



# Cuts will affect city projects

By MOLLY DAVIS  
City editor

California's budget crisis is trickling down, making an impact on Winters. But the city isn't drowning yet — it may just need to tread water and catch its

breath.

The state plans to take redevelopment funds and tax monies from cities and counties all over California, a move that has been deemed "unconstitutional."

While some cities are affected more than oth-

ers, Winters may see a loss of about \$785,000, which, "for us, that's a lot of money," said City Manager John Donlevy.

Winters currently has a great credit rating, due to sensible financial management, basic good business practices

and because the city has kept a lot of money in its reserves. Now, however, the state is reaching into those reserves, putting some of the city's projects and services in jeopardy.

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Photo by Vasey Coman

Pictured enjoying The Tree House Children's Center's tree house are, from left, Cheryl Moore, Matt Moore, Janet Anderson, Molly Moore and Ryan Anderson.

## Tree House child care opens soon

By VASEY COMAN  
Staff writer

There's a big tree in a fenced backyard across the street from Waggoner Elementary School, and the wooden tree house sitting in its branches is the namesake of a new children's center opening its doors to young children on

Aug. 13. The Tree House Children's Center is the result of two years of dreaming for Cheryl Moore and Janet Anderson, co-owners and co-administrators and Winters parents, who are opening the center "to provide child-centered programs to

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Photo by Gerald Heffernon

Despite—and because of—its impending removal, Jeff TenPas organized a rally to protest the destruction of a small percolation dam on Putah Creek last Saturday, Aug. 1. TenPas, one of the founders of Friends of Little Rock, a group hoping to prevent the dam's removal, said he has already collected over 500 signatures petitioning the city to keep the dam, and around 40 during the rally on Saturday. "Why tear it out?" he asked. Blue wristbands were distributed to the rally's attendees, who spent the afternoon lounging on the dam and jumping into the lake using a nearby rope swing. The City Council voted unanimously to remove the dam in order to improve the area's environmental integrity and future recreational purpose in August 2007. City Manager John Donlevy said he plans to host an informational meeting in the future to address mis-information about the dam's removal.

## FUTURE SUBSCRIBERS

LUKE MICHAEL HARRIS, the first child of Kelly (McKay) Harris and Jason Harris of Roseville, was born July 31 at 2:04 a.m. in Roseville. He weighed seven pounds and was twenty inches long. His maternal grandparents are Janice Koch and Mike McCoy of Winters and Mike McKay of Ukiah. Paternal grandparents are Katherine and Jeff Harris of Modesto. His maternal great grandmother is Katherine Koch of Davis, and his paternal great grandmother is Dolores Garcia of Ceres.

## Former Winters police officer dies in crash

From the Daily Democrat

A former deputy for the Yolo County Sheriff's Department and Winters police man was killed in an auto accident on Highway 16 in the Capay Valley on Thursday, July 30, just before noon, the California Highway Patrol reported.

Robert Charles Wion, 61, of Brooks, died when his 2001 Toyota Corolla struck almost head-on a

2008 Ford Expedition, driven by Thomas Prentice, 67, of Sutter Creek, after it drifted into the eastbound lane.

The vehicles hit each other on their front left sides. They were each traveling at about 55 mph, which CHP Officer Phil Gruidl estimated to be the posted speed limit.

Gruidl reported there was no indication that alcohol was involved in the crash. Both motorists were also wear-

ing their seatbelts.

Gruidl said the smaller car, Wion's Corolla, took the brunt of the damage.

Gruidl said the accident occurred just north of CR-71. Wion's Corolla was traveling west on Highway 16, while Prentice was traveling east. As the vehicles neared a slight curve in the road, Prentice saw the Corolla drift into his lane of travel and tried to take evasive action to avoid the

collision. It wasn't enough, however, and both vehicles sustained major damage.

Gruidl said members of the Rumsey Volunteer Fire Department, CalFire and others responded within minutes and extricated Wion from his vehicle, but he died as a result of his injuries, which were described by the Yolo County Coroner's Office as major blunt force trauma.

## County, city, school officials to discuss reform at summit

County, city and school officials will gather in Winters to discuss options to reform the state government in an effort to increase control of local revenue, among other topics. Yolo County and the elected officials of cities within the county, city managers and school superintendents have been invited to the meeting planned for

next Tuesday, Aug. 11 at The Palms Playhouse.

Called the Yolo Leadership Summit, the gathering follows a two-day July summit in Sacramento organized by the CCS Partnership, a joint effort of the League of California Cities, the California State Association of Counties, and the California School Boards Association. At that summit,

the top reform priorities of 545 Californian officials were identified. The top three were: protect local revenue sources, reform term limits and approve local taxes with less than 2/3 vote. These topics and others identified at the Sacramento gathering will be discussed at the Yolo Leadership Summit.

"This is a conversation

on California state and local structure and reform possibilities to increase local control," said Mary Jo Rodolfa, a City Council member who will attend the summit. "We want to focus on what we can do at a state level."

For more information about the CCS Partnership, visit [www.ccspartnership.org](http://www.ccspartnership.org).

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## WEATHER

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

Date	Rain	Hi	Lo
July 29		101	60
July 30		94	60
July 31		94	58
August 1		95	57
August 2		97	56
August 3		97	57
August 4		94	58

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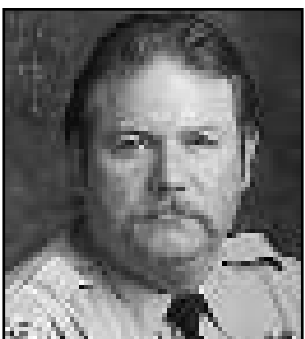
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## OBITUARIES

### Robert Charles Wion

Robert (Bob) Charles Wion, age 61, passed away on July 30, 2009, due to injuries sustained in a motor vehicle accident. He was born on November 13, 1947, in Redding to Robert D. and Evelyn Lois (Spray) Wion.



Mr. Wion was an avid hunter and fisherman. A law enforcement officer for over 20 years, he retired from the Yolo County Sheriff's Department. He loved spending time with his children and grandchildren.

Mr. Wion leaves behind his loving wife of 31 years, Sandra Lynn (Utter) Wion; children, Andrea Jordan (Darren) Manion of Park Hills, MO; Laurie (Michael) Kelley of Guinda; Deanna (Felix) Cano of Winters, and Dean Bell also of Winters; grandchildren, Summer Rodgers, Amber Covington, Christina Walker, Natasha Bell, Brent Bell, Laci Kelley, Dani Manion, Zack Walker, Corey Nichols, Kyle Nichols, Michael Kelley, Niko Walker and Justin Walker; sister, Carol Susa and brothers, Richard (Arlene) Wion and Michael Wion along with numerous nieces and nephews. He will be dearly missed by his family and friends.

Graveside services will be held on Thursday, August 6, 2009, at the Winters Cemetery at 11 a.m. with a viewing held on Wednesday, August 5, 2009, from 6-8 p.m. at Wiscombe Funeral Home, 34 Main Street, Suite B in Winters. Those who wish to sign a guest book online may do so at [www.wiscombefuneral.com](http://www.wiscombefuneral.com).

### Marcos Enrique Gonzalez

Marcos Enrique Gonzalez, 24, of Winters, unexpectedly passed away August 1, 2009.



He was born in Fort Bragg on October 10, 1984, to Francisco Gonzalez and Pennie McMillen-Bigelow. He attended Manchester Elementary School, Winters Middle School and graduated from Winters High School in 2003.

He loved being with his friends and family. He enjoyed sports and immersing himself in music. He was kind to all those who he came into contact with.

Mr. Gonzalez is survived by his mother and stepfather, Pennie McMillen and Perry Bigelow of Winters, father and stepmother Francisco and Cindy Gonzalez of Manchester, sisters Ashley and Celia Gonzalez, grandmother Sheila McMillen and grandparents Joel and Celia Gonzalez of Mexico. He is also survived by many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews. He will be forever loved and missed by all those who knew him.

In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting that donations be made to the Marcos Gonzalez benevolent fund at First Northern Bank, 48 Main Street in Winters.

Memorial services will be announced.

### Myrtle Oma Kidder

Myrtle Oma Kidder, age 95, passed away on August 2, 2009 in Woodland.

She was born on July 11, 1914, in Suisan, to Edward and Ruby Hopkins Walther. She married Glenn C. Kidder on July 14, 1935 in Fairfield. He preceded her in death on September 18, 1989.

Mrs. Kidder moved to Winters in 1941 from Fairfield. She was employed with the Yolo County Justice Court where she served as a legal clerk for Judge Degener and Judge Martin.

She had a love for gardening and sewing, she taught 4-H and was an avid reader. She was very active in the Pioneer Presbyterian Church where she had served as the church treasurer for many years. She served as PTA President on two separate occasions.

She is survived by her three children, Mary Louise Gray of Winters; Glenda Lee Matties of Galt and David Glenn (Viola May) Kidder of Winters, and five grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held on Friday, August 7, 2009 at 10 a.m. at the Winters Cemetery. To sign a guestbook on line, visit [www.wiscombefuneral.com](http://www.wiscombefuneral.com).

## YESTERYEAR



Photo by Kim Orendor

In August, 1995, David Wolter (left) and Cecil Padilla work on the tiles on the gazebo roof in Rotary Park. A dedication celebration was held on September 21, 1995.

50  
YEARS AGO

August 27, 1959

Wolfskill Elementary School will start on Tuesday, September 8, with Mrs. Vann, of Davis, taking the place of Mrs. W.A. Armstrong, who retired. George Keedy is principal, and Lloyd Adams is in charge of music.

Olive-Pleasants Valley School will open for the fall term on August 31, with Mrs. Roy Hoskins as principal. The other teacher will be Mrs. Marge Boblet.

William O. Russell of Houston, Texas, paid an estimated \$63,000 for a two-thirds interest in 303 acres of farm land six miles east of Winters. The property was sold by L.C. Schmeiser and Elmine Stabel.

Mrs. Irene Sharp was expected home this weekend from a fortnight's trip down south. She visited with her son and his family, located near Santa Ana, with relatives in Palm Springs, and rounded out the holiday with a stay in Los Angeles.

Mariano Munoz, Jr., has purchased a house at 402 Grant Avenue from Larry Warren, the transaction handled by Wayne Sharp, local real estate broker.

Classes at the Union Elementary School will start on Monday, August 31, with Miss Eleanor Olson, formerly of Dixon, as teacher.

65  
YEARS AGO

August 25, 1944

Miss Wanda Cecil has accepted the position with the local Pacific Gas and Electric Company vacated by Miss Clara Salaverria.

Milton Bruhn and Fred Coman, USN, Alameda, were recent overnight visitors at their respective homes here.

Corporal John C. Collado wrote his sister, Mrs. P. Salido stating that he had spent a day in Rome. Collado has been in North Africa and Italy the past eleven months and has been in the service two years.

According to Dr. A.M. Herron the following new members have been added to the high school faculty: English, Mrs. Margaret Matthison, San Jose; Coach, Owen W. Collins, San Jose; Commercial, Mrs. Alice Kunze, Davis; Home Economics, Miss May Holmes, Winters. Other faculty members are Miss Bernice Blaettler, Wm. R. Pugh, Gunnard Johnson and W.L. Adams.

Final rites were held Thursday afternoon in the McNary Funeral Home in Woodland for Mrs. Nancy S. Button, 89, whose death occurred Tuesday in an Oakland hospital. Deceased was a native of Missouri, and two years old when her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ely settled in Buckeye.

### Weekly police report

#### July 9

~ 12:06 a.m.: 400 Luis Place, unknown suspect(s) attempt to break into a house.

#### July 15

~ 12:45 p.m.: On the 100 block of Russell Street, an officer responded to a

family fight. Parties were counseled as victim did not want to press charges.

#### July 17

~ 8:04 am- On the 100 block of Grant Avenue,

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## Berryessa drops .69 of a foot

The level of Lake Berryessa dropped by .69 of a foot during the past week with a reduction in storage of 12,121 acre feet of water, according to Ken Emigh of the Solano Irrigation District.

He reported Tuesday morning that the lake was 412.66 feet above sea level, with storage computed at 1071,160 acre feet of water.

The SID is diverting 545 second feet of water into the Putah South Canal and 39 second feet is flowing in Putah Creek at the Diversion Dam.

Evaporation on Lake Berryessa averaged 235 acre feet of water per day during the week.

100  
YEARS AGO

August 25, 1909

A great many Winters people are going to Sacramento Thursday to see Ringling Bros. Circus.

Rural free delivery starts on Wednesday of next week.

The high school board has purchased the lot of Mrs. D.O. Judy on Grant Avenue for \$1,500 for a high school lot and has purchased the old high school building of the grammar school board and will move it to the new location.

Arch Wolfskill has returned from Chico where he has been working for the Earl Fruit Company and will leave next week for Mills to get off some grape shipments. Charles Elliott has entered Heald's Business College in San Francisco for a six months course.

Miss Bernice Edwards has returned from a month's outing at Capitola.

Representatives of the dried fruit companies have been in town this week, interested in dried peaches.

115  
YEARS AGO

August 25, 1894

J.H. Hacke last week bought forty cords of wood from Col. Taylor, for use at the hotel. The wood is locust from a grove on the Taylor place and is a fine lot of wood.

Henry Gregory is the proud possessor of a new typewriter — not the blue eyed, curly haired variety, but just a plain affair made of iron and steel.

William Baker and John Wolfskill went to Fairfield on Wednesday morning, to serve the county as trial jurors.

S.P. Russell of Madison, one of the delegates from this county to the Democratic State Convention, went to San Francisco on Tuesday morning's train.

Died in San Jose, August 21, 1894, Mrs. E.F. Robinson, a sister of Mrs. G.W. Thissell, Sr., of Pleasant Valley.

Mrs. J.D. Rice of Durham, Butte County, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Nancy Griffin, at the farm southeast of town. Mrs. Rice is the daughter in law of Mr. A.R. Rice of this town.

There is always some madness in love.  
But there is also always some reason in madness.  
~ Friedrich Nietzsche



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# Dixon man killed in car accident north of town

One Dixon man died and a second was arrested Sunday night following a rollover accident at the Union School Slough section of County Road 88 in Yolo County, north of Winters.

According to the California Highway Patrol, the incident occurred around 8 p.m. when the driver of a 1988 Ford

Taurus rolled the vehicle several times after failing to slow to the posted limit of 30 mph required due to a sudden elevation change in the roadway as it travels over the slough bridge.

The driver, identified as 43-year old Alberto Lopez of Dixon, was arrested on suspicion of driving while under the

influence, after being treated for relatively minor injuries at the U.C.Davis Medical Center, where he had been airlifted for treatment, following the horrific crash, CHP officials said.

Elias Guillermo Lopez Jr., 48, also a resident of Dixon, was identified as the passenger killed af-

ter the force of the crash threw him from the vehicle. Elias is related to Alberto, but it is not clear whether they are immediate family members or not, the CHP said.

Fire personnel and law enforcement officers were on the scene within minutes of the 8 p.m. crash and provided assistance but it was to

no avail.

According to CHP officer Phil Gruidl, Alberto Lopez was driving the vehicle southbound on CR-88 just south of CR-27 at an unknown speed and didn't slow down for the trough bridge.

While Gruidl didn't know how fast the car was going, he said it was sufficient to send the

vehicle airborne after it went over the bridge. The vehicle slammed into the roadway several times causing the driver to lose control of the vehicle, which left the road itself and then rolled over several times before coming to rest in a field.

An investigation into the matter is continuing.

## Winters Fire Department weekly fire report

### July 27

- ~ Fire Alarm, 100 Block of Grant Avenue.
- ~ Grass fire, Interstate 505 ½ mile south of Putah Creek Road.
- ~ Grass fire, Interstate 505 and Putah Creek Road.
- ~ Grass fire, Interstate 505 south of Putah Creek Road.

### July 28

- ~ Investigation, Dut-ton Street and East Grant Avenue for an underground water leak.

### July 29

- ~ Medical aid, Myrtle

Circle for difficulty breathing.

- ~ Medical aid, First block of Main Street for a victim of a fall.

- ~ Grass fire, Corner of Buckeye Road and Russell Boulevard.

### July 30

- ~ Grass fire, Interstate 505 south of Putah Creek.
- ~ Grass fire, North-bound Interstate 505 and County Road 29A.
- ~ Medical aid, 800 block of Walnut Lane for an unknown medical problem.
- ~ Grass fire, North-bound Interstate 505

and Russell Boulevard.

### July 31

- ~ Medical aid, 600 Block of 1st Street for a female that fainted.
- ~ Medical aid, 400 Block of Morgan Street for difficulty breathing.
- ~ Grass fire, Interstate 505 and Putah Creek.

### Aug. 1

- ~ Investigation, 400 block of Morgan Street for a gas leak.
- ~ Medical aid, 200 block of Anderson Avenue for a possible heart attack.

- ~ Medical aid, 200 block of Abbey Street for a possible stroke.

- ~ Medical aid, 400 block of Third Street for a drowning.

- ~ Medical aid, 300 block of Railroad Avenue for a victim of a fall.

### Aug. 2

- ~ Medical aid, 200 block of Suffolk Place for a patient feeling dizzy.
- ~ Investigation, 28000 block of Alta Vista for a gas leak.
- ~ Vehicle accident, Interstate 505 and Putah Creek.

## CENTER

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meet the needs of children and support the needs of our community,” according to Moore.

The Tree House Children's Center, called “The Tree House” by its founders, will offer programs for preschool- and school-aged children, including a unique Friday program for parents and toddlers. “We believe that human growth is a developmental process which has physical, cognitive, social and emotional components,” says Moore. “Our school philosophy is based on research that young children learn best through play in a hands-on environment.”

Accordingly, The Tree House's programs will focus on interactive learning through stories, games, science experiments and math with a ratio of one staff member for every eight children. The Friday morning parent and toddler class, a program only offered at The Tree House, will give children the “opportunity to experience and experiment with a rich variety of activities in an environment that recognizes that, while they're no longer babies, they are not yet ready for the world of preschool,” says Anderson. “And parents will have the opportunity to meet with other parents for fun, support and parents education,” she adds.

The Tree House will also offer a pre-kindergarten enrichment class for four-year old children who miss the cut-off for kindergarten or whose families are waiting an extra year before starting their child in kindergarten. This specialized class will be offered Mondays through Thursdays, 8:30-11:30 a.m., with an option to extend the day to accommodate the needs of working parents, and the learning will focus on a new story each week. “The children will do art that parallels the story, have a snack that is similar to the story line, and make props so they can retell the story,” says Anderson. “Our goal is to provide the children with a solid foundation both socially and academically,

which will have beneficial effects on school readiness and achievement.”

The Tree House will also offer a flexible program for kindergarten-aged children, which will extend the length of the children's day to match a full school day. Families will choose to enroll their children in this program from one to five days a week. “We believe that out kinder program will not only be fun and exciting for the children, but will also be a great extension to their more formal kindergarten education,” Anderson says.

Finally, The Tree House will offer an after school enrichment program designed to provide hands-on learning opportunities in art, music, drama, science, math and literature for children in kindergarten through third grade, with an optional homework help program for children staying after 4 p.m.

As Anderson and Moore are themselves parents of Winters school children, they say they appreciate the difficulties of being a parent and hope to open the lines of communication between their staff and Winters families by offering four parent ed-

ucation meetings each year and a monthly newsletter.

Moore has been a preschool teacher for over 20 years and holds a Masters degree in Early Childhood Education. She has worked as a teacher and director in full-time child care centers, has owned and operated a family home child care center and has recently developed an extended day program at Winters Parent Nursery School. Anderson has forked for 20 years as a part-time physical therapist in a variety of settings and has been coordinator for Winters' Destination Imagination program for seven years. Too, she has developed a parent volunteer program for Waggoner Elementary School called Interactive Science Adventure.

Both Moore and Anderson say they are passionate about working with children and their families. “We believe working collaboratively, the children will develop the tools they need to build strong relationships as they grow up. We care about child development and how children effectively learn and become happy,” says Anderson. “We hope to share this knowledge with the families of Winters through The Tree House.”

The Tree House Children's Center is now enrolling and will host an open house Aug. 7 from 4-7 p.m. at 418 Haven Street, across from Waggoner Elementary. For more information about the center, visit [www.winterstreehouse.com](http://www.winterstreehouse.com) or call 795-0123.

# Opinion

## LETTERS

### Summit is misguided

Dear Editor,  
I am writing to you in regards to the politician summit at the Palms, Aug 11. It seems that a few of our local government politicians and city employees have decided to join a political movement called Rebuild California. Sounds good; the state politics are really messed up.

Well, further reading shows the three main goals of this organization are: 1) Protecting local revenue streams from state takeaways; 2) Reducing the vote threshold for local tax measures from two-thirds vote to 55 percent; and 3) Changing legislative term limits to allow longer service. These three goals were determined at the "Rebuilding California" meeting in Sacramento.

The first goal I can agree with, the legislature needs to keep its hands off of our funds. Too many times their inability to spend wisely and cut costs has put us where we are. The state government cannot be everything to everybody.

The second and third goals are two very political issues that have



been sought after by the Democratic Party for the last few elections. Reducing the two-thirds vote to 55 percent would make it easier to pass a budget, but it would also be easier to waste money, easier to tax more—easier to be a politician in general. This leads to the third goal: let them stay there longer so they can be better at making things easier for themselves. The term limits were brought in because the politicians inability to execute their responsibilities years ago. Why go back to where we came from? We have had these budget problems because we are as a state spending more than we bring in. We all know that, but the politicians don't.

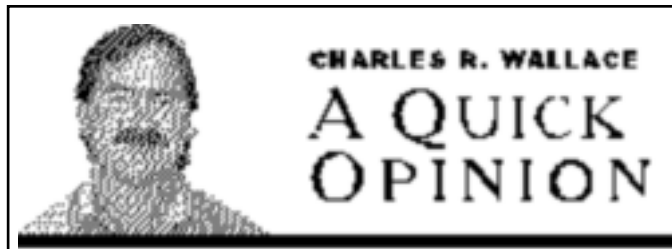
Nothing in this plan speaks of getting our

economy going. That is why revenues are down not because taxes are not high enough. We don't need government entities fighting each other for more money, we need less government making smarter common sense decisions with the money we have. Why can't we truly "Rebuild California?" We can build dams where they should be built as they did 80 years ago. We need to build nuclear power plants that will give us much needed electricity. We should drill for oil that will be needed to power our industries, these things will all make California strong and prosperous. These investments will pay California back as others haven't. As for the environmentalists who are shrieking: the envi-

ronmental technology that would go with these industries would put us at the forefront and further our ability to manage these industries. Doing nothing, well that's where we are now. Insanity is doing the same thing over and over expecting different results. Lets change our approach.

We need to make decisions, As all of us make hard decisions every day with our families, not everybody is always thrilled, but we make the decisions and try to live within our means and move forward. California needs to get moving forward again. I don't think that attending a free dinner, paid for by the Stuart foundation, will really "Rebuild California," it will be more of the same.

**MATT BRICKEY**



**IS IT TOO GOOD FOR WINTERS?** I should have known that the removal of the Percolation Dam wouldn't go as smoothly as the water in Putah Creek. The city has a plan to fix up the creek, build a park, walking trails and expand fish habitat. To do this, it was determined to take out the old perk dam and use weirs to control the flow of water through Winters. There is a small group, and I mean a small group, that is opposed to the removal of the Perk Dam.

I am one of those kids that fished and swam in the creek. That is before there was much vegetation in the creek. Your parents would drive you, and a couple of friends, to the Diversion Dam, drop you off with your inner tubes and take the rest of the day off. It took the rest of the day for us to float down Putah Creek to Winters. There were only a few places where we had to walk around the gravel bars, and later in the summer the creek would dry out completely and tubing was out. With all of the vegetation in the creek today, you'd be waiting a week for your children to show up.

Part of the creek master plan is to build a new car bridge, and while that is happening, move the creek channel from our side to the south (Solano) side. This would give us a picnic area and perhaps a place to launch kayaks, paddleboats and canoes. The plan also calls for the clearing of the non-native plants that have taken over the creek. I don't think they have a plan for Winters to the Diversion Dam, but give Rich Marovich and the Putah Creek Council time and you never know.

Our city council has been working on removing the dam for at least three years, and bids have been sent out for the removal of the dam this summer. There have been more meetings than when they built the Diversion Dam. Everyone had a chance to speak, environmental reviews took place and the decision was made to remove the dam and work on fixing up the area to give the general population access. It was a good decision.

I've heard the reasons for leaving the dam, and I just don't get it. The vision I have for the creek is something that we can be proud of. I see a place where we can take our children or grandchildren and not worry about access, berry bushes or broken glass. For those who have been on the Perk Dam, it isn't a very safe place. We have been lucky all these years that someone hasn't been seriously injured or drowned. I'll probably say the same thing when we have better access and more people using the creek.

The Putah Creek Council went to court to have water flow year round in the creek and helped to fund weirs that raised the water level below the Perk Dam. Without the weirs there would be a big sand bar below the dam much of the summer. We used to catch crawdads at the dam and sell them to fishermen for a penny apiece. I wonder if there are still crawdads in the creek? If we used the crawdad tails to catch our own fish we were only allowed to bring home the ones caught above the dam. For some reason, my father objected to fish caught next to the sewer ponds, but they were the biggest.

Will kids still swim in the creek when the dam is removed? Absolutely. Will there be better access in the years to come? Absolutely. Will there be people who complain about having a nice recreational area in the downtown? Absolutely.

There are people who don't like the new bricked intersection at Railroad and Main, but I just don't understand the arguments against fixing up something and making it better. I do understand that sometimes you are on the losing side and have to adjust. Going down fighting is fine, but the dam is going to be removed, the bridge is going to be replaced and Winters will move on to other issues.

There is one point that I think most of us agree on. The paths along the creek shouldn't be wide and blacktopped. They should be five feet wide, for handicapped access, and made of some kind of stone, like decomposed granite or recycled concrete.

Have a good week.

## Tension brews over dam removal

By Jesse Loren  
Special to the Express

In a way, the Winters Putah Creek Restoration Project is a lot like a kitchen remodel. You look at what you have and envision the best possible use of resources and make decisions. The sink, the tile, the cabinets, all must go. Compromises are made, and the hardest part of the remodel is when demolition occurs. That is the time when doubt creeps in and one wonders, "Did I do the right thing?" However, in time, when the project is finished, it's always worthwhile. That's where we are as a community with the Putah Creek Restoration Project.

Removal of the percolation dam is about to occur and not everyone is happy. On the one hand, the teens that frequent the swimming hole will lose their favorite spot to swim. On the other hand, after the restoration and realignment is complete, the creek will still be wet and filled with water. It will just be different.

So far, two weirs have been put in place primarily as grade control to hold back gravels. The gravel is important to the future of the ecosystem. Mainly, gravel was mined from Putah Creek and Dry Creek up until the 1970s, which lowered the creek and depleted the gravel. Gravel is used by salmon for spawning and is an important part in restoring the creek to a more natural state.

Removal of the percolation dam is eminent, but this has been unwelcome by some residents.

A memo dated July 30, 2009 addressed to the mayor, city council, city manager John Donlevy, and Carol Scianna, Environmental Services Manager, written in re-

sponse to an inquiry by resident Jeff TenPas, Nelia Dyer, Community Development Director states, "Because the city council is the decision making body of the Winters Nature Park Master Plan, the city council should have considered the proposed mitigated negative declaration together with any comments from the public review process prior to approving the plan."

The letter goes on to state that although compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) is lacking for the dam removal project, the time to comment or take legal action has passed.

Nellie Dyer explains, "On May 27, 2008, the Planning Commission held a public hearing on the project. Several members of the public commented on the project. Subsequently, without any changes to the Master Plan or the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration, the Planning Commission voted to adopt the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration and Mitigation Monitoring Program for the Plan and recommend approval of the Plan to the City Council. On June 23, 2008, the City Council held a public hearing to receive public participation on the Plan. No comments were received from the public on the Plan at the City Council meeting on June 23, 2008. Without any changes to the Master Plan, the City Council approved and adopted the Plan." The comment period is clearly over.

Dam removal must be completed by Oct. 15, as funding will expire in 2010. Time is a pressing factor on the dam removal, but that is the most important phase of the project according to Rich Marovich, stream keeper for Putah Creek.

Marovich is excited to explain this hometown "kitchen remodel." Basically, he says, the percolation dam was built in 1935 to percolate and add to ground water, but it doesn't do that job. Instead, it holds up the river, creates a wide, artificially still lake, which is not good for wildlife. "Realignment or filling in the deep wide channel will create a new smaller channel with higher velocity flows that will move water," he adds. If we want to make the most of what we have, we have to re-create a habitat that is wildlife friendly.

Although many people have the idea that keeping Putah Creek the same means keeping it natural, Marovich explains that this is wrong. For example, "There are 200 species of birds that live along Putah Creek, 108 live upstream from Winters and 72 live downstream. Winters has only 32 species. This is a result of a degraded habitat." He adds, that although this is the case now, it can change. "Fish population will increase when riffle habitat, shade over the water, and places to hide happen for fish. This will support the area returning to a vibrant habitat," Rich concludes.

The 2005 grant application states the percolation dam as a "possible fish barrier." It does not state definitively that it is a barrier, only that it could possibly be one. When asked to explain this part of the application, Marovich concludes, "fish passage is complex" and includes, "path, time of year, species of fish." Marovich knows there are salmon in Putah Creek before Winters and after Winters, but they aren't spawning here because the creek is too degraded, meaning it is too far from a

natural, fish friendly, state.

According to Winters City Manager John Donlevy, "From an environmental standpoint, the Putah Creek Park is one of the largest publicly owned stretches along the entire creek, yet it is the most environmentally challenged."

A theme for restoration of the creek as a place to fish permeates the documents and discussions. On the one hand, the percolation dam was created in 1935 as part of the Public Works Project. More recent changes to the river include the Monticello Dam, which was created in the 1950s, and the Diversion Dam, which is at the closest edge of Lake Solano. According to TenPas, "the greatest impact to Putah Creek lies upstream with the Monticello Dam."

Winters cannot return Putah Creek to pre-Monticello dam conditions, "but it can make changes to support the breadth and depth of the river so that it acts like a river," Marovich explains adding, "Mining gravel widened and lowered the channel. We have the funding and technology to return the river to a more natural state."

The Solano County Water Agency met on July 1 to approve removal of the percolation dam. They noted, "The dam has exposed rebar and slick surfaces that pose a public safety hazard, it obstructs the natural channel form and ecological function."

For many residents, even if it has rebar and slick surfaces, it still is part of our collective memory of Winters, however, the percolation dam must go. Again, this is a starting point for the project, not the end point in the process.

## Policy for Letters to the Editor

The deadline for Letters to the Editor is noon on Mondays for publication that week. When Monday is a holiday, the deadline is noon on the prior Friday.

Letters may be mailed or hand-delivered to The Winters Express, 312 Railroad Avenue, Winters, CA 95694, or emailed to news@wintersexpress.com.

Letters should not exceed 500 words. Do not use all capital letters.

We reserve the right to edit or reject any letter.

Letters must be legibly signed by the writer, or if emailed, must indicate

the writer's name. We may withhold writers' names from publication upon request if there is a legitimate reason, such as fear of reprisal or retribution. We reserve the right to determine legitimacy.

Letters submitted anonymously will not be printed.

We will accept letters of thanks naming individuals and local Winters businesses.

Non-local individuals and businesses listed in letters of thanks will be edited out.



# Community

## Wolfskill horticulture symposium planned

By Richard Rominger  
Special to the Express

It's time to make reservations for the Winters Horticultural Symposium: the Legacy of John Reid Wolfskill, which will be held Aug. 26. and will begin with a tour of the University of California, Davis, Wolfskill Experiment Station at 10 a.m. The tour will be led

by Dr. Ted De Jong, UC Davis Pomologist and Director of the Wolfskill Experiment Station, and will also include the USDA National Clonal Germplasm Repository. Dan Flynn, Director of the UC Davis Olive Center will provide olive oil tasting. The olive trees on the site were planted by Wolfskill in the 1860s.

Lunch will follow at

noon at the Buckhorn Steak and Roadhouse.

The symposium in the afternoon, which is inspired by the University of California Farmers Institute that was held in the Winters Opera House in 1897, begins at The Palms Playhouse at 2 p.m. and will feature researchers and local farmers discussing the heritage and the horti-

cultural history of the Winters area.

Following the symposium in the Opera House, there will be a wine reception at the Winters Center for the Arts. Wine will be provided by Berryessa Gap and Rominger West.

To register, visit <http://wintershorticulturalSYMPOSIUM.eventbrite.com>.

## Felting class offered

On Saturday, Aug. 8, the Winters Participation Gallery will hold a pictorial felting class from 9 a.m. to noon. The class will be taught by Jan Schubert, textile artist and children's book author. Participants will create a

small picture using felting needles and wool fleece.

The class fee is \$35, materials included. For more information and registration, visit the gallery at 18 Main Street, call 795-0608 or email [wintersarts@gmail.com](mailto:wintersarts@gmail.com).

## Annual golf tourney and reunion a success

The 29th Annual MBS golf tournament and family reunion was held Saturday, July 25 at Wild Wings Golf Course in Woodland. A pre golf breakfast was held at the home of Tim and Elaine Snow.

This year six groups played in the 18 hole scramble. The players ranged in age from 7 to 79. The fivesome of David Snow, Bobby, Adam and Ivan Martinez, Barbara Carrion and mascot Gianna Carrion turned in the best performance at 11 under par.

Following the golf, the players were joined by other family members at the Snow residence for swimming, food and fun. The crowd of 58 also enjoyed the inaugural MBS Ping Pong tournament, with the finals played at "center court." The doubles winners were Debbie Pedroia and John Snow and the singles champ was David Snow.

The coveted green jacket was awarded to Corinne Martinez by last year's recipient, Dave Snow.

Attending this year's event from Winters were Phil and Isabel Snow; Carmina Serrano; Beatrice, Jonathan and Jennifer Jordan; Bob, Charlotte, Bobby and Ryan Martinez; Joan Martinez; Shannon and Adam Martinez; Corinne Martinez; Barbara, Robert, Anthony, Daniel and Gianna Carrion; and Dan, Dawn, Isabela, Ivan and Atlas Martinez. From Sacramento, Joe, Christina, Austin, Kaitlyn and Ethan Serrano; Rachel and Marcos Martinez; and Eric, Wendy, MacKenzie and Trevor Neese. From Santa Rosa, Yvonne Martinez and from New Zealand, Jessica Corcoran. From Woodland, Virginia Neese and her mother Nancy Rivard; Danielle, Manuel and Xavier Altamirano; Amanda Corrales, her fiancé Carlos Flores and Amanda's daughter, Gabrielle Guzman; Guy and Debbie Pedroia; Brett, Heather and Ava Pedroia; Dave, Candice and John Snow; and hosts Tim, Elaine and Zack Snow.

## *A capital vacation!*



Courtesy photo

**From left, Robin Graziani, Daniel Mazza, Siena Mazza and Dante Mazza took a copy of their favorite local newspaper (The Winters Express) to the steps of the United States Supreme Court in Washington, D.C during their July vacation there. The United States capital building can be seen in the background.**

## Retired public employees' lunch planned

The Yolo County chapter of RPEA, the Retired Public Employees' Association, will feature Al Darby as its speaker when it holds its quarterly luncheon meeting on Thursday, Aug. 13. Darby was elected vice-president at the statewide association's biennial General Assembly last October.

The chapter will meet at the Spring Dragon Chinese Restaurant, 610 Cottonwood Plaza in Woodland, starting at 11:30 a.m. Reservations should be made with Secretary Charlotte Lloyd at 661-6595 on or before Aug. 10. The price is \$7 and includes a choice of lunch entrees including soup, appetizer, fried or

steamed rice, cookies, fruit, hot or iced tea, fortune cookie, tax and tip.

Darby will speak on changes to pension and health care benefits and related negative articles targeting public service employees' pensions, among other things, and will touch on his participation in a "Meet the Press"-style TV program which may be developed for viewing on PBS stations state-wide.

Darby retired in 1998 after 12 years as a workers' compensation claims examiner and manager. Prior to that, he enjoyed successful careers in the pharmaceutical industry and with Atari games and computers.

Dorothy Scott will

preside over a short business session. A variety of items will be raffled off after the meeting, and a substantial floral door prize will be awarded.

The Retired Public Employees' Association is the only statewide organization representing all state, county, city, classified school and special district retirees. A membership drive is in full swing, with dues of \$3 per month for a year if applications are received before Nov. 1, at which point they will increase to \$4.50.

Additional information about the Retired Public Employees' Association event may be obtained from Jill Brooks, 668-9522 or Frieda Hanke, 662-5071.



## Shoot!

Photo by Anietta Tice  
**Dave Kelley gets ready to shoot the ball for a goal at a recent inner tube water polo game. The community is invited to attend a pick up game at the Bobbie Greenwood Community Swim Center. Games will continue Saturday and Sunday evenings, 7-8:30 p.m. The cost is \$5. Participants must be 13 or older. For more information, call Kevin Chester, 760-567-8081.**

## CUTS

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While a lawsuit may ensue over the state's unconstitutional practices, in the meantime, Winters will have to put a hold on most projects.

Some projects, like the Public Safety Building, the Visitor's Center and the new library, are going forward as planned, partly because they are funded out of bonds and other budgets, and partly because their completion is imminent.

But non-bonded projects and programs will have to be frozen, according to Donlevy, like the parking lot across from City Hall, and the lease assistance and façade improvement programs. Some contracts and leases already in place may be subject to the loss of funding, as well.

Many have compared the actions the state is taking to blatant robbery. Donlevy, however, is concerned about the

city's good standing.

"The state's already ruined themselves. We don't want to be dragged down with them and lose our credit rating," he said.

In addition to seeing some projects and programs placed on hold due to budget restrictions, residents will also see some city resources cutting back. A hot topic has been the community swimming pool, which is funded from the general reserves, and therefore will have to close in mid-August. Recreational programs will be cut, as well as building and planning services, and the public

counter at City Hall.

"It's a stab in the heart to the people of our community," Donlevy said of the swimming pool. "People aren't asking for anything more than keeping it open."

Visibly concerned about the state of city, he reassures that the city has done a good job of managing its money, especially its reserves, and that the town will make it through this financial crisis, however long it may last.

"Our future is extremely bright here in Winters," Donlevy proclaimed. "Unfortunately, the state is raining on our parade a little bit."

# Entertainment

## Shakespeare in the Park to open this Friday

By **GERMAINE HUPE**  
Special to the Express

With the play opening this Friday, Aug. 8 at 8 p.m., the members of the Winters Theatre Company are completing their final rehearsals for “All’s Well That Ends Well,” the selection for this summer’s Shakespeare in the Park performance.

In keeping with WTC’s policy of holding open auditions, this play will introduce four actors in Shakespearean roles, although two of them have appeared in previous modern productions.

The role of Lord LaFew, a French nobleman and advisor to the King of France, is portrayed by Greg Lanzaro, who had a major role in “Let’s Murder Marsha,” two years ago. Greg, a UC Davis scientist and Winters resident, finds Shakespeare’s blank verse an “interesting challenge.”

Manny Lanzaro joins his father in the cast and portrays a soldier from Florence who helps to unmask a

would-be traitor to the Florentine cause. Manny appeared as Dick in “A Christmas Carol” and has been active in drama at Winters High School.

Tim McDermott from Davis “has always wanted to try acting” and makes his stage debut as a swashbuckling French lord and friend of Count Bertram, the male lead.

Bethany Robbins is also appearing on stage for the first time. She read Shakespeare in school and wanted to participate in an actual dramatic production of one of his plays. She portrays the confidant and lady-in-waiting to the Countess of Rossillion.

Veteran Shakespearean actors in the cast include Jessica Eldridge-Hapworth and Dominic Orlando as the unhappy young lovers, Phil Pittman as the treacherous Parolles, Tom Rost as the King of France, Anita Ahuja as the Countess, and Colleen Hallett as Diana.

They are joined by

Jim Hewlett as a French lord, Ann Rost as a Florentine widow, Howard Hupe as the Duke of Florence, Rodney Orosco as a Florentine soldier, and Germaine Hupe as a gossiping Florentine woman.

The play is directed by Howard Hupe. JoAnn May fills the dual role of Assistant Director and Stage Manager.

“All’s Well That Ends Well” presents a challenge to modern actors and directors because it is difficult to classify. It is a comedy in that it has a happy ending, but it has many plot twists before this satisfactory result is achieved. The heroine must suffer humiliation and rejection, the hero has many lessons to learn, the central comic figure Parolles learns the price of treachery, and several characters risk their honor as they participate in deceptions to acquire their personal goals.

Join the members of WCT as they present this most unusual version of a Shakespeare comedy. “All’s Well



Courtesy photo

**Enjoy a night out under the stars this weekend with the Winters Theatre Company and their production of Shakespeare’s “All’s Well That Ends Well.” Preparing for the show are, from left: Dominic Orlando, Philip Pittman, Tom Rost, Jim Hewlett and Tim McDermott. The show will run Friday and Saturday nights at 8 p.m., August 7-15, at the Winters Community Center Amphitheater. Tickets are \$5. For more information call 795-4014 or email winters theatre@gmail.com.**

That Ends Well” opens Friday, Aug. 7, at 8 p.m. in the Community Theatre amphitheater. Subsequent performances are Saturday, Aug. 8, and Friday and Saturday, Aug. 14 and 15.

Admission is \$5, and children under 12 are

free when accompanied by an adult. The Saturday, Aug. 8 show is a benefit performance for the Winters Center for the Arts and a \$10 donation is requested. Tickets are available at Pacific Ace Hardware, the Chamber of Commerce

office, the Participation Gallery, and at the door. Reservations and information are available at 795-4014.

Bring a lawn chair or blanket, a picnic supper, and enjoy Shakespeare in the Park under the stars.

## Chili challenge returns to Vacaville

The 2nd Annual Chili Challenge will be held on Saturday, Aug. 15 in Vacaville’s historic downtown.

This event is sanctioned by the International Chili Society and invites community members to show-off their chili-making skills.

Contestants will begin preparing their special recipes early that morning and judging will take place throughout the afternoon. The entrants will be judged on original Red Chili (no beans), Chili Verde and Salsa.

There is also a special category for Fire House Chili, which all firefighters are encouraged to enter.

There is an entry fee for participating (except the firehouse challenge) and more information can be found at the Vacaville page of [www.chilicookoff.com](http://www.chilicookoff.com).

There will be entertainment as well. Music begins in the morning with the Kevin Beadles Band. Amy Meyers picks things up at noon followed by Throwing Roses at 1 p.m. Then at 3 p.m., Rick Harris will

perform with his band. Rick is a local favorite and has recently released a new CD.

There will also be food, artists, and a few vendors for everyone’s enjoyment. Gunfighters of the Old West will be present during the day re-enacting all sorts of happenings from yesteryear.

It’s all happening in Town Square from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. For further information, visit the downtown website at [www.downtownvacaville.com](http://www.downtownvacaville.com) or call the office at 707-451-2100.

## New exhibition at Art Center gallery

Davis Art Center’s upcoming “Thinking in Layers” exhibit will explore artists’ use of layered materials to express ideas in two and three dimensions. The group show—featuring artists primarily from the Davis-Sacramento region—runs Sept. 2 to Oct. 2 in the Art Center’s Tsao Gallery. The ArtAbout reception is Friday, Sept. 11, 7-9 p.m., with an informal artists’ talk at 7:30 p.m.

Ten artists will show works in painting, printmaking, collage, assemblage, photography and encaustic. By adding or subtracting layers, these artists create visual grounds and images that reveal the thinking and insights behind the art-making process. They transform narratives and histories, mythical, cultural and personal experiences real and imagined, and movement in time and space by means of di-

verse materials.

Artists represented are Christopher Beer, painting; Jane Burnside, monotype; Hannah Hunter, collage; Diana Jahns, painting; Barbara Glynn Prodanuk, sculpture; Sara Post, encaustic; Tomas Post, photographic collage; Alison Smith, assemblage; Jon R. Swenson, woodturning; and Stacey Vetter, painting.

Each artist takes a different approach to the layer concept. Hannah Hunter lets her fascination with “making something out of nothing” guide her colorful collage-making, labeling it “an alchemy of the ordinary.” Alison Smith gives new meaning to previously created art: Her feminine pieces are the result of reworked art made by her grandmother and mother.

Many artists play with paints and prints: Jane Burnside shows

monotype, a medium she has been exploring for 14 years. After making her flowing, abstract prints, she continues to complete the work with other media like ink and oil pastel.

Clay and wood are represented through Barbara Glynn Prodanuk’s mixed media bird-themed sculptures with experiments in texture through various firing temperatures. And Jon R. Swensen’s segmented woodturnings emphasize movement, displaying the juxtaposition of contrasting wood grain species.

“Layers” curator Sara Post is a nationally exhibited artist who also teaches adult art classes at the Davis Art Center, and maintains a studio with her husband and fellow artist Tomas Post. Her “hot wax paintings” will also be on display.

For more information on this exhibit, call 756-4100.

## Author to speak at Davis Amnesty meeting

The Davis Community Chapter of Amnesty International presents Caryn West, author of “The Trouble with the Alphabet.” She will speak and sign copies of her book Aug. 13 at International House, 10 College Park in Davis.

This book addresses human rights violations of children around the world and provides insight into what we can do to address this critical issue.

The public is invited to come hear Caryn talk about the issues, the op-

position we face when we attempt to change the status quo and the importance of planting seeds. Caryn will also be showing a short music video created for the project, have her artwork on display and will be signing books.

# Berryessa Gap hosts volleyball benefit

The UC Davis' women's volleyball team will host "A Toast to the Aggies," a wine tasting benefit to kick off their 2009 season at Berryessa Gap Winery, 27260 Highway 128, in Winters. The event will

run from 4-7 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 15 and the ticket price includes Berryessa Gap wine tasting and hors d'oeuvres by the Buckhorn. Guests can also enjoy raffles, a silent auction, and entertainment at

the event. Too, guests can meet and greet the UC Davis athletic administration, volleyball staff, and the 2009 UC Davis Aggies. Tickets are \$50 per person and are available at the Berryessa

Gap Tasting Room, 15 Main Street, or online at [www.berryessagap.com](http://www.berryessagap.com). For more information, or to donate to the program, contact head coach Jamie Holmes, [jsholmes@ucdavis.edu](mailto:jsholmes@ucdavis.edu).

## POLICE

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unknown suspect(s) broke the window of a classroom by throwing a dirt clod at it. Estimated loss: \$100.

### July 20

~ 7:59 a.m.: On the 500 block of Edwards Street, unknown suspect(s) lights a trashcan on fire. Estimated loss: \$100.

~ 8:34 a.m.: On the 400 block of Niemann Street, unknown suspect(s) smashes out the rear passenger side window of victim's vehicle. Nothing appeared to be taken. Estimated damage: \$200.

~ 10:52 a.m.: On the 900 block of Southdown Court, known suspect causes damage to victim's fence by cutting it down. Suspect was counseled at victim's request. Estimated loss: \$300.

### July 21

~ 2:02 a.m.: On the 300 block of First Street, Officers respond to a business alarm. The business was checked and secured.

~ 10 a.m.: On the 400 block of Edwards Street, victim receives a letter and fraudulent check in the mail. The letter and check were found to be part of a mail scam.

~ 1:17 p.m.: On the 400 block of Morgan Street,

unknown suspect(s) uses victim's identity to open credit accounts and charge items in the victim's name.

### July 22

~ 6:56 a.m.: Thomas Frank Young, 51, of Winters was backing out of his driveway on Grant Avenue. James Mathew Speegle, 49, of Winters was traveling eastbound on Grant Avenue. Young backed into the direct path of Speegle. Speegle did not see Young due to the early morning sun shining directly at him. Young and Speegle did not see each other in time to avoid the collision.

### July 24

~ 10 a.m.: On the 800 block of Valley Oak Drive, unknown suspect(s) broke out the window of victim's vehicle. Nothing appeared to be taken. Estimated damage: \$300.

### July 27

~ 1:05 p.m.: On the 400 block of Edwards Street, unknown suspect(s) entered the victim's vehicle and took their cell phone. Estimated loss: \$200.

~ 6:55 p.m.: On the 400 block of Columbia Way, Officer responded to a verbal altercation over domestic issues. Parties were counseled.

### July 28

~ 11:10 a.m.: Salvador

Guadalupe Sahagun, 44, of Bay Point was issued a notice to appear on charges of driving with a suspended driver's license and no proof of insurance.

~ 11:31 a.m.: On the corner of First Street and Main Street, report of a lost check.

### July 29

~ 11:12 p.m.: Chantel Marie Riley, 31, of Winters was arrested on charges of possession of methamphetamine, transporting methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia, and being under the influence of an illegal stimulant. Riley was booked at the Winters Police Department and transported to the Yolo County Jail for incarceration.

~ 6:32 p.m.: On the 1000 block of Almeria Drive, unknown suspect(s) take a GPS device from a vehicle. Estimated loss \$200.00

### July 31

~ 9:08 a.m.: On the 400

block of Main Street, unknown suspect(s) breaks out the rear driver side window of victim's vehicle. Estimated loss: \$200.

~ 6:30 a.m.: On the 30 block of East Main Street, unknown suspect(s) takes victim's vehicle while it was parked on the street. The vehicle was later located in Vallejo.

### Aug. 1

~ 12:42 p.m.: On the corner of Third Street and Abbey Street, unknown suspect(s) break out the front passenger side window of victim's vehicle and took items inside. Estimated loss: \$700.

### Aug. 2

~ 7:21 a.m.: On the 20 block of Main Street, unknown suspect(s) breaks out the rear window of victim's vehicle with an unknown object. Estimated loss: \$200.

## Putah Creek Road accident leaves man in critical condition

From The Vacaville Reporter

A man injured Sunday when his car overturned on a roadway near Winters remained in critical condition Monday at the University of California, Davis, Medical Center in Sacramento. Juan C. Conrique, 59, of Woodland, was driving while intoxicated, CHP officials said.

The accident occurred around 8:50 p.m. as Conrique drove north on Interstate 505 just south of Putah Creek Road. His inebriation

caused him to make an unsafe turning movement, officials said, and his 1986 Nissan Stanza veered off the right shoulder. The car struck a guardrail and then careened off a steep embankment, landing on its top on Putah Creek Road. The Nissan kept going, sliding north and popping back up onto its wheels on the north side of the road, officials said.

Conrique suffered head trauma and was airlifted to the hospital.



# Sports



Courtesy photo

**Winters Middle School student Colten Montgomery broke several records at the recent Gold Rush Swim Team Championships in Davis.**

## Montgomery breaks multiple records

Colten Montgomery, a Winters swimmer for the Davis Aquamonsters, was a high-point swimmer in the 11-12 age group at the Gold Rush Swim Team Championships on July 25 and 26 at the UCD Davis Schaal Pool.

Montgomery broke several records, including a league record in the 50 Freestyle (24.71 seconds), a league record in the 50 Fly (28.10 seconds), a league record in the 100 Free (35.86 seconds), a league record in the 100 Indi-

vidual Medley (54.10 seconds), and a Davis record in the 50 Backstroke (30.21 seconds). He also swam the 50 Breaststroke in 35.86 seconds. Montgomery is an eighth grade student at Winters Middle School.

## Tice a High Point Award winner at meet

Maya Tice, 17, of Winters Swim Team, won the High Point Award in the girls 15-18 age group at last weekend's Sacramento Valley Meet of Champions (MOC) held at the Woodland Community Swim Center.

Tice is the first Winters Swim Team member to win a High Point Award at this competitive meet. Tice swam six individual events to earn 109 points.

She placed second in the 100 yard individual medley with a time of 1:02.77; second in the 50 yard freestyle with a time of 25.62 (only .02 seconds out of first place); first in the 100 yard backstroke with a time of 1:03.40; first in the 100 yard freestyle with a time of 55.28; fourth in the 100 yard breaststroke with a time of 1:13.86; first in the 50 yard butterfly with a time of 27.24.

Her individual medley time was an MOC record-breaking time along with



Courtesy photo

**Winters' own Maya Tice won the High Point Award at the Sacramento Valley Meet of Champions.**

the first place winner's time. All of her swim times are personal best times so far.

Winters Swim Team also had a 9-10 girls medley relay team comprised of Ivett Arellano, Emily Ferreira, Ashley Drummond, and Jules Jiminez that placed 11th with a time of 1:21.88. Other Winters Swim Team members who competed at this high-powered meet are: D. J.

Tice, Austin Freed, Holden Philbrook, Dakota Norfolk, Dallas Norfolk, Vanessa Arellano, Sarina Tackett, Brandon Freed, Anthony Ferreira, Alec Mathe-son, Casey Cox, Jason Drummond, and Darian Lopez.

This 9th annual meet comprises the top recreational league swimmers from the area. For more information, see [www.meetofchampions.com](http://www.meetofchampions.com).

## Warriors bring home more than awards

**By ERIC LUCERO**  
**Express sports**

The Winters Warriors football program traveled to Gold Beach Oregon on July 18, through July 23, to participate in the Gold Beach High School team camp. It was the second consecutive season the Warriors have gone to Gold Beach and this year was even better than last.

Head varsity coach Daniel Ward was very pleased with the outcome of camp and was very proud of his programs' performance.

"We were the smallest school by far and you would never know it by watching us compete against everybody else," Ward said. "In our competition scrimmage we matched up with North Medford from Oregon, a school with an enrollment of over 2,100 students and we tied them."

"One of the biggest compliments that a

coach can have comes from other coaches. When they are telling you how tough your kids are, or how impressed they are with how your team competes, that says a lot. Every team we faced said something about how hard we hit. That used to be a Warrior trademark so hopefully we can bring that back," Ward added.

One of the biggest reasons the Warriors go to Gold Beach is to draw closer as a team and as far as coach Ward is concerned that was a success as well.

"First and most importantly we came back with no major injuries," Ward said. "Secondly we do become a closer knit team at this camp. We are together 24 hours a day for five days. The varsity team sleeps in tents and the JV team stays together in the music room so you definitely get to know each other better and we are closer as a team

than when we got there. We are so much further ahead compared to last year," Ward added.

The Warriors also had some time to compete individually and did very well for themselves. Winters won the overall speed and agility award thanks to the performances of some individuals.

Riki Lucero had the fastest time at the camp in the 40 yard dash with a time of 4.59. Zach Higgins had the fastest time in the shuttle for the backs. Billy Rotenkolber had the fastest time in shuttle for the linemen. Rotenkolber also had the heaviest lift for the small linemen in the squat. Thomas Boswell had the heaviest lift in the bench for small linemen. Rotenkolber and Dylan Ney were selected to the All Camp team for the varsity and Jacob Lucero was named to the All Camp team for the junior varsity.

## Football practice to begin

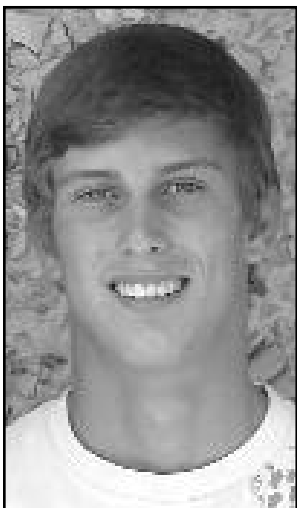
**By ERIC LUCERO**  
**Express sports**

The Winters Warriors will have their first official practice next week starting on Monday, August 10, at Winters High School.

The Warriors will start their first session of double days at 6:30 a.m., and then their second session at 4 p.m.

All players must have a physical and a parent permission form on record to participate.

## PISANI'S ATHLETE OF THE WEEK



### Dylan Ney

Dylan Ney, a senior on the Winters Warriors varsity football team, is this week's athlete of the week. Last week Ney, joined the rest of the Warriors and traveled to Gold Beach Oregon to participate in the Gold Beach football camp. Ney had such a great week of football he was named to the All Camp Team.

"Dylan has turned into a great leader and a great example," said coach Daniel Ward. "He works so hard to improve himself and to make his team better."

Ney caught a touchdown pass from his brother Jared in the scrimmage competition and several others throughout the week.

## Gamblers lose in three at World Series

**By ERIC LUCERO**  
**Express sports**

The Tri-County Gamblers won one game and lost two at the Joe DiMaggio World Series in Yountville on July 17-19. After taking the number one seed in the North Bay League the

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# Schools

## He had the golden ticket!



Courtesy photo

The Jr. Warriors youth football and cheer programs kicked off their first night of practice by pulling a winning ticket for their barbecue raffle. The Jr. Warriors have been selling tickets for a BBQ island that was donated by Freon Free. On July 27, Carson Lowrie of the 6 and 7 year olds Mitey Mite team pulled Tom Nelson's ticket. Nelson purchased his winning ticket during the Fourth of July fireworks show on the football field. "The Winters Jr. Warriors would like to thank everyone who helped support the Jr. Warriors by purchasing tickets, including Tom Nelson," said a spokesperson. The Jr. Warriors program would also like to remind the community that sign ups are still being accepted and the program is still in need of players. Interested participants can sign up at Winters Middle School, Monday through Thursday from 5:30-8 p.m.

## Adult slow pitch softball continues

The City of Winters Adult Co-Ed Slow Pitch Softball League is in the second half of its season. Below are the results for week two.

In the "A" league, on Tuesday, July 28, J.T. Martin beat Mariani, 9-14; The FOG beat Bud's Towing, 13-4; and Griffin Gang forfeited its game against No Name.

In the "C" league, on Wednesday, July 29, Neil's Service Center beat Winters Healthcare, 6-2; Meet the Parents beat Winters Healthcare, 12-6; and T&K Roofing beat Valley Oak Tree Service, 6-4.

In the "B" league, Thursday, July 30, Winters 911 forfeited its game against Main Event; Maxicrete beat Katherine's Bookkeeping Service, 10-9; and Bi-asi's Auto Repair beat

Pizza Factory/NC Fo-liage, 6-5.

The women who have made home runs over the fence this year and the number of home runs they've made are: on the Mariani team, Vianney Campos, 5; on The FOG, Melissa Spurling, 1; on J.T. Martin, Hayleigh Thomson, 4.

Members of the "Out-house Club"—a special distinction for men who hit the ball over the fence, even though doing so counts as an out—include Mark Brown-wood, John Fox and Steve Gonzales from No Name with one hit each; and from Neil's Service Center, Jude Karatz with one hit.

For those keeping score on the "A" league: Mariani has two wins, no losses; Bud's Towing has no wins, two losses;

The FOG has two wins, no losses; No Name has one win, one loss; Griffin Gang has no wins, two losses; and J.T. Martin has one win, one loss. On the "B" league: Main Event has two wins, no losses; Katherine's Bookkeeping Service has no wins, two losses; Maxicrete has two wins, no losses; Bi-asi's Auto Repair has one win, one loss; Pizza Factory has one win, one loss; and Winters 911 has no wins, two losses. On the "C" league: Valley Oak Tree Service has no wins, two losses; Meet the Parents has two wins, one loss; T&K Roofing has two wins, no losses; Neil's Service Center has two wins, no losses; and Winters Healthcare has no wins, two losses.

## SERIES

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Gamblers faced South City in their first game of the tournament and lost 12-2. Tri-County had a tough time getting going and totaled just five hits.

Max Van Dyke was the only Gambler to get two hits as he went 2 for 3 with an RBI. Joe McIntire batted 1 for 2 with an RBI. Bryan Case batted 1 for 3 with a run scored and Kevin Rowell went 1 for 4 with a run scored.

In game two Kaplan Smith led the Gamblers to their only victory of the tournament with the Gamblers picking up a 6-

2 win over Sonoma. Smith pitched a complete game for Tri-County and made the All Tournament Team. At the plate Will Enos batted 1 for 2 with a triple. Ray McIntire batted 1 for 3 with a run scored. Case batted 1 for 3 with a run scored and a RBI. Van Dyke also batted 1 for 3 with a double and two RBI. Cody Romero batted 1 for 3 with a run scored. John Cummings batted 1 for 4, Rowell scored two runs and had an RBI, while Kyle Tobler scored a run and had an RBI.

With their victory the Gamblers advanced to

another day, but unfortunately that is where it would end. Tri-County lost a disappointing 8-4 game to Napa R&L. The Gamblers hit the ball well enough to win but couldn't put any runs together.

Case had a big day at the plate batting 2 for 4 with a homerun and two RBI. Ray McIntire batted 2 for 4 as well with a run scored. Tobler was 1 for 3 with a run scored. Rowell and Cummings each went 1 for 3, while Romero and Aaron Geerts each had an RBI for the Gamblers.

The Gamblers shouldn't be too disappointed

## Middle school student, parent orientation planned for Aug. 11

Incoming 6th grade students are invited to attend "Cardinal Camp" at Winters Middle School on Tuesday, Aug. 11 from 2-5 p.m.

The day, organized by the middle school's Leadership Class, will give new students a

chance to tour the school, get their schedules and meet some of their teachers.

This year's theme, "Riding the Waves of Success," will encourage students to set goals, work hard and go with the flow as they ac-

complish great things.

During Cardinal Camp, parents are invited to attend a Parent's Orientation at 3 p.m. in the WMS Library.

For further information, call the school, 795-6130.

## Childhood mental health development program offered for local providers

First 5 Yolo and the WestEd Center for Prevention and Early Intervention have joined forces to increase local expertise in early childhood mental health.

With a goal of increasing the capacity of current Yolo County providers to work with children 0 to 5 years of age and their families on early childhood mental health issues, First 5 Yolo is partnering with WestEd to offer a free professional development program for eligible participants through a comprehensive new program for infant/family and early childhood education. The program offers a series of training sessions during a two-year period to build mental health expertise along the continuum of prevention, preventive intervention and treatment.

The Early Childhood Mental Health training

series is based on the Revised Training Guidelines & Personnel Competencies for Infant-Family and Early Childhood Mental Health in California (2009). The training series is designed to meet California endorsement hours for both Core Providers (half day sessions) and Mental Health Specialists (full day sessions).

Training will include both face-to-face training sessions as well as required outside assignments.

Those eligible to apply for the free training include Yolo County providers currently offering early intervention, early childhood education, nursing, occupational therapy, physical therapy, speech and language pathology, special education, human development, audiology, social work and pediatric services.

Also eligible are those

working with pregnant women, infants, toddlers and preschoolers and their families, as well as individuals from relevant professional practice disciplines who have a Masters Degree or higher and/or a certificate/credential.

The professional development program is planned for a cohort of 20 individuals who will complete the full two-year program and receive a certificate of completion. In addition, there will be approximately 20 fee-based slots for "drop-in" participants who wish to attend specific Friday sessions.

Trainings will be held the third Friday of each month, beginning Sept. 18 and will take place at the Woodland Community and Senior Center. Classes run from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. To apply, go to [www.first5yolo.org](http://www.first5yolo.org). Applications must be received by Friday, Aug. 14.

## UCD seeking participants

Researchers at the UC Davis, Developmental Research Center, are seeking individuals to participate in a research study on cognitive development. Children and adolescents ages 9-15 may be eligible to participate in this study (with a parent). Participants will be compensated.

For more information, contact LaTonya at [latonya@ucdavis.edu](mailto:latonya@ucdavis.edu).

in their season though considering they made it to the World Series with all Winters players except one. It's not really a Tri-County team anymore. "This really says a lot about the program that coach Jeff Ingles has at Winters High School," said Gamblers Manager Dave McIntire. "Jeff and his coaching staff are doing a great job there and the success that we had this season is a direct result of their coaching. For us to get into the World Series with just Winters players was pretty impressive."

## WHS reunion planned

Winters High School reunion for classes 1977-1982 will be held Sept. 12 from 4 p.m. to midnight at the Creekside Picnic Area, 4513 Putah Creek Road.

Tickets are \$30 per person and will include dinner and music. The deadline to purchase tickets is Aug. 31 and checks should be made to "WHS Class Reunion 1977-1982." Payment should be mailed with your name/guest name and address to: Winters High School Class Reunion 1977-1982, P.O. Box 1097, Winters, CA 95694.



# Website connects families with health, social services

First 5 Yolo has launched a new Web site that connects Yolo County residents with available healthcare and social service programs. “CompassHelps” is a quick and easy way for individuals and families to screen themselves for eligibility among multiple public assistance programs and services in the convenience and privacy of their homes. The website can be found at [www.compasshelps.org](http://www.compasshelps.org). “Anyone using the Internet, either at home or at one of the many public locations in the county, can quickly lookup available services and pre-screen themselves for eligibility” said First 5 Yolo Children’s Health Program Coordinator

Jackie Hausman, MPH, MPP. “In addition, the Web site is very easy to navigate and will soon save client information in a confidential record in the broader Compass system so people don’t have to re-enter basic information every time they contact an agency for help.” CompassHelps currently includes information about California’s Food Stamps program and a variety of free and low-cost health insurance programs for children and pregnant women. These insurance programs include Medi-Cal for Children and Pregnant Women (California’s Medicaid program), Healthy Families (California’s Children’s

Health Insurance Program), the Kaiser Child Health Plan (subsidized health insurance offered by Kaiser Permanente) and Healthy Kids (subsidized health insurance for children living in Yolo County). If people want help filling out the applications or navigating the enrollment process, the Web site provides information about community organizations that offer assistance. “For those who don’t have computers at home, the local public libraries, the Department of Employment and Social Services in West Sacramento, and First 5 Yolo partner agencies such as RISE in Esparto, Yolo County Children’s

Alliance in Davis, and the Yolo Family Resource Centers in Woodland have computers available for people to use,” noted First 5 Yolo Executive Director Julie Gallelo. First 5 Yolo plans to grow the CompassHelps system over time by including additional programs to continue to better serve the community. Additional programs under consideration include connecting Web site visitors with nutritional assistance, childcare programs, housing assistance, early childhood education and assistance with filing for tax credits. CompassHelps is part of the larger Compass software system already

being used by outreach organizations in Yolo County. The Compass system allows outreach organizations to screen potential beneficiaries for eligibility, complete program-specific application forms and manage client application processes and enrollment in the programs for which they apply. To streamline the application process, users of CompassHelps will be able to electronically provide information they have already entered into the system to organizations using the full Compass system. This will expedite the application process for the public and improve the efficiency of the assistance organizations.

## Tour of Lynch Canyon native life offered

Learn about the fascinating human history and wide diversity of native plants at the Lynch Canyon Open Space on Docent Linda Sonner’s free, guided hike at 9 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 9. Enjoy spectacular views from the top of the Prairie Ridge Trail, extending from the Golden Gate Bridge to Suisun marsh, Mt. Diablo and the Napa Valley. As participants hike, Linda will share interesting facts on historic occupants of the site from seasonal use by Native Americans through General Vallejo’s Spanish land grants and 20th century California ranchers. She also can help identify plants from native wildflowers to live oak, bay and buckeye trees for a greater understanding of the park’s environment. The tour begins at the parking lot kiosk and travels through the 1,039 acres of rolling hills, year round pond, and oak woodlands above Vallejo. This is a moderately difficult route on service roads and trails, with about an 800-foot elevation gain. Hikers should bring their own water, as potable water is not available on site. Most of the planned route will be in the open, so sun protection is recommended. Mornings at Lynch Canyon can be cool even in summer when the marine layer rolls in, so a jacket may be needed. Lynch Canyon is owned by the Solano Land Trust and operated in partnership with Solano County Parks. Saturday through Monday the park welcomes equestrians, hikers, birders and mountain bikes to the multi-use trails from 9 am to 5 pm. Visitors are welcome to enjoy the park on their own, too. Guided activities are free, but all guests pay a daily parking fee of \$5 per vehicle. For information on Lynch Canyon Open Space and a wide range of scheduled activities see [www.solanolandtrust.org](http://www.solanolandtrust.org), or call Teri Engbring at 707-432-0150, ext. 200.

## Book sale planned in Davis

The Friends of the Davis Public Library will have its last bi-monthly book sale at the “old” library site starting on Thursday Aug. 6. The sale on Thursday will be for members only, however new members may join at the door. The sale will be open to members and non-members alike from Aug. 7 through Aug. 9. On Sunday the books will be \$5 per bag. Hours will be Thursday from 5-9 p.m.; on Friday from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m.; on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.;

and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sunday June 7. The sale will be held in the Blanchard Room at the Stephens Branch Library located at 315 E. 14th St in Davis. All hardback books and trade paperbacks will be \$2; pocket paperbacks will be \$1; children’s books will range from 25 cents to \$2; and CD’s, DVD’s and tapes will be \$1. On Sunday, full bags of books will be only \$5 and “better books” are half price. For more information call 753-3463 or email [mcgeedav@dcn.org](mailto:mcgeedav@dcn.org).

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# Features

## Swelling after cancer surgery

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Two years ago I had surgery for breast cancer, and lymph nodes were also removed during the surgery. I recently developed lymphedema and am quite upset about it. I don't think I ever read where you (or anyone else) discussed it. I didn't know what it was until I saw something about it on TV. It seems to be under control, but I must wear an arm sleeve, which I hate. Please comment on it. — J.R.

ANSWER: We have two circulatory systems. Everyone knows the blood circulatory system. Few know the lymph circulatory system. Lymph is the watery part of blood that oozes out of blood vessels and bathes all body cells and tissues. It provides nutrition and protection. Lymph vessels — similar to arteries and veins but more delicate — are open-ended affairs that suction lymph fluid and eventually return it to the circulation. On its journey back to the main circulation, lymph fluid passes through lymph nodes, which remove from it foreign material and germs.

Anything that disrupts the return of fluid back to the circulation causes swelling — lymphedema. In your case, the disruption was breast surgery with removal of lymph nodes. About 15 percent of women who undergo such breast surgery develop lymphedema of the arm on the side of the removed breast.

Early treatment of lymphedema prevents permanent changes from happening. Arm elevation encourages drainage out of the arm. Elastic garments squeeze lymph fluid back into the main circulation. Compression pumps are another way to mobilize the fluid.

A special kind of massage, performed by a trained therapist, can effectively promote drainage of lymph fluid. It's called manual lymphatic drainage, and practicing therapists are found in about every section of the country. The National Lymphedema Network can put you in touch with such a therapist and can provide you with information on this condi-



tion. You can reach the network at 1-800-541-3259 and on the Web at [www.lymphnet.org](http://www.lymphnet.org).

The booklet on edema and lymphedema provides details on both these common conditions. Readers can obtain a copy by writing: Dr. Donohue—No. 106W, 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. \*\*\*

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: My doctor has me taking two blood pressure medicines every day. There was a time when my pressure was quite high. Now it's normal. I take my pressure every day. I am retired, and I think that brought my pressure down. Can I safely stop one of my blood pressure medicines? — D.K.

ANSWER: It would be safe for you if your doctor thinks it is a good idea. He or she probably will, if you discuss it.

When you see your doctor, bring with you a record of your blood pressures. That information will carry much weight in making the right decision.

Blood pressure medicine is usually, but not always, taken for life. If people make big life changes — reduce their salt intake, exercise, lose weight, minimize life's stresses — then it is possible to decrease the dose of blood pressure medicine and sometimes to eliminate it. \*\*\*

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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## A very bad dream: Hummer invades

Everyone has bad dreams. They creep into one's slumbering mind every so often. I want to share with you one nightmare I had a few weeks ago about Winters.

We all know that General Motors has gone down the tubes and had had to jettison some of its automotive divisions like Oldsmobile and maybe Saturn. It even is getting rid of Hummer. The last that was heard is that the Hummer division was being sold off to some Asian Investors.

Then, in my dream, entered Governor Schwarzenegger. He owns several Hummers himself and decided that he ought to intervene personally to keep Hummer operating, regardless of who now owns it. So he came up with an idea for Hummer's new management team. If no one will buy Hummers there won't be a need to keep building them. So the governor thought of assembling a regional Hummer sales and service center in Northern California to create jobs and help alleviate a deteriorating unemployment situation. After extensive consultation with relocation and infrastructure experts Winters was chosen to be the locale. The City of Winters, desperate for more income and eager to see more local job opportunities, agreed to the plan for the establishment of Hummer headquarters.

On the day of the groundbreaking, held on Youth Day, the governor showed up personally with his collection of Hummers (even his



biodiesel one) to be in the parade and be present for the Hummer inauguration ceremony held on the outskirts of town where long standing fruit orchards had been cut down to accommodate the new Northern California Regional Hummer Sales Facility.

To make a long story short, in a few months time Winters became a transformed town. A lot of local people got sales jobs at the gigantic showroom, and a housing boom began. People wanting to see, test drive and buy Hummers had to come to Winters to do it and two motels were built to accommodate them. On the heels of the motels came McDonald's, Wendy's, Burger King, Jack-in-the-Box and Taco Bell. The whole 505 interchange area became a beehive of gourmet fast food eating. Hummer owners were known to spare no expense in their transportation or culinary habits. The Winters Warriors were renamed the Winters Hummers and there was pressure to change Youth Day to Hummer Day and have a Hummer Earthquake Festival on a newly established Hummer Avenue.

When gas prices rose as they inevitably would, Hummer sales lagged badly. Conveniently to the rescue came Hummer Finance with a new plan that offered all recent high

school graduates 100 percent Hummer financing for 18 years at 18 percent interest with the requirement that an extended warranty also be part of the package. Hummer's financial arm exploded and more office jobs were created to broaden the employment picture. Not to worry that it didn't look like a sustainable system; the government would probably step in to let a company "too big to fail" to not completely collapse and bring down everything else with it.

As bad as things are, as poor as the lack of good paying jobs and the economic prosperity that follows them is, we may wish for something better and then be faced with the realization our wishes might come true. What if a big employer came to set up shop in Winters with plentiful good paying employment and turned it into a company type town? Many of us would not have to commute to far away places in the Bay Area or Sacramento, and we might be able to drive expensive overpowered vehicles down 505 at 10 miles an hour over the speed limit (seen any of these people on the way to Vacaville?). Slowing down and smelling the roses and counting our blessings is not a bad thing after all.

The Earthquake Street Festival will be presented by the Winters Chamber of Commerce on Friday, August 28. For more information, contact the Chamber at 795-2329.

### The Garden Bug

#### Summer flowers

	Light	Height	Notes
Begonias	Light shade	12"	Before transplanting, cut plants and set in shade for 24 hours to reduce shock.
Bush daisies	Sun	18"	Plant in full sun for best results.
Cannas	Sun	36"	Plant in full sun for best results.
Impatiens	Shade	18"	Plant in shade for best results.
Penstems	Sun	18"	Plant in full sun for best results.
Zinnias	Sun	2'	Plant in full sun for best results.

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## Pleased to meet you



**Name:** Kim Galabasa  
**Occupation:** Clerk at Wolfskill High School  
**Hobby:** Watching movies  
**What's best about living in Winters:** Likes the small community. It's a good place to raise kids.  
**Fun fact:** She's married to the best mailman in town, Cel.

### King Crossword

**ACROSS**

1 Saxophone

5 Nov. 10 power

8 Impale

12 Benefit

13 Vansee

14 Ocean motion

15 Hamlet's measure

16 Ross and backup

18 Looseleaf paper holder

20 Lucky dice

21 Prison in Portsmouth

23 Shane's cap

24 2007 comedy movie

26 Nary a soul

31 Out a living

32 Le Pew and

34 Convert

35 Cudde's

37 Quail

38 Tokyo's old name

41 Actress

42 Gypsin

43 Stryling

45 Some

49 Imagined

**DOWN**

1 Common rhyme

2 Paces

3 Jaded

4 Nemesis

5 Strips

6 Ostrich's cousin

7 Uppercase

8 Spielberg or

9 Harder

10 Picasso's

11 Harry's list

12 Imp

13 O.K. Cera

14 Dr. as a supply

15 Guitar's

16 Bionic boy

17 Trust

18 Greek consonants

19 Navy rank

20 Agile

21 Weak

22 Anyong

23 Music

24 Catch sight

25 Hed the

26 Despot

27 Exam format

28 Admonish

29 To Vancie

30 Winter forecast

31 Counterpart

### HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTING

Find at least six differences between panels.

Find at least six differences between panels.

### King Crossword

Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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### Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Technology snafustaxyourpatience. But before you throw that computer or other bulky hardware into the trash, take a deep breath and call someone knowledgeable for help.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Don't be too upset if your generosity goes unappreciated. These things happen, and rather than brood over it, move on. A new friend could open up some exciting new possibilities.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A loved one helps you get through an especially difficult emotional situation. Spend the weekend immersed in the body and soul restorative powers of music and the other arts.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You are pretty much in charge of what you want to do this week. However, it might be a good idea to keep an open mind regarding suggestions from people you know you can trust.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Another chance to shine (something always dear to the Lion's heart) might be resented by others. But you earned it, so enjoy it. The weekend brings news about a family member.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A suggestion that never took off could become viable again. Dust it off, update it if necessary, and resubmit it. In your personal life, a new relationship takes an "interesting" turn.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Confronting a new challenge to your stated position could work to your advantage by settling all doubts once you're able to present a solid defense backed up by equally solid facts.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) You enjoy doing nice things for others. But this is a good time to do something nice for yourself as well. You might want to start by planning a super-special getaway weekend.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Some changes you feel you need to make might be reasonable and appropriate. But others might lead to new problems. Think things through carefully before you act.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Good instincts usually keep the sure-footed Goat on the right path. So, what others might see as stubbornness on your part, in fact reflects your good sense of what is worth supporting.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A period of introspection could lead to some surprising conclusions — and also equally surprising changes — involving a number of your long-held positions on several issues.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) The financially practical Pisces might want to take a sensible approach to spending as well as investing. Being prudent now pays off later. A romantic situation moves into another phase.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** Your sense of curiosity keeps you continually alert for what's new about people, places and things.

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# Nuestras Noticias



## Ajustes a una nueva vida

Todo mundo ha viajado, ya sea a otro país o a su país de origen, y al viajar por lo general llevamos nuestras cosas personales y nuestra ropa en maletas. En ellas traemos cosas que necesitamos para el viaje o paseo. En ellas ponemos las ropas que nos vamos a poner. Los utensilios de aseo: cepillo y pasta de diente, jabón y toalla, desodorante y un peine o cepillos para peinarnos. Bueno pues esas maletas cuando no están en uso, las tenemos arrinconadas por ahí en el rincón o en el closet de un cuarto. Y cuando viajamos y se nos llegan a perder, con seguridad decir que es lo que tenían adentro, quizá cuatro pantalones, uno de kaki, un jean y dos oscuros de salir, uno negro y otro azul, un par de zapatos, etc. Esto lo hacemos porque sabemos claramente lo que está en nuestras maletas.

Pocas personas encuentran usted que no les pueden decir qué traen en sus maletas. Las excepciones al caso las representan los que son tan dependientes de otros, que hasta una cosa tan personal como las maletas, tienen los otros que preparárselas. En esos casos, se puede decir que esas personas no traen maletas. Un ejemplo, son los niños. Los niños no traen maletas, sus cosas se las traen otros. Si usted le pregunta a un niño, qué trae en sus maletas, de seguro que le responderá que se lo pregunten a su madre o su padre.

Cuando llegamos a este país, además de las maletas materiales, llegamos con las maletas que cargan a nuestro yo es decir, lo que nosotros somos, en ella pusimos nuestras costumbres, nuestras tradiciones, nuestras comidas, nuestros bailes, nuestra lengua, nuestra música, los recuerdos de nuestras familias, en general traemos nuestra esencia como persona. Pero estas maletas que traen nuestra personalidad, pesan mucho, pesan más que las maletas en la que ponemos la ropa y cosas personales.

Cuando llegamos aquí a California, rápido nos cambiamos de ropa, para adaptarnos no solo a la moda, sino también al clima, el medio natural, y son cosas que pronto pudimos cambiar. Ah, pero las cosas que traemos en la maleta de nuestro yo, son difíciles de cambiar y requieren largas luchas y sacrificios para ser negociadas y así adaptarnos a las exigencias de la nueva cultura que nos recibe.

Hay personas que se resisten al cambio y dicen que lo suyo no lo negocian. Esos ponen resistencia a la nueva lengua y como ponen resistencia a la lengua también la ponen a la cultura. Se niegan a aceptar la nueva música porque la única música verdadera es la que traen en su maleta de origen. No aceptan la comida porque no hay otra comida mejor que las que trajeron. Y así hacen con otras muchas cosas.

Los que así actúan se niegan a sacar algunas cosas de sus maletas e intercambiarlas por otras del lugar a donde han llegado. Al resistirse se convierten en renegados rebeldes y por tanto, viven como si fueran extraños, con sus mentes totalmente en la tierra que dejaron atrás y a la que quizás jamás volverán. Como no quieren sacar nada de sus maletas también quieren obligar a que así lo hagan sus hijos. Pero como éstos no saben lo que trajeron en sus maletas, que es lo mismo como no traer nada, se ven obligados a recoger lo que el nuevo medio les ofrece y se adaptan a él. Aceptan sin muchos miramientos la nueva cultura, su música, su comida, su lengua y por supuesto, sus costumbres.

Y es por eso que en muchos hogares habitan dos seres que, aunque llevan el mismo apellido y viven bajo el mismo techo, representan dos culturas diferentes y donde se hace difícil negociar las diferencias si no hay flexibilidad en ambos lados.

Esta situación no es extraña en muchos hogares hispanos, sobre todo, cuando los jefes de familia, es decir los padres, provienen de áreas rurales. Desprovistos de la capacidad para entender la nueva cultura, estos padres, son también incapaces de entender la conducta y actitud de sus hijos que han sido moldeados por la nueva cultura. No entienden por qué sus hijos oyen música “rap” y no rancheras, merengues, salsas o corridos.

Las personas que no se adaptan, no entienden el carácter libertino de la nueva cultura, donde el cuestionamiento a las normas y a la autoridad está a la orden del día, y este cuestionamiento no lo podemos hacer en nuestra cultura hispana en donde tenemos fuertes raíces rurales. Se da entonces un choque, no solo generacional sino cultural, que si no hay capacidad de entendimiento para negociar traen consecuencias desastrosas a la estabilidad del hogar.

Los jóvenes toman sus propios caminos, que usualmente no son los mejores, creando perturbación y desasosiego en los mayores que no saben cómo resolver el problema por desconocer los valores de la realidad social en que sus hijos están envueltos. Si no nos adaptamos a esta nueva tierra, se nos hará difícil, no sólo entender los nuevos valores que encontramos, sino también comprender los nuestros bajo la nueva perspectiva de vivir en un país extraño, no perdamos nuestros valores, pero también aprendamos a convivir y buscar los buenos valores que este país tiene. Feliz semana.

## Comprar con sentido común

Por MYRIAM GRAJALES

Tomar decisiones sensatas al ir de compras es muy importante para administrar bien los ingresos de la familia. Sin embargo, esto no siempre es tan fácil como parece a simple vista. Antes de ir de compras, haga una lista de los artículos y cantidades que necesita y llévela consigo a la tienda. Trate de no ir de compras todos los días y ahorrará dinero.

Planear el menú semanal antes de ir a la tienda a comprar los comestibles le ayudará a aprovechar mejor el dinero que apartó para ese propósito. Cuando planea los menús, piense en usar a veces otras alternativas a la carne como huevo, pescado, pollo y pavo, frijoles, mantequilla de cacahuete, queso y quesos. Con frecuencia cuestan menos y son una buena fuente de proteína. Fíjese en lo que ha estado comprando y vea si hay cambios que puede hacer para gastar menos en los alimentos.

Revise el periódico para encontrar las ventas especiales y cupones; pueden ayudarle a ahorrar dinero. Los periódicos de los miércoles muestran los alimentos que habrá en venta a precio reducido la semana siguiente. Use los cupones si necesita esos alimentos y si cuestan menos que otras marcas. En el periódico del domingo generalmente hay más cupones. Recuerde que una oferta no es una buena compra a menos que necesite el producto y lo pueda usar. Si usted no se suscribe al periódico, revise el que tienen en la tienda. La mayoría de las tiendas colocan los anuncios de la tienda para esa semana cerca de las cajas de pago.

Cuando vaya de compras, tenga en mente el espacio que tiene en el refrigerador y congelador para almacenar los alimentos. Guíese por su lista de compras. Tome suficiente tiempo para ir de compras. Trate de no ir a la tienda cuando tenga hambre. Es mejor ir a la tienda sin compañía; pero si lleva a los niños, enséñeles a ser buenos compradores desde chicos. Recuerde que los productos al final de los estantes, los de envolturas elegantes o con mucho colorido y las golosinas que colocan cerca de la caja pueden costarle más de lo que esperaba.

Haga parte del trabajo usted misma y ahorrará dinero. Por ejemplo, cortando un pollo en piezas generalmente le ahorrará entre 20 a 30 centavos por libra. Más de la mitad de los alimentos en las tiendas requieren poca o ninguna preparación; los fabricantes le han ahorrado algo de trabajo. Alimentos como la avena instantánea o cereales listos para comer, pizzas y otros platillos congelados general-

mente cuestan más que si los prepara en casa.

Para comparar precios al comprar carne, pescado, pollo o pavo, calcule el costo por porción en lugar del costo por libra. No compre paquetes de una sola porción, tales como cereales individuales listos para comer, ya que generalmente cuestan más que paquetes más grandes; hasta la “granola” se puede hacer en casa. Trate de comprar frutas, verduras y productos locales directamente de los productores en los mercados locales de granjeros.

Leer la etiqueta cuidadosamente puede ayudarle a: Asegurarse de comprar alimentos nutritivos. Identificar los ingredientes que su doctor le haya aconsejado evitar. Planear comidas balanceadas. Contar las calorías. Identificar el ingrediente principal en el producto, el cual aparece primero en la lista de ingredientes en la etiqueta. Muchos productos están marcados con fecha de caducidad, que es la fecha después de la cual no se deben vender. Seleccione productos con una fecha de caducidad que no se venza pronto; así podrá conservarlos por más tiempo. Fíjese que los precios que le cobran en la caja no estén equivocados y le estén cobrando de más. Si ve algún error, déjelo saber a un empleado o al gerente.

Los productos de marca pueden ser caros; asegúrese de compararlos con otras marcas, incluso la de la tienda o con marcas genéricas. Pueden ser igualmente nutritivos y de buen sabor, y generalmente cuestan menos. Se recomiendan estos simples pasos: Planea sus comidas semanales. Coma antes de ir de compras; comprará menos. Haga una lista de los artículos que necesita comprar para la semana. Trate de no ir de compras todos los días. Revise el periódico para enterarse de las ventas especiales. Las marcas genéricas o de la tienda generalmente cuestan menos. Busque cupones en el periódico del domingo. Busque en la tienda donde tienen los productos a precio rebajado, así como los cortes de carne a precio.

## Concurso de carnitas

La ciudad de Winters los invita a celebrar el tercer festival de la Comunidad, el cual es patrocinado por el Comité Hispano de la ciudad de Winters. El festival se llevará a cabo el día 27 de septiembre. El lugar será el parque Rotario, que se localiza detrás del centro comunitario. Traigan su familia, esta celebración es para todos los habitantes de Winters, vengan a disfrutar la música, la comida, las actividades para los niños y las presentaciones. Habrá actividades y juegos para los niños de todas las edades.

Por demanda popular regresa el concurso buscando la mejor receta en la preparación del platillo típico mexicano, las carnitas. Si usted tiene una receta para la preparación de carnitas, forme su equipo y vengase a preparar su receta a la fiesta. Por supuesto que habrá premios para las mejores recetas, \$300 al ganador, \$150 a quien la gente designe, y \$50 a la mejor salsa. Se pide como depósito pagar \$50 para la carne, la cual se les dará a los participantes el día del

evento. Los participantes deberán usar sus propios ingredientes al cocinar las carnitas. Se tendrá un panel para juzgar, en este caso probar las carnitas, y seleccionará el primer lugar, y la misma gente decidirá el segundo lugar.

Se les pide a los participantes decorar su puesto en una manera festiva y familiar, el panel de jueces decidirá el ganador, basado en el sabor y en la textura de las carnitas, los equipos también deben de poner su propia salsa, así que si tiene una receta favorita, por favor venga y compártala.

Se tienen espacios disponibles para vender comida, para personas o grupos de la comunidad, a los encargados de estos espacios se les pedirá que tengan actividades para los niños, como bingo, artes, manualidades o juegos. Si quiere más información puede hablar al teléfono 795-4910 ext. 111 con Mary Jo Rodolfa, o Dawn Van Dyke al teléfono 795-4910, ext. 108. La fecha límite para la inscripción es el 18 de septiembre, a las 5 p.m., en el City Hall.

## La economía y los frauds

Si como resultado de la crisis económica por la que atraviesa el país usted se encuentra desempleado, a punto de perder su casa o abrumado por las deudas de tarjetas de crédito, tenga cuidado de no añadir a su lista de problemas el de convertirse en una víctima más de los estafadores que parecen haberse reproducido a la par de los problemas financieros de los estadounidenses.

Los expertos advierten que mientras que la economía del país continúa “enfriándose” las estafas y engaños por parte de individuos y compañías inescrupulosas se encuentran en plena ebullición.

Los estafadores s se

están aprovechando de la precaria situación, incluyendo la dificultad de obtener crédito y la alta tasa de desempleo, para convencer a las personas a aceptar ofertas fraudulentas y engañosas que, a simple vista, aparentan ser beneficiosas pero que en realidad pueden costar mucho dinero o resultar en el robo de identidad.

En general, los expertos le recomiendan que asuma que cualquier oferta que suene poco realista o que sea “muy buena para ser cierta”, especialmente una hecha por un extraño o una compañía poco familiar — es probablemente un fraude.



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## Trustee's Sale

Trustee Sale No. 732560CA Loan No. 3010945685 Title Order No. 3206-210926 Notice of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 8/15/2006. 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 08/19/2009 at California Reconveyance Company as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust, recorded on 08/21/2006, Book , Page , Instrument 200600105279 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Solano County, California, executed by: THERON JONES AND KATHLEEN JONES, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS COMMUNITY PROPERTY WITH RIGHT OF SURVIVORSHIP, as Trustor, WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA, as Beneficiary, will sell at public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's 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. Sale 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 the Deed of Trust. 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, interest thereon, estimated 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. Place of Sale: At the Santa Clara Street entrance to the City Hall 555 Santa Clara Street, Vallejo, CA Legal Description: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$632,494.09 (estimated) Street address and other common designation of the real property: **8915 GADDINI ROAD, Winters, CA 95694** APN NUMBER: 0103-200-070 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". In compliance with California Civil Code 2923.5(c) the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent declares that it has contacted the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure; or that it has made efforts to contact the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure by one of the following methods: by telephone; by United States mail; either 1st class or certified; by overnight delivery; by personal delivery; by e-mail; by face to face meeting. Date: 7/24/2009 SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT Exhibit DECLARATION PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE SECTION 2923.54 Pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2923.54, the undersigned loan servicer declares as follows: 1. It has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.54 that is current and valid on the date the notice of sale is filed; and 2. The timeframe for giving notice of sale specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or Section 2923.55. JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association Name: Ann Thorn Title: First Vice President California Reconveyance Company, as Trustee (714) 259-7850 or www.fidelityasp.com (714) 573-1965 or www.priorityposting.com Deborah Brignac California Reconveyance Company is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Deborah Brignac, Vice President 9200 Oakdale Avenue Mail Stop N110612 Chatsworth, CA 91311 P596540 7/30, 8/6, 08/13/2009

## Trustee's Sale

TSG No.: 4089644 TS No.: 20099070807868 FHANA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 09/13/2004. 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 08/12/2009 at 09:00 A.M., FIRST AMERICAN LOANSTAR TRUSTEE SERVICES, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 09/21/2004 as Instrument No. 2004-0042697-00, in book, page, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of CALIFORNIA. Executed by: DANA L. SUCEVICH 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 FRONT ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL, 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: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE MENTIONED DEED OF TRUST APN# 049-302-04-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **16970 BONYNGE STREET, ESPARTO, CA 95627**. 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 \$175,707.75. 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. Requirements of SB1137 have been met pursuant to the Notice of Sale Declaration of Record. The beneficiary or servicing agent declares that it has obtained from the Commissioner of Corporations a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the Notice of Sale is filed and/or the timeframe for giving Notice of Sale specified in subdivision (s) of California Civil Code Section 2923.52 applies and has been provided or the loan is exempt from the requirements. First American Title Insurance Company First American LoanStar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 Date: 07/23/2009 Original document signed by Authorized Agent. -- FOR TRUSTEE'S SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 714-480-5690. www.tdsf.com FIRST AMERICAN LOANSTAR TRUSTEE SERVICES MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. TAC: 847756L PUB: 7/23; 7/30; 8/06/09.

## Fictitious Business Name

FILED YOLO COUNTY CLERK/RECORDER June 11, 2009 FREDDIE OAKLEY, CLERK Linda Smith, Deputy FBN NUMBER 2009-587 Fictitious Business Name Songs for Film and TV Classical Modern 1341 Cassel Lane, Davis, CA 95616 Mailing Address: 3500 Anderson Road, Davis, CA 95616 Name of Registrant David Fisher 1341 Cassel Lane, Davis, CA 95616 Sandy Whitcombe 131 Cassel Lane, Davis, CA 95616 This business classification is: Husband and Wife s/David Fisher/Sandy Whitcombe 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 Linda Smith, Deputy Clerk Published July 16, 23, 30 August 6, 2009

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## Trustee's Sale

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S No. 1204081-10 APN: 003-480-48-1 TRA: 002012 LOAN NO: Xxxxxx5782 REF: Stanich, John IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED August 19, 2003. 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 August 25, 2009, at 9:00am, Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded August 25, 2003, as Inst. No. 2003-0051933-00 in book XX, page XX of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, executed by John Stanich An Unmarried Man, 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 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: **109 Lauren Court 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: \$80,434.52. 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. Regarding the property that is the subject of this notice of sale, the "mortgage loan servicer" as defined in civil code § 2923.53(k)(3), declares that it has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to civil code section 2923.53 and that the exemption is current and valid on the date this notice of sale is recorded. the time frame for giving a notice of sale specified in civil code section 2923.52 subdivision (a) does not apply to this notice of sale pursuant to civil code sections 2923.52. California Declaration I, John Kennerty, of America's Servicing Company ("Mortgage Loan Servicer"), declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that the following is true and correct: The Mortgage Loan Services has obtained from the Commissioner of Corporation a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to California Civil code Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the accompanying Notice of Sale is filed. AND/OR The timeframe for giving Notice of Sale specified in subdivision (a) of Civil Code Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or 2923.55. Date and Place: 7/03/09 Fort Mill, South Carolina Name of Signor: John Kennerty Title and/or Position VP Communication 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: July 21, 2009. (R-246775 07/30/09, 08/06/09, 08/13/09)

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## Fictitious Business Name

FILED YOLO COUNTY CLERK/RECORDER June 29, 2009 FREDDIE OAKLEY, CLERK Ava Woodard, Deputy FBN NUMBER 2009-650 Fictitious Business Name College Painting Solutions 818 Arnold Street, Davis, CA 95618 Names of Registrant Dreyer Ruell LLC. 818 Arnold Street, Davis, CA 95618 This business classification is: Limited Liability Company s/Sean Ruel 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 Linda Smith, Deputy Clerk Published July 23, 30, August 6 and 13, 2009

## Fictitious Business Name

FILED YOLO COUNTY CLERK/RECORDER July 15, 2009 FREDDIE OAKLEY, CLERK Liz Mahovich, Deputy FBN NUMBER 2009-715 Fictitious Business Name RPL Distributing 22986 Country Road 95, Woodland, CA 95695 Names of Registrant Kimberly Fredrickson 22986 Country Road 95, Woodland, CA 95695 This business classification is: Individual s/Kimberly Fredrickson 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 July 23, 30, August 6 and 13, 2009

## Fictitious Business Name

FILED YOLO COUNTY CLERK/RECORDER July 9, 2009 FREDDIE OAKLEY, CLERK Kristina A. Hunt, Deputy FBN NUMBER 2009-696 Fictitious Business Name Baciariini Martial Arts, Inc. 612 Fourth St., Davis, CA 95616 Names of Registrant Baciariini Martial arts, Inc. State of California This business classification is: Corporation Beginning Date of Business: 5/15/09. s/Richard Baciariini 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 Kristina A. Hunt, Deputy Clerk Published July 30, August 6, 13 and 20, 2009

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## Order to Show Cause for Change of name

FILED Yolo Superior Court July 31, 2009 By S. Jensen, Deputy Case Number: PT09-1921 Superior Court of California, County of Yolo 725 Court Street Woodland, CA 95695

### Order to show cause for change of name

To all interested persons: Julie E. Roberts filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name Natalie Esther Julia Kane to Proposed name Natalie Esther Julia Roberts. **THE COURT ORDERS** that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

### NOTICE OF HEARING

Date: October 14, 2009 at 9a.m., Dept.: 15 The address of the court is 1100 Main Street, Woodland, CA 95695 A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county, Winters Express.

When a Petition for Change of Name has been filed for a child and the other parent, if living, does not join in consenting to the name change, the petitioner must have a notice of the time and place of the hearing or a copy of the Order to Show Cause served on the other parent not less than 30 days prior to the hearing under Code of Civil Procedure section 413.10, 414.10, 415.10, or 415.40.

Dated: July 31, 2009 Samuel T. McAdam Judge of the Superior Court

Published August 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2009



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• On Aug. 14, 1912, the first double-decker bus appeared on the streets of New York, traveling up and down Broadway. The double-decker originated in London as a two-story, horse-drawn bus.

• On Aug. 11, 1934, a group of federal prisoners classified as "most dangerous" arrives at Alcatraz Island, a 22-acre rocky outcrop 1 1/2 miles offshore in San Francisco Bay. The convicts were the first civilian prisoners to be housed in the new high-security penitentiary.

• On Aug. 13, 1942, Walt Disney's classic film "Bambi" premieres at Radio City Music Hall in New York City. The company had released its first feature-length animated film, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," in 1937.

• On Aug. 15, 1961, two days after sealing off free passage between East and West Berlin with barbed wire, East German authorities begin building a wall — the Berlin Wall — to permanently close off access to the West. The city would remain divided until Nov. 9, 1989.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. : 20090159903988 Title Order No.: 090153419 FHA/VA/PMI No.: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 09/13/2006. 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 PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDEX WEST, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 09/18/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0036721-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of CALIFORNIA. EXECUTED BY: KEVIN MORAN AND CANDICE A. JOHNSON, 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: 08/12/2009 TIME OF SALE: 12:00 PM PLACE OF SALE: AT THE REAR (NORTH) ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL BUILDING, 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: **216 BLUE OAK LANE, WINTERS, CALIFORNIA 95694** APN#: 038-170-06-1 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 \$417,292.40. 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: AGENCY SALES & POSTING 3210 EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 200 IRVINE, CA 92602 714-730-2727 www.lpsasap.com NDEX West, L.L.C. MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NDEX West, L.L.C. as Authorized Agent Dated: 07/16/2009 ASAP# 3183677 07/23/2009, 07/30/2009, 08/06/2009

Trustee's Sale

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No: A387648 CA Unit Code: A Loan No: 952149/BORGES AP #1: 064-262-005-000 T.D. SERVICE COMPANY, as duly appointed Trustee under the following described Deed of Trust WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (in the forms which are lawful tender in the United States) and/or the cashier's, certified or other checks specified in Civil Code Section 2924h (payable in full at the time of sale to T.D. Service Company) all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property hereinafter described: Trustor: EDUARDO BORGES, GABRIELA BORGES Recorded March 14, 2005 as Instr. No. 2005-0011589-00 in Book --- Page --- of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County; CALIFORNIA, pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded April 29, 2009 as Instr. No. 09-12686 in Book --- Page --- of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County CALIFORNIA. YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED MARCH 5, 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. 298 WEST WOODLAND AVENUE, WOODLAND, CA 95695 "(If a street address or common designation of property is shown above, no warranty is given as to its completeness or correctness)." Said Sale of property will be made in "as is" condition without covenant or warranty, express 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 as in said note provided, 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. Said sale will be held on: AUGUST 25, 2009, AT 9:00 A.M. "AT THE NORTH ENTRANCE TO THE WEST SACRAMENTO CITY HALL, 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA At the time of the initial publication of this notice, the total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the above described Deed of Trust and estimated costs, expenses, and advances is \$265,517.25. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. The mortgage loan servicer has obtained from the Commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the notice of sale is recorded. The timeframe for giving notice of sale specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 Date: July 30, 2009 T.D. SERVICE COMPANY as said Trustee, T.D. Service Company Agent for the Trustee and as Authorized Agent for the Beneficiary NANCY YOUNG, ASSISTANT SECRETARY T.D. SERVICE COMPANY 1820 E. FIRST ST., SUITE 210, P.O. BOX 11988 SANTA ANA, CA 92711-1988 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. 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. If available, the expected opening bid and/or postponement information may be obtained by calling the following telephone number(s) on the day before the sale: (714) 480-5690 or you may access sales information at www.ascntex.com/websales. TAC# 851520C PUB: 07/30/09, 08/06/09, 08/13/09

Fictitious Business Name

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July 8, 2009  
FREDDIE OAKLEY, CLERK  
Kimberly Johnson, Deputy  
FBN NUMBER 2009-680  
Fictitious Business Name  
Winters Visitors Center  
11 Main Street, Winters, Ca 95694  
Name of Registrant  
Winters District Chamber of Commerce  
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This business classification is: Corporation  
s/Dan Maguire

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.  
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FREDDIE OAKLEY County Clerk/Recorder  
Kimberly Johnson, Deputy Clerk  
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Trustee's Sale

Trustee Sale No.: 20090159900333 Title Order No.: 090022107 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 8/9/2006. 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 PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 08/14/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0031717-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: TIMOTHY A BACK, 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: 8/26/2009 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall 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: **129 RIVERVIEW COURT WINTERS, CA 95694** APN#: 003-380-16-1 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 \$444,841.99. 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 NDEX West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 7/24/2009 NDEX West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P601217 8/6, 8/13, 08/20/2009

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Isabel Becerra, Deputy  
FBN NUMBER 2009-683  
Fictitious Business Name  
Bullseye Leak Detection, Incorporated  
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Mailing address: P.O. Box 73114, Davis, Ca 95616  
Names of Registrant  
Bullseye Leak Detection, Inc.  
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s/Kimberly Marks

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Fictitious Business Name

FILED YOLO COUNTY CLERK/RECORDER  
July 15, 2009  
FREDDIE OAKLEY, CLERK  
Isabel Becerra, Deputy  
FBN NUMBER 2009-711  
Fictitious Business Name  
Woody's Landscape  
16 Joyce Ct, Woodland, Ca 95776  
Name of Registrant  
Michael Woodward  
16 Joyce Ct, Woodland, Ca 95776  
This business classification is: Individual  
s/Michael Woodward

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.  
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FREDDIE OAKLEY County Clerk/Recorder  
Isabel Becerra, Deputy Clerk  
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FILED YOLO COUNTY CLERK/RECORDER  
July 13, 2009  
FREDDIE OAKLEY, CLERK  
Kimberly Johnson, Deputy  
FBN NUMBER 2009-705  
Fictitious Business Name  
C&S Enterprises  
26842 Madison Street, Epsarto, Ca 95627  
Name of Registrant  
Steven Graham  
26842 Madison Street, Epsarto, Ca 95627  
Cynthia Graham  
26842 Madison Street, Epsarto, Ca 95627  
This business classification is: Husband and Wife  
Beginning Date of Business, 7/13/09.  
s/Steven Graham/Cynthia Graham  
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Trustee's Sale

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S No. 1204080-10 APN: 003-480-49-1 TRA: 002012 LOAN NO: Xxxxxx5741 REF: Stanich, John IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED August 19, 2003. 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 September 01, 2009, at 9:00am, Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded August 25, 2003, as Inst. No. 2003-0051934-00 in book XX, page XX of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, executed by John Stanich An Unmarried Man, 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 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: **111 Lauren Court 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: \$73,853.76. 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. Regarding the property that is the subject of this notice of sale, the "mortgage loan servicer" as defined in civil code § 2923.53(k)(3), declares that it has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to civil code sections 2923.52. California Declaration I, John Kennerty, of America's Servicing Company ("Mortgage Loan Servicer"), declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that the following is true and correct: The Mortgage Loan Services has obtained from the Commissioner of Corporation a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to California Civil code Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the accompanying Notice of Sale is filed. AND/OR The timeframe for giving Notice of Sale specified in subdivision (a) of Civil Code Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or 2923.55. Date and Place: 07/03/2009 Fort Mill, South Carolina Name of Signor: John Kennerty Title and/or Position VP Communication. 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: July 31, 2009. (R-249182 08/06/09, 08/13/09, 08/20/09)

Abandonment of use of Fictitious Business Name

FILED YOLO COUNTY CLERK/RECORDER  
July 9, 2009  
FREDDIE OAKLEY, CLERK  
Kristina A. Hunt, Deputy  
FBN NUMBER 2009-596  
Fictitious Business Name  
Baciarini's Martial Arts  
612 4th St., Davis, CA 95616  
The fictitious business name was originally filed in Yolo County on 7/8/08 and is being ABANDONED by the registrants listed below:  
Richard Baciarini,  
1737 Campos Ave., Woodland, CA 95776  
Lorie Trapani  
25310 Carlsbad Ave., Davis, CA 95616  
Jim Trapani,  
25310 Carlsbad Ave., Davis, CA 95616  
This business was conducted by a General Partnership.  
s/Richard Baciarini/Lorie Trapani  
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  
Kristina A. Hunt, Deputy Clerk  
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Trustee's Sale

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. GM-179366-C Loan No. 0655887046 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 1/13/2006. 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 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. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. TRUSTOR: BRIAN BOYINGTON AND JAMIE BOYINGTON, HUSBAND AND WIFE Recorded 2/21/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0006945-00 in Book, page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, Date of Sale: 8/13/2009 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, California Property Address is purported to be: **728 LUPINE WAY WINTERS, California 95694** APN #: 003-510-12-1 The total amount secured by said instrument as of the time of initial publication of this notice is \$403,111.92, which includes the total amount of the unpaid balance (including accrued and unpaid interest) and reasonable estimated costs, expenses, and advances at the time of initial publication of this notice. Pursuant to California Civil Code 2923.54 the undersigned, on behalf of the beneficiary, loan servicer or authorized agent, declares as follows: [ 1 ] The mortgage loan servicer has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the notice of sale is filed; [ 2 ] The timeframe for giving notice of sale specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or 2923.55. Date: 7/20/2009 ETS Services, LLC 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: 714-730-2727 Christine Gomez-Schwab, TRUSTEE SALE OFFICER ASAP# 3185882 07/23/2009, 07/30/2009, 08/06/2009

Trustee's Sale

T.S No. 09-11569-11 Loan No. 17292814 Notice of Trustee's Sale A copy of California Civil Code Section 2923.54 (SB 7) declaration is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 8/25/2006. 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 PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction to sell the highest bidder for 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 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 to 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: JAVIER SORIA, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY Duly Appointed Trustee: The Wolf Firm, A Law Corporation recorded 08/30/2006 as instrument No. 2006-0033988-00, in Book, Page and rerecorded on --- as ---, of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, Date of Sale: 8/12/2009 at 12:45PM, Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$356,102.17, estimated. Street Address or other common designation of real property: **313 Creekside Way , Winters, CA 95694**. A.P.N.: 038-180-28-1. 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 first publication of this Notice of Sale. Date: 7/15/2009 The Wolf Firm, A Law Corporation Irvine, CA 92614 (949) 720-9200 Foreclosure Dept. Fax (949) 608-0130 Sale Information Only (714) 573-1965 MAGGIE F. SALAC, Foreclosure Officer Declaration to Notice of Sale as required by California Civil Code Section 2923.54 (1) The mortgage loan servicer has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date this Notice of Sale is filed. (2) The timeframe for giving notice of sale as specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or 2923.55. Debra Lyman Signature Debra Lyman Print Your Name Vice President Print Your Title Litton Loan Servicing, LP Print Company Name Mortgage Loan Servicer P596752 7/23, 7/30, 08/06/2009