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Giving back to those who gave

BY MELODY HANATANI | Daily Press Staff Writer

DOWNTOWN A sense of déjà vu consumed Renè Buchanan as she walked through the doors of the Daybreak Shelter, the surroundings so familiar, yet something she couldn't quite place in her memory.

Perhaps it was because the memory of her first stint in 1998 at the OPCC homeless shelter for mentally ill women

was erased, as was the four years prior, a result of medication and shock-therapy treatments.

"When I walked into the door of Daybreak the second time ... it seemed familiar but I didn't remember being there," Buchanan said last week of her second visit to the shelter in 2002. "A lot of the staff remembered me, but I didn't remember them."

After spending more than 13 years shuffled in and out of

hospitals and treatment centers for misdiagnosed diseases such as schizophrenia, Buchanan, who at various times was homeless, decided to turn her life around in 2002, spending the next year participating in programs at Daybreak.

Now several years out of treatment at Daybreak and currently working full-time at an animal rescue center in Mar

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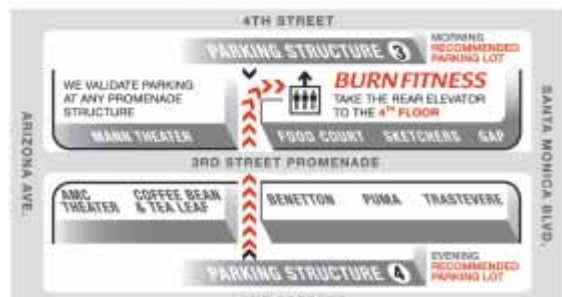
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WHAT'S UP WESTSIDE

OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA AND SURROUNDS

'Choosing the Quiet'

1227 Second St., 5 p.m. — 6:30 p.m.

Maurizio Barattucci's solo show, "Choosing the Quiet" will be on display at Emeritus College through February 29. Barattucci taught at the Art Department of Santa Monica College for 30 years and retired recently. For more information on this free event, call (310) 434-4306.

'Lose Weight for Good'

1328 22nd St., 7 p.m. — 8:30 p.m.

Saint John's Health Center presents LOSE WEIGHT FOR GOOD, a comprehensive program for healthy weight management. No food to purchase, no shakes to drink - just a sound approach to lasting lifestyle solutions. Instructed by a dietitian, cost for the 13-week series is \$300. Flexible access to the Santa Monica Spectrum Health Club and Santa Monica curves is available to those without a current gym membership. Classes fill up quickly so call today - (310) 829-8453!

Tango with Tango

1416 Electric Ave., Venice, 8:30 p.m. — 10 p.m.

Learn Argentine Tango with Makela Tango at the Electric Lodge. No partner necessary. For more information, visit www.makelatango.com.

Tuesday, Jan. 29, 2008

Sustainable Santa Monica Community Event

601 Santa Monica Blvd., 6:30 p.m. — 9 p.m.

The Main Branch Library will host a panel discussion on sustainability in the local community. Discussion topics will include an overview of programs, rebates, grants and educational opportunities to make participating in a sustainable Santa Monica easy, affordable and fun. Brief presentations will be followed by time for Q&A with speakers. Participating organizations include City of Santa Monica's Environmental Programs Division, Sustainable Works, and Global Green USA. RSVP is not required but recommended and appreciated. RSVP to Traci Reitz, Community Sustainability Liaison at traci@sustainablesma.org. This event is free.

St. Monica opens her doors

1039 Seventh St., 7 p.m. — 8:30 p.m.

St. Monica Elementary School is having an Open House for prospective parents in the school auditorium. For more information, call (310) 451-9801.

Story Time for Twos

2601 Main St., 10 a.m. — 11 a.m.

The Ocean Park Branch Library brings back their music and story program for toddlers aged 24 — 36 months. Registration and an accompanying adult are required. For more information or to make a reservation, call (310) 392-3804.

The Play 'tis the Thing

2601 Main St., 2 p.m. — 4 p.m.

The Ocean Park Branch Library is hosting a six-week play writing workshop. Learn principles of dramatic structure, how to construct dialogue and analyze the finished product with instructor Anna Stramese. Registration required. Enrollment limited. For more information, call (310) 458-8638.

For more information on any of the events listed, log on to smdp.com and click the "Events" tab for the given day's calendar.



Storms continue to linger

By the Associated Press

LOS ANGELES The latest storm to hit Southern California had unleashed little havoc by Sunday evening, though forecasters warned wetter weather was still to come and with it the possibility of mudslides and floods.

National Weather Service meteorologist Curt Kaplan says several inches of rain fell in many areas overnight and into the morning and afternoon. But despite a few scattered minor slides, no major problems had been reported as of Sunday evening.

"It's been very tame," Kaplan said. "We thought we would get a little more activity by now."

However, Kaplan said thunderstorms could develop later — possibly bringing with them torrential rain, tornadoes and an increased likelihood of mudslides and debris flows in areas denuded by last year's wildfires.

Canyon residents have received similar orders several times in recent months as winter storms came through, but few have heeded the request.

A flash flood warning remained in effect until Sunday night in parts of Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, Ventura and San Bernardino counties. And swift-water rescue teams were positioned in several areas, in case anybody got caught-up in rushing waters.

This weekend's storm is the latest in a series that's led to deadly avalanches, flooded streets and some mud and rock slides. Some areas have received more moisture in a week than during the entire rainy season last year.

Three skiers died when a trio of avalanches swept through canyons outside the trails of Mountain High ski resort in Wrightwood on Friday.

The victims were: Christopher Allport, 60, of Santa Monica; Michael McKay, 23, and Darin Bodie Coffey, 31, both of Wrightwood. A snowboarder survived the slides.

Allport was a veteran character actor who had appeared in a number of films and on many TV shows including "ER," "Felicity," and "Matlock."



NETWORKING 101

Geoffrey Dunn news@smdp.com

Jessica Garcia (left) of the job placement center Inner City Filmmakers talks to Dominique Maturana (center) and Denise Neal (right), both of Santa Monica, during the Careers In the Entertainment Business open house at the Thelma Terry Room at Virginia Avenue Park on Saturday. The job fair and workshop, which featured various entertainment industry employers and community organizations, was sponsored by the Pico Neighborhood Association in partnership with Pico Youth & Family Center and Maguire Properties.

Panel calls for more firefighting equipment

BY ALLISON HOFFMAN

Associated Press Writer

SAN DIEGO — A state panel reviewing October's huge Southern California wildfires called Friday for more night-flying helicopters, fire engines and firefighters — welcome news to Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger as he champions a new surcharge to pay for fire upgrades.

The report focuses on how to respond more quickly with overwhelming force to small wildfires before they spread into densely populated suburbs, but it doesn't offer any price tag for the improvements or recommendations on how to pay for them.

"We didn't jump into the finance issue —

we just said, 'Here's what's needed,'" said Mike Warren, chairman of the Blue Ribbon Commission Task Force. "Now it's up to the legislature and local governments to figure out the best means to accomplish that."

Schwarzenegger, facing a \$14.5 billion state budget deficit this year, earlier this month proposed a 1.25 percent surcharge on residential and commercial property insurance to raise about \$100 million for installing GPS tracking on fire engines, expanding seasonal firefighting crews and buying 11 new all-weather helicopters for the state firefighting agency.

"I am pleased my budget priorities are consistent with many of the recommendations made in this report," Schwarzenegger

said in a statement.

His plan came under scrutiny Friday, however, when Insurance Commissioner Steve Poizner's office issued an opinion that governor's proposed surcharge appeared to violate tax provisions in the state's constitution.

"The premiums paid by property owners in California reflect the various risks that insurers have identified for their specific property. The initiative asks every homeowner, and every business, to pay for an additional risk that is not associated with their own properties."

Deputy Insurance Commissioner David Link also warned in the opinion that the governor's surcharge plan would be hard to implement.



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Seniors need a break

Editor:

The school district covers both cities and the unincorporated area. I sat on the committee and insisted on the senior exemption in the original draft of Measure R because I was seeing seniors on fixed incomes driven out of the area by taxes. I confronted John Deasy numerous times on his promises of financial responsibility because he drove his previous school district in Coventry, RI, nearly bankrupt because of his misspending. I moved to Malibu in the early 70's because I could not afford to live in Santa Monica.

Thomas Fakehany
Malibu

Pro-lifers go too far

Editor:

In the 35th year of Roe v. Wade religious protesters are still intimidating, harassing and stalking abortion providers, women and opponents of their self-serving crusade over the past three decades. Children of anti-abortionists have been brainwashed, indoctrinated and programmed into believing a doctrine of deception, secrecy and the elimination of a woman's freedom of choice.

A clip about an abortion opponent at the Washington, D.C. rally caught my eye as it provides a view of the future. A man was marching with his wife and four children, ranging in age from 1 to 10. Anti-abortion proponents put their small children out in front of protests carrying grotesque and obscene signs bigger than they are.

President Bush and leading GOP presidential candidates all support this vocal minority and fringe movement.
Ron Lowe
Santa Monica

What are the numbers?

Editor:

When you ask Santa Monica residents what are their top concerns, most reply "the homeless and traffic congestion." The City Council talks a good game but does not really address these issues.

The City of Santa Monica has about 2,000 homeless wandering the streets, more than the county of Ventura (1,900) which has 10 times the city's population. Santa Monica hired a "homeless czar" for \$200,000 per year for two years. It set up a court to deal with homeless lawbreakers (costing how much per year?). With all the city agencies and services and countless millions spent, just how many people have they gotten off the street? Fourteen a month? A year? Maybe the council knows but it's not telling the taxpayers. If they shut down all the "homeless services" and put that money into renting apartments for the homeless, how many would be helped? Or is it in the interest of the city agencies and private nonprofits to keep the homeless "industry" going?

As for traffic, the council couldn't find \$200,000 in its multi-million budget to do an actual study of vehicle movements. It prefers to hide behind an out-dated methodology and its "estimates" and "projections." When the city failed to act, the civic group, Santa Monica Coalition for a Livable City, put together a ballot referendum that would force the city to restrict commercial development to less than 75,000 square feet a year and thereby reduce the cars and trucks on our roads.

For those who have been stuck in traffic jams in their hometown, this proposal will offer a chance at relief. All Santa Monicans should want to sign the SMCLC petitions to get the proposal on the ballot and then vote for it because less commercial building means less traffic.

Mayor Herb Katz has already condemned the proposal for no legitimate reason except it cuts into the council's authority to make the rules. Note to Mr. Katz: It's a historic American tradition for citizens to act when their government fails to do so. If he thinks he can defend his indefensible position, he should hold a public debate with an SMCLC representative.

H.P. Epstein
Santa Monica



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Malibu revolts against district

MALIBUITES ARE IN A HUFF ABOUT THE "unfair" allotment of Measure BB bond monies earmarked for new school facilities. The Santa Monica/Malibu Unified School District Board of Education recently approved cutting "BB" spending for Malibu High projects from \$27.5-million to \$13.5-million leaving residents feeling shortchanged and cheated.

When Santa Monica resident and Santa Monica for Renters' Rights insider, Ralph Mechur was tapped as Emily Bloomfield's BOE replacement instead of a Malibu resident after she resigned last year, many Malibuites felt underrepresented with only one resident on the seven-person board.

Letters printed in Malibu's two newspapers and scuttlebutt that's come my way confirm there's distrust of the BOE, therefore more Malibuites say they're voting "No" on "R," the school parcel tax measure on the Feb. 5 ballot. Wait until they find out that \$24.5-million in "BB" money is going to Santa Monica's Edison Language Academy where almost half the students are nonresidents and reside in West L.A., Culver City, Mar Vista and surrounding communities and don't pay any parcel or bond taxes.

According to the Malibu Times (Jan. 11), "Shari Davis, a Santa Monica resident who heads the campaign in favor of Measure R, said on Tuesday (Jan. 8) there is strong and growing support for the tax in Malibu." That was before the Malibu Times (Jan. 16) editorialized "Vote No" and the Malibu Surfside News (Jan. 24) editorialized to "Send SMMUSD Measure R back to the drawing board."

Malibu Times Publisher, Arnold York, wrote he's supported every school and college tax and bond that's come down the pike, but the SMMUSD board hasn't treated Malibu fairly. Because they refused to reinstate "BB" monies diverted to a Santa Monica project, "We've been snookered," he writes.

York editorializes, "The reason that the parcel tax Measure 'R' is on the ballot is the school board wants to take Malibu out of the loop. If it passes, the parcel taxes becomes permanent and they don't have to come back to the voters again, which effectively means that we have no political power to impact the school board decision. And, which almost forces us to become our own school district. Perhaps that's what some on the School Board want. I don't know."

York concludes a "No" vote will send everyone "back to the negotiating table." The Malibu City Council will discuss the establishment of a separate Malibu school district at their next meeting.

I received a phone call from a parent of a Santa Monica High School student who was upset that "R" rated movies were being shown in freshman seminars. He'd just found out his 14-year-old saw "Crash" in one, last year. "It has filthy language including the 'N' word, graphic violence and sex acts," he said.

"Because the Motion Picture Association of America's 'R' rating requires that a minor, under 17, be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian, my kid couldn't see it in a theater but can see it in school?" The parent complained he was never notified the film was going to be shown and said his ninth grader was only told just before the film started that students not wanting to see it could leave.

"Peer pressure traps a child into staying without knowing what to expect or prepare for a shocking experience," he added, emphasizing showing R-rated movies have resulted

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in controversy in other school districts.

Here, the movies are a part of the freshman seminar curriculum that teaches racial tolerance and understanding of different peoples. I checked with another parent whose stepdaughter is currently a Samohi freshman. He told me he signed a permission slip before she watched the acclaimed holocaust drama "Schindler's List," last Fall. I also talked to Principal, Dr. Hugo Pedroza who said, "The district requires advance parental notification — which may include descriptions of content —if something that might be sensitive or controversial will be taught or shown."

Pedroza noted, "It's possible that someone may have forgotten to do it in this case, but we care about the sensitivity of our students and their parents. We need to constantly remind ourselves to cover all our bases regarding policies and my door is always open when any issue comes up."

Santa Monica Rent Control Board Chair, Jeffrey Sklar, came up with a doozie at a Jan. 10 board meeting when parcel tax pass-along effects on low income tenants was discussed. Sklar said, "Rent control is not a law to help low income people. It was never designed for that. It's a straw man argument. It's ridiculous to assume rent control's only value is for the needy."

Wasn't I surprised? I didn't realize rent control was only for the rich. I wonder if the Renter's Right's leadership knows? Hear Sklar's mind-boggling observation for yourself on YouTube. Search: "Santa Monica Rent Control Board Sklar speech."

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The Rand Stand

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Deep-six the law of the seven seas

THE LAW OF THE SEA TREATY, WHICH awaits a ratification vote in the U.S. Senate, declares most of the earth's vast ocean floor to be "the common heritage of mankind" and places it under United Nations ownership "for the benefit of mankind as a whole."

This treaty has been bobbing in the legislative ocean for the past 25 years. After President Ronald Reagan refused to sign it in 1982, repeated attempts at ratification have failed. Last month, however, the Senate Foreign Relations Committee voted 17-4 to send it to the full Senate, where a two-thirds majority is required to ratify.

What's at stake are trillions of tons of vital minerals such as manganese, nickel, copper, zinc, gold and silver — enough to supply current needs for thousands of years — spread over vast seabeds constituting 41 percent of the planet's area. Senate ratification would signify U.S. agreement that the International Seabed Authority, a U.N. agency based in Jamaica, should own these resources in perpetuity.

Why should we agree to this?

Like any other hard-to-reach resources, these undersea minerals are completely valueless where they now rest. What is it that makes such resources actually valuable? It is the thinking and action of inventors, engineers, explorers and entrepreneurs who devote their mental energy to the task of finding and retrieving them.

Despite the treaty's allusion to seabeds as the "common heritage of mankind," mankind as a whole has done exactly nothing to create value in the deep ocean, which is a remote wilderness, virtually unexploited. Under the proposed treaty, however, the ocean mining companies — whose science, exploration, technology, and entrepreneurship are being counted on to gather otherwise inaccessible riches — are treated as mere servants of a world collective.

In practice, under the treaty's explicitly socialist approach, mining companies operate as mere licensees who must render hefty application fees as well as continuing payments (read: taxes) and obtain prior approval at every stage of work, under regulations that emerge sluggishly from multinational committees.

Licensees must also enrich a U.N.-operated competitor called, spookily enough, "The Enterprise." For every square mile of ocean bottom a licensee explores, half must be

relinquished to The Enterprise, free of charge — and the Enterprise gets to pick the better half.

Licensees must also make available, on so-called reasonable commercial terms, their technology and know-how, and even train this giant competitor's personnel. At the end of the day, profits from The Enterprise, along with taxes from licensees, are distributed to U.N. member-nations such as Cuba, Uganda and Venezuela, who contribute nothing to the productive process.

Morally, undersea mining operations are entitled to own outright those portions of the ocean floor they exploit, by virtue of the productive effort they expend. Producers in general are morally entitled to live and work for their own sake, keeping the wealth they create without any moral debt to those who didn't create it. Because nature requires us to be productive in order to live, the businessman's pursuit of profit is properly regarded as a virtue, not a vice indebting him to a hungry planet.

Legally, this viewpoint is embodied in the American ideals of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, secured by private property rights. A historical example of the proper principle in action is the Homestead Act of 1862. Farmers acquired property rights, i.e., private deeds, to 270 million acres of fertile Midwest prairie land by the productive act of farming it, parcel by parcel.

Suppose, instead, that the U.S. government had issued only licenses, not deeds, for the acreage those farmers carved out of wild prairie land. Then suppose the government had transferred half that hard-won acreage to "The Farm," a giant government-owned competitor whose field hands the farmers would be expected to equip and train. Of course, such a travesty would have been unthinkable in the relatively capitalistic 19th century.

Governments today have legitimate options regarding how to deal with undersea explorers' need to establish property rights in the deep ocean. But it would be totally improper for America to declare eternal hostility to private property in the ocean floor by ratifying a treaty dedicated on principle to denying such rights.

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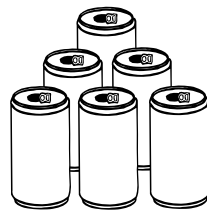
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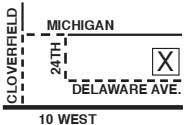
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Stripes or no stripes?

The city recently transformed Ocean Park Boulevard from what was once called a two-lane highway into a one-lane corridor. Since the restriping was complete, there has been an outpouring of public opinion on the issue.

So this week's Q-Line question asks:

Do you agree with the move to make the oft-used street a one-lane corridor or do you want the city to reverse course and restore Ocean Park Boulevard to the way it was?

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“Know Before You Go” is a weekly update on construction projects throughout Santa Monica. Here is a run-down of this week’s construction projects initiated by City Hall

Annenberg Community Beach Club at Santa Monica State Beach (415 Pacific Coast Hwy.)

Material delivery to the construction site will continue 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays. Flag persons will be in the area to ensure safe conditions and limit disruption to Pacific Coast Highway.

Annual Tree Trimming Project

City trees will be trimmed at the following locations this winter: 24th Street (San Vicente Boulevard to Montana Avenue), 14th Street (San Vicente to Montana), Fourth Street (Montana to Wilshire Boulevard), 24th Street (Idaho Avenue to Wilshire Boulevard), Cedar Street (Seventh Street to Lincoln Boulevard), 28th Street (Pico Blvd to Ocean Park Boulevard), Centinela Avenue (Santa Monica Boulevard to Nebraska Street), Georgina Avenue (Ocean Avenue to 14th Street), Ashland Avenue (Lincoln Boulevard to 14th Street), Georgina Avenue (14th Street to 17th Street), Carlyle Avenue (Ninth Street to 14th Street), Sixth Street (Idaho Avenue to Wilshire Boulevard), Douglas Park, and 14th Street (Pico to Ocean Park boulevards). There will be minimal lane closures from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Mondays thru Fridays. The annual tree trimming schedule is subject to change without notice due to inclement weather, emergencies, community events, budget conditions, street repairs or other public improvements. Residences and businesses will be notified in advance of tree trimming operations, blocks will also be posted with no parking signs.

Back On the Beach Café (445 Pacific Coast Hwy.)

Flag persons will be assisting with parking lot and Pacific Coast Highway traffic flow, weekdays between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Big Blue Bus Campus Expansion (1620 Sixth St.)

As of Sep. 4, 2007, there is no longer public parking at the eastside of Sixth Street (South of Colorado Avenue). From Feb. 26, 2008 to Aug. 21, 2009: No parking along, and no pedestrian access to west sidewalk of Seventh Street, between Colorado and Olympic Boulevard. Jan. 21, 2009 to Apr. 21, 2009: No parking along, and no pedestrian access to south sidewalk of Colorado, between Sixth and Seventh streets.

Colorado Ocean Relief Sewer Project

Traffic from the I-10 Freeway will be directed to avoid Colorado Avenue by either using Pico Boulevard or East-West streets North of Colorado. Project is scheduled for completion in May 2009. Detours are as follows:

- Westbound Colorado Avenue will be closed at Second Street.
- Eastbound Colorado Avenue will be reduced to one lane between Ocean Avenue and Second Street.
- Southbound Second Street will be closed at Colorado Avenue.
- Pedestrian access to businesses and through the work area will be maintained.

Marine Street Utility Undergrounding

Relocation and undergrounding of electric, phone, and cable facilities on Marine Street, between Lincoln Boulevard and Prospect Court. Parking limitations will be posted daily and detours may be announced as necessary.

Stewart Park Restroom Project (1819 Stewart St.)

The sidewalk on the west side of Stewart Street, between Exposition and Delaware is now open to pedestrian traffic.

Traffic Signal Upgrade

Fiber optic infrastructure installation will begin on Colorado Avenue between Fourth Street and Lincoln Boulevard. Fiber optic infrastructure installation will continue on Lincoln between the I-10 Freeway and Marine Street. The traffic signal modifications at the 26th Street/Pennsylvania Avenue intersection and at the Neilson Way/Ashland Avenue intersection will continue. Work hours are 7:30 a.m. to 5 a.m., Monday through Friday. Traffic lane closures and sidewalk closures should be expected throughout the construction zones.

Wilshire Storm Water Diversion Structure

Construction for the installation of the diversion facility on Ocean Avenue and Wilshire Boulevard has been completed. Traffic lanes have been restored to normal operation. Park restoration work will be complete February 2008.



Latin flavor

Democratic candidates attempt to appeal to state’s Hispanic voters

BY LAURA KURTZMAN
Associated Press Writer

SACRAMENTO Bidding for Hispanic support in California’s upcoming primary, Barack Obama describes himself in a Spanish-language television ad as the son of an immigrant whose success is a beacon to others.

“This is your country,” a narrator says in the ad that began airing Friday in Los Angeles. “Don’t let anyone or anything take away those dreams.”

But it is an older, more familiar success story — that of the Clintons — that seems to be holding sway among most California Hispanics. They will play a key role in deciding the Democratic winner.

As the wife of the former president, Hillary Rodham Clinton has an almost dynastic appeal to Hispanic voters, many of whom came of voting age during the economic good times of Bill Clinton’s presidency.

The New York senator leads Obama 3-to-1 among Hispanics, according to a recent survey by the nonpartisan Public Policy Institute of California.

“There is very much a comfort zone with the name and the family, and a very comfortable remembrance with Clinton’s eight years in office,” said Jaime Regalado, director of the Pat Brown Institute at California State University, Los Angeles.

By contrast, he said, most Hispanics know little about Obama, who only burst onto the national scene four years ago, when he was elected a U.S. Senator from Illinois.

While Obama has come to California to raise money and hold the occasional campaign event, he has not been able to make much of an impression among rank-and-file voters, who do not tune into the race until the final weeks before an election.

Clinton, meanwhile, has been able to drawn on 16 years in the national spotlight.

Earlier this week, she traveled across the country for a one-day visit to Salinas to accept the endorsement of the United Farm Workers, which was started by Cesar Chavez.

The UFW’s star has dimmed since its heyday in the 1970s, and its endorsement may be more important for its symbolism than for its ability to mobilize voters, given

that most farmworkers are immigrants who cannot vote.

But it gave Clinton the opportunity to assert her strength among Hispanic voters, who are expected to make up as many as one in four of those casting Democratic ballots in the Feb. 5 election.

Like whites, Hispanics are somewhat split along generational lines over the Democratic race, with young voters gravitating toward the promise of Obama and older ones attracted to the experience of Clinton, according to analysts.

But some cite another possible reason for Clinton’s dominance: the disinclination of some Hispanics to vote for a black candidate. Tensions between the two groups have been intensified by competition for jobs and political power as Hispanic immigrants have moved into black neighborhoods.

“Perhaps, because he’s an African-American, there might be reluctance there, too,” Regalado said.

In any case, Clinton’s status as the early front-runner induced most of the Hispanic political establishment to hop aboard her campaign. Supporters include Los Angeles Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa and Assembly Speaker Fabian Nunez, along with a long list of lesser-known political figures.

One political family — the Sanchez sisters, who have been elected to Congress from Southern California — split.

Rep. Loretta Sanchez, who represents Orange County, chose Clinton. Rep. Linda Sanchez, who represents communities south of Los Angeles, went with Obama.

Obama also won a key endorsement from Maria Elena Durazo, who is known among Hispanics across the country as the head of the powerful Los Angeles County Federation of Labor.

Durazo said she was taken by Obama’s life story as the child of a white single mother and an African immigrant father. And she was impressed by his choice after graduating from Columbia University to work as a community organizer in Chicago, as well as his decision after being elected to the U.S. Senate to march with immigrant activists on May Day.

“I wanted to make sure that anyone I endorsed would give me the most confidence that when that person would get into the White House that we wouldn’t have been treated as just a campaign stop or a campaign promise,” said Durazo, who took a two-week vacation from her union duties to campaign for Obama.

She cited his position in favor of giving driver’s licenses to illegal immigrants as a reason why Hispanics should consider voting for him over Clinton, who waffled on the issue before opposing it.

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Friday just got a whole lot more entertaining

Federal agents raid SoCal museums

BY GREG RISLING | Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES Federal agents raided several Southern California museums on Thursday in search of Southeast Asian antiquities that are believed to have been illegally obtained, smuggled into the U.S. and sold at inflated prices so sellers could claim fraudulent tax deductions after donations to the institutions.

Agents also investigated American Indian artifacts at one museum.

Search warrants were executed at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art, the Bowers Museum in Santa Ana, the Pacific Asia Museum in Pasadena and the Mingei International Museum in San Diego, said Virginia Kice, a spokeswoman with Immigration and Customs Enforcement.

Authorities said no arrests had been made and no charges had been filed.

Court documents portray a five-year scheme in which the owner of a Los Angeles art gallery worked with a smuggler to bring in artifacts from Thailand and China, offered them as charitable contributions and then tried to claim the donations as tax write-offs by boosting their value. In some cases, museum officials initially questioned how the artifacts were obtained but eventually accepted them, according to affidavits filed in support of the search.

The investigation is the latest public relations debacle for museums in the United States that have been accused by foreign governments of housing treasures stolen from their countries. Italy has been negotiating with various museums, including the Metropolitan Museum in New York and the J. Paul Getty Museum in Los Angeles, to have various statues, vases and other items from Roman and Greek times returned.

Michael Govan, director and chief executive officer of LACMA, estimated about 60 items donated to the museum over the past decade that have come under suspicion.

"They were seemingly quite regular objects to be gifted," Govan said, adding the museum is cooperating with the investigation. "They came from sources who were members of the museum for many years and regular donors, so no, there was no reason for the museum to know ahead of time."

Mingei director Rob Sidner said the museum was cooperating fully with the investigation.

"If the results of the investigation show that these objects were improperly donated and — we were assured they were acquired properly — they will be returned to their rightful owner," Sidner said in a statement.

Representatives from the Pacific Asia museum did not return phone calls seeking comment.



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A statement from the Bowers Museum said items on display from El Malpais National Monument and Chaco Culture Historic Park in New Mexico were being examined by agents as to whether they were removed without a permit. Items from the Ban Chiang area in Thailand also were being reviewed.

All of the artifacts will remain at the museums, said Thom Mrozek, a spokesman with the U.S. attorney's office.

The warrants stem from an undercover investigation by a National Park Service special agent who posed as a collector interested in various artifacts. The agent targeted Robert Olson, who is alleged in an affidavit to be a smuggler, and Jonathan Markell, who co-owns an Asian art gallery in Los Angeles with his wife.

The agent said the artifacts passed through U.S. customs because they had "Made in Thailand" labels affixed to them, making it appear they were replicas. Olson, 79, allegedly boasted to the agent he had more item from the Ban Chiang area than Thailand itself, according to an affidavit.

Court documents said the couple and the agent met more than a dozen times and regularly e-mailed and called one

another about the "sale, importation, and donation of stolen archaeological resources from China and Thailand and antiquities illegally imported from Burma." Some of the calls and meetings were recorded, the warrants said.

In the case of the Pacific Asian Museum, Jonathan Markell, 62, and the agent met with museum staffers in March 2006 to donate items recovered from the Ban Chiang culture in northeast Thailand. Two museum officials ques-

Michael Govan, Director and chief executive officer of LACMA

tioned the agent about how one of the artifacts was obtained. After Markell assured them that the Thai government wouldn't miss the item because it wasn't "an earth-shattering piece," the museum accepted the donation, the documents said.

Investigators also searched Markell's gallery and home. A phone and e-mail message left for Markell wasn't immediately returned. Attempts to reach Olson were unsuccessful.

The warrants also detail a relatively simple scam in which Markell allegedly sold antiquities worth a few hundred dollars at a markup to the undercover agent and then used false appraisals to increase the value of the pieces to just less than \$5,000 — the Internal Revenue Service's floor for requiring written appraisals to support tax deductions on donated art.

At the Mingei in San Diego, museum officials accepted five Ban Chiang ceramic vessels, along with two other pieces, in June 2006. The undercover agent allegedly paid \$1,500 to Markell, who declared a value of nearly \$5,000 to the museum, according to the warrants.

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Hijacking suspect didn't violate law

BY KRISTIN M. HALL

Associated Press Writer

NASHVILLE, Tenn. Authorities said a teenager accused of concocting an ill-conceived plot to hijack an airliner got on board with handcuffs and duct tape — a combination that doesn't violate security procedures aimed at thwarting terrorists.

The 16-year-old boy was removed from a Southwest Airlines flight at Nashville's airport Tuesday and arrested. Authorities said he was calm during the flight, made no apparent attempt to commandeer the plane and had little chance of succeeding had he tried.

Transportation Security Administration spokesman Sterling Payne wouldn't comment on how authorities became suspicious of the teenager, but the agency expressed concern about the items he was allowed to carry on board.

"This case highlights the importance of integrating law enforcement and security," the TSA said in a statement. "None of the items in his possession were prohibited."

The FBI first reported when the arrest was made public Thursday that the boy was also carrying rope, but the TSA described it Friday as yarn.

The FBI also had said Thursday that a search of his California home revealed a "mock cockpit." Nashville prosecutor Jon Seaborg said what was found in the home was "a photograph of the inside of a small aircraft, something you'd find in a bookstore."

The FBI also had described the boy as suicidal, but federal officials and prosecutors would not comment on that claim Friday.

Nashville-area prosecutors and court officials said the teen pleaded guilty Friday

to a "delinquent act," but they refused to provide other details. A juvenile court judge ordered the boy sent back to California for disposition of that charge and other charges pending against him.

The boy's name has not been released because of his age.

Federal prosecutors were still deciding whether federal counts were warranted.

A law enforcement official, speaking on condition of anonymity because of the teen's juvenile status, said the boy was from Novato, Calif., a suburb of San Francisco, but could not elaborate.

Charles Slepian, an airline security consultant with the Foreseeable Risk Analysis Center in New York, said security screeners could have held the suspect if they felt if he or the contents of his baggage were suspicious.

"If they had some reason to believe he's a threat, he shouldn't be on the plane in the first place," Slepian said.

Slepian said whether or not the items were prohibited, the combination of them "should rise to the level of additional inquiry."

Because of security advancements after the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks, the teenager likely could not have taken control of the plane anyway, Slepian said.

"I don't know how he could hijack the airplane with handcuffs, rope and duct tape," Slepian said. "There is no way. Even if he had a gun, he can't get into the cockpit. I don't look at this a major threat."

The FBI dismissed television reports Thursday night citing unnamed police sources who told them that the teen was planning to crash the plane into a "Hannah Montana" concert in Lafayette, La. That concert is scheduled for Friday night.

Nevada floods still a mystery

BY MARTIN GRIFFITH

Associated Press Writer

RENO, Nev. Three weeks after a canal break swamped hundreds of homes in the northern Nevada town of Fernley, authorities are still puzzled over the cause of the rupture.

Betsy Rieke, area manager for the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, said separate teams of outside experts and government personnel are investigating possible causes.

"We may never be able to pinpoint the specific cause," Rieke told The Associated Press. "The evidence in that specific area where the break occurred has washed away."

Officials have speculated about causes, including structural weaknesses in the century-old earthen irrigation canal, rodents such as gophers and muskrats that could have punched holes in it, and unusually heavy rain.

The flood occurred during a potent storm that also dumped up to 11 feet of snow in the nearby Sierra Nevada.

Rieke said her agency will try to come up with permanent solutions to prevent future breaks after the teams issue separate reports later this winter. The Jan. 5 rupture was the sixth in the canal's history.

"We need to be sure that the canal will be safe before water is again delivered into it," Rieke said. "We don't know yet when water can flow again in the canal."

The reclamation bureau owns the 32-mile canal that takes water from the Truckee

River south to Fallon-area farmers, while the Truckee-Carson Irrigation District operates and maintains it under a contract with the bureau.

President Bush has declared the high-desert town 30 miles east of Reno a national disaster area, making federal relief available to those whose homes were inundated.

More than 300 individuals and families have registered for assistance so far through the Federal Emergency Management Agency, agency officials said Friday.

Crews have begun making permanent repairs to a 50-foot section of the canal that ruptured. Plans call for the breach to be refilled with new, stronger material, including cobble rock.

Ernie Schank, president of the irrigation district, said he has talked with members of both investigative groups and doubts a cause for the breach will be determined.

"I think they'll probably say this could have been it. That's my assumption," he said.

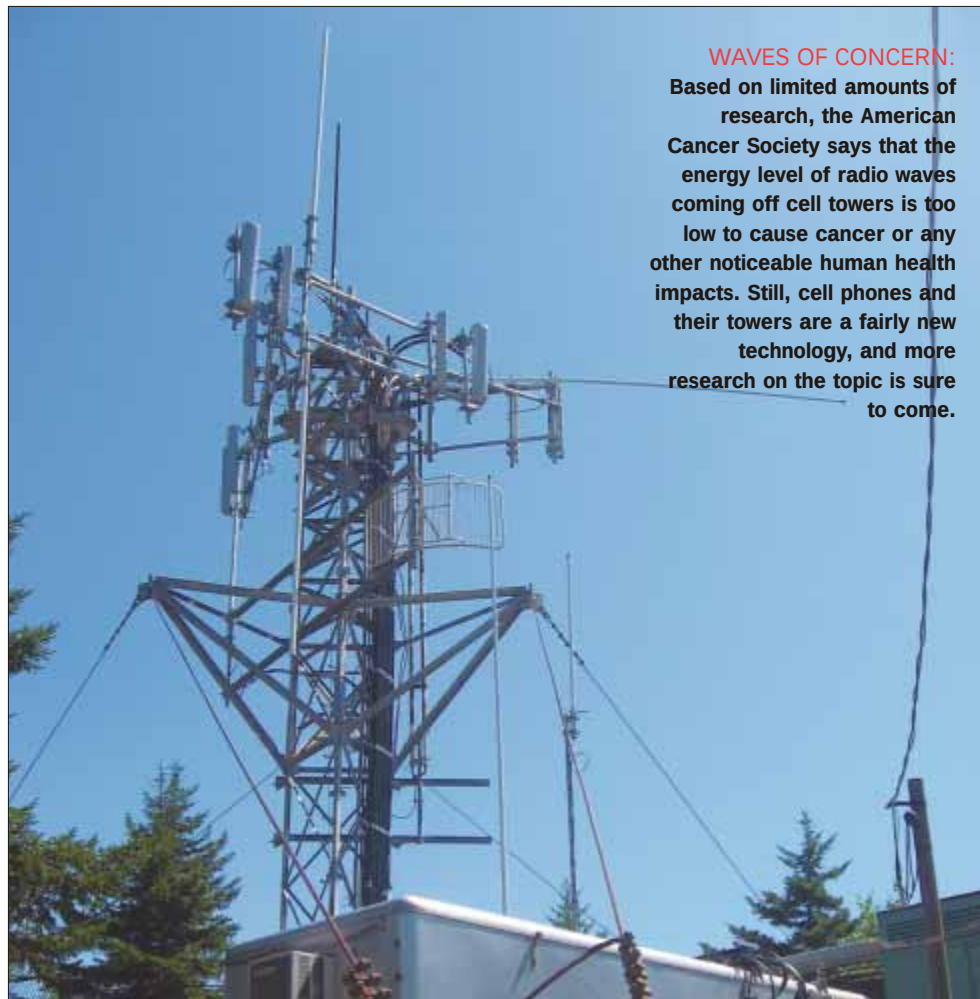
Unlike the team of outside experts, the group of personnel from the reclamation bureau, irrigation district, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and city of Fernley also will issue recommendations in its report.

Possible permanent solutions include lining the canal with cement, strengthening it with cobble rock or widening its banks. Some also have suggested limiting where development can occur in the fast-growing city of about 20,000.



Earth Talk

By the editors of E Magazine

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WAVES OF CONCERN:
Based on limited amounts of research, the American Cancer Society says that the energy level of radio waves coming off cell towers is too low to cause cancer or any other noticeable human health impacts. Still, cell phones and their towers are a fairly new technology, and more research on the topic is sure to come.

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Jury still out on towers

Dear EarthTalk:

My uncle worked for over a decade on the top floor of an office building with cell phone towers directly above him. He was recently diagnosed with cancer. Is there any scientific evidence of links between exposure to cell phone tower radiation and cancer?

Jennifer L., Wellesley, MA

NO ONE DOUBTS THAT CELL PHONE towers give off low-level radio-frequency radiation (similar to the microwave oven in your home), but scientists are still debating the health effects of long-term exposure. Some people are genetically predisposed to certain types of cancers, while others are not (for example, some lifelong smokers get lung cancer while others don't). And with so many different chemicals, pollutants and other substances around us in our air, food and water, it is very difficult to determine with certainty if a particular environmental influence (such as a cell phone tower) is the culprit when health problems, such as cancer, arise in a particular locale or among certain populations.

But that hasn't stopped many communities from worrying about this issue and taking cautionary measures. In San Francisco, for instance, concerned individuals and neighborhood groups have formed the San Francisco Neighborhood Antenna-Free Union (SNAFU) for the purpose of preventing "the placement of wireless antennas on or near residences, schools, health care centers, day care centers, senior centers, playgrounds, places of worship, and other inappropriate locations..."

SNAFU is worried that San Francisco is "already immersed in a sea of electromagnetic radiation" from, among other sources, some 2,500 licensed cell phone antennas at 530 locations around the city. The group is distributing petitions calling on local public officials to increase "restrictions on the

number and location of cellular phone antennas and other wireless transmitters." Other controversies have erupted in communities in Connecticut and elsewhere over churches renting their rooftops and steeples to cell phone companies for placement of antennas. And parents in Ossining, New York waged an unsuccessful battle in 2000 to ban revenue-generating cell towers from school grounds.

Still, the American Cancer Society (ACS) does not seem concerned, stating that limited epidemiological evidence suggests no link between cancers and living or working near a cell phone tower. ACS says that the energy level of radio waves coming off cell towers is too low to cause any noticeable human health impacts, and that a person would have to stand right in front of an antenna to pick up even trace amounts of radiation. And unlike X-rays or gamma rays, radio-frequency electromagnetic radiation is "non-ionizing," meaning it lacks the gusto to break the bonds that hold molecules (like DNA) in cells together.

Still, cell phones and their towers are a fairly new technology, and very few studies of their health effects have yet been conducted. And the bulk of the research cited by the American Cancer Society has focused on direct and prolonged exposure to radio-frequency electromagnetic radiation in general, not on cell towers and their effects specifically. SNAFU reports that "no systematic attempt has been made to determine what current cumulative exposures to this radiation are..." Lingering public concerns about the issue surely means that more research on the topic is to come.

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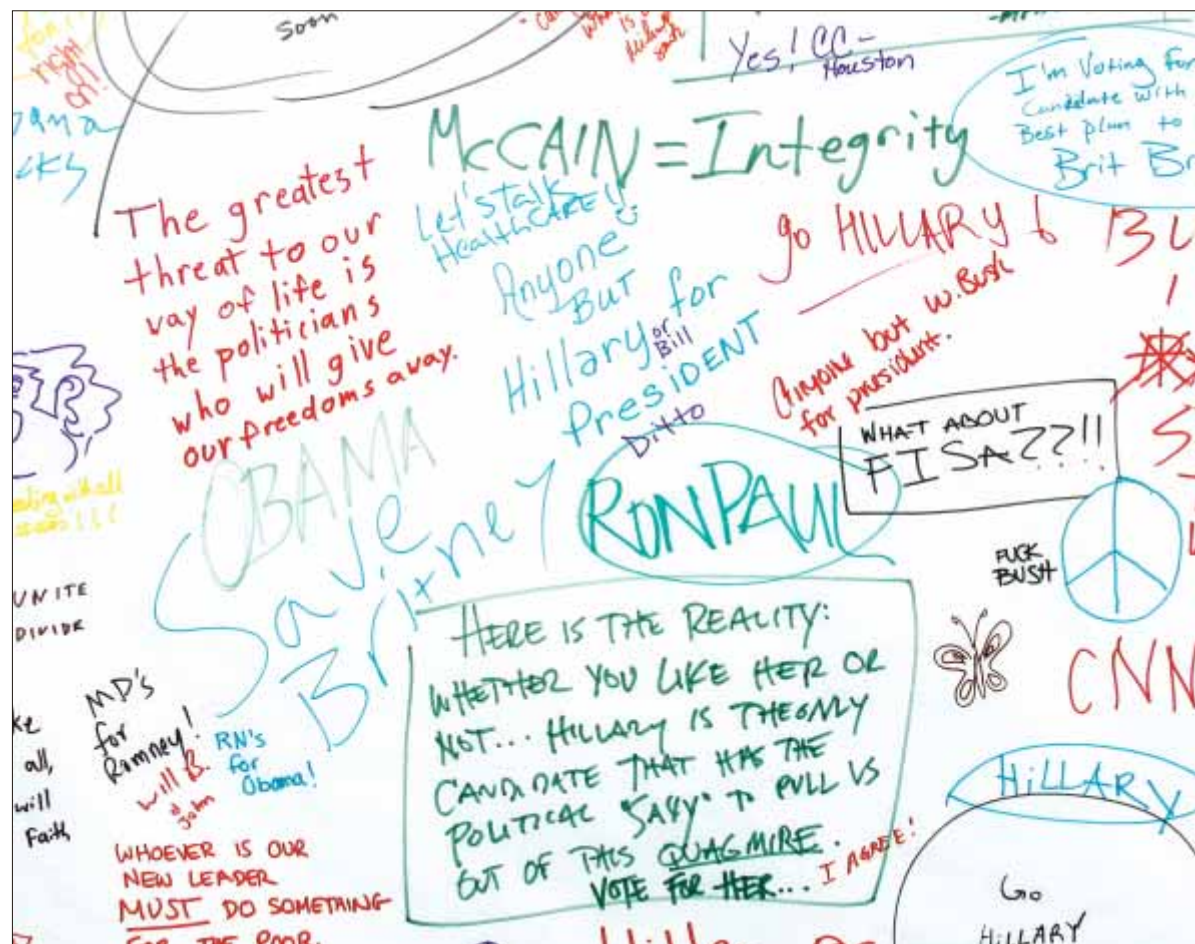
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GOING POLITICAL ON THE PROMENADE: (Clockwise from above) Visitors to the CNN Election Express bus which made a stop in Santa Monica on Saturday were urged to write their political beliefs on a huge piece of paper displayed outside of the trailer. CNN staffers passed out buttons to participants who took part in any of the many activities they offered to passersby. Jason Chiu (right) of West Los Angeles collects buttons from Ryan Mooney, a CNN staff member.

CNN's Election Express Yourself caravan comes to town

BY CHIARA CANZI | Special to the Daily Press

PROMENADE To gauge public opinion on the upcoming presidential elections, the CNN Election Express Yourself caravan hits hot spots along the campaign trail and on Saturday, Santa Monica was its first Southern California stop.

CNN staffers handed out specialized buttons to anybody interested in expressing their opinion regarding the race for the White House and apparently found quite a few takers on the Third Street Promenade. On average, the CNN button-makers make from 500 to 1,000 buttons during their stops and staffers give out CNN hats and stickers to participants.

The 45-foot retro air steam trailer, co-sponsored by Time Warner Cable, is equipped with a polling station, message boards and a button-making station.

Tanis Lickhatter chose the "I'm pro _____" button.

She intently filled in the blank,

but for her, the choice was simple: "I am a Hillary supporter," said the Malibu resident. "She is very bright and she is the perfect candidate to become president."

Lickhatter was one of many onlookers who came forward and let their beliefs be known for all to see on Saturday.

"The button idea is great because people can see the one you are wearing and they start asking questions," she added.

"We want to let the voters express what they feel about politics," said John Dance, a producer and on-air promoter for CNN. "With buttons, they can express their views freely."

Santa Monica resident and

Santa Barbara firefighter Fred Tan sported an "I'm pro Ron Paul" button. He was happy to take the on-the-spot survey whose questions focused exclusively on Iraq.

"I am anti-war," he said, "and I am pro Ron Paul for two reasons: First he wants to pull our troops out of Iraq and it's not fair that American people are dying for the economy."

Tan also supports Paul for his track record.

"He is a doctor, he has written six books on the economy and is against printing more and more money. We just don't have it," he said.

Even for the undecided, the CNN button fest offers options. Santa Monica resident Brian Frates stopped at the button table and carefully inspected the different choices. He picked up an "I am anti _____" button, but he put it down. He skipped the "_____ for president" one and went directly to "I'm pro _____." At least, he says, people can write about issues and not people necessarily, pointing to a woman's

"I'm anti everything" and "I'm pro peace" buttons.

"My position is still up in the air," said Frates. "There is a problem in the American voting system: The most qualified people don't have the chance to become president."

Democrats Bill Richardson and Joe Biden are the perfect example, he said.

"They both have immense experience but because they don't have the money they are not considered legitimate candidates," Frates said. "I think people are interested in progress, but there are far too many people in this country who don't exercise their right to vote."

And that is exactly what CNN had in mind when the news organization launched the program.

"We know at heart each voter is an independent thinker," said Dance. "The caravan and the buttons are a way to make politics fun and to touch base with viewers in a personal way."

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John Dance, Producer and on-air promoter for CNN

will be the Simi Valley Town Center on Monday, the Reagan Library on Tuesday and Wednesday for the Republican presidential debates and finally the Kodak Theatre on Thursday for the Democrat presidential debates.

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COMMUNITY PROFILES | RENÈ BUCHANAN

OPCC alum decides to give back

FROM CP PAGE 1

Vista, Buchanan is giving back to the shelter that gave her a second chance at life, volunteering part-time and hoping to pass that same second chance along to someone else.

"They don't treat you like you're mentally ill," Buchanan said of OPCC. "You're a human being first."

While Buchanan currently lives in an apartment with her dogs in the Pico Neighborhood, her life was a completely different story back in the late 1980s when she left her job in bank management to deal with a bout of depression.

Buchanan spent several years in and out of hospitals, dealing with depression and battling suicidal thoughts, receiving treatments for mental illnesses she said she didn't have.

The years between 1994 and 1998 are completely lost from her memory, a result from years of a combination of shock therapy treatments and medication. It was in 1998 that she first became homeless, staying with friends on the Westside and at Daybreak as she dealt with her depression.

IT'S AN AMAZING FEELING WHEN YOU HAVE NO SELF-WORTH AND SOMEONE BUYS SOMETHING THAT YOU'VE MADE."

Renè Buchanan
OPCC alum

After leaving Daybreak about a year later, she moved into an apartment in Mar Vista while still receiving hospital treatments for schizophrenia. The hospital staff reportedly told Buchanan she shouldn't be left alone and encouraged her to enter a sober living facility, although the Santa Monica had been sober for about 10 years at that point.

She followed the doctor's orders and began staying in a sober living home in Mar Vista around 2000. It was during her stay at



BUCHANAN

the facility that she came into contact with a therapist who finally gave Buchanan a straight answer — she was suffering from post traumatic stress disorder and it was curable.

"It was at that point the recovery began," Buchanan said. "I felt I wasn't destined to be sick for the rest of my life and that I could actually recover."

After leaving the sober living facility in December 2001, Buchanan landed on the door step of OPCC where officials assigned

her to Samoshel for three months. In March 2002, she was transferred to Daybreak where she would spend the next 11 months, participating in various programs, including quilting and jewelry making.

After finishing the program a few years ago, Buchanan joined the staff at OPCC and remained as a full-time employee until last fall when she was hired to work at the Perfect Pet Rescue in Mar Vista where she's been a part-time volunteer since 2003.

Despite the challenges she faced in her life, Buchanan said she understands how fortunate she is to avoid ever living on the streets of Santa Monica, hearing stories from fellow Daybreak clients.

The jewelry-making program is one in which Buchanan is still active, helping to coordinate Daybreak-sponsored annual jewelry fairs.

"It's an amazing feeling when you have no self-worth and someone buys something that you've made," she said. "It helps you realize that you do have some worth."

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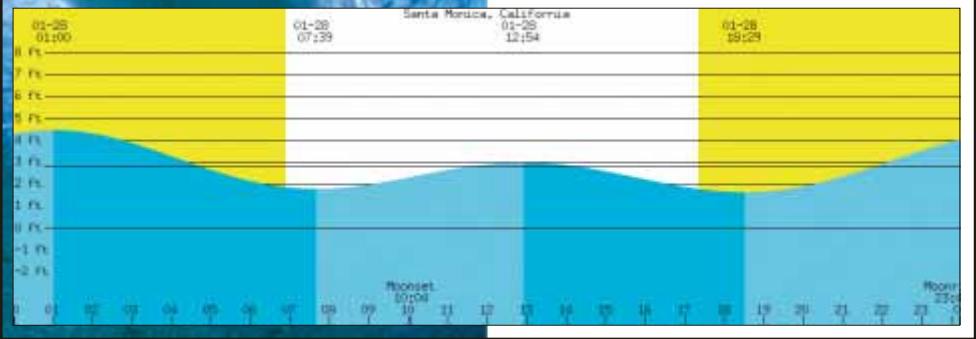


SURF CONDITIONS
WATER TEMP: 55°

SWELL FORECAST (9-13 FT)
Today should still see sloppy wind swell but with somewhat smaller size from Sunday, mostly chest high or so, but still sloppy from the south, west, and NW. Tide doesn't look bad with fairly normal levels. Winds should subside some from today, but with a westerly, onshore influence. There'll still be a good chance for foul weather on Monday as well.

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January 22, 2008

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QUICK STATS
(for the last 28 days)
Number of sewage spills -- 0
Number of beach closures due to a sewage spill -- 0
Number of wet days -- 7
Number of A grades for dry/wet weather -- 39 / 16
Number of (C,D,F) grades for dry/wet weather -- 6 / 25

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Heal the Bay reminds you not to swim or surf within 100 yards of any flowing storm drain or for 3 days after a rainstorm. After a rain, indicator bacteria counts at beaches throughout California usually far exceed health criteria in the state's Beach Closure and Health Warning Protocol.

LOCATION	DRY	WET
Leo Carrillo Beach, at Arroyo Sequit Creek mouth (leocarrillo)	A+	A+
Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth	A+	F
El Pescador State Beach, between Lachusa and Los Aliso creeks	A+	A+
Encinal Canyon at El Matador State Beach	A+	A+
Broad Beach at Trancas Creek mouth	A+	B
Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth	A+	A
Walnut Creek, projection of Wildlife Rd. (private)	A+	A+
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth	D	F
Escondido Creek, just east of Escondido State Beach	A+	C
Latigo Canyon Creek mouth	A+	F
Solstice Canyon at Dan Blocker County Beach	A+	D
Puerco State Beach at creek mouth	A	F
Marie Canyon storm drain at Puerco Beach, at 24572 Malibu Rd.	A+	F
Surfrider Beach at Malibu Colony fence	A+	A
Surfrider Beach (breach location)- daily	F	F
Malibu Pier - 50 yards east	B	D
Carbon Beach at Sweetwater Canyon	D	F
Las Flores State Beach at Las Flores Creek (point zero)	A+	A
Big Rock Beach at 19948 PCH stairs	F	B
Pena Creek at Las Tunas County Beach	A+	A+
Tuna Canyon	A+	F
Topanga State Beach at creek mouth	B	C
Castlerock Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	F	ns
Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	A+	F
Will Rogers State Beach at 17200 PCH (1/4 mile east of Sunset drain)	A+	F

LEGEND
DRY -- each location is graded on an A – F scale based on bacterial pollution levels present in the surf zone
WET -- grades for days of recorded rainfall and the following 3 days
ns -- no sample taken



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NFL

Belichick, Coughlin actually are friends

BY DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

One evening last March during the NFL meetings in Phoenix, a group of folks leaving a restaurant encountered Tom Coughlin and Dick Jauron dining with their wives on the outdoor terrace.

Nothing unusual about that — Jauron, Buffalo's coach, was once Coughlin's defensive coordinator in Jacksonville.

Bill Belichick wasn't there. He doesn't spend much time at owners' meetings. But if he had been present, he might have been sitting with Coughlin and Jauron, among the few NFL coaches for whom the Patriots coach has any genuine affection. Add Cleveland's Romeo Crennel and you might have the entire list of peers Belichick truly likes.

That makes next Sunday's Super Bowl almost a love fest between two men perceived to be among the NFL's least lovable coaches: Belichick and Coughlin, portrayed by television cameras and sometimes his own New York Giants players as the ultimate grumpy old man. It's more dramatic because Coughlin can keep Belichick from making history with the first 19-0 team in NFL history.

"Tom and I have a good relationship," Belichick said this week.

"We go way back to the '80s there at the Giants. We worked together closely, as a secondary coach and a receiver coach would. He's a good personal friend, and Judy and his family. We've spent time with them away from football, whether it was at Boston College, Jacksonville and so forth. I respect Tom. I think he's an outstanding coach and wish him well in every game but this one."

Coughlin, reminiscing 200 or so miles away, recalled when he and Belichick would sit up late at night working on drills for Coughlin's receivers and Belichick's defensive backs.

"It was always competitive, but competitive in a way that would help our team," Coughlin said. "We developed a relationship of cooperation then. He's done an excellent, excellent job."

OK. Mutual admiration platitudes.

But there actually seems to be a sense of real camaraderie between the Super Bowl adversaries, who were together on what has to be one of the best staffs ever, the Giants of the late 1980s who beat Buffalo in the Super Bowl following the 1990 season. It was headed by Bill Parcells and included Coughlin, Belichick, Crennel; former Jets and current Virginia coach Al Groh; and Notre Dame coach Charlie Weis.

Not to mention Ray Handley, who got the Giants' job when Parcells stepped down in the spring of 1991.

"I always thought both of them were going to be pretty good," Parcells quipped this week about his two former assistants, even noting that he and Belichick were on the outs for a while — "a little difference of opinion on a couple of things," is how the Tuna put it.

Belichick has been on the outs with a lot of coaches since Week 1 this year, when one of his former proteges, the Jets' Eric Mangini, turned him into the NFL for videotaping defensive signals. Belichick was fined \$500,000, and the team was fined \$250,000 and lost its first-round draft pick, though the Patriots still have the seventh overall, obtained from San Francisco.

The Patriots used the episode and the resentment it caused as incentive in a 16-0 regular season, now 18-0 after two playoff wins.

But the resentment among NFL coaches, which had simmered as the Patriots won Super Bowls after the 2001, 2003 and 2004 seasons, became a little more open. It was most likely reciprocal. While Belichick never says anything overtly nasty, there's an over-riding feel that he disdains many of his colleagues, whom he feels aren't quite as smart as he is.

Coughlin isn't in that category.

As monomaniacal about the game as the Giants coach can be, Belichick was off his radar until the final game of the regular season. The Patriots won 38-35 to complete an unbeaten season, but the Giants were bolstered for the playoffs by showing they could stay with the best. And the two coaches remained friends through Coughlin's stints



WE GO WAY BACK TO THE '80S THERE AT THE GIANTS. WE WORKED TOGETHER CLOSELY, AS A SECONDARY COACH AND A RECEIVER COACH WOULD."

Bill Belichick
Patriots head coach

with Jacksonville and now with the Giants.

In his first three seasons in New York, Coughlin's obsessive ways often put him in conflict with his players.

In 2004, his first season in New York, he antagonized Michael Strahan by fining him for "not being early enough" to a team meeting — Coughlin's rule was that to be on time, a player had to be 5 minutes early. With Strahan, Tiki Barber, Jeremy Shockey and a few others, he inherited stars and self-defined team leaders with huge egos.

The clash was immediate and debilitating on both sides.

But this season, his fourth with the Giants, Coughlin has moderated and Barber's retirement seems to have left the locker room a happier place. Indeed, the coach and Strahan now form a mutual admiration society.

And Coughlin can coach. He is sixth among active coaches with 110 regular- and post-season victories, and 32nd all time. His job was in jeopardy after an 0-2 start, but it's not any more — at 60, he's expected to get a long-term contract extension after the Super Bowl.

He's also mellowed, instituting a council of team leaders to help him run things.

Is he easier to be around? More interesting? Sort of.

"Have his pep talks gotten peppier? I think his pep talks are a little bit better," said wide receiver Amani Toomer, with Strahan the last players left from the Giants' Super Bowl trip seven years ago.

Belichick's teams have been winning since 2001. So when he talks they listen.

Big winners

‘No Country for Old Men’ earns Coen brothers a nod from guild

JOEL AND ETHAN COEN won the top prize from the Directors Guild of America on Saturday for “No Country for Old Men,” giving them the inside track for the same honor at the Academy Awards – assum-

ing the Oscars go on amid the writers strike. “Oh, we get two of them,” Ethan Coen said when he and his brother were presented with their trophies. The Coens were only

the second two-person team to win the Directors Guild honor, following Robert Wise and Jerome Robbins for 1961’s “West Side Story.” “Ethan and I have a bookshelf in our office

where we keep various plaques and such that we’ve gotten over the years that we call our ego corner,” Joel Coen said. When brother Ethan is having a bad day, he goes over with Windex and sil-

ver polish and “spit shines his medals for an hour or two,” Joel Coen said. “It makes him feel better. This is a really big one, in every respect. It’s going to keep him busy.”

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JOHANSSON LOVES OBAMA

SCARLETT JOHANSSON returned from the Persian Gulf with a whole lot of soldiers’ trinkets and a delusion of her own engagement – to Barack Obama. “I am engaged ... to Barack Obama,” Johansson joked in an interview with The Associated Press on Thursday. “My heart belongs to Barack, and that is who I am currently, finally, engaged to. Yes.”

Johansson, who showed her support for the Democratic presidential candidate at the Iowa caucus earlier this month, was really just deflecting a question about rumors she might be engaged (to actor-beau Ryan Reynolds).

AP

Miss Michigan crowned Miss America

MISS MICHIGAN KIRSTEN HAGLUND, a 19-year-old aspiring Broadway star, was crowned Miss America 2008 on Saturday in a live show billed as the unveiling of the 87-year-old pageant’s new, hipper look. Haglund, of Farmington Hills, Mich., sang “Over the Rainbow” and walked a crowd-pleasing strut in a black and gold bikini to clinch the title. She beat Miss Indiana Nicole Elizabeth Rash, the first runner up, and Miss Washington Elyse Umemoto, the second runner up for the \$50,000 scholarship and year of travel that comes with the crown. Haglund, who studies music at the University of Cincinnati, grew up in a pageant family. Her

mother is an active volunteer, and her grandmother Iora Hunt, competed for the crown as Miss Michigan 1944. Hunt joined Haglund at a news conference. “The only words that come to my mind is that this is a dream come true, not just for me but for my family as well,” Haglund said. “I’m not just standing up here alone.” Haglund, a cheery, classic blond, wore a revealing silver sequined dress and black bikini during the evening gown and swimsuit portions of the pageant. As her platform issue, she promised to advocate for awareness of eating disorders, an illness from which she has recovered.

The crowning at the Planet Hollywood Resort & Casino on the Las Vegas Strip was aired for the first time on TLC. It capped a four-week reality series, “Miss America: Reality Check,” which followed the contestants as they were pushed to shed the dated look of Miss Americas past and adopt a more updated style. The show was the latest in a series of attempts to find an audience with a younger demographic after more than a decade of declining ratings.

AP



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Say yes to living, Aries

Happy Birthday!

Often this year you will need to start from square one. How you deal with someone and the end results could vary substantially, as you often note confusion or mixed messages. Learn to confirm what you have heard. If you have a meeting, do make sure you are on the same page as others. These little tips can save you a lot of time this year, because you won't have time to waste!



Born Today

Actor Elijah Wood (1981)
Artist Jackson Pollock (1912)
Actor Alan Alda (1936)

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ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ Others continue to have the cards stacked in their favor. You might wonder if that implies that the cards are not stacked in your favor. Not necessarily, especially if your people skills are good. Work with others' ideas. Tonight: Say yes to living.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★ Responsibilities call. You must answer and handle the demands in your life. How you deal with someone, what you do and your decisions could define your ability to relate. Curb wild spending if possible. Tonight: Easy does it.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★★ Your playfulness might be misunderstood, though you cannot see why. Don't allow someone to get to you or cause a problem. Be true to your values, and you will be very happy. Tonight: You might be playful, but others might not be.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★ You might want to make your workplace more like home and treat co-workers more like family. You function best in this type of surrounding or situation. Create situations that work. You will love the end results. Tonight: Order in.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★★ Zero in on what you want. Do be careful with your choices. Listen carefully to someone you really care about. He or she will help you manifest a forgotten desire. Tonight: Hanging out is fun to do.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★ You could be out of kilter as the day progresses. How you deal with this and the choices you make as a result might need rethinking in the near future. Pull back. You have much to laugh about. Think positively. Tonight: Curb wild spending.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★★ You are all smiles as long as you remain positive. Possibility is your middle name. Don't let a nagging feeling or insecurity dominate. Once more, your abilities prove to be more than competent. Tonight: Do absolutely what you want.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★ Take your time and move forward. You might need to spend time with yourself in order to get to the bottom of a problem. Your vision might change dramatically given time. A friend could start waffling out of the blue. Tonight: Easy does it.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★★ Zero in on what you want. Because of an underlying tone of confusion, some of you might need to pull back and rethink your priorities. Success will come through this process. Don't allow yourself to become overwhelmed. Tonight: As you like.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ You might want to rethink a situation or approach it a lot differently. Investigate and attempt to improve a situation. Listen to someone you care about. You might not have the control you desire. Tonight: Let others know where you stand.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★★ Take the high road, and you will be a lot happier. Others might want to pull you down, especially a key partner. Don't take this person's actions personally. Just know that he or she is in a rut. Tonight: Movie time.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ Work with a key associate to get the reaction you desire. Sometimes you push way too hard for your own good. Know when to say you have had enough. Tonight: Be sensitive to someone you care about.

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Atonement (R)
1:50, 4:45, 7:45, 10:35
Cloverfield (PG-13)
3:10, 5:15, 7:30, 9:50
The Great Debaters (PG-13)
1:45, 7:15
How She Move (PG-13)
1:00, 3:20, 5:40, 8:00, 10:25
I Am Legend (PG-13)
4:30, 10:15
The Kite Runner
12:25

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27 Dresses (PG-13)
11:00am, 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00
Charlie Wilson's War (R)
11:45am, 2:20, 5:00, 7:30, 10:10
Cloverfield (PG-13)
10:50am, 1:10, 3:30, 5:50, 8:20, 10:45
National Treasure: Book of Secrets (PG)
1:00, 3:50, 6:50, 9:55
P.S. I Love You (PG-13)
3:30, 6:25
Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street (R)
11:10am, 2:00, 4:50, 7:40, 10:30
There Will Be Blood (R)
12:00, 3:20, 6:45, 10:10
Untraceable (R)
11:20am, 1:45, 4:20, 7:00, 9:45

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The Diving Bell and the Butterfly (Le Scaphandre et le papillon) (PG-13)
1:30, 4:20, 7:10, 9:55
Juno (PG-13)
12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00
No Country for Old Men (R)
1:15, 4:05, 7:00, 9:55
Persepolis (PG-13)
12:45, 3:00, 5:25, 7:50, 10:15

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The Bucket List (PG-13)
11:50am, 2:10, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30
Cassandra's Dream (PG-13)
11:40am, 2:40, 5:20, 7:50, 10:30
Mad Money (PG-13)
12:10, 2:30, 5:00, 7:20, 10:10
Meet the Spartans (PG-13)
12:30, 2:50, 5:10, 7:30, 10:00, 12:10am
Michael Clayton (R)
1:10, 4:20, 7:40, 10:20
Rambo (R)
12:00, 2:20, 4:40, 7:10, 9:40, 12:00am

Janric Classic Sudoku

Fill in the blank cells using numbers 1 to 9. Each number can appear only once in each row, column, and 3x3 block. Use logic and process of elimination to solve the puzzle. The difficulty level ranges from Bronze (easiest) to Silver to Gold (hardest).

Difficulty
BRONZE

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		5	8		2	4		
	8			3			6	9

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GETTING STARTED

There are many strategies to solving Sudoku. One way to begin is to examine each 3x3 grid and figure out which numbers are missing. Then, based on the other numbers in the row and column of each blank cell, find which of the missing numbers will work. Eliminating numbers will eventually lead you to the answer.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

7	1	9	4	6	8	3	2	5
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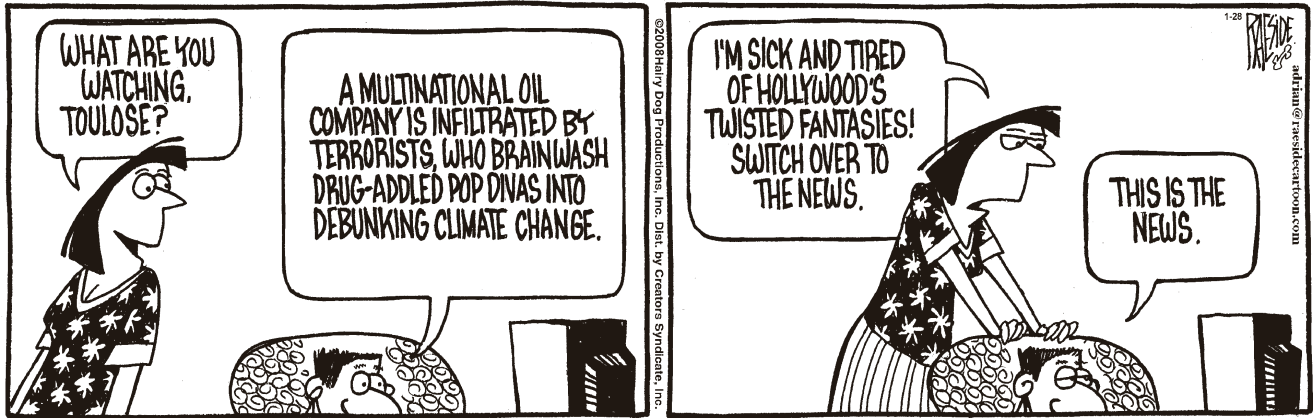
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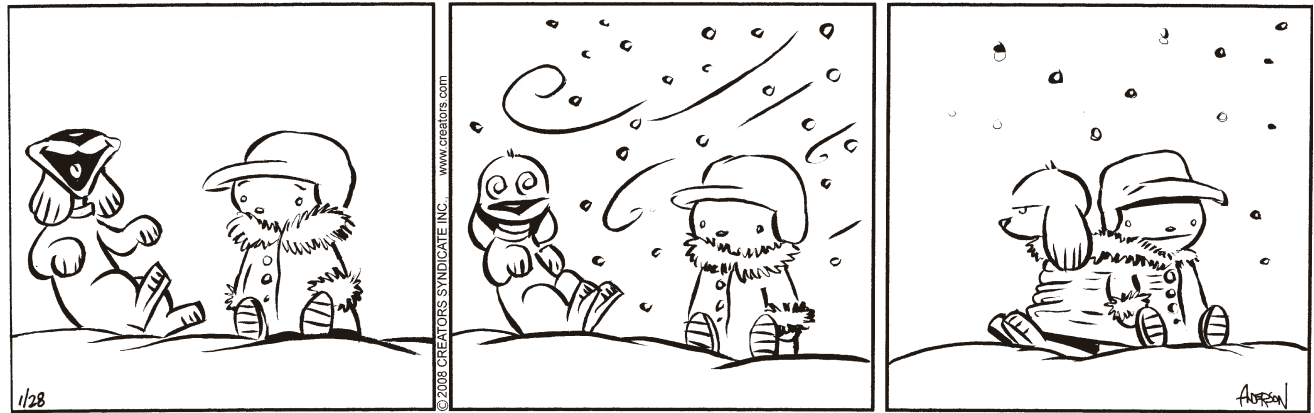
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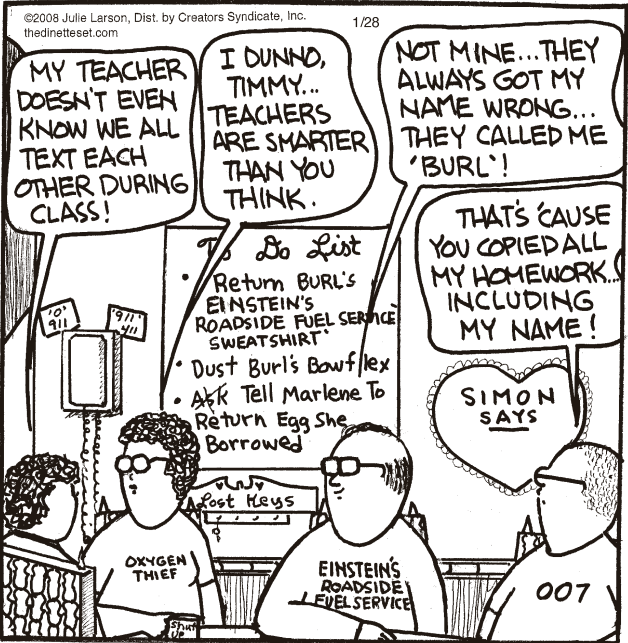


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ACROSS

- 1 Quilt piece
- 6 Sun-powered
- 11 Florence's nation
- 12 Binding material
- 13 Handed over
- 14 Holds a lease
- 15 Diva's song
- 17 Box of tools
- 18 Occasional
- 22 Domes-ticated
- 23 Not out
- 27 Corrosive liquids
- 29 "Love Story" writer
- 30 Outfits
- 32 First name in scat singing
- 33 Char-treuse cousin
- 35 Funny fellow
- 38 Harp's kin
- 39 Perfect
- 41 Bye, in Baja
- 45 Impel
- 46 Pack animal

- 47 Bugs bugs him
- 48 Alacrity

- DOWN
- 1 Snap
 - 2 Had a bite
 - 3 Wee bit
 - 4 Got brighter
 - 5 Many-headed monster
 - 6 Narrow passages
 - 7 Be in the red
 - 8 Chain part
 - 9 Opposed to
 - 10 Take a breather
 - 16 Lupino of films

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Saturday's answer

- 18 Doe's mate
- 19 Tempo
- 20 Over-look
- 21 Got happier
- 24 Eyeball
- 25 Like ganders
- 26 Verve
- 28 School primer
- 31 Pro-nounce
- 34 Collars
- 35 Woman with a ring
- 36 Object of worship
- 37 Semester
- 40 Court feat
- 42 Rage
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NEWS OF THE WEIRD
BY CHUCK SHEPARD

■ Holdup-Note Blues: Arthur Cheney, 64, was arrested near Marysville, Calif., in December driving a car that had been spotted at a bank robbery. On the center console of the car, officers found a yellow "sticky" note with a handwritten "Robbery -- 100s and 50s only." Said an officer, "We call that a clue." And Orlando Taylor, 26, was arrested walking in the door of a Bank of America in New York City in December. Police suspected he was up to no good because he had a holdup note in his pocket (and an employee identified him from a prior robbery). ■ Wayne DuMond, who made News of the Weird in 1988, was briefly notable in December 2007 as part of the Republican presidential race. DuMond was an Arkansas rape suspect in 1984 (later convicted) when he said that vigilantes castrated him, and the evidence of that wound up in a jar on the desk of the sheriff of St. Francis County (a prop the sheriff used in law-enforcement speeches). DuMond sued the sheriff, from prison, for intentional infliction of emotional distress and in 1988 won \$110,000. His name recently resurfaced because a subsequent Arkansas governor, Mike Huckabee, allegedly persuaded the parole board to release DuMond, supposedly under pressure from evangelical Christians skeptical of his guilt. However, after being paroled, DuMond killed a Missouri woman, was convicted again, and died in prison in 2005.

TODAY IN HISTORY

1986 the space shuttle Challenger exploded 73 seconds after liftoff from the Kennedy Space Center, killing all seven of its crew members: flight commander Francis R. "Dick" Scobee; pilot Michael Smith; Ronald McNair; Ellison Onizuka; Judith Resnik; Gregory Jarvis; and schoolteacher Christa McAuliffe.
1547 England's King Henry the VIII died; he was succeeded by his 9-year-old son, Edward the VI.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072805337 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE BEST CHAI EVER; AI #/ON 3003195, 3133 COOLIDGE AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90066. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GHP HOLDINGS CORPORATION, 3133 COOLIDGE AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90066 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: GHP HOLDINGS CORPORATION; PAUL LEVINE; CEO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/20/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/7/2008, 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008

Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record # 20072815988
Current File No. 06 2834055
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
MERLO GENERAL CONSTRUCTION
located at 8118 GREENVALE AVE., PICO RIVERA, CA 90060
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 12/20/06
In the county of LOS ANGELES.
GLORIA HERRERA, 8118 GREENVALE AVE., PICO RIVERA, CA 90060
This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
/s/ GLORIA HERRERA
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 12/21/07. Published: SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS 1/7/2008, 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072815639 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SINGIAN LAW, 1489 EAST COLORADO BLVD., SUITE 206, PASADENA, CA 91106. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LIZZLE SINGIAN, 824 N. LORRI WAY, WALNUT, CA 91789 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: LIZZLE SINGIAN
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/21/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/7/2008, 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072844064 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MAGANAS ORNAMENTAL IRONWORK, 4302 PACIFIC WAY, COMMERCE, CA 90023. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ERICA HERNANDEZ, 9618 JUNIPER ST., LA, CA 90002 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/30/2007. /s/: ERICA HERNANDEZ
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/27/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/7/2008, 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072826057 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LA IMPORTS, 5326 S. BROADWAY, LOS ANGELES, CA 90037. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ANTONIO VAZQUEZ, 1022 W. 110 ST., LA, CA 90044 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/1/1992. /s/: ANTONIO VAZQUEZ

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/24/07. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of

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a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/7/2008, 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072845475 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as J KONNEXION, 20211 RIM RIDGE, WALNUT, CA 91789. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CHRISTOPHER YUI BING, 20211 RIM RIDGE, WALNUT, CA 91789; XAVIER COVARRUBIAS, 948 CHAPARRAL DR., WALNUT, CA 91789 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: CHRISTOPHER YUI; XAVIER COVARRUBIAS
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Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record # 20072845691
Current File No. 04 2828160
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
DZ TRADING
located at 4050 LYND AVE., ARCADIA, CA 91006
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 11/01/04
In the county of LOS ANGELES.
LI, DAJUN, 115 W. ST. ANDREWS ST., ONTARIO, CA 91702; HOU, ZHE, 115 W. ST. ANDREWS ST., ONTARIO, CA 91762
This business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP
/s/ LI, DAJUN
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 12/27/07. Published: SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS 1/7/2008, 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080066766 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as COMFORT CARE GROUP, 279 N. FLORENCE ST. , BURBANK, CA. 91505. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : STEVE MORCHADO, 279 N. FLORENCE ST. BURBANK, CA. 91505 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/1/1997. /s/: STEVE M. CORCHADO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/11/2008. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 2007279157 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as WESTSIDE RENTAL HOMES, WESTSIDE RENTAL HOMES DOT COM, 1223 WILSHIRE BLVD. #867 SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : NORA BOHANON, 1223 WILSHIRE BLVD. #867, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90403 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: NORA BOHANON
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/19/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072766805 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PIGEON MAN MUSIC, PIGEON MAN RECORDS, 6181 LOCKHURST DR. WOODLAND HILLS, CA. 91367. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RYAN DAVID BEVERIDGE, 6181 LOCKHURST DR. WOODLAND HILLS, CA. 91367, TRICIA ANN HANSEN, 6181 LOCKHURST DR. WOODLAND HILLS, CA. 91367 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)12/18/2002. /s/: RYAN D. BEVERIDGE, TRICIA A. HANSEN
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/18/2002. NOTICE:

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080066764 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as EXTREME KITCHEN, EXTREMEKITCHEN.COM AI# ON 200708510048, 1905 LINCOLN BLVD. VENICE, CA. 90291. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ONERED, LLC, 1202 WILSHIRE BLVD. SANTA MONICA, CA. 90401 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/11/2008. /s/: ONERED, LLC, VICE PRESIDENT, LANI PASCUAL
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/11/2008. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080066765 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CLEAN- GROUP CO-OP, 8820 AVIATION BLVD. INGLEWOOD, CA. 90301. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RAY MARONEY, 8820 AVIATION BLVD. INGLEWOOD, CA. 90301, KEVIN KRAKOWER, 3932 LOS FLORES CYN. RD. MALIBU, CA. 90265 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: KEVIN KRAKOWER
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/11/2008. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080066767 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SANAT KITA-BEVI, 701 BAY STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90405-1216. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KURTULUS OZTOPCU, 701 BAY STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90405 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. SignedThe registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)12/26/2007 s/: KURTULUS OZTOPCU
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/11/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072766949 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MR 2 COOLS TOYS AND MORE, 655 EAST 50TH STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90011. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JOSHUA SMITH, 655 EAST 50TH STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90011 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: JOSHUA SMITH

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/17/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080066768 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NIEMAN CONSTRUCTION, 11719 MAYFIELD AVE. #6, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90049. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PABLO NIEMAN, 11719 MAYFIELD AVE. #6, LOS ANGLS, CA. 90049 This Busi-

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ness is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: PABLO NIEMAN
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/11/2008. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072857195 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as OLISANUGO ENTERPRISES AND GLOBAL VENTURES, 738 N. HUDSON AVE. #5, LA, CA 90038. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : IHOBA O. JASON, 738 N. HUDSON #5, LA, CA 90038 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: IHOBA JASON
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/28/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072855174 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE RED VELVET KING, 2425 12TH AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90018. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JAMES O. MCCLAIN JR., 2425 12TH AVE., L.A., CA 90018 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: JAMES O. MCCLAIN JR.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/28/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080093860 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ECONO GROUP, TMG GLOBAL STRATEGIES, 12039 WEST JEFFERSON BL. CULVER CITY, CA. 90230. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LANELL T. WILLIAMS, 3849 STANLEY AVE. LOS ANGELES, CA. 90008 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/1/2008. /s/: LANELL T. WILLIAMS
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/16/2008. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008, 2/11/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072856282 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JUDGMENT; JUDGMENT CLOTHING; JUDGMENT LAYER, 12429 JERSEY AVE., NORWALK, CA 90650. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LARRY ANGEL RODRIGUEZ, 12429 JERSEY AVE., NORWALK, CA 90650; ANTHONY JEROME RODRIGUEZ, 12429 JERSEY AVE., NORWALK, CA 90650 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: LARRY A. RODRIGUEZ; ANTHONY J. RODRIGUEZ
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/28/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080004824 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CLASSIC TRAINS, 9240 SUNGLOW ST., PICO RIVERA, CA 90660. L.A. COUNTY. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : NICHOLAS E. MESCHER, 9240 SUNGLOW ST., PICO RIVERA, CA 90660 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: NICHOLAS E. MESCHER, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/2/2008. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072867669 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Z/S MART CONVENIENCE, 10527 PALMS BLVD., SUITE 208, LOS ANGELES, CA 90034. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZARNI AUNGI, 10527 PALMS BLVD., SUITE 208, LOS ANGELES, CA 90034 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ZARNI AUNGI
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072857043 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CARS AND AUTOPARTS 24-7 NETWORK, 602 W. 104TH, LA, CA 90044. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : EMORY G. WINKFIELD, 602 W. 104TH, LA, CA 90044 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: EMORY WINKFIELD
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/28/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/14/2008, 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008

Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record # 20080152606
Current File No. 052834866
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
GMJCB
located at 12835 EVANSTON ST. LOS ANGELES, CA. 90049
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 11/21/2005
In the county of LOS ANGELES.
EDWARD B. TENNIS
This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
/s/EDWARD B. TENNIS This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on1/24/2008. Published: SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008. 2/11/2008, 2/18/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080152607 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FIRSST STEPPS, 279 N. FLORENCE ST. , BURBANK, CA. 91505. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : STEVE M. CORCHADO, 279 N. FLORENCE ST. BURBANK, CA. 91505, CHRISTOPHER E. ARTHUR, 14856 CEDARSPRINGS DR. WHITTIER, CA. 90603 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: STEVE M. CORCHADO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080091299 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MAN-GOWISHES, MANGO WISHES, 843 ALANDELE AVE. LOS ANGELES, CA. 90036. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARGARET PARK, 843 ALANDELE AVE. LOS ANGLS, CA. 90036 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/1/2008. /s/: MARGARET PARK
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/1/2008. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008, 2/11/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080108438 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as INTERNET LAW CENTER, 233 WILSHIRE BLVD., STE. 400, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401, LA COUNTY. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : BENNET KELLEY, 2405 34TH ST. #30, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)9/1/2007. /s/: BENNET KELLEY
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/18/08. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008, 2/11/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080108437 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DCB PROPERTIES, 2633 LINCOLN BLVD. #606, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DANIEL BEATTIE, 2633 LINCOLN BLVD. #606, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)9/1/2004. /s/: DANIEL BEATTIE
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/18/2008. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008, 2/11/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080108436 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DANIELS PLUMBING SANTA MONICA, 2633 LINCOLN BLVD. #606, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DANIEL BEATTIE, 2633 LINCOLN BLVD. #606, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/1/1990. /s/: DANIEL BEATTIE
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/18/2008. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 1/21/2008, 1/28/2008, 2/4/2008, 2/11/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080100581 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BRULEE PHOTOGRAPHY, 10719 ROSE AVE #104, LOS ANGELES, CA 90034, LA COUNTY. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : EMILY ENGLE, 10719 ROSE AVE. #104, LOS ANGELES, CA 90034 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: EMILY ENGLE
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/17/2008. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080109971 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Mela Ferrer, 10534 Eastborne Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90025; PO Box 241546, Los Angeles, CA 90024. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Mela Ferrer, 10534 Eastborne Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90025 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Eastborne Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90025

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080100307 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MENDEZ GENERAL CONTRACTORS, 2821 ELM ST. LOS ANGELES, CA 90001. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARTIN MENDEZ 2821 ELM ST. LOS ANGELES, CA 90001 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/17/2008. /s/: MARTIN MENDEZ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080100987 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ALL CLEAR PARKING SERVICES, 1889 WILCOX AVE. #8, MONTEREY PARK, CA. 91755. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : BRIAN KAMEI, 1889 WILCOX AVE. #8, MONTEREY PARK, CA. 91755 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: BRIAN KAMEI

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080100444 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PINNACLE REALTY, 1935 W. IMPERIAL HWY. LOS ANGELES, CA 90047. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KENNETH HARLEY 1935 W. IMPERIAL HWY. LOS ANGELES, CA 90047 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/17/2008. /s/: KENNETH HARLEY

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080100016 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 98 CENTS & UP DISCOUNT STORE, 6033 ROSEMEAD BLVD. PICO RIVERA, CA 90660. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : TUCK C. LIM 517 W. EMERSON AVE. MONTEREY PARK, CA 91754 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/17/2008. /s/: TUCK C. LIM

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080100523 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MARISCO COLIMA, 6524 PACIFIC BLVD. HUNTINGTON PARK, CA. 90255. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : AURORA ARREDONDO 2107 N.SANTA ANA BLVD. LOS ANGELES, CA 90059 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/17/2008. /s/: AURORA ARREDONDO

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080093047 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ADRIANA'S CLEANING SERVICE, 12222 Shoemaker Ave. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Whittier, CA 90605 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/16/2008. /s/: Jesus Martinez Tapia

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080084271 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ALL CITY ROOFING, 524 w. 156th ST GARDENA, CA 90248. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DAVID F. HERNANDEZ 524 W. 156TH ST GARDENA, CA 90248 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date). /s/: David F. Hernandez

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080083699 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as WOW AS SEEN ON TV, 500 PLAZA DR. WEST COVINA, CA 91790. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : HANWI LLC 43 NORTH GRAND OAKS AVE. PASADENA, CA 91107 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/15/2008. /s/: GAYOKLANICHI J AYALA

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080101161 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RMAC & ASSOCIATES, 1730 W. WASHINGTON BLVD. LOS ANGELES, CA 90066. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RANDY MCKENZIE 1730 W. WASHINGTON BLVD. LOS ANGELES, CA 90066 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/17/2008. /s/: RANDY MCKENZIE

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080101193 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JAUREGI LAWN SERVICES, 11439 CIBOLA RD. APPLE VALLEY, CA 92380. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JOSE L. JAUREGI 11439 CIBOLA RD. APPLE VALLEY, CA 92380 DORA E. SANCHEZ 11439 CIBOLA RD. APPLE VALLEY, CA 92380 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/15/2008. /s/: JOSE L. JAUREGI

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080083110 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as J&T'S MAINTENANCE SERVICE, 1049 ISLAND AVE #D WILMINGTON, CA 90744. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JUAN TALAVEIRA 1049 ISLAND AVE #D WILMINGTON, CA 90744 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/15/2008. /s/: JUAN TALAVEIRA

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080085770 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FC TRANSPORTATION, 3811 W. 119TH ST. HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FRANCISCO CEDENO 3811 W. 119TH ST. HAWTHORNE, CA 90250 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/15/2008. /s/: FRANCISCO CEDENO

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080075007 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AIME'S MARKET, 4118 E. CESAR CHAVEZ AVE. # 4170 LOS ANGELES, CA 90063. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : VERONICA PEREZ 4118 E. CESAR CHAVEZ AVE. # 4170 LOS ANGELES, CA 90063 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/14/2008. /s/: VERONICA PEREZ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080085769 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CFL PC SOLUTIONS, 707 W 140TH ST GARDENA, CA 90247. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CESAR J. FERNANDEZ 707 W 140TH ST GARDENA, CA 90247 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/15/2008. /s/: CESAR J. FERNANDEZ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080101076 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as COLLETT'S NOVELTIES, 10006 SAN VICENTE ST. SOUTH GATE, CA 90280. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CARMEN COLLETT 10006 SAN VICENTE ST. SOUTH GATE, CA 90280 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/17/2008. /s/: CARMEN COLLETT

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080102414 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TACOS DEL CHINO, 2600 DUFFREE AVE. EL MONTE, CA 91732. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JOSE P. MANZO 4120 LARKSPUR ST. LAKE ELSINORE, CA 92530 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/17/2008. /s/: JOSE P. MANZO

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080040977 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RONALD CRUZ PAINTING, 5723 CIMARRON ST.LOS ANGELES, CA 90062. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RONALD CRUZ 5723 CIMARRON ST.LOS ANGELES, CA 90062 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/8/2008. /s/: RONALD CRUZ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20080110380 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE REAL ESTATE BROKER OF SOUTH BAY, 6410 W. 84TH ST. LOS ANGELES, CA. 90045, PO BOX 1380, EL SEGUNDO, CA. 90245. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JACQUELINE SOLORZANO, 6410 W. 84TH ST. LOS ANGELES, CA. 90045 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/1/2008. /s/: JACQUELINE SOLORZANO

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