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MAKING MOVES: **Vikings running back Brandon Taylor (left) runs the ball during practice at Santa Monica High School on Wednesday.**

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Samohi picks up the pieces

Vikings hope second week of season brings optimism

BY DANIEL ARCHULETA
Managing Editor

PACIFIC PALISADES The Vikings will be playing for Cody Williams tonight against Palisades.

In the week since the junior linebacker's serious spinal injury, the Santa Monica High School football team has been forced to deal with everything but football. There are fundraising efforts afoot and the school is considering what can be done to honor the player during future games, but it is the business of football that must come to the forefront if the team is going to move on.

Week one proved to be difficult for the Vikings all around. First, a flu-like illness kept at least 10 players out of last week's loss against Leuzinger and then the squad was forced to cope with the shock of losing a teammate in such a manner.

While Williams will never be far from their minds, it's Pali's balanced offensive attack that will fill their thoughts during tonight's 7 p.m. game.

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Coyotes moving further into city

BY MELODY HANATANI
Daily Press Staff Writer

FRANKLIN STREET There was ringing and then silence.

Mary Mascarenas heard it from her bedroom, awakening to the sound of Cookie the cat sprinting in the backyard, the bell on its collar ringing in a frantic call for help.

It was still early in the morning yet the pet owner knew something was awry, looking out the front door and seeing a coyote across the street, carrying the captured feline in its mouth.

Then before her eyes, the coyote snapped Cookie's neck.

"I had seen that coyote before," Mascarenas said about the attack on Sept. 13 outside her home in the 1500 block of Franklin Street. "I had seen him a couple of months ago in the morning, walking on the sidewalk."

Coyotes have, over the past year, been seen making a gradual progression into the heart of Santa Monica, spotted in the western part of Santa Monica Canyon in the spring of 2008 and more recently in the northwestern corner of the city.

There have been more than 30 sightings — half a dozen of which since August — and 11 dead cats picked up in the past year.

"They use the natural paths in order to get to our city," Santa Monica Police Department's Lt. PJ Guido said.

The coyotes have been frequently spotted in Mascarenas' neighborhood in the eastside of town, posters hanging on trees asking for the public's help in finding missing cats, dead or alive.

"There's a cat I used to see here in the alley every day," she said. "I don't see it anymore."

Coyotes are considered to be highly adaptable, able to live on food in virtually any type of open space, whether it be rural or urban, finding food in everything from the rodents on the street to garbage.

"One of the reasons why coyote populations can be substantial in suburban areas is due to the availability for prospective food," Kyle Orr, spokesman for the California Department of Fish and Game, said.

The SMPD has stepped up patrol in the north and eastern parts of the city as a result of the coyote sightings, checking throughout the day.

Several coyotes have also been trapped over the course of the year, some of which were already dead, apparently struck by a car. Some coyotes, if alive, are taken to the hospital and may be euthanized depending on their health.

Wildlife experts suggested that residents keep a tight lid on their trash cans and bring their pets, which are often easy targets for coyotes, as well as their food indoors. Brush and dense weeds around properties

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Weller's review denied by court

BY DAILY PRESS STAFF

DOWNTOWN The California Supreme Court on Thursday refused to review the conviction of George Russell Weller, the elderly man who plowed his car through a crowded Farmers' Market in Downtown in 2003, killing 10 people and injuring 63 others.

As a result, his conviction stands, according to the Los Angeles Times.

Weller was 86 on July 16, 2003 when he drove his 1992 Buick LeSabre through wooden-

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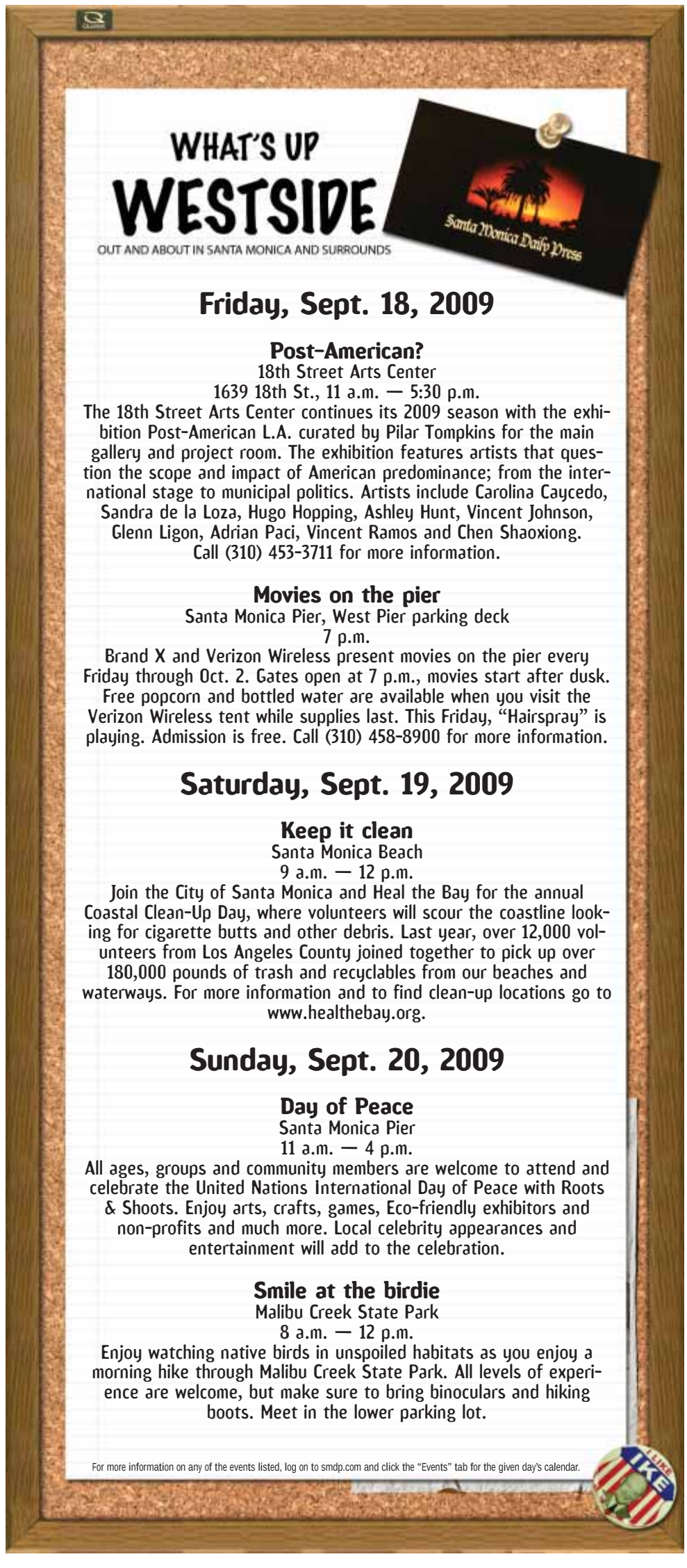


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Friday, Sept. 18, 2009

Post-American?
18th Street Arts Center
1639 18th St., 11 a.m. — 5:30 p.m.
The 18th Street Arts Center continues its 2009 season with the exhibition Post-American L.A. curated by Pilar Tompkins for the main gallery and project room. The exhibition features artists that question the scope and impact of American predominance; from the international stage to municipal politics. Artists include Carolina Caycedo, Sandra de la Loza, Hugo Hopping, Ashley Hunt, Vincent Johnson, Glenn Ligon, Adrian Paci, Vincent Ramos and Chen Shaoxiong. Call (310) 453-3711 for more information.

Movies on the pier
Santa Monica Pier, West Pier parking deck
7 p.m.
Brand X and Verizon Wireless present movies on the pier every Friday through Oct. 2. Gates open at 7 p.m., movies start after dusk. Free popcorn and bottled water are available when you visit the Verizon Wireless tent while supplies last. This Friday, "Hairspray" is playing. Admission is free. Call (310) 458-8900 for more information.

Saturday, Sept. 19, 2009

Keep it clean
Santa Monica Beach
9 a.m. — 12 p.m.
Join the City of Santa Monica and Heal the Bay for the annual Coastal Clean-Up Day, where volunteers will scour the coastline looking for cigarette butts and other debris. Last year, over 12,000 volunteers from Los Angeles County joined together to pick up over 180,000 pounds of trash and recyclables from our beaches and waterways. For more information and to find clean-up locations go to www.healthebay.org.

Sunday, Sept. 20, 2009

Day of Peace
Santa Monica Pier
11 a.m. — 4 p.m.
All ages, groups and community members are welcome to attend and celebrate the United Nations International Day of Peace with Roots & Shoots. Enjoy arts, crafts, games, Eco-friendly exhibitors and non-profits and much more. Local celebrity appearances and entertainment will add to the celebration.

Smile at the birdie
Malibu Creek State Park
8 a.m. — 12 p.m.
Enjoy watching native birds in unspoiled habitats as you enjoy a morning hike through Malibu Creek State Park. All levels of experience are welcome, but make sure to bring binoculars and hiking boots. Meet in the lower parking lot.

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



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NOT FOR LONG: **The South Tower at Saint John's Health Center is slated to be demolished beginning in May of 2010.**

Tension marks hospital meeting

BY MELODY HANATANI
Daily Press Staff Writer

COLORADO AVENUE There were voices raised, frustrated expressions and deep sighs.

They were all there during a contentious two-hour meeting on Wednesday between officials with Saint John's Health Center and neighbors regarding the past, present and future of construction at the Catholic hospital, a more than decade-long campus rebuilding project that has led to strained relations with nearby residents.

The meeting was held to update the community on the demolition of the old hospital — South Tower — and address a long list of grievances by neighbors, including the smell of raw sewage, shortage of parking, and noise and traffic impacts from the construction of the recently completed Howard Keck Center this summer and adjoining Chan Soon Shiong Center for Life Sciences in 2005.

The $500 million construction project came following the 1994 Northridge earthquake, which significantly damaged beyond repair more than one-third of the buildings on the hospital campus. The new Howard Keck Center will have 235 beds with the ability to go up to 268.

LaTisha Starbuck, the vice president of mission and ethics, said that the opening of the center will be delayed as the hospital has faced challenges receiving licensing because of complications from the California budget crisis, which has reduced staff at the permitting agency. She estimates the move-in date to be in the middle of October and the center to be operational by the end of that month.

The demolition of the South Tower is scheduled for May 2010 and work will begin on landscape features in June of next year.

The hospital has been criticized for a lack of communication with the community for recently holding a neighborhood meeting during a weekday afternoon. Starbuck said the hospital is making a concerted effort to improve communication.

"We really have been an integral part of this neighborhood and community for 67 years," she said. "We love Santa Monica and want to be good neighbors."

One of the biggest issues for residents has been the raw sewage smell that wafts from the hospital when a truck comes to vacuum the tanks where the waste collects. Neighbors have contended that a design flaw in the hospital's sewage system has led to the problem.

Greg Harrison, the director of marketing and business development, said that there isn't a design flaw.

"Rather the sewage system that was approved and selected for the construction of the two new buildings uses technology where sewage is collected in tanks then pumped into the city sewage system," he said on Thursday. "The Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development mandates that a hospital be capable of storing 72 hours of sanitary waste in an event such as an earthquake."

Hospital officials said they are looking to rectify the problem.

The sewage smell has been the main cause of concern for Steve Sahagun, who

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Nickelodeon puts spotlight on student

BY CATHERINE CAIN
Special to the Daily Press

SAMOHI Popular children's television channel Nickelodeon is following its viewers through high school — literally.

A camera crew from Nickelodeon is following Santa Monica High School senior and Team Marine captain Megan Kilroy today as she goes about her day at school, rallying students and teachers to participate in Team Marine's "Ban the Bag March" after school. A student-run environmentalist group, Team Marine does many such community events and services, drawing attention to the dangers of using plastic bags.

Earlier this summer, Nickelodeon contacted marine biology teacher and Team Marine coach Benjamin Kay through Heal the Bay in hopes of reaching students who are actively involved in saving and protecting the environment. In August, after several calls and a meeting, the cable network chose Kilroy for their special about teens making a difference.

"They called me up and wanted to know a little bit about me, so I told them about myself," Kilroy said. "They pretty much asked me about what I do. They were just trying to get a feel of what kind of community service I do, what's your favorite movie, who's your favorite celebrity. When they asked me what my favorite TV show is, I said 'Hey Arnold.'"

"Hey Arnold" was a popular cartoon on Nickelodeon.

Cameras will follow her from class to class, and will continue to film Team Marine and the Heal the Bay Surfrider Club, led by senior Celina Stilphen, as they march through Santa Monica's streets.

"They chose a whole bunch of teams to feature," Kilroy said. "They're also going to be interviewing other members of Heal the Bay Surfrider Club."

Team Marine has previously marched four times in an attempt to let City Hall know that people are demanding the elimination of plastic bags.

"Unfortunately it's been a longer process than we have hoped for," said Kirsten James, water quality director at Heal the Bay.

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Reward the teachers

Editor:

I read in the Sept. 17 paper that the district API (state achievement) scores hit an all-time high. Congratulations to everyone: teachers, staff, parents, Superintendent Cuneo and the Board of Education. In that front page article, Superintendent Cuneo said, "The 2009 API report speaks to the professionalism and commitment of our classroom teachers, school administrators, support staff and district staff."

Superintendent Cuneo is happy to bask in the sunshine of the results of the efforts of the district's teachers. What he neglected to mention is that in the current negotiations with the teachers, the district is proposing that salaries be reduced and employee health care contributions be further increased for the very same people that he warmly applauds for a job well-done. That's quite a pat on the back (or maybe more like a kick in the rear) for doing well.

As we all now know, Wall Street employees get paid exceptionally well when everything is going right and merely very well when the industry is at the heart of causing immeasurable harm to virtually all Americans. Contrarily, the district proposes to penalize its employees for extraordinary effort and accomplishment. We all recognize the challenging circumstances that California faces, not just in education but in every aspect of state and local funding. Everyone needs to contribute to the solutions. Nevertheless, you do not keep and continue to attract talented, caring and hard-working people by penalizing them instead of rewarding them for a job well-done. That is what the district is proposing to do.

I understand that the superintendent has a hard job. But everyone's job is a hard one to do well. Every teacher, every school janitor matters. I have a proposal for Superintendent Cuneo. In my experience, there is nothing like standing in another person's shoes to be able to understand their position. I propose that Superintendent Cuneo swap places with one of his teachers or other staff whose salary and health care he is proposing to impact. He will get their salary and benefits and they his. If, after this swap, he still feels the same about the district's negotiating position, to celebrate achievement by assessing a penalty, let's chat.

It is my understanding that the district has rejected numerous suggestions, including some that I have made in this Letters to the Editor column, regarding opportunities to establish new revenue streams and to identify wasteful spending that can be trimmed. According to the school board by-laws, the board can authorize the creation of an advisory committee for any reason. I suggest that the board immediately authorize the formation of a forensic accounting advisory committee. Based on my education and business experiences, I am volunteering for that committee and I'm sure there are quite a few concerned Santa Monicans who would also be happy to serve.

Brad Pollack
Santa Monica





Life Matters

JoAnne Barge & Katrina Davy Send comments to editor@smdp.com

Who has your back?

I HAVE A FRIEND WHO CONSTANTLY criticizes me. He has a very sarcastic personality so he plays it off as humor. Recently he's been blatantly ignoring me when we are in a group situation or making me feel as if I am not welcome. Then all of a sudden, he's really nice to me.

As far as I can tell, I'm not changing my own behavior. I have no idea why his attitude toward me swings so much. I can't really approach him because he will laugh it off and say I'm being overly sensitive and can't take a joke. Why do friends feel the need to bring each other down or be so competitive?

Sincerely, Confused

DEAR CONFUSED,

This question is a loaded one! It has me spinning a bit. My first question to you is what is your definition of friendship? I think most would agree that friends do not act this way. Oh sure, we can step on each other's toes, hurt each other's feelings and at times want to get even with one another. But friends talk to each other, at least real friends do. When a relationship is important to us, we talk things out. There may be times we simply cannot muster up the courage, so we act "strange," in hopes that the other will ask us what is wrong. But you say that you cannot even talk to this friend. He will only use it as a reason (weapon) to put you down again and make fun of you. If this is true, this is not a real friend.

The way that you describe all of this sounds like a very immature way of getting even, or actually it sounds a bit more like a lover's quarrel.

Perhaps the problem resides in you more than you would care to admit? Do you just go along with these mood swings? Are you there when this supposed friend is nice but yet say nothing when he is treating you badly? Do you confront him?

Have you hurt him in some way that you are not admitting to or are aware of? This may take some thought, but think hard, consider everything. Is he attracted to you but you are not attracted to him? Have you slighted him in the past? It sounds like he may want you to feel what he is feeling.

Some people are simply emotionally immature and so disturbed that they can only participate in what pop psychology calls "toxic relationships." What are his other relationships like? Perhaps he is one of these "toxic" people and if so, he needs some serious help.

Perhaps none of this applies, although I cannot help but wonder why he has picked you to pick on?

How much interest and fascination do you have with this guy? Do you have some internal battle you are fighting and hoping to win through him? Do you secretly enjoy some part of this drama? Does it make you feel special albeit in a hurtful way? What would happen if you let go of the energy you have attached to this and simply ignore his mood swings? What's more important to you, drama or connection?

Finally, I feel that it is important to address the last part of your question. When we are young and striving to get ahead, we sometimes are competitive without knowing it. But as we mature, we usually come to recognize that competition at the expense of another, especially someone we care about, someone we call a friend, is simply not worth it. We value our friendships and learn that we can all compete for what we want in the world without stepping on each other. Friends have each other's back. They truly care about each other and do what they can to contribute to each other's welfare.

As life marches on, you will find that your true friends will consist of a very small inner circle. Your social friends will form a circle just outside of that; still friends but just not as close. True friendships require time and work. It's nearly impossible to have very many. In any event, friends become an integral part of what is known as our social support network. Studies have consistently found that having a solid social support network contributes to our overall success in life and is very instrumental in maintaining good health and/or surviving a serious illness. Define your idea of friendship and classify your friends. Put people where they really belong in your life and you will be happier and healthier for it.

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THE LADY CAN SING: **Shauna Brittenham on the cover of 'The Lonely.'**

The Shores has talent

NEWTON MINOW, THE OFT-CRITICAL FORMER FCC chairman, delivered a courageous speech in 1961 to the National Association of Broadcasters, referring to TV as a "vast wasteland." Almost 50 years later, I'm wondering what Minow thinks of reality TV, or more succinctly, can a wasteland get vaster?

In '61 TV was transitioning from programming like "Playhouse 90" to the slightly less cerebral "The Beverly Hillbillies." As a result, many welcomed Minow's criticism, but others considered it elitist. One thing about reality TV: it's definitely not elitist. In 2008, more people voted for "American Idol" than for the presidency. (I read that statistic one morning and immediately went back to bed.)

I've never watched a single reality show but I have seen some clips on YouTube. On "Britain's Got Talent," 48-year-old Scottish singer Susan Boyle's powerful performance from "Les Miserable" brought the audience, the judges (and even me) to tears. She's had 100,000,000 hits on the Internet and will likely wind up with a lucrative recording contract.

In 2007, cell phone salesman Paul Potts from South Wales dreamed of becoming an opera singer. Subdued and self-effacing in conversation, Paul's magnificent singing voice proved that he didn't need to dream, he already was an opera singer. He won $100,000 pounds, which is a lot of cell phones he won't have to sell.

In the U.S. we have "America's Got Talent" with unctuous David Hasselhoff as a judge. (After watching him I always feel like I need a shower.) Contestant Lawrence Beamen, a part-time wedding singer, had the audience on their feet with his emotional rendition of "Old Man River." It's safe to say that Lawrence's wedding singing days may be behind him.

It sounds comical but practically every country has a "Got Talent" show, including Ukraine's Got Talent. Artist Kseniya Simonova's sand drawing, honoring the 20,000,000 Russians who died in WWII, was breathtaking and poignant. (At YouTube, type Boyle, Potts, Beamen or Simonova and see for yourself.)

Even where I live, we could have the show "The Shores Has Got Talent," thanks to one of my neighbors, Shauna Brittenham. Shauna's petite, a tad shy, uncommonly pretty and could pass for a college freshman. One day as we were sharing an elevator, she hesitatingly confessed that she'd just finished recording her first CD. (I hesitatingly confessed that I'd just finished shopping at Albertsons.)

Having composed the music and lyrics, Shauna's CD, "The Lonely," is spellbinding. She says it was inspired by the love, passion and pain of her life. As I listened to it repeatedly, I was startled that my neighbor was so gifted, and, at the risk of a cliché, that such a big talent came in such a small package.

Shauna's been a kindergarten teacher and is getting her masters in psychology, but music is her passion. Her influences include Fiona Apple, Norah Jones and Alanis Morissette, not exactly a bad group from which to draw inspiration.

Shauna's voice is sultry, confident beyond her years, and addicting. It's as though an old soul inhabits her. On a notepad she constantly jots down ideas for songs. I have a feeling that she's just scratched the surface. Perhaps part of the appeal of reality shows is that we never know about the hidden talents of people whom we pass in everyday life.

I have a feeling that if Hasselhoff heard Shauna's new CD he'd be gushing with praise. (And I'd have to take two showers.) In fact, I wouldn't be surprised if Newton Minow was impressed. I certainly am.

To preview "The Lonely," go to www.shaunabrittenham.com.

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The Q Line

Paying to park

The City Council has agreed to increase the fees for parking at Downtown structures. The maximum daily rate will increase from $7 to $9. A monthly pass will go from $82.50 to $121.

So this week's Q-Line question asks:

Do you think that the increases are overdue or has the council gone too far?

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REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS
ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING SERVICES
SANTA MONICA COLLEGE
BOND CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM
(RFQ NO. 002-2009)

Issued September 17, 2009

The Santa Monica Community College District is requesting qualified persons, firms, partnerships, corporations, associations, or professional organizations to perform the architectural and engineering services for the District's Bond Construction Program. Over the last several years, Santa Monica College has been upgrading and refurbishing facilities funded in large part with bonds authorized by Measures U and S. The new Measure AA bond program was passed the on the November 2008 ballot. There is more than $465 million in general obligation bonds plus federal, state, and local matching funds that SMC will use in the modernization and renovation of District facilities. This Request for Qualifications covers the first phase of Measure AA projects. The District will contract with one or more firms to perform the design services on these projects.

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One (1) unbound copy, all 8 _" x 11", of their Submittals, as further described herein, in a sealed envelope to:

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All responses are due by 2:00 pm on Thursday October 8, 2009.
Late responses will be returned unopened.
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If you have any questions please email Charlie Yen, Facilities Planning, at yen_charlie@smc.edu.
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CRIME WATCH
BY DAILY PRESS STAFF

Crime Watch is a weekly series 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.

Sephora a hot spot for suspected thieves

SATURDAY, SEPT. 12, AT 12:45 P.M.,
Santa Monica police officers responded to the 1200 block of the Third Street Promenade – Sephora – regarding a shoplifting suspect in custody. When officers arrived, they made contact with store security who said two suspects entered the fragrance store, one carrying a Sephora bag. That suspect gave the bag to the other individual, who proceeded to put items from the store into it, police said. That individual gave the bag back to the alleged accomplice, who took the items to the register to return them and obtain credit at the store. As the suspect was talking with a cashier, the other suspect used another bag to take items off the shelves. The suspect then placed those items into the original Sephora bag and both suspects walked out of the store, failing to pay for the items. They were apprehended by store security. Officers took the suspects into custody and they were booked for burglary and possession of stolen property. The suspects were identified as Jila Khodadad, 53, and Ramon Barokhamiri, 27, both of Los Angeles. Their bail was set at $20,000.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 12, AT 4:15 P.M.,
Officers conducted a traffic stop in the 1200 block of Michigan Avenue for a vehicle code violation. During their investigation, officers said they smelled marijuana coming from inside the vehicle. The occupants confirmed that they had been smoking marijuana earlier and there was additional weed inside the vehicle. Officers received permission to search the car. Officers located additional evidence to show probable cause that one of the individuals in the car had been involved in selling marijuana. That suspect was placed under arrest for possession of marijuana for sale and outstanding warrants. The suspect was identified as Michael Watts, 23, of Torrance. His bail was set at $23,650. The driver was issued a citation and released.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 11, AT 2:45 A.M.,
Officers conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle at Main Street and Ocean Park Boulevard for a vehicle code violation. While speaking with the driver, officers learned that the driver was on probation. During a probation search of the vehicle, officers located tools that are commonly used to commit burglaries. Officers also uncovered information that contradicted statements made by the two occupants of the vehicle. Officers placed both under arrest for probable cause burglary. They were identified as Oscar Curiel, 34, of Inglewood, and Obdulia Pichardo, 30, of Hawthorne. Pichardo's bail was set at $20,000. Curiel was not eligible for bail.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 10, AT 2:46 P.M.,
Officers responded to the 2400 block of Pico Boulevard – Rite Aid – regarding a shoplifting suspect in custody. When officers arrived, they made contact with store security who said the suspect entered the store and placed several items into his backpack. The suspect then left the store, failing to pay for the items. Security guards went after the suspect, grabbing his backpack. As security went back into the store, the suspect allegedly grabbed the security guard and put him in a bear hug. The suspect then tried to grab the backpack, which broke, sending the stolen items crashing to the floor. The suspect then fled, but was detained a short distance away. The suspect was placed under arrest for robbery. He was identified as William Perry, 50, of Santa Monica. He was not eligible for bail.

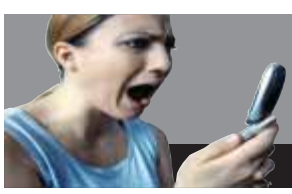
THURSDAY, SEPT. 10, AT 12:51 P.M.,
An employee with the Santa Monica Police Department was riding his bicycle in Parking Structure 1 in the 1200 block of Fourth Street when they observed a man attempting to open a locked car door. When the suspect saw the employee, he allegedly attempted to flee. The suspect was later detained and identified. He was placed under arrest for attempted auto burglary. He was identified as Hugh Patillo, 39, a transient. His bail was set at $20,501.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 9, AT 11:33 A.M.,
Officers responded to corner of 17th and Pearl streets regarding an assault. When officers arrived, they made contact with a resident who said that an ex-roommate came up from behind him and struck him in the head. When the victim fell to the ground, the suspect continued to strike him in the head and kick him in the torso, police said. A second suspect arrived and assisted the first by holding the victim down. The first suspect then allegedly slammed the victim's head into the sidewalk, causing a large laceration. The suspects fled when a bystander yelled to leave the victim alone. The suspects were located a short distance away and positively identified by the victim. The suspect were placed under arrest for assault with the intent to commit great bodily injury. They were identified as Michael Butler, 21, and Robert Armstrong, 24, both of Los Angeles. Their bail was set at $30,000.

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Park, NatureBridge partner for education

BY MARISSA LYMAN
Special to the Daily Press

SM MOUNTAINS The Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area and NatureBridge are partnering to create a residential education campus in the middle of the Santa Monica Mountains, the organizations announced Thursday. The new Santa Monica Mountains Institute, co-operated by the two groups, will provide out-of-classroom environmental education to the area's youth.

"Together we are going to help change the lives of thousands of Southern California youth and help a whole new generation make personal and lasting connections to this wonderful place," NatureBridge CEO Susan Smartt said.

The institute, which will be NatureBridge's fourth residential education campus, will be located at Circle X Ranch in the canyons above Malibu. Less than an hour away from major urban centers, the proximity will help the park with its goal of better serving local youth.

"For many students, this will be their first experience in a national park setting that hopefully inspires a life-long appreciation for our natural world," said Woody Smeck, Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area superintendent.

Though the Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area is the country's largest urban national park, fewer than 4 percent of the nearly 5 million school-aged children in the greater Los Angeles Area have access to residential education opportunities through their schools. With the institute, however, as many as 10,000 students per year will have the chance to participate in multi-day field science education programs, Smartt said.

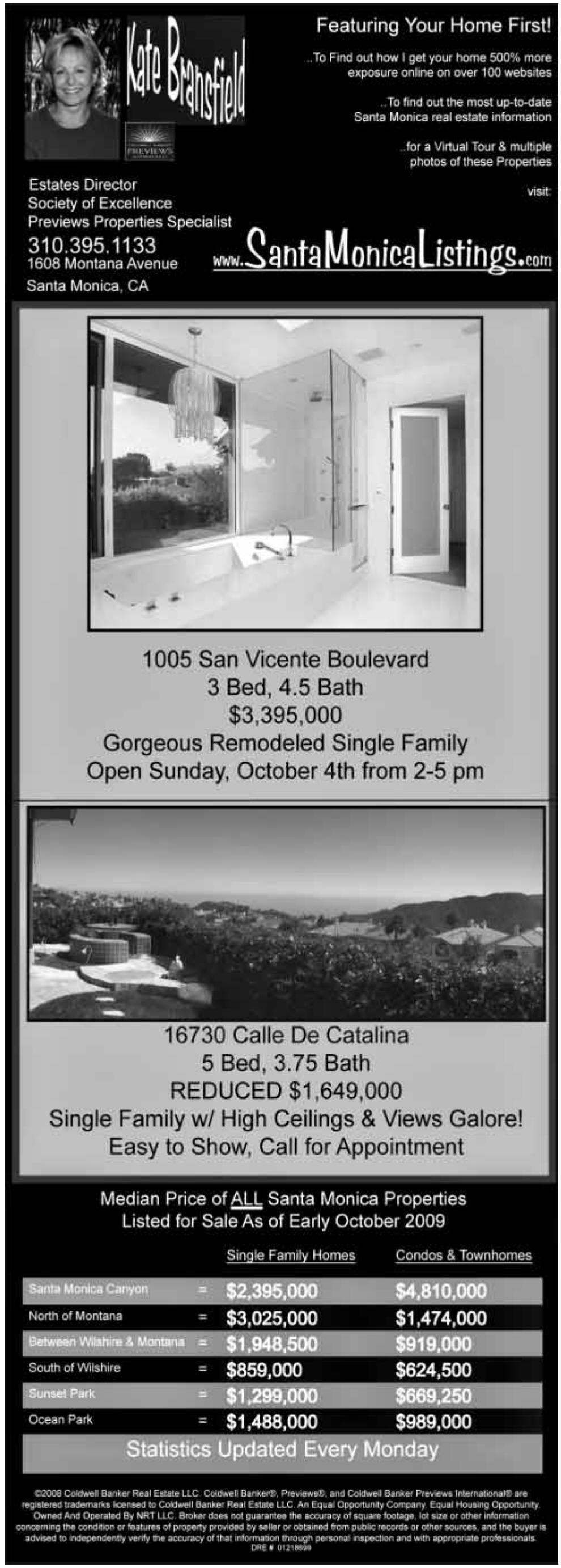
"Santa Monica Mountains Institute will provide an outdoor laboratory for learning and discovery that cannot be replicated by books or classrooms," Smeck said.

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> Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Superintendent

San Francisco-based NatureBridge is the National Park Service's largest residential environmental education partner. It plans on launching the institute's first programs for grades five through nine in March of next year.

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Vikings travel to the Palisades

FROM FOOTBALL PAGE 1

"If there was any question about them having a reason for playing, there is no question anymore," quarterbacks coach Jason Battung said. "It took a tragic event to do this, but it is a great thing they are doing to honor their teammate."

There have been rumblings that perhaps this week's game should be canceled, but that thought never occurred to Athletic Director Norm Lacy.

He said that he understands that some may have a gut reaction and question why would the team play after such a traumatic incident, but he feels that the best way to honor the fallen player is to move forward.

"Part of moving on is the kids' need to be encouraged and learn that you can't worry about what may happen," Lacy said. "The times that you hesitate are the times that you get hurt."

He's confident that the school is doing the right thing and feels that the athletic program does everything it can to ensure the safety of its players.

If the team is going to weather this storm it will have to dig deep and prepare for a battle against Pali.

Battung said that Pali brings a completely different defensive strategy to the field, one that he considers the polar opposite of Leuzinger's atypical style of play.

He expects the Dolphins to present a more traditional look on defense. Battung is excited to see how the offensive unit reacts to a different scheme.

The Vikings' passing game is expected to carry the offense all season, but it is the emergence of a running game that Battung hopes will keep Pali defenders on their heels all night.

He called the running game a "question mark" at this point of the season. He's curious to see how the running back platoon performs in this pivotal game.

Senior quarterback Garrett Safron led all rushers last week with 38 yards, a stat he hopes does not repeat itself against Pali.

A starting tailback has yet to be selected, but he expects Shane Jones, Kori Garcia and Brandon Taylor to improve upon last week's collective performance.

The one area that Battung hopes to see improvement on is defense.

"We have to get an aggressive mentality on defense," Battung said. "We need to go out and establish the tone."

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Coyote claims another cat

FROM COYOTES PAGE 1

should also be cleared since they can house rodents, which attract coyotes.

They can also be a threat to small children if the coyote is conditioned to have no fear of humans, said Ken Pellman, spokesman for the Los Angeles County Agricultural Commissioner/Weights and Measures.

He said that coyotes are a great part of the ecosystem because they keep the rodent population in check.

"Obviously if a coyote is not afraid of people and is threatening to people, then there is a problem," he said.

What residents should not do is intentionally feed the coyotes. Guido said the animal control shelter has received multiple calls since August with reports of people feeding coyotes.

A 45-year resident of the city, Mascarenas is also doing her part to warn neighbors to keep their pets inside.

> "THAT CAT PUT UP A BIG FIGHT THOUGH."
>
> Mary Mascarenas
> Santa Monica resident

She tried to make Cookie, a 6-year-old stray, an indoor cat, but found that he couldn't stay confined within the house for more than two hours.

Mascarenas was always afraid that the cat would get run over. Instead, he met his demise another way.

"That cat put up a big fight, though," she said. "He defended himself."

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Market crash killed 10, injured 63

FROM WELLER PAGE 1

and-plastic barricades and into the popular open-air market, sending bodies flying, witnesses said.

During the criminal trial, prosecutors said Weller was trying to flee a minor accident that occurred after he left the post office on Fifth Street and Arizona Avenue. Weller allegedly rear-ended a driver and then sped off toward the market. Though lasting less than 20 seconds, the mayhem claimed, among others, an infant, a 3-year-old, a married couple, a homeless man and an octogenarian.

Weller's defense said he suffered from "pedal error" and was disoriented during the crash.

Weller was convicted in 2005 of 10 counts of vehicular manslaughter with gross negligence for one of the worst pedestrian tragedies in U.S. history. The jury decided he acted criminally after seeing images of carnage, including a body draped over the hood of Weller's car and another beneath the wheels. Weller was sentenced to five years of probation. He is confined to his home and receives 24-hour nursing care, according to the Times.

The city of Santa Monica and other defendants agreed to pay $21 million to settle dozens of civil lawsuits arising from the crash.

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Students rally for city to ban plastic bags

FROM **KILROY** PAGE 3

"Basically, a while ago, city staff brought forward a draft ordinance to the City Council [to ban plastic bag use]. A lot of stakeholders went to the meeting and were excited and thought it would be passed at that time."

Before anything happened, however, the movement came to a halt.

"The city voted to ban single use plastic bags from all retail stores in Santa Monica," Kay said. "Literally pretty much the day before, they got a lawsuit threat from the plastic bag industry."

City Hall halted the process temporarily, as other cities — including Manhattan Beach — have been sued for the same reasons, James said. City Hall has since been working on a master environmental assessment — an analysis proving plastic bags' adverse effect on the environment. Such a review protects the city, and other cities facing these issues in the future, from being sued.

"Basically they threatened to do the same thing to the city of Santa Monica," James said. "The city thought it was prudent to go back and make sure they had done appropriate environmental analysis. We're waiting for the city do this."

She hopes the review will be completed by the end of this year.

"The public needs to keep coming to City Council and express that they want this," Kay said. "It's just to show the city that its members, the community and mainly the youth who are going to be driving the community want a sustainable community."

Though the students usually march to the Third Street Promenade, the route will be a bit more impromptu this time due to Nickelodeon's filming permit limitations. At 3:15 p.m., students will meet at Samohi in room S107 and will march around Santa Monica from 4 p.m. — 6 p.m.

"It's going to be really interesting," Kilroy said. "I'm really excited, kind of nervous. I have done a lot of public speaking; I do get tongue-tied sometimes."

Nickelodeon will also film students testing water from the bay and the coastal clean up hosted by Heal the Bay on Saturday, Sept. 19 from 9 a.m. to noon.

"It's a very exciting opportunity for Megan and her peers who have been working very hard on a lot of eco projects," Kay said. "Megan is one dynamic person who really has a way of interacting with people, that people have a way of gravitating toward Megan. She has a way of inspiring people … When there's a task to be done, she always steps up."

Yet Kilroy has no easy task of balancing hours of Team Marine duties with the usual senior year load, complete with two Advanced Placement classes, which are college level courses

"I don't know how I find the time; I'm either doing Team Marine stuff or homework, and it's kind of ridiculous," Kilroy said. "Team Marine is incredibly time consuming. We also go to conferences and do lesson plans and teach at elementary schools."

However, she has no plans to slow down and is eager to do all she can for her cause.

"The message we're trying to convey," Kilroy said, "is that no matter who you are, you can make a difference, and the youth really are the voice of the environmental movement. And that if you go out and show others that you care, they will also be inspired to join you and help save the planet."

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Hospital parking structure to be delayed 10 years

FROM **HOSPITAL** PAGE 3

has lived in the neighborhood off and on for half a century and for the past several years has put out a sign on his lawn complaining about the odor.

Sahagun said he was told by an employee of the construction company about four years ago that the problem was in the design of the system.

"It reeked horribly," he said.

Neighbors have also complained that the tanks were being emptied on Sunday evenings when residents are at home and the smell just sits in the air.

Hospital officials also announced that the construction of the parking garage, which was to be located in place of the South Tower, was going to be postponed for 10 years because of cost concerns. That portion of the project was originally budgeted for $30 million.

"We also want to develop a parking solution that best meets the needs of the hospital, the city and our visitors and integrates Saint John's and the city's long-term development plans," Harrison said.

Parking has been a concern among neighbors who allege that construction workers have been leaving their cars on the street. The development agreement includes a construction mitigation plan that requires the contractor and the hospital to provide parking for all construction employees who are prohibited from parking on 21st, 22nd and 23rd streets.

> **"THE REMOVAL OF PARKING IS HISTORIC AND STUNNING."**
>
> David Cole

David Cole, who has lived near the hospital for 10 years, said that he was shocked to hear that the parking garage would be delayed for another decade.

"The removal of parking is historic and stunning," Cole said.

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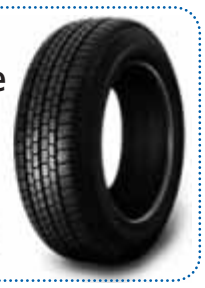
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House agrees to limit private college lenders

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WASHINGTON The House voted Thursday in favor of the biggest overhaul of college aid programs since their creation in the 1960s — a bill to oust private lenders from the student loan business and put the government in charge.

The vote was 253-171 in favor of a bill that fulfills nearly all of President Barack Obama's campaign promises for higher education: The measure ends subsidies for private lenders, boosts Pell Grants for needy students and creates grant programs to improve community colleges and college graduation rates, among other things.

"These are reforms that have been talked about for years, but they're always blocked by special interests and their lobbyists," Obama said Thursday during a rally at the University of Maryland.

"Well, because you voted for change in November, we're going to bring change in the House of Representatives today," the president said.

Ending loan subsidies and turning control over to the government would save taxpayers an estimated $87 billion, according to the Congressional Budget Office. Lawmakers would use that money to help make college more affordable, increasing the maximum Pell Grant by $1,400 to $6,900 over the next decade.

"The choice before us is clear. We can either keep sending these subsidies to banks or we can start sending them directly to students," said the bill's sponsor, California Democratic Rep. George Miller, chairman of the House Education and Labor Committee.

Yet the money also would be spent on things that don't help pay for college, such as construction at K-12 schools and new preschool programs.

And while the measure would increase Pell Grants, it would do nothing to curb college costs, which rise much faster than Pell Grants do.

In addition, the CBO says that when administrative costs and market conditions are considered, the savings from switching to direct government lending could be much lower, $47 billion instead of $87 billion.

Republicans warned that instead of saving the government money, as Democrats promise, the bill could wind up costing the government more money.

"Unfortunately, the numbers just don't add up," said Minnesota Rep. John Kline, senior Republican on the Education Committee.

Lawmakers split largely along party lines on the bill, with only six Republicans in favor and four Democrats against. The measure goes next to the Senate, where its fate is a little less certain.

Obama didn't get his way on one thing: The president proposed earlier this year to take Pell Grants out of lawmakers' hands entirely, making the program an entitlement like Social Security and Medicare, which would have cost an estimated $117 billion — more than lawmakers have to spend.

Under the measure, Pell Grants would rise slightly more than inflation over the next decade, increasing on average by about 2.6 percent yearly, according to the bill's sponsors. However, the grants would still depend on annual spending bills and could rise less than promised, as has happened in the past.

Lawmakers met him halfway on the labyrinthine college aid form; Obama proposed to eliminate it altogether when he ran for president, but the bill would keep the form and shorten it.

As consumers, college students probably wouldn't notice much difference in their loans, which they would get through their schools. However, officials at several colleges worry they may not be able to make the switch to direct government loans in time for next year, and Education Department officials said this week they do not intend to extend the deadline.

More schools administer federal loans through the subsidized loan program than from the government's direct loan program. Private lenders made $56 billion in government-backed loans to more than 6 million students last year, compared with $14 billion in direct loans from the government.

Republicans argued it is wrong to put the government in near-total control of student lending.

Many also worry about job losses in their districts. Private lenders employ more than 30,000 people whose jobs depend on the subsidized loan program, and the industry says many would be laid off.

Sallie Mae, the biggest student lender, has about 8,500 employees in the program and probably would lay off about 30 percent of those workers. It still will have contracts to service federal loans.

Its employees have held a series of town hall meetings and petition drives to involve local leaders in Pennsylvania, Florida, Delaware, New York and Indiana.

Democratic Rep. David Wu of Oregon said lenders still could make all the loans they want. "What will not happen anymore is making those student loans with taxpayer subsidies," he said.



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Employee charged with Yale student's murder

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Associated Press Writers

NEW HAVEN, Conn. As police charged a Yale animal lab technician with murdering a graduate student who worked in his building, a portrait began to emerge Thursday of an unpleasant stickler for the rules who often clashed with researchers and considered the mice cages his personal fiefdom.

Police charged 24-year-old Raymond Clark III with murder, arresting him at a motel a day after taking hair, fingernail and saliva samples to compare with evidence from the grisly crime scene at Yale's medical school.

Bond was set at $3 million for Clark, who kept his head down and said "Yes, your honor," when asked whether he understood his rights.

The muscular former high school baseball and football player is charged in the death of 24-year-old Annie Le, a pharmacology doctoral student at Yale who vanished Sept. 8. Her body was discovered five days later — her wedding day — stuffed into a utility compartment behind a wall in the basement of the research building where she and Clark worked.

Authorities offered no details about the crime Thursday. They would not discuss a motive, largely because Clark will not talk to police, and would not disclose the DNA test results or how they connected Clark to the slaying.

The Rev. Dennis Smith, a Le family spokesman, said he was not authorized to comment on the arrest. Smith said he did not know whether Le had ever complained about Clark.

Clark appeared in court with two public defenders who were new to the case. A private-practice attorney who had represented him during the investigation did not attend the hearing and said Thursday he no longer represents Clark. The attorney declined to give a reason.

Public defender Joseph Lopez said he was still reviewing the case and declined to comment.

Co-workers told police that Clark was a "control freak" who viewed the laboratory and its mice as his territory, according to a law enforcement official who spoke to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity because the investigation is ongoing and many details remain sealed.

The official said police are looking into whether Clark's attitude led to a deadly workplace confrontation with Le, who was just 4-foot-11 and 90 pounds. But investigators say that's just a theory at this point.

The investigator also said authorities do not necessarily need to prove a motive because they have an abundance of strong forensic evidence.

As a technician, Clark's duties included cleaning mouse cages and the floors of the lab.

Le's work involved experiments on mice that were part of research into enzymes that could have implications for treatment of cancer, diabetes and muscular dystrophy.

The New York Times reported that Clark at times grew angry if lab workers did not wear shoe covers. "He would make a big deal of it, instead of just requesting that they wear them," said a researcher who asked not to be identified.

ABC News reported that Clark sent a text message to Le on the day she vanished requesting a meeting to discuss the cleanliness of mouse cages in the research lab.

At a news conference Thursday, New Haven Police Chief James Lewis called Le's death a case of workplace violence. He would not elaborate except to say reports that the two had a romantic relationship were untrue.

"It is important to note that this is not about urban crime, university crime, domestic crime but an issue of workplace violence, which is becoming a growing concern around the country," Lewis said, adding that he would not rule out additional charges.

The Connecticut medical examiner said Wednesday that Le died of "traumatic asphyxiation," which could indicate a choke hold or some other form of suffocation caused by a hand or an object such as a pipe.

Investigators focused on Clark early in the investigation and searched his apartment Tuesday, when they labeled him a person of interest. He remained under constant surveillance after he was released early Wednesday and found a room at the Super 8 motel in Cromwell, Conn.

Clark was arrested about 8 a.m. Thursday. Details of the warrant remained sealed.

Yale President Richard Levin released a statement shortly after the arrest, saying Clark's employment history raised no suspicions.

"This incident could have happened in any city, in any university, or in any workplace. It says more about the dark side of the human soul than it does about the extent of security measures," Levin said in a message sent to the Yale community.

The family of Le's fiance, Jonathan Widawsky, issued a statement Thursday, thanking people who were involved in preparations for "a wedding that was not to be."

Clark was taken to the New Haven Correctional Center, a high-security state prison for people awaiting trial. His next court date is Oct. 6.

"We share in the grief of the family of Annie Le and are, collectively, doing our best to deal with our tragic loss," said the family's statement, which concluded: "Annie will live in our hearts forever."

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SANTA MONICA ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD
REGULAR MEETING

DATE/TIME: September 21, 2009, 7:00 p.m.
LOCATION: Council Chambers, (wheelchair accessible)
Santa Monica City Hall, 1685 Main Street

PROPERTIES:

- ARB08-070, 1171 Franklin Street: Residential
- ARB09-359, 1328 Twenty-Second Street: Hospital
- ARB09-372, 1328 Twenty-Second Street: Hospital
- ARB09-380, 1829 Eleventh Street: Residential
- ARB09-422, 395 Santa Monica Place, Space #118: Retail
- ARB09-423, 395 Santa Monica Place, Space #118: Retail
- ARB09-429, 852 Tenth Street, Residential

More information is available on-line at http://santa-monica.org/planning/planningcomm/arbagendas.htm or at 310/458-8341 en espanol tambien). Plans may be reviewed at City Hall during business hours. Comments are invited at the hearing or in writing (FAX 310-458-3380, e-mail planning@santa-monica.org, or mail Santa Monica Planning Division, 1685 Main St., Rm. 212, Santa Monica, CA 90401). The meeting facility is wheelchair accessible. For disability-related accommodations, please contact 310-458-8701 or TTY 310-450-8696 a minimum of 72 hours in advance. All written materials are available in alternate format upon request. Big Blue Bus lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 & 9 and the Tide Ride serve City Hall.

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- Please submit five (5) copies of your entire proposal and one (1) electronic copy in Microsoft Word format or Adobe PDF format to the Santa Monica Fire Department, Attn: Deputy Chief Bruce Davis, at 333 Olympic Drive, Santa Monica, CA 90401 by 5:00 PM on Monday October 19, 2009.

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SURF REPORT

Surf Conditions **Water Temp:** 70°

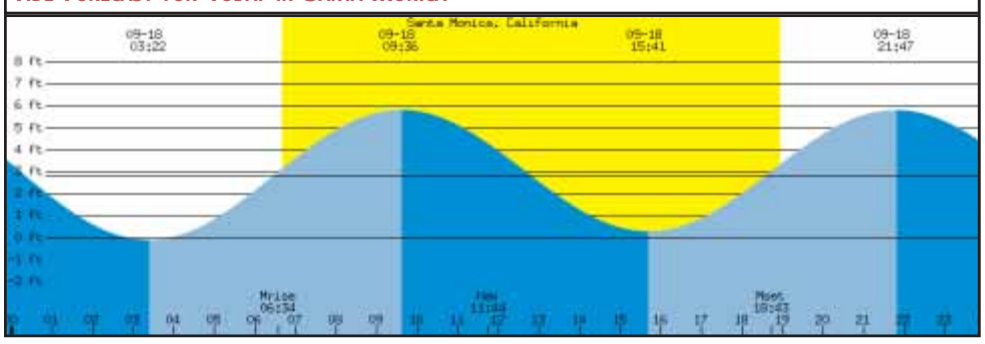
Swell Forecast

NW swell is expected to increase, bringing chest to head high sets to most west facing breaks, mostly from 290° with 13-second periods. South facing breaks should see a decent amount of wrap from this.

Long Range Synopsis

NW is expected to back down, but it looks like west facing breaks could still see chest high sets (smaller at south facing spots).

Tide Forecast for Today in Santa Monica



BEACH REPORT CARD

NORTH LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Grades for this report are based on monitoring data from the previous four weeks up to the ending date of **September 15, 2009**

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QUICK STATS (for the last 28 days)

- Number of sewage spills -- 0
- Number of beach closures due to a sewage spill -- 0
- Number of wet days -- 8
- Number of A grades for dry/wet weather -- 35 / ns
- Number of (C,D,F) grades for dry/wet weather -- 4 / ns

The Beach Report Card is made possible by simplehuman, The Goldhirsh Foundation, the James Irvine Foundation, Ford

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

LOCATION	DRY	WET
Las Cornilla Beach, at Arroyo Sequit Creek mouth	A+	ns
Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth	A+	ns
El Pescador State Beach, between Lachusa and Las Alisa creeks	A+	ns
Encinal Canyon at El Matador State Beach	A+	ns
Broad Beach at Trancas Creek mouth	A+	ns
Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth	A+	ns
Walnut Creek, projection of Wildlife Rd. (private)	A	ns
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth	A+	ns
Escondido Creek, just east of Escondido State Beach	B	ns
Latigo Canyon Creek mouth	A+	ns
Solstice Canyon at Don Blocker County Beach	A+	ns
Puerco State Beach at creek mouth	A+	ns
Marie Canyon storm drain at Puerco Beach, at 24572 Malibu Rd.	B	ns
Surfrider Beach at Malibu Colony fence	F	ns
Surfrider Beach (breach location)- daily	A	ns
Malibu Pier - 50 yards east	B	ns
Carbon Beach at Sweetwater Canyon	A+	ns
Las Flores State Beach at Las Flores Creek (point zero)	A+	ns
Big Rock Beach at 19948 PCH stairs	A+	ns
Pena Creek at Las Tunas County Beach	A+	ns
Tuna Canyon	ns	ns
Topanga State Beach at creek mouth	A	ns
Castlerock Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	F	ns
Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	F	ns
Will Rogers State Beach at 17200 PCH (1/4 mile east of Sunset drain)	A+	ns

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

LEGEND

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

Heal the Bay is a non-profit environmental organization dedicated to making Santa Monica Bay and Southern California coastal waters safe and healthy for people and marine life.

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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.

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HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Coach acquitted in player death case

BRETT BARROUQUERE
Associated Press Writer

LOUISVILLE, KY. A former Kentucky high school football coach was found not guilty Thursday in the death of a player who collapsed at a practice where the team was put through a series of sprints on a hot summer day.

In a rare criminal prosecution of a coach, David Jason Stinson, 37, was charged after 15-year-old Max Gilpin collapsed at an August 2008 practice as the team ran a series of sprints known as "gassers." He died three days later at a Louisville hospital of heat stroke, sepsis and multiple organ failure. His temperature reached at least 107 degrees.

The jury deliberated for about 90 minutes, and Stinson hugged defense attorney Brian Butler after the verdict was read.

"That's why they came back quickly, because he was innocent," said Butler, who characterized the prosecution as a "witch hunt." Stinson left without speaking to reporters.

Players said he ordered the gassers as punishment for the lack of effort they showed at practice on a day where the temperature and heat index were both 94 degrees.

Prosecutors relied on a series of Gilpin's teammates who testified that several teens became ill during the gassers, vomiting or bowing out of the running with ailments.

Several medical and athletic training experts also testified for the prosecution, saying Gilpin suffered from exertional heat stroke, which led to his death. One witness, University of Connecticut associate professor Douglas Casa, said Gilpin could have been saved if he'd been immersed in ice water almost immediately after collapsing on the field.

One of the prosecutors, Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Leland Hurlbert, said he and Gilpin's relatives were disappointed by the verdict.

"I just spoke with the family — I think it's very difficult for them," he said, acknowledging the challenge of obtaining a guilty verdict against a football coach. "I think they feel like I do, they're kind of disappointed."

Hurlbert said he hopes the case prompts coaches to pay closer attention to their players.

Stinson's defense attorneys relied on Pleasure Ridge Park players who testified that, while they ran sprints, there were only a few more than normal. Three of Gilpin's classmates, along with his stepmother, testified that Gilpin complained of not feeling well throughout the day he collapsed.

Defense medical experts told jurors that it appeared a combination of heat, the use of the dietary supplement creatine and attention deficit disorder drug Adderall, and being ill were the main factors that contributed to Gilpin's death, which they called an accident.

The medical experts also said little could have been done to save Gilpin because his temperature was so high for so long before he made it to the hospital and began cooling down.

Sheldon Berman, superintendent of Jefferson County Public Schools, said in a statement that Stinson, who has been working in a non-instructional position, is now cleared to return to teaching and eligible to apply for a coaching position. Berman said administrators will meet with him to determine his future placement.

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2:00, 4:40, 7:15, 10:00

Whiteout (R) 1hr 41min
2:40, 5:10, 7:45, 10:20

Gamer (R) 1 hr 45 min
5:00, 10:10

Ponyo (G) 1 hr 41 min
1:50, 4:30, 7:00, 9:40

The Time Traveler's Wife (PG-13), 1 hr 48 min
2:20, 7:30

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9 (PG-13) 1hr 19min
1:00, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30, 9:45

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs (PG) 1 hr 21 min
12:15, 2:40, 5:10, 7:30, 10:00

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (PG) 1 hr 21 min
11:15, 1:40, 4:10, 6:30, 9:00

Jennifer's Body (R) 1 hr 42 min
12:05, 2:50, 5:20, 8:00. 10:30

Julie and Julia (PG-13) 2hrs 3min
10:45, 1:30, 4:20, 7:20, 10:20

Love Happens (PG-13) 1 hr 49 min
11:00, 1:50, 4:30, 7:10, 10:10

September Issue (PG-13) 1hr 30min
11:55, 2:20, 4:40, 7:00, 9:30

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Bright Star (PG) 2 hr 14 min
1:20, 4:10, 7:00, 9:50

It Might Get Loud (PG) 1 hr 53 min
1:50, 4:30, 7:10, 9:40

Extract (R) 1hr 47min
1:00, 3:20, 5:40, 8:00, 10:15

The Baader-meinhof Complex (R) 2 hr 39 min
1:30, 4:50, 8:10

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All About Steve (PG-13) 1hr 39min
11:40am, 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30

District 9 (R) 1hr 53min
1:30, 4:10, 7:10, 9:50

The Informant! (R) 1 hr 48 min
11:30, 2:10, 4:50, 7:30, 10:10

Inglourious Basterds (R) 2hrs 32min
12:00, 3:20, 6:40, 10:00

Sorority Row (R) 1hr 40min
12:30, 3:00, 5:30, 8:00, 10:30

Tyler Perry's I Can Do Bad All by Myself (PG-13) 1hr 53min
1:20, 4:20, 7:20, 10:20

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Make it an early night, Scorpio

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★★★ Defer to others, even if this attitude could add a considerable amount of chaos. A new beginning appears to be possible if you desire involving a friendship or key relationship. Tonight: Sort through your options.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★ You could be surprised by what heads down your path, encouraging an adjustment. A new beginning involving romance and/or a child appears to be looming. Don't take on too much. Tonight: Put your feet up.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★★★ Your creativity surges, and your imagination goes haywire. A startling revelation or occurrence is the trigger. Does the muse make any difference? A partner could balk, especially if he or she is concerned with the status quo. Tonight: Entertain from home.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★★ Know that nothing is written in stone. If you want to patch up a misunderstanding or make a resolution about your communication, the time is now. Pressure builds around a key friendship. What do you want here? Tonight: Head home.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★ Be more conscious of your spending. You could create a problem where there really isn't one. A partner could become quite reactive. So take upset in stride. Just don't nix a new technique or more modern technology. Tonight: Hang out with your friends.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★★★ Toss yourself into the mix, even if you are a bit upset. The fastest way to let go of emotional upset is through distraction. Whatever you do, do it 100 percent. With detachment and perspective, a solid decision becomes possible. You have a new beginning. Tonight: Buy a treat on the way home.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct 22)
★★★ Know that you are better off not being a major player in today's happenings. Take a back seat and watch. You make an important decision or promise to yourself. Keep it. As the workweek comes to a close, you feel renewed. Tonight: You are unstoppable.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★★ Zero in on what you deem to be important. Understand what is happening around you. Perhaps you cannot change a friend's mind, but you can be supportive to all involved. You see a new beginning with a friend. Tonight: Make it an early night.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★ Recognize that you will have a lot to do in order to clear out and be free by the evening. You make a decision that, if kept, could be very powerful. Be sensitive to various factions around you. Tonight: Hang with your pals.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★ Read between the lines with someone you care a lot about. Decide to trigger less and detach more. Understanding others and what they are experiencing could aid your interpersonal relationships. A last-minute request tosses you into the limelight. Tonight: A must appearance.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ You and a partner make a decision. You could be overwhelmed by everything that is happening. This person reveals a side that, up till now, you have not seen. Tonight: Let your imagination soar. Then choose.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★★★ Others command a lot of attention and want what they want. If you don't feel comfortable with the company of another person, a talk might be needed. What is decided here can be a new beginning between you. Tonight: Dinner for two!

Happy birthday

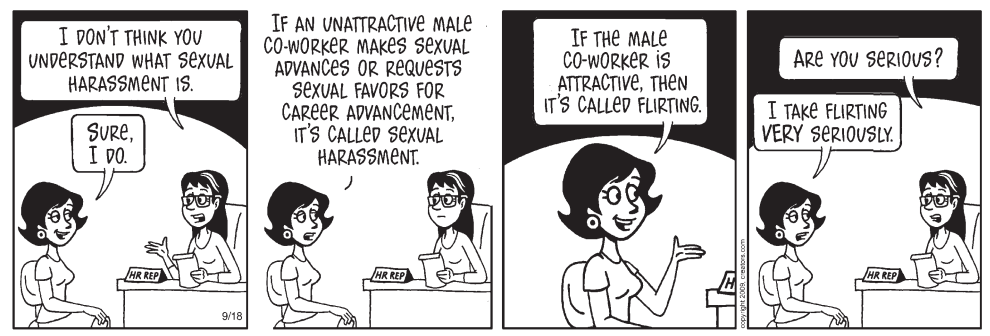
This year, if you focus your attention on your goals, you probably will realize them. Your birthday falls on a New Moon, adding to your creativity and charisma. A new beginning could be a possibility if you want one. You will tend to be extremely me-oriented this year. Work on listening and understanding others better. If you are single, many people will be drawn to you; however, you might not be sure which person fits the bill. Though you might enjoy sampling, remember others' feelings. 2010 brings some very special people into your life. If you are attached, remember that it is not all about you. Give your sweetie more attention; let him or her know how important he or she is. LIBRA helps you make money.

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★★★★ Positive ★ Difficult
★★★ Average

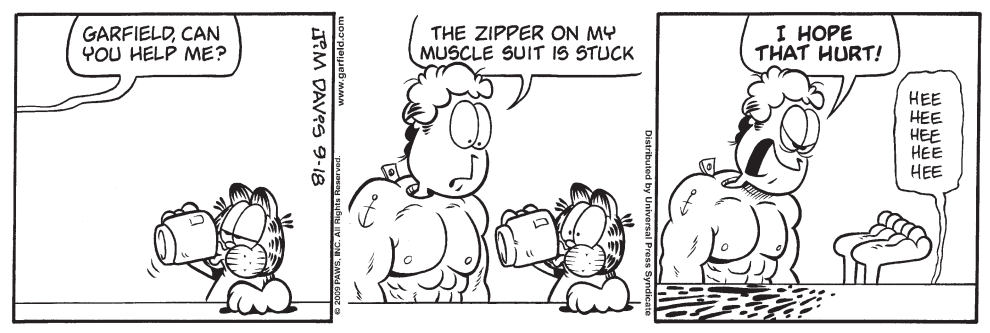
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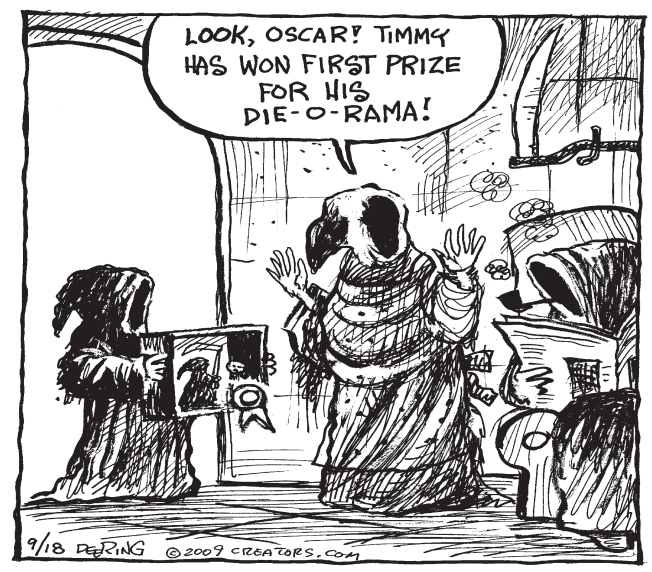
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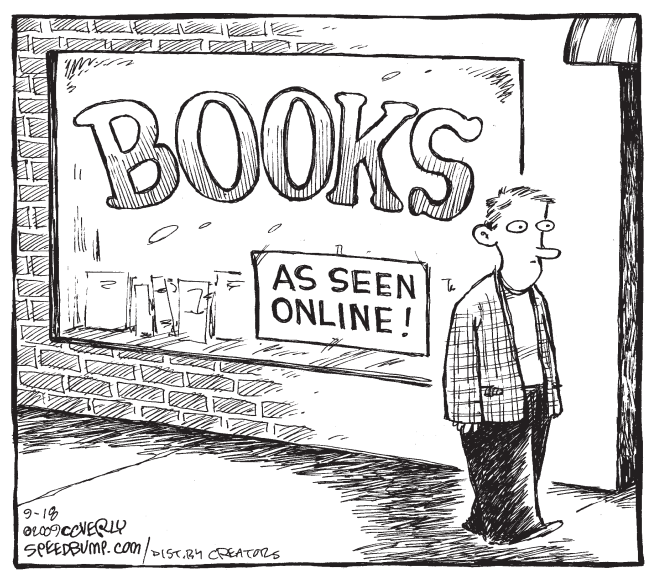
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Difficulty Level ★★★★

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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	5	8	9	6	4	7	3	1
1	3	6	7	5	2	9	4	8
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By THOMAS JOSEPH

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5 Band boosters
9 In a frenzy
11 One-sided wins
13 Betray
14 Tourist stop
15 Conceit
16 Magnetite, for one
18 Summoned
20 Formerly called
21 Spirited horse
22 Word in an octagon
23 Owned
24 Bleachers cry
25 "Believe" singer
27 Belief
29 — Alamos
30 Typographical symbol
32 Non-believer
34 52, in old Rome
35 Harsh
36 Wed in haste
38 King march site
39 Daytona entrant
40 At a distance
41 Winter runners

DOWN

1 Merchandise
2 Pictures
3 Mothball
4 Earth-friendly prefix
5 Knight wear
6 Night light?
7 Sell
8 TV feature
10 Stabbed
12 Conk out
17 Retina part
19 Bender
22 Joined the choir
24 Lease signer
25 School group
26 Drink with scones
27 Frank McCourt book
28 Asian capital
30 Iraqi coin
31 Layers
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Yesterday's answer

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NEWS OF THE WEIRD

BY CHUCK SHEPARD

■ Two home invaders in East St. Louis, Ill., holding 11 people hostage as police surrounded the house, were eventually tricked outside by the captives and arrested. The hostages, borrowing an idea from several movie scripts, convinced the invaders that their only shot at freedom was to change clothes to look less conspicuous and then to release everyone. The two would appear to be part of the hostage group, and the hostages "promised" to tell police that the home invaders had already escaped earlier. However, as everyone walked out, the captives merely pointed out to police the two invaders.

■ For at least the third time in eight years, geography-challenged vacationers bought airline tickets for an Australian holiday but failed to notice (until they landed in "Sydney") that their tickets took them to Sydney, Nova Scotia. Dutch man Joannes Rutten and his grandson appeared shocked when they de-planed in Canada, even though they had boarded an earlier connecting flight in Halifax, Nova Scotia. In December 2008, an Argentine woman made a similar mistake, and in August 2002, a young British couple, after realizing their error, decided to spend their holiday in Nova Scotia, after all.

TODAY IN HISTORY

1180 Philip Augustus becomes king of France.

1454 In the Battle of Chojnice, the Polish army is defeated by the Teutonic army during the Thirteen Years' War.

1502 Christopher Columbus lands at Costa Rica on his fourth, and final, voyage.

1573 Spain attacks Alkmaar.

1635 Emperor Ferdinand II declares war on France.

1679 New Hampshire becomes a county of the Massachusetts Bay Colony.

1739 The Treaty of Belgrade is signed, ceding Belgrade to the Ottoman Empire.

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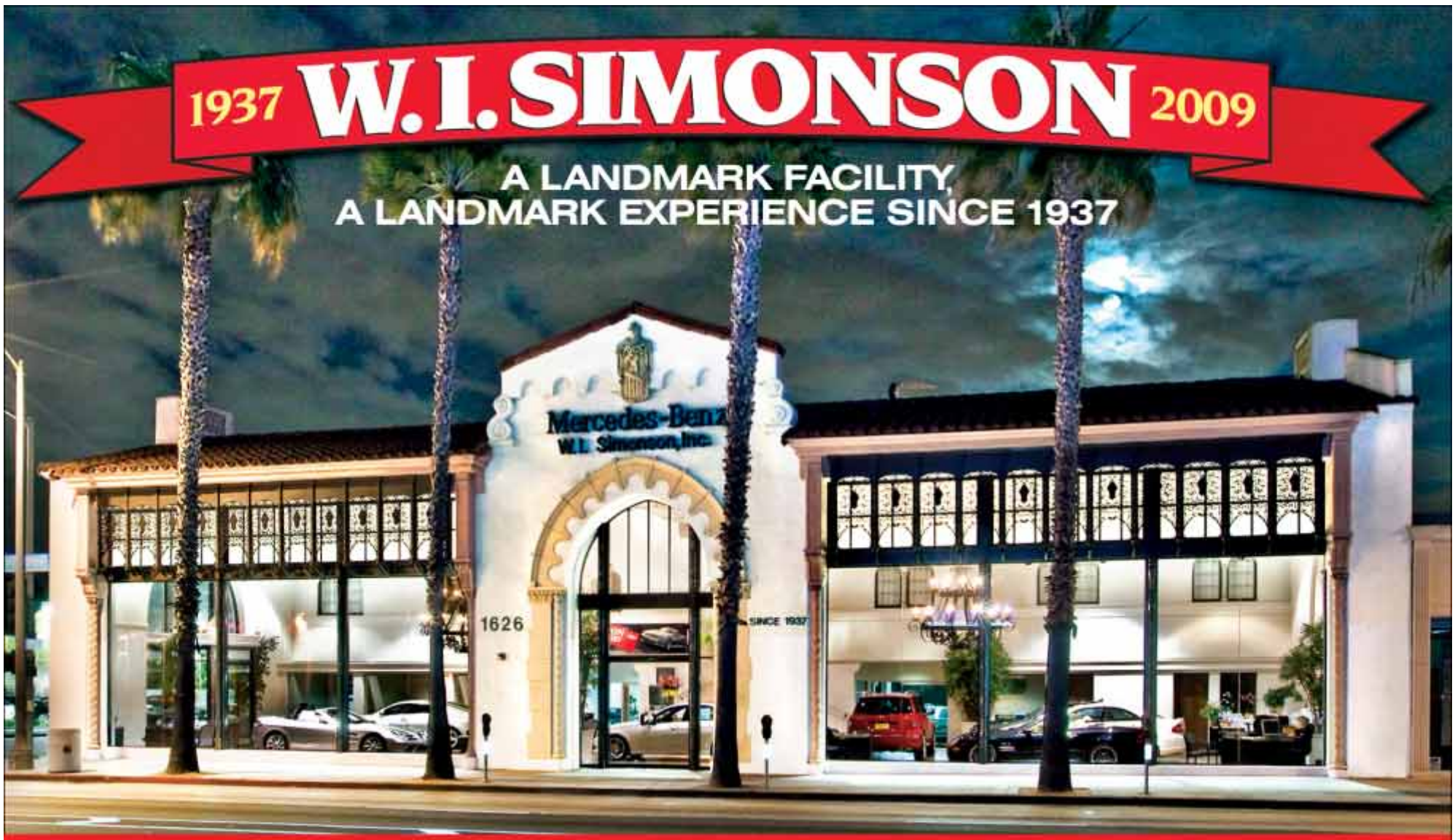
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