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Samohi grad John Beasley receives four Grammy nominations

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Santa Monica High School graduate and Jazz musician extraordinaire John Beasley has earned four Grammy nominations, placing him in the top tier of nomination-getters tied with popstars Justin Bieber and Billie Eilish.

Beasley received two nominations for his 16 piece Jazz Ensemble MONK'estra: one for Best Large Jazz Ensemble Album for "MONK'estra Plays John Beasley", and a second for Best Arrangement Instrumental or A Capella arrangement for "Donna Lee".

He was also nominated for Best Jazz Vocal Album for conducting and arranging "Holy Room: Live at Alte Oper" performed by Somi with Frankfurt Radio Big Band,



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MUSIC: John Beasley is a Samohi grad with four Grammy nominations.

SHINE ON SANTA MONICA

Buy Local this holiday.

Support your community this season by shopping local, while wearing your mask and avoiding groups and gatherings by participating in contactless curbside, in-store pickup, or online shopping options for your holiday essentials.

Los Angeles County will be under a stay-at-home order through December 27, which prevents all gatherings outside of members of your immediate household. The new measures are more targeted than the spring closures with retail remaining open at reduced capacity. All shoppers and employees must maintain a six-foot distance, while properly

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Teachers put personal time and effort into distance learning

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"I can't wait to get back on Zoom!" — is a sentence few parents ever expected their child to say, but through hours of extra work, outside-of-the-box lesson planning, and personal sacrifice, teachers at SMMUSD have magically conjured this impossible utterance.

From teaching about animal life cycles while living on a farm, to live cooking demos, and bedtime story read alouds, teachers across the District have gone above and beyond to engage students through distance learning.

"I was brainstorming all summer, how am I going to make it so when they leave they're going to go 'I love second grade, I love my friends, this was the most fun, I can't wait to wake up in the morning!'" said Laura Meshel, a 2nd grade teacher at Grant Elementary School.

Meshel looked closely at the second grade standards which included many lessons about animals and came up with a plan.

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Courtesy image

SCHOOL: Teachers brought the trips to the students.

Planning Commission advances condo project

MATTHEW HALL
Daily Press Editor

The Planning Commission has approved a plan to replace a pair of commercial spaces with a mixed use project including 30 residential units.

The project site is two adjoining lots (combined 15,000 SF) located on the eastside of Lincoln Boulevard between Santa Monica Boulevard and Broadway, next to the CVS. The proposed project is for a 32-unit Tier 2 condominium housing project within a five-story, 50-foot high mixed-use building.

The Commission action this week created a subdivision map that parceled out the airspace above the property allowing the individual units to be sold as condominium units. Design details of the project were not up for discussion but officials spent time debating the ethics of the project's affordability proposal.

Of the 30 units, six are set aside for residents of varying income scales. One unit is reserved for residents making 30 percent of average income, one unit for 50 percent, one for 80 percent and three units for moderate income households.

All the project units are proposed for sale as opposed to rental and the potential sale of units to low-income households raised questions for some commissioners.

"I want to get this straight. So, all the affordable units in this project are for sale right? That is, that's lunacy. I mean people in the extremely low income category, they will be lucky they can afford the home owner fees," said Commissioner Leslie Lambert. "I think we're inviting these people to disaster."

Commissioner Shawn Landres asked staff to research if City policy puts limitations on the fees associated with condo ownership for low-income buyers.

"I think we should find out because there's not much point approving housing, that is literally unsalable because the very people

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and Best Arrangement Instrument and Vocals for arranging "Asas Fechas" performed by Maria Mendes.

Beasley has been playing music before he could walk and talk—if you count pots and pans as percussion instruments—and is deeply honored by the academy's recognition.

"This is not public voting like the AMAs, these are my peers; they are musicians, producers, songwriters. It's really the people that do the heavy lifting for music, so it's an honor to be considered one out of five of maybe hundreds of records that were submitted," said Beasley.

While he studied a variety of genres growing up, Jazz was and remains Beasley's first true love, as he is captivated by the excitement and dynamics of improvisational music.

"There are infinite possibilities at any time," said Beasley. "You are improvising with other people who are improvising, so it's constantly changing. It's like the natural world — nothing stays the same."

With two band conductors for parents, Beasley was raised around instruments, sheet music, and musicians. He made his first public debut at the age of five when his mother needed an extra trumpet player for her marching band parade.

During his last year of junior high school the family relocated to Santa Monica as Beasley's mother got a job teaching orchestra at John Adams Middle School and his father got a job teaching at Santa Monica College.

Beasley played in the John Adams and Samohi orchestras as well as pop, rock, and jazz bands with friends. Many years later he is still a proud Westside resident, living in nearby Venice.

In addition to performance music, Beasley is also skilled at arranging music for TV and film.

"You have the inspiration of the film and script to help you come up with the ideas of the score, which is awesome," said Beasley. "Music and film fit together like I don't know.. chocolate and hazelnuts!"

Beasley assisted composer Thomas Newman arrange the score for 1917, which Newman received a Grammy nomination for. Beasley also worked with Newman on HBO Max's movie Let Them All Talk



Courtesy photos

AWARDS: Beasley has also worked as a composer for feature films.



featuring Meryl Streep. Beasley orchestrated and arranged the jazz score, which was then performed and recorded by his MONK'estra band.

While Beasley is continuing to work on projects, including a collection intended to inspire people to vote in Georgia, he longs for the days of live performance.

"I definitely miss being out on the road and performing for people. I miss that connection terribly, because you get so much from the audience," said Beasley. "I think that was one of the first things we musicians realized during the pandemic and maybe some of us had even lost sight of that fact and tended to take it for granted. I think streaming is cool for right now but there's nothing like the real deal."

The Recording Academy will present the 63rd annual Grammy awards on CBS on Jan. 31, 2021 from 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. PT hosted by Trevor Noah of the "The Daily Show". The ceremony will also stream live on www.grammy.com

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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.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26 10:30 A.M.

During a Traffic Enforcement Operation in the City of Santa Monica, an SMPD Officer was stopped on the 20th St. on-ramp of the westbound I-10 freeway when he noticed a vehicle driving at a high speed, estimated at 90 mph. The Officer proceeded to pull the vehicle over. When the driver opened his window, a strong odor of marijuana emitted from the vehicle. The driver exhibited visible characteristics of being under the influence. Jorge Luis Torres was arrested for 23152 (F) CVC - Driving under the influence of drugs. His vehicle was impounded and Torres was later released on a citation.

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Citywide

DMV Temporarily Halts Behind-the-Wheel Driving Tests

The California Department of Motor Vehicles is temporarily suspending behind-the-wheel driving tests for at least two weeks beginning December 14. The DMV is taking this step for the health and safety of customers and employees during the current statewide surge in COVID-19 cases.

"Behind-the-wheel drive tests require two people to share space in one vehicle and - while we have made numerous changes to safeguard the testing process - the current surge in COVID-19 cases presents increased risk to both parties," said DMV Director Steve Gordon. "While our field offices remain open to serve the public, we hope customers will first go online to take care of their DMV needs."

In-vehicle testing is a requirement for first-time driver's license holders and commercial license applicants. The temporary suspension includes commercial and noncommercial tests but does not apply to motorcycle drive tests, which can be conducted at a safe distance.

Customers with scheduled appointments in the next two weeks will be notified their tests are canceled. The DMV will automatically reschedule the tests at a later date.

DMV drive test examiners will be redirected to assist with other customer transactions.

The DMV previously suspended drive tests for three months beginning in mid-March. The DMV resumed administering behind-the-wheel tests in June with safety protocols in place, including required face coverings, temperature checks, cracked windows for increased air circulation and seat covers.

Californians who do not have an urgent need to go to a DMV field office should delay their visit, including those interested in applying for a REAL ID. The U.S. Department of Homeland Security has announced that the REAL ID enforcement date is October 1, 2021, and customers who want a REAL ID will have an opportunity to apply at a later date.

To protect customers and employees, the DMV requires everyone who enters the DMV to wear a face covering, physically distance and have their temperature checked. To best serve customers and maintain appropriate distance, the number of people allowed in the office is limited, chairs are appropriately spaced and plexiglass has been installed.

The DMV continues to recommend that customers use its online services, expanded virtual services and other service channels to complete transactions including eligible driver's license and vehicle registration renewals. Nearly all Californians can now renew their driver's license online - even if the renewal notice states an office visit is required. Customers can also use the Service Advisor on the DMV website to learn their options to complete DMV tasks.

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Downtown

City Implements Temporary Free Parking in Downtown

To support Santa Monica's local businesses while providing an easy, safe and affordable shopping experience for the holiday season, the City of Santa Monica will temporarily waive parking fees in downtown Santa Monica public parking structures 1 - 6 from Friday, December 11 through Friday, December 25, 2020.

The City is making an investment into the Santa Monica economy by waiving downtown parking fees, complimenting Citywide free curbside pickup zones that help support local safe shopping and restaurant pick-up opportunities.

Buying local keeps dollars in Santa Monica's economy. For every $10 spent at a Santa Monica business, as much as $7 stays in the community through payroll and taxes that are reinvested to support local schools, parks, and vital community services. The Buy Local Santa Monica program has over 1,000 businesses actively participating that employ over 3,700 Santa Monica residents and nearly half of our Buy Local businesses are owned by Santa Monica residents.

In alignment with the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health orders, the City continues to partner with local businesses to prevent the spread of COVID-19. While the City encourages the community to buy local in a safe way, it is imperative that everyone stays home as much as possible, does not mingle with those outside their household and always wears a face covering outside their homes.

Restaurants and retailers throughout Santa Monica have implemented a number of convenient amenities during COVID-19. Local shoppers are encouraged to plan ahead, know what stores you need to visit and check ahead to see if in-store pick-up or special hours are available for persons who may be more vulnerable to COVID-19. Many Santa Monica businesses are also offering online ordering and delivery. Order online and pickup local to ensure the sales tax revenue stays in our community to support our schools and emergency services. The free parking and curbside pickup zones throughout the City help to facilitate easy, affordable and safe local shopping.

Stores have taken extra precautions to ensure the community stays healthy so please follow all health and safety signs, keep six feet distance from others, and use hand sanitizer frequently when shopping. For more information about Santa Monica shopping districts or a list of unique Santa Monica gifts, visit: buylocalsantamonica.com/gifts2020 and santamonica.com/holiday-specials. The Santa Monica "Open for Business" map is available at santamonica.gov/coronavirus-resources.

For more information and resources about buying local, please visit santamonica.gov/buylocal. Business looking to participate in Santa Monica's Buy Local program should contact buylocalsm@sustainableworks.org.

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Letter to the Editor

Send comments to editor@smdp.com

This is why Malibu needs its own school district

Editor:

Yes, you read that right. What I didn't say was that Keith won it in Malibu. In Santa Monica he lost the election to Maria by 7%. Santa Monica overwhelmingly preferred one candidate, Malibu overwhelmingly preferred a different candidate. Santa Monica's candidate got the job. Why? Because 86% of the voters live in Santa Monica. If 86% of the voters lived in Malibu, it'd be Keith being sworn in next week.

It gets worse. Even if every single registered voter in Malibu had voted for Keith, he'd have had gotten just half the votes Maria got. And worse still, even if every registered voter in Malibu had voted for Keith and only Keith (all possible Malibu votes going to Keith and no Malibu votes going to other candidates), Keith would still have lost with 25% fewer votes than Maria.

Malibu has no electoral power in SMMUSD. We can't vote candidates in. We can't vote them out.

Electoral power matters. It's how we hold our elected officials accountable. It's the most important of the "checks and balances." It's what ensures that our school board members remember the will of the people. That they make our priorities their priorities. That they make our vision their vision and our problems their problems.

Imagine a world in which your TV is hooked to your neighbor's remote control. You watch what they want to watch when they want to watch it. You can't watch the shows you want unless they want to watch them too. Every day. Forever. That's Malibu in SMMUSD.

Please understand this: we need and deserve our remote control back..

Craig Foster, Malibu

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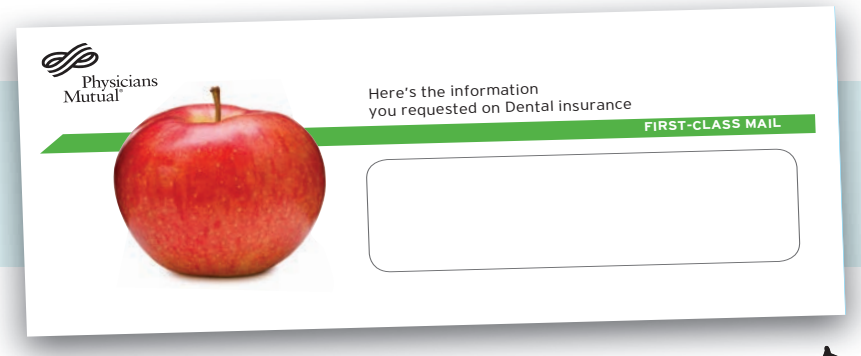
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TEACHER

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Leveraging her ability to work remotely, Meshel spent a month with her family in Idaho teaching from a farm.

"They got to see their teacher ride a horse, visit cows, feed chickens, and pet the two most adorable goats. They were asking very deep questions because it was almost like being there because they were watching their very own teacher. It was really amazing," said Meshel.

Erin Haendel, a 5th and 6th grade teacher at Santa Monica Alternative School House, found ways to take advantage of the distance learning from the comfort of her home. She started cooking lessons that incorporate math and geography concepts and hosts optional bedtime story read alouds once a week.

"I like to think of what we can make use of now that we are at home that is a positive. I thought well we're all at home with our kitchens, so that's how I thought of doing cooking," said Haendel. "It was the same with the read aloud and I think it's a special way to connect out of school hours. Kids come in their PJs with their stuffed animals and we get to read together."

Haendel has found that students love the interactive element of cooking demos and has been delighted by how many students look forward to her optional sessions, including a current affairs discussion bright and early on Friday mornings.

"It's fun because you get the kids who are really into politics or Black Lives Matter and we have great debates at those times, because it's kids who really care to come at 7:30 a.m. with their breakfast," said Haendel.

While most teachers were apprehensive about teaching an entirely remote semester, many have discovered that with enough creative thought the majority of classroom activities can still be accomplished.

"We're adapting, we're trying different strategies, so nothing has been a lost cause. For example, I normally do a pilgrim simulation and it's all teamwork for a month. I was thinking how on earth are we going to do that, but we managed to make it work with breakout rooms," said Stacy Harris, a 2nd grade teacher at Webster Elementary School.

By using Zoom breakout rooms for students to collaborate and pre-filming pilgrim pantomimes with her teaching assistant, Harris has been able to recreate an interactive simulation where students learn about history of the pilgrims, practice writing journal entries, and develop social emotional skills.

These successes don't come without their challenges. Teachers across the board are putting in extensive work on their own time without any additional compensation.

"I definitely spend at least one full day if not one and a half days on the weekend in front of my computer planning lessons, designing them and uploading them all," said Harris.

"I swear, I think I'm working three times as much. I am so tired, but I love my class so much," said Meshel. "But everybody's doing it, I'm not just talking about me, everybody is doing really cool unique stuff. We all work together on ideas and it's really inspiring."

As the semester winds to a close, teachers are looking forward to a well deserved break after months of overtime efforts to engage their students.

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who are given an opportunity to buy it cannot then afford to live there," he said.

Staff said the City does have some controls over additional costs and those would be part of the ongoing development process.

Carl Smith, architect for the project, said the owners have been working toward a home-ownership model since its inception.

"The owner of this project wanted to develop it as a condominium building and so all of the calculations for affordable units and so forth, we followed based on the code of Santa Monica, and from the early sort of start to the project we understood that the city has a mechanism to allow ownership units and control of HOA fees and all of that stuff," he said. "So we have been moving forward with the assumption that these would be for sale units."

Commissioner Ellis Raskin questioned the breakdown of units and asked if the developer would be willing to alter the mix with more units assigned to the lower-income categories but Smith said modifications were unlikely at this point. Raskin attempted to alter the mix as part of the approval vote but failed to find support among the other commissioners.

Despite their misgivings, the Commission voted to move the project forward with an understanding that the applicant has the option to pursue sale or rental of the low income units based on their needs.

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City of Santa Monica

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY CONSOLIDATED ANNUAL PERFORMANCE AND EVALUATION REPORT FOR 2019 PROGRAM YEAR

Notice is hereby given that the City of Santa Monica has developed the Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) for the 2019 Program Year. The CAPER is submitted annually to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and provides a status report on how the City's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME grant funded projects and activities are meeting the City's overall housing and community development needs as specified in the 2015-19 Consolidated Plan and the 2019-20 Action Plan adopted by City Council in April 2019 and submitted to HUD.

The CAPER is now available to the public for a 15-day community review period ending on December 24, 2020. The report is accessible at www.smgov.net/hsd, and written comments may be submitted by email to humanservices@smgov.net or by mail to: Housing and Human Services Division, 1685 Main Street, MS22, Santa Monica, CA 90401.

COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Malibu

City of Malibu and Malibu Medical Group to Offer More Drive-Through Coronavirus Testing at City Hall December 16 and 18

The City of Malibu is partnering with Malibu Medical Group to once again offer drive-through COVID-19 testing at Malibu City Hall Wednesday and Friday, December 16 and 18 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Malibu City Hall is located at 23825 Stuart Ranch Road, Malibu, CA 90265. Anyone seeking to be tested must be in line by 2 p.m. to get a test that day.

"Widespread testing is considered one of the most important ways to fight the pandemic because it allows positive cases to be identified and start self-quarantine more quickly so we can help slow the spread and protect vulnerable people," Mayor Mikke Pierson said. "I am proud and grateful to our local medical providers, our CERT and other community volunteers and our City staff for making this crucial testing service for the community at our City Hall possible."

The test that will be administered is the RT-PCR test, commonly referred to as the nasal swab test. In addition, for symptomatic patients Malibu Medical Group will offer Rapid Antigen tests to help identify positive cases more quickly to help slow the spread of COVID-19 through our community. PCR results will be available 24-48 hours after the testing has been completed. The Rapid Antigen results will be available within one hour of the test time.

Registration is required prior to your test. To register, please click on this link and complete the HIPPA Compliant form: https://hipaa.jotform.com/203346950188157. The cost of specimen collection and laboratory testing will be passed along to your insurance or the CARES Act. Therefore, you will need to supply all demographic information, insurance information and a copy of your insurance card. If you are uninsured, you must provide a driver license number or your Social Security number and sign an attestation verifying your lack of insurance coverage.

All PCR results will be sent directly to patients through the laboratories' patient portal. All Rapid Antigen results will be published through the Malibu Medical Group patient portal.

In addition to the upcoming drive-through testing service, the City Council on November 23 authorized the use of the City Hall parking lot for administering COVID-19 vaccination and Malibu Medical has submitted an application to Los Angeles County and the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to be able to administer the vaccinations once they become available. The City will announce all vaccination information on the website, www.malibucity.org, social media, Nextdoor, email notifications and local radio Public Service Announcements (PSAs) when it becomes available.

Please email all questions regarding the testing to covid@malibumedicalgroup.com

SUBMITTED BY MATT MYERHOFF, MEDIA INFORMATION OFFICER

Citywide

Gelson's Stores Host Toy Drive

Gelson's customers across Southern California are encouraged to take part in the company's annual toy drive, December 1-20, and donate a toy to a child in need. The toy drive, which will take place at all 27 stores as well as internally at Gelson's corporate office and warehouse, will benefit disadvantaged children throughout the region.

Returning partner organizations for the toy drive include: Children's Hospital Los Angeles (CHLA), Barbara Sinatra Children's Center, and Toys for Tots. New partnerships this year are: Promises 2 Kids, Miracles for Kids, and Miller Children's & Women's Hospital, Long Beach. In keeping with tradition, Gelson's employees will be personally delivering some of the toys, following all COVID-19 rules and guidelines.

The toy receptacles at Gelson's stores will be designated red bins or branded containers provided by the partner organizations. A list of suggested donations can be found at the store front desk and on gelsons.com. Also, some partner organizations are requesting online donations - check their sites for more information.

"We felt it was especially important to keep the tradition of the annual toy drive alive this year," said Gelson's CEO and President Rob McDougall. "We have a long history of customer service extending beyond our stores and into the community. As we enter our 70th year in business in 2021, we look forward to continuing to work with our nonprofit partners - and we are grateful for the generosity of our customers. Together with our Gelson's associates, let us make the holiday season brighter for families in need across Southern California."

Please visit Gelson's website www.gelsons.com for further details on the annual toy drive.

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City of Santa Monica

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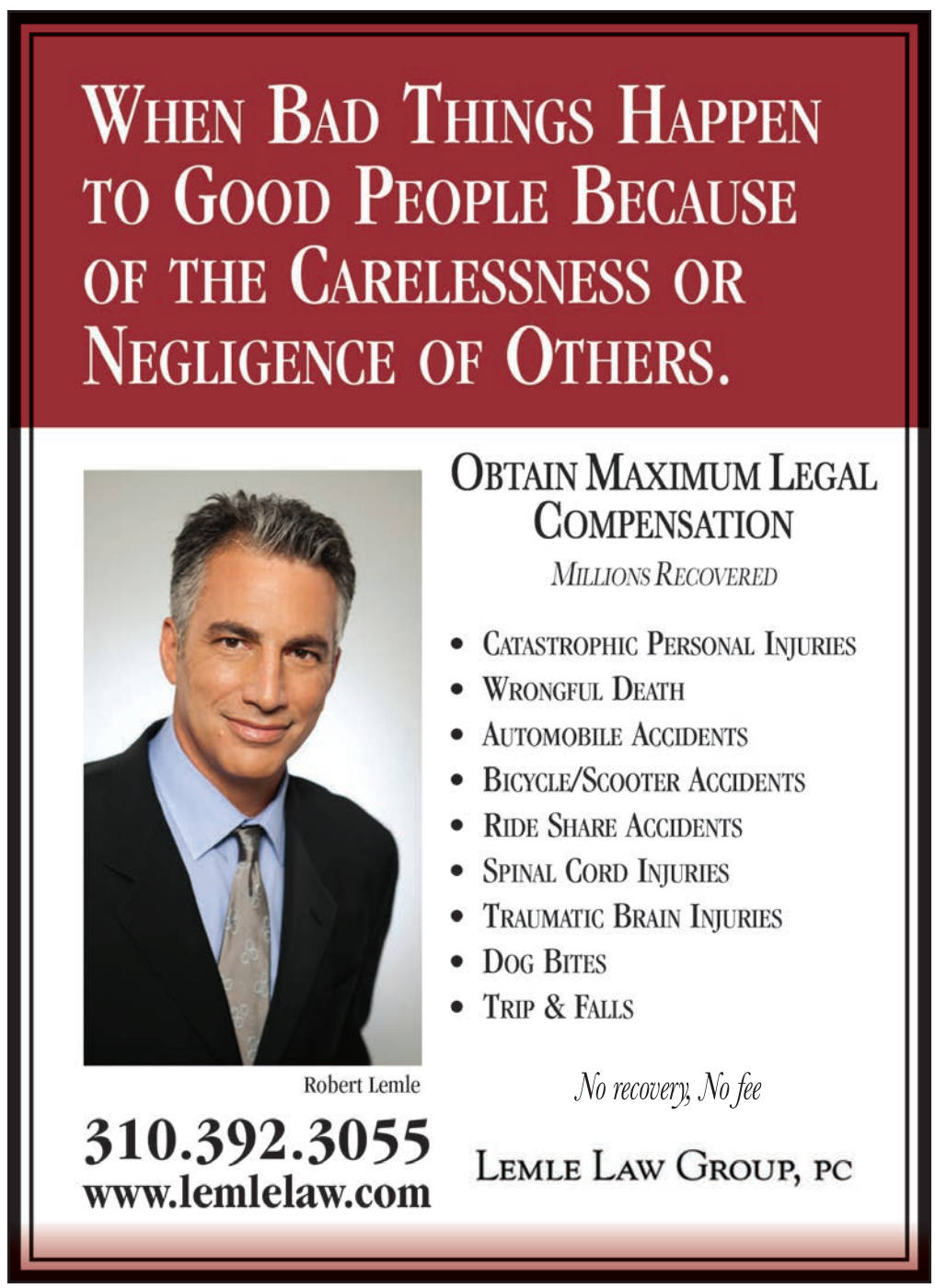
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Submission Deadline is December 23, 2020 at 3:00 PM Pacific Time.

Bids must be submitted on forms supplied by the City of Santa Monica. Bid packages containing all forms, specifications, terms and conditions may be obtained on the **CITY'S ONLINE VENDOR PORTAL**. The website for this Notice of Inviting Bids and related documents is: ProcureNow (https://secure.procurenow.com/portal/santa-monica-ca). There is no charge for bid package and specifications.









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wearing a mask that covers the nose and mouth. Let's all do our part to make sure holiday jubilation is the only thing spreading far and wide.

"We all have a part to play in keeping our loved ones and neighbors safe this season," said Lindsay Call, City of Santa Monica's COVID-19 Emergency Operations Center Director. "While we encourage the community to buy local and shop safely this season, we are at a critical moment in the pandemic locally. It is imperative everyone stays home as much as possible and follows safety measures when outside your homes. Always wear a face covering, only celebrate the holidays with household members, avoid crowds and maintain six feet of physical distance from non-household members."

The Montana Avenue Merchants Association wants everyone to feel the magic of the season on Montana Ave. and has created unique experiences for shoppers and shop owners. The neighborhood is putting on a fantastic holiday display of bright lights and colors in an effort to spark some much needed cheer this season.

Heidi Dedrick, Merchant Outreach Chair for the Montana Merchants Association, says that supporting local businesses is more important than ever, and many shops are offering in-store pickup and at home-delivery options. Find the perfect bottle of wine for the amateur sommelier in your life at Duck Blind, using their delivery and in-store pickup options or a scented candle for Mom from Burro that can be delivered straight to your door. Don't forget to leave a review for your favorite shops, purchase items online and help them grow their business. Share the love with your friends and have them shop at your favorite local spots or purchase a gift card online for a guaranteed great holiday gift exchange.

If you decide to window shop, admire the brightly lit storefronts, as the Merchants Association is excited to host the first ever Montana Ave. Holiday Window Competition. Montana Merchants must get creative to impress the panel of judges, including Santa Monica Police Department's Suzie Lockwood, along with Susy Borlido of Sustainable Works and the Montana Ave. Merchants Association's very own Albin Gielicz. While you drive down Montana Ave. with rows of brightly-lit windows, don't forget to drop off your letter to Santa at one of three Santa's Mailbox stations along Montana Ave (1516 Montana Ave., 1015 Montana Ave., 1524 Montana Ave.). Head home feeling good that you found a safe way to holiday shop this year, while supporting local businesses and their employees.

***Did you know that by simply shopping local, 68 cents of each dollar remains in Santa Monica? That money is used to keep essential services up and running, including local parks and libraries, while also funding local teachers and school counselors. With the potential of one in four small businesses shutting down for good*, your support keeps their doors open and helps maintain the employment of nearly 3,700 local residents.**

**Source: U.S. Chamber of Commerce*

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Santa Monica Shines COVID-19 Assurance Program

Look for the Santa Monica Shines COVID-19 Assurance program seals in the storefronts of Santa Monica businesses. These businesses have gone above and beyond to ensure you feel safe and comfortable.

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- Physical Therapyworks
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- Sea Shore Motel
- Shore Hotel
- Solstice Sunglasses
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- Stella Barra Pizzeria & Wine Bar
- T Heritage Art Gallery & Frame Shop
- Tar & Roses
- Tees R Us
- The Albright
- The Bungalow
- The Candy Carousel
- The Georgian Hotel
- The Pier Photo Company
- The William Warren Group
- Tiato
- Tracy's Nails
- Trapeze School New York
- Tribe Pilates
- Two Photos In One
- Viceroy Santa Monica
- Water Grill
- Westside Music Conservatory
- The William Warren Group

BUY LOCAL

FROM PAGE 6

Montana Ave. is not the only one spreading a little holiday magic, the 40-foot tall shopping cart tree is lit up for the 26th-year in a row as part of Miracle on Main Street. 84 shopping carts are staged in the shape of a Christmas tree and lit up with 1,500 lightbulbs, held together with 4,000 tons of zipties inside the Frank Gehry-designed building in Edgemar to ring in the beginning of the holiday season. Back by community demand, the classic 40-foot tall Noble fir has returned to brighten the Heritage Museum lawn after a one-year hiatus.

"Main St. is absolutely thrilled to be bringing some much-needed holiday cheer to the neighborhood," says Hunter Hall, Executive Director of the Main Street Business Improvement Association. He assures that Main St. "will abide by whatever prevailing guidelines" to make sure that every Santa Monica Resident has a happy holiday season.

Just a few blocks north of Main St. you will find a winter wonderland as part of Downtown Santa Monica (DTSM) Inc.'s annual Winterlit at the Third Street Promenade and surrounding downtown district. The shopping hub is shining bright under thousands of glowing lights and plastered with festive store-front art installations created by ten-different Los Angeles based artists adding color and light to the streets, according to Mackenzie Carter, the Director of Marketing and Communications for DTSM, Inc. Carter says this year's programming will be "a safe and fun environment for people to come out and experience the promenade on their own."

To support local businesses and promote a safe and accessible shopping experience, the City of Santa Monica is waiving parking fees in the downtown parking structures 1-6 from December 11-25. If running essential errands, like visiting the downtown Farmers' Markets, ordering food to-go or picking up last minute holiday gifts on the Promenade, you will see the official City of Santa Monica 24-foot tall tree embellished with bright lights and fun ornaments, introducing you to the magic that downtown Santa Monica has created. On Arizona Ave., a gleaming Menorah celebrates Hanukkah through December 18.

Keep an eye out for some holiday surprises! 48-Jacaranda trees possess a scannable QR code, which unlock festive experiences that transform the iconic dinosaur statues and Jacaranda trees into brightly decorated holiday elements through the power of augmented reality.

For more holiday fun, head to the North Pole, previously known as Santa Monica Place. "We are looking forward to offering a safe and festive holiday season at Santa Monica Place," says Stephanie Eglin, Senior Marketing Manager at Santa Monica Place.

Holiday shopping is made safe and convenient using the shop your way amenities available at Santa Monica Place "With on-demand concierge, curbside pickup, and in-store pickup options available, guests can shop their own way with peace of mind," says Eglin. Whether you choose to do curbside pickup, virtual queuing, in-store pickup, stores like Nordstrom, Bloomingdales and Nike have you covered. If you get a bit hungry, pick-up some delicious food to-go, or take an interactive, virtual cooking class with professional pastry chefs through the Gourmandise School. Learn how to craft the fluffiest pastries and concoct the most delicious holiday treats with pastry chef and Co-owner Clémence Gossett.

Co-owner and General Manager at the Gourmandise School, Sabrina Ironside says, "We're so encouraged by the enthusiasm for supporting small, local businesses during the pandemic."

With a new retail location on the first floor of Santa Monica Place, Ironside says that "the supportive comments we've been getting from locals really helps us keep going" and that everyone at Gourmandise and The Gourmandise School is "so glad we're here providing help with cooking and baking at home virtually, and offering kitchen supplies." To sign up for one of their virtual classes, or learn more about The Gourmandise School, visit their website at thegourmandiseschool.com.

While we all get cozy at home, we can make the holidays brighter for locals in need through the City of Santa Monica's Virginia Park Avenue Food Pantry. Assist a Santa Monica family facing food insecurity by donating at calfund.org/wearesantamonica. Let's all have a safe holiday by properly wearing your mask, avoiding groups, not gathering with people outside of your household and maintaining six-foot distance. Happy holidays!



5 WAYS TO BUY LOCAL THIS SEASON

Holiday Cheer and Business Specials

The holidays are happening in Santa Monica! Restaurants, retailers, and businesses are offering an array of festive, physically-distanced attractions and charitable food and clothing drives to give back to the community this season. Make sure Santa Monica continues to shine through the holidays while keeping the community safe and healthy at **santamonica.com/holiday-specials.**

Restaurants Offering Takeout and Delivery

What's on your plate? No matter what you're craving, now is the time to #EatLocal. See a running list to help you locate all the Santa Monica restaurants that are open for takeout, curbside pickup and delivery at **santamonica.com/santa-monica-restaurants-offering-take-out-delivery.**

Buy Local Gift Guide

Check out the Buy Local Holiday gift guide featuring gifts for any budget, many with online ordering, easy pick-up, or delivery options at **buylocalsantamonica.com/gifts2020.**

Open for Business Map

For the latest information on businesses including hours and their website, view the Santa Monica "Open for Business" map at **santamonica.gov/coronavirus-resources.**

Volunteering Opportunities

There are plenty of opportunities to give back to the community through donations and volunteer service. Explore opportunities at **santamonica.gov/blog/Donate-and-Volunteer-to-Give-Back-this-Holiday-Season.**

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Name change

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAMECase No. 20SMCP00360Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Gabriel Rollins Rudd Barnard for Change of NameTO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:Petitioner or Attorney: Gabriel Rollins Rudd Barnard for filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows Gabriel Rollins Rudd Barnard to Gabriel Rollins Barbard 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: January 8, 2021, Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K, Room: A-203The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401A 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: 10/16/2020

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAMECase No. 20SMCP00366Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Kendra Brown Change of NameTO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:Petitioner or Attorney: Kendra Brown for filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows Kendra Karima Brown to Kendra Mathews 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: January 15, 2021, Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K, Room: A-203The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401A 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: 10/22/2020

Name change

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAMECase No. 20SMCP00356Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Joy Flores for Change of NameTO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:Petitioner or Attorney: Stephanie L. Mahdavi., filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows Joy Flores to Joy Dablia 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: February 08, 2021, Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K, Room: A-203The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401A 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: 10/14/2020

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAMECase No. 20SMCP00417Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Angelina Jessica Rusconi for Change of NameTO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:Petitioner or Attorney: Angelina Jessica Rusconi filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows Angelina Jessica Rusconi to Angelina Jessica Firestar 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: February 26, 2021, Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K, Room: A-203The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401A 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: 11/23/2020

Name change

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAMECase No. 20SMCP00421Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Priscilla MacMillian Lovat Fraser for Change of NameTO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:Petitioner or Attorney: Priscilla MacMillian Lovat Fraser filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows Priscilla MacMillian Lovat Fraser to Priscilla MacMillian Lovat Fraser Chase 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: February 19, 2021, Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K, Room: A-203The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401A 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: 11/25/2020

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2020190970 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/18/2020 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Formulah Music RT 4259 Enoro Drive Los Angeles, CA 90008. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Reginald Theus 4259 Enoro Drive Los Angeles, CA 90008 This Business is being conducted by: An Individual The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date) N/A Registrant/Corp/ LLC Name /s/: Reginald Theus Title: Owner, Reginald Theus, Reginald Theus This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/20/2020 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 , 12/07/20, 12/14/20, 12/21/20, 12/28/20

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2020176528 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/30/2020 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Marshall Contemporary 6018 W. 85th Pl. Los Angeles, CA 90045. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Marshall Productions, Inc. 6018 W. 85th Pl. Los Angeles, CA 90045. This Business is being conducted by: A Corporation . The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date) 09/2020 Registrant/Corp/ LLC Name /s/: Marshall Productions, Inc . Title President Jeffery Marshall. Jeffrey Marshall . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/30/2020 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 , 11/23/20, 11/30/20, 12/7/20, 12/14/20

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: FILE NUMBER: 2016307233. DATE FILED: December 20, 2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Prostorage 3103 17th Street, Santa Monica, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Image Mechanics, LLC 3103 17th Street Santa Monica, CA 90405. If Corporation or LLC- Print State of Incorporation/Organization. CA This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime. REGISTRANT (NAME/CORP/LLCNAME) (PRINT): Image Mechanics, LLC. Title: Secretary REGISTRANT SIGNATURE: Robert J Reicher If Corporation, also print corporate title of officer. If LLC, also print title of office or manager. The Statement was filed with the county clerks of Los Angeles on 11/23/2020 FILE NUMBER 2020196488. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS COPY IS A CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL STATEMENT ON FILE IN MY OFFICE: Dean C Logan Los Angeles County Clerk. BY: Dean C.Logan

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2020113109 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/23/2020 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Moxie Born, THRIGOROFGREATNESS 9029 Airport Blvd #882233 Los Angeles, CA 90009. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Libby I Lewis 9029 Airport Blvd #882233 Los Angeles, CA 90009. This Business is being conducted by: An Individual The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date) 11/2020 Registrant/Corp/ LLC Name /s/: Libby I Lewis . Title: Owner , Libby I Lewis, Libby I Lewis This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/28/2020 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 , 12/07/20, 12/14/20, 12/21/20, 12/28/20

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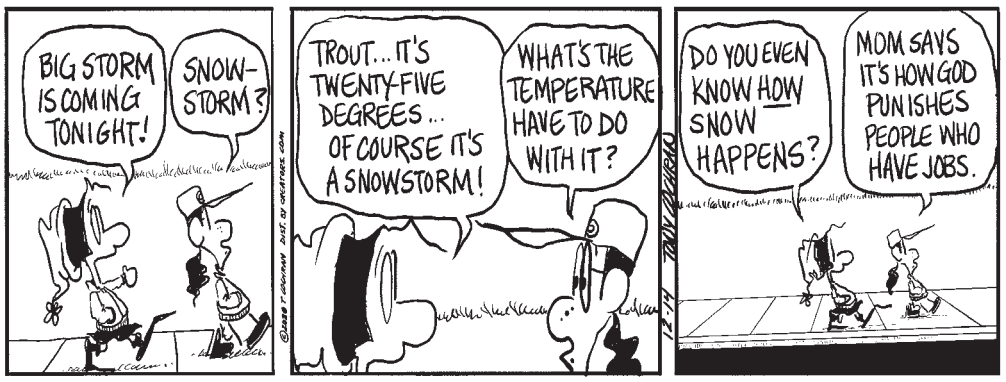
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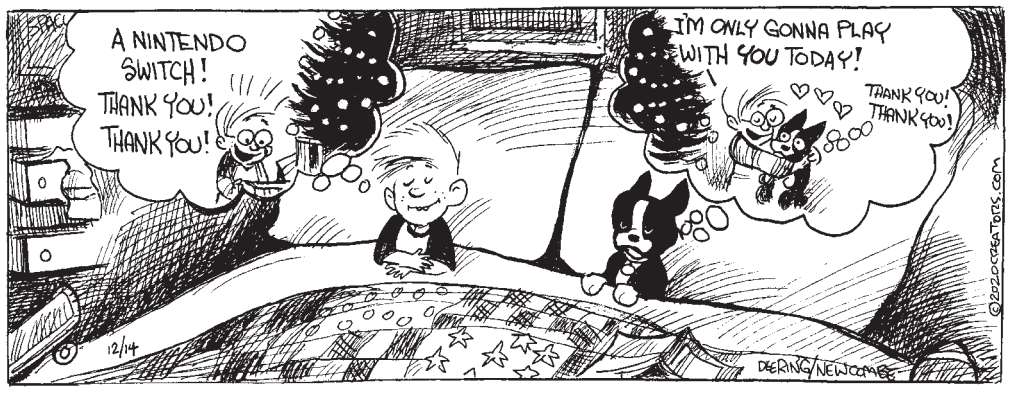
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SURF FORECASTS

WATER TEMP: 59.0°

MONDAY- **FAIR** - SURF: 3-4ft Waist to chest high
Mid-period WNW swell could be rideable to fun for select spots.

TUESDAY - **FAIR** - SURF: 3-4ft+ Waist to shoulder high
NW swell-mix rideable to fun for select spots – most size west of Pt Dume.

WEATHER

Monday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 63.
Monday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 50.
Tuesday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 64.

Date	Day	Time (LST/LDT)	Predicted (ft)	High/Low
2020/12/14	Mon	01:47 AM	1.71	L
2020/12/14	Mon	08:09 AM	7.06	H
2020/12/14	Mon	3:24 PM	-1.64	L
2020/12/14	Mon	9:49 PM	4.03	H
2020/12/15	Tue	02:30 AM	1.93	L
2020/12/15	Tue	08:50 AM	6.96	H
2020/12/15	Tue	4:11 PM	-1.59	L
2020/12/15	Tue	10:43 PM	3.94	H
2020/12/16	Wed	03:15 AM	2.15	L
2020/12/16	Wed	09:33 AM	6.65	H
2020/12/16	Wed	4:58 PM	-1.35	L
2020/12/16	Wed	11:38 PM	3.86	H
2020/12/17	Thu	04:04 AM	2.38	L
2020/12/17	Thu	10:18 AM	6.16	H
2020/12/17	Thu	5:46 PM	-0.96	L
2020/12/18	Fri	12:36 AM	3.82	H
2020/12/18	Fri	04:59 AM	2.62	L
2020/12/18	Fri	11:06 AM	5.55	H
2020/12/18	Fri	6:35 PM	-0.48	L
2020/12/19	Sat	01:38 AM	3.84	H

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POWERBALL calottery
Draw Date:12/09
11 14 31 47 48
Power#: 4
Jackpot:277 M

calottery MEGA MILLIONS
Draw Date: 12/08
15 19 33 39 68
Mega#: 25
Jackpot: 276 M

SuperLotto PLUS calottery
Draw Date: 12/09
5 8 13 20 39
Mega#: 1
Jackpot: 14 M

Fantasy5 calottery
Draw Date: 12/10
6 8 30 37 38

Daily 3 calottery
Draw Date: 12/09
Evening: 2 1 5
Draw Date: 12/09
Midday: 8 0 4

Daily Derby calottery
Draw Date: 12/10
1st: 04 - BIG BEN
2nd: 02 - LUCKY STAR
3rd: 12 - LUCKY CHARMS
RACE TIME: 1:48.57

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TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (DECEMBER 14)

You'll uplift those you love. Ironically, it's the thankless jobs that produce the treasures of your life. Acting from the core of your character, you're repaid in a currency beyond worldly significance. You grow in power and wisdom, but you're not above enjoying the many frivolous delights that spice up your days. Gemini and Capricorn adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 16, 39, 4, 31 and 12.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). To you, seeing someone you love mess up or experience loss or pain is far worse than experiencing those things yourself. And yet, when you think about it, you wouldn't trade the lessons you've learned for anything.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Good-fortune move: Drum up gratitude for the unchanging pillars of your current day to day. Like statues you can visit any time, under varying weather and light, they remain, faces fixed on the same horizon.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). It is not selfish to focus on your own satisfaction. It is also not easily accomplished, as real satisfaction is highly personal and takes introspection and work to accomplish — all well worth the effort.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). They were doing the best they could when they made those mistakes that harshly affected you. Turn a soft heart and a kind eye their way, and then welcome the divine fuel injection that will power your next act of grace.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Feelings of grandeur (which all are sometimes prone to) can inspire fantasy, provide momentary escape and point the way to your next move. Even so, they are best indulged briefly, kept private and then brought down to Earth.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You fear that, were you to give in to an attraction, you'd be off track with your agenda. These two parts of you, the attracted and the task master, needn't be at war. Brainstorm. There's a way to integrate them.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). There is a difference between retreating to hide out and retreating to regroup. You are not afraid of what's going on, but you need time to process it and come up with a plan.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You'll deal with a complicated situation. You haven't struck the answer yet, but you will. Keep trying to put yourself in the shoes of different people involved. This one will unravel with patience and empathy.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Surround yourself with the sacred and the day takes on a hallowed tone. It's worth dipping into, but don't be surprised if you have a low tolerance for the gravity. When it's time, let the pendulum swing, guilt-free into stupidity.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Though you are a single individual, you play a role in the trajectory of human evolution. Advances will occur, as they always have — sporadically at first, with individuals at the forefront. Why not you?

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Reaffirm that you are your own authority. It will clarify and quiet your inner conversation — no more wondering whom to follow — and will eliminate the outside competition for your attention and allegiance.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Sunshine and exercise, more water, less worry: It's easy to say, harder to remember to do. Consider this your reminder. You are important. People need you to be the best you can be.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD

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N	O	V	A	■	T	U	E	S	■	P	I	L	E	S
O	N	E	T	H	I	R	D	■	W	A	L	K	O	N
D	E	C	E	I	T	S	■	B	U	Y	■	R	P	I
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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

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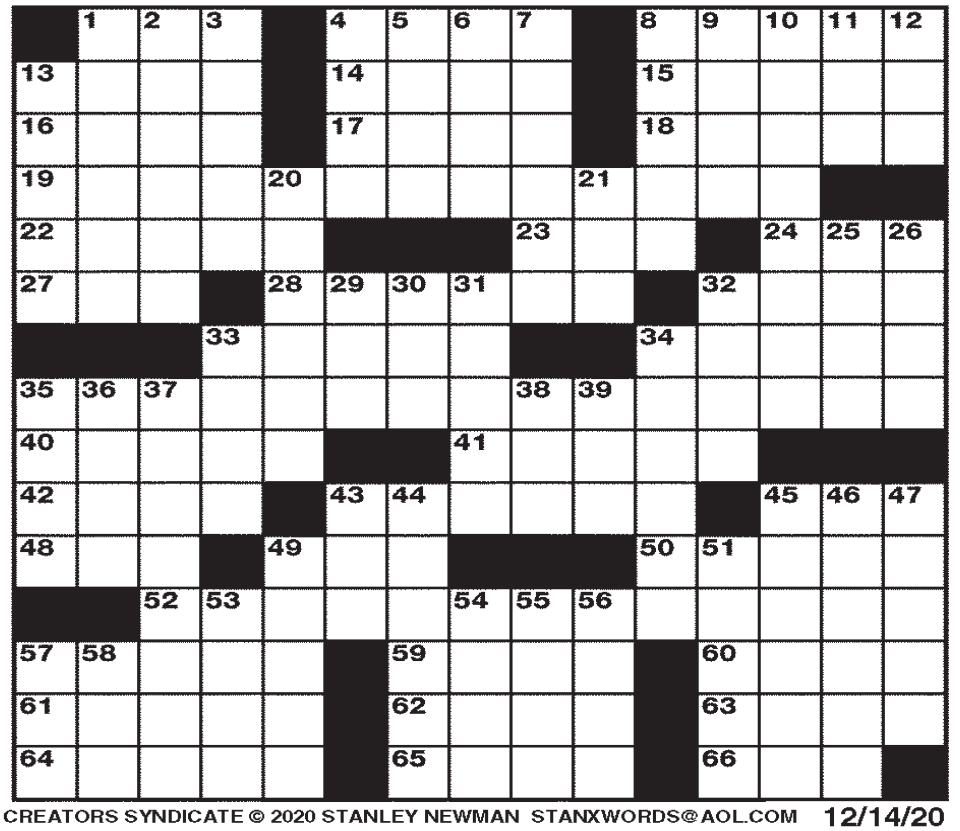
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Newsday Crossword

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ACROSS
1 USO visitors
4 Solemn promise
8 Drastically reduce, as prices
13 "Spoiled" tot
14 "Not guilty," for one
15 Vowel quintet
16 Letterhead illustration
17 Long periods of time
18 Brief in one's words
19 Gain a position by hard work
22 Scornful smile
23 Race car's circuit
24 For each
27 U-turn from NNW
28 Moon cavity
32 Boyfriend
33 Chicago airport
34 Ships' docking spots
35 At a job again
40 Trophy or medal
41 Wipe away, as chalk
42 The Dalai __
43 Bakery loaves
45 To the rear, on a boat
48 Potato bud
49 Before, poetically
50 Come next
52 Get properly trained
57 Layers of paint
59 Wrench or hammer
60 Sword handle
61 Mesa relative
62 Self-images
63 Metals in rocks
64 Metal in girders
65 See socially
66 Get married

DOWN
1 Reactions to bad jokes
2 "Okay with me!"
3 Pebble or boulder
4 Unlock
5 Moisturizer ingredient
6 Change for a $20 bill
7 Big bother
8 Stopped slouching
9 Impolite look
10 Jet's velocity
11 Mariner's call for help
12 Shade of color
13 Sanctify
20 Corsage flower
21 Golfer's goal
25 English nobleman
26 Sneaky scheme
29 Competed in a marathon
30 Mural or sculpture
31 Childish giggle
32 __ one's time (wait)
33 Gumbo veggie
34 Quarterback, throwing a ball
35 Hay package
36 Not in the office
37 Didn't arrive on time
38 Historical period
39 Unhappy
43 "It's c-c-cold!"
44 Leased
45 Have ambitions
46 Filled the gas tank
47 Lab experiments
49 Flip-chart holder
51 Emphatic turndown
53 Suffix for major
54 Ancient Roman garment
55 Owl's call
56 "If all __ fails . . ."
57 NBC rival
58 Not in the office



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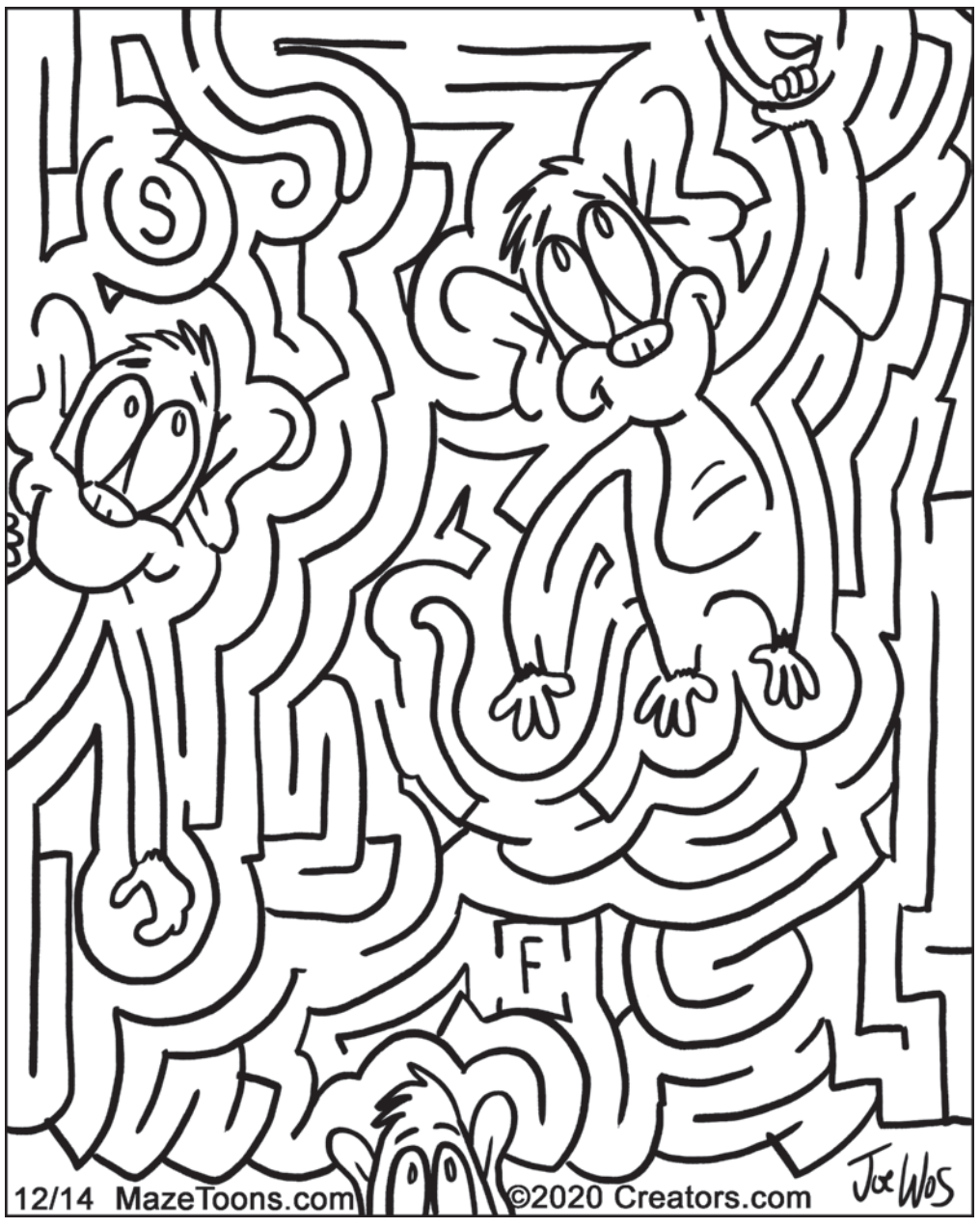
Binary Puzzle

Each cell should contain a zero or a one. No more than two similar numbers below or next to each other are allowed. Each row and each column is unique and contains as many zeros as ones.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

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F	R	F	E	E	R	Q	E	N	A	N	N	J	I	C
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Shared
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