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Recent Downtown deaths put focus on suicide prevention

MADELEINE PAUKER
SMDP Staff Writer

Five people have taken or attempted to take their own lives in parking structures in Downtown Santa Monica since last September, and experts say it might be time for City Hall to consider ways to prevent future attempts.

Mark Kaplan, a professor at UCLA's Luskin School of Public Affairs who studies suicide, said five suicides or suicide attempts at similar locations in a yearlong period is cause for concern.

"I wouldn't call it an epidemic, but I'd call it an issue," he said.

Four individuals died between September 2018 and August of this year. Last Sunday, Santa Monica Police Department officers talked

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Ross Furukawa

WALK IT BIKE IT DAY: **Students were encouraged to walk, bike or roll to school on Oct. 4.**

LAX moving taxi, rideshare pickups away from terminals



Courtesy photo

LAX-IT: The Los Angeles International Airport has announced "Lax-it," a program that will eliminate taxi and ride-share pickup from the terminals at the airport.

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At the end of the month, travelers will not be able to hail a rideshare or taxi outside terminals at Los Angeles International Airport.

LAX announced Friday that travelers will instead have to take shuttles or walk to a special location outside the central terminal area where they can be picked up. Dubbed "LAX-it" the plan only applies to pickups as drop offs will continue to be permitted on the Departures Level.

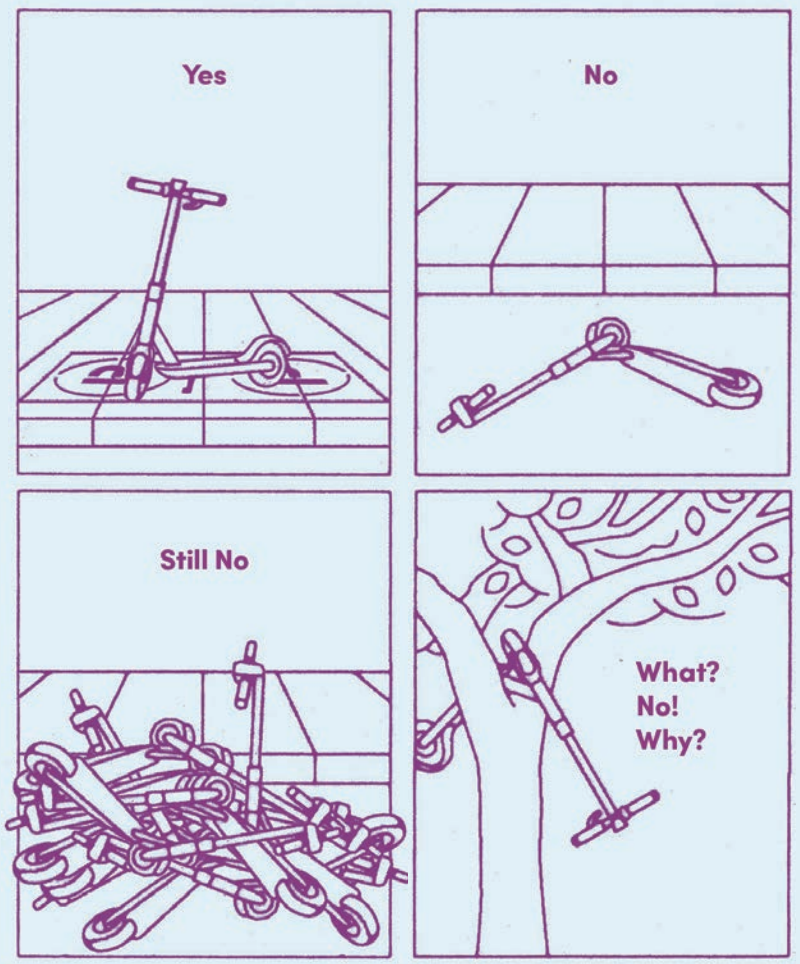
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What's Up Westside

OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA

Monday, October 7

Architectural Review Board Meeting

The Architectural Review Board established in 1974 acts "to preserve existing areas of natural beauty, cultural importance and assure that buildings, structures, signs or other developments are in good taste, good design, harmonious with surrounding developments, and in general contribute to the preservation of Santa Monica's reputation as a place of beauty, spaciousness and quality. City Hall Council Chamber, 7 p.m.

Medicare 101

Find the answers you need to make an educated decision about Medicare. Samuel Schwartz discusses the four parts of Medicare, who is eligible, when one can enroll, and the changes coming before the end of the year. Ocean Park Branch Library, 6:30 - 8 p.m.

Just for Seniors: 'Appy Hour' Device Workshop

Bring smartphones or tablets and get small group help to get started with using these devices. Main Library, Community Meeting Room, 4 - 5 p.m.

A LEGO Building Afternoon

Join us for fun with LEGO building. Ages 4-11. Ocean Park Branch Library, 3:30 - 5 p.m.

Tuesday, October 8

Monster Mash

Listen to stories, dance and craft a monster puppet. Make and explore the science behind an easy, little kid-friendly monster slime. For families. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Walk-in Tutoring

Friendly volunteer tutors provide help with basic reading, writing, and computer skills. Main Library, 5 - 7 p.m.

L.E.A.R.N.: Learn, Excel, Achieve and Read Now

One-on-one access to volunteers available to help students with homework assignments and reading comprehension. Mondays and Wednesdays at the Main Library, Children's Activity Room, 3:30 - 6 p.m.

Wednesday, October 9

The Commission on the Status of Women Regular Meeting

The Commission on the Status of Women works to ensure that Santa Monica is a place where women and girls can fully realize their potential and have a strong voice in all aspects of the community. The Commission explores policy and issues relevant to women and girls, and supports leadership and career advancement opportunities. Ken Edwards Center, 7 p.m.

Montana Mystery Book Group: Two Days Gone

What could cause a man to suddenly snap and destroy everything he has built? Sergeant Ryan DeMarco knows–or thinks he knows–that beloved professor Thomas Huston couldn't have been capable of murdering his family. But if Huston is innocent, why is he on the run? Discuss "Two Days Gone" by Ryan DeMarcho at the Montana Avenue Branch Library, 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Movie: Yesterday (2019)

In this box office smash from director Danny Boyle, a struggling musician realizes he's the only person on Earth who can remember The Beatles after waking up in an alternate timeline where they never existed. Fairview Branch Library, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Mindful Meditation

Henry Schipper, graduate of UCLA's Mindful Awareness program, teaches the basics of Mindful meditation. Ocean Park Branch Library, 7 - 8 p.m.

Computer Class: 'Appy Hour' Library Apps Workshop

Bring your smartphone, tablet or e-reader and get help with using library apps and your device. Ocean Park Branch Library, 4 - 5 p.m.

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LAX

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knows that traffic in the Central Terminal Area can get rough, and we have heard from our guests that the current system with ride pickups can be frustrating," said Keith Wilschetz, Deputy Executive Director for Operations and Emergency Management, Los Angeles World Airports. "LAX-it will provide an easy, efficient experience for guests using taxis and ride apps and reduce overall traffic in and around the central terminal area for all those driving to and from LAX and our neighbors."

LAX-it is located just east of Terminal 1, at the corner of World Way and Sky Way and is reachable by walking or a shuttle service.

The move is aimed at relieving congestion on the central road as construction picks up during a $14 billion improvement program. At the height of construction, the airport projects the loss of 30 percent of the inner-lane curb space that is currently used for passenger pickup and drop off.

Ride-hailing vehicles and taxis will still be able to drop off passengers at terminals, but all pickups will be in the new location.

Officials say it should remove about 15 percent of vehicle traffic from the central terminal area.

The new system will remain in effect until a new automated people mover goes into service in 2023.

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La Ciudad de Santa Mónica aceptará solicitudes para el programa piloto **Preservando Nuestra Diversidad (POD).** A partir del **lunes 4 de Noviembre de 2019, 8:00 a.m. (hora estándar del Pacífico),** regístrese en línea para una solicitud (en inglés y español) a través de una computadora, tableta o teléfono inteligente, a través de un sitio web seguro en **www.smgov.net/pod.** Criterios iniciales de elegibilidad: el residente debe ser una persona de 65 años en adelante; la familia debe haber ocupado el actual apartamento con renta controlada en Santa Mónica desde antes del 1 de enero de 2000; y el ingreso familiar anual debe ser igual o menor al nivel de ingreso muy bajo (50% del ingreso medio del área) para el Condado de Los Ángeles, según lo determine el Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano de los Estados Unidos. Para obtener información adicional o preguntas, visite nuestro sitio web en **www.smgov.net/pod.** Los solicitantes que necesiten solicitar adaptaciones razonables o asistencia de idioma para registrarse pueden llamar al **310-458-8743.**

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City of Santa Monica Housing Division
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(POD) Pilot Program

The City of Santa Monica Housing Division will begin accepting applications for the Preserving Our Diversity (POD) Pilot Program on **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2019, 9am (Pacific Standard Time).** Register for an application (in English and Spanish) online via computer, tablet, or smartphone through a secure website at **www.smgov.net/pod**. To be eligible to apply, the head of household must be a senior aged 65 or older and have occupied a current Santa Monica rent-control apartment prior to January 1, 2000 with a household income equal to or less than the Very Low Income category (50% Area Median Income) for Los Angeles County, as determined by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development. For persons who require a reasonable accommodation or language assistance, please call **(310) 458-8743**. For more information regarding the POD pilot program, please visit our website at: **www.smgov.net/pod.**

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KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Week of October 7



ANNUAL WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT

For the week of October 7, the contractor will be connecting the newly installed water main on Ocean Avenue between California Avenue and Wilshire Boulevard. They will also begin street restoration on Pico Boulevard between 4th Street and Main Street. Traffic will be closed to northbound traffic on Ocean Avenue and reduced to one lane in each direction on Pico Boulevard. Please use alternate routes whenever possible.

ADVANCED TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, PHASE 5 PROJECT

For the week of October 7, this project will upgrade the traffic signal equipment at four locations and install fiber optic cables along Montana Avenue and 26th Street. The project will provide transit priority along the corridor, allow for real-time remote monitoring and management of the traffic signals, provide public Wi-Fi along the corridor, and connect the San Vicente Reservoir and the Montana Avenue Branch Library to the City's network.

FIRE STATION #1 CONSTRUCTION PROJECT

For the week of October 7, construction will continue throughout the project area located at 1377 7th Street which will affect the sidewalk and parking lane on the east side of 7th Street just north of Santa Monica Boulevard. Sidewalk and parking lane will continue to be closed all day/night through the month. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Senior Construction Manager Sebastian Felbeck at (310) 434-2675.

ALLEY RENEWAL PROGRAM

For the week of October 7, alley renewal will take place at various locations throughout the city. No traffic impacts on surface streets, however temporary closures of alleys may occur. Residential parking passes will be issued, as necessary. Please contact Robin Jarrett at (310) 863-6773 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

DOWNTOWN /EXPO VEHICLE BARRIERS PROJECT

For the week of October 7, there are no planned closures on Colorado Avenue between 4th Street and 5th Street. Remaining work to install bollards will be completed at a later time. Please contact Saad Malim at (310) 458-8293 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

ANNUAL WASTEWATER MAIN PROJECT

For the week of October 7, sewer main repair work will take place on 23rd Court between Washington Place and Idaho Avenue. Please contact Saad Malim at (310) 458-8721 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

CITY YARDS MODERNIZATION PROJECT

For the week of October 7, construction will impact the project area located at 2500 Michigan Avenue, which will affect the sidewalk and parking lane on the north side of Delaware Avenue just east of 24th Street. Please contact Project Manager Joel Cesare at (310) 458-8549 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

STORM DRAIN & DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

For the week of October 7, ADA sidewalk and roadway improvements will take place at the 29th Street/Pico Boulevard intersection and the 31st Street/Pico Boulevard intersection. Expect occasional lane closures on the outer lane of eastbound Pico Boulevard. Drain-age improvements will take place at Michigan Avenue and 12th Court. Please contact Saad Malim at (310) 458-8721 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.



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Earth Talk

By the editors of E Magazine

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One for one for the environment

DEAR EARTHTALK: ARE ANY COMPANIES IN THE "ONE-FOR-ONE" CHARITABLE SPACE PIONEERED BY SHOE MAKER TOMS FOCUSING SPECIFICALLY ON ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY? – BECKY B., LOS ANGELES, CA

TOMS may have been the first company to implement a "one-for-one" model, whereby it matches customer purchases with donations of free shoes to those in need in developing countries. But dozens of other businesses are now following suit with their own so-called "in-kind aid" programs. And yes indeed, several are focused on improving environmental conditions one way or another.

To wit, Brooklyn-based MPOWERD makes and sells solar powered task lights and other related off-grid gear—and donates another of each item sold to someone in need through partnerships with 650 "on-the-ground" non-profits in one of six developing countries. The company's mission is to distribute clean energy options that provide a more economical and environmentally friendly approach to everyday tasks, whether users are in New York City or the Andes mountains. MPOWERED is a Certified B Corporation, meaning it pledges to use the power of business to build a more inclusive and sustainable economy and to operate in an ethical and environmentally responsible manner. Maybe it's finally time to order some solar-powered string lights for that patio you've been ignoring?

Another eco-friendly business in the "one-for-one" sector is LifeStraw, which makes pocket-sized water filters that remove 99.99 percent of waterborne bacteria so users can stay hydrated and healthy even if there's no clean water source around. While LifeStraws are great for backpackers or others who choose to go off-grid on adventures, they are also handy—and potentially life-saving—in developing countries, where the company donates one filter for every actual customer purchase. In many cases, LifeStraw partners directly with schools in remote areas of developing countries to ensure that students can focus on their studies instead of worrying about where their next sip of water might come from—and whether or not it will make them sick.

While these one-for-one programs look good from a public relations standpoint and often actually really benefit those in need, critics wonder if the companies behind them could have a bigger impact through alternative models of charitable giving. "Handing out aid in kind gives plenty to worry about," reports The Economist. "It could suck life from local markets, and foster a culture of aid-dependency." Another criticism of the model is that handing out goods instead of cash runs the risk of spending money on things people don't need and won't use.

Even TOMS itself seems to be shying away from the in-kind donation model it pioneered in favor of making direct contributions to worthwhile charities. The company recently started channeling some of the profits from its new line of coffee to non-profits like Water for People, which provides sustainable, community-owned water systems (and safe drinking water as a result) to impoverished communities in seven developing countries. These donations are not tied directly to sales and represent a new direction for TOMS charitable giving.

While it may have its issues, the "one-for-one" model remains a great sell to consumers who like to know just how their purchasing power is being harnessed for the betterment of humanity and the planet.

For more information, visit TOMS, toms.com; MPOWERD, mpowerd.com; LifeStraw, lifestraw.com; Certified B Corporation, bcorporation.net.

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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 SEPTEMBER 24, AT 8:10 PM.



A Traffic Services Officer issued a citation to an Uber driver who was parked in a preferential parking spot without a valid permit. The driver of the vehicle became upset and used his vehicle to try to run her over while she was crossing the street, coming a few feet from striking her. Officers were able to locate the suspect in his vehicle and he was taken into custody. S.V. 54, from Canoga Park, was arrested for assault with a deadly weapon. Bail was set at $30,000.

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Snap Inc (SMBP)
UCLA Medical Center

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Silver	10

How to Earn Points

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Kite Pharma (Broadway) rises to the top this year

PLATINUM RECIPIENT

Kite Pharma set a goal to offer two different types of sustainable commuting choices to each employee. Their program includes employee shuttles, parking cash-out, carpool incentives, transit passes, scooter share and more.

Kite Pharma is working to save thousands of lives by developing cutting edge cancer treatments but the medical company is as concerned about the traffic as it is T-Cells, so much so that one of their Santa Monica offices has become the first company to earn a Platinum designation in the annual GoSaMo Achievement Awards.

Points are earned for activities like teleworking, offering van/carpools, providing bike share subscriptions, attending educational events and exceeding or improving metrics for traffic reduction. There are 26 point-awarding categories with different metrics for small and large businesses.

The Awards are a recognition of businesses with outstanding sustainable commuting programs as well as those that are making consistent improvements in their programs. Silver awardees have earned at least 10 points, Gold recipients must earn at least 15 and Platinum requires 20 points. While several businesses achieved Gold and Silver designation, Kite is the first, and only, employer to reach the top level.

There is no nomination or application process for the awards, any business that submits a TDM plan to the City is automatically considered to receive the designation.

***Note:** The City of Santa Monica is not eligible for an award as the City is also the awarding entity. This year the City would have earned a Silver GoSaMo Achievement Award.



GoSaMo

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TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (OCTOBER 07)

Your specialty this year will be the complex kind of work that yields the sort of things money can't buy – love, respect, style and more. As for the things money can buy, they'll be more accessible after January, which marks the final payment of a debt. You won't have to travel for the adventure you'll go on this spring. Taurus and Virgo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 7, 44, 43, 28 and 17.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Scientists agree that humans need to be touched, though the full significance of touch can't be put into words or reduced to scientific data. To give and get tactile affection is more necessary than we can comprehend.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Love will follow the same 80/20 rule that people talk about in business. Twenty percent of your efforts will bring 80 percent of the results. So what are the actions that make your loved ones smile?

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You get the feeling you were meant for something different, but this way of looking at it isn't the most empowering. You get to choose your destiny and move toward it. This is truer than the other way around.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). The opportunity won't arise because you're ready for it. Life is on its own schedule, and you'll jump in and be a part of that program. Ultimately, fitting in will have little to do with how prepared you feel. You won't be sorry.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Snap judgments get made, likely based in misunderstanding. It's important to pause every once in a while (now!) and review all assumptions. A good question to ask yourself today is, "Compared to what?"

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Whatever this day brings can be enhanced with a focus on using what you have to work with (instead of what you don't have) and steering the pieces that are within your control.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). The people who have time for you, who make time for you, who reach out and include you – those are the ones to hold close and to model. They give you love enough to pay forward.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Instead of counting your money, focus on making your money count. Living simply will give you more resources to apply to the things you really want to do.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Whatever your state of mind, for better or worse, it will pass. So enjoy this mood, and make the most of it. Every emotional color brings beauty to your inner landscape, some by way of contrast.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). It wasn't conscious. You accidentally taught a person how to treat you, and now that teaching needs a few tweaks. Consider what's working and what's not working for you, and make a plan.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). The mistakes, quite simply, weren't mistakes. You're learning the lessons, building yourself in a different way than you would have, so there's really no need to regret a choice. Keep moving forward.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Yes, life is about the journey, but there wouldn't be a journey without the destination. The destination could be dead wrong, as has been the case with many a fruitful mission, but there needs to be one to keep this motor running.

Planetary Hecklers and Provocateurs

It would be easy to get rattled as Mercury and Uranus polarize to heckle and provoke. Keep your cool. Trusting the process of life isn't about taking your hands off the wheel. It's more a matter of holding onto the wheel and just the wheel – controlling what you can and letting the rest soften and blur in the side window as you pass.

WEEKEND LOVE FORECAST

WEREWOLVES: This Halloween costume classic dates back much older than the actual Halloween holiday. The lupine beast is referenced as far back as the "Epic of Gilgamesh" circa 1800 B.C. Werewolves pop up again in ancient Greek mythology's legend of Lycaon in which King Lycaon kills his own son and serves him to Zeus in order to find out if Zeus was really all-knowing. Seems he was because he brought the son back to life and then turned Lycaon and his whole family into wolf creatures. Centuries later, the werewolves who made the news were mostly heinous serial killers who claimed to have wolf-morphing abilities and have eaten their victims, including children. Some of the killers claimed to transform after drinking a tincture. Others got their power with a magic belt. Most were ultimately set on fire for their crimes, as burning was thought to be the best way to kill a werewolf. More recent additions to werewolf lore have been decidedly less vicious than historical depictions. From the likes of "Teen Werewolf" to "Twilight" it could be surmised that werewolves have gone soft, and that's a good thing. If werewolves represent the wild dog of human nature that exists inside us all, I'd like to believe that it's a wild dog capable of being tamed.

COUPLE OF THE WEEKEND

Known for his pointed criticism as talent judge, Simon Cowell has a natal chart that defies his television persona. Born when the sun, Mercury and Mars were all in Libra, Cowell is guided by a refined aesthetic, a love of art and a desire for honesty and justice. An outspoken Sagittarius moon spurs him to say what others might think but wouldn't dare to say. **Write Holiday Mathis at HolidayMathis.com.**

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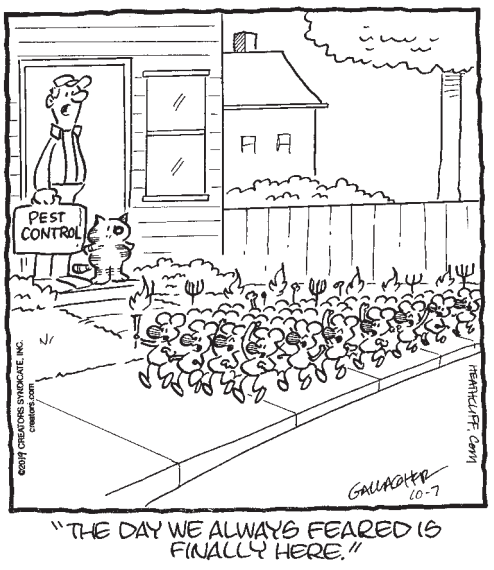
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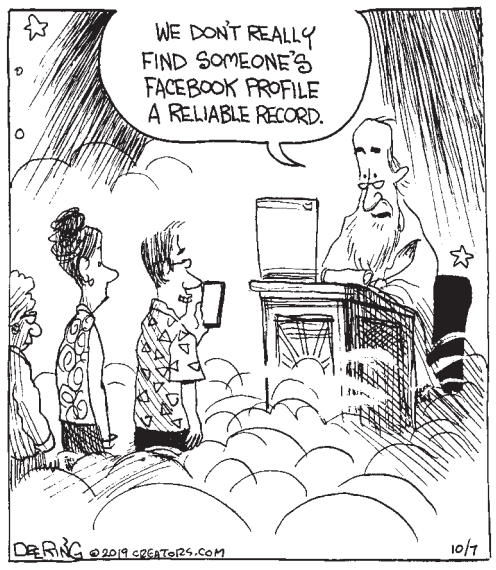
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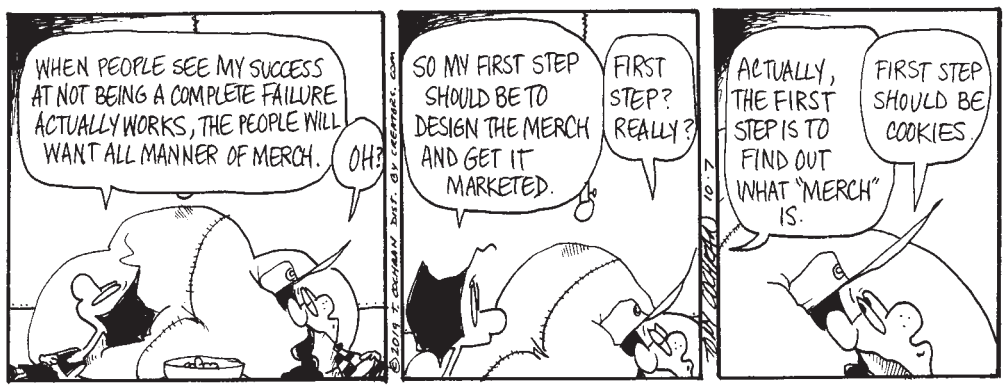
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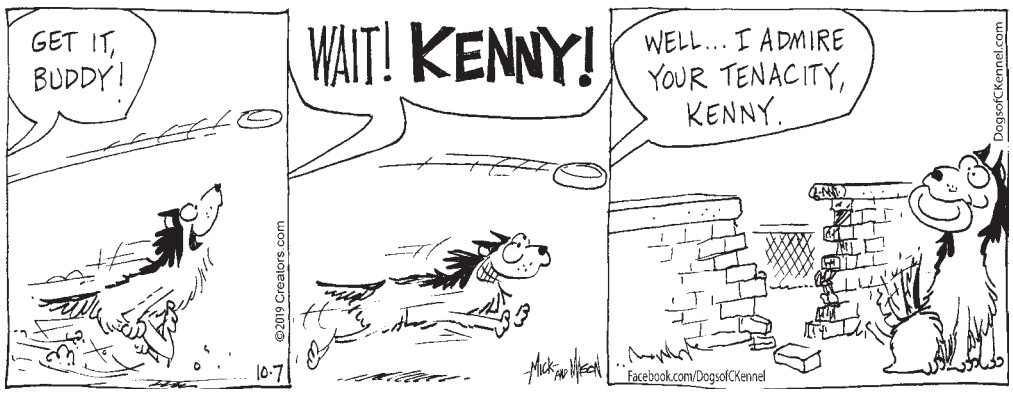
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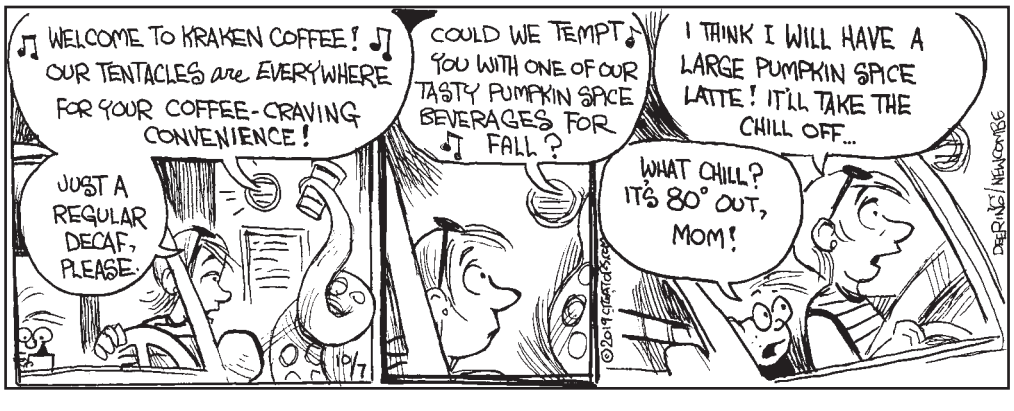
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Daily Derby
Draw Date: 10/03
1st: 5 - CALIFORNIA CLASSIC
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SURF REPORT

SURF FORECASTS

WATER TEMP: 64.9°

FRIDAY- **FAIR** - SURF: 1-2ft ankle to knee high
Small SSW swell and SSE swells very slowly build.

SATURDAY - **FAIR** - SURF: 2-3ft knee to waist high
Small new SSW and SE swell. New pulse of small NW swell.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD

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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.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S SUDOKU

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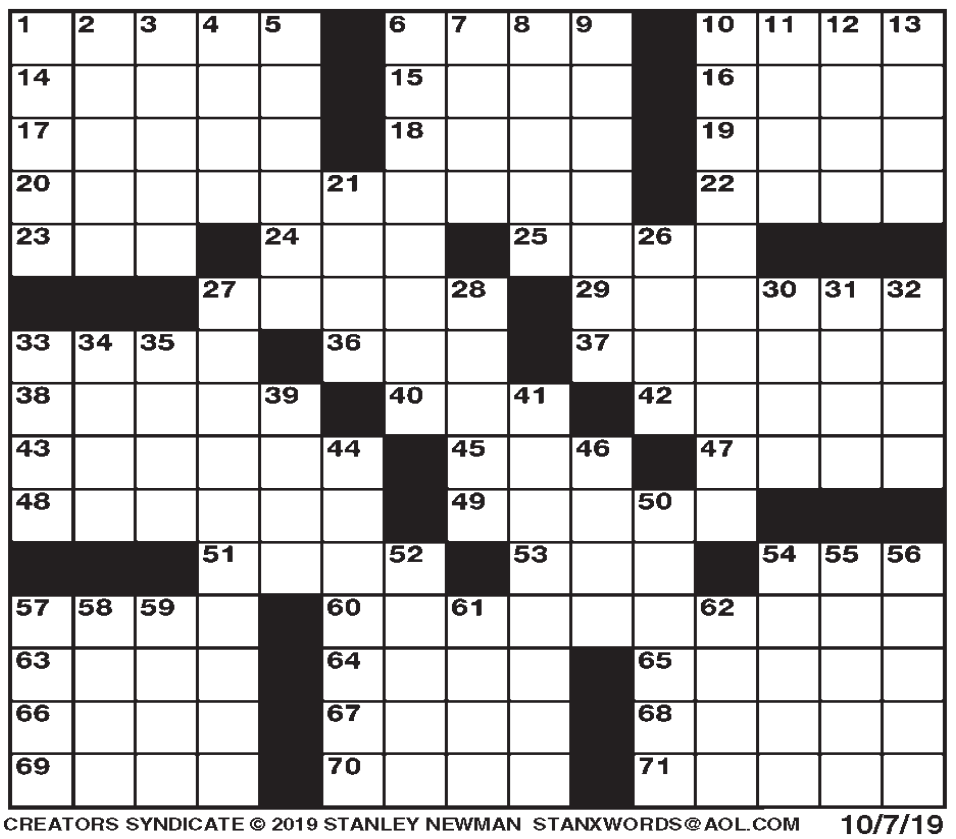
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Newsday Crossword

FOUR FOR THE COURSE by Sandy Fein
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ACROSS
1 Extremely enthusiastic
6 More than half of
10 Avoid an F in class
14 Without a companion
15 Regarding, in memos
16 Vicinity
17 Discoloration on clothing
18 Secluded valley
19 Press, as a doorbell
20 Office cubicle dividers
22 "So long!"
23 Many months: Abbr.
24 Curved line
25 Overly greasy
27 Crisscross clothing pattern
29 River blockage near a lumber mill
33 Tra-__ (singing sounds)
36 Golf course standard, the theme of the puzzle
37 Husband or wife
38 Fully awake
40 "Uh-uh"
42 Taste, hearing, or sight
43 Stadium food seller
45 Soup-cooking vessel
47 Payment to a landlord
48 First part of a play
49 Gives off, as steam
51 Tidy
53 Occupational suffix for auction
54 Org. for tooth pros
57 Couch in a den
60 "Pear tree" Christmas carol birds
63 *Moby-Dick* captain
64 A Great Lake
65 Sounds of church bells
66 Aspirin tablet
67 Civil rights icon Parks
68 Fruit in Greek salads
69 "Filet of" fish
70 Flower stalk
71 Has an evening meal

DOWN
1 Hoarse-voiced
2 Place for wedding vows
3 Male pigs
4 "What's __ for me?"
5 Rejection of a request
6 Performer of illusions
7 Norway's capital
8 Shorthand taker, for short
9 Throat tissues often "taken out"
10 Celebration attendees
11 Solo in an opera
12 Mailed away
13 Epic story
21 Ensnare
26 Cuts off, as tree branches
27 Minor enough to excuse
28 Window curtain
30 Father's Day month
31 Special-interest grp.
32 Be introduced to
33 Volcano outflow
34 Actor Baldwin
35 Gave temporarily
39 Firm up, as muscles
41 Stadium squad that hosts visitors
44 Harvesting machines
46 Wedding-cake layer
50 Three-legged stand
52 Fortune-teller's __ cards
54 Once more
55 Dig deeply
56 Donkeys
57 Drains of energy
58 Cincinnati's state
59 Season for harvesting
61 Ascend
62 Neighborhood sandwich shop



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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2019248894 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 09/13/2019 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Teri Amberstone. 2528 29th St , Santa Monica, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Teri Davis Bernstein 2606 29th St Santa Monica, CA 90405. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:Teri Davis Bernstein . Teri Davis Bernstein . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 09/13/2019. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 09/23/2019, 09/30/2019, 10/07/2019, 10/14/2019.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2019241563 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 09/06/2019 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NEIGHBARISTA. 23120 LYONS AVENUE, SUITE 24 , NEWHALL, CA 91321. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: GOOD NRG, INC. 23120 LYONS AVENUE, SUITE 24 NEWHALL, CA 91321. This Business is being conducted by: a Corporation. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:CHRISTOPHER JAN NOWINSKI. GOOD NRG, INC.. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 09/06/2019. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 09/30/2019, 10/07/2019, 10/14/2019. 10/21/2019

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. 19SMCP00447
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of Kazue Takemoto Sakata for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: Kazue Takemoto Sakata filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows Kazue Takemoto Sakata to Sally Kazue Takemoto. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 11-15-19 Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: k, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA - COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
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Date: Sept 16, 2019

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. 19SMCP00451
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of Elizabeth Rose Noll for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: Elizabeth Rose Noll filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows Elizabeth Rose Noll to Elizabeth Rose Lefae. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 11-22-19 Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: k, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA - COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401

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Date: Sept 18, 2019

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. 19SMCP00317
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of Ginfe Way for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: Ginfe Way filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: Ginfe Way to Gina Ginfe Way Orsborn. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 11/15/2019, Time: 8:30a.m, Dept: k, Room: A-203
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Date: September 20, 2019

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. 19SMCP00438
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of Rodrick Hersh for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: Rodrick Hersh filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: Rodrick Hersh to Alberto Bosi. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: Nov 8, 2019, Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA - COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
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Name Change

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. 19SMCP00465
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of Drake Marcus Goldbenberg for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: Drake Marcus Goldbenberg filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows Drake Marcus Goldbenberg to Gilad Goldenberg. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: Dec. 6th 2019 Time: 8:30a.m, Dept: k, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Santa Monica Daily Press.
Date: September 27, 2019

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. 19SMCP00418
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of Dominique Aisha Mikell and Clayton Quinnshae Montgomery for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: Dominique Aisha Mikell and Clayton Quinnshae filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows A.) Dominique Aisha Mikell to Dominique Aisha Mikell Montgomery. B.) Clayton Quinnshae Montgomery to Clayton Quinnshae Mikell Montgomery The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: November 1, 2019 Time: 8:30a.m, Dept: k, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
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Date: August 29th , 2019



SUICIDES

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down an individual who planned to jump from the roof of Parking Structure 3.

SMPD responded to 30 other calls for suicides or attempted suicides between September 2018 and September 2019, according to public records. Every officer receives training on suicides, mental health and crisis negotiation, and the department maintains a crisis negotiation team that responds to calls for suicide, said Lt. Candice Cobarrubias.

City manager Rick Cole said last Sunday's suicide attempt suggests a pattern may be taking hold, but he noted that suicide routinely occurs in less visible locations in Santa Monica, including at the beach and in homes and garages.

Cole said he plans to discuss possible measures to prevent suicide in downtown parking structures with local stakeholders.

"I am committed to convening thoughtful discussions with medical experts, law enforcement, Downtown Santa Monica stakeholders and city officials to assess whether there are additional steps we can take to divert troubled individuals from making a fatal mistake," he said.

A 2016 survey of members of the International Parking & Mobility Institute, the world's largest association of professionals in parking, transportation and mobility, found that 48% had experienced a suicide or suicide attempt in one of their parking structures.

A 2016 IPMI report on suicide in parking structures published the same year lists physical barriers, cameras and signage as possible prevention measures. But barriers come at a high cost, the report said.

"The University of Iowa is performing a study to screen seven campus garages, with an estimated total construction cost of $1.5 million," the report said. "The cost to screen levels four and higher in a seven- or eight-level garage is about $220,000, based on this study."

Local experts agreed that fences or barriers discourage individuals from jumping.

"It's often an impulsive act, and there's research showing that people think twice if there's a barrier," Kaplan said. "That doesn't mean people won't go elsewhere or take their own lives some other way, but you can at least erect barriers that reduce the possibility of this happening again."

All but one of the 10 public parking structures in Downtown Santa Monica have steel cables or grid fencing enclosing their top levels, but the barriers are no taller than 6 feet.

Studies have shown taller barriers to be effective deterrents, said Lyn Harris, senior vice president of clinical operations at Didi Hirsch Mental Health Services, a Los Angeles-based organization that provides free mental health, substance abuse disorder and suicide prevention services.

"If it's something the average-sized person could crawl and get over with a little effort, it wouldn't serve as the barrier you need," she said.

Harris said putting up signs with suicide hotline information and training parking employees to identify people who seem at risk of suicide could also help prevent suicide attempts.

Suicides in Los Angeles Metro train stations dropped when Didi Hirsch put up signs in 2013, she said. The organization also trained all Metro operators to recognize behaviors that could indicate someone is contemplating suicide.

"It's important to have signs in places leading up to where they may jump, which in parking structures would be the elevators and stairwells," she said. "Anything that can interrupt their thought process at that point is helpful, and suicide hotline signage lets people know there's a confidential, anonymous resource out there."

Harris also recommended training community members to identify signs of suicide.

"If you see somebody looking distraught walking alone at night in a parking structure, it wouldn't hurt to say, "you look lost, can I help you with something?"," she said. "Again, it interrupts their thought process. Often, people think they shouldn't intervene, but just asking someone if they're okay can make a huge difference."

If you or someone you know may be struggling with suicidal thoughts, you can call the U.S. National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 800-273-TALK (8255) any time day or night, or chat online.

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