

## Patriotic pancakes



Photo by Debra Lo Guercio

Helping to remind the community about the annual Fourth of July pancake breakfast are, from left, fire department secretary Robbie Rubio, firefighter Adam Breznock and firefighter Jason Van Doren. Pancakes, eggs and bacon with all the fixings will be served on Friday, July 4, from 7-10 a.m. at the Winters Firehouse, 10 Abbey Street. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the fire house or at the door. Adult tickets are \$10, children's tickets are \$5, and children 5 and under are free. Proceeds benefit the annual Winters fireworks display. For more information, call 795-4131.

## Fireworks Friday at dusk

Fourth of July fireworks will fill the sky at dusk above Dr. Sellers Field on Friday, July 4. Gates open at 6 p.m. A donation of \$1 is requested for each person over the age of 12 (\$5 for a family of 5 or more) entering the field. No glass, alcohol, animals or fireworks of any kind will be allowed.

Donations to help fund the annual display may be made to the City of Winters Fireworks Fund at either First Northern Bank or City Hall.

For more information, call City Hall, 795-4910.

### FUTURE SUBSCRIBERS

**STILLMAN DAVID CALLISON IV** is the newborn son of David and Eden Callison of Queen Creek Arizona. Born on June 10, 2008 at 1:39 a.m. at the Mercy Hospital in Gilbert, Arizona, he weighed 8 pounds, 5 ounces, and was 20.5 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Paul and Janine Eichenberger of Rocklin, and Linda Jones Eichenberger of Scottsdale, Arizona. Maternal great-grandparents are Herald Paul Eichenberger of Fort Worth Texas. Paternal grandparents are David and Kathleen Callison of Winters.

## Orchard Village density lowered

By JUSTIN COX  
Staff writer

Plans for the Orchard Village project, a housing development expected to house low-income residents that earn around 60 percent of the median average, have been modified slightly to incorporate more family units, which will contain three and four bedrooms. In making way for the family units, a number of one and two bedroom units were removed, lowering the density of the entire project and creating a

more spacious and inviting overall feel.

According to Housing Manager Dan McGuire, it is important that the City promote the development of family units. The City's most recent low-income project, the Winters II Apartments, had just a handful of family units.

"With Winters II, there were a lot of disappointed families that wanted into that housing," said McGuire of the lack of available space.

The number-one denial reason at Winters

II however had to do with families making too much money. Although many applicants were considered low-income, 35 percent of that project was targeted toward very-low income.

Planning Commissioner Joe Tramon-tana spoke in support of the proposed project, which will sit on the five-acre lot located between Railroad Avenue and Dutton Street, just beyond Winters Self Storage. The remaining 5-acre portion of the lot,

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## Charges filed in hit and run incident

By LAUREN KEENE  
Enterprise staff writer

Charges have been filed against a 24-year-old Dixon woman and her father in connection with a hit-and-run incident last summer that injured two motorcyclists from Davis, the California Highway Patrol disclosed Tuesday.

Noelle Warren has been charged with felony hit-and-run and

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## Fridae, Martin trade places

By JUSTIN COX  
Staff writer

Woody Fridae and Mike Martin traded City Council seats at the June 23 Council meeting. Martin will become Mayor for the next two years, while Fridae will slide one seat over and serve as Mayor Pro Tem. Having received the most votes in the last election, Fridae's current role as Pro Tem will most likely return him to Mayor upon Martin's completion.

City Manager John Donlevy set the meeting in motion by providing those in attendance a snapshot of Fridae's

time spent as Mayor.

"Quite a bit has happened in the past two years," he began. "A lot has been accomplished."

He went on to list some of the most notable items, among them the trestle bridge rehabilitation, Winters' first and second traffic lights, the Community Center patio cover, the Bobbie Greenwood Swim Center and the Winters II affordable housing project. In addition, much work has been done to flesh out the Downtown Master Plan.

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Photo by Justin Cox

Council members Mike Martin and Woody Fridae trade places at the June 23 council meeting, in more ways than one. Martin, the former mayor pro tem, became the mayor, and Fridae, the former mayor, became the mayor pro tem.

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### WEATHER

Weather readings are taken at 9 a.m. each day, covering the previous 24 hour period.

Date	Rain	Hi	Lo
June 25		96	57
June 26		92	59
June 27		89	63
June 28		96	63
June 29		94	56
June 30		96	55
July 1		95	56

Rain for week: 0

Season's total: 23.19

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## OBITUARIES

### Nora Lee Valadez

Nora Lee Valadez, a longtime Winters resident, passed away peacefully on Thursday, June 12, 2008, at Sutter Davis Hospital in Davis. She was born in Rock Springs, Wyoming, on July 31, 1939, to JD and Pauline Hereford. She attended high school in Winters and graduated in 1958.

She met her husband, Raymond Valadez, in 1958 and they were married in 1959. They raised their five children in Winters. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend.

Her pride in her grandchildren was evident by her attendance at many activities over the years, say family members. Nora was active in 4H Club, Cub and Girl Scouts and, in recent years, participated as a volunteer with Meals on Wheels. She worked for the Winters School District for many years. She was proud of having helped in the development of so many Winters youths.

She is survived by her husband, Raymond; children Marie Fay (Dana) of Glen Ellen, Vincent Valadez of Sutter Creek, Vicki Valadez of Winters, Monica Damsten (Mark) of Sonoma, Paula Valadez of Winters; her grandchildren Ryan, Jacob, Lucas and Whitney Fay, Dezerai and Kelsi Valadez, Jessica and Derek Rasmussen, Rianna Damsten, and Miranda Bryant; great-grandchildren Mercedes and Aiyanna; her brother Steve Hereford of Winters and her god-daughter Sharon Perry.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Pauline, her father, JD, and her brother, Jerry.

A celebration of her life was held at St. Anthony's Parish Hall following a graveside service at the Winters Cemetery on June 20 at 11 a.m.

### Willard James Laukkanen

Willard James Laukkanen "Bud" passed away unexpectedly in his sleep Saturday morning, June 21 at the age of 66 years. He was born to George and Aloha Laukkanen in Aitkin, MN on May 3, 1942. His family lived many places until 1959 at which time they settled in Winters making it their home.

After graduating from Winters High School in 1960 Laukkanen worked at the California Market for four years. In 1962 he met Beatrice Muller and they were married in 1963. This December they would have celebrated their 45th anniversary. In April of 1964 he joined the plumber's union and was a plumber until the time of his death. He was planning to retire to Modoc County this winter to spend his time doing what he loved most, hunting and fishing.

He is survived by his devoted wife Bea of Winters; mother Aloha of Woodland; daughter and son in law Christy and Jim Frank of Winters; daughter and son in law Laurie and Chris Trotter of Warsaw, MO; daughter Jaime Pomeroy of St. Robert, MO; grandchildren Jaina and Jerrett Frank, Shelli and Christopher Trotter, and Matthew and Jacob Pomeroy; father-in-law James Muller of Winters; brother and sister in law Norman and Carol Laukkanen of Winters and sister and brother in law Carmen and Ralph Dietz of Lincoln. Willard was preceded in death by his father George.

A viewing and services were held at McCune Garden Chapel in Vacaville. Graveside service will be private and at a later time.

Donations in his memory may be made to St. Jude's Children Hospital.

## Weekly police report

#### June 10

~ 2 p.m., on the 700 block of Main Street, a victim received a check and letter in the mail to become a "Secret Shopper." The victim cashed the check at her bank and kept a portion as instructed. The bank later notified the victim that the check was fraudulent and the program was a mail scam. Loss: \$2,986.

#### June 22-23

~ 8 p.m. to 6:30 a.m., on the 600 block of Snapdragon Street, a black permanent marker was used to write graffiti on a mailbox. Damage: \$100.

#### June 23

~ 11:20 a.m., a vehicle owned by Maria Martinez of Winters was legally parked in a parking space in the dirt lot on East Baker Street east of Railroad Av-

enue. An unknown driver of a vehicle was backing out of the parking space next to Martinez' vehicle, hit the front passenger side fender causing minor damage and left the scene.

#### June 24

~ 7 a.m., on the 200 block of Niemann Street, a victim was hit numerous times causing redness to the face and arms.

#### June 26

~ 2:10 a.m., Christina Joanne Hanes, 23, of Winters was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol with a blood alcohol content of over .08% and failing to stop at a stop sign. Hanes was booked at the Winters Police Department and released to a sober adult on a notice to appear.

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## YESTERYEAR



Photo by Debra Ramos

**LITTLE DIPPERS:** In July, 1995, Jameson Shugart (right) doesn't seem to be too impressed with the morning's lesson at a recent Winters Swim Team practice. From left are (front) instructor Laurie White and Chelsea Corales; (behind) Lauren Atheron, Stephanie Ivory and Kristy Spurling.

**50**  
YEARS AGO

July 17, 1958

The high school board Tuesday night unanimously voted to present the swimming pool bond of \$50,000 to the people at an election on October 14.

The Napa County Board of Supervisors, meeting at Napa yesterday, voted unanimously to accept the management of Lake Berryessa from the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation.

Ed Horton, project engineer for the Monticello Project, said emphatically yesterday that the Bureau of Reclamation has no intention of permanently maintaining a live steam in Putah Creek from the Monticello Dam to the Yolo by-pass. He added that starting next week, the flow of water through the Monticello Dam would be greatly reduced, putting an end to the live stream in Putah Creek until the rains begin this fall. John Martinez Jr. has been chosen to play on the All-Star team of the San Francisco district of the American Junior Legion baseball league.

Frank Chaney of Commerce, Texas, father of Mrs. Corbin Young, has been visiting in the Young home for a few days.

Mrs. Bill Gray and Mrs. Herman Robertson gave a family birthday party July 11 for their mother, Mrs. Glenn Kidder, at the Robertson home on First Street.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Marks and their four children took a trip to San Francisco Sunday where they visited Mrs. Marks' aunt, Mrs. Goldie Abbott.

**65**  
YEARS AGO

July 16, 1943

An informal wedding but with military atmosphere pervading is to be solemnized at high noon, Sunday, when Miss Dorothy Martin and Master Sergeant Edwin Neel exchange pledges.

John Randolph Griffin received the degree Bachelor of Arts, June 6, from the University of California. John belonged to high school class '39, and was an honor student all the way through.

In compliment to Miss Jean Wehrman and Miss Marjorie Herron, prospective brides, an attractively appointed tea was featured Saturday afternoon, July 10, in the L.J. Wehrman home in Wolf-skill District.

The labor office reports a more active week as peach harvest advances. Some 12 men have been placed this week, and Manager Culton would like a line on the farmer's needs.

Sgt. Buel Sackett, Coast Artillery, at Oakland, spent a few days at home this week.

Corporal Herbert Smith, in Army service at Ft. Haan is at home on a 9-day furlough.

Frank Ramos, U.S.N., San Diego, was a weekend visitor at home.

Mrs. and Mrs. J.M. Clayton and children, Charles and Colleen were Sunday visitors with relatives in Auburn.

"Grandma" Baldwin, who has been spending a few weeks with her granddaughter, Mrs. Alice Morlan in Davis, has returned to the B.F. Chadwick home.

**100**  
YEARS AGO

July 17, 1908

Western Yolo farmers appear to be thoroughly alive to the advantages of irrigation. A number of farmers met at the residence of G.W. Scott last week and effected an organization and formulated plans for the construction of ditch.

N.A. Hawkins announces that he will be a candidate for Superior Judge, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention, and was over from Woodland Wednesday, looking over his political fences.

Prof. P.B. Smith and family left Monday for Elk Grove, to remain three weeks with Mrs. Smith's relatives.

### Health department urges precaution when outdoors

The Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District and Solano County and Yolo County Public Health Departments are advising residents to take precautions and avoid outdoor activities as smoke from wildfires continues to remain at ground level in the region.

"We're advising schools, recreation districts and other organizations that operate outdoor sports programs to voluntarily cancel or postpone practices, games and recreational activities anytime particle air pollution levels reach 'Unhealthy' on the Air Quality Index," according to air quality staff.

## Berryessa drops .63 of a foot

The level of Lake Berryessa dropped by .63 of a foot during the past week with a reduction in storage of 11,077 acre feet of water, according to Mickey Faulkner of the Solano Irrigation District.

He reported Tuesday morning that the lake was 422.46 feet above sea level, with storage computed at 1,278,869 acre feet of water.

Lake Berryessa is about five and a half feet lower than at the same time last year, and is more than 17 feet below the spillway.

The SID is diverting 575 second feet of water into the Putah South Canal and 43 second feet is flowing in Putah Creek at the Diversion Dam. Evaporation on Lake Berryessa averaged 284 acre feet of water per day during the week.

**115**  
YEARS AGO

July 15, 1893

Joe Griffin's pacer Truc-kee S. got into a barbed wire fence one day this week and was considerably scarred up about the breast and shoulders. This accident will prevent the horse being taken out on the racing circuit this fall, but will not injure him permanently.

The bicycle craze has struck the girls of Winters and a number of them can be seen every evening gliding along on the silent steeds. May Ritchie and Essie Morrison each have one, and we are informed that several other young ladies are contemplating purchasing wheels.

Air quality forecasts and real-time air quality levels can be viewed at [www.sparetheair.com](http://www.sparetheair.com).

Hundreds of fires continue to burn in Northern and Central California. Weather and air quality forecasters expect continued high pressure and light winds through the weekend, which will cause the smoke to remain in many areas. The very small particles in smoke can irritate the lungs of even healthy people, but are especially dangerous for seniors, children and those with lung and heart disease.

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# It’s tomato time in Yolo County

By ANN M. EVANS and  
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We can all see the processing tomatoes stretching across the country's big acreage, making a green carpet, soon to be full of bright red tomatoes, but the county’s famous heirloom tomato fields are not so evident. In fact, you’d be hard-pressed to see them growing at all unless you were driving up the Capay Valley, where you’d see them being harvested at Farm Fresh to You and Full Belly Farms whose farms border State Highway 16. There are more farms growing heirlooms in the county, but they are hidden back in the Dunnigan Hills, the back country of Winters, and the rolling hills of Capay, off the beaten path.

In fact, some of the Yolo County pioneer organic farmers, like the late Kathy Barsotti, co-founder of Capay Valley Organics and mother of Thaddeus Barsotti, co-owner with his brothers of Capay Valley Organics and Farm Fresh to You, pioneered the comeback of heirloom tomatoes. It began in the 1980’s when the new breed of organic farmers were developing a market for their products with San Francisco Bay Area restaurants, and the restaurants started featuring farm names on menus, and everyone wanted a good tasting tomato with old-fashioned flavor.

Kathy Barsotti, Stuart Dixon of Stone Free Farm, and others began hunting down tomato seeds from friends, and clients brought back seeds from travels to Europe and Asia. Seed Savers Exchange, a clearing house for perpetuating old varieties, was a major source of seeds. All of the seeds, however, came in small quantities, often less than a dozen. The intrepid farmers planted and labeled them in trials and then evaluated them, not only for flavor, but how productive they were, what diseases, if any were they were prone to, and how well they thrived in the Yolo County climate. They saved the seeds of the ones they liked best.

Chefs would be asked to try the new varieties, and give comments. Some of the lucky ones started serving them in their restaurants, but in the early days, heirloom tomatoes were in short supply.

Not so today. “I expect to sell 300,000 pounds of tomatoes this year,” Thaddeus Barsotti says. “Every year in the past our company has slowly, but steadily, grown the market for this product



Courtesy photo

**Thaddeus Barsotti co-owns Capy Valley Organics and farm Fresh to You, along with his brothers.**

and we expect to continue this trend.”

Luckily for Yolo County, Capay Organics and Farm Fresh to You sell 88 percent of their tomatoes locally. They deliver directly to all of the Nugget Markets, the Davis Food Coop, over a dozen Whole Foods Markets, and to their retail store in San Francisco’s Ferry Plaza building and well as selling at six different farmers markets, including the Davis Farmers Market. His tomatoes can also be found at such high end San Francisco restaurants as One Market, Zuni Cafe, Foreign Cinema, Slanted Door or Greens, chances are they are from Barsotti’s Capay Valley fields.

Throughout the summer and fall, Farm Fresh to You CSA subscribers, all 5,000 of them, will be well supplied with heirloom tomatoes.

“We may be possibly the largest CSA in the nation”, says Thaddeus Barsotti. “I am not aware of any CSA in the states that are larger than ours — but Europe has some huge CSAs.”

CSA – Community Supported Agriculture — has become increasingly popular over the years and with the huge popularity of Michael Pollen’s “The Omnivore’s Dilemma” and Barbara Kingsolver’s book, “Animal, Vegetable, Miracle: A Year of Food Life,” interest has soared.

In Yolo County, there are numerous CSAs in addition to Farm Fresh to You, (visit [www.atasteofyolo.com](http://www.atasteofyolo.com) for more information) and all will have plenty of heirloom tomatoes over the next four months, and in our opinion, you can never have too many tomatoes. The Davis Farmers Market and

various locally owned retail food stores such as the Davis Food Co-op are also convenient purchasing locations.

What exactly are heirloom tomatoes? There are various definitions, but a generally accepted one is a tomato variety that is known to have been available 50 years or more ago, and that is open-pollinated, not a hybrid. There are literally hundreds of varieties of tomatoes, and although native to the New World, are now grown in practically every country across the globe, and Yolo County organic farmers are growing a vast number of them, as our their close neighbors in Solano, Sacramento, and Placer Counties. Some of the farmers, such as Nigel Walker of Eatwell Farm, just over the border in Solano County, save their own heirloom tomato seeds, and have developed strains particularly suited to their microclimate.

The heirloom tomatoes farmers have selected to produce come in all shapes, sizes, and colors, and above, must have outstanding flavor. That is what brings the customers back, what causes us to long for tomato season and to mourn its passing with the first hard frost in late fall.

Among our favorites are the black ones — Black Krim, Black Prince, Carbon, with their slightly musky, rich taste. Cherokee Purple has superb flavor, as do the large-sometimes a pound or more — Marvel Stripe, Brandywines, and Mortgage Lifter. Evergreen, White Wonder, Ponderosa Pink, New Zealand Pink, Green Grape, Green Zebra —

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## Embroiderers plan stitch-in

The Valley Oak Chapter of the Embroiderers Guild of America will hold a summer stitch-in on Thursday, July 3, at 10 a.m. in the Blanchard Room of the Stephens Library, 315 East Fourteenth Street in Davis. Participants can bring their own projects for a show and tell, socialize and learn more about the group.

For more information call Diane Moore, 756-0380.



# Opinion



## DEBRA LO GUERCIO BECAUSE I SAY SO

**IT'S ALL ABOUT THE FEAR, BABY.** What scares you most? That's what the Republican party wants to know. Because they can use it to manipulate your vote. The Right Wing learned in the 2004 election that fear is the only thing that really mattered. In the post 9-11 world, the fear of terrorism blanked out any other concern American voters might have, even to the point of reelecting a complete nincompoop.

Think about the last presidential election. When media attention turned to the Democratic national convention, there was a corresponding increase in our utterly useless color-coded terror alert system. And, of course, nothing happened. Odd coincidences like this continued in 2004, and whenever John Kerry's poll numbers got too close for comfort, there was another "terror alert." MSNBC's Keith Olbermann started tracking these coincidences, and at last count, was up to nearly 30 instances where the government issued a terror alert when an uncomfortable issue arose. Like Scooter Libby's conviction. And the President's pardon thereof. Just two examples.

Here's the really sad part about the Republican strategy to scare Americans into obedience: it works. More recently, John McCain's chief campaign advisor, Charlie Black, suggested in a Fortune magazine interview that a terrorist attack on U.S. soil would benefit the McCain campaign – just as the assassination of Pakistan's Benazir Bhutto helped McCain's performance in the New Hampshire primary.

McCain, of course denounced these ghoulish statements. But he didn't fire Black for making them. And, sadly, there may be a thread of truth to it. Another terror attack just might scare Americans into voting for McCain, regardless of anything else he might have to offer. And that's the sum total of what McCain has to offer: Fighting the terrorists to hell and back, even if it takes 100 years. The only tool in his toolbox is more violence.

What other Conservative fears can be used for political gain? Gay marriage is a tried and true vote-getter. If terrorism won't get 'em to the polls, homophobia will.

Then there's guns, or rather, the right to own them. There's an email circulating right now that insists Barack Obama is after our guns. He's on a secret mission to take our guns away and close down all the gun shops! This, of course, generated by the segment of the population that thinks the entire Constitution consists of the Second Amendment.

Obama, to my knowledge, has never made any such statement. And even if he did, a President can't single-handedly alter the Constitution (our current one, however, chooses to ignore it because Congress just sits idly by and watches him do so). An alteration of the Second Amendment would have to be approved by Congress and likely the Supreme Court as well, so all the hardcore gun-toters out there can relax. Obama's not planning to come and pry your guns out of your cold, dead hands.

Speaking of Obama, he's a double target for conservative fears: He's black and his name sounds Muslim. There's an entire segment of the American population that's just terrified of dark skin. I wonder if these folks are also fine around Golden Labrador retrievers but terrified of Black Labs? Even the Chocolate Labs make them nervous? Good grief, it's a color! It can't and won't hurt you, not on a dog and not on a person. Terrified of a color. There's no other way to frame this than as mental illness.

As for the dread fear of all things Muslim, the current administration has provided an IV drip of that for the last seven years to make sure we never forget that there's a bogeyman out there, and he wears fabric on his head. The many attempts to lasso Obama into the Muslim camp range from the humorous to the pathetic. Even more pathetic: there are people out there who fall for it.

Someone sent me a photocopy of a bumper sticker some melonhead has produced that says "The only difference between Obama and Osama is BS." And then there was all the ruckus over the Obama fist-bump. A Fox "News" commentator even declared it to be a "terrorist fist bump." Good grief. Then, someone stormed into my office the other day and blasted me for my support of "that Muslim."

They won't come right out and say it, but Republican strategists want the fearful segment of the population to believe that Obama is a secret terrorist (because anything Muslim equals terrorism, yes?) and you'll be so deathly afraid of terrorists after being spoon-fed fear for seven years that you'll run away shrieking and vote for McCain. And if you do, what does that make you besides scared? Stupid.

Stupidity. Lots of it. Now, that's what I call scary.

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## LETTERS

### Column was over the top

Dear Editor,

Wow, Mr. Stone, weren't you a bit over the top! (June 26) What was your point? Moral, religious or just a golden opportunity to use the column to gay bash? You had no point.

God didn't go on vacation with Charley, leaving you his powers to judge all living creatures. Didn't anyone ever tell you that if you can't say anything nice, then shut up. You proba-

bly missed that day of school. I bet you were the grade school bully, pushing little kids down and taking their lunch money.

If my children had ever disrespected others the way you have, I would have gone right past time out into a good old-fashioned spanking. Ever set foot in my "gayzebo" and I'll kick you out.

DEANN JOHNSON

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Best email of the day: "The air quality in Davis has just been downgraded to unhealthy for sensitive groups. Are there ANY non-sensitive groups in Davis? Methinks not."



CHARLES R. WALLACE

## A QUICK OPINION

**MOTORCYCLES TO THE RESCUE?** I can't preach enough about the joys of road trips and spending time with your thoughts, as you roll along the empty roads of America. You may prefer a car or motor home, but it is hard to beat the sights, sounds and smells from a motorcycle. The fact that you run out of gas every 150 miles or so forces you to stop in places you might just drive by in your car.

This was our fourth last family vacation. Years ago, when Sherri mentioned that we should take our children on one last family vacation, I commented that if our parents paid, we would still go with them. As long as we're paying, or as in recent trips, paying for most expenses, we continue to have one last family vacation.

I had my doubts about having our very young grandchildren tag along, but they were great, especially Brett, the four month old. I'm not sure he knew he wasn't still driving around Modesto. Most of the time when the car was moving he was sleeping. That might be easy for me to say, since I was on my Harley with Sherri on the back, and Rance and Laura were in the car with Jenna and Brett. The grand children followed us through the Grand Canyon and made it to Salt Lake City before their parents decided they had had enough and headed for home.

My favorite son, Robert, met us at the Skywalk that hangs 4,000 feet over the edge of the Grand Canyon. The Hualapala Nation built this glass horseshoe shaped balcony as a tourist attraction, but they have figured out how to give you your money's worth. After driving on a 15-mile gravel rode (we road in my son's car to save the Harley's paint job) there is a bus that takes you to the Skywalk and on to other destinations on the reservation. One stop allows you to climb a small, rocky knoll, that gives you a 360-degree view of the Grand Canyon. That view was worth the price of admission.

One thing we noticed was how happy everyone was to see us. From the person helping you park to tour guides, everyone was just great. Everyone looked like they wanted to be there, were glad to answer your questions, and treated you better than a relative. When I asked about a large earth moving operation taking place next to the Skywalk, I was told it was a new airport to bring people from around the country. Boeing must be paying for part of this project because this airport looks about the size of Sac. Metro.

I'm not sure if it is politically correct, but it was good to see a successful Indian enterprise that didn't involve gambling.

The talk of a recession hasn't reached the desert states. There were plenty of motor homes on the road but I was impressed with the number of motorcycles. Almost every hotel we stopped at had motorcycles parked in front. There were lots of No Vacancy signs in the late evening hours and gas was \$3.99 to \$4.05 in most of the places we stopped. There were enough motorcycles on the road that I figured that people traveling on Harleys, Hondas, BMWs, Kawasakies and Yamas are saving the economy. Maybe if everyone started driving mopeds, scooters and pedal bikes the economy would boom again.

Someone asked me about the cost of gasoline and road trips. I told them that I was going to use less than \$350 on gas to go 3,000 miles. Hotels, even the cheaper variety, average about \$100 a night. Throw in a lot of meals away from home and the gas bill was the cheapest part of the trip.

We stopped and saw Bob and Linda Carrion in Flagstaff, but decided he was too good a friend to take up his offer of a place to stay. Counting the babies there were seven of us and spending an evening with us was probably enough. After driving across miles and miles of cactus and sagebrush, Flagstaff is an oasis in the desert. Leaving Las Vegas and Kingman I wondered why anyone would want to live out there, but Flagstaff is nice. I'm not sure what the weather is like in the winter, but living among the pines doesn't seem like a bad idea.

Most of my road trips consist of plotting out a course, figuring out what to see at each stop, and repeating day after day. Laura's idea of a road trip was to drive somewhere, stop and stay for a while. There wasn't much of a culture clash, but after a week the Skavdahl family had had enough. Four days later as Sherri and I were sitting at a restaurant in Stanley, Idaho, having a cup of coffee, she looked over the table, said, "I'm done, take me home." Two days and 950 miles later we were back in Winters.

We came through Central Oregon, stopped to have coffee with Charlie Krisor, and drove through the fires in Northern California. Coming off a crest on Highway 299 was a sight. The hills to the south were covered with plums of smoke spaced about a half mile apart. I was thinking that if you just let the fires burn they would all touch in a couple of days.

Passing burning grasslands was a different experience. The fire trucks were parked on the side of the road and the fire line was moving slowly towards a creek on one side and the road on the other. The wind was blowing away from us so we could see most of the road in front of us. All of the side roads had either a police car or a barricade in place.

I haven't seen this much smoke since they stopped burning rice stubble. For anyone who has lived here over 20 years, when they burned the rice fields the smoke hung around for weeks, if not the whole summer. The fires are still burning, but it looks like the skies are clearing already. Maybe it's time to just let the fires burn until winter. Just a thought. Have a good week.



# New cell phone law information outlined

Two new laws dealing with the use of wireless telephones while driving went into effect on July 1. Below is a list of Frequently Asked Questions concerning these new laws.

Q: When did the new wireless telephone laws take effect?  
A: July 1, 2008

Q: What is the difference between the two laws?  
A: The first prohibits all drivers from using a handheld wireless telephone while operating a motor vehicle. (Vehicle Code (VC) 23123). Motorists 18 and over may use a hands-free device. Drivers under the age of 18 may not use a wireless telephone or hands-free device while operating a motor vehicle (VC 23124). Only drivers 18 and over will be allowed to use a hands-free device to talk on their wireless telephone while driving.

Q: What if I need to use my telephone during an emergency, and I do not have a hands-free device?  
A: The law allows a driver to use a wireless telephone to make emergency calls to a law enforcement agency, a medical provider, the fire department, or other emergency services agency.

Q: What are the fines if I'm convicted?  
A: The base fine for the first offense is \$20 and \$50 for subsequent convictions. According to the Uniform Bail and Penalty Schedule, with the addition of penalty assessments, a first offense is \$76 and a second offense is \$190.

Q: Will I receive a point on my drivers license if I'm convicted for a violation of the wireless telephone law?  
A: No. The violation is a reportable offense; however, DMV will not assign a violation point.

Q: Will the conviction appear on my driving record?  
A: Yes, but the violation point will not be added.

Q: Will there be a grace period when motorists will only get a warning?  
A: No. Whether a citation is issued is always at the discretion of the officer based upon his or her determination of the most appropriate remedy for the situation.

Q: Are passengers affected by this law?

A: No. This law only applies to the person driving a motor vehicle.

Q: Do these laws apply to out-of-state drivers whose home states do not have such laws?  
A: Yes.

Q: Can I be pulled over by a law enforcement officer for using my handheld wireless telephone?  
A: Yes. A law enforcement officer can pull you over just for this infraction.

Q: What if my phone has a push-to-talk feature, can I use that?  
A: No. The law does provide an exception for those operating a commercial motor truck or truck tractor (excluding pickups), implements of husbandry, farm vehicle or tow truck, to use a two-way radio operated by a "push-to-talk" feature.

Q: What other exceptions are there?  
A: Operators of an authorized emergency vehicle during the course of employment are exempt as are those motorists operating a vehicle on private property.

Q: Does the new "hands-free" law prohibit you from dialing a wireless telephone while driving or just talking on it?  
A: The new law does not prohibit dialing, but drivers are strongly urged not to dial while driving.

Q: Will it be legal to use a Blue Tooth or other earpiece?  
A: Yes, however you cannot have both ears covered.

Q: Does the new hands-free law allow you to use the speaker phone function of your wireless telephone while driving?  
A: Yes.

Q: Does the new "hands-free" law allow drivers 18 and over to text page while driving?  
A: The law does not specifically prohibit that, but an officer can pull over and issue a citation to a driver of any age if, in the officer's opinion, the driver was distracted and not operating the vehicle safely. Text paging while driving is unsafe at any speed and is strongly discouraged.

### Drivers under 18

Q: Am I allowed to use my wireless telephone hands free?

See LAWS on page B-2

# Up in flames



Courtesy photo  
An abandoned building on Winters Road near Hines Nursery went up in flames on Friday, June 20. The Winters Fire Department responded. No one was injured.

## Yolo Solano air district offers advice on smoky air

By KATHY COULTER  
Public Information Officer  
Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District

Fires in the region are impacting air quality and can be a serious health concern for residents of Yolo and Solano Counties. The major air pollutants of concern include total suspended particulates, fine particulates (PM2.5), ozone and carbon monoxide. These conditions are expected to continue until the fires are extinguished. The Yolo-Solano Air District Quality Management District recommends residents who see or smell smoke to follow precautionary measures:  
~ Discontinue strenuous outdoor activities by active children, stu-

dents and adults;  
~ Use air conditioning in cars (close fresh air intake) and homes,  
~ Keep windows and doors closed if not too hot,  
~ Keep particle levels inside low by avoiding using anything that burns, including wood stoves and gas stoves if possible, and  
~ Avoid the fire areas. While all persons may experience varying degrees of symptoms, the more sensitive individuals, such as the young, aged and those with respiratory conditions are of greatest risk at experiencing more aggravated symptoms. Symptoms may include, but are not limited to coughing, watery and itchy eyes, and difficulty in breathing. Persons experiencing question-

able or severe symptoms should seek professional medical advice and treatment. As a reminder, paper filter masks are not recommended. They act to restrict the flow of air and do not filter out the fine suspended particles. The restriction may cause an individual to inhale harder in order to obtain the same amount of air volume they are used to (particularly if they are in the sensitive population groups). Inhaling harder may allow the small fine particulates, which pass through the paper filters, to travel further into the respiratory system. Since smoke levels are ever-changing, residents are advised to use the following index to judge air quality:

~ Good (visibility 10 miles or more): No cautionary statements.  
~ Moderate (visibility 5 to 10 miles): Unusually sensitive people should consider reducing prolonged or heavy exertion.  
~ Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups (visibility 3 to 5 miles): People with heart or lung disease, older adults, and children should reduce prolonged or heavy exertion.  
~ Unhealthy (visibility 1.5 to 3 miles): People with heart or lung disease, older adults, and children should avoid prolonged or heavy exertion. Everyone else should reduce prolonged or heavy exertion.  
~ Very Unhealthy

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# CHARGES

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conspiracy, CHP Officer David Ridge said. She is alleged to have been driving the 2003 Chevrolet Tahoe that rear-ended one of the motorcyclists, 24-year-old Jonathan Pinkerton, on the night of Aug. 27, 2007.

Her father, Lorin Warren, 49, also of Dixon, faces a single count of conspiracy after allegedly arranging for the sport-utility vehicle to be repaired by an unlicensed mechanic, Ridge said.

Both turned themselves in to authorities and were arraigned on May 27 in Yolo Superior Court. They pleaded not guilty to the charges and remain free after posting \$50,000 bail each, their attorneys said Tuesday.

Steven Sabbadini, who is representing Noelle Warren, and David Dratman, attorney for Lorin Warren, declined to comment

further about the case, saying they had not received sufficient discovery from the Yolo County District Attorney's Office.

Deputy District Attorney Clinton Parish, who is prosecuting the case, could not be reached for comment. The Warrens' next court appearance is scheduled for June 24.

The family of Pinkerton, who has since turned 25, also declined to comment about the developments in the case.

Pinkerton was on one of his regular motorcycle rides with two friends when he was struck from behind by a sport-utility vehicle on Russell Boulevard near County Road 96 at about 8:45 p.m.

The impact caused Pinkerton to be ejected from his motorcycle and collide with his friend, Kyle Daubert, 25, who also fell to the ground. Daubert received minor wounds, while Pinkerton suffered major injuries including a

lost spleen.

Witnesses reported seeing the hit-and-run driver drag Pinkerton's motorcycle for about a mile down Russell Boulevard while fleeing the crash scene.

"We believe (Noelle Warren) was trying to dislodge the motorcycle from the vehicle," which eventually broke free from the SUV, Ridge said Tuesday. "Over the next couple of weeks, her father made contact with an unlicensed mechanic to do the repairs."

Whether Lorin Warren was aware of what allegedly caused the vehicle's damage is unclear.

In early September, police in Winters, where the mechanic lives, received a tip about the location of the suspected hit-and-run vehicle, Ridge said. He added that the mechanic did not know the source of the damage and does not face charges in the case.

But the case required a lengthy investigation,

which Ridge said led to the nine-month delay between the incident and the filing of charges.

This is not the first time that a parent and child have been charged in connection with a hit-and-run incident in Yolo County.

In March 2000, Woodland resident Lidia Ulloa and her 17-year-old daughter were arrested after the teenager struck two young women who were jogging along Ashley Avenue in Woodland. Jilian Kelley, 20, died from her injuries.

Authorities said the teen driver panicked and fled home following the accident, and that Ulloa concealed the damaged vehicle in the family's garage, then drove it to Southern California to be repaired.

Ulloa later went to prison, while her daughter served time in a juvenile facility.

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(visibility 1 to 1.5 miles): People with heart or lung disease, older adults, and children should avoid all physical activity outdoors. Everyone else should avoid prolonged or heavy exertion.

~ Hazardous (visibility 1 mile or less): Everyone should avoid all physical activity outdoors; people with heart or lung disease, older adults, and children should remain indoors and keep activity levels low.

To determine visibility, face away from the sun and look for targets at known distances. Vis-

ible range is that point at which even high contrast objects totally disappear. In addition to using the visual guide, residents are encouraged to protect themselves and to seek medical treatment if experiencing uncontrolled coughing, wheezing or choking, or if breathing difficulty does not subside indoors.

Open burning is limited during this period. Burn status is available by calling (800) 246-3660 or 757-3660. This recording is updated daily as air quality conditions change. Additional information is available at the district's website: [www.ysaqmd.org](http://www.ysaqmd.org).

# POLICE

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~ 2:15 p.m., Miguel Moreno Jr., 28, of West Sacramento surrendered himself on an outstanding Winters Police Department bench warrant charging him with failure to appear on previous charges of driving with a suspended/revoked driver's license and driving at an unsafe speed. Moreno was booked at the Winters Police Department and released on a notice to appear.

**June 26-27**

~ 4 p.m. to 6:40 a.m. – On the 100 block of Grant Avenue, a window was broken to gain access to a classroom and computer hardware was stolen. Loss: \$3,536.

**June 27**

~ Noon, on the 400 block of Anderson Avenue, an unlocked skateboard was stolen. Loss: \$120.

**June 28**

~ 11:26 a.m., on Fredricks Drive, an officer assisted a Yolo County Sheriff Deputy with recovering a stolen vehicle.

~ 11:33 p.m., Estevan Rodriguez Jr., 26, of Carmichael was issued a notice to appear for driving with a suspended/revoked driver's license, driving an unregistered vehicle and driving at an unsafe speed.

~ 11:34 p.m., Javier Leal Diaz, 20, of Winters was issued a notice to appear for being an unlicensed driver, failing to stop at a stop sign and failing to provide proof of insurance.

**June 29**

~ 2:29 a.m., Adam Steven Davis, 26, of Winters was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol with a blood alcohol content of over .08%, failing to stop at a stop sign and failing to have his driver's license in his possession. Davis was booked at the Winters Police Department and released to a sober adult on a notice to appear.

~ 10:15-10:25 a.m., on the 100 block of East Grant Avenue, two victims and a suspect were involved in a verbal dispute. The suspect threw a cup of hot coffee on one victim and made threats to kill both victims. An investigation continues.

## Earthquake Street Festival

Friday, Aug. 22, 5-11 p.m.

Downtown Main Street

Booth space available! Call 795-2329

Pancake breakfast  
7-10 a.m.  
Friday, July 4  
Winters Firehouse.  
Tickets at the door:  
Adults: \$10  
Children: \$5



# Community

## Senior Citizens Club update

By MARGE SEBASTIAN  
Special to the Express

Our June meeting/potluck was held on Wednesday June 11 at the Community Center.

Due to the center microphone being broken again, we had no meeting. Instead we had our potluck and then we played Bingo for our brown bag prizes.

We would like to thank all those who brought food to share and drawing gifts.

This was our last meeting before our summer break. We will resume our meeting/potluck in the month of October. Please check the Express for my article which is printed a week before our meeting day.

We hope everyone has a healthy and fun summer.

Thank you to the Express for printing my article. It helps our members to remember when we meet.

## Next Chamber Mixer at Briggs & Co.

The next Winters Chamber of Commerce Mixer will take place at Briggs & Co. on Monday, July 14, at 5:30 p.m. Everyone in the community is welcome to drop by. A \$5 donation is suggested at the door, and includes one free raffle ticket. The evening will include food and beverages, beer and wine, and a raffle of numerous prizes donated by various Winters businesses. Raffle tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5.

Briggs & Co is located at 820 Railroad Avenue, and is open Wednesday through Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, visit [www.briggsandco.com](http://www.briggsandco.com) or call 795-9505.

Chamber Mixers are held on the second Monday of each month at 5:30 p.m., and offer an opportunity for the community to visit a business and its owner, enjoy the company of friends and neighbors, and chat with Chamber of Commerce members and directors. The Mixers are held at a different business each month.

The Winters Chamber of Commerce office is located inside the Winters Community Center, and is open daily. The Chamber meets on the second Friday of each month at 7 a.m. at the Community Center. Everyone in the community is welcome to attend Chamber meetings and find out more about getting involved with the local business community. For more information about the Chamber or to join, call 795-2329.

The Winters planning commission meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month



Courtesy photo

Plein air painter Amy Gitelman works on a painting of a Winters pond.

## Capturing Winters on canvas

By SHAUNIE BRIGGS  
Special to the Express

Amy Gitelman first visited Winters this past spring to participate in the inaugural Winters Plein Air Festival, hosted by Briggs & Co. Her striking pastel paintings stood out in the crowd and received much recognition, placing her among the top three in the peoples' choice contest, and promptly earning a red dot to indicate sold on each of her paintings.

Subsequently she was invited to

be a "visiting artist in residence" at Briggs & Co., providing an opportunity to experience summer in Winters and discover wonderful people and places to paint. She has been returning to Winters each month for three to five days to continue painting the local scenery.

Briggs & Co will present Amy's plein air pastels in a show entitled "My Summer in Winters" in September.

For more information, call Briggs & Co, 795-9505.

## Nestbox Trail focus of next CreekSpeak

During July's Creek Speak event, Dr. Melanie Truan of the UC Davis Museum of Wildlife and Fish Biology will share her experiences from the Nestbox Trail, introduce some of its more fascinating creatures and inform attendees about how they can help protect and enjoy local wildlife.

Dr. Truan is an expert on the avifauna of the region, having received her Ph.D in Ecology from UC Davis in 2004 studying patterns of plant and bird diversity along Putah and Cache Creeks. She currently serves as director of biomonitoring for the UC Davis Museum of Wildlife and Fish Biology, the third-largest vertebrate museum in California.

The July CreekSpeak event will be held Thursday, July 17, from

7-8:30 p.m. at the Winters Community Center, 201 Railroad Avenue.

CreekSpeak takes place the third Thursday of each month from May to October. Upcoming talks will include the benthic invertebrates of Putah Creek, linking native species with human activity, and many others. CreekSpeak is sponsored by the Putah Creek Council, the City of Winters, Putah Creek Discovery Corridor Cooperative, and UC Davis John Muir Institute of the Environment.

More information on CreekSpeak and upcoming topics is on the Putah Creek Council website, [www.putahcreekcouncil.org](http://www.putahcreekcouncil.org).

For more information, contact Dawn Calciano, 795-3006 or [dawn@putahcreekcouncil.org](mailto:dawn@putahcreekcouncil.org).

The Winters City Council meets on the first and third Tuesday of each month

## Hospice trainings planned

Yolo Hospice is sponsoring a volunteer training program for adults interested in becoming hospice patient care volunteers.

The training course covers the history and philosophy of hospice care; concepts of death and dying; communications skills; care and comfort measures; psychosocial issues; spiritual and cultural issues in hospice; grief and bereavement; and the volunteer role in hospice. After completing the training, those interested in becoming hospice patient care volunteers may choose to interview with any of the seven consortium member hospices: Yolo Hospice and hospices associated with Sutter, UC Davis, Kaiser and

Mercy health systems. Volunteer opportunities not directly involved in patient care are also available.

The course is taught by professional staff members from area hospices. Nancy Bodily, Yolo Hospice Volunteer Coordinator, will host the training, which is scheduled for July 11, 12, 18 and 19 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Sutter Davis Hospital, 2000 Sutter Place.

Advance registration is required as space is limited. Registration is \$35.00. To register, download the registration form from [www.yolohospice.org/volunteer/php](http://www.yolohospice.org/volunteer/php), or call the Sacramento Hospice Consortium hotline at 916-388-6288. For more information, call Yolo Hospice at 758-5566.

## Booth space now available

Booth space is available for this year's Earthquake Street Festival, planned for Friday, Aug. 22, 5-11 p.m.

Booths cost \$25 for non-profit organizations, \$50 for Chamber members and \$85 for non-members if reserved before Aug. 1. After Aug. 1, booth space is \$35 for non-profit organizations, \$65 for Chamber members and \$100 for non-members.

To reserve a booth space, call 795-2329.

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# PLAN

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tached to the execution of each individual project.

The resolution was ultimately passed unanimously, with the slight addition that the City and the PCCC be cognizant of the funding available at the time of implementation.

### 2008-09 Budget

The city budget is not technically balanced, but it is close. Staff is forecasting a little over \$3.2 million in the general fund, slightly less than the forecasted \$3.4 million in expenditures.

“It would be very easy for the budget to turn around and be bal-

anced very quickly,” said Director of Financial Management Shelly Gunby, noting that a balanced budget could be just the construction of one large house, or a handful of swimming pools away.

According to staff, Winters is in a much better position than many surrounding cities who are relying on development revenues, which have traumatically flat-lined as of late. Winters, in contrast, relies only on recurring revenues.

In addition, Winters aims to carry a reserve of 50 percent of all budget expenditures. Most others carry just 15 percent.

Mayor Pro Tem Woody Fridae expressed his appreciation for staff’s

conservative approach in predicting the city’s budget.

According to staff, the two departments in most need of funding are the Police Department and the Community Development Agency, with the police department being of the most immediate concern. Mayor Mike Martin closed the conversation by addressing this need.

“We need to support the police and fire,” he said. “We need economic growth in Winters. We’re going to need the hotel and the services by the freeway. I think we realize that that’s our best source of funds at this time.

“But we won’t forget the rest of the community and the downtown.

We’re not going to become Dixon, but we do need to fill these funding gaps. This is a start in that direction.”

The budget, along with the Community Development Agency budget, was approved unanimously.

### Diagonal crosswalks

Councilmember Tom Stone presented the idea of adding diagonal crosswalks to the intersection of Main and First Streets. The sidewalks would allow for less congested traffic flow in that pedestrians would not have to cross the street twice. He acknowledged that such crosswalks could cause confusion, but wanted to give the idea a chance to be discussed.

“I don’t have strong

feelings,” he said. “I just wanted to bring it to a close one way or another.”

Police Chief Bruce Muramoto said he had no major reservations, but that he was concerned with confusion, as well as leaving people out in the “kill zone” (middle of the street) for a longer period of time than necessary. He also pointed out that the crosswalk lines would be difficult to see at night.

Stone agreed with Muramoto and ultimately decided to withdraw the idea, citing the lack of light in the middle of the intersection as a safety concern for late-night walkers.

The council meets again on Tuesday, July 12 at 7:30 p.m.

# Pruning class offered July 12

A fruit tree pruning and irrigation workshop is planned on Saturday, July 12, 9-11 a.m. at the Woodland Community College greenhouse orchard. There is no charge to attend.

Learn about the benefits of pruning fruit trees during the growing season, and how to control the size of trees. University of California Cooperative Extension Master Gardeners will also discuss fruit bush culture, a practice that allows numerous fruit trees to be planted in a very limited space.

For more information, call 666-8143.

# DENSITY

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which extends from Dutton to Walnut Lane is slated to become a park shortly thereafter.

“I like this project,” said Tramontana. “I always said it would be really nice to have a project where the houses faced the outside and the back doors opened into the play area. You can look right out into the kid area.”

“The eyes of the community will be on the community,” agreed McGuire. “It creates a better environment.”

CEO of Pacific West Communities (the project’s developer) Caleb Roope gave a PowerPoint presentation outlining the company’s historically dedicated past as well as their specific plans for the property. They will work alongside the Central Valley Coalition for Affordable Housing, which will own the site, preserving its quality and providing long-term social and supportive services.

“What about the trees on that side of Railroad (Avenue),” said community member Dianne Beaton. “There are beautiful trees that go nearly all the way to Madison. They are a signature of Winters and they sort of usher you into town.”

Roope pointed out that the aforementioned trees are located in the public right-of-way, meaning their removal is completely up to the City.

“Our plans would not require for those trees to be taken out,” he said.

“Put the City on notice that I’d like those trees to stay there,” responded Beaton. “They’re our signature.”

No action was taken at this time. Plans will continue and the project will return in the near future.

### Food Mart

The Food Mart is located on Grant Street, next to Round Table Pizza and Subway. It is currently owned by Nicholas Herrera. Hopeful LLC is currently in talks with Herrera about acquiring the property. The item went before the Planning Commission for the approval of a conditional-use permit having to do with the sale of spirits and hard liquor at the location. Food Mart currently sells beer and wine, but does not carry hard liquor.

“We plan to be a part of the community,” said a representative of Hopeful LLC. “We own multiple stores in Woodland. We’re not outsiders.”

The motion was clearly presented and carried unanimously with minimal questioning from the Planning Commission.

### Valadez property

The ease with which the previous item was presented, understood and decided upon was starkly contrasted by the following agenda item, which had to do with a rezoning of the Valadez property. The discussion was loaded with misunderstandings and distracting non-sequiturs that clouded the City Hall chambers for over an hour, with no decision

ultimately made.

The property, which is bisected by the currently incomplete Apricot Avenue, is actually two parcels, both of which are owned by Mr. Valadez. The parcel up for discussion is the smaller of the two, which is 1.42 acres. It is currently designated by the City as Parks and Recreation, whereas the larger portion is designated as Residential. Their goal at the meeting was have the 1.42-acre portion changed to Residential as well, so that the entire Valadez property would have the same designation.

The issue was complicated by constant references to the adjacent cemetery’s “interest” in purchasing the property at a later date.”

A curious Commissioner Tramontana asked, so why change the zoning if they’re just going to buy it? Let them buy it as it is, right? And then they can have it changed as need be?

The cemetery’s potential influence hung heavily in the background and was mentioned repeatedly by both the Commission and Mr. Valadez’ lawyer.

Also distracting the issue was the type of residential classification most appropriate for the property rezoned property. R-1 calls for 7,000-square-foot lots, whereas R-2 calls for 6,000 square feet.

Although Mr. Valadez said in the most simple of terms that he doesn’t care whether the property is R-1 or R-2, the designation was heavily

discussed anyways due to a set of miscommunications having to do with residential zoning.

Also brought up was the possibility that the property was changed to Parks and Recreation by the City in 1992 without properly notifying the landowner, Mr. Valadez’ father. Valadez’ father only spoke Spanish and records do not indicate that he partook in the decision to change the designation.

Commissioner Pierre Neu ultimately decided that more information and clarification would be needed before the Planning Commission could make an appropriate decision. The Commission voted 4-1 to table the item, with Commissioner Wade Cowan voting against and Commissioners Corinne Martinez and Albert Vallecillo absent.

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# TOMATO

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the names alone entice us to buy them, but we also know how good they taste.

Taste is the main thing, and Capay Valley Organics, with Slow Food Yolo, is holding An Heirloom Tomato Tasting and Gala, on

July 26. The tasting will be held at the farm of Thaddeus Barsotti and his brothers, and will be followed by a tomato themed feast prepared by Chef Jaymes Luu, who has one of the better palettes in Yolo County and who catered Thaddeus and Moyra Barsotti’s wedding reception earlier this year. A silent auction,

and Blue Grass will round out the event which commemorates the life and accomplishments of organic pioneer Kathleen Barsotti. The silent auction will raise funds for the Kathleen Barsotti Non-Profit for Sustainable Agriculture, which will go to assisting farm labor and other important concerns.



# MAYORS

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“Woody is not the biggest proponent of development,” he continued. “But he approved over 511 residential units for the city.”

“How many were built?” inquired Councilmember Tom Stone.

“In contrast, we didn’t build any of them,” responded Donlevy laughing.

“Woody’s legacy as Mayor has laid the foundation for many great projects, many of which will start as early as next month. The new li-

brary will realize over ten years worth of work, the car bridge will finish environmental work this year and the public safety center will come.”

Also very close to Fridae’s heart was the inaugural Winters EARTH project, which aimed to focus the community on climate change and environmental awareness. The goal is to make it an annual festival.

According to Donlevy, one of Fridae’s driving principles was the idea that the city council should “be hard on the issue, but soft on the people.”

Fridae responded not by concurring with the given compliments, but by attributing them to his deep love and respect for the city of Winters and its residents.

“If you live in Winters, you either came back to the place you were born, or you found out

about Winters and have an absolute passion about living here.

“We (the Council) absolutely love and care for this town. We’re passionate about our concerns so we do the best job we can. It has been an absolute honor.”

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# Entertainment

## Car show planned at Dixon Fair

Dozens of classic cars, including a 1929 Ford Roadster, a 1950 Cadillac and a 1970 El Camino, will compete for top honors at the first-ever Fourth of July celebration sponsored by the Friends of the Dixon May Fair.

The all-day celebration, set from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m., Friday, July 4 on the Dixon fairgrounds at 655 South First Street, will benefit youth groups and service clubs.

The car show will include up to 10 classes, said coordinator George A. Allen III of Silver Lining Consulting, Dixon. The classes currently include custom, muscle car, rod, soft tail, stock, street machine, truck, and under construction.

Prizes will be awarded for best paint, best interior, best engine, best in class, best in show and viewers' choice, Allen said.

"People can register their cars up to 11 a.m. on the Fourth of July," he said. Cars will begin rolling in at 7 a.m., with judging scheduled from noon to 3 p.m.

For more information about the car show, contact Allen, 707-301-5808.



Courtesy photo

Krista Blandin and Burt Masem star as Ariel and Ferdinand in Winters Shakespeare Workshop's production of "The Tempest," which will be staged in Winters Community Park on July 17 and 18 at 8 p.m.

## 'The Tempest' takes Winters

A shipwreck, magical spells, Tahitian dancing and true love are coming to the City Park stage in Winters Shakespeare Workshop's production of "The Tempest," July 17 and 18, at 8 p.m.

This production of "The Tempest," directed by Russell St. Clair, is set in Tahiti, with original music by Laura

Sandage. In the play, Krista Blandin as Ariel, an airy spirit, discovers shipwrecked Prince Ferdinand, played by Burt Masem. Participating teen actors are learning Tahitian dances taught by Winters' teacher of Polynesian dance and culture, Michelle Drumright, who is choreographing the show.

The audience is advised to bring a lawn chair or blanket. Admission is free and refreshments will be offered for sale.

For more information, call 795-3476. Winters Shakespeare Workshop is a summer youth enrichment program of the Winters Friends of the Library and is open to all teens ages 13-19.

## 'Sound of Music' will open Music Circus

The sweet sounds of music will return to Sacramento beginning Saturday, July 5 when California Musical Theatre presents "The Sound of Music" as the first show in this season's Music Circus season at the Wells Fargo Pavilion.

Inspired by the true story of Catholic postulant Maria Rainer, "The Sound of Music" is a favorite among Sacramento audiences with its memorable Rogers and Hammerstein musical numbers, including "My Favorite Things," "Do Re Mi," "Climb Ev'ry Mountain," "Edelweiss" and of course the title tune "The Sound of Music."

"The Sound of Music" will close on Sunday, July 13. Discounted tickets are available for children 4 to 11, sponsored by Raley's and Bel Air. Good seats are still available especially on Saturday and Sunday evening.

The 2008 Music Circus season continues with,

"Gypsy" (July 15-20), "Sweeney Todd" (July 22-27), "Swing!" (July 29-August 3), "My Fair Lady" (August 5-10), "Evita" (August 12-17) and "Hairspray" (August 19-28).

Performances are Tuesday through Saturday at 8 p.m., Sunday at 7:30 p.m. and Thursday and Saturday at 2 p.m.

Tickets for all Music Circus shows are \$51 for Friday and Saturday evenings, \$49 for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Sunday evenings and Saturday matinees, and \$39 for Thursday matinees. "The Sound of Music" tickets are \$15 off for children 4-11. Children under 4 will not be admitted.

Tickets are currently on sale at the Wells Fargo Pavilion at 1419 H Street, Sacramento, or by phone, 916-557-1999. Tickets are also available on line at [www.SacramentoMusicCircus.com](http://www.SacramentoMusicCircus.com) or by calling 1-800-225-2277. For groups of 12 or more call 1-916-557-1198.

## Concerts at the gazebo start this week

Winters Friends of the Library invites the community to enjoy a series of free outdoor concerts on Thursday evenings in July. The series will kick off on July 3 with a double bill, featuring Grace Country and Los Alegres de Jalisco.

Grace Country, based in Davis and Winters, will play bluegrass and country-style gospel, on guitar, mandolin, banjo, dobro, and stand-up bass. They have been playing and singing together for ten years.

Los Alegres de Jalisco will perform norteno-style cumbias and rancheras, with a syncopated polka beat. Based in Winters and Dixon, the group features guitars, violin, vihuela, accordion, bass, and sometimes tuba. The musicians have played together, mainly for fun, with changing personnel, for several years. They were a big hit at their 2005 performance at the gazebo.

The free outdoor con-

cert, sponsored by Winters Friends of the Library, will run from 7-8:30 p.m. at the Rotary Park Gazebo, on Main Street at Railroad Avenue in Winters. Pizza, ice cream, and soft drinks will be available. All proceeds benefit the Winters Library.

The series will continue on July 10 with Rowdy Kate playing honkytonk and Mexican corridos; on July 17 with The Poplolllys playing country, Americana and folk; on July 24 with Charles "Little Charlie" Baty, Bob Armstrong, and Keith Cary playing Hot Club-style gypsy jazz a la Django Reinhardt; and finishes up on July 31 with Hardwater playing rock, pop, and blues originals and covers.

The concerts are free; donations to benefit the library will be gratefully accepted.

For more information call Keith or Diane Cary at 795-3173 or email [kcary@dcn.org](mailto:kcary@dcn.org).



Courtesy photo

Grace Country will play a unique blend of country, bluegrass, and gospel at the gazebo this Thursday, in a special double-bill show.

## 'Greatest Generation' exhibit opens at Vacaville gallery

Vacaville resident Sascha Weinzheimer-Jensen who was featured in the PBS Series "The War" will be the special guest at the opening reception of the Vacaville Art League and Gallery's "Life in the '40s: America's Greatest Generation." The exhibition will run July 19 to Aug. 29,

with an opening reception on Saturday, July 19, from 6-9 p.m., which is open to the public.

Gallery hours are Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from noon to 4 p.m., Wednesdays from noon to 7 p.m. and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Admission is free.



### Coming up

- July 12: Michael Martin Murphy
- July 17: Rory Block
- July 20: Raul Malo
- July 25: The House Jacks

See the rest of our schedule online at [palmsplayhouse.com](http://palmsplayhouse.com)



# Sports



Varsity football head coach Daniel Ward walks through the new weight room, overseeing summer workouts.

## Iron Warriors hit the weights

By ERIC LUCERO  
Express sports

Over 60 players a day take advantage of the Winters High School's new weight room located where the old wood shop used to be. Coach

Daniel Ward opens the doors twice a day, three days a week. JV players lift from 3-5 p.m. on Monday, Thursday and Friday, while the varsity players follow from 5-7 p.m.

"This is very encouraging and exciting," said Ward. "The kids are dedicated to the summer workouts and are taking advantage of the new weight room. It would have been very difficult to do this in the old weight room in the gym."

The old weight room was actually a storage closet in the gymnasium and the weights had to be moved in and out of the gym for the students to lift. In the new weight room there are stations and there is plenty of room even though it does get pretty crowded when the JV players show up.

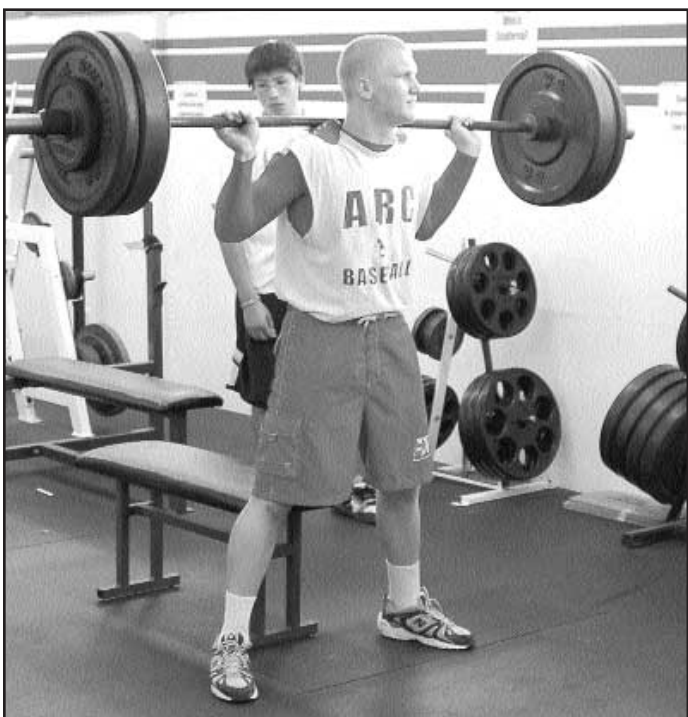
"We probably average about 30-40 JV players," Ward stated. "I think that success breeds success. Last year, the JV team had a great season. We won the championship with a 9-1 record and I think that more students want to be a part of that and start building a tra-

dition."

Ward continued, "We just need to carry that attitude over to the varsity and realize that its' going to take even more work to be successful at that level. To be successful at the varsity level you have to work year around."

The varsity team started with about 18 players showing up to workout sessions in the weight room and now the numbers are starting to grow as well.

Starting next week, coach Ward will chose an Iron Warrior of the Week. "I want to recognize an individual that is putting in the extra time to better himself and his team," said Ward. "Someone that does just a little bit more or someone that continually is encouraging his teammates to do a little bit more."



Senior Jesse Hellinger, right, works on squats while freshman Kyle Nichols, left, looks on.

## Lake Berryessa offers summer recreation

While several of the resorts at Lake Berryessa are going through a transition to new owners, the Lake Berryessa Chamber of Commerce wants the public to know that the lake is still open for business.

"Lake Berryessa has been a place that families have enjoyed for 50 years" said Peter Kilkus, Chamber President, "and we want the public to be assured that everything that has drawn millions of visitors in the past is still here."

Overseen by the Bureau of Reclamation, Lake Berryessa offers free public day-use facilities at Oak Shores Park and Smittle Creek Park as well as a free public boat launch at Capell Cove. In addition, the resorts still open offer camping, boat and jet ski rentals, and other services.

"We are also excited

about the revitalized Spanish Flat Village Center that now offers two restaurants and the new Country Store and Deli, as well as other businesses" said Kilkus. To learn more about Lake Berryessa and what it offers, visit the Berryessa Chamber website, [www.lakeberryessachamber.com](http://www.lakeberryessachamber.com).

## Gamblers take two from Napa

By ERIC LUCERO  
Express sports

The Tri-County Gamblers won two out of three games last weekend against the Napa Sheriffs to improve to 16-3 over all and 12-3 in the North Bay League. On Saturday, June 28, the Gamblers played in Napa and lost their first game of the weekend with ace pitcher Chris Cole taking the loss. The Gamblers lost 6-5 with Cole giving up six runs in the first three innings. Will Enos threw the last four innings for the Gamblers. "We didn't play very good defense," said coach Jerry Smith.

At the plate Ray McIntire led the Gamblers batting 2 for 3 with a double. Derek Carothers batted 2 for 4 with a double and two RBI. Alex Galvan batted 1 for 2 with a homerun and a RBI. Cole went 1 for 3 with a double and an RBI. Matt Vedo batted 1 for 3 with a RBI and Kevin Rowell batted 1 for 3 for the Gamblers.

In game two of the day the Gamblers turned things around offensively despite more sloppy play on defense as they totaled five errors in the game. Offensively though Tri-County figured out how to score nine runs on sev-

en hits as they went on to win 9-2. Rowell picked up the win with the help of Bryan Case behind the plate.

Will Clark led the team in hitting as he went 2 for 2 with a double. John Cummings batted 1 for 3 with a home run and a RBI. Cole batted 1 for 3 with a grand slam and five RBI. Enos batted 1 for 3, Case was 1 for 4, while Kyle Tobler batted 1 for 5.

On Sunday, June 29, the Gamblers played a single game against the Sheriffs in Winters and pulled out an 8-6 victory. Vedo and Carothers combined for the victory with Vedo getting the win after throwing the first six innings. Carothers picked up the save throwing the last inning. This game was tied at six until Kaplan Smith drove in two runs with a double to put the Gamblers on top in the bottom of the sixth inning.

Smith went 1 for 2 with a double and two RBI to lead the Gamblers at the plate. McIntire and Carothers both went 1 for 2 with an RBI. Enos was 1 for 2. Cole went 1 for 3 with an RBI. Rowell batted 1 for 3. Mitchell Barsotti went 1 for 4 with an RBI, while Stephen Carmack had a sacrifice fly RBI for the Gamblers.

## Two picked for East West Classic

By ERIC LUCERO  
Express sports

Former Winters High School seniors Ramon Bermudez and David Hill have been chosen to play in the annual East West all star foot-

ball game in Napa. Both players were Butte View All League players last year. Bermudez was the Warriors Defensive MVP, while Hill was given the John Kammerer Award.

## PISANI'S ATHLETE OF THE WEEK



### Tony Brevor

Tony Brevor, a sophomore on the Winters High School football team, is this week's athlete of the week. Brevor has been a great example of what coach Daniel Ward is looking for during the summer work outs.

"Tony continues to work hard and push himself," said Ward. "Not only is he committed to his workouts, he has been participating in the passing league with the varsity and is standing out there as well."

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# Arboretum hosts July events

~ Tour the Storer Garden at the UC Davis Arboretum on Sunday, July 6, and learn how to add year-round color and interest to your home landscape with Arboretum All-Stars — great plants for Central Valley gardens. Docent Ramona Cramer will discuss the principles of Valley-wise gardening to save water and energy, support pollinators, and reduce pollution. The tour will start at 10 a.m. at the Gazebo, on Garrod Drive on the UC Davis campus. There is no charge for the tour, and free parking is available in Visitor Lot 55. For more information, call 752-4880 or visit [arboretum.ucdavis.edu](http://arboretum.ucdavis.edu).

~ Join Arboretum Superintendent Warren Roberts for a lunchtime stroll in the UC Davis Arboretum on Wednesday, July 9. Enjoy the midsummer flowers, learn about the Arboretum's collections, and get a little exercise. Meet at noon at the Gazebo, on Garrod Drive on the UC Davis campus. There is no charge for the tour. Parking is available for \$6 in Visitor Lot 55. For more information, call 752-4880 or visit [arboretum.ucdavis.edu](http://arboretum.ucdavis.edu).

~ Learn about the complex and fascinating ecosystem of the redwood forest on a free guided tour at the UC Davis Arboretum on Saturday, July 12. This walk will provide a brief introduction to the ecology and history of the coast redwood, the most common animals and plants found with the redwoods, and the small trees and other plants that grow high up in the redwoods themselves. Docent Bev Watros will lead the tour, which will meet at 10 a.m. at the Buehler Alumni and Visitors Center, located on Old Davis Road at Mrak Hall Drive, across from the Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts on

the UC Davis campus. There is no charge for the tour and free parking is available in Visitor Lots 1 and 2 and the Mondavi Center parking structure. For more information, call 752-4880 or visit [arboretum.ucdavis.edu](http://arboretum.ucdavis.edu).

~ There's a lot more to gardening than just sticking plants in the ground. The combination and arrangement of color, form and texture make the difference. Docent Pat Murray will lead a free guided tour of the demonstration gardens of the UC Davis Arboretum on Sunday, July 20, and discuss how to create a garden with year-round color and interest. The tour will start at 10 a.m. at the Gazebo, on Garrod Drive on the UC Davis campus. There is no charge for the tour, and free parking is available in Visitor Lot 55. For more information, call 752-4880 or visit [arboretum.ucdavis.edu](http://arboretum.ucdavis.edu).

~ Home gardeners can tune in and hear UC Davis Arboretum Superintendent Warren Roberts chatting with host Fred Hoffman on the popular radio gardening show "Get Growing with Farmer Fred" on Sunday, July 20 at 11:05 a.m. on KSTE, 650 AM. Warren will discuss plants that are blooming now in the Arboretum and upcoming special events. For more information, call 752-4880 or visit [arboretum.ucdavis.edu](http://arboretum.ucdavis.edu).

~ Folk musicians are invited to play together informally during an acoustic jam session on Friday, July 25, 12-1 p.m. at the Wyatt Deck, located on Old Davis Road next to the redwood grove in the UC Davis Arboretum. Pull out your fiddles, guitars, mandolins, penny whistles, pipes, flutes, squeezeboxes (you name it) and join your fellow musicians for a little bluegrass, old-time, blues, Celtic, klezmer, and world mu-

sic over the lunch hour. All skill levels welcome. Listeners welcome! Parking is available for \$6 in Visitor Lot 5, at Old Davis Road and A Street. For more information, call 752-4880 or visit [arboretum.ucdavis.edu](http://arboretum.ucdavis.edu).

~ California's Central Valley has a Mediterranean-type climate, with hot, dry summers and cool, wet winters. Traditional gardens in Mediterranean-climate areas use time-honored techniques to reduce water use and create a cool retreat. Docent Lois Crowe will discuss Mediterranean-style gardening on a free public tour of the UC Davis Arboretum Terrace Garden on Saturday, July 26, at 10 a.m. Learn about using patios, seating walls, and paved paths, shade structures such as arbors, pergolas, and gazebos, container gardens, and water features such as fountains and pools to encourage outdoor living, lower ambient temperature, increase the sense of comfort, and reduce the area of irrigated garden. The Arboretum Terrace, a home demonstration garden for California's Central Valley, is located next to Borders Books and Music, in the Davis Commons retail center at First and D Streets in Davis. There is no charge for the tour and free parking is available behind the retail center. For more information, call 752-4880 or visit [arboretum.ucdavis.edu](http://arboretum.ucdavis.edu).

## Hey, batter!



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The 2008 Winters Warriors JV softball team included, from left, (front) Elvira Lemus, Sydney Stewart, Ashley Hoekwater, Maci Lloyd and Tyler Pearce; (back) assistant coach Sherri Corrales, Katie Clark, Anna Campos, Courtney Corrales, Olivia Manas and head coach Ada Lake. (Not pictured is Zulema Mora.)

## Rabies vaccine in short supply

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announced last week that two human rabies vaccine manufacturers, Novartis Vaccines and Sanofi Pasteur, have limited supplies of human rabies vaccine, which creates the need for judicious use of these products by health care providers.

People bitten or scratched by a wild or domestic animal should contact the Health Department or Animal Services.

Yolo County Environmental Health can be contacted at 666-8646 during business hours, or for evenings and weekends 666-8900.

## LAWS

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A: No. Drivers under the age of 18 may not use a wireless telephone, pager, laptop or any other electronic communication or mobile services device to speak or text while driving in any manner, even hands free. Exception: Permitted in emergency situations to call police, fire or medical authorities. (VC 23124).

Q: Why is the law stricter for provisional drivers?

A: Statistics show that teen drivers are more likely than older drivers to be involved in crashes because they lack driving experience and tend to take greater risks. Teen drivers are vulnerable to driving distractions such as talking with passengers, eating or drinking, and talking or texting on wireless phones, which increase the chance of getting involved in serious vehicle crashes.

Q: Can my parents give me permission to allow me to use my wireless telephone while driving?

A: No. The only exception is an emergency situation that requires you to call a law enforcement agency, a health care provider, the fire department or other emergency agency entity.

Q: Does the law apply to

me if I'm an emancipated minor?

A: Yes. The restriction applies to all licensed drivers who are under the age of 18.

Q: If I have my parent(s) or someone age 25 years or older in the car with me, may I use my wireless telephone while driving?

A: No. You may only use your wireless telephone in an emergency situation.

Q: Will the restriction appear on my provisional license?

A: No.

Q: May I use the hands-free feature while driving if my car has the feature built in?

A: No. The law prohibits anyone under the age of 18 from using any type of wireless device while driving, except in an emergency situation.

Q: Can a law enforcement officer stop me for using my hands-free device while driving?

A: No. For drivers under the age of 18, this is considered a secondary violation meaning that a law enforcement officer may cite you for using a hands-free wireless phone if you were pulled over for another violation. However, the prohibition against using a handheld wireless telephone while driving is a primary violation for which a law enforcement officer can pull you over.



# Schools



**LAST WEEK, I LEFT OFF ON** Thursday, but looking back I realized that there were other experiences that had happened earlier that week that I had left out. The week was full of great experiences, but I couldn't believe that I forgot to put this one in last week's column!

On Monday, our guest speaker was a man named Lain. He was one of the camp directors and we had at least four sessions with him throughout the week. Monday was our second session with Lain, and our first in the big stone amphitheater where all of our sessions would be held that week. After listening to him speak, Lain concluded his session by saying that he was very excited because we were about to do something that hadn't been done before at Camp Royal. With that, he started to explain the Helping Hands Project.

This project makes basic prosthetic hands and delivers the hands to people in need in third-world countries. I had heard of the project through our local Rotary club, and the idea of being involved with such an amazing project overwhelmed me. We found out that we were all going to be able to assemble one of these prosthetic hands, and decorate the box that it would be delivered in. We all anxiously found our building partners and headed off to the eating platform, where we would assemble the hands.

Though it was difficult in parts, assembling the hand was fairly easy. It was very cool to be able to build something with your own two hands that would someday change the life of someone who only had one. After building the hand, we wrote a note and decorated a wooden box that would deliver the two. After everyone had assembled their hands, we put all the brightly decorated boxes together, and everyone walked away feeling very accomplished.

On Tuesday, during our afternoon session, we talked about superheroes. Lain brought the idea that all leaders are superheroes, and with being a superhero, there are certain things that come along with it. Every superhero has a quest, a special power that they are either born with, given by a random act, or are given through technology. Every superhero also has a villain, a kryptonite (weakness), and choices to make. Following this extended metaphor, we all created superhero costumes, with names based on our quests. After getting into costumes, we learned how to fly. This reminded me of the classic trust exercise where you fall into a partner's arms. The superhero would stand on a stool four or five feet off of the ground, and after stating name and cause, would jump off the stool to land on a mat that was being held by ten fellow superheroes. Since it was only the second day, this activity built quick trust in the other campers, and also contributed to build strong friendships.

I'd now like to fast forward to Friday, which was our last day at camp. On our schedule, it said that we would be spending our morning doing something called breakthroughs. At first I thought we would just be discussing what we had learned at camp this week; I wasn't expecting for the activity to be so literal! During our final session together, we were each given a square foot of plywood that was at least an inch thick.

Armed with our plywood and a handful of sharpies, we were asked to write on one side all of our goals and aspirations, and on the other side the challenges that were holding us back from reaching those goals. For a half hour 150 teenagers sat in complete and total silence (very rare I know!) as we emptied ourselves onto our square of plywood. After we had filled the wood with words and pictures, Lain and the counselors explained what we were going to do next. Together, we practiced the strategy that we would use to break our boards, with our bare hands.

I was really concerned that I wasn't going to be able to break that solid looking board, and looking around me I knew I wasn't the only one. One at a time, we handed our boards to the counselors, who held the board with our challenges facing us so that we could break through the challenges to reach our goals. When it was my turn, I was feeling very calm. I took a look at the board and knew that I was going to be able to break my board. All it took was my hand, and my board was broken in two. It was very symbolic and a great way to end the week.

Once again, I would like to extend my thanks to the Winters Rotary Club. This experience was absolutely amazing. When describing this experience to my friends, Camp Royal always seems to come off as a bunch of teenagers meditating, listening to lectures, and crying. It wasn't like that at all, and I hope I was able to give an accurate representation of what actually happened. If anyone has any questions about Camp Royal I would be more than happy to talk to them about it; as you can see, I have a lot to say about my week at Camp Royal!

## State fair livestock entry deadlines announced

The California Exposition & State Fair recently announced entry deadline dates for Open and Junior livestock shows for the 2008 California State Fair.

The registration deadline dates for on-line and mail entries for all Junior Livestock en-

tries is Friday, July 11. The deadline for all Open Livestock entries is Friday, July 18. Open and Junior livestock competitions include: beef, sheep, swine, meat goats, dairy cattle, dairy goats, pygmy goats, Nigerian dwarf goats, Angora goats,

boer goats and llamas.

Competition handbooks and entry forms are only available online. To register online, visit the California State Fair Web site at [www.bigfun.org](http://www.bigfun.org). Printable versions of the junior and open livestock entry forms are also

available online.

For more information on registration deadline dates, or the California State Fair in general, visit [www.bigfun.org](http://www.bigfun.org).

The 2008 California State Fair will be held Aug. 15 to Sept. 1 at Ca Expo in Sacramento.

## UC Davis celebrates centennial birthday at state fair

The University of California, Davis, will kick off its centennial celebration this summer at the California State Fair in Sacramento, filling a 6,000-square-foot pavilion with an exhibition titled "Dream Big."

It will showcase the campus's development from farm school to a dynamic university for the arts and sciences, recognized worldwide for education and research in agriculture, health care, the environment, alternative energy and global understanding.

"It will tell the story of a university that has evolved from 18 students to 30,000 today," said Assistant Vice Chancellor Bob Segar, who leads the centennial planning team.

The state fair runs at Cal Expo from Aug. 15 through Labor Day, Sept. 1, and the UC Davis Centennial celebration continues the next month on the Davis campus with a Fall Festival chock-full of events open to the public.

In the university's first 100 years, nearly 200,000 men and women have become UC Davis alumni—100 of whom will be featured in photos at the state fair exhibition. The centennial display will show the university's great diversity, and fairgoers will be able to spin the photos around to read short biographies of the alumni's many career paths and accomplishments.

The exhibition will tell more of the UC Davis story through artifacts from university collections (artwork and a 1908 graduation dress, for example), and via fun, hands-on exhibits (like a biodigester).

"We hope people will walk out of there and say, 'Wow, I didn't know UC Davis did all that,' " Segar said.

On campus, the centennial celebration begins in earnest with the chancellor's Fall Convocation. At this year's address, Wednesday, Sept. 24, Vanderhoef plans to announce the

Centennial Year of Service, during which members of the campus community will be encouraged to participate in service projects that are meaningful to them.

Then, mark your calendars for the Fall Festival, Friday through Wednesday, Oct. 10-15, celebrating UC Davis old and new; alumni, athletics and the arts; and the campus's connection to the community of Davis.

The Fall Festival will begin with the public opening and dedication, on Friday, Oct. 10, of the Robert Mondavi Institute for Wine and Food Science at the campus' south entry.

"You won't recognize the entry to campus when you come in during the centennial year," Segar said. Acres of vineyards will spread between Interstate 80 and the wine and food institute.

The first of two Fall Festival events at the Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts is set for 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 10. In the center's Distinguished Speakers Series, Jeffrey Toobin, CNN legal analyst and a staff writer for The New Yorker, will address the topic "One Hundred Years: A Look Inside the Supreme Court," including key moments involving UC Davis.

Saturday, Oct. 11, features the Golden Society Brunch for alumni who graduated 50 years ago or earlier, and then the homecoming football game against Southern Utah under the lights in the new Aggie Stadium.

The Fall Festival moves into downtown Davis on Sunday, Oct. 12, for a street fair and birthday party thrown by the Davis Chamber of Commerce and the city of Davis. "Celebrate UC Davis" is scheduled from noon to 4 p.m. along Third Street. Look for something very special at Third and C streets: 100 birthday cakes at the Farmers Market Pavilion at Central Park.

At 3 p.m. that same day at the Mondavi Cen-

ter, the festival continues with the award-winning dance company Instituto Mazatlan Bellas Artes de Sacramento, presenting Corazon de Mexico, described as "a visual fairytale with vivid characters in lavishly colorful costumes flowing from one folk dance to the next in a single choreographic symphony."

The Fall Festival concludes Wednesday, Oct. 15, on the Quad, with side-by-side showcases on the east and west halves:

~ The Davis Chamber of Commerce's Day on the Quad, where city businesses introduce themselves to the student community. This annual event becomes more significant in UC Davis' centennial year because of the nascent chamber's role in convincing the state to pick Davis as the site of the University Farm in 1906.

~ The annual Activities Fair, where more than 150 student organizations promote themselves at the start of the new academic year.

The center of the Quad will be the center of attention at noon Oct. 15, with the unveiling of the Centennial Walk—a reconstructed path, 12-foot wide (twice as wide as what is there now).

"Anybody who has an association with UC Davis really values the Quad," Segar said, "and this is a chance to add quality to this well-loved place."

By launching the centennial celebration at

the state fair, the university is literally going back to its roots. During the 1899 state fair, Peter J. Shields, then secretary of the California State Agricultural Society, engaged in a conversation about the dairy industry—and that conversation led to his dream of founding an agriculture school.

With a charter faculty of 16 regular instructors from UC Berkeley's College of Agriculture and 12 nonresident instructors, UC Davis launched a century of contributions to state, national and global agricultural progress.

The first residential class, in January 1909, numbered 18—all men, because North Hall had been designed as a men-only dormitory. (North Hall is still standing, now a home for a variety of student services; it is next to South Hall, built in 1912 as a dorm and since converted to student services, too.)

Fast forward a century to this fall: the Centennial Class that arrives on campus in September will number about 5,000, compared with the 109 men and women who attended the first courses in fall 1908 and arranged for room and board in town.

For the latest centennial news and an up-to-date calendar of events, go to <http://centennial.uc-davis.edu>.



# Features

## Head lice can destroy all domestic tranquility

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Will you please tell me about head lice? My granddaughter has them and passed them to her mother. They are devastated, since they bathe every day and shampoo, too. How do you get them? How do you get rid of them? — K.H.

ANSWER: Nothing destroys the peace of a home more than discovering a child has head lice. They're not evidence of poor hygiene or lax housekeeping. They usually don't cause serious illnesses. They're a nuisance. Outbreaks of lice happen every year when children go back to school.

Lice are transmitted from one head to another through direct contact or by sharing hats, combs, brushes or earphones. They cause itching and, most often, nothing more. Lice eggs are glued to the shafts of hairs and look like oval pinheads. They're called nits.

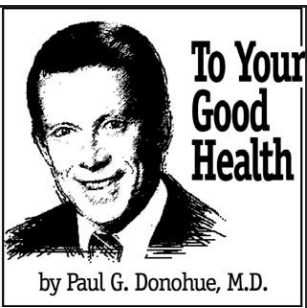
Permethrin can almost always eliminate lice. One brand name is Nix. Follow directions on its application. If over-the-counter permethrin doesn't work, a stronger version, the 5 percent product, is available by prescription. Its brand name is Elimite. Other products also work.

Combing the hair with a fine-toothed comb dislodges the nits. Those combs are part of the kit that comes with the medicine.

Mothers don't have to shift into overdrive to de-louse the home. A louse lives only a few days off the head. It's only necessary to vacuum the carpets and furniture. Wash in hot water all clothing and bedding that has come in contact with the head, and dry them on high heat in the dryer. Soak combs and brushes for an hour in rubbing alcohol or Lysol, or wash them in hot water whose temperature is 130 F (55 C).

Lice do not live on pets. Pets don't need any treatment.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Suddenly I was stricken with unbelievable dizziness. It has waylaid me. I can hardly walk 10 steps without having to hang on to something or someone.



The ear, nose and throat doctor says I have labyrinthitis. How long will it last? — T.D.

ANSWER: The labyrinth is part of the inner ear, and the inner ear contains our balance organ. Inflammation of the labyrinth — labyrinthitis — not only makes people dizzy and unsteady, but it leaves them sick to their stomach and often having to contend with bouts of vomiting. It's seasickness in the extreme.

Quite often, the inflammation comes from a viral infection.

The first few days are the worst. Then the dizziness begins to subside. It can take several weeks before you get your balance back, and full recovery returns in one to three months.

If you can get by without medicines, fine. Too much dependence of medicine slows the brain's return to equilibrium. People who are severely nauseated and are vomiting need medicines to control those consequences of labyrinthitis.

Dizziness is a common complaint of older people. The booklet on that topic explains its many causes and treatments. Readers can order a copy by writing: Dr. Donohue — No. 801W, Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475. Enclose a check or money order (no cash) for \$4.75 U.S./\$6 Canada with the recipient's printed name and address. Please allow four weeks for delivery.

Dr. Donohue regrets that he is unable to answer individual letters, but he will incorporate them in his column whenever possible. Readers may write him or request an order form of available health newsletters at P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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## The beauty in growing and fading

In English, we call it "still life." The Italian translates as "dead nature." Comparatively, "still life" sounds a little anemic. The phrase lacks the gripping quality of things that are dead. I love oil paintings showing overflowing tables of seasonal fruit and vegetables with a glass-eyed fish, chicken or hare in the foreground, demonstrating the extravagant provisions of a household. And also demonstrating the ability of the artist to render dead things beautiful.

In 2001 I saw a photographic exhibit titled 'Natura Morta' by Jo Whaley at the San Jose Museum of Art. The photos were a new take on the Renaissance still life masterpieces. They were a mixture of flowers, fruits, laboratory instruments, tools and other man-man objects. But they were not only objects in glowing, glorious perfection. The hydrangeas had withered. The apples had bruises.

Seven years later, I realize that seeing this exhibit has changed my perception of beauty.

One thing has always bothered me about living in this mild climate region of California after growing up in the four seasons zone of Western Pennsylvania. There is always something growing or blooming here. This is unnatural. Plants are meant to die out. There is supposed to be a dead, dry time. Winter is dormant. It is a quiet time of restoration of energy, regrouping, no striving. No growth.

Not here. As soon as you think everything is dead, the paperwhite



MARGARET BURNS

## MIDNIGHT OIL

narcissus appear in December. Iris bloom in January. We have a five foot tall, 30 year old lipstick-red geranium that blooms nine months of the year. It is wonderful, but I want down time.

I want a dying time. To fulfill that need, I quit planting sequential plants. At my house, a plant gets in the ground, stays there, blooms, dies and waits for the right season to come back on line. However, I don't argue with success. The geranium was here before we arrived and if a plant has found its niche, it stays.

My new planting scheme is a lot more comfortable. Cold winds of winter blow from the north and I hibernate. Huddle under a pink pashmina shawl and feel sheltered. Don't have to try to do anything outside. No striving.

Then I extended this love of decay and death to fresh flowers. It happened by accident at my studio. Cardena's Gardening Service had pruned the roses from the Victorian house across the street and lovely yellow buds were lying in the street. I picked up two and put them in water on my desk. They opened. The water slowly evaporated. Time passed. They grew dry and papery—a different form of beauty. The minute veins of the golden petals were exquisite

whether fleshy or dead.

I started keeping cut flowers on exhibit through their fading phases. As I write, I have one stalk of white amaryllis in a vase on my kitchen counter. This started as the bulb that you get as a gift at Christmas time and turns into 8-inch diameter blossoms in a few weeks.

There are always three blossoms that open sequentially on one thick stalk. For the past week two white flowers have peered over my chopping block. Golden yellow anthers top the stamens coming from the center of the flower. A single glaucous pistil reaches upward to receive pollen from the anthers. The translucent petals, delicately veined in yellow, thrust outward in a graceful arc.

Now the first flowers have collapsed back on themselves and have a brown rim of decay at their edges. Each day they droop a little more and grow more papery. In the past I would have cut the spent blossoms as soon as they started to fade. Now the third bud has opened and is widening its smile daily. Its beauty is more striking by contrast with the dying blossoms.

Maybe this is life—beauty in growing and fading, not only in youthful perfection



ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Don't be Sheepish about asking questions and demanding answers. You not only gain needed information, but also respect for your steadfast search for the truth.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) A money problem that shows up early in the week is expeditiously resolved by savvy Bovines who know how to turn a momentary financial lapse into a monetary gain.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) It's a good time to shed negative energy-draining forces and develop a positive approach to handling current, as well as upcoming, personal and/or professional situations.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Your urge to do your best on a current task is commendable. But don't let it become all-consuming. Spend some spiritually restorative time with those who love you.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) This could be a good time for all you Leos and Leonas to take your bows for your recent achievements and then go off to enjoy some fun times with your prides and joys.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A negative response to a well-intentioned suggestion could communicate a sense of distrust you might later find hard to refute. Think carefully before reacting.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Your loving attention comforts a family member who is feeling a bit out of sorts. But be careful to prioritize your time so you don't neglect your work duties.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Your curiosity might be resented by some. But those who know you will support your penchant for never settling for less than the truth. So stay with it.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A pesky situation from the past recurs, albeit in an altered form. Deal with it promptly before it can go from merely irksome to decidedly troublesome.

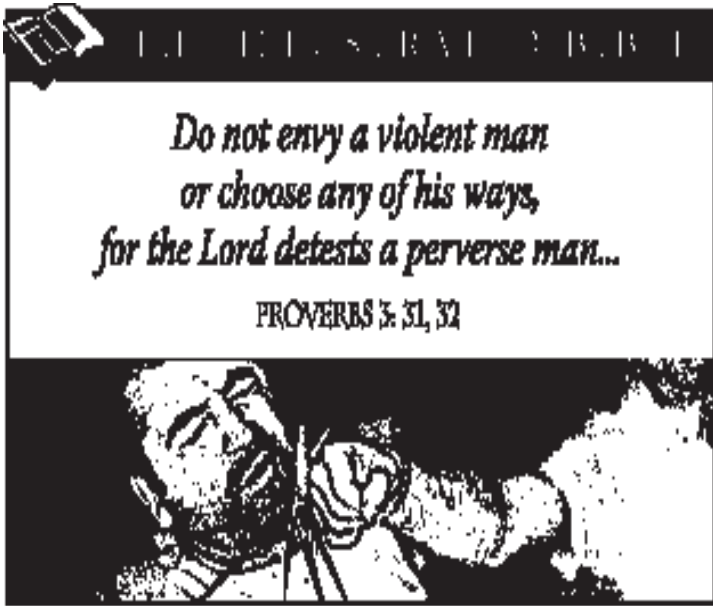
CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Don't wait too long to submit your proposals after giving them a last look-over. If necessary, you should be able to defend any portion called into question.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A bid to use your workplace dispute-settling skills in another situation is tempting. But be careful: You might not have all the facts you'll need if you agree to do it.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) That sense of self-doubt is so untypical of you, you should have no qualms in shaking it off. Remind yourself of all you've done and can do, and then do it again.

BORN THIS WEEK: Your ability to charm others without sacrificing sincerity is what makes people want to follow your leadership.

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## Pleased to meet you



**Name:** Tony Clark  
**Occupation:** Musician  
**Hobby:** Playing with my folk-punk band Stenna and the Poison Apples, at the Irish Pub on Saturday, July 5. Free show.  
**What's best about living in Winters:** "The warm weather and the cool vibes."  
**Fun fact:** George is my favorite Beatle.

"There is nothing wrong with America that cannot be cured by what is right with America."  
-- Bill Clinton



### King Crossword

**ACROSS**

- Crazed
- Hot tub
- Com
- Rhyming tribute
- Water (Fr.)
- Cause of aggravation
- Pouch
- Bar order
- "I" strain?
- Still-life subject, often
- Slave
- Prior to
- Campbell's neighbor
- Roulette bet
- Final
- Lacy blouse attachment
- Foe
- Lam
- Pooch
- Small barrel
- Uncious, possibly
- Final notice?
- Laugh like a horse
- Catrich's kin
- About 5.88 trillion miles
- Roscoe
- Worship
- Actress Farrow
- Peat
- Give a leg up
- Crafty

**DOWN**

- He took two tablets
- Saw
- Interior designer's concern
- Narcissist's obsession
- Lila Noah's animal
- Foretell
- Jeff's pal
- Priestly garment
- Lemieux
- milieu
- Wye follower
- Screw up
- Goes like
- Pond family
- Jargon
- Candle count
- Resistance measure
- Pigs' digs
- Biblical verb suffix
- Composer
- Dallies
- LGA
- alternative
- Hearty brew
- Gnomous
- Stage substitute
- Throw off the track
- Bard's output
- Started
- Adult bug
- Private instructor
- Undo a date
- Salver
- "Car"
- workplace
- "What can for you?"
- Skikun
- Blz elgn abor.

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### HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTING

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

There are six differences between the two panels. Can you find them?

- The man's shirt is different.
- The boy's hat is different.
- The woman's hair is different.
- The man's tie is different.
- The boy's shoes are different.
- The woman's dress is different.

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# Nuestras Noticias



**JUAN FERNANDEZ**  
**EVENTOS Y**  
**COMENTARIOS**  
**HISPANOS**

## La Declaración de Independencia

Cuando en el curso de los acontecimientos humanos se hace necesario para un pueblo disolver los vínculos políticos que lo han ligado a otro y tomar entre las naciones de la tierra el puesto separado e igual a que las leyes de la naturaleza y el Dios de esa naturaleza le dan derecho, un justo respeto al juicio de la humanidad exige que declare las causas que lo impulsan a la separación.

Sostenemos como evidentes estas verdades: que todos los hombres son creados iguales; que son otados por su Creador de ciertos derechos inalienables; que entre éstos están la vida, la libertad y la búsqueda de la felicidad; que para garantizar estos derechos se instituyen entre los hombres los gobiernos, que derivan sus poderes legítimos del consentimiento de los gobernados; que cuando quiera que una forma de gobierno se haga destructora de estos principios, el pueblo tiene el derecho a reformarla o abolirla e instituir un nuevo gobierno que se funde en dichos principios, y a organizar sus poderes en la forma que a su juicio ofrecerá las mayores probabilidades de alcanzar su seguridad y felicidad.

La prudencia, claro está, aconsejará que no se cambie por motivos leves y transitorios gobiernos de antiguo establecidos; y, en efecto, toda la experiencia ha demostrado que la humanidad está más dispuesta a padecer, mientras los males sean tolerables, que a hacerse justicia aboliendo las formas a que está acostumbrada. Pero cuando una larga serie de abusos y usurpaciones, dirigida invariablemente al mismo objetivo, demuestra el designio de someter al pueblo a un despotismo absoluto, es su derecho, es su deber, derrocar ese gobierno y establecer nuevos resguardos para su futura seguridad.

Tal ha sido el paciente sufrimiento de estas colonias; tal es ahora la necesidad que las obliga a reformar su anterior sistema de gobierno. La historia del actual Rey de la Gran Bretaña es una historia de repetidos agravios y usurpaciones, encaminados todos directamente hacia el establecimiento de una tiranía absoluta sobre estos estados. Para probar esto, sometemos los hechos al juicio de un mundo imparcial. (Aquí los colonos exponen Unos 25 agravios concretos de que acusan al monarca británico. Entre otras cosas... se ha negado a dar su asentimiento a las leyes necesarias para el bien público; [nos ha impuesto] “contribuciones sin nuestro consentimiento”, etc.)

En cada etapa de estas opresiones, hemos pedido justicia en los términos más humildes: a nuestras repetidas peticiones se ha contestado solamente con repetidos agravios. Un Príncipe, cuyo carácter está así señalado con cada uno de los actos que pueden definir a un tirano, no es digno de ser el gobernante de un pueblo libre. Tampoco hemos dejado de dirigirnos a nuestros hermanos británicos.

Los hemos prevenido de tiempo en tiempo de las tentativas de su poder legislativo, para englobarnos en una jurisdicción injustificable. Les hemos recordado las circunstancias de nuestra emigración y radicación aquí. Hemos apelado a su innato sentido de justicia y magnanimidad, y los hemos conjurado, por los vínculos de nuestro parentesco, a repudiar esas usurpaciones, las cuales interrumpirían inevitablemente nuestras relaciones y correspondencia. También ellos han sido sordos a la voz de la justicia y de la consanguinidad. Debemos, pues, convenir en la necesidad, que establece nuestra separación y considerarlos, como consideramos a las demás colectividades humanas: enemigos en la guerra, en la paz, amigos.

Por lo tanto, los Representantes de los Estados Unidos de América, convocados en Congreso General, apelando al Juez Supremo del mundo por la rectitud de nuestras intenciones, en nombre y por la autoridad del buen pueblo de estas Colonias, solemnemente hacemos público y declaramos: Que estas Colonias Unidas son, y deben serlo por derecho, Estados Libres e Independientes; que quedan libres de toda lealtad a la Corona Británica, y que toda vinculación política entre ellas y el Estado de la Gran Bretaña queda y debe quedar totalmente disuelta; y que, como Estados Libres o Independientes, tienen pleno poder para hacer la guerra, concertar la paz, concertar alianzas, establecer el comercio y efectuar los actos y providencias a que tienen derecho los Estados independientes.

Y en apoyo de esta Declaración, con absoluta confianza en la protección de la Divina Providencia, empeñamos nuestra vida, nuestra hacienda y nuestro sagrado honor.

## Que suban los precios, aunque duela

Claro que todos estamos enojados y frustrados por el precio de la gasolina, pero ¿qué podemos hacer?, ¿O que estamos haciendo? Todos estamos extrañando los tiempos en que llenábamos el tanque del auto con 15 o 20 dólares, ahora esa cifra se ha convertido en 60 y 80 dólares. Eran los tiempos en que nadie se preocupaba por la gasolina, los países de oriente medio estaban nadando en petróleo, nada podía salir mal.

Y los fabricantes de autos fabricaron autos y camionetas cada día más grandes, los cuales usan mucha gasolina, nos estábamos atragantando con gasolina, y ¿qué paso? Me pregunto si esta crisis de la gasolina, ¿tendrá algo que ver con la guerra de Bush? En las noticias vemos a la gente enojada y protestando contra Bush, contra Arabia Saudita, contra las compañías petroleras. Bush esta exigiendo que se autorice la perforación de mas pozos petroleros en el golfo de México, en Alaska, y hasta en Iraq. Pero me parece que quieren buscar una solución, para seguir dependiendo del petróleo, sabemos que el petróleo es una energía no renovable, considero que con la tecnología de ahora, Estados Unidos y demás países del mundo, tienen la capacidad tecnológica para buscar fuentes de energía, confiables y que duren mucho tiempo, fuentes que sean diferentes del

petróleo.

En estos momentos, sabemos que los autos híbridos, no tienen la tecnología suficiente para sustituir a los motores de gasolina, ¿Pero porque no se empezó a investigar nuevas fuentes de energía, hace 20 años? Se pudo empezar a trabajar desde hace mucho tiempo, pero no se hizo, las fabricas de autos, no querían invertir sus ganancias, además, la gasolina estaba barata, la sociedad entre los fabricantes de autos, y las compañías petroleras era muy fuerte. No se veía que los autos híbridos fueran a tener mercado, aquí en Estados Unidos, los fabricantes empezaron a construir autos más grandes, y la gente los

empezó a comprar, ¿qué podía salir mal?

La actual crisis de la gasolina, ha servido para despertar a los fabricantes americanos y a los japoneses, para que busquen la siguiente generación de motores. Pero no nos engañemos si pensamos que los fabricantes de autos en la búsqueda de nuevos motores, estarán ayudando al medio ambiente, o porque quieran ayudar a detener el calentamiento global, no señores los fabricantes han sentido el golpe en el bolsillo, y tendrán que buscar la manera de que nosotros sigamos comprándoles carros. Mientras tanto, seguiremos pagando la gasolina mas cara.

## Jóvenes y adicciones

Los invito a que un fin de semana ustedes se den una vueltecita por los lugares donde están los bares y las discotecas de las ciudades y allí encontrarán a la mayoría de la población joven. Muchos padres de familia piensan que sus hijos no corren peligro, pero es todo lo contrario sino están en problemas de drogas y están dándole el alcohol sin ningún control. La mayoría de jóvenes piensan que eso es divertirse y pasarla bien, pero todo lo contrario se están destruyendo y engrosando las filas de millones de muchachos con problemas de alcohol o de drogadicción o envueltos en violencia juvenil.

Ahora tenemos otro problema en algunas escuelas y comunidades con padres de familia divorciados o sin comunicación con sus hijos. Allí encontramos más alcoholismo entre los niños que nunca antes. La sociedad es incapaz de controlar el uso del alcohol entre los más jóvenes. Los accidentes graves y las muertes violentas están íntimamente asociados al alcohol.

Todas las anteriores son realidades estadísticas que las personas suelen comentar escandalizadas. Podemos echarles la culpa a varias razones de tanto infortunio en una o varias circunstancias: las malas amistades, la tolerancia de la sociedad al consumo de alcohol por parte de los jóvenes, la falta de au-

toridad de los padres, la falta de normas o el incumplimiento de las existentes, la incapacidad del gobierno para controlar la venta indiscriminada del alcohol a menores de edad, etc. Pero se suele minimizar uno de los más importantes facilitadores del uso prematuro del alcohol: el ejemplo del hogar. Un niño o un joven expuesto con frecuencia al consumo excesivo de alcohol por parte de sus mayores va a tener más posibilidades, como adolescente, de incurrir en conductas adictivas y de verse envuelto en accidentes desafortunados.

Con frecuencia vemos el caso de padres que inducen a niños pequeños a tomarse unos tragos, por considerar divertido verlos mareados. Tales experiencias son recibidas por los asistentes adultos con alborozo y por el niño como “normales”. Ocurren en un momento de gran maleabilidad en el desarrollo psicológico, creando hábitos malos e influenciado negativamente la manera como el niño interpreta la realidad circundante. Las conductas alcohólicas inapropiadas por parte de los adultos se constituyen en un ejemplo a seguir y van llevando al niño a una peligrosa familiarización con el alcohol, cuyos efectos no tardarán en hacerse evidentes.

## Los conciertos del verano en el Gazebo de Winters

Los amigos de la biblioteca de Winters nos vuelven a presentar como cada año, los conciertos en el gazebo del Parque Rotario. Los conciertos son presentados todos los jueves del mes de julio. De las 7-8:30 PM. El parque esta localizado en las esquinas de Main st y Railroad Ave. Podrá disfrutar de música

en vivo, y mientras disfruta de la música, puede comer pizza o saborear una nieve. Los conciertos son GRATIS, las donaciones y compras que haga son para ayudar a la biblioteca, y poder presentar este tipo de eventos para toda la comunidad. Traiga su cobija, o su silla y, además, traiga a toda su

familia y a sus amigos y venga a disfrutar una tarde placentera en el gazebo.

Las presentaciones son:

Julio 3 - Grace Country, musica country y bluegrass. Los Alegres de Jalisco, música norteña, cumbias y rancheras.

Julio 10 - Rowdy Hate, country tradicional,

honky tonk y corridos mexicanos.

Julio 17 - The Popollys, musica Americana y folk.

Julio 24 - Charles “Little Charlie” Baty, Bob Armstrong, Keith Kery. Djanjo Reinhard/ Hot Club-style jazz.

Julio 31 - Hardwater, Rock, pop, blues and covers.

## ¿Se va casar? ¿Dio a luz a un bebé? ¡Anúncielo en el Express es Gratis!

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Attorney for Steven C. Godden, Petitioner  
Superior Court of California, County of Yolo  
Main Court  
725 Court Street  
Woodland, CA 95695  
Filed, Yolo Superior Court  
June 30, 2008  
by S. Jensen, Deputy  
Case Number PB08-132

Probate Department  
Estate of: MARGUERITE LAFERN GODDEN, aka MARGUERITE L. GODDEN.  
Notice of Petition to administer estate of MARGUERITE LAFERN GODDEN, aka MARGUERITE L. GODDEN

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate or both of Marguerite Lafern Godden, aka Maguerite L. Godden.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by: Steven C. Godden in the Superior Court of California, County of Yolo

The Petition for Probate request that Steven C. Godden be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

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 and objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:

Date: 8/18/08 time: 9:00a.m. dept: 1  
Address of court: Same as noted above.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

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Attorney for petitioner (name): Harold R. Anderson, Attorney at Law  
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Fictitious Business Name  
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747 East Street, Woodland, CA 95695  
Jose Trejo, 1328 Harley Drive, Woodland, CA 95695  
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s/Jose Trejo

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Fictitious Business Name  
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5237 Poplar Road, Vacaville, CA 95687  
Michael R. Giovacohiri, 5237 Poplar Road, Vacaville, CA 95687  
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PO Box 749 Winters, CA 95694, Yolo  
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Fictitious Business Name  
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FREDDIE OAKLEY, CLERK Liz Mahovich, Deputy FBN NUMBER 2008-521 Fictitious Business Name Cans4Teachers.Org 9914 Main Street, Zamora, CA 95698 P.O. Box 461, Zamora, CA 95698 Jorge Veldez Jr., P.O. Box 461 Zamora, CA 95698 This business classification is: Individual s/ Jorge Veldez Jr.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal. State of California, County of Yolo FREDDIE OAKLEY County Clerk/Recorder Liz Mahovich, Deputy Clerk Published June 12, 19, 26, July 3, 2008



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## Notice of Trustee Sale

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale # CA0918458 Loan# 1915342652 Order # 3674466 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 04/24/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 07/23/2008 at 12:00PM, MTC FINANCIAL INC., dba TRUSTEE CORPS as the duly appointed Substituted Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 05/01/2006 as Document No. 2006-0017064-00 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, CALIFORNIA, executed by, MICHAEL A STYERS, AN UNMARRIED MAN, as Trustor, REALTY MORTGAGE, LLCQ, as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). AT: AT THE REAR (NORTH) ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL BUILDING, 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State describing the land therein: APN # 003-480-51-1 THE LAND REFERRED TO IN THIS REPORT IS SITUATED IN THE STATE OF California, COUNTY OF YOLO CITY OF WINTERS, AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: LOT 1, AS SHOWN ON PARCEL MAP NO. 3701, ENTITLED, " MORGAN ESTATES", FILED FOR RECORD OCTOBER 17, 1988, IN BOOK 9 OF PARCEL MAPS, PAGE 30. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 401 EAST STREET, WINTERS, CA 95694. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the Note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said Note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Trustee's Sale is: \$307,694.00 (estimated amount). Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Dated: 07/03/2008 TRUSTEE CORPS, as Successor Trustee By: CARLOS QUEZADA, TRUSTEE SALES OFFICER "TRUSTEE CORPS" 2112 BUSINESS CENTER DRIVE, 2ND FLOOR, IRVINE, CA 92612 FOR SALE INFORMATION CONTACT: (714)730-2727, (714) 724-7500, (949) 252-8300 FOR REINSTATEMENT / PAY OFF REQUESTS CONTACT: (949) 252-8300 ASAP# 2807597 07/03/2008, 07/10/2008, 07/17/2008

## Notice of Trustee Sale

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TTD No.: 20080063355591 Loan No.: 14932610 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 10-05-2005 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 07-16-2008 at 12:00 P.M., TITLE TRUST DEED SERVICE COMPANY, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 10-28-2005, as Instrument No. 2005-0054194-00, in book -, page -, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of CALIFORNIA , executed by CHRISTINA M HILL, A SINGLE WOMAN WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) at AT THE REAR (NORTH) ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL BUILDING 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE WEST SACRAMENTO CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, and State described as: APN No.: 003-155-02-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 12 EDWARDS STREET WINTERS CA 95694 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale of property will be made in "as is" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$407,874.44 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. IF AVAILABLE, THE EXPECTED OPENING BID MAY BE OBTAINED BY CALLING THE FOLLOWING TELEPHONE NUMBER or (818) 871-1919. Date: 06-23-2008 TITLE TRUST DEED SERVICE COMPANY - AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE Address: Malibu Canyon Business Park, 26679 W. Agoura Rd., Suite 225, Calabasas, CA 91302 Phone: 818-871-1900 We are assisting the Beneficiary to collect a debt and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose whether received orally or in writing. ASAP# 2791233 06/26/2008, 07/03/2008, 07/10/2008

## Help Wanted

Day Sous Chef/ Supervisor (heading) Putah Creek Cafe, located in small country town setting in Winters CA. 15 minutes from Davis is seeking a full-time lead line cook/supervisor. Must be experienced in working in a fast paced breakfast and lunch kitchen. Required to work weekends and holidays. Some supervision of employees and ordering required. This is a great position if having evenings off is important to you, shift ends 2-3p.m.! Starting hourly rate-\$12.50, in addition to tips weekly \$75 avg. Medical benefits and Vacation also included. We also provide you with non slip work shoes! Spanish speaking a plus but not required. Please send resume or call 795-2682 between the hours of 7a.m. and 3p.m., ask to speak with the Chef. 21-2tc

## Notice of Trustee Sale

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S No. 1098720-04 APN: 030-220-09-1 TRA: LOAN NO: Xxxxxx1482 REF: Alsbury, Peter IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED November 09, 2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On July 22, 2008, at 09:00am, Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded November 14, 2005, as Inst. No. 2005-0056856-00 in book XX, page XX of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, executed by Peter Alsbury, A Married Man As His Sole and Separate Proper Ty, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state: At the rear (north) entrance to the city hall building 1110 West Capitol Avenue West Sacramento, California, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: Completely described in said deed of trust The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 105 Niemann Street Winters CA 95694 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$880,138.68. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. For sales information: Mon-Fri 9:00am to 4:00pm (619) 590-1221. Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, 525 East Main Street, P.O. Box 22004, El Cajon, CA 92022-9004 Dated: June 13, 2008 Trustee Sale Officer: Thelma B Cabacungan. (R-184724 06/26/08, 07/03/08, 07/10/08)

## Notice of Trustee Sale

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. T08-35642-CA Loan No. 0084196716 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 08-02-2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: BRAD D HAYES AND JUDY L HAYES, HUSBAND AND WIFE, HUSBAND AND WIFE, AS JOINT TENANTS Duly Appointed Trustee: CR Title Services Inc. Recorded 08-18-2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0040535-00 in book, page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California, Date of Sale:07-23-2008 at 12:00PM Place of Sale: AT THE REAR (NORTH) ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL BUILDING, 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$331,968.17 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 209 ANDERSON AVENUE WINTERS, CA 95694 A.P.N.: 003-276-13-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of the first publication of this Notice of Sale. The Trustee shall incur no liability for any good faith error in stating the proper amount of unpaid balances and charges. For Sales Information please contact AGENCY SALES AND POSTING at WWW.FIDELITYASAP.COM or 714-730-2727 REINSTATEMENT LINE: 888-485-9191 Date: 07-03-2008 CR Title Services Inc. P.O. Box 1500 Rancho Cucumonga, CA 91729-1500 888-485-9191 HEIDI MUCHA, TRUSTEE SALES OFFICER Federal Law requires us to notify you that we are acting as a debt collector. If you are currently in a bankruptcy or have received a discharge in bankruptcy as to this obligation, this communication is intended for informational purposes only and is not an attempt to collect a debt in violation of the automatic stay or the discharge injunction.ASAP# 2795540 07/03/2008, 07/10/2008, 07/17/2008

## Help Wanted

Servers needed all shifts. Must be able to work weekends and holidays. Normal shift finished by 3:30p.m. at the latest. Min. wage plus tips. Please apply in person at Putah Creek Cafe at 1 Main Street, Winters. 21-2tc

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## Notice of Comment Period

### COUNTY OF SOLANO NOTICE OF COMMENT PERIOD DRAFT NEGATIVE DECLARATION

The Solano County Department of Resource Management has evaluated the project described below and has determined that a Negative Declaration of environmental impact be prepared pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act.

Minor Subdivision Application No. MS-08-01 of Craig McNamara to subdivide approximately 126 acres of agricultural land into three parcels; one of 40 acres in size, one 41 acres in size and one 46 acres in size. The property is located at 9264 Boyce Road in an "A-40" Exclusive Agricultural Zoning District, approximately three miles east of the City of Winters, APNs: 0103-240-060, 120 and 130. (Project Planner: Karen Avery)

Copies of the environmental document are available for public review at the Solano County Department of Resource Management, 675 Texas Street, Suite 5500, Fairfield, California 94533. Written comments on the proposed Negative Declaration will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on July 16, 2008.

Birgitta Corsello  
Department of Resource Management  
County of Solano

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## Notice of Trustee Sale

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS # CA-08-144881-JB Loan # 15486046 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 9/26/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 to the Financial code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): RAMONA A. GONZALEZ, A MARRIED WOMAN AS HER SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY Recorded: 9/30/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0049221-00 in book, page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California; Date of Sale: 7/16/2008 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA. Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$341,191.82 The purported property address is: 703 Apricot Avenue Winters, CA 95694 Assessors Parcel No. 003-342-22-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 6/21/2008 Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 714-259-7850 or Login to: [www.fidelityasap.com](http://www.fidelityasap.com) Reinstatement Line: (800) 247-9727 Jennifer Basom, Trustee Sale Officer If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. THIS NOTICE IS SENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING A DEBT. THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ON BEHALF OF THE HOLDER AND OWNER OF THE NOTE. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED BY OR PROVIDED TO THIS FIRM OR THE CREDITOR WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. ASAP# 2782617 06/26/2008, 07/03/2008, 07/10/2008

## Help Wanted

SOCIAL SERVICES FT/PT direct care positions, serving adults w/DD in Day Program. Assist w/daily activities, personal care & skill development. Reqs.: HS diploma/GED, valid DL. Must clear DMV, bkgrd. chk. & drug screen. Pd. training, comp wages & full bnfts. at 30+ hrs. Contact Dunganvin CA, LLC 310 E. Monte Vista Ave Vacaville 707-449-3722. EOE 21-2tp

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## Notice of Trustee Sale

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS # CA-08-145172-JB Loan # 18100552 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 5/23/2002. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 to the Financial code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): DAVID RODRIGUEZ, AN UNMARRIED MAN Recorded: 6/3/2002 as Instrument No. 2002-0023325-00 in book, page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California; Date of Sale: 7/16/2008 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA. Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$193,771.71 The purported property address is: 458 Abbey Street Winters, CA 95694 Assessors Parcel No. 003-401-03-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 6/21/2008 Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 714-259-7850 or Login to: [www.fidelityasap.com](http://www.fidelityasap.com) Reinstatement Line: (800) 247-9727 Jennifer Basom, Trustee Sale Officer If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. THIS NOTICE IS SENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING A DEBT. THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ON BEHALF OF THE HOLDER AND OWNER OF THE NOTE. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED BY OR PROVIDED TO THIS FIRM OR THE CREDITOR WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. ASAP# 2782409 06/26/2008, 07/03/2008, 07/10/2008

## Notice of Trustee Sale

Trustee Sale No.: 20080161902358 Title Order No.: 1155485 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 12/19/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 12/30/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0064655-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Richard Crum and Connie Crum, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 7/9/2008 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 410 Edwards St Winters, CA 95694 APN#: 003-173-19-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$356,081.43. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 [www.priorityposting.com](http://www.priorityposting.com) NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 6/13/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P419887 6/19, 6/26, 07/03/2008

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## Notice of Trustee Sale

TSG No.: 3663734 TS No.: 20089073500528 FHA/VA/PMI No.: Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 3/9/2007 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 7/9/2008 at 12:45 PM First American Loanstar Trustee Services, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 03/19/2007, as Instrument No. 2007-0010105-00, in book, page, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed by: Claudio R Reyes Sr, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust APN# 003-271-20-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 314 Rosa Avenue, Winters, CA 95694 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$340,043.13 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. Date: 6/19/2008 First American Title Insurance Company First American LoanStar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 First American Loanstar Trustee Services may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Original document signed by Authorized Agent Chet Sconyers – For Trustee's Sale Information Please Call (714) 573-1965 P421387 6/19, 6/26, 07/03/2008

## Notice of Trustee Sale

TSG No.: 3663595 TS No.: 20089073500522 FHA/VA/PMI No.: Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 8/31/2005 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 7/9/2008 at 12:45 PM First American Loanstar Trustee Services, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 09/02/2005, as Instrument No. 2005-0044029-00, in book, page, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed by: Jason M. Trojanowski, , Shyla M. Trojanowski, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust APN# 003-524-13-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 606 Snapdragon Street, Winters, CA 956950000 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$441,070.01 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. Date: 6/19/2008 First American Title Insurance Company First American LoanStar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 First American Loanstar Trustee Services may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Original document signed by Authorized Agent Chet Sconyers – For Trustee's Sale Information Please Call (714) 573-1965 P421377 6/19, 6/26, 07/03/2008