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Playing good mind games

Alzheimer's patients benefit from keeping mentally active

BY MELODY HANATANI
Daily Press Staff Writer

CITYWIDE During the final years of his life, Dan Michel was a man who was unfamiliar with his family and vice versa.

"There was a guy who looked like my father, but he wasn't my dad," said his son, Dan Michel Jr. "My dad had long disappeared."

The man who invented the valves on whipped cream cans had become a changed man in the final years of his life before passing away at the age of 92 in 2004, suffering from Alzheimer's disease.

Named after German physician Alois Alzheimer who diagnosed the first patient with the degenerative brain disease, Alzheimer's affects more than five million Americans according to the Alzheimer's Association. It's considered to be the most common form of dementia and is a disease for which there is no known cure.

The disease involves the failure of brain cells but scientists have not yet discovered why they stop functioning, according to the association.

The younger Michel painfully saw his father fall deeper into dementia and decided to take action, creating a

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15905 W. Sunset Blvd., Pacific Palisades, 5:30 p.m. — 7:30 p.m.
Family Camp events include crafts, story time, games, songs, and more. This year's theme is underwater explorers. To join this week-long event, contact the church office at (310) 459-2358. Cost is \$25 per family.

Fire Puja

Docweiler State Beach, 10 a.m. — 11 a.m.
A Tibetan Buddhist Fire Puja will be dedicated to the concept of Universal Disarmament.

'A Digital Spring' Auction

1332 Sixth St., 1 p.m. — 4 p.m.
All 21 pieces shown in this exhibition were donated to the YMCA in order to help the Senior Programs. Besides those from the Emeritus College, Fabian Lewkowicz, YMCA Board member and photo journalist participated in this venture and donated several of his works. These works will be auctioned to raise funds for the YMCA Senior Programs when the exhibition ends.

Hatha Yoga at FPC

1220 Second St., 7 p.m. — 8:15 p.m.
Yoga instructor John Sweetman will lead in the Renaissance Room at First Presbyterian Church of Santa Monica. Cost is \$5 per class.

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1807 Wilshire Blvd., Ste. 200, 9 a.m. — 9 p.m.
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Toddler Story Time for Twos

2601 Main St., 10 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
The Ocean Park Library hosts an afternoon of stories and music for toddlers, aged 24 — 36 months, accompanied by an adult. Registration is required. To register call (310) 392-3804.

Monthly Movie Classic: 'Gidget'

601 Santa Monica Blvd., 3 p.m. — 5 p.m.
The Main Library will screen the summer surfing classic, "Gidget," starring Sandra Dee and James Darren. All ages welcome. Seating is first come, first served in the MLK Jr. Auditorium.

Flower arranging demonstration

2101 Ocean Park Blvd., 7:30 p.m. — 8:30 p.m.
Brenda Berkley, co-author of "Zen Flowers" will demonstrate the art of flower arranging at the Fairview Branch Library.

Foreign Thrills: Mystery Authors in Discussion

601 Santa Monica Blvd., 7 p.m. — 9 p.m.
The Santa Monica Public Library presents a discussion between three mystery authors, Eric Stone, Timothy Hallinan and David Corbett, whose new novels take place in foreign lands. A book sale and signing will follow. Event to be held in the Main Library Auditorium.

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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EASY DOES IT: Chef Raphael Lunetta prepares a made-from-scratch vegetarian ravioli dish in the JiRaffe kitchen on Thursday evening.

COMMUNITY PROFILES | RALPH LUNETTA

Getting better with age

BY REAGAN WHEELER
Special to the Daily Press

DOWNTOWN A local talent running a local business can seem a rare thing in today's world, but Raphael Lunetta decided to change that.

Lunetta is a 1985 Samohi graduate and head chef and owner of JiRaffe restaurant in downtown Santa Monica, a place near and dear to his heart.

He grew up on the beach in Santa Monica and the coast of the south of France, food was always near by. Lunetta's mother found a way to send him to the French countryside six times by the time he was 11. He would take a plane by himself to Paris where one of his mother's friends picked him up and sent him on his way by train to Provence, France.

From the age of 3, Lunetta spent almost

every summer at his aunt's French home in the country, which was made of stone, built in the 1800s and located just two miles from the coast. Lunetta found his way to the water with his cousin Isabel every chance he got.

"When you're out in the sun and water, you get hungry," said Lunetta.

This hunger was always well responded to, with cooking going on constantly in his aunt's home. With "good food around the house," Lunetta began to really enjoy the craft of making delicious food, even though at a young age he was not interested in cooking.

"Sometimes we would paddle out and have lunch on the Mediterranean Sea," said Lunetta. "Once a week we would have a four-to six-hour lunch with good, solid food. There was always a lot of people in the house, but the food would be really simple — apricot

jam, grilled sardines and mackerel, crushed garlic and dark bread. All of it was cooked outside over grape vines on an open fire."

Lunetta's father used to cook every Sunday and his Sicilian grandfather owned an Italian deli in East Boston. The aromas of garlic and manicotti cooking in the oven was not a rare occasion in the Lunetta household. His "short, Italian grandmother" would often prepare food from the the old country.

"I remember being at my grandpa's wake when I was just in seventh grade," said Lunetta. "It was a four-day food fest. I didn't really know what a wake was then, but there was just food everywhere."

Eating wholesome, tasty food has always been important to Raphael partly because he

Doing the dirty work at the beach

BY KEVIN HERRERA
Daily Press Staff Writer

SM BEACH It's a dirty job, but someone's got to do it.

At the entrance of a beach bathroom, a city maintenance crew is hard at work scrubbing concrete in an attempt to rid the area of the smell of human feces. On the concrete is a smeared patch of brown, a gift left by one of the homeless people who sleep on the sand nearby.

"When we lock the doors (to the bathrooms), they leave this as a kind of present for us," said Paul Davis, the jovial, beach maintenance supervisor who seemed to get a kick out of watching a reporter cringe in disgust after laying eyes on the poop surprise. "There's one guy in particular. I guess he just likes having us clean up after him."

And so goes the not-so-glamorous, but extremely vital job of making sure the beach is clean every morning for the thousands of people who surf, swim and sun bathe in the vicinity.

The beach is a big money maker for the city as it attracts tourists and locals alike to the downtown area, where they spend millions each year, helping to drive the economy. Without a clean beach, Santa Monica would not be the prosperous city it is today.

"Our studies show that the beach is the number one thing that visitors associate with Santa Monica so having a clean beach is extremely vital to tourism here," said Dawn Smith, public relations manager for the Santa Monica Convention and Visitors Bureau.

LIFE'S A BEACH

Before most people are out of their beds, Davis, who oversees a budget of \$2.3 million, and his crew of 11 permanent and 15 as-needed employees are out in their trucks and tractors combing and cleansing the 4.3 miles of beach and 12 public restrooms. They scrub toilets, pick up trash, paint over graffiti and repair plumbing, all to protect one of the city's most valuable resources.

They also replace or repair the rope climb and metal rings at Muscle Beach, walk along the sand and collect trash from visitors as part of a "Beach Valet" program, and collect residents' garbage along Pacific Coast

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Che is no hero

Editor:
In slight regard to reader Henry Rosenfeld’s letter to the SMDP (July 17) concerning John Wayne – Rosenfeld made a fair argument against the preconceived status of the much beloved actor ... fine. But I should like to do similar justice concerning the Pop Culture worship of another “Icon” by the name of Ernesto Rafael Guevara de la Serna – most commonly known as “Che.” Almost every day in Santa Monica or Venice I see mothers and fathers and children of all ages wearing T shirts and hats or riding in cars displaying bumper stickers of the romantic, heroic-looking Argentine-born Che Guevara looking up wistfully from under his manly, red-star emblazoned beret. Che is regarded as “revolutionary;” a hero of freedom, and claimed to be a medical doctor... this is a lie and a vulgar perversion of history and truth.

First, as to his being a doctor, there are no substantiated records, anywhere, by any medical school, to support this.

Second ... Che Guevara was a cold-blooded murderer ... period. The records supporting this fact are too numerous to list here.

The facts are without dispute for anyone not stoned enough to take even five minutes to research (and I don’t mean watching a movie trailer of “The Motorcycle Diaries,” or surfing MoveOn.org, either).

After Castro took power in Cuba during the late 1950s, Che was placed in charge of the military fort known as “La Cabana.” While running La Cabana, Che supervised and personally participated in the tortures and executions, without trial, of hundreds of civilians. Most were Christians. Many were women and children. Their crimes? They were freedom-loving people who were perceived as threats to the fanatically paranoid Fidel Castro.

The sources for this are many, but as we live in a town that fancies rebellion against America, Christianity, and good-old-fashion values as chic, “progressive” and even “hip,” it is no wonder that even school-age children consider Che a man to be admired.

Che slaughtered many hundreds – perhaps thousands – but his victims were not soldiers in combat, they were not insurgents invading his country, or thieves or robbers or rapists. Che Guevara murdered innocent men, women, and children who had been imprisoned for being suspected of opposing Fidel Castro – Che’s hero second only to Joseph Stalin.

I think every American should visit the Web site of the grandson of a captain in the Cuban army who knew Che intimately and was witness to the actual battles and aftermaths during those revolutionary years. Go to www.trenblindado.com.

It is sad and tragic that many people in this city (and the nation) believe that a cold-blooded murderer who fought to advance communist ideology, and who even took to signing his name as “Stalin II,” should be mentioned with the likes of our own Thomas Jefferson and George Washington. The thought of it turns my stomach. Stars like Johnny Depp, and Madonna, and Carlos Santana may make the perverted lie of Che’s myth fashionable at the Oscars and Grammy Awards – but it doesn’t change the truth ... Che Guevara lived a lie and died a murderer.

Give me John Wayne any day.

James Zeruk Jr.
Santa Monica

Don’t tell this reader what to drink

Editor:
I am a senior adult who has always prided myself on making wise choices about the food I put into my mouth and the water I drink. Please don’t take away my freedom of choice. If you arbitrarily taint my water with fluoride, you have taken away my personal freedom to choose whether or not I want to drink poisoned water.

Doris Stegall
Santa Monica

Guest Commentary

J. Matt Barber

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Should Bush’s choice be Surgeon General?

IN JULY, THE U.S. SENATE HELD HEARINGS on Dr. James Holsinger, President Bush’s Surgeon General nominee. Holsinger has been unfairly and viciously attacked by the left for both his religious views — he’s a Christian, heaven forbid — and for daring, in a 1991 paper he penned, to address the devastating medical consequences of the homosexual lifestyle. Those consequences are well documented — among other sources — by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and are irrefutable.

During his testimony, Dr. Holsinger stated that he would resign if ever asked to place politics over science. Unfortunately, while addressing questions relative to hot-button issues such as homosexuality and destructive embryonic stem cell research (ESCR) this time around, Dr. Holsinger appeared to do just that. He appeared to place political correctness over scientific substance.

When asked if he still believed that homosexual behaviors are “unhealthy” and “unnatural,” as he demonstrated in his 1991 paper, he played dodge ball and offered a series of non-answers. He clearly tried to distance himself from the paper by saying, “First of all, the paper does not represent where I am today. It does not represent who I am today.”

What does that mean? Does it mean that Dr. Holsinger now believes that homosexual behaviors are “natural” and “healthy?” That’s certainly how the mainstream media is playing his response. It’s being widely reported that he has “disavowed” his prior position on homosexuality.

But there are additional questions about Dr. Holsinger’s medical opinions. For instance, what is his position on ESCR and cloning? Statements he made in 2002 in support of relaxing restrictions on both ESCR and cloning concern many conservatives who oppose the destruction of innocent human life.

That said, the White House has offered assurances that Dr. Holsinger is “pro-life indeed, and shares the President’s pro-life/culture-of-life view” on all matters, including ESCR and cloning. As of yet, however, we have no evidence of Dr. Holsinger’s purported pro-life ESCR/cloning conversion.

Dr. Holsinger could have provided that evidence himself during his hearing. He chose not to. When asked whether restrictions on federal funding for ESCR should be lifted and whether he is generally opposed to ESCR, Holsinger indicated that he supports the President’s policy not to expand federal funding. He indicated that he was not currently familiar enough with ESCR to feel comfortable responding to questions.

Again, we’re left not knowing where Dr. Holsinger stands on these important hot-button issues. Rather than taking advantage of the moment to educate the public — which is exactly what a Surgeon General is supposed to do — Dr. Holsinger seemed to succumb to intimi-

dation tactics by extremist left-wing special interest groups, especially the powerful homosexual lobby. He capitulated to their demand that he remain politically correct rather than medically correct. That’s too bad. Lives are at stake here. Getting medical facts out can save lives.

And finding those facts isn’t hard to do. Although medical facts aren’t very popular with the left (facts rarely are), those facts are readily available.

Call me a pie-in-the-sky dreamer, but when asked by Senator Ted “flip-and-fly” Kennedy (D-Massachusetts) whether he still believes that homosexuality is “unnatural” and “unhealthy,” Dr. Holsinger could have said, “It doesn’t matter what I believe. Let’s see what the medical facts tell us. For instance, the CDC has revealed in its most recent 2005 report that male homosexuals account for at least 71 percent of all adult and adolescent males living with deadly HIV/AIDS. These numbers are up 11 percent from 2001 despite — if not due to — ‘comprehensive’ condom based ‘safe-sex’ education.

“Furthermore,” says Holsinger in my pie-in-the-sky scenario, “astronomical HIV/AIDS statistics represent only one small aspect of the homosexual lifestyle — especially among males. CDC statistics also indicate that homosexuals are, by far, most susceptible to nearly all forms of sexually transmitted disease, as well as other lifestyle-related medical injuries. So yes, Senator Kennedy, homosexual behaviors are demonstrably unnatural and unhealthy.”

Dr. Holsinger could have shared this information with the Senate committee. He didn’t. Instead, he dodged questions about homosexuality altogether. I was there. I heard it. And I was left unimpressed.

To his credit, Dr. Holsinger did step up — to a degree — on another hot-button issue. When asked about the propriety and effectiveness of teaching abstinence in the context of sex education, Dr Holsinger made it clear that teaching abstinence is an effective way to reduce sexually transmitted disease and pregnancy.

But again, on the issues of homosexual behavior and ESCR, the good doctor regrettably gave a poor performance. He failed to provide direct answers to direct questions, and for that reason, we’re left not knowing where he stands or how he’ll perform as Surgeon General.

I think the American people deserve better than that. There’s still time for Dr. Holsinger to clear things up. It wouldn’t be that difficult. He could still publicly clarify where he stands on the aforementioned issues. I hope he will.

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Freeze it or forget it when it comes to development

SANTA MONICA IS AT A CROSSROADS. The next two years could see lots more development unless the city takes steps to contain it.

A large number of projects are in the pipeline including the massive "Village" to be located at the Civic Center with 325 units of housing jammed onto 3.3 acres. Other projects include: 623 units of single room apartments (SROs) on four floors proposed for 3025 Olympic Blvd.; 129 more units of affordable SROs in a four-story building planned for 819-829 Broadway; and another four-story, 124 unit SRO next door at 1447 Lincoln (at Broadway) are all undergoing an Environmental Impact Review (EIR).

Community Corporation of Santa Monica has projects in the Pico Neighborhood on High Street and Virginia Avenue. Both buildings are to be three-floors. This 92-unit development replaces a neighborhood of single-family bungalows.

There are four, older, Victorian/farmhouse houses on adjoining parcels at 1238-1254 Fourteenth St. that are in danger. The present property owner planned to develop 25 upscale townhouses, but just put the properties on the market. When sold, the charming old homes will still probably be demolished and replaced by market-rate condominiums.

A proposed four-story office building at 1427 Fourth St. (replacing Michael's Art Store) is awaiting environmental review. A four-story, 45-foot-tall hotel (replacing the existing Travelodge) with 164 guest rooms is slated for 1515-25 Ocean Ave. A two-story hotel with 19 rooms and a rooftop pool at 1419 19th St. is among the larger commercial projects coming soon.

A controversial six-story, mixed-use building with 125 condominiums at 525 Broadway will be before Planning Commission (for a second time) for approval in the weeks ahead. A three-story, 48 unit, artists live/work studio is planned for 2834 Colorado Ave. A 91 unit, three-story artist live/work building at 1610 Colorado is awaiting environmental review as is another three-story building with 66 units of artists lofts proposed for 1639 11th St.

At Olympic and 20th Street, a 100 room SRO is under construction and another 65 units of affordable housing is planned behind it at 2029 Olympic. A 32-unit market rate condo project is slated for 15th Street and Broadway.

The historic Horizon's West Surf/Skate Shop was saved, but behind it a proposed three-story mixed use building with 14 residential units is awaiting an EIR as is a

three-story, mixed-use building with 48 residential units at 2300-2320 Wilshire Blvd. — presently a car wash.

A development agreement is on hold for Fairmont-Miramar Hotel's property fronting on the 100 block of Wilshire. Six floors with retail and a 10-story residential tower were proposed in the past. A development agreement is in the works for 3.85 acres at 2930 Colorado (presently the Village Trailer Park) for 240 market rate condominiums, 109 units of affordable apartments and SROs, 229,860 square feet of retail space and parking for 503 cars.

Many projects are approved administratively, without public input, such as the remodel of the NuWilshire Theater on Wilshire Boulevard into retail stores. Nevertheless, Planning Commissioner, Jay Johnson, (whose name I omitted in error from last week's column) was concerned enough about losing the movie theaters, that he requested a staff presentation on the project.

More than two dozen small condo projects citywide — ranging from three to 29 units — are also on Planning's case list. Most will replace single family homes, smaller neighborhood businesses or older apartment buildings and displace long time Santa Monica residents.

All of these projects plus dozens more not mentioned will have a dramatic "no turning back" impact on the future of Santa Monica. Therefore, City Council must do three things:

1.) With the Planning Commission unable to decide on a building freeze, it's now vital for City Council to act by placing a moratorium on all future construction in the city until the update to the two decade old general plan is completed.

2.) Appoint resident-friendly, common-sense, practical applicants to the Planning Commission. Social engineers, pro-development Smart Growthers and Utopian "cars are evil — more bus and bikeways" types are not needed.

3.) Reestablish discretionary review of projects by the Planning Commission — including smaller neighborhood condo projects recently now administratively approved.

In the meantime, every project approved and built eats away at the creation of a consistent, all-encompassing plan for Santa Monica's future and makes updating the general plan more futile and irrelevant.

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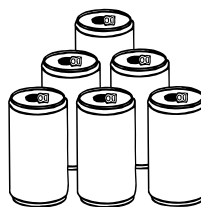
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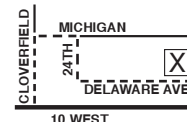
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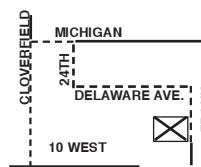
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Which way, Westside?

Los Angeles city officials are currently debating the possibility of converting Olympic and Pico boulevards into one-way streets to potentially ease traffic congestion between metro L.A. and Santa Monica and other beach communities.

So this week's Q-Line question asks:

Do you believe making this pair of boulevards one-way streets is a good measure or just another misguided attempt to fix the area's notorious traffic woes?

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KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

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

Access Center

Construction of a new two story homeless services facility begins at 503 Olympic Blvd for the new Access Center building. The sidewalk on Olympic Blvd between 5th & 7th Streets will be closed to the public except Samoshel residents.

Alley Closure at 3107 Santa Monica Blvd

Construction crews are working in the alley behind 3107 Santa Monica Blvd. The alley will be closed to traffic. Detours will be posted at various sites during construction.

Annenberg Community Beach Club at Santa Monica State Beach

The historic Marion Davies Estate and former location of the Sand & Sea Club will be rehabilitated into use as a public beach facility. The 5.5 acre project at Santa Monica State Beach will consist of rehabilitation of the historic pool and guest house and construction of new structures including an entry pavilion, pool house, event building, and public restroom building.

Annual Tree Trimming Project

City trees will be trimmed at the following locations this summer: Olympic Boulevard Median (10th Street to Centinela), San Vicente Boulevard Median (Ocean Ave to 26th Street), Georgina Avenue (17th Street to 26th Street), Centinela Avenue (Pico to Ocean Park Boulevard), 18th Street (Wilshire to Colorado boulevards), Seventh Street (Wilshire Boulevard to Colorado), Seventh Street (Kensington to Ocean Park Boulevard), Bay Street (Lincoln Boulevard to 16th Street), Sixth Street (Bay Street to Ocean Park Boulevard), Ashland Avenue (16th to 17th streets), California (Seventh to 14th streets), 23rd Street (San Vicente to Wilshire boulevards) and Euclid Street (Broadway to Olympic). There will be minimal lane closures from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. The annual tree trimming schedule is subject to change without notice due to inclement weather, emergencies, community events, budget conditions, street repairs or other public improvements. Residences and businesses will be notified in advance of tree trimming operations, blocks will also be posted with no parking signs.

Back On the Beach Café

Due to construction of the Annenberg Community Beach Club, parking at Lot 10 is limited, however, Back On the Beach Café remains open. Patrons are advised to carpool, ride a bike or park in Lot 9 north instead. The self pay machine in Lot 9 allows payment for either all-day or two-hour parking.

Big Blue Bus Transit Store

Tenant improvements begin at the site of the Big Blue Bus Transit Store located at 223 Broadway. Improvements include a new building façade and construction rehabilitation. Construction is scheduled until August 2007.

Marine Street Utility Undergrounding

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

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Construction of new restroom facilities at Stewart Park. Sidewalk is closed on the west side of Stewart Street (between Exposition and Delaware). Please use east sidewalk.

Water Main Replacement Project:

The contractor will be installing new water main on Franklin Street between Santa Monica Blvd. and Arizona Avenue. There will also be water main work on Ocean Front Walk, under the Santa Monica Pier. The pedestrian/bike path will remain open during construction.

Wilshire Storm Water Diversion Structure

Construction for the installation of the diversion facility on Ocean Avenue and Wilshire Blvd. is in process and is scheduled for completion November 2007. Traffic will be narrowed to 2 lanes north/1 lane south on Ocean Avenue at Wilshire Blvd.

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Fire continues to plague state

Gentle winds help firefighters in Santa Barbara-area blaze

By the Associated Press

LOS OLIVOS Gentle winds and sparse vegetation helped firefighters keep the huge wildfire burning in northern Santa Barbara County from advancing much more deeply into the Los Padres National Forest Saturday, officials said.

The blaze, which had burned some 31,000 acres, or 48.4 square miles, over more than two weeks, was 48 percent contained, with full containment expected on July 27, fire spokesman Fred Orsborn said.

The fire continued to burn to the east and southeast, but had consumed only about 300 acres over the previous 48 hours, officials said.

With winds less than 10 mph, officials were able to deploy firefighting planes and helicopters, which held flames back long enough to get crews into place on the ground, fire spokesman Bob Kurilla said.

"Things have worked in firefighters' favor over the last day or so," he said. "If the weather continues to hold, we expect to make continued progress on containment."

The nearly 1,100 firefighters battling the blaze were also aided by the fire's movement onto rocky outcroppings with scant and scattered vegetation, Kurilla said.

The fire, which had cost more than \$28.6 million to fight, was ignited on July 4 by sparks from grinding equipment

used to repair a water pipe outside the forest borders.

A continuing drought has left large areas of California tinder-dry and officials expect a long and difficult fire season. More than 5,000 acres of brush burned earlier this year in Los Angeles' Griffith Park, the Hollywood Hills and on Santa Catalina Island. Another recent fire destroyed more than 250 homes near Lake Tahoe.

On Friday, the fire risk prompted the Los Angeles City Council to tentatively approve a smoking ban in parks. The law, which carries a maximum fine of \$250, could win final approval next week.

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Bob Kurill
Fire spokesman

In Northern California, about 1,300 firefighters continued to battle fires on Saturday that had burned about 13 square miles, and threatened 550 homes near Happy Camp close to the Oregon border.

The blazes in the Klamath National Forest, which started on July 10, were 20 percent contained Saturday.

Study shows desert dust speeding up snow melt

By the Associated Press

DURANGO, Colo. The snowpack is melting 18 to 35 days earlier than in the past because of dust blowing in from nearby deserts in New Mexico, Arizona and Utah, a new study shows.

"We began with the hypothesis that dust was influencing the snowmelt," Chris Landry, executive director of the Silverton-based Center for Snow and Avalanche Studies, said last week. "Now, the hypothesis has become our conclusion."

The researchers studied the data for three years, Landry told the Durango Herald, tracking the ability of snow to reflect solar rays. Landry's organization worked with the National Snow and Ice Data Center at the University of Colorado, watching the Senator Beck Basin on the north side of Red Mountain Pass.

They were studying what is called "albedo," the ability of an object to reflect light. "We found a dramatic reduction in the albedo in areas where there was dust on or in the snow," Landry said. The snow contaminated by dust reflects less, causing it to melt quicker.

The researchers devoted special atten-

tion to the annual periods when dust storms are created by major weather systems. Nine such episodes occurred during the test period.

Wind also is a major factor.

It is important news for water managers, who depend on the snow to melt gradually so it can be used as allocated under water pacts developed during frontier days. "Dust affects the timing and intensity of the snowmelt," Landry said.

Landry said an independent but related study of high-country lake sediment supports the findings of his investigations. The study has yet to be published but offers "strong evidence" that there was a significant change in the chemical character of lake sediment in the last 150 years, the period that corresponds to the likely terrain-altering settlement of the West, Landry said.

"There was an abrupt change in the chemical nature of the sediment," Landry said. "There was a change from local rock sediment to the chemical findings we now see."

"We can't be precise about the source of the dust," Landry said. "But the consistency of our findings suggests its prime source is the Colorado Plateau."



Earth Talk

By the editors of E Magazine

Send comments to editor@smdp.com

Get moving in a green direction

Dear EarthTalk:

I'm moving in eight weeks and am trying to find some "green guidance" for making my relocation as eco-friendly as possible. Any tips?

Holly,

Elizabethtown, PA

MOVING MAY BE INHERENTLY unfriendly to the environment given that carting stuff around means expending lots of fuel and emitting a lot of pollutants, but there are ways to "relocate responsibly." For starters, the less stuff we accumulate in the first place the less we have to pick up and move elsewhere—so fighting the pack-rat urge and minimizing trips to shopping malls in the first place are good prerequisites.

Beyond what may already be too late to undo, though, one can lessen their environmental footprint when moving by first giving away or selling any non-essential items. Neighborhood yard sales and giveaways are one way to go, while websites like Ebay, Craig's List and Freecycle provide virtual ways to unload unwanted stuff. Books can be donated to local libraries, and most schools will be happy to make use of old computers. And Goodwill and other charities will gladly take old clothes for resale in thrift outlets.

While all that's going on, the environmentally-conscious mover would also want to be hoarding bubble wrap, cardboard boxes, padded envelopes and other packing materials instead of going out and buying them new. Many liquor, grocery, hardware and other retail stores are happy to give away large cardboard boxes they no longer need and would have to otherwise discard or recycle. Calling around first will save the headache and the emissions of driving around to individual stores one-by-one to ask them.

As to the move itself, if you're fortunate enough to be relocating within Orange County, Los Angeles one green option is to rent "RecoPack" moving boxes from Earth Friendly Moving. The company, which has plans to expand nationwide over the next five years, provides five different stackable sizes of durable moving cartons made from recycled plastic bottles. The rental cost is just a dollar per box per week—and the company's biodiesel-powered trucks will drop-off and pick-up the boxes before and after the move.

Not in southern California? Rent-a-Crate, which has 13 U.S. locations coast to coast, also rents re-usable (though not recycled) plastic moving crates that they'll deliver to and pick up from any location. The company works extensively in the



Photo courtesy Earth Friendly Moving

ECO-MINDED: Earth Friendly Moving founder Spencer Brown delivers a stack of four returnable, reusable, recycled plastic 'RecoPacks' to a family packing up for a move.

office relocation business, too, and rents other reusable accessories such as dollies for rolling heavy crates and crates for delicate items like computers and even medical x-ray films.

And remember, there is more to moving green than just moving. Use only eco-friendly cleaning products when scrubbing down the old place. If you live in the Washington, DC or Baltimore, MD area, a crew from Green Clean will send a professional crew that uses only nontoxic, biodegradable cleaners. Otherwise, health food stores all carry green cleaners that you can use yourself or instruct the hired help to use.

A tip from the Care2 "Green Moving Guide:" File a temporary change of address with your post office rather than a permanent one to cut down on junk mail at the new place. The U.S. Postal Service sells lists of permanent address changes to direct marketers, but doesn't bother doing so with temporary addresses.



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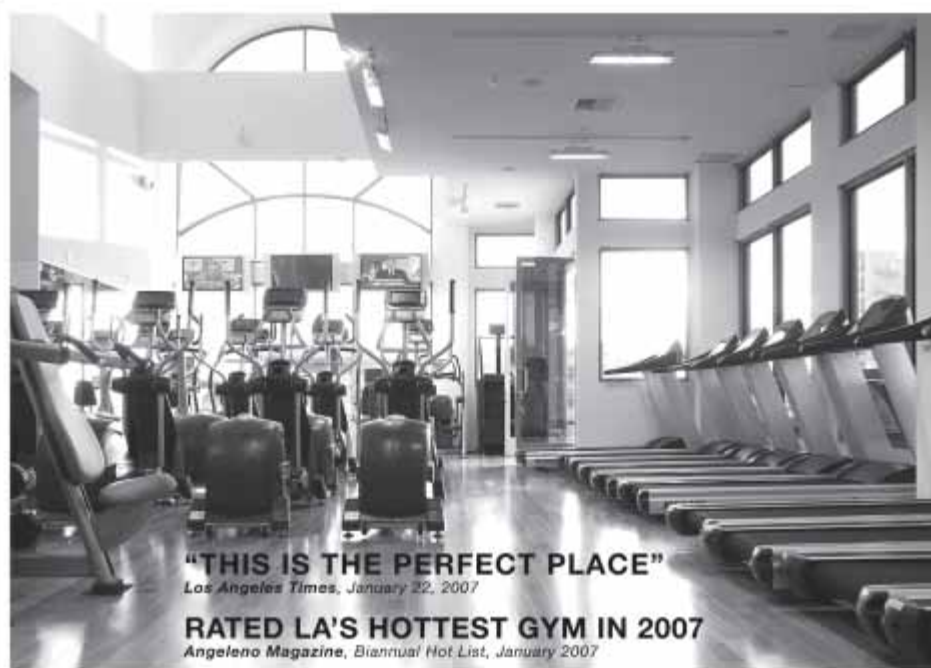
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Feds decide fate of Preble's mouse

BY BEN NEARY
Associated Press Writer

CHEYENNE, Wyo. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service says it can meet its legal deadline to decide the threatened status of a mouse that lives in Wyoming and Colorado even as the federal agency ponders whether it should have proposed cutting protections in the first place.

The Fish and Wildlife Service entered into an agreement with the State of Wyoming last month to act on the status of the Preble's meadow jumping mouse under the federal Endangered Species Act by Oct. 31.

But on Friday, H. Dale Hall, the director of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, ordered the review of eight decisions on endangered species in which former deputy assistant secretary Julie MacDonald was involved.

MacDonald resigned from her post overseeing the federal wildlife agency this spring after the department's inspector general chastised her for pressuring scientists to alter their findings about endangered species.

Among the decisions which Hall ordered reviewed was the agency's 2005 proposal to lift protection for the jumping mouse.

MacDonald had supported a Denver biologist who concluded that the mouse was indistinguishable from other jumping mice. But a panel of outside scientists convened



Photo courtesy Department of the Interior

SHIELDED: Preble's meadow jumping mouse needs protection.

by the Fish and Wildlife Service later concluded that the mouse is indeed a unique subspecies worthy of protection.

Wyoming sued the federal wildlife agency this January over its failure to act on a 2003 request by the state to eliminate protection for the mouse under the Endangered Species Act.

Wyoming settled the lawsuit last month in an agreement that gave the Fish and Wildlife Service until Oct. 31

to determine whether the mouse deserves protection as a separate species.

Jay Slack, deputy regional director for the Fish and Wildlife Service in Denver, said Friday that his agency can review its decisions on the mouse and still meet the terms of its settlement agreement with Wyoming.

"We do believe that the settlement that we've entered into allows us to make the decisions we need to make," Slack said.

Slack said the agency will make a decision by Oct. 31 whether the proposal to remove the mouse from protections was warranted. If the agency determines it was, he said the agency would make a decision whether to end protections for the mouse by June 30, 2008.

Pat Crank, Wyoming attorney general, said Friday that the state's lawsuit was intended to get the federal agency to make a decision.

"They agreed to a specific timeline to make decisions with regard to the decision to delist," Crank said. "That settlement doesn't commit them to a decision one way or another."

A University of Wyoming study has found that area farmers suffer economic losses of 12 percent a year because of an inability to cultivate irrigated land because of the presence of the mouse.

Developers, meanwhile, say the mouse costs them tens of millions of dollars.

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Grand Canyon officials offer traffic plan

BY ARTHUR H. ROTSTEIN

Associated Press Writer

Grand Canyon National Park officials want to add traffic lanes approaching the canyon's South Rim entrance to ease congestion and air pollution and are seeking public comment on the plans.

The proposed \$2 million project would build a mile-long second northbound lane — with the option of adding another in the future — as well as construct a half-mile bypass lane and restripe the road from the boundary of the park about two miles to the entrance station.

Currently, two lanes for vehicles head north out of Tusayan, about 1 1/2 miles from the park entrance. But they funnel into one lane about a mile from the park, pinching traffic into a long line of cars approaching pay kiosks at the entrance during peak visitation periods, said project manager Vicky Stinson.

"The queue has extended all the way into Tusayan" on such occasions, she said.

As a result of the long waits, visitors often get out of their cars, wandering around into nearby wooded areas and causing what park rangers refer to as "social trailing" — trails created by repeated walking that pounds down the soil and tramples vegetation; some even use the areas as restrooms.

In addition, those milling about can create traffic safety hazards for motorists leaving the park.

The plans are detailed in an environmental assessment that park Superintendent Steve Martin made avail-



Photo courtesy State of Arizona

GRAND HASSLE: Traffic congestion at the Grand Canyon has made more than one trip unpleasant during recent months.

able this week for a 30-day public review.

"On Memorial Day, we had 5,000 cars enter the park on the South Rim," said park spokeswoman Maureen Oltrogge. But she added that improvements recently made have helped pare down some of the waiting. Park officials have added one entrance lane, for a total of five, and added

three kiosks to four existing ones.

The bypass lane would allow buses carrying visitors to enter the park on a regular schedule and be beneficial for employees and residents as well as delivery trucks and service vehicles.

The plan calls for construction to start and end next year, taking from two to four months

to complete over a nine-month period.

A potential third northbound lane might not be needed, Stinson said, depending on the success of the new lane and the bypass, as well as the additional kiosks.

The environmental assessment outlines potential impacts of the project.

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Man's newest best friend?

More urban, suburban folks turn to chickens as family pets

BY GRANT SLATER
Associated Press Writer

COLLEYVILLE, Texas The leaves shiver, the branches quake and 9-year-old Sophia Genco bounds out of the bushes, clucking at the top of her lungs while sprinting after a flock of scurrying chickens.

She isn't chasing down dinner. She's just playing with one of the family pets.

The Gencos are among a growing number of urban and suburban families keeping chickens in their backyards. While the birds don't cuddle like kittens or play like puppies, owners say they offer a soothing presence in the yard and an endless supply of organic eggs.

"Nothing calms you more than sitting out in the yard watching your chickens poke around for bugs and carry on conversations with each other," said Carla Allen, who keeps chickens on her ranch in San Marcos.

There are no firm numbers available to illustrate the growth because it's hard to define who's keeping chickens for pets and who's keeping them to eat, said Bob Vetere, president of the American Pet Products Manufacturers Association. Vetere, whose trade group tracks trends in the pet market, said there is evidence to suggest the organic trend is fueling a pet chicken underground, especially in middle America.

Backyard Poultry magazine was resurrected about a year and a half ago after being halted in the 1980s. Readership in the Medford, Wis.-based publication has skyrocketed compared with its publisher's other two animal magazines — sheep! Magazine and Dairy Goat Journal.

Publisher Dave Belanger said Backyard Poultry's more than 50,000 subscribers exceeded his expectations tenfold.

Bud Wood, president of the Murray McMurray Hatchery in Webster City, Iowa, said he's amazed at the number of calls he's gotten from urban residents.

"The biggest growth I see is the organic group that want to know where their eggs are from," he said. "A lot of urban people fall into that family."

That's the case for Natalie Genco, who lives in Colleyville, a Dallas suburb. The mother of four said eggs from the family's chickens taste better than the store-bought variety and



Photo courtesy University of Texas

BARNYARD BUDDY: There are quite a few people who have made chickens domestic pets.

that her children have fun looking for them.

"It's like Easter every day," Sophia said.

Each of the family's nine hens lays an egg every day, providing up to 63 eggs a week. The chickens eat grasshoppers and mosquitoes that thrive in the humid summer weather, an added benefit, Natalie Genco said.

Traci Torres helped start mypetchicken.com in November to capitalize on chicken hobbyists. Through the site, she sells chicks three at a time to pet owners. More traditional hatcheries sell and ship the chicks 25 to a box.

"We are in the business of making it easy for people who don't know what they are doing," said Torres, who co-owns the Web site and hatchery.

The site also sells chicken paraphernalia. There's a pre-fabricated chicken coop and pen, the "Eglu," for \$570 and high-quality chicken netting for \$169. The chicks themselves go for \$2 or \$3.

At Wood's 90-year-old Iowa hatchery, business has been booming, and his clientele has shifted from the Future Farmers of America crowd toward organically inclined young professionals. His hatchery ships 2 million birds a year to owners of small farms, rural clients and urban residents.



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Wood's customers have to order a minimum of 25 chicks, but he often sees urban customers teaming up and splitting the order among a few households.

Many urban pet owners have to deal with municipal codes that don't always welcome chickens. In New York, Los Angeles and Chicago, it's legal to own birds with limited restrictions, but they're banned in some other cities.

"I've had calls from Lexington, Ky., Vancouver, British Columbia, towns in Alaska; many places are trying to get the city to permit chickens," said Karen Luetjen, executive director of Seattle Tilth, an organization devoted to urban gardening and food production.

Sarah Hempel Irani, 29, of Frederick, Md., started a blog named the Urban Chicken Underground aimed at lifting the city's chicken ban.

"People think they're loud and smelly, but my chickens would be a lot quieter and tidier than what people think," she said.

She said after seven years living in Frederick, she wanted to return to a time when chickens were a part of her life. To make her case, she is researching the benefits of pet chickens and plans to make a bullet-point presentation before the city council.

Number five on the list? "Chickens are fun and cute!"

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Experts say exercises can help

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series of cognitive exercises.

"The more cognitive exercises I gave him, the more with it he was, the happier he was and the calmer he was," Michel said. "And the more I did that the more the benefits seem to accrue and the more he seemed to sustain himself over time."

From this experience, Michel developed a system of computer-based interactive brain exercises for senior citizens, called the [m]Power cognitive fitness system. Through mental stimulation, the cognitive games help delay the onset of dementia, said Michel, who launched Santa Monica-based Dakim Inc. in 2000.

The computer exercises are designed to be user friendly to even the most computer-illiterate person, utilizing a touch-screen interface. The difficulty level of the exercises can be adjusted to match the natural progression of the user, Michel said.

Health experts say that constant mental stimulation, such as doing crossword puzzles and other brain games, can delay the onset of dementia.

The Memory and Aging Research Center at UCLA published a study last year that found people living a healthy lifestyle that included memory exercises and physical conditioning showed improvement in their memory scores as well as in brain efficiency on brain scans,



Photo courtesy Brain Games

HEAD GAMES: Brain Games is a handheld tool created by UCLA's Dr. Gary Small that helps Alzheimer's patients stay mentally sharp.

said Dr. Gary Small, the director of the Memory and Aging Research Center.

Small is the author of three books on the topic of memory enhancement and the creator of an interactive handheld game called "Brain Games." Games like "Brain Games" and "Brain Age" — a series of cognitive exercises played on the Nintendo DS handheld system — are believed to help delay dementia.

Other studies have found that walking 10 minutes a day as well as proper stress management can also lower the risk of Alzheimer's

disease, said Small, adding that "what's good for the heart is good for the brain."

A proper diet can also help, especially the consumption of antioxidant fruits and vegetables.

"Oxidation is the underlying theme of many age-related conditions from heart disease to cancer to Alzheimer's where we know there's inflammation in the brain," Small said.

Debra Cherry, the executive vice president of the Alzheimer's Association of Los Angeles, said people with higher levels of education seem to get Alzheimer's disease later. The same goes for people who remain socially active. But a delay doesn't mean the disease won't eventually strike, she said.

"If they exercises and eat right, they will have built up some resistance or cognitive reserve," Cherry said. "What would happen to them (Alzheimer's) probably would happen later."

Evelyn Tummulo retired more than a year ago and tries to maintain an active lifestyle. The 78-year-old Santa Monica resident said she fears Alzheimer's disease, everyone does.

Her system involves private fitness training sessions once a week, constant traveling and a busy social calendar filled with activities with friends that are both her age and years younger.

"I think the young person keeps you on your toes more or less and you learn more

from them," Tummulo said.

It's a system that has worked well for Tummulo.

"It's for me, but it doesn't mean it's for everyone," she said.

AFTER IT HAPPENS

In the early stages of dementia, there are therapeutic exercises that can help improve and maintain a person's mental functioning.

Such exercises are available through the WISE Senior Services' Adult Day Service Center on Pico Boulevard.

The center assists people with early-stage dementia, Alzheimer's disease and Parkinson's disease, said Frankie Aggers, the program director.

Many of the clients that visit the center live with their families and spend their mornings and afternoons at the center while their loved ones are working. The adult day center provides activities and meals.

Aside from assisting the patient, the center also lends a helping hand for the caretakers, giving them a breather a few hours a day, Aggers said.

"Our goal is to allow clients to avoid premature institutionalization and remain in their community and remain with their families," Aggers said.

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BIG SHOW

(Above) A crowd gathers outside of Urban Outfitters on the Third Street Promenade with the hope that they will be allowed into a special performance by alternative rock icons Sonic Youth on Saturday. (Below) The members of Sonic Youth take the temporary stage set up inside of the popular retail store. (Bottom) The band heads off stage following their free performance that was sponsored by Loyola Marymount University's radio station KXLU 88.9 FM.



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THE CREW: Chef Raphael Lunetta, second from right, stands with his kitchen staff.

Real local flavor

FROM CP PAGE 3

was not strongly influenced by junk food as a child, but also due to his active lifestyle.

"After you've been out surfing, you don't want junk," said Lunetta.

Surfing, always a staple in Lunetta's life, has recently come to the forefront. Growing up in Santa Monica, he could be found at the beach with his surfboard under foot at least once a day during the school week. He also traveled to Hawaii around the age of 13 to surf the Northshore in Maui with his mother and childhood friend Josiah Citrin. While his mother was on the main island, the boys stayed with a friend of a friend. Carelessly spending all their money going out to eat at restaurants, the teenagers reverted to eating fresh fruit from the local trees.

"We had mangos and papayas sitting on the front porch ripening," said Citrin. "After the man we were staying with saw what we were doing, he took us out for a steak dinner."

After coming back to California, Lunetta went to school just four days a week. He managed to stay on good terms with his teachers, because they had mutual respect for one another. He said that they knew he wasn't doing anything bad on the days he skipped out of school, only pursuing his passion of surfing. One of his teachers, Bob Perry, even had Lunetta help him do maintenance on his boat.

"A good or bad teacher can make such a big influence," said Lunetta, who's own father was a teacher.

After being forced to attend summer Jumschool just to graduate, Lunetta decided to stay close to the water. He took a few art and English classes at Santa Monica College, but never attended a culinary institution. He wanted to become a professional surfer, but did not have much money.

"I asked my dad for help, but he told me it was up to me to make it work," said Lunetta. "I surfed pro for two years, but you couldn't really make much money unless you were in the top 32."

After going to Hawaii a second time, Lunetta decided to surf a couple of lucrative contests in France. He was 19 then and traveled overseas with Citrin.

"It was only supposed to be me, so I was basically hiding Josiah in the closet," said the chef. "We didn't have any money for almost two weeks, until I got a job at a Mexican restaurant."

After staying in France, they headed down to Portugal where they rented a house for a week.

Both men visited a local fish market to get dinner — five pounds of sardines. After frying the fresh, oily fish, the stench was very strong.

"It made the house smell for a whole

week," said Citrin.

The two friends worked at restaurants throughout France and Portugal, all the while "racking up Josiah's credit card." By 1990, Lunetta and Citrin decided that they had had enough of France and that it was time to return to California.

"We came back together listening to Led Zeppelin," said Lunetta. "We were around 21 and immediately got jobs in restaurants in the L.A. area."

Lunetta worked at Patina's under renowned chef Joachim Splichal, as did Citrin. He learned a great deal about the pressure of a kitchen while working with Splichal.

"It was difficult in a positive way. I saw how much pressure Joachim put on himself to make that restaurant a great restaurant. That showed us a lot, and it also showed us how to run a business," said Lunetta.

Lunetta had always dreamed of opening up a restaurant with Citrin. They became co-chefs at Capri in Venice, then moved on to Jackson's. Their stint at Jackson's lasted two years prior to 1996, when they finally opened JiRaffe together. After just three years, Citrin decided to open his own restaurant just a few blocks away, Melisse, leaving Lunetta as sole owner of JiRaffe.

At JiRaffe, Lunetta focused on using local ingredients and creating traditional French food that is "soft and velvety, comforting." Sauces are almost a main course on their own. Lunetta and his staff spend 15 to 20 hours preparing each sauce from start to finish for lamb and chicken entrees.

"I try to prepare the food how I would want it as a customer," said the chef, clad in a polo shirt and jeans during his day off. "For the most part, you won't find the same vegetables in two dishes. It makes for more work and more stress, but it's worth it."

Lunetta's French, fresh cuisine restaurant had been thriving for eight years, when he decided to partner up with Citrin once more. The old buddies opened up Lemon Moon, a more casual breakfast and lunch joint, in 2004.

Lunetta continues to co-own Lemon Moon, which is derived from the owners' last names — Citrin, which is French for lemon, and Lunetta, Italian for Moon.

"Raphael is a role model in the community," said Marje Bennetts, Lunetta's publicist.

Many people in Santa Monica know him by name. When just sitting in the restaurant on his day off, eating a salad, local patrons walk by the glass window of JiRaffe waving and smiling at Lunetta.

"Being from the area, I have an obligation to be solid," said Lunetta, who was recently inducted into the Samohi Hall of Fame.

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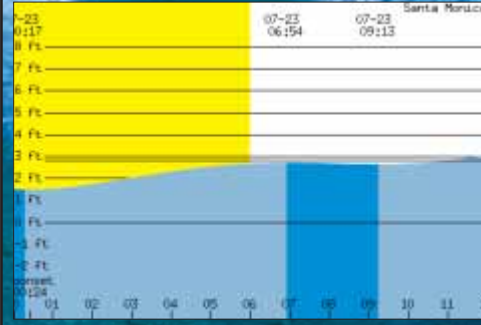
SURF CONDITIONS

WATER TEMP: 63°

SWELL FORECAST (4-5 FT)
Today the NW wind swell should pick up a tad, and some forerunners from Tuesday's swell can be expected at times at south facing breaks, more likely in the afternoon. Overall, most all breaks are looking at knee to waist high surf, although west facing breaks can expect some pluses at times.

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BEACH REPORT CARD



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Grades for this report are based on monitoring data from the previous four weeks up to the ending date of

July 14, 2007

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QUICK STATS
(for the last 28 days)

Number of sewage spills -- 1

Number of beach closures due to a sewage spill -- 3

Number of wet days -- 8

Number of A grades for dry/wet weather -- 42 / no

Number of (C,D,F) grades for dry/wet weather -- 3 / no

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

LOCATION	DRY	WET	LOCATION	DRY	WET
Leo Canillo Beach, at Arroyo Sequit Creek mouth	A+	ns	WII Rogers State Beach at Bel Air Bay Club drain near fence	A+	ns
Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth	A+	ns	WII Rogers State Beach at Pulgo Canyon storm drain	A+	ns
El Pescador State Beach, between Lachona and Los Aliso creeks	A+	ns	WII Rogers State Beach at Tennesseal Canyon drain	C	ns
Enchanted Canyon at El Matador State Beach	A+	ns	WII Rogers State Beach at Santa Monica Canyon drain (Chantrelle)	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 Wilshire Rd. (private)	A+	ns	Santa Monica Municipal Pier	F	ns
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth	A+	ns	Santa Monica Beach at Pico/Kenter storm drain	A	ns
Escalante Creek, just east of Escalante State Beach	A	ns	Santa Monica Beach at Strand St. (in front of the restaurants)	A+	ns
Lorigo Canyon Creek mouth	A+	ns	Ocean Park Beach at Ashland Ave. drain	A+	ns
Saltwater Canyon at San Diego County Beach	A+	ns	Venice City Beach, at the Rose Ave. storm drain	A	ns
Pierro State Beach at creek mouth	A+	ns	Venice Beach at Brooks Ave. drain	A	ns
Malibu Canyon storm drain at Pico Beach, at 24572 Malibu Rd.	D	ns	Venice Beach at Windward Ave. drain	A+	ns
Sunridge Beach at Malibu Colony fence	A	ns	Venice Fishing Pier - 50 yards south	B	ns
Sunridge Beach (beach location)- daily	A	ns	Venice Beach- projection of Topsoil St.	A+	ns
Malibu Pier - 50 yards east	A	ns	Marina del Rey, Mothers' Beach- Skagard tower	A	ns
Carbon Beach at Sweetwater Canyon	A+	ns	Dockweiler State Beach at Ballona Creek mouth	B	ns
Las Flores State Beach at Las Flores Creek (joint zone)	A+	ns	Dockweiler State Beach at Culver Blvd. drain	A+	ns
Big Rock Beach at 15948 PCN street	A+	ns	North Westchester Storm Drain at Dockweiler State Beach	A+	ns
Pine Creek at Los Tunes County Beach	A+	ns	Dockweiler State Beach at World Way (south of DWW jettty)	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 Hypanian Treatment Plant	A+	ns
Castroville Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	A	ns	Dockweiler State Beach at Grand Ave. drain	A+	ns
Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	A+	ns			
WII Rogers State Beach at 17280 PCN (1/4 mile east of Sunset drain)	A	ns			

LEGEND

DRY -- each location is graded on an A -- F scale based on bacterial pollution levels present in the surf zone

WET -- grades for days of recorded rainfall and the following 3 days

ns -- no sample taken



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AMERICAN GRAFFITI: Beach maintenance employee Ernie Luna paints over graffiti at one of the 12 beach bathrooms he and his colleagues are in charge of cleaning each morning.

Keeping it clean

FROM CLEAN PAGE 3

Highway, a job normally performed by Solid Waste Management.

“We go up there and bring the trash cans out to the curb, empty them and bring them back,” Michael Wiley, a seven-year-veteran of the beach maintenance crew.

A typical day for the crew begins at 5 a.m. Equipment operators jump aboard a bulldozer and the new John Deere tractor to redistribute and smooth out the sand, while others gather trash into piles known as “windrows,” and sift out the garbage.

The cleaning must begin as early as possible because the maintenance crew only has a small window — from 5 a.m. to roughly 10:30 a.m. — to work before the throngs of people arrive. It can be dangerous to work with heavy equipment beyond that point, Davis said. One of his workers accidentally ran over a tourist a few years ago who was laying on the sand next to a tall dune. The maintenance worker couldn’t see what was beyond the dune and killed the man. The worker has been on leave since the accident, unable to come to grips with it.

While heavy equipment operators take care of the beach, other workers are doing their best to make the bathrooms look presentable. It’s tough work considering all but one of the bathrooms are nearly 50 years old and are constantly used by visitors and the homeless, some of whom use the showers to clean up each morning.

“Concrete is so porous so it’s hard to get in there and remove all the bacteria and stuff,” Wiley said. “We try to steam wash them every other day, but the smells still linger.”

A big part of the job is removing graffiti. Taggers seem to love hitting the beach and will paint on just about everything, including bathroom walls and ceilings, lamp posts, even the maintenance equipment. The crews are fighting a losing battle, Davis said, because no matter how much graffiti they remove, there will always be more in the morning.

A FAMILY AFFAIR

The job is not romantic by any means even though its the beach, workers said, but they get through the days with the support they receive from one another.

“This is really my first family,” Davis said. “I’m with these guys nearly 12 hours a day, six days a week.”

“It really is a family down here,” Wiley said. A quick ride with the crew proves it. As they go from one job site to another, Davis, Wiley and their colleague Ernie Luna crack

jokes about the characters they come in contact with on a daily basis, from the homeless woman who can be sweet or an absolute terror depending on how much she’s had to drink that day, to the demanding resident who is always on their case about the Chess Park.

The crew also chats about last night’s Dodgers game and the latest reality TV shows. Family comes up on occasion as does their softball team, which is 10-0 in the Los Angeles league.

“We’re some of the fattest guys out there and were still 10-0,” Davis, a 22-year-employee with the city, said with a laugh. “My daughter-in-law is the best one out of all of us.”

THE HARSH REALITIES OF THE JOB

While cleaning up after people isn’t the most desirable job, the crew takes pride in their work and that they are protecting a precious natural resource. They tout the fact that they use environmentally friendly products and bio-diesel fuel for their larger equipment and hope to set an example for other beach-side communities.

“It’s such a beautiful place to work, I mean, look at my office,” Davis said as he pointed to the ocean. “Whenever you get stressed out, just take a walk to the water’s edge and watch the waves for a little while ... It’s where every employee wants to be.”

Every employee may want to hang out on the sand, but not everyone is suited for clean-up duty. Along with the bad smells coming from the bathrooms each morning, the maintenance crew has to deal with drunk and sometimes mentally ill homeless individuals who can become aggressive.

“For the most part, we get along with everyone,” Wiley said (in Davis’ truck there is a plastic skull that they received from a homeless man as a gift. It is now their mascot). “It’s about mutual respect. We give it and expect it in return.”

And then there are the surprises like the feces. Crews have found some strange things over the years, from a washed-up pig carcass to chickens, cats and dogs with their heads cut off, the apparent victims of ritual sacrifices. Workers have also stumbled upon dead bodies, many of them the same homeless people that they have built relationships with over the years.

“You really do have to take the good with the bad,” Wiley said. “You have to breath in the fresh air because you never know when you’ll get it again.”

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SIZEMORE DIDN'T DO IT

A plastic surgeon testified that he didn't see bruises on the face of **TOM SIZEMORE's** former girlfriend, former Hollywood madam **HEIDI FLEISS**, days after she claimed he punched her in the jaw at a Beverly Hills hotel.

"There was no sign of any trauma, bruising or anything like that?" Fay Arfa, Sizemore's attorney, asked Dr. Michael Cardenas on Friday.

"I did not notice anything like that," said Cardenas, who said he had a conversation with Sizemore and Fleiss around 2 a.m. April 13, 2003, about five days after the assault. Sizemore says the attack never happened and is trying to overturn his 2003 misdemeanor corporal injury conviction for the assault at the Four Seasons Hotel.

Cardenas said he was called to treat Sizemore for a cut and was introduced to Fleiss.

The three had a brief conversation after he was done treating Sizemore, he said.

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Gonzo daily

Aspen paper publishes special Thompson issue

The hometown newspaper of the late **HUNTER S. THOMPSON** published a tribute edition Saturday, three days after what would have been his 70th birthday, celebrating the champion of "gonzo journalism."

Contributors to the "Gonzo Edition" of the Aspen Daily News included Ralph Steadman, a longtime friend; the writer's widow, Anita Thompson; Walter Isaacson, president of the Aspen Institute; and newspaper owner David

Danforth. "An adrenaline rush shared with these independent local journalists at the Daily News reminds me of Hunter's balancing act between fear and freedom," wrote Anita Thompson, who edited the issue.

Hunter S. Thompson spearheaded "gonzo journalism," a style in which reporters heavily involve themselves in the story and write in first person. He penned several books that reflected the style – and his knack for political

commentary – including "Fear and Loathing: On the Campaign Trail '72."

During the Watergate era, he said Richard Nixon represented "that dark, venal, and incurably violent side of the American character."

Thompson "would have been distressed but not surprised by what has happened in this country. He forecast all this just like Jonathan Swift did centuries earlier in England," said composer David Amram, a close friend of Thompson.

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'The Young and the Restless' actor Eric Braeden gets Hollywood star

ERIC BRAEDEN, who has played ruthless tycoon Victor Newman on "The Young and the Restless" for more than 25 years, received a star Friday on the Hollywood Walk of Fame.

Braeden's co-stars from daytime's top-rated soap opera, former Minnesota Gov. Jesse Ventura, a friend and fan of the show, and former

heavyweight boxing champion Ken Norton were on hand as star No. 2,342 was unveiled on Hollywood Boulevard.

Also at the ceremony was George Kennedy, who appears with Braeden in "The Man Who Came Back," a Western movie scheduled to be released next year.

Braeden, 66, joined the cast of the CBS soap

in 1980 and won an Emmy for his role in 1998.

Born Hans Gudegast in Germany, Braeden came to the United States in 1959. He often played German soldiers and costarred as Capt. Dietrich in the 1960s TV drama "The Rat Patrol."

He also played John Jacob Astor in the 1997 Oscar-winning smash

"Titanic."

Braeden co-founded the German-American Cultural Society, which aims to promote a positive, realistic image of Germans in the United States and advance German-Jewish dialogue. He has been honored by the German and Israeli governments for his efforts.

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Sicko (PG-13)
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Ocean's Thirteen (PG-13)
6:15, 10:00
Ratatouille (G)
DLP-Digital Projection
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11:00am, 1:45, 4:30, 7:10
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1:00, 7:00
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4:00, 9:45

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Once (R)
12:20, 2:40, 5:00, 7:20, 9:40
Rescue Dawn (PG-13)
1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:55
You Kill Me (R)
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Happy Birthday!

Your year will be punctuated by possibilities, not limitations. If you remain positive and open, your life will whirl in a new fashion, allowing a door to be opened. Many of you will opt for changes in your domestic life, while some might be eyeing a financial investment that are too good to be true. If you are single, a relationship will knock on your door close to your next birthday period. Meanwhile, enjoy the flirtations heading your way. If you are attached, add more quiet, home-alone time into your bond. SCORPIO can be an anchor or an albatross.



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★★★★★ What hasn't been to your liking becomes OK -- if you approach a situation differently. Your imagination teamed with your irritation creates a new direction or venue. You know what you are doing. Tonight: A partner needs and demands your attention.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★★ Others express their reluctance and demonstrate an interest in heading in a new direction. You cannot control anyone but yourself. Understand that fact. You need to step back and handle your problems. Tonight: Sort through your invitations.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★ All work and no play might be unavoidable. Look at your calendar and realize how much you want to get done. You could be on overload right now. The only way to end this problem is to dive right in. Tonight: Know when it's time to quit.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ Think in terms of greater progress teamed with much higher creativity. How you deal with someone could radically change given half a chance. A child or new friend lets you know how much he or she cares. Tonight: Let your hair down!

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★★ How you deal with various situations could change. You suddenly feel energized and empowered. If you take an overview, you will see the transformation of recent years. Expect those changes to continue. Tonight: Happy at home.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★★ Strong actions have a strong impact, and every so often, one or two could boomerang. Think about the ramifications before you act. This attitude could be helpful and progressive. Tonight: An ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ Deal with a money matter head-on in order to obtain the results you'd like. If you are direct and sure of yourself, you will get the appropriate results. Someone illuminates your life with possibilities. Consider your options. Tonight: Your treat.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★★ You are in the thick of things, whether you like it or not. Clearly, a lot of responsibility is being dropped on you. You can handle it all, and more! Tonight: Whatever makes the Scorp smile.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

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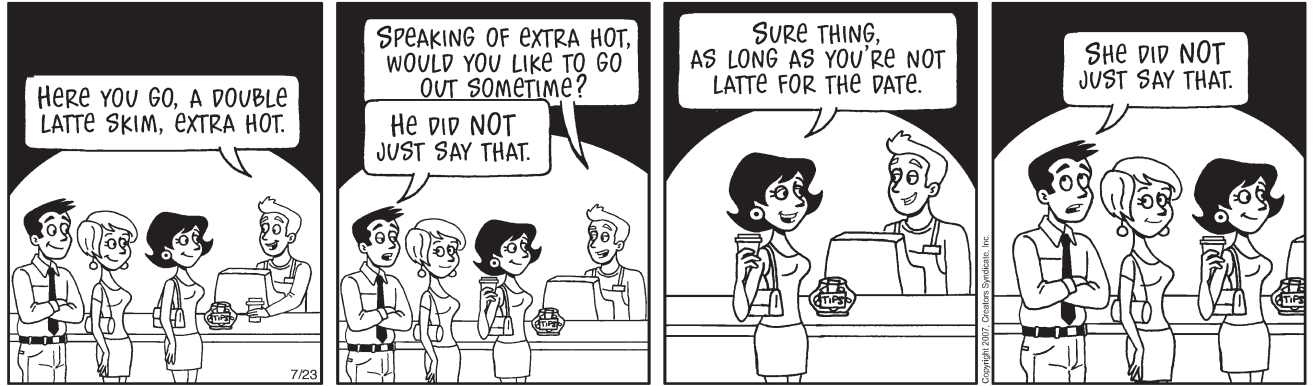
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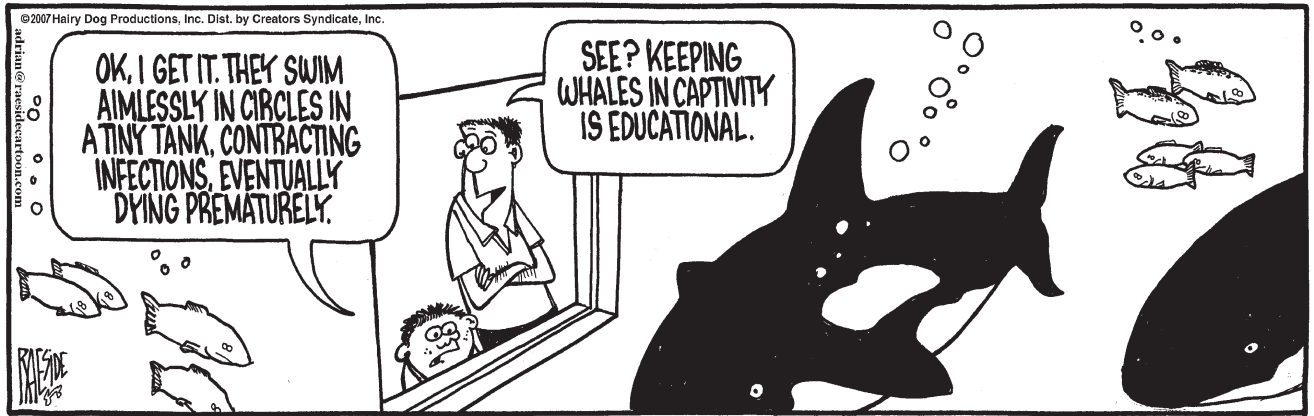
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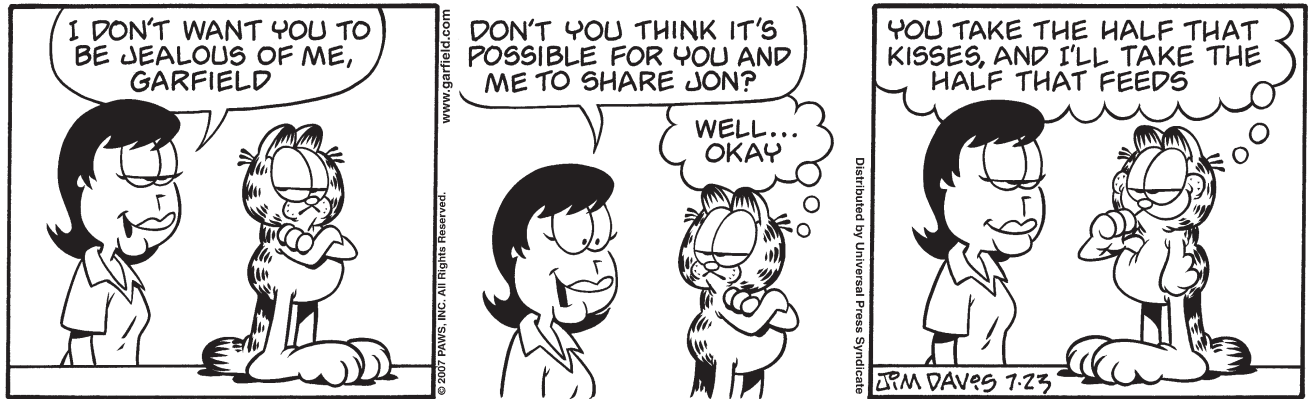
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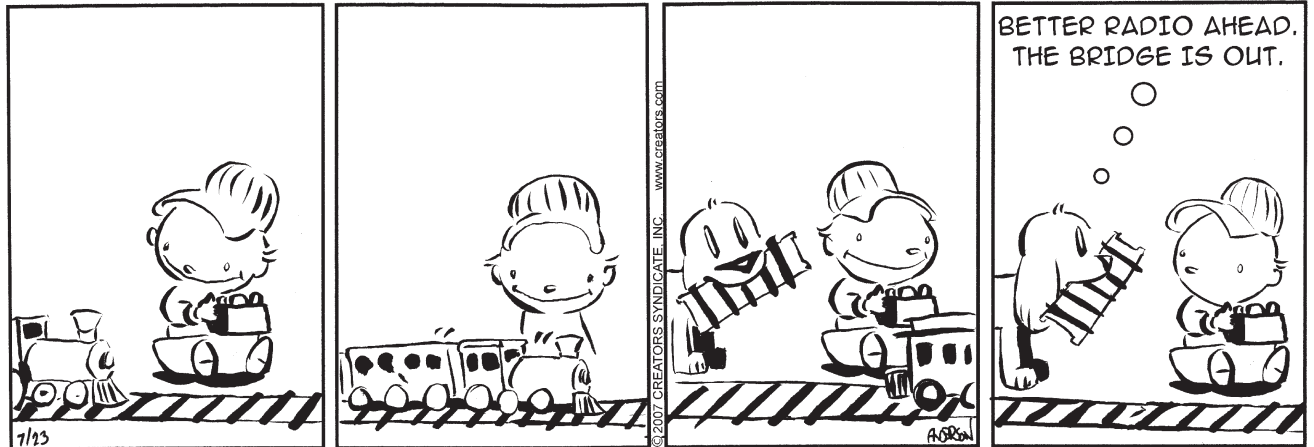
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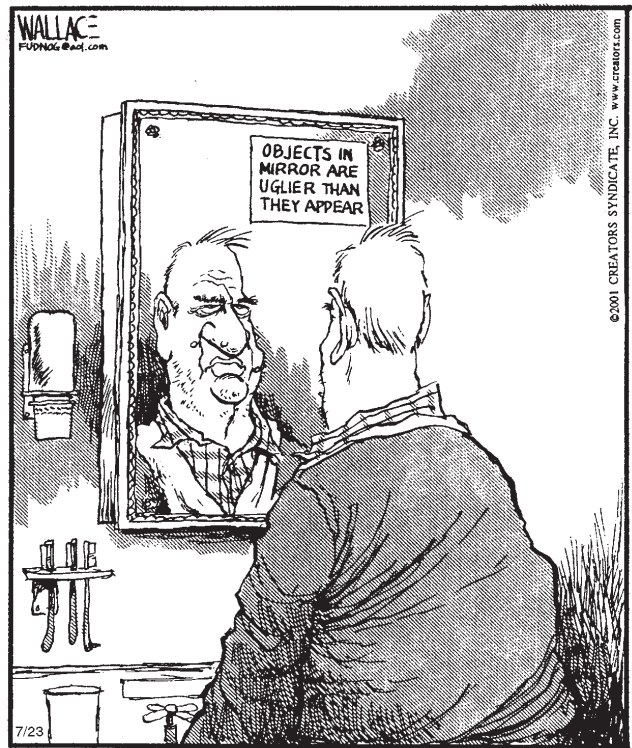
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 - 5 "Mamma Mia" group
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 - 10 Challenges
 - 12 Unaccompanied
 - 13 Saloon order
 - 14 Tendons
 - 16 "Gosh!"
 - 17 Frozen desserts
 - 18 Donkey sound
 - 21 Homer and Marge's neighbor
 - 22 West Pointers
 - 23 Sheriff's symbol
 - 24 Fictional castaway
 - 26 Navy vessel
 - 29 Playground fixture
 - 30 Drummer Krupa
 - 31 Sleeve filler
 - 32 Sipping aids
 - 34 Go
 - 37 Convent attire
 - 38 One who accepts a bet
- DOWN**
- 1 Beat walkers
 - 2 Decreased?
 - 3 Walking aids
 - 4 Hearty dish
 - 5 Find a sum
 - 6 Saloon
 - 7 Radiant
 - 8 Virgil hero
 - 9 Wash-room fixture
 - 11 Slant
 - 15 Dark areas
 - 19 Border
 - 20 Shoebox letters
 - 22 Home for José
 - 23 School carrier
 - 24 Breakfast choice
 - 25 "Ocean's Eleven," for one
 - 39 Pizzeria fixtures
 - 40 Wolfish look
 - 41 Clarinet part

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Saturday's answer

- 15 Dark areas
- 19 Border
- 20 Shoebox letters
- 22 Home for José
- 23 School carrier
- 24 Breakfast choice
- 25 "Ocean's Eleven," for one
- 26 Navy builder
- 27 Relax
- 28 Defeats
- 29 Shaker fill
- 30 Very serious
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- 35 Geese formation
- 36 Goof

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NEWS OF THE WEIRD
BY CHUCK SHEPARD

■ Lawyer Charles Curbo filed a motion in Memphis, Tenn., in June, claiming that his client, Tony Wolfe, who was convicted of murder, failed to get a fair trial due to the ineffectiveness of Wolfe's lawyer (i.e., Curbo) because the lawyer was often too sleepy to do a good job. However, the prosecutor pointed out that part of Curbo's strategy had been to "wear down" witnesses "by extensive cross-examination" and that it was no wonder that he was exhausted.

■ Tiffany Weaver pleaded guilty in April to having stolen a lawyer's official ID and impersonating the woman in order to gain access to the jail in Baltimore so that she could visit her incarcerated boyfriend, but she denied, through her lawyer, that she and the boyfriend had had sex while they were together. "There was never any sexual intercourse," said attorney Ivan Bates. "There was no thrusting whatsoever."

TODAY IN HISTORY

1829 In the United States, William Austin Burt patents the first typewriter.

1903 Dr. Ernst Pfenning of Chicago becomes the first owner of a Ford Model A.

1914 Austria-Hungary issues an ultimatum to Serbia allowing the Austrians to find out who killed Archduke Franz Ferdinand. When Serbia denies Austria-Hungary their demands World War I is sparked on July 28, 1914.

1929 Fascist government in Italy ban the use of foreign words.

1942 The Holocaust: The Treblinka extermination camp is opened

1952 General Muhammad Naguib leads the Free Officers Movement (formed by Gamal Abdel Nasser - the real power behind the coup) in the overthrow of King Farouk of Egypt.

1962 Telstar relays the first live trans-Atlantic television signal.

1967 12th Street Riot: In Detroit, Michigan, one of the worst riots in United States history begins on 12th Street in the predominantly African American inner city (43 killed, 342 injured and ~1,400 buildings burned).

1982 The International Whaling Commission decides to end commercial whaling by 1985-86.

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Document Record # 20071558450
Current File No. 20071090086
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
THANK YOU INC
located at 356 4TH AVE, SUITE 8, VENICE, CA 90291
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 5/14/07
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JEREMIAH BRADSHAW, 356 4TH AVE, SUITE 8, VENICE, CA 90291
This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION
/s/ JEREMIAH BRADSHAW
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 6/5/07. Published: SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/13/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071517765 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SKYGRASS MUSIC, 1457 BARRY AVE, LA, CA 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : WEEBER LLC, (CA), 1457 BARRY AVE, LA, CA 90025 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2007. /s/: WEEBER, LLC, GEORGE LAZAR, MANAGING MEMBER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/25/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071489472 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NOVEDODO'S ALEJANDRA, 1851 CHESTNUT AVE. #1, LONG BEACH, CA 90806. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MIRIAM ANABEL MOLINA, 1851 CHESTNUT AVE. #1, LONG BEACH, CA 90806 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MIRIAM MOLINA
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/20/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071489588 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JIS MORTGAGE GROUP; REM REALTY; AI #/ON: C2459048, 8221 E. 3 ST., #405, DOWNEY, CA 90241. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GOLDEN FREEDOM MORTGAGE, INC., CA, 8221 E. 3 ST. #405, DOWNEY, CA 90241 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: GOLDEN FREEDOM MORTGAGE, INC.; ANDRES SCHONVIESNER; BROKER-CEO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071453586 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 3:16 AUTO REGISTRACION SERVICES, 9006 SOUTH CENTRAL AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90002. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LUIS FERNANDO MAZARIEGOS, 628 EAST 89 STREET, APT 5, LOS ANGELES, CA 90002 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: LUIS F. MAZARIEGOS
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/15/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071466577 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ACME HAIR CO., 1775 OHIO AVE., UNIT 207, LONG BEACH, CA90804. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PATRICK M. ANDERSON, 1775 OHIO AVE., UNIT 207, LONG BEACH, CA 90804 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)6/18/2007. /s/: PATRICK M. ANDERSON
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/18/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071487507 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CIRCUIT 8, 16624 BELLFLOWER BLVD., BELLFLOWER, CA 90706. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : STEVEN BENIGAR, 4192 MARION AVE., CYPRESS, CA 90630 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: STEVEN BENIGAR
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/20/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071476518 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FPM GROUP, 1040 STRATFORD AVE., SO. PASADENA, CA 91030. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SUSAN H. PICKERING, 1040 STRATFORD AVE., SO. PASADENA, CA 91030 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)6/1/2007. /s/: SUSAN H. PICKERING
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071467814 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as INTRAJOURNEY, 110 PINE AVE., STE. 400, LONG BEACH, CA 90802. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GWENAEL SALHA, 10794 ORANGE GROVE ST., LOMA LINDA, CA 92354 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: GWENAEL SALHA
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/18/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071452319 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as IRENE A. INGRAM; PHIONEY TRUCK CORP.; LARSONS TRUCK CENTER, 13045 LOS NIETOS RD., SANTA FE SPRINGS, CA 90676. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : IRENE A. INGRAM, 12128 LELAND AVE., WHITTIER, CA 90605 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/24/2000. /s/: IRENE A. INGRAM
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/15/07. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071490045 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ISLE OF SERENITY NAIL & SPA, 8929 SANTA MONICA BLVD., WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA 90069. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ERNEST LOPEZ JR., 15677 LADERA VISTA DR., CHINO HILLS, CA 91709; KHANH T. TRUONG, 200 E. COMMONWEALTH, ALHAMBRA, CA 91801 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ERNEST LOPEZ JR.; KHANH T. TRUONG
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071404740 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SEGOVIA'S TRUCKING SERVICE, 123 E. 88TH PL., LOS ANGELES, CA 90003. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : OSCAR O. SEGOVIA, 123 E. 88TH PL., LOS ANGELES, CA 90003 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: OSCAR SEGOVIA
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/11/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071476641 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SOCAL JANITORIAL SERVICES; AI #/ON: 2948313, 1050 N. KENNETH RD., GLENDALE, CA 91207. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : A & H GROUP INC., 1050 N. KENNETH RD., GLENDALE, CA 91207 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: A & H GROUP INC.; AROUTIOUN TERTERIAN; PRESIDENT

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071555110 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JACOBS CHIROPRACTIC OFFICE, 1908 SANTA MONICA BLVD., SANTA MONICA, CA 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JEFFREY D. JACOBS, 2419 CLOVERFIELD BLVD., SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 This Business is being conducted by, a an individual. Signed: Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date): Sept 1978. /s/: JEFFREY D. JACOBS

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/28/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071570877 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PASADENA MAGAZINE, DISTINCTIVE LIVING PASADENA, 995 E. GREEN ST., SUITE 403, PASADENA, CA 91106. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DISCOVER MAGAZINE PUBLISHING, INC., 315 S. CATALINA AVE, #1, PASADENA, CA 91106 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: DISCOVER MAGAZINE PUBLISHING, INC.; PRESIDENT/CEO, CHRISTOPHER JOSEPH LENTO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/29/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071555111 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VAL MUSIC PUBLISHING COMPANY, 1541 OCEAN AVE, SUITE 200, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MANUEL CEVALLOS, 1541 OCEAN AVE, SUITE 200, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401. This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MANUEL CEVALLOS
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/28/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071453814 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JANI-KING, 22831 MORRO DR., CARSON, CA 90745. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FELIX BOSTON SIMPSON, 22831 MORRO DR., CARSON, CA 90745; CAROLYN ANN SIMPSON, CARSON, CA 90745, 22831 MORRO DR., CARSON, CA 90745 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)5/28/1998. /s/: FELIX B. SIMPSON; CAROLYN A. SIMPSON
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/15/07. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071498816 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JANITORIAL PROFESSIONALS, 16126 S. HARVARD BLVD. #C,

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071498223 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MIGUEL SAUCEDO TRUCKING, 8946 DUDLEXT AVE., SOUTH GATE, CA 90280. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MIGUEL SAUCEDO, 8946 DUDLEXT AVE., SOUTH GATE, CA 90280 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MIGUEL SAUCEDO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/21/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071477930 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NENE REALTY, 18705 DE VOSS AVENUE, CERRITOS, CA 90703. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MADHAV GOVIND NENE, 18705 DE VOSS AVENUE, CERRITOS, CA 90703 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MADHAV G. NENE This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/19/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/2/2007, 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071580507 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MOD CREATIVES, 4121 VIA MARINA #307, MARINA DEL REY, CA. 90292. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RICHARD LESLIE UMBERGER, 4121 VIA MARINA #307, MARINA DEL REY, CA. 90292 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)6/25/2007. /s/: RICHARD LESLIE UMBERGER This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/25/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071533380 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MOD CREATIVES, 4121 VIA MARINA #307, MARINA DEL REY, CA. 90292. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RICHARD LESLIE UMBERGER, 4121 VIA MARINA #307, MARINA DEL REY, CA. 90292 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)9/23/2007. /s/: RFD, INC. CEO, ANN GENTRY This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/25/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record # 20071520844
Current File No. 06 1745990
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
VIALE SYSTEMS
located at 23700 KIPPEN ST., HARBOR CITY, CA 90710-1314
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 08/07/06
In the county of LOS ANGELES.
VAN KIEN TRUONG, 23700 KIPPEN ST., HARBOR CITY, CA 90710-1314
This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
/s/ VAN KIEN TRUONG
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071556149 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ADVISORS AUCTION GROUP, 12424 WILSHIRE BLVD. STE. 700, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ADVISORS LENDING GROUP, INC. 12424 WILSHIRE BLVD. STE. 700, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90025 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: DAVID G. WESTLEY This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/28/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071580005 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ASPIRE HIGHER TUTORING, 10600 EASTBORNE AVE. #1, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90024. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CHRISTINA NATION CORRIVEAU, 10600 EASTBORNE AVE. #1, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90024, BRIAN RICHARD CORRIVEAU, 10600 EASTBORNE AVE. #1, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90024 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: CHRISTINA NATION CORRIVEAU, BRIAN RICHARD CORRIVEAU This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 7/2/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071517801 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as REAL FOOD DAILY, 414 N. LA CIENEGA BLVD. LOS ANGELES, CA. 90048. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RFD, INC. 414 N. LA CIENEGA BLVD. LOS ANGELES, CA. 90048 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)9/23/2007. /s/: RFD, INC. CEO, ANN GENTRY This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/25/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071532675 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ELAS LIMOUSINE SERVICE, 359 RIVERDALE DR. #A, GLENDALE, CA 91204. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SUSANNA SHAHINYAN, 359 RIVERDALE DR. #A, GLENDALE, CA 91204 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)7/1/2007. /s/: SUSANNA SHAHINYAN This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 7/1/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071543937 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE NEW YOU CENTER, INC., 1030 W. FLORENCE AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90044. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DELORES M. ALLEN, 4111 DON JOSE DR., LA, CA 90008 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)6/26/2007. /s/: THE NEW YOU CENTER, INC.; DELORES M. ALLEN; CEO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/26/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071546567 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TES, 709 N. INGLEWOOD AVENUE, #3, INGLEWOOD, CA 90302. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : BERTRAM OKERENGWO, 709 N. INGLEWOOD AVENUE, #3, INGLEWOOD, CA 90302 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: BERTRAM OKERENGWO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/27/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071533380 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LITTLE ACORN INDUSTRIES, 556 S. FAIR OAKS AVE. #334, PASADENA, CA 91105. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : K. KIRKPATRICK, 556 S. FAIR OAKS AVE. #334, PASADENA, CA 91105 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: K. KIRKPATRICK This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/26/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/23/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071545196 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PG MORTGAGE; PG REALTY; AI #ON: 2762696, 650 W. DUARTE ROAD, #408, ARCADIA, CA 91007. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PROS GROUP, INC., 650 W. DUARTE ROAD, #408, ARCADIA, CA 91007 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: PROS GROUP, INC.; HENRY HU; CFO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/27/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071534091 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HOOKS TAVERN, 12147 SOUTH ST., ARTESIA, CA 90701. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FRANK ORONA JR., 11107 BROADEN ST., SANTA FE SPRINGS, CA 90670; MARIO HERNANDEZ, 1333 N. HAZARD AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90063 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MARIO HERNANDEZ; FRANK ORONA JR. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/26/2007. NOTICE: THIS

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071547625 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RAUL'S GARDENING SERVICES, 729 OCALA AVE., LA PUENTE, CA 91744. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RAUL G. LOPEZ, 729 OCALA AVE., LA PUENTE, CA 91744 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: RAUL G. LOPEZ This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/27/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071512246 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AZTLAN FAMILY CLINIC INC, 4800 E. GAGE AVE., BELL, CA 90201. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : AZTLAN FAMILY CLINIC, INC., 4800 E. GAGE AVE., BELL, CA 90201 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/1/1993. /s/: AZTLAN FAMILY CLINIC, INC.; TERESA LOZANO; PRESIDENT This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/22/07. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071304973 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PHOTO BOOKS GALORE, 14814 SEAFORTH AVE., NORWALK, CA 90650. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : EMMA LU, 14814 SEAFORTH AVE., NORWALK, CA 90650 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: EMMA LU This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 5/30/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071511431 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as WHITE CLOUDS, 400 W. CARSON ST. APT #3, CARSON, CA 90745. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARJORIE TIU, 400 W. CARSON ST. APT #3, CARSON, CA 90745 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MARJORIE TIU This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/22/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/9/2007, 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071546566 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BLESSED ENTERPRISES, 16221 S. VISALIA AVENUE, CARSON CA 90746. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DAVID EIJMOLE, 16221 S. VISALIA AVENUE, CARSON CA 90746 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: DAVID EIJMOLE

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071623744 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as REDI AUTO SPORT, SOFT TOUCH DRIVING, MOBILITY DRIVEN, 1327 OCEAN AVE. SUITE K, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GO TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 1327 OCEAN AVE. SUITE K, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90401 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)7/1/2007. /s/: GO TECHNOLOGIES, INC. PRESIDENT DANIEL REYES This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 7/9/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007, 8/6/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071623746 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as STRIP-PING HERK, 2015 1/2 MAIN ST. SANTA MONICA, CA. 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MICHAEL H. MILLER, 7848 W. MANCHESTER AVE. #3, PLAYA DEL REY, CA. 90293 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/21/1992. /s/: MICHAEL H. MILLER This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 7/09/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007, 8/6/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071634058 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SEED BRANDING & COMMUNICATION, SEED AGENCY, 18241 COASTLINE DR. #2A, MALIBU, CA. 90265. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARNI BURNS, 18241 COASTLINE DR. #2A, MALIBU, CA. 90265 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/1/2007. /s/: MARNI BURNS This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 7/10/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007, 8/6/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071647292 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CORPS UNLIMITED, 468 N. CAMDEN DR. SUITE 3L, BEVERLY HILLS, CA. 90210. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : WAYNE BYRD, 468 N. CAMDEN DR. SUITE 3L, BEVERLY HILLS, CA. 90210 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)2/1/2005. /s/: WAYNE BYRD This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 7/11/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007, 8/6/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071623640 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LAW OFFICE OF COLLEEN O'HARA, 1410 2ND ST. SUITE 302, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90401. The full name of reg-

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istrant(s) is/are : COLLEEN LYNN O'HARA, 23852 PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY #691, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90401 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/2/2004. /s/: COLLEEN O'HARA This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 7/09/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007, 8/6/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071581375 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FAYCES SKIN CARE, 11373 W. WASHINGTON BLVD., LOS ANGELES, CA 90066. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FAYCES SKIN CARE, INC., CALIFORNIA, 11373 W. WASHINGTON BLVD., LOS ANGELES, CA 90066 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/29/2001. /s/: FAYCES SKIN CARE, INC.; BARBARA J. DICKENS; PRESIDENT This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 7/2/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007, 8/6/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071581379 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CALIFORNIA NATIVE DESIGNS, 10447 MIDWAY ST., BELLFLOWER, CA 90706. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : HEIDI PEREZ, 10447 MIDWAY ST., BELLFLOWER, CA 90706; ELEAZAR PEREZ II,10447 MIDWAY ST., BELLFLOWER, CA 90706 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: HEIDI PEREZ; ELEAZAR PEREZ This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 7/2/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007, 8/6/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071571250 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FIAOLA CLEANING, 12521 W. ALONDRA BLVD., #144, NORWALK, CA 90650. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FAAMAGALO TAAUAU, 12521 W. ALONDRA BLVD. #144, NORWALK, CA 90650 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: FAAMAGALO TAAUAU This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 6/29/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/16/2007, 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007, 8/6/2007

Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record # 20071633470
Current File No. 06 0319035
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
SANTA MONICA WELLNESS GROUP
located at 2428 SANTA MONICA BLVD., SUITE 404, SANTA MONICA, CA 90404
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 02/10/06
In the county of LOS ANGELES.
ASHKAN JALILI, 2428 SANTA MONICA BLVD. #404, SANTA MONICA, CA 90404
This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
/s/ ASHKAN JALILI
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071568428 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as EL PATIO MEXICAN GRILL, 1018 W. BEVERLY BLVD., MONTEBELLO, CA 90640. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JUAN GARIBAY, 434 EAST-MONT AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90022; FILIBERTO GARCIA, 5523 REPETTO AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90022 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: JUAN GARIBAY; JUAN RAUL GURU
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071655566 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KOA BARBERSHOP, 14952 CRENSHAW BLVD. #N102, GARDENA, CA. 90249. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DAL Y. LEE, 826 S. GRAMERCY DRIVE, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90005 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)7/12/2007. /s/: DAL Y. LEE
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071655567 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SENIOR PORTAL, 5481 W. TORRANCE BLVD. TORRANCE, CA. 90503. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MICHAEL MANETTE, 5481 W. TORRANCE BLVD. TORRANCE, CA. 90503 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MICHAEL MANETTE
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071655172 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE BIKERO-WAVE, 1816 A BERKELEY ST. SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ALEXANDER THOMPSON, 10741 WESTMINSTER AVE. LOS ANGELES, CA. 90034 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ALEXANDER THOMPSON
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071581867 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as COVENANT AND AGREEMENT RECORDING SERVICES, COVENANT AND AGREEMENT RECORDING SERVICES OF LOS ANGELES, 13900 PANAY WAY #SR 309, MARINA DEL REY, CA. 90292. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : BETTY ANN CHATFIELD, 13900 PANAY WAY #SR 309, MARINA DEL REY, CA. 90292 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)7/2/2007. /s/: BETTY ANN CHATFIELD
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071624194 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as M.L.D PRODUCTS, M.L.L.D. PRODUCTS, MALIRUN PRODUCTS 5928 WOODMAN AVE. #108, VALLEY GLEN, CA. 91401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LIRON YUSEFF DANIEL, 5928 WOODMAN AVE. #108, VALLEY GLEN, CA. 91401 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)4/1/2007. /s/: LIRON Y. DANIEL
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071633471 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SANTA MONICA WELLNESS GROUP, 2428 SANTA MONICA BLVD., #404, SANTA MONICA, CA 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PARISA SERRI, 1517 19TH ST. #6, SANTA MONICA, CA 90404 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: PARISA SERRI
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071658380 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CRANKY CHIQUITA, 6313 B. HOOVER AVE., WHITTIER, CA 90601. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : AMBER ROSE JANECZEK, 6313 B. HOOVER AVE., WHITTIER, CA 90601 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: AMBER ROSE JANECZEK
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071644993 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SHENANIGANS STUDIOS, 5202 FIRESTONE PLACE, SOUTH GATE, CA 90280. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JUAN M. PEREZ, 10016 WALNUT AVE., SOUTH GATE, CA 90280 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: JUAN PEREZ; RANDY H. SINGH
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 7/23/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 7/23/2007, 7/30/2007, 8/6/2007, 8/13/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20071722806 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CELLULAR CITY, 6081 CENTER DRIVE #205, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90045. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ALFRED MYO MIN, 3767 MIDVALE AVE #4, L.A. CA. 90034, MAUNG MOE, 3761 JASMINE AVE #6, L.A. CA. 90034,NILAR ZE, 3761 JASMINE AVE #6, L.A. CA. 90034 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MAUNG MOE, ALFRED M. MIN, NILAR ZE
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