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THE CAT FIGHT ISSUE

SMPD captain sues city for \$10M

Mark Smiley, who once served as interim chief, alleges retaliation for whistle blowing

BY KEVIN HERRERA
Editor in Chief

DOWNTOWN Capt. Mark Smiley, a 26-year-veteran of the Santa Monica Police Department and the former commanding officer of the Office of Special Enforcement, has filed a multi-million-dollar lawsuit against City Hall and his superiors for allegedly orchestrating a smear campaign against him.

Smiley, who has been on paid leave since

November 2007 pending the results of a criminal investigation, claims SMPD Chief Timothy Jackman and SMPD Deputy Chief Phil Sanchez falsely accused him of lying about the number of hours he worked, resulting in the misappropriation of city funds in the amount of \$58,000.

Smiley is seeking at least \$10 million for damages suffered, which include humiliation, embarrassment, mental anguish and damage to his reputation, according to a complaint filed Tuesday in Los Angeles

Superior Court.

Smiley claims Jackman and Sanchez retaliated against him after he sent an anonymous "white letter" to the mayor, city manager, assistant city manager and the city attorney that said Sanchez ordered an officer, while on duty, to complete coursework for him as he sought a master's degree. Smiley also said Jackman and Sanchez viewed Smiley as a threat after he



SEE LAWSUIT PAGE 12 SMILEY

Animal lovers decry proposed bill's impact on declawing

BY MELODY HANATANI
Daily Press Staff Writer

SACRAMENTO A somewhat obscured piece of legislation circulating in the state capital is causing an uproar among local residents, not just for its controversial limitation on a city's ability to regulate business activities, but for possibly allowing a procedure that some have dubbed an amputation on cats.

The source of frustration for these animal lovers is AB 2427, a bill that would amend state law to prevent cities and counties from imposing certain restrictions on professionals who are licensed by the California Department of Consumer Affairs, prohibiting regulation of activities that are defined in the respective business or occupation.

While officials in cities like Santa Monica and Los Angeles have denounced the bill on the grounds it would essentially take away local policing powers, the aspect of the measure that has riled up opponents is its impact on future ordinances banning a much-contentious practice on cats called declawing.

The bill, authored by Mike Eng, (D-Monterey Park), seeks to rectify the confu-

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PLAY TIME

Brandon Wise brandonw@smdp.com
Catherine Breen (right) enjoys the warmth of the day as her son Dan plays in one of the fountains at the Third Street Promenade earlier this week. The two visitors from Ireland have been enjoying the pleasant Santa Monica beach weather, which has been in the high 70s.



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OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA AND SURROUNDS



Fall Out Boy comes to the pier

Santa Monica Pier, 5 p.m. — 10 p.m.

The Twilight Dance Series presents Victoria's Secret Pink PINKapalooza. Fall Out Boy is the headliner with Danny Masterson (aka DJ MomJeans) spinning tunes before the live performance.

State of the City II

101 Wilshire Blvd., 11 a.m. — 2 p.m.

Join the Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce and local leaders as they discuss the economic outlook for our city with panelists City Manager Lamont Ewell, Mayor Herb Katz, Santa Monica Convention and Visitors Bureau President Misti Kerns, Santa Monica Pier Restoration Corp. Executive Director Ben Franz-Knight, Bayside District Corporation President/CEO Kathleen Rawson and Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce President/CEO Laurel Rosen. For information, call (310) 393-9825.

'Infra-Man' screening

601 Santa Monica Blvd., 7 p.m. — 8:45 p.m.

The Main Library's Incredibly Strange Film Series continues with "Infra-Man," a 1970s kung fu superhero flick featuring some of the corniest supervillains ever seen on film. This free screening takes place in the MLK Jr. Auditorium. Seating is first come, first served.

Friday, July 18, 2008

Miss Saigon at SMC

1900 Pico Blvd., 8 p.m. — 11 p.m.

This classic musical portrays an American soldier and a Vietnamese woman who struggle to find each other after becoming separated by the fall of Saigon. It will be performed on the Santa Monica College Theater Arts Main Stage by SMC finest.

Salsa the night away

1334 Lincoln Blvd, 7:15 p.m. — 10 p.m.

Beginners and experienced salseros alike can pick up new moves at Isabelle Pampillo's Friday Socials in Santa Monica. The night consists of a 90 minute class followed by a social hour of drinks and dancing where dancers can practice their dips and turns. \$20 charge for class, dancing and drinks.

For information, call (310) 392-3493.

A boomer babe gone bad

4455 Overland Ave., 7:30 p.m. — 9 p.m.

At the hip Culver City café The Spot, Charli Haynes will perform her one woman show "A Boomer Babe Gone Bad," which traces her life from child actress to ingenue, ballet diva to professional wrestler, jazz singer to stand-up comedian. \$15 cover charge, plus one dinner, one drink minimum per person. For information, call (310) 559-8868.

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





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MAIN STAGE: Platinum rock band Fall Out Boy will headline Pinkapalooza at the Santa Monica Pier tonight as part of the Twilight Dance Series.

Teen girls' paradise on the pier

BY CHRISTINA YOON
Special to the Daily Press

SM PIER Although all ages are invited to tonight's Twilight Dance Series concert on the pier, the event may very well be a teen girl's dream come true.

Victoria's Secret has selected the location for Pinkapalooza, a frothy night of games, clothes and pop music, to promote its Pink line of loungewear. Pinkapalooza's main event will be a performance by pop-punk quartet Fall Out Boy, preceded by music from DJ MomJeans, better known to most as Danny Masterson, star of the sitcom "That '70's Show."

Starting at 5 p.m., wristbands will be given to the first 3,000 people who come bearing a downloadable ticket that gets them free games and rides. The event will be open to the public at 6 p.m.

"The Santa Monica pier is such an iconic, known destination and such a celebratory place," said Sara Tervo, a spokesperson for Victoria's Secret and organizer of

Pinkapalooza. "We thought it was absolutely perfect for a big back-to-school bash."

The event will also host a "rivalry competition" between UCLA and USC students, who will compete in pop-up basketball, skee-ball and a water balloon toss. The winning school will receive a tailgate party hosted by Victoria's Secret at the next UCLA versus USC football game.

The events coincide with Victoria's Secret's recently introduced Pink Collegiate collection, which features girly versions of college logos on sweats and accessories. "Pop-up stores" will be scattered along the pier, where fans can buy Pink clothing.

"We realized that it's an untapped market," Tervo said. "There are a lot of female fans of these schools, too."

In the days leading up to Pinkapalooza, girls in pink T-shirts wandered Third Street Promenade and the pier, handing out the VIP tickets. Bright pink flags lined the pier announcing the event. Pinkapalooza is targeted to the large groups of teens that make the beach and shopping areas their play-

grounds while on summer break.

Victoria's Secret has thrown two similar events in past years, the first in New York's Hudson River Park featuring Ashlee Simpson and the second in Chicago's North Avenue beach starring Fergie. This year, Fall Out Boy was not announced as the headlining band until just a few days before the event.

"It wasn't meant to be a secret," Tervo said, "but we just wanted it to be all buttoned up before we announced it. We wanted a band that would be exciting for this collegiate crowd."

While the event is targeted toward teens, Tervo encouraged Twilight Dance Series regulars to pay a visit anyway.

"The concert will be a great experience for anybody," she said. The rides and games will remain open to the public during Pinkapalooza.

"The stars aligned this year," Tervo said of securing the pier for tonight's festivities. "You'll instantly smile when you see it."

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Former SMC coach has pro ambitions

BY MICHAEL MIDDLEHURST-SCHWARTZ
Special to the Daily Press

CARSON Even on a field littered with dozens of NFL, college and high school football stars, Charlie Collins is hard to miss.

Waving his arms wildly and flipping hand signals to his receivers, the diminutive coach commands each player's absolute attention as he barks out instructions. At his football camp, called the "Phenom Factory," there's no question who's in charge.

"He's the littlest and loudest one out there," said Theotis Brown, who helps Collins run the camp on one of the soccer fields at the Home Depot Center.

As the heat rises in the early afternoon, Collins's intensity also amplifies. He pulls aside a high school wide receiver to instruct him on proper technique right before doing the same to T.J. Houshmandzadeh or one of the other professional players looking for guidance.

Even after being lectured, players mirror Collins's no-nonsense approach. Receiver Jerome Simpson lays out for a football and skids five yards against the turf, leaving behind a layer of skin from his right shoulder and giving him a deep burn. Already running late for an event at their school, a group of players from Oaks Christian High School make time to specially thank Collins after the workout.

"He's got a great way of communicating, almost like a father figure," said Cincinnati Bengals offensive coordinator Bob Bratkowski, a long-time friend of Collins. "All these guys out here can trust him."

It's that ability to relate to players, as well as his attention to detail and stern coaching style, that has put the former Santa Monica College wide receivers coach on the radar of NFL teams. After spending the summer interning with the Cincinnati Bengals, Collins is inching closer to that dream.

Working for the Bengals was a natural fit for Collins, who mentored Cincinnati wide receiver Chad Johnson at SMC. A receiver at Cal State Northridge and four-year veteran of the Canadian Football League, Collins met Bratkowski through Dennis Erickson, Johnson's college coach at Oregon State, and childhood friend Eric Yarber.

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We all need a good laugh

Editor:

Weldon Berger’s [letter entitled] “Catch-and-release method” in your July 10 issue is the funniest piece I’ve read in a very long time. I laughed out loud all the way through it. If he is indeed homeless, as he stated, please find him a home and hire him immediately as a permanent staff writer. In these times we all need a good laugh. Berger is a true humorist in the tradition of Mark Twain.

Helen Fiske
Santa Monica

Shout it out

Editor:

I really appreciated [John Whitehead’s opinion piece entitled] “Time for a Revolution,” page 5, July 14. At the end of the article Whitehead calls for “we the people” to “speak up.” ... Gov. Schwarzenegger is implementing a cap and trade system which requires the largest polluters in the state, like the oil companies, to have permits for the pollution they create. We should make the oil companies pay for these permits and that money should go towards solutions like wind and solar power. If we can get the public to “speak up” for this idea we can make it happen.

Amber Rollo
Manhattan Beach

Save the bison

Editor:

I read with great interest [a letter to the editor entitled] “Save the Bison” by Kim George of Claremont. I am a survivor of the 1933-34 civilian conservation corps. I was stationed in the Custer State Park in the Black Hills of South Dakota, about 400 miles west of my hometown of Sioux Falls.

In our daily truck rides to our work areas we would see on occasion buffalo grazing in the open fields. One day on our way to work we saw a big palomino or buckskin horse, I don’t know the difference, if there is any, that was gored by a buffalo. When we came back about 4 p.m., the horse was dead, we saw no buffalo. I never heard anything official or newspaper account of the incident. I agree with Kim George, these magnificent beasts should be protected.

L.D. Keter
Santa Monica

A winter poem for the summer

Editor:

Here’s, if you will, a poem I wrote a few winters ago: Sometimes, out my window, mornings in the cool, in the off-white almost-light, a gray Dove sits the horizontal of the balustrade, soft-shuffling his feathers. Stops. Pours an incredible complexity of sound, a song-surprise, a Muezzin’s Call. Across the way the faithful, the soft-wing allow the enveloping silence. One returns it note for note, others take it up, while all the mourning floats in the silence.

Alex Einhorn
Santa Monica



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Madison Avenue manipulation

ALL THE BUZZ SURROUNDING THE 60TH Primetime Emmy awards, the nominations for which were announced this morning, is surrounding AMC’s drama series “Mad Men.”

Having never seen the show, I still don’t doubt that a series about a Madison Avenue advertising agency is riveting. This, of course, coming from the girl who started collecting Absolut vodka ads when she was 14 (and no, no one found that troubling), holds dear the memories of the Chia Pet she had in her sophomore year of college and, to this day, says “the freshmaker” out loud every time she eats a Mentos candy.

Good marketing just makes people do the strangest things. Like lathering, rinsing and repeating, even though dermatologists issue endless warnings that hair washing every day, not to mention twice during the same shower, will strip the scalp of its natural oils, potentially causing it to dry out and produce flakes.

I admit to wearing my dad down in the late 1980s until he bought me an Epilady, because the commercials convinced me that I’d never have to shave my legs again (although all the device actually did was ensure nightmares for years afterward from the memory of the horrendous pain it caused from just one use).

My husband is no less a sucker for a halfway decently marketed product. Not long ago, Rick decided he needed a new nail clipper and came home proudly with his purchase, from a company called Mr. Grooming. The package boasted that it’s “built for men” and made to “fit your grip and take a rough handling.” The instructions directed users to, among other things, wash hands in warm water, use the file to “pry dirt” from under the nails and then trim them with the nail clipper.

“Why does it bother telling you to get the dirt out if you’re only going to cut the nail off, with or without the dirt, afterward?” I wondered out loud.

“So that the nails are clean when they go flying and get left on the floor,” Rick suggested. “After all, wouldn’t you rather I leave clean nail clippings on the floor instead of dirty ones?”

I compared his prized Mr. Grooming model to the other nail clipper sitting in our medicine cabinet, one not meant exclusively for men. But when I placed them side by side on the sink counter, I couldn’t actually discern which one was which. I’m guessing Rick’s nails won’t know the difference, either.

Then there were the uncured buffalo franks he dropped into our cart during a recent trip to Costco. Clearly the manufacturer, Maverick Ranch, must feel that clueless men with time to burn are its biggest supporters if the special instructions on the package are any indication: “Cut franks into small pieces before serving. Children should always be seated and under adult supervision while eating.”

And only a man could appreciate the recipe printed inside the package for Corny

Frank Chowder.

“Get it?” Rick chuckled, before asking if we had any creamed corn and half a pound of cut-up pasteurized, prepared cheese product in the house so he could attempt to make the soup.

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Our kitchen cupboards could actually be completely bare, save for a Luna Bar, but Rick would just as soon starve before eating one. I think he’s afraid that he might start getting his period if he eats the energy bar that prides itself on feeding souls, lifting spirits and taking a “whole-life approach, trying to embrace healthy living and bring communities of women together.” He just doesn’t seem to think he’ll gain anything from eating the bar the Luna people assert make others feel “more in tune with ourselves and the world around us.”

Rick would much rather munch on a Clif Bar. Made by the same folks who produce Luna Bars, it claims to be “nutrition for sustained energy” that’s perfect “whether you’re on a 150-mile bike ride or making your way through a long day.” And while eating a Clif Bar doesn’t guarantee men that they’ll grow hair on their chests, at least no self-respecting man has to worry about the need to go bra shopping after consuming one.

Short of a Clif Bar, though, Rick will choose a Slim Jim any day. Once advertised as “the-ready-to-eat spiced sausage treat,” it holds the enviable title of being the No. 1 brand of meat sticks that’s available in a variety of flavors, including beef steak and beef.

If those “Mad Men” don’t get an Emmy, at least their real-life counterparts on Madison Avenue should get a raise.

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Your column here

Paul M. Weyrich

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A time to drill

IN A REMARKABLY SHORT TIME THE public has changed from supporters of environmentalism to advocates of drilling for oil and natural gas in the Alaskan National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR) and/or in the ocean. For the first time since the 1970s liberals in both parties have found themselves responding to significant demands for drilling. Their responses are meant to confuse the electorate in order to turn public opinion back to their position on the environment.

Toward that end liberals have come up with two mantras which we hear on every talk show, in every press conference and in every speech addressing the high cost of gasoline.

The first mantra is that it will take at least 10, maybe 30 years before we see a drop of oil coming from the ground at the aforementioned sites. The second mantra is that greedy oil companies already have 86 million acres of leases provided by the federal government. They only want more leases to satisfy their greed.

On the first point, correspondent Ken Wood pointed out that Larry Kudlow recently featured on his television show James T. Hackett, president and CEO of Anadarko Petroleum Company. Whereas some liberals are saying it could take 30 years for the oil to be available,

Hackett said it would take two or three years, depending upon where the oil was drilled. Indeed, I saw one oil exploration expert on Fox News Channel who said that if the right equipment were available it would take only one year to get the first oil since the oil companies know exactly where the oil is located in the outer Continental Shelf.

One oil shale expert told proponents of drilling in the House of Representatives that the first 800 million barrels of oil from shale could be available in two or three years. The remaining estimated two trillion barrels of oil from shale would take longer to have ready because they would be more difficult to extricate. But the initial 800 million barrels would help the U.S. economy.

On the second point, I received two different answers. Sen. Jim Inhofe (R-OK), who used to be in the oil business, said the reason oil companies are not drilling in ANWR is that there is no substantial oil available on those lands to make drilling economically viable.

He said the government only permits exploration on those leased lands, so oil companies have explored them and found that they would produce little. The second answer came from Hackett. He said the government is, in effect, guilty of fraud. They accept the lease money and the annual rents but have refused to grant permission to drill there.

He implied that some oil had been found that would be worthwhile to extract but since they cannot drill the consumer sees no benefits. Either way, to accuse oil companies of greed is an unfounded assertion.

Neither liberal argument can be sustained if pro-drilling forces launch a campaign to educate the public. Thus far they have done an inadequate job explaining the real answers to these leftist fallacies. I am told by people from around the country who respond to my commentaries that Americans do not want to talk about anything other than the high cost of gasoline. Not Iraq. Not healthcare. Not even change, whatever that means. The only topic these days is \$4 to \$5-per-gallon gasoline.

That being the case, pro-drilling members of the House and Senate should issue special orders on the chamber floors. They would be seen on prime time television and possibly would be picked up by the mainstream networks. Each Senator should appear on local talk radio in his state and each House Member should do the same with talk radio in his district.

Since the House and Senate Leadership do not want to help Americans, pro-drilling Representatives and Senators should initiate discharge petitions. Maybe, just maybe, a majority of legislators would be willing to ignore the Majority Leadership.

If they can force a vote and pass pro-drilling legislation, President George W. Bush will sign it into law. If the anti-drilling forces triumph in the 2008 elections, which seems likely, it may be too late; for another generation we will be forced to use less oil and gas because of the high cost. We will be voting to make ourselves miserable and poorer unless we act now.

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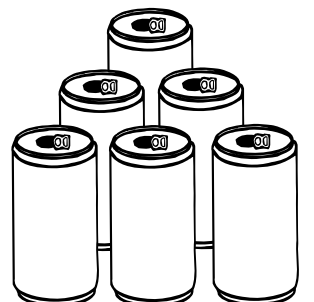
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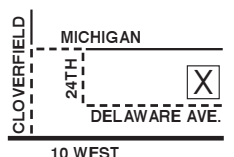


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Giving salty looks

FOOD IS SUCH A BIG DEAL FOR MOST OF us. We look forward to a good meal and have all kinds of attachments to food via our emotions. That childhood memory of mom's meatloaf or her famous chocolate cake somehow never leaves us.

In my cooking classes I encounter students of all ages who are convinced that their mom's "whatever" is the best one ever made. It could be the most bland, boring chicken soup with no salt and overcooked vegetables but still they insist it was fantastic.

That makes my job tough because I am constantly telling people their beliefs are wrong. No, you don't need to cook pork until it is dry and brown, cooking with salt is actually mandatory for flavor, simmering a tomato sauce all day is simply not necessary. These are some of the road blocks I face when hoping to get people to enjoy better tasting food.

That said I have to address the salt discus-

sion. It is the number one most important seasoning for your food! It brings out the natural flavor of all dishes, whether it be a protein, vegetable, sauce or side dish, you have to cook with salt.

I recommend kosher or sea salt and haven't had iodized salt in my house for over 25 years. A big pinch will be a good place to start with most recipes and then taste the dish and re-season.

If you do nothing else to change the way you cook, try this simple step and see what you think.

Happy cooking!

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Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 30, 2008 at the Office of Sustainability and the Environment.

Applications are invited to fill 5 vacancies on the Measure V Citizens Oversight Committee. All persons who reside in Santa Monica are invited to apply regardless of race, sex, age, disability, religion, marital status, national origin, sexual preference, or ancestry. Appointment will be made at a City Council meeting in September or October, 2008.

The Oversight Committee is being assembled to audit the use of the proceeds of the Clean Beaches and Ocean Parcel Tax (also known as Measure V) adopted by voters in November, 2006.

The State Political Reform Act requires Commission (Committee) members to disclose their interest and income which may be materially affected by their official action by filing a Statement of Economic Interest (Form 700) with the City Clerk's office upon assuming office and annually thereafter.

Application forms and information are available on the internet at www.smeppd.org. Applications are also available at the Office of Sustainability and the Environment, 200 Santa Monica Pier, Suite J, Santa Monica, CA 90401. Applications may be received and/or submitted by mail, email or fax. Disability related assistance and alternate formats of this document are available upon request. Contact information: phone: (310) 458-2213; fax (310) 393-1279 or email: environment@smgov.net.

Apricot-Glazed Chicken Breasts

Serves: 4

Ingredients

2 boneless, skinless chicken breasts, trimmed, halved

1/2 cup apricot jam

1 tb. dijon mustard

2 tsp. minced ginger

2 tb. sherry wine vinegar

1 tsp. olive oil

Salt and pepper, to taste

Procedure

1. Heat the oven to 400F.

2. Place the chicken breasts in a medium bowl.

3. Combine the jam, mustard, ginger, vinegar, oil, salt and pepper in a small bowl and whisk. Taste for seasoning.

4. Brush the breasts with the glaze and place on a rack in a roasting pan. Roast for 5 minutes. Turn the breasts over brush with the glaze and roast until golden and cooked through about 7 to 8 minutes.

5. Divide the chicken between 4 dinner plates and serve.

(This can be made ahead and stored in the refrigerator for up to two days.)

Basmati Rice Pilaf with Raisins and Cashews

Serves 4

Ingredients

1 small onion, diced

2 tb. canola oil

1/2 tsp. saffron threads

1 cinnamon stick

1 cup basmati rice

1/2 cup raisins

2 cups vegetable or chicken broth

1/2 tsp. salt

Pepper

3 tb. cashews or almonds, roughly chopped

3 scallions, thinly sliced

Procedure

1. In a medium saucepan sauté the onion in the oil over medium heat until softened, about 3 minutes. Add the saffron, cinnamon, rice, and raisins and stir until lightly coated with oil. Add broth, salt and pepper and bring to a boil, cover, reduce heat to low and simmer until all liquid is absorbed — about 6 minutes.

2. Add nuts and scallions and remove from heat and allow to sit covered for 10 minutes before serving. Taste and adjust seasoning and serve.

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The Marinade

Maria Rohloff

Send comments to editor@smdp.com

Palmer's is rich in flavor

IT COULD BE THE TASTE, THE TEXTURE or the convenience. Whatever it is, pizza has become a staple in most American households. Over the past two decades pizza recipes have become more creative, more ingenious, giving credit to the founders of California Pizza Kitchen for coming up with unique concepts in pizza making.

Their idea spawned others like Sammy's Woodfired Pizza and soon popular chains like Pizza Hut and Roundtable Pizza were making adjustments to their menus, offering gourmet style pizzas for those with a more developed palate.

So thus became the gourmet pizza craze which seems to have grasped most Californians, whereas those in Chicago and New York prefer the more traditional.

With gas prices rocketing out of control, shoe prices climbing (I remember when I could get a pair of Manolo Blahniks for \$385 not on sale) and people talking about the economy "this" and the economy "that," many are considering going back to the basics.

And that's how I was introduced to Richie Palmer's Pizzeria, a new pizza joint that opened in Santa Monica on Ocean Avenue about seven months ago.

I love this place because it brings the traditional New York style pizza and other recipes to the West coast with no fluff. The menu is basic: pizza by the slice, hero's, pasta, and salads.

One of the owners, Allan Davis, joined me for lunch one afternoon and made sure that I tried one of everything in each category. I tried a slice of the classic cheese pizza, a slice of the BBQ chicken pizza and a slice of the artichoke and fresh tomato pizza. Out of the three I tried, to my surprise I loved the classic NY cheese pizza the best. I am not a cheese pizza only gal. I am a toppings gal at heart.

But something about the mix of fresh herbs and cheese just did it for me. Allan (originally from New York) informed me the reason why they do the thin crust is so that you can taste every topping and flavor of the pizza without getting all the dough in the way. Good to know.

EVERYTHING AT RICHIE PALMER'S TASTED VERY FRESH PROBABLY BECAUSE THE CHEFS BUY MOST OF THEIR INGREDIENTS AT OUR LOCAL FARMER'S MARKET EVERY WEEK.

I also tried the eggplant parmesan that was light on cheese, perfect amount of tomato sauce and breaded lightly so that you can actually taste the eggplant.

Another back to basics item I tried was the sausage, pepperoni and cheese calzone served with a side of marinara sauce.

The dough is light and flaky which is not the norm for most calzones. I never order a calzone due to an overload of dough, but this one is much different. It's a great on-the-go, lunch snack.

I couldn't leave Richie Palmer's without trying the baked ziti. Now this is a classic Italian dish. It's penne pasta baked with mozzarella cheese and marinara sauce. Most places never put

enough cheese and sauce but when this dish arrived, it had plenty.

Oh my, I was in heaven with this sinful entrée. I felt like I was in the shoe salon at Saks during their once-a-year sale. As I took a bite, the cheese just melted in my mouth. It was like a decadent mac-n-cheese.

Definitely a dangerous dish for me, one that I could eat everyday but then wouldn't be able to fit into my skinny jeans. I also loved how the baked ziti was served in an aluminum container because if you can't finish it (this is a large dish) then you can pop on the lid and take it home.

I asked Allan if they usually serve it this way and he said yes, it's baked in the container to keep it hot. Makes sense to me.

Lastly, I had to try their chopped salad. I was going to save my comments for a future chopped salad story but I can't resist.

It's good. It's fresh. I'm a big fan of the chopped salad. I make a mean one myself.

Everything at Richie Palmer's tasted very fresh probably because the chefs buy most of their ingredients at our local farmer's market every week. Richie Palmer's is a great place to go for a slice of good 'ol fashioned pizza and a salad.

Now here's Maria's wrap up on other pizza and salad eateries: California Pizza Kitchen (of course) located on the corner of Wilshire and Second Street; Alejo's Italian Restaurant in Marina del Rey located on the corner of Lincoln and Washington (Alejo's chopped is the bomb!); and Santa Monica Pizza Kitchen on the corner of Wilshire and 14th (if you like toppings, try the House Special pizza). That's a wrap!

MARIA ROHLOFF is a food enthusiast and one heck of a good cook. She can be reached at diningdivasm@live.com.

Grilling and chilling produce great gazpacho

BY J.M. HIRSCH

Associated Press Writer

Gazpacho may taste great chilled, but the best flavors develop if some of the ingredients are heated first.

And since it is grilling season, might as well do it right with a bit of fire roasting.

This recipe is particularly flexible and easily accommodates your tastes. If you like more of a raw flavor to your gazpacho, try grilling only half the vegetables. If you enjoy a bit of heat, add a jalapeno to the mix.

And if you prefer a thicker gazpacho, add 1/4 cup or so of canned white beans when blending.

GRILLED GAZPACHO

Servings: 4

- 1 large red onion, quartered
- 10 green olives
- 10 pitted Kalamata olives
- 4 large whole tomatoes
- 3 ears corn, husked
- Extra-virgin olive oil
- 1 cup tomato juice
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 1 clove garlic

2 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro, plus additional for garnish

Finely chopped fresh basil, for garnish

Heat a grill to high. To help the onion quarters hold together during grilling, place them on 1 or more skewers. Thread both varieties of olives onto additional skewers. Drizzle the tomatoes, corn, onions and olives with a bit of olive oil. Place the vegetables on the grill, then cover and cook. Use tongs to turn the corn, onion quarters and olives every few minutes. Do not turn the tomatoes. Remove the corn and olives when all sides have light grill marks. Remove the onion quarters when they are just tender and browned. The tomatoes should be blistered and drizzling juice. Allow the vegetables to cool enough to hold. Use a paring knife to remove and discard the cores of the tomatoes. Remove the kernels from the ears of corn. Combine the tomato juice, 1 tablespoon olive oil, lemon juice, garlic and cilantro. Puree until smooth. Add the tomatoes, onion quarters, half of the corn kernels and half of the olives. Puree until chunky smooth. Transfer the soup to a large serving bowl. Roughly chop the remaining olives, then stir those and the remaining corn kernels into the soup. Season with salt and pepper. Cover and refrigerate until chilled. When ready to serve, divide the soup between serving bowls and garnish with cilantro and basil.



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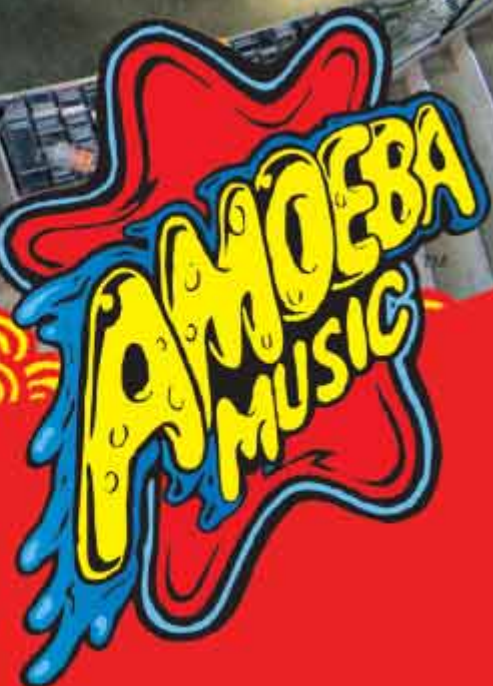
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DRILL SERGEANT: Charlie Collins (left) watches as a receiver battles Detroit Lions' cornerback Brian Kelly for the ball at the "Phenom Factory," Collins' athletic camp at the Home Depot Center.

Former SMC coach key to keeping star receiver Chad Johnson happy

FROM COLLINS PAGE 3

Since coaching Johnson, Collins has become a hotly-pursued coaching candidate among the college ranks. He parlayed his success with coaching receivers at SMC into a job as assistant head coach for West Los Angeles College.

With numerous ties to the team, Collins has been a steady presence for the Bengals, attending a game or two every season and keeping touch with Johnson and Bratkowski by phone.

But this year, in an off-season that saw the mercurial Johnson demand a trade from the team and threaten to sit out the season, Bengals head coach Marvin Lewis hoped that Collins's voice would be the one to reach Johnson.

"I've always been in touch with Marvin Lewis over the past three seasons. When Chad goes haywire on us, certain people can get his attention in a way with constructive criticism," Collins said. "Marvin would keep me in touch with how he was doing."

Collins's arrival was more than an act of appeasing a star player. He had also served a similar internship with the San Francisco 49ers before joining the Bengals for the summer. The Bengals even had considered hiring Collins full-time as a wide receiver coach, Bratkowski said, but the arrangement "didn't work out."

But Collins's ability to relate to Johnson was an undeniable perk of adding him as an intern to a franchise that has lost its lifeline to its star player.

Collins and Johnson formed a quick friendship upon the star wide receiver's arrival at SMC. Raised in South Central Los Angeles, Collins said Johnson reminded him of himself and the problems he faced growing up in the inner city.

Collins, who graduated from Manual Arts High School, played the role of surrogate father for Johnson, helping his star pupil academically when Johnson was forced to sit out his second year at SMC due to grades.

After Johnson transferred to Oregon

State from SMC, he grew uncomfortable with his limited role on the team in the opening weeks and called Collins in tears from the airport, ready to return home. Collins told Johnson not to get on the plane, warning him that he would drag him back to Corvallis, Ore. if he did.

"I know when he needs a pat on the back and when he needs a foot in the ass," Collins said.

Collins doesn't expect to change the garish ways of Johnson, who once raced a thoroughbred horse as a publicity stunt for charity. He only wants to readjust Johnson's focus by giving him blinders.

"He might feel like he has to voice his opinion, but I want him to walk the walk if he's going to talk the talk," Collins said. "I try to ground him and make him realize he has one of the best jobs out there."

Working with Johnson has given Collins a crash course in managing egos, an integral experience for an aspiring NFL coach. With his experience from working with the Bengals, Collins may soon be able to turn that hope into a reality sooner than he thought.

"He's on track for an NFL job right now," Bratkowski said. "This internship is giving him a good taste of the NFL experience, and I'm sure he'll take it from there."

Collins earned his internship through the NFL's minority coaching fellowship, which every year helps expose more than 75 African-American coaches to the everyday operations of NFL coaches. While only six of 32 NFL teams employ an African-American head coach, the program has helped launch the careers of a number of coaches, including Lewis, Pittsburgh coach Mike Tomlin and Kansas City coach Herm Edwards.

Collins hopes to become the latest addition to the list, whether it be with the Bengals or a different team.

"The goal is to eventually coach in the NFL," Collins said. "I take it as it comes, but I would be more than willing to come in there and help Marvin right that ship."

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Cop claims retaliation for whistle blowing

FROM LAWSUIT PAGE 1

expressed discontent over Jackman's and Sanchez' alleged unwillingness to take notes at meetings and "maintain transparency in the SMPD's adoption of policies and procedures."

Smiley was a candidate to become the next chief of police, along with Sanchez and former Capt. Jacqueline Seabrooks, who now heads the Inglewood Police Department.

Representatives from City Hall could not be reached for comment, but have said in the past that they are in full support of Jackman and the SMPD.

Clifford Pearson, the attorney representing Smiley, would not comment on the lawsuit, saying the complaint "speaks for itself." Pearson is working with attorneys Thomas Girardi and Robert Baker.

Girardi is considered one of the nation's top trial lawyers who has obtained numerous multi-million dollar verdicts and settlements, handling cases involving wrongful death, commercial litigation, products liability and toxic torts.

He represented 650 residents of Hinkley, Calif. in a toxic tort case against Pacific Gas & Electric that resulted in a settlement of \$300 million. The case was made famous by the film "Erin Brokovich."

Baker represented O.J. Simpson during his civil trial in Santa Monica.

In the complaint, Smiley said since Jackman was hired in November 2006, he and Sanchez attempted to reduce or eliminate Smiley's influence over SMPD policies

and procedures, as well as upon SMPD officers. Once they discovered Smiley was the author of the white letter, they notified the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department about the alleged misappropriation, according to the complaint.

Smiley claims his position was an exempt, salaried position and that he was not required to record hours worked.

He goes on to say in the complaint that he was given no detailed explanation as to why he was being put on administrative leave and still doesn't know even though the SMPD has had seven months to rummage through Smiley's e-mails, personal computer, time sheets and personnel records.

A spokesman for the Sheriff's Department confirmed it is investigating the allegations against Smiley, but would not comment further, referring all questions to City Hall.

To humiliate him, Smiley said Jackman had two uniformed officers confront him in front of his co-workers and escort him to the locker room in the Public Safety Facility where he was ordered to disrobe and turn over his police-issued uniform in the presence of other officers.

Smiley was also ordered to give up his badge and gun and his name was taken off of his office. Police caution tape was placed on Smiley's door, according to the complaint.

Smiley was immediately escorted from the SMPD station by other officers in a cop car and transported to his home in Moorpark where a tow truck was waiting

to confiscate his police motorcycle in the presence of his children and neighbors, according to the complaint.

All employees were then allegedly instructed by Jackman and Sanchez to not speak with Smiley because he was under investigation.

Smiley also contends Jackman and Sanchez have interfered with the Sheriff's Department's investigation by withholding or ignoring evidence that would prove Smiley fulfilled his obligations to the police department and that his attendance records were similar to other managers in the SMPD who were not criminally or administratively investigated.

When he was put on leave, Smiley was in charge of the Office of Special Enforcement, which includes Traffic and Special Operations and is the largest of the department's four offices, with 200 personnel and a budget of more than \$26 million, according to the SMPD's Web site.

Smiley briefly served as one of three interim chiefs while City Hall searched for a replacement for former Chief Jim Butts, who left the post in 2006 to head security for Los Angeles area airports.

Smiley also spent two years as the commander for the Internal Affairs Division, working directly for the chief of police.

He joined the department in 1982 and spent 12 years as a police officer before being promoted to sergeant in 1994, according to the department.

In 1998, after being promoted to lieutenant, he was appointed to lead a multi-

jurisdictional task force of 50 agencies and groups to stymie gang warfare, which had erupted in and around Santa Monica, resulting in a flurry of shootings and deaths.

Smiley also held positions in Special Enforcement, Traffic, Patrol and Internal Affairs before being promoted to captain nearly six years ago.

As captain, he has held positions in Criminal Investigations, Special Enforcement and Operations, where he served on numerous committees and work groups related to homeless issues.

He worked closely with city staff including the City Manager's Office and Community and Cultural Services, in bringing about education, prevention and enforcement efforts associated with homelessness, according to the SMPD's Web site.

Working with the city's homeless czar, Ed Edelman, Smiley helped establish a separate court in Santa Monica to connect the homeless, drug-addicted and mentally ill to services.

Smiley has been a staunch supporter of the Police Activities League, helping to raise funds. He also chaired a committee of more than 50 volunteers for the annual Ricardo Crocker Memorial Golf Tournament.

Smiley holds a bachelor's degree in Public Administration. He is a graduate of the POST Command College, Class 29. He is also a graduate of the 202nd FBI National Academy.

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City Hall says legislation takes away local control

FROM BILL PAGE 1

sion that supporters say has been created when cities begin passing different regulations on professions, such as a ban on declawing in West Hollywood. A similar law was considered by the Santa Monica City Council in 2004.

"It is critical that only educated, trained professionals, working in conjunction with the legislature and California professional boards and bureaus define policies relative to permissible practice standards, including those standards pertaining to highly complex human and animal medical procedures," representatives from the assemblymember's office said.

The operation to surgically remove feline claws has been a hot topic for many years, many arguing that the procedure often causes behavioral problems in cats, leading them to use biting as a defense mechanism rather than scratching.

It's an act that has been called inhumane by many animal lovers.

"When you declaw a cat, you are amputating the last knuckle and so it's not just some fancy manicure, it's an amputation," Jennifer Conrad, a Santa Monica veterinarian, said.

Conrad founded the Paw Project, an organization that advocates for animal welfare. She also helped craft the anti-declawing ordinance in West Hollywood.

"It really is a horrible procedure," Conrad said.

Santa Monica filmmaker Willow Evans

is currently producing a documentary on declawing, hoping to bring the issue to the public.

"Banning declawing, is about being conscientious at a deeper level than just protecting cats from the veterinary offices in Santa Monica that perform this procedure," Evans said. "It's about declaring that conscious choice to protect animals from unnecessary mutilations, out loud, to other cities, and a world that is watching."

Ken Jones, a veterinarian in Santa Monica that doesn't offer the surgical operation, said declawing can cause long-term pain in the feet.

"A lot of problems arise when the veterinarian who removes the (claw) doesn't do a proper job and eats a piece of the bone there and the bone starts to regrow, poking through the skin, causing problems," Jones said.

A possible ban came up to the council in the summer of 2004 when a group of residents spoke in favor of an ordinance modeled after West Hollywood's. The council was deadlocked at 3-3 and discussion was put on hold. Several supporters who attended that meeting say they are considering bringing it up at another council meeting.

Supporters of the bill argue it would make regulation on declawing and other health-related matters more uniform, preventing the confusion created when cities begin enforcing different rules.

The proposed legislation, which was introduced in February, came after the

California Veterinary Medical Association (CVMA) sued the city of West Hollywood for blocking a surgical procedure they argue was allowed under state law. The challenge made its way through the court system before the state Supreme Court decided not to hear the case.

The issue, according to the CVMA, has nothing to do with the practice of declawing in itself, but rather a concern when there is a lack of consistency in regulation.

"We feel there should be one unifying set of rules for all of veterinary medicine," Bill Grant II, the president of the CVMA, said. "It's more than redundant to have local agencies and municipalities say that you can do this procedure there, but you can't do this there, and it gets quite confusing."

Grant points out that the bill would not go into effect until Jan. 1, 2009, leaving the law in West Hollywood intact.

The proposal has been endorsed by medical organizations, including the California Optometric Association, the California Dental Association and the California Hospital Association.

"It's really designed for health care," Grant said.

But many cities have criticized the bill as being broad and having far-reaching effects outside of the medical profession, taking away local power.

The council last month wrote a letter to state Sen. Sheila Kuehl (D-Santa Monica) in opposition to AB 2427, saying it would "prohibit the ability of local jurisdictions to advance different, but equally impor-

tant, interest than the state."

Local officials say they are unclear how the bill would precisely impact Santa Monica, but know it would preempt their ability to enforce certain laws.

"We typically oppose anything that is going to create a restriction on local control and this is what it is all about," Mayor Pro Tem Richard Bloom said.

Bloom added that the recently updated massage regulation might not have been possible if the proposed bill was already in place.

"It's very vague and can be interpreted broadly," he said.

Councilmember Kevin McKeown pointed out that AB 2427 would also have an impact on City Hall's ability to legislate on other business sectors.

"It would usurp Santa Monica's appropriate control over many professions licensed by the state, from auto repair to beauty parlors," he said.

Also in opposition to the bill is the League of California Cities, an association of cities in the state, arguing AB 2427 would take away a vital function of local government.

"It's the basic bread and butter operation of local government," Kyra Ross, the legislative analyst for the league said of regulations. "It's critical to maintain the value of the community ... and if you (can't) make change the community wants, you lose the value of that community."

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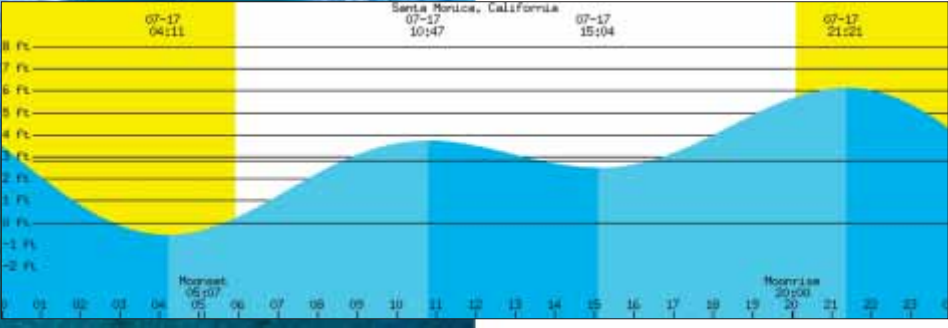


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LOCATION	DRY	WET	LOCATION	DRY	WET
Leo Canillo Beach, at Arroyo Soguit Creek mouth	A+	ns	Will Rogers State Beach at Del Air Bay Club drain near fence	A+	ns
Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth	A	ns	Will Rogers State Beach at Palga Canyon storm drain	A	ns
El Pescadero State Beach, between Luchessa and Las Alitas creeks	A+	ns	Will Rogers State Beach at Temescal Canyon drain	A+	ns
Encinal Canyon at El Morado State Beach	A+	ns	Will Rogers State Beach at Santa Monica Canyon drain (Chantreuil)	A	ns
Broad Beach at Trancas Creek mouth	A+	ns	Santa Monica Beach at Montana Ave. drain	A	ns
Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth	A+	ns	Santa Monica Beach at Wilshire Blvd. drain	B	ns
Walnut Creek, projection of Wildlife Rd. (private)	A+	ns	Santa Monica Municipal Pier	F	ns
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth	C	ns	Santa Monica Beach at Pico/Kanter storm drain	A	ns
Escandido Creek, just east of Escandido State Beach	A+	ns	Santa Monica Beach at Strand St. (in front of the restaurants)	A+	ns
Lariga Canyon Creek mouth	A	ns	Ocean Park Beach at Ashland Ave. drain	A+	ns
Selkirk Canyon at Don Blocker County Beach	F	ns	Venice City Beach, at the Rose Ave. storm drain	A	ns
Puerto State Beach at creek mouth	A+	ns	Venice Beach at Brooks Ave. drain	A+	ns
Marie Canyon storm drain at Puerto Beach, at 24572 Malibu Rd.	F	ns	Venice Beach at Windward Ave. drain	A+	ns
Surfside Beach at Malibu Colony fences	A	ns	Venice Fishing Pier - 50 yards south	A+	ns
Surfside Beach (beach location)- daily	B	ns	Venice Beach- projection of Topaz St.	A+	ns
Malibu Pier - 50 yards east	D	ns	Marina del Rey, Mothers' Beach- lifeguard tower	A+	ns
Carbon Beach at Sweetwater Canyon	A+	ns	Dockweiler State Beach at Ballina Creek mouth	B	ns
Las Flores State Beach at Las Flores Creek (point zero)	A+	ns	Dockweiler State Beach at Calver Blvd. drain	A+	ns
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Pine Creek at Las Tunas County Beach	A+	ns	Dockweiler State Beach at World Way (south of D&W jetty)	A+	ns
Tuna Canyon	A+	ns	Dockweiler State Beach at Imperial Hwy drain	A+	ns
Topanga State Beach at creek mouth	A	ns	Dockweiler Beach- opposite Hyperion Treatment Plant	A+	ns
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MLB Dodgers closer Saito sidelined at least 6 weeks

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LOS ANGELES The Los Angeles Dodgers will be without closer Takashi Saito for at least six weeks. Saito was diagnosed with a sprained ligament in his pitching elbow Tuesday by a team doctor.

The 38-year-old right-hander will be placed on the 15-day disabled list when the Dodgers return from the All-Star break Friday night in Arizona.

He will rehabilitate in Los Angeles for an estimated six weeks before being evaluated.

Saito is 3-3 with a 2.18 ERA in 39 appearances. He has 17 saves in 20 chances.

Saito, an All-Star last year when he had 39 saves, was forced to come out of Saturday night's game against Florida because of what he called abnormal tightness in the elbow. He had an MRI on Monday.

Manager Joe Torre said Sunday that Jonathan Broxton would be the team's clos-

er. But Torre was unsure who would take over for Broxton as set up man. Among the possibilities are left-hander Hong-Chiu Kuo and right-hander Chan Ho Park.

"Kuo is the first one that comes to mind, to me," Torre said. "After what I had heard and what was documented about the (four elbow) surgeries he's gone through and wondering if we should start him or if we weren't going to be able to start him because we had enough starters, how is he going to respond coming out of the bullpen? But he's really been a horse."

Broxton, 2-2 with a 3.40 ERA in 40 games, said he's ready for his new role.

"I just look at it like it's the eighth inning. I come out and get outs," said the hard-throwing right-hander, who has 46 strikeouts in 39 2-3 innings. "It's no different for me."

Saito will join opening day starter Brad Penny and shortstop Rafael Furcal on the disabled list.



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ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ Take charge, as your very nature dictates. You function on a very high level, and a boss or contemporary acknowledges just that. You could be surprised at the end result of a money proposition. Tonight: A force to be dealt with. TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★ Reach out for someone at a distance. Your caring can only grow if you are open. Don't try to dictate what should happen or what someone needs to do. Stay open to possibilities, and you will be a lot happier. Tonight: Reach for the stars. GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★ Togetherness is a strong theme right now. Stay centered and understand that perhaps a partner who might not agree with you also has validity and logic in his or her thought process. Tonight: Accept an invitation. CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★★ Work with others. You might not have the only answer, but you certainly have a good one. Loosen up in your dealings and welcome a different opinion or thought. Remain easygoing no matter what pops up. Tonight: Defer to someone else. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ Easy does it. You might try another approach or do something very differently. You might not have all the right ideas, but you have many. Still, go along with a surprising, eccentric person. Tonight: Easy does it. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★★ You have a playful and frisky side that rarely manifests itself. What is true is that a change of pace would be most welcomed by many. A new friendship could start budding out of the blue. You cannot know what someone else is thinking. Tonight: Think "weekend."	LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ Once more, you could opt to play it low-key or work from home. You might surprise yourself with how innovative you can be if you just let yourself go. Your sense of humor makes a hurdle a lot easier. Share that gift. Tonight: Happy at home. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★★ You simply need to make that extra effort. If properly coaxed, some will tell you exactly what is on their mind. Knowing when to pull back or do something differently could remain key. Tonight: Hook up with some friends. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ Your finances could swing, giving you a surprise – hopefully. Certainly risking in this realm could toss your life one way or the other. Be aware of your objectives. Build security rather than toss it to the wind. Tonight: Your treat. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★★ The cards are stacked in your favor. The moment has come to take a leap of faith. You could be uncomfortable with the unexpected person who blows into your office or with what you hear. There is more coming. Strap on your seatbelt. Tonight: What makes you happy. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★ Investigation behooves you, instead of causing yourself a problem. Your ability to understand another's motives can help you in many ways, in whatever arena of life the two of you interact. Tonight: Check in on someone who feels less than great. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★★ Zoom in on what makes a difference. Your sense of humor helps you see the real nature of another person. Help others loosen up and see the fun in life rather than be gloomy. Tonight: Say yes.
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Happy birthday

Others present a different view. Listen. You don't need to agree. Often you question yourself about boundaries. This juggling act could be very important to the long term, as you decide on limits. If you feel resentful, you have given too much. On the other hand, if you feel guilty, you probably need to give more. Travel, spirituality and mental pursuits increase in importance. If you are single, meeting people will be easy. You might need to date several different people in order to meet Mr. or Ms. Right. If you are attached, travel increases the quality of the bond between you. CAPRICORN understands you.

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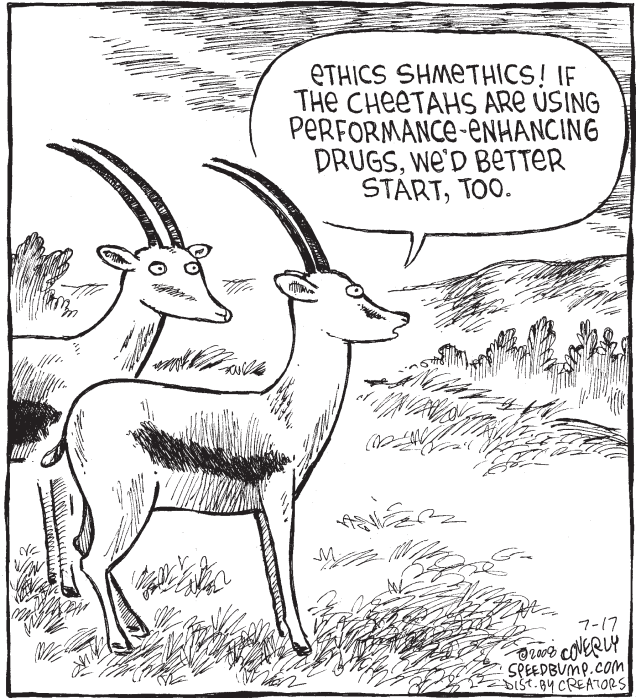
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NEWS OF THE WEIRD
BY CHUCK SHEPARD

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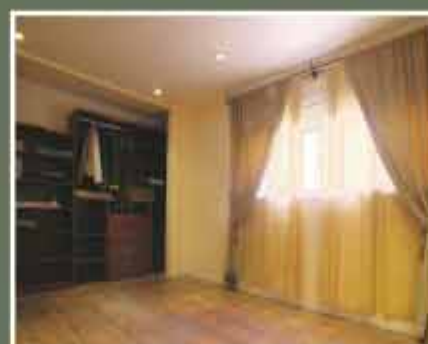
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