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NEWS OF THE WEIRD
BY CHUCK SHEPARD

■ Race-separatist cult leader Yahweh Ben Yahweh is awaiting a decision on release from parole (after serving 11 years of an 18-year sentence on racketeering charges in connection with as many as 23 gruesome murders, some involving beheadings) and is dying of cancer. His lawyer asked a federal judge in October to approve his immediate release so that his client could “die with dignity.”

■ Washington, D.C., council member (and former mayor) Marion Barry was charged in September with DUI and other vehicle violations but told The Washington Post that authorities were just trying to “embarrass and discredit” him.

■ After shooting video undercover in 10 Army recruiting offices in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, ABC News released in November an episode of recruiters telling a prospect that no one is going to Iraq anymore. “No, we’re bringing people back,” he said, and his partner followed with, “We’re not at war. War ended a long time ago.” In a separate on-camera interview, Col. Robert Manning, who is in charge of Army recruiting in the Northeast, generously told ABC News that he disagreed with the recruiters. “We are a nation and Army at war still.”

TODAY IN HISTORY

1969 Britain’s Parliament abolished the death penalty for murder.

1972 The United States began heavy bombing of North Vietnamese targets during the Vietnam War. (The bombardment ended 12 days later.)

WORD UP!

thaumaturgy \THAW-muh-tuhr-jee/, *noun*: The performance of miracles or magic.

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A league of our own

Cheerleaders for the Hollywood Fame, a new professional American Basketball League team playing their home games at Santa Monica College, entertains the crowd during halftime of the Fame's victory over the Big Valley Shockwave on Friday night. The Fame followed their opener with another win on Saturday night at SMC.

Derek Goes Special to the Daily Press

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COMMUNITY PROFILES |

WALLACE SMITH

The heart of a ‘Lion King’

SM native is the pride of Pantages

BY MAYA MEINERT

Special to the Daily Press

HOLLYWOOD — Even if you’ve seen a stage production of “The Lion King” during its current two-year run at the Pantages Theater, you may not have known that everyone’s favorite lion cub who would be king emerged from the wild that is Santa Monica.

Wallace Smith, 26, who plays the lead role of Simba, really is a hometown boy — he grew up near Ninth Street and Pico Boulevard, and attended John Muir Elementary, John Adams Middle and Santa Monica High schools. It was at Samohi where Smith studied under the tutelage of theater director Frank Ford, a teacher at the school for the last 22 years.

“I give all the credit to the Samohi theater program,” said Smith last week, in between performances.



Photo courtesy

ON TOP: Smith plays the lead role of Simba in the stage production of “The Lion King” which is currently in a two-year run at the Pantages Theater.

“[Frank Ford told] me I could be a good actor, but I didn’t believe him.” Based on his reviews as Simba in a touring production of the show, Smith should be a believer.

“Wallace Smith makes a fine, vir-

ile Simba,” wrote Jay Reiner of The Hollywood Reporter. Rob Pratt of metroactive.com, a northern California-based Web site, said

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Center of the noise

Neighbors losing patience during work on hospital

BY MELODY HANATANI

Daily Press Staff Writer

WILSHIRE BLVD. — What was once a quiet neighborhood in the heart of Mid-City has been disrupted by the ongoing sound of cement trucks and pounding hammers for the past five years.

The Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center — which sits on a block bounded by Wilshire Boulevard, 16th Street, 15th Street and Arizona Avenue — has been under construction since 2001 and it looks as though the hammering won’t cease until at least 2010, according to hospital officials.

It’s all part of a \$300 million project to rebuild the medical center to better serve the needs of the community. The project started in conception in 1995, following the Northridge earthquake, but didn’t break ground until six years later with the construction of an Arizona Avenue Parking Structure, which was completed in 2003. Around the same time, the new parking structure broke ground and handiwork began for the new Central Plant. The new facility, which powers the existing facility, became operational in 2004.

Once completed, the community can expect a series of new buildings connected in the shape of a horseshoe around the existing main hospital, which will come down in pieces around 2009, creating open green space in the middle of the new hospital.

Until then, the residents that live near the medical center will just have to live with the inconveniences that come along with development.

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1211 Fourth St., 11:30 a.m. — 1 p.m.

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Santa Monica, 2 p.m. — 3:30 p.m.

Santa Monica Fitness Group for Women

Santa Monica, 6:30 p.m. — 7:30 p.m.

Co-Op Monday Night Food for Thought

1448 18th St., 7 p.m. — 8:30 p.m.
Free speaker series featuring practitioners on health and wellness. A list of events is available at www.coopportunity.com.

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Cameras go up to protect in parking lots

BY KEVIN HERRERA

Daily Press Staff Writer

DOWNTOWN — Attendants in the downtown parking structures have been robbed at least 10 times within the last year alone, prompting City Hall to install a number of security cameras in efforts to protect the vulnerable city workers.

The cameras, which will be provided by the same company that installed more than 120 cameras on the Third Street Promenade and Santa Monica Pier, are also being mounted in efforts to gather evidence on those responsible, city officials said.

“This is for two purposes — security and customer service,” said Jory Wolf, chief information officer for City Hall, pointing out that the surveillance system will also be used to better manage traffic flow, potentially cutting down on the time drivers must wait to enter and exit the garages. “The cameras will be hung in a way that will not only protect those taking cash at the kiosks, but we’ll also be able to see cars queuing up in exit lanes so that parking management folks will be able to respond with more resources.”

City Hall will spend \$75,000 on the system, which will be installed by Federal Network Services. The Washington-based company will install cameras in each of the downtown structures except those attached to the Santa Monica Place mall. Taped footage will be stored for 30 days and be monitored by transportation officials, according to Wolf.

A contract with Federal is nearly complete and the cameras should be installed after the new year. Wolf would not say how many cameras would be placed in each structure.

“I don’t want to give out the number or location, because that might undermine our security efforts,” Wolf said.

No employees were injured in the robberies, which have occurred mostly after dark, between 5 p.m. and 1:10 a.m., said Lt. Alex Padilla of the Santa Monica Police Department.

“There have been multiple suspects. Some are strong-arm and others were armed robberies,” Padilla said. “Investigations are still ongoing.”

City officials said the average loss was between \$200 and \$300.

Two robberies occurred back in January,

See PARKING SECURITY, page 12



Let there be light

Yoel Naparstek, 22, lights the menorah in Palisades Park on Saturday — the second day of Hanukkah. The eight-day, eight-night Festival of Lights ends at sundown on Saturday.

Fabian Lewkowicz fabian@smdp.com

Making space behind bars

Commission to review felony guidelines in an effort to relieve prison overcrowding

BY DON THOMPSON

Associated Press Writer

SACRAMENTO — California’s corrections secretary said Friday that the state will create a commission to review sentencing guidelines for felons, a potential key step in Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger’s efforts to relieve prison crowding.

Reform could give judges and parole officers greater discretion and lead to some offenders being released sooner than under current law, Secretary James Tilton told The Associated Press.

The proposal comes five days after a federal judge gave Schwarzenegger a June deadline to ease crowding in the nation’s largest

state prison system, where more than 173,000 inmates live in space designed for fewer than 100,000.

Failure to do so could lead the federal courts to order remedies that include early release of inmates.

Schwarzenegger has endorsed the sentencing commission as he prepares to ask lawmakers next month to approve a building plan that will provide more than 35,000 additional prison beds, Tilton said.

Since 1977, California has used what is called a determinate sentencing system in which terms for incarceration are relatively fixed. Judges have some leeway based on the nature of the crime and the criminal’s history.

Lawmakers and voters have added longer

sentences since then through measures such as the “three-strikes” law for repeat offenders. In November, California voters approved tougher penalties for sex offenders.

“We’ve been adding to it piecemeal...,” Tilton said. “Maybe it’s time to back up and take a look at it.”

He said the composition of the commission and the authority it would have to change state law have yet to be determined. It should include experts from academia and law enforcement who would consider sentences, parole terms and basing a period of incarceration on each criminal’s risk to society, Tilton said.

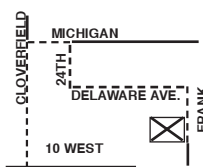
The administration has not decided whether Schwarzenegger will create the commission himself or seek the Legislature’s approval, he said.

During his re-election campaign this

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

A disparaging word

Editor:

(Santa Monica Daily Press) makes a reference to the term “gentile” when speaking about non-Jews’ inability to pronounce the word “Chanukah” (“Name game: Hanukkah or Chanukah?” Dec. 15, page 1). I find the word “gentile” disparaging, and in the same category as “infidel,” the word used by Muslims to describe non-Muslims. It is not only disparaging, it is polarizing. It has a distinct taste of superiority and denigration.

Further (Rabbi Jeff Marx of Santa Monica Synagogue) states that “English speakers don’t know how to pronounce Hebrew!” Right, and why should English speakers know how to pronounce Hebrew? “It is a holiday about not assimilating into the host culture,” said the rabbi. That is more polarization. Happy Festival of Lights!

Julia Reeves

Santa Monica

Freight rail just makes sense

Editor:

Freight volumes are expected to skyrocket over the next 20 years. Much of this expected freight volume will come and go through the Los Angeles and Long Beach ports. We can not afford to sit back and wait, our State and Federal Government needs to do something to prepare.

As a city councilmember for the city of Santa Monica, I feel it is my obligation to be a part of the solution. If nothing is done to accommodate this new freight our highways will see even more gridlock. Rail provides an obvious and viable solution, and we should be expanding our freight rail system in Southern California and across the nation to pick up some of this expected freight volume.

One intermodal train can carry 280 truck trailers that would otherwise be clogging our region’s freeways. A locomotive can move a ton of freight more than 400 miles on just one gallon of diesel fuel. The bottom line is that every ton of freight moving by rail means safer, less congested highways, less infrastructure damage, less fuel burned and less air pollution.

The American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials, the Congressional Budget Office, the Transportation Research Board and the Hudson Institute all report that investment in rail may not be sufficient or grow fast enough to address soaring freight demand.

Legislation introduced last summer in the U.S. Senate would help meet this challenge by providing tax incentives to businesses that make new freight rail infrastructure investments that actually expand freight rail capacity. It is anticipated that this legislation will be reintroduced in the new Congress in 2007. Unfortunately, legislation is also expected that would “reregulate” the railroads, which were largely deregulated in 1980. An unintended consequence of this legislation would be much lower levels of investment in rail infrastructure and shrinking rail capacity at a time when expansion is badly needed.

Adding freight rail hauling capacity saves on highway costs from infrastructure damage, reduces highway gridlock, saves fuel and reduces pollution. Investing in freight rail just makes sense. Imposing heavy handed new regulations on rail that impede expansion of rail capacity makes no sense at all.

Herb Katz

Mayor Pro Tem

City manager should think leaner, tighter



MY WRITE

BY BILL BAUER

Kudos to City Manager P. Lamont Ewell for going out into the community and hearing the people’s opinion about next year’s city budget and how we think our tax money should be spent.

Five community meetings were scheduled. The last three will be held this week. Tonight’s meeting is at the Thelma Terry Center in Virginia Park, Tuesday’s at Marine Park Auditorium and the final meeting on Wednesday is set for the Roosevelt School auditorium. All meetings begin at 7 p.m. sharp.

The City Council will discuss the upcoming 2007-08 budget in January. They’ll consider comments from these meetings and hear remarks from the public during their own meetings. They’ll determine their priorities for staff to incorporate into next year’s fiscal plan. The budget will be tweaked, finalized and approved before June 30.

I think the city should reset priorities and focus on serving the citizens of Santa Monica. It seems a lot of our money goes for extras and frills. We’re just not getting much bang for our buck.

By taxing us for basic services, money is freed up for nonessential “pie-in-the-sky” schemes promoted by City Hall social reformers and idealists out to change the world at our expense. The city buys up tens of millions of dollars worth of private property for future development, ranging from low-income housing projects to light rail transit terminals, and annually spends millions for pet City Council pork while we pony up more for garbage, sewage and wastewater runoff.

Here, the goal is to save the world, one Styrofoam cup at a time -- but at what cost? There also seems to be a lot of staff, political appointees and politicians building resumes. The problem is that much of this self-aggrandizement wastes money and doesn’t make for a more livable or practical community.

Oh sure, all of this crap gets a lot of attention. The social reformers say, “We’re making the world a better place.” Those of us with common sense react, “It’s not the job of my city government to be the envy of

social reformers.”

City staff has grown dramatically over the last few years. Presently, there are well over 2,000 employees for a city with approximately 86,000 residents — one city employee for every 43 people!

For example, the number of people employed in City Hall’s Homeless Services Division has dramatically increased over the last few years. There are a half-dozen staff working with “homeless” programs -- not counting a consultant, a \$200,000-per-year Homeless Czar and six police officers assigned specifically to the Department’s Homeless Liaison Program. Plus, millions of dollars are handed out for service programs for transients.

Yet, the lost souls who are supposed to be in housing and receiving attention are still on the streets and eating out of trash cans. How long are we going to pay for ineffective programs that aren’t helping who they’re supposed to help and that do nothing for the residents except expose us to more dirt, disease, filth and danger?

With a budget nearing a half a billion dollars, the city has a 10-percent users tax on telephone, water, electricity, cable television and natural gas, and collects a portion of the state sales tax and property taxes. The city also receives numerous grants that pay for things like low-income housing, street improvements and equipment for the police and fire departments. So, maybe a tax reduction?

We know city politicians are against improving traffic flow, but can’t we hire someone competent enough to adjust signals so we’re not waiting at lengthy red lights on major boulevards for side streets with no little or traffic?

Here, the city supports public schools, and I’m all for it, but not as long as the district continues its long history of financial mismanagement. I don’t think it’s a lot to ask the city to require that the school district and others receiving city largesse to be accountable, manage their money properly and deliver positive results if they’re going to continue riding the gravy train.

My advice to Mr. Ewell and to the City Council: Budget for a smaller, tighter, more efficient city. Stop ego-driven programs and trophy projects. Set priorities that service the most residents, cut the waste and keep your hands out of my pockets.

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Slang

1. Excited interest or attention. **2.** To move quickly and busily; bustle.

Stop the Press... before they swill again

... Just looking for a quiet lil' dinner at Violet on Pico Boulevard, the Buzzman settled in for some lil' plates at a favorite neighborhood haunt. The images of revelers from the Daily Press holiday party may be haunting in their own right. With camera flashes and drunken newspaper types both going off in turns, **not all the mooning was in the sky** above Friday night. Of course, Buzz would write more about it if he didn't start swigging' some cheap sugar-laden Canadian whiskey out of its plastic bottle right alongside them. Turns out, "Secret Santa" got a little sloshy in '06. The only headlines produced that night were on the staff's foreheads after they passed out on floors across the city. If sugar plums made an appearance, they were probably **dancing in puddles of Wild Turkey** ...



BUSTING FANS CHOPS

... Just one day prior, a couple of lucky Pier-goers secured an autograph from Jet Li, high-fiving each other down the street afterwards in **rapid-fire "Romeo Must Die" style succession**. Only problem was their paparazzi-like target was the Daily Press publisher, who can throw hands in his own right. As they say at the local newspaper, **"The pen truly is more powerful than the 'soto mikazukigeri."** Buzz was thinking of hitting up the editor of the DP for an autograph by Jack Tripper next week ...

... On a recent Friday evening, Buzz was cold chillin' with some friends on the prom-

enade after a night of live jams and free micro-brew at Wild About Music on Second Street. There, he stumbled into peace activist and bumper sticker salesman Jerry Rubin. The two chatted it up as Buzz's surfing buddy went in **search of some socks — damn flip-flops**.

That's when Rubin was almost roughed up by some Russians who couldn't understand why someone would sell merchandise lambasting President Bush while the country is at war. Apparently, one was a graduate of **Georgie's alma-mater Yale and was hopped up on alcohol**. It was then that the irrational and sexist comments began to fly, as did their jackets, as the two Iron Curtain hoods looked to put the smackdown on a pacifist.

Maybe it was the short-shorts, but Rubin managed to maneuver his way around the ruffians while calling for help. Seems the visitors couldn't handle a little free speech and **shapely man-legs, running off, only to return a short time later and apologize**. To show there was no hard feelings, Rubin gave the guys some free stickers. They didn't choose the one about Bush ...

... In answer to last week's post about the search for the missing Robin Rose ice cream parlor, OKMAYBENT@aol.com wrote:

"You saw the same PBS special I saw with ice cream from an old 1890's place in a Philly drug store and ice cream on Marthas Vineyard etc.

I too went looking for Robin only to find it vacant. Bummer."

Ah, but is not a Rose is a Rose is a Rose? What's the matter with these peeps, any ways, too good for Rite Aid's Thrifty brand? ...

... Buzzerbeater caught the show by former Doors drummer John Densmore and his new band Tribal Jazz at the Starbucks Hear Music on the promenade on Wednesday. **Didn't think he looked like Kevin Dillon at all**. Still, breaking out the jazz showed Densmore had more up his macchiato cup sleeve than just rehashing stories 'bout Jim ... though it woulda been nice to hear a couple ... maybe when Krieger plays at Fatburger ...

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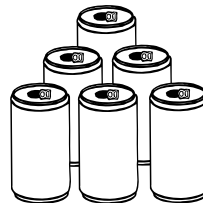
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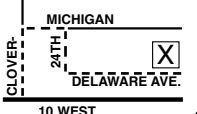
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Incidents of gang violence, parking attendants being held-up in city parking structures, school lockdowns, threatening transients, low-priority marijuana use ... with a new chief of police taking the reins last week, much will be made about his priorities for the SMPD. Despite crime statistics having dropped to a 50-year low during his predecessor's run as top cop, Chief Tim Jackman will have his hands full with resident requests. This week's Q-Line question asks:

What should Chief Jackman's priorities be in addressing crime in the City of Santa Monica. Where is more focus needed?

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Dave Thomsen is the winner of last week's Mystery Photo contest, being the first to identify the picture at left as having been captured of the mermaid in the boat above the entrance to The Galley restaurant on Main Street. Look for a new Mystery Photo each Monday in the Daily Press.

Potentially fatal germs cause units to close

By The Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — A hospital in East Los Angeles has closed its neonatal and pediatrics intensive care units to new admissions after a potentially fatal bacterium sickened seven children, including an infant who may have died from the infection, officials said Friday.

White Memorial Medical Center shut down the neonatal unit on Dec. 4 following an outbreak of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, hospital officials said.

The germ is believed to have infected five babies in the unit since it was detected on Nov. 30, according to Dr. Laurene Mascola, director of the county's acute communicable disease control unit. One of the infants died,

likely because of the pathogen, she said.

On Friday, the hospital shuttered the pediatrics intensive care ward after discovering the bacterium had infected an infant and a toddler there, Dr. Rosalio Lopez, the hospital's chief medical officer, said in a statement.

Both units will remain closed until the hospital feels they're safe again, Lopez said. Officials say they've identified the source of the outbreak — a medical instrument called a laryngoscope used to inspect an infant's larynx — and don't believe there's a danger to other babies.

Though common, the germ is particularly virulent in those with weak immune systems such as newborns who are premature or critically ill.

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"Know before you Go" is a weekly update on construction projects throughout Santa Monica. Here is a run-down of this week's construction projects initiated by City Hall

Access Center Construction

Construction of a new two-story homeless services facility begins at 503 Olympic Blvd. for the new Access Center building. The sidewalk on Olympic Boulevard between Fifth and Seventh streets will be closed to the public, except Samoshel residents.

Airport Park and Airport Avenue improvements

Site grading, constructing new artificial turf soccer fields, constructing new playground, restrooms and dog park area, and reconstructing a portion of Airport Avenue. On-site detour possible during street reconstruction.

Civic Center parking structure

Construction continues on a new 900-space Civic Center Public Parking Structure, located on Fourth Street next to the Public Safety Facility. Construction will require the closure of Avenida Mazatlan and the Fourth Street sidewalk. One lane on southbound Fourth Street is subject to closure while work is occurring.

Euclid Park Project

Construction of a new public park. The project scope will consist of site grading and construction of a new play area (with swings and climbing apparatus), a new garden area, two small green lawn areas, three circular-shaped seating areas and a trellis entry. Construction is projected until May 2007.

Lantana East

Relocation of an 18" storm drain will require street closure on westbound lane #2 of Olympic Boulevard. Street closure will occur Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Relocation work will continue to Jan. 5, 2007.

Marine Street utility undergrounding

Relocation and undergrounding of electric, phone and cable facilities on Marine Street, between Lincoln Boulevard and Prospect Court. Parking limitations will be posted daily and detours may be announced as necessary.

Montana/Wilshire Storm Water Diversion Structures

Installation of a Storm Water Diversion debris removal and diversion facility will begin Aug. 7 at Ocean Avenue at Montana Avenue and Wilshire Boulevard. Traffic will narrow to one lane in each direction on Ocean Avenue at Montana Avenue.

Street and parking lot resurfacing

Street and Parking Lot Resurfacing (Street Improvement Project) — Street and Park Parking Lot resurfacing, sidewalk, driveway, curb and gutter repairs. Sidewalk, driveway, curb and gutter repairs begin on Broadway, from 20th Street to Cloverfield Boulevard; Broadway, from 15th Street to Lincoln Boulevard; 17th Street, from Olympic Boulevard to Colorado Avenue; 20th Street, from Colorado Avenue to the I-10; Virginia Avenue, from Cloverfield Boulevard to 20th Street; 21st Street, from the I-10 Delaware Avenue; Michigan Avenue, from Cloverfield Boulevard to 17th Street; Delaware Avenue, from 21st Street to 17th Street; 18th Street, from Pico Boulevard to Michigan Avenue; 17th Street, from Michigan Avenue to Delaware Avenue; Michigan Avenue, from 14th Street to 9th Street; 11th Street, from Pico Boulevard to Michigan Avenue; Bay Street, from Euclid Street to 11th Street; Grant Street, from 10th Street to Lincoln Boulevard; Pearl Street, from 14th Street to Euclid Street; Pearl Street, from 11th Street to Lincoln Boulevard.; Hill Street, from 14th Street to Lincoln Boulevard; Oak Street, from 14th Street to Euclid Street; Ashland Avenue, from 17th Street to Lincoln Boulevard; Euclid Street, from Hill Street to Ocean Park Boulevard; Pier Avenue, from 11th Street to Lincoln Boulevard; 14th Street, from Pico Boulevard to Ocean Park Boulevard, 11th Street, from Marine Street to Ocean Park Boulevard; the Airport, from the Lower South area to the Taxiway; the Airport parking lot; Paula Lane repair at Water Line; Michigan Avenue, from 20th Street to 17th Street; Delaware Avenue, from 20th Street to 17th Street; 18th Street, from Pico Boulevard to I-10; 17th Street, from Pico Boulevard to I-10; Michigan Avenue, from Ninth Street to Ninth Place; Michigan Avenue, from 12th Street to 11th Street; 11th Street, from Pico Boulevard to I-10; Oak Street, from 14th Street to 11th Street; 26th Street, from Santa Monica Boulevard to Olympic Boulevard; 23rd Street, from Arizona Avenue to Santa Monica Boulevard; 20th Street, from Arizona Avenue to Santa Monica Boulevard; Arizona Avenue, from 20th Street to 23rd Street; 19th Street, from Olympic Boulevard to I-10; 20th Street, from Colorado Avenue to Olympic Boulevard; Cloverfield Boulevard, from Colorado Avenue to Olympic Boulevard; and Seventh Street, from I-10 to San Vicente Boulevard. Lane closures around work posted as necessary.

Water main replacement

Installation of new water main complete with service connections throughout the city. Detours and lane closures may occur, and will be posted at various sites during construction.

Yale Street Improvement Project

Yale Street, from Wilshire Boulevard to Montana Avenue, will be closed to through traffic from Oct. 19 to Nov. 23. Repairs are scheduled through February 2007.

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Parishes vote to split from Episcopal Church

BY MATTHEW BARAKAT

Associated Press Writer

FAIRFAX, Va. — Two of the most prominent Episcopal parishes in Virginia voted overwhelmingly Sunday to leave The Episcopal Church and join fellow Anglican conservatives forming a rival denomination in the U.S.

Truro Church in Fairfax and The Falls Church in Falls Church plan to place themselves under the leadership of Anglican Archbishop Peter Akinola of Nigeria, who has called the growing acceptance of gay relationships a "satanic attack" on the church.

Truro rector Martyn Minns was consecrated a bishop by the Church of Nigeria earlier this year to lead Akinola's Convocation of Anglicans in North America.

"This has been our spiritual home, so separating is very hard," Minns said at a news conference announcing the parishes' decision. "There's also the promise of a new day. A burden is being lifted. There are new possibilities breaking through."

Virginia Bishop Peter Lee, a centrist, had won praise even from his critics for his extensive outreach to all sides in the conflict. He said Sunday that the votes "had compromised these discussions and have created Nigerian congregations occupying Episcopal churches."

Four other Virginia parishes have left, and eight more are voting or will vote soon whether to follow suit, according to the Virginia diocese. None is as eminent as Truro and Falls Church, however.

A lengthy and expensive legal fight is expected over those historic church properties, which are worth millions of dollars. "We fully intend to assert the church's canonical and legal rights over these properties," Lee said in a news release, calling it a "sad day for the church."

The Episcopal Church, the U.S. wing of the global Anglican Communion, has been under pressure from traditionalists at home and abroad since the 2003 consecration of the first openly gay bishop, V. Gene Robinson of New Hampshire.

Under Anglican tradition, Akinola's move into Episcopal territory amounts to an invasion, since archbishops agree not to start churches outside the borders of their own region. Episcopal Presiding Bishop Katharine Jefferts Schori will consult with her advisers on how the denomination should respond, said Bob Williams, the national Episcopal spokesman.

While theological conservatives are a minority within the 2.2 million-member U.S. denomination, their protests have had an impact.

Historic theater in Alaska saved from demolition

ANCHORAGE, Alaska — The historic 4th Avenue Theatre in Anchorage is facing a brighter future instead of the wrecking ball.

The city has worked out a deal with several other entities to buy, renovate and rent out the opulent 60-year-old downtown building.

The transaction, which still must be approved by the Anchorage Assembly, would involve the Rasmuson Foundation — a charitable organization — Wells Fargo Community Development Corp., the city and the building's current owner, Robert Gottstein, the parties announced Friday. No tax money would be involved, city officials said.

The city wants to wrap up the deal by March 31. It would take possession of the building before that time to begin renovations.

"I'm joyfully stunned," said Jane Angvik, a

member of a group working to preserve the theater, which was designed in the art moderne style by the architect of Hollywood's famed Pantages Theatre.

Plans call for purchasing the Anchorage theater by a newly created corporation for \$3.4 million.

The Rasmuson Foundation would make a 2 percent interest loan to pay \$2.6 million of the purchase price. The city would contribute \$250,000 from an old state grant for historic preservation and Gottstein would donate \$600,000.

Renovations are estimated to cost \$1.75 million. That would be paid from the proceeds of federal income tax credits to be handled by the Wells Fargo Community Development Corp.

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Shifting sands of Waikiki replenished from ocean

2BY MARK NIESSE

Associated Press Writer

HONOLULU — Along the sandy sliver that is Hawaii's world-famous Waikiki beach, waves now sometimes reach all the way across the beach to touch solid land.

At some points, the sparkling sand is only wide enough for two or three sun-soaked beachgoers to lay their bodies on the narrow swath between land and Pacific Ocean waters.

After years of chronic erosion, a test sand-pumping project is trying to reclaim the iconic beach from offshore without having to truck new sand in from around Oahu, other Hawaiian islands or even other countries.

Scientists say the beach has been gradually shrinking by about one foot a year over the last five decades as the ocean's rough currents wear away the smooth, peaceful surface.

While the beach still satisfies millions of yearly visitors, it's barely a sand box compared to the vast dune-like expanses found a half century ago. If it's not cared for, the Waikiki

beach would eventually disappear entirely.

"It used to be big. Now it's crowded, and everyone is bunched together," said Honolulu resident Ashley Granados as she sat in a swimsuit alongside the beach where it's about 20 yards wide. "The water is too close."

Beach erosion is common around the world, and the usual remedy is to truck sand in, but that hasn't been done in any major way at Waikiki since the 1970s. Sand had previously imported from Molokai, other areas of Oahu and — if you believe local legends — as far away as Australia.

Waikiki, whose beach bares different names as it stretches from near Diamond Head to the public boat harbor, steadily declined for most of the last 30 years. The plan is to dredge 10,000 cubic yards of sand from about a half-mile offshore, and then pump it underwater back to the beach.

The \$425,000 test program gives beach lovers hope that Waikiki could be restored to its original splendor, but officials have said it could cost up to \$25 million to repair all of Waikiki's beach.

State regulators may clamp down on booming oil, gas

BY KIM NGUYEN

Associated Press Writer

DENVER — Facing federal pressure because of a growing ozone problem, the state Sunday approved the first-ever emissions controls on the booming oil and gas industry.

Members of the Colorado Air Quality Control Commission said new rules would reduce emissions by 68 percent from tanks that collect the liquids and other byproducts. They will take effect next May if the Legislature approves them.

An environmental group said it would have liked lower limits but was content. "But this is the first emission regulation rule (on oil and gas companies) in the state ever," said Bruce Baizel, staff lawyer for the Oil and Gas Accountability Project.

The commission also said it would conduct annual reviews of the level of emissions, when the tanks are vented, and the health impacts of the industry.

After 44 years of restrictions ranging from the banning of trash burning to pollution controls on cars, it had appeared the

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city's notorious brown cloud was history.

Officials, who four years ago said the smog problem was gone, say the booming oil and gas industry has brought it back and it is a problem in western Colorado as well. Ozone, a primary component of smog, is a colorless gas and is itself a threat to people with asthma and children.

Mike Silverstein, manager of planning and policy for the state air pollution control division, has said much of the problem stems from oil and gas wells. And the problem is expected to worsen without new controls.

The state had predicted emissions of 146 tons a day by next year, but revised that upward to 233 tons. The emissions react with sunlight to form ozone.

The industry says it is being unfairly singled out. Officials counter that emissions from other sources have declined.



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Reid says troop surge OK, but only for a few months

BY HOPE YEN

Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — The Senate's top Democrat offered qualified support Sunday for a plan to increase U.S. troops in Iraq, saying it would be acceptable as part of a broader strategy to bring combat forces home by 2008.

President Bush's former secretary of state, however, expressed doubts any troop surge would be effective, noting U.S. forces already are overextended. "The American Army isn't large enough to secure Baghdad," said Colin Powell, Joint Chiefs of Staff chairman during the 1991 Gulf War.

Yet more American soldiers in Baghdad is precisely what Iraq's Sunni vice president said is necessary to quell sectarian violence — even though the Shiite-dominated government has proposed shifting U.S. troops to the capital's periphery and having Iraqis take the primary role for security.

"Who is going to replace the American troops? ... Iraqi troops, across the board, they are insufficient, incompetent, and many of them (are) corrupted," said Tariq al-Hashemi, who met with Bush in Washington last week.

There are about 140,000 U.S. troops in Iraq and about 5,000 advisers. Combat troops make up less than half of U.S. forces in Iraq.

Incoming Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid, whose party campaigned in the November congressional elections on changing course in Iraq, said he would be open only to a short-term increase.

"If the commanders on the ground said this is just for a short period of time, we'll go along with that," said Reid, D-Nev., citing a time frame such as two months to three months. But a period of 18 months to 24 months would be too long, he said.

"The American people will not allow this war to go on as it has. It simply is a war that will not be won militarily. It can only be won politically," Reid said.

At least three other Democrats did not support Reid's position on the additional troops.

Sen. Jack Reed, D-R.I., said that if it were a short-term increase, "won't our adversaries simply adjust their tactics, wait us out and wait until we reduce again? So I think you'd have to ask very serious questions about the utility of this."

Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass., said, "I respect Harry Reid on it, but that's not where I am."

Kennedy, like Reed a member of the Senate Armed Services Committee, said there would be widespread opposition by members of his committee if Bush proposed a troop increase.

Sen. Joseph Biden, D-Del., the incoming chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, said any proposal to send more troops should only follow a political solution that will end civil unrest. "The president and others who support the surge have it exactly backwards," Biden said during a speech in Manchester, N.H.

Powell said if more troops were proposed, commanders would need to make their mission clear, determine whether they can accomplish it and what size force is appropriate. "We have to be very, very careful in this instance not just to grab a number out of the air," Powell said.

He noted that the Iraqi leadership wants to take control of security for Baghdad. While saying he does not know if that is possible now, "This is the time to say to them, 'Fine, you think you can do that. Show us not only the political will to do that, show us the political means you're going to use.'"

Increasing troops would run counter to recent recommendations by the bipartisan Iraq Study Group, which set a goal of withdrawing combat troops by early 2008 in support of more aggressive regional diplomacy.

Powell said that U.S. troops should not act as policemen. He described the active U.S. Army as "about broken," with a shortage of equipment, officers going on repetitive tours and gaps in military coverage elsewhere in the world.

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BY MARTIN GRIFFITH

Associated Press Writer

RENO, Nev. — The infamous Mustang Ranch brothel has been cleared to operate under its famous name, 18 months after it reopened for business at a new location.

A federal judge ruled that the exclusive owner of the Mustang Ranch trademark is Lance Gilman, who bought the gaudy pink stucco buildings that once housed the bordello in 2003 and moved them a short distance next to his Wild Horse Adult Resort & Spa east of Reno.

U.S. District Judge Edward Reed Jr.'s decision Friday went against rival brothel owners David and Ingrid Burgess, who sued Gilman over the trademark to the best-known little whorehouse in the West in January 2004.

A pink-colored sign featuring the Mustang Ranch name and logo — a lady with flowing hair — went up at the brothel along Interstate 80 shortly after the judge's ruling was made.

Because he had been barred from using the Mustang Ranch name until the lawsuit was resolved, Gilman had reopened it with the generic name World Famous Brothel.

"We're absolutely delighted," Gilman said Saturday. "It's euphoria to have the most famous brothel name in the world. That name is so well known worldwide. The Mustang Ranch rides on."

Ingrid Burgess said she and her husband plan to remove

the Mustang Ranch sign outside their brothel east of Reno within a week to comply with the judge's order. The bordello also has been known as Old Bridge Ranch.

David Burgess is the nephew of Sally Conforte, the late wife of Mustang Ranch's original owner, Joe Conforte. Burgess was manager of Mustang Ranch from 1979 to 1989.

"The decision was kind of heartbreaking," Ingrid Burgess said. "The Mustang Ranch was our family history. We wanted the tradition to carry on. But we wish (Gilman) well and hope he's successful with it."

In his ruling, Reed said Gilman assumed ownership of the trademark to the state's first legal brothel when he bought the buildings on eBay from the government for \$145,000 in 2003.

The judge said the U.S. Bureau of Land Management had owned the trademark because it received all Mustang Ranch assets through criminal forfeiture proceedings against Joe Conforte and later owners.

The government seized the Mustang Ranch in 1999 after guilty verdicts against its parent companies and manager in a federal fraud and racketeering trial.

The Burgesses contended the government did not acquire rights in the name after it seized the bordello.

Gilman said he has spent more than \$3.5 million to restore and upgrade the Mustang Ranch, which features 50 working rooms, six VIP suites and the parlor where the girls line up.

"We've recreated the essence of what was the Mustang Ranch," Gilman said. "The essence lives on and now the name is attached."

City of Santa Monica Request for Proposals (RFP)



Lease Space 1400 Block of Fourth Street

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Uniformed gunmen kidnap Iraqi workers

BY CHRISTOPHER TORCHIA

Associated Press Writer

BAGHDAD, Iraq — Gunmen in Iraqi army uniforms kidnapped two dozen employees at Red Crescent offices in downtown Baghdad on Sunday, highlighting the threat to humanitarian workers swept up in Iraq's lawlessness.

British Prime Minister Tony Blair, visiting Iraq for the sixth time since the 2003 invasion, appealed for international support for Iraq and said the bloodshed was being carried out "by the very forces worldwide who are trying to prevent moderation."

"Our task — ours, the Americans, the whole of the coalition, the international community and the Iraqis themselves — is to make sure that the forces of terrorism don't defeat the will of the people to have a democracy," Blair said.

The mass abduction was the latest in a series of such attacks that have targeted workers at factories, delegates at a sports conference and bystanders at bus stations. In most cases, the gunmen wore police or military uniforms. Their identity and motives were unclear, though the sectarian conflict between Sunnis and Shiites has fueled much of the recent violence in Baghdad.

Gunmen in five pickup trucks pulled up to the office of the Iraqi Red Crescent at around 11 a.m., police said. A Red Crescent official, who spoke on condition of anonymity because of safety concerns, said

the gunmen left women behind and that six workers were later released.

The Dutch Foreign Ministry said three Iraqi security guards at its embassy building in Baghdad were kidnapped along with the Red Crescent employees, and that one was later released. The embassy is next to the offices of the Iraqi aid group.

The Red Crescent, part of the international Red Cross movement, has around 1,000 staff and some 200,000 volunteers in Iraq. It works closely with the International Committee of the Red Cross, which visits detainees and tries to provide food, water and medicine to Iraqis.

Pierre Kraehenbuehl, the ICRC's director of operations, said it was the only aid organization able to work throughout Iraq — the only country where the ICRC, whose Baghdad headquarters was bombed in 2003, travels incognito for fear that its symbol could be taken as a target by armed groups rather than an emblem of protection.

"We urge all those who have, or may have, or may use their moral or political influence on the ground, to call for respect of human rights and dignity," Kraehenbuehl said.

Antonella Notari, another Red Cross official in Geneva, said the organization was in contact with the Iraqi Interior Ministry, which denied any involvement and was searching for the abductees.

Some Iraqi police and military units have been infiltrated by Shiite militias linked to ruling political parties.

Abbas calls for early elections, struggle with Hamas escalates

BY KARIN LAUB

Associated Press Writer

RAMALLAH, West Bank — Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas called Saturday for elections to end his violent standoff with Hamas — a gamble that Palestinians will back him as he seeks to weaken the Islamic militants, avoid civil war and keep momentum for peace overtures with Israel.

Hamas accused Abbas of trying to topple its government, promised to block the elections and urged supporters to take to the streets. "This is a real coup," said Foreign Minister Mahmoud Zahar, a Hamas hard-liner.

Later Saturday, in Gaza, thousands of Hamas supporters marched in protest and 18 Palestinians were wounded in clashes between the two political camps.

Hamas' landslide election in January parliamentary elections split the Palestinian leadership into two camps. One, led by Abbas, seeks peace with Israel; the other, led by Islamic Hamas militants, is sworn to the Jewish state's destruction. The infighting has often degenerated into convulsions of violence, and this week, tensions reached their highest peak in years.

Abbas tried to end the power struggle by bringing Hamas into a more moderate coalition with his Fatah Party, but the Islamic group refused to pay the price he demanded — recognizing Israel and renouncing violence.

"We have a crisis. We have an authority with two heads. So what do we do? Bullets or ballots?" asked Saeb Erekat, an aide to Abbas. "Abu Mazen said ballots," he said, using Abbas' nickname.

Across the West Bank and Gaza, streets were largely deserted as everyone watched Abbas' 90-minute address, peppered with criticism of Hamas.

British Prime Minister Tony Blair urged the international community to support Abbas, while State Department spokesman Edgar Vasquez said it was "an issue for the Palestinian people to decide through a peaceful political process." Russia asked the Palestinians to try to maintain unity.

Abbas said a unity government was the best option, but that he had despaired of persuading Hamas to enter into a coalition with Fatah. The Hamas government has drawn crushing international sanctions over its militantly anti-Israel stand, but has refused to recognize Israel, the West's condition for resuming aid.

"I ... decided to call for early presidential and parliament elections," Abbas said from his West Bank headquarters, after outlining months of failed coalition talks. "Let us return to the people, to hear their word, and let them be the judge."

His aides said they expected the vote to be held by the summer. In coming days, Abbas is to meet with the Central Election Commission to hear how much time it will need to prepare. Once he issues a formal decree calling for elections, the balloting must take place within three months.

In an immediate step toward parliamentary and presidential elections, Abbas announced he has appointed new Fatah leaders. Fatah officials said the party's younger leaders, who had long clamored for a role in decision-making, would now be given a chance. Fatah's old guard had refused to step aside, a key reason the movement remained in disarray after its election defeat.

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Pay on foot discussed

Robberies spotlight dangers in city garages

PARKING SECURITY, from page 3

in structures No. 4 and No. 6, respectively, and then died down until May when structure No. 4 was hit again. There were two more robberies in July, two in August and two more in September. The most recent hold-up occurred in November in parking structure No. 7.

The robberies have sparked renewed interest in a "pay on foot program," in which drivers park and use an automated teller machine that accepts coins, cash, credit cards or stored value cards.

Members of the Bayside District Corp. board, which advises City Hall on issues related to downtown, view pay on foot as a way to cut down on robberies, save money on personnel and provide a faster, more efficient way to move cars in and out of the structures, something which can take a half hour or more during the height of the Christmas shopping season.

"Let's spend the money in the right place," said John Warfel, a Bayside board

member who specializes in commercial real estate. "We need (pay on foot). It will be revenue positive."

City officials said they are having discussions about installing pay on foot as part of a pilot program, however, there are some concerns about how it would affect the revenue stream.

"Talk of 3 cents (for a credit card transaction fee) is just bureaucratic nonsense," said Rob York, a consultant to Bayside. "There are so many things not being addressed that are simple ... It's frustrating."

For a city that prides itself on being eco-friendly, City Hall should install pay on foot to cut back on cars idling in the garages and "save our air," said Patricia Hoffman, a Bayside board member.

City Manager Lamont Ewell said he is very interested in pay on foot, but "there are still some issues which need to be resolved and I don't believe we should put the public or any of our employees at risk while we work through those problems."

"I respect the concerns of Bayside and we will try to accommodate their needs," Ewell added. "But from our point of view, our highest priority is safety and security."

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Governor hopes Dems support building project

PRISON SPACE, from page 3

year, Schwarzenegger opposed changes to the three-strikes law and supported Proposition 83, the so-called Jessica's Law. The voter-approved initiative increases sentences and parole terms for violent and habitual sex offenders.

The governor now hopes to convince Democrats who control the state Legislature to support a massive building program.

Tilton said it would include adding 16,000 beds at existing prisons and satisfying federal courts by building about a half dozen units to house 10,000 sick and mentally ill inmates. In addition, about 4,500 female and 5,000 male inmates would be transferred to smaller community-based prisons.

Lawmakers adjourned last summer without acting on an earlier version of Schwarzenegger's building plan, which he introduced as part of a special legislative session. Key Democrats said the state should focus on parole and sentencing reform instead of building more cells.

"This is not the only move, but it's an important move to determine who should be in prison for how long and how we deal with prison crowding," said Senate Majority Leader Gloria Romero, D-Los Angeles.

GOP leaders say they will monitor the efforts closely.

Republicans "are just not going to be very favorable to anything that appears to be reducing sentences," said Sen. George Runner

of Lancaster, the Senate's Republican Caucus chairman.

Victims-rights groups are "somewhat nervous" but supportive, as long as they are represented on the commission, said Nina Salarno Ashford, executive director of Crime Victims United of California.

"The system is certainly broken now, so it makes sense to take a look at it," said Christine Ward, executive director of the Doris Tate Crime Victims Bureau.

Since the determinate-sentencing system took effect three decades ago, California has added more than 1,000 laws and more than 100 other factors that can lengthen prison terms, said Carole D'Elia, who is leading a sentencing commission study for the government watchdog Little Hoover Commission.

"The system as it currently exists is so convoluted and frankly irrational that it's hard to know where to begin," said Kara Danksy, executive director of the Stanford Criminal Justice Center, which is conducting its own study. Both are scheduled to be completed next year.

To begin easing crowding immediately, the administration has signed contracts to move 2,260 inmates to private prisons in Arizona, Indiana, Oklahoma and Tennessee. The union representing prison guards is challenging the transfers in court, and Tilton said he is having trouble finding inmates who will volunteer to be shipped out of state.

About 600 are ready to be transferred, after 80 were sent to Tennessee.

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Bumpy path to a big break

SIMBA, from page 1

Smith "command[s] the stage," and Jeff Hutton of The Ottumwa Courier in Des Moines, Iowa, called Smith's performance "impressive."

But the road to success wasn't always a smooth one.

Smith attended Santa Monica College for a couple of years, toiling away at places like Jamba Juice and local movie theaters before catching a break. When he started out in the business, all he had under his belt was what he had done in high school.

"When I auditioned for 'The Lion King' in 1998, I didn't know anything about the show," Smith said. "I wasn't prepared to be in any Broadway show."

It took four or five auditions before he landed a part in the ensemble. In the meantime, Smith performed in other shows, including playing the role of John in "Miss Saigon" for two years and Matt in the Los Angeles Company's "Bare." He has also had small roles on television shows such as "American Dreams," "State of Grace," "Soul Food" and "Port Charles."

After a couple of months of being an ensemble player, the role of Simba opened up and Smith pounced.

"The part of Simba just kind of fit," he said. "I felt that it was right [for me]."

In preparation for the role, Smith said he spent hours at the gym and changed his eating habits — no more late-night pizza.

Smith performs in eight shows a week, which he said has helped strengthen both his voice and body. Now that he has been doing the show for almost two years, "the process is different. Now it's about wear and tear."

Smith also watched his fair share of National Geographic videos.

"People say 'The Lion King' is a cartoon, but the theatrical production is quite different," he said. "It's probably the most physical thing I've done in theater. I wanted to understand the most I could about the rivalries between lions and hyenas."

Smith began singing in church as he was growing up in

Santa Monica. Samohi's Ford said that's where Smith learned to be comfortable in front of people.

"He started out with very little [theater] expertise," Ford said. "[But] he learned steadily and constantly, and has become a very fine actor."

Ford and Smith remain close to this day, with the instructor trying to attend each of his former student's opening nights around the country.

"Wallace excelled at everything he did [in high school], but he never alienated anyone," Ford said. "It shows in 'The Lion King' — his purity of heart comes across ... He's what teachers live for."

THAT'S THE SPIRIT

"What I enjoy most is being able to touch people that I never get to meet," Smith said. "The specific role of Simba touches people, especially kids, [who might feel] misunderstood. It's an honor to be able to do what I do."

Smith admits that while he enjoys his work with "The Lion King," he is challenged by finding ways to keep the role fresh after doing the same show day after day.

"It's so easy to become engulfed in what is so temporary," Smith said. "You have to see the bigger picture. I don't want to become complacent."

The bigger picture for Smith includes a career in contemporary Christian music, as well as acting in movies and television. He recently released the album "The Chronicles of Wallace Smith," on which he wrote, performed and produced all the songs.

"Everything I do is to promote positivity," Smith said. "I want to make music that promotes spirituality. I wanted to go in that direction and not just be another R&B singer or pop singer because there will always be that. It's different to take on a moral responsibility. I want to do music that can speak to anybody, whatever you are. Even though Jesus Christ is my center, it's for everybody."

Though he loves making music, Smith doesn't have any upcoming shows largely due to the demands placed on him by his role in the "The Lion King." The show runs through Jan. 7 at the Pantages before it is scheduled to hit the road, stopping at 13 cities around the country.



Photo courtesy

TOUCHING LIVES: Smith says playing Simba challenges him to find ways to keep the role fresh day after day.

Smith said that he isn't sure when the tour will end, but when he gets back to Los Angeles, the Culver City resident will continue to audition for more parts.

"I'll keep chomping away and keep working hard like so many other people in L.A.," he said.

But for now, Smith is enjoying being at home.

"It's great to be home in Los Angeles and do the show," he said. "It's something I can give back to the community."

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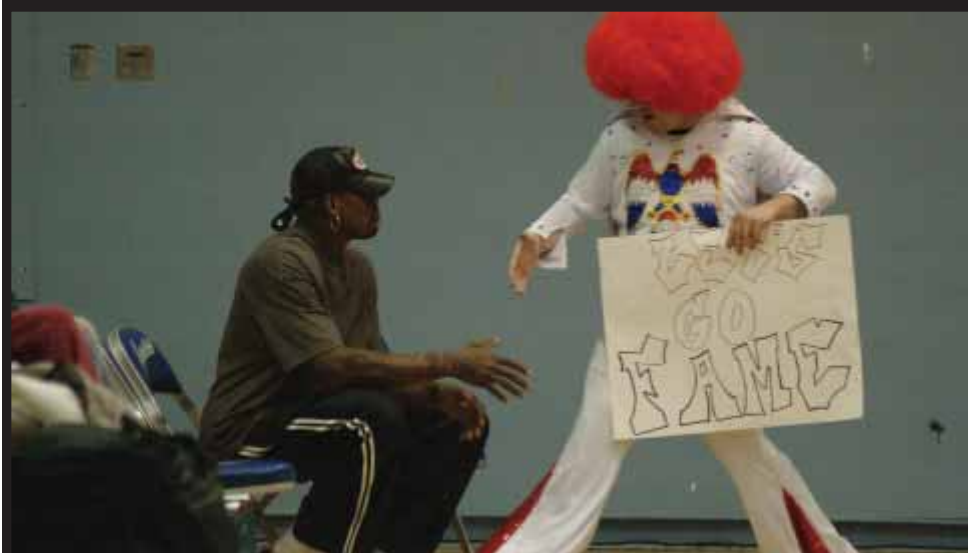
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OFF THE CHART: Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center on 15th Street is not slated to finish construction until 2010 according to hospital officials. Complications occurred in the planning phase.

Residents try live with sounds of development

MEDICAL CENTER, from page 1

Posie Carpenter, chief administrative officer for the Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center, contends that complaints from neighbors have been minimal.

"We would all love it if we were in our new facility already," Carpenter said on Friday.

Still, the absence of complaints doesn't mean the neighbors aren't feeling a bit impatient.

"It's horrific," said Robert Heusser, who has lived on 15th Street across from the hospital for 10 years.

From the sounds of trucks unloading around 6 a.m. to the chatter of construction employees working late at night, living near the medical center can be "overwhelming" at times, said Heusser.

There's also the noise from the Murray Company office, located in the same building where Heusser lives. At times, Heusser said he can hear office employees arriving early to work, disrupting the morning peace for the residents in that building.

According to Craig Perkins, director of environmental and public works management for the City of Santa Monica, construction is only permitted between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. on weekdays, and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays.

After-hours work is allowed by special permit, for which the medical center has not applied, said Lisa Thornton, permit specialist in the city's Building and Safety Department.

Aside from the noise, there are other complaints from residents like Heusser, who said he has seen construction workers smoking marijuana in the alley between 14th and 15th streets, though it is unclear whether the construction workers were affiliated with the medical center. Another tenant of the building also confirmed witnessing workers getting high during apparent lunchbreaks.

"Every now and then, the trucks come at night and you hear them in back-up mode," he said. "Being the only residential building on this block, you're just in the path of construction."

The construction company has received a few complaints from residents about the deliveries occurring too early in the morning, admitted one representative, who declined to give his name. Those complaints have died

down in the past few months, however, as the Murray Company is trying hard to be a good neighbor, the representative said.

The noise doesn't bother Beverly Murray, who leaves for work at 7 a.m. and doesn't return until 6 p.m. But Murray, who lives in the same complex as Heusser, does not like the inconvenience of losing parking spaces directly in front of her building because the hospital construction has taken up half of the northbound lane on 15th Street.

Other residents in the complex say they aren't bothered at all.

"I work normal business hours, so I don't even notice it," said Jennifer Morris, who moved into the three-building complex at 1228-32 15th Street more than a year ago. "I work for an architectural firm, so it doesn't bother me one bit."

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The new hospital, which will be called the Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center and Orthopaedic Hospital upon its completion, will feature an outpatient clinic, a 14,000 square foot emergency center, a birthing center with a 16-bassinet Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, six new operating rooms and a critical care unit with state-of-the-art medical equipment.

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Quick turn around proves successful for 49ers

BY GREG BEACHAM
AP Sports Writer

SANTA CLARA, Calif. — Mike Nolan cursed the San Francisco 49ers' abbreviated schedule all week long — until the coach learned what his young players could do when they didn't have much time to think about it.

"I was hoping we had another game Sunday, or next Thursday," he joked Friday after the 49ers returned home from a stunning 24-14 victory over the Seattle Seahawks.

Given the pounding rain, their three-game losing streak and vaunted opponents, the 49ers (6-8) seemed doomed to a miserable midweek trip to Seattle. Yet just when their faint hopes of a playoff run and a .500 record

seemed doomed, San Francisco put together a fourth-quarter rally that should produce good feelings well into next year, no matter what the results of their final two games.

As an added bonus for a coach who has preached NFC West success as the first key to a turnaround, the win also made Seattle — the defending division and conference champions who lost in San Francisco last month — a whole lot more uncomfortable.

"It let a lot of people out there know that even with the games we've lost, we can do it," said Frank Gore, who rushed for 144 yards to move within 79 of Garrison Hearst's single-season franchise rushing record. "Getting a sweep of Seattle showed we've got a lot of talent over here."

By winning just their third road game in 15 trips under Nolan, the 49ers matched their win total from the previous two years combined. San Francisco also won two road games this season for the first time since 2002.

All those numbers lead to an even loftier equation: If Seattle (8-6) loses its final two games against San Diego and Tampa Bay, the 49ers would win the division title with victories over Arizona and Denver.

Sure, it's highly unlikely — but so was the last-minute rally that stunned the Seahawks.

"It's within our grasp," Nolan said. "We're not in complete control, as we all know, but we're in the picture."

Everything got better for the 49ers as the

game went along — and not just the weather, which tapered off to the point that safety Mark Roman's uniform wasn't even wet in the third quarter.

After failing to get a first down on eight of their first nine drives, the 49ers improbably rallied for three touchdowns and 196 total yards in the fourth quarter. Alex Smith made a significant step forward after seven weeks of struggle, throwing two touchdown passes and rushing 18 yards on a picture-perfect bootleg for the final points.

The offense was able to take over the fourth quarter only because the defense kept it close through three periods, despite the absence of injured linebacker Derek Smith, the Niners' perennial leading tackler.

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Restaurant Listing

SM's only local listing for fun eats



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HOURS MON-FRI 11am-10pm SAT & SUN 9:30-10pm



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HOURS MON-SUN 11am-Close



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HOURS MON-SAT 7AM-2PM SUNDAYS AT FARMER'S MARKET 8AM-2PM



1431 Santa Monica Blvd.
(310)260-0073

Buon Giorno Café specializes in authentic Italian cuisine. This trendy little café offers a wide variety of dishes. The menu consists of Insalata, Panini, Pasta, Seafood, Steak, Caffè and Dolce to name a few. Offering breakfast and lunch. Check out our tremendous \$5 express lunch menu, great for any occasion.

HOURS MONDAY-FRIDAY 8am-4pm SATURDAY 9am-3pm SUNDAYS Closed



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HOURS LUNCH: TUE-FRI 11:30AM-2PM DINNER: TUE-FRI 6PM-10PM & SAT & SUN 5:30PM-10PM



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HOURS THU-SUN 8pm-Close



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HOURS SUN-THU 11:30am-10pm FRI-SAT 11:30am-11pm



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HOURS MON-THU 4pm-10pm FRI-SUN 11:30am-11pm



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BASKETBALL

Nuggets, Knicks end game in wild brawl

BY BRIAN MAHONEY
AP Basketball Writer

NEW YORK — The NBA has another ugly scene to recover from. This one involved its leading scorer and happened in its most famous arena.

Denver's Carmelo Anthony and the other nine players on the court at the time were ejected for fighting during a wild brawl between the Nuggets and Knicks, triggered in part by a New York team that felt it was being shown up on its home floor.

Multiple players, including Anthony, threw punches, and New York's Nate Robinson and Denver's J.R. Smith — fouled hard by Mardy Collins on the play that started the brawl — flew into the first row of the crowd while fighting during the NBA's scariest scene since Indiana players fought with Detroit fans in 2004.

Smith had a red mark along the left side of his face, but there were no other injuries among the players. No fans were directly involved, even after the fighting spilled into the seats.

According to the Knicks, the whole thing happened because the Nuggets still had their starters on the floor with 1:15 left and a 19-point lead. Denver won 123-100.

"They just wanted to embarrass us," Robinson said. "It was a slap in the face to us. As a team, as a franchise, we weren't going to let that happen. A clean, hard foul happened and after that it went down from there."

The foul wasn't clean at all. Collins grabbed Smith around the neck as he was

going in for a breakaway layup. Anthony and Robinson quickly jumped in, and the melee went from one end of the court all the way to the other.

Anthony threw a punch at Collins, and now awaits what will surely be strong punishment from a league still trying to repair its image after the melee in Auburn Hills, Mich.

"Something's going to happen, but we shall see and wait," Anthony said. "I don't really want to comment on that right now."

The NBA didn't, either. Spokesman Tim Frank said the league would "review the incident in its entirety. Until then, it would not be appropriate to comment."

But the players can expect a harsh penalty with the brawl happening at Madison Square Garden, right in the hometown of NBA headquarters.

"I feel bad for the league, I feel bad for the Denver Nuggets and the New York Knicks," Nuggets coach George Karl said. "Very poor display of respecting basketball and respecting the game in the best place in the world to play basketball."

There had previously been some bad blood between Karl and Knicks coach Isiah Thomas over the handling of the Larry Brown firing. Karl and Brown are close friends.

But Karl wouldn't talk about why he had his starters on the floor late in a blowout, in the closing minutes of a back-to-back that closed a five-game road trip.

Thomas said he even told Anthony that he never should have been in the game at the time.

BASEBALL

Red Sox find relief from Angels' Donnelly

BY JIMMY GOLEN
AP Sports Writer

BOSTON — After landing Japanese ace Daisuke Matsuzaka, the Red Sox started working on finding some guys to relieve him.

Boston acquired former All-Star reliever Brendan Donnelly from the Los Angeles Angels on Friday and agreed to a contract with left-hander J.C. Romero. The team also finalized a deal to bring back Doug Mirabelli, who was the personal catcher for knuckleballer Tim Lincecum.

"Both go a long way toward building lot of quality depth in the bullpen," Red Sox general manager Theo Epstein said of the relievers. "Right now we don't have a closer. But we will, and behind that guy ... we have some quality numbers, guys we feel are on the verge."

Boston sent rookie left-hander Phil Seibel to the Angels for the 35-year-old Donnelly, who became expendable when the Angels signed right-hander Justin Speier and lefty Darren Oliver. Donnelly made \$950,000 last season and is eligible for arbitration. He came become a free agent after the 2008 season.

"We've got a pretty solid bullpen right now. It looked like the opportunities for a guy like Brendan might not be as great this year as they were last year," Angels general manager Bill Stoneman said on a conference call. "We had discussed moving Brendan to the Red Sox for a while."

Donnelly was 6-0 with a 3.94 ERA in 62 games last season, going 5-0 with a 3.52 ERA in 29 games after the All-Star break and holding opponents scoreless in 19 of his last 21 appearances. He was 23-8 with a 2.87 ERA and four saves in 276 appearances with the Angels.

His best year was 2003, when he allowed only two earned runs in his first 50 innings and was the winning pitcher in the AL's 7-6 victory over the NL in the All-Star game. He finished the season with a 1.58 ERA and a career-high three saves.

Donnelly has a 3.18 career ERA against the Yankees, allowing six earned runs in 17 innings with 16 strikeouts — but four of those earned runs were given up Aug. 14, when Romero relieved Donnelly with the bases loaded and allowed all three runners to score.

Romero will get \$1.6 million plus performance bonuses. He was 1-2 with a 6.70 ERA for the Angels, holding left-handed batters to a .211 average. He has a 26-22 record and 4.35 ERA in seven seasons, the first six with the Twins.

Mirabelli will earn \$750,000 with the potential for that much again in performance bonuses. He was traded to the San Diego Padres last winter but brought back after Josh Bard struggled to handle Wakefield's knuckler.

When Mirabelli returned, he received a police escort from the airport, changing in the back of the cruiser, in order to make that night's game against the New York Yankees.



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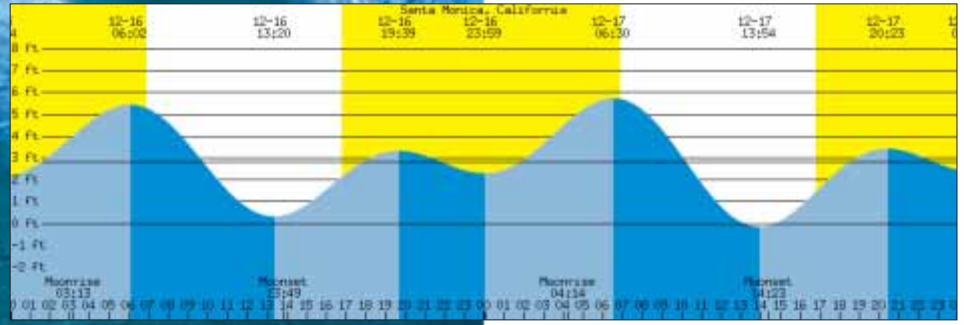


WATER TEMP: 61°

SWELL FORECAST (4-11 FT)
Today should see a dramatic decline in size. We're looking at size dropping towards the chest high + range around most west facing breaks with periods still a bit tight around 12 seconds and the angle still WNW'erly around 285+.

LONG RANGE SYNOPSIS
SLIGHT NW WITH SMALL SW MIDWEEK...
NW BY END OF WEEK...

TIDE FORECAST FOR TODAY IN SANTA MONICA



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QUICK STATS (for the last 28 days)

Number of sewage spills --	0
Number of beach closures due to a sewage spill --	0
Number of wet days --	8
Number of A grades for dry/wet weather --	38 / 25
Number of (C,D,F) grades for dry/wet weather --	8 / 12

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LOCATION	DRY	WET	LOCATION	DRY	WET
Los Camille Beach, at Arroyo Sequit Creek mouth	A	A+	Will Rogers State Beach at Bel Air Bay Club drain near fence	A+	B
Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth	A+	A+	Will Rogers State Beach at Palms Canyon storm drain	A+	A+
El Pescador State Beach, between Luchessa and Los Aliso creeks	A+	A+	Will Rogers State Beach at Tenacious Canyon drain	A+	D
Escondido Canyon at El Morado State Beach	A+	A+	Will Rogers State Beach at Santa Monica Canyon drain (Chautauque)	F	F
Broad Beach at Trancas Creek mouth	A+	A+	Santa Monica Beach at Montana Ave. drain	A+	A+
Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth	A+	A+	Santa Monica Beach at Wilshire Blvd. drain	F	F
Walnut Creek, projection of Wilshire Rd. (private)	A+	F	Santa Monica Municipal Pier	F	A+
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth	A	F	Santa Monica Beach at Pico/Venice storm drain	A	F
Escandido Creek, just east of Escandido State Beach	A+	A+	Santa Monica Beach at Strand St. (in front of the restaurants)	A	B
Lariga Canyon Creek mouth	A+	B	Ocean Park Beach at Ashland Ave. drain	A	A+
Saltine Canyon at San Blocker County Beach	A+	A+	Venice City Beach, at the Rose Ave. storm drain	A+	A+
Puerto State Beach at creek mouth	A+	A+	Venice Beach at Brooks Ave. drain	B	A+
Marie Canyon storm drain at Puerto Beach, at 24572 Malibu Rd.	F	B	Venice Beach at Windward Ave. drain	A+	A
Serfider Beach at Malibu Calvey fence	A	A+	Venice Fishing Pier - 50 yards south	A+	B
Serfider Beach (beach location) - daily	B	F	Venice Beach- projection of Topical St.	A+	A+
Malibu Pier - 50 yards east	A+	F	Morino del Rey, Mothers' Beach- lifeguard tower	B	B
Carbon Beach at Sweetwater Canyon	A+	F	Dockweiler State Beach at Ballona Creek mouth	A	F
Las Flores State Beach at Las Flores Creek (joint zone)	A+	B	Dockweiler State Beach at Culver Blvd. drain	A+	F
Big Rock Beach at 10948 PCH stairs	A+	A+	North Westchester Storm Drain at Dockweiler State Beach	A+	B
Pena Creek at Los Tunes County Beach	A+	A+	Dockweiler State Beach at World Way (south of D&W jetty)	A+	B
Tuna Canyon	ns	A+	Dockweiler State Beach at Imperial Hwy drain	A+	A
Topanga State Beach at creek mouth	A	B	Dockweiler Beach- opposite Hygienic Treatment Plant	A+	A+
Castroville Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	C	F	Dockweiler State Beach at Grand Ave. drain	A+	A+
Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	F	ns			
Will Rogers State Beach at 17200 PCH (1/4 mile east of Sunset drain)	A+	A+			

LEGEND

DRY -- each location is graded on an A - F scale based on bacterial pollution levels present in the surf zone

WET -- grades for days of recorded rainfall and the following 3 days

ns -- no sample taken

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Buy a holiday CD, Aries

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The stars show the kind of day you'll have:

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★★★★ Average ★★ So-So ★ Difficult



ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★★ Your ability to grasp concepts enhances your ability to get along with others. Good luck and willpower seem to stem from every action or statement you make. As you embody the holiday spirit, much comes forth. Express your universal caring. Tonight: Buy a CD of holiday music.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★★ Think in terms of relating more closely with greater understanding. Happiness will ensue from the warmth of relating. As you are willing to hear the other part of the story, you come to new conclusions that are formed through solid thinking. Tonight: Togetherness works.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★★ Others knock on your door, wanting to come in much closer. Express your ability to visualize and see situations far differently. Give yourself space and time. Creativity flourishes in this very open environment. Tonight: Say yes.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★★ Sometimes others could be less than helpful. Right now, others want to work with you, not against you. Seize the moment and run with an opportunity. You are goal-directed, and accomplish more than you have in a while. Tonight: Get some extra R and R.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★ You might want to revise your thinking in an appropriate manner. Your lively nature takes you in a different direction. You see life from a revised point of view. "Optimism" becomes a byword – finally. Tonight: Don't rain on your own parade – please.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★ Anchor in and think in terms of positive changes. You will see others from a much more solid and anchored point of view. What doesn't work anymore could change radically in the next few weeks. Stay secure. Tonight: Start enjoying your home more.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★★ You speak your mind, and others listen carefully. Honor who you are and realize what is happening. Finally, you draw only good results. Others' good will comes forward. Loosen up, and important details will flow. Tonight: Hang where you want, with whom you want.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ You are on top of the world with many possibilities, especially financial. Listen to feedback from someone you consider fiscally smart. You have a lot to do quickly and efficiently. Count on yourself. Tonight: Take a hard look at your spending.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★★ You beam in more of what you want. Get to it. Start smiling and opening up. You have a way and style that make a difference, especially now. Pieces of a puzzle start coming together. How nice! Tonight: As you like it.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★ Slow down, and you'll pull a lot together. Rush, and you could skip a detail or two. Think in terms of completion and being as thorough as possible. Others prove to be unusually responsive and full of zip. Tonight: Get some much-needed personal time.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★★ Zoom in on what you want, knowing that Lady Luck is working with you. Understand what makes a situation work. You might decide that you have had enough and need to head down another path. Tonight: Where the action is.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ Feel free to take a stand and think through an answer. Your ability to understand what has to happen could make all the difference. Lighten up when dealing with someone you consider a power unto himself. Tonight: A must appearance.

Born Today

Musician Keith Richards (1943)

Actress Betty Grable (1916)

Actor Brad Pitt (1963)



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Copy cat act

Celebrity blogger slammed with copyright infringement

Celebrity blogger **PEREZ HILTON** is being stalked by paparazzi – in court, at least. X17 Inc., a Los Angeles photo agency known for its images of stars in personal or embarrassing moments, has filed a \$7.6-million federal copyright infringement lawsuit against Hilton. Hilton’s Los Angeles-based site, PerezHilton.com, posts tabloid photos of celebs and adds cheeky captions and rudimentary doodles. The suit claims Hilton used 51 photographs without permission, payment or credit, including images of a pregnant Katie Holmes, Kevin Federline pumping gas and Britney Spears showing her, um, assets. “We’ve had trouble with a lot of bloggers,” X17 co-owner Brandy Navarre told the Los Angeles Times for a story on its Web site. “But

he’s the biggest, and the most arrogant and pig-headed about it, frankly. “He is stealing our images and costing us money every day,” she said. Hilton, whose real name is Mario Lavandeira, said he believes he has done nothing illegal. “I am going to vigorously defend myself,” he said. “I am willing to step up to the plate and fight for my rights and fight for the rights of all bloggers.” His attorney, Bryan Freedman, said Hilton has a legal right to make satirical or humorous use of newsworthy photographs. If the copyright lawsuit succeeds, “the effect would be to eliminate the ability to comment on and transform photographs under the fair-use exception to the Copyright Act,” Freedman said.

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Adams chases fame with ‘Morning’

JOEY LAUREN ADAMS says she got tired of waiting for the phone to ring with acting job offers, so she decided to go behind the camera for her directorial debut “Come Early Morning.” “I spent 19 years in Los Angeles and 16 of those acting, and for 16 years I’ve

been sort of at the mercy of Hollywood,” said Adams, who has appeared in films including “Chasing Amy” and “Big Daddy.” “You’re waiting for them to call and I needed to feel a little more proactive with my life,” she said. Though it took about seven years to go from

script to screen, Adams said she was excited to have a hometown audience see her film, starring Ashley Judd, at its Arkansas premiere Thursday. “I’m so proud to be from Arkansas, and I’m very proud of this film. I tried to depict Southerners in a

AP

‘Golden’ girl struggles with ethnicity

GONG LI says the biggest challenge she faces in Hollywood isn’t the language barrier, but rather tackling non-Chinese characters. Gong, best known for her collaboration with Chinese director Zhang Yimou in films like “Red Sorghum,” “Raise the Red Lantern” and “To Live,” has shot a series of English-lan-

guage movies lately. She portrayed a Japanese escort in “Memoirs of a Geisha”; an ethnic Chinese money launderer for a south American drug kingpin in “Miami Vice”; and a Japanese woman married to the uncle of serial killer Hannibal Lecter in the upcoming “Young Hannibal,” a prequel to the thriller “The

Silence of the Lambs.” “I very rarely portray a real Chinese character, like a native Beijing resident, in Hollywood,” said on the sidelines of the Hong Kong premiere for her new movie “Curse of the Golden Flower” late Saturday. Referring to her character in “Miami Vice,” Gong said, “even though she

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Babel (R)
1:10, 4:10, 7:15, 10:20

The Departed (R)
12:30, 4:00, 7:30, 10:45

The Good German (R)
12:00, 1:30, 2:30, 4:15, 5:00, 7:00, 7:45, 9:45, 10:30

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Apocalypto (R)
1:10, 4:20, 7:30, 10:35

Blood Diamond (R)
12:50, 4:10, 7:20, 10:30

Deja Vu (PG-13)
1:50, 5:00, 7:50, 10:40

The Holiday (PG-13)
1:40, 4:40, 7:40, 10:45

The Pursuit of Happyness (PG-13)
1:00, 2:30, 4:00, 5:20, 7:00, 8:10, 9:50, 10:50

Unaccompanied Minors (PG)
2:10, 4:50, 7:10, 9:30

LANDMARK NUWILSHIRE

1314 Wilshire Blvd
(310) 281-8228

Bobby (R)
1:00, 4:05, 7:10, 9:55

Shut Up & Sing (R)
1:15, 7:00

Stranger Than Fiction (PG-13)
4:15, 9:45

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Breaking and Entering (R)
1:10, 4:00, 7:00, 9:50

The History Boys (R)
1:30, 4:15, 7:00, 9:50

Little Children (R)
1:20, 4:20, 7:20, 10:15

The Queen (PG-13)
1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 9:40

MANN'S CRITERION THEATRE

1313 3rd Street
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Borat: Cultural Learnings of America for Make Benefit Glorious Nation of Kazakhstan (R)
12:40, 3:00, 5:20, 7:40, 10:00

Casino Royale (PG-13)
12:30, 4:00, 7:20, 10:30

Charlotte's Web (G)
11:30am, 2:00, 4:30, 7:10, 9:40

Eragon (PG)
11:00am, 1:50, 4:40, 7:30, 10:20

Eragon (PG)
12:50, 3:40, 6:30, 9:20

Happy Feet (PG)
11:10am, 1:40, 4:10, 7:00, 9:30

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If former Bee Gee **BARRY GIBB** was looking for some inspiration for the country album he plans to record here, he couldn’t have picked a more hallowed piece of ground to put down stakes. Gibb bought and is restoring the lakefront house belonging to the late Johnny and June Carter Cash. “It’s going to be nice,” Gibb said Wednesday during a reception in his honor by the performance rights organization BMI. “We’d like to use it as our second home. I would like to come here and write songs. I am planning on making a country album. That is really who I am.” Gibb, known for Bee Gees disco hits including “Staying Alive,” said he and his two sons have about three completed songs and several others in the works. “I am a country artist, always have been a country artist, and this is my chance to get some self-expression out because the group is no longer the group,” he said. The Bee Gees disbanded after the 2003 death of his brother, Maurice. And if Cash’s old property doesn’t stir his creativity, maybe Roy Orbison’s will. Orbison, who died in 1988, lived right next door. “Do you realize how many hit songs have been written in that 4- or 5-acre area, including Roy Orbison next door? The inspiration, being surrounded by the musical atmosphere that has been there for 35 years, we just had to do it.” Sometimes, Gibb says, he can sense Cash’s spirit in the house.

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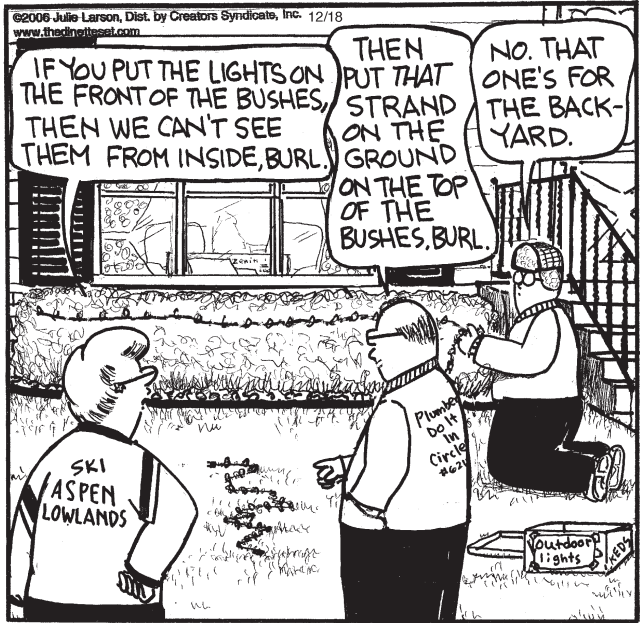
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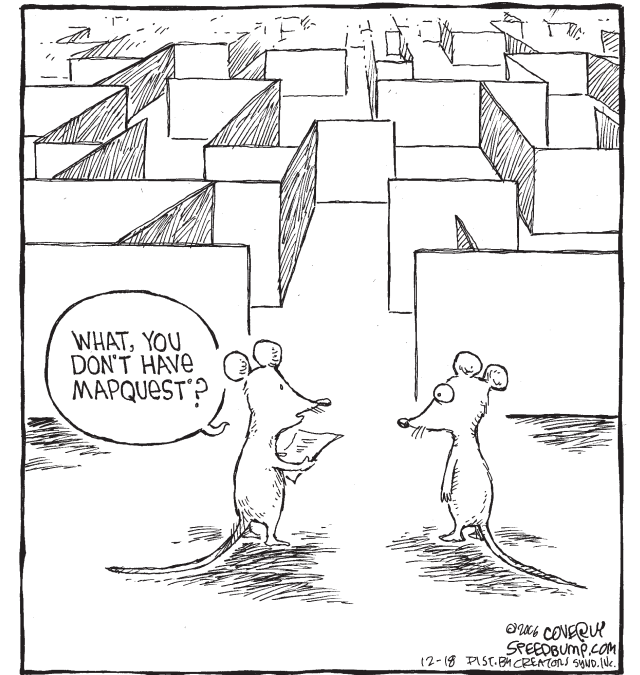
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Case No. BP101793

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A PETITION FOR PRO-BATE has been filed by MARK J SALADINO PUBLIC ADMINSTRATOR in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.

THE PETITION FOR PRO-BATE requests that MARK J SALADINO PUBLIC ADMINSTRATOR be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

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Attorney for petitioner:
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DBAS

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This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION
/s/ OPHELIA ALVAREZ
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/17/06. Published: SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006, 12/18/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2656304 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BARE BODZ, 175 PIER AVE, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : STEVE MATSON, 100 27TH ST, HERMOSA BEACH, CA 90254 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein. /s/: STEVE MATSON
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/30/2006. 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 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006, 12/18/2006, 12/25/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2561204 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ANTONIO ALVAREZ INC.; AI # ON: 2834418, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002-2635. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., CA, 9617 JUNIPER ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/7/2003. /s/: ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., OPHELIA ALVAREZ, CEO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/17/2006. 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 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006, 12/18/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2561210 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as OPHELIA ALVAREZ INC.; AI # ON: 2834418, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002-2635. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., CALIFORNIA, 9617 JUNIPER ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/7/2003. /s/: ZER INTERNATIONAL INC.; OPHELIA ALVAREZ, CEO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/17/2006. 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 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006, 12/18/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2561202 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ZER MARKET-ING/ RESEARCH INC.; AI # ON: 2834418, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE. 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002-2635. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., CALIFORNIA, 9617 JUNIPER ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/7/2003. /s/: ZER INTERNATIONAL INC.; OPHELIA ALVAREZ, CEO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2561201 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SUNNYSIDE LANDSCAPING INC.; AI # ON: 2834418, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002-2635. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., CALIFORNIA, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/7/2003. /s/: ZER INTERNATIONAL INC.; OPHELIA ALVAREZ, CEO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/17/2006. 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 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006, 12/18/2006

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This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/17/2006. 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 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006, 12/18/2006

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90002-2635. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., CALIFORNIA, 9617 JUNIPER ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/7/2003. /s/: ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., OPHELIA ALVAREZ, CEO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2561200 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ZER INTERNATIONAL INC.; AI # ON: 2834418, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002-2635. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., CA, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/7/2003. /s/: ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., OPHELIA ALVAREZ, CEO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 8/7/2006. 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 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006, 12/18/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2556099 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as E*CALIFORNIA CAPITAL INC.; CORTEZ CONCRETE TRUCKS INC.; AI # ON: 2834418, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE. 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002-2635. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., CALIFORNIA, 9617 JUNIPER ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/7/2003. /s/: ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., OPHELIA ALVAREZ, CEO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2453133 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE GIZMO SHAK, 8209 BLANDWOOD RD., DOWNEY, CA, 90240. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JAIRO GONZALEZ, 8209 BLANDWOOD RD., DOWNEY, CA, 90240; BENJAMIN GONZALEZ, 8206 BLANDWOOD RD., DOWNEY, CA, 90240 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein. /s/: JAIRO GONZALEZ; BENJAMIN GONZALEZ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2452251 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SAEDI REALTY; SAEDI & ASSOCIATES; SAEDI REAL ESTATE GROUP, 1925 CENTURY PARK EAST, SUITE #500, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90067. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RAMIN SAEDI, 1925 CENTURY PARK EAST, SUITE #500, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90067 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein. /s/: RAMIN SAEDI
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2453125 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as OUTLOOK APPRAISAL, INC., 2616 MARLENA ST., WEST COVINA, CA, 91792. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : OUTLOOK APPRAISAL, INC., 2616 MARLENA ST., WEST COVINA, CA, 91792 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein. /s/: OUTLOOK APPRAISAL, INC., JEFF TANG, PRESIDENT
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/3/2006. 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 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006, 12/18/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2453104 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PHO HA VIET-NAMESE RESTAURANT, 8766 E. VALLEY BLVD., ROSEMAD, CA, 91770. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : HOANG THE BUI, 1262 SUMMER BLOSSOM CT., SAN JOSE, CA, 95122; NGOC THUY HONG VI, 614 ROSEMEAR LN., POMONA, CA, 91767 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein. /s/: HOANG THE BUI; NGOC THUY HONG VI
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2561205 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BEVERLY PRINTING INC.; AI # ON: 2834418, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002-2635. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., CALIFORNIA, 9617 JUNIPER ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/7/2003. /s/: ZER INTERNATIONAL INC.; OPHELIA ALVAREZ, CEO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2561206 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CORTEZ CONCRETE PUMPING INC; AI # ON: 2834418, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002-2635. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., CALIFORNIA, 9617 JUNIPER ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/7/2003. /s/: ZER INTERNATIONAL INC.; OPHELIA ALVAREZ, CEO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2561207 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JENSON INC.; AI # ON: 2834418, 9617 JUNIPER ST., STE 202, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002-2635. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ZER INTERNATIONAL INC., CALIFORNIA, 9617 JUNIPER ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90002 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)8/7/2003. /s/: ZER INTERNATIONAL INC.; OPHELIA ALVAREZ, CEO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2707450 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DR BRODSKY, 11050 STRATHMORE ROAD #421, LA, CA 90024. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARC BRODSKY, 11050 STRATHMORE ROAD #421, LA, CA 90024 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MARC BRODSKY

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/6/2006. 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 12/18/2006, 12/25/2006, 1/1/2007, 1/8/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2684693 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CABALS INTERNATIONAL, 1411 SUNSHINE CT., SAN GABRIEL, CA, 91776. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GUANGHUO CHEN, 1411 SUNSHINE CT., SAN GABRIEL, CA, 91776; ZHENDONG JIANG, 1411 SUNSHINE CT., SAN GABRIEL, CA, 91776 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: GUANGHUO CHEN; ZHENDONG JIANG This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/4/2006. 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 12/18/2006, 12/25/2006, 1/1/2007, 1/8/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2684668 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ARTURO TRUCKING, 420 S. ESSEY AVE., COMPTON, CA, 90221. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ARTURO PULIDO, 420 S. ESSEY AVE., COMPTON, CA, 90221 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ARTURO PULIDO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/4/2006. 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 12/18/2006, 12/25/2006, 1/1/2007, 1/8/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2696257 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KARAOKÉ CLUB; AI # ON: 200321310105, 20434 S. SANTA FE AVENUE, LONG BEACH, CA, 90810. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : IN TUNE PRODUCTS, L.L.C., 20434 S. SANTA FE AVENUE, LONG BEACH, CA, 90810 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: IN TUNE PRODUCTS, L.L.C.; DYLAN MARER; MANAGER This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/5/2006. 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 12/18/2006, 12/25/2006, 1/1/2007, 1/8/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2696256 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KID RAP RADIO; AI # ON: 200326710036, 20434 S. SANTA FE AVE., LONG BEACH, CA, 90810. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ASCENDANT MARKETING & MEDIA, L.L.C., 20434 S. SANTA FE AVE., LONG BEACH, CA, 90810 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: Registrant

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has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ASCENDANT MARKETING & MEDIA L.L.C.; DYLAN MARER; MANAGER

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2696391 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GELATOLICIOUS, 3300 PRIMAVERA ST., PASADENA, CA, 91107. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : BEKMEZIAN & BEKMEZIAN INC., 14170 DARTMOUTH CT., FONTANA, CA, 92336 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: GELATOLICIOUS; ARA BEKMEZIAN; PRESIDENT

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2684753 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ALPHA PROFESSIONAL AGENCY; ALPHA CARE AGENCY; ALPHA PHYSICAL THERAPY SRVCS, 3532 MEEKER AVE. #4, EL MONTE, CA, 91731. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FELIPE P. ZEPEDA, 3532 MEEKER AVE. #4, EL MONTE, CA, 91731 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: FELIPE ZEPEDA

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2684780 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LA K.D. ENTERTAINMENT INC., AI #/ON: 2490651, 163 LIMESTONE ROAD, CLAREMONT, CA, 91711. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DE NIERIS INC., 163 LIMESTONE ROAD, CLAREMONT, CA, 91711 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: DE NIERIS, INC.; GASTON DE NIGRIS; CEO

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2684779 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MARCA REGISTRADA; AI # ON: 2490651, 163 LIMESTONE ROAD, CLAREMONT, CA, 91711. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DE NIGRIS, INC., 163 LIMESTONE ROAD, CLAREMONT, CA, 91711 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: DE NIGRIS INC.; GASTON DE NIGRIS; CEO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/4/2006. 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 12/18/2006, 12/25/2006, 1/1/2007, 1/8/2007

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2701606 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ALOHA DISCOUNT STORE, 14115 S. WESTERN AVE., GARDENA, CA. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : TAE HWAN PACK, 980 CAMINO CABALLO, NIPOMO, CA, 93444 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: TAE HWAN PACK

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2684682 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RUBEN HERNANDEZ - SNAP ON TOOLS, 9504 MAXINE ST., PICO RIVERA, CA, 90660. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RUBEN HERNANDEZ, 9504 MAXINE ST., PICO RIVERA, CA, 90660 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: RUBEN HERNANDEZ

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Document Record # 06 2696298
Current File No. 02 1494506
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/s/ MITZI WILLIAMS; DECEASED
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2780718 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as YO MAMA YOGA, WISE YOGA, WISE WOMAN DOULA SERVICES, 1423 14TH ST. # C SANTA MONICA, CA 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KATIE WISE, 1423 14TH ST. # C SANTA MONICA, CA 90404 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on 5/25/2006. /s/: KATIE WISE

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2696280 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TAK CHI WONG DBA CARNATION FLORISTS, 809 N. HILL ST. #F, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90012. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : TAK CHI WONG, 809 N. HILL ST. #F, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90012 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)12/5/2006. /s/: TAK CHI WONG

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Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record # 06 2684756
Current File No. 06 2504220
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
ALPHA PROFESSIONAL AGENCY, ALPHACARE AGENCY, ALPHA PHYSICAL THERAPY SERVICES located at 14022 RAMONA BLVD. STE. A, BALDWIN PARK, CA, 91706
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 11/13/06
In the county of LOS ANGELES.
FELIPE ZEPEDA, 3532 MEEKER AVE. #4, EL MONTE, CA, 91731.
This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
/s/ FELIPE ZEPEDA
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2696255 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SINGER'S ADVANTAGE: AI # ON: 200326710036, 20434 S. SANTA FE AVE., LONG BEACH, CA, 90810. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ASCENDANT MARKETING & MEDIA, L.L.C., 20434 S. SANTA FE AVE., LONG BEACH, CA, 90810 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ASCENDANT MARKETING & MEDIA, L.L.C.; DYLAN MARER; MANAGER This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/5/2006. 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 12/18/2006, 12/25/2006, 1/1/2007, 1/8/2007

Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record # 06 2701607
Current File No. 06 2672131
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
ALPHA MARKET located at 14115 S. WESTERN AVE, GARDENA, CA
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 12/01/05
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TAE HWAN PACK, 980 CAMINO CABALLO, NIPOMO, CA, 93444.
This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
/s/ TAE HWAN PACK
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2780717 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PATCH STUDIOS, PATCH #1, PATCH A, 4028 S. HOBART BLVD. LOS ANGELES, CA 90062. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ELMER DELEON, 4028 S HOBART BLVD. LOS ANGELES, CA 90062 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ELMER DELEON

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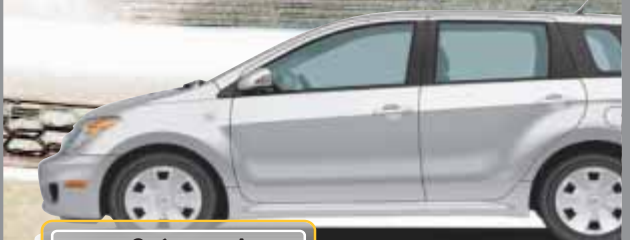


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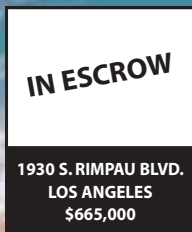
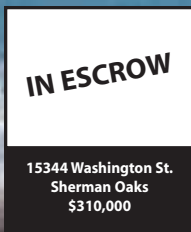
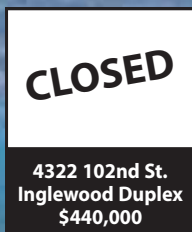
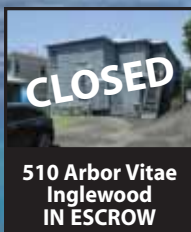
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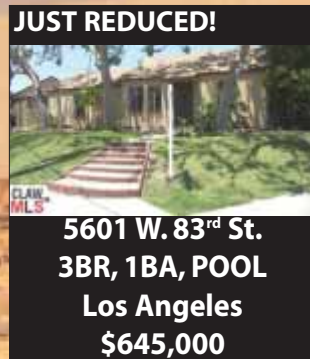


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