the abovementioned decedent, will sell at private sale to the highest and best net bidder on the terms and conditions stated below all right, title, and interest of the decedent at the time of death and all right, title, and interest that the estate has acquired in addition to that of the decedent at the time of death, the real property located in Riverside County, California.

2. The real property is commonly referred to as 4050 Strawberry Valley Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549, assessor's parcel number 565-171-037, and is more fully described as follows:
Lot 112 of IDYLLWILD MOUNTAIN PARK COMPANY, Subdivision No. 6, as shown by Map on file in Book 10, Pages 81 and 82 of Maps, Records of Riverside County, California. EXCEPTING therefrom the northeasterly 30.00 feet, the Southeasterly line of said Northeasterly 30.00 feet being measured parallel with and at right angles to the Northeasterly line of said Lot 112.

4. The real property will be sold subject to current taxes, covenants, conditions, restrictions, reservations, rights, of way, and easements of record, with any encumbrances of record to be satisfied from the purchase price.

5. The property is to be sold on an "as is" basis, except for title.

6. The administrators with will annexed have given an exclusive listing to Gary Agner of Forest Realty.

7. Bids or offers are invited for the property and must be in writing and can be mailed to the office of Kristine M. Borgia, attorney for the administrators with will annexed, at Law Office of Kristine M. Borgia, 3963 11th Street, Suite 202, Riverside, CA 92501 or delivered to Kristine M. Borgia personally, at any time after first publication of this notice and before any sale is made.

8. Bids must be sealed and will be opened at the office of Kristine M. Borgia at 9:00 a.m. on the date specified above.

9. The property will be sold on the following terms: Cash with 10% of the amount of the bid to accompany the offer by certified check, and the balance to be paid on confirmation of sale by the court.

10. Taxes, rents, operating and maintenance expenses, and premiums on insurance acceptable to the purchaser shall be prorated as of the date of recording of conveyance. Examination of title, recording of conveyance, transfer taxes, and any title insurance policy shall be at the expense of the purchaser or purchasers.

11. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

12. For further information and bid forms,

contact Kristine M. Borgia, Attorney at Law Office of Kristine M. Borgia, 3963 11th Street, Suite 202, Riverside, CA 92501.

Date: July 29, 2021
KRISTINE M. BORGIA,
Attorney for Administrators with Will Annexed.
Pub. TC: Aug. 5, 12, 19, 2021.

NOTICE OF WAREHOUSEMAN'S LIEN SALE

In accordance with the California Commercial Code 7209 and 7210, GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY III HOLDINGS LP will sell the mobile home located at 26350 DELANO DR SPC 84, IDYLLWILD CA by public sale on 08/17/2021 at 10:00 AM. The sale will take place on site. The mobile home is a SKYLINE CAMERON Serial # 0771541098, DECAL # AAL7440. The total amount of the warehouseman's lien through 08/17/2021 is \$5,865.28. This lien is based on a termination of tenancy notice dated 05/03/2021. Legal demand has been made to the registered owners, legal owners and/or lienholders to pay the lien, yet no payment was tendered within the required period. In order for you to be permitted to bid at the sale, you must be in possession of cash or a cashier's check equal to the minimum starting bid of \$5,865.28. Upon purchase, the mobile must be removed from the premises. Please call 909-889-2000 for more details.
Pub. TC: Aug. 5, 12, 2021.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE

Case No. 21STPB02170

Superior Court of the State of California for the County of Riverside.

In the matter of the Estate of Conservatorship of the Estate and Person of WAYNE F. ZIMMERMAN, conservatee.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at private sale, on or after August 27, 2021, at the office of RODNUNSKY & ASSOCIATES, 5959 Topanga Canyon Blvd., Suite 220, Woodland Hills, CA 91367, to the highest and best bidder, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, all right, title and interest of said conservatee, in and to all the certain real property situated in the County of Riverside, State of California, described as follows:
Lot 57 MB 033/094 FOREST LAKE ESTATES TR2 Lot 57 Subdivision Name FOREST LAKES ESTATES TR 2 Lot Type Lot RecMap Type Map Book Map platB 033 Map Plat P 094 APN 560-060-002

Commonly known as: 25180 Franklin Drive, Idyllwild, CA 92549.

Terms of sale are cash in lawful money of the United States on confirmation of sale, or part cash and balance upon such terms and conditions as are agreeable to the personal representative. Ten percent of amount bid to be deposited with bid.

Bids or offers to be in writing and will be received at the aforesaid office at any time after the first publication hereof and before date of sale.

Dated: August 2, 2021

SALMAEIA ZIMMERMAN, Personal Representative of the estate of said conservatee RODNUNSKY & ASSOCIATES
JANIS K KARBELNIG ESQ
5959 TOPANGA CANYON BLVD
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(818) 737-1090
CN979737 ZIMMERMANNM
Pub. TC: Aug. 12, 19, 26, 2021.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given The undersigned will sell at public online auction by competitive bidding on or after 12:00pm August 27th, 2021 for the purpose of satisfying lien for the storage and will be held online at, www.StorageTreasures.com. The property has been stored at San Jacinto Self Storage, 1137 S San Jacinto Ave. in the city of San Jacinto, County of Riverside State of California. 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.

Auctioneer's Site: <https://www.storage treasures.com>
Storage Treasures

All units listed contain miscellaneous household items and furniture. Unit numbers and identity of Occupants renting each space are as follows:

102 - Little Rosie Alexander
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On the Town

Local Dining, Arts & Entertainment

B SECTION

IDYLLWILD, CA

THURS., AUGUST 12, 2021

Fundraiser for ARF brings breweries and wineries to town

By MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ
EDITOR

Idyllwild has an arts and beer festival, Pints in the Pines, coming to town from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 21 at Mile Hi Plaza, 54385 N. Circle Dr., to benefit Animal Rescue Friends (ARF). This is a free, kid- and pet-friendly event.

"All proceeds will be going to ARF, which has suffered significantly the last three years due to lack of opportunity for fundraising," wrote one of the organizers and Wild Idy Owner Amy Hawley.

"As you know, our local businesses have been through the wringer the last several years. Prior to COVID closures, we had the road closures of 2019, which led to ARF's annual Paws for Rhythm and Brews being canceled. Between the Rhythm and Brews being canceled three years in a row and the annual yard sales not generating the traffic they did pre-road closures and COVID, ARF has been running solely based on the generosity of its patrons."

A beer garden will be part of the event. Multiple

breweries and wineries will be participating.

San Diego based graphic designer, illustrator and muralist Nicholas Danger (@nicholasdanger) will live-paint a 1991 Chevrolet Bronco at the event. Large scale muralist Skye Walker (@skyewalker_art), Orange County based illustrator, product designer and muralist Sara Lyons (@saramlyons), tattoo artist and muralist Sergio Hernandez (@splurge), Palm Springs muralist Kellie Pellegrini (@the.curative.creative) and Orange County artist and musician Josh Grelock (@therealjoshr) will also be at the event.

"ARF, Wild Idy and the associated businesses, sponsors and vendors all look forward to this being a growing annual event," Hawley said.

There will be cooling stations for the dogs and art activities for the kids.

A Mural Map, produced by Wild Idy, will be available for locals and visitors after the event to see the many murals around town.

Visit <https://www.wildidy.com/pints-in-the-pines>, for more information.



Pints in the Pines, a fundraiser for Animal Rescue Friends, will be held Saturday, Aug. 21. IMAGE COURTESY OF WILD IDY



The American Legion Post 800 had its annual Sons' Horseshoe Tournament Saturday. The tournament started about 11:30 a.m. with intense competition going until almost 6 p.m. PHOTOS BY MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ



The three placing teams at the American Legion Post 800's annual Sons' Horseshoe Tournament Saturday. From left, **Don Andrewson** (third place), **Jim Nutter** (third place), **Jeremy Bodnar** (second place), **Joe Pierzina** (first place), **Mike Smith** (first place) and **Jaime Williams** (second place). PHOTO BY MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ



PHOTO BY TOM PIERCE



Mountain Communities Fire Safe Council hosted a wildfire education and disaster preparedness event at the Mountain Resource Center Saturday evening. Many came out to obtain information and ask questions regarding fuels reduction, home hardening, Wildland Urban Interface, defensible space zones and proper abatement strategies. PHOTOS BY MELISSA DIAZ HERNANDEZ



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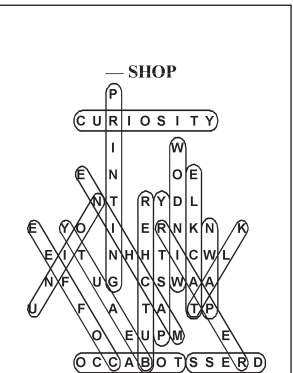
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Answers to Sudoku (Puzzle on next Classified page)

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Answers to Crossword (Puzzle on next Classified page)

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CALENDAR

Event charges may apply.
See ads throughout the issue.
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Thursday, Aug. 12
• Idyllwild Summer Concert Series: Ken's Big Band Staff, 7 p.m. Butterfield Amphitheater, 54201 Ridgeview Dr.

Friday, Aug. 13
• American blues with Preston Smith, 4-7 p.m. Middle Ridge Winery Tasting Gallery, 54301 N. Circle Dr.

Saturday, Aug. 14
• Art in the Park, Highway 243 and Ridgeview Dr.

• James Taylor and Carole King Tribute, 4-7 p.m. Middle Ridge Winery Tasting Gallery, 54301 N. Circle Dr.

Sunday, Aug. 15
• Art in the Park, Highway 243 and Ridgeview Dr.

• Farmers Market, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.

• Nathan James (Roots and blues), 3-6 p.m. Middle Ridge

Winery Tasting Gallery, 54301 N. Circle Dr.

Thursday, Aug. 19
• Idyllwild Summer Concert Series: The Ghost Notes, 6:15 p.m. Butterfield Amphitheater, 54201 Ridgeview Dr.

Friday, Aug. 20
• "Explore," Judged Art Show, 5-7 p.m. Art Alliance of Idyllwild Gallery, 26364 Saunders Meadow Rd.

Sunday, Aug. 22
• Farmers Market, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.

Thursday, Aug. 26
• Idyllwild Summer Concert Series: Blue Breeze Band, 6:15 p.m. Butterfield Amphitheater, 54201 Ridgeview Dr.

Saturday, Aug. 28
• Call of the Wyld Music & Art Festival, noon-7 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.

Sunday, Aug. 29
• Farmers Market, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.

Some safety tips from Cal Fire:

- 1. Don't mow or trim dry grass on windy days.
- 2. Never pull your vehicle over in dry grass.
- 3. Target shoot only in approved areas, use lead ammunition only, and never shoot at metal objects.
- 4. Check and obey burn bans.
- 5. Ensure campfires are allowed, and if so, be sure to extinguish them completely.
- 6. Report any suspicious activities to prevent arson.
- 7. If you see something — say something.

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CREATURE CORNER

By JANICE MURASKO

Last week in "Days of Our Nine Lives," the ARF cats shared their most endearing traits.
Fern: What is it with dogs and kittens?

Stevie: Uh, they are both homeless?

Fern: Ha ha. That's true, but what I mean is I'm trying to figure out why they are adopted so quickly.

Rosemary: Now Fern, many of our adult cats have been adopted, too.

Pepper: But not as quickly as dogs and kittens.

Stevie: In point: We have no kittens and no dogs.

Pepper: Easy come, easy go.

Fern: I thought I'd heard the ARF people talking about some new dogs.

Pepper: Well, it seems some dogs will be with ARF soon, but ARF is waiting a bit to share the news.

Rosemary: Why's that?

Pepper: The dogs must see the veterinarian first, to receive a clean bill of health.

Whiskers: And just as it is with us, they will be adopted with all necessary vaccinations, tests, a microchip and will be spayed or neutered.

Fern: The adoption fees are very reasonable, especially considering the fee includes everything needed.

Pepper: So, when a human adopts a loving four-legged from ARF, he or she is ready to go!

Stevie: For at least a year, if not longer.

Whiskers: During the absence of kittens and dogs, hopefully humans will turn their focus to us.

Fern: Right! Any human coming to the ARF House will see just how lovely we are.

Pepper: They can read lots about us, but meeting in person is an entirely different thing.

Fern: Being the office cat, I will woo anyone who comes to visit. Afterall, I get first shot!

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. ARF is open Saturdays 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Sundays 10 a.m.-2 p.m., and during the week by appointment. Please call 951-659-1122.

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Fern



Lulu



Rosemary



Whiskers



70 years ago - 1951
It was reported that wild turkeys turned loose on the Wellman ranch were doing well and reproducing as hoped.

65 years ago - 1956
The annual Chuckwagon Dinner for the benefit of Town Hall netted almost \$500.

60 years ago - 1961
Construction of a clubhouse at Tahquitz Lake Golf Course was nearly completed.

55 years ago - 1966
Idyllwild resident and actress Marjorie Main, perhaps best known for her

role as Ma Kettle in the series of Ma and Pa Kettle films, was named to head the local Red Cross drive.

50 years ago - 1971
Redistricting resulted in the mountain area being moved from the 5th to the 3rd Supervisory District.

45 years ago - 1976
The Rustic Theatre was showing Robert Redford and Dustin Hoffman in "All the President's Men."

40 years ago - 1981
A desire for controlled growth in Idyllwild was evident when about 80 residents gathered at Town Hall to learn how the Hill would be affected by Riverside County's revised general plan.

35 years ago - 1986
After serving as president of the local chapter of the Izaak Walton League for nearly 30 years, organization founder Ernie Maxwell turned the gavel over to Ray Williams. Meantime, the Ikes were opposing a proposed 50-mile car rally over the Thomas

Mountain-Rouse Ridge range.

30 years ago - 1991
Dwight "Buzz" Holmes of Idyllwild resigned from the governing board of Hemet Unified School District to seek employment as a music teacher at Idyllwild School.

25 years ago - 1996
Reducing class size was on the agenda for Hemet Unified School District, which planned to reduce student population in its first, second and third grade classes.

20 years ago - 2001
Then Idyllwild Fire Protection District Board President Glen McWilliams cast the tie-breaking vote in an IFPD board decision to contract with Riverside County to provide dispatch services for the Idyllwild Fire Department.

15 years ago - 2006
Idyllwild's beloved Tree Monument, carved by Jonathan LaBenne in

1989 from a 400-foot tree donated by Pearson Wood Service, was dismantled because it had become unstable due to climate and woodpecker-inflicted damage. Sections of the monument were later sold to bidders to raise money for a new monument.

10 years ago - 2011
Riverside County representatives came to Idyllwild to discuss the proposed Idyllwild Historic Preservation.

5 years ago - 2016
Idyllwild Massage on North Circle Drive had been the subject of nighttime vandalisms in five separate incidents.

1 year ago - 2020
As hiking some of Southern California's tallest peaks and rugged, beautiful wilderness areas become increasingly more popular and crowded, Forest Service officials reinstated a day-use permit system for entering three wilderness areas on the San Bernardino National Forest.



Darryl Reed's Creedence Clearwater Review performed at the Idyllwild Summer Concert Series Thursday, Aug. 5.
PHOTOS BY JOEL FEINGOLD



The U.S. Marine Corps Band performed Friday, Aug. 6 at the Butterfield Amphitheater for the Idyllwild Summer Concert Series. This week, Ken's Big Band Staff performs.
PHOTOS BY JOEL FEINGOLD

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Church Office 951-659-0097

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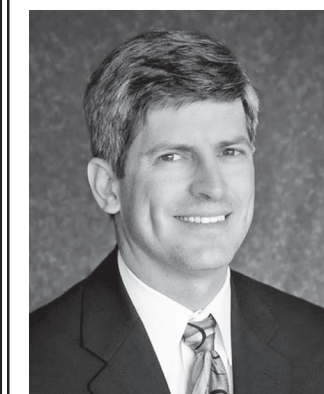
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally

Unlisted clue hint: CUTS HAIR AS A TRADE

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Butcher	Machine	Repair	Union
Coffee	Pastry	Tackle	Window
Curiosity	Pawn	Talk	

CROSSWORD

(Answers on previous classifieds page)

King Crossword

ACROSS

1 Scepter

4 Israeli airline

8 Staffer

12 Brit. record label

13 The Big Easy acronym

14 Not worth debating

15 Picnic crasher

16 Bird with yellow plumage

18 Popular take-out entree

20 Use a shovel

21 Golden Fleece ship

24 Atkinson of "Mr. Bean"

28 Wood pigeon

32 Long tale

33 Mil. morale booster

34 Gladden

36 Decay

37 Lost traction

39 Pink wading bird

41 King of Judea

43 Faux pas

44 Belly

46 Tribal emblem

50 Coastal diving bird

55 Chopper

56 — mater

57 Bassoon's kin

58 Director Burton

59 Longings

60 See to

61 Packed away

DOWN

1 Harvest

2 Hotel chain

3 Bubblehead

4 Fencer's cry

5 Brit's restroom

6 100 percent

7 "Shane" star

8 Juan's pals

9 Charged bit

10 Medico

11 Ordinal suffix

17 Fragrant tree

19 Abrupt turn

22 Michelle Wie's game

23 Cameo shapes

25 Tip off

26 Awestruck

27 Peacekeeping org.

28 Hurry

29 Capri, for one

30 Pinot —

31 And others (Lat.)

35 Sent forth

38 Doctrines

40 Wall St. debut

42 Pair

45 Jog

47 "Toodle-oo!"

48 Way out

49 Viral web phenomenon

50 Low isle

51 Flamenco cheer

52 LBJ's successor

53 Copper head?

54 "Smoking or —?"

HOROSCOPES

August 2021 — Week 2

March 21 – April 19

A troubling situation takes a positive turn and moves toward a resolution that should please you and your supporters. Meanwhile, make time to deal with new domestic issues.

April 20 – May 20

It's a good time to reassess your goals and consider shifting directions. Remember to keep an open mind and be prepared to make changes as new opportunities arise.

May 21 – June 21

Rely on your strong Mercury aspect to help you close that communication gap before it becomes too wide to cross. A sibling or other family member has news.

June 22 – July 22

You're about to get off that emotional roller coaster and start experiencing more stability than you've been used to. This is a good time to let someone new into your life.

July 23 – August 22

Good news: A trusted friend comes through for you. But you still need to shed that last scrap of self-doubt and once more become the cool, confident Cat we all know and love.

August 23 – September 22

Things should be getting back to a less hectic pace. Enjoy the more peaceful atmosphere. You earned it. But don't forget about those still-unresolved issues.

September 23 – October 22

A more positive family relationship develops as misunderstandings are explained away. A job situation appears promising, but check it out before you act on it.

October 23 – November 21

Congratulations. That on-the-job situation is working out as you'd hoped. Now's a good time to relax and to enjoy the company of family and close friends.

November 22 – December 21

You might feel as if you're caught in an emotional tug-of-war. But don't be rushed into a decision on either side. Wait for more facts before you act.

December 22 – January 19

The Goat's usually high level of self-confidence is brimming over these days. This should help you deal with a situation that you've avoided for far too long. Go for it.

January 20 – February 18

Relationships become more intense. But be careful not to be pushed into decisions you're not comfortable with. Remember: You're the one in charge of your life.

February 19 – March 20

You need to show more confidence in your ability to reach your goals. Make that long-delayed decision, and avoid floundering around in a sea of self-doubt.

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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