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NEWS OF THE WEIRD

by Chuck Shepard

■ A 36-year-old woman drowned in a fast-moving river after jumping in to rescue her golden retriever, which paddled ashore with relative ease while rescue efforts for the woman were under way (Kyoto, Japan, June).

■ A 26-year-old man was killed after he asked his uncle to stab him in the chest to see if a bulletproof vest would protect him (Lakewood, Colo., June).

■ A veteran skydiver accidentally crashed into a veteran hangglider at about 4,000 feet, killing both men (Brackley, England, June).

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Love is an obsessive delusion that is cured by marriage."

— Dr. Karl Bowman

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Carolyn Sackariason/Daily Press

Los Angeles County Lifeguard Eldin ONSGARD teaches the ABCs of CPR to junior lifeguards last weekend at Will Rogers State Beach. Students practiced opening airways, checking breathing and resuscitating on dolls used as victims.

Family, friends to testify for accused arsonist

Former NFL player still in custody

BY JOHN WOOD

Daily Press Staff Writer

Family and friends of a former LA/Oakland Raider accused of burning down a Santa Monica business are expected to ask a judge today to reduce his \$1 million bail.

They say Anthony Wayne Smith, 36, of Marina del Rey, is a community-minded family man and is innocent. Smith remains in custody at the Los Angeles County Jail.

"It's just bizarre to think he

would perpetrate such an act," said Vito Rotunno, Smith's business partner. Rotunno pointed to Smith's charity work and involvement with youth athletic organizations.

He said Smith is wrongly accused.

Smith, a standout defensive end for the Raiders in the 1990s, was arrested by Santa Monica Police on July 15 and charged with arson in connection with the Feb. 13 fire that gutted Simply Sofas, a furniture and antique store on the 2300 block of Lincoln Boulevard.

Ted Yamamoto, Smith's private

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Market crash fund for victims spreads financial assistance

Committee members handle individual cases

BY CAROLYN SACKARIASON

Daily Press Staff Writer

The fund established to help victims of the July 16 Farmers Market crash is about to reach the \$100,000 mark.

In less than three weeks, the Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce has been able to raise tens of thousands from the community to financially assist victims and their families in the short term.

The fund was set up within 24 hours after the accident that claimed the lives of 10 and injured close to 80 people when Santa Monica resident Russell Weller, 86, drove through the busy Farmers Market on Arizona Avenue.

Chamber members immediately formed an ad hoc board and executive committee so they could begin administering aid to the vic-

"We all take the role of picking up the phone and networking. Finding the resources and pooling them together is the critical piece."

— NAT TRIVES

Chair of victims' fund board and executive committee

tims and their families. For the past three weeks, board members have been meeting once a week to establish procedures on how to administer the money. An executive committee made up of five members, charged with distributing the money, checks in with each

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Fund provides relief for victims' families

BY JOHN WOOD

Daily Press Staff Writer

Theresa Breglia's remains will be flown back to her family on the East coast this week, nearly three weeks after she was killed in the July 16 Farmers Market crash.

While some of the delay was because it took more than a week to locate Breglia's next of kin, the more pressing issue has been the lack of money for her family. But not anymore.

The Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce set up a victims' assistance fund in the wake of the accident intended to help victims and their families. Committee members are expected today to approve the nearly \$5,000 cost of transporting Breglia to New

Jersey and having her buried in a family plot there.

Breglia's case is one of many being handled by the fund's committee, which has raised nearly \$100,000 and is distributing it to those in need.

After 17 days in the coroner's office and a few more with an embalmer, Breglia's body will return to her native state of New Jersey on Wednesday, officials hope. The fund is paying the entire bill, from the \$1,500 casket to the \$500 airfare and the \$1,100 funeral home charge.

Linda Tisherman, former president of the Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce, said the chamber is doing more than just raising money for the victims and

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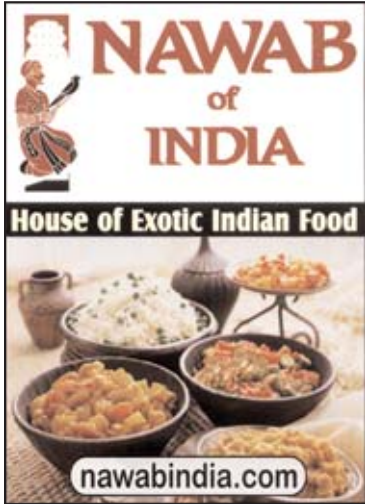
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Gaining clarity on personal and professional relationships earmarks your year. You also might exhibit a tendency to put others on a pedestal, which, unfortunately, means they could fall off. Emphasize security and reality, and you will gain. In 2004, you could see a financial profit or pay raise. Investments involving real estate might be more logical for you in your present frame of mind. Family becomes a higher priority. If you are single, you might not see others clearly. Avoid making commitments, if possible. Get to know someone very well first. If you are attached, you will frequently need to clarify what your partner is saying. Learn better communication skills. Consider taking a class together in relating and listening. SCORPIO cares.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ Try as you might, getting certain relationships and understandings clear could take more than your fair share of work. Realize your limits within the present climate. What someone says might not be what he or she really means. Tonight: Go for closeness.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ You might not be able to get your message across as clearly as you would like. You also might talk until you are blue in the face. Realize your limits when dealing with bosses and those in charge. The key right now is to lie back. You will get a better sense of direction eventually. Tonight: Go with an invitation.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ Get into work and, if possible, avoid the phones, which could be very difficult for you! You might be confused or distracted by what you hear. Concentrate on your job and getting your work done. Tonight: Easy does it.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★★ Your playfulness delights those around you. A partner might particularly enjoy your mood, but be careful that you both don't go haywire with a risk and/or spending. Extend yourself emotionally toward another. Tonight: Delight a child or loved one.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★★ Examine what you want to happen; however, don't plan to put it into action just yet. Continue to observe from your space in life. What you see could stun you as well as others. Just ride the crest of the wave. Take action later, once you have more information. Tonight: At home. Put your feet up.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★★ Reach out for those around you, but don't be surprised at how someone or others in general react. Clear communication could be difficult to achieve under the circumstances. Meanwhile, try as best as you can to wade through the many calls and messages. Tonight: Swap war stories with a pal.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ Deal with finances directly. More confusion than you can believe surrounds a risk. What you feel is A-OK really might not be. Know when to pull back. Wait and try to see through the immediate excitement. Tonight: Dote on a loved one.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★★ You might be absolutely clear, but others just don't get it. Though you might not be able to deal with others as effectively as you would like, you still feel empowered. Do your thing and worry less about those around you. Tonight: As you wish.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ Knowing when to step back from a problem might be as important as knowing when to push and take a risk. You simply aren't getting just the facts, but, rather, another's slant on a situation. Until the haze vanishes, do nothing. Tonight: Stay close to home.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★★ You might believe you are getting the gist of what is going on, but certain details involving a partnership might not be revealed just yet. Walk with care through problems, never losing sight of your long-term objectives. Tonight: Where the gang is. Swap tales of the day.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ Though you believe you know what you are doing, you might not have the whole story. Dig into your work and worry less about interpersonal relationships. News that comes forward could have more implications than you realize. Tonight: Work as late as need be.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★★ Instinctively you know what you need to do. Take your time if you feel that something is off. Detach from the immediate and take an overview, if possible. Seek out experts. Get the facts. Tonight: Follow the music.

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LOCAL



Back from Baghdad: The price of democracy



(Editor's note: This column was written by Santa Monica resident Kelly Hayes-Raitt while she was in Baghdad in June).

The dinar's value is so volatile that money-changers operate from curbside card tables bearing foot-and-a-half stacks of the Saddam-monikered bills. People here shake their heads in disbelief when I tell them a single 250-dinar note sold for 20 U.S. dollars over the Internet during the war.

While I negotiated exchange rates on my first day back in Baghdad, a car pulled along side and an irate Iraqi family screamed their frustration at me: "No water," the driver said, shaking an empty jug like a raised fist. "America bad. Saddam good! (Thumbs up) Bush bad. (Thumbs down)" while his wife and daughter admonished in high-pitched Arabic. He sped off, punctuating his emotional outburst in a grimy cloud of exhaust.

Word on the street is that the American troops are deliberately cutting off electricity to certain neighborhoods in Baghdad to retaliate against Iraqis for not turning in their guns. No power, no water. No power, no refrigeration, no air conditioning, no showers. Tempers rise with the temperature — an exhausting 120 degrees well into the evening.

Kamran Abd-Al-Razak, the dapper Kurdish Iraqi at my hotel's front desk, asks me if I've seen a book published recently in Jordan called "Terrorism Square: Security Agency in Iraq, 1968-2002" by Ahmar Mokhef Al-Omer. Al-Omer was a general in Saddam's army and escaped in 1991. His book details the missing dictator's atrocities.

Kamran shakes his head. "Thank you, America. We could not have stopped Saddam Hussein ourselves. It's good he's gone." We agree on that point.

We also agree that Kamran is in a privileged situation. He spends his days in an air-conditioned reception room, earning a good salary and accessing the hotel's running water and food.

We also agree that it's easier to discuss democracy and free speech when your

children are fed and your dignity is intact. If America wants to win Iraqi hearts and souls, perhaps we should start with their health and security.

Farhad, our 25-year-old Kurdish translator, is also glad Saddam Hussein is gone, but for different reasons. He escaped from Saddam's army in Tikrit just two weeks before the U.S. invasion.

"It's good that Saddam is gone," he says quietly, "but we have no security now. What is our future?"

His girlfriend, Loosa, died during the war.

"I lost my love," he explains quietly, stoically brushing away tears as he gazes off into the horizon. "What is our future?"

(Kelly Hayes-Raitt's columns about her experiences in Iraq will appear every Tuesday. To schedule her to speak to your congregation or community group, call (310) 581-4421 or e-mail to C2CCampaigns@aol.com.)

Hayes-Raitt to speak at Green Party event

By Daily Press staff

A Santa Monica woman who has just returned from Baghdad will speak about her experience in the worn-torn country on Thursday.

Kelly Hayes-Raitt will speak at a special event held at the Westside Greens Office, located at 2809 Pico Blvd. in Santa Monica.

Hayes-Raitt visited Iraq for 10 days in February, just five weeks before the U.S. bombings and invasion. She spoke with hundreds of women and children at the neighborhood bomb shelter where more than 400 Iraqis were killed in the 1991 Gulf War. She also toured a pediatric hospital where children were dying of leukemia because they couldn't get the medicines they needed under U.N. sanctions.

In July, Hayes-Raitt returned from a second trip to Iraq, where her travels took her from Baghdad to Hillah, Babylon, Fallouja, Basra, and Umm, Qasr.

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surf report

SSW swell will hold some energy at the exposed spots today. Northern LA spots will see waist-to-shoulder-high surf, occasional head high-range with a few bigger sets at standout spots. As the swell turns more to the SSW, most South Bay breaks miss it, so expect most spots to see 1'-3' wind swell with some shoulder high sets in the El Porto/Manhattan area. Have fun, waveriders.

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MONDAY	8:09	1.4	10:05	1.5	2:08	3.9	3:02	5.2
TUESDAY	9:01	2.0	11:35	0.9	3:52	3.3	4:01	5.5
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The beach lots directly off of Main Street would be available for market shoppers free of charge from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., under the Main Street Merchants Association proposal. Apparently City Hall officials were receptive to the idea earlier this year, but the proposal has stalled.

This week, Q-Line wants to know, "Should the beach lots be available for the Main Street Farmers Market? If not, what should be done about the lack of parking on Main Street on Sundays?"

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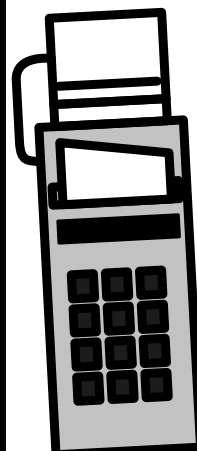
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OPINION

LETTERS

Inattentive drivers are the problem

Editor:

I read the July 26 Santa Monica Daily Press for the first time, on Saturday — “Elderly drivers aren’t the problem” by Julia Reeves and was motivated and inspired to respond. Here are my thoughts in no particular order.

When I was in Ireland, I noticed that cell phone drivers pull over to the side of the road to take cell phone calls. If caught driving and speaking on a cell phone, the driver is ticketed.

About seven years ago, I witnessed a pedestrian walk into a moving car. The intersection was not an “officially marked intersection” — the pedestrian thought the car stopped, or would stop and that she would never have walked into a car. I witnessed the pedestrian fly into the air, hit the ground and then there was blood. It was a scene that repeated itself for about six months in and outside of nightmares. Because I stayed to give the police a report, I was later contacted by both insurance companies (and harassed) by the pedestrian’s company. I saw what I saw — the pedestrian did not wait to see if the car was going to stop and continued walking. The driver of the car did not stop.

When I step into an intersection, I do two things. I look both ways, more than once and until I am across the intersection — cars come out of the blue, even with my best intention to be vigilant. Cars are capable of great speed, so even if I have just checked a corner, a car, capable of great speed, could just be rounding that corner. And, if a car is traveling “fast,” a subjective judgment, I realize that my life is in the crosswalk and subject to a major impact of steel — there is a calculating thing I do. Is the car traveling as fast as it appears to be, going to stop in time and more importantly, does the driver see me? Because of driver attitude, horn honking, cell phone engagement and waiting until the last minute to apply the brakes, I now make eye contact and pause in my tracks if I have to. I proceed only if I think it’s safe. And if the driver is on the phone, or not paying attention for other reasons, I call their attention to their inattention by miming being on the phone or my hand meets the metal of their car. That seems to get the driver’s attention. It’s my life crossing in that pedestrian crosswalk.

I do what I need to keep it intact, and sometimes it involves calling people’s attention or demonstrating, dare I say “teaching” appropriate protocol.

I have watched in horror as people cross intersections and look straight ahead. Curious as to the reason for this behavior, I have spoken later with people who do this — they believe it’s the driver’s responsibility to stop, so they relinquish the matter of their safety by assuming that the driver will assume the responsibility.

I like that Ms. Reeves spoke out, and expressed what may or may not be very popular — but the opinion needs to be heard, in the light of the tragedy at the Wednesday Farmer’s Market.

Let’s consider driving exams for elderly drivers. Let’s also consider driving exams for drivers with cell phones. Let’s look at the epidemic of carelessness and inattention in our cell phone driver population. Let’s not ignore the root problem: a driver’s license is for, well, driving.

If you operate a cell phone while driving, let’s consider this:

■ Pull over to the side of the road, or get off the freeway

■ Levy a tax on drivers with cell phones. It would be appended to their driver’s license fee each year

■ Because four times as many accidents are committed by people with cell phones, in addition to tickets, require community service in the ER or Trauma Unit, and four times as much time as is required for other community service crimes.

■ Consider introducing into our society the very civil concept of restorative justice — where a perpetrator of a crime is required to face his victims, and where the perpetrator decides the punishment for his crime — maybe we’re missing a dialogue here, maybe we depend too heavily on the law to make the responsible, well, responsible.

Finally, reinstate as required reading, in school and at the DMV, the story of the “Emperor Who Had No Clothes.” Which will perhaps force us to look at why we are so reluctant to call a thing what it is.

But of course, that will mean recalling common sense from whatever land or foreign potentate we have exiled it to.

Barbara J. Genovese
Santa Monica



Adding a strong Democrat candidate to the recall ballot could spell disaster, or would it?



Evelyn Jerome

■ I’m going to vote “no” on recalling Gov. Gray Davis. But with Gov. Davis’ approval rating somewhere around his knees, I think it’s conceivable I’ll be outnumbered. While I will actively encourage people to vote against ousting the governor, it would be pragmatic for us to offer a strong Democratic candidate for voters to select on the second part of the ballot.

After all, there are two questions on this recall ballot. The first question is “yes” or “no” to recalling the governor and the second question asks who should be governor if the “yes” side prevails.

Not offering a strong Democratic candidate is like playing political Russian roulette. I don’t know about you but I’m not willing to hand the governor’s office over to the Republicans, or to a minority party candidate who can scrape together the \$3,500 filing fee.

Not offering a strong Democratic candidate disenfranchises those of us who are voting “no” on the recall. Should everyone who votes no on the first question leave the second question blank? I wouldn’t vote for Darrell Issa if someone unleashed a pen full of wild Barcelona bulls at me. Arnold? Riordan? Tom McClintock? Are you crazy? Does the Democratic Party want me to start feeling comfortable voting for a Green?

So what are my options? Unless there’s a solid Democratic candidate on the ballot,

my vote has been taken away.

Not offering a strong Democratic candidate is to paraphrase Sean Connery in The Untouchables like walking into a gunfight with a knife.

Minds are beginning to change on this issue. With just days to go before the filing deadline, a handful of high-profile Democrats, including three members of Congress, are calling for Sen. Dianne Feinstein to run. I actually think Feinstein’s name on the ballot could pull out more Democratic voters and help defeat this costly, malicious recall.

The first question is a vote of confidence on Gray Davis — you can love him or hate him. The second question is not about Davis at all. The second question is “what if?” What if the Republicans actually get organized in the next 60 days? What if one of the 300 can-

didates can get a message out to California voters? What if the “yes” side prevails?

The Republican Party, vindictive and well-funded, brought us to this point. They will do anything to erase last fall’s legitimate election. Democrats must not stick our heads in the sand and hope for the best.

Whether it’s Feinstein or another well-known Democrat, we owe it to California voters to show up for this fight.

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Todd Flora

■ The California Democratic Party should NOT encourage one of its members to run in the Oct. 7 recall.

I certainly don’t believe any Democrat should be ostracized for running. And I understand where those who advocate a high profile “Plan B” are coming from. They don’t want Democrats forced to check off a Republican replacement for Gov. Davis.

However, by giving Democrats a name they can stomach on the ballot, those responsible will only give “soft Democrats,” Davis-hating Democrats, and independent voters comfort in voting “yes”

on the recall. Knowing they have a mainstream alternative with whom to replace Davis, the natural inclination will be to also go ahead and support his removal.

Further, a good way to fight the recall — in addition to blasting its \$30-\$40 million price tag — is to deny its legitimacy. If the Democratic Party encourages one of its own to run, it only validates the strength of the recall. I say much, I attack it and use the current parade of outlandish characters announcing their candidacy to showcase what an absolute farce this power grab really is.

The far left also deserves scorn for encouraging the candidacy of Arianna Huffington. Hey, I love her commentary, and agree with much of what she says about corporate corruption, money in politics, and the cabal that makes up the Bush

Administration. But my friends, if the Dennis Kucinich rallies are getting old, find another hobby. It’s bad enough that the Green Party’s 2002 nominee, Peter Camejo, has declared against Davis.

Huffington’s candidacy will similarly draw even more disgruntled, far-left Democrats to vote “yes” on the recall. These voters aren’t attracted to Diane Feinstein. They literally consider her a Republican. Personally, my guess is Huffington is just trying to sell newspapers and rally her base. Well, please don’t rally.

Believe me, I take the recall seriously. I just don’t think it’s serious. As someone who fancies himself a “hybrid Democrat,” I am no party lackey. Even as a local representative to my party’s State Central Committee, I am most often found calling

for my party to “think different.” But my friends, it’s gut check time. You don’t have to love Gray Davis. But whining and complaining that our corrupted, money driven campaign system has not given us the governors we deserve does not entitle us to an election any time we want. That’s “government by spoiled brat.” Want different governors? Then change the system. Meanwhile, don’t strengthen the recall by fielding a Democrat.

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COMMENTARY

The Catch 22 of owning a business, shuffling money



LEGAL VIEWS AND NEWS

By David Pizarra

The joy of being your own boss brings with it phenomenal freedom. You are now free to spend your waking hours worrying about how to make the rent, your sleeping hours tossing and turning over how to cover the payroll, rob Peter to pay Paul, juggle the screaming clients and best of all, classify your income.

As a business owner, you cut a swash-buckling path. You go against conventional wisdom and substitute your own vision for that of the society at large. In California we are experiencing what appears at first blush to be an oxymoron. We have increasing population and decreasing employment. This appears to mean that we are either a phenomenal welfare state or that there is a phenomenal business climate.

Neither is really true. The fact is that in California we do not have a welfare state. We have far too many people on welfare, but it is not a factor of them moving in from out of state.

What we do have is a business climate that is conducive to the start-ups, the independent contractors, the self-employed and the dreamers and visionaries that make jobs for others in the grand scheme of things. The vast majority of the new residents are coming to California and starting their own businesses because they can't find jobs. With each new round of lay-offs, more and more people decide to "hang out a shingle" and be their own boss.

What this column is about, is the Catch 22 of all businesses, but particularly so for the self-employed business owner. Satisfying the tax authorities on the one hand and getting the bankers and credit people to lend you money on the other is a slippery slope.

You own your own company so that you can take advantage of all those lovely tax deductions and reduce your income to the lowest legal level so that you don't overpay in taxes. This is traditionally known as the first five years of a business, in which losses are shown so that when the company is getting going the owners are paying little or no income taxes. This works from a business perspective because they are plowing all the money back into the company buying assets and establishing a track record with clients and vendors.

Somewhere along the line, the business owner needs to get a loan. Whether it is so they can go buy a new car, or the business needs to upgrade the computer system. That's when the bankers and credit people get involved.

Now the real Catch 22 really happens. For years maybe you have been dutifully filing your tax returns showing a respectable amount of revenue (the amount of sales that flow through the company) but with net losses at the end of the year to avoid those excessive taxes. This was done on the advice of your attorney/CPA/Best Friend/Guy at the end of the bar, all of whom ostensibly knew what they were talking about.

From a legal standpoint what you have

done is completely legal. You have had the company legally buy a car for you, pay for your cell phone (those were all business related calls right?) and you declared the other expenses with the IRS and the Franchise Tax Board.

Now you apply at your local bank/credit union/car dealership/computer store for a loan. They wish to see the company's tax returns if the credit is going to be in the company's name. This is where it gets difficult. You've shown losses. They look at this and they won't lend to you because the company looks like it is not a good risk. Frankly, we all know the way the game is played, but they play according to the Golden Rule — "he who has the gold makes the rules"

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There is always a lender, so don't get too discouraged. Unless you have just the worst credit possible, you can always get a loan. The question is just how much are you going to pay for the money. You will pay extra for "loan origination fees" or "broker fees" or "we pulled the number out of the air because we have the money and you don't" fees, but you can at least get the loan you need.

The next thing that can happen is you want to qualify for a loan based on your personal credit. Well, they've got you here too. Now, even if the creditors or bankers are not looking at your company's financials, they are looking at yours and want to see how much money you are personally declaring on your taxes. Like most entrepreneurs, you will not show a huge income because the company is losing money and you are not taking a huge salary, because the company is providing many of the "perks" you would normally be paid for, and then pay for yourself out of your salary.

The big question is how do you set up your company to avoid the situation? Well, this is where you have to realize a certain fact of business. You are going to pay someone, somewhere. You will either pay the tax man and have a better business track record that will allow you to get a better credit rating, or you will not pay taxes, but will pay extra for a loan.

The fact is you need to accept that business costs money. Cash is king and you either pay now in the form of taxes or you pay later in the form of points and fees. Hence the Catch 22.

My personal opinion is that new companies are better off showing a nominal profit for the first few years, passing that through to the owners, which is then taxed. So when the company needs money from a bank, they are going to receive a better rate. The cost of a loan is generally higher than the cost of taxes — and yes they are both painful — but you can deduct from next year's income the costs of this year's financing, if properly structured.

(David Pizarra is a partner in the Santa Monica law firm of Pizarra & Grist, he welcomes questions, and can be reached at (310) 664-9969 or e-mail to DPISARRA@PISARRA.COM).

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LOCAL

City chamber asking victims to come forward

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other on a daily basis.

But the victims fund isn't just raising money, it's also soliciting resources from area companies to donate their services.

Executive committee members also are handling individual cases. They have been coordinating with agencies and transportation companies to help victims and their families with travel arrangements and funeral plans for the deceased who have not yet been transported to their hometowns.

Executive committee members have arranged those travel plans with funeral homes, the Los Angeles Coroner's Office and various airlines.

"We all take the role of picking up the phone and networking," said Nat Trives, chair of the victims' fund board and the executive committee. "Finding the resources and pooling them together is the critical piece."

There are currently three active cases that are being handled by the executive committee, but more are expected this week. Those cases include a woman whose body will be flown to New Jersey this week. The fund has paid the \$200 coroner's fee and has arranged with an airline to have her body flown to her family, who can't afford the transport. The body of another victim, who lived in Venice, will be flown to Mexico.

A woman who was on vacation in Santa Monica during the accident and was severely injured will be flown to her home in Vermont. (See related story).

Tom Larmore, a local attorney and a member of the executive committee, said the 15-member board will be asked today to approve the \$2,500 plane ticket.

He said not much money has been dispersed yet because the cases are still in the initial phases.

"We are more in the process of working on them right now," he said. "We will try to arrange the services we need so we don't have to pay for them."

Two women who came to Santa Monica to assist their relative who was severely injured didn't have transportation here. But executive committee members were able to coordinate with Yellow Cab to donate \$500 worth of cab fares for the woman.

The victims' fund board is comprised of a cross section of the community, including pastors, rabbis, lawyers, accountants, business owners and bankers.

"We're looking for 100 percent pass through," Trives said. "Anyone who wants to play with us has to do it pro bono."

"I'm just so happy to be involved and that we are smart enough to get it done," he added.

Because the fund and the process has never been established before, committee members are making up the rules as they go. Within a day of the accident, board members immediately sat down and discussed how the process would work. They applied for non-profit status so donations can be tax exempt and then they began raising money.

"We had \$30,000 or \$40,000 out of the gates," Trives said. "The response has been great and I'm not surprised, this is what Santa Monica is all about ... this money is coming from people's hearts."

Victims should first file a police report with the California Highway Patrol, the

lead investigator in the accident, before submitting a claim to the chamber. An application form is required to be filled out that asks about the person's level of injury and his or her financial status.

"It's not just a flat fee they get," Trives said. "In order to be a non profit, we can't just hand out money."

"They have to show us bonified proof and we are going to talk to them about their assets and their insurance," he added.

And while there are only a few active cases currently, Trives thinks the requests for financial help will increase in the coming weeks.

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— **TOM LARMORE**
Victims' fund board member

"I think it is going to start snowballing because when people get back to reality and start getting bills, they'll come to us," he said.

The chamber is still accepting donations, said executive director Kathy Dodson. (See donation information, this page.)

On Monday, a \$5,000 pledge was made by actor Tom Hanks and his wife, Rita Wilson, Dodson said. She added that most of the contributions have come from Santa Monica-based companies and local residents.

Business owners are being asked to donate a portion of their sales to the fund, like Wild Oats, Whole Foods and Bracken Jewelers have done. (See donation information, this page.)

Larmore said the board members don't know who the victims are and are asking that they contact the chamber to get the process started in assisting them. They are asked to call (310) 393-9825, ext. 10, after they have filed a police report.

Victims Fund still growing

By Daily Press staff

The Farmers Market Victims Fund set up by the Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce is accepting donations to financially assist the victims and their families.

To donate, individuals are asked to either log onto the chamber's Web site at www.smchamber.com, or call (310) 393-9825, ext. 10.

If you are a business owner and want to donate a portion of your sales to the fund, contact the Bayside District Corp. at (310) 393-8355.

A support group for victims has been established by survivor Sandra Becall. Anyone who needs counseling or wants to be part of the group should call the trauma specialist at (818) 734-0572.

LOCAL



Dozens of crash victims applying for assistance

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their families.

"We're not only utilizing the funds," said Tisherman, who also is one of the funds' first points of contact with the public. "We're utilizing the community."

Tisherman pointed to Melissa Hope Greenstein, of Vermont, a registered nurse who was visiting her sister July 16 and thought it would be fun to check out the Santa Monica Farmers Market.

For the past three weeks, Greenstein has been treated in three different area hospitals for a broken pelvis, a broken left lumbar and a broken left foot. Her spleen was removed and doctors say she won't walk for three months or longer.

With Greenstein's mother and aunt visiting from out of town, Tisherman said Yellow Cab pitched in and donated vouchers so the family could commute between their hotels and the hospitals. Greenstein was treated in.

And now, on the day of her release from Cedars-Sinai, the fund is buying Greenstein an airplane ticket so she can finally go home.

Dr. Mike Gruning, president of the Chamber of Commerce, is working on another case. He is helping the family of Gloria Gonzalez, a Venice woman who died at the market, recoup the nearly \$4,000 they spent on having her body flown to Mexico.

While the chamber works out arrangements for Breglia, Greenstein and Gonzalez, Tisherman said there are many others out there that have contacted her and are in the process of applying for assistance.

One is Annie Fisher, an elderly woman whose husband is disabled. She needs surgery for a broken ankle and knee caused by the crash. Another is Sandra Becall, of Topanga, whose shoulder was broken when 86-year-old Russell Weller, of Santa Monica, drove through the crowded market, leaving 10 dead and close to 80 injured.

\$1M bail to go before judge

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attorney, said three people will speak at today's bail reduction hearing — Rotunno, Smith's wife, Theresa, and a religious leader from St. Augustine's By-the-Sea, a church on Fourth Street where the Smiths attend.

Los Angeles Deputy District Attorney Jean Daley declined to specify what the evidence is against Smith. She said more information would likely be made public at today's hearing.

Yamamoto also refused to comment on the nature of the evidence but said the \$1 million bail is unusually high. He said the charge calls for bail to be set at \$75,000.

To illustrate his case, Yamamoto pointed to the Friday arrest of 23-year-old Joshua Harville, of Palmdale. Harville is a freelance videographer accused of setting a 5,000-acre blaze in Leona Valley in September of 2002 so that he could sell footage to news stations.

Harville's bail is set at \$250,000.

"You know, there's something fishy going on," Yamamoto said. Asked if there was anything in the charges against Smith that would warrant the higher bail, Yamamoto responded, "No. I can say emphatically, no. The structure may be

worth \$1 million, that's it."

Marilyn Nelson, owner of Simply Sofas, said she had no idea Smith was a suspect in the fire, which caused \$4 million in damage, until shortly before his arrest. Smith had sold personal items, such as swords and marble obelisks, on consignment in her store after moving out of a large house in Playa del Rey.

Nelson said the relationship between her and Smith deteriorated over a money dispute. She said Smith demanded a second check from her for items that were sold at the consignment store. He then tried to cash both the new check and the one that he claimed to have lost, Nelson said.

After Nelson canceled payment on the second check, she said she never heard from Smith again. Less than two weeks later, Simply Sofas burned down.

Rotunno said it doesn't make sense that Smith would set a fire over a \$500 or \$600 dispute. He said Smith, an African-American with an athletic build, is being misjudged based on his appearance.

"That's how much four or five of us would spend on a dinner out at Michael's or Chinois," said Rotunno, who also is the godfather of Smith's oldest daughter. "It's a non-issue."

Stories of Iraqis told by local

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"I just returned home from my second trip to Iraq, where I found some of the children and women who touched me so deeply during my first visit in February," she said. "I also saw firsthand the impact of the bombings and invasion on innocent people's lives, homes and hearts. The trip revealed much devastation and much inspiration."

Since February, Hayes-Raitt has spoke in front of more than 60 audiences, addressing religious congregations, state women's conferences, school classes, community clubs, large peace rallies and small neighborhood meetings. She has photos and stories that

attempt to humanize the war.

"Kelly's photos and first hand accounts reach the audience on the heart and soul level and give a personal face to the reality of the Iraq war," said Linda Piera-Avila, a member of the Westside Greens. "Her presentation is a refreshing, yet sobering, alternative to CNN's edition."

The event is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Admittance is by donation and light refreshments will be served. Parking is on Pico Boulevard or behind the office, which also can be accessed from the Big Blue Bus #7 Pico Line.

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A weekly look at events and programs

Siblings need extra attention during pregnancy

Guest Commentary

By Lynn Sullivan

Expectant moms and dads aren't the only ones who must make adjustments for a new arrival. Brothers- and sisters-to-be also will face changes when a baby is added to the family.

No matter how careful you are with your current children, they can feel neglected or displaced when a new baby comes home from the hospital. Suddenly, they are no longer the focal point of your attention and believe they need to compete with their brother or sister.

To keep siblings involved and excited about their growing family, try the following age-based strategies that have proved effective over time:

Toddlers:

1) Speak to them in very simple terms. Once your tummy begins showing, talk about the "baby growing inside mommy."

2) Read age-appropriate stories to them. There

are many excellent books for siblings.

3) Give them dolls to practice baby care and let them participate in simple chores and tasks while you are caring for the baby.

4) Make child-care arrangements well in advance of your due date and let your toddlers know where they will be staying while you are in the hospital.

5) Visit the hospital with your toddlers to show them where "mommy and your brother or sister will be staying."

6) Refer to the new baby as "our baby," so they will feel included in the process.

7) Show them pictures or videos of themselves as infants so they can better grasp the concept.

8) Encourage visitors to ask about them, not just the baby.

Preschoolers:

1) Use simple but realistic terms to explain about the "baby growing inside mommy." Avoid references to the "stork" or "cabbage patch."

2) If an older child is getting his or her own room, call the move a "graduation" or "big brother/sister move" and celebrate accordingly. If they will be sharing a room, be sure the older child has his or her own space.

3) Involve preschoolers in discussions about the baby's name and other plans for the birth.

4) Let them make phone calls to announce their brother or sister's arrival.

5) Get celebratory lollipops for them to pass around. A printed T-shirt that reads, "I'm a big brother," is also a nice way to share the announcement.

Adolescents/teens:

1) Use the opportunity to talk about human sexuality, reproduction and the importance of family life.

2) Include them in baby care and infant CPR classes so they gain hands-on training.

3) Reassure them that they are loved and important family members too.

The BirthPlace at Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center offers a sibling preparation class designed for brothers- and sisters-to-be, ages 3 to 10. For more information about the class or a list of books for siblings, call (310) 319-4947.

(Lynn Sullivan, a mother and former maternity nurse, is community program manager for The BirthPlace at Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center.)

A listing of some summer recreational programs offered for children

The City of Santa Monica offers children of all ages a variety of recreational activities including Aikido, dance, gymnastics, art and in-line skating. Programs meet once a week beginning the week of July 14 - 19 and ending the first week of September. For information call Joslyn Park at 310-458-2239 or pick up a brochure at your local library.

ROSIE'S GIRLS - for girls ages 11-13. Two 3-week sessions: Session 1 - June 30 - July 18, Session 2 - July 28 - August 15. Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

An award winning program where participants build self-esteem, physical confidence, interpersonal cooperation and leadership abilities through learning and applying basic skills in carpentry and other trades. Sessions include self-defense, welding and firefighting. Field trips include ropes courses, rock climbing and swimming.

Rosie's Girls will be based at Miles Playhouse at Reed Park and the City Yards. Call 310-458-8540 for more info. The fee is \$325 per week for three weeks plus a \$75 materials fee.

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SKYHAWKS SPORTS ACADEMY - A one-week day camp for boys and girls ages 4-14 tailored specifically for baseball or basketball. Call 310-458-2239 for more info.

Week 1 - Basketball, July 21-25, 9:00a.m. - 3:00 p.m., Marine Park.

ages 7-14. Fees are \$123 per week for residents, \$128 for non-residents. Week 2 - Baseball, August 4-8, 9:00 a.m. - noon, Steward Park, ages 5-8. Fees are \$105 per week for residents, \$110 for non-residents.

MINI HAWKS - Sports Camp for boys and girls ages 4-7. Half-day program introducing children to soccer, baseball and basketball. Call 310-45-2239 for more info.

Week 1 - July 21-25, 9:00a.m. - noon, Marine Park.
Week 2 - August 11-15, 9:00a.m. - noon, Marine Park.
Fees are \$105 per week for residents, \$110 for non-residents.

BEACH KIDS BODYBOARDING CAMP - for boys and girls ages 5 - 7 who want to learn to ride the waves in a fun and supervised environment. BZ Bodyboards and wetsuits provided. Call 310-458-2239 for more info.

Eleven one-week sessions beginning June 16. Half-day or full-day sessions available.

Fees: Half-day resident - \$135 per week, non-resident - \$140
Full-day resident - \$235 per week, non-resident - \$240

SURF ACADEMY - for boys and girls ages 7 - 17. Soft surfboards and Body Glove wetsuits are provided. June 16 - August 29, half-day and full-day sessions available.

Call 310-458-2239 for more info, including details on the Wahine Surf Camp for girls only and the Kanaka Surf Camp just for boys.
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TUESDAY, AUGUST 19th

WIC (Women Infant and Children) is holding a "Breastfeeding Walk" in Santa Monica. Meet at 10:00 am outside the Yvonne Burke Center at 2509 Pico Blvd and walk to Virginia Park on Pico (about .2 miles one way). Mothers, babies, families and supporters welcome. Moms can breastfeed at the park and meet other moms! For additional information email michelleb@phfawic.org or leave a message at 626-856-6650 and someone will call you back.

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TUESDAY

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Fairview Branch - 2101 Ocean Park Blvd - 310-450-0443
 Twilight Story Time - 7pm - an ongoing program for 3-5 year olds.
Montana Avenue Branch - 1704 Montana Ave - 310-829-7081
NEW - Summer Activity Program - Tuesdays thru August 5, 2:30 p.m. - ages 3 and up.
Ocean Park Branch - 2601 Main St. - 310-392-3804
NEW - Summer Activity Program - Tuesdays thru August 5, 2:30 p.m. & 3:30 p.m. Ages 3 to 7.
Toddler Storytime - July 22- August 26 at 10:00 and 10:30 a.m. For 24 - 36 months with parents. Registration is underway.

Yoga

Yoga Baby (Venice) - 310-306-9381, Prenatal yoga - 7:00-8:15pm, \$13, Mommy and Me(ages 0-5) - 10-11am, \$9

Breastfeeding Group The Pump Station, 310-826-5774, no pre-reg required, \$10 per class, first class free. Moms/babies 4-8 months, 1:00 - 2:30pm

WEDNESDAY

Storytelling Fairview Branch - 2101 Ocean Park Blvd - 310-450-0443, Preschool Story Time - 10:30am - June 25 - July 30, 3-5 year olds able to be on their own
Ocean Park Branch - 2601 Main St. - 310-392-3804
 Twilight Story Time - 7:00 to 7:30pm - for parents with 3-5 year olds.
Montana Avenue Branch - 1704 Montana Avenue - 310-829-7081
 Lap Time - 10:00 and 10:30 a.m. - July 23 - Aug. 27, for 0-24 month olds.
 Toddler Story Time - 11:15 a.m. - July 23 - Aug. 27, for two year olds with parents
Barnes and Noble, Westside Pavilion - 2 pm - ages 2-5 - 310-475-4144
 Border's, Westwood - 11am - 310-475-3444.

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Breastfeeding Group The Pump Station, 310-826-5774, no pre-reg required, \$10 per class, first class free. Moms/babies 0-4months, 1:00 - 2:30pm

Other

Puppetolio - 1:00pm, 310-656-0483, 1255 2nd St., ages 3 & up, reservations suggested
National Nurse-Out - 5:30 - 7:00 p.m., South Pasadena. See Special Events section at the top for details.

THURSDAY

Storytelling Main Library - Preschool Story Time - 10:30am - Reed Park. Stories for ages 3-5. 310-458-8922 for info.
Fairview Branch - 2101 Ocean Park Blvd - 310-450-0443
Montana Avenue Branch - 1704 Montana Ave - 310-829-7081
 Toddler Story Time - 10:15 a.m. - July 24 - Aug. 28

Yoga

Yoga Baby (Venice) - 310-306-9381, Prenatal yoga - 7:00-8:15pm, \$13, Mommy and Me(ages 0-5) - 10-11am, \$9

Breastfeeding Group The Pump Station, 310-826-5774, no pre-reg required, \$10 per class, first class free. Moms/babies 4-8 months, 1:00-2:30pm

Other

Nature Walk (Children's Nature Institute) - August 7
 Sullivan Canyon (West LA) -10am
 Reservations required - 310-998-1151 or www.childrensnatureinstitute.org

FRIDAY

"Cinderella" - (thru Sept. 14) 6 p.m., Santa Monica Playhouse, 1211 4th St., Admission: Adults \$12, kids 12 and under \$10
 Call 310-394-9779 for info.
Magiopolis - 8 p.m., 1418 4th St., Admission is \$20
 Call 310-451-2241 for info.

Yoga

Yoga Baby (Venice) - 310-306-9381, Prenatal yoga - 11:15am - 12:30pm, \$13, Mommy and Me (ages 0-5) - 10-11am, Mommy and me(infants) 1-2pm, \$9
Yoga Works, 2215 Montana Ave, 310-393-5150, Pre/Postnatal - 12:15 - 1:45pm, \$15

SATURDAY

Storytelling Barnes and Noble, 3rd St. Promenade - Kid's Story Time - 10am - 310-260-9110
 Barnes and Noble, Westside Pavilion - 10:30am - ages 2-5 - 310-475-4144
Children's Book World, 10580 W. Pico Blvd, LA, 310-559-B00K, 10:30 am, ages 3-8

Yoga

Yoga Baby (Venice) - 310-306-9381, Prenatal yoga - 7:00-8:15pm, \$13, Mommy and Me(ages 0-5) - 10-11am, \$9

Other

Puppetolio - 1:00 and 3:00pm, 310-656-0483, 1255 2nd St., ages 3 & up, reservations suggested
"Cinderella" - (thru Sept. 14) 6 p.m., Santa Monica Playhouse, 1211 4th St., Admission: Adults \$12, kids 12 and under \$10
 Call 310-394-9779 for info.
"Mary, Mary Quite Contrary" - 12:30 and 3 p.m., Santa Monica Playhouse, 1211 4th St. Admission: \$10, under 12 years \$9. Call 310-394-9779 for info.
Magiopolis - 2 and 8 p.m., 1418 4th St., Admission is \$20 for evening, \$15 for matinee. Call 310-451-2241 for info.

SUNDAY

Puppetolio - 1:00 and 3:00pm, 310-656-0483, 1255 2nd St., ages 3 & up, reservations suggested
"Cinderella" - (thru Sept. 14) 6 p.m., Santa Monica Playhouse, 1211 4th St., Admission: Adults \$12, kids 12 and under \$10. Call 310-394-9779 for info.
"Mary, Mary Quite Contrary" - 12:30 and 3 p.m., Santa Monica Playhouse, 1211 4th St. Admission: \$10, under 12 years \$9. Call 310-394-9779 for info.
Magiopolis - 2 p.m., 1418 4th St., Admission is \$15. Call 310-451-2241 for info.

Other

Nature Walk (Children's Nature Institute) - August 7
 Solstice Canyon (Malibu) -10am
 Reservations required - 310-998-1151 or www.childrensnatureinstitute.org

MONDAY

Storytelling Main Library (programs for the Main Library are being presented in off-site locations during renovation)
 Lap Time for parents and children up to 24 months, 9:30am, Jostyn Park - 310-452-6132.
Barnes and Noble - 3rd St. Promenade - Toddler Story Time - 10am - 310-260-9110

Breastfeeding Group The Pump Station, 310-826-5774, no pre-reg required, \$10 per class, first class free. Moms/babies 8-12 months, 10am - 11:30pm
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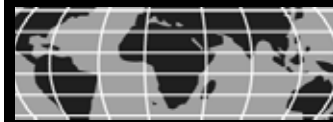
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WORLD BRIEFLY

Rain helps control wildfire

By The Associated Press

POLEBRIDGE, Mont. — Cooler weather and light rain helped firefighters as they tried to rein in a wildfire that jumped a main defense line in extreme northwestern Montana and burned toward Canada, barely five miles away.

The 25,000-acre fire broke loose Saturday night, throwing embers across a road and burning another 500 acres in about an hour, Incident Commander Wally Bennett said.

The changing weather on Sunday "really shut the fire down and made our job a lot easier," Bennett said. One sign of progress: tourists were about to be welcomed back to the west side of Glacier National Park.

Some of the roughly 1,200 firefighters deployed were protecting residences scattered throughout the remote, heavily forested area. The fire already has burned 36 buildings, including seven homes.

Officials asked residents days ago to evacuate the area all the way to the Canadian border. Canadian firefighters also cleared a defense line — a wide swath of vegetation — just across the border several days ago.

The west side of Glacier National Park was set to reopen Monday after being closed more than a week because of the fire.

Ashcroft warns of potential attack

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Attorney General John Ashcroft is warning of a "very real potential" for another al-Qaida attack on America.

"Al-Qaida wants to strike us," Ashcroft said on "Fox News Sunday." They want to "strike us whenever and wherever they can."

Ashcroft appeared on several of the Sunday television talk shows, and spoke hours after the release of a new tape said to be from Osama bin Laden's top deputy, Ayman al-Zawahiri.

While not saying the tape was authentic, Ashcroft told ABC's "This Week" that it "signals to us that the war is still under way, that al-Qaida still has the same intentions toward the United States that it did when it unleashed its savage attack" on Sept. 11, 2001.

The recording threatens that the United States "will pay dearly" if it harms detainees at Guantanamo Bay in Cuba.

"The potential for us to be hit again is a very real potential," said Ashcroft. At the same time, he said the administration has taken steps to minimize the threat.

Gunmen attack Israeli family

By The Associated Press

JERUSALEM — Palestinian gunmen ambushed an Israeli car near Jerusalem, seriously wounding a mother and child, hours after Israel dismissed a Palestinian proposal to call a permanent cease-fire instead of disarming militant groups.

The attack happened late Sunday near an Israeli roadblock between Jerusalem and the West Bank town of Bethlehem. The military said the mother and a 9-year-old daughter were rushed to a hospital, while two other children were treated at the scene for cuts from broken glass.

In a phone call to The Associated Press, the Al Aqsa Martyrs' Brigades, affiliated with Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat's Fatah movement, claimed responsibility for the shooting.

The attack came just hours after Israel rejected a proposal by Palestinian Foreign Minister Nabil Shaath for a permanent cease-fire. The deal would have halted attacks against Israelis, and not required the Palestinian leadership to crack down on militant groups as mandated by a U.S.-backed "road map" peace plan.

Governor blamed for senator walkout

By The Associated Press

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — From their exile in New Mexico, Democratic state senators who fled Texas over GOP redistricting plans lashed out at their governor

and blamed his leadership for their walkout.

Sen. Leticia Van de Putte, chairwoman of the Senate Democratic Caucus, said Sunday that Texas Gov. Rick Perry is dividing Texans, unlike his predecessor, George W. Bush.

Democrats outnumber Republicans 17-15 in the Texas congressional delegation but Republicans, led by U.S. House Majority Leader Tom DeLay, are pushing for a new map that likely would give the GOP the majority.

"The difference was Bush was the great uniter. Perry and DeLay are the great dividers," Van de Putte said on the sixth day of a boycott of the Texas Senate by 11 Democratic state senators.

Attempts to approve a redistricting bill failed during the regular legislative session and the first special session. Perry last week called lawmakers back for a second special session to try again.

The Democrats, however, fled to Albuquerque before he called the session. Their absence has blocked a quorum.

North Korea says talks will begin 'soon'

By The Associated Press

SEOUL, South Korea — North Korea said Monday that U.S.-proposed six-nation talks on the communist state's suspected development of nuclear weapons will begin "soon" in Beijing, while a South Korean official said they would begin early next month.

North Korea and the United States announced last Friday that they had agreed to hold multilateral talks on North Korea's nuclear programs. The proposed talks will include the two Koreas, the United States, Japan, China and Russia.

"The six-way talks to resolve the nuclear problem between North Korea and the United States will take place soon in Beijing thanks to the North's active and peace-loving efforts," Pyongyang's Foreign Ministry said in a statement.

The statement was carried by the North's official news agency, KCNA, and was monitored by South Korean news agency Yonhap.

In Seoul, Shin Eon-sang, assistant minister for unification policy at Seoul's Unification Ministry, said that although no final decisions were made on the date and venue for the talks, "the first round of talks are expected to be held in Beijing in early September."

West African troops deploy for Liberia rescue mission

BY ALEXANDRA ZAVIS

Associated Press Writer

MONROVIA, Liberia — West Africa's first troops landed Monday on an international rescue mission for Liberia, greeted by overjoyed civilians who spilled onto the airfield by the hundreds, screaming, "We want peace!"

Nigerian soldiers in green camouflage and flak vests leapt from of white U.N. helicopters onto the tarmac at Liberia's main airport, outside the country's besieged capital.

Machine guns at the ready, they crouched, taking up defensive positions on the landing strip.

West African leaders promise an eventual 3,250-strong deployment charged with helping end 14 years of conflict in the war-ravaged country — and overseeing the departure of warlord turned-president Charles Taylor.

As an armored personnel carrier with mounted machine guns rolled off one later flights, excited crowds evaded security and ran at the crew. "No more war. We want peace," they chanted.

Outside the terminal, two women danced in the rain, celebrating the arrival of the desperately hoped-for peace troops.

Col. Theophilus Tawiah of Ghana, the new force's chief of staff, said he knew how much Monrovia's trapped people had been waiting for the day. "And we hope to live up to their expectations," Tawiah said.

Authorities said 192 men and 33,000 pounds of equipment would deploy Monday. The West African deployment is to be followed within months by a U.N. peacekeeping force.

"We are ready. I can assure you of that," said Capt. Aliyu Jibril, commander of the first units to arrive. Jibril said the troops had a mandate that allows them to fire to protect themselves and civilians.

On Sunday, two of three U.S. warships full of Marines arrived off the country's Atlantic Ocean coast, ready if ordered to deploy to support the peacekeepers, although their exact role remained unclear.

"We will have to see," if the Marines come ashore, said American Ambassador John Blaney, who was among the U.S., Liberian and Nigerian officials greeting the troops.

The United States, which oversaw Liberia's 19th-century founding by freed American slaves, has been under international pressure to intervene in the conflict.

In Monrovia, residents near the city's embattled port heard cheers and watched flares go up over the war-ravaged city — rebels, celebrating the arrival of the West African troops.

"I want to see them with my own eyes. And when I do, even though I have no food, my belly will be big, and I will be happy," said Bangalu Wonwondor, a 62-year-old refugee.

Allan Doss, U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan's representative in Sierra

Leone, saw off the first troops from neighboring Sierra Leone earlier Monday.

"I wish you God speed and well in this historic mission to Liberia," Doss said. "The people of Liberia have suffered a lot, for too long. They need your help."

In all, 675 Nigerian soldiers and 18 of their officers assembled on the airfield to take part in the first deployment.

West African leaders have promised the force to quell fighting in Liberia, where two months of rebel sieges on the capital have killed more than 1,000 civilians outright and left the refugee-crowded city of more than 1.3 million wracked by disease and desperately short of food and water.

The Nigerians, the first arrivals, are leaving a U.N. mission in Sierra Leone, where large-scale military intervention by Britain, neighboring Guinea and the United Nations helped end a vicious 10-year civil war.

A U.N. fixed-wing aircraft, borrowed from a U.N. peace mission in Congo, was flying to Sierra Leone to speed up the Liberian deployment, force organizers said.

Crews in Sierra Leone loaded armored-personnel carriers and other gear onto aircraft at two airports there.

The leader of the peacekeeping force for Liberia on Sunday sought to temper high expectations among the country's suffering people, saying the first troops would only secure the airport on the capital's outskirts.

"We are going in with as much troops

as possible," Nigerian Brig. Gen. Festus Okonkwo, the force's commander, told reporters late Sunday. "We know that the situation is bad in and around Monrovia."

The airport is about a 45-minute drive on a government-held road from the capital, where fighting has raged daily between Taylor's fighters and rebels battling to overthrow him.

On the road to the airport, aid workers on Monday were preparing mass graves, readying them for the bodies of 70-80 people killed in fighting but left unclaimed at the morgue at Monrovia's main hospital.

In Rome, the leader of the insurgent group behind the siege promised to cooperate with peacekeepers and renewed pledges to hand them control of the embattled port.

"We are going to work with them," said Sekou Conneh, in Rome for talks with an international mediating community. "They should be able to provide security for civilians, then we can withdraw."

Okonkwo said he asked both sides to return to the positions they held when they signed a June 17 cease-fire, broken repeatedly since then. He said he didn't expect peacekeepers to be attacked.

Debt-strapped Nigeria, which is overseeing the deployment, says it needs far more international backing for the mission, expected eventually to cost at least \$2 million daily.

SPORTS



Wayne Ferreria takes Benz Cup from Lleyton Hewitt

BY TOM A. MCFERSON

Special to the Daily Press

Wayne Ferreira saved three match points on his way to a thrilling 6-3, 4-6, 7-5 win over top seeded Lleyton Hewitt this past weekend at the Mercedes Benz Cup at UCLA.

Serving at 4-5 in the third set and down 15-40, the seventh-seeded Ferreira came up with an ace and a booming forehand winner to erase two of the three match points. He needed another big forehand to save the last one before eventually tying the match at 5-5.

Rejuvenated after his close call, Ferreira broke Hewitt the next game and then managed to serve out the match. It was Ferreira's first tournament championship since 2000 and somewhat of a surprise to him.

Still recovering from a devastating groin injury suffered at the French Open in May, Ferreira was unsure if he would even make it to Los Angeles this week.

"I came in with no expectations and felt terrible Monday and Tuesday," Ferreira said about his health and his tennis game.

It was that perspective which helped Ferreira when facing the three match points.

"I told myself that I've done well, I've played well and I've certainly enjoyed

myself this week," he said. "My form has been great and I'm playing great tennis."

Hewitt, disappointed with the loss after coming so close, will take this week as the first step towards turning around a frustrating year. After poor results at the last three grand slams, including a stunning first round loss at last month's Wimbledon, Hewitt is anxious to build momentum for the upcoming U.S. Open.

Ferreira, currently ranked 22, a number which will improve once the rankings are adjusted this week, also is eying the fourth grand slam and is aware that his body may be the only thing preventing him from an extremely successful U.S. Open.

"If I keep playing like this, I have a great chance of doing well, so I don't want to jeopardize that. I'm going to be taking it very carefully over the next couple of weeks on my body, to make sure I'm OK for the open."

This was Ferreira's 15th title of his career and his first Mercedes Benz Cup title. But there's no time for celebration. After a very brief stop over in the Bay area Sunday night, Ferreira said he would be taking the red-eye to Montreal for next week's Masters Series Event. His first round match is tentatively scheduled for Today.

Ferreira received \$52,000 for winning the title. Hewitt received \$30,600 for reaching the final.

SPORTS IN BRIEF

By The Associated Press

GOLF

■ **LYTHAM ST. ANNES, England** — Annika Sorenstam completed a career Grand Slam at the Women's British Open, beating Se Ri Pak on Sunday by a stroke in a thrilling head-to-head showdown.

It's the second major title of 2003 for the Swede, who in May became the first woman in 58 years to play on the PGA Tour.

By closing her 2-under 70 with a par at the 18th, Sorenstam finished the tournament at 10-under 278 to end a bit of a jinx: She was the British Open runner-up in 1994, 1995 and 1999.

It was an impressive comeback, too. Sorenstam was four shots off the lead and tied for ninth place after two rounds.

Pak, the 2001 champion, helped Sorenstam with a bogey on the final hole after hitting her tee shot into a bunker. That left the South Korean with a final-round 72 and put her at 9 under overall.

■ **GRAND BLANC, Mich.** — Jim Furyk shot a 4-under-par 68 Sunday to win the Buick Open at 21 under, beating Tiger Woods by two strokes and preventing the world's No. 1 ranked player from repeating at Warwick Hills.

Furyk's last four PGA Tour victories have come at tournaments in which Woods was the defending champion. Furyk also wrested titles away from Woods at this year's U.S. Open, last year's Memorial and in the Mercedes Championship in 2001.

He's won twice in a year for the first time in his career, and will be looking for his first winning streak in two weeks at the PGA Championship. Furyk has been in the top 10 in 13 of 19 tournaments this year, already tying a career-best mark, with two victories plus a second- and a third-place finish.

Woods carded a 66 in the final round to finish at 19 under, tying for second place with Chris DiMarco, Geoff Ogilvy and Briny Baird. Woods had a chance to become the first repeat champion at the Buick Open since 1965.

AUTO RACING

■ **INDIANAPOLIS** — Kevin Harvick's victory celebration Sunday was more eventful than his win in the Brickyard 400.

First, Harvick tore up his right rear tire and blew off the fender while spinning doughnuts on the yard of bricks that marks the finish line at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway. Then, he and team owner Richard Childress knelt to kiss the bricks.

And, finally, Harvick and the crew of his No. 29 Chevrolet followed a new tradition at the speedway — started by open-wheel racer Helio Castroneves in the Indianapolis 500 — by climbing the fence.

Harvick had no trouble holding off Winston Cup points leader Matt Kenseth, rookie Jamie McMurray and teammate Robby Gordon on a 10-lap shootout to end the race.



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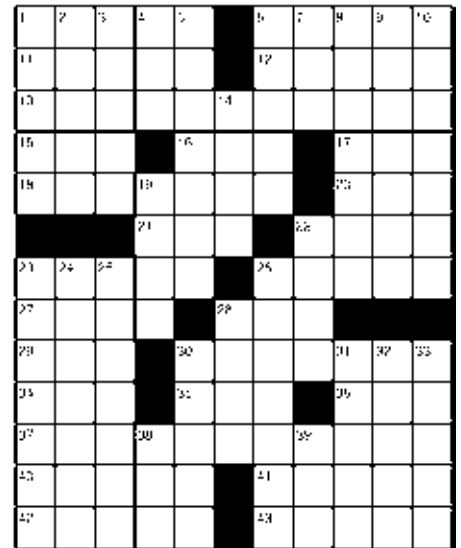
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EVENTS

Drive-in Theater on the Pier

Come enjoy classic movies, like tonight's "Raiders of the Lost Ark" presented at the Santa Monica Pier every Tuesday during the month of August. Santa Monica Pier Parking Lot 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. For more information call (310) 458-8900.

Activities and Crafts for Kids

Kids age three and up can enjoy stories, activities and crafts as part of this summer program. Montana Branch (310) 829-7081 1704 Montana Ave. Santa Monica, CA. 90401 2:30 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.

Puppet Show With Lester

Youngsters age 3-7 can enjoy a puppet show with their best friend, Lester. Tickets will be given out at noon. Two sessions Ocean Park Branch (310) 392-3804 2601 Main St. Santa Monica CA. 90401 3:30p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

National Night Out

Come participate in this Anti-Crime celebration. The event will include tours, demonstrations, food, and music. New Public Safety Facility, East of City Hall on Fourth Street. 5:30p.m.

CULTURE

Write Away

Come and participate as writers share their work and write new pieces. Fairview Library Branch (310) 450-0443 2601 Ocean Park Bl. 12:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Santa Monica Museum of Art

Located at the Historical Bergamot Station this museum offers a variety of exhibits. Currently on display is Rosamond Purcell's "Two Rooms". This collection of photographs and installations focuses on the beauty of the most common objects "Two Rooms" is Purcell's first major installation of her work in the United States. The collection showcases both historical and contemporary pieces, including a recreation of the artist's own studio. Station G12525 Michigan Ave Santa Monica, CA 310.586.6488 or 310.586.6487 fax

ENTERTAINMENT

Temple Bar

Here visitors can enjoy concoctions like White Chocolate Martinis, a Gingitini or a Razzmatazz. Those who are really hungry can enjoy a Chicken Tamale Plate with Fried Plantains. Temple Bar even offers vegetarian options like veggie eggrolls and burgers. But no good bar would be complete without live music. Tonight Noella Hutton at 8:30p.m. George Sarah and the String Trio 9:45p.m. followed by Elephonic at 11. Admission is \$5. 1026 Wilshire blvd. Santa Monica (310) 393-6611

Club Sugar

A fun place for those who enjoy the night life. Tonight is "Two Dollar Tuesday" which means that moontribe djs and their guests will spin breaks, techno & trance for crowds of party-goers. You can go dancing or just enjoy drinks at the bar. All persons must be 21 and over. 9:30pm - 2am Admission is \$2 814 Broadway (@ Lincoln) Santa Monica, CA 90401 310.899.1989

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1332 2nd Street
Whale Rider PG-13 — 12:15, 2:45, 5:15, 7:45, 10:15,
Lucia Lucia — 12:00, 2:35, 5:10, 7:45, 10:20,
I Captured the Castle — 1:50, 4:25, 7:00, 9:40
Mildred Pierce — Sat&Sun only 11:00 a.m.

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1314 Wilshire Blvd
Northfork PG-13 — 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30
Swimming Pool R — 1:45, 4:15, 7:30, 10:00

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1441 Third Street Promenade
28 Days Later R — 11:15, 1:55, 4:35, 7:20, 10:00
Terminator 3 R — 11:45, 2:20, 5:00, 7:35, 10:15
Seabiscuit PG-13 — 11:30, 3:00, 6:15, 9:30, also 12:30,
4:00, 7:10, 10:25

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1310 Third Street Promenade
Bad Boys II R 11:20, 12:15, 2:55, 3:45, 6:45, 7:20, 10:10,
10:45
How to Deal PG-13 — 1:50, 2:15, 4:45, 7:40, 10:20
Finding Nemo G — 11:40, 2:00, 4:35, 7:10, 9:40
Lara Croft Tomb Raider: The Cradle of Life PG-13 —
11:30, 12:50, 2:20, 4:00, 5:15, 7:00, 8:10, 10:00, 11:00
Spy Kids 3D: Game Over PG — 11:00, 1:10, 3:25, 5:40,
8:00, 10:05

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1313 Third Street Promenade
Buffalo Soldiers R — 10:30, 1:15, 4:10, 7:05, 9:30
Legally Blonde 2: Red, White & Blue PG-13 — 11:35,
2:15, 5:00, 7:45, 10:30
Charlie's Angels: Full Throttle PG-13 — 11:30, 4:20, 9:15
Johnny English PG — 11:15, 1:45, 4:30, 7:10, 9:40,
The League of Extraordinary Gentlemen PG-13 —
11:35, 2:15, 5:00, 7:45, 10:30,
Pirates of the Caribbean PG-13 — 11:45, 12:20, 3:15,
3:45, 6:45, 7:15, 10:05, 10:35

If you know of an upcoming event which may be included in the calendar please send the information to calendar@smdp.com or fax it to (310) 576 9913



PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Eminem asks judge to dismiss suit filed by schoolmate

By The Associated Press

■ **DETROIT** — Eminem wants a Macomb County judge to dismiss a \$1 million lawsuit that a former schoolmate filed against him.

The Grammy-winning rapper, born Marshall Mathers III, is scheduled to appear Aug. 18 in Macomb County Circuit Court to ask Judge Deborah Servitto to dismiss the case, The Detroit News reported Monday.

DeAngelo Bailey of Roseville sued Eminem in 2001. He claimed the 30-year-old rapper's song "Brain Damage," which named Bailey as a bully, damaged his reputation and his own ability to launch a music career.

Eminem's lawyer, Peter Peacock, filed a motion for dismissal last week, claiming Bailey is trying to cash in on his client's fame. Peacock also said the song is true because Bailey beat up Eminem when they were in the fourth and sixth grades at Roseville's Dort Elementary School.

Eminem's mother sued the Roseville school district in 1982, claiming school-day beatings left her son with headaches, nausea and a tendency toward anti-social behavior. The lawsuit was dismissed.

■ **NORTH LITTLE ROCK, Ark.** — The backlash the Dixie Chicks received earlier this year for comments about President Bush seemed like ancient history during a weekend concert.

The Alltel Arena packed in its biggest audience ever — 17,065 people — for a concert Saturday night by the Texas trio, arena marketing director Betty Baxter said.

Security was strict for the show, with fans subjected to pat-down searches and bag checks.

The country stars endured criticism after singer Natalie Maines made a remark about President Bush at a London concert shortly before the Iraq war. Maines said she was ashamed that the President is from her home state of Texas.

Many country stations, including some in Arkansas, refused to play the band's music and chastised Maines

for criticizing the President while on foreign soil.

But the enthusiastic Arkansas crowd cheered wildly through the 110-minute set, which included the hits "Travelin' Soldier," "Long Time Gone" and a cover of Fleetwood Mac's "Landslide."

■ **SAN FRANCISCO** — Naomi Watts is making up for lost time — and on her terms.

The 33-year-old Australian actress has made nine movies in the past two years and has four films in the can, including "21 Grams" opposite Sean Penn and Benicio Del Toro, David O. Russell's "I Heart Huckabee's" and "The Assassination of Richard Nixon."

Her latest, "Le Divorce" with Kate Hudson, opens Friday in New York and Los Angeles and goes wider later.

The pace is a far cry from when she struggled in her 20s making small films of varying quality while Nicole Kidman, her best friend, ascended the ranks. Then came "Mulholland Drive" and last year's hit thriller "The Ring."

"I think I have better taste now than I did then," Watts told the San Francisco Chronicle for Sunday's issues. "I've done movies almost back to back for the past year and a half, and I'm not getting talked into anything for anyone — it has to be my decision."

"That's one of the lucky things about getting the success later on. I know how I want to dress, I know what kind of house I want to live in, I just know more about myself, and that's true about the roles I want to play and what parts of myself I want to express. You're just more in touch with yourself."

■ **GRAND BLANC, Mich.** — John Yates has two gifts from Tiger Woods: a golf glove autographed by the golfing giant and three stitches courtesy of an errant shot.

Woods' approach at No. 7 during the final round of the Buick Open on Sunday sailed to the right and bounced off Yates' head, cutting him, before landing in the greenside bunker.

The spectator was on his back, his head bleeding,

when Woods came over to apologize. "I'm so sorry," he said, leaning down to shake Yates' hand. "Hang in there."

Woods asked whether help was on the way, and tournament marshals assured him it was.

The golfer, who wound up making birdie, returned to give Yates the glove and a ball.

Reached later by telephone at his home in Grand Blanc, Yates said he didn't need medical assistance beyond the stitches. In fact, he was in a joking mood.

"I helped him out because my head knocked it back toward the hole," the 52-year-old said. "He birdied the hole, I guess. I didn't see it. It's my most memorable moment in golf."

■ **BOSTON** — America might be at war, but Joaquin Phoenix doesn't think his latest movie, "Buffalo Soldiers," has anything to do with the conflict in Iraq.

The film was made long before the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks; Miramax actually acquired it at the Toronto Film Festival on Sept. 10, 2001.

"When I first read this script, I wasn't thinking this is a critique of the U.S. military. I don't really think the movie is critical of anything," Phoenix told the Boston Globe for Sunday's editions.

"Buffalo Soldiers" stars Phoenix as Ray Elwood, a battalion supply clerk stationed in Germany at the close of the Cold War. He runs every racket at the base, from black-marketing Mop & Glo to cooking dope.

The movie, by director and writer Gregor Jordan and adapted from the 1992 Robert O'Connor novel, opened last month in New York and Los Angeles and expands to more theaters Friday.

"It's more of a statement film and kind of a cynical statement at that," the 28-year-old actor said. "It explores the idea that war is inherent in man, and there's a seeming desire for conflict. It could be applied to any situation and any military."

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