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Failing to address harassment allegations can cost employers

ANDREW WELSH-HUGGINS
Associated Press

When it comes to sexual harassment allegations, no employer wants to find itself in the position an Indiana university was in during the 1990s, when a woman complained to a senior administrator that the school's chancellor had groped her.

"Oh, no, not again," said the administrator at Indiana University's South Bend campus.

A jury awarded the woman \$800,000.

Although a judge later slashed that to \$50,000, the message was clear: Failing to address allegations of sexual misconduct in the workplace can have expensive legal consequences for employers.

"You don't have to fire people necessarily, but doing nothing is usually not helpful," said Camille Hebert, an employment discrimination professor at the Ohio State law school.

Earlier this year, a former University of California, Santa Cruz student who alleges she was raped by a professor settled her claim against the university system for \$1.15 million over what she says was its failure to address previous allegations of sexual harassment and sexual violence by the faculty member.

It is with that reality in mind that companies are swiftly firing powerful men accused of misbehavior and taking a zero-tolerance attitude toward such wrongdoing. But whether a no-mercy approach is a good idea is a matter of debate.

While businesses are usually within their rights to swiftly fire employees accused of misconduct, as was done this week with former "Today" show host Matt Lauer and former "Prairie Home Companion" personality Garrison Keillor, such actions can also back-

City unveils plan to tackle homeless population boom

KATE CAGLE
Daily Press Staff Writer

As Santa Monica grapples with an exploding homeless population that has impacted nearly every park, library branch and sidewalk, the City is moving forward with a comprehensive approach to homelessness that focuses on the individual.

"We'll know people's names," City Manager Rick Cole told the Daily Press. "We'll be engaging with them to find out what their needs are and see if we can meet those needs. Our goal will be to get

as many people off the street as we can. That's the proactive engagement piece."

Dealing with a regional crisis like homelessness on the individual basis is no small task. It's estimated about 58,000 people sleep on LA County streets, along riverbanks and in shelters (in comparison, the entire city of Gardena in the South Bay has about the same amount of people). Last January, volunteers counted 921 homeless people in Santa Monica alone (up 26 percent from the year before).

"There is no question we are

seeing more people come from other places and not stay as long," Cole said, acknowledging the correlation between the homeless boom and the opening of the Expo Line light rail to Santa Monica. However, the top city official denies any causation, saying cities with and without trains have experienced a similar increase.

"Anecdotally, we attribute some of that to the shrinkage of Skid Row in Los Angeles," Cole said.

One of the cornerstones of the plan is an agreement with the County to bring a "C3" homeless

outreach team to Santa Monica. The team members will be assigned to specific areas to identify vulnerable individuals and engage interventions to get them into stable housing, according to a staff report. The new team could be on the streets and in parks as early as February and the contract could reach \$1.1 million for two years.

Police, Fire and Library employees are all looking at additional training in the next year on how to best deal with homeless individuals.

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RESIDENTIAL FIRE

A local family escaped a fast moving residential fire this week. See Page 5 for more information.

Courtesy photo

Hospital owners and workers reach tentative agreement

MATTHEW HALL
Daily Press Editor

Just a day after a strike threat, workers and managers at Providence Saint John's Health Center have reached a new labor agreement.

Both sides issued a statement on Nov. 29 saying a strike vote scheduled for Nov. 30 had been called off and that additional details would be released after workers approved the contract sometime next week.

About 450 workers voted to join SEIU-United Healthcare Workers West in February and the union began informational pickets in October during the midst of contract negotiations.

"Providence Saint John's Health Center and the SEIU-UHW reached a tentative agreement late Wednesday night for the hospital's service and technical workers' first union contract," said a statement issued by Providence.

"Negotiations lasted less than six months and resulted in an agreement much quicker than most first contract negotiations. The bargaining unit

members are expected to vote on ratifying the agreement in December on a date to be determined. Providence Saint John's is grateful for the commitment to good faith bargaining throughout the negotiations. The new contract is fair to our caregivers and their families, and will enable the hospital to continue providing the highest level of quality care to our patients and community."

The union had repeatedly criticized hospital ownership for staffing levels during its protests but no details were provided on the terms of the contract this week.

"The strike vote scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 30 at St. John's Health Center in Santa Monica has been called off due to a tentative agreement on a new contract reached by the parties," said Sean Wherley, Media Relations for the union. "Employees will vote on the agreement next week and details will be released after that."

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Friday, December 1

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The women of the Daybreak shelter are selling handmade crafts this weekend at the Cloverfield Services Center, 1751 Cloverfield Blvd. Items include jewelry, cards, knit/crochet items, pictures and paintings. Money raised will support and empower women at the shelter as they seek permanent housing. The sale will be held Friday from 11 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. and Saturday from 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Parking is available on site or at nearby meters.

Schroter's Valley on the Moon and the Seven Sisters

The feature shows are at 8 p.m. and are preceded by "The Night Sky Show" at 7 p.m. Take a look through various telescopes at a nearly-full Moon, the area around its bright crater Aristarchus, and the winding canyon known as "Schroter's Valley." Then turn your gaze to the beautiful Pleiades star cluster, one of the prettiest open clusters in the sky, and a harbinger of approaching winter. If clouds interfere, we'll view high-resolution images in the planetarium. Second floor of Drescher Hall (1900 Pico Blvd.). \$11 (\$9 seniors and children) for the evening's scheduled "double bill," or \$6 (\$5 seniors age 60+ and children age 12 and under) for a single Night Sky or feature show or telescope-viewing session. For information, please call (310) 434-3005 or see www.smc.edu/eventsinfo or www.smc.edu/planetarium. All shows subject to change or cancellation without notice.

Saturday, December 2

Santa's Breakfast

Santa Monica Place will host the annual Santa Breakfast event in the Food Court. Families and children of

all ages will enjoy crafts, games, music, light breakfast bites and an appearance by Santa. Admission is \$5 per child. Adults and children ages 2 and under are free to attend. <http://downtownsm.com/events-calendar/6422/santas-breakfast>, 9 - 11 a.m.

St. Monica Annual Boutique Sale

Shop for all handmade items: gifts for all occasions, baby items, afghans, scarves, jams, baked goods, Christmas decorations, quilt raffle, and much more. Location is St. Monica Catholic Church, 725 California Avenue, Santa Monica. For more information call (310) 752-3445. Sat. Dec 2 from 2 - 7 p.m.; Sun. Dec. 3 from 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

A Dog's Purpose: Screening & Screenwriter/Author Discussion at Main

Join organizers for a very special of this family movie, based on the beloved bestselling novel by W. Bruce Cameron and directed by Lasse Hallstrom. A Dog's Purpose is the soulful and surprising story of one devoted dog (voiced by Frozen's Josh Gad), who finds the meaning of his own life through the lives of the humans he teaches to laugh and love. Screenwriter Cathryn Michon and author W. Bruce Cameron join us for a post-screening discussion (schedule permitting). Free program. Seating is limited and on a first arrival basis. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd. 3:30 p.m.

Family Folk Concert: The Susie Glaze New Folk Ensemble

Join organizers for a special afternoon of folk music for the family! Sing along with the Susie Glaze New Folk Ensemble, as they play early American folk songs with traditional instruments, like the mountain dulcimer, autoharp, and mandolin. For families. Montana Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave, 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

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Captain Ron, JFK, Oswald and the CIA

LAST WEEK RON SCHUR, AKA "CAPTAIN Ron," owner of The Galley Restaurant on Main Street, staged his annual "1934 Night," where menu items were the same price as in 1934 when The Galley first opened. For example, \$0.85 for a steak dinner and \$0.75 for salmon. (At those prices, I'd have ordered both!)

1934 Night is to reward loyal patrons for their business. So, if you want to attend next year's event, you have eleven months and three weeks to cozy up to the outgoing Ron.

Ron is an avid fan of my column. And yet he can criticize it in such detail, I once responded, "You know, Ron, I think I prefer it when you don't like my column."

Fit and stylishly bald, Ron laments, "Larry David stole my life!" You see, for a restaurateur, Ron is very funny. For a comedian, not so much. (He has a great sense of humor, however, to put up with this!)

I mention Ron because last week was the 54th anniversary of the JFK assassination. Adamantly, Ron believes that Lee Harvey Oswald acted alone. Adamantly, I disagree.

Meanwhile, on November 22 this year, Donald Trump (aka "the old lunatic" according to Kim Jung-un, and averaging four falsehoods a day, "Liar in Chief" according to me) failed to mention JFK on this solemn date. How could he, he only thinks about himself. That said, he did find the time to rant on Twitter about Lavar Ball. (Good grief!)

Trump was also busy golfing at Mar-a-Lago. Actually, in his first 315 days, he's spent 100 of them at country clubs he owns. (Actually, the only way he could get into a prestigious club was to build his own. #Sad.)

And on Thanksgiving, Trump didn't pass out food at a homeless shelter as Obama. Instead, he had a video chat with the troops during which, typically, he praised himself and knocked Obama with whom he's disturbingly obsessed. #Pathetic.

But back to Oswald and his suspicious return to the U.S. Close friends of my parents went to the U.S.S.R. in 1959 and upon their return, were kept by federal authorities. (The wife was allowed to go home but the husband was kept overnight for interrogation.)

The husband's business was the rather innocuous coin-operated laundry machines. Despite that, the feds wanted every detail of what he had witnessed inside Russia.

Illegally (or for the CIA) Oswald "defected" to Russia in 1959 and returned in 1962 at the height of the Cold War with a Russian wife no less and that didn't raise a red flag? (Pun intended.)

All due respect to Captain Ron, but that there was evidently no record of Oswald's de-

briefing is inconceivable. (If Oswald had been in the coin-operated washing machine business he would have been grilled thoroughly?)

In the military, Oswald had been trained in radar at a secret naval base from which some U-2 flights had originated. Decorated Air Force Captain, Francis Gary Powers Sr., recruited by the CIA in these super secret U-2 high-altitude aerial reconnaissance spying missions over Russia. Powers was convinced Oswald gave the Russians intel that led to his being shot down on May 1, 1960.

Interestingly, the U-2 flights had revealed that the Russians didn't have anywhere near the missiles they claimed. (Reminiscent of Saddam Hussein's bogus WMDs claims, which we believed but was fabricated to intimidate his enemies.)

So, in the 1960 presidential debate with Nixon, when JFK talked about closing "the missile gap," Nixon knew there wasn't any gap. He was furious he couldn't say so because it was top secret.

Because of the downing of the U-2, the upcoming peace summit with Khrushchev was postponed and never fully realized. Some questioned why the U-2 flights continued with an imminent summit. Then again, there's no money in peace, so for many the increased Cold War tensions were good for business. (This may explain why Ike's ominous "military industrial complex" reference in his radical farewell speech.)

I close today's column with three nationwide opinion polls. In 2013, 62% of Americans did not believe the Warren Commission conclusion that Oswald killed JFK alone, whereas 29% did. (Including Captain Ron!)

Two, is a poll about Trump, before his obscene Native American racial slur while honoring... Native American war heroes! Unhinged, Trump has caused an international uproar as re-tweeted fascist and fake anti-Muslim videos. Additionally, he apparently claims the voice on the "Access Hollywood" tape was not his and he's reviving his racist birther theory. (Time for the 25th Amendment?)

The poll by American Psychological Association revealed 59% of Americans consider the Trump era the worst and most stressful period in American history. (Including me as I wonder why it's not 99%!)

The last poll is one I conducted which revealed 100% of those who attended last week's "1934 Night" at The Galley ... had a terrific time.

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Santa Monica Firefighters aggressively fought back the flames and performed a search of the apartment units. Due to the amount of fire and the complexity of the apartment building, a 2nd Alarm was requested for additional assistance from the Los Angeles Fire Department. The unit of origin was occupied by a family of four when the fire broke out. Fortunately, the family awoke to the smell of smoke and the sounding of smoke alarms and quickly escaped without injury.

The fire was brought under control in 30 minutes and confined to the apartment unit of origin which consisted of a 2-story open floor plan occupying the 2nd and 3rd floor of the building. Only minor smoke and water damage affected one adjacent unit within the 12-unit building. One family was displaced and there were no injuries reported to the occupants or first responders.

A total of 42 Firefighters were on scene along with the Santa Monica Police Department and the American Red Cross. The cause of the fire is under investigation.

- SUBMITTED BY CAPTAIN PATRICK NULTY

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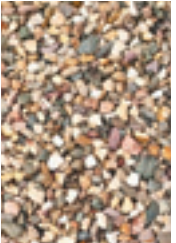


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An informal count found an average of 50 to 60 homeless people visit the Main Library every day. The City will hire two more Library Service Officers as part of an 18-month pilot, and a full-time social worker will be available for the next year to conduct homeless outreach and train staff. The City is also experimenting with pop-up resource fairs at the library that connect homeless patrons with local resources, including Hepatitis A vaccinations. Some of the training will be paid for by Measure H funds.

The City will also double-down on programs that are already working, such as West Coast Care, which helped nearly 300 people find permanent housing with family, friends or other programs this year, according to a staff report. Project Homecoming alone helped 181 people leave Santa Monica and get home to relatives or friends. Half of those people were still housed three months after leaving the city.

Even with the pilot projects, the City's human services administrator says the community will need to donate time and money to get people off the streets.

"There's just not enough of anything to help the number of people in need,"

Margaret Willis said. City departments and resources dedicated to helping get people housed are quite simply swamped and strained. It's a problem that has hit Santa Monica businesses – many of which rely on tourism – hard.

"Thank goodness we have the ambassadors," said the CEO of Downtown Santa Monica, Inc., Kathleen Rawson. In the first nine months of the program, DTSM's ambassadors referred 549 people to social services. The \$1 million pilot program is contracted to last two years.

"We are facing some very new and challenging obstacles as it relates to managing anti-social behavior, the likes of which we haven't seen since the late 80s," Rawson said. The police department has acknowledged response time for lower priority calls has risen. Of about 10,000 calls per month, a quarter concern homeless individuals.

Willis acknowledged the stakes are high all around – homeless individuals who feel disenfranchised often resist help, especially when it comes to navigating the myriad of public, non-profit and religious services. The system can be daunting.

"When it fails, it fails epically and can be as traumatizing as the experience of living on the street," Willis said.

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ALLEGATIONS

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fire, legal experts say. For example, they say, women who just want the harassment to stop and don't want to see anyone get fired might hesitate to come forward.

Philadelphia-based employment attorney Jon Segal said zero tolerance for harassment is important, but the consequences should be commensurate with the offense and should include steps short of firing, such as mandatory training, suspension or demotion.

"You don't want to send the message to people that if there is an allegation and it's found to be true, it's automatic termination," Segal said.

For employees who choose to sue, the timeframe can be short for raising the allegation: 300 days if employees want to sue in federal court. States often have more generous deadlines — six years in Ohio, for example — and fewer caps on financial damages.

Time limits don't mean lawsuits can't be brought over older complaints of harassment. For example, employees can argue that a recent incident within the 300-day limit allows them to revisit an older complaint outside that window.

Employers can also inadvertently breathe new life into old complaints by threatening employees with retaliation.

"That is very high on the list of dumb moves for employers to make," said

Washington-based labor attorney Richard Seymour.

Last year, a federal appeals court agreed that an Illinois circuit board company retaliated against a woman who brought sexual harassment allegations by firing her. She was awarded \$300,000, even though her actual harassment claims were dismissed.

Employers can also take actions they think are fixing a problem but often end up hurting them in court, such as transferring a woman who complained of harassment but not the man who harassed her.

As new allegations crop up daily, labor attorneys say they are already hearing of a troubling trend: men unwilling to interact with female co-workers for fear of saying or doing the wrong thing.

Such behavior is a mistake since it contributes to a new form of discrimination by putting opportunities for women out of reach, experts say.

"The answer to no sexual harassment isn't polarizing the workforce into male versus female camps. That would be the very definition of sex discrimination," said Washington labor attorney Deborah Kelly.

But Hebert, the Ohio State law professor, is skeptical of men who say they're worried about getting accused.

"Most men understand the difference," she said. "I always say, 'If you'd feel uncomfortable with it happening to your daughter or your wife, maybe you shouldn't be doing it.'"

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3rd: 12 Lucky Charms
RACE TIME: 1:43.76

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WORD UP!

nostrum

1. a scheme, theory, device, etc., especially one to remedy social or political ills; panacea.
2. a medicine sold with false or exaggerated claims and with no demonstrable value; quack medicine.

WELL NEWS BY SCOTT LALEE

Phobia of the Week

■ Anuptaphobia: fear of remaining single (unmarried)

Best Medicine

■ A doctor was giving a lecture to a group of medical students at a teaching hospital.
■ Pointing to an x-ray, he opined: "As you can see, this patient limps because his right fibula and tibia are radically arched."
■ The doctor then turned to the class and asked a young man in the front row: "What would you do in a case like this?"
■ The young man replied, "I suppose I would limp, too."

MYSTERY PHOTO



Matthew Hall matt@smdp.com

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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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Newsday Crossword

DOUBLY COOL LINES by S.N.
Edited by Stanley Newman
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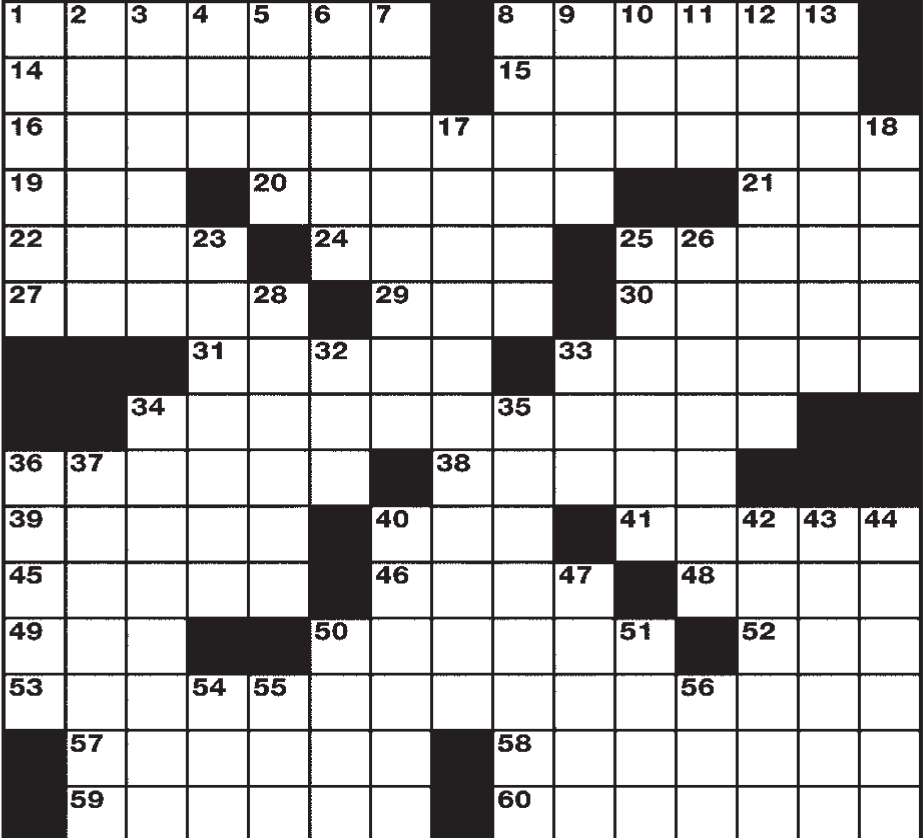
1 Grocery clerk's machine
8 Name on the cover of *A Moveable Feast*
14 Causing corrosion
15 Cherbourg's region
16 With 53 Across, "miles to go" poem
19 Mild rebuke
20 Films with stagecoaches
21 Vitamin std.
22 Extremely dry
24 ___ a (no)
25 Get a cast credit for
27 Lugged
29 Whisper endearments
30 Kennel club category
31 Car category
33 Photo descriptor
34 Author of 16/53 Across
36 Airport near Rainier
38 Two-tone treats
39 *Silas Marner* novelist
40 Middle of the second century
41 Gourd family fruit
45 Highly charged
46 Dept. at the Citadel
48 Toddler's word
49 Smidge
50 Squeaking bone, e.g.
52 Bylaw, briefly

DOWN

1 Creepy Cruise character
2 Jazz trumpeter Sandoval
3 Mishandle a ground ball
4 Uncommon sense
5 Slimming procedure, for short
6 Water source near Lake Geneva
7 Travel business
8 Beginning stage
9 Arms of a starfish
10 Compass pt.
11 Prefix for tourism
12 Over first
13 Big sellers in bear markets
17 Science of seniors
18 Yellowish-red
23 Chrysler autos of yore
25 In full flower
26 Gone over, as a span
28 Parliamentary procedure
32 Big mo. for *Messiah*

53 See 16 Across
57 Voice of the critic in *Ratatouille*
58 PR preparation
59 Ready to play again
60 Patron of Rome

33 College student's SAT
34 Yard-sale ad info
35 Corn concoctions
36 Skirmish
37 Name related to Nellie
40 Spoke proudly
42 Roundup gear
43 Danish port
44 Persistent critic
47 Long for
50 Allotment
51 Restaurant review site
54 Nine-symbol message
55 Un- or in-
56 Birth-named, on society pages



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TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Dec. 1)

You give yourself to your loved ones, and you're a cherished part of the group. But to live for them is to deny the one life you've been given: your own. In summary, you're a person, too. This is your year to do what's burning in your heart. Don't worry, family ties will be strengthened anyway. Aries and Gemini adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 11, 40, 45, 21 and 18.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

You've earned the chutzpah you have, but you need a little more for what you want. You don't get to have the confidence for free. The price of confidence is doing what scares you. First you dare; then you become daring.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

It's hard to put a price on learning. But if you gain even one insight that changes you, makes you think differently, gives you a degree of comfort or inspires you to be more, whatever brought you to that was worthwhile.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21)

There's something you keep locked away in your heart that's become a part of you, reflected in your every move. Take it out; re-examine; and decide if it still belongs there. If not, toss it. If so, polish and return.

CANCER (June 22-July 22)

What keeps you good even when you don't feel like being good? Principles. Your principles will now be the restraint keeps you on the path of being the best possible version of yourself.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

Everything moves, not necessarily forward. Some backward slides are a positive relaxation of hypervigilance. Some backward slides are dangerous regression. Know the difference. In the latter case, take preventive action.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

If you believed that whatever or whomever you'd like to add to your life was within the realm of possibility, what would you do to get ready? Do that. Because with this kind of clearly defined wish, amazing things can happen.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)

It's hard for some to clock the moves you're making, because you're simply going too fast for them. You're a blur! There's no reason to slow down, either, since there are plenty at your pace who will keep you company.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21)

When you write your priorities down, much will become clear about your life, what's working and what's not. Today, the tic-tac-toe model will work well. If you have more than nine priorities, it's too many.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

Some people don't know the value of a thing until other people point it out. But if it's not apparent to them, is it really valuable or not? Maybe good things are only good to those who see the goodness.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

When others throw stones at your ideas, don't even bother throwing them back. It's a waste of time and energy. Collect the stones as if they were a gift. Use them to build your empire.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

Your cravings will be informants that point to an underlying need, a nutrient that your diet is lacking or an emotional nutrient that is currently absent in your life.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

You may not know exactly what you want to do now, and that's OK. As long as you have a framework that guides you, you'll be in a fine position. Opportunity will arise that you had no idea was in the realm of possibility.

Venus Enters Sagittarius

Each new friend presents a world of opportunity. People who limit themselves to a small and constant social group are cutting off their chances for adventure. Venus enters Sagittarius and immediately starts to heat up the social energy. Take advantage of the dose of courage she injects into our atmosphere. Broaden your base. Smile and say hi.

DO YOU HAVE COMMUNITY NEWS?

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Santa Monica Daily Press

office (310) 458-7737



CITY OF SANTA MONICA
Housing Division

The City of Santa Monica announces it has committed funds in the amount of \$467,735 to Community Corporation of Santa Monica for the predevelopment activities associated with a future affordable housing development located at 1342 Berkeley Street targeted to young adults (aged 18-24) who are homeless or at-risk of homelessness.



Notice of Community Meeting

Community Corporation of Santa Monica will hold a public information session for a future proposed new construction 100% affordable housing development at 1342 Berkeley Street in Santa Monica. This development will reserve eight (8) units for young adults who are homeless or at-risk of homelessness. Community Corp. seeks initial input as the design of the development is currently underway. If interested, please RSVP by December 6th with Victor Ansley at Vansley@communitycorp.org.

Date: Wednesday, December 13th, 2017

Time: 6:00-7:30 PM

Location: 3031 Santa Monica Blvd., Ground Floor Community Room, Santa Monica, CA 90404

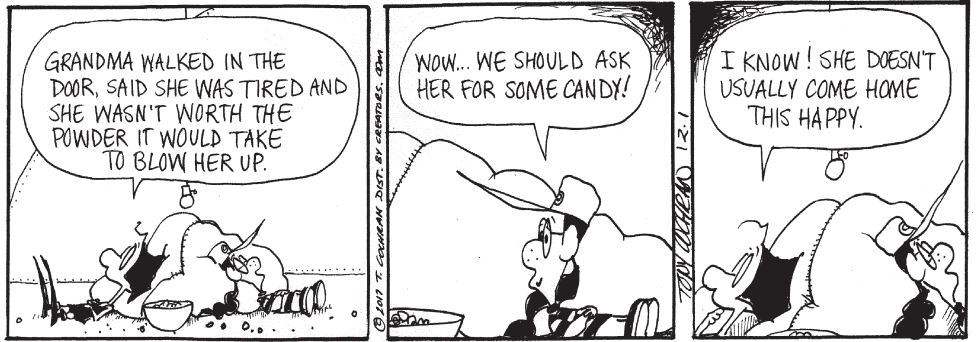
Heathcliff

By PETER GALLAGHER



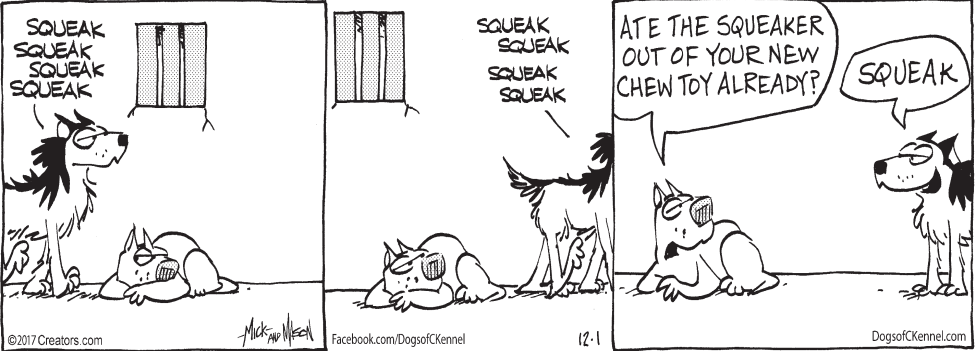
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By TONY COCHRAN



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By MICK & MASON MASTROIANNI & JOHNNY HART



Zack Hill

By JOHN DEERING & JOHN NEWCOMBE



DAILY FIRE LOG

The Santa Monica Fire Department
Responded To 34 Calls For
Service On Nov. 29.

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

EMS 1500 block Franklin 1:23 a.m.
EMS 2300 block 27th 2:33 a.m.
Haz mat - level 11400 a.m. block 4th 3:59 a.m.
EMS 700 block Ocean 4:27 a.m.
Automatic alarm 400 block Broadway 4:42 a.m.
EMS 1000 block Wilshire 5:18 a.m.
EMS 1400 block Ocean 5:41 a.m.
EMS 1000 block Berkeley 5:50 a.m.
Traffic collision with injury 20th / Pico 6:52:03
EMS 200 block PCH 7:55 a.m.
EMS 1000 block 11th 8:40 a.m.
EMS 200 block PCH 8:53 a.m.

EMS 1500 block 5th 10:01 a.m.
Haz mat - level 11100 block Wilshire 10:16 a.m.
EMS 2200 block Wilshire 11:24 a.m.
EMS 1500 block 4th 11:29 a.m.
EMS 1200 block Wilshire 11:59 a.m.
Traffic collision with injury 800 block PCH 12:13:15
EMS 2100 block Ocean 12:28 p.m.
EMS 2000 block Lincoln 1:19 p.m.
EMS 4th / Colorado 1:23 p.m.
EMS 1100 block 12th 1:56 p.m.
EMS 700 block Broadway 2:20 p.m.
EMS 1400 block 17th 3:05 p.m.
Automatic alarm 1600 block 7th 3:38 p.m.
EMS 500 block Colorado 5:04 p.m.
EMS 800 block Ashland 6:12 p.m.
Automatic alarm 2100 block Santa Monica 6:16 p.m.
EMS 3200 block Colorado 8:26 p.m.
EMS 1800 block Lincoln 8:34 p.m.
EMS Ocean / Colorado 8:57 p.m.
EMS 2400 block Lincoln 9:01 p.m.
EMS 2600 block 29th 9:17 p.m.



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 NOVEMBER 24, AT ABOUT 3:33 A.M.

While patrolling the area 2500 block of Kansas Avenue, officers were flagged down by two residents of a nearby apartment complex. The residents told officers there was a subject rummaging through a neighbor's car and not known to them. Officers stopped the subject as he tried to ride a bicycle out of the rear parking lot. A search of the subject led to the recovery of narcotics paraphernalia. Officers located tools in the subject's backpack belonging to a resident. The tools were valued at about \$2137. The residents were able to identify the subject. The suspect was taken into custody and transported to SMPD Jail. Damien Monroe Curtis, 31, homeless, was arrested for grand theft, possession of narcotics paraphernalia and probation violation. He was denied bail.

DAILY POLICE LOG

The Santa Monica Police Department Responded To 394 Calls For Service On Nov. 29.

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

Battery 2200 block 28th 2:51 a.m.
Battery 1400 block Ocean 3:14 a.m.
Out order traffic lights 20th / Pico 6:38 a.m.
Petty theft 900 block 12th 6:44 a.m.
Traffic collision 20th / Pico 6:51 a.m.
Petty theft 700 block Broadway 7:39 a.m.
Petty theft 700 block Broadway 8:03 a.m.
Illegal weapon 1100 block Palisades Park 8:16 a.m.
Encampment 2500 block Santa Monica 8:23 a.m.
Fight 1500 block Ocean 8:27 a.m.
Auto burglary 23rd / Ocean Park 8:37 a.m.
Grand theft 1000 block 24th 9:07 a.m.
Auto burglary 600 block Grant 9:20 a.m.
Battery 1100 block Idaho 9:20 a.m.
Drunk driving 14th / Pico 9:34 a.m.
Auto burglary 2400 block 2nd 9:34 a.m.
Auto burglary 1500 block 19th 9:41 a.m.
Petty theft 800 block 4th 9:50 a.m.
Trespassing 2200 block Colorado 10:02 a.m.
Grand theft 2500 block Arizona 10:05 a.m.
Grand theft 2500 block Arizona 10:07 a.m.
Encampment Main / Ashland 11:20 a.m.
Hit and run 900 block 18th 11:44 a.m.
Traffic collision Pacific Coast Hwy / California Incline 12:11 p.m.
Trespassing 1200 block Lincoln 12:11 p.m.
Theft recyclables 1400 block 17th 12:48 p.m.
Traffic collision 1600 block Lincoln 12:49 p.m.
Encampment 1500 block Ocean Front Walk 12:52 p.m.
Encampment 1200 block the beach 1:01 p.m.
Petty theft 2900 block Main 1:01 p.m.
Auto burglary 1100 block 6th 1:08 p.m.
Drunk driving 1300 block Wilshire 1:17 p.m.
Encampment 200 block Palisades Beach 1:26 p.m.
Encampment 400 block the beach 1:42 p.m.
Hit and run 2200 block Colorado 2:02 p.m.
Burglary 2200 block Colorado 2:21 p.m.
Grand theft auto 2300 block Ocean Park 2:39 p.m.
Auto burglary 700 block Navy 2:50 p.m.
Grand theft 700 block Pier 2:50 p.m.
Petty theft 200 block Broadway 2:51 p.m.
Battery 2400 block 28th 3:06 p.m.
Battery 1300 block Marine 3:47 p.m.
Threats 1300 block Hill 4:02 p.m.
Petty theft 2500 block Pico 4:22 p.m.
Petty theft 1300 block 3rd Street Prom 5:17 p.m.
Suicide 400 block 21st 5:54 p.m.
Rape 2200 block Delaware 6:06 p.m.
Auto burglary 800 block 18th 7:14 p.m.
Auto burglary 800 block 19th 7:31 p.m.
Petty theft 1200 block Washington 7:32 p.m.
Indecent exposure 100 block Ocean Park 7:33 p.m.
Shots fired 2300 block 20th 7:43 p.m.
Encampment 1500 block 12th 8:03 p.m.



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

SANTA MONICA ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD

SPECIAL MEETING

DATE/TIME:

December 4, 2017, 7:00 p.m.

LOCATION:

Santa Monica Institute Training Room, Second Floor of the Parking Structure, 330 Olympic Drive, Santa Monica, CA 90401 Entrance on Olympic Drive (wheelchair accessible) directly across from the Public Safety & Police Department Building

PROPERTIES:

- 17ARB-0203: 2919 Wilshire Boulevard: Retail
- 17ARB-0311: 2600 Colorado Avenue: Office
- 17ARB-0373: 2901 Santa Monica Boulevard: Mixed-Use
- 17ARB-0431: 339 17th Street: Single-Family Residence
- 17ARB-0490: 1318 - 1320 2nd Street: Mixed-Use

PRELIMINARY REVIEW(S):

None

More information is available on-line at <https://www.smgov.net/Departments/PCD/Boards-Commissions/Architectural-Review-Board/> 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 rathar.duong@smgov.net, or mail Santa Monica City 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. Santa Monica "Big Blue" Bus Lines #1, #2, #3, Rapid 3, #7, #8, #9, Rapid #10, and #18 service City Hall and the Civic Center area. The Expo Line terminus is at Colorado Avenue and Fourth Street, a short walk to City Hall. Public parking is available in front of City Hall, on Olympic Drive and in the Civic Center Parking Structure (validation free).

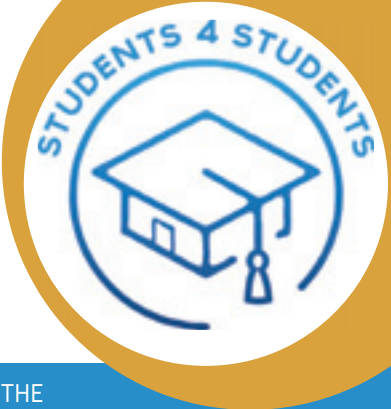
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SINGING 4 STUDENT SHELTER -
FEATURING A TRIBUTE TO MARIA CALLAS
TICKETS AT THE DOOR

SUNDAY, DEC. 3 - 9AM

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS
BEFORE THE CITY OF SANTA MONICA
LANDMARKS COMMISSION

SUBJECT

Public hearings will be held by the Landmarks Commission on the following:

2511 Beverley Avenue, 17ENT-0131, Zoning: OP2 (Ocean Park Low Density Residential) District. The City Landmarks Commission will be conducting a public hearing to consider a Certificate of Appropriateness for design approval for an expansion of the existing Craftsman-style residence, including but not limited to additions to the first and second floors, expansion of the existing basement below the Landmark residence, a new garage and multi-purpose structure within the existing side yard, and landscape modifications at the subject property. Additionally, in accordance with Santa Monica Municipal Code Section 9.56.120(f), the Landmarks Commission will be considering correcting the inadvertent omission of the Landmark Parcel at 2511 Beverley Avenue from the Statement of Official Action that was adopted by the Landmarks Commission in 2004 when it designated the Craftsman-style residence on the parcel as a City Landmark.

2518 4th Street, 17ENT-0207, Zoning: OP2 (Ocean Park Low Density Residential) District. The City Landmarks Commission will be conducting a public hearing to consider Structure of Merit Designation Application 17ENT-0207 for 2518 4th Street to determine whether the existing Spanish Colonial Revival style apartment building should be designated as a Structure of Merit. The application includes the three-unit building at the front of the property. The Landmarks Commission will make a decision regarding designation based on whether the application, research, and public testimony presented demonstrates that the structure meets one or more of the required criteria for Structure of Merit designation pursuant to SMMC Section 9.56.080.

1122 California Avenue, 17ENT-0211, Zoning: R2 (Low Density Residential) District. The City Landmarks Commission will be conducting a public hearing to consider Landmark Designation Application 17ENT-0211 for 1122 California Avenue to determine whether the sycamore tree within the front yard of the subject property should be designated as a City Landmark. The Landmarks Commission will make a decision regarding designation based on whether the application, research, and public testimony presented demonstrates that the tree meets one or more of the required criteria for Landmark designation pursuant to SMMC Section 9.56.100.

When:

Monday, December 11, 2017 at 7:00 pm

Where:

Santa Monica Institute (SMI)
Training Room (2nd Floor)
330 Olympic Drive, Santa Monica

Questions/Comments

The City of Santa Monica encourages public comment on this and other projects at the Public Hearing, or by writing a letter addressed to Steve Mizokami, Senior Planner, City Planning Division, 1685 Main Street, Room 212, Santa Monica, California, 90401, by phone (310) 458-8341, or by email at steve.mizokami@smgov.net.

More Information

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Espanol

Este es un aviso de una audiencia pública para considerar la designación de una propiedad en la ciudad como un monumento histórico. Para más información, favor de llamar a Carmen Gutierrez en la División de Planificación al número (310) 458-8341.

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MEET ME
UNDER THE FIG TREE

Join us for our annual community gathering under the historic Moreton Bay Fig Tree to celebrate the Holiday Season. It's an afternoon for the entire family and will include live entertainment, pictures with Santa, seasonal crafts, a bounce house, petting zoo, games, and snow!

The event benefits The People Concern (formerly OPCC and Lamp Community) and the Santa Monica Police Activities League (PAL). Please bring nonperishable food items to contribute to the largest food drive on the Westside. Your donations will go to those in need.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10TH 2PM-5PM

Locals are invited to staycation at Fairmont Miramar Hotel and Bungalows the month of December with discounted rates.

To make a reservation please dial 1-800-441-1414 and mention "The Fig Tree". A portion of your room rate will be donated to PAL.

*Rate is subject to availability at time of booking.

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