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CLASS REUNION

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The Santa Monica High School class of 1975 gathered at Spitfire Grill on August 16 to celebrate their 40th anniversary reunion.

Brotherhood of the neighborhood

Family run surf, skateboard shop focuses on Santa Monica culture

BY JENNIFER MAAS
Daily Press Staff Writer

CITYWIDE Galeazzo and Sante Bentivoglio grew up surfing and skating all over town. The brothers, Galeazzo, 27, and Sante, 25, skated at Douglas Park near their home, hung out at the old Boys and Girls Club skate shop and surfed as often as they could. Just like sharing a last name and DNA, they also shared a passion for skating and surfing. So it was no surprise that 14 months ago the two decided to open Bay Street Boards, their own surf and skate shop in Santa Monica.

"Basically we just kind of felt there was a need for a local shop," Galeazzo said. "A lot of shops that used to be around closed. Now it's the really big kind of corporate stores. A lot of what used to be in

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FOOTBALL:

Tough tests abound for Samohi

A game-by-game look at the Vikings' 2015 schedule

BY JEFFREY I. GOODMAN
Daily Press Staff Writer

SAMOHI As far as Ramsey Lambert is concerned, the Santa Monica High football team should finish with a better record than it did last year.

The coach has high expectations for the Vikings in his first year at the helm, and he's not going to use the transition or the graduation of last year's senior class as an excuse.

"No matter what the changes, no matter who you lose, you should improve on the previous season," he said. "We want to get back to the playoffs and compete at a really high level when we get there."

Lambert is in charge of a Samohi squad that last year went 5-6 and fell to Torrance-West in the first round of the CIF Southern Section playoffs.

He said the Vikings will aim to contend for an Ocean League title after a challenging nonconference slate with games against several teams that made deep runs in last year's postseason.

"We'll be battle-tested by the

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FDA: scope manufacturer waited years to report problems

MATTHEW PERRONE
AP Health Writer

WASHINGTON Federal regulators have uncovered new violations by the manufacturer of medical scopes recently linked to outbreaks of deadly "superbug" bacteria at U.S. hospitals.

Olympus Corp. failed to alert regulators to a cluster of 16 infections in patients who underwent procedures with the company's scope in 2012, according to a warning letter posted online Monday by the Food and Drug Administration. Olympus did not report the problems to the FDA until 2015, when the company was already under scrutiny for a more recent series of outbreaks.

Medical device manufacturers are required to report serious device problems to the FDA within 30 days of learning about them. The infections reported to the company

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OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA

August 18

Ocean Park Toddler Time

Join Mr. Jesse for some wonderful stories, rhymes, songs and puppets. This program is for children from 18-35 months. Registration required, 310-458-8683. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St., 10 - 10:30 a.m.

Musical Movies for the Family: Mary Poppins (1964)

Oscar-winner Julie Andrews stars in this delightful Walt Disney musical adaptation of P.L. Travers' classic children's book series about a magical nanny. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave., 2 - 4:30 p.m.

Beach=Culture: Mindful Movement Workshop

Beach House Choreographer-in-Residence Rebecca Bruno introduces a mindful hour of movement with Body Mind Centering instructor Gillian McGinty. Explore Body-Mind Centering practices by focusing on the fluid system of the body. Becoming mindful of the ebb and flow of our body allows us to release habitual patterns and offers support for a buoyant and easeful relationship to space. The strength and vitality of our musculoskeletal system depends on the support of our fluid body. Wear loose clothes for movement and come with a desire to explore in a safe and playful environment. All are welcome! Accompanied by live musician Alex Schnitzler. Annenberg Community Beach House, Garden Terrace Room, 415 Pacific Coast Highway, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

August 19

Commission for the Senior Community Meeting

Regular meeting of the Santa Monica Commission for the Senior Community. Ken Edwards Center, 1527 4th St., 1:30 p.m.

Computer Class: Intro to PCs

Learn basic computer terms and practice using a mouse and keyboard to navigate Windows. Seating is limited. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St., 3 - 4:30 p.m.

Mindfulness Meditation

We invite you to enjoy a pause in the day in which to refresh yourself by simply sitting and paying attention to your senses, feelings and thoughts. You are welcome to stay for 5 minutes or for the entire 30 minutes. Natalie Bell, Mindful Wellness consultant, will guide the session. 1st and 3rd Wednesdays each month. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave., 5:45 - 6:15 p.m.

Montana Branch Book Group: A Spy Among Friends

A definitive portrait of Kim Philby, a notorious 20th-century spy, that discusses his rise in M16, high-profile intelligence friendships and 20-year espionage operation that culminated in his 1963 defection to Moscow. Adults and seniors. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave., 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Planning Commission Meeting

Regular Meeting of the Santa Monica Planning Commission. City Hall, Council Chambers, 1685 Main St., 7 p.m.

August 20

Housing Commission Meeting

Regular meeting of the Santa Monica Housing Commission.
Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd., 4:30 p.m.

Contemporary Treatment of Stroke

Learn how to quickly recognize the signs of stroke and understand the need to obtain rapid treatment. Presented by Dr. George Teitelbaum, Medical Director of the Providence Neurovascular Center. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave., 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Pico Branch Book Group

Join us for the Pico Branch Book Group, which meets the third Thursday of each month and discusses a wide variety of fiction and nonfiction genres. This group is open to all, including newcomers and those who have joined us for past discussions. August selection: The Girl on the Train by Paula Hawkins. Pico Branch Library, 2201 Pico Blvd., 7 - 8 p.m.

Recreation & Parks Commission

Meeting of the Recreation & Parks Commission. City Hall, Council Chamber, 1685 Main St., 7:30 p.m.

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

COMMUNITY BRIEFS

WISE & Healthy Aging receives $20,000 grant from Kaiser Foundation

Social services non-profit WISE & Healthy Aging has received a $20,000 mental health grant from the Kaiser Foundation Hospitals, West Los Angeles, announced WISE & Healthy Aging President and CEO Grace Cheng Braun. The two-year grant will fund innovative mental health services for at-risk homeless seniors living on the Los Angeles Westside.

The Kaiser Foundation grant makes it possible for WISE & Healthy Aging to reach out to older homeless, often mentally ill persons wherever they may be, in public locations such as parks, libraries, churches and farmers markets, and connect them with the many supportive services available to them, according to Jennifer Levine, PsyD, clinical director of the agency's Mental Health Services Department and its Field Capable Clinical Service program.

The grant monies allow WISE & Healthy Aging to bring a clinical psychology postdoctoral fellow on staff in each of the two years, to conduct the outreach to the homeless seniors.

"Going out into the field is a newer, progressive way of working. It allows us to provide education, psychotherapy and psychiatric services to individuals who are not normally able to seek out services on their own," Dr. Levine said. "Without the Kaiser Foundation funding, we wouldn't have the manpower to work this way. We are very grateful for the grant."

"We are proud to support the Mental Health Services at WISE & Healthy Aging, which have a profound impact on the well-being of one of our most vulnerable populations," said Georgina Garcia, executive director of Kaiser Permanente West Los Angeles Medical Center. "Their advocacy and commitment to serving seniors is critically important and we are grateful for their dedicated efforts to improving the lives of this at-risk community."

WISE & Healthy Aging is the result of the 2007 merger of WISE Senior Services and Center for Healthy Aging. With a combined 75 years experience serving older adults, the nonprofit, social services organization brings together a synergy of services, information, programs and support for older adults, caregivers of the elderly and the professionals who work with them.

To learn more about WISE & Healthy Aging, please call (310) 394-9871 or go to www.wiseandhealthyaging.org.

- SUBMITTED BY DANIELLE BRINNEY

Dreams are Coming True for The Dream Orchestra

The Dream Orchestra has found itself a home, fulfilling a dream of Artistic Director/ Conductor Daniel Suk.

Suk founded the orchestra in the fall of 2011, and since then it has performed in top concert halls all over Southern California including Walt Disney Concert Hall and Zipper Hall in downtown Los Angeles, the Barclay Center in Irvine, the James R. Armstrong Theatre in Torrance and others.

Now The Dream Orchestra will present its complete 2015-2016 season in one place at St. Monica Catholic Church, 725 California Ave., Santa Monica, CA 90403.

That season kicks off with the "Opera Forever" Gala Concert at 8 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 11.

Tickets are $40 general, $30 for seniors and students and $180 for the whole season (six concerts). The Gala includes an after-concert reception hosted by Urth Caffe. To purchase tickets, call (800) 838-3006 or visit www.dreamorchestra.org. Tickets are available at St. Monica Catholic Church and all Urth Caffe locations.

The Gala will truly be a musical feast for opera lovers thanks to guests that include world-class opera stars. The orchestra will perform Verdi's Nabucco Overture, Wagner's Tannhäuser Overture and Manon Lescaut Intermezzo by Puccini.

Soprano Tracy Cox will sing "Vissi D'arte" from Puccini's Tosca and "Dich, Teure halle" from Wagner's Tannhäuser. She was awarded the George London-Kirsten Flagstad Prize in February 2014 and the Birgit Nilsson Prize at the 2013 Operalia Competition in Verona.

One of the hottest young tenors in the world, Joshua Guerrero, will sing an aria from Bellini's Romeo et Juliet and more. Lacey Jo Benter, LA Opera mezzo soprano, will sing an aria from Bizet's Carmen, and "Mon cœur s'ouvre à ta voix" from Saint Saens' Samson et Dalila. Bass baritone Patrick Blackwell will sing "Toreadore" from Carmen.

To make this dream team complete, young soprano Golda Berkman, who became the grand prize finalist in classical voice of The LA Music Center's Spotlight Awards last March, will sing Bellini's "O quante volte." Also there will be beautiful and dramatic duets from favorite operas.

The St. Monica residency came after two Dream Orchestra concerts: Mozart's Requiem at the First Congregational Church of Los Angeles in April of 2014 and Handel's Messiah at St. Monica last December.

"The Messiah was such a success," Suk recalled. "We had to turn away people who wanted to see it. The people at St. Monica said they had never seen anything like that."

This residency comes during the St Monica's celebration of Pope Francis' Jubilee of Mercy, a call for "the Church to take up the joyful call to mercy once more," he stated.

"It's wonderful for us to be working together now," Suk said. "Plus St. Monica has the most incredible architecture in town. The beauty of the place is marvelous and it's the perfect size for acoustic orchestral and operatic repertoire." Its 700 seats provide an intimate concert experience.

The season will commemorate the Jubilee of Mercy, the Mozart Requiem on Oct. 30, Handel's Messiah on Dec. 3, 4, and the rarely performed Stabat Mater by Rossini on March 4, 2016.

The season continues on May 20, 2016 with what Suk is calling the Rusty Musicians concert created to make dreams come true for adults who play instruments or didn't major in music or gave up their music, yet always had a dream to perform with a professional orchestra.

The final concert will be the Dream Concert Under the Stars on July 15, 2016.

Daniel Suk has enjoyed international career as an operatic tenor and as a conductor worldwide for over 20 years. Even more dreams are coming true for him and the Dream Orchestra.

"When we started discussing our future, this word 'dream' kept ringing in our ears," Suk recalled. "This orchestra should make dreams come true for the next generation of musicians. Why don't we offer a number of chairs in the orchestra to young musicians so they can play alongside professional orchestra musicians?"

This season, 15 such young musicians will have this one-of-a-kind training experience.

"I'm confident these young artists will prevail," Suk said. "We're going to sound better than ever. The professionals have a little more pressure to be perfect as mentors to the young musicians, who will also have to be prepared and committed.

"Our audiences will feel the refreshing energy these young artists will bring to our concerts."

Suk and the Dream Orchestra have always spotlighted young artists at performances like the "Young Stars of Tomorrow" concert last June 14 at Zipper Hall.

"I'd like to express my gratitude to St. Monica's Msgr. Lloyd Torgerson, Music Director Dale Sieverding, Thomas Bleich and all volunteer staffs for supporting us and really joining together for the vision of bringing good music to people of Santa Monica and beyond," Suk said.

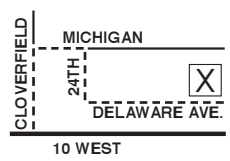
"I'd like to also recognize our strong partnership with Urth Caffe with whom we share the vision of inspiring our young and our communities with music that gives hopes and dreams," he continued.

In addition to St. Monica Catholic Church and Urth Caffe, the Chan Il Foundation is also a partner in The Dream Orchestra's 2015-2016 season.

For more information about the Dream Orchestra's 2015-2016 season at St. Monica Catholic Church, visit www.dreamorchestra.org.

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Governing by the facts

AMONG THE DEFINING ACHIEVEMENTS OF THIS generation, one of the most transformative will be the use of technological innovation to democratize access to information of all kinds.

The ease with which technology allows us to gather and disperse information has already had major impacts on our day-to-day lives. These innovations allow us to exchange ideas, goods and services on a global scale. News from all corners of the globe is available on your smartphone as quickly and conveniently as information about when your next bus is arriving.

At the local level, the information revolution sparked by advances in technology has the potential to have a truly profound impact. There is a new "open data" movement sweeping all levels of government in the U.S. Santa Monica, with its historical commitment to transparency and good governance, should be at the forefront.

Through Santa Monica's open data portal, anyone can access real-time bus arrival information, a count of service calls police and fire personnel answered in your neighborhood last month, the cost of construction permits, locations of CityWiFi hotspots, salaries of public officials, the location and types of all the city's street trees and much more information about your city.

Our new city manager has some experience in this area. In Los Angeles, Rick Cole was the deputy mayor in charge of budget and innovation. In that role, he led Los Angeles' open data effort. Now Los Angeles is the second highest-rated city, up from number 17 in 2014, in the U.S. Open Data Census, right behind San Francisco. Santa Monica currently ranks number seven.

Santa Monica is already a paragon of transparent government, but increasing the availability of information will help the city tell the story of its many successes. Easily accessible information and facts can help us better understand how many people take advantage of the tens of millions of dollars Santa Monica has invested into creating new, and rehabilitating existing, parks and open space, how many children have benefited from our ongoing commitment to quality education starting at birth and how many traffic-related injuries and deaths we have prevented by making our streets safer for everyone.

Santa Monica's Wellbeing Project, through which the city hopes to define, measure and actively improve the myriad factors that contribute to our wellbeing, is an example of a policy initiative based on facts. The premise is simple: to find solutions to problems facing our community, we must first find out what those problems actually are. The results can be surprising.

When the facts are clear and generally accessible, they become an antidote to sloganeering based on misinformation.

The cliché that everyone drives in Southern California is belied by the fact that some 17 percent of Santa Monica renters don't own cars. In LA, it's 19 percent. This is more than a fun factoid; this is information that should be guiding our planning policies. Instead of building the future of our city on the assumption that everyone drives, we can create policies that take into account how people really live.

We all hate traffic, but not everyone understands the facts behind traffic congestion. We have encouraged people to choose to drive to our Downtown, over other options, by building much more parking than we really need.

For example, according to the city's open data portal, our newest Downtown parking structure has been full for a total of 25 minutes since May 1. On average, two-thirds of the parking spaces in the structure sit empty. Providing convenient, cheap, and reliable transit options, like bike-share, bus and light rail can get people out of their cars. So can building more housing near our major job centers, like the Water Garden, the Colorado Center and Downtown Santa Monica, since much of our traffic congestion is a result of people driving to work from out of town.

The notion that Downtown Santa Monica has become exclusively a playground for tourists is another example of a political meme that is simply not true. Besides being home to about 4,000 residents, nearly two-thirds of residents who don't live Downtown visit the area at least once a month. Can we make Downtown better? Absolutely, but the facts show that this isn't a simple "us versus them" scenario, as some would frame it.

And what about housing? In the acrimonious debates about the city's future, much misinformation has been bandied about. This is something that can easily be addressed by putting the facts in an accessible place online like the city's open data portal.

Despite exaggerated claims to the contrary, the number of new apartments currently awaiting approval is about 1,400. There is no guarantee all of them will get approved and it will likely take years for those that do to go through the city's process. But, if we believe housing is a priority, this fact should cause us to reflect on how we can encourage more housing, not less, in the next few years.

At no other time in human history has it been so easy for such a wide swath of the population to see the reasons behind and consequences of their governments' decisions.

Whether this additional transparency leads to better governance will depend, in part, on how many are using these facts to inform their views.

One thing is certain, however. We will be better off if our civic discourse starts with the facts. Only then can we reasonably know whether we are truly advancing the values that are the foundation of our community.

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We need to end unenforceable laws

A COUPLE OF MONTHS AGO I WAS walking along the beach at the base of the pier and was almost run over by a couple on a bicycle. I think they were tourists, and I know they didn't mean to do it; they were just not paying attention in a congested area.

Over the years I've been warned by Santa Monica Police Department officers that I cannot ride my bike along that particular stretch of the walkway, and there are posted signs stating that it is illegal to ride essentially from the Pier to the Bay Street circle. But it happens all the time. It's annoying to me because that's where I walk my dog, meet my friends and generally enjoy the area. However, it happens.

But it really stuck with me, this illegal activity that is not consistently enforced. I've asked the police officers on the Pier if they issue citations when people are riding on the boardwalk, and they generally give a non-responsive answer along the lines of, "you're not supposed to be riding there." Yes, thank you, I know that, hence the question, which is never satisfactorily answered.

Until last month.

Last month as I was coming down from the Loews hotel with the dog in tow, I just happened upon two Santa Monica Police officers on bikes (yes the irony was not lost on me!) and asked if they issued citations to the civilian population who were riding their bicycles on the boardwalk. They said it was unenforceable and they rarely write people up.

I find that infuriating. Not knowing what is really the law is unconscionable. Part of the nightmare that people experience with family law is that it's so fluid and open to an individual judge's interpretation. It drives my divorce and child custody clients crazy, and this is why: you don't know what you are supposed to do.

It's like my brother always points out when he's driving on Interstate 5 from Walnut Creek to Los Angeles: there's no way of knowing what the law is because the Highway Patrol doesn't enforce the actual speed limit, they just decide when they want to enforce the law at will. Sometimes it's 80, or 87, could be 83, maybe 90 or 95.

Now I understand that we want to give police officers a level of discretion, we've all been the beneficiaries of an officer's letting us off with a warning, some of us multiple times (wink)! However when we have a law that is called 'unenforceable' by the people who are supposed to enforce it, we have a problem.

As one friend of mine so often says, "why have the rules if we're not going to use them?" He's got a point.

Do I want a strict enforcement of all the laws, all the time? Of course not, I'm a lawyer after all, but I do want to know in general that the laws are enforced. I do want to know whether or not I can ride my bike by the Hot Dog Stick place or not. I do want to know what the real speed limit is on I-5 and I do want to know that the police are going to enforce with a fairly consistent logic the laws that our legislators have chosen to enact.

Additionally, I'd like to see our legislators remove those laws that are either outdated, unenforceable or just plain silly. I know their job is to write new laws, and that is what serves their owners, I mean contributors, but they can also write laws to undo the stupidity of their predecessors. After all we don't live by the traffic laws that were in force when the horse and buggy was around now do we? No, times change and the law is supposed to keep up with and reflect the society it serves.

It seems to me that we could do with a few less laws, and a bit more common sense in today's world and I think a great place to start would be with a cleaning house of the stale, unenforceable, outdated laws that no longer serve our bit of paradise by the bay, like ending this unenforceable law against riding on the boardwalk.

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WATER SHORTAGE REPONSE PLAN

SUBJECT: 1) Amendment of the Water Shortage Response Plan

A public hearing will be held by the City Council to consider the following:

1) Proposed Amendment of the City's Water Shortage Response Plan which sets water use allowances, water conservation thresholds, a process to adjust water use allowances, and penalties for non-compliance.

DATE/TIME: **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2015 AT 6:45 p.m.**

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

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

Address your letters to: City Clerk
Re: Water Shortage Response
1685 Main Street, Room 102
Santa Monica, CA 90401

MORE INFORMATION
If you want more information about the proposed amendment to the Water Shortage Response Plan or resolution or the Water Shortage Response Plan, please contact Kim O'Cain at (310) 458-8459, or by e-mail at kim.ocain@smgov.net. The proposed Water Shortage Response Plan is available at the City Clerk's Office during business hours and on the City's web site at www.santa-monica.org.

The meeting facility is wheelchair accessible. For disability-related accommodations, please contact (310) 458-8341 or (310) 458-8696 TTY at least 72 hours in advance. All written materials are available in alternate format upon request. Santa Monica "Big Blue" Bus Lines #2, #3, Rapid 3, #7 and #9 service the City Hall and Civic Center.

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 65009(b), if this matter is subsequently challenged in Court, the challenge may be limited to only those issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of Santa Monica at, or prior to, the public hearing.

ESPAÑOL
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Send comments to editor@smdp.com

A response to Bauer

Editor:

You need to really understand what is planned on Lincoln by attending a workshop, read the written materials, and, more importantly, walk along Lincoln.

The priority bus lane for peak times will NOT take away from the existing two lanes of traffic. It would only be in operation in the existing parking lane. It will stop buses from having to disrupt traffic as they pull in and out of bus stops. It will stop the "zoomers", who use the empty parking lane as a speed lane when the other two lanes are congested. These drivers are not planning on turning right, since they just want to race the other cars in the travel lanes: they want to win at any cost even if it disrupts others! The near accidents are numerous when the light turns green at intersections, or where there is an infrequently encountered parked car! The number of cars parked on Lincoln in the heavy northbound A.M. and southbound P.M. commute are marginal. Of the over 100 parking spots on the west side, less than 15 are used in the P.M. commute. And, there is ample side street parking.

Bikes? The 12 foot bus priority lane will be demarcated by a solid white line. In off peak times, this gives bikes about 5 feet of an "unmarked" lane to navigate more safely than today when bicyclists use either the street, or, illegally, the sidewalk, the most common "bike lane" on Lincoln. Most bikers will be able to traverse the entire length of Lincoln in Santa Monica without interfering with buses, as the buses will likely only run in the dedicated lane a few hours each morning and evening.

So, nothing is being taken away from the predominant, single occupant cars on Lincoln. Quite frankly, if you want to harness your displeasure and seek a constructive outcome, please encourage the LADOT to de-bottleneck Lincoln between the Santa Monica border and the Marina Freeway. That will truly make traffic flow with less gridlock in Santa Monica!

Medians? Turning cars not only slow traffic, but they also create a variety of safety issues. Medians reduce these potential issues. The 1.25 miles of Lincoln being discussed is about 6,500 feet long. The options of 1,000 feet or 2,000 feet of medians are actually too short for many. The vote in the LiNC Plan workshop on Aug. 6 was 2 to 1 for the longer median. If a longer median option were offered, it might be even more popular. Public Safety concerns (emergency vehicle access) preclude a continuous median.

Crosswalks? The proposed three crosswalk locations would have warning lights actuated by pedestrians. If you walk Lincoln between Pico and Ocean Park, you will notice that when the lights at these two cross streets stop Lincoln traffic there is a period of almost no traffic in either direction between these intersections. That is when crosswalk lights could stop traffic, however light it is.

I'd be happy to walk Lincoln with you to illustrate the real problems on Lincoln.

Roger Swanson
Lincoln Blvd. Task Force

PS: I worked for an oil company for ten years in the 1970's and I was in a 5-person car pool to downtown LA when there were no public transportation options. It can be done!

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FDA

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involved a bacterial strain called pseudomonas, which can cause pneumonia, severe sickness and death in hospital patients.

Additionally, FDA inspectors found that the company has no standard procedure for promptly reporting serious problems with its devices, a requirement for medical device companies. The FDA inspected four company sites in Japan and the U.S. between March and April this year.

A spokesman for the Tokyo manufacturer said in a statement: "We are reviewing the FDA's warning letter so that we can provide the required response in a timely manner."

Medical scopes from Olympus were linked to infections of antibiotic-resistant bacteria at two separate Los Angeles hospitals earlier this year. Hospital staff at Cedars-Sinai and UCLA medical centers said the infections occurred despite following Olympus' instructions for cleaning the devices, known as duodendoscopes.

Olympus is the market leader for duodenoscopes in the U.S., accounting for about 85 percent of sales, according to the FDA.

The specialized scopes consist of a flexible fiber-optic tube that is inserted down the throat into the stomach and small intestine to diagnose and treat conditions in the pancreas and bile ducts. The tip of the scope includes moveable instruments designed to remove tumors, gallstones and other blockages. But this complex design also makes the instruments extremely difficult to clean. Bodily fluids and other debris can stay in the device's joints and crevices even after cleaning and disinfection.

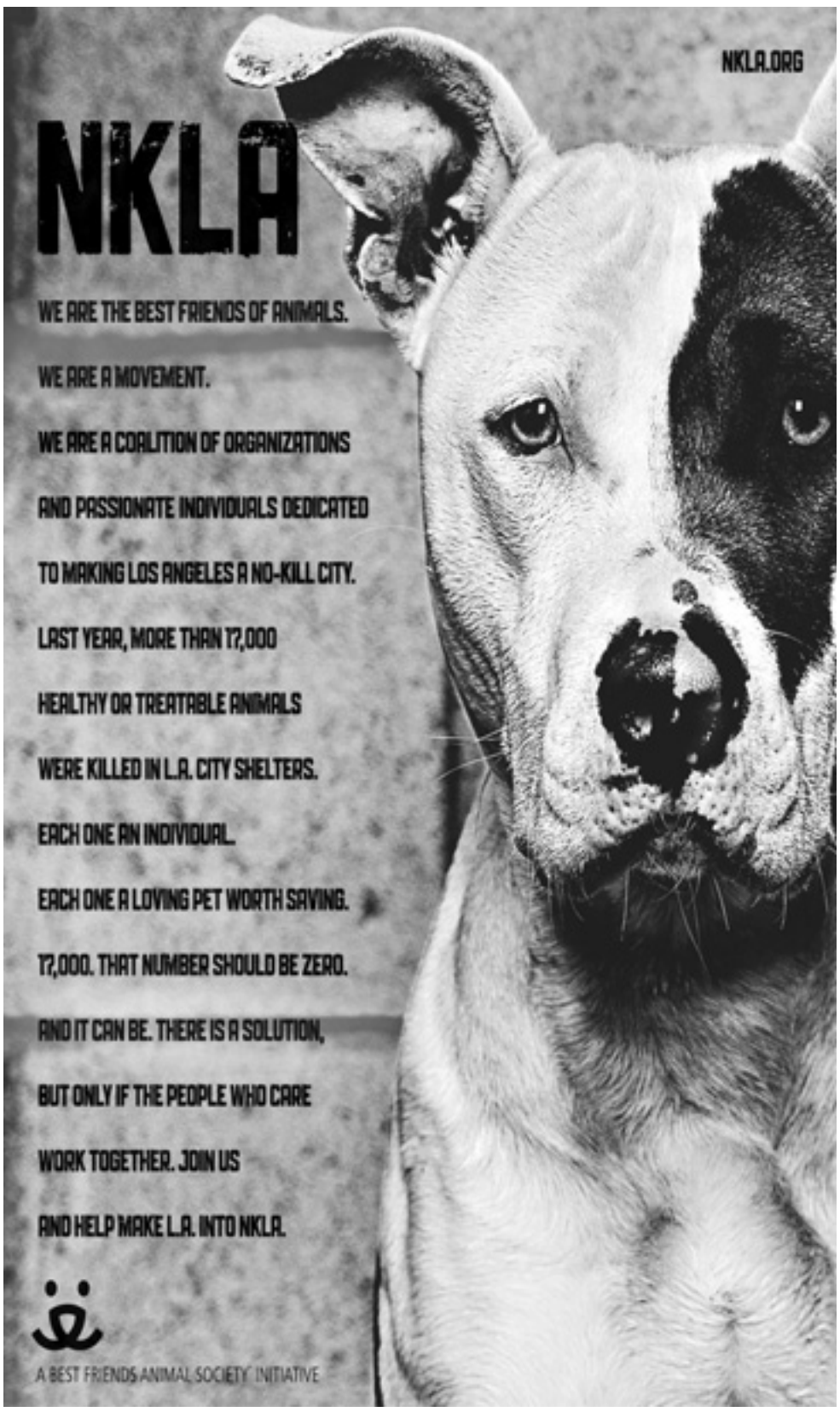
Since 2013, there have been eight outbreaks of antibiotic-resistant bacteria linked to the devices at U.S. hospitals, according to government figures.

The FDA also posted warning letters Monday to two other scope manufacturers - Hoya Corporation and Fujifilm Corporation - citing problems with the testing, design, reporting and quality control of their devices. All of the letters are dated Aug. 12. The companies are given 15 business days to respond with their plans to fix the problems.

Fujifilm said in a statement that it "takes the issue very seriously and is working closely with FDA." Hoya Corp. did not immediately respond to a request for comment Monday.

The FDA previously disclosed that Olympus did not seek federal clearance for the latest version of its duodenoscope, which it began selling in 2010.

Despite these problems, the FDA previously ruled it would keep the devices on the market because they fill an important need in a half-million procedures performed each year.



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Public Notice
Santa Monica Rent Control Board

At its regular meeting on August 13, 2015, the Santa Monica Rent Control Board amended regulation 2003 respecting the definition of "principal place of residence."

The amendments will become effective the day after publication of this notice in the newspaper. Copies of the amended regulations will be made available at the Rent Control Agency in Room 202 at City Hall and at www.smgov.net/rentcontrol.

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FAMILY BUSINESS: Bay Street Boards is located at 3216 Santa Monica Blvd.

SURF

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surfing and skating was missing. So we decided to open our own little thing."

They don't have a lot of apparel, just the "essential accessories." They strive to carry locally made boards. And that seems to be working for them.

"I think the reception we've got, the feedback we've got is positive. We have a lot of friends we knew that surf, skate, whatever. Starting up was kind of difficult. You know at the beginning it is always tough. But we are in it for the long haul. And we got a following through social media and word of mouth."

Bay Street Boards is small and family owned. Galeazzo and Sante's younger brother Francesco, 16, helps them out sometimes. And that family touch may mean something to the community, but it definitely means something to the owners.

"We clash, we fight, we get at it but at the end of the day that's another source of pride for me" Sante said. "I don't work for anyone else. It's my brother man. I really feel happy when I tell people [Galeazzo] and I started a business. We've been together our whole lives. It's been me and my big brother always doing everything. We're still here, we're still doing everything together. We're still learning, we're still figuring things out. It's hard, but I'm proud. I think we get a lot of things done and we both compliment each other in a lot of ways … Our differences are what really brings the shop together."

Galeazzo is proud of Sante's influence in the skating community, a photo of him skating at the Boys and Girls Club at 12-years-old once graced the pages of the Daily Press, as well as his artistic ability. Sante's art, which can be found through out of the shop, is just another thing the brothers think separates them from the larger shops.

"A lot of big companies dominate surfing now. Everything is being manufactured really cheaply. That's when all the small shops got run out. So we want to be local shapers, part of our local community," Galeazzo said. And the shop is giving back to the community in several ways, including donating money to non-profits like Pier Drift, which provides water filters to communities that don't have clean water.

But Galeazzo will tell you one of the biggest ways they give back is trying to bring back the surf and skate culture that originated in Santa Monica.

"Santa Monica and Venice really popularized modern surfing and skating. You know every pro skater has to come out to LA. If you are a really great skater in Minnesota you have to come out to LA. You have to be here. This is where it is at. But people don't really care about the culture that was created 20, 30 years ago. It was such a close-knit community and I think it was such a big part of the Westside community. Skating crazy pools and doing crazy tricks. A lot of it is lost."

And one of the ways they think they can bring back the culture is through the way they run their business.

"People really like us," Galeazzo said. "We focus on customer service, try to be really friendly, try to talk to people. People like to just come here and hang out and talk."

The shop also has something the corporate chains don't, an Uncle Sherm.

"Sherman is our ding repair guy and he's the best in the city," Galeazzo said. "Sherman is a true Santa Monica local. He's been living here over 60 years, surfing daily, repairing boards and occasionally shaping boards as well. He's at the shop every single day … Really a staple in the surf community here. Everybody knows and loves him ... He calls [the store] 'the brotherhood of the neighborhood,' and we like that."

Galeazzo and Sante know they are out numbered by the big corporate stores, but they aren't worried about it too much.

"That's fine. There's room for that. But people who live to skate, who do it all day. That's what we do, what we love. A lot of people have forgotten about it. But we haven't."

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Nicholas Salazar

PRACTICE: Despite a new coach, the Samohi Vikings expect to build on last season and end with a better record than last year.

FOOTBALL

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time league takes shape," Lambert said.

A game-by-game look at Samohi's 2015 schedule:

AUG. 28 AT TORRANCE

The Lambert era kicks off with a big opening game against a program that made the playoffs last year. Torrance was 6-5 in 2014, but three of its losses came by nine points combined. The Tartars should be hungry for success after falling apart late in their postseason loss to Oxnard last season.

SEPT. 4 VS. REDONDO UNION

The Vikings' first home game at Santa Monica College will pit them against a squad that lost just one Bay League duel last year. Redondo Union has also welcomed back longtime coach Gene Simon, who will serve as the team's offensive coordinator after stepping away from the program a few years ago.

SEPT. 18 AT GRACE BRETHREN

Samohi will likely need a standout effort for its game in Simi Valley, where it'll face a Grace Brethren program that appears headed for another stellar campaign after losing in a CIF section final last year. The Lancers are led by Zikel Reddick, who rushed for 2,199 yards and 27 touchdowns in 2014.

SEPT. 25 AT VALENCIA

Lambert called Valencia a "machine," and with good reason. Valencia has won six consecutive conference championships, and it is looking for postseason success after losing in the first round last year. Valencia is led by returning quarterback Cole Parkinson, who threw for 2,725 yards and 26 touchdowns last year.

OCT. 2 VS. POMONA

In this home game, Samohi will get a crack at a defending CIF section champion. The Vikings eked out a 10-8 road win in last year's meeting thanks to a strong ground game (257 yards), a standout performance by Zach Cooper (182 all-purpose yards and an interception) and a defense that held Pomona scoreless for three quarters.

OCT. 9 AT HAWTHORNE

Will Samohi be able to shut out Hawthorne for the fourth year in a row? In last season's dominant 41-0 rout at home, the Vikings racked up 427 yards on offense and a whopping 14 sacks on defense. Then-senior Corde Sweets caught two passes for 63 yards and also tallied two interceptions in the victory.

OCT. 16 VS. LAWNDALE

It's arguably the most anticipated matchup of 2015 for Samohi, which will face former coach Travis Clark. The Vikings dropped a painful 20-19 decision last year despite standout performances by quarterback Isaiah Johnson (262 yards and two touchdowns) and Sweets (193 receiving yards and two touchdowns). Emotions will likely run high this time around.

OCT. 23 VS. CULVER CITY

Last year's meeting was hardly a contest for Samohi, which cruised to a 49-0 romp on the road. The Vikings exploded for 634 all-purpose yards, including 128 on four interception returns. Culver City had just 134 rushing and receiving yards combined, but Lambert said the Centaurs are "making some strides" and will be better this season.

OCT. 30 AT BEVERLY HILLS

Lambert has seen Beverly Hills twice in person already, and he said the Normans are "ready to battle." That wasn't the case last year, when Samohi cruised to an easy 41-0 win with an 11-of-14 performance by Johnson that yielded 297 yards and five touchdowns. Then-senior Genki Yoshida led the Vikings defense with 13 tackles and an interception.

NOV. 6 AT EL SEGUNDO

Conference play ended sourly for Samohi with a 17-13 home loss in last year's meeting against El Segundo, which enters the 2015 campaign as the reigning league champion and which Lambert called "a very sound team." The Vikings led 13-3 at halftime in the 2014 clash but gave up 14 points in the fourth quarter of a defensive battle in which they were tackled for a loss 15 times.

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California measure fails to create green jobs

JULIA HOROWITZ
Associated Press

SACRAMENTO Three years after California voters passed a ballot measure to raise taxes on corporations and generate clean energy jobs by funding energy-efficiency projects in schools, barely one-tenth of the promised jobs have been created, and the state has no comprehensive list to show how much work has been done or how much energy has been saved.

Money is trickling in at a slower-than-anticipated rate, and more than half of the $297 million given to schools so far has gone to consultants and energy auditors. The board created to oversee the project and submit annual progress reports to the Legislature has never met, according to a review by The Associated Press.

Voters in 2012 approved the Clean Energy Jobs Act by a large margin, closing a tax loophole for multistate corporations. The Legislature decided to send half the money to fund clean energy projects in schools, promising to generate more than 11,000 jobs each year.

Instead, only 1,700 jobs have been created in three years, raising concerns about whether the money is accomplishing what voters were promised.

"Accountability boards that are rubber stamps are fairly common, but accountability boards that don't meet at all are a big problem," said Douglas Johnson, a state government expert at Claremont McKenna College in Southern California.

The State Energy Commission, which oversees Proposition 39 spending, could not provide any data about completed projects or calculate energy savings because schools are not required to report the results for up to 15 months after completion, spokeswoman Amber Beck said.

Still, she said she believes the program is on track.

Not enough data has been collected for the nine-member oversight board of professors, engineers and climate experts to meet, she said.

The AP's review of state and local records found that not one project for which the state allocated $12.6 million has been completed in the Los Angeles Unified School District, which has nearly 1,000 schools. Two schools were scheduled this summer to receive lighting retrofits and heating and cooling upgrades, but no construction work has been done on either site, LAUSD spokeswoman Barbara Jones said.

The office of Senate President Pro Tem Kevin de Leon, D-Los Angeles, previously estimated LAUSD would save up to $27 million a year on energy costs; projects proposed by the district so far would save only $1.4 million.

De Leon, the primary booster of Proposition 39 in the state Legislature, was not available to comment, spokeswoman Claire Conlon said. She said the program is working as planned, and that school districts are encouraged to let funds build up to make "bigger, more comprehensive investments."

School district officials around the state say they intend to meet a 2018 deadline to request funds and a 2020 deadline to complete projects. They say the money will go to major, long-needed projects and are unconcerned schools have applied for only half of the $973 million available so far, or that $153 million of the $297 million given to schools has gone for energy planning by consultants and auditors.

"If there's money out there, we're going for it," said Tom Wright, an energy manager for the San Diego Unified School District, which has received $9.5 million of its available $9.7 million.

Leftover money would return to the general fund for unrestricted projects of lawmakers' choosing.

"It's probably high time there is a hearing that shows where the jobs have landed in these communities," said Strela Cervas, director of the California Environmental Justice Alliance.

The proposition is also bringing in millions less each year than initially projected. Proponents such as de Leon and billionaire investor and philanthropist Tom Steyer, who funded the ballot measure with a personal $30 million, told voters in 2012 that it would send up to $550 million annually to the Clean Jobs Energy Fund. But it brought in just $381 million in 2013, $279 million in 2014 and $313 million in 2015.

There's no exact way to track how corporations reacted to the tax code change, but it's likely most companies adapted to minimize their tax burdens, nonpartisan legislative analyst Ken Kapphahn said. He also said the change applies to a very small number of corporations.

Steyer's office declined to make him available for an interview or to comment on the lower revenue figures.

"Proposition 39 has already accomplished its goal of protecting California jobs and employers by closing a corporate tax loophole for companies that ship California jobs to other states," Steyer said in a statement. His team sought to distance Steyer from the measure's implementation, saying the billionaire wanted to respect the process of the Legislature.

It's undeniable that Proposition 39 has created a disappointing number of jobs, said Kirk Clark, vice president of the California Business Roundtable, which opposed the measure but did not aggressively lobby against it.

"We've got a long track record in California of over-promising green jobs and under-delivering," said Clark, who also expressed concern that most of the jobs created so far appear to be consulting positions.

Neither the Energy Commission nor Tim Rainey, director of the California Workforce Investment Board, could identify the types of jobs created by Proposition 39 projects. They said that information would be available when the oversight board meets for the first time, likely in October or November.

Clark also noted that nearly half the approved projects have been lighting retrofits, which don't create as many jobs as work-intensive projects such as replacing heating and air conditioning systems.

Schools often prioritize lighting projects because they work well with the Energy Commission's formula, which requires schools to save at least $1.05 on energy costs for every dollar spent. The Energy Commission said its jobs number is based on dollars spent and doesn't take the type of project into account.

Johnson said the slow results show the oversight board should have gotten involved much earlier.

"They should have been overseeing all stages of this project, not just waiting until the money's gone and seeing where it went," Johnson said.

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The Santa Monica Community College District Board of Trustees shall hold a public hearing on September 1, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room at the Business Building Room 117, Santa Monica College,1900 Pico Boulevard, Santa Monica, CA 90405 for the purpose of taking public comment prior to the approval of the dedication.

The Resolution of the Board of Trustees of the Santa Monica Community College District of its intention to make this dedication was adopted on August 4, 2015. A copy of the resolution can be found at http://www.smc.edu/ACG/Pages/Trustees-Meeting-Information.aspx

Any inquiries or correspondence should be sent to Charlie Yen, Director of Contract Services, Santa Monica Community College District, 1900 Pico Boulevard, Santa Monica, California 90405.



SURF REPORT



SURF FORECASTS

WATER TEMP: **72.9°**

TUESDAY – **POOR TO FAIR** – SURF: **2-3 ft** knee to waist high
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WEDNESDAY – **POOR TO FAIR** – SURF: **1-3 ft** ankle to waist high
Small southerly swell mix.

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El Pescador State Beach, between Lechusa and Los Alisos creeks.		
Encinal Canyon at El Matador State Beach.	A+	A+
Broad Beach at Trancas Creek mouth.	B	A+
Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth.	A+	A+
Walnut Creek, projection of Wildlife Rd. (private).	A+	F
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth.	F	A+
Escondido Creek, just east of Escondido State Beach.	A+	F
Latigo Canyon Creek mouth.	F	A+
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Topanga State Beach at creek mouth.	A	B
Castlerock Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach.	ns	ns
Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach.	B	F
Will Rogers State Beach at 17200 PCH (1/4 mile east of Sunset drain).	B	A+

LOCATION	DRY	WET
Will Rogers State Beach at Bel Air Bay Club drain near fence.	A+	A+
Will Rogers State Beach at Pulga Canyon storm drain.	A	F
Will Rogers State Beach at Temescal Canyon drain.	A+	A+
Will Rogers State Beach at Santa Monica Canyon drain (Chautauqua).	B	B
Santa Monica Beach at Montana Ave. drain.	A+	A+
Santa Monica Beach at Wilshire Blvd. drain.	A+	F
Santa Monica Municipal Pier.	C	C
Santa Monica Beach at Pico/Kenter storm drain.	A	D
Santa Monica Beach at Strand St. (in front of the restrooms).	A+	A+
Ocean Park Beach at Ashland Ave. drain.	A+	B
Venice City Beach, at the Rose Ave. storm drain.	A+	F
Venice Beach at Brooks Ave. drain.	A+	A+
Venice Beach at Windward Ave. drain.	A	F
Venice Fishing Pier - 50 yards south.	F	A+
Venice Beach- projection of Topsail St..	A+	D
Marina del Rey, Mothers' Beach- lifeguard tower.	F	B
Dockweiler State Beach at Ballona Creek mouth.	ns	ns
Dockweiler State Beach at Culver Blvd. drain.	A	F
North Westchester Storm Drain at Dockweiler State Beach.	B	B
Dockweiler State Beach at World Way (south of DBW jetty).	A+	A+
Dockweiler State Beach at Imperial Hwy drain.	A+	F
Dockweiler Beach- opposite Hyperion Treatment Plant.	A+	A+
Dockweiler State Beach at Grand Ave. drain.	A+	A+

LEGEND

DRY -- each location is graded on an A - F scale based on bacterial pollution levels present in the surf zone
WET -- grades for days of recorded rainfall and the following 3 days
ns -- no sample taken

Heal the Bay's Beach Report Card™is based on weekly water quality monitoring data provided by the City of Los Angeles' Environmental Monitoring Division and the Los Angeles County Department of Health Services. Data is analyzed as soon as it is made available to us by the public agencies. Beaches are graded on an A-F scale based on the risk of ocean users becoming ill. Samples are analyzed for bacteria—enterococcus, total and fecal coliforms—that indicate biological pollution. A fact sheet detailing the exact methodology used in determining grades for each location is available from the office or on our web site. The report is not designed to measure the amount of trash or toxins found at local beaches.

The Beach Report Card is an indication of past water quality and is not a warranty of the current safety of those areas surveyed. Our lawyers are happy.

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CRIME WATCH

BY DAILY PRESS STAFF



Crime Watch is culled from reports provided by the Santa Monica Police Department. These are arrests only. All parties are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

ON AUGUST 6, AT ABOUT 7:40 A.M.

Officers responded to the area of 4th Street and Olympic Drive regarding an assault with a baseball bat that just occurred a few blocks north. The victim of the assault reported that he had been sitting on the east side of Santa Monica Place when he was approached by a male who asked him for a lighter. When the victim told the suspect he did not have a lighter, the suspect (Traevon Dillard) became angry and threw a baseball bat at him. The bat struck the victim on his arm. Dillard picked up the bat and walked southbound on 4th Street, with the victim following, until Dillard was detained by officers at Olympic Drive. Dillard, 36, of Los Angeles was arrested for assault with a deadly weapon and a probation violation and booked into the Santa Monica Jail. He wad denied bail.

DAILY POLICE LOG

The Santa Monica Police Department responded to 410 calls for service on Aug 16.

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

Fight 3100 Block Of Main 12:26 a.m.
Family Disturbance 2900 Block Of 4th 1:39 a.m.
Party Complaint 1500 Block Of Stanford 2:00 a.m.
Family Disturbance 1400 Block Of Princeton 2:21 a.m.
Vandalism 1100 Block Of Stanford 2:22 a.m.
DUI 2200 Block Of Colorado 2:44 a.m.
Fight 1400 Block Of Ocean 3:44 a.m.
Vandalism 2nd / Broadway 6:41 a.m.
Hit And Run 1800 Block Of Pearl 9:19 a.m.
Traffic Accident 1700 Block Of Ocean Park 9:22 a.m.
Threats Report/Investigations 400 Block Of 10th 10:32 a.m.
Vandalism 2000 Block Of 14th 10:48 a.m.
Hit And Run 1900 Block Of Cloverfield 10:59 a.m.
Battery Main / Rose 12:35 p.m.
Injured Person 300 Block Of Santa Monica Pl 1:03 p.m.
Hit And Run 200 Block Of Washington 1:28 p.m.
Public Intoxication 2400 Block Of Wilshire 1:29 p.m.
Traffic Accident Lincoln / Olympic W 1:58 p.m.
Family Disturbance 1500 Block Of The Beach 3:19 p.m.
Hit And Run Lincoln / Ocean Park 3:25 p.m.
Domestic Violence 1800 Block Of Ocean 3:33 p.m.
Fight 1200 Block Of Ocean 4:03 p.m.
Public Intoxication 1200 Block Of Wilshire 4:25 p.m.
Petty Theft 1100 Block Of Lincoln 4:54 p.m.
Hit And Run 1500 Block Of Stanford 5:22 p.m.
Battery 600 Block Of Santa Monica 5:27 p.m.
Fire Request Police 2100 Block Of 20th 5:33 p.m.
Critical Missing Person 300 Block Of Santa Monica Pier 5:48 p.m.
Burglary 900 Block Of Idaho 6:26 p.m.
Burglary 2200 Block Of 5th 7:20 p.m.
Vandalism 1300 Block Of Grant 8:13 p.m.
Traffic Accident 200 Block Of Pacific Coast Hwy 8:16 p.m.
Traffic Accident 2nd / Arizona 8:23 p.m.
Burglary 900 Block Of Idaho 8:50 p.m.
Suspicious Person 1700 Block Of Cedar 8:53 p.m.
Hit And Run 1800 Block Of Pearl 9:31 p.m.
Traffic Accident Lincoln / Pico 10:02 p.m.
Assault With Deadly Weapon 2400 Block Of Pico 10:23 p.m.
Traffic Accident 4th / Broadway 10:26 p.m.
Family Disturbance 2100 Block Of Ocean 10:59 p.m.
Vandalism Ocean / Pacific 11:04 p.m.
Suspicious Person 300 Block Of California 11:24 p.m.

DAILY FIRE LOG

The Santa Monica Fire Department responded to 53 calls for service on Aug 16.

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

EMS 500 Block Of Ocean 12:35 a.m.
EMS 1400 Block Of Ocean Park 12:49 a.m.
EMS Intersection Of Ocean / Olympic Dr 2:01 a.m.
EMS 2100 Block Of Ocean 2:51 a.m.
EMS 1300 Block Of Franklin 2:52 a.m.
EMS 800 Block Of 2nd 4:52 a.m.
EMS 800 Block Of 14th 4:55 a.m.
EMS 2000 Block Of Arizona 5:11 a.m.
Odor Of Natural Gas 600 Block Of 24th 7:27 a.m.
EMS 600 Block Of Pier 7:46 a.m.
EMS 1000 Block Of Ocean 7:53 a.m.
Automatic Alarm 1300 Block Of 7th 8:06 a.m.
Injuries From Assault 1200 Block Of Montana 8:16 a.m.
EMS 1400 Block Of Palisades Beach 8:39 a.m.
EMS Intersection Of 4th / Santa Monica 8:49 a.m.
EMS 1100 Block Of Ashland 9:07 a.m.
EMS 1300 Block Of 17th 9:48 a.m.
EMS 400 Block Of Palisades Beach 10:41 a.m.
EMS 1300 Block Of 15th 10:52 a.m.
Automatic Alarm 1400 Block Of 3rd Street Prom 11:16 a.m.
EMS 800 Block Of 2nd 11:44 a.m.
EMS Intersection Of Appian Way / Pacific Ter 11:52 a.m.
Wires Down 1600 Block Of Stanford 12:08 p.m.
EMS 800 Block Of Palisades Beach 12:09 p.m.
EMS 1200 Block Of 16th 12:10 p.m.
EMS 1500 Block Of 14th 12:38 p.m.
EMS 300 Block Of Santa Monica Pl 1:03 p.m.
EMS 1300 Block Of 3rd Street Prom 1:09 p.m.
EMS 500 Block Of Washington 2:10 p.m.
EMS 2700 Block Of Main 2:58 p.m.
Fire Out Investigation 2600 Block Of Santa Monica 3:21 p.m.
EMS Intersection Of Ocean / Colorado 3:55 p.m.
EMS 1600 Block Of Palisades Beach 4:33 p.m.
EMS 300 Block Of Santa Monica Pier 4:37 p.m.
EMS 1600 Block Of Bryn Mawr 4:48 p.m.
EMS 2300 Block Of 4th 5:05 p.m.
EMS 400 Block Of Santa Monica Pier 5:09 p.m.
EMS Intersection Of 21st / Virginia 5:40 p.m.

CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

1 Sire
6 Make suitable
11 Quartz variety
12 Messing on TV
13 Utah national park
15 Snaky fish
16 Huck's pal
17 Restful resort
18 Justice succeeded by Kagan
20 News-stand buy, for short
21 Fuming feeling
22 Cause of ruin
23 Big families
26 Raft pilot
27 "Ratatouille" rat
28 Hit show letters
29 Frozen over
30 Major league play, in slang
34 Saloon
35 Kanye's music
36 "The Matrix" hero
37 Nationals' star outfielder
40 Clear
41 Wake
42 TV's Leary
43 Door sign

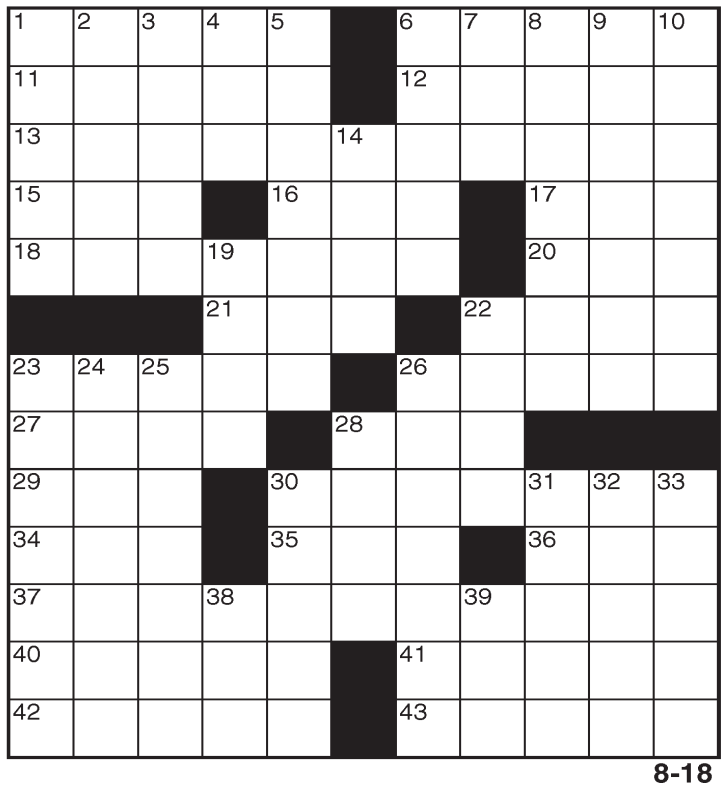
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1 Innocent ones
2 Wading bird
3 Singer Crystal
4 Series-ending abbr.
5 Seesaws
6 Second U.S. president
7 Lion's home
8 Very bad
9 Fuel gas
10 Colorful bird
14 Volcano shape
19 Like kudzu
22 Blockhead
23 Plagiarized
24 "Smiley's People" author
25 Oscar nominee for "Gone Baby Gone"
26 Get ready
28 Old Iranian title
30 Grove sight
31 Advice
32 Gaggle members
33 More tender
38 Long-running CBS drama
39 Friend of Harry and Hermione

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Yesterday's answer

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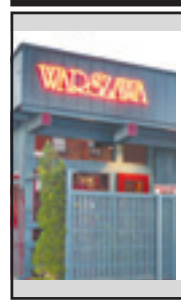
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Sudoku

Fill in the blank cells using numbers 1 to 9. Each number can appear only once in each row, column, and 3x3 block. Use logic and process of elimination to solve the puzzle. The difficulty level ranges from (easiest) to (hardest).

Difficulty Level ★★

	9			8			4	
			2		7			
		4		3		1		
	8		5		9		2	
9		2				3		5
	6		3		4		7	
		1		5		7		
			1		8			
	2			9			8	

GETTING STARTED

There are many strategies to solving Sudoku. One way to begin is to examine each 3x3 grid and figure out which numbers are missing. Then, based on the other numbers in the row and column of each blank cell, find which of the missing numbers will work. Eliminating numbers will eventually lead you to the answer.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

2	8	7	3	6	1	4	5	9
3	9	1	5	2	4	6	7	8
6	4	5	7	9	8	3	2	1
9	7	4	8	5	6	1	3	2
5	2	8	9	1	3	7	4	6
1	6	3	4	7	2	8	9	5
4	5	6	2	8	7	9	1	3
7	1	9	6	3	5	2	8	4
8	3	2	1	4	9	5	6	7

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DAILY LOTTERY

POWERBALL
Draw Date: 8/15
3 13 17 42 52
Power#: 24
Jackpot: 80M

MEGA MILLIONS
Draw Date: 8/14
12 15 20 52 71
Mega#: 3
Jackpot: 39M

SUPER LOTTO
Draw Date: 8/15
14 21 27 30 45
Mega#: 3
Jackpot: 9M

Fantasy 5
Draw Date: 8/16
6 7 30 34 35

DAILY 3
Draw Date: 8/17
MIDDAY: 0 1 4
Draw Date: 8/16
EVENING: 7 7 7

DAILY DERBY
Draw Date: 8/16
1st: 07 Eureka
2nd: 11 Money Bags
3rd: 02 Lucky Star
RACE TIME: 1:41.96

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WORD UP!

brickbat

1. an unkind or unfavorable remark; caustic criticism: The critics greeted the play with brickbats.

TODAY IN HISTORY

1917 – A Great Fire in Thessaloniki, Greece destroys 32% of the city leaving 70,000 individuals homeless.

1920 – The Nineteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution is ratified, guaranteeing women's suffrage.

1938 – The Thousand Islands Bridge, connecting New York, United States with Ontario, Canada over the Saint Lawrence River, is dedicated by U.S. President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

1945 – Sukarno takes office as the first president of Indonesia, following the country's declaration of independence the previous day.

1948 – The Australian cricket team completed a 4–0 Ashes series win over England during their undefeated Invincibles tour.

1950 – Julien Lahaut, the chairman of the Communist Party of Belgium is assassinated by far-right elements.

1958 – Vladimir Nabokov's controversial novel Lolita is published in the United States.

1958 – Brojen Das from Bangladesh swims across the English Channel in a competition, as the first Bangali and the first Asian to do so. He came first among 39 competitors.

NEWS OF THE WEIRD BY CHUCK SHEPARD

■ Georgia, one of six states that make taxpayers shell out huge fees to access its databases of public records, tries so relentlessly to control its archive that, recently, in a federal lawsuit, it said opposition to its policy was basically "terrorism." Activists (Public.Resource.org) have been establishing workarounds to free up some databases for citizen use, and Georgia demands that they stop. Georgia even claims "copyright" protection for one category of important legal documents that were initially drafted by state bureaucrats, audaciously calling them "original" and "creative" works.

■ Mandatory Inaction: In July, the mayor of the town of Ador, Spain (pop. 1,400), officially enacted into law what had merely been custom -- a required afternoon siesta from 2 to 5 p.m. Businesses were ordered to close, and children were to remain indoors (and quiet).

■ At a traffic stop in Rockingham, Vermont, on July 26, both driver and passenger were charged with DUI. Erik Polite, 35, was the driver (clocked at 106 mph on Interstate 91 and, according to police, with drugs in the car), and while he was being screened for intoxication, passenger Leeshawn Baker, 34, jumped behind the wheel and peeled off in reverse across the highway, nearly hitting the trooper, who arrested him.

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Think of the site as a modern-day soapbox where innovative ideas and differing viewpoints can be discussed freely (powdered wigs not required).

Q: What is your code of conduct?

A: Giive a (bleep) promotes a civil atmosphere for users (but not abusers). We encourage everyone to voice their opinion regardless of identity, politics, ideology, religion or hairstyle, as long as those opinions are respectful and add to the conversation. Haters may be banished from the kingdom of Giiveopolis.

Q: What's a FAQ?

A: A Frequently Asked Question. Maybe Face-masking A Quail.

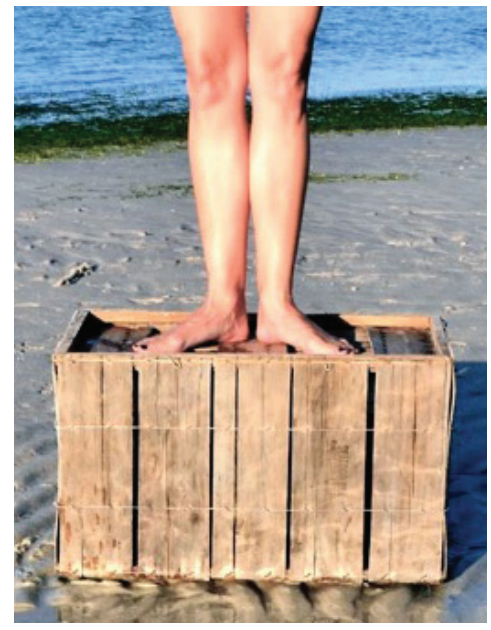
Q: Will my submission be altered or edited?

A: Absolutely. Accepted posts will be edited for length and quality with every attempt made to retain the author's voice. Fear not, our sleep-deprived editorial team is strung out on strong coffee (yeah, that's it, strong coffee).

Q: I want in. How can I contribute?

A: You're so cool you made our hearts melt.

Giive a (bleep) is on a quest to draw talented writers, photographers, bloggers, vloggers and artists with a passion for giving back. Drop a line, ferry a query or send a message in a bottle to editor@giive.org.



C'mon, Santa Monica. Your soapbox awaits.

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Let go of stress, Sagittarius

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★★ You could be in the position of making a difference through your actions and leadership. Your fiery temperament is likely to take you down a new trail, but you will have to stay on good terms with others regardless. Avoid a power play. Tonight: Plan on being in demand.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★ You'll want to get more involved with an issue, but you might not see a better path. Steer clear for now; you know when enough is enough. Zero in what you want. A friend will be significant in helping you decide what to do. Tonight: Tap into your imagination.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★★ Remain easygoing when dealing with a fiery relative, neighbor or friend. On top of this issue, you could discover that someone is taking a strong stance. You might feel as though this is some kind of control game. Tonight: Opt to handle a problem as a team.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★ You could opt for a dynamic change regarding a personal issue. You might not agree with a partner, but you realize that you need to compromise in order to get past the problem. A positive attitude would be better than getting into a power play. Tonight: Head home early.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★★ Reach out to someone you care a lot about. You often let this bond slide and just assume it will be OK. Your assumption is faulty and needs to be revised. You will see that this person is waiting for you to make contact. Tonight: Make a couple of calls before you make plans.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★★ Curb your anger or frustration. You are more powerful and connected than you realize. Assume a more relaxed temperament. Express your thoughts clearly, especially with a child. Caring evolves between you and a loved one. Tonight: Be content.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★★ You could feel as if you have a lot to do, and it is important to do it quickly. A call is likely to encourage a deviation from plans. Someone who cares about you will reach out to you. You might want to take some time with a special person. Tonight: Let the party go on.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★ You might need to confide in a close friend who will keep your words and secrets to him- or herself. Find a way of letting this person know how much you care about and appreciate him or her. Nothing can replace this type of loyalty. Tonight: Get some extra zzz's.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★★ You are a people person, and nothing that occurs today will prove otherwise. You have a lot of pressure on you to deal with a matter involving your domestic life. Be willing to say "no" to a request. A friendship plays a significant role in your life. Tonight: Let go of stress.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★ You might want to consider an option that could prevent a conflict with an older relative or an authority figure. You will need to step back from a hassle at the moment. Remember that it is more important to win the war than it is to win the battle. Tonight: A must appearance.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★★ Others might wonder why you have little to say right now. You have a way about you that makes a child or loved one think before he or she leaps. You understand that sometimes the less said the better. Be open to a conversation. Tonight: Start planning the weekend.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★★ You might want to listen carefully to a partner's emotional and financial needs. This person seems to have a very different point of view from you. Neither of you are right or wrong; you both simply have a unique way of approaching matters. Tonight: Chat over dinner.

Tuesday, August 18, 2015

JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS
The stars show the kind of day you'll have:
★★★★★Dynamic ★★ So-So
★★★★ Positive ★ Difficult
★★★ Average

This year you discover that you are full of energy -- much more than usual. It will be imperative that you have a good outlet for all this vitality. If not, you will find that you easily could get into all sorts of conflicts. Make sure to get plenty of exercise. If you are single, you could meet someone who brings to light how possessive you can be. Try to understand what is making you feel insecure. If you are attached, the two of you often get into conflicts that you believe are important but really aren't. Remember, you are with the one you love. LIBRA loves to be around you.

Speed Bump

By Dave Coverly



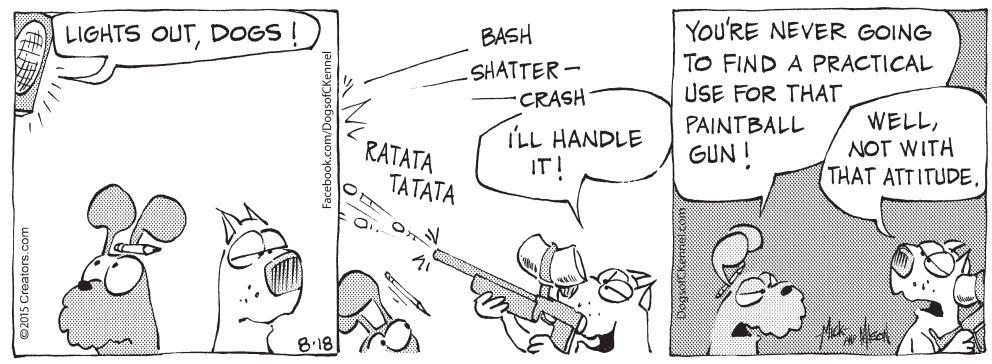
Strange Brew

By John Deering



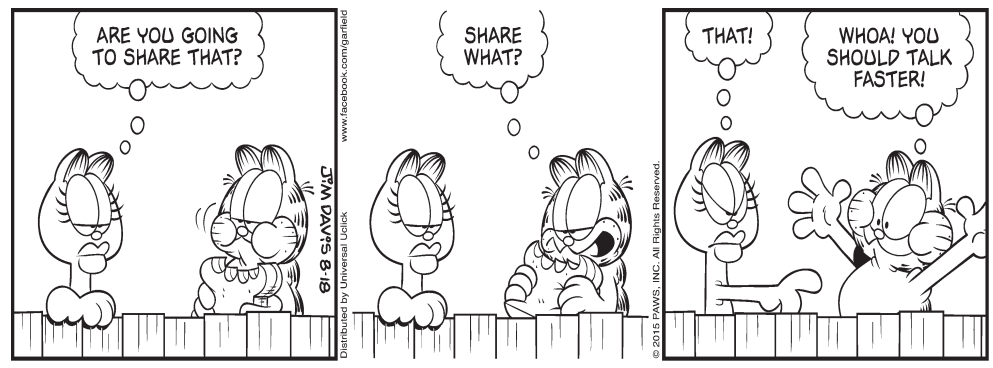
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