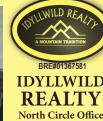
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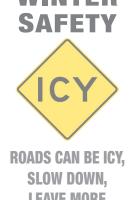
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Board of supervisors begins new year: oaths and officers

By JP Crumrine Correspondent

On Tuesday, Jan. 10, three supervisors and the new county auditor-controller were sworn into office at the beginning of the first Riverside County Board of Supervisors meeting for 2023. Following that, new board officers were elected.

Supervisors Karen Spiegel (2nd District) and V. Manuel Perez (4th District), who were unopposed, and Yxstian Gutierrez (5th District), who defeated former Supervisor Jeff Hewitt, began their four-year terms. Also, Ben Benoit was sworn in as auditor-controller after defeating incumbent Paul Angulo.

Pat Cooper, Perez's deputy chief of staff, administered the oath of office to him. He then thanked his family, parents and others whose support helped him "... to achieve this goal to be standing before you as supervisor." He also thanked his staff, county staff and his campaign staff for their help.

Economic development, public safety, and health and human services are his priorities for this year, he

"One area that I want to concentrate on, and I say this loud and clear to folks back home and to my colleagues because I need their support, to assure to build out affordable housing and to assure we have infrastructure so people here have clean drinking water and access to housing," he concluded. "That is the struggle I face every single day in the east end of the Coachella Valley, Oasis, North Shore, Mecca. The infrastructure needs are huge, they are enormous, but I have the team to make it happen."

Benoit was sworn in by his mother, Sheryl Benoit, while his sister Sarah held the family Bible on which he placed his hand. He is the son of former state senator and former 4th District Supervisor John J. Benoit who

In his comments, Benoit said, "I want to make sure the county can do better — all communities and also the voices not here today."

"I promise the supervisors and [County Executive Officer] Jeff Van Wagenen you will have the tools and trust that you need to know how much money we have, how much money we can spend and [that] it's being

Following the swearing in, Kevin Jeffries, 1st District, was elected chair of the board for 2023 and Supervisor Chuck Washington (3rd District) was elected vice chair.

Given the traditional rotation of board officers, Washington would have been the board chair this year, followed by Jeffries next year. However, in 2023, Washington is serving as president of the State Association of

Counties, so he asked and Jeffries agreed, to swap years. Among their duties as a board member, Perez will serve as chair of the Housing Committee and Washington as chair of the Regional Parks Committee.

Also, both supervisors recommended that the ad hoc committee on short-term rentals (STRs) be continued. Both will serve on it since the county areas with the majority of STRs are in both of their districts — the Wine Country in the 3rd and the Hill in the 4th.

The Hill's two state senators began their terms in December, but have recently received the committee assignments. Sen. Eduardo Garcia (D-36th District) will continue to chair the Utilities and Energy Committee.

Sen. Kelly Seyarto (R-32nd District) will serve on nine Senate committees for the 2023-24 legislative session. He will serve as vice-chair of the Government and Finance and the Natural Resources and Water.

The other committees on which Seyarto will serve include: Appropriations, Budget and Fiscal Review (Budget Subcommittee #5 on Corrections, Public Safety, Judiciary, Labor and Transportation), Energy, Utilities, and Communications, Governmental Organization, Housing, Transportation, and Joint Legislative Audit.



Cal Trans continued to work on Highway 74 at the base of the Hill near Valle Vista during the storm. This picture was taken at about 2 p.m. Sunday. Traffic was allowed to pass Westerly, with a short wait, toward Hemet but the road was blocked at this point in time from Hemet to Idyllwild. PHOTO BY JOEL FEINGOLD

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.

LAO critical of Air Resource's plan; lacks specific implementation actions

By IP Crumrine Correspondent

On Dec. 15, the California Air Resources Board (CARB) approved its proposed 2022 Scoping Plan, which identifies policies and actions needed to cut greenhouse gas emissions in the next 20 years. An 85% reduction is the goal to achieve carbon neutrality in 2045.

Only three weeks later, on Jan. 4, the Legislative Analyst's Office (LAO) found the plan insufficient in its specific recommendations. "The lack of specificity likely will lead to delayed action, as it defaults to state departments to identify necessary implementation steps. This increases the risk that the state will not meet its statutory 2030 GHG goal, much less CARB's more ambitious target."

The CARB press release states, "The plan draws on and continues several successful climate programs currently in effect but also stresses the need to radically accelerate and increase their pace and scale ..." The new 2045 goals are a shift away from fossil fuels.

Their intent is to reduce fossil fuel consumption (liquid petroleum) to less than one-tenth of current use. That is a 94% reduction in demand. Other goals include reductions of 85% below 1990 levels in greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and 71% in smog-forming air pollution.

The CARB models also predict creation of 4 million new jobs and a \$200 billion

savings in health costs if these goals are achieved. "Now begins the hard work of putting the plan into action. The impacts of climate change in California are personal: We have all been affected by wildfires, years of drought, or record-breaking heat waves," said CARB Chair Liane Randolph in the release. "Making this plan work is our once-in-a-generation opportunity to change the California our children inherit for the better. To reach carbon neutrality in less than a quarter of a century will require all levels of government, all stakeholders.

On the way to the 2022 plan's ambitious GHG goal, it also proposes a 48% reduction of GHG below 1990 levels by 2030. This surpasses the minimum statutory emissions reduction goal of 40% below 1990 levels in 2030.

The updated modeling also includes 3 million climate-friendly homes by 2030 (and 7 million by 2035), 6 million heat pumps deployed by 2030, no new fossil gas capacity in the electricity sector, and 20 gigawatts of offshore wind capacity by 2045, See CARB, page A5





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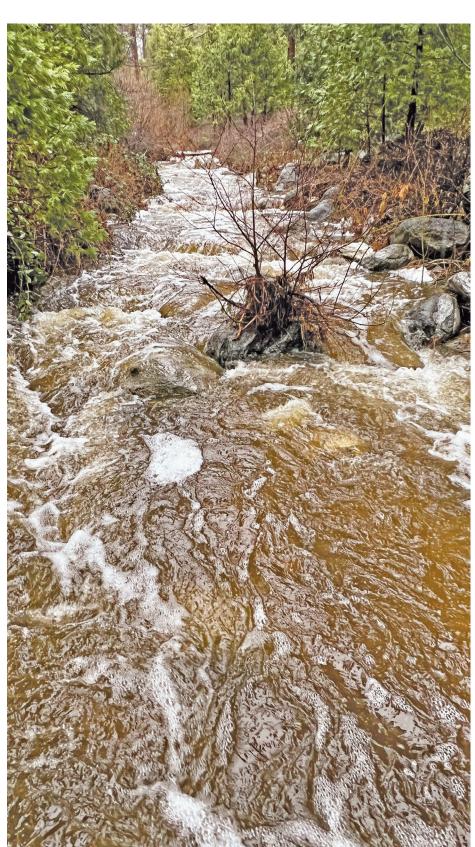






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Strawberry Creek on Sunday was heavily flowing due to the recent

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Below, Foster Lake, an Idyllwild Water District reservoir, has been dry for at least three years due to drought. The recent storms have given it

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COVID strain XBB.1.5 variant

The new COVID XBB.1.5 strain continues to spread rapidly. As previously reported, in December it constituted a growing proportion of COVID cases, rising from about 1.3% of new U.S. COVID cases to nearly 41% by the end of the month — and it continues to grow now, more than halfway through January. The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) continues to investigate the way XBB.1.5 differs from other Omicron strains.

The CDC is now rating Riverside County as a Low community level again. But the CDC continues to recommend that high-risk individuals, i.e., those who are immunocompromised, have underlying health conditions or are age 50 or older wear a high-quality mask or respirator, for example an N95, when in public indoor places. Avoid contact with people who have suspected or confirmed COVID. If you live or have contact with a high-risk person, consider self-testing and wearing a high-quality mask when indoors with them. Keep up to date with COVID vaccines, including the recommended boosters, and improve ventilation as much as possible.

On Tuesday, Jan. 17, the Hemet Unified School District dashboard reported one case of COVID among students and two among staff members at Idyllwild School. Hamilton elementary reported no cases among either students or staff. Hemet High and Hamilton secondary each reported three students and no staff members with COVID.



Idyllwild Historic Preservation District update

The next meeting of the Idyllwild Historic Preservation District board is noon Thursday, Jan. 26, at the Idvllwild Library.

The board, made up of up to five local community members, are appointed through Riverside County. Current members are Chair Terry Shirley, Warren Monroe, Stephanie Yost and David Cutter. The board expects the open fifth seat to be filled soon.

All board meetings are open to the public and the board strongly encourages community members to attend and participate in this important work that impacts PRO GOLF CORRESPONDENT

The Idyllwild Downtown Historic District (IDHD) includes 152 properties, of which 103 have been identified as eligible for designation. Of those 103, 57 have been designated as contributing to the historic significance of the district.

Following a process that dates back to 2008, on July 12, 2011, the Riverside County Board of Supervisors passed the resolution designating the IDHD and established the design guidelines to identify, designate and preserve the unique historic character of Idyllwild's commercial area.

Benefits to being a designated business include property tax incentives to the owners and waivers with the state and county, including certain American Disability Act waivers, to preserve the unique character of this area of the community.

The designated structures are subject to design guidelines, which are intended to provide advice for the preservation and maintenance of local history and culture that make the district significant. The guidelines, which are subject to Riverside Country Ordinance 578 and other applicable county, state and federal regulations, form the basis for the analysis of potential projects and their impact on the district, including providing an established criteria to ensure that the review process for potential projects is fair and consistent.

The current focus of the board, in addition to applying the guidelines as necessary, is to consider ways to increase the awareness of the district to both the community and visitors, thereby increasing the prominence of this important aspect of Idyllwild's history.

Steele T48 in Sony Open; plays this week at La Quinta

By Jack Clark

After tweaking his injured back again in practice, Brendan Steele posted a seven-under-par 66-72-68-67 - 273 to finish tied for 48th place in the Sony Open in Hawaii last week. The native Idyllwilder combined an eagle and 15 birdies against 10 bogeys with no doubles on the way.

Brendan now stands 124th on the PGA Tour's FedExCup Standings and is 123rd in the Official World Golf Ranking.

Brendan will tee off this week in our own backyard in the \$8 million The American Express, played mostly on the treacherously difficult Pete Dye Stadium Course, in La Quinta. When it originally opened in 1987, the Pete Dye Stadium course was deemed the hardest course ever built in the U.S. with a course rating of 77.1. Some adjustments were made after that. Since 1960, the American Express tournament has generated more than \$63 million for nonprofit organizations in the Coachel-

Brendan will tee off Thursday on the La Quinta course at 9:03 a.m. He'll start Friday on the Nicklaus course at 8:30 a.m. On Saturday he'll tee off at 10:20 a.m. on the Pete Dye course. He will be playing with Stewart Cink and amateurs the first three days.

The Sony Open will be telecast on the Golf Channel. You can follow Brendan shot-for-shot with TOURCast on the pgatour.com website or with the PGA Tour cellphone app.

Save a life; give blood Jan. 28

LifeStream will be accepting urgently needed blood donations at the Idyllwild Fire Station from 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 28.

Donors may schedule an appointment by calling or phoning LifeStream at 1-800-TRY-GIVING or visiting LSTREAM.ORG, but walk-in donors also are appreciated. LifeStream asks that you prepare for your donation by eating a hearty meal and drinking plenty of fluids. And remember to bring your photo I.D. with you.

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36/22 **PM Snow Showers** Friday 1/20 41/23

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Sunny

Sunday 1/22 **5** 45/25 Mostly Sunny

Monday 1/23 **30/25 Mostly Sunny**

Tuesday 1/24 43/25 Sunny

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

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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 clear but cold morning in Idyllwild this Tuesday with temperatures in the high-20s.

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New state budget begins with deficit

By JP Crumrine Correspondent

Gov. Gavin Newsom released his proposed fiscal year (FY) 2023-24 budget last week. Total expenditures will be nearly \$297 billion, of which \$223 billion will be for the General Fund accounts. However, anticipated revenues will not meet the budget needs.

The estimated deficit is about \$22.5 billion, slightly lower than the Legislative Analyst's Office had forecast in November 2022. The state's Department of Finance had also expected revenues, especially capital gains, to decline this year.

The economy may be stabilizing based on recent employment and inflation results, but the next several months are still uncertain. Consequently, Newsom's proposed budget does not rely on using any of the state's "rainy day" reserves to achieve balance although they total more than \$35 billion.

"Not \$1 from our 'rainy day' reserves," Newsom stressed at his Jan. 10 news conference. "We're not touching the reserves. We'll be cautious and prepared for the May Revision. I'm presenting the January budget with a fluid mind-set. We'll know more in May, so we're not touching the reserves yet."

The projected deficit is not the result of extravagant spending proposed by either Newsom or the Legislature. In fact, the governor stated that at the end of the last legislative session, he had to veto bills that would have increased the current budget funding by more than \$10

'It was crystal clear where things were going even last year," he said.

Rather, the negative balance reflects the state's reliance on income taxes, and capital gains particularly, for

Early in his presentation, Newsom addressed the two-edge sword of capital gains. The projected capital gains revenue is 5.52%, compared to 9.75% just last year. In the past 20 years, the average has been 5.18%.

emphasized. "It's boom to bust as relative to the revenue portion ... What is consistent is the inconsistency of our revenues on the basis of a progressive tax structure.'

Nevertheless, Newsom accentuated that this budget "protects the most vulnerable Californians."

The Hill's state Sen. Kelly Seyarto (R) said, "This budget proposal will go through months of discussions and revisions until its finalization in June. I will work hard every step of the way to ensure that the priorities of our $32nd\,Senate\,District\,are\,represented.''$

To achieve this balance, a variety of cuts are proposed. Many of these are for one-time projects rather than on-going programs, Newsom stressed.

For example, total state spending for the state's kindergarten through high school students is projected to be \$23,723 per pupil, nearly \$900 or 3% greater than last

Newsom's budget also reflects no cuts in programs addressing the homelessness problems. In fact, it includes \$3 billion for aid to local governments, an increase of \$1 billion. Another \$750 million will fund clean up of encampments, he said.

There also is more funding for programs addressing opioids and fentanyl problems, such as distribution of naloxone and overdose medication for all middle and

high schools.
"I thank Governor Newsom for working to uphold and fortify funding commitments for our state's most urgent priorities and programs in this initial budget proposal," said Assemblymember Eduardo Garcia (D), who represents the 36th Assembly District. "Thanks to our state's responsible financial planning, we are hopeful to be able to safeguard vital funding for k-12 education, universal school meals, special education, after school programs, financial and housing aid for college students, as well as sustaining significant support for our public safety agencies with new investments to address the fentanyl crisis.'

But the \$22.5 billion deficit had to be addressed and Newsom's budget team applied five different actions to

The largest will be delaying funding for some programs. This will be a \$7.4 billion savings. He underscored that these are primarily capital projects and not

Actual reductions to some programs will total about \$5.7 billion. This includes \$3 billion added to the 2022 budget for inflationary adjustments.

Another \$4.3 billion will be accomplished through shifting the funding sources for some activities. For example, several California State University projects can be

 $funded\,from\,bond\,funds\,rather\,than\,the\,General\,Fund.$

Other potential reductions of \$3.9 billion are labeled "trigger reductions" because they may be restored depending on the eventual fiscal climate or availability of federal funding sources. An example would be some of the climate programs, especially for electric vehicles. These items are primarily in the areas of Climate and Transportation (\$3.1 billion), Housing (\$600 million), Parks (\$106 million) and Workforce Training (\$55 mil-

Borrowing could provide another \$1.2 billion.

"We fully support Governor Newsom's leadership and call for increased climate change resources, especially the possibility of a bond," Garcia added in his press release. "I had previously authored legislation proposing a climate change bond that can secure the big investments California needs now more than ever to protect ourselves and our future."

In the news conference, Newsom spoke to the state's commitment to employees. Funding to reduce retirement liabilities is part of the budget. In the past four years, California has added \$9.7 billion to the Public Employee Retirement System and he has included another \$1.9 billion for this year.

"We are here for the long haul, not just the short run," the governor said proudly.

The climate program will feel some reductions and slowing of some programs but the overall inertia will not be impeded. According to the "Budget Summary," the 2021 and 2022 Budget Acts allocated about \$54 billion over five years to advance the state's climate agenda. The 2023-24 budget funding level is about \$48 billion (89%).

This specifically includes funding for zero emission vehicles (ZEV). About \$745 million was cut from the General Fund, but \$535 million will be shifted to the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund. This maintains about \$2.1 billion (91%) for programs that expand affordable and convenient ZEV infrastructure access in low-income neighborhoods.

'As Chair of the Senate Transportation Committee, "This sums up California's tax structure," Newsom I believe clean transportation equity investments are an essential component of California's climate commitment and critical to protecting the health and future of our communities," said state Sen. Lena Gonzalez (D-Long Beach) in a statement on the 2023-24 state budget propos-

> But Sen. Josh Becker (D-San Mateo), the new chair of the Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee's Subcommittee 2 on Resources, Environmental Protection and Energy, whose subcommittee will review this portion of the budget ,reacted with this statement: "We spent the last two years making a historic \$54 billion investment to battle climate change. The proposed cuts and delays are concerning at a time when we should be accelerating our work, not tapping the brake pedal. As the chair of the budget subcommittee that will be reviewing these proposals, I'm committed to looking for ways to keep the climate change agenda moving forward ...

> "We're looking at a budget shortfall of anywhere from \$22.5 to \$24 billion, so on the one hand, maintaining about 90% of the money for environmental and climate change programs is terrific news," continued Becker. "On the other hand, if federal money isn't available to backfill some of those proposed cuts, pulling back on these climate and environmentally-sensitive investments now is going to make progress that much harder."

Also, some programs will now be funded with "Cap

and Trade" revenues rather than from the General Fund. It continues investments in populations facing disproportionate harm from pollution and the climate crisis. Some of these reductions are partially offset by shifts to other fund sources. Also, the state will pursue more federal funding through the Inflation Reduction Act and the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act. Most of the climate reductions are included in the trigger so if there is sufficient revenue in January 2024, these reductions will be restored.

proposed budget maintains over \$200 million for investments to protect the right to safe and accessible reproductive health care, including grants to health care providers to offset the cost of care to uninsured or underinsured individuals, for clinical infrastructure, and to provide scholarships and loan repayments to providers that commit to providing reproductive health care services.

With respect to wildfire and forestry programs, the proposed budget recommends \$2.7 billion to reduce the risk of wildfires and to protect communities if they occur. This is a \$5 million reduction for inspection of defensible space, but the total funding for this program will be \$20 million.

About 5% of the \$800 million for water recycling has been reduced in the budget proposal.

Life Tribute Carolyn Marie Soule Lowman 1946-2023

Carolyn Lowman passed away in Coronado Friday, Jan. 6. Carolyn was born in 1946 and raised in Rhinelander, a northern Wisconsin city in the midst of lakes, rivers and paper mills. Surrounded by loving cousins whose fathers all worked at the paper



mill, she enjoyed an idyllic, outdoor childhood in the great American Midwest.

She was an avid student, winning a city-wide writing contest in sixth grade but also took part in every extra curricular activity including band, synchronized swimming, debate, forestry camping club, Girls Athletic Association, the school newspaper staff, and was co-editor of the yearbook in her senior year. She is remembered for telling her sister that she wanted to be in the parade, not just a bystander.

After college at the University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh, she joined a group of young women who moved west to start careers as school teachers in Las Vegas, Nevada. The Las Vegas Cuties, as they were nicknamed, roomed together and began their adult lives in 1968.

Carolyn was a successful teacher of high school Enlish in the Clark County School District for 15 years. She earned her master's degree from Northern Arizona University and completed 32 additional units of gradu-

She was also an active member of the Las Vegas Ski Club, where she won medals for ski racing and served as the social chair. Always the life of the party, she was a good colleague, a good friend and fun to be around.

In 1976 she met her husband, Bill Lowman, when he was a substitute teacher in the high school where she taught. They married in 1977 and welcomed their son, Nate Lowman, in 1979.

In 1985, they relocated to Idyllwild, when Bill assumed directorship of the Idyllwild School of Music and the Arts. Soon after, the İdyllwild Arts Academy was founded in 1986. Carolyn played key roles as dean of students and founding librarian. She next resumed her teaching career, this time as an instructor of English as a Second Language.

At the Academy, students enrolled from more than 20 countries and were dedicated to learning English at a high level to prepare for American colleges, universities, conservatories and arts schools. She was the beloved instructor of many extraordinarily talented young artists who now have careers in symphonies, dance companies and art galleries throughout the world. She pioneered the use of literature as a method of teaching English during the time that most ESL programs were focused on grammar and verbal drill. When she retired from the Arts Academy, her classroom was renamed the Carolyn Lowman ESL Classroom.

In addition to her teaching, she served as wife of the headmaster; hosting parties, recognizing employees' efforts, and entertaining donors and volunteers. Hers was a busy and productive life both during the school year and in the summer program.

When Bill retired from Idyllwild Arts, they both accepted a two-year assignment running the Salzburg Semester for the University of Redlands. Bill served as director and Carolyn taught a journaling course for the college undergrads.

They both led tours in several European countries. Throughout her life, she engaged in many cultural activities such a book clubs, card clubs and crafting groups. From macrame to needlepoint to beading to knitting to crocheting, Carolyn convened groups of female friends wherever she lived to share creative enterprise.

As the budget process proceeds, Seyarto also outlined In an area that became a national issue in 2022, the his priorities — wildfire prevention, water storage, public safety, education and jobs.

Despite record rainfall, we will never end the drought if we don't address the need for water storage. Water infrastructure investments are long overdue and essential to providing our farmers and citizens with abundant, safe, and clean water." And Seyarto added, "We need to ensure that law enforcement agencies have the resources needed to keep our communities safe as they continue to battle the fentanyl epidemic and the concerning rise of retail theft and violent crimes. Schools and educators have endured the most challenging learning environments in recent history. We need to protect education funding and parents' rights to choose where to enroll their children.'



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Seyarto on budget priorities

DEAR EDITOR:

This week, the governor released his \$297 billion budget proposal. As suspected, the record revenues that contributed to last year's \$97 billion surplus have now subsided, and

we are left with a projected \$22.5 billion deficit, which could increase further, according to the Legislative Analyst Office.

Overspending with little accountability has become

the status quo. It's time to get serious about the real dayto-day issues affecting Californians and their families.

Here are some practical budget priorities that my colleagues and I have proposed to get our state back on track:

• Wildfire prevention: Wildfires have been consuming our state in an ever-growing number and magnitude of incidents. We need to immediately invest in resources for year-round fire mitigation and fuel management projects.



- Public safety: We need to ensure that law enforcement agencies have the resources needed to keep our communities safe as they continue to battle the fentanyl epidemic and the concerning rise of retail theft and violent crimes.
- Education: Schools and educators have endured the most challenging learning environments in recent history. We need to protect education funding and parents' rights to choose where to enroll their children.
- Jobs and economy: We need to pay down our \$18 billion unemployment insurance debt instead of placing that burden on small businesses, which will bear the costs of repayment through higher taxes.

Californians deserve real results from their tax dol-

This budget proposal will go through months of discussions and revisions until its finalization in June. I will work hard every step of the way to ensure that the priorities of our 32nd Senate District are represented.

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By Jack Clark Co-publisher

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Another point

Editor's note: Jeff Clark is the son of Town Crier Co-publisher Jack Clark.

While I agree with previous letters that STRs (shortterm rentals) can be a heightened source of fire risk due to less than experienced operators of grills, wood stoves, fire places, space heaters, toasters and even candles, I suggest that fear of STR fires due to electric vehicle (EV) charging is being unfairly magnified.

According to the NTSB (National Transportation

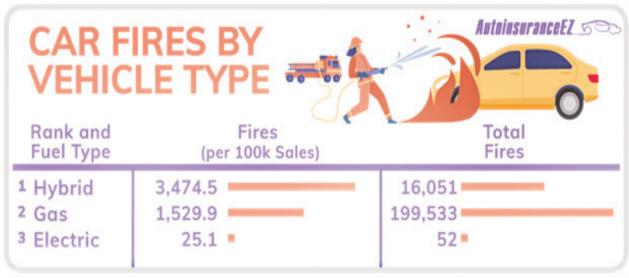
Safety Board) data, internal combustion engine (ICE) cars catch fire at a rate 61 times that of EVs. See this article by AutoinsuranceEZ.com, which compiled and analyzed the data. (https://www.autoinsuranceez.com/ gas-vs-electric-car-fires/)

Despite the fact that EVs are just slightly over 10-year-old technology, they cause 61 times fewer fires per 100k than the accepted status quo of ICE vehicles, which is 130-year-old technology. Given this rate difference, EVs are far less fire prone than ICE vehicles. Side note, it's interesting that hybrids are the most fire prone. an under gauge extension cord, an EV won't begin or The article surmises that's likely because they have both ICE and EV systems on board.

Another reader mentioned issues with EV recalls due to batteries catching fire. Not an inaccurate state-

Fire Risk Recalls for Gas vs. Electric Vehicles

Number Recalled (2020)	Fuel Type	Number of Models Affected	Make/Model(s)	Cause of Fire
2,800	Gas	2	McLaren Senna & 720S	Fuel Leak
4,500	Hybrid	7	BMW 530e, xDrive30e, Mini Cooper Countryman All4 SE, i8, 330e, 745Le xDrive, & X5 xDrive45e	Battery
27,600	Hybrid	1	Chrysler Pacifica	Battery
70,000	EV	1	Chevrolet Bolt EV	Battery
82,000	EV	1	Hyundai Kona	Battery
95,000	Gas	2	Hyundai Genesis & Genesis G80	Anti-Lock Braking System
250,000	Gas	1	Honda Odyssey	Electrical Short
308,000	Gas	2	Kia Cadenza & Sportage	Electrical Short
430,000	Gas	1	Hyundai Elantra	Electrical Short



ment, but without statistical context, a bit inflammatory. The chart below from the same article above, shows that far fewer EVs are recalled due to fire risk than ICE vehicles. The data has been gathered from Recall.gov. Is it zero, no, but far fewer than the 130-year-old status quo and accepted technology. Not to mention, companies proactively issuing recalls is actually a preventative maintenance issue, and a good thing.

Another reader wrote concerned about the "extension cord" being draped out of an STR to plug in an EV. Fortunately, people smarter than all of us designed these charging cords, called Electric Vehicle Charging Equipment (EVSE) with a computerized brain, constantly monitoring the power available for acceptable amperage and wattage available from the circuit they are plugged into and adjusting the rate of charge based on what power is available safely. If it detects a fault, it either doesn't start charging, or shuts off the charging.

This means that even with older home circuitry or continue charging if plugged into an source that can't sustain it. I do sometimes run a 50-foot extension cord from the driveway up to the house to plug in my EV

overnight when visiting my relatives on the Hill, but this EVSE wouldn't allow me to charge if sufficient source power wasn't available.

Space heaters, toasters, hair dryers and other heat-based home appliances don't have these safeties in place and are plugged into the same circuitry. Are they perfect? Of course not, but as the data shows, EVs are far less fire risky than ICE vehicles, and have more safeties in place than other high-amperage home appliances.

Finally, let's consider other fire hazards that ICE vehicles exhibit versus EVs that have nothing to do with STRs. ICE vehicles have extremely hot exhaust systems and brakes - especially under heavier than average load on



windy mountain roads — than EVs. Failing catalytic converters can spew a series of burning hot BB- sized embers along miles of road, tempting fate with any dry brush alongside. EVs don't have exhaust systems and rarely use their physical brakes, instead using their electric motors to create drag and recharge their batteries using regenerative breaking much like an alternator. I always get to the bottom of the Hill with 15-plus extra miles in my EV range than when I started at the top.

According to a few recent articles, catalytic converters can be a significant source of wildfires when throwing hot sparks through the exhaust system. See below, they are worth a read.

- https://www.cbs8.com/article/news/how-a-cars-catalytic-converter-can-spark-a-massive-fire/509-dbf4ca3b-3be7-45d5-925a-32bf2f3585b7
- www.tceq.texas.gov/airquality/mobilesource/vetech/catfire.html

I understand that new is sometimes scary because it isn't yet fully understood by some. Many of the same issues were brought up in the early 1900s when ICE vehicles also were new. Hopefully, these sources of information have helped to bridge that gap.

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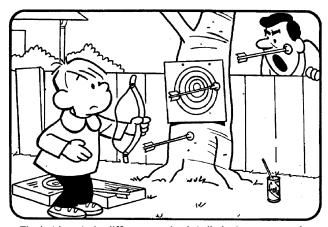
Human trafficking subject in Beaumont

Parents, educators and the community all are invited to meet Opal Singleton, the training and outreach coordinator for the Riverside Human Trafficking Task Force. She has worked with parents and victims of child sex trafficking for many years and is the president and CEO of Million

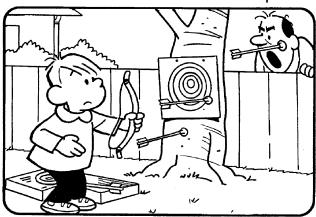
Singleton has trained thousands of government agency personnel, school administrators, corporations, civic groups and faith-based organizations about how to keep a child safe from sex trafficking. Her presentations are based on real cases of young people who were groomed and recruited into a life of exploitation. This will be an eye-opening presentation designed to inform and prepare the community for the signs of human trafficking. Attendees will be equipped to combat this humanitarian crisis through knowledge, prevention, and tools to support and protect their families.

The event is from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 23, at Beaumont High School (in the theater), 39139 Cherry Valley Boulevard in Beaumont.

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CARB

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according to CARB.

Recommendations in this plan reflect recent legislation, Gov. Gavin Newsom's policies as well as proposals from earlier plans. The three previous Scoping Plans focused on specific GHG reduction targets for industrial, energy and transportation sectors — first to meet 1990 levels by 2020, then to meet the more aggressive target of 40% below 1990 levels by 2030.

CARB emphasizes that the major element of this new plan is the aggressive reduction of fossil fuels wherever they are currently used in California. It builds on and accelerates carbon reduction programs that have been in

The path assumes near zero-emissions from the transportation sector, thus compelling an expanding reliance on electric cars, buses, trains and trucks. These vehicles are California's single largest source of pollution.

It also means phasing out fossil gas used for heating homes and buildings. It means clamping down on chemicals and refrigerants that are thousands of times more powerful at trapping heat than carbon dioxide, according to the plan. In conjunction for less dependence on gasoline cars, more options for walking, biking and public transit will be needed in local neigh-

bine capacity, will be needed. Other new options such as renewable hydrogen for hard-to-electrify end uses and biomethane will need to become com-

Despite these world-leading efforts, some residual emissions will remain from hard-to-abate industries such as cement, internal combustion vehicles still on the road and other sources of GHGs, including high global warming chemicals used as refrigerants, CARB noted.

Regardless of the need for these energy saving steps, LAO is suspicious of the cumulative success because CARB's plan does not identify which specif-

ic policies it will implement.

"For example, the plan is unclear regarding how much the state will rely on financial incentives, sector-specific regulatory programs or cap-andtrade. Rather, the plan's estimated reductions are driven primarily by assumptions CARB developed by CARB, without specifying how those assumed outcomes might be achieved," the LAO report stated. "The lack of focus on policy options is a missed opportunity that has important ramifications for California's overall GHG reduction efforts.

Delayed actions are more likely in such an ambiguous situation. Multiple state agencies must identify for themselves what are the necessary implementation steps that they will pursue. Consequently, the LAO sees a risk that the state will not meet the CARB's ambitious target. Uncoordinated policy changes in a relatively short period of time could be costlier and even disruptive for private businesses and households.

In its conclusion, the LAO recommended that the Legislature seek more information from the administration about the policies it plans to implement to achieve GHG targets, including potential changes to the cap and trade program that make it more consistent with the state's 2030 goals.

Specifically, the LAO recommended that CARB submit a report that clarifies its plan for reducing GHG emissions to meet 2030 goals. This should go to the Legislature by July 31, 2023.

"As part of this report, CARB should identify new or expanded policies More non-fossil fuel energy sources, such as solar arrays and wind tur- that would be used to meet both the statutory goal and the Scoping Plan goal, including the role that it expects cap and trade to play. The report should also include additional details about the estimated emission reductions, air pollution reductions, distributional impacts, and cost effectiveness of each of those policies," the LAO concluded. "We recognize that specifying the details of every policy and conducting a thorough analysis of each policy might not be feasible by July 2023. However, given the available resources at CARB, we think providing a significant amount of additional detail and analysis is both reasonable to expect and valuable for legislative decision making.'

• AA, noon. St. Hugh's Epis-

• Idyllwild Fire Protection

District board meeting, 3 p.m. Idyllwild Fire Station, 54160

tion Group, 5-5:30 p.m. Spirit

Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oak-

Wednesday, Jan. 25

Idyllwild meeting, 7:30 a.m.

American Legion Post 800,

• Fit After 50, noon-1 p.m.

54360 Marian View Dr.

• AA, noon. Zoom.

Rotary International of

wood St. Call 951-659-2523.

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Editor's note: Organizations, please read your listings carefully and email becky@towncrier.com with any changes.

Wednesday, Jan. 18

- Rotary International of Idyllwild meeting, 7:30 a.m. American Legion Post 800, 54360 Marian View Dr.
- Garner Valley Book Club, 10:30 a.m. Call 951-659-6049 for location.
- Grief Support Group, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood
- AA, noon. Zoom.
- Fit After 50, noon-1 p.m.

Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.

- Village Center Dr.
- High Valleys Water District board meeting, 3 p.m. HVWD office, 47781 Twin Pines Rd., Twin Pines.
- Idyllwild Water District board meeting, 6 p.m. IWD board room, 25945 Highway

Thursday, Jan. 19

- Fit After 50, 10-11 a.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.
- AA, noon. St. Hugh's Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr. Noon-1 p.m. Zoom.
- Al-Anon, 6-7 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar Street.
- AA "We Don't Know" Agnostic & Atheist, 6-7 p.m. Courtyard building, 54250 Ridgeview Dr.
- Idyllwild Community Zen, 6 p.m. Text/call Valerie Velez at 951-392-6507 for information.

Friday, Jan. 20

- p.m. Idyllwild Library, 54401 board meeting, 9 a.m. FVWD AA, 5:30-6:30 p.m. Parking copal Church, 25525 Tahquitz board room, 55790 South Cirlot next to the Butterfield Am-Dr; noon-1 p.m. Zoom. cle Dr.
 - AA, noon-1 p.m., Zoom.
 - Mountain Area Genealogy, 1-2:30 p.m. Call 659-2300 for Zoom info.
 - Women's Writing Group with fellow writers, 2-4 p.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat. Call 951-659-2523 for Zoom info.

Saturday, Jan. 21

- 28100 Saunders Meadow Rd.
- Healing Rooms, 10 a.m.-2
- Episcopal Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr. Noon-1 p.m. Zoom. • Dog Park Saturdays, 3-4 p.m. Rick Barker Dog Park, 26375 Hwy. 243.
- · Antifreeze, batteries, oil and paint center, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Idyllwild Transfer Station,
- p.m. Shiloh Christian Ministries, 54295 Village Center Dr. • AA, noon-1 p.m. St. Hugh's
- Narcotics Anonymous, 4-5

p.m. St. Hugh's Episcopal tain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St. • Idyllwild Elders, noon-1:30 • Fern Valley Water District Church, 25525 Tahquitz Dr.

phitheatre (bring chair).

Sunday, Jan. 22

- Peace Meditation Practice, 10 a.m. Tibetan Buddhist Dharma Center, 53191 Moun-
- tain View, Pine Cove. • AA, noon-1 p.m., Zoom. • AA, Living sober group,
- noon, Idyllwild Water District. • AA, 5:30-6:30 p.m., all 12 Steps, Spirit Mountain Retreat, 25661 Oakwood St.

Monday, Jan. 23

• AA, noon. Zoom. • Fit After 50, noon-1 p.m. Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.

Tuesday, Jan. 24

- Fit After 50, 10-11 a.m. Town
- Hall, 25925 Cedar St. • Meditation in Motion (based on

Community service hours

Town Hall, 25925 Cedar St.

• California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (bark beetle issues), 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Mon.-Fri. Mountain Resource Center, 25380 Frank-Tai Chi), 10-11 a.m. Spirit Moun-

- lin Dr., 659-3335.
- Idyllwild Area Historical Museum, 54470 N. Circle Dr., 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Fri., Sat. & Sun. (Mon. holidays.) Group tours by appt. 659-2717.
- Idyllwild Help Center, 26330 Hwy. 243, 10 a.m.-noon & 1-4 p.m. Tues.-Fri. 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. & Fri.; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sat., 659-2300.
- Idyllwild Nature Center, 25225 Hwy. 243, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Wed.-Sun. 659-3850.
- Idyllwild Ranger Station, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Fri.-Mon., 8 a.m.noon Tues.
- · Idyllwild Transfer Station, 28100 Saunders Meadow Rd., 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Thurs.-Mon. (Closed New Year's Day, Easter, Fourth of July, Thanksgiving and Christmas Day); Grinding Facility, 8 a.m.-noon & 1-4 p.m. Mon., Wed. & Fri.

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NEWS OF RECORD

Idyllwild Fire

The Idyllwild Fire Protection District responded to these calls from Sunday to Saturday, Jan. 8 to 14.

- · Jan. 8 Carbon monoxide incident. Idyllmont Rd.
- Jan. 9 EMS, transport. Dickinson Rd.
- Jan. 9 Walk-in EMS, treat
- & release. Jan 9 — Assist EMS crew.
- Marion Ridge Dr. Jan. 10 — EMS, transport.
- Pine Crest Ave.
- Jan. 10 Walk-in EMS, treat
- Jan. 11 Carbon monoxide incident. Saunders Meadow
- Jan. 11 Chimney or flue fire, confined to chimney or
- flue. Linger Ln. · Jan. 11 — Walk-in EMS call,
- basic life support. • Jan. 11 - EMS call, BLS. Strong Dr.
- Jan. 11 EMS, transport.
- Scenice Dr. Jan. 11 — Walk-in EMS, treat
- Jan. 11 False alarm or false call. Tanglewood Ln.

& release.

- Jan. 12 Walk-in EMS call,
- Jan. 12 EMS, treat & re-
- lease. Pine Crest Ave. Jan. 13 — Gas leak. Hopkins

Riverside County Fire/Cal Fire log

The Riverside County Fire Department/Cal Fire responded to these recent dispatches from Sunday to Saturday, Jan. 8 to 14.

Pine Cove

- Jan. 8 Abdominal pain, 11:19 p.m.
- Jan. 9 Back pain, 3:41

- · Jan. 11 Residential structure with entrapment, 7:17 p.m.
- Jan. 14 Fire, false alarm, 10:43 a.m.
- Jan. 14 Fall, 10:28 p.m.

Garner Valley

- Jan. 8 Outside fire, 5:08
- Jan. 9 Stroke, 5:34 a.m.
- Jan. 9 Chest pain, 3:42
- Jan. 10 Breathing problems. 9:13 a.m.
- Jan. 10 Chest pain, 3:42
- Jan. 11 Residential struc-
- ture with entrapment 7:17 p.m. Jan. 13 — Chest pain, 6:11
- Jan. 14 Traffic crash, 4:02
- Jan. 15 Over the side traffic crash, 3:51 p.m.

Pinyon

- Jan. 8 Sick person, 3:48
- Jan. 12 Sick person, 12:47 p.m.
- Jan. 13 Hemorrhage, 9:58
- Jan. 13 Fire, false alarm, 11:15 a.m.
- Jan. 13 —Over the side traffic crash, 12:27 p.m.
- Jan. 15 Abdominal pain, 3:47 p.m.
- Jan. 15 Abdominal pain,

Sheriff's log

The Riverside County Sheriff's Department Hemet Station responded to the following calls Monday to Sunday, Jan. 9 to Jan. 15.

Idvllwild

Jan. 9 — Assist other department, 7:10 a.m. 25000 block of Rim Rock Rd. Handled by

deputy.

- Jan. 9 Alarm call, 10:24 p.m. 54000 block of Ridgeview Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 10 Alarm call, 5:59 a.m. 54000 block of Marian View Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 10 Area check, 10:33 a.m. 54000 block of S. Circle Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 10 Trespassing, 10:34 a.m. 53000 block of Hillsdale St. Report taken.
- Jan. 10 Public disturbance, 11:23 a.m. 26000 block of Hwy.
- 243. Handled by deputy. Jan. 10 - 911 call, 12:34 p.m. 54000 block of Linger Ln. Han-
- dled by deputy. • Jan. 10 — Alarm call, 2:22
- p.m. 54000 block of Marian View Dr. Handled by deputy. Jan. 10 - Noise complaint, 8:36 p.m. 54000 block of Pine
- Crest Ave. Handled by deputy. Jan. 10 — 911 call, 8:58 p.m. 24000 block of Fern Valley Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 11 Noise complaint, 10:01 a.m. 26000 block of Crestview Dr. Handled by dep-
- Jan. 11 Vandalism, 1:44 p.m. 25000 block of Scenic Dr. Unfounded.
- Jan. 11 Missing person, 4:24 p.m. 53000 block of Pine Crest Ave. Report taken.
- Jan. 11 Follow-up, 8:53 p.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 11 Noise complaint, 11:13 p.m. 54000 block of N. Ridge Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 12 Follow-up, 11:26 a.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy. Jan. 12 — Check the welfare,
- 1:06 p.m. 53000 block of Pine Crest Ave. Handled by deputy. Jan. 12 — Suspicious circum-
- stance, 7:23 p.m. 55000 block of John Muir Rd. Report taken. Jan. 13 — Alarm call, 11:56
- a.m. 54000 block of Mactecklewood Ln. Handled by deputy. • Jan. 13 — 911 call from business, 9:57 p.m. 26000 block of

Fairway Dr. Handled by deputy.

• Jan. 14 — Public disturbance, 8:59 a.m. 26000 block of Crestview Dr. Handled by deputy.

Jan. 14 — Check the welfare, 8:30 p.m. 53000 block of Meadow Dr. Handled by deputy.

- Jan. 15 911 call, 1:16 a.m. 54000 block of Linger Ln. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 15 Check 63 the welfare, 10:21 a.m. 53000 block of Pine Crest Ave. Arrest made.
- Jan. 15 911 call from business, 2:10 p.m. 54000 Maranatha Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 15 911 call, 4:10 p.m. 54000 block of Marian View Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 15 Shots fired, 7:50 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 15 911 call, 8:05 p.m. 54000 block of Marian View Dr. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 16 Suspicious circumstance, 12:59 a.m. 53000 block of Double View Dr. Handled by deputy.

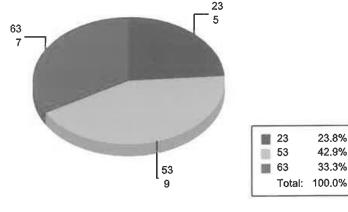
Mountain Center

 Jan. 14 — Suspicious circumstance, 5:34 p.m. 53000 block of E. Hwy. 74. Handled by dep-

Pine Cove

- Jan. 9 Suspicious vehicle, 8:27 p.m. 23000 block of Hwy. 243. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 10 911 call, 5:34 p.m. 24000 block of Pine Cove Rd. Handled by deputy. Jan. 10 — 911 call, 5:34 p.m.
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- a.m. 23000 block of Oak Leaf Ln. Handled by deputy. Jan. 12 — Assist other depart-

Incident Report by Station 1/8/2023 to 1/15/2023



	Other Fires	Medical	Others	Total
23	1	3	1	5
53	0	5	4	9
63	1	5	1	7
Total	2	13	6	21

ment, 5:17 p.m. 24000 block of • Jan. 12 — Check the welfare, Marion Ridge Dr. Handled by deputy.

- Jan. 14 Suspicious circumstance, 3:44 p.m. 24000 block of Marion Ridge Dr. Handled by deputy
- Jan. 15 Vandalism, 4:18 a.m. 52000 block of Pine Cove Rd. Report taken.

Pine Meadows

- Jan. 5 Alarm call, 1:04 p.m. 59000 block of Hop Patch Spring Rd. Handled by deputy. • Jan. 10 — Alarm call, 11:10
- a.m. 59000 block of Devils Ladder Rd. Handled by deputy. Jan. 13 - Alarm call, 4:04
- p.m. 36000 block of Butterfly Peak Rd. Handled by deputy.

Poppet Flats

• Jan. 12 — 911 hangup from cellphone, 9:11 a.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.

- 11:41 a.m. 19000 block of Cryer Dr. Report taken.
- Jan. 14 Alarm call, 9:30 p.m. 46000 block of Poppet Flats Rd. Handled by deputy.
- Jan. 15 Trespassing, 2:43 a.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.

San Bernardino National Forest

 Jan. 9 — Assist other department, 7:14 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy.

- Jan. 10 Suspect info, 12:01 p.m. Address withheld. Handled by deputy. Jan. 10 — Check the welfare,
- 2:29 p.m. Address undefined. Handled by deputy. Jan. 10 — Public disturbance,
- 9:50 p.m. 43000 block of Red Hill Rd. Handled by deputy. • Jan. 12 - 911 call, 9:12 a.m. 49000 block of E. Hwy. 74.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as ROD CLEA SERVICE at 54870 Pine Crest Av., Unit A, Idyllwild, CA 92549, Riverside County. Mailing address: P. O. Box 3255, Unit A, Idyllwild, CA 92549. IRIS NOHEMI CRUZ DE RODR, 54870 Pine Crest

Av., Unit A, Idvllwild, CA, 92549 This business is conducted by an In-

The registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name listed above. I declare that all information in this state ment 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

Registrant Signature IRIS NOHEMI CRUZ DE RODR Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on December 12, 2022. FILE NO.:

not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)

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PETER ALDANA Pub. TC: Dec. 29, 2022; Jan. 5, 12, 19, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as VACATION RENTAL ADS; TEMECULA STAYS; TEME CULA WINE COUNTRY STAYS; TEMEC-ULA WINE STAYS at 35627 Athena Court Winchester, CA 92596, Riverside County. PAY LESS VACATION RENTALS INC. at 3018 S 87th St, Omaha, NE 68124. The List State of

Corporation is CA.

This business is conducted by a Cor-

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).) ROY W. HOLEYFIELD IR

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on October 31, 2022. FILE NO .:

R-202214187 NOTICE - IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT GEN ERALLY 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 SEC-TION OF 17913 OTHER THAN A CHANGE IN THE RESIDENCE ADDRESS OF A REG ISTERED OWNER A NEW FICTITIOUS

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PETER ALDANA County Clerk Pub. TC: Nov. 10, 17, 24, Dec. 1, 29, 2022;

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as REMIT LUX at 2396 Palisades Dr Apt 301, Corona, 92882. CA 92549, Riverside County. AHMED ABDELWAHAB SHAALAN 2396 Palisades Dr, Apt. 301, Corona, CA 92882

This business is conducted by an In-

The registrant has not yet begun to transact

business under the fictitious name listed above. I declare that all information in this state ment 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
AHMED ABDELWAHAB SHAALAN

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on December 09, 2022 FILE NO.: R-202215876

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PETER ALDANA,

County Clerk Pub. TC: Jan. 5, 12, 19, 26, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME The following person (persons) is (are) do-ng business as AS/IS, CONSTELLATION AR-CADIA, CABLE AXIS, 54585 N. Circle Drive, STEC, Idyllwild, . CA 92549, Riverside County Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1195, Idyllwild, CA 92549.ASTRID REBECCA OUAY, 26505

Crestview Dr, Iyllwild, CA 92549... This business is conducted by an In-

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Registrant Signatur ASTRID QUAY Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on December 08, 2022.

FILE NO.:

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Pub. TC: Jan. 12, 19, 26, Feb. 2, 9, 2023

PETER ALDANA,

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NOTICE OF SALE OF AUTOMOBILE 3071 of the Civil Code of the State of California the undersigned will sell the following vehicle(s) at lien sale at said address below on:01/27/2023 09:00 AM Year of Car / Make of Car / Vehicle ID No. / License No (State) 22 HONDA19XFLH89NE000214

8YWL100 CA To be sold by THE BUMPER CLINIC 74869 JONI DR STE C, PALM DESERT, CA 92260. Said sale is for the purpose of satisfying lien for together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

Pub. TC: January 12, 2023

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE Notice is hereby given The undersigned will sell at public online auction by competitive bidding on or after 12:00pm February 1st, 2023 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. of the Business and Professions Code

of the State of California. Auctioneer's Site: https://www.storagetrea-

Storage Treasures All units listed contain miscellaneous household items and furniture. Unit num-

bers and identity of Occupants renting each space are as follows:

109 – Marco Antonio Vargas 313 – Virginia Beth Stern

Pub. TC: Jan. 12, 19, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT The following person (persons) is (are) bying business as LUCKY FOX LOCK-SMITH,44750 Adams St apt 1821 La Ouinta CA 92253, Riverside County. Mailing Address: P.O. Box 73, Idyllwild, CA 92549. WADE WILFRED DAVIS, 47750 Adams St Apt 1821, La Quinta, CA 92253.

This business is conducted by an In-

The registrant has not yet begun to transact

isiness 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 matte 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: WADE WILFRED DAVIS

Statement filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on January 05, 2023 FILE NO.: NOTICE — IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT GEN-ERALLY EXPIRES AT THE END OF FIVE

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Pub. TC: Jan. 12, 19, 26, Feb. 2, 2023

PETER ALDANA.

County Clerk

NOTICE OF SALE OF AUTOMOBILE tions 3071 of the Civil Code of the State

the following vehicle(s) at lien sale at said address below on:01/27/2023 09:00 AM Year of Car / Make of Car / Vehicle ID No. / License No. (State) 19 DODGE 1GC1K-WE87FF51479 8PYF296 CA To be sold by INDIO AUTOMOTIVE 83368 HIGHWAY 111 #3 INDIO, CA 92201. Said sale is for the purpose of satisfying lien for together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

Pub. TC: January 19, 2023

NOTICE OF SALE OF AUTOMOBILE Notice is hereby given pursuant to Sections 3071 of the Civil Code of the State of California the undersigned will sell the following vehicle(s) at lien sale at said address below on:01/27/2023 09:00 AM Year of Car Make of Car / Vehicle ID No. / License No. (\$tata) 20 NISS 3NI ARRRVRI V207626 8RJA490 CA To be sold by AUTO COLLI-SION INSTITUTE & GLASS 83816 AVE 45 INDIO,CA 92201. Said sale is for the purpose of satisfying lien for together with costs of advertisingand expenses of sale. Pub. TC: Jan. 19, 2023

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Notice is hereby given pursuant to Sections 3071 of the Civil Code of the State of California the undersigned will sell the following vehicle(s) at lien sale at said address below on: 04/22/2022 09:00 AM Year of Car / Make of Car / Vehicle ID No. / License No. (State) 03 FORD 1FTS-W20R08ED1478130044WICALOCATION OF SALE- LOCATION OF SALE-74990 IONI DR PALM DESERT CA 92660 To be sold by 760 TOWING 74990 JONI DR PALM DESERT CA 92660 Said sale is for the purpose of satisfying lien for together with of advertising and expenses of sale.

Pub. TC: Jan. 19, 2023 CVSW 2300109 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 30755-D Auld Road, Murrieta, CA 92563, Branch name Southwest Justice Center. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner: SANDY NICOLE SHELL

filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

a. Present name: SANDY NICOLE SHELL changed to Proposed name: SANDI NICOL BERGERON. 2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at temecula lien services 1.19.2023 copy.indd least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no

NOTICE OF HEARING . Date: 03/02/2023 Time: 8 am, Dept S101.

written objection is timely filed, the court may

grant the petition without a hearing.

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

3. a. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Riverside, Idyllwild Town Crier. Date: 01/12/2023 IAMES F. HODGKINS

UDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT Pub. TC: Jan. 19, 26, Feb. 2, 9, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT The following person (persons) is (are)

doing business as HANAKIX ESSENTIALS at 12495 Limonite Ave #1092, Eastvale, CA 92860, Riverside County. KIATON NAOLHU

LY. 12495 Limonite Ave #1092, Eastvale, CA 92860.PAHUA-YANG-LY, 12495 Limonite Ave #1092, Eastvale, CA 92860.

This business is conducted by a General

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name listed above on 12/22/2022. 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

Partnership.

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 COLIN MARK DAY Statement filed with the County Clerk of

Riverside County on December 22, 2022.

EILE NO R-202216418 NOTICE - IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT GEN-ERALLY EXPIRES AT THE END OF FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE ON WHICH IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTYCLERK, 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 SEC-IN THE RESIDENCE ADDRESS OF A REG-ISTERED OWNER. A NEW FICTITIOUS

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rect copy of the original statement on file in my office. PETER ALDANA

County Clerk

Pub. TC: Jan. 19, 26, Feb. 2, 9, 2023 NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE Notice is hereby given that Lockaway Storage, 1181 N. State St. in the city of Hemet, County of Riverside, Califonia, will sell at Public Auction to be hosted online at www.storagetreasures.com on February 2nd, at 10:00 AM by the undersigned that a public lien sale of the following described as follows: household items, misc furniture, boxes, misc. tools & equipment. This notice is given in accordance with the provisions of section 21700 ET. Seq. of the

Auctioneer's Site: https://www.storagetreasures.com Storage Treasures

Business and Professions Code of the State

All units listed contain miscellaneous household items and furniture. Unit num bers and identity of Occupants renting each space are as follows: B323 - Quintero, Maria C336 - Brightman, Robert - Grayes

> LIEN SALE On 02/02/2023 at 26793

C312 - Burns, Jennifer

Pub. TC: Jan. 19, 26, 2023

MADISON AVE. STE 103 MURRIETA, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2014 HOND VIN: 1HGCR2F51EA040852 STATE: CALIC: N/A at 10:00 AM Pub. TC: Jan. 19, 2023

LIEN SALE

SAN JACINTO, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2007 HYUNDAI VIN:3H3V532C57T019014 STATE: CA LIC: 4330JY at 10:00 AM Pub. TC: Jan. 19, 2023

On 02/02/2023 at 440 SANTA ROSA ST.

B SECTION IDYLLWILD, CA THURS., JAN. 19, 2023

PHOTO BY SCOTT GRANT

Idyllwild's bank manager retires after decades

By David Jerome Correspondent

When longtime Hill residents gather around the campfire and tell tales of Idyllwild banking, they always mention, with awe and reverence, the name of Jeri Sue Haney, recently retired branch manager at PNC Bank. She first came to the Hill in the mid-1970s. She began her career when our local bank was called San Diego Federal and was located in Fern Valley. During the many changes in our local banking scene, she was a reassuring element of continuity and local identity, setting a tone of balanced professionalism and humanity. The Crier spoke to her to take her "exit interview" as she embarks on the next chapter of her life on the Hill.

TC: What is your origin story?

JSH: I grew up in Lakewood and Long Beach, grew up and went to school there. Southern California born and raised. I spent as much time at the beach as I could around

school, chores and work. I played volleyball and body-surfed and flirted with the boys.

Jeri Sue Haney

TC: I've read you came to the Hill around 1975?

JSH: I actually came new year's eve '76. I came to Idyllwild for a new year's eve party and never left. I stayed. I got a job within a week, at the Coffee Cup Cafe [present-day Red Kettle}. I also worked at Casa Montana, and the little pizza place, Michelli's [in Fern Valley, in the Creekstone Inn building.]

TC: How did you get started in banking?

JSH: It was a snowy, blizzardy day and there was a job interview. I arranged for an interview here in Idyllwild. I remember what I wore: floor-length denim skirt, cropped red sweater and moon boots.

TC: In those days, professional dress was stricter, yes?

JSH: Bankers were wearing suits. I was wearing my Idyllwild blizzard hippy costume. The interviewer was the regional manager for San Diego Federal. He said, "You've got the job on one condition: You never make me come up here again!" He had moved from Chicago, Illinois to get away from the bad winters. He moved to Palm Springs. He thought he'd never have to deal with snow again.

That's when the bank was open three days a week. We had myself and one other teller and a manager who was really never there. Two young, green tellers did deposits and withdrawals. It was a savings and loan. A van would come each week and we'd load it up. The van would go location to location and then end up in San Diego and enter the information from paper logs. All the branches were very successful except one. Pauma

TC: Can you take us through the different names our local bank had?

JSH: First it was San Diego Federal, a mutually owned [member owned, not share holders] savings and loan, back when we had S&Ls. That became San Diego Savings Bank, then Great American Federal. That became Great American Savings Bank which then became a publicly traded company and continued growing like crazy. I think they got hit in the '80's when we had a rough time in the economy. A lot of their commercial loans went down, especially in Arizona and Washington state, and that brought the whole company down. They sold branches to Wells Fargo. But Guaranty Bank bought the branches In California.

TC: Then BBVA and PNC?

JSH: Yes. Actually, Guaranty was taken over by the fed and BBVA bought it from the fed. They stopped meeting capital requirements.

TC: And through all these changes you were the continuity?

JSH: They kept us. I came along with the deal. TC: You saw a lot of changes, paper to computers?

JSH: Sometimes even within the same bank. It was like 10 or 13 years some of them. Sometime in that 10 years we'd go through computer changes. It's been 43 years. In the old days, in San Diego there were entire buildings housing the computer equipment. Huge amounts of space for all of it. Now hardly any space at all.

TC: Did you handle a lot of mortgages?

JSH: I was more in investments and retail banking than in mortgages. I was licensed to do investments for the last 15 years of my career. I would refer mortgages and home equity loans. The loans I did were more on the business and consumer side. I would take the documents, interview the applicant, then send it off to others.

TC: What is the title for the investment part?

JSH: Investment Representative. I was a woman of many hats. You still have to have licensing just to discuss mortgages, I had to be certified. I had an insurance license, securities series 6 and 63, to sell annuities and mutual funds, bond funds.

TC: In Idyllwild, you worked with a number of local nonprofit organizations?

JSH: There's the Soroptimists. We used to have a Chamber of Commerce, I held every position with the Chamber. There's the Idyllwild Community Fund, the Idyllwild Community Center. I helped fundraise with them. I've been on the Idyllwild Scholarship Committee for many years, on the board. This year I think I'm going to be the recording secretary.

TC: And you plan to keep some of that up?

JSH: Oh yeah, I'm going to stay on the Idyllwild Scholarship, that's one thing I've said "yes" to. I've been a Soroptimist "in absentia" for a couple of years. I'm going to start zoom meetings with them. Idyllwild is my town, it's a community, I'm part of the community. It's a very unique place. You'll take care of somebody and you know if you need a hand you'll be taken care of. I've seen some incredible things happen where the community gets together to get something done.

TC: Can you remember some examples of that?

JSH: One time somebody had their kid disappear. The town came together, started a search through the forest, they found the kid, in minutes not even hours. There was a huge gathering of people to find that little boy. I've seen See Haney, page B6

Palm to Pines Golf Association update

By Jim Crandall Palms to Pines Golf Association Handicap Chair

Idyllwild's Palms to Pines Golf Association played its regular monthly tournament at The Legends in Temeku Hills in Temecula Friday, Dec, 16.

In the A-flight, **Bob Wadlow** (course handicap 12) shot a net 75 for first place; **Gary Brown** (13) and **Paul Cozens** (5) shot net 80s to tie for second; Dennis Chavez (5) shot net 83 for fourth; and Jim Crandall (12) rounded out the top 5 with a net 90.

In the B-Flight, made up of golfers with handicap indexes of 19 or higher as of August, Lee Lanfried (24 from forward silver tees) shot net 79 for first; Pete Capparelli (14 from forward silver tees) shot net 80 for second; David Hiemenz (25 from forward silver tees) shot net 81 for third; Daniel Morgan (36) shot net 88 for fourth; and Chris Kramer (31) shot net 89 for fifth

The closest to the pin winners on the four par 3s were Brown on #3, Kramer on #6, Lanfried on #11, and Cozens on #15.

Here are the 2022-23 point standings for the season which runs from August through July:

A-flight (Handicap index below 19 as of August)

Place	Golfer	Points
1	Bob Wadlow	26
2t	Jim Crandall	13.5
	Paul Cozens	13.5
4	Steve Olson	13
5	Gary Brown	11.5
6	Pete Holzman	11
7	Dennis Chavez	3
8	Chip Wilson	1

B Flight stats (Handicap index of 19 or higher as of August).

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<u>Place</u>	Golfer	<u>Points</u>
1	Pete Capparelli	23
2	Lee Lanfried	21.5
3	Chris Kramer	19
4	Jim Sullivan	10
5	David Hiemenz	7
6	Dan Morgan	6.5
7t	John King	4
	Lee Arnson	4
9	Don DePalma	1.5

The top eight-point finishers of the year in each division go into playoffs in August, September and October to determine the club champions. A member has to compete in at least five regular-season tournaments in order to qualify for the playoffs. The champs goes on to play in the Southern California Tournament of Club Champions in December.

Palms to Pines Golf Association plays a tournament off the Hill once a month at a different golf course. The games are usually played on the third Friday of the month but may be adjusted for holidays.

Tournament fees range from \$40 to usually no more than \$75 and the fees include green fees, tournament entry fees, golf cart and range balls. Guests usually pay \$10 less since they don't compete in the tournament.

The club is a Southern California Golf Association member and is sanctioned to establish handicaps for members.

To join the club, visit membership. scga.org/start/join/?cid=724. For more information, email Crandall at jimidy3@ gmail.com or call (951) 265-5732, or email Capparelli at pete@capparelli.com or call (951) 452-5552.



An egret at The Legend during the golf tournament PHOTO BY JIM CRANDALL

Dear Idyllwild Community,

We were all saddened to learn about the passing of Carolyn Lowman on January 6, 2023, in Coronado, CA.



Carolyn is known and cherished by the entire Idyllwild Arts community and everyone who had the privilege of knowing her. When IA was founded, Carolyn played several key roles, including Dean of Students and founder of IA's library. Her most impactful role might have been in the classroom as an ESL instructor. Her former students are quick to share that her high standard and care for them as students and English learners played a key role in the successful lives they now lead as professional artists and business professionals who work and serve around the world. Carolyn's full obituary can be found at the link below.

Carolyn is survived by her husband Bill (founder of Idyllwild Arts Academy), her son Nate and wife-to-be Rachel, grandson Wallace, and sister Mary Soule. In lieu of a memorial service, Carolyn's ashes will be distributed to friends and family across the country for mini celebrations of her life. Idyllwild Arts will celebrate Carolyn's life at its annual Founders Day on June 24, 2023. Bill has generously invited people to make donations in Carolyn's memory to the Idyllwild Arts Foundation, P.O. Box 38, Idyllwild CA, 92349.

Our thoughts are with Bill, Nate, their entire family, and everyone who loved and cherished Carolyn Marie Soule Lowman.

With condolences,



Pamela Jordan \(\square\)
Idyllwild Arts Foundation President



Carolyn's full obituary and a video tribute can be found by scanning the QR code, or at idyllwildarts.org/message-from-the-president-in-memory-of-carolyn-lowman

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help by finding ways to have fun without spending any money. There are lots of **FREE** things you can do each and every day! Try some of the fun activities on this page—some might be more fun than playing with expensive toys and games!



Make a Sock Puppet!

Turn a sock into a puppet. Sew on buttons for eyes. Use markers to make a mouth. Thread string or yarn through the sock to make hair.

Have your puppet read one of your favorite books aloud!

Grow a Little Garden

Next time you eat a carrot, cut off the top and use it to start a plant. Use several carrot tops and you can start a garden.

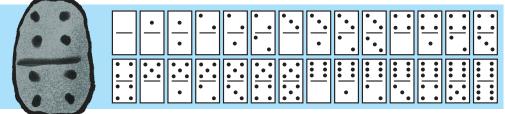
- 1. Cut the carrot tops off so they are about one inch long. It works best if there is a little bit of growth at the end of the carrot.
- 2. Eat the rest of the carrots!
- **3.** Plant the carrot tops in a container filled with dirt. Be sure a little of each orange top peeks above the dirt. Keep the soil moist, but not soggy. Be sure your container has a hole for drainage. Place the container by a sunny window.
- **4.** Watch your carrot plants grow! When you plant carrots this way, your plants won't make new carrots. But they will have pretty leaves to decorate your home.

Number the pictures in order.

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

Make Your Own Dominoes

Start by taking a walk around your neighborhood. Collect 28 flat light gray stones that are about the same size. Use a black marker or paint to draw dots and lines so that the stones look like the set of dominoes at right.



Put on some music and DANCE, DANCE! Look carefully: Can you find the two identical dancers?







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Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Use the newspaper to locate information.





Kid Scoop Puzzler

Ben, Bobbie and Brendan can't remember who will play which base today. Use the coach's clue to help them out. Draw a line from each player to the base they will play.



COACH'S CLUE:

The third baseman's number is twice the first baseman's number plus 2.

Standards Link: Mathematical Reasoning: Use strategies in the problem-solving process.

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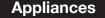
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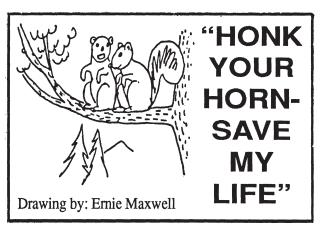
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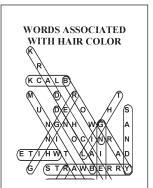
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- · Senior Cribbage, 10 a.m.noon. Idyllwild Library.
- Children's Storytime, "Chinese New Year," 10:30-11:30 a.m. Idyllwild Library.
- Coed pickleball, 11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp.
- Fireside Book Group, "Lord Jim," 2-3:30 p.m. Idyllwild Lib-
- Idyllwild Chess Club, 5-9 p.m. Alpaca Brunch Cafe.

Thursday, Jan. 19

· Women's pickleball, 9 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp.

Friday, Jan. 20

· Women's pickleball, 9 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp.

Saturday, Jan. 21 Coed pickleball, 11 a.m.

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Sunday, Jan. 22 · Idyllwild Chess Club, 5-9

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Monday, Jan. 23 • Women's pickleball, 9 a.m.

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Tuesday, Jan. 24 Movement Meditation, 10-11

a.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat. • Mah Jongg, 12:30-3:30 p.m. Idyllwild Library.

Wednesday, Jan. 25

Shaolin Qui Gong & Chicks

with Sticks, 10-11 a.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat.

- · Senior Cribbage, 10 a.m.noon. Idyllwild Library.
- Children's Storytime, "Animals in Winter," 10:30-11:30 a.m. Idyllwild Library.
- Coed pickleball, 11 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp.
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- · Author Talk, Bonnie Hardy, 2-3:30 p.m. Idyllwild Library.

Sunday, Jan. 29

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Monday, Jan. 30

· Women's pickleball, 9 a.m. Idyllwild Pines Camp.

Tuesday, Jan. 31 Movement Meditation, 10-11

a.m. Spirit Mountain Retreat.

Harley

• Mah Jongg, 12:30-3:30 p.m.

By Janice Murasko

Last week in "Days of Our Nine Lives," ARF cats talked about the adoptability of cats. Atlas: Holy catnip! It was very

cold and wet out there! Phil: You bet it was. I couldn't be-

lieve this wet weather.

Atlas: Well, maybe dogs like it, but I certainly don't.

Harley: Of course, it's not unusual for cats to dislike rain and snow, but many dogs feel the same.

Phil: That's true, but some cats

don't mind the wet weather. **Don**: Let's be honest. Not every dog, cat, or human enjoys the cold, wet weather we get up here in the

mountains. Whiskers: With just a little dusting on the ground, the icy cold flakes may be an interesting adventure for cats or dogs.

Harley: True. I've always found Onyx snow to be intriguing.

Atlas: Yes, but I hope humans know to keep dogs and cats inside, both during the day and night when it's wet and cold. Just because they have fur doesn't mean they can withstand cold temperatures.

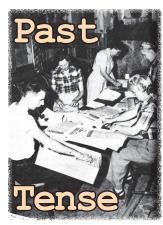
Don: Just like humans! People aren't likely to go outside in the winter without a coat and hat.

Pepper: Let us stay indoors! Let dogs stay indoors. Besides, cats can freeze in cold weather without shelter. Sometimes cats left outdoors in cold weather seek shelter and heat under the hoods of automobiles and are injured or killed when the ignition is turned on.

Atlas: That's tragic. Harley: This should serve as reminder for several things. Humans should adopt homeless pets to give them a safe and warm home, make certain both dogs and cats are microchipped and wearing identification, and for those poor dogs with little to no fur, they should put sweaters on them when going on a family walk.

Phil: That seems pretty simple and straight forward! 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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75 years ago - 1948 Idyllwild was deciding if it should join the Hemet School District.

70 years ago - 1953

Martin Aguirre was in charge of the Lions Club project to raise funds for recreation equipment at Town Hall. Plans called for developing a playground adjacent to the building.

65 years ago - 1958

The Town Crier began publishing the newspaper weekly. Since its start in 1946, the newspaper had maintained an every other week schedule during the winter season.

60 years ago - 1963 Bill Poates, working on the Idyllwild Arts housing

the electrical contact by a fellow workman, he fell on some concrete blocks, causing injuries to his face and hands.

55 years ago - 1968

sewer disposal project was approved by the Water Pollution Control Ad- amine. ministration.

50 years ago - 1973

The realty office building first owned by Mary Nelson, later by Bob Johnson, was undergoing a metamorphosis. Peter a restaurant to be called for 12 consecutive days. Gastrognome.

45 years ago - 1978

California Division of Forestry to issue 11,563 sandbags in a one-month period to area residents. Snowplows turned into "mudplows."

40 years ago - 1983

Rescue members rescued

unit, received a jolt of two Riverside County each year, got the good electricity as he attempted men after they had fallen news that it would benefit to connect his power saw. about 700 feet down a from a \$4.1 million bond It burned a hole in his cliff at Long Valley in the issued by Gov. Gray Daright hand. Pushed from Mt. San Jacinto State Park vis. Wilderness.

35 years ago - 1988

and a Pine Cove man and woman were in Riverside County jail after being A federal grant of arrested and charged with \$71,400 for Idyllwild's manufacturing methamphetamine and possession

30 years ago - 1993

The Hill was cut off from the rest of the world when highways 74, 243 and 371 were closed due to boulders, mud and trees on the roads caused Rogers and Paul Pound by heavy rainstorms that were transforming it into had pummelled the Hill

25 years ago - 1998

Hill resident and Heavy rains led the mild-mannered realtor Bill Sperling had a photo he took published in National Geographic maga-

20 years ago - 2003

Astrocamp, an educational camp teaching Riverside Mountain science and astronomy to thousands of children

15 years ago - 2008

Statewide budget cuts Two Idyllwild men were requiring the possible closure of state parks, including Mt. San Jacinto State Park.

10 years ago - 2013

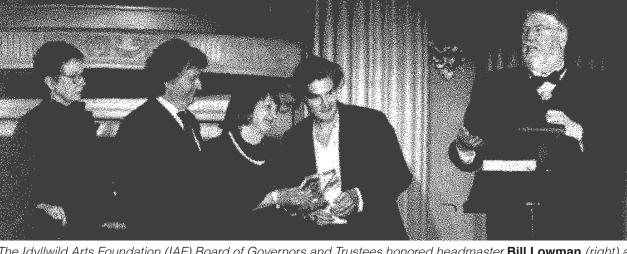
The Riverside County for sale of methamphet- Sheriff's Department reported a break in the case of recent commerical burglaries when two vehicles were chased with occupants possibly in the process of committing more burglaries. The vehicles escaped due to ice on the highway.

5 years ago - 2018

An adult bald eagle pair were still calling Lake Hemet home.

1 year ago - 2022

The Pine Cove Water District Board of Directors met under Interim General Manager (GM) Jeremy Potter's first meeting following GM Jerry Holldber's retirement at the end of De-



The Idyllwild Arts Foundation (IAF) Board of Governors and Trustees honored headmaster Bill Lowman (right) at the Idyllwild Arts Gala March 13, 2011, at the Millennium Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles. He was presented the "Life in Art" award. From left, were Faith Raiguel, IAF board chair; David Kurtz, gala co-chair; Carolyn Lowman; and son Nate Lowman. Carolyn died this month. PHOTO BY VANCE BLAETTE



The Sons of the American Legion Post 800 continued their support for Idyllwild Elementary with a \$285 donation in December. The donation was specifically for the purchase of chess/checker sets. All 18 sets have been purchased and delivered. Children are learning, practicing and soon mastering the games. The ultimate goal is to revive the Idyllwild Elementary Chess Club for all students to enjoy. Sons of the American Legion 1st Vice Commander Jim Nutter (right) hands off the chess check to Associated Student Body President and teacher Mike Van Zee.

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seniors in need and people would come, bring food, firewood, whatever they need. This goes on today. In my neighborhood we have a group text thing. My little dog was missing, I let people know, I used the group text and Facebook. Within a couple hours I had my dog back, from tourists that were staying at Thousand Trails. People lose their purse or wallet and they get it returned instead of stolen. Little things like that happen up here all the time.

TC: Keeping in mind the banker's duty of confidentiality, can you share something about the people you met on

JSH: This is Idyllwild. One of the reasons I was able to be a branch manager for so many years, I have had the opportunity to build some wonderful relationships and meet incredible people, from all walks of life, and that has fulfilled a big part of my life. One story: A man came into the bank first time I was meeting him. Our first conversation was about women's rights, a deep conversation about all kinds of things. It led to politics, to the things we could do. He was a very action-oriented person. As I got to know him, I found out more about him, an incredible person. I learned so much from him. He brought me all his business, recommended and referred friends, he taught me a lot, And it all started with me standing in the middle of the bank and shaking his hand. Something like that would happen so often, I would come home and just be amazed, Idyllwild is an incredible place. So many amazing artists. Idyllwild Arts brings so many talented people. A lot of people are open and friendly and follow up and become friends, have dinner and go to lunch and get to know each other well.

TC: What are some of your favorite things outside work?

JSH: I'm famous for being the go-where-no-man-hasgone-before camper. I've traipsed around the backroads of the southwest my entire life. I just loved that. Hiking, taking pictures, I've seen phenomenal places, and taken some great

TC: With your husband?

JSH: And now with my new life partner Scotty; we do the same. As you get older, you don't hike as far. You have to take it easier, or shorter. I still love it, still doing it. We just came back from a week's vacation in the Sedona area. Some of it was back roads, got to get that in. I like to cook and do my deck gardening. I'm going to convert it. It turned into an

TC: Any plans for the garden?

JSH: Herbs and flowers, make it gorgeous.

TC: Cooking?

JSH: Not a baker, a cooker. I like to try new things. I like to read a recipe and then do it my own way without following

TC: Not like banking?

TC: What about the changes that have come to

JSH: It's not the same. but it's slow moving, slow growing. If you look back 40 years and look at what it's like now, sure there are changes, but slow growth, the way it's supposed to be. If you had high highs you'd have low lows. Steady growth is better.

TC: Any "shout outs" you'd like to add? JSH: When I started in business really young, in '85, I was invited to be a Soroptimist, by Jan Boss. She was very impactful. She was my mentor. She showed me so many things, how to get things done. She helped me improve at speaking to groups, organizing people, leadership skills.



Idyllwild School students of the week are in seventhand eighth-grade math teacher Elyse Snyder's class. Stella Smeaton (left) has been working extremely hard to be the best she can be in both her math and career technical education classes. She takes diligent notes, asks to redo assignments to get better scores and is trying to get better overall. She had started attending after-school tutoring to work on her assignments, and has taken it upon herself to help tutor some of the younger students. Jasmine Piche (right) comes in to see what she has missed, asks for notes to help her understand better, will work with others and explain what they missed. PHOTO BY MARY PIMENTEL

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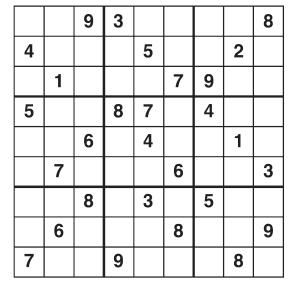
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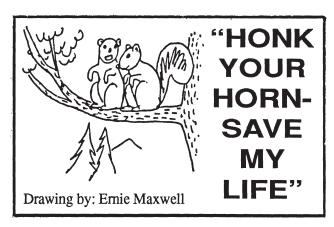
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44 Gut-punch

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March 21 – April 19

Shutting people out to avoid distractions, even under a deadline, can cause hurt feelings. Instead, return calls and emails, and explain why you need a zone of privacy for now.



April 20 – May 20

Although your keen Bull's eyes usually can discern what's fact from what's faux, that upcoming decision will need really solid data before you can risk a commitment.



May 21 – June 21

As your confidence grows, you should be able to work toward your goals with more enthusiasm. Open your mind to suggestions. Some of them might even work for you.



June 22 – July 22

Reconnecting with someone from your past stirs up that old sense of adventure. But before you do anything else, be sure to get answers to any lingering questions.



July 23 – August 22 Some people might resent the way you plan to resolve a difficult situation. But your



commitment to making tough but fair decisions soon wins you their respect and support.



August 23 – September 22

Mixed signals could be causing that vexing workplace problem. Before you choose to leave the project, ask for a meeting so that you can get things out in the open.



September 23 – October 22

Your good intentions could backfire if you're not careful with other people's feelings. Try using persuasion, not pressure, to get others to see your side of the situation.



October 23 – November 21

actions later on.

Your dedication to finishing the task at hand is laudable. But be careful not to overdo the midnight oil bit. Take time for relaxation with someone very special.

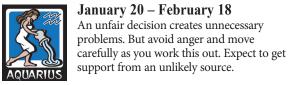


November 22 – December 21 Although your intuition will help you make some tough choices in the first half of the

month, you'll need more facts to back up your



December 22 – January 19 All that hard work and research in the workplace finally pays off as you hoped it would. Ignore comments from jealous types



January 20 – February 18 An unfair decision creates unnecessary problems. But avoid anger and move

who are out to get the Goat riled up.



support from an unlikely source.

February 19 – March 20 A fuzzy financial vista persists until the end of the month, when things begin to clear up. You'll also gain a better perspective on how to handle pesky personal problems.

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