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West LA roller derby league celebrates diversity



Angel Carreras

ANGEL CITY DERBY: The roller derby league takes pride in it's diversity.

ANGEL CARRERAS
Daily Press Staff Writer

What image projects behind your eyelids when you hear the words "roller derby"? Is it a highlight reel of the film 'Whip It' with waifish women on skates, theatricality performing with sharply thrown elbows and banter? If so, Angel City Derby wants to alter your perspective. Not only is the league not a bombastic ballet of violence (it's like any other sport, with some bumps and bruises occuring), it's one of the most inclusive, featuring skaters from all walks of life.

Angel City, a Culver City-based Women's Flat Track Roller Derby League, is an all-hands on deck, grassroots non-profit that's owned and operated by local skaters. The league has recently taken to celebrating its players' diversity, highlighting their identities via social media campaigns and community events.

The league currently has identities ranging from non-binary, transgender, queer, straight and many more in its ranks.

Santa Monica resident Lisa Kapasi joined the league after moving from Sacramento, seeking a new life near the beach. Kapasi was also looking for a new league to play in, having participated in leagues in Sacramento and Salem, Oregon.

What she found was a championship-caliber league that carries many accolades as well as people from different walks of life compared to previous cities she played in.

"It's an incredibly diverse league," Kapasi said. "Coming from Sacramento — which is only slightly diverse — I've learned about nuances to people and issues I hadn't understood. I feel lucky to be a part of that."

Carmen Boatwright, a skater that also does marketing for the league, says Angel City is a

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De la Torre to take the stand in Voting Rights trial

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Daily Press Staff Writer

Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District Board member Oscar de la Torre will take the stand this week in the voting rights trial challenging Santa Monica's election system. Lawyers for the City of Santa Monica plan to accuse de la Torre of throwing his 2016 campaign for City Council to win the case and force the city to move to district-based elections, according to court documents filed by Gibson, Dunn and Crutcher, LLP, the law firm representing the City.

In an email to the Daily Press, City of Santa Monica Chief Communications Officer Debbie Lee said, "The City has had a long and engaging relationship with at-large school board member Oscar de la Torre, which it hopes will continue after trial."

De la Torre's wife, Maria Loya, and the Pico Neighborhood Association, have sued the city over its at-large election system, saying it discriminates against Latino voters. Loya ran for City Council in 2004, losing the at-large election but won the most votes in the Pico Neighborhood.

De la Torre, who has served four terms on the School Board, ran for City Council after his wife filed the lawsuit in 2015. De la Torre lost his at-large election while narrowly winning the Pico Neighborhood over Councilmember Terry O'Day.

"He focused all of his campaigning efforts on the Pico Neighborhood - the centerpiece of plaintiff's case - and ignored the rest of the City. Many in Santa Monica reasonably interpreted his conduct as indicative of an intent not just to lose, but to lose in a particular way - with most of his support appearing to be concentrated in the Pico Neighborhood," said the trial brief

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Challenger hopes to topple Ted Lieu

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When Kenneth Wright ran for Congress in California's 33rd district in 2016, he knew he would lose.

But the pediatric eye surgeon said he didn't want to see incumbent Ted Lieu (D-California) run unopposed, so he ran anyway and eventually earned about 34 percent of the vote.

"It was like seeing an accident on the freeway, and being a doctor, you have to stop," he said. "I wish I didn't see it. If I didn't see it, I could keep going. But I saw this. No offense to him, but he just seems to be a real bought-out politician. And we have enough of those."

This time, though, Wright believes he has a chance. In the June primary, Lieu earned about 61 percent of the vote while Wright earned about 30 percent. Lieu has held the seat since he won a 2014 election to replace longtime congressman Henry Waxman.

Wright campaign manager David Lorango said he's not particularly concerned with the fact that the district generally leans democratic. He said district voters want someone who will get things done in Washington.

"We feel that most folks are saying look, we want someone who actually works for us," he said. "So, we feel strongly that we are a campaign that is gonna go out there and work hard for the people in the district and get the job done."

While he's running as a Republican, Wright said he has views that align with both Republicans and Democrats. He

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What's Up Westside

OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA

Monday, August 6

Architectural Review Board Meeting

The Santa Monica Architectural Review Board normally meets on the first and third Monday of every month in the City Council Chamber. City Hall, 1685 Main St. 7 p.m.

Strategies for Preventing Breast Cancer & Breast Cancer Recurrence

Janet Maker shares her own experience with breast cancer in 2011. Learn what causes breast cancer, which ones are preventable, what prevention means, and how to protect against carcinogens. Call (310) 458-8684 to register. Pico Branch Library, 2201 Pico Blvd, 6:30 – 8 p.m.

Disabilities Commission Meeting

The mission of the Disabilities Commission is to help improve the quality of life for people with disabilities in Santa Monica by prioritizing issues of concern and advising the City Council and staff on those issues. The Commission recommends ways to maximize participation of people with disabilities in all facets of City life and increase awareness of the abilities, rights and issues of people with disabilities throughout the community. Ken Edwards Center, 1527 4th St, 6:30 p.m.

Silly Stories and Jokes Hour

Do your kids have a silly story or joke to share? Tell something true, make something up or come to listen and laugh! Light refreshments served. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St, 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Monday Funday

Join organizers for today's free activity. Annenberg Community Beach House, 415 PCH. 12 – 4 p.m.

Tuesday, August 7

Bogafit Class

BogaFit Class 7:15 - 8:15 p.m. Try a high-intensity workout on a floating platform. Annenberg Community Beach House, 415 PCH. $15 per class includes parking pass.

Ocean Park Film Series: The Outsiders (1983)

Film historian Elaina Archer screens and discusses this drama about two rival gangs in Tulsa, Oklahoma in 1965. Based on the book by S.E. Hinton, directed by Francis Ford Coppola. The cast includes Matt Dillon, Rob Lowe, Patrick Swayze, Diane Lane and Tom Cruise. (Film runtime: 91 min.) Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St, 6 – 8:30 p.m.

Gentle Yoga at Fairview

In a class that is safe for seniors and beginners, as well as relaxing and stress-releasing for pros, veteran instructor Raghavan guides you through a gentle session of yoga and meditation. Space is limited. Please bring a mat or towel to the program. Fairview Branch Library, 2101 Ocean Park Blvd, 6:30 p.m.

ASR Time Travel Tuesdays: 13 Going on 30 (2004)

A birthday wish sends Jenna forward in time. Despite having all she's ever dreamed about, she learns that some things are more important than appearances. (90 min). Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd. 3 – 5 p.m.

Wednesday, July 8

Commission on the Status of Women Meeting

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

Pajama Story Time

Kids can wear PJs and bring their favorite stuffed animal. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St, 6:30 – 7 p.m.

For help submitting an event, contact us at 310-458-7737 or submit to events@smdp.com

COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Downtown

Folk Song Fun for Families with The Hollow Trees at Santa Monica Public Library

Santa Monica Public Library and the Topanga Banjo Fiddle Contest present The Hollow Trees in an outdoor concert for families on Saturday, August 18, 2018 at 2:00 pm in the Main Library's North Courtyard, 601 Santa Monica Blvd.

Sing along with The Hollow Trees, a family-friendly folk group that uses acoustic instrumentation and plays upbeat Americana music. Their repertoire consists of both original compositions and traditional favorites, blending American music styles including bluegrass, country, folk and jazz. The concert caps off the Library's summer reading programs for all ages, from infants through adults.

This program is free and open to all ages. Seating is limited and on a first-arrival basis. The Santa Monica Public Library is wheelchair accessible. For disability-related accommodations, call Library Administration at (310) 458-8606 at least one week prior to event. The Main Library is served by Big Blue Bus routes 1, R10 and 18. Ride your bike. Bicycle parking racks are available at the library.

SUBMITTED BY BARBARA CHANG FLEEMAN

Downtown

Orchestra Santa Monica Concert Programs for the 2018-2019 Season

Orchestra Santa Monica (OSM) is proud to introduce Roger Kalia as its new Music Director and Conductor. At present, Kalia is entering his fourth season as Assistant Conductor of the Pacific Symphony and also serves as Co-Founder and Music Director of the Lake George Music Festival in upstate New York, recognized as one of the premier summer classical music festivals in the country. Kalia is a multi-year recipient (2013, 2017, 2018) of The Solti Foundation U.S. Career Assistance Award. The Solti Foundation is the foremost organization in the United States dedicated exclusively to helping young conductors.

"I am thrilled to have been named the next Music Director of Orchestra Santa Monica," says Kalia. "I am looking forward to working with its wonderful musicians and Board and leading the orchestra into its next chapter. By performing exciting repertoire, both old and new, and creating unique community collaborations, we are going to reach out to a wide-ranging audience and make our concerts the most welcoming and inviting place for classical music in Santa Monica."

Kalia has planned three orchestra concerts at the Moss Theater, all on Sunday afternoons starting at 2:30 p.m. The concert dates, themes, and featured guest artists are: Oct 7, 2018 "Apotheosis of the Dance" (Roger Kalia's Inaugural Concert with OSM) with violinists Dennis Kim and Sam Fischer; Feb 17, 2019 "Folk Flourishes" with pianist Sean Chen; May 26, 2019 "Bohemian Rhapsodies" with cellist Eric Byers.

SUBMITTED BY SUSAN D. GORDON

Malibu

Community Input Sought for Update of Malibu's Hazard Mitigation Plan

The Las Virgenes-Malibu Council of Governments (LVMCOG) is in the process of updating the Hazard Mitigation Plan for the cities of Malibu, Agoura Hills, Calabasas, Hidden Hills, and Westlake Village.

"The Malibu community is very focused on disaster preparedness, and this survey is a great opportunity for Malibu residents to make sure that their community's unique needs and concerns are reflected in the Hazard Mitigation Plan," Mayor Rick Mullen said.

Public involvement is a key requirement for this effort and the LVMCOG is asking the community to give their input on the plan through a Risk Survey and a community meeting. The data gathered will be used to help local officials better plan for disasters as well as communicate with citizens and educate residents on mitigation steps to reduce the risk of loss.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) requires state, tribal, and local governments to develop and adopt hazard mitigation plans as a condition for receiving certain types of non-emergency disaster assistance, including funding for mitigation projects. Jurisdictions must update their hazard mitigation plans and re-submit them for FEMA approval every five years. Through Hazard Mitigation Assistance grant programs, FEMA offers planning grants that support governments in developing and updating mitigation plans as well as grants to implement hazard mitigation projects.

The online Risk Survey provides a platform for residents to voice their opinions about their disaster preparedness needs and concerns. The survey is available at www.MalibuCity.org/RiskSurvey.

The LVMCOG is holding a community meeting on Wednesday, August 22 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at Calabasas Founder's Hall, located at 100 Civic Center Way, Calabasas. The purpose of the meeting is to obtain additional input and feedback from the public on ways to mitigate the impact of natural disasters and other hazards on the local community. During the meeting, the results of the Risk Survey will be shared and used as a basis for discussion to review the top hazards that concern residents, what mitigation actions they have taken and, most importantly, what additional mitigation efforts are needed to better safeguard the community.

SUBMITTED BY MATT MYERHOFF

Downtown

The Soundwaves new music series presents pianist Mark Robson

On Thursday September 6, 2018, at 7:30 p.m. in the Martin Luther King Auditorium of the Main Library, the Soundwaves new music series presents pianist Mark Robson, playing selected etudes by Claude Debussy, each paired with a new piece specially commissioned from a contemporary Los Angeles composer.

This is the first concert of Soundwaves' second year of collaboration with Piano Spheres. Each year PianoSpheres presents concerts by a core group of four pianists and invited guest artists. For this, their 25th season, each of the core pianists is organizing a special project.

Robson, who has been a featured soloist with the LA Philharmonic and at the Hollywood Bowl, as well as an assistant conductor for the LA Opera, will use his project to honor the centennial of Debussy's death. While etudes are training pieces to develop technique, some composers such as Debussy have developed them into small works of art suitable for performance. Robson and Piano Spheres commissioned new companion pieces for Debussy's twelve etudes from a dozen Los Angeles composers: Juhi Bansal, Robert Gates, Sarah Gibson, Vera Ivanova, Karl Kohn, Thomas Kotcheff, Anne LeBaron, Bruno Louchouarn, Nick Norton, Vicki Ray, Daniel Rothman, and Robson himself. Selected pairs will be performed at this preview, and he will present all twelve at Zipper Hall on the 11th and at Villa Aurora on the 15th.

Soundwaves is a concert series presenting artists who appear on the DRAM (Database of Recorded American Music) streaming service. The Santa Monica Public Library is the first public library to offer this service to its cardholders. Listings of past and upcoming Soundwaves shows as well as sound and video recordings are at SoundwavesNewMusic.com

This event is free and open to the public. Seating is limited and on a first-arrival basis. Soundwaves is sponsored by the Friends of the Santa Monica Public Library. The Santa Monica Public Library is wheelchair accessible. For other disabled services, call Library Administration at (310) 458-8606 at least one week prior to event. For more information, visit smpl.org or contact the Santa Monica Public Library at (310) 458-8600.

SUBMITTED BY JEFF SCHWARTZ

Citywide

Fall Recreation Activities Registration Begins August 1, 2018

Santa Monica Community Recreation gears up for the fall season with the release of a new edition of RecScape (santamonica.gov/recscape) - a digital guide to Community Recreation activities. A variety of youth and adult classes in aquatics, sports, arts and crafts, music, dance, language and more are available at park, beach and aquatics facilities across Santa Monica. Class options cater to all skill levels and age groups across all disciplines.

Get active with classes at the Annenberg Community Beach House, get in the water with youth swim lessons at the Santa Monica Swim Center, get sporty and drop in for an adult soccer pick-up game, or get a space at one of our park meeting rooms and enjoy a BBQ in one of our City's parks.

Important registration dates for classes include a priority period for Santa Monica residents, where locals receive the first priority to reserve their favorite classes. Resident registration will begin online on Wednesday, August 1, 2018 at 6 a.m. Non-residents will be able to register beginning Wednesday, August 8, 2018 at 6 a.m. The first day of fall recreation programs is Monday, September 10, 2018.

Most classes initially require an account via ActiveNet, the City's online registration system. For more information on how to register, visit santamonica.gov/recscape (santamonica.gov/recscape), or call 310-458-8300.

SUBMITTED BY CONSTANCE FARRELL

Downtown

Through Music to Freedom: Paderewski and World Politics

Santa Monica Public Library will present Through Music to Freedom: Paderewski and World Politics on Saturday, August 11, at 2 p.m. in the Main Library's Martin Luther King, Jr. Auditorium, 601 Santa Monica Blvd.

Marek Zebrowski discusses Ignacy Jan Paderewski (1860-1941) who is remembered as a virtuoso pianist, composer, philanthropist and humanitarian. This presentation brings to light his role in regaining Poland's independence after World War I. The talk addresses Paderewski's political activities between 1910 and 1922, his "Front Morges" in Switzerland in the 1930s, and the last year of Paderewski's life, when he became a World War II refugee in America. Rare photographs from the Paderewski Paso Robles Collection, which are held at USC's Polish Music Center, illustrate the talk. A Q&A and performance of selected solo piano works by Paderewski follow the presentation.

Marek Zebrowski has lectured for the Pacific Symphony Orchestra, Boston Symphony Orchestra, Harvard University, and The New England Conservatory of Music, and has been a contributing writer for the Boston Book Review. He has given masterclasses and coached various chamber music ensembles and chamber orchestras. His academic career included teaching at the University of Massachusetts, the MIT, and UCLA. Currently, Mr. Zebrowski serves as Program Director for the Polish Music Center at USC's Thornton School of Music and is Artistic Director of the Paderewski Festival in Paso Robles, California.

This program is free and all ages are welcome. Space is limited and on a first-arrival basis. This event is part of the 50+ program series. For more information, visit smpl.org or contact the Santa Monica Public Library at (310) 458-8600. The Santa Monica Public Library is wheelchair-accessible. For disability-related accommodations, call Library Administration (310) 458-8606 one week prior to the event. The Main Library is directly served by Big Blue Bus routes 1, R10 and 18. The Expo Line and other bus routes stop nearby. Ride your bike. Bicycle parking racks are available at the library.

SUBMITTED BY JUDITH S. GRAHAM

Citywide

Resource Parents Needed to Foster or Foster-Adopt a Child!

There are approximately 64,000 children in foster care in California. Los Angeles County's foster care population exceeds 21,000 children with 200 foster children waiting to be connected to a family who will adopt. Children's Bureau offers a comprehensive foster care and adoption program that brings families together for a lifetime. The agency is in need of resource families for children in foster care while reunifying with birth families or to provide legal permanency by adoption.

Children's Bureau Resource Parents protect children, meet children's developmental needs, support children's relationships with their birth families and do all of this as a member of a professional team. Children's Bureau welcomes every resource parent regardless of, race, age, religion, disability, marital status, ethnic background, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression. Qualifying families receive training, family assessment, approval and support. A current CB family advises potential resource parents "to come into it with an open mind and an open heart. Be prepared to care beyond anything you could have ever imagined." Watch Children's Bureau resource families share their experiences here: (https://youtu.be/9HYsV-VO2Rk).

Discover if you have the willingness, ability and resources to take on the challenge of helping a child in need. A monthly information meeting is being held Saturday, August 18, from 10 a.m. to Noon at Children's Bureau's Magnolia Place, 1910 Magnolia Avenue, Los Angeles, 90007. To R.S.V.P. or for more information, please call (213) 342-0162 or Toll Free 800-730-3933 or email us at RFrecruitment@all4kids.org. An information packet or application may also be obtained by filling out a request form on the website at www.all4kids.org/program/foster-care/.

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Street Lighting Modernization Program

For the week of August 6th, construction will be taking place throughout the project area bounded by Pico Blvd to the north, Ocean Park Blvd to the south, Lincoln Blvd to the west, and 16th St to the east. Parking on streets within the project area may temporarily be impacted. Please contact Robert Zak, Project Manager at (310) 458-2283 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

Parking Structure #5 Tenant Improvement Project

For the week of August 6th, construction will take place in Parking Structure #5 at 1440 4th street affecting the sidewalk in front of the building with the sidewalk pedestrian tunnel, lasting until 8/31/18. During this time, there may be intermittent closures of a single lane of south-bound traffic between 8:00 am and 3:00 pm Monday thru Friday. Should you have any questions, please contact Tim Purcell, Project Manager (310) 458-2205 ext. 5027.

Parking Structure Repair Project

For the week of August 6th, Parking Structures #4, #5, and #3 will be undergoing maintenance and repair work. Construction may temporarily impact parking. Entrances and exits will remain open for smooth traffic flow. Please contact Robert Zak, Project Manager at (310) 458-2283 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

Edison Language Academy Project

For the week of August 6th, construction crews will be cautioning off sidewalks at various crosswalk locations near Edison Language Academy in order to work on irrigation lines. Affected crosswalks include: Delaware Avenue & 22nd Street; Kansas Avenue & 27th Street; Stewart Street & Kansas Avenue. Crews will be closing one lane going NB on Stewart St to adjust manhole vaults. Intermittent lane closures will occur on 27th Street and at the crosswalk of Kansas Ave and Stewart St. Alternate routes are recommended. Parking on streets near the crosswalks will be temporarily impacted. Please contact Brian Ochoa, Construction Manager at (310) 458-8721 Ext 5048 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

EPA Grant Funded Water Infrastructure Reliability Improvement Project

For the week of August 6th, work will consist of installation of water main pipe on 17th Street between Pearl St and Ocean Park Blvd. Traffic will be reduced to one lane. Please use alternate routes whenever possible. Please contact Carlos Rosales, Project Manager at (310) 458-8721, x2620 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

LA Metro Public Art Project – "Tears Of Santa Monica"

For the week of August 6th, construction will take place at the west wall of the Expo light rail station at 4th and Colorado. The project will run from Summer until the early part of Fall. Intermittent east sidewalk and northbound 4th Street lane closures will take place. For any questions or further information, please contact Henry Servín, at (310) 458-8291 or Leticia Ivins at LA Metro at IvinsL@metro.net with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Pico Blvd.

Cause for Celebration presents 7th Annual Bowling for Birthdays: events that will raise funds to provide birthday parties for homeless and foster youth

Bowling for Birthdays! On Sunday morning September 9, Bowlmor Lanes Santa Monica will be filled with hundreds of supporters and participants coming together to bowl with one goal in mind... raising money to help create birthday parties for homeless and foster youth. In partnership with shelters across Southern California, the 501(c)3 nonprofit organization Cause for Celebration hosts its 7th Annual Bowling for Birthdays! Join us for a fun morning of bowling. Start or join a team and invite everyone you know.

In partnership with shelters in Southern California, Culver City-based Cause for Celebration provides birthday parties for homeless and foster youth. Birthdays are a special time of year. Yet for so many children the day passes like all the others, without any acknowledgment. We believe that children should be celebrated throughout the year, and not just during the holidays. Your participation and tax-deductible gift will help create funding necessary for these celebrations.

As the organization's largest event, Bowling for Birthdays! serves to fund approximately 60 birthday parties a year, which provide children long-lasting memories of feeling special and the chance to just be a kid on their big day. At the birthday parties, children are treated to games, crafts, food, music and so much more. The day is all about building self-worth and showing each child that they are valued through the power of celebration.

To learn more about their programs and services, visit http://cause4celebration.org.

The first event will take place on Sunday, Sept. 9 at Bowlmor Lanes. The first round will begin at 10:00 a.m. and round two will begin at 11:00 a.m.. One Hour of Bowling will be allotted per Team, $20 person; $15 students; $10 children under 12. You can register a team here by visiting Bowling4Birthdays.kintera.org or calling (310) 827-0873.

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Westside Together

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Why The Westside Coalition Matters

EACH OCTOBER, THE WESTSIDE COALITION highlights success stories of remarkable people who have overcome great barriers to go from homeless to housed during its Celebrating Success Breakfast. These stories are an important look into the causes of homelessness and how individuals get back on their feet. They are often heartbreaking and difficult to imagine, but the collaborative efforts of the agencies involved shed light on the everyday heroes working in our community. Nancy, one recipient of these collaborative services, bravely shared her story.

Nancy had a longtime habit of taking a drive whenever she needed to think or became depressed. On May 31, 2014, she left Malibu on such a ride after the unexpected death of her 19-year-old rescue cat. Animals were always the anchor in her life. Driving back from Santa Barbara she heard an "explosion" and awoke one week later from a coma.

She was told she was in a wreck after hitting loose rocks on the canyon side. The injuries to her left side were severe including TBI and compound fractures up and down her side. Nancy remembered nothing of the accident.

Six weeks later, she was told that her Medicare had expired and she would be taken to a local homeless shelter. Instead, she rented a car and returned to Malibu, still unable to walk. Soon after, her doctor noticed a brain irregularity. She had emergency brain surgery to keep her eyesight.

While later back in the hospital, Budget Rent-a-car reported Nancy's rental vehicle stolen. She was arrested and charged with three felony counts of Grand Theft Auto and sent to a Correctional Facility for 50 days. She was eventually released with a misdemeanor. Carless, Nancy had to walk everywhere on a still healing pelvis.

A new group called Community Assistance Resource Team (CART), one of the Westside Coalition's newest members in Malibu became her anchor. C.A.R.T. is a community-based team of volunteers helping the homeless and those in need. They provide what we often take for granted – clean bodies, clean clothes, food, shelter, and eye-to-eye contact with a helping hand and an open heart.

From there, through the help of former Malibu Mayor Pamela Conley Ulich, Nancy was introduced to Edelman. Edelman is a part of the County of Los Angeles' Department of Mental Health, which provides community outreach, clinical services, mental health services, case management and much more for community members, including those experiencing homelessness.

These organizations came together to advocate for Nancy to receive stable housing near Marina del Rey in a PATH building.

P.A.T.H. (People Assisting The Homeless) is ending homelessness for individuals, families, and communities. Nancy now lives at PATH Villas at Del Rey, a supportive housing community reserved for individuals with a mental health disability who have experienced homelessness. Full-time on-site case management engages and connects residents with services that promote health, stability, and quality of life.

We hope to bring many more stories of success highlighting extraordinary people overcoming great barriers with the help of a network of social service and community organizations working arm in arm to address the very complex crisis of homelessness.

Ultimately, without a coalition of organizations to address the compounded needs of individuals like Nancy, many more people would fall through the cracks. It takes a combination of service providers to communicate and forge these connections for these individuals for their services to be most effective.

DARCI NIVA is the Director of the Westside Coalition

WRIGHT

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voted for President Donald Trump in the 2016 election, and while he said he wishes Trump would tone down his rhetoric, he likes some of what Trump has done in office.

"Do I like the fact that he moved our embassy to Jerusalem, which Clinton couldn't do, Obama couldn't do? Yeah, absolutely," he said. "Do I like the fact that he's for jobs here and not the outsourcing of our jobs? Absolutely. He's bringing manufacturing back. African-American unemployment is the lowest it's ever been."

Lorango highlighted three key issues Wright hopes to focus on during the campaign: crime, homelessness and keeping the California coast clean. On the issue of homelessness, Wright has a comprehensive plan.

He wants to build a township, possibly in Fort Ord, made up of 4-person domes. Residents will have structured lives that include meals and chores, and will have access to a number of services. Wright said he'd like the township to be privately funded and run by a nonprofit with assistance from the government.

As a doctor, Wright also has some doubts about the Affordable Care Act and said he would vote to repeal it if given the chance.

"My problem with Obamacare is that it overreached, in my opinion, individual freedom," he said. "I don't like Obamacare, because I don't like the individual mandate. And I don't like the collusion and price fixing that went on with it. Before Obamacare, did you see dead people in the streets, walk over dead bodies? No. Everybody was getting care."

Wright emphasized that he supports individual freedom on a number of issues, including gay marriage. While he said he doesn't think the government should fund Planned Parenthood, he believes in abortion rights and does not want to see Roe v. Wade overturned.

Both Wright and Lorango acknowledged that a win would be an uphill battle. But if Wright can earn the support of the voters who aren't registered with either party, he could have a chance. And Wright thinks his platform is one that will appeal to Republicans and Democrats alike.

"I think a lot of the Democrats, like me, just want to solve the problems. If they know that there's a doctor like me that just wants to solve problems and get to root cause, maybe I'll get five or eight percent of them," he said. If I can get the Republicans at 24 percent, if I get 25 percent [of no party preference voters], and I get a few Dems, I win. So that's the strategy. But if Republicans don't show up, I'm dead."

The midterm election is set for Nov. 6.

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ANGEL CITY DERBY: **A roller derby athlete prepares for practice.**

DERBY

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"true microcosm of the world," allowing all sizes and identities to freely express themselves in a sport that's all about doing the same.

An African American woman who identifies as queer, Boatwright said the league empowered her to feel more comfortable in her body. When Boatwright first came to Angel City, she said she was unsure what her body could handle.

"I thought, I've always been able to skate, but there's no way I could ever do this, especially at this level," Boatwright said.

After gaining experience and eventually a leadership role in Angel City, Boatwright says she shed her insecurities, training her body to help her be more effective on the track.

"I'm 200 pounds, but I know I'm more athletic and can outlift most people I know. This place gave me body positivity."

Boatwright says she speaks for the entire league when she says she's thankful for the community the league has given her and others.

"We're made up of misfits and nerds, DnD players and Ren Faire people. People that don't have a place, people who never thought they could be athletic, people who feel on the fringe. Angel City can be empowering. Painting a broad stroke, we want everyone. LA is a melting pot of every ethnicity and group, and so are we."

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DE LA TORRE

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submitted to Judge Yvette Palazuelos.

De la Torre did not seek any endorsements or respond to candidate questionnaires that year, according to the documents. Despite raising $24,000 two years earlier to run for school board, he didn't make the $2,000 fundraising threshold for a campaign disclosure form in his bid in 2016.

Attorneys for the City ask Judge Palazuelos to disregard the 2016 election when considering voter behavior over the years. The bench trial revolves around racially-polarized voting, where members of a minority group vote differently than the rest of the city. Dozens of cities across California have switched to district elections because of similar lawsuits brought by the same group of attorneys representing de la Torre's wife.

The lawsuit is not the first high-profile battle between de la Torre and the City. In 2011, the Santa Monica Police Department investigated de la Torre for child endangerment after a fist-fight erupted between two teenagers outside the Pico Youth and Family Center. The District Attorney declined to bring charges and a civilian oversight committee found the police investigation contained "an unusual mixture of facts and advocacy."

De la Torre said the investigation was a malicious attempt to ruin his career and defame his character.

On Friday, his lawyer, Kevin Shenkman, said the allegations in the documents are ridiculous.

"You know what, he got over 11,000 votes," Shenkman said. "I don't know how that's throwing an election. Oscar has never lost an election until 2016...he does not like to lose and this is the first one he ever lost."

Shenkman said de la Torre's focus on the Pico Neighborhood was a strategic attempt to turn out his base.

"So, if everyone else in Santa Monica campaigns north of Montana, because they think that's where you've got to campaign to get the votes, and Oscar recognizes that's not the way he can win an election, so he tries to turn out his base. That is not throwing an election," Shenkman said.

On Thursday, Loya testified she had campaign volunteers canvas the Pico Neighborhood when she lost her bid for City Council in 2004. She testified she personally focused her time on neighborhoods with high voter turnout. Loya said she did not work on de la Torre's 2016 campaign, after serving as a consultant for her husband in previous elections.

"I did not," Loya said. "I had at that time a full-time job and I just started a legislative campaign I was working on. I did not have the time to dedicate to his campaign."

Loya has been ordered back to court on Monday to answer allegations she either deleted or refused to provide emails and access to social media accounts containing information privy to the case. Gibson, Dunn alleges Loya deleted her Facebook account, which contained her opinions on the case.

Shenkman offered to reactivate the account over the weekend to give opposing counsel a chance to take screen grabs of her statements. He said her social media posts and emails have nothing to do with the case, which involves the 2001 California Voting Rights Act.

"Maria Loya deactivated her Facebook account when the Cambridge Analytica stuff came out," Shenkman told the Daily Press. "Just like three million other Americans, and the City of Santa Monica's attorneys apparently think that means they should be allowed to discriminate against 15,000 Latinos in Santa Monica. The two are completely unrelated."

With a witness list of nearly 60 people, including the current City Council and department heads, the trial could run through August. Should the judge mandate a change to districts, it's unclear how it would impact the November election.

Shenkman, who has won similar lawsuits in other cities, said the election could be enjoined or invalidated because of the limited timeframe to draw districts and administer an election. He argues the City created the situation by going to trial rather than settle.

"It's a position that they put themselves in," Shenkman said.

The City says they are defending an at-large election system affirmed by voters who twice voted against district elections. The City maintains Latinos already elect their preferred candidates, such as Councilmember Tony Vazquez, who does not live in the Pico Neighborhood.

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TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Aug. 6)

You're full of questions, and the answers will make you laugh, think and learn. Bonus: Asking the right people will get you promoted and paid. There's a mighty blessing in November, a winning ticket in February. March brings a long process in which daily efforts will markedly improve life and, in particular, finances. Cancer and Libra adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 9, 3, 24, 22 and 18.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

Your sophistication leads you to understand that what's right for one person doesn't work for all. Staying in line with your own code takes too much energy (and brings too much happiness) for you to be bothered with other people's.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

Persistence, passion and optimism will be the combination that creates your luck. Winning forces find you irresistible. Decide what you want and they will rally behind you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21)

Lighten up by saying goodbye to worn possessions you don't use anymore. Getting rid of what doesn't bring you joy will make room for what does. As you purge the physical evidence of the past, your mind will follow the trend.

CANCER (June 22-July 22)

You'll be in a position to sell an idea or product. First, sell yourself. If you can convince yourself that this is the best thing to solve a problem, you'll have no trouble convincing others.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

No matter how many facts support an idea or how much information is available, people will do as they feel. Even the most logical human is still an emotional creature.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

The fun part about parades, as opposed to, say, a theater, is that the action keeps marching on and it's never the same clown twice. You're in a prime position to watch the parade go by today.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)

You've something of value to give, and you're in a generous mood, too. Negotiations will ensue. Just be sure to leave some "meat on the bone" for you and yours. A truly good deal will feed everyone.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21)

You'll gravitate toward situations and relationships in which you're likely to pick up certain skills along with other perks. The skills will prove to be the most valuable part of the arrangement.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

You have an idea that hasn't quite found its best use yet. Experiment. Before it became packing material, Bubble Wrap was marketed as wallpaper. New arenas bring new solutions.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

It's a day for getting organized and being your own project manager. What will it take to pull off the goal? What needs to happen first, second and third?

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

It will be nearly impossible to get your work done unless you take precautions against distraction. Turn off your devices, and go somewhere quiet where no one can interrupt you. The world will still be there when you get back.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

Decisions to make, actions to take, conflict to solve — and you can certainly handle it all on your own, although it will be much more fun (and the outcome will be slightly different) if you bring along a trusted sidekick.

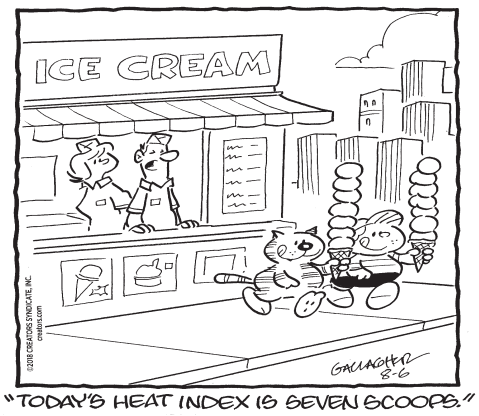
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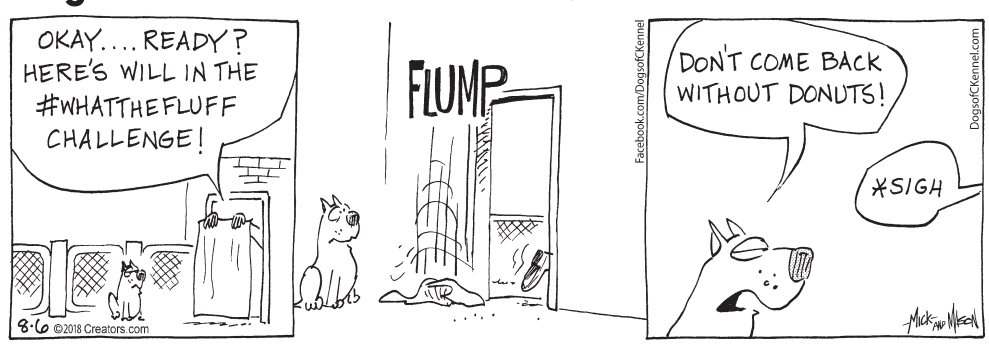
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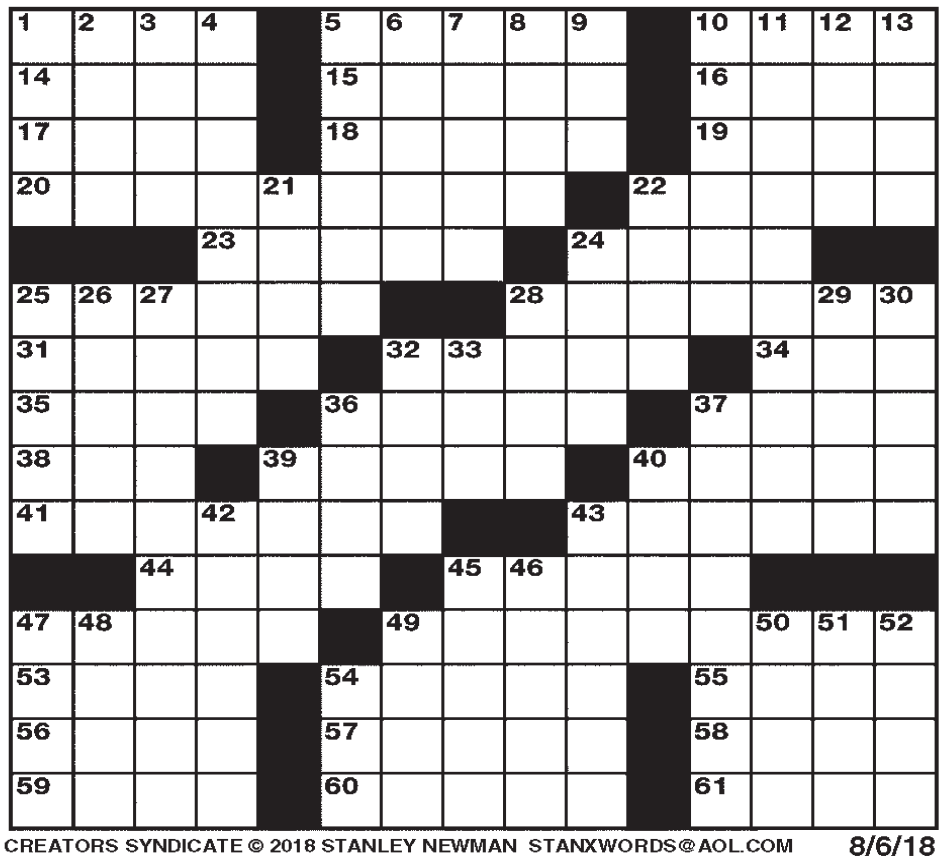
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5 Goes out with
10 Partially open, as a door
14 Jai __
15 Martini garnish
16 Nevada city near Tahoe
17 Ballad or hymn
18 Big brawl
19 Tattles (on)
20 Collarless summer tops
22 Beehive product
23 After-dinner candies
24 Wood-cutting tools
25 Gambling establishment
28 Showily skillful person
31 Grownup
32 Cross the goal line
34 Rock that's mined
35 Rooftop wind-direction indicator
36 Cider fruit
37 Raisin __ (type of cereal)
38 Something cracked for an omelet
39 Mindful (of)
40 State-run numbers game
41 Bring to you, as mail
43 Enticing promotional piece
44 Surrounded by
45 Swindle
47 Made simpler
49 Beach sandals
53 Passport stamp
54 Without assistance
55 Triple-decker cookie
56 Adam and Eve's home
57 Makeup for cheeks
58 Right away, in memos
59 Bird's tree home
60 Relinquishes formally
61 Round specks

DOWN
1 At long __ (finally)
2 Soother in skin lotion
3 Lion's hair
4 Wide grin
5 Black-and-white game tile
6 Send a warning to
7 Leans slightly
8 Preholiday times
9 Get a look at
10 Archery missiles
11 Denim cutoffs
12 Poker pot payment
13 Optimistic
21 Helpful clue
22 Detest
24 Feeling achy
25 __ in (collapsed)
26 Maxim
27 Beachgoer's eyewear
28 Center of a bagel
29 Give a speech
30 Male singing voice
32 Practice for a boxing match
33 EMT's skill
36 Really impressed
37 Ship's cargo quantity
39 Very enthusiastic
40 Piece of lettuce
42 "That is to say . . ."
43 Wigwam relatives
45 Puffy sky sight
46 Door-swinging hardware
47 __ so (nevertheless)
48 Assistant
49 Arctic ice sheet
50 Approximately
51 __ moss (gardening material)
52 Soaks (up)
54 Shape of a rainbow



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Case No. SS027363
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of WILLIAM GILES MANN for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: WIL- LIAM GILES MANN filed a pe- tition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: WILLIAM GILES MANN to WILLIAM GILES JA- COBMANN . The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear be- fore this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the peti- tion for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 08/24/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
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Date: JULY 10, 2018

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027364
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of LEAH AVIVA JA- COBSON for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: LEAH AVIVA JACOBSON filed a pe- tition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: LEAH AVIVA JA- COBSON to LEAH AVIVA JA- COBMANN . The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear be- fore this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the peti- tion for change of name should not be granted.
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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027379
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of JEANETTE MAY MEYERS for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: JEANETTE MAY MEYERS filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: JEANETTE MAY MEYERS to JEANETTE MAY CARLSWÄRD The court orders that all persons inter- ested in this matter shall ap- pear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 08/17/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
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Date: July 18, 2018

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027391
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of CHANYA PUK- KALANUN AND CHATREE YODVISITSAK for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: CHANYA PUKKALA- NUN AND CHATREE YODVISITSAK filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: CHAMA YODVIS- ITSAK to CHAMA PUK- KALANUN. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the peti- tion for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 09/14/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
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Date: July 24, 2018

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027348
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of KUDIRATU SOG- BESAN for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: KUDI- RATU SOGBESAN filed a peti- tion with this court for a de- cree of changing names as follows: KUDIRATU SOGBE- SAN to KUDIRAT EJIDE OLA- GUNJU The court

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orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing in- dicated below to show cause, if any, why the peti- tion for change of name should not be granted.
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Date: June 27, 2018

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027386
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of SVETLANA KOURIAT for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: SVETLANA KOURI- AT filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: SVETLANA KOURIAT to SVETLANA ANGELOVA. The court orders that all persons interested in this mat- ter shall appear before this court at the hearing indi- cated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 09/07/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
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Date: July 20, 2018

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027376
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of COLLEEN SNOX- ELL JACQUEZ for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: COL- LEEN SNOX- ELL JACQUEZ filed a petition with this court for a decree of chang- ing names as follows: COL- LEEN SNOXELL JACQUEZ to COLLEEN SNOXELL. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indi- cated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS0273666
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of SHIOU KING CHAI AKA ALISER CHEN CHAI AKA ALISER CHEN for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: SCOTT S. LIN(SBN 193174) filed a petition with this court for a decree of chang- ing names as follows: SHIOU KING CHAI AKA ALISER CHEN CHAI AKA ALISER CHEN to ALISER SHIOU KING CHAI. The court orders that all per- sons interested in this mat- ter shall appear before this court at the hearing indi- cated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
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Date: July 10, 2018

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027371
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of CHRISTOPHER JON KORECKI for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: CHRISTOPHER JON KORECKI filed a petition with this court for a decree of chang- ing names as follows: CHRIS- TOPHER JON KORECKI to CHRISTOPHER DOROBCZYN- SKI. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing in- dicated below to show cause, if any, why the peti- tion for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 09/07/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALI- FORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
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Date: July 12, 2018

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2018762673 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS AN- GELES on 07/06/2018 The fol- lowing person(s) is (are) doing business as Kona Ice of Lancaster, Moonnickels, I Wonder 360. 3122 Lemonwood Drive , Lancaster, CA 93536. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: I Wonder 360 3122 Lemonwood Drive Lancaster, CA 93536. This Business is being con- ducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:I Wonder 360. I Wonder 360. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 07/06/2018. NOTICE: THIS FICTI- TIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUN- TY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this state- ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under fed- eral, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 07/16/2018, 07/23/2018, 07/30/2018, 08/06/2018.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2018181459 ORIGINAL FIL- ING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 08/24/2018 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TRAVELUX SPA ITALIA, GAB- RIELLA DI XX MIGLIA. 600 NORTH KENTER AVE , LOS ANGELES, CA, 90049. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: GABRIELLA CHIAP- PELLI VON ZDEKAUER 600 NORTH KENTER AVE LOS ANGELES, CA, 90049. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The regis- trant commenced to trans- act business under the ficti- tious business name or names listed on (Date)02/1995. /s/: GABRI- ELLA CHIAP- PELLI VON ZDEKAUER-OWNER. GABRI- ELLA CHIAPPELLI VON ZDEKAUER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 08/24/2018. 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 state- ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious busi- ness name statement in vio- lation of the rights of an- other under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 08/06/2018, 08/13/2018, 08/20/2018, 08/27/2018.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2018167248 ORIGINAL FIL- ING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 07/09/2018 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE ROOSTER. 2301 SANTA MONICA BLVD , SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: 2301 SM LP 1015 PICO BLVD SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. This Business is being conducted by: a Lim- ited Partnership. The regis- trant commenced to trans- act business under the ficti- tious business name or names listed on (Date)07/2018. /s/: 2301 SM LP-CEO. 2301 SM LP. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 07/09/2018. 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 ficti- tious business name state- ment in violation of the rights of another under fed- eral, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Profes- sions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 07/23/2018, 07/30/2018, 08/06/2018, 08/13/2018.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2018177495 ORIGINAL FIL- ING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 07/18/2018 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PA- CIFIC SURGI- CAL ASSOCI- ATES. 2001 SANTA MONICA BLVD , SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: STE- PHEN L. KUCHENBECKER, M.D., F.A.C.S., A MEDICAL CORPORATION 2001 SANTA MONICA BLVD #685-W SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404. This Business is being con- ducted by: a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)07/2018. /s/: STE- PHEN L. KUCHENBECKER, M.D., F.A.C.S., A MEDICAL CORPORATION-PRESIDENT. STEPHEN L. KUCHENBECKER, M.D., F.A.C.S., A MEDICAL CORPORATION. This state- ment was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGE- LES County on 07/18/2018. 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 state- ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious busi- ness name statement in vio- lation of the rights of an- other under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 08/06/2018, 08/13/2018, 08/20/2018, 08/27/2018.



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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2018155586 ORIGINAL FIL- ING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 06/26/2018 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HGD, HEATHER GORDON DRAW- INGS. 2700 NEILSON WAY STE 1423 , SANTA MONICA, CA, 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: HEATHER GORDON 2700 NEIL- SON WAY STE 1423 SANTA MONICA, CA, 90405. This Business is being con- ducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)06/2018. /s/: HEATHER GORDON-OWNER. HEATHER GORDON. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGE- LES County on 06/26/2018. 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 state- ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious busi- ness name statement in vio- lation of the rights of an- other under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 07/16/2018, 07/23/2018, 07/30/2018, 08/06/2018.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2018188442 ORIGINAL FIL- ING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 07/31/2018 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as STRT PROJECTS. 807 20TH ST UNIT B , SANTA MONICA, CA, 90403. The full name of regis- trant(s) is/are: DEREK THOMAS STUART 807 20TH ST UNIT B SANTA MONICA, CA, 90403. This Business is being conduct- ed by: an Indi- vidual. The registrant com- menced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)07/2018. /s/: DEREK THOMAS STUART. DEREK THOMAS STUART. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGE- LES County on 07/31/2018. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATE- MENT 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 author- ize the use in this state of a fictitious busi- ness name statement in vio- lation of the rights of an- other under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 08/06/2018, 08/13/2018, 08/20/2018, 08/27/2018.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2018188347 ORIGINAL FIL- ING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 07/31/2018 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DYNR, DYNR APP. 2121 BE- LOIT AVE #311 , LOS ANGE- LES, CA, 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: DAVID M. SHARRER 2121 BELOIT AVE #311 LOS AN- GELES, CA, 90025. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to trans- act business under the ficti- tious business name or names listed on (Date)07/2018. /s/: DAVID M. SHARRER-OWNER. DAVID M. SHARRER. This state- ment was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGE- LES County on 07/31/2018. 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 state- ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious busi- ness name statement in vio- lation of the rights of an- other under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 08/06/2018, 08/13/2018, 08/20/2018, 08/27/2018.

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