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Adult entertainer shoots video in Ocean Park library



File photo

ADULT VIDEO: Pornographic actress Ellie Eilish and an unknown man filmed themselves performing sexual acts in the Ocean Park Branch Library and uploaded the video to Pornhub.

MADELEINE PAUKER
SMDP Staff Writer

A video of a pornographic actress and actor performing sexual acts inside a Santa Monica public library has surfaced, prompting some residents to call for their arrest.

The video, which was posted three weeks ago, shows 19-year-old entertainer Ellie Eilish exposing herself while walking around Ocean

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Prospective layoffs and more to be discussed at upcoming SMMUSD meeting

BRENNON DIXSON
SMDP Staff Writer

The Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District's Board of Education will meet for the second time this month, and this Thursday's meeting will likely be a little longer than last as the agenda outlines items related to potential layoffs, interdistrict attendance permits and bargaining agreements.

Thursday's meeting will kick off with a Career Technical Education Month Celebration, according to the online agenda. The board is then expected to approve a consent calendar that includes a number of construction items as well as the approval of various comprehensive school safety plans for the 2019-20 school year.

INTERDISTRICT PERMITS

Forty minutes have been set aside for a discussion regarding the district's interdistrict transfer policies, which soon may be changed with board approval.

"The board first discussed this policy on 12/12/19," the agenda states. "During that discussion, the board asked for a variety of the data and information regarding potential impacts of placing a freeze on all interdistrict permit categories."

This meeting, the board will consider placing a freeze on all permit categories except those that relate to: siblings of current interdistrict permit holders, children of employees of the cities of Malibu or Santa Monica, or children of full-time, permanent employees of Santa Monica College, according to the proposed policy.

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Man assaulted while sleeping in Mid-City alley

MADELEINE PAUKER
SMDP Staff Writer

A man was assaulted early Monday morning while sleeping in an alley in Mid-City Santa Monica, police said.

Santa Monica Police Department officers responded to reports of a person down on 12th Court between Colorado Avenue and Broadway around 6 a.m., said Lt. Joseph Cortez. Officers found a man in his 60s who had suffered blunt force trauma to his head. The man told officers he had been sleeping under a blanket when he was assaulted during the night, Cortez said.

The Santa Monica Fire Department transported the man to Ronald Reagan UCLA Medical Center, where he remains in stable condition. Officers arrested a suspect Monday afternoon.

The SMPD Criminal Investigations Unit will share more information as it investigates the incident. Anyone with information about the incident is encouraged to call detectives at (310) 458-8451.

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CITY OF SANTA MONICA
NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE SANTA MONICA PLANNING COMMISSION

SUBJECT: Proposed Amendments to the Text of the Santa Monica Municipal Code and the Bergamot Area Plan to Create a Use Classification and Parking Regulations for Food Halls and Permit Food Halls in Commercial Districts and Districts Subject to the Bergamot Area Plan

A public hearing will be held by the Planning Commission to consider Resolutions recommending to the City Council the adoption of Ordinances recommending amendments to the text of the Zoning Ordinance and the Bergamot Area Plan to create a use classification and parking regulations for Food Halls and permit Food Halls in commercial districts and districts subject to the Bergamot Area Plan.

DATE/TIME: **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 2020 at 7:00 PM**

LOCATION: Ken Edwards Center
1527 4th Street, Santa Monica, California

HOW TO COMMENT
The City of Santa Monica encourages public comment. You may comment at the Planning Commission public hearing, or by writing a letter or e-mail. Information received prior to the hearing will be given to the Planning Commission at the meeting.

Address your letters to: Tony Kim, Principal Planner
Re: Food Halls
City Planning Division
1685 Main Street, Room 212
Santa Monica, CA 90401

MORE INFORMATION
If you want more information about this project, please contact Tony Kim, Principal Planner, at (310) 458-8341, or by e-mail at tony.kim@smgov.net. The Zoning Ordinance is available at the Planning Counter during business hours and on the City's web site at www.smgov.net.

The meeting facility is wheelchair accessible. For disability-related accommodations, please contact (310) 458-8341 or (310) 458-8696 TTY at least 72 hours in advance. Every attempt will be made to provide the requested accommodation. All written materials are available in alternate format upon request. Santa Monica Big Blue Bus Lines numbered 1, 2, 3, Rapid 3, 7, 8, 9, Rapid 10, and 18 serve City Hall and the Civic Center area. The Expo Line terminus is located at Colorado Avenue and Fourth Street and is a short walk to Ken Edwards Center. Public parking is available in front of City Hall, on Olympic Drive, in the Civic Center Parking Structure (validation free), and at Ken Edwards Center (validation free).

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 65009(b), if this matter is subsequently challenged in Court, the challenge may be limited to only those issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of Santa Monica at, or prior to, the public hearing.

ESPAÑOL
Esto es una noticia de una audiencia pública para revisar applicaciónes proponiendo desarrollo en Santa Monica. Si deseas más información, favor de llamar a Carmen Gutierrez en la División de Planificación al número (310) 458-8341.

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What's Up Westside
OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA

Tuesday, February 18

Ocean Park Mystery Book Group
Join organizers as they discuss the latest authors in the mystery genre. Meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month. Emphasis on international authors and locations. All are welcome. No registration required. 'Down the River Unto the Sea' by Walter Mosley, Ocean Park Branch Library, 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Architectural Review Board Meeting
Regular meeting of the Architectural Review Board. Civic Auditorium - East Wing. 7 p.m.

Walk-In Tutoring
Tutors provide help with basic reading and writing skills, using the Internet, filling out online forms, using email, resume writing, and job searches. Main Library, 5 - 7 p.m.

L.E.A.R.N.: Learn, Excel, Achieve and Read Now
One-on-one access to volunteers available to help students with homework assignments and reading comprehension. Bilingual volunteers available. Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:30 - 6 p.m. Pico Branch Library.

Walk-In Tutoring
Tutors provide help with basic reading and writing skills, using the Internet, filling out online forms, using email, resume writing, and job searches. Main Library, 1 - 3 p.m.

Write Away
Gain feedback and encouragement in your writing efforts from fellow writers in this supportive writer's meet-up. Fairview Branch Library, 12 - 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday, February 19

Planning Commission
The Commission acts through open and civil discourse that is informed by public input, impartial analysis, and best practices in land use and planning. Civic Auditorium - East Wing, 7 p.m.

Santa Monica Farmer's Market
Fresh seasonal produce sold direct from California farmers. The Wednesday Farmers Market is widely recognized as one of the largest and most diverse grower-only farmer's markets in the nation, with 9,000 shoppers and many of L.A's top chefs in attendance each Wednesday. 2nd Street & Arizona Avenue, 8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Montana Book Discussion Group: Just Mercy
Bryan Stevenson was a young lawyer when he founded the Equal Justice Initiative, a legal practice dedicated to defending those most desperate and in need: the poor, the wrongly condemned, and women and children trapped in the farthest reaches of our criminal justice system. One of his first cases was that of Walter McMillian, a young man who was sentenced to die for a notorious murder he insisted he didn't commit. The case drew Bryan into a tangle of conspiracy, political machination, and legal brinksmanship–and transformed his understanding of mercy and justice forever. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 7 p.m.

Pajama Story Time: Friendship
Wear PJs and come with a friend (stuffed animal or human) to enjoy stories and songs about friendship. Ocean Park Branch Library, 6:30 - 7 p.m.

Senior Computer Club
Practice the skills learned in computer basics, keyboarding, and beyond in this informal session. Main Library, 3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

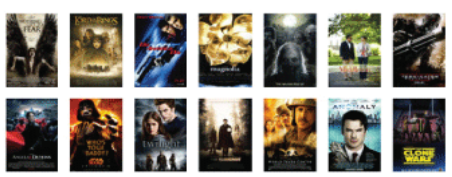
Documentary Screening and Discussion: Always in Season
In Always in Season, descendants of the victims and perpetrators of lynching are working together to heal a violent history. Blending observational footage with first-person testimonies and expert input, Always in Season examines the lingering impact of lynching and the link between this historic form of racial terrorism and the racial violence that exists today. Pico Branch Library, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

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DAILY POLICE LOG

SMDP STAFF CHOSE THE FOLLOWING FROM 279 CALLS ON FEB. 16

Hit and Run Misdemeanor Investigation Appian Way / Arcadia Ter 12:07 a.m.
Public Intoxication Main St / Pier Ave 12:15 a.m.
Drinking in Public 2000Blk Ocean Ave 12:21 a.m.
Public Intoxication 100Blk Wilshire Blvd 12:23 a.m.
Audible Burglar Alarm 1200Blk 3Rd Street Prom 12:36 a.m.
Animal Related Incident 2200Blk Colorado Ave 12:40 a.m.
Audible Burglar Alarm 2300Blk Schader Dr 12:50 a.m.
Exhibition of Speed 2400Blk 34Th St 12:56 a.m.
Audible Burglar Alarm 2900Blk Ocean Park Blvd 12:59 a.m.
Battery Report 2100Blk Santa Monica Blvd 1:36 a.m.
Indecent Exposure Now 2Nd St / Santa Monica Blvd 1:50 a.m.
Exhibition of Speed 1500Blk Pacific Coast Hwy 1:54 a.m.
72 Hour Psychiatric Hold 2700Blk Pico Blvd 3:35 a.m.
Burglary Now 1700Blk Ocean Ave 5:09 a.m.
Malicious Mischief Just Occurred 1500Blk Pacific Coast Hwy 5:25 a.m.
Critical Missing Person 1500Blk 2Nd St 5:51 a.m.
Battery Just Occurred 1700Blk Expo Line 6:28 a.m.
Auto Burglary Report 1500Blk 19Th St 6:30 a.m.
Audible Burglar Alarm 2300Blk Pico Blvd 7:53 a.m.
Animal Related Incident Neilson Way / Strand St 7:56 a.m.
Animal Related Incident 2400Blk Ocean Front Walk 8:29 a.m.
Audible Burglar Alarm 300Blk Santa Monica Pl 8:48 a.m.
Audible Burglar Alarm 2500Blk Michigan Ave 9:11 a.m.
Petty Theft Just Occurred 600Blk Wilshire Blvd 9:29 a.m.
Audible Burglar Alarm 2400Blk Cloverfield Blvd 10:03 a.m.
Auto Burglary Report 3000Blk Colorado Ave 11:03 a.m.
Petty Theft Report 200Blk Broadway 11:05 a.m.
Person with a Gun 500Blk Olympic Blvd W 11:12 a.m.
Auto Burglary Report 1700Blk Franklin St 11:16 a.m.
Auto Burglary Report 21St St / Michigan Ave 11:23 a.m.
Domestic Violence Just Occurred 2000Blk Oak St 11:38 a.m.
Critical Missing Person 1500Blk Ocean Ave 11:41 a.m.
Malicious Mischief Report 2700Blk Wilshire Blvd 12:15 p.m.
Malicious Mischief Report 22Nd St / Michigan Ave 12:26 p.m.
Overdose 1700Blk Cloverfield Blvd 12:40 p.m.
Hit and Run Misdemeanor Investigation 1400Blk 5Th St 12:48 p.m.
Auto Burglary Report 200Blk Santa Monica Blvd 12:57 p.m.
Auto Burglary Report 1900Blk 18Th St 12:59 p.m.
Malicious Mischief Just Occurred 11Th St / California Ave 1:02 p.m.
Person with a Gun 3100Blk Santa Monica Blvd 1:18 p.m.
Petty Theft Just Occurred 300Blk Santa Monica Pier 1:32 p.m.
Lewd Activity Lincoln Blvd / Bay St 1:34 p.m.
Petty Theft Report 17Th St / Santa Monica Blvd 2:13 p.m.
Audible Burglar Alarm 300Blk Euclid St 2:37 p.m.
Rape Report 400Blk Alta Ave 3:20 p.m.
72 Hour Psychiatric Hold 1200Blk Lincoln Blvd 3:23 p.m.
ENCa.m.p.m.ENT 1700Blk Ocean Ave 3:39 p.m.
Exhibition of Speed Ocean Ave / Olympic Dr 3:43 p.m.
Fight 300Blk Santa Monica Pier 3:43 p.m.
Petty Theft Report 3100Blk Santa Monica Blvd 4:16 p.m.
Burglary Report 200Blk San Vicente Blvd 4:28 p.m.
Exhibition of Speed 7Th St / San Vicente Blvd 4:52 p.m.
Hit and Run Misdemeanor Investigation Cloverfield Blvd / Virginia Ave 5:05 p.m.
Report of Shots Fired 34Th St / Pico Blvd 5:20 p.m.
Grand Theft Report 700Blk 23Rd St 5:21 p.m.
Hit and Run Misdemeanor Investigation 1500Blk 4Th St 5:41 p.m.
Red Zone Violation 300Blk Ocean Ave 5:45 p.m.
Malicious Mischief Report 21St St / Michigan Ave 6:12 p.m.
Malicious Mischief Report 21St St / Michigan Ave 6:33 p.m.
Fight 26Th St / Olympic Blvd 7:50 p.m.
Battery Report 1000Blk 9Th St 7:51 p.m.
Battery Just Occurred 1700Blk Cloverfield Blvd 8:03 p.m.
Auto Burglary Report 2900Blk Lincoln Blvd 8:46 p.m.
72 Hour Psychiatric Hold 1300Blk Lincoln Blvd 8:58 p.m.
Auto Burglary Report 3300Blk Ocean Park Blvd 10:10 p.m.
Public Intoxication 1600Blk Cloverfield Blvd 10:17 p.m.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TO INFORM 2020-25 CONSOLIDATED PLAN ALLOCATING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) & HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP ACT (HOME) PROGRAM FUNDS

Notice is hereby given that the City of Santa Monica will hold two public hearings to receive community input to inform the development of the Draft 2020-25 Consolidated Plan and the Draft 2020-21 Annual Action Plan. The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) provides annual CDBG and HOME entitlement funds to the City of Santa Monica. As a recipient of these federal funds, HUD requires the City to develop a five-year Consolidated Plan for housing and community development which identifies high priority needs and the associated goals, strategies, and resources anticipated over a five-year period.

The goal of these hearings is to solicit input on priorities and goals to remove barriers for housing, community infrastructure, and social services funded by the City's CDBG & HOME allocations. All interested members of the public, housing related or community service agencies, and nonprofit organizations are encouraged to provide input verbally at the public hearings, or to submit written comments to humanservices@smgov.net by February 25, 2020. The City will notice and hold additional public hearings prior to Council adoption of the 2020-25 Consolidated Plan and 2020-21 Annual Action Plan.

The Public Hearings are scheduled for the following meetings:

Housing Commission
Thursday, February 20, 2020 at 6:00pm
at the Ken Edwards Center
1527 4th Street, Santa Monica, CA, 90401

and

Social Services Commission
Monday, February 24, 2020 at 7:00pm
at the Ken Edwards Center
1527 4th Street, Santa Monica, CA, 90401

Parking is available at the Ken Edwards Center and will be validated. The meeting place is wheelchair-accessible. If you require any special disability related accommodations (i.e. sign language interpreting, access to an amplified sound system, etc.), please contact the Human Services Division at (310) 458-8701 or TTY (310) 458-8696 at least three days prior to the scheduled meeting.

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Letter to the Editor

Loren Bloch
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An Open Letter to the Community re: the Pico Neighborhood's Housing Dilemma

After more than seven years of service, I recently resigned from the Santa Monica Housing Commission, and want to thank Chair Michael Soloff, the Commission members generally and the city's outstanding staff for the privilege of working with them to protect and preserve housing and demographic diversity in the Santa Monica community. As I leave, one issue in particular calls for our community's thoughtful consideration: the likely gentrification of the Pico neighborhood and corresponding loss of our low and moderate income neighbors.

The increasing concentration of wealth and income in our coastal communities is clearly driving real estate values higher, and reducing housing opportunity for low and moderate income working families and, in particular, households of color. This phenomenon is most apparent in the city's Pico neighborhood, which, I believe, is home to the greatest concentration of lower income working families in Santa Monica.

As a resident of the Santa Monica community, I'd strongly urge the Commission to recommend to the City Council a series of actions to protect our Pico area neighbors, that would:

• result in the adoption of a No Net Loss Ordinance which requires that every affordable housing unit that is eliminated be replaced,

• create a Neighborhood Resident Housing Preference (NRHP) similar to San Francisco's, and subordinate only to a preference for homeowners recently displaced due to the provisions of the Ellis Act or owner occupancy evictions, and

• require all developers of inclusionary and 100% affordable housing to:

- deliver targeted outreach at least one year in advance of a new development's market availability to low income constituencies currently living in the affected census tract, and

- affirmatively offer credit counseling to that same targeted population at least six (6) months in advance of the market availability of newly built or rehabilitated affordable housing units.

My wife and I chose to move to Santa Monica shortly after we married in 1982 because we felt this community would offer our children both great public schools and the best possible exposure to a diverse economic and racial peer group. It did, and I believe that helped our daughter and son become the successful contributing citizens they are today. Our schools continue to deliver excellence, but our socio-economic and racial diversity is eroding, particularly in the Pico neighborhood.

While change can be good, I ask that the Commission and Council take the necessary steps to protect our most vulnerable residents.

Sincerely, Loren Bloch



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What's the Point?

David Pisarra
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Fritto Misto's new Bolognese is da bomb



File photo

FRITTO MISTO: The longtime restaurant now has more kitchen space and a longer menu.

I was running scared when I first heard that the building Fritto Misto had been slated for development. As a true carboholic, the thought that one of my favorite pasta houses would be facing eviction sent a shiver up my spine. I've relocated restaurants in my 25 years of working with entrepreneurs and I know that it can be the death of a good restaurant.

So when I heard that Fritto Misto had been able to secure a spot, literally on the opposite corner of their block, I was ecstatic. It's no guarantee of success, but it certainly helps.

I was lucky enough to be one of the first customers at the new location. They literally closed the old space on a Thursday and move the chairs and table overnight, and opened for lunch the next day.

Their new space is a bit tighter I think than the former home, but there is now an outside area, plus a bar area which has service at both the bar and at a few tall tables. Stylistically, there's a bit of a clash between the comfortable old school table and chairs and the rather stark black and white painted interior with a seemingly low ceiling. I imagine it's one of those things that will be redone over the coming months and years.

In a tip of the hat to the old, there is a lovely wall mural that was put in to remind the patrons of the old building. It's a lovely touch of nostalgia and I thought it was a homey gesture and hope it's an indicator of the future style. One of the things I loved most about the old location was its warmth and comfort. The close tables, the yellow walls and the wooden blinds all combined to make one feel like you were more in a cousin's kitchen than a restaurant. The new color scheme is a bit more upscale and has a colder feel to me, but certainly not enough to drive me away.

I've eaten three times at the new location and twice I've ordered the same thing – the long wished for and awaited Bolognese.

It was always a question, why doesn't this family restaurant have a traditional pasta dish on the menu? Turns out the reason is as simple as lack of space. In the old location, the kitchen wasn't large enough, and the refrigerator didn't have the capacity to support Bob the owner's old family recipe for Bolognese.

I can unequivocally say – it was worth the wait.

As a cook myself, I make a stufato, which is a selection of meats stewed in tomato sauce, and heavily spiced that I learned at my mother's side. As we all know, mom's cooking is the best, because that's what we grew up on. This Bolognese is as good as mom's.

I've ordered it twice as part of a special menu item, Il carnivoro, which is a spaghettini with the Bolognese as filet mignon tips. The sauce is a slightly sweet, and robust tomato reduction that takes a couple of days for the preparation. It starts with a simmering of the sauce and the meats, that are then turned for a few days in the refrigerator before they are able to serve it. The maceration of the sauce and the meat creates a flavor profile that is both earthy and floral. The strong oregano came through and brought back memories of when my mom would test me to identify spices by smell.

On Valentine's Day, the restaurant was standing room only from 6:15 when we got there until the end of the night. I was with a friend and we took a small table in the back by the bar. The people next to us were regulars as well, they'd been coming for a dozen years, always ordering the same thing. Friendly exchanges like that are what I was worried would be lost, and I'm happy to report the future looks bright for Fritto Misto and their new location on 7th Street and Santa Monica Boulevard, across from the Main Library which has lots of parking.

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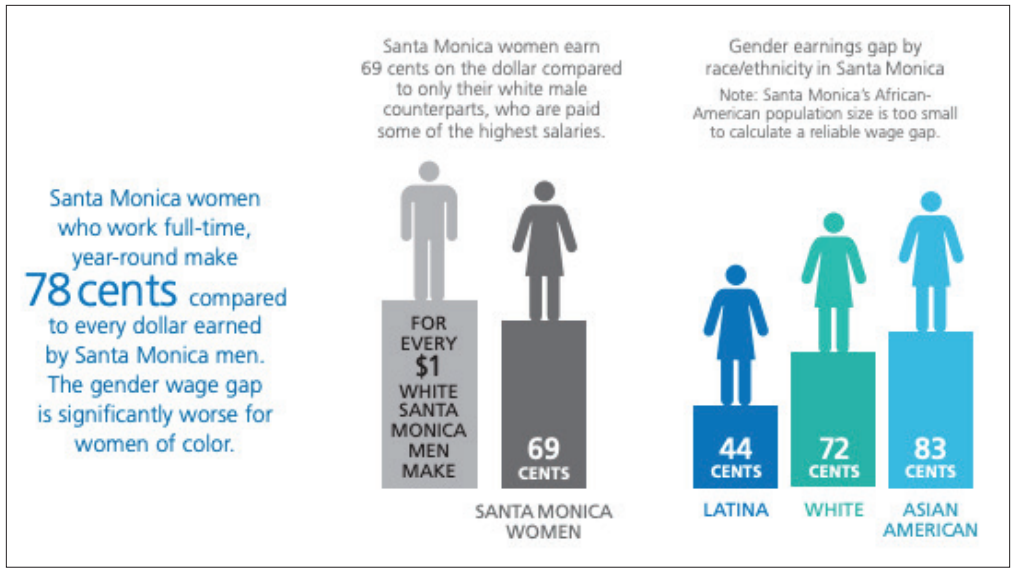
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Wage gap between white women and women of color persists



City of Santa Monica

WOMEN: A report from the Commission on the Status of Women found deep economic divides between white and Asian women and black and Latina women.

TEDDY ROSENBLUTH
SMDP intern

Women in Santa Monica make 78 cents for every dollar earned by a man, according to a report released last week by the Santa Monica Commission on the Status of Women.

This is an improvement from 2013, when women earned 72 cents for every dollar earned by men, but still slightly lower than the national average, according to recent data from the US Census Bureau. When compared to white men, women made 69 cents to every dollar.

Although there has been an increase in diversity among women since 2015, the wage gap between white women and women of color persists. Full-time Latina workers made only 44 cents for every dollar earned by a man and about $30,000 less than white women annually. Asian women made about $12,000 more annually.

Furthermore, while women made up a little more than half of the population in Santa Monica, they made up only 31% of the jobs in the city's growing technology sector. However, they comprised 53% of the workforce in service occupations, such as waitressing and cleaning.

Three in 10 women living in Santa Monica were born outside of the United States and the data shows a steady decline since 2000. The demographics of these women have also shifted as the percent of immigrants from Europe dropped while the percentage of Asian and Latin American immigrants increased.

More than 7,000 mothers with children under 18 lived in Santa Monica, 59% of whom were employed. 95% of single mothers in Santa Monica with children under 18 were employed.

Aggravated assault, a crime that disproportionately affects women, rose by 67% between 2016 and 2017 and reported rapes, of which 75% involved female victims, increased by 27%. Overall violent crime rates in Santa Monica increased 108% between 2014 and 2017, but have since decreased.

In the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School district, 8% of students reported harassment due to their actual or perceived sexual orientation.

On average, women reported higher stress levels and more economic concerns than men in Santa Monica. Local women said they were concerned about increased crime, dissatisfaction with homeless services and traffic issues.

Women living in the Pico and Mid-City area reported the lowest satisfaction with their lives, one of the highest rates of poverty and many paid 35% or more of their income on rent. Housing prices in the city have steadily increased, now placing the median home value at $1,170,000.

Women make up 23% of the homeless population in Santa Monica. Those not living in shelters, which have approximately one bed for every three homeless individuals, live downtown.

Although there was not concrete data on student homelessness, the report estimates as many as 10% students at Santa Monica College and 19% of students at Los Angeles Community College District could be homeless.

Despite these hardships, some aspects of life for women have improved.

The 7,900 women-owned businesses made an annual revenue of $1.26 billion, although the overall economic impact of these businesses in the city was relatively small. Only 14% of women-owned businesses in 2012 had paid employees, compared to 28% owned by men.

Younger women in the city also seemed to have higher levels of formal education than older generations. 76% of women under 45 had at least a bachelor's degree while, of the women older than 65, 57% had college degrees. Furthermore, girls in SMMUSD schools had a higher graduation than the California average and their male peers.

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CRIME WATCH BY DAILY PRESS STAFF

Crime Watch is culled from reports provided by the Santa Monica Police Department. These are arrests only. All parties are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

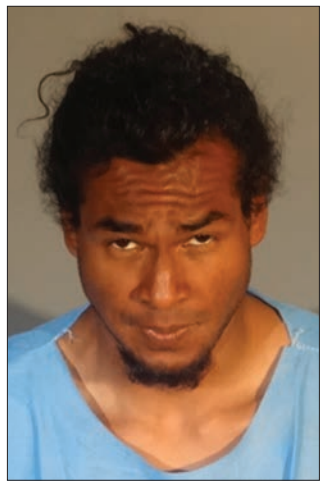
ON FEB 25 AT 5:28 P.M.

Officers responded to the area of Ocean Avenue and Wilshire Boulevard regarding a fight in progress. Officers arrived on scene and found a lone subject suffering from a large laceration to his face. Officers learned that the fight call was actually a robbery of a cellphone that just occurred.

Officers learned at the victim was sleeping in the park when he was approached by the suspect, who was a transient who recently came to the city of Santa Monica. The suspect demanded the victim's property. A struggle ensued and the suspect stole the victim's property a fled the scene.

Officers located the suspect, who was positively identified by witnesses and the victim, a short distance away. The suspect was found to have a warrant for homicide out of Albuquerque, NM and another warrant from the Santa Fe Police Department.

Anthony Lewese Frasier, 27, homeless, was booked and held without bail for robbery, assault with a deadly weapon and his outstanding warrants.



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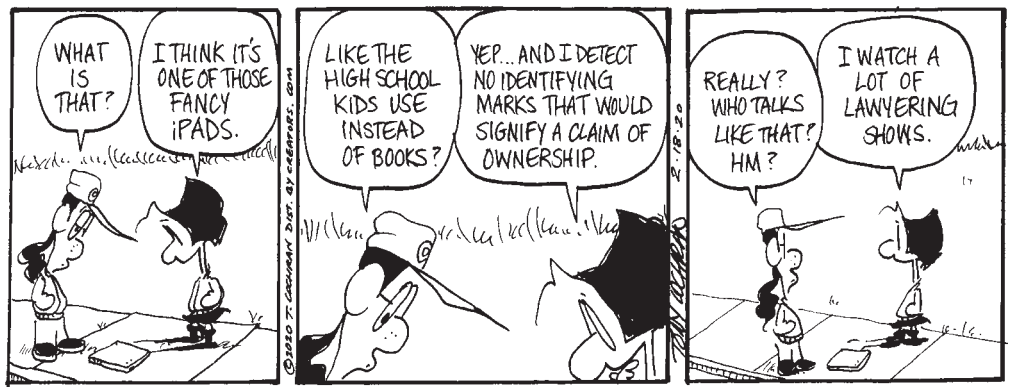
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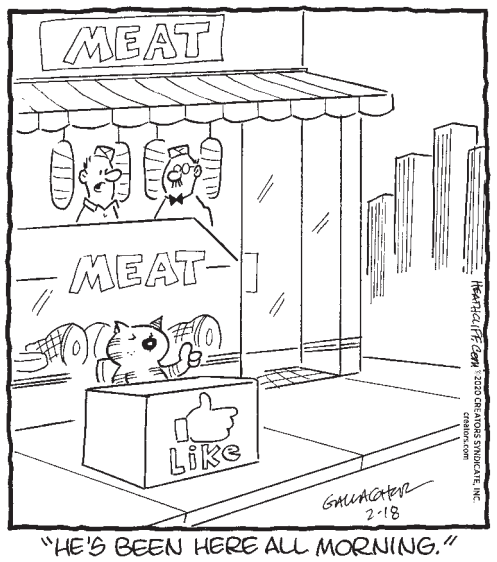
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Strange Brew

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SURF FORECASTS

WATER TEMP: 60.8°

TUESDAY - **FAIR** - SURF: 2-3ft knee to waist high
Modest NW swell-mix. New SW swell up a notch further. Deep early AM high tide.

WEDNESDAY - **FAIR** - SURF: 2-3ft knee to waist high
Small blend of SW swell and lingering NW swell-mix. Deep early AM high tide.

WEATHER

Tuesday: Sunny, with a high near 69. North northeast wind 5 to 10 mph becoming west southwest in the afternoon.

Tuesday Night: Patchy fog after 10pm. Otherwise, mostly cloudy, with a low around 50. West southwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming light and variable in the evening.

Wednesday: Patchy fog before 10am. Otherwise, mostly sunny, with a high near 64. Northeast wind around 5 mph becoming west southwest in the afternoon.

Wednesday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 49.

Thursday: Sunny, with a high near 70.

Thursday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 53.

Friday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 66.

Friday Night: A slight chance of showers after 10pm. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 52.

Date	Day of the Week	Time (LST/LDT)	Predicted (ft)	High/Low
2020/02/18	Tue	05:24 AM	5.28	H
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2020/02/18	Tue	7:40 PM	3.54	H
2020/02/19	Wed	12:11 AM	2.29	L
2020/02/19	Wed	06:19 AM	5.48	H
2020/02/19	Wed	1:37 PM	-0.82	L
2020/02/19	Wed	8:13 PM	3.77	H
2020/02/20	Thu	01:00 AM	2.07	L
2020/02/20	Thu	07:05 AM	5.64	H
2020/02/20	Thu	2:13 PM	-0.93	L
2020/02/20	Thu	8:41 PM	3.92	H
2020/02/21	Fri	01:40 AM	1.83	L
2020/02/21	Fri	07:44 AM	5.72	H
2020/02/21	Fri	2:44 PM	-0.91	L

DAILY LOTTERY

POWERBALL calottery
Draw Date:02/12
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MEGA MILLIONS calottery
Draw Date: 02/11
4 6 32 52 64
Mega#: 6
Jackpot: 40 M

SuperLotto PLUS calottery
Draw Date: 02/12
11 13 20 24 35
Mega#: 6
Jackpot: 8 M

Fantasy 5 calottery
Draw Date: 02/13
6 7 17 32 34

Daily 3 calottery
Draw Date: 02/14
Midday: 0 9 7
Draw Date: 02/13
Evening: 0 6 2

Daily Derby calottery
Draw Date: 02/13
1st: 02 - LUCKY STAR
2nd: 09 - WINNING SPIRIT
3rd: 01 - GOLD RUSH
RACE TIME: 1:44.35

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TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (FEBRUARY 18)

Because you are not completely satisfied with an outcome unless you know others have benefited as well as you, you will lift an entire group this year. Next month brings more resources to work with, and you'll turn them into an impressive outcome that could only happen with your specific gifts. Cancer and Capricorn adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 9, 40, 33, 1 and 18.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Whether you want to learn to use a kitchen knife like a chef or ride a hot air balloon or see the pyramids of Egypt, this is the time to decide because in the next few weeks, you'll get the chance to cross something off your list.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). When people join a mob, they lose something. Stand on the outside. Even if you feel the same, do not join. To join would be to give part of your free will, which is too valuable a thing to trade.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Humans are essentially barbarians elevated by the structures of culture. Culture makes a person higher than a person. That's what you'll participate in today.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). You'll mix your intelligence with a specialized skill and the wisdom to apply yourself effectively. The combo will bring you a lucrative result. Repeat and get ahead in this game.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). The universe is always giving signals. Most people are only open to the ones they prefer to read. To be wise is to be open to a wider range of information preferred or not.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You have views that reflect what pertains to you and have little to do with what the people around you want you to think. Explore your beliefs. Express them anew.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). It takes courage to share your inner life with the outside world, especially when you have no idea what they are going to think. It takes even more courage not to care. That's where you're headed -- to the realms of bravery.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Someone may be jealously guarding your whereabouts. Maybe you think of this as love, but it could also be considered a sign of insecurity, low self-esteem and an anxious attachment style.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). There will be some stress involved in your time with loved ones, and believe it or not, this is part of the joy. Belonging doesn't come free. The cost is tolerance.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You'll think deeper into the situation. You're trying to crack a code. There will be many metrics to keep track of. Avoid any situation in which you need to monitor others. Being in charge of yourself will be enough.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). There's no victory hollower than the attainment of other people's goals. Before you get behind a cause, decide how it matters to you and why it's personal and specific to your heart.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). If pressed, you'll be surprised at what you know. There's so much you're learning just by being around a situation. Much is happening on a subconscious level

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD

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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.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S SUDOKU

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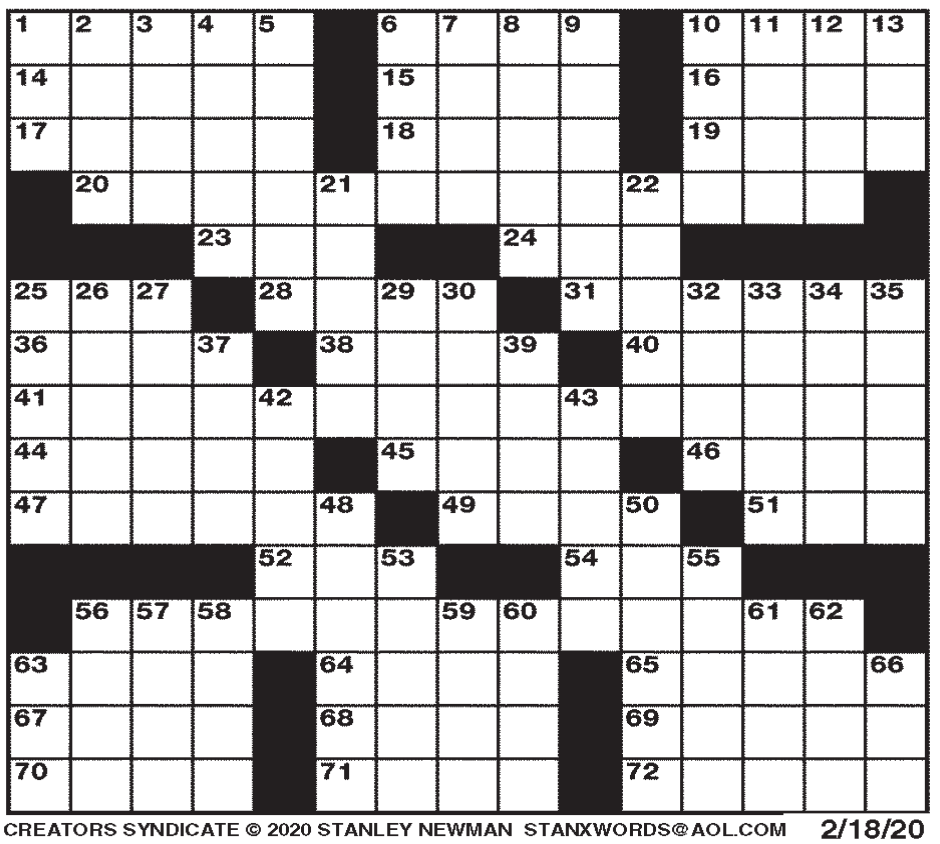
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Newsday Crossword

BEHIND THE WHEEL by Sally R. Stein
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ACROSS
1 Serious play
6 Lion's sound
10 Male deer
14 Word puzzle with pictures
15 __-the-minute (current)
16 Sit, as for a portrait
17 Milk mishap
18 Ball on a necklace
19 Home for protons
20 Avoids, informally
23 Have a glance at
24 Text message "Very funny!"
25 Recede, as the tide
28 Blast from the __ (song oldie)
31 *Arabian Nights* sailor
36 ". . . borrower __ lender be"
38 Numbered hwys.
40 Large stringed instrument
41 Exasperates, informally
44 Taj Mahal's country
45 Boyfriend
46 Sneaker or loafer
47 Really must
49 Makes a mistake
51 They often cross city aves.
52 Contact-lens locale
54 Sharp door knock
56 Stops purchasing any longer
63 Person from Copenhagen
64 Safari or cruise
65 Coins in Spain
67 Comedy routines
68 Otherwise
69 __ preview (early film showing)
70 Shoe worn in snow
71 Sandwich breads
72 In a mean mood

DOWN
1 Physicians: Abbr.
2 Salespersons, for short
3 "That didn't hurt __"
4 Stubborn equines
5 In dreamland
6 Massages
7 Oil cartel
8 In no time __ (instantly)
9 Bronco-riding events
10 Practice for a bout
11 *Wizard of Oz* dog
12 __ yet (so far)
13 Ruby or emerald
21 Raises, as children
22 Wonderland girl
25 __ a tie (require overtime)
26 Carried, as by the wind
27 Doll on a wedding cake
29 Ticket remnant
30 Traditional Indian tent
32 Front-page articles
33 The __ (bored feeling)
34 Parcel out
35 Parcels (out)
37 Very zealous
39 Point of a constellation
42 Devoured
43 "Speed it up!"
48 Pearl producer
50 Least risky
53 Before the deadline
55 Wrinkled plum
56 Crunchy Tex-Mex food
57 "Do __ others . . ."
58 Take a break
59 As __ as an owl
60 King Kong and family
61 Metallic rocks
62 Water around a castle
63 Bit of whipped cream
66 Cloud's location



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CITY OF SANTA MONICA
NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE SANTA MONICA PLANNING COMMISSION

SUBJECT: Proposed Amendments to the Text of the Santa Monica Municipal Code Related to Housing Legislation and Family Daycare Homes for Consistency with State Law.

A public hearing will be held by the Planning Commission to consider a Resolution recommending to the City Council the adoption of an Ordinance recommending amendments to the text of the Zoning Ordinance to update provisions related to accessory dwelling units, density bonus standards, the City's housing project approval procedures, and family daycare homes for consistency with State law.

DATE/TIME: **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 2020 at 7:00 PM**

LOCATION: Ken Edwards Center
1527 4th Street, Santa Monica, California

HOW TO COMMENT
The City of Santa Monica encourages public comment. You may comment at the Planning Commission public hearing, or by writing a letter or e-mail. Information received prior to the hearing will be given to the Planning Commission at the meeting.

Address your letters to: Jing Yeo, City Planner Manager
Re: Housing Legislation
City Planning Division
1685 Main Street, Room 212
Santa Monica, CA 90401

MORE INFORMATION
If you want more information about this project, please contact Jing Yeo, City Planning Manager, at (310) 458-8341, or by e-mail at jing.yeo@smgov.net. The Zoning Ordinance is available at the Planning Counter during business hours and on the City's web site at www.smgov.net.

The meeting facility is wheelchair accessible. For disability-related accommodations, please contact (310) 458-8341 or (310) 458-8696 TTY at least 72 hours in advance. Every attempt will be made to provide the requested accommodation. All written materials are available in alternate format upon request. Santa Monica Big Blue Bus Lines numbered 1, 2, 3, Rapid 3, 7, 8, 9, Rapid 10, and 18 serve City Hall and the Civic Center area. The Expo Line terminus is located at Colorado Avenue and Fourth Street and is a short walk to Ken Edwards Center. Public parking is available in front of City Hall, on Olympic Drive, in the Civic Center Parking Structure (validation free), and at Ken Edwards Center (validation free).

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 65009(b), if this matter is subsequently challenged in Court, the challenge may be limited to only those issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of Santa Monica at, or prior to, the public hearing.

ESPAÑOL
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EMS 1550blk The Beach 12:55 a.m.
Automatic Alarm 1000blk 11th St 1:46 a.m.
EMS 2200blk 3rd St 3:16 a.m.
Automatic Alarm 100blk Broadway 4:30 a.m.
EMS 1400blk 17th St 6:16 a.m.
EMS 800blk 12th St 6:46 a.m.
EMS 1800blk Ocean Ave 7:26 a.m.
EMS 1300blk Franklin St 7:47 a.m.
EMS 2800blk Neilson Way 7:59 a.m.
EMS 900blk 10th St 8:27 a.m.
Vehicle Into A Structure 800blk California Ave 8:45 a.m.
Automatic Alarm 1900blk Ocean Way 8:48 a.m.
Structure Fire 1200blk Yale St 9:20 a.m.
EMS 800blk California Ave 9:50 a.m.
Automatic Alarm 1200blk Ocean Park Blvd 9:58 a.m.
Traffic Collision With Injury 26th St / Montana Ave 10:01 a.m.
EMS 900blk 4th St 12:04 p.m.
EMS 1700blk Cloverfield Blvd 12:40 p.m.
EMS 1500blk 4th St 12:42 p.m.
EMS 900blk 10th St 12:51 p.m.
EMS 300blk Santa Monica Pier 2:13 p.m.
Elevator Rescue 200blk Ocean Ave 2:40 p.m.
EMS 1300blk 17th St 3:09 p.m.
Traffic Collision With Injury 14th St / Pico Blvd 4:03
EMS 1300blk 15th St 4:05
EMS 3000blk Santa Monica Blvd 4:38 p.m.
EMS 2400blk Ocean Front Walk 5:22 p.m.
EMS 2400blk Ocean Front Walk 5:38 p.m.
EMS 2400blk Ocean Front Walk 5:39 p.m.
EMS 1100blk 7th St 6:04 p.m.
Public Assist 1500blk 6th St 6:50 p.m.
EMS 1200blk Berkeley St 7:50 p.m.
EMS 2300blk 28th St 8:50 p.m.
EMS 800blk 2nd St 8:54 p.m.
EMS 1400blk 2nd St 9:34 p.m.
EMS 1200blk 23rd St 11:43 p.m.

MEETING

FROM PAGE 1

BARGAINING AGREEMENTS

After the details of the board policy and administrative regulation have been worked out, the Board of Education is expected to approve the appointment of a new Personnel Commissioner as well as a couple of bargaining agreements.

The district has agreed to three separate collective bargaining agreements with the Santa Monica-Malibu Classroom Teacher's Association, Service Employees International Union - Local 99 (SEIU) and non-represented employees, respectively, according to the agenda. District staff and union representatives have expressed how thankful they are to have finalized a deal during previous board of education meetings.

REDUCTION OF SERVICES

Following the approval of the three collective agreements, it has been recommended that the Board of Education approve Resolution No. 19-22 for the reduction or discontinuance of particular kinds of services, the agenda states.

A resolution is required anytime the district seeks to cut services or recommend layoffs, which have been expected to happen given the district's fiscal situation.

Teachers have asked during previous board meetings that district leaders consider keeping cuts away from the classroom. However, according to the resolution, the district will soon reduce a number of elementary, middle and secondary school services.

The cuts are expected to have a full-time equivalency of nearly 45 certificated positions, and education code requires that notices regarding layoffs of certificated personnel be forwarded no later than March 15.

Local residents will have an opportunity to address the board shortly after the adoption of the resolutions during the public comment period, which is set to occur near the end of Thursday's meeting.

More information on the upcoming meeting can be found online at smmusd.org/domain/2977.

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VIDEO

FROM PAGE 1

Park, outside of the John Muir Elementary School and Santa Monica Alternative School House campus, and inside the Ocean Park branch library. Eilish then performs sex acts inside the library with a man, whose face is not shown.

The video has since been deleted from PornHub, which pays performers by the click. Library porn is not uncommon on PornHub, and videos set in public spaces in Santa Monica can also be found on the site.

Ocean Park residents and library patrons took to social media to express outrage that the library did not prevent the actors from filming the video, with many saying she and the man in the video should be arrested for public indecency.

The city of Santa Monica issued the following statement Monday afternoon:

"We are deeply disturbed to learn about this video. Sex in public spaces is against the law and the Santa Monica Police Department will be looking into this incident."

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