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Volunteers welcome for Heal The Bay's annual Earth Day beach cleanup





Courtesy Photos

CLEANUP: Heal the Bay will celebrate Earth Day with a beach cleanup in Santa Monica this weekend. The event is part of the organization's perpetual work to keep the ocean clean including partnerships with businesses like Orangetheory who conduct regular cleanings along the coast.

BY MARINA ANDALON
Daily Press Staff Writer

To many environmental enthusiasts, April is otherwise known as Earth Month and April 22 is designated as Earth Day. This year, local non-profit Heal the Bay is celebrating a little early and expecting an estimated 2,000 volunteers to participate in their Earth Month, Nothin' But Sand beach cleanup on April 15.

"We host a beach clean up called Nothin' But Sand, on the third Saturday of every month," said Heal the Bay, Beach Program Manager Alys Arenas. This month the beach clean up will be in Santa Monica, and because Earth Day is in April, this month's cleanup tends to attract more people."

Participants will help clean the beaches while learning about environmental threats and how residents and the city can protect the ocean and beach's from pollution and marine debris.

According to the Marine Debris Database provided by Heal the Bay, the data showed the most five commonly picked up items during a beach cleanup are cigarette butts, Styrofoam items, plastic lids, plastic straws, and food wrappers. Each of these items can harm the environment and the health of beach goers.

"Last month, the Nothin' But Sand cleanup was held at Will Rogers State Beach. The cleanup had 1,100 volunteers and removed over 400 lbs of trash," said Arenas.

According to the California Coastal Commission's website, 80% of the trash found in the ocean is due to land based sources and much of the trash found on beaches is linked to the thousands of visitors who travel to the coast.

Heal the Bay is an advocate for taking care of the Earth and doing what is necessary to keep it clean for future generations, which is why they host monthly beach cleanups throughout the year.

This past weekend, Orangetheory fitness studio partnered with Heal the Bay's Adopt A Beach Program. When a group participants in the Adopt a Beach program they are committing to cleaning that beach at least three times a year.

Last week, the fitness studio invited locals and Orangetheory members to clean the Santa Monica Beach, North of the Pier.

The April 15 event also includes some entertainment. Last year, Heal the Bay hosted a yoga session before the Earth Month cleanup. This year there will be a group meditation, along with a sand castle competition. The sandcastle competition will begin at 8:30 a.m., anyone and everyone is welcomed. To sign up, visit http://bit.ly/2p0Kqpy.

Nothin' But Sand participants will receive free admission to the Santa Monica Pier Aquarium that afternoon.

The cleanup will take place on April 15 from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. Bags, garden gloves, water and healthy KIND snacks will be provided. Heal the Bay asks volunteers to meet at 1600 Ocean Front Walk Lifeguard Tower 1550.

For more information visit https://healthebay.org/event/nothin-but-sand-4/.

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American Flyers ready to close up shop at Santa Monica Airport

BY KATE CAGLE
Daily Press Staff Writer

After a decade-long relationship between American Flyers and the City of Santa Monica at SMO, the fixed-base operator (FBO) is cleared for departure.

American Flyers will close up shop, empty its fuel tanks and remove hoses and credit card equipment Saturday, according to a letter sent to the Federal Aviation Administration by Santa Monica Airport Association's counsel, David Shaby II.

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Likely murder-suicide at school kills 2 adults, hurts 2 kids

BY CHRISTOPHER WEBER
Associated Press

A husband opened fire on his wife Monday in a San Bernardino elementary school classroom, killing her and a student in a murder-suicide that spread panic across a city still recovering emotionally from a terrorist attack just 15 months ago.

The shooter also died, and a second student was critically wounded at North Park School.

"The children we do not believe were targeted," police Capt. Ron Maass told reporters.

The gunman was identified as 53-year-old Cedric Anderson, of Riverside, who shot his wife, Elaine Smith, also 53. She was a teacher in

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OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA

Tuesday, April 11

Internet Basics I

Learn how to navigate a web browser, locate information, evaluate online sources and print web pages. Limited seating is on a first-arrival basis. For more information, visit the Reference Desk or call (310) 434-2608. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd., 4 – 5 p.m.

Día Celebration with Leslie Ryan

Celebrate Día (Children's Day/Book Day) with multicultural children's author/illustrator talks and signed book giveaways (while supplies last). Ask for your Día Passport. Children who attend at least three Día events will be entered into a prize drawing at the Arts & Literacy Festival. At Ocean Park, author Leslie Ryan will present her book, I Am Flippish!. For grades Pre-K - 3. 3:30 – 4:15 p.m. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St.

Musical Movie Matinee: Beauty & the Beast

Before this year's live-action version, Disney introduced this animated classic version of the French fairy tale, which went on to win two Academy Awards for Best Music. (84 min.) Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd., 3 – 4:30 p.m.

PEEPSapalooza!

Bring your Peeps Diorama based on a book for a chance to win a prize. Visit the library for more information. 2 – 3 p.m. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd.

Wednesday, April 12

Hi De Ho Comic discussion

Weekly discussion group hosted by Hi De Ho Comics. Rotating titles, this week: Pretty Deadly. For more information, visit the store at 1431 Lincoln Blvd., call (310) 394-2820 or visit www.hidehocomics.com

Commission on the Status of Women Meeting

Regular meeting of the Santa Monica Commission on the Status of Women. Ken Edwards Center, 1527 4th St., 7 p.m.

Montana Mystery Book Group: The Road to Ruin

Ever-lovable but hapless crook John Dortmunder and his merry band of misfits attempt to drive off with a fleet of vintage automobiles in a con against a corrupt CEO who has lavished more of his company's money on himself than the boys at Enron and WorldCom combined. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave, 7 – 8:30 p.m.

Mindful Meditation

Instructor Henry Schipper, graduate of UCLA's Mindful Awareness program, teaches the basics of Mindful meditation. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St., 7 – 8 p.m.

STEAM: Program: Hour of Code - Introduction to Scratch

During this hour you will learn basic coding skills to animate letters to create your name, initials, or favorite word using Scratch. Limited space, register at the library. Pico Branch Library, 2201 Pico Blvd, 4 – 5 p.m.

Farmer's Market

Today, the Wednesday Farmers Market is widely recognized as one of the largest and most diverse grower-only CFM's in the nation. Some nine thousands food shoppers, and many of Los Angeles' best known chefs and restaurants, are keyed to the seasonal rhythms of the weekly Wednesday Market., 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., Arizona between Second and Fourth.

Preschool Story Time

Story series for 3 to 5 year olds. A ticket is required to attend each session. A limited number of tickets are given out on a first-come, first-served basis, the morning of the program, at the Youth Reference Desk. Main

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COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Downtown

History Museum to Exhibit Extensive Shirley Temple Collection

The Santa Monica History Museum has announced it will display an extensive Shirley Temple exhibition from Thursday, April 6, until Saturday, May 13, at the Santa Monica History Museum at 1350 7th Street, Santa Monica, CA 90401.

Shirley Temple: The Depression's Box Office Doll, the Museum's third exhibit to honor the Santa Monica native, will be the first to bring together a stunning collection of Ideal dolls released during Temple's childhood career.

Dolls on display include those owned by Shirley as well as those sold in her image during the 1930s, when earnings from licensed merchandise matched that of her income as an actress. The exhibit will also feature original movie costumes and posters, personal clothing, photos, correspondence, memorabilia, and much more.

Among the treasures on display will be iconic costumes, including her red polka-dot dress from the 1934 film "Stand Up and Cheer!" and the plaid dress Temple wore while performing "On the Good Ship Lollipop." Artifacts on display also include Shirley's personal correspondence with President and First Lady Roosevelt, photos of her as a child, and original birth certificate from Santa Monica Hospital.

Shirley Temple was born in Santa Monica on April 23, 1928. Her abundant talents as a singer, dancer, and actress made her a quick success in Hollywood. Once named "Little Miss Miracle" by President Franklin D. Roosevelt for her ability to bring joy to the lives of millions, her films have been said to uplift the spirits of a nation in the midst of the Great Depression. Shirley Temple: The Depression's Box Office Doll will be an exquisite tribute to her career and legacy during the 1930s.

SANTA MONICA HISTORY MUSEUM ADMISSION:

Adults: $10

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Seniors, students & groups of 6 or more: $5

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For more information, contact Sara Crown at (310) 395-2290 or info@santamonicahistory.org.

– SUBMITTED BY SARA CROWN

Malibu

Waterkeeper's 6th Annual Stand Up for Clean Water Event

On Saturday, April 22, Los Angeles Waterkeeper will welcome ocean enthusiasts to Paradise Cove for one of Southern California's largest stand up paddle (SUP) board races, Stand Up For Clean Water, a Waterkeeper Alliance SPLASH Event presented nationally by Toyota and locally by LA Sanitation. Each year, the event draws hundreds of paddlers and community members together for a packed day of races, beach games, live music, and more in celebration of the California coastline.

Renowned ocean athletes and prominent local paddlers will participate in Stand Up For Clean Water's open 5-mile race, fun 2-mile course, relay and kids races. The event will also feature snorkeling sessions hosted by Malibu Divers and small group eco-tours organized by the Paddle Academy. Inflatable SUP boards donated by 360 Go Anywhere will be avail-

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Santa Monica Malibu Unified School District of Los Angeles County (SMMUSD) Inviting Bids

Santa Monica Malibu Unified School District of Los Angeles County (SMMUSD) will receive sealed bids from contractors holding a type **"B"** license, on the following: **Bid # 17.13.ES-DSA#03-117787, Lincoln Middle School – Field Replacement Project at Lincoln Middle School.** This scope of work is estimated to be between $4,000,000 - $5,000,000 and includes construction of site improvements, underground utilities, preparation work to install FieldTurf and Beynon track surfaces and Musco lighting with poles, accessibility modifications and re-striping of south-west parking, and conversion of an existing classroom building to restrooms. All bids must be filed in the SMMUSD Facility Improvement Office, 2828 4th Street, Santa Monica, California 90405 on or before 5/4/17 at 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. All Bidders must attend the Mandatory Job Walk to be held at the site, on 4/13/17 at 10:30 AM. All General Contractors and M/E/P Subcontractors must be pre-qualified for this project. To view the projects bidding documents, please visit ARC Southern California public plan room www.crplanwell.com and reference the project Bid #.

Prequalification Due Date & Instructions for Application Submission:
All applications are due no later than 4/20/17 which is 10 business days prior to the published bid opening - Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District has contracted with Colbi Technologies, Inc. to provide a web-based process for prequalification called QualityBidders. To submit an application at no cost please visit www.qualitybidders.com. Once you have been approved, you will receive an email indicating your approval expiration date and limit.

Mandatory Job Walk (attendance is required for all Prime Contractors):
4/13/17 at 10:30 AM

Job Walk location: Lincoln Middle School – 1501 California Ave., Santa Monica, CA 90403 – All Attending Contractors MUST meet representatives outside the vehicle gate to the school on 14th Street.

Bid Opening:
5/4/17 at 2:00pm
Any further questions or clarifications to this bidding opportunity, please contact Sheere Bishop at smbishop@smmusd.org directly. In addition, any pre-qualification support issues relative to Colbi Technologies, Inc., website or for technical support please contact support@qualityBidders.com directly.

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NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE SANTA MONICA CITY COUNCIL

SUBJECT: Design approval for the Lincoln Neighborhood Corridor Plan Streetscape and Transportation Concept:

The City Council will review and discuss the proposed final streetscape and transportation concept for the Lincoln Neighborhood Corridor Plan, which provides a range of physical and programmatic improvements to Lincoln Boulevard between the I-10 Freeway and City Limits at Ozone Avenue.

DATE/TIME: **TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 2017 AT 6:30 P.M.**

LOCATION: City Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, Santa Monica City Hall
1685 Main Street, Santa Monica, California

HOW TO COMMENT
The City of Santa Monica encourages public comment. You may comment at the City Council public hearing, or by writing a letter. Written information will be given to the City Council at the meeting.

Address your letters to: City Clerk
Re: Lincoln Neighborhood Corridor Plan
1685 Main Street, Room 102
Santa Monica, CA 90401

Or email to councilmtgitems@smgov.net

MORE INFORMATION
If you want more information about this project or wish to review the project file, please contact Peter James at (310) 458-8341, or by e-mail at peter.james@smgov.net. The project's webpages are located within the City's website at https://www.smgov.net/Departments/PCD/Plans/Streetscapes/Lincoln-Neighborhood-Corridor-Plan-(LiNC)/.

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 City Hall. Public parking is available in front of City Hall, on Olympic Drive, and in the Civic Center Parking Structure (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 informar la comunidad sobre el proyecto Lincoln Neighborhood Corridor Plan. Si deseas más información, favor de llamar a Peter James en la División de Planificación al número (310) 458-8341.

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What's the Point?

David Pisarra — Send comments to editor@smdp.com

Supreme Court Tacks Right

Yesterday the Supreme Court changed for what is probably the next 30 years. Justice Neil Gorsuch was sworn in to return the Court to a functional balance with what is presumably a solid conservative bench of Chief Justice Roberts, joined by Thomas, and Alito. The liberal bench is comprised of Breyer, Ginsburg, Sotomayor, and Kagan with Justice Kennedy being the crucial swing vote.

In the short term, there is expected to be little substantive change in the court's anticipated rulings. The ascension of Gorsuch to the seat previously occupied by Justice Antonin Scalia is just a return to the status quo from a practical perspective. At least that is the belief of those who installed him on the Court.

One never knows for sure what a Supreme Court Justice will do. That's the entire point of having them be on the Court with lifetime appointments. They are now free to act as their conscience dictates unfettered by obligation to any person or party. The thinking is that once they are secure they can do that which they deem in the best interests of the country. In theory, they will take the high road and act without loyalty or affinity to outside interests.

Whether that happens or not is up for debate. The current conservative bench has a definite love of corporations and rarely, if ever, sides with the little guy in matters resembling David v. Goliath. Perhaps that is due to the quality of the lawyers that are paid astronomical sums by corporations to plead their cases. Perhaps it is due to the changing views of our society of what is to be valued.

After all we have been leaning towards the idolization of the corporate behemoth for decades now. This latest development, of a President who is unreservedly capitalistic and dismissive of those who would reach out and care for the less fortunate, may take us to depths of despair that have not been seen since the 30's. The Great Depression came about from a confluence of factors, not the least of which was the relaxed regulations of the financial markets, where con men reigned supreme. The devastation that was wrought upon our country was famously recorded by photographic artists like Dorothea Lange, who catalogued the desperation of parents and children.

Could we be faced with another such period as a result of this President and his policies? Certainly it is possible. We are not even 100 days into his term and it looks like the only thing he has truly accomplished is filling a Supreme Court seat. Is the direction he is leading us similar to the 20's and 30's? I think so. I see a man who is hell-bent on destroying his predecessor's legacy at the expense of our country's environmental controls, financial controls, and social well-being.

The balance of power in our country, the three legs of government that form a stable republic, relies on each leg doing its job, taking its responsibilities seriously, and proactively working in our country's best interest. When they are swayed by corporate interests they are concerned not with the needs and concerns of the great mass of people, but of the dollar. Corporations are focused on quarterly results, not long term benefits to those who have little, or no, voice.

It is often said that you can tell a person's character by how they treat those who can do nothing for them. If someone is abusive, or dismissive to the wait staff in a restaurant it's a safe bet that they are bad person. Conversely, if they treat everyone with respect and dignity, they are likely to be a good person.

We have a Supreme Court, President, and Congress that bends over for the corporate contingent because of the money they spend on lobbyists. The little guy, the "waitstaff" in our society, is generally treated poorly, dismissively and expendably. They are taken advantage of by unscrupulous corporations that care more about the quarterly reports than doing the right thing for their customers and society in general.

This is why Presidential politics matter. This is why Supreme Court Justices matter. We did not get a President Trump for just four years. We have his legacy to contend with, but also our future. A future that was, and is, at stake.

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able for those just getting started with stand up paddling. Guests can participate in a seaside yoga class hosted by Sand Sisters LA, enjoy a fresh seafood lunch catered by Paradise Cove Beach Café, and sample cold pressed juice by Renew Juicery. Plus, Santa Monica Brew Works will be pouring beer.

This year, SoCal-based band The Smashup will kick off the celebration. Closing out the event is an all-star cover band including: Rami Jaffee on keys (Foo Fighters/The Wallflowers), Christopher Thorn on guitar (BLind MeLoN, AWOLNATION), Sean Hurley on bass (Vertical Horizon/John Mayer), Jessy Greene on violin (P!nk, Foo Fighters), Jonny Kaplan on vocals and guitar (The Lazy Stars), and Mario Calire on drums (The Wallflowers/Ozomotli).

Also joining the event will be underserved and at-risk youth from across LA County who participate in Waterkeeper's boat-based MPA Watch program. The on-the-water outreach and monitoring program safeguards local Marine Protected Areas (MPAs) – areas of the ocean where fishing is limited, but recreational activities are encouraged. Waterkeeper engages hundreds of at-risk youth and other volunteers in protecting these 'underwater national parks,' including the Point Dume State Marine Reserve.

For more information visit www.splashseries.org. Los Angeles Waterkeeper's mission is to protect and restore Santa Monica Bay, San Pedro Bay and adjacent waters through enforcement, fieldwork, and community action.

– SUBMITTED BY SHARON LICHT

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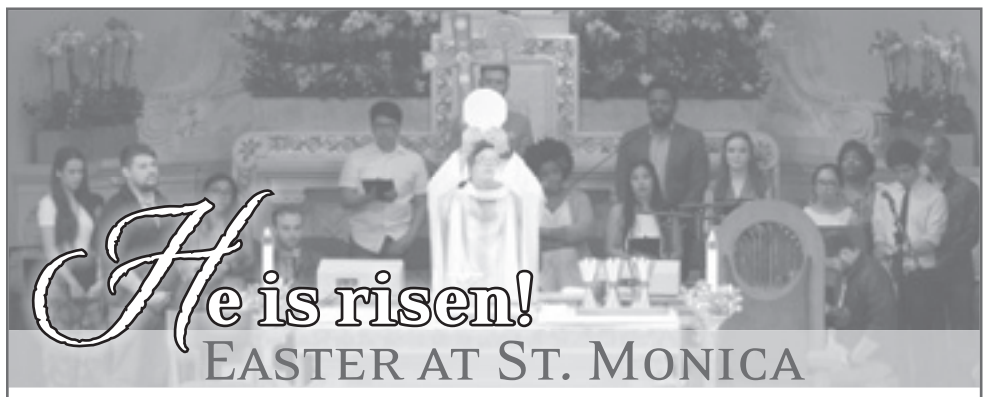
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the special-needs classroom for students in first through fourth grades.

Anderson said nothing as he began firing a large-caliber revolver, according to police. Both of the children who were hit were standing behind Smith. An 8-year-old later died. The other student was hospitalized in stable condition.

The gunman had a history of weapons, domestic violence and possible drug charges that predated the marriage, which lasted only a few months, authorities said.

The boy who died was identified as Jonathan Martinez. Authorities did not name the other boy who was wounded.

The 600 other students at the school were bused to safety at California State University's San Bernardino campus, several miles away. Television news footage showed students, escorted by police officers, walking off campus hand-in-hand.

As word of the shooting spread, panicked parents raced to the school, some in tears, some praying as they anxiously sought information. They were told to go to a high school where they would be reunited.

Four hours later, the children began to arrive at the high school, getting hugs from emotional parents. As the students got off the buses, many of them carrying glow sticks they had been given to pass the time, police officers applauded and high-fived them.

When the buses first pulled away, some parents ran alongside, waving and trying to recognize their children inside. Many said their children were too young to have cell-phones or the phones rang unanswered.

Among those waiting anxiously at the high school for her 9-year-old granddaughter's return was Alberta Terrell, who said she cried with relief when she was told that a family friend saw the girl getting onto a bus.

"I was really elated. But I won't be truly happy until I see her and can give her a big hug," Terrell said as she sat in the bleachers near Cajon High School's baseball diamond.

"It's frustrating for us as parents but also understandable," Holly Penalber said of the long wait, which most parents seemed resigned to.

Penalber's 9-year-old son and 7-year-old daughter attend the school. She called Monday's shootings "every parent's worst nightmare."

San Bernardino was the site of a December 2015 terror attack that killed 14 people and wounded 22 others at a meeting of San Bernardino County employees. Husband-and-wife shooters Syed Rizwan Farook and Tashfeen Malik were later killed in a gunbattle with authorities.

Monday's shooting was the latest tragedy for a city. Once a major rail hub and citrus producer, San Bernardino filed for bankruptcy in 2012 after struggling to pay its employees despite steep cuts to the budget.

An outlying suburb of Los Angeles, it was hit hard when the Great Recession sent housing prices tumbling. As the city struggled with economic problems that forced layoffs of police and other government workers, violent crimes, particularly homicide, began to rise.

In the past year, however, the city seemed to be making a recovery. Police Chief Jarrod Burguan, who won national praise for the way his department responded to the 2015 shootings, announced last year he was hiring additional officers.

Associated Press writers Michael Balsamo, Brian Melley and John Rogers contributed to this story.







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SURF FORECASTS

WATER TEMP: **59.4°**

Tuesday – **FAIR** – SURF: **2-3 ft** Knee to waist high
Holding SSW swell. Fresh, steep-angled NW swell fills in.

Wednesday – **FAIR** – SURF: **2-3 ft** knee to chest high
New WNW swell fills in through the day. SSW swell slowly eases. Winds may be an issue.

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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 MARCH 28, 2017 AT ABOUT 8:25 A.M.

Officers responded to radio call for service of a petty theft at Trimania Food Market- 1348 3rd Street Promenade. A store employee watched the suspect conceal merchandise in his clothing and exit the store without paying for anything. The witness flagged down arriving officers in the alley behind the store and identified the suspect. The suspect is told to stop by officers but did not comply. The suspect resisted arrest and a struggle ensued between the officers and suspect who was eventually taken into custody. Anthony Michael Duvall, 40, homeless was arrested for resisting arrest, petty theft and a probation violation. He was denied bail.

DAILY POLICE LOG

The Santa Monica Police Department responded to 342 calls for service on April 10.

HERE IS A SAMPLING OF THOSE CALLS CHOSEN BY THE SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS STAFF.

Alcohol & Beverage code violation 100 block of Wilshire 12:08 a.m.
Assault with deadly weapon 100 block of Broadway 1:21 a.m.
Burglary 800 block of 4th 2:00 a.m.
Sexual assault 1300 block of Santa Monica 2:24 a.m.
Drunk driving 1500 block of 15th 2:37 a.m.
Battery 600 block of Santa Monica 2:44 a.m.
Encampment 1400 block of 2nd 3:46 a.m.
Audible burglar alarm 1100 block of Santa Monica 5:18 a.m.
Grand theft 100 block of California 7:32 a.m.
Traffic collision 4th/ Olympic 7:34 a.m.
Trespassing 1100 block of 7th 7:59 a.m.
Trespassing 1700 block of Ocean 8:06 a.m.
Urinating/Defecating in Public 1400 block of 2nd 8:24 a.m.
72 hour psychiatric hold 900 block of Pico 8:54 a.m.
Mark and tag abandoned vehicle 1200 block of 9th 9:20 a.m.
Grand theft 2600 block of 6th 9:20 a.m.
Trespassing 1000 block of 5th 9:38 a.m.
Trespassing 1000 block of 2nd 10:25 a.m.
Traffic collision 1400 block of 12th 10:33 a.m.
Person down 2500 block of Broadway 10:39 a.m.
Silent robbery alarm 1800 block of Lincoln 10:45 a.m.
Grand theft auto 1000 block of 5th 11:02 a.m.
Fight 2300 block of 4th 11:28 a.m.
Hit and run 2800 block of Lincoln 11:31 a.m.
Trespassing 1100 block of 4th 12:24 p.m.
Mark and tag abandoned vehicle 1500 block of 2nd 12:31 p.m.
72 hour psychiatric hold 700 block of California 1:02 p.m.
Petty theft 600 block of Santa Monica 1:07 p.m.
Traffic collision 2nd/Santa Monica 1:18 p.m.
Trespassing 2200 block of Colorado 1:25 p.m.
Mark and tag abandoned vehicle 1200 block of 21st 2:00 p.m.
Petty theft 1300 block of Wilshire 2:36 p.m.
Battery 6th/Bay 3:09 p.m.
Audible burglar alarm 1300 block of 7th 3:58 p.m.
Grand theft auto 900 block of 2nd 4:09 p.m.
Trespassing 800 block of Bay 4:18 p.m.
Person down 1200 block of Palisades Park 4:30 p.m.
Traffic collision 6th/Ocean Park 4:31 p.m.
Urinating/Defecating in the public 1300 block of Euclid 4:35 p.m.
Petty theft 1900 block of Wilshire 5:39 p.m.
Trespassing 400 block of Colorado 5:43 p.m.
Drunk driving investigation 2nd/Colorado 6:10 p.m.
Critical missing person 300 block of Santa Monica Pier 6:24 p.m.
Public intoxication 700 block of Broadway 6:32 p.m.
Public intoxication 100 block of Broadway 6:47 p.m.
Critical missing person 300 block of Santa Monica Pier 6:58 p.m.
Traffic collision 700 block of Broadway 7:32 p.m.
Public intoxication 500 block of Broadway 8:58 p.m.
Person down 2600 block of Main 9:45 p.m.
Trespassing 1200 block of 14th 9:57 p.m.
Battery 600 block of Broadway 10:25 p.m.
Encampment 1700 block of Montana 11:48 p.m.

DAILY FIRE LOG

The Santa Monica Fire Department responded to 43 calls for service on Apr. 9.

HERE IS A SAMPLING OF THOSE CALLS CHOSEN BY THE SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS STAFF.

EMS 800 block of 2nd 12:04 a.m.
EMS 1900 block of Stewart 12:29 a.m.
Smoke investigation 1200 block of Hill 1:03 a.m.
EMS 100 block of Broadway 1:20 a.m.
Automatic alarm 1800 block of Wilshire 2:10 a.m.
EMS 1600 block of Santa Monica 2:59 a.m.
EMS 900 block of 3rd 6:15 a.m.
Automatic alarm 400 block of 22nd 7:43 a.m.
EMS Lincoln/Pearl 8:29 a.m.
Automatic alarm 600 block of 14th 9:03 a.m.
Flooded condition 1200 block of Broadway 9:19 a.m.
EMS 25th/Broadway 10:40 a.m.
EMS 3000 block of Ruskin 11:11 a.m.
EMS 14th/Arizona 11:44 a.m.
Fire investigation 1000 block of 3rd 1:08 p.m.
EMS 200 block of Santa Monica 1:19 p.m.
EMS 2100 block of Pennsylvania 2:10 p.m.
EMS 800 block of 4th 2:21 p.m.
EMS 1000 block of 26th 2:27 p.m.
EMS 1900 block of Olympic 2:27 p.m.
EMS 6th/Bay 3:11 p.m.
EMS 1200 block of Palisades Park 4:30

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FIRE

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p.m.
EMS 6th/Ocean Park 4:32 p.m.
EMS 3rd St Prom/ Santa Monica 4:38 p.m.
EMS 1500 block of Palisades Park 4:39 p.m.
EMS 2600 block of Ocean Front Walk 5:01 p.m.
Trash/Dumpster Fire 800 block of 9th 5:22 p.m.
EMS 2300 block of 4th 5:30 p.m.
EMS 1800 block of 16th 5:37 p.m.
EMS 900 block of 3rd 5:41 p.m.
Trash/Dumpster Fire 1800 block of 9th 6:44 p.m.
Automatic alarm 1400 block of Ocean 6:50 p.m.
EMS 1300 block of 15th 7:05 p.m.
EMS 1500 block of Ocean Front Walk 7:25 p.m.
EMS 600 block of Marine 8:11 p.m.
Automatic alarm 1500 block of 5th 8:27 p.m.
EMS Lincoln/I-10 8:29 p.m.
Smoke investigation 2200 block of 21st 8:37 p.m.
EMS 1400 block of 2nd 8:58 p.m.
Odor of natural gas 1100 block of 15th 9:04 p.m.
EMS 2600 block of Main 9:46 p.m.
EMS 2300 block of 34th 10:13 p.m.
EMS 1300 block of 20th 10:18 p.m.

WELL NEWS BY SCOTT LAFEE

Hip-Hippo Hooray

■ Premature baby hippopotamuses are a bit like premature baby humans. They're small (relatively speaking) and fragile. Fiona is a hippo born prematurely at the Cincinnati Zoo. She weighed just 29 pounds. The normal range is 55-120 pounds. More worrisome, she was extremely dehydrated and zoo vets struggled to get a life-saving IV into her.

■ So they turned to the closest place with a lot of experience dealing with preemies: the Cincinnati Children's Hospital. Using ultrasound equipment, hospital specialists got an IV into Fiona's leg on the second try. She's doing fine now and weighs, at least report, more than 80 pounds.

MYSTERY PHOTO

Matthew Hall *matt@smdp.com*



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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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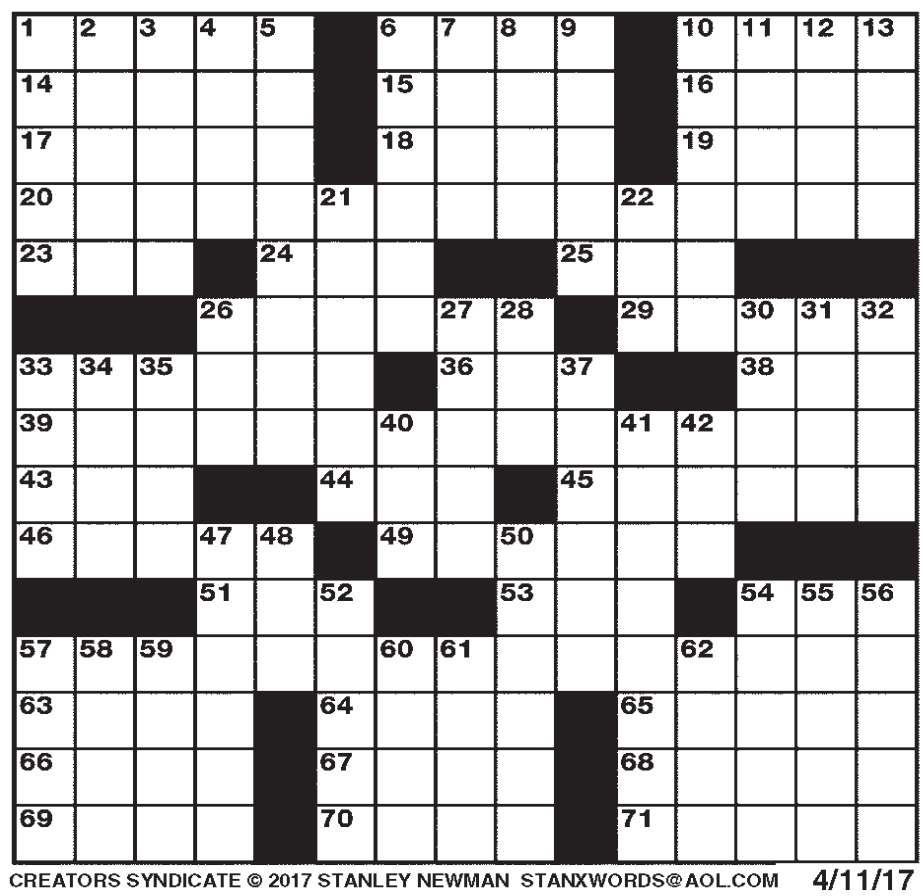
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Newsday Crossword

NO MORE ROOM by Billie Truitt
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ACROSS
1 Scorches
6 Abrasive material
10 Attend
14 New employee
15 Make haste
16 Dry as a desert
17 Haloed messenger
18 Initial poker stake
19 Transmit
20 Vegetarian appetizers
23 Pt. opposite WNW
24 French Mrs.
25 Historical period
26 Talk nonsense
29 Precise
33 Prefix meaning "false"
36 Place to park
38 Disapproving shout
39 Feeling smug
43 Some S&L accounts
44 Up to now
45 Bumpy, as a dirt road
46 Boss' terse note
49 Old-fashioned "Scram!"
51 Alias, briefly
53 DVR remote button
54 Free TV ad, for short
57 Interviewer's traps
63 Shortened form, for short
64 Evict
65 Prepare to move, as a houseplant
66 Pepsi or Coke
67 Ferris wheel, e.g.
68 Blazing
69 Door openers
70 Footnote notation
71 Solitary person

DOWN
1 Pursue on the run
2 Clues
3 Be disagreeable
4 Coral formation
5 Successful on one's own
6 Lesser-quality, as milk
7 Littlest of a litter
8 "That's all there __ it!"
9 Central idea
10 Levy at the pump
11 Triple-decker cookie
12 Fork prong
13 Betting stats
21 Personify
22 "__ you sure?"
26 First full summer mo.
27 Exclusive group
28 Go bad
30 Just slightly
31 Secret message
32 __ the line (behaved)
33 Cpl.'s subordinates
34 Pro or con, e.g.
35 Otherwise
37 Violent struggles
40 Spider's creation
41 On time
42 Numbered hwy.
47 Plaid fabric from India
48 __ out a living
50 Hansel's sister
52 Idolize
54 Stop by briefly
55 Sleeper's sound
56 Daisylike flower
57 Don't have
58 Woodwind instrument
59 With competence
60 Give up
61 Beef rating agcy.
62 Useful facts, for short



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A message from Mayor Ted Winterer on pedestrian safety

There have been several pedestrian-vehicle collisions in the last month and as we roll into our busy summer months, we want to remind you to be vigilant about road safety.

There are many options to get around in Santa Monica, which is why so many of us love it here. Whether you're driving, walking, biking, skating, or scooting, we all need to be aware of our surroundings and put safety first.

We are all pedestrians at one point or another during the day so be alert at all times and follow the rules of the road.

Driving carries with it the very serious responsibility of ensuring the safety of those around you. Santa Monica is a bustling community with many pedestrians and cyclists at all hours of the day and it is essential to remain attentive. At times, pedestrians and cyclists can be unpredictable, which is all the more reason to proceed with caution. Even if you have the right-of-way, make good choices, which may prevent a serious or fatal crash with a pedestrian.

The Santa Monica I know is a community that cares. It is a community that looks out for one another. Please, drive safely and let's all do our part to keep Santa Monica safe.

In 2016, City Council adopted the Pedestrian Action Plan to focus on making walking easier in Santa Monica. For more information and to review the Pedestrian Action Plan, please visit www.smgov.net/walk.

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TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (April 11)

Don't worry about labeling your pursuits of the next 10 weeks. Your interest may seem scattered and random, but something remarkable is coming together here. In June you'll get a clear plan and your project will grow to the perfect beautiful size. The same love affair will take many forms this solar return. Leo and Capricorn adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 6, 20, 33, 28 and 15.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

Don't ask other people for answers today because the answers are not in other people. Seek solitude. Be a monk for a few hours. "A monk is a man who is separated from all and who is in harmony with all." -- Evagrius Ponticus

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

Learn the history and you'll understand the factors affecting the present situation a lot better. Also, the ones who are in the know will be impressed and perhaps flattered by your curiosity.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21)

You'll use your freewheeling spontaneity to capture the attention and interest of your intended. After that, though, self-discipline and organization are needed. Relationships thrive with structure.

CANCER (June 22-July 22)

Maybe you're the universal favorite child of the day. People around you will seem to be working just for you. Or maybe it's just that your needs are in alignment with what others want most to give.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

The concerns of humans may be an infinitesimal point in the immensity of the universe, but that doesn't keep them from feeling like a large weight to one person. Bottom line, if it's a big deal to you, it's a big deal.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

Since you know that when you say yes your hyper-vigilance will kick in and you'll give your very all to the thing, you're very careful about what you say yes to today.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)

It will be rather easy to see the dim shadows of life this morning. Once you change the channel, everywhere you look you today you'll see life happening in a kind of glad, rejoicing action.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21)

An emotion is like a sound: It's an internal interpretation of an external vibration. The vibration is not the feeling. Feelings don't exist around us. They are made inside us and can be remade their, too.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

Time to refer to your role models. If you are not moved to do so, it's a sign that you may need to add a new role model. Search high and low for inspiration. P.S.: Your role model does not have to accessible or even alive.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

It's good to know that change is coming, as you dislike having change sprung on you at the last second. The excellent communicators who let you know what to expect will win your loyalty.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

You're not waiting for another person to make the situation better. You sense that most of the changes that matter will come from you. You roll up your sleeves and get busy.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

Like a laptop featuring an on-screen spinning ball, information overload could have you feeling hot and confused. What helps is a way of categorizing and processing this. Use these two categories to start: "Actionable" or "Not actionable."

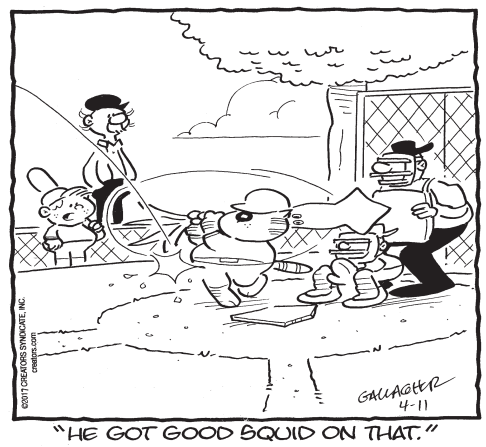
Lingering Libra-Moon Choices

The fecund Libra moon illuminates so much potential in people, relationships, art -- you may very well need to limit your options. Like a child in an ice cream shop featuring 31 flavors, you will have a hard time choosing the best. Narrow it down to three: birthday cake, apple pie, rainbow sherbet... suddenly, priorities kick in. Now you can choose!

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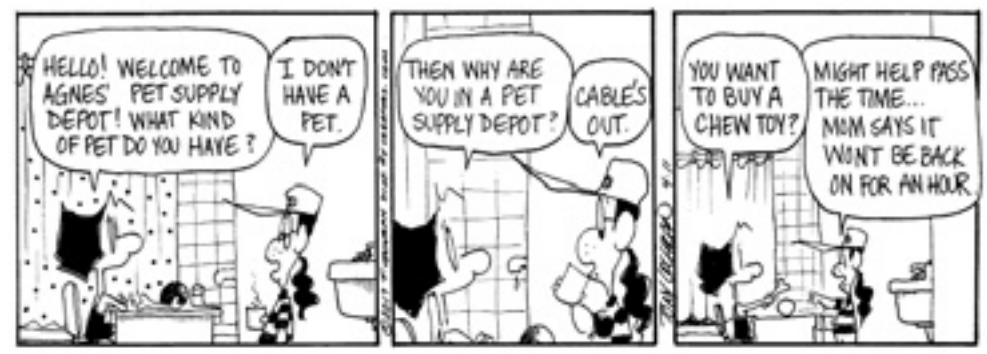
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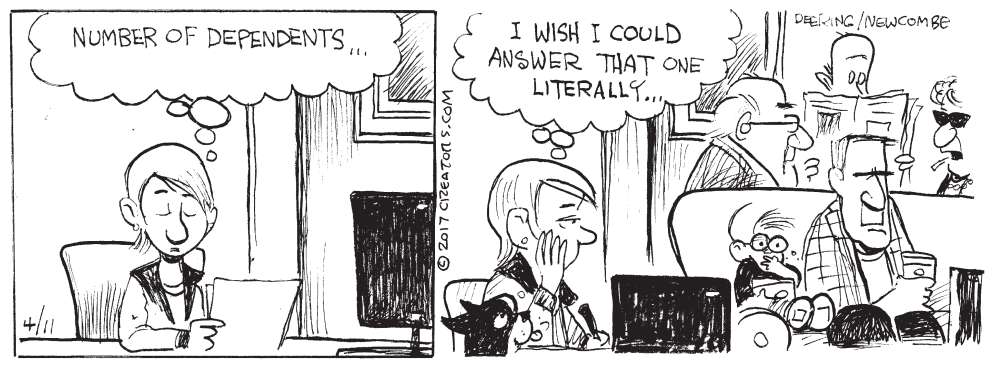
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As American Flyers gets ready to leave Santa Monica Airport after eleven years of operations, the City has already selected its replacement.

The same property management company that took over overseeing specific airport leaseholds in 2015, Aeroplex/Aerolease Group, will now also manage and operate self-service fueling at SMO starting Sunday, April 16. The City says the deal will ensure non-stop service for pilots flying out of the small airport. Atlantic Aviation also provides fuel by truck at the airport.

"We recognize the urgent need to transition fuel operations seamlessly, so there is minimal interruption in service to the general aviation community," Aeroplex president and CEO Curt Castagna said in a statement. Aeroplex also manages leaseholds at the Van Nuys and Long Beach Airports. The company is also involved in aviation facility design, construction, lease negotiations and government affairs.

"We were surprised by American Flyers' notice to vacate SMO, but Aeroplex will step in and provide similar service," Mayor Ted Winterer said.

The FBO's departure is the latest in a flurry of changes at the airport since the City entered into a Consent Decree with the Federal Aviation Administration that allows the airport to close Dec. 31, 2028. The unprecedented decree also allows the City to demolish 1,500 feet of runway, which will greatly curb get operations at SMO. As a part of the agreement, the City must operate the airport in good faith until it is eventually closed in eleven years.

According to Shaby's letter to the FAA's Office of Chief Counsel, American Flyers felt forced out. Shaby urged the FAA to step in and ensure smooth operations for airport tenants.

"As you are likely aware, after years of harassment by the City over its flight school operations and the ongoing threat of Airport closure, American Flyers has decided to relocated to Scottsdale, Arizona," Shaby said.

In September last year, Santa Monica served American Flyers and Atlantic Aviation with eviction notices ordering them to leave the airport by Oct. 15. The City aimed to take over the fuel sale business at SMO. Late last year, the FAA issued a cease-and-desist order against the City to preserve the operators, but that was before the FAA entered into the surprise agreement with Santa Monica to end all litigation between the two parties over the airport.

Leaded jet fuel is a major source of concern for residents in the surrounding neighborhood who have lobbied to get the airport shut down entirely. Lead is a known neurotoxin that has been banned from gasoline used in cars but is still found in some types of aviation gas. City leaders have suggested the City itself may eventually take over the management of fuel sales at the airport in order to eliminate lead content. In the Consent Decree, the FAA agreed to consider any demonstration project the City may seek to implement pertaining to the use of unleaded fuel.

Nonetheless, the City had recently offered American Flyers a three-year lease to continue to sell fuel at the airport, according to acting City attorney, Joseph Lawrence. Instead, March 7 American Flyers announced it would vacate in just over a month's time. In a letter to the FAA, Lawrence points out the irony that a company once suing to stay at SMO abruptly "changed its tune," calling it a "self-interested business decision," not a result of harassment.

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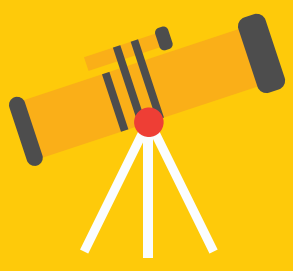
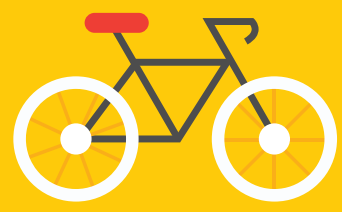
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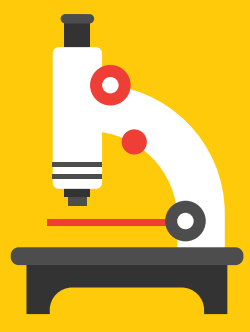
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