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# Jackie's Cookie Connection lives on with Cookie Babies

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SMDP Staff Writer




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**IN STORES:** A local baker has outgrown her brick and mortar store.

Since 2015, Rachel Galant has continued the legacy of Jackie's Cookie Connection, a chain of East Coast cookie stores owned by her mom back in the late 1970s and early '80s, at a brick-and-mortar bakery that has become a favorite of westside residents.

But thanks to the success of her "cookie babies," Galant has decided to close the storefront where she recently reminisced on how far her business has come in the years since she began selling cookies out a kiosk in the mall, which was long before she ever believed she would see her baked goods in the aisles of Costco, Sam's Club and other retailers.

"Back in 1979, my mom had cookie stores in New York and in Washington DC so she had traditional brick and mortars where she sold big cookies — big, soft cookies," Galant said as she described her mother's award-winning desserts. "So, fast forward to about 2014, we always made the cookie dough in my house for my kids and friends and everyone loved the cookies. They always said I should sell them."

As a stay-at-home mom with the time and knowledge, Galant thought it'd be a fun venture so she reached out to sell at the local farmers market and soon expanded into a kiosk at the mall, which she described as a great opportunity.

"We sold the big cookies like my mom had traditionally sold. But we soon expanded," and eventually began field-testing a smaller, crunchier version of the cookies, which were commonly referred to as Cookie Babies, Galant said. With a longer shelf life and flavors like peanut butter, snickerdoodle, chocolate-chip as well as a holiday option available on Amazon, in local stores and the company's website, the new product offered her the ability to sell cookies in grocery stores and online.

"It's the same product but the shelf life is much longer so they make a great gift option for holidays, birthdays, anniversaries and special events," Galant added, sharing she hopes that Cookie Babies one day become a name that everybody knows and enjoys.

But for now, she is focused on getting the 5,000 pounds of packaged cookies out of the shop

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# Plumber convicted of overcharging elderly Santa Monica woman $92,000

**MADELEINE PAUKER**
SMDP Staff Writer

A plumbing company extracted $92,000 from an elderly Santa Monica homeowner after she hired the company to complete $5,000 worth of repairs and installations, city officials announced Wednesday.

On Jan. 27, a superior court judge sentenced Jet Speed Plumbing Inc., doing business as Ritz Plumbing, to three years of probation for unlawfully overcharging an 82-year-old woman tens of thousands of dollars for contract work. The owner of Ritz Plumbing was ordered to refund the $92,000 to the homeowner and must pay a $45,000 disciplinary bond before trying to reacquire a contractor's license.

Officials said the investigation began after one of the homeowner's adult children noticed that her

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# AP Source: Bryant memorial set for Feb. 24 at Staples Center

**STEFANIE DAZIO**
Associated Press

A public memorial service for Kobe Bryant, his daughter and seven others killed in a helicopter crash is planned for Feb. 24 at Staples Center, a person with knowledge of the details told The Associated Press on Thursday.

The arena is where Bryant starred for the Los Angeles Lakers for two decades and the date 2/24 corresponds with the No. 24 jersey he wore and the No. 2 worn by his 13-year-old daughter, Gianna.

No official announcement about the memorial has been made. The person who provided the information to the AP is knowledgeable about the planning and spoke only on condition of anonymity. The Los Angeles Times was first to report the event, citing two anonymous sources with knowledge of the planning.

Los Angeles Mayor Eric Garcetti has said a memorial would be held but his office had no immediate comment, nor did the Lakers or Staples Center.

Staples has played host to other memorials, including for Michael Jackson and, last year, for rapper Nipsey Hussle.

Bryant was killed Jan. 26 when the helicopter carrying him, his daughter and the others crashed into a mountainside while flying to a girls basketball tournament at his Mamba Academy outside Los Angles. Gianna's team was coached by Bryant and was playing in the tournament.

No cause for the crash has been determined.


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Santa Monica Malibu Unified School District of Los Angeles County (SMMUSD) will receive sealed bids from contractors holding a type **"C-10"** license, on the following: **Bid #20.09.SMS - DSA#03-119736 and DSA#03-120355 Santa Monica High School – Fire Alarm Project at Santa Monica High School.** This scope of work is estimated to be between **$260,000 -$300,000** and includes: The replacement of the existing fire alarm system with a new fully automatic voice evac **Autocall Fire Alarm system** with new FACP and transponder panel in two buildings; The replacement of the main FACP in the Administration Building; The replacement of FACPs in 5 other buildings; The replacement of existing smoke detectors and duct smoke detectors, with Autocall devices, served by these panels; The replacement of the FACP, smoke detectors and duct smoke detectors in a relatively new, large building; Reprogramming for the networked campus-wide fire alarm system; and other associated improvements per bidding documents. All bids must be filed in the Districts Purchasing Office located at 1651 16th Street, Santa Monica, CA 90404 on or before 3/4/20 no later than 2:00 PM at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened. Each bid must be sealed and marked with the bid name and number. Bidders must attend a Mandatory Job Walk to be held at the site, on 2/11/20 at 10:30 AM. All General Contractors and Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing (M/E/P) Subcontractors must be pre-qualified for this project per bidding documents. To view the projects bidding documents, please visit ARC Southern California public plan room www.crplanwell.com and reference the project Bid #.

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**Mandatory Job Walk:** 2/11/20 at 10:30 AM

Job Walk location: Santa Monica High School located in Santa Monica, CA – **All Attending Contractors MUST meet the District representatives at the 4th Street pedestrian gate, adjacent to the Double Tree Hotel on the south side, opposite the Civic Center parking structure. Bidders will be escorted onto the campus from that location.**

**Bid Opening:** 3/4/20 at 2:00pm

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# What's Up Westside
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## Friday, February 7

### Fireside at the Miles - Todd Washington Trio
A fiery evening of old school Blues and Rock n Roll. Tickets available at Link: https://toddwashingtontrio.eventbrite.com. 8 - 10 p.m.

### Guest House open
Visit anytime between 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. for a self-guided or docent tour. No reservations needed. Schedule subject to change, call Guest Services to confirm dates and hours. Annenberg Community Beach House.

## Saturday, February 8

### Meet adoptable dogs
Join Apartments.com and Wags & Walks to meet adoptable dogs on February 8th, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. They'll have raffle prizes, dog treats and even a doggie kissing booth. The Apartments.com retail store - 1020 Wilshire Blvd. (10th & Wilshire)

### Fireside at the Miles - Los Angeles Flute Orchestra
Join the LAFO for their favorite concert of the year at the historic Miles Playhouse. This one of a kind chamber ensemble features the whole flute family including some of the largest flutes in the world and unique ethnic flutes. The program will include old favorites and new works by local composers ranging from classical to jazz to world music. Tickets online at https://www.eventbrite.com/e/los-angeles-flute-orc 8 - 10 p.m.

### VITA Tax Assistance
UCLA provides free federal and state income tax assistance for low to moderate income, seniors and disabled individuals. Pre-registration is recommended (www.vitaucla.org), assistance is given on a first come basis. Ocean Park Branch Library, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

### Sewing, Upcycle Lab + Craft Lounge
To register, visit https://www.eventbrite.com/e/sewing-upcycle-lab-craft-lounge-tickets-87498021939 or call (310) 458-2239. Improve your sustainability practices by learning to sew and mend by hand or machine. Create basic projects like: bags, pillow cases, simple quilts, zippered pouches, aprons. Participants can learn how to use a sewing machine, make simple patterns and can bring individual projects to alter or upcycle. 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. 1450 Ocean.

### Classics Book Group
Longstanding book discussion group that focuses on literary classics from around the world. February's book is Sigrid Undset's "Jenny." 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Fairview Branch Library.

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This guided workshop by Study Smart Tutors outlines all of the important information you need to know about the SAT test so you can prepare correctly, reduce your stress, and get your best score. Registration required. Presented in collaboration with Virginia Avenue Park. Register at (310) 458-8684 or via email at pbuser@smgov.net. Post course SAT practice exam. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Pico Branch Library

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## Sunday, February 9

### Cooking with the Market Chef
Join organizers the 2nd Sunday of each month at 10 a.m., 11 a.m. and noon, at the Main Street Farmers Market for Cooking with the Market Chef - seasonal farm to table cooking demonstrations and shopping tips with Kim Vu owner of Vucacious Catering. Each month we will featured a different theme and farmer from the market. Free recipes and food samples. 2640 Main Street @ Ocean Park

For help submitting an event, contact us at
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# Experts scramble, but new virus vaccine may not come in time

**LAURAN NEERGAARD**
AP Medical Writer

The flu-like virus that exploded from China has researchers worldwide once again scrambling to find a vaccine against a surprise health threat, with no guarantee one will arrive in time.

Just days after Chinese scientists shared the genetic map of the culprit coronavirus, researchers at the U.S. National Institutes of Health had engineered a possible key ingredient for a vaccine they hope to begin testing by April.

Scientists from Australia to France, along with a list of biotech and vaccine companies, jumped in the race, pursuing different types of inoculations.

And Texas researchers froze an experimental vaccine developed too late to fight an earlier coronavirus — SARS, or severe acute respiratory syndrome — but are pushing U.S. and Chinese authorities to give it a try this time around. Because the new virus is a close cousin of SARS, it just might protect, said Dr. Peter Hotez of Baylor College of Medicine and Texas Children's Hospital.

All that work is coming at lightning speed compared to past outbreaks. Yet many experts agree it still may take a year — if every step along the way goes well — for any vaccine to be ready for widespread use. That's if it's even needed by then.

Globally, more than 28,000 people are infected and the death toll climbed past 560. The overwhelming majority are in China, but more than 200 people with the illness have been reported in over two dozen other countries.

For now, health officials are isolating the sick to fight spread of the virus, which causes fever, cough and in severe cases pneumonia. With no specific treatment, some doctors also are experimenting with antiviral medicines developed for other conditions.

"Ours is already manufactured and could take off pretty quickly," said Hotez, who created the earlier SARS vaccine with Texas Children's colleague Maria Elena Bottazzi. But "there's still no road map for what you do to make a vaccine in the midst of a devastating public health outbreak."

NIH specialists say rather than chasing outbreaks, it's time to pursue prototype vaccine designs that could work for entire virus families, ready to be pulled off the shelf at the first sign of a new disease.

"We have the technology now. It's feasible from an engineering and biological standpoint," said Dr. Barney Graham, deputy director of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases' Vaccine Research Center. Without that step, "we're going to be at risk for new pandemics."

### A FASTER VACCINE RECIPE

Traditionally, making vaccines required first growing lots of virus in a lab. The NIH team is pursuing a newer and far faster method: Simply use a piece of the virus' genetic code, called messenger RNA or mRNA, that instructs cells to make a particular protein.

"We think of RNA as the software of life," said Dr. Tal Zaks, chief medical officer of Moderna Inc., which is developing mRNA vaccines for other diseases and working with NIH on the new coronavirus.

Inject the right piece and "you've taught the body to make its own medicine," he explained. As cells produce just that protein, the immune system learns to recognize it, primed to attack if the entire virus ever comes along.

The target: A protein aptly named "spike" that lets the virus bind to cells. It studs the surface of coronaviruses — the new one as well as its cousins SARS, which erupted in China in 2002 and spread to 26 countries, and MERS, or Middle East respiratory syndrome, which emerged in 2012.

Graham's team zeroed in on the RNA responsible for the new virus' production of spike and then — because prior research showed the protein can change shape — engineered a more stable version of it.

Moderna is manufacturing samples of the synthetic mRNA vaccine for NIH to use in animal studies and, hopefully within three months, first-stage safety tests in people. If further testing proves it really works, the hope is scientists could simply swap in a new spike code if another coronavirus comes along.

That's important because after three such outbreaks in less than 20 years, "this is not the last," predicted Dr. Mark Denison, a virologist at Vanderbilt University Medical Center. It's key to find vaccine "strategies that go after these unique things common to every coronavirus."

### WHAT ELSE IS IN THE PIPELINE

Inovio Pharmaceuticals is pursuing a similar approach with synthetic DNA, and recently reported promising results from first-stage testing of a MERS vaccine. It's collaborating with a Chinese company, Beijing Advaccine, in hopes of being able to test a new vaccine candidate in China later this year.

In France, researchers at the Pasteur Institute are piggybacking on the tried-and-true vaccine against measles. They've had some early success mixing genetic material from other viruses into that vaccine, and now hope to put the immune system on alert against this new coronavirus in the same way.

"The work we're doing now involves making a vaccine against measles but re-engineered in the sense that it has antigens from the new coronavirus," said virologist Frederic Tangy, head of Pasteur's vaccine innovation department.

What about Hotez's old SARS vaccine? In that case a piece of the spike protein was genetically engineered and grown in a lab, a classic vaccine technology compared to the newer and less proven Moderna and Inovio approaches. The Texas researchers showed the vaccine protected animals but in 2016 ran out of money for further testing and froze what was left. Every six months, Hotez thaws a small sample to make sure it's still usable.

### CHASING OUTBREAKS

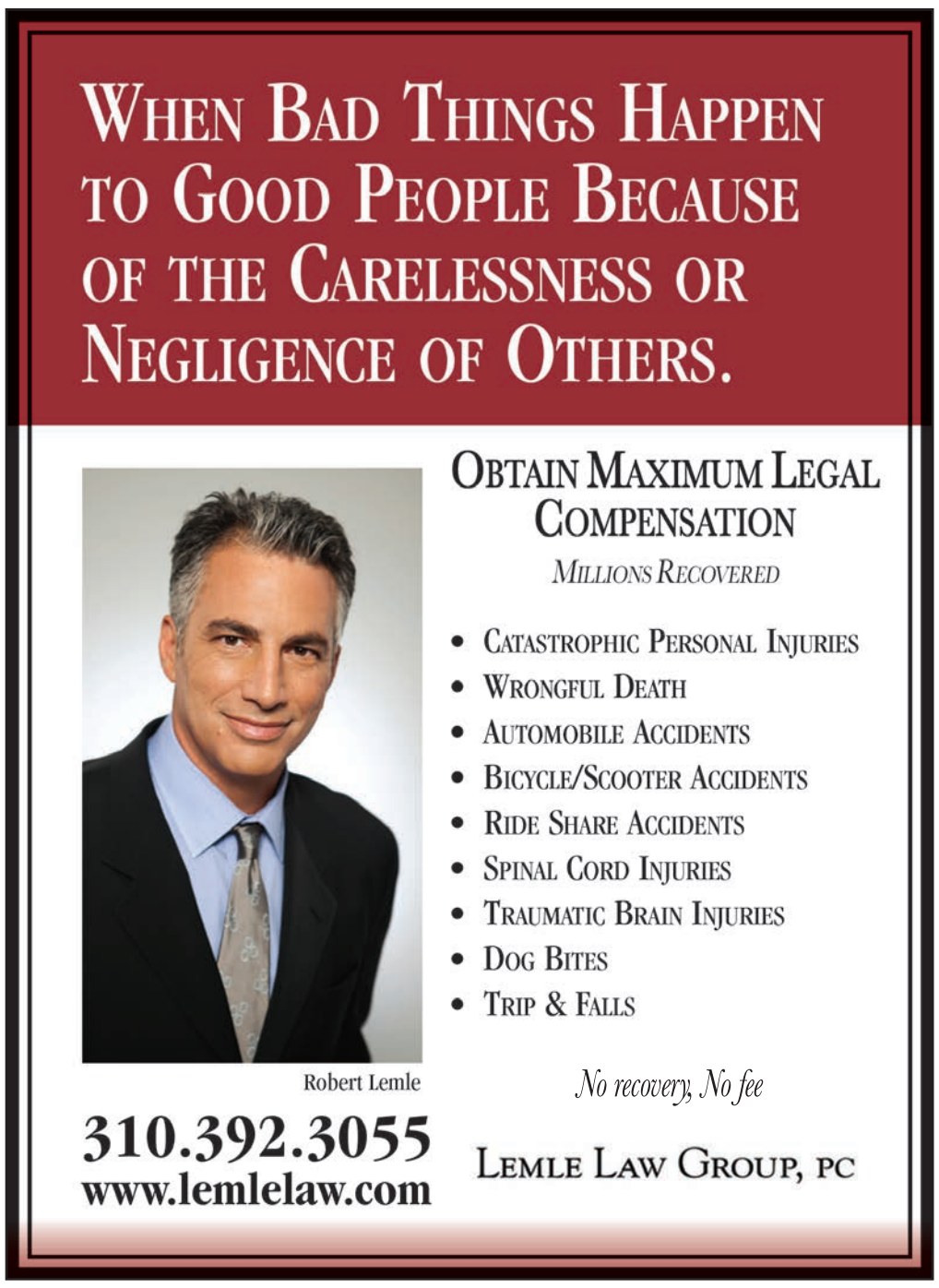
Past outbreaks are full of such missed

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# US lets autonomous vehicle bypass human-driver safety rules

**TOM KRISHER**
AP Auto Writer

For the first time, the U.S. government's highway safety agency has approved a company's request to deploy a self-driving vehicle that doesn't need to meet the same federal safety standards for cars and trucks driven by humans.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration granted temporary approval for Silicon Valley robotics company Nuro to run low-speed autonomous delivery vehicles that were designed without any accommodations for human drivers. That means no side and rear-view mirrors, windshield wipers, steering wheels or brake pedals.

The vehicles previously were subject to federal standards for low-speed vehicles that travel under 25 miles per hour. Those didn't need to have steering wheels, brake pedals or human backup drivers, but were required to have windshield wipers, backup camera displays and mirrors. Nuro's battery-powered vehicles can be monitored and controlled remotely by a human operator, if needed.

The approval is the first sign that NHTSA is moving from abstract statements and voluntary standards governing autonomous vehicles to actual regulation, said Bryant Walker Smith, a University of South Carolina law professor who studies vehicle automation. It's a signal that the agency, which has stated publicly that it doesn't want to stand in the way of the new technology, is likely to approve more vehicles, he said.

"This is the first time that the agency said 'yes we approve this vehicle that does not meet traditional driver-oriented standards,'" he said. "That's a big step because it makes it much more concrete, more real for the agency and really for the public."

Under the temporary approval, Nuro will have to make real-time safety reports to the agency. Nuro also will have to hold regular meetings with the agency and reach out to the community in areas where the vehicles will travel.

"NHTSA is dedicated to facilitating the safe testing and deployment of advanced vehicle technologies, including innovative vehicle designs, which hold great promise for future safety improvements. As always, we will not hesitate to use defect authority to protect public safety as necessary," said NHTSA Acting Administrator James Owens.

The agency will use enforcement powers if it finds any evidence of an unreasonable risk to safety, the statement said.

In December Nuro announced plans to use its low-speed delivery vehicles in partnership with Walmart to deliver groceries to customers in Houston. The service was to start early this year and use the vehicles as well as automated Toyota Prius hybrid cars. Nuro also was testing deliveries with Kroger in Arizona and Houston.

Nuro, of Mountain View, California, announced new version of its automated delivery vehicle called the "R2" on Thursday. It's the second generation of a vehicle that's custom built to deliver goods, but not people.

The company said it plans to deploy fewer than 100 vehicles this year, but has permission from NHTSA to eventually run as many as 2,500.

The delivery vehicles, equipped with laser, camera and radar sensors, will travel with regular traffic on public roads.

The exemption from motor vehicle standards from NHTSA also allows Nuro to run its rear cameras all the time. Current standards require backup camera displays to turn off when vehicles are moving forward so the displays don't distract human drivers, the company said.

Nuro said in a statement that the R2 has a front-end that protects pedestrians by collapsing inward. It's also equipped with temperature controls to keep perishable goods or meals fresh.

The vehicles make curbside deliveries to humans who can open the storage compartments with a code that's sent to them and unload the goods.

Nuro said NHTSA's approval came after three years of work with the agency.

"By replacing heavy passenger vehicles utilized for shopping and other errands, Nuro is ushering in a new era of neighborhood-friendly and socially responsible zero-occupant vehicles," the company said in its statement.

Company co-founder and President Dave Ferguson said NHTSA's decision "shows that exemption can mean more safety."

Still unresolved is an application from General Motors to allow a self-driving Chevrolet Bolt that doesn't meet safety standards for human-driven vehicles that travel at higher speeds. GM wants the Bolt to be allowed without a steering wheel or brake pedals.

Tech companies and automakers have been able to test autonomous vehicles without NHTSA approval in the past because they have had steering wheels, brake pedals and other features required of human-piloted cars and trucks.

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# Letter To The Editor

Dennis R. Malm — Send comments to editor@smdp.com

## Jaywalking and Safety

Editor:

Pedestrians need to be more careful especially in Santa Monica with the high density of motorized vehicles and bicycles.

We now have automobiles, buses, scooters, bicycles, motorcycles and pedestrians sharing our streets. It behooves all pedestrians to be more careful and diligent when using the streets. There was a young man who ran across the street on a red light when a bus was coming on a green light. The bus drive stopped just in time to avoid hitting the lad. That young man could have been severely injured. Another time a person was crossing the street in the middle of the block quite slowly so the traffic had to slow down.

There are many more examples of pedestrians taking chances in traffic but the point is that pedestrians need to be more careful on the streets to avoid being hit by a scooter or car.

Dennis R. Malm, Santa Monica.

## VACCINE

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opportunities: There's no commercial vaccine for MERS even though illnesses still occur. The birth defect-causing Zika outbreak was ending by the time experimental shots were ready to test.

The bright spot: Ebola vaccines. Some candidates began early testing during the massive Ebola epidemic in West Africa in 2014-2016, although the outbreak waned before scientists had proof they worked. But authorities and vaccine companies kept up the research, and by 2018 shots were ready to help tamp down an outbreak still smoldering in Congo.

The World Health Organization will meet next week to identify promising drug and vaccine candidates for the new coronavirus and fast-track their development, much like happened with Ebola.

"To put it bluntly, we're shadow boxing," said WHO Director-General Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus. "We need to bring this shadow out into the light so that we can attack it properly."

Rodrique Ngowi in Boston, Alex Turnbull in Paris and Maria Cheng in London contributed to this report.

## DAILY FIRE LOG

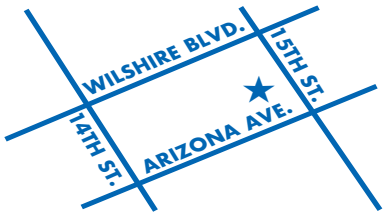
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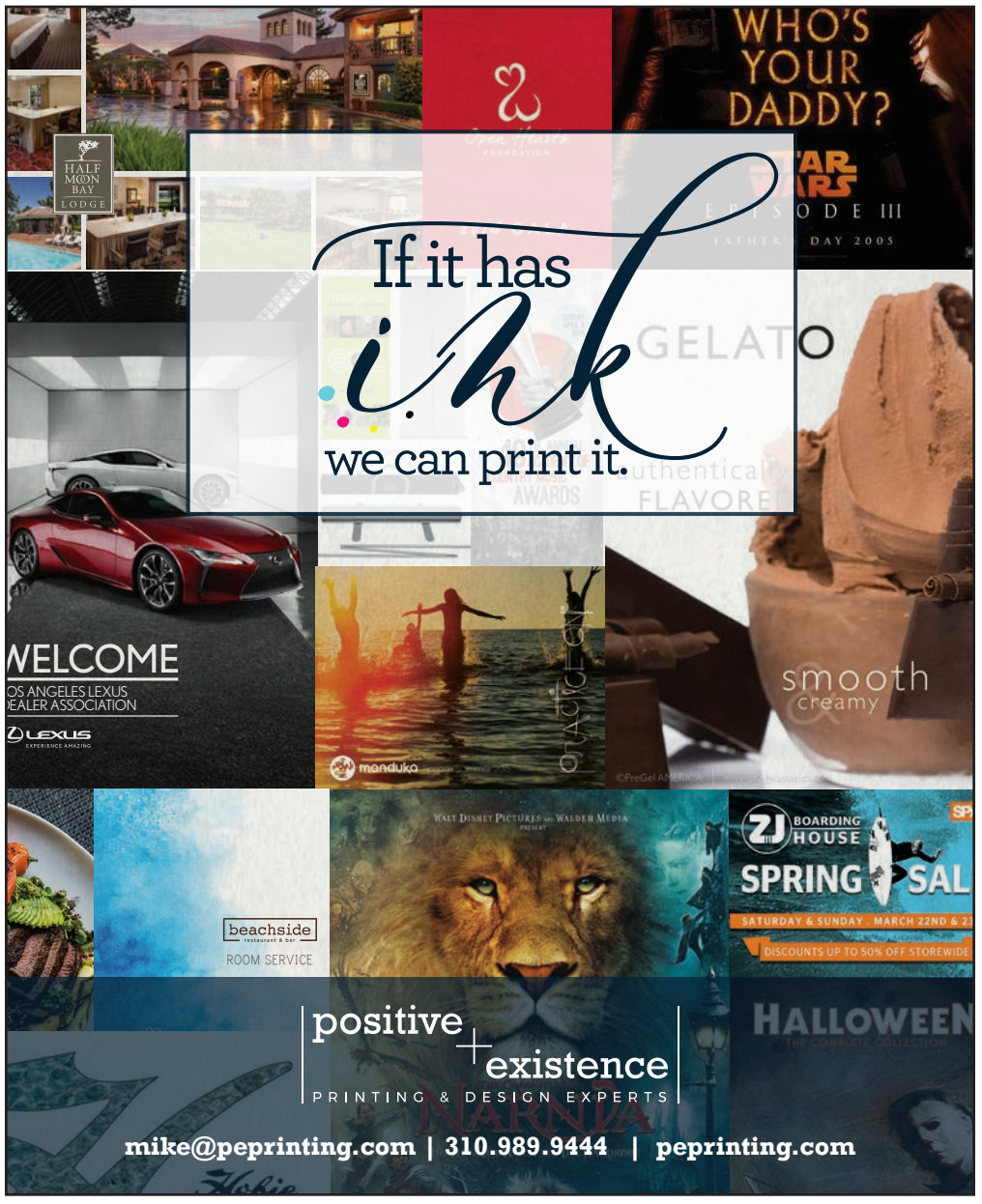



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## Laughing Matters

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# Me Too and Super Bowl Halftime

I was considering various topics this week but couldn't decide on just one. For example, the historic acquittal of Trump in the Senate impeachment trial which, unlike any impeachment trial ever there were no witnesses or documents. This is commonplace in Russia, N. Korea and China but here, it's NO laughing matter.

Mitt Romney's emotional vote to convict was driven by conscience, his own and Trump's lack of one. As for the rest of the spineless GOP Senate, in my opinion, they're "Profiles in Cowardice."

I had also considered a column about the Democratic Iowa Caucus fiasco. It reminded me of Will Rogers who said, "I'm not a member of any organized political party, I'm a Democrat." (So now I've offended Republicans and Democrats both, not easy to do, especially in the first two paragraphs.)

Then there's Trump's reality show style State of the Union, which I call the "State of the Base." Rather than try to unite the country, with 31 documented falsehoods, it was like one of his political rallies as worked up Republicans chanted "4 more years!" Also unprecedented, and like a petulant child, Trump refused to shake Speaker Pelosi's hand. (She ripped up his speech immediately after he was done, which I confess I enjoyed.)

As for the speech, once again there were Trump's disturbing "brain glitches" that some are calling mini-strokes that leave him unable to pronounce simple words like "justices" or "sanctuary." It's like a record skipping, his shoulders spasm and his face looks confused. Frankly, they leave me wondering what the hell neurologically is wrong with him?

Switching to Trump's personality, in the past three years it's obvious maturity is not his forte. What he resorts to and is quite skilled at, if you can call it a skill, are his vicious schoolyard bully nicknames for his political opponents, or even a teenager like Greta Thunberg, or anyone who criticizes him even slightly. Stooping to his level to fight back is futile. As Mark Twain said, "Don't ever wrestle with a pig for two reasons: One, you'll just get dirty. And two, the pig loves it."

On a lighter note, part of Trump's "indestructible beautiful border wall" collapsed due to...wind! But since it fell on the Mexican side, Trump will likely say Mexico should pay for the cleanup. Truth be known, Trump is so dangerous to democracy and just plain exhausting, my motto has become, "Wake me when he's gone."

Then there's the seemingly unrelated subjects of "Me Too" and this past Sunday's controversial halftime show starring Shakira and J'Lo. I'll try to explain, but first, a few things that maybe most of the country agrees on. I think.

Take Bill Cosby, whom a large majority feel he got what he deserved. He's eligible for release in 18 months but because he refuses to admit he did anything wrong he will serve all 10 years as parole requires remorse. (Who else can't admit doing anything wrong or ever show remorse? Hmm.)

Or take Harvey Weinstein. (Please.) Charged with sexual assault and, of course, innocent until proven guilty, not many are rallying to Weinstein's defense. (Unless you count Alan Dershowitz.) Simpson.) Poor disabled Weinstein, in court he needs a walker and couldn't have committed these crimes. And yet, other times he's caught on video walking just fine. Go figure.

As for the Me Too era, it continues to be a complicated subject. A highly successful Beverly Hills lawyer friend admits, "When hiring female employees, all things being equal, being attractive used to be an asset. Not anymore as it's too risky. Now the plainer the better," he said. Imagine an extremely attractive female job applicant saying, "I can look unattractive. Just give me a chance."

That brings me to Super Bowl LIV (54 to me) and it's highly charged 12-minute halftime extravaganza which featured Shakira and Jennifer Lopez. It was a Miami-style explosion of dance and song that rocked the house. ("The house" being 80,000 fans paying $5,200 to $33,000 a ticket and luxury suites from $175,000 to $700,000; 100 million TV viewers with advertisers shelling out $5.6 million for a 30 second commercial.)

It was pretty amazing how they managed to juggle all the transitions of remarkable talent and work fireworks into the act. I wondered how they could rehearse and choreograph it all. Shakira and J'Lo looked, danced and sang terrifically but certain moments, especially in the Me Too era, suddenly seemed inappropriate, especially for family programming.

I'm referring to all the booty shaking and J'Lo even employing a stripper pole in her act. The late Carol Channing performed in the first Super Bowl halftime show and I don't recall Carol using a stripper pole. That said, as I watch our democracy disappearing right in front of my eyes, I suppose it's the least of my worries.

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Google "Mitt Romney's emotional explanation of his vote" to watch his powerful speech as the only Senator in history to vote to convict a president of his own party. Jack is at: facebook.com/jackneworth, twitter.com/jackneworth and jackdailypress@aol.com

## COOKIES

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and into the bellies of satisfied customers.

"Awesome cookies aren't gonna cure the world, but I think they can enlighten things and make peoples' days a little bit happier a little bit at a time," Galant said. "I'm sad to leave this place because we put a lot of time and energy and spirit into it, but we're really looking to take a leap forward with the business and be more responsive to the requests we get from all over the local and the world. It's a really exciting time and we're really looking forward to it."

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**COOKIES: The popular treats are still available in local retailers.**

## OVERCHARGE

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mother's bank accounts and retirement savings had been depleted.

Investigators found that the homeowner had initially engaged Ritz Plumbing to conduct $5,000 of plumbing work for ordinary repairs and installations. But Ritz Plumbing then entered into four other contracts with the homeowner and she paid the company an additional $92,000.

An employee of the company, Ignacio Duron, obtained another $81,000 from the homeowner for landscaping work that he had no license to perform. Duron even drove her to her bank so she could withdraw money to pay for the landscaping work, officials said.

"This case should act as a cautionary tale and reminder that when we are dealing with contractors, it is critical we know our rights and the law," said Chief Deputy City Attorney Eda Suh of the Santa Monica City Attorney's Office's Consumer Protection Division.

Suh said consumers should obtain at least three bids and references before hiring a contractor, check with the Contractors State License Board to ensure the contractor is licensed and sign a written contract with the contractor only after carefully reviewing it for accuracy and understanding its terms.

Suh also recommended not paying more than the legally required down payment, not paying with cash, and making a final payment only after the job is complete and building inspectors have signed the permits.

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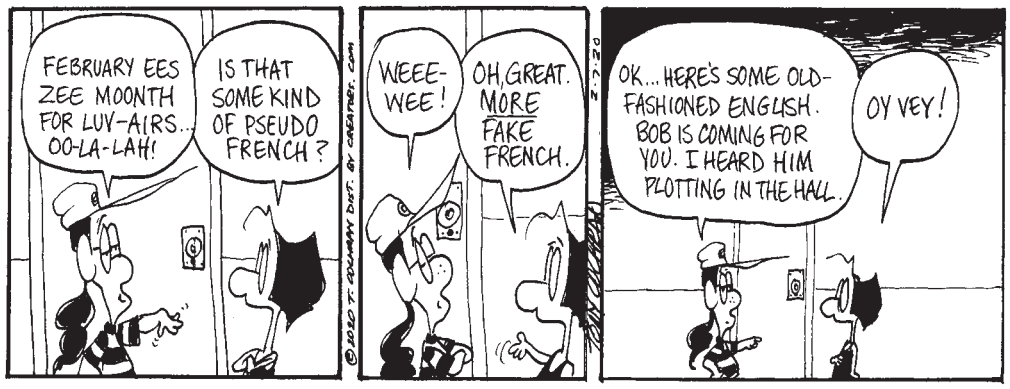
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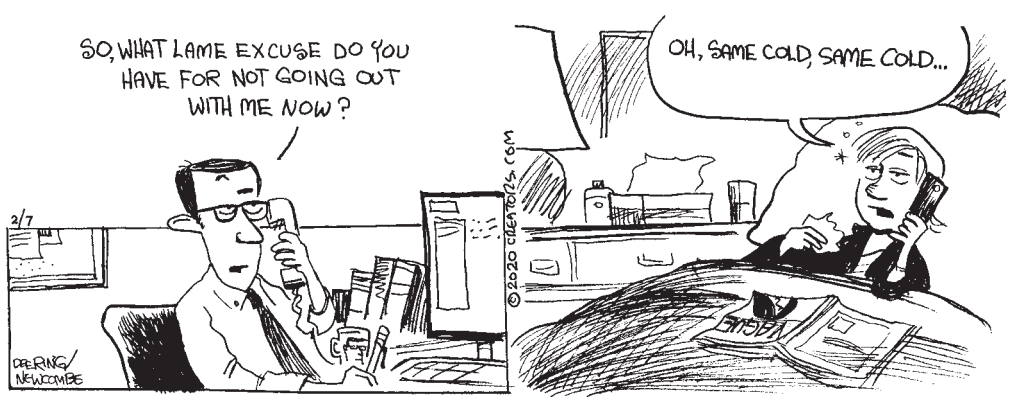

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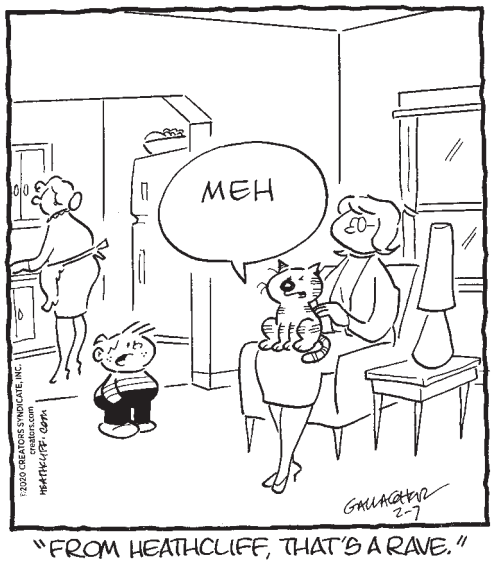

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"FROM HEATHCLIFF, THAT'S A RAVE."

## Strange Brew

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## SURF FORECASTS

WATER TEMP: 57.6°

FRIDAY - **FAIR** - SURF: 2-3ft knee to waist high
Reinforcing NW pulse. Small SSW swell. Deep early AM high tide.

SATURDAY - **FAIR** - SURF: 2-3ft knee to waist high
NW swell continues. Small SSW swell. Deep mid-morning high tide.

## WEATHER

**Friday**: Patchy fog before 10am. Otherwise, mostly cloudy through mid morning, then gradual clearing, with a high near 64. North northeast wind 5 to 10 mph becoming south southwest in the morning.

**Friday Night**: Patchy fog after 10pm. Otherwise, increasing clouds, with a low around 52. West southwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming east southeast in the evening.

**Saturday**: Patchy fog before 10am. Otherwise, partly sunny, with a high near 66. East northeast wind 5 to 10 mph becoming southwest in the morning. Winds could gust as high as 15 mph.

**Saturday Night**: A 10 percent chance of showers after 4am. Patchy fog after 10pm. Otherwise, mostly cloudy, with a low around 53.

**Sunday**: A 30 percent chance of showers, mainly after 10am. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 60.

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| 2020/02/08 | Sat | 01:51 AM | 1.67 | L |
| 2020/02/08 | Sat | 08:04 AM | 6.60 | H |
| 2020/02/08 | Sat | 3:12 PM | -1.58 | L |
| 2020/02/08 | Sat | 9:34 PM | 4.14 | H |
| 2020/02/09 | Sun | 02:35 AM | 1.39 | L |
| 2020/02/09 | Sun | 08:46 AM | 6.66 | H |
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Mega#: 10
Jackpot: 187 M

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1 14 18 25 35
Mega#: 21
Jackpot: 11 M

**Fantasy 5**
Draw Date: 02/04
9 15 25 31 34

**Daily 3**
Draw Date: 02/05
Midday: 9 7 1
Draw Date: 02/04
Evening: 1 5 4

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The glint in your eye is an adventurous spark. There's so much more out there for you that you would never see were you to pour yourself into trying to achieve perfection of the mundane. That's why you're willing to get daring and messy, which will, in turn, make this one of your most vibrant years to date. Gemini and Virgo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 40, 2, 33, 48 and 9.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). The poet Billy Collins insists "you are the bread and the knife" and seems certain "you are not the boots in the corner." You've a sure sense of yourself today and will know immediately whether or not you concur.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Unnecessary drama does nothing to help the situation at hand, but there are those you know who currently don't know any other way to get the attention they need. Two ways to deal: be patient or be gone.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Feeling like you have something to contribute, you may do so without a thought as to how it might enhance or upset the delicate balance of the thing. Good. Your input is just what's needed.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Whether it is friends introducing friends or colleagues setting up client appointments, meetings pulled together will be lucky for you. Doors will open where you didn't even know doors existed.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). You like people who are direct, honest, funny and unconcerned whether you like them or not. When this sort drifts into your world, don't let them go without a follow-up plan. Keepers, these!

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Nietzsche suggested that without music, life would be a mistake. Certainly, the right tune will enhance what you've got going on today, though the wrong one will help you appreciate the value of silence.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). If a compliment is like honey to the fly, criticism is like vinegar to most creatures, except humans, who put vinegar on things like salads. If taken the right way, criticism and vinegar will enhance what's already healthy.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). When given enough time, enough time will be taken. That doesn't make results any better or worse. Time just won't be a significant contributing factor to the quality of the day's products, so you may as well go fast.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). It won't be obvious what's expected of you. Things like the rules and culture of the group or the needs of the customer have yet to be established. Go in with full awareness and observe to the best of your ability.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Fitting in doesn't mean losing yourself or changing yourself in any way. It's more a matter of finding commonalities and ways of serving the situation.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You'll take a few minutes to learn something about the people around you, preferably something that has zilch to do with the transaction at hand. This is the human touch, which is so badly needed in the robotic world.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). The business literature tells you to be systematic and logical in your problem-solving approach, though this may discount the intelligence in you that doesn't speak the language of logic. Your etheric sense can be trusted.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD

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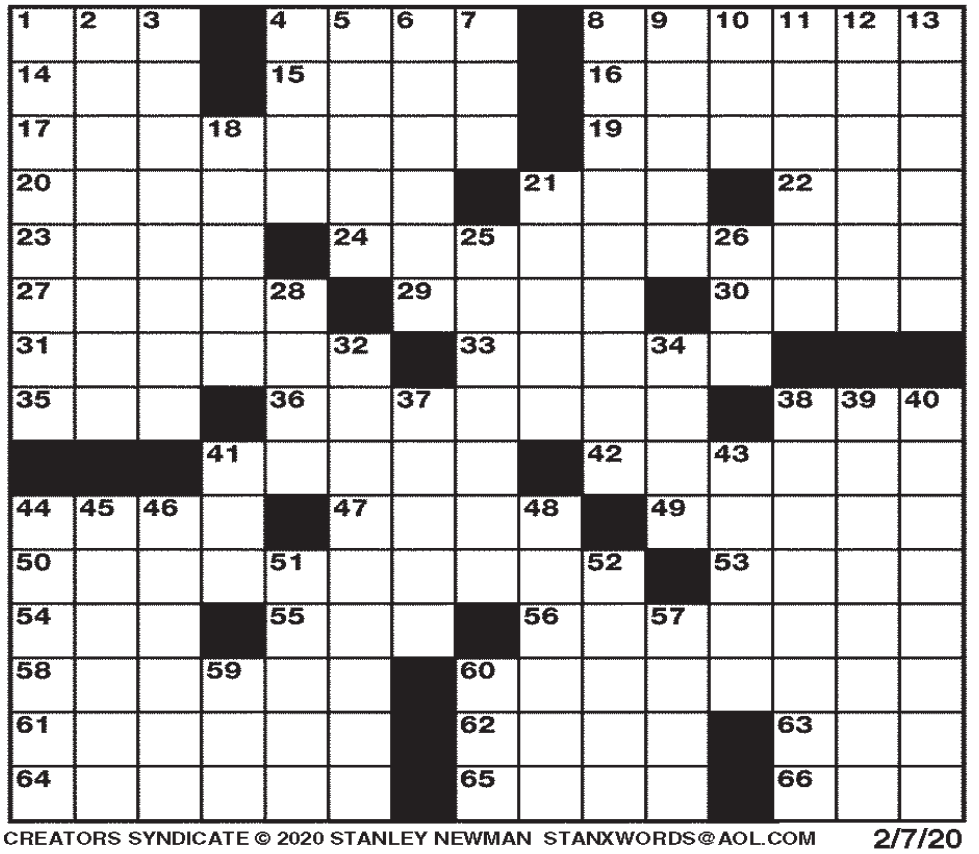
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**ACROSS**
1 Identity query
4 Star trekkers of long ago
8 Mexican-American music
14 One use for grass
15 With 21 Across, one of the Avengers
16 Arthurian island
17 Particle in some laser beams
19 Abrupt turndown
20 Had temporary popularity
21 See 15 Across
22 He said, "Politics is war without bloodshed"
23 Seedy hangout
24 #7 US city in population
27 Old Testament patriarch
29 Social subtlety
30 Road surface of a sort
31 Small quantity
33 Be brilliant
35 London's locale: Abbr.
36 He set up Vatican Radio (1931)
38 Retainer, for instance
41 Olympics vehicle
42 Take up
44 Seated on
47 Phoenix hoopsters
49 Tom Cruise ex
50 Jazz Age dance craze
53 Furniture collection
54 Fabric, in product names
55 Have a date, say
56 Cite
58 More or less equal
60 *Othello*'s lead character
61 Withdraw from presiding
62 Expressed out loud
63 Intersected
64 Expressed out loud
65 Metaphor for clarity
66 Volcanic product

**DOWN**
1 Offender's query
2 31-day president
3 Tevye's "Omigosh!"
4 Look after
5 Taurus neighbor
6 Skilled with
7 Roadhouse
8 Neo-noir director
9 What to "save the date" for
10 Verbal or physical blow
11 Some association members
12 "I protest!"
13 Walking
18 *Inside the NBA* analyst
21 Two-fisted
25 Newly created
26 Lofty lyric
28 Deep sleep
32 How some seafood is cooked
34 Santa alias
37 Bestir from bed
38 Matt Groening sci-fi series
39 Formal letters
40 Certain canine
41 Common Y course
43 Colorado Springs collegian
44 Troupe group
45 Surfing mecca
46 Southern state of Mexico
48 "And what is __ as . . ."
51 Office agreement
52 Its average elevation is 10,000+ feet
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### Public Health Warns of Possible Measles Exposure Locations

The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health (Public Health) confirms a local outbreak of measles among five persons. This outbreak includes four County residents, who were exposed to an unimmunized, international visitor who was infectious with measles while in Los Angeles County.

The following public places were visited by the confirmed cases while they were infectious to others:

1/26: CVS Pharmacy, 11941 San Vicente Blvd., LA 90049, 8:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.
1/27: Starbucks, 11707 San Vicente Blvd, LA 90049, 9 - 11:15 a.m.
1/27: Whole Foods, 11737 San Vicente Blvd., LA 90049, 9:15 -11:30 a.m.
1/27: CVS Pharmacy, 11941 San Vicente Blvd., LA 90049, 6:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
1/27: Souplantation, 11911 San Vicente Blvd., Suite 116, LA 90049, 12 - 2:30 p.m.
1/27: Pinkberry Yogurt, 1612 Montana Ave., Santa Monica 90403, 6:45 - 9 p.m.
1/28: Starbucks, 11707 San Vicente Blvd, LA 90049, 9 - 11:15 a.m.
1/28: Starbucks, 11705 National Blvd., LA 90064, 12:45 - 3:30 p.m.
1/28: Starbucks, 2525 Wilshire Blvd., Santa Monica 90403, 9:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.
1/28: CVS Pharmacy, 11941 San Vicente Blvd., LA 90049, 6:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
1/28: Andy's Liquor, 440 W. Manchester Blvd., Inglewood 90301, 8:28 - 11 p.m.
1/28: Kye's, 1518 Montana Ave., Santa Monica 90403, 5:45 - 8 p.m.
1/28: Maca Salon and Permanent Makeup, 1779 Westwood Blvd., LA 90024, 3:45 - 6:45 p.m.
1/28: Pinkberry Yogurt, 1612 Montana Ave., Santa Monica 90403, 6:05 - 8:30 p.m.
1/29: Whole Foods, 11737 San Vicente Blvd., LA 90049, 9 - 11:10 a.m.
1/29: Starbucks, 11707 San Vicente Blvd, LA 90049, 9:10 - 11:15 a.m.
1/29: Nishi Poke and Ramen Bistro, 2536 Overland Ave., LA 90064, 1 - 4 p.m.
1/29: Vicente Foods, 12027 San Vicente Blvd., LA 90049, 5:45 - 8:30 p.m.
1/29: United Oil 76 Gas Station (went inside office), 1776 Cloverfield Blvd., Santa Monica 90404, 8:15 - 10:30 p.m.
1/30: Starbucks, 11707 San Vicente Blvd, LA 90049, 9 - 11:15 a.m.
1/30: CVS Pharmacy, 11623 Rosecrans Ave., Norwalk 90650, 4:20 - 6:40 p.m.
1/30: New China Mongolian Barbeque Restaurant, 10001 Hawthorne Blvd., Inglewood 90304, 4:15 - 7:30 p.m.
1/30: Red Wing Shoe Store, 18533 Hawthorne Blvd., Torrance 90504, 6:30 - 9 p.m.
1/30: Shu-Sushi House Unico, 2932 ½ Beverly Glen Circle, Bel Air 90077, 7:30 - 11:30 p.m.
1/30: Yogurtland, 11706 San Vicente Blvd., LA 90049, 9:45 p.m. - 12 a.m.
1/31: Starbucks, 11707 San Vicente Blvd, LA 90049, 9 - 11:15 a.m.
1/31: Starbucks, 2525 Wilshire Blvd., Santa Monica 90403, 9:23 a.m. - 12 p.m.
1/31: Buffalo Wild Wings Restaurant, 6081 Center Dr., Suite 150, LA 90045 (part of Howard Hughes Center), 6:45 - 9:15 p.m.
1/31: Westfield Century City Mall (Nordstrom's and Gelson's only), 10250 Santa Monica Blvd., LA 90067, 12 - 3:10 p.m.
2/01: Whole Foods, 11737 San Vicente Blvd., LA 90049, 12:20 a.m. - 2:40 p.m.
2/01: Starbucks, 11707 San Vicente Blvd, LA 90049, 12 - 2:15 p.m.
2/01: Kreation Organic Café, 11754 San Vicente Blvd., LA 90049, 12:45 - 3 p.m.
2/01: Acai Nation, 11740 San Vicente Blvd., LA 90049, 1:05 - 3:15 p.m.

Unimmunized persons or those with unknown immunization status who were at these sites during the dates and times listed above are at risk of developing measles from 7 to 21 days after being exposed. Individuals who have been free of symptoms for more than 21 days are no longer at risk.

People who were in the locations above around the aforementioned times should:

Review their immunization and medical records to determine if they are protected against measles. People who have not had measles infection previously or received the measles immunization may not be protected from the measles virus and should talk with a health care provider about receiving measles, mumps and rubella (MMR) immunization.

Contact and notify their health care provider as soon as possible about a potential exposure if they are pregnant, an infant, have a weakened immune system and/or are unimmunized regardless of vaccination history.

Monitor themselves for illness with fever and/or an unexplained rash from 7 days to 21 days after their exposure (the time period when symptoms may develop); if symptoms develop, stay at home and call a healthcare provider immediately.

"For those who are not protected, measles is a highly contagious and potentially severe disease that initially causes fever, cough, red, watery eyes, and, finally, a rash," said Muntu Davis, MD, MPH, Los Angeles County Health Officer. "Measles is spread by air and by direct contact even before you know have it. The MMR immunization is a very effective measure to protect yourself and to prevent the unintentional spread of this potentially serious infection to others."

In 2019, there were 20 measles cases among Los Angeles County residents, in addition to 14 non-resident measles cases that traveled through Los Angeles County (excluding Long Beach and Pasadena as cases identified in those cities are reported by their local health departments). Most of these cases were not immunized or did not know whether they had ever been immunized or previously infected with the measles virus.

Measles immunizations are available at healthcare providers, local pharmacy or health clinics. Public Health clinics offer no or low-cost immunizations for individuals who are uninsured or underinsured. To find a nearby Public Health clinic, call 2-1-1 or visit http://www.publichealth.lacounty.gov/chs/phcenters.htm.

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## DAILY POLICE LOG

### SMDP STAFF CHOSE THE FOLLOWING FROM 307 CALLS ON FEB. 05

Grand Theft Auto In Progress 200blk 21st Pl 3:39 a.m.
Armed Robbery Report 1400blk Olympic Blvd 5:09 a.m.
Strongarm Robbery Now Ocean Ave / Wilshire Blvd 5:28 a.m.
Traffic Collision - Unknown Injuries Yale St / Wilshire Blvd 5:36 a.m.
Encampment 2000blk Lincoln Blvd 6:52 a.m.
Vehicle Parked In Alley 1300blk 16th St 7:47 a.m.
Traffic Collision - No Injuries 2nd St / Wilshire Blvd 8:35 a.m.
Abandoned Vehicle 2500blk Marguerita Ave 8:59 a.m.
Vehicle Parked In Alley 2700blk Main St 9:15 a.m.
Vehicle Blocking Driveway 600blk 10th 9:32 a.m.
72 Hour Psychiatric Hold 400blk Ocean Ave 10:00 a.m.
Identity Theft 1300blk 3rd Street Prom 10:00 a.m.
Vehicle Parked In Alley 800blk 2nd St 10:05 a.m.
Vehicle Blocking Driveway 1800blk 9th St 10:13 a.m.
Auto Burglary Report Euclid St / Alta Ave 10:15 a.m.
Vehicle With Excessive Parking Violations 1300blk 10th St 10:36 a.m.
Vehicle With Excessive Parking Violations 2600blk 11th St 11:40 a.m.
Burglary Report 1500blk 6th St 11:58 a.m.
Construction Noise 500blk Alta Ave 12:01 p.m.
Exhibition Of Speed 20th St / Pico Blvd 12:02 p.m.
Traffic Collision - No Injuries 1600blk Main St 12:02 p.m.
Vehicle Blocking Driveway 1100blk Centinela Ave 12:13 p.m.
72 Hour Psychiatric Hold 600blk Santa Monica Blvd 12:16 p.m.
72 Hour Psychiatric Hold 1500blk 5th St 12:18 p.m.
Mark & Tag Abandoned Vehicle 800blk 14th St 12:22 p.m.
Grand Theft Report 1100blk Grant St 12:23 p.m.
Theft Of Recyclables 800blk 4th St 12:25 p.m.
Mark & Tag Abandoned Vehicle 600blk California Ave 12:25 p.m.
Hit And Run Misdemeanor Investigation 300blk Civic Center Dr 1:02 p.m.
Vehicle Parked In Alley 1300blk Centinela Ave 1:15 p.m.
72 Hour Psychiatric Hold 2400blk Santa Monica Blvd 1:21 p.m.
Counterfeit Suspect There Now 2000blk Lincoln Blvd 1:23 p.m.
Traffic Collision With Injuries Lincoln Blvd / Washington Ave 1:28 p.m.
Vehicle Blocking Driveway 1000blk Harvard St 1:47 p.m.
Elder Abuse 400blk San Vicente Blvd 2:17 p.m.
Vehicle Burglar Alarm 500blk Ashland Ave 2:34 p.m.
Threats Report/Investigations 1700blk Main St 3:19 p.m.
Vehicle Blocking Driveway 200blk Bicknell Ave 3:28 p.m.
Exhibition Of Speed Main St / Ashland Ave 3:34 p.m.
Person With A Gun 300blk Santa Monica Pl 3:41 p.m.
Mark & Tag Abandoned Vehicle 1400blk 9th St 3:44 p.m.
Encampment 700blk Ozone St 4:02 p.m.
Vehicle Parked In Alley 1200blk Wilshire Blvd 4:05 p.m.
Drinking In Public 200blk Bay St 4:30 p.m.
Mark & Tag Abandoned Vehicle 700blk Pacific St 4:50 p.m.
Panhandling 1900blk Lincoln Blvd 4:56 p.m.
Grand Theft Auto Report 1200blk Santa Monica Blvd 5:07 p.m.
Vehicle Parked On Sidewalk 1000blk Berkeley St 5:40 p.m.
Grand Theft Report 2200blk Virginia Ave 5:43 p.m.
Vehicle Parked On Sidewalk 1200blk Berkeley St 6:05 p.m.
Attempt Burglary Report 1100blk 5th St 6:13 p.m.
72 Hour Psychiatric Hold 1100blk 7th St 6:18 p.m.
Auto Burglary Report 500blk 9th St 6:42 p.m.
Living In A Vehicle 2000blk Ocean Ave 6:51 p.m.
Hit And Run Misdemeanor Investigation 2800blk Wilshire Blvd 7:32 p.m.
Lost Property 200blk Santa Monica Blvd 7:40 p.m.
Petty Theft Report 1400blk Marine St 8:05 p.m.
Encampment 300blk Broadway 8:45 p.m.
Encampment 900blk Santa Monica Blvd 10:26 p.m.
Encampment 1600blk Ocean Ave 10:59 p.m.
Death Investigation 2100blk Ocean Ave 11:20 p.m.
Encampment Centinela Ave / Expo Line 11:23 p.m.
Petty Theft Report 1900blk Pico Blvd 11:43 p.m.



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