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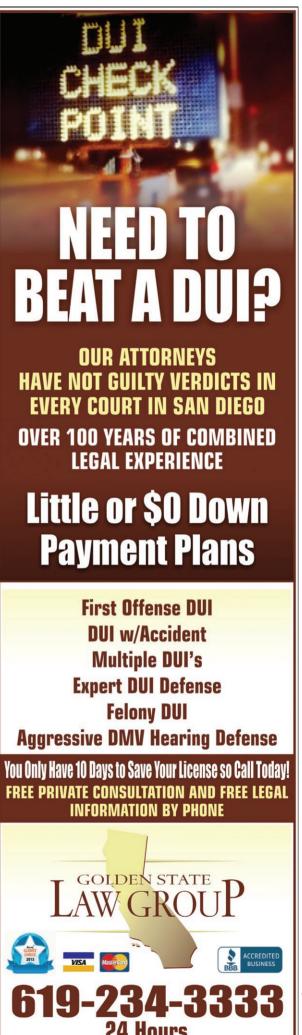
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#### **NEWS TICKER**

By Reader staff writers

#### Not guilty, but still jailed

Oceanside man who admitted double shooting is acquitted

On July 1, court observers were stunned when a jury declared an Oceanside man not guilty of two charges, even though the defendant took the witness box and admitted shooting two persons.



Diego Arturo Martinez admitted shooting Lisa Badgett and Robert Robbins. Robbins died.

The jury foreman said that everyone on the jury agreed that a crime had been committed, but the panel of seven men and five women could not agree on exactly what that crime was.

Diego Arturo Martinez, now 22, was declared not guilty of first-degree murder in the fatal shooting of Robert Robbins, 47, the night of August 30, 2012.

The jury foreman said the panel was impressed with a video recording of Martinez, in which he is seen and heard telling Oceanside police: "I never meant to shoot her." The jury was convinced that the defendant "accidentally shot" Lisa Badgett, who survived being shot in her face and arm, the foreman said.

So Martinez was not found guilty of any charge.

Badgett was present to hear the verdicts and reportedly left the courtroom in tears.

Eva Knott

#### Dead kids don't sue

Lawyer convicted of stealing identities of deceased children

After only 30 minutes of deliberation, a federal jury on June 30 convicted Lloyd Irving Taylor, tax attorney and accountant, of 19 felony counts, including aggravated identity theft and tax evasion.

Evidence at trial reportedly showed that he stole identities of dead children and used them as aliases to get fraudulent passports and create phony accounts to hide his income from the Internal Revenue Service.

Taylor created nonexistent churches, for which he opened bank accounts, so his income could grow tax-free. Over 42 years, Taylor had filed tax returns only seven times, according to court records.

Don Bauder

## For-profit colleges devour G.I. Bill bucks

San Diego doesn't look so good

The Center for Investigative Reporting on June 28 came out with a study of GI Bill funds flowing to for-profit colleges that fail state aid standards. "California is the epicenter of this problem with nearly two out of every three GI Bill dollars going to for-profit colleges," says the center.

San Diego fares poorly in the analysis.

"The University of Phoenix in San Diego outdistances its peers," says the center. Since 2009, the campus has received \$95 million to educate Iraq and Afghanistan veterans, although it has been ineligible to get state aid.

The graduation rate at the University of Phoenix in San Diego is below 15 percent and more than 25 percent of its students default on their loans, says the center.

The University of Phoenix in Costa Mesa is in second place among schools ineligible to get state aid, but getting the GI Bill money. Two other San Diego campuses are in the top five: ITT Technical Institute in National City is third, with \$40.6 million, and California College San Diego is fifth, with \$21.5 million.

Since the GI Bill act passed in 2008, the University of Phoenix's corporate parent, Apollo Education Group, has spent \$4.8 million in lobbying, says the center. San Diegobased Bridgepoint Education has spent \$4.6 million. Orange County's troubled Corinthian Colleges spent \$4.4 million on lobbying.



Schools continue to rake in millions of G.I. Bill funds, but graduation rates are not so impressive.

Securities and Exchange Commission filings show Bridgepoint "spent \$871 million on marketing and recruiting over the last three years and took in \$336 million in profit. Combined, that was more than the firm spent on instruction," says the center. Ashford University, which accounts for almost all of Bridgepoint's revenue, has received \$110 million to educate Iraq and Afghanistan veterans in the past five years, says the center.

Don Bauder

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The fin whale that washed up in Imperial Beach on May 24 after an unsuccessful tow out to sea

## Whales, sharks, and baby birds

By Marty Graham

t's a whale of a tale: a respected though sometimes controversial crew of shark researchers who wanted to use a dead whale

to chum great white sharks for tagging discover they won't be allowed to, because another shark-protection group triggered severe limits on tagging by trying to get white sharks on the state endangered-species list.

Instead, the rotting whale ends up on the beach just

yards from a border sanctuary where two endangered species are in the midst of breeding season — with tiny hatchling birds running around.

And since dead whales attract predators both at sea and on land, a carcass — from an endangered species — that



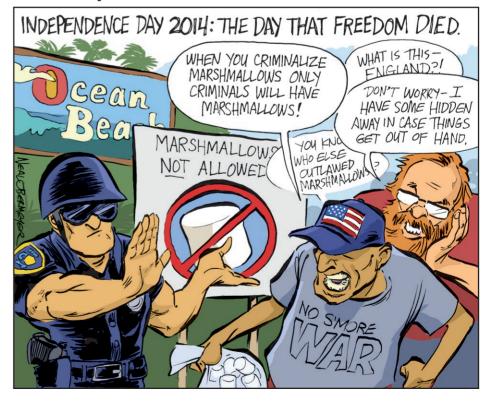
**Michael Domeie** 

might have been bait for one challenged species instead becomes a danger to two others.

#### The shark men

The tale begins on May 19, when a dead fin whale, between 50′ and 60′ long,

#### **Neal Obermeyer**



washed up at the Point Loma Wastewater Treatment Plant just north of Cabrillo National Monument.

The rule of the coast: whoever is in charge of the shoreline where the dead animal shows up is in charge of the clean-up, according to National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration biologist Susan Chivers.

By May 21, a crew led by "Sharktagger" Keith Poe, had committed to towing the whale out to use it to attract sharks — mako and great white — and tag them for research. Poe has been tagging mako sharks since 1994 and is one of the California Department of Fish & Wildlife's top shark taggers.

"I've tagged over 4000 mako, thresher, great whites, and other sharks off Southern California," Poe says in a phone interview.

The shark taggers, through the Fallbrook-based Marine Conservation Science Institute led by Michael Domeier, have a permit to use such carcasses from the National Marine Fisheries, according to NOAA spokesman Justin Viezbicke.

According to Dovi Kacev, a shark researcher with the Conservation Ecology Lab at San Diego State University, "Dr. Domeier has sev-



California least tern chicks



A product of Michael Domeier's Hawaiian honey business

eral peer-reviewed articles in the literature, and he has contributed to the body of research that suggests the sharks travel much farther than we thought," Kacev said. "He is certainly recognized as experienced in shark tagging, and he's as qualified as anyone to conduct the research."

Domeier's biography, on

his agent's website, says he "conceived the idea and science behind National Geographic's series Expedition Great White and Shark Men, appearing in 18 episodes of these programs."

But it's not clear that Domeier, who lives in Hawaii while his institute is domiciled in Fallbrook, was involved in the towing that was done under the auspices of his nonprofit organization. Repeated attempts to contact Domeier — including messages left with his wife — and to obtain records from his nonprofit went without response.

#### The other shark men

Sharks are also a passion for Oceana, which describes itself as "the largest international organization focused solely on ocean conservation." In August 2012, the group's Northern California office applied to list the great white on the state endangered-species list.

The bid to get state endangered species protections had an important consequence — usually intended, of making "take" of the sharks off limits.

"Take' is defined as pursue, hunt, capture, or kill," says Craig Shuman, marine region manager for the California Department of Fish and Wildlife. "Tagging is viewed as take."

As the Fish & Wildlife permit shows, tagging continued on page 32



Facebook page entry on May 24

#### **UNDER THE RADAR**

**Dinosaur Democrat** The more things seem to change in San Diego politics, the more they really stay the same. That might be the motto of Alex Roth, newly named communications director of the reelection bid of Democratic House freshman Scott Peters. "Alex has been a communications advisor and journalist in San Diego for more than a decade," notes an email from Peters's chief of staff MaryAnne Pintar announcing the move. "Most recently he was communications director for the Robert Brewer for San Diego District Attorney campaign. Before that he worked as a communications advisor for interim mayor Todd Gloria and as a deputy press secretary for Republican mayor Jerry Sanders." Prior to his Sanders service, Roth was a reporter Illustration of a DINO doing what it does best for the then-Copley-owned, strongly GOPleaning San Diego Union-Tribune. While at the U-T, Roth became famous for his February 2008 run-in with Democratic then-city attorney **Mike Aguirre** — a foe of the Chargers stadium favored by the paper — who publicly berated the Copley reporter, saying, "You and

your paper have become part of the campaign."
Copley favorite and current GOP incumbent **Jan Goldsmith** defeated Aguirre, but the *U-T* was subsequently downsized and Roth left town. He did a brief stint with the *Wall Street Journal* in Atlanta before boomeranging back to San Diego to sign up with the Sanders city hall crew. GOP incumbent district attorney **Bonnie Dumanis** defeated Brewer, a non-partisan, last month. Roth's sudden appearance on the Peters campaign payroll is likely to confirm the belief widely held among political insiders that the La

Jolla congressman is largely a DINO — Democrat in Name Only — who toes the party line on high-profile votes in Washington but otherwise protects the interests of big-money military and high-tech contractors. His contributors include **Eugene Mitchell**, the Sempra "government affairs" vice president who sits on the board of the Voice of San Diego news

and opinion website chaired by anti-union La Jolla investor **Buzz Woolley**. According to OpenSecrets.org, funding for the Peters effort from Sempra-related donors has totaled \$7500 during the current election cycle.

Predator drone-maker General Atomics, run

by anti-Obama arms maker **Linden Blue** and brother **Neal**, kicked in \$8000 from its political action committee and \$1000 from individual employees. The PAC of another drone maker, Northrup Grumman, gave \$10,000. Qualcomm, whose Democratic founder **Irwin Jacobs** is especially close to the **Jerry Sanders** wing of the local GOP, was the source of \$19,000. BAE Systems,

finance this year's Sanders-led June electoral victory over the Barrio Logan community plan, came up with \$7000. Its partner in the battle, General Dynamics, gave \$5000.

the military contractor that helped

**Billionaires on** 

Peters, more TV backing for him funded by Wall Street hedge-fund operator **James Simons** is in the pipeline. Disclosure records made public by NBC tele-

vision affiliate KNSD show that the so-called House Majority super PAC recently purchased 238 30-second spots for \$159,250, to run from September 29 through November 3. The liberal billionaire is the largest donor to House Majority this election cycle, kicking in a cool \$1 million. Big labor has also given substantially. Though the KNSD documents don't mention it, the PAC has not made a secret of targeting GOP congressional candidates, including Republican ex—San Diego city councilman **Carl DeMaio**, the Peters foe who is a favorite of the billionaire anti-union Koch brothers of Wichita, Kansas.

#### **Ghosts of taxpayers past San**

Diego county district attorney Bonnie Dumanis easily dispatched the inept campaign of chal-

lenger Bob Brewer, a sometime defense lawyer who inexplicably shied from talking about restoration of the office's long-dormant ethics division. Dumanis is currently busy parrying attempts by a group of local media outlets advised by so-called First

Amendment lawyer **GuyLyn Cummins** to get hold of a purported endorsement letter Dumanis wrote on behalf of the son of political money-laundering defendant **Jose Susumo Azano**. With Dumanis safely re-elected, even *U-T San Diego* — owned by real-estate magnate **Douglas Manchester**, a longtime backer of the D.A. — is loudly

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#### **Ouest for Justice**

I'm a long-time fan of Joe Deegan and was impressed by the cover story last week ("Murphy Canyon Mystery," July 3).

I had a similar thing happen to me involving the Escondido Police. I was a victim and yet treated like a perpetrator. I can assure Mr. Saikali that race had nothing to do with it.

Police training has changed and now everyone is seen as the bad guy. Departments are failing to release information even under the Freedom of Information Act.

I wish Mr. Saikali the best in his quest for justice. I can only hope he finds it.

Name Withheld via email

#### **America's Finest**

Re: "Murphy Canyon Mystery," July 3 cover story.

So, can the citizens of San Diego collectively sue the San Diego Police Department for advertising themselves as "America's finest" on their cars? This is where the dishonesty starts, so perhaps if we adorn their cars with, "I'm a [insert noun], i.e. "rapist," "drug-dealer," "violent, corrupt, asshole," at least the public wouldn't harbor any illusions about these twits.

Please don't print my name or email. I don't want to be beaten up by some rapist, drug-dealing, violent, corrupt, asshole San Diego cop. Name Withheld

Point Loma

#### **Looking the Other** Wav

In response to Les Merrill's letter ("Cheap Shot," July 3), Chief Lansdowne was well aware of the dangerous activities and criminal record of policeman Ken Davis, but allowed Davis to continue roaming the streets of San Diego as a uniformed, armed cop.

Davis is the cop who, on April 13, 2013, among the SDPD Gang of 7, expressed open approval of the severe beating and attempted murder of an innocent man. See the cover story of the July 3 Reader ("Murphy Canyon Mystery"). Lansdowne did "look the other way," and ignored written notifications of what occurred in that incident.

An internet search for "SDPD cop Ken Davis" should bring up several links to news articles, and yet Davis is only one of many SDPD cops who have been exposed for being angry, violent, and generally dangerous to the public.

> Mr. Saikali via email

#### **Punked**

Your June 26 "Steampunk Junction" feature story was a great introduction to the general movement. Much was written about the clothing and the machines, but not so much about the music of the culture. Yes, there is a reference in the opening paragraph to "Carousel," a single recording composed and produced by Poplock Homes, in answer to the Westfield incident.

However, might I direct your readers to voiceoflajolla. com (La Jolla internet radio) to view the internationally acclaimed local steampunk band, Steam Powered Giraffe. There you can see their entertaining "Honeybee" video and listen to their podcast interview.

If you haven't been introduced to this well-established group's unique act and heard their story, do yourself a pleasurable favor.

Ron Jones, station manager, volj.net

#### **Junior for Mayor!**

Junior Najor rocks! Elizabeth Salaam captured the man and his glowing charisma perfectly ("Man of 4000 Titles," June 19 cover story).

I have been a fan and a continued on page 15

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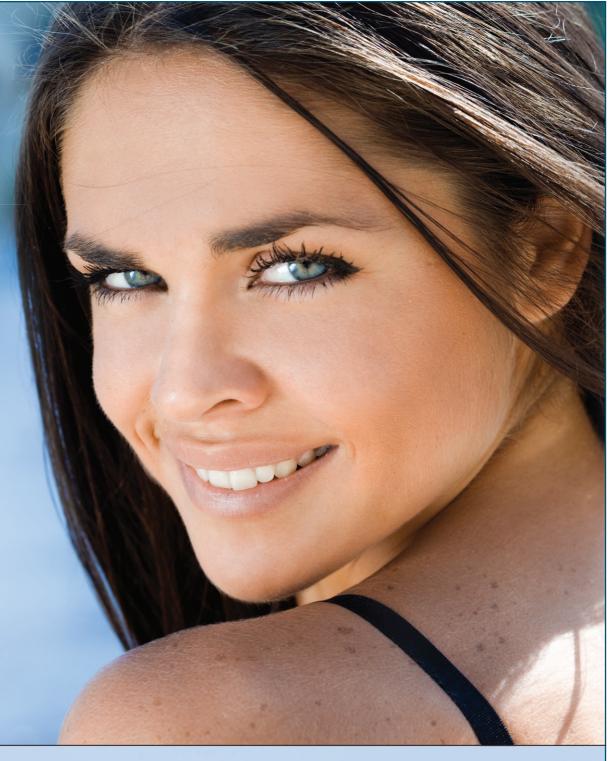
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#### **Dangerous gardeners?**

### 17 percent of (caught) illegal border crossers are criminals

Of the more than 20,000 people apprehended by the U.S. Border Patrol in San Diego in the first eight months of this fiscal year, 3321 of them had a total of 6329 criminal convictions for crimes against people or driving under the influence. That's according to San Diego sector spokesman Paul Carr, who sorted through the agency's current numbers at the request of this reporter.

Those numbers do not include minor crimes.

Former U.S. Attorney Peter Nuñez points out that by virtue of crossing the border illegally, a crime was committed — one not counted in these statistics.



"We watch them all," an agent says. "You don't know who you have or how dangerous they are until you process them."

"The real question about the 3321 is what happened to them after they were caught," Nuñez says. "The Border Patrol arrests and turns them over to [Immigration and Customs Enforcement], and what *should* happen is ICE investigates their backgrounds and

one of three things follow: they are sent for prosecution to the U.S. Attorney's office; they are set up for deportation; or they are granted voluntary departure (the alien waives his right to a deportation hearing and is deported). But what has been happening is that the Obama administration has ordered many of them released from custody into the community."

Asked what happened to the criminals, ICE spokeswoman Virginia Kice says that the criminal aliens' fates were decided on a case-by-case basis.

Each case has to go to an immigration judge. And that's a frustration for ICE.

"We see DUI as a threat to public safety," Kice says. "Removal for DUIs has been extensively litigated and the person may be allowed to remain in the U.S."

MARTY GRAHAM

POWAY

#### Atticus, where art thou? Missing teen's cell phone, computer wiped clean

It's been four weeks since 18-year old Atticus VanArsdale went missing from his Poway home. The morning of high-school commencement day, the 12th-grader at Poway High School failed to show up for graduation practice and hasn't been heard from since.

Over a few hours on July 1, I was able to speak with four of VanArsdale's classmates, graduates of the class of 2014. All described VanArsdale as a "nice guy" and "very quiet." One teenager described him as "socially awkward." But Cameron, who knew of him only by seeing him around school, advised, "He wasn't a loner. He always had friends."

I was informed that there was a girl named Shannon who was one of VanArsdale's best friends. I was able to reach her by phone as I was leaving the area.

Shannon said she wasn't surprised by VanArsdale's complete, well-planned disappearance. I asked where she thought VanArsdale has gone.

"Anywhere he wants to be. People need to understand he's ridiculously smart. If he doesn't want to be found, he won't be found.



Atticus VanArsdale "wasn't a loner."

Only when he wants to be found, will they find him." Others I spoke with also mentioned his extreme high level of intelligence, which they credited for his social awkwardness.

VanArsdale is described as a white male with brown eyes, 6-foot, 1-inch tall, 170 pounds, with long blond/brown hair that he usually wears in a ponytail but sometimes not. He was also known for usually wearing a fedora hat. His computer and cell phone left at his home were wiped clean. He didn't take his driver's license and had no access to bank accounts.

As we went to press on July 7, it was reported that Atticus VanArsdale had been found and was on his way home. No other details were available

KEN HARRISON

OCEAN BEACH

#### **Park crashers**

#### Bees eliminated in time for Fourth

While the rest of the country was getting ready for the Fourth of July, city parks employees



A custodian of nature in O.B. wrote this note on the picnic table's edge.

worked to remove a few hundred bees that had collected under a picnic table at Brighton Street Park in Ocean Beach. The bees, which may have chosen the spot to maintain warmth and gather strength before swarming off in search of a suitable place to build a hive, were unknowingly awaiting a visit from an exterminator on the afternoon of July 3.

The bees had been reported to the San Diego Parks and Recreation Department June 27. With the beginning of Independence Day less than 24 hours away, Park and Rec could wait no longer for the insects to move along of their own accord. A city-contracted pest-control vendor had to be called in to take out the critters, said Dan Daneri, regional supervisor for shoreline parks.

"I was hoping the sprinklers would come on at night and chase them out," Daneri said.

Daneri acknowledged some may fret over the loss of the bees, but the city had no other options, he said.

TONY DE GARATE

TIJUANA

#### El sexo peligroso

#### Prostitutes busted without health cards

Tijuana authorities recently detained around 30 prostitutes for failure to have current health cards in an ongoing citywide crackdown on violators of a variety of municipal laws.

"We've had an intense operation dealing with sex workers without a health card, minors drinking in bars, street merchants, and people selling items related to the World

Cup," said the city's inspections director, José Antonio Olivas, in the June 26 edition of the daily *El Sol de Tijuana*.

"When we asked to see their health cards, some said they did not have one because they cost too much," continued Olivas. "Others said they did not have one because they were too embarrassed to get one, or they didn't have the time,

or that they were not prostitutes and were just waiting for someone in the area. But we know otherwise because we have operations every day."

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You've mentioned single-origin espresso a few times in your answers. What does that mean? (Tell your friends to whom you just read my letter to stop snickering.)

— JES

It means you only get your coffee at Starbucks.

No, not really. But 'Bucks has dabbled in single-origin fever of late. For the discerning hipster, an unqualified shot of espresso no longer suffices, and single-origin beans are the only truth you need to know when ordering. You can think of "single-origin" coffee (or chocolate, or other commodities) as having something like an AOC (appellation d'origine contrôlée),

the well-known French standard for agricultural products, whereby geographical origins are certified and guaranteed with a government stamp of approval. AOC control is serious business in France, but "single-origin" occupies a broader range of meaning than it sounds. It could refer to coffee from one country, a region of a country, a single farm, or any number of those things. The belief, among newwave coffee roasters in the U.S. (and other parts of the world to a much lesser degree) is that coffee beans grown and harvested under specific geographic and climatological circumstances will exhibit a kind of terroir, a specific character that reflects the time and place of their

provenance.

There's truth in that, so you can nod approvingly when your favorite barista urges you to look for the "rich twigs-and-berries flavor, with hints of Pine Sol, tapioca pudding, and marmoset" in your but using it for coffee is much more widely applicable, don't you think?

#### **Dear DJ:**

I've heard that hipsters are ushering in a new era of craftsmanship.



cup of Balinese kopi luwak.

Great trivia: the phrase "single-origin" originally referred to an evolutionary theory about the common ancestor of humankind,

Is this true? If so, where can I see hip handicrafts? And what, if any, crafts do you dabble in?

Coming as he often does from a middle-

class background, the contemporary urban hipster yearns for an idealized version of a more honest, simpler past; one in which skilled craftsmen produced more meaningful goods than the mass-produced crap of a post-industrial society. The hipster, generations removed from a life of hard labor, would return to the grueling days of his forebears. I once tried to establish a workable system for wine → wine corks → artisan cork boards, but I had to choose between sufficient sobriety to work my craft and drinking wine to produce corks enough for my purposes. A friend suggested I reclaim corks from bars and restaurants, but where's the fun in that?

The industrious





hands of the modern hipster are hard at work in San Diego. The *Reader* recently ran a story about a young Hillcrest couple—he bearded, she with an asymmetrical haircut—who wanted to offer the world a better bar-spoon, lovingly handcrafted with the sensibilities of modern art in mind.

I know an ex-barista who works for a skateboard company by day and handtools leather goods in his garage workshop by night. I believe he has yet to make a business of it, however. Call him a "gentleman laborer," perhaps.

Enter most hipsterowned businesses and you'll find some sort of handicrafts on display, whether hand-tooled lamps (complete with Edison bulbs!) at your local coffee shop or artisanal hand soaps at a small gallery. Hipster handicrafts are all around you.

> — DJ Stevens Find more answers at SDReader.com/hipster

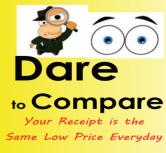












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## Mayor Faulconer on Tony Gwynn: "A pretty good ballplayer for a pretty good city."

Remarks from San Diego mayor Kevin Faulconer at free public ceremony honoring deceased Padres star Tony Gwynn, Petco Park, June 26.

"Tony Gwynn was a consummate gentleman, a team player to the end. Even his one major-league record — most five-hit games in a season — he was willing to share with no less than four other players. He also shared his National League record of eight battling titles with Honus Wagner, and his record of seven seasons leading the National League in hits with Pete Rose. From the very beginning, he refused to hog the spotlight:

he didn't win Rookie of the Year in 1982 and he never won an MVP award any year after that. He finished at #19 on the all-time hits list and #17 on the all-time batting-average list. He never won a World Series, but he had respect for the game, unlike, say, Barry 'Juicebox' Bonds, who did what he did to the home-run record books. And the game understood that, making Gwynn a first-ballot Hall-of-Famer."

"Tony Gwynn: just below first in the record books, but first in our hearts. Not the best, but pretty darn good. Just like us."



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"What prompted them? What difference does it make?"

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# NASCAR king Jimmie Johnson thanks El Cajon hometown at ceremony

From this day forward, June 17 in El Cajon will be known as Jimmie Johnson Day, in honor of the six-time NASCAR Spring Cup Series champion who spent his childhood there. Mayor Bill Wells made the proclamation at a ceremony attended by none other than Jimmie Johnson himself. And after Wells presented Johnson with a custom shotgun and an El Cajon street sign for Jimmie Johnson Boulevard, the racing great shared his gratitude with the fans in attendance.



El Cajon mayor Bill Wells hands Johnson a personalized 12-gauge shotgun, "The only key our city will ever need."

"Those mementos will be great to hang on the wall and remind me of what went on today," said Johnson. "The goose bumps I had, the feeling of my stomach dropping when I saw everyone, will help me remember today. I will display them as a constant reminder of where I could have been stuck for my whole life if I didn't keep driving faster, always faster. I will hold on to that feeling of

nameless, stomach-dropping dread. I mean, I live in Charlotte, North Carolina, now — 2300 miles from El Cajon. But it's never far enough. I have to keep driving, have to get away, away, away. My only fear is that no matter how many titles I win, I'll never be able to outrun where I'm from. But I promise you this: I will never give up. I will never stop trying. Thank you, El Cajon, for giving me

the motivation to become a true champion."

Wells also noted that Johnson has donated millions to schools in El Cajon and elsewhere. "I do it to try to give kids another way out," explained Johnson. "Not everyone will be able to make it the way I did. But no one should be trapped here. Education is often these kids' only hope. I just hope I can help somehow."

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A great many years ago, when I was studying physics as an undergraduate and also coaxing a girlfriend to come visit for the weekend (honesty compels me to admit that she wasn't

really a girlfriend but rather was a girl I hoped unreasonably, as it turns out — to win over as a girlfriend), I calculated the approximate gravitational attraction between her body and mine, first with her at her own campus a couple hundred miles away and then at the

blessed moment when we would be in close proximity to each other.

Schoolwork compelled me to do such calculations anyway. This exercise was simply an effort to make the practice relevant.

According to my figures, the second value was somewhat greater than the first. That is, the force of attraction between us did increase a bit when we were together, but not so much that you'd notice. I mean the numbers were infinitesimally small.

Calculations really weren't necessary to arrive at that conclusion. The girl did come to visit, but only, I think, to confirm that the suspicions she already held about me were correct. Despite rudimentary stirrings of romanticism, I was a tedious geek.

That old misadventure came to mind today, prompted by a silly poem addressed to an insignificant grain of sand ("...Is this the life that you had planned? That there'd be jillions just like you?..."). It started me thinking about numbers outside normal experience (the size of a grain of sand, the number of such grains in the world, etc.) and from there (inevitably) back toward a subject closer to my heart, the combinational possibilities in mixing and matching genetic information from one generation to the next and specifically how in the blazes my son Joseph ended up with a developmental disability that even now remains unexplained.

When Joseph was a baby, a neurologist told me to accept his condition because, as he put it, "it just happened." I hated the ease with which a man of science could so easily shrug off a young patient as a victim of

random chance, without even attempting to understand, much less treat, the problem. So I rejected what he said. In those days, Judy and I thought it was likely a case of birth trauma brain injury perhaps due to prolonged labor and vacuum delivery. We were embarking

> on a years-long home campaign to help him overcome that injury, and of course knowing what we were up against could have affected the choices we made and our chances of success.

Not that those Gravity: it's the law chances were defined any more accurately

than the problem itself. Geeks presume that expressing something in numbers is a way of enhancing control over whether we'll get the outcome we want, be it a new girlfriend or a healthy child. In this case, however, there was no handy formula for quantifying those

Over time it became apparent that they must have been very long odds — maybe one in whatever number of universes would be required, based on random chance, for this one to turn out as it has. And I might as well confess to having no better grasp of figures like that than anybody else. (I was always impressed with the image of a hundred bottles of beer on the wall.)

But I suspect that really knowing what such numbers mean would result in inaction and absolute zero chance of success. This is where people's romantic impulse has value the thing that prompts us to throw ourselves into impossible causes. After all, some folks do win the lottery. Some families working very hard with a disabled child do achieve lifechanging breakthroughs. Heck, even in our abysmal ignorance, Judy and I won victories with Joseph.

And for those who don't get the prize (we didn't, certainly not to the extent we wanted), well, there's comfort in knowing that it's not such a bad thing to expend yourself on a noble

Still, it can only help to have a good, solid grasp of what you're up against. And that's why I continue the pursuit, even at this late date. Next up for Joseph is a relatively new test called whole exome sequencing.

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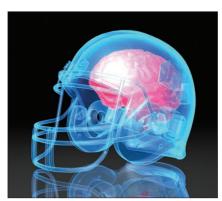
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#### Sporting Box BY PATRICK DAUGHERTY

## Settlement II



These brain-concussion lawsuits will stretch on until somebody invents brain-replacement surgery.

orld Cup soccer fans, cheer up, the NFL preseason starts in 24 days. Since we have time to kill, the pre-preseason may be the perfect occasion for a heart-to-heart about — always a crowd favorite — brain concussions.

If you've read this far, you'll recall the original NFL concussion settlement — featuring a \$675 million payout, agreed to by retired players' lawyers and the NFL — was so unfair that a Philadelphia federal district court judge, Anita Brody, rejected it. Whoa.

You have this front page, coast-to-coast lawsuit, both sides agree to a resolution, but the resolution is so obviously bad, so obviously unfair, even the referee can't stomach it. Like nothing else, this explains how this lawsuit is about the NFL avoiding the discovery process and plaintiffs' attorneys getting paid (attorneys are due up to \$112.5 million within 60 days of settling).

So, settlement I is shelved. So, plaintiffs' lawyers and NFL lawyers have to cook up something else to sell to the judge. Concussion Settlement II was submitted to Judge Brody on June 25, 2014.

There won't be caps on how much money the NFL will spend, but *caps remain* on how much each retired player may receive for each covered medical condition. If the NFL actuaries are correct — and we don't know, since their work hasn't been shown to the public, but if they're right, the actual outlay of NFL money won't change. If they're wrong, the total payout might be more, might be less. In either case no player will receive more money than what was due in Settlement I.

I wrote about a preliminary Settlement I draft last September. "The money is distributed over a 20-year period. Half to be paid out in three years, the other half to be paid out over 17 years. The NFL is making

\$10 billion in yearly revenue, projected to be \$25 billion by 2027. But, let's suppose the NFL's revenue stays flat at \$10 billion a year, and let's suppose there is zero inflation for the next two decades. Journalist David Tigabu, commenting on how much money the NFL will take in over the next 20 years, writes, "...the \$675 million figure being distributed to the players through this settlement amounts to .34% of the NFL's total projected revenue over this period.' Less than one-half of one percent."

The corporate media doesn't talk about one-half of one percent. It's too complex, takes a paragraph to explain; better say \$675 million and move on. Not remotely accurate, but it is easy.

Settlement I limited the NFL to ten appeals per year. Settlement II allows the NFL unlimited audits and appeals on players' claims. In other words, if the NFL wants to trim expenses, they could demand this proof or that form, say this wasn't filled out right and that wasn't dotted. They could wage a paper war until the beneficiary gives up or dies.

In Settlements I and II, the NFL admits no liability, doesn't have to answer a shit-storm blizzard of subpoenas about who knew what and when, won't have a generation of NFL executives, coaches, trainers, and doctors deposed or made to testify in court, won't have emails revealed, or dirty secrets exposed. Now that's worth one-half of one percent.

In Settlement II, the NFL must deposit \$120 million in a brain-damage award fund within six months of closing. After that, the league is only obliged to make deposits "as needed" to keep the fund at \$10 million for the first ten years. Only needs to keep the fund at \$5 million for the 11th through 50th year. At \$1 million from the 51st through 60th year, and \$250,000 though the 65th year. Suddenly, the only guaranteed money seems to be the initial \$120 million. That one-half of one percent just took a brutal hit.

Since retired players' attorneys are looking at a \$112.5 million payday within 60 days of settling, and the NFL is looking at a flood tide of brain-concussion lawsuits that will stretch on until somebody invents brain-replacement surgery, you can't find two sides who are more eager to settle.

Then there are the retired players. You have to do something about them. If the judge approves Settlement II, it will be sent to 18,000 plaintiffs and their beneficiaries. Retired players will vote to approve the settlement, opt out, or object to. How long will that take? No player will be paid until all appeals are exhausted.

Next up, 750 former NFL players are involved in a lawsuit, filed in federal court, alleging the NFL illegally and unethically supplied them with drugs designed to mask pain. If this keeps up, the NFL might have to move their payout needle to one percent.

#### **LETTERS**

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customer for the past five years. My hope is that he will eventually run for city council, win, and go on to become mayor of San Diego. His intelligence and fairness would suit him well for this position.

Dominic Martina via snail mail

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## Playing Fast and Loose

The Oxford English dictionary defines the noun *sortie* as a "mission or attack by a single plane." Having re-read my May 22 letter ("Lindy's Nazi Antics") regarding Charles Lindbergh's pre-war and wartime activities, specifically the sentence "It is true Lindbergh sortied alongside American fighters," I am comfortable the word selection properly described his actions.

It is true that qualifying "sortied" with the adverb "merely" diminishes the weight of the activity. I did not, however, take that step. I am left to wonder why Mr. Stirling elected to do so in his June 19 correspondence ("Lindbergh v. Roosevelt"), and then to subsequently take me to task for his device.

Regrettably, this is not the letter's only factually questionable representation. It is Mr. Stirling's prerogative to conclude one sole reason — an imbroglio related to air mail delivery — informed President Roosevelt's decision to disqualify Colonel Lindbergh from World War II service. However, academic historians point to a wide range of tensions, many of which traced their prov-

enance to Lindbergh's challenging behaviors throughout the '30s and early '40s. Lynne Olson's recent publication (*Those Angry Days*) speaks well to the complexities the letter writer glosses over.

It is also incorrect to state, "Germany, along with every other European country, awarded Lindbergh their top civilian aviation award." The continent of Europe has dozens of nations, the majority of which took no such steps. The assertion that an "overwhelming majority" of Americans "vehemently" opposed joining the Second World War also plays a bit fast and loose with the narrative. Public polling, which remains dicey in modern times, was not sophisticated enough during the period to gauge social opinions as concretely as Stirling now feels empowered to do. Newspaper publisher, and fellow Missourian, Basil Brewer did not broadcast his 1941 piece "Farewell to Lindbergh" in a vacuum. His calls to "finish the Lindbergh hoax...he talks on subjects of which he is profoundly ignorant" reflected the attitudes of unknown millions more.

Perhaps the most disconcerting aspect of Mr. Stirling's attempted contribution to this nuanced historical discourse is his strategy of rehabilitating Lindbergh via an attack on President Roosevelt. Stirling apparently feels no compunction about characterizing the four-term chief executive, roundly considered one of the greatest leaders in American history as a liar. His charge that Roosevelt engineered the Pearl Harbor attack is as dubious as the source he cited to uphold the claim.

Such smokescreens are not helpful to serious people. They confuse more than they enlighten and, in any event, will not alter the complex set of facts surrounding Charles Lindbergh's pre-war behaviors. A wonderful aviator and iconic global figure, he was also a bigot, bigamist, and someone who was seen by many contemporary and historical onlookers as out of step with his times.

Jeffrey Demsky San Bernardino



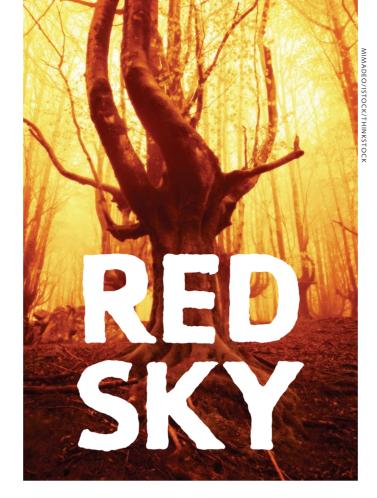
## In the fall of 1970, California caught fire.

Between September 25 and October 3 that year, the U. S. Forest Service recorded 16 fires that consumed over 528,000 acres statewide. From Humboldt County in the north to the Mexican border, high winds and record low humidity set the stage for some of the worst fires ever reported in a state known for big fires.

In the chaparral-covered hills east of San Diego, Saturday, September 26, dawned a burnt orange. At 6:15 that morning, the first day of deer-hunting season, two hunters reported a fire to two Forest Service men at the Kitchen Creek hunter's station. Kitchen Creek runs south out of the Laguna Mountains just east of Pine Valley. In an area now familiar to San Diegans from television footage of illegal aliens trudging along dirt roads through manzanita and dust-colored boulders, Santa Ana winds fanned the incipient flames.

By September 29, what became known as the Laguna-Kitchen Creek Fire had burned 185,000 acres. Its borders stretched west to El Cajon, Spring Valley, and Lemon Grove, and south past the Sweetwater Reservoir almost to Chula Vista. At the fire's height, it burned 4000 acres per hour and moved 32 miles

I remember the Laguna Fire. I was eight years old. We lived in a three-bedroom wood-frame house on Valley View Trail in Pine Valley. My father was the



chief of the Pine Valley Volunteer Fire Department. Every Thursday evening at 7:00, the big siren in the middle of town would wail, and men from around the valley would pour into the tiny firehouse for the department's weekly meeting. Other evenings or early in the morning or late afternoons, the siren would

call the men to an emergency. Sometimes a house on fire. More often than not, a wreck on the highway.

When I was a kid, Highway 80

At the fire's height, it burned 4000 acres per hour and moved 32 miles in 30 hours.

stretched like a long, thin ribbon, two measly lanes, from San Diego up over the mountains, down into the desert, and onto the Arizona border. Cattle trucks and semis laden with produce from the Imperial Valley labored up the steep serpentine grades. Cars, impatient to get around the slow-moving behemoths, passed where they shouldn't. I remember my father coming home from head-on collisions, his face set. He never talked about the crashes. And if we were out driving in another part of the county and had to slow down to get around emergency crews working at a wreck, my dad always told us to look the other way.

In the fall, when the winds blew hard out of the east, we worried about brush fires. We watched other fires on the TV news, tiny black firemen shapes outlined against great walls of orange flame. I remember waking up on that Saturday in September 1970 in the room I shared with my sister. White plaster walls and whiteand-blue flowered curtains at the window. Already the light coming through the window stained the walls and curtains a sickly yellow. My nostrils ached with a smell like burnt, crushed herbs.

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tant things happened. My dad left the house before breakfast to drive the short mile and a half up to Sunrise Highway and to look at the fire. When he got back, my mom called the firemen and told them to stand by in case the fire came into the valley.

As the morning progressed, the sky got darker. Black and orange and red clouds obscured the sun. Mom drove my little brother and me to the firehouse so she could answer the phone there while Dad and the other firemen readied their trucks and equipment. Green Forest Service trucks and fire engines from different areas around San Diego rumbled up the

highway and gathered at the clubhouse a block down the street from the fire station. Inside the firehouse, the smell of brewing coffee mingled with the nose-stinging aroma of institutional pine cleaner. Sitting at a desk with the telephone receiver pressed against her ear, my mom called the firemen's wives and told them we might have to evacuate. She set a phone chain in motion to alert all the vallev's residents. "Listen for the siren," she said over and over again. "When the siren sounds, it's time to leave the valley."

Pausing between calls to light a cigarette, my mom told me, "Go out back and watch Sunrise Highway. When you see the fire come over the hill, tell me right away."

My little brother and I ran out into the red-tinged gloom. The wind tore at our hair. Casting occasional glances across the valley toward the Lagunas, we swung on the metal rail that ran beside the firehouse. At one point, we ran to the front of the firehouse to see what my dad was doing. When we came back, yellow tongues of flame burned halfway down the mountain. My heart raced. I ran into the firehouse. "Mom," I panted, "the fire's come over the hill."

My mom ran outside to see for herself. The firemen followed us. A few minutes later, the siren wailed. We drove back to the house, gathered some clothes, the gray metal box where my mom kept all our important papers, and a huge crate filled with family photos. While my dad stayed in the valley fighting the fire, we spent the next two days at my grandma's house in Bay Park. We watched our fire on the TV. On Sunday, the sky grew dark with smoke, and ash fell like snow all around my grandma's house.

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619-521-2841 www.mccresearch.com Tuesday, we drove back to Pine Valley. The entire east side of the valley, an area sparsely populated and composed mostly of the valley's dump, looked as if it had been fire-bombed. Bare skeletons of trees rose out of black earth. The meadow, a grassy plain in the middle of the valley, had burned too. Only three houses had been lost. Ours was not one of them.

That night the firemen and their families gathered in the park. My dad and the other men built a fire in one of the long brick pits and barbecued steaks and chops and chicken that had thawed in the Charcoal House restaurant's freezer while the power was out

during the fire. I'm sure the men told war stories.

I was too young to remember what my father said in the days and weeks after the Laguna Fire. My older sister tells me he talked of nothing else until she finally complained one night at the dinner table, "Can't we talk about something other than the fire?" The few times he's mentioned the fire to me over the years, he hasn't said much. But each time, I thought I saw tears in his eyes.

Last week, I sat down with my father and asked him what he remembered. As he approaches 70, he doesn't always remember what day it is or where he went yesterday. He recalled

being on the fire department and the Laguna Fire.

"When I first joined the fire department, John Pingley was the chief," my dad told me. Sitting at his kitchen table looking out at a stormy Mission Bay, my dad spoke in a deep rumble. He keeps his whitening hair cut short these days, and it stands straight up on top the way my grandfather's did when I was a little girl. The sharp lines of his face have softened with age. But his eyes still snap with a fierce, angry humor. "Pingley was a retired Navy commander. A little while after we moved to the valley in 1962, I went over to the firehouse and asked if I could join. They said, 'Okay.' They almost

couldn't stop you from joining because they didn't have that many men. So I started training with them."

At every Thursday's meeting, the firemen would begin with fire truck maintenance. "We kept the equipment spotless," my dad recollected. After checking out the equipment, the firemen ran a drill. "We would pretend a fire was coming into Noble Creek or some other area around the valley. We would go out and spray water and do all the things you would do if you were really fighting a fire. We'd take a support tanker with us. And we had some houses that were shut down, summer houses,

that we used to train on. I don't know whether people knew we trained on their houses or not. We never went inside.

"John was real good that way," my dad acknowledged. "We trained every meeting. Because of the number of auto accidents we had to run on, we also trained on first aid. We would practice getting people out of cars. We had a big circular saw that we could cut metal with and an old car that we cut up. That was fun."

When my dad joined the department, he became one of 13 volunteer firemen. He moved up in the ranks. "When they made you a captain, they put you in charge of one of the

trucks." After serving as a captain for a few years, my dad was chosen to be chief in the mid-1960s. During his tenure, he kept up the department's training. "We trained every week," he said. "I think I made it a little more interesting by making the wrecks more realistic. And I made the guys actually go through the steps and do things instead of just talking about what they might do in the situation. When they showed up at a real wreck and stepped off the truck, they knew what they were going to do. I think it worked out better. It was quicker. Fewer mistakes.

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my dad continued. "It was a house fire the next street up from ours. One guy would get out of the truck and he'd run and look at the fire. Then he'd run back. He hadn't taken any tools with him. Then another guy would go up and look at the fire, and he'd come back. I said, 'Geez, what's going on here?' At that time, I wasn't even on the department; I was just an observer. That was a real eye-opener. Nobody on the department did anything until John Pingley showed up. If he wasn't in the valley, you could go ahead and fight the fire. But if Pinglev was in the valley, you didn't do anything until he arrived at the scene. The sucker could burn to the ground if John didn't get there on time."

According to my dad, he adopted a different system when he was chief. "Everyone was trained to know what to do and to take charge until another officer showed up. Every fireman had to know how to fight the fire."

The new system didn't always work. "The first time the department ran on a call after I became chief, it was almost a calamity," he laughed. "In the end, everything

worked out all right, but it wasn't clean. I'm trying to remember the first time everything went the way I planned. It may have been when the store in Guatay burned. The guys took the stuff in, and there were no mistakes. It went just like we had practiced. It was all pretty well set up by the time I got there."

As part of their training, the firemen did a critique after every fire. "Then we would make a plan and put it in our fire book. If the structure ever burned again, we knew what we would do, where we would attack from. We also went ahead and made plans for a lot of the bigger structures in town, like Cecil's store."

When we lived in Pine

the Pine Valley Store. A small general store like you might find in a Midwestern town, Cecil's store sold chips and pop and ice cream to people who drove up from the Imperial Valley to cool off in the Pine Valley park. My mom drove into El Cajon every two weeks to do her big grocery shopping. But if we ran out of bread or eggs in between trips to town, my mom sent one of us across the meadow to Cecil's.

Valley, Cecil Proffer owned

While we lived in the valley, Cecil lost his store. My dad told me, "We had a plan in place when Cecil's store actually burned. Of course, the fire started in a little tiny room off the

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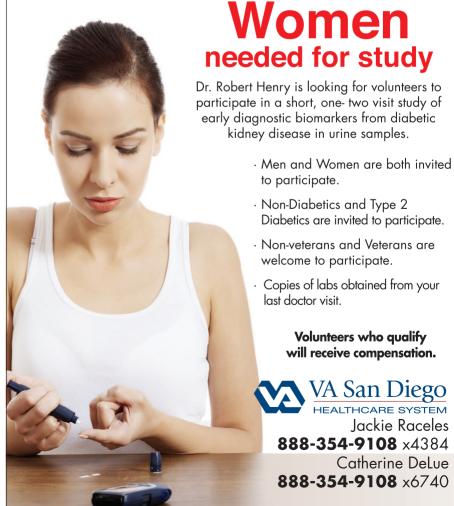
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main store itself. And it had been sitting in there cooking for a while before we got there. When Frank [one of my dad's captains] opened the door, the fire came out and got the oxygen it needed. The store burned to the ground."

I remember my dad talking about the fire at Cecil's store. He told stories about pulling up layer after layer of old linoleum flooring trying to get at the fire burning underneath. Dad remembered, too. "Always up there you had to be careful because people would remodel without permits. If they wanted to put in a new floor, they wouldn't tear out the old floor; they'd just bring in the wood and nail it down. And sometimes if they raised the floor a little bit, there would be a space under there about two inches high because they'd used two-by-fours.

The fire would go right into that space between the old floor and the new floor and creep along. The smoke would be coming out clear down here," my father pointed to one end of the room, "and the fire would be burning way over there." He swung his hand toward the opposite wall. "So we learned what to look for."

After we'd been talking for a while, I asked my dad about the Laguna Fire. "We had trained for a fire coming down Kitchen Creek," he said, "as much as you could train. You can't set a fire coming down Kitchen Creek and go after it. If the wind was blowing and we got a chance to train on a little fire, we always remembered what we did. And we were very careful to note what had burned or the way the wind took the fire." Dad paused. "But as far as training on anything like the Laguna Fire — no way. Everything's on fire from the highway to out past Art Preston's house [a distance of two miles] and it's all moving at you at 50 miles an hour.

"I remember seeing the smoke that morning when I came out of the house. I drove up to Sunrise Highway to an area called the gravel pit to check out the fire. The wind was blowing so strong you could hardly stand up. And you could see it was coming at us. They'd had a little spot fire that the Forest Service put out on the other side of Sunrise Highway, toward the valley. But, God, the wind was the worst I've ever seen it. So we just turned around and said, 'Well, I guess we'll go back to the valley and get ready for it.'

When my dad spoke about fighting the fire, his eyes filled with tears. In all my life, I've seen my dad cry twice — once before they wheeled him into the operating room for his first open-heart surgery and once when our dog died. "What you do is stake out houses to protect yourself," he said with tears streaming down his face. "You can hide behind the house if the fire is coming at you. So you pick a house that's right in the path and wait until it comes and try and put it out."

He named the houses the fire department staked out when the fire came into the valley. "When the trucks came into town from other areas, we'd have one of our guys take them and put them at a house. Or we tried to figure some place we could put them so they could catch the fire as it came by."

Catching the fire sometimes meant beating back the flames over and over again. "We had old Frank Sexton stationed at the Moluskis' house," my dad remembered. The Moluskis owned one of the two houses south of the dump area where the fire entered the valley. "The fire'd come and Frank would knock it down. And he'd sit back. Then 15, 20 minutes later, here it'd come again. He'd knock it down. Twenty minutes later, he'd have to save the house again. Jesus. If you think about things, you might get scared in a situation like that where the fire just keeps coming and coming."

My dad paused. His tears had already dried. "Actually, for a fire that size that burned right through the valley, we were real lucky. Usually it would have burned up everything. We lost three houses."

I asked my dad about the fire storm. After the fire, one of the valley's residents, June Cross, interviewed many people who lived in Pine Vallev as well as the firemen who'd fought the fire. In April 1971, the Pine Valley Improvement Club published a compilation of Cross's interviews. They titled the chronicle The Fire Issue. Many of the firemen interviewed for The Fire Issue talked about the fire storm. In the months after the Laguna Fire, I remember my dad talking about the fire storm as well.

"We were thinking about this all the time," my dad explained. "We had a lot of trucks stationed up by the dump. We'd had a fire up there before that had come down to the dump and followed the creek into the valley. We figured this fire would be coming through that same area because the wind was blowing from the same

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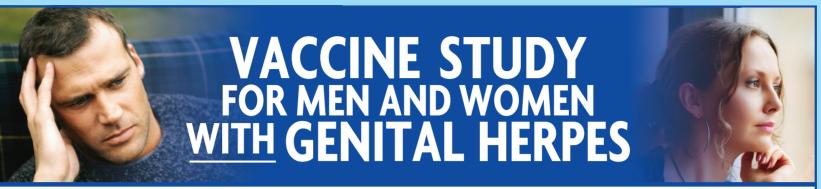
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direction as it had during the other fire. And I began to think, 'If it really comes through here, we're going to have big problems.' So we moved some of the trucks out, especially the big trucks from town that had trouble making the turns on the little roads. Pretty soon after that, the fire storm came right through that area."

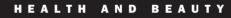
According to the reports in The Fire Issue, about 5:00 Sunday morning, the firemen saw a deep red glow up behind the dump. "There's no fuel for the fire at the dump," my dad told me. "The area around the dump was cleared of brush. So the fire burned down to the dump, and then it sat there and cooked. It pulled oxygen from as far away as Guatay, three miles up the hill on the other side of the valley. It created a vacuum. It sucked oxygen and sucked oxygen until

there was no oxygen left in that particular area. Then suddenly there was an explosion, and the fire filled in the area that it had pulled all the oxygen out of. It just came barreling down there. I'd say it was probably moving 30 or 40 miles an hour. It went right by the guys we had stationed up near the dump.

"It's called a blow-out. The fire goes through the vacuum it's created until it begins to get fuel. This was an especially big blow-out. A lot of times, if you've got a brush fire in town, the blow-out will go a little way and stop. Like in a neighborhood, it finds a new fuel source, a new house, and it stops. But not when you've got your fuel sources so far apart like we did. There were only a couple houses up by the dump. So you've just got little grassy or brush areas to keep the fire going.

"It traveled a mile in a couple of minutes. The fireball went right by Hobie Ericson's house like a big torch, blistered the side of his house. Then it went flying out into the meadow. The flames on the little grass in the meadow were ten feet high. The fire burned the meadow, and then it just quit."

In The Fire Issue, some of the most dramatic recollections about the fire storm are attributed to Jim Orsborn. As a battalion chief for the La Mesa Fire Department, Orsborn led a mutual-aid task force composed of firemen and equipment from La Mesa, El Cajon, Lemon Grove, Santee, Lakeside, and Spring Valley. In response to calls for assistance, the task force began arriving in Pine Valley around 6:00 Saturday night. Early Sunday morning, Orsborn had his units stationed at









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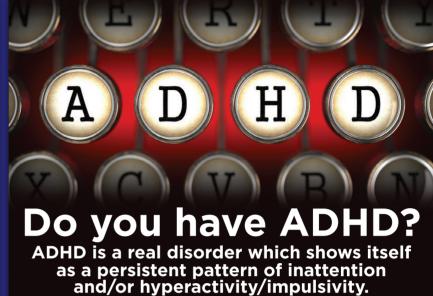
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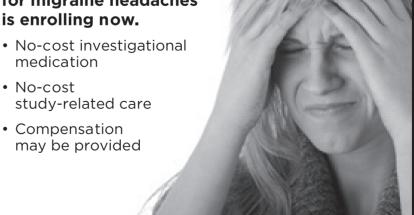
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houses a mile or so west of the dump area.

According to The Fire Issue, "Orsborn was by his station wagon, loaded with communication gear, when the fireball hit. He watched it approach, fascinated by the kaleidoscopic rolling and pitching of the red hues. It was like nothing he's ever seen — and hopes never to see again. He first felt a cool mist as the moisture, pushed by heat from the trees and shrubs, hit him, then intense heat.

"A fire truck moved up, and they began running lines to Starke's house; the walls were smoking. They had just minutes to begin cooling the structure [to prevent it from exploding]. The wind, estimated at 70 mph, blew burning branches, timbers, brush, and debris past them. Orsborn saw an eight-foot plank fly by, like a flaming arrow in reverse. He heard breaking glass; seconds later, the roof of the house lifted into the trees: it dropped into flaming pieces. In the distance, he could see Jefferson's house burning. Smoke came from the walls of Gray's house. An Alpine fire truck was setting up there.

"He turned and felt a swish go by his legs. It was a trailer's butane tank. Flames poured from the valve end as it was propelled along like a rocket. They heard other larger butane tanks exploding around them. A trailer was in flames and another nearby began to smoke: they turned to cool it.

"Black smoke began to settle in. When he moved a foot from his car, Orsborn had trouble finding it again."

My father remembered the fire storm's aftermath. "After it burst out into the meadow and burned the grass, it didn't have any fuel left. So we just sat back and watched it. We kept it from jumping the highway." Mutual-aid units fought the structure fires left in the fireball's wake.

By 11:00 Sunday morning, the Forest Service and mutual-aid units were reassigned to Alpine. While they'd been fighting the fire in Pine Valley, the fire's southern flank had gone around the valley and headed west. The Pine Valley Fire Department staved behind, patrolling the valley and knocking down hot spots. By the following morning, some residents began to return. Some, like us, tried to drive back Monday but were turned back outside Alpine because of the fire still burning there.

Twenty-seven years later, I drove out Interstate 8 to Pine Valley. In the intervening years, my family had moved to Northern California. I'd graduated from high school and college and started a family of my own. Like my parents, I eventually came back to San Diego. When we got together for Thanksgiving dinner this year, my mom told me she and my dad had been invited to the 50th anniversary of the Pine Valley Fire Protection District. They planned to go with their friends the Mackeys. Jerry and Jan Mackey lived in the vallev the same time we did. They had two boys, Jay and Jeff, one in my class, the other a year ahead of me. At the time of the Laguna fire, Jerry Mackey was a fireman with the El Cajon Fire Department as well as a volunteer with the Pine Valley Fire Department.

The night of this past December 11, the wind howled out of the moun-

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the Pine Valley Bible Camp, I shivered in the dry air. Stepping through the great wooden door, I was struck by the warm aroma of roasting beef and the spicy scent of the giant Christmas tree that towered in front of the room's picture windows. Older men and women dressed in their Sunday best mingled among the gaily decorated round tables. Younger men in blue firemen's uniforms stood with heads together. Occasional laughter washed through the room. I found my parents and the Mackeys waiting in line to have their pictures taken.

tains. As I walked from my

car to the dining room at

"You'll never guess who's here," my mom said. "Freddy Cox. You know, Fred Jr.?" Fred Cox had been in my class in school from the time I started kindergarten until we moved away at the end of sixth grade. His dad, Fred Sr., succeeded my dad as fire chief after we moved away. "Freddy's the chief now," my mom explained.

"Fred Sr.?" I asked. "No. Fred Jr."

Jan Mackey gave me a big hug and asked, "What was Freddy's nickname? We old folks can't remember."

"Knute," I answered. "Sometimes we called him Knutey."

Everybody laughed. "Hey, Knutey," my mom called across a few tables to a group gathered by the scrapbooks.

I remember Knute Cox as a sweet-faced, quiet boy. Never the most popular but always well liked. I half expected to see a ten-yearold boy standing across the room. Instead, the group parted to reveal a man in his mid-30s, dressed in a white short-sleeved shirt, dark tie, and dark, creased slacks. A golden badge shone on his shirtfront. Cox's blondish hair

had begun to thin a little on top, and he sported the universal fireman's brushy mustache above his smiling mouth.

I introduced myself, and we shook hands. "Sure, I remember you," he said. "Thanks for coming to the reunion."

A few minutes later, Dusty Fanner, the fire department's public information officer and reunion organizer called us to dinner. I sat with my parents and the Mackeys and a younger couple. The husband of the younger couple was a current member of the department. Between bites of roast beef and stuffed potatoes, my parents and the Mackeys reminisced about the valley.

"Do you remember?" one of them would begin, "now what was his name... They lived at the corner of Pine Boulevard and Rocky Pass. She was on the Improvement Club?"

Halfway through dinner, someone brought up the Laguna fire. Their voices took on the same tone my grandparents used to get when they spoke about the War or the Depression. "That was sure something," Jan Mackey shook her head and gazed off into the distance. "Do you remember how the wind blew?"

Everyone nodded.

Jerry Mackey fought the fire in Pine Valley and then continued the battle in other areas with the El Cajon Fire Department. He told us about one incident. "We decided we would take a stand at the top of this ridge. We had our hoses all set up. The fire was heading toward us up the hill. We had a plan that when the fire crested the ridge, the truck would blow its siren, and everyone would throw on their foggers and knock it down." Mackey paused and smiled. "Well, we're standing there all ready, and the fire was moving so fast. It crested the ridge and blew right over our heads. Whoosh," Mackey waved his hand over his head. "They never even blew the signal. We stood there looking at each other and said, 'Well, I guess we'll catch it on the next ridge.'

After dinner, Cox stood up in front of the crowd and thanked everyone for coming. The lights dimmed, and Cox stepped aside. On a screen behind him, black-and-white images of old fire trucks and men with short hair and horn-rimmed glasses flashed by. From a boom box beside the screen, Louis Armstrong sang "What a Wonderful World." The black-andwhite slides gave way to color. The music got more modern. We watched yellow-suited firemen lost in the mist from a fire hose, an inferno, boiling black clouds of smoke tinged

When the lights came up, Cox asked all the old firemen to stand and introduce themselves. My dad went first. "I'm Paul Hatter. I don't remember when I became chief, but we left the valley in 1974. It's a real pleasure to be here tonight. Thank you."

Jerry Mackey introduced himself next, also short and to the point. Then Louis Perna, the department's second chief, told stories about the department's early days. Frank Ferguson, nearly 90 and the oldest former fireman in attendance, told the crowd, "I didn't volunteer. I was drafted. I lived next door to Louis Perna." Everyone laughed. "And I was there with Paul Hatter during the big fire, the biggest fire in the state of California."

After the introductions, Cox gave out the annual service awards to his cur-

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I spoke to Cox a few weeks later by phone. Cox, who has lived in Pine Vallev all his life, joined the volunteer department in 1980 when he was 17H. "My dad was the chief," Cox told me. "He talked me into it." Cox liked fighting fire so much, he made it a career. In addition to his duties as volunteer chief. Cox works as a paid fireman in the Rancho Santa Fe Fire Protection District.

When Cox joined the department, the training requirements hadn't changed much since my dad's time. "They threw you a badge, and you went out on calls," Cox recalled. Government regulations changed all that. Now all new volunteers go through a 160-hour fire academy. "They train for 8 hours on Saturdays and then attend the weekly Thursday-night meetings," Cox said. "It takes about four months to complete the training. New firemen aren't allowed to go out on calls until they graduate from the academy. Then they're on probation for a year."

The training the firemen receive at their weekly meetings resembles the old training but covers more material. "We have a quarterly drill calendar," Cox said. "The guys sign up to teach different segments. For instance, in the spring, we do wild land fire training. We'll usually start out in the classroom studying fire behavior and safety procedures. We move on to wild land hose lays. That involves where you position your trucks, where the hoses go. Toward the end of the quarter, we go to an area of brush and do the hose lay. We pretend to fight the fire, protect the structures, call in mutual aid."

The 20 volunteers currently in the department ran on 311 calls last year. According to Cox, the majority were medical emergencies or vehicle accidents. Brushfires accounted for 11 percent of the department's calls. "We haven't had any major fires in the valley since 1970," Cox said. "We had a 250-acre fire south of the valley. It took us two and a half days to knock it down. There were no structures involved. We actually could use some small fires to keep the brush controllable. Right now, the brush is so thick you can't even walk through it. There's a real potential for disaster."

Cox remembered the Laguna Fire. "I remember getting our animals ready to evacuate," Cox told me. "We had horses and dogs and cats. I remember the sky was dark red in the middle of the day. I remember meeting my aunts at the Pine Valley stables and riding with them into town. I remember sitting up on the hill near their house in Lakeside and watching the flames."

Cox reflected for a moment. "Do you remember the rats?" he asked me. "When we came back to the valley, there were dead rats all over the road. The fire burned them out of their homes."

Back at the reunion dinner, all the current and former firemen gathered for a picture. At the front of the room, standing in rows on risers, old faces smiled beside the notso-old. At the center of the front row, my dad sat next to Knute Cox. In the still moment before the camera flashed, the wind outside sounded like an echo. ■

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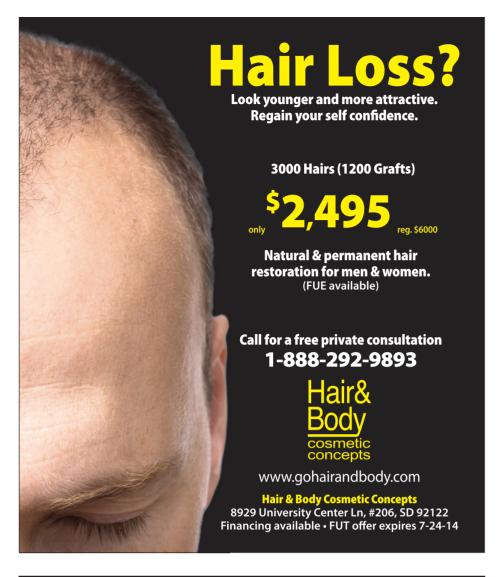
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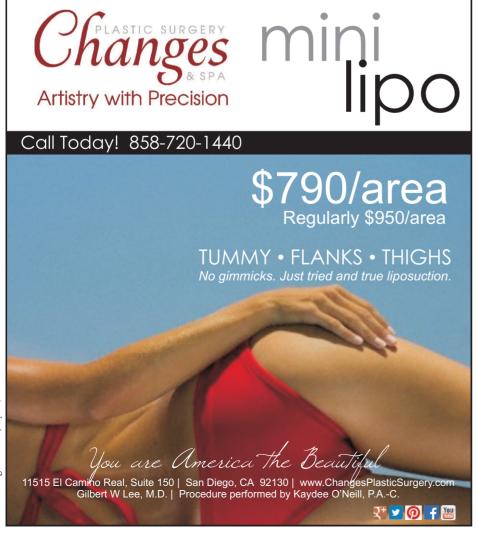
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## Whales, sharks

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was suspended because of the endangered-species list application.

"One of the ironies of this is the California Endangered Species Act affects everyone, including researchers. It makes it harder to do research," Shuman says. "People don't think through the unintended consequences."

Dr. Geoff Shester, the California campaign director for Oceana, says the state limits on research during the consideration divided shark researchers and didn't serve the sharks.

"The species faces its greatest danger in the needless death of young sharks in fishing nets — over 200 pups are killed in fishing nets in Northern Mexico and California waters every year, about 80 percent of the babies end up dying in fishing nets," Shester says. "The state put all its scrutiny into denying research permits when we know where the killing grounds are."

Oceana's application was based on the idea that there are about 339 adult and nearadult great whites — which led to an estimate of about 47 breeding females in the California Pacific region, he said.

Oceana's application to get great whites on the endangered list was denied June 3, but until it was finalized (June 16) the prohibition against taking remained in place.

Shuman broke the news to Domeier after Poe's crew was already towing the whale, he said.

"My last communication with Dr. Domeier, he said he was disappointed he could not do the tagging, but they were planning to continue the activity and do visual studies," Shuman said.

#### The rope broke

Or did it? The way Keith Poe tells the story, the rotting fin whale he towed to sea from the Point Loma Waste Treatment plant broke free just minutes after he got word that the California Department of Fish and Wildlife wasn't going allow the whale to be used to chum sharks.

"When the line the lifeguards tied broke, it recoiled like a shot and got tangled in my propeller," said Poe, who was towing the carcass with his 31' boat. "I actually jumped in off the boat and cleared the line that was tangled in my propeller."

And then Poe watched the whale bob around in the water, about nine miles offshore. He started up the boat and steered back to shore.

The Marine Conservation Science Institute's Facebook page entry on May 24, however, tells a different story: "We cut the whale loose over the 9-Mile Bank.... Keith did his best to put the whale in place so it won't drift back to the beach."

But on Saturday morning, May 24, the whale washed up on the beach less than a mile from the U.S.-Mexico border, at Border Field State Park.

For a few days the whale rolled around in the surf and drew hundreds of visitors to the park. "People were really curious to see this animal; there was a lot of interest," refuge manager Chris Peregrin said.

For Peregrin, the carcass posed more than a nuisance problem.

"We were in a spot, because we had to dispose of it to protect our birds," he said. "The whale attracted predators."

It washed up the week that the California least tern and western snowy plover, birds that are on the federal endangered species list, are breeding. Indeed, the careful inspection by wildlife biologists turned up the tiny hatchlings wandering around on the beach between the roped-off breeding area and the whale, which by then smelled awful.

After a few days of try-

ing to figure out the best way to deal with the whale, Peregrin found contractors to remove the carcass.

"The day we removed the whale, our wildlife biologists walked the area to make sure there weren't any babies that had come in to the work area," Peregrin said. "Once we were sure the area was clear, we focused on getting the job done as quickly as possible and getting out of there."

The whale skull went to San Diego State University for research, and Native Americans gathered whale bones and parts for their traditional uses, Peregrin said.

But most of the whale was chopped up and hauled away for disposal.

The final tally for the whale tale: about \$12,000 from the State Parks budget, not including staff time, Peregrin said. ■

## Under the radar

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bemoaning her refusal to turn over the missive. In the meantime, another dark bit of Dumanis's doings continues to languish unnoticed. According to filings in the state capital, Dumanis has been lavishing public money on legislative lobbying expenses. Besides compensating in-house lobbvist Gail Stewart-Brockman with \$38,183 during the first quarter of this year, the district attorney laid out \$10,210.85 worth of "other Payments to Influence." Costs included five tabs at the Sacramento Hyatt Regency across from the capitol, totaling just a bit over \$2000, along with an outlay of \$260 at the Marriott in Monterey and \$343 at the Citizen hotel in Sacramento. "The Citizen ensures first-rate luxury and boutique hotel amenities for all of our Model Citizens," notes the website of the historic inn. "Only a few of our 198 Sacramento hotel rooms are alike, which means that every time you return to The Citizen Hotel, you'll have a new experience. Enjoy the luxury of the historic 13th floor, with updates to the décor that capture its original features, includ-

ing the impressive tile work in the larger bathrooms. You might even see the friendly ghost that some say makes appearances."

> — Matt Potter (@sdmattpotter)

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#### **NEWS TICKER**

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#### **MTS** chief **Jablonski** railroaded?

Congressmen seek answers regarding backcountry railway deal

United States congressmen Duncan Hunter and Jeff Denham have put Metropolitan Transit System on notice: Explain the reason for delays and the transit authority's reasoning for granting a non-experienced, allegedly corrupt company a 99-year lease to operate the binational railroad formerly known as Carrizo Gorge Railway.

On June 27, Hunter and **Denham sent a formal letter** to MTS CEO Paul Jablonski asking for explanation on their decisions.

"Information brought to our attention suggests that the San Diego Arizona and Eastern Railway line, a public asset, is significantly mismanaged. In particular, we have become aware of the circumstances surrounding the December 2012 lease of the [railway] to Pacific Imperial Railroad for an extended period of time (50 years plus a 49-year option) by way of a sole-sourced procurement," wrote Hunter and Denhem. both of whom serve on the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee. in a letter obtained by the Reader.

Since the 2008 takeover, the only items moving over the 100-year-old railway have been tumbleweeds. **Allegations of corruption** have swirled around the company for years. Former employees say the group has

used the railroad in a pennystock scheme

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Officials from Metropolitan Transit System are also not aware if the company will pay the lease on time.

"The lease, as a sole-

sourced procurement. annears to violate California law," is among the concerns put forward by Hunter and Denham. "The lease appears to have been granted ahead of adequate investigation of the ability of Pacific Imperial Railroad to run a railroad company in a very challenging corridor.

In their letter, Hunter and Denham also mentioned what Pacific Imperial claim to be "the centerpiece of its financial plan, the Mexican Tembabichi property."

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Pacific Imperial's owners and stockholders valued "Rancho Tembabichi" at \$550 million and used the

property to lure investors.

However, at no time has **CEO Donald Stoecklein or** anyone else ever given proof of ownership.

The railroad is part of a

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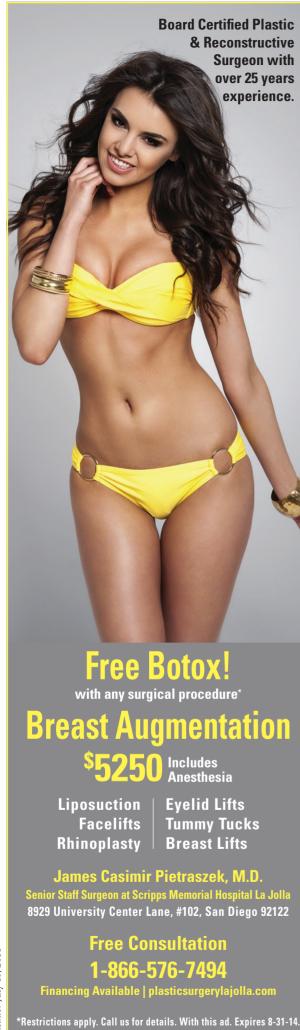
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much larger push by local officials and members of the San Diego Regional Chamber of Commerce to link Baja's manufacturing industry with San Diego.

San Diego mayor Kevin Faulconer has promoted the binational railroad during a recent trip to Tijuana.

Later Faulconer told the Reader, "There are some issues with ownership that need to be sorted out before moving forward."

Dorian Hargrove

## Maybe Potrero citizens sensed something

Spine-chilling details of Blackwater violence, hubris In early 2007, citizens of tiny Potrero — 45 minutes from downtown San Diego and 8 minutes from Tecate — rebelled. A mercenary firm, Blackwater USA, wanted to build an 824-acre training facility three miles from the hamlet of fewer than 1000 residents. Well over half of Potrero's 435 registered voters protested vigorously. The county backed Blackwater.

Potrero won. In March of 2008, Blackwater abandoned its Potrero plans.

The New York Times is now reporting that just weeks before Blackwater guards killed 17 civilians in Baghdad in 2007, the State Department began investigating the \$1 billion contract that the mercenary

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firm had to protect American diplomats.

A State Department investigator wrote a scathing report about Blackwater's activities. The investigation was jettisoned after Blackwater's top head in Iraq said "he could kill" the investigator "and no one could or would do anything about it as we were in Iraq," according to State Department reports.

Whew! The people of Potrero may have sensed how Blackwater would disturb its tranquility. The company has since gone through several permutations and name changes, and is now a part of Constellis Holdings.

Don Bauder

## Don't read my emails!

Goldsmith digs in

City attorney Jan Goldsmith needs legal help. He has hired outside counsel in the case brought against him for his failure to turn over emails from his personal email account to reporters and others.

In a June 26 court document, Goldsmith notified the court that Escondidobased attorney Jacqueline Vinaccia, a University of San Diego alumni, would represent him and not deputy city attorneys working for him.

According to her bio, Vinaccia specializes in "Business and Municipal litigation. Homeowner Association assistance and assessment recovery and attorney fee auditing and expert witness work."

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The case, filed by San Diegans for Open Government earlier this year, challenges Goldsmith's use of a personal email address for city business. In the complaint, Cory Briggs, the attorney for the government-watchdog group, claims the city attorney's office refused to provide emails from Goldsmith's personal email account that had already been handed over to the Reader and NBC San Diego.

As of now, Goldsmith's defense has relied on an interpretation of the state's public records law that states that public officials are not the same as an "agency" and therefore are exempt from turning over emails and other correspondence.

That argument, however, didn't fly with Superior Court judge Joel Wohlfeil. In a June 6 ruling, Wohlfeil cited the following passage: "Unless exempted by the California Public Records Act (CPRA), all public records may be examined by any member of the public, often the press, but conceivably any person with no greater interest than idle curiosity."

Judging by a June 27 filing, Goldsmith's attorney Vinaccia has abandoned those lines of defense and now is placing the blame on what they say was a broad request from Briggs.

Dorian Hargrove

## FBI thinks they smell a rat

Copper panels stolen from border entry

Timothy Francis Cashman, General Services Administration manager at Otay Mesa, San Ysidro, and Tecate ports of entry, was arrested July 1 and charged with taking bribes and stealing government property, according to the local office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

According to the government complaint, Cashman in

2007 got his home painted and windows installed in exchange for steering hundreds of thousands of dollars of contracts to an unnamed co-conspirator. The next year, he got \$42,000 for awarding a contract to another unnamed co-conspirator.

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Cashman also schemed with others to steal thousands of dollars worth of copper and aluminum panels from the Otay Mesa port of entry. He got a portion of the proceeds, says the federal government.

Don Bauder

#### Such a deck

Pacific Beach Shore Club expansion met with resistance by residents

A group of residents has filed a second lawsuit against the city and California Coastal Commission for giving a popular bar and restaurant in Pacific Beach the green light to build an 1895-square-foot deck outside.

San Diegans for Responsible Planning, the plaintiff, filed its first lawsuit in July 2013. Now, the group is back, claiming the coastal commission and the city supported the expansion project at the Pacific Beach Shore Club without providing proper public notification and for violating parking requirements.

According to the group, "Although [the bar and restaurant] will be expanding its capacity by 68% and its square footage by 43%, the Project as approved reduces parking spaces from 29 to 26."

Attorneys for San Diegans for Responsible Planning also accuse the commission of violating opengovernment laws by failing to notify interested parties that commissioners would be hearing the item, despite previous requests to do so.

Residents are asking that a judge issue a preliminary injunction needed to put the project on hold until the case is heard.

Dorian Hargrove



**HEALTH AND BEAUTY** 

# Your Veek

#### Thursday | 10

#### SUPERHERO ADVENTURE RUN

Sixty minutes of fun as you run or walk at your own pace and collect raffle tickets at checkpoints along the way. Comic-Con superhero themed — come dressed in your favorite cosplay attire and score bonus raffle tickets at check-in.

**WHEN:** 5 to 8 p.m.

**WHERE:** Road Runner Sports, 5553 Copley Drive, Kearny Mesa. 858-974-4455; *adventurerun.com* 

#### Friday | 11

#### **NATASHA LEGGERO**

Natasha Leggero is an actress, writer, and stand-up comedian who stars in the Emmy-nominated series *Burning Love* and recently appeared on the Comedy Central roast of James Franco. \$20.

**WHEN:** 7:30 p.m. Also on Thursday and Saturday.

WHERE: The American Comedy Company, 818 Sixth Avenue, downtown. 619-795-3858; americancomedyco.com



#### Saturday | 12

#### **INSECT FESTIVAL**

Featuring thousands of creepy crawlies, including the famous Madagascar hissing cockroaches.

With interactive insect arts and crafts and tasty cooked mealworm larva in mesquite, teriyaki, and barbeque flavors. \$14.

**WHEN:** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Also on Sunday.

**WHERE:** San Diego Botanic Garden, 230 Quail Gardens Drive, Encinitas. 760-436-3036; *sdbgarden.org/insect.htm* 

## Sunday | 13



#### SURF-DOG COMPETITION

Fifty dogs are expected to participate in this year's competition, with thousands of spectators from across the U.S. joining in the fun. The event will include a dog park, treats for dogs and humans, and a dog-wash station.

**WHEN:** 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**WHERE:** Imperial Beach Pier, 2 Elder Avenue. *unleashedbypetco.com/surfdog* 



#### Monday | 14

#### SHARKS WITHOUT BORDERS

Sharks migrating between California and Baja California, Mexico, are threatened by commercial fishing activity in both countries. Join Scripps shark expert Dan Cartamil to explore the ecology, behavior, and sustainability of our local shark population. \$8.

**WHEN:** 6:30 to 8 p.m.

**WHERE:** Birch Aquarium at Scripps, 2300 Expedition Way, La Jolla. 858-534-3474; *aquarium.ucsd.edu* 

**WHEN:** Performances at 1:15 and 2:30 p.m..; block party at 4 p.m.

**WHERE:** Joan B. Kroc Theatre, 6611 University Avenue, Rolando. 619-235-0800; *yoursongyourstory.org* 

#### Wednesday | 16

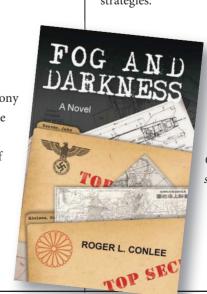
#### FOG AND DARKNESS

Roger Conlee will discuss his latest novel, *Fog and Darkness*, which takes readers through the final year of World War II. Although a work of fiction, the novel describes the major events with historical accuracy and provides an examination of America's wartime strategies.

#### Tuesday | 15

# YOUR SONG, YOUR STORY

Join the San Diego Symphony and local performers at one of four free performances marking the completion of a two-year project, telling our story through pieces submitted by community groups and individuals. All of the events feature a block party.



**WHEN:** 5:30 to 7 p.m.

# **WHERE:** El Cajon Library,

Cajon Library, 201 East Douglas Avenue, El Cajon. 619-588-3718; sdcl.org



Ruins of an unidentified Cambodian temple near Siem Reap (stock photo)

# Siem Reap: My gift in the jungle

By James Michael Dorsey

I've always found travel to be its own reward, but on rare occasions, it also gifts some of us a life-altering experience.

While visiting friends in Siem Reap, Cambodia, I hired a *tuk-tuk* driver named Thom to take me into the jungle to see temples most tourists miss

We went a little further off the beaten path each day until he realized I was pretty much up for anything, and so he asked if I would like to see his village — an offer I couldn't refuse.

We left the main highway and began bumping along a dirt road that eventually became not much more than a footpath carved out of the brush by machetes. We passed people on motorbikes with large pigs strapped to the back on their way to market, and a decades-old auto that no longer ran, being pulled by a water buffalo. It was the local taxi service. People not only filled the car but were hanging onto the sides. We passed old women, backs bent under loads of firewood with teeth stained black from chewing betel nut,

while little children ran alongside us, reaching out to touch me.

Like Alice going down the rabbit hole, Thom had delivered me from the current century to a place back in time, to a Southeast Asia that is rapidly disappearing. An Asia I wanted to see.

We pulled into a clearing with a few scattered huts and what looked like an impromptu classroom under a veranda: a blackboard with a few plastic chairs. The jungle telegraph had announced my arrival as children were appearing from all directions, taking seats, and watching me. I was completely caught off guard by this reception when suddenly Thom said, "You teach them something, please?"

I had been blindsided but was not upset. I realized this to be a great honor.

This village was as isolated as people could be in the modern world, surrounded by predators and countless land mines. In a country that has known 2000 years of war, I'd met so many people like this for whom a formal education was not an option. The arrival of someone from the outside world was an opportunity for knowledge that I felt obliged to supply, regardless of my limitations.

I drew a large outline of the United States on the blackboard and pointed to where I came from but there was no response. Next I drew an outline of an airplane and pantomimed flying, but they did not understand that either. Finally, with Thom translating, I told them I had come from far away after many days of walking, and that registered.

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#### **Other Adventures**



**brianj0911**: Looking Glass Falls, North Carolina. Blue Ridge Mountains



DerekRay: Chichen Itza

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San Diego Outdoors with the Museum Canyoneers

#### MT. WOODSON FROM STATE ROUTE 67

Enjoy views to the ocean on a clear day, and visit Potato Chip Rock.

Distance from downtown San Diego: 31 miles. Allow 40 minutes driving time (Ramona). From CA-163N, merge onto I-15N, then east onto Scripps Poway Pkwy. Turn left/north on SR-67. Drive past the Cal Fire Ramona Station at 16310 SR-67 (3 miles past the junction of Poway Rd. and SR-67) until you can safely turn around to park on the SR-67 shoulder near the fire station on the Mt. Woodson side of the highway heading west. Hiking length: 3.75 mile out-and-back or 5.5-mile loop. Difficulty: Moderately strenuous with 1100 foot elevation loss/gain. The road is open to hikers, with or without dogs, equestrians, mountain bikers, and vehicles owned by various agencies that operate the many communications towers that crown the peak. No facilities or water.



ers if they take the time to experience them. The

3.75-mile out-and-back hike to the top from SR-67 is much shorter and shadier than the route from

the Blue Sky Reserve (see previous Roam-O-Rama

column entitled Mt. Woodson via Blue Sky Reserve

If the hike is extended to Potato Chip Rock, it

adds another mile to the journey to the peak. An

even more interesting possibility is the 5.5-mile loop

hike described here that includes the experience of

the diverse terrain and life of this unique area. Any

of these routes would be considered moderately

strenuous because of the trek to the top of the

The well-marked trailhead is on the south side

of the Cal Fire Station access road, a few feet from

SR-67. The hike begins as a short trail through a live

oak and sycamore woodland that leads to the paved

road that will be the route to the top. Live oaks and

occasional Coulter pines periodically shade the

road during the steep ascent along with enormous

boulders composed of Woodson Mountain grano-

diorite, a light-colored intrusive rock that weathers into rounded shapes when exposed on the surface.

mountain, 1100 feet above the trailhead.

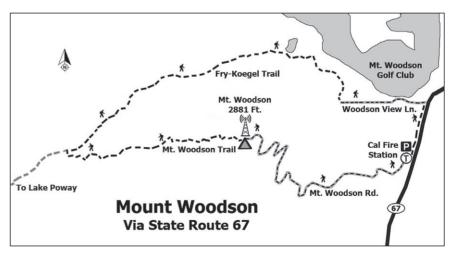
that ran 8/28/2013).

A forest of communication towers is at the summit.

The abundance of these huge boulders has made this a popular place for rock climbers.

More than 50 common chaparral shrubs and wildflowers have been found growing beside the road on the way to the top. These include three kinds of manzanita, laurel sumac, yerba santa, flat top buckwheat, California sagebrush, golden varrow, white sage, scarlet larkspur, Indian pink, and chamise. The top is 1.75 miles from the SR-67 trailhead. The pines, huge boulders, and a forest of communication towers tend to obscure views from Mt. Woodson's summit. Continue west down the ridge, leaving the asphalt road, and follow a well-traveled dirt trail where, weather permitting, there are outstanding views of San Diego. Point Loma, and the ocean. Most likely there will also be a crowd waiting to climb out onto Potato Chip Rock, particularly on weekends. Further down the ridge will be the signed junction for the Fry-Koegel (F-K) Trail, 1.3 miles from the summit.

The F-K Trail is the 2.7-mile route back to your continued on page 39



Find maps for the hikes and more Roam-O-Rama columns online at SDReader.com/roam

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#### ART

Craft Day Learn how to make a sugar scrub (featuring Silk Spa Creations) and earrings (featuring the Bouncing Bead). Saturday, July 12, 10am; free. Creative Instinct, 8774 Cuyamaca Street. (SANTEE)

Craftsman Paintings: Open **House** Preview "California: The Art of California from Sea to Desert" and meet the artists. Saturday, July 12, 7pm; free. Art Tradition Gallery, 321 East Grand Avenue.

**Exclusive Collections Galler**ies Anniversary Show Exclusive Collections Galleries is honored to celebrate its 19th anniversary in the art business with artist veterans Walfrido Garcia and Steve Barton. These two master painters, renowned worldwide for their colorful, vivid beach scenes and landscapes of tropical getaways, perfectly reflect EC Gallery's shared philosophy of the Aloha Spirit. Original oil paintings by Walfrido and Barton will be paired with a free-to-attend champagne reception at the gallery in Seaport Village. Friday, July 11, 6pm; Saturday, July 12, 6pm; Sunday, July 13, 12pm; free. Exclusive Collections Seaport Village, 835 West Harbor Drive suite AB. (DOWNTOWN SAN

Fine-Art Demonstration Fineart demonstration: Robin Neudorfer, paint and sculpture. This program is made possible in part by a community arts grant from the City of Carlsbad's Cultural Arts Office. Friday, July 11, 1:30pm; Buena Vista Audubon Society Nature Center, 2202 S. Coast Hwy.

Frida-Inspired Art Show Casa Artelexia's first ever Frida Kahlo Art Show will feature the works of 50 artists from near and far, all inspired by Frida and her work. Enjoy body painting by Debi Winger's Debi's Doodles, Paletas by Viva Pops, music by DJ Toni Colon, Frida desserts, Aguas Frescas, and more. Saturday, July 12, 5pm; \$5. Casa Artelexia, 2419 Kettner Boulevard. (LITTLE ITALY)

**Get Your Bottle Painted: BYOB** In celebration of EC Gallery's 19th Anniversary, we're throwing a BYOB Party with Michael Flohr. The event will feature the option to BYOB: Bring your own bottle to have an on-site commission of it. The artist will be available to paint your favorite bottle of beer, wine, or spirits. Hors d'oeuvres and complimentary wine will be available for our guests. Friday, July 11, 6pm; Saturday, July 12, 6pm; Sunday, July 13, 12pm; free. 18 and up. EC

Historic Gaslamp Gallery, 568 Fifth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

Jorge Tirado and Miguel Rojas Art Show featuring San Diego artists Jorge Tirado and Miguel Rojas. With complimentary craft beer when you RSVP. Vinyl jams from resident DJ Professor Shadow. Friday, July 11, 6pm; free. Graffiti Beach, 2220 Fern Street. (SOUTH

**Loading Dock Lunches Have** lunch with us! You're invited to dine in our loading dock as you mingle with our staff and members of the local art community. This program is free to attend. Visitors are welcome to visit the galleries for free during the program. Friday, July 11, 11:30am; free. Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego, Downtown, 1100 and 1001 Kettner Boulevard. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

**Robert Ochs: Opening Recep**tion With Robert Ochs, specializing in computer-generated art and animal themes. Sunday, July 13, 3pm; Carlsbad Oceanside Art League's COAL Gallery, 300 Carlsbad Village Drive #101. (CARLSBAD)

TNT (Thursday Night Thing) Celebrate our newest exhibition, James Drake: Anatomy of Drawing and Space (Brain Trash) at this signature art + music mash-up event. The bands Stone Horse and Gunner Gunner will perform. Dive deeper into the art with tours, art-making activities, live music on the plaza, cocktails, and delicious bites. This program is free for members, \$8 for students and seniors, and \$10 for non-members. Thursday, July 10, 7pm; free-\$10. Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego, Downtown, 1100 and 1001 Kettner Boulevard. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

Technomania Circus: Sex. Booze & Tattoos Technomania Circus presents a brand new art and circus variety show embracing the taboo human experiences that make life so exhilarating. There will be an art show, circus performances, music, a live drunken painting contest, body painting, kink demonstrations, food and of course, booze. Saturday, July 12, 5pm; \$13-\$15. 21 and up. Victory Theater, 2558 Imperial Avenue.

**Transform Thrift Store Finds** into Treasures Local artists are invited to The Salvation Army Family (thrift) Store to pick out items and skillfully transform these items into one-of-a-kind treasures. Dishes, old records, tables, jewelry, furniture, and various other donations will be available at no cost to the artists, and the store will be open to artists only. These Transformed Treasures will be auctioned off at a special luncheon in the fall to support The Salvation Army's Adult Rehabilitation Center (ARC), a free, residential rehabilitation program for men and women dealing with alcohol and substance abuse. Select artists will be on hand to demonstrate what's possible in the world of transformations by using their skills and expertise to show other artists a wealth of ideas. Sunday, July 13, 1pm; free.

Salvation Army, 3240 Sports Arena Boulevard. (MIDWAY DISTRICT)

#### BEER

**Ballast Point Beer Festival** Join Ballast Point for a beer festival to celebrate our 18th anniversary aboard the vessels of the Maritime Museum of San Diego. Attendees will be able to walk aboard each of the vessels and sample beers at different locations throughout the museum. We will feature 40 Ballast Point beers and spirits, including some rare and limited options we've been saving for this occasion. Sunday, July 13, 1pm; \$40. 21 and up. San Diego Maritime Museum, 1492 North Harbor Drive. (DOWN-TOWN SAN DIFGO)

Culture & Cocktails: Sorolla and America Featuring the summer exhibition Sorolla and America, this modern twist on Sorolla's beach scenes and sun soaked landscapes features "Valencian Grog" signature cocktails by Ballast Point, a seafaring photo booth, table-top shuffle board, a candy bar, and more nautical-themed treats. In addition, DJ Gabe Vega will be spinning along with a saxophone performance by Jason Whitmore. Come dressed in maritime stripes or your summer's best during this after-hours event. Culture & Cocktails is free for Museum members. Event sponsors: Ballast Point Brewing & Spirits, Classy Event Group, Green Fresh Florals San Diego, Lavish Wed, Lette Macarons, Party Pals, SuperNatural Sandwiches, Tim Altbaum Productions. Thursday, July 10, 6pm; free-\$20. San Diego Museum of Art, 1450 El Prado. (BALBOA PARK)

Second Saturday Dueling Casks: West Coast IPA with mango and Fresno chiles and Citra Session IPA. Saturday, July 12, 5pm; Hamilton's Tavern, 1521 30th Street. (SOUTH PARK)

#### BOOK SIGNINGS

Author Meet and Greet Thirteen authors, anxious to share their works with us, with a variety of choices ranging from young adult to graphic novels and mystery to fantasy. You just might meet the future best-selling author of our time! With Danielle Soucy Mills, Rusty Trimble, Corey Lynn Fayman, Darren Simon, Vic Warren, Peter Cruikshank, S.S. George, Pearson Sharp, Kat Rocha, Karl Morgan, Karla Tipton, R.J. Belle, and James Raney. Saturday, July 12. 12pm: free. Mysterious Galaxy Books, 7051 Clairemont Mesa Bl., Suite 302. (KEARNY MESA)

#### **CLASSES &** WORKSHOPS

**Basic Winemaking from Fresh** or Frozen Grapes A two-part seminar series introducing you to



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Must be 18 years of age and weigh less than 230 pounds.

making wine from fresh grapes or frozen must. In these seminars, we will go through preparation for harvest, steps involved in making wine from fresh grapes, and finishing wine. We will also demonstrate how to use equipment needed for winemaking. The series of classes is \$75/person for two classes; no refunds if a class is missed. Maximum 20 participants for these classes; you must be 21 or over to participate. This course is a seminar series with live demonstrations. but we will not be making wine in this class; fresh grapes or frozen must can be purchased separately and made at home. Friday, July 11, 1pm; \$75. Curds and Wine, 7194 Clairemont Mesa Boulevard. (KEARNY MESA)

Craft Day Learn how to make soap scrubs with silk spa creations, and how to make beaded ear rings, plus a take-home kit. Saturday, July 12, 10am; free. Creative Instinct, 8774 Cuvamaca Street, (SANTEE)

eReader eClinic: Learn to Download eBooks Learn how to download library eBooks to your eReader or computer. Ouick tips and helpful hints to get the most out of your downloads. Bring your own eReader, tablet, or laptop for hands-on learning. Thursday, July 10, 3pm; free. Mira Mesa Library, 8405 New Salem Street. (MIRA MESA)

Kimono: Southern California Style Using simple materials and techniques inspired from those used more than 600 years ago, decorate 14"-wide fabric with designs using textile paint and

brushes. Learn about the significance of particular motifs, patterns, and color that reveal the wearer's gender, age, status, wealth, and taste in traditional Japanese Kimono. Create your own meaningful, symbolic narrative to tell your story on the fabric panels. Bring your sewing machine to sew the painted fabric to create your own kimonolike jacket. Materials list provided upon registration. Instructor Lauren Becker Downey. Three sessions, Fridays, July 11, 18, and 25. Friday, July 11, 9am; \$133-\$151. Bravo School of Art at Liberty Station, Barracks 19, Studio 206, 2690 Historic Decatur Road. (POINT LOMA)

Painting & Vino Couples: Mission Beach at Dusk Recreate "Mission Beach at Dusk" while sipping wine or cocktails. Supplies (canvas, paints, brushes, apron) included. No experience necessary. Registration required. Save \$10 with promo code 98BOT14. Sunday, July 13, 1pm: \$45, 21 and up. 98 Bottles, 2400 Kettner Boulevard. (LITTLE ITALY)

Painting Party: Matisse-Inspired Goldfish Still Life Paint in a real artist's studio and enjoy a fun time out with your friends. Guided step-by-step by artist Nancy Isbell, create an easy painting inspired by a master's art on a 16" x 20" canvas. For the artistic and not so artistic. Feel free to bring a bottle of wine or a growler of beer. Saturday, July 12, 1pm; \$45. Bravo School of Art at Liberty Station, Barracks 19, Studio 206, 2690 Historic Decatur Road. (POINT LOMA)

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#### **Rhyme & Verse**

Invictus

A poem by William Ernest Henley

Out of the night that covers me, Black as the Pit from pole to pole, I thank whatever gods may be For my unconquerable soul.

In the fell clutch of circumstance I have not winced nor cried aloud. Under the bludgeonings of chance My head is bloody, but unbowed.

Beyond this place of wrath and tears Looms but the Horror of the shade, And yet the menace of the years Finds, and shall find, me unafraid.

It matters not how strait the gate, How charged with punishments the scroll. I am the master of my fate: I am the captain of my soul.

Painting Party: Monet-Inspired **Bouquet of Sunflowers** Paint in a real artist's studio and enjoy a fun time out with your friends. Guided step-by-step by artist Nancy Isbell, create an easy painting inspired by a master's art on a 16" x 20" canvas. For the artistic and not so artistic. Feel free to bring a bottle of wine or a growler of beer, Saturday, July 12, 6pm; \$45. 18 and up. Bravo School of Art at Liberty Station, Barracks 19, Studio 206, 2690 Historic Decatur Road. (POINT LOMA)

Paints Uncorked Attendees follow step-by-step instructions from a professional artist who has the group recreate the events featured painting while enjoying music, wine, and cocktails. All supplies included. No experience necessary. For a limited time, save 45%: Take \$20 off the regular ticket price with promo code: SDREADER45. Redeem promo code at checkout on our website. Thursday, July 10, 6pm; \$25-\$45. 18 and up. Venga Venga Cantina and Tequila Bar, 2015 Birch Rd., Ste 710. (EASTLAKE)

Ron West Ron West is a writer and producer, best known for Whose Line Is It Anyway? See him perform and take his workshop. With his class called "Game Island," he will prepare students for the Game Island performance. though the fundamentals you learn can be applied to any discipline of improvisation. Saturday, July 12, 3pm; Sunday, July 13, 3pm; \$40-\$60. 18 and up. Finest City Improv,

4250 Louisiana Street, (UNIVERSITY

William Ernest Henley (1849-1903), an influen-

tial poet, editor, and critic, was diagnosed at the

age of 12 with tuberculosis of the bone, which led

to the amputation of his left leg below the knee a

few years later. Henley stayed almost two years in

the Edinburgh Infirmary during which period he

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began to write poetry, much of which reflected

his traumatic experiences as a patient. Some of

the poems about his hospital experiences are considered among his

Robert Louis Stevenson visited Henley in the hospital and became a

close friend and collaborator. In 1878, Henley married Anna Boyle,

Margaret Emma, who died from cerebral meningitis in 1894 at the

classic novel for children, Peter Pan. The first volume of Henley's

age of six, was the model for the character of Wendy in J.M. Barrie's

poetry appeared in 1888 and he subsequently produced several more

collections. He became the editor of several literary magazines and a

major figure in the literary culture of late-Victorian England, as well

53 and was buried next to his daughter's grave in the churchyard in

a small village in Bedfordshire. His wife was later buried next to him.

"Invictus" remains his best known and most admired poem.

as an important poet of the era. He died on July 11, 1903, at the age of

the younger sister of a fellow patient at the infirmary. Their daughter,

most innovative and interesting ones. The young Scottish author

San Diego Jewish Genealogical Society New to genealogy research or not yet familiar with SDJGS's library resources? This interactive research meeting provides an opportunity to take advantage of some of our member's years of experience in genealogical researching skills. Beginners will appreciate the opportunity to ask "Where should I start?" or "What should I do next?" Help us help you







by submitting specific questions about your research to *info@sdjgs* in advance of the meeting. Sunday, July 13, 1pm; **free**. Lawrence Family Jewish Community Center, 4126 Executive Drive. (LA JOLLA)

Saturday Science Club for Girls: GeoCaching Get ready for a treasure hunt! Learn the basic skills of GPS and navigation and then put your skills to the test by tracking down hidden treasure planted in Balboa Park. Girls in grades 5–8 can join the Fleet on the second Saturday of each month to investigate exciting science topics. Members \$12, nonmembers \$14. Must preregister: 619-238-1233 x806. Saturday, July 12, 12pm; Reuben H. Fleet Science Center, 1875 El Prado. (BALBOA PARK)

**Tinkerers' Club** Our new Tinkerers' Club workshops give tinkerers of all ages even more opportunities to create in the Tinkering Studio. Join us on Saturday mornings to learn new skills and work on fun projects that you get to take home with you. This month's activities include creating a turbine,

constructing a puzzle, building a catapult and designing your own wooden racing vehicle. Supplies are limited. Advance registration is recommended. \$12 members; \$15 nonmembers. Saturday, July 12, 10:30am; \$12-\$15. Reuben H. Fleet Science Center, 1875 El Prado.

#### COMEDY

Alex Ortiz Labeled the "Boriqua Beast of Comedy." Along with working comedy clubs around the world and many TV appearances (HBO's Bad Boyz of Comedy, Comedy Central's Premium Blend), he has performed for USO tours in 15 different countries. Friday, July 11, 7:30pm and 9:30pm; Saturday, July 12, 7:30pm and 9:30pm; \$20-\$25. 18 and up. Comedy Palace, 8878 Clairemont Mesa Boulevard.

**Kris Tinkle** The American Comedy Co. presents the Breakout Artist Series featuring Kris Tinkle.

Comedian Kris Tinkle has been making his mark on the New York City standup scene since he moved here from his native San Francisco. He was the co-host and resident comedian on Comedy by Request on SiriusXM's Raw Dog. Sunday, July 13, 8pm; \$12. American Comedy Company, 818 Sixth Avenue.

Natasha Leggero Natasha Leggero is an actress, writer, and stand-up who stars in the Emmy nominated series *Burning Love*. She recently appeared on the Comedy Central roast of James Franco and can be seen regularly on *The Tonight Show, Chelsea Lately*, and @Midnight. Thursday, July 10, 8pm; Friday, July 11, 7:30pm and 9:30pm; Saturday, July 12, 7:30pm and 9:30pm; \$20. 21 and up. American Comedy Company, 818 Sixth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

Some Magnificent Thing Finest City Improv has created an irreverent, socially charged romp through some of San Diego's beloved landscapes. Co-directed by Second City alumnus George Caleodis



parked vehicle on the loop hike. Initially the F-K Trail passes through lush chaparral, dominated by scrub oak, chamise, California sagebrush, manzanita, and ceanothus, fully recovered from a fire seven years ago. Continuing down this well-maintained trail, there is a transition to a cool, shady, coast live oak woodland before reaching the western boundary of Mount Woodson Estates, a suburban development. Follow the trail to the right to skirt the backyards of numerous homes as it leads to SR-67 at a point just beyond the entrance to the Mount Woodson

Golf Club. From there it is a short noisy walk south beside the highway to the Cal Fire Ramona station.

The mountain is open year around. The best time to go is when the chaparral shrubs and wildflowers are in bloom, from March through June. If going during the warmer days of summer or fall, plan to hike in the early morning, before the heat of the midday.

Canyoneers are San Diego Natural History Museum volunteers trained to lead interpretive nature walks that teach appreciation for the great outdoors. For a schedule of free public hikes, refer to the San Diego Natural History Museum website.

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It also opened the flood gates as the children began firing questions at me as fast as Thom could translate, questions that intrigued me as much as my answers did them. What does cold feel like? How do people fit inside a television box? Are all outsiders wealthy and how many cattle did I own? Why were my children not with me? I realized their knowledge of the outside world came to them only through trekkers such as myself. Standing there in the jungle, I pondered these perceptions of life that had never occurred to me before as I tried to enter their minds. These children made me think outside my own comfortable box.

Time stood still in that clearing until shadows grew long and Thom said we would have to leave. As I got up, all the children stood and bowed with clasped hands, the traditional Khmer greeting and thank you. Many of them approached me with bowed

head, a sign of respect for an elder, and I laid my flat palm on top of each in another traditional blessing.

Before getting into the *tuk-tuk*, Thom embraced me in a bear hug, thanking me for what I had done, but I told him it was I who needed to thank him for the kind of day this traveler prays for. I don't know how much the children actually learned, but I will never forget the smiling faces as we left.

A few weeks later I got an email from a lady who knew Thom. She worked for a church group that ran schools in the Cambodian jungle and wanted me to know about her new students. It seems that a few days after my visit, a girl and her family showed up after walking many miles. Over the next several days, a total of six children arrived to attend her school for the first time.

Each of them said they wanted to learn about all the things the American man had told them.

For that feeling, I have no words.





# Calendar LOCAL EVENTS

and Finest City Improv's artistic director, Amy Lisewski. Saturdays, 8pm; through Saturday, August 23, \$10. 18 and up. Finest City Improv, 4250 Louisiana Street. (UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS)

#### DANCE

#### **Argentine Tango with Colette**

Learn Tango now! Take a first free class Monday, July 14 at 7pm or Wednesday, July 16 at 7pm (or any Monday or Wednesday at 7pm thereafter) at Dance Place San Diego. No need for a partner. We will introduce you to the passion and magic of Tango. Visit tangowith colette. com and call today: 514-726-5567. 2650 Truxtun Road, Studio #106. (POINT LOMA)

**SD Fringe: Ballet 360** California Ballet Company performs works by CBC choreographers and dancers, along with artists from the greater community in the Central Library's Shiley Event Suite. Friday, July 11, 8pm; Sunday, July 13, 8pm; **free**. 18 and up. Central Library, 330 Park Boulevard. (EAST VILLAGE)

Tonight's the Night Dance/ Mixer, ages 35+. Simply the Best Singles, an upscale organization for singles looking for relationships, marriage, and more, offers a dance/mixer with a DJ playing old and new music, a psychic reading, photographs, rotational dance, and more. Dress is upscale classy (no jeans/no shorts). \$15 prepay; \$20 door. Parking \$5 self; \$10 valet. Sign up at 818-577-6877 or simplythebestsingles.com. Saturday, July 19, 7:30pm-11:30pm, Del Mar Marriott, 11966 El Camino Real. (DEL MAR)

#### **FOOD & DRINK**

Chocolate + Jewelry Experience an abundance of style and sweets and celebrate the second annual "Chocolate + Jewelry: A Purely Decadent Event." The shops will offer complimentary chocolate tastings and showcase chocolatethemed cookbooks, recipes, and other chocolate-inspired items. Guest artists will showcase creative fashion accessories including hand-crafted jewelry, bags, and boutique fashions in a variety of styles and bright colors. Friday, July 11, 12pm; Saturday, July 12, 10am; free. Bazaar del Mundo, 4133 Taylor Street. (OLD TOWN)

Grain & Oak Fest Get the full experience of tasting premium brands of scotch, whiskey, and rye, including a first look at Jsix's signature Woodford Reserve bourbon. Savor bites such as venison Jerky-Jerky, house-made charcuterie, and BBO specials from Chef Graves. Tickets allow attendees a passport to taste all of the spirits present. A completed passport will enter guests into the Grain & Oak drawing with prizes such as tickets to a Padres game, a bottle of Jsix Woodford Reserve, and more. Thursday, July 10, 6pm; \$20, 21 and up. Isix, 616 J Street, (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

**Montecristo Social Club: Pre**mium Cigars Learn about growing and curing premium cigar tobacco from 44-year industry expert Larry Palombo while enjoying complimentary RyJ by Romeo y Julieta premium cigars, food, and cocktails. Guests have the opportunity to meet Larry Palombo, VP of Tobacco Altadis U.S.A., who has traveled the world in search of the best premium cigar tobacco. In addition, attendees will enjoy RyJ by Romeo y Julieta cigars. The RyJ is a robust Nicaraguan puro that is intense and strongly spiced. Thursday, July 10, 5:30pm; \$15-\$25, 21 and up. Acqua Al 2, 322 Fifth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO) Vive Le Macaron These colorful French confections can be tricky to make, but after you master techniques from meringue making to macaronage, you'll love creating your own macarons at home. Our instructor will share the secrets for incorporating food colors and unique flavors, piping with precision, and even achieving the perfect pied (foot). We'll also explore fillings such as flavored buttercreams and ganaches, so you can create your own tasty variations. Sunday, July 13, 11am: \$69 Sur la Table. 1905 Calle Barcelona, (CARLSBAD)

Whisky + Cheese Cheesemonger RobbyG and whisky wizard Dirt will take you on a tour of six champion cheeses paired with whiskies and bourbons. Learn to understand and appreciate the differences between whisky, whiskey, bourbon, and scotch in a fun and funky environment. Thursday, July 10, 6pm; \$60.21 and up. Venissimo at The Headquarters, 789 W. Harbor Drive. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

Wine Country Festival Taste from over 20 local wineries. Meet the winemakers in person and sip the latest vintages under the olive trees. Learn about the wine region and what grows so well in our unique microclimates. Food vendors, music, silent auction items, giveaways from local businesses, and wine-education booths from the San Diego Vintner's Association as well as other area vintner's

associations. With each ticket purchase for wine tasting they will also receive a personal sized fresh baguette, olive oil and vinegar for dipping, and a logo tasting glass. Wine tasting from 1-4pm; wine available by the bottle for purchase from 1-6 pm. Local area hotels include the Rancho Bernardo Inn, the Hilton Garden Inn, and Courtyard Marriot, all located in Rancho Bernardo. Saturday, July 12, 1pm; \$30-\$40. Bernardo Winery, 13330 Paseo del Verano Norte.

#### FOR KIDS

ASME Water Bottle Rocket Launch The American Society of Mechanical Engineers is hosting a free water-bottle rocket-launch event geared toward elementary aged children. Bring your kids to learn about science and engineering while launching water rockets into the air. Saturday, July 12, 9am; free. Peñasquitos Creek Park, 8021 Park Village Road. (RANCHO PEÑASQUITOS)

**Eat Better Art Cooking Series:** Superhero Super Foods In partnership with Whole Foods Market, The New Children's Museum now hosts a series of cooking classes designed to bring parents and children together in the kitchen as they learn about good nutrition and create delicious dishes. Our July cooking class will draw inspiration from our Superhero Month activities and teach participants how to cook super food in the kitchen. Saturday, July 12, 10am; New Children's Museum, 200 W. Island Avenue. (EAST VILLAGE)

Full-Moon Pier Walk Walk along the Ellen Browning Scripps Memorial Pier, normally closed to the public, on an exclusive moonlit tour. Learn the history of Scripps and explore current research projects while collecting plankton, performing experiments, and discovering the nocturnal habits of marine life. Ages 9–13 must be accompanied by a paid adult. RSVP

required: 858-534-5771 or online. Friday, July 11, 7pm; Saturday, July 12, 7pm; \$22-\$25. Birch Aquarium at Scripps, 2300 Expedition Way.

Insect Festival Aspiring entomologists are invited to San Diego Botanic Garden's Insect Festival. This one-of-a-kind event is sure to intrigue bug-devotees of all ages, featuring thousands of creepycrawlies including live lizards, snakes, and the famous Madagascar hissing cockroaches. Bug collecting, interactive insect arts and crafts, as well as tasty cooked mealworm larva — in various flavors including mesquite, teriyaki, and barbeque are just some of the engaging activities scheduled. Local bug experts will be available for questions, and more than 20 educational booths will instruct and entertain children and adults alike. The Insect Festival is sponsored by the County of San Diego Department of Agriculture Weights and Measures, K&M Pest Solutions, and the San Diego Botanic Garden. Event is free with paid admission or membership. Saturday, July 12, 10am; Sunday, July 13, 10am; free-\$14. San Diego Botanic Garden, 230 Quail Gardens Drive. (ENCINITAS)

KPBS Workshop: Peg + Cat Explore our organic vegetable garden and discover why eating healthy just adds up. Saturday, July 12, 10am; \$6. San Diego Children's Discovery Museum, 320 North Broadway. (ESCONDIDO)

ScholarShare's Toddler Time: Garden Adventures Use your super senses to explore what's growing this summer in NCM's organic garden. Touch fuzzy leaves, smell fresh herbs, and help water our fruits and vegetables. Friday, July 11, 10:30am; New Children's Museum, 200 W. Island Avenue.

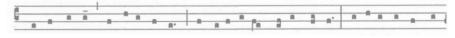
Spanish Toddler Time Hear Spanish-language songs and stories for toddlers. This event repeats on the second Thursday of each month. Thursday, July 10, 10:30am; free. Pacific Beach Library, 4275 Cass Street. (PACIFIC BEACH)







# Gregorian Chant Mass



Pa-ter noster, qui es in cae-lis: sancti-fi-cé-tur nomen tu-um; advé-ni-at regnum Our Father who art is heaven, hallowed be thine name, Thy kingdom



# 4 pm on the second Sunday of every month

• Sunday, July 13, 4:00 pm.

Choir and congregational singing of Gregorian Chant, sacred polyphony, and hymns.

#### **Our Lady of the Rosary Church**

State and Date Streets (Little Italy), Downtown San Diego

Superheroes' Night Out Calling all superhero families to The New Children's Museum. Join us for the 2nd Annual Superheroes' Night Out family party. Superheroes of all ages can take a break from saving the world and experience the museum during a night of superhero-themed activities. dinner, dancing, and costume contests for the entire family. Children under two are free. Adult admission includes two drink tickets. Saturday, July 12, 5pm; New Children's Museum, 200 W. Island Avenue. (FAST VILLAGE)

#### **LECTURES**

Mark Wall: Connecting with Neighbors Mark Wall, Vista Farmers' Market Manager, will our guest speaker/facilitator. Wall will speak on "Building Resilient Community in the Face of Economic and Environmental Challenges." Representatives from several local groups and organizations — including Good Neighbor Community Builders, North SD County TimeBank, Transition Towns, and Nextdoor.com - will briefly describe how they are joining together to do this. The presentation will be followed by an interactive breakout exercise called "Open Space" from The Transition Handbook: From Oil Dependency to Local Resilience. Sunday, July 13, 1pm; free. Unity Way Church, 171 Unity Way. (VISTA)

Southern California Plumeria Society Meeting Tex Norwood of Florida Colors Nursery will discuss the process of selecting seedlings to be kept until they bloom (usually 2-3 years) and the selection and use of seedlings in grafting. Sunday, July 13, 1pm; free. War Memorial Building, 3325 Zoo Drive. (BALBOA PARK)

#### **OUTDOORS**

Discovery Table: Owl Pellets
Join in this month's hands-on
science activity dissecting an owl
pellet and discover what scientists
learn when using this important
tool to study the fascinating nighttime flyers. Inside the Visitor Cen-

ter. Saturday, July 12, 10am; free.

Mission Trails Regional Park, One Father Junípero Serra Trail. (SAN

Friends of Famosa Slough Work Party Volunteers are needed to help remove invasive plants and pick up litter. Wear work clothes (long-sleeved shirt, long pants, hat, and sturdy shoes) and bring gardening/weeding tools or clippers. Refreshments will be provided. Students under 18 years of age will need approval of parent or legal guardian. Info: info@famosaslough.org or 619-224-4591. Saturday, July 12, 9am; free. Famosa Slough, West Point Loma Boulevard and Famosa Boulevard. (OCEAN BEACH)

Recharge in Nature Take inspiration from viewing the serene San Diego River and its surrounding mountains as you leisurely explore multiple habits with your MTRP trail guide learning "wow" facts about natural San Diego. Meet inside Visitor Center. Saturday, July 12, 9:30am; Sunday, July 13, 9:30am; free. Mission Trails Regional Park, One Father Junípero Serra Trail. (SAN CARLOS)

Shark and Wildlife Kayak Adventure Learn the basics of ocean kayaking while exploring the calm waters of La Jolla. Aquarium naturalists will team up with guides at Everyday California to highlight local sharks, rays, and other wildlife. Experience La Jolla's unique ecological reserve and discover why it's a hotspot for leopard sharks. Ages 10+ (minors must be accompanied by a paid adult). Price includes rental equipment. Pre-purchase required through Everyday California: 858-454-6195. Sunday, July 13, 8am; \$45-\$60. Birch Aquarium at Scripps, 2300 Expedition Way. (LA JOLLA)

Wildlife Night Hike Enjoy the Los Penasquitos Canyon Preserve at night. Meet mule deer (usually), bats, tarantulas, owls, and more. A moderately paced walk on flat ground. Bring insect repellent and flashlight. Meet at the kiosk on the corner of Park Village Road and Camino del Sur Rd in Rancho Penasquitos. Info: 858-484-3219. Saturday, July 12, 7:30pm; free. Peñasquitos Creek Park, 8021 Park Village Road. (RANCHO PEÑASQUITOS)

# SPECIAL EVENTS

Arturo Rios Trunk Show Opening Day of the Del Mar Races is right around the corner, so stop by the Village Hat Shop and pick up your hat! Preview and shop the headwear collection of Arturo Rios, featuring wide-brim hats and fascinators. Meet Arturo Rios in person and enjoy a fashion show and complimentary beverages. With every purchase receive a free raffle ticket for your chance to win a design by Arturo Rios. Saturday, July 12, 3pm; free. Village Hat Shop, 3821 Fourth Avenue. (HILLCREST)

BBW Club Catalina Halloween Boo Bash Two club nights, one pre-party, vendor faire, fashion show, halloween costume contests, games, hospitality room, and more. Friday, October 10 through Sunday, October 12. \$40 until August 1; \$50 after. Itinerary: facebook.com/events/662544960471195/?fref=ts. Crowne Plaza Hotel, 2270 Hotel Circle North (MISSION MALLEY)

**Building Prosperity for** Women in Poverty Women's **Empowerment International holds** its annual celebration. The theme of this year's celebration and fundraiser is "Building Prosperity for Women in Poverty." The event includes presentations by San Diego women who are leaving poverty behind, a report on recent site visit to WE's Ghana project, and news about WE's ambitious next steps to reduce the poverty of women and children. Guests will enjoy ethnic specialties prepared by caterers from Somalia, Ethiopia, and Ghana who were assisted in developing their businesses by WE's Star Center. They will share how they prepare their dishes and how they started their businesses. There will also be Brazilian folk music by Nos de Chita, wine, and light refreshments. Register online or 619-333-0026. At the UCSD Great Hall. A locally founded non-profit, run entirely by volunteers, the mission of Women's Empowerment International is to give women the tools they need to work their way out of poverty. WE funds small, repayable business loans and services for women and supports other poverty-reduction strategies. Sunday, July 13, 2pm;



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free. University of California San Diego, 9500 Gilman Drive. (LA JOLLA)

Centennial Celebration The original Pacific Beach Library opened in 1914 inside the lobby of the Pacific Beach Woman's Club. Come celebrate our first 100 years in the neighborhood with speeches, family activities, music, and cake. Saturday, July 12, 11am; free. Pacific Beach Library, 4275 Cass Street, (PACIFIC BEACH)

#### **Christmas in July Artisan Fair**

Christmas in July draws thousands of people each year. Offering handmade arts and craft items (many with Christmas themes) by over 150 artisans, the event also includes a rummage sale, bake sale, food court raffle, kids' activity area, and live entertainment. Under the trees on the beautiful grounds of the historic Mission San Luis Rey Parish, adjacent to Mission San Luis Rey. Saturday, July 12, 9am; Sunday, July 13, 9am; Mission San Luis Rev, 4070 Mission Avenue. (OCEANSIDE)

Doggie Street Festival A dog lovers' family fun event that increases dog and cat adoption countywide. Meet authors at our Pet Book Pavilion. Enjoy music, prizes, special guests. You might even find your new BFF — Best Furry Friend! Saturday, July 12, 9am; free. NTC Park at Liberty Station, 2455 Cushing Road. (LIB-FRTY STATION)

Fifth Annual Throw-Down for a Cause Rich's San Diego will host the fifth annual Throw-Down for a Cause, a fundraiser for local programs serving at-risk and homeless youth. Doors open at 5 pm on an action-packed night featuring 12 rounds of women's IELL-O wrestling and more, hosted by comedian Julie Goldman. For more information visit td4acause. com or facebook.com/td4acause. Friday, July 11, 5pm. Tickets are \$20 pre-sale, \$25 at the door, \$50 for VIP Lounge. Rich's Hillcrest, 1051 University Avenue. (HILLCREST)

Garden Theatre Festival Productions will include Shakespeare's The Comedy of Errors, A Nation of Pain, a special psycho-dramatic episodic encounter, bands of storytellers, performance poets, comedians, musicians, dancers, one-act plays, skits, improvisations, and more. A full schedule of performances may be obtained from The Balboa Park Visitors Center, The Balboa Park Senior Lounge, and Senior Citizen Services. Saturday, July 12, 2pm; Sunday, July 13, 1pm; free, Zoro Garden, 1649 El Prado (BALBOA PARK)

Harley-Davidson Kearny Nights Live music, free drinks and food. Enter to win \$100: best paint, best of show, best custom. more. Friday, July 11, 5pm; free. San Diego Harley-Davidson, 5600 Kearny Mesa Road. (KEARNY MESA)

**Jill Courtemanche Trunk Show** Iill Courtemanche Millinery and RICA Boutique in La Jolla are teaming up for a trunk show that will turn RICA into a one-stop shop

for Opening Day at Del Mar. The event combines the chic. California style of RICA with hand-made hats from Jill Courtemanche Millinery. Jill Courtemanche herself will be on site to help you choose the perfect topper to match your ensemble and get you fitted for a fabulous day at the track. Info: 858-876-6353. Thursday, July 10, 12pm; free. RICA Boutique, 7456 Girard Avenue. (LA JOLLA)

Pride at the El Cajon Library Join us to celebrate Pride Month! We will host an exhibit of local LGBT artists, who will speak about their process and the origins of their creative pursuits. Bridget Wilson will discuss her role in the struggle for marriage equality. The event will also feature a "Pride Wall," where people can post accomplishments they are proud of. All are welcome. Saturday, July 12, 2pm; free. El Cajon Library, 201 East Douglas Avenue. (EL CAJON)

Southern California Astronomy Exhibition This free, familyfriendly event caters to both hobbyists and seasoned astronomers with lectures, viewings of the sun through filtered telescopes, raffles, giveaways, and demonstrations of astronomy equipment by dozens of global companies. More than \$35,000 in raffle prices and free giveaways will include a host of astronomy and camera equipment such as state-of-the-art telescopes, tripods, eyepieces, cameras, and more. Speakers throughout the day will include planetary imaging-guru Christopher Go, solar-imager Jim Laggerty, and astro-photographer Tony Hallas. The lectures are free. A barbecue tent will be onsite during the afternoon. Saturday, July 12, 10am; free. Oceanside Photo and Telescope, 918 Mission Avenue. (OCEANSIDE)

**Surf-Dog Competition Fifty** dogs are expected to participate in this year's Surf-Dog competition, with thousands of spectators from across the U.S. joining in the fun. The event will include a dog park. treats for both dogs and humans, and a dog-wash station. Animalcare experts will also be on hand to ensure all participants are kept safe. For the first time the event will benefit the San Diego Humane Society. At the Imperial Beach Pier, 2 Elder Avenue. Sunday, July 13, 11am; free. Imperial Beach, Seacoast Drive. (IMPERIAL BEACH)

Urban Mobile Market Beginning Friday June 20 and continuing every Friday through August, The Headquarters will host downtown's newest "Pop-up Park," bringing food, fashion, and entertainment to The Headquarters. From 11am to 2pm and 4pm to 7pm, foodies and fashionistas can sample from chefs and designers in their mobile stores. With live musicians. On Harbor Drive in front of The Headquarters. Fridays, 11am and 4pm; through Friday, August 29, free. The Headquarters, 789 West Harbor Drive. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

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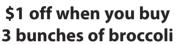


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Years Ordained: 42

San Diego Reader: What's your favorite sub-

*ject on which to preach?* **Pastor Mike MacIntosh**: The love of God.

I found his love and didn't deserve it, that's for sure. It seems to be something many don't know about — they think he's an angry or uptight God because they see angry or

uptight Christians. I think sometimes we Christians misrepresent him in how we present ourselves.

**SDR**: Why did you become a minister?

PM: It was a calling, actually.... In the 1960s I started drinking and getting high at parties a lot and then I got married. My life just went downhill from the drinking and drugs and my wife took the kids and divorced me. I was at the end of my rope. I heard the Jesus Movement had been going on around Newport Beach around that time, and heard that the music was good. I went and heard the Gospel message. I said, If there is a God out there, well, I'm tired of being messed up all the time and if you can help me, I'll give you my life. Instantly, from that moment on, I felt there was a relationship the more I started reading the Bible and going to church and talking to people about the Bible and God.... My wife saw the change in my life and she also gave her heart to the Lord. So, we got remarried after three years of divorce. We now have 6 kids, 19 grandkids and 3 great grandkids. So, had I gone on my own way instead of the Lord's, I would have destroyed all that.

**SDR**: Where's the strangest place you found God?

**PM**: I remember three men in one death-row area that

[prison officials] wanted me to talk to. One of them was a Satan worshiper, in cell one, and in cell three was this sweet Mississippi black man in his 70s. He had murdered someone and couldn't read. The Satanist didn't want to talk - he was angry and didn't need anything or anyone or any prayer or encouragement. He had murdered the parents of this young man in the last cell, about eight cells down. He was only about 18 years old but he hired this weirdo to kill his mom and dad so he could get the insurance money.... This young man asked me whether I thought God would ever forgive him.

So we wound up after an hour



Mike MacIntosh found God when visiting death row.

or so praying together and talking. It amazed me that there were those three personalities together, so distinct from each other, and God was there with them, too.

**SDR**: Where do you go when you die?

**PM**: Jesus conquered death and got the keys away from

death so that people don't have to go to hell. It's wide open for people to go to heaven now.... There is a heaven and a hell. There's only one thing you have to do to go to hell, deny God's love. You don't want to be with God if you deny him, because being in heaven would be hell in that case. So being a loving God and righteous God, he gives us the freedom to choose. I don't think God sends people to hell. All the way through people's lives, God goes to people and gives them opportunities to accept him.

— Joseph O'Brien

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Prostitutes in Tijuana are required to undergo periodic health exams in an attempt to prevent the spread of sexually transmitted diseases, including tests for the HIV virus.

Olivas said inspectors have found minors drinking in several bars, among them some high school girls. Recently ten under-age drinkers were nabbed.

BOB MCPHAIL

#### TIJUANA

#### **Puppy rescue**

#### Strays down south still have it rough

There are countless stray cats and dogs in Tijuana, and animal control is done mostly by accidental roadkill or by people who kill animals for pleasure. Pet-ownership culture is completely different in a country that just recently started to adopt and evolve its laws on animal cruelty.

Some animal-killers in Tijuana have declared their crimes on social media, proudly posting pictures and videos of animal cruelty, which quickly prompt negative reactions.

Local animal lovers and NGOs, such as ProvidAnimal TJ, AVPCA, Dog Rescue Without Borders, and Baja Dog Rescue, help



Pervasive attitude in TJ is that no matter how many strays are adopted, there will always be more.

by adopting, finding shelter, sterilizing, and educating people of proper animal care. However, machismo culture in Mexico deems it cruel to spay or neuter a pet, and a pervasive attitude is that no matter how many strays are adopted, there will always be more.

I was crossing the street of Calle Segunda and Martínez before midnight on Saturday, June 28. The late-night drivers were honking at a car that had stopped at the intersection. A driver saw a puppy crossing the street, jumped out of his car, picked it up, and chucked the puppy to the side of the road. The puppy yelped as he fell down a ditch.

I looked straight ahead, trying to avoid the guilt one feels when seeing a stray and there's not much you can do about it. But puppy yelps made me look into the ditch. A tiny mongrel came out crying, and as soon as she saw me, she started wagging her tail rapidly. The puppy ran behind me and followed me for blocks to Tacos El Rey, where I fed her some of my carne asada.

She followed me to my apartment, where she couldn't climb up the first step. I had no choice but to give her temporary housing while I found her a different home.

"People here see sterilization as a taboo," said Alejandra Molina, a local animal lover. "They believe the animals just get sad and gain weight if you fix them. But what they don't realize is that it makes them more sedentary, obedient, and calm, and less aggressive and territorial. There are also a lot of people that don't sterilize because they'd rather breed their mascots and sell them for cheap on the street."

The puppy had a lot of health issues and also shit all over the apartment, which neither my roommate nor my cat were happy about. The puppy is now in a foster home with a friend of Alejandra who offered to take the pup from me. She will take care of the puppy until she is big enough to receive her vaccines so she can cross the border to a home in the U.S.A.

MATTHEW SUÁREZ

IMPERIAL BEACH

#### **Outasight, Daddy-o** Alleged peel-out in parking lot, hotrod drives under truck

A Toyota truck ended up on top of a classic maroon roadster Friday afternoon, June 27, in the parking lot of the AutoZone store at 1344 Palm Avenue.

Imperial Beach sheriff's deputies and San Diego police responded to the accident, as the AutoZone lot sits at the edge of both cities.

"The throttle may have stuck, but the driver of the hotrod drove under the truck and the truck landed on top of him," said Officer Anderson of the SDPD. "Either the truck's tire or strut hit his head. That pushed either the driver's head or chest into the steering wheel, breaking it in half."

AutoZone employee Angel C. was busy sweeping up broken glass and small parts left from the accident. "I volunteered to clean up to get some fresh air," he joked. He hadn't seen the accident happen but knew the Toyota truck belonged to a fellow employee and described what he was told.

"The roadster was going to do a peel-out and the throttle must have stuck and it drove right up under the truck. If they were just driving regular, they would have just hit the back of the truck and stopped."

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# **Hoary gents & brandy**

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Anthony: "...like old East European

"We're not interested in, like, vodka. We want to get back to real spirits."

ome in, sir," says this voice.

It's a guy looking through a partition. We're inside an ancient, 100-year-old building right by the ballpark.

I just wandered in here looking for food. We're in this passage off J Street. Big Place. Not many patrons. 'Course it's between nine and ten on a Tuesday night. He sees me looking round.

"Well, we only opened mid-June," he says.

"And we've got more to open upstairs. So, till then, late July, August, we're in the soft-opening phase."

I come into the main chamber. Whoa. Quite a room. Filled with murals and ancient

gold-framed paintings on the wall. Portraits. I recognize Thomas Jefferson, and the others look like figures you should know. And on the back wall they have a mural of a more-orless naked guy about to plunge his sword into an old guy lying down, with horrified people looking on.

"Martyrdom of St. Matthew," says the guy across the steel countertop.

Somehow it sets the tone here.

This is a serious place. For people who are serious about their food and drink. "This is supposed to be like old-school East European delis," says another gent behind the bar, Anthony. Anthony Schmidt, proprietor, turns out. "Those delis were all about socializing with childhood friends and sharing food and drinks that were rooted in your environment. That's why we have ultra-traditional sandwiches and deli specials, and sodas, like Dr. Brown's Cel Ray Celery Soda. So, what can I get you?"

This is interesting. I check the paper menu. The sandwiches look like the main deal. The "Rare Form 44" has pastrami, braised sauer-kraut, Swiss, "special sauce," all on grilled rye. It goes for \$12. The B(E)LT — pork belly with egg, tomato, and butter lettuce on sourdough costs

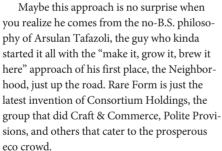
\$11. The "Saluminati" has salami, mortadella, giardiniera (pickled veggies), olive tapenade and shaved lettuce on a French roll (\$10). Or the Sicilian Fish sandwich comes with grilled

swordfish, roasted tomatoes, chimichurri sauce, caper aioli, and butter lettuce on a French roll for \$10.

Oh, and I'm tempted by the "Butcher's Special" they have down at the bottom. It has pork

rillettes, pâté de champagne, chicken liver parfait, pickled veggies, salami, and marinated olives with whole grain mustard on a sourdough baguette. Sounds like a feast, except it's \$17. And you'd have to order something really interesting to drink to live up to that.

"What we're doing here is representing well-known sandwiches, but done with the best ingredients and attention to flavor, so you taste them again for the first time," says Anthony. "Like, we have a grilled-cheese sandwich! How simple can you get? But we do it with smoked cheddar, American cheese, caramelized onions on a challah loaf, for \$7. It makes you slow down and catch the taste and its combination with that bread."



Uh-oh. I suddenly realize kitchen closing can't be far off.

I take one more look at the menu. Oh. They have waffle sandwiches, too. Eyes lock on to the "Housemade knockwurst, caramelized onions, and roasted peppers waffle." Costs \$9. And because I still have to work tonight, I order one

Beer" and "Blenheim Red Hot Ginger Ale." I end up going for a Sprecher Cream Soda. Love that cream soda. Funny chunk

of their sodas.

Cream Soda. Love that cream soda. Funny chunky bottle. Makes you think of a sweet champagne. Costs \$3. Comes from an actual beer brewery in Wisconsin. Delish.

But they're interesting, too. Unheard-of brands

such as "Captain Eli's Root

But so is the waffle. Hot, fat, crispy with two great canoes of knockwurst — not

to be confused with bratwurst or brockwurst or bockwurst — sitting on top of this mess of red roasted peppers and caramelized onions. The "knockwurst" or "knackwurst" name comes from the sound it makes when it explodes under heat, or in your mouth, and releases all its great flavors.

Knockwurst is supposed to be pork and beef and spiced with garlic and other seasoning. It is a luscious combination, especially with the crunchy airiness of the waffle. Damn...it would go so great with one of the beers they have on tap, such as Port Brewing's Old Viscosity (\$7) or Green Flash's Candela barley wine (\$7). But the cream soda does a good job as stand-in. I swing around and make a silent toast to Jefferson, St. Matthew, and all the other hoary gents looking down on us from the other wall. The place may be new, but it feels like it's been here since Mr. J. wrote the Constitution.

"What I'm really interested in is cocktails, from real ingredients, which are of the area," Anthony says. "Like, in the Midwest, it's all grains, wheat, malt. Eastern Europe, it's all about preserving fruit while it's fresh at harvest time. That's why schnapps. Full fruit brandies. We're



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Knockwurst waffle

about flavor, so we're not interested in, like, vodka. We want to get back to real spirits."

And what's really interesting: he's combining with a buddy who's distilling Carlsbad strawberries into a strawberry eau de vie right here in East Village. Wow. Strawberry East Village schnapps with a cold draft beer (\$11 in their Boilermaker deal). How local can you get?

"This is the true deli tradition," he says, "when it comes to drink, food, people made their own. That's what we're doing." ■

(@SDReader\_EdBed)

The Place: Rare Form Delicatessen, 793 J Street, East Village, 619-255-6507

**Prices:** "Rare Form 44" sandwich (pastrami, braised sauerkraut, Swiss, "special sauce," on grilled rye), \$12; B(E) LT (pork belly, egg, tomato, butter lettuce, sourdough), \$11; Saluminati: salami, mortadella, giardiniera (pickled veggies), olive tapenade and shaved lettuce, French roll (\$10); Sicilian Fish sandwich (grilled swordfish, roasted tomatoes, chimichurri sauce, caper aioli), \$10; Butcher's Special (meats, pâtés, pickled veggies, baguette), \$17; grilled-cheese sandwich, \$7; knockwurst waffle sandwich, \$9

**Kitchen Hours:** 11:00 a.m.-11:00 p.m. Sunday to Thursday; 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Friday, Saturday **Buses:** 3, 11, 901, 929

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# Fish to my gullet

**FEAST!** 

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#### F-ing awesome!

1026 Wall Street — If you go to Puesto, you're going to do a lot of cursing.

Not in a bad way, but along the lines of, "This taco is f-ing awesome!" or "This is an f-ing great margarita!" or "Damn! I love this f-ing mural!"

Puesto has that effect on people, both the downtown restaurant at the Headquarters or the original one in La Jolla, which recently expanded its original upscale taco shop to an extra room with a full bar.

Puesto specializes in amped-up versions of street tacos and what has to be some of the country's best mezcal and tequila cocktails. Seriously.

The ceviche, made with mahi mahi, lime, avo-

cado, onion, tomato, and chile serrano was a good starter. It was tart the way it should be, but the fish was firm. The crisp, housemade tortilla chips were a good vehicle for carrying the fish to my gullet.

It's f-ing awesome!

The Puesto Perfect Margarita is done in the classic style: tequila, lime, and agave over the rocks and served in a salt-rimmed glass. This was the drink that

started me on my complimentary f-word rant.

The Burro Blanco, a Moscow Mule made with tequila instead of vodka, along with ginger beer, is one of those drinks you might underrate at first because it's more subtle in taste than, say, the Puesto Perfect. But don't be surprised how quickly you slurp it down and start making "kick ass" puns.

Puesto lives and dies on its tacos — which, as said before, are f-ing great! Going here for a burrito? Nope. No enchiladas either. That might seem like an f-ing disappointment for some, but sometimes it's good to have priorities.

The way to go here is to get the three taco mix and match plate for \$11. There is an upcharge on some tacos, like lobster, filet mignon, mahi mahi, and shrimp.

The grilled shrimp and filet mignon tacos are two of the best tacos I've ever eaten — and they're there on one plate! How f-ing great is that?

The filet is tender and topped with a crisp parmesan-like cheese, avocado, and a spicy pistachio jalapeño sauce. I love Puesto's spicy salsa, but this taco has so much flavor that I eat it without the

> The grilled shrimp comes with tinga, a hibiscus chipotle sauce that adds a pickled sweetness to every-

thing it touches. It is excellent.

The mahi mahi taco was good, but it was like George Harrison trying to stand out next to Paul McCartney and John Lennon.

The chicken al pastor taco, with tinga, pineapple, avocado and tomatillo roja, got raves from my friend, but he generally doesn't curse as much when eat-

If I had to rate Puesto, I'd probably give it my highest rating: 10 F-bombs.

by Patrick Henderson



#### Now activated downtown

969 Market Street #150 Tom n Tom's Coffee enjoys minor popularity in L.A., where Korean communities opened the door to the originally Korean-owned chain of coffee shops. Now, it's open in San Diego, in the East Village and

at the edge of Cortez Hill. The style is a kind of anime Starbucks, or perhaps a K-Pop Coffee Bean and Tea Leaf is more accurate. It looks exciting on paper and in press releases, but the actual effect is pretty "meh."

Their big thing is "butter bread," which amounts to an enormous piece of toast, buttered and topped with sweet or savory additions. Cinnamon toast has caramel sauce, cinnamon sugar, and whipped cream. Garlic toast has garlic butter and cheddar cheese.

It's a cute idea, but unfortunately not worth \$5.50 for empty calories. Some of the specialty pretzels filled with corn, shrimp, or pepperoni — might stick to your ribs a bit better. Even then, the pretzel material is second rate. Dipping it in some cheese sauce helps.

The coolest things at Tom n Toms are some of



Cinnamon toast (but the café was out of whipped cream)

the more "out there" drinks. Black sesame coffee smoothie is a wonderful idea. Yuzu iced tea is a winner, too. They do milk tea and other boba drinks, which are always fun. Blue lemonade is weird, but still a cool idea.

Also, the internet is blazing fast and not seemingly routed through a data-mining gateway!

Some of the menu items listed on the menu board aren't even available at the East Village Tom n Toms, which seems sloppy. There's even a smattering of comical English on the menu, which raises eyebrows, considering this chain is already well established in the U.S. The higher-ups are either incredibly sloppy or deliberately creating a kind of cutesy "Engrish" theme, which strikes me as at least self-deprecating, perhaps mildly racist, and not doing anybody's culture any big favors in the long run.

All of that would be excusable, provided the mythical butter toast was worth cooing over, but there's just no reason to get misty eyed over the appearance of Tom n Toms in town, which is really too bad. We already have Cafe Hue.

by Ian Pike

#### Unlike past pineapple pizzas

789 West Harbor Drive — I'm not much of a Yelper, but when I was searching to verify the address for the new Pizzeria Mozza restaurant at the Headquarters two weeks after it opened, Yelp was the first site that popped up. I clicked because I was surprised at how low the ratings were, and I needed to know what the perceived problem was. I had been to Mario Batali's Osteria Mozza in Los Angeles and remembered it fondly. How could the same concept do so poorly here? There were some complaints about the prices, a few about the simplicity of the plates, but the overwhelming consensus among Yelpers was that

the service was terrible. These findings squelched my urge to race over there in the first month.

Weeks went by, and I had completely forgotten about my hankering to check out Mozza for myself until my foodie friends Hannah and Allard told me they loved the place so much that they dined there at least once a week. Because I trust my friends more than Yelp, I grabbed David and headed to Mozza for lunch.

We arrived at the tail

end of lunchtime, so the restaurant was only about 20 percent occupied, and we were seated immediately. My concerns about the service were quickly quelled by our informed, attentive, and friendly server. It was a lovely summer afternoon, the perfect atmosphere for a refreshing cocktail. I ordered the Primavera Rosso, with rum, strawberry, mint, and Velvet Falernum, the staple liqueur in most Caribbean cocktails.

There were little breadsticks on the table, but they were hollow and tasteless (I remarked they were probably there for decoration instead of eating), which was fine, because we were ordering bread anyway, along with the meatball appetizer. The bread was soaked in olive oil, a little too much for my taste, but the dough itself was delicious and well-textured, and the meatballs were so yummy that David and I cut the last one in half to make sure we each had our fair share, then we used the bread to sop up every bit of the marinara.

The bruschetta with labneh (spreadable cheese made from Greek yogurt), fresh peas, mint, and lemon — a mixture of garden-fresh flavors — momentarily transported me back to the Mediterranean.

Of course, we weren't going to visit a pizzeria without sampling some pizza. And we chose wisely. The Pizza alla Benno comes with tomato, mozzarella, speck, pineapple, and jalapeño. But unlike the pineapple pizzas of my past, rather than little fibrous chunks, this pineapple was sliced and layered like the speck atop it, which gave it a satisfyingly chewy texture. All pineapple on pizzas should be prepared this way.

We had no room for dessert, but there's plenty of time for that in the future, as we will most certainly

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have been left out of the boom. The Gathering recently closed after nearly three decades in business, and Harley Gray has opened in its place.

Owned by a local resident with a few geographically scattered restaurants to his name, Harley Gray has an intentionally diverse menu that makes describing it a challenge. I guess it's meant to be the kind of place you can go when you want a steak, then again when you want a salad, and once more the next day if you're feelin' seafood. You can find satisfying portions for ten dollars if you like, or twenty.

It's a nice idea, if not a compelling narrative. The space is open and comfortable and filled with sunlight during the day. Its relative success will likely boil down to the food.

The seared ahi and soba noodle sounded great for brunch, but at 18 bucks I demurred. Either the french toast or eggs benedict might have won me over, but each seemed a little boring compared to the other offerings. I consid-

ered the Loco Moco, a carry-over from a sister restaurant in Lahaina Maui, but this being San Diego I ultimately settled on the carnitas tacos. After all, my lovely waitress told me they were the owner's favorite, and when has a lovely waitress ever led me astray?

At 12 dollars for the pair of tacos, plus 2 extra to add avocado (why wouldn't you?), I probably should have just sucked it up and gone for the ahi noodle salad. My tacos were thick with shredded pork, which I eat regularly because my cholesterol's still at a reasonable level and it tastes delicious. Except these fell short of delicious

Not bad, but it seems to me if you have the advantage of cooking with flavorful meat in a spicy dish, the word bland should never enter the conversation. Even the salsa verde and jalapeño ranch dressing did little to perk it up. Although I left the place well fed, I wanted more, a feeling punctuated by all the other restaurants I had to pass walking back to my car.

In fact, and not for the first

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time in my life, I dropped by Lefty's for a slice of thin-crust pepperoni before going home. Now, how can I add avocado to that?

by Ian Anderson

### The line-up comes ashore

1468 North Coast Hwy 101 — I'll make the effort for a good fish taco, even if it means hustling up to Leucadia from Golden Hill and standing in line on the sidewalk along PCH. That's where you find Fish 101, a fresh seafood shack with communal bench seating and an earnest interest in healthy — if sometimes fried — cuisine.

I guess the place recently started serving lunch, but I got there for dinner, just around the time dusk took hold of the coast. It's the the sort of order-at-the-counter situation that seems to be the norm for local fresh-fish spots — hence the line.

A quick glance at this line tells you all you really need to know about what drives the success of this restaurant. You'll see lot

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of tan faces on guys with lean frames and muscled shoulders. This is surfer country, and it's not tough to imagine the same line-up waiting in the same order, just a few blocks away and a half-hour earlier, to hit a break at sunset.

I didn't need the wait to know what I was going to order. I could have opted for grilled fish tacos, shrimp tacos, or fish and chips, but a trio of fried Baja fish tacos runs 11 bucks with a mash of avocado on the side, and there's no way I wasn't getting it. Better yet, my favorite — halibut — was on the menu, edging out other choices including yellowtail, white sea bass and mahi mahi.

The fish selection changes depending on what's available fresh, though there do seem to be some staples. With a little more appetite I might have started with oysters, and one of these days I'll really need to check out their poke salad

I mentioned the health-consciousness of the place, and it extends beyond the grilled asparagus I picked up as a side dish. The place uses rice-bran oil to fry their fish. I didn't think much about this as I ordered, because in my head, fried is fried, and that crispy battered Baja style is a guilty pleasure I'll never stop loving. But the oil makes a difference. Well, two differences, really.

One is the beauty of the fry. These were great pieces of fish, and fantastically cooked. They were crispy, they were light and flaky, neither too dry nor too greasy. Just about perfect. Just about.

The second difference was flavor. As in, rice-bran oil has a very mild one. Really almost no flavor at all. Great as it is, halibut has a mild flavor as well. The cabbage topping? That's not going to do it either. The avocado helped, and the squeeze of lime. But neither the red nor green salsa added much, and the only hot sauce on the table was Tabasco, which just doesn't seem right. I mean, this is a San Diego-area taco spot, couldn't they at least sport some Tapatío or Valentina?

I wanted more heat. Or complexity. Or a little something from the oil to savor. I've never felt so good about eating during or after a fried-taco meal, but ultimately I'd have preferred something dirty and flavorful that my stomach would argue with me about for the next hour. I would recommend Fish 101 for a number of reasons, but when I go back, I'm bringing some Cholula with me.

by Ian Anderson







#### Follow that guitar. It's

been over a year since Fallbrook guitarist/singer Larry Robinson, 64, was beaten to death at the music store where he worked. His extended musical family is still looking for answers.

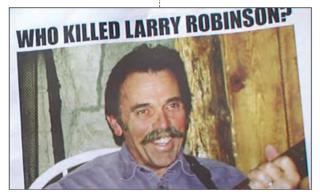
Robinson played around

putting enough effort into the

"It seems like the police dropped the ball," says Dan Grigor, who recently launched a social-media effort to track down the two suspected killers who murdered Robinson and stole a red-wine Gibson Les

# the inside track

greater Fallbrook for three decades. Many downtown Fallbrook stores still have a "Who killed Larry Robinson?" poster in their front window. In March his wife Patricia Paul studio guitar worth about \$5000. "I've been following it on Facebook and I see nothing. Then I hear from a friend who knows another musicstore owner who has some



Wanted posters still hang in the windows of Fallbrook stores.

organized a one-year anniversary acoustic concert and march near Pete's Music, the Temecula music store where he was killed.

One impatient neighbor wonders if the police are

kind of video, but nothing is happening."

The Riverside sheriff's department is overseeing the investigation. "I think they need to take it more seriously than they have," says

Grigor.

Grigor, who hopes tracking down the stolen Les Paul will finger the suspects, recruited Chris Stone, a musician who was twice robbed of musical equipment, became frustrated with law-enforcement response, and launched screamingstone.com, which tracks down stolen musical equipment.

"The first time I was robbed, the police wouldn't even come out," explains Stone, who runs the website for free. "The second time they took a serial number and said they would put it in their database."

Stone, who declines to divulge his hometown, says it gets messy because pawn shops are the primary places where instrument thieves cash out. "The pawn shops make a lot of money from stolen gear and they don't want their gravy train to end. Whether it's by purpose or by mistake, they don't often report the serial number correctly."

And Stone says Craigslist doesn't help, because minutes after one posts a stolen instrument for sale it gets flagged, "probably by the thieves themselves."

Stone says *screamingstone. com* has helped recover 550 missing items in six years. "We have a 7 percent recovery rate. Which isn't very good, but it's better than the police who only retrieve 3 percent."

For a description of the

guitar of interest in the Larry Robinson case, go to *screamingstone.com*. When asked where one can go to see the composite drawings of the suspects, Riverside County sheriff's detective Ed Baeza says he has access to them, but there is not a website for the public to access.

Anyone with information is asked to call 951-955-2777. There is a \$25,000 reward offered by the City of Temecula for information leading to the arrest of the suspects.

— Ken Leighton

## **Eat in silence, ASCAP's listening**. From a Face-

book entry dated June 24: "Chickenbone has to say he is both sad and happy today. Sad, because an ASCAP representative is putting the hammer down on Smitty's Service by threatening to charge a weekly rate and large back fees totaling hundreds if not thousands of dollars, effectively killing music at Tasty Truck Tuesdays for the time being."

ASCAP is an acronym for the American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers. They collect licensing fees from users of music created by ASCAP members, then distribute that money back to members in the form of royalty payments.

Chickenbone is a blues musician named Larry Teves. "They'd been doing Tasty Truck Tuesdays for a couple of years at Smitty's when I asked the owner, what do you say we come over there and make some noise?" which he and his band, the Biscuits, did for the performing. Magers countered by asking if he could beat the licensing rap and have the band perform only originals. "Pisano said that everybody



Bluesman Chickenbone no longer entertains Tasty Truck Tuesdays

next several months. But the music came to an end after an ASCAP representative handed Smitty's owner a bill for pastdue royalties.

Mike Magers owns Smitty's. "The ASCAP representative, Chris Pisano, told me he'd found out about it on our Tasty Truck Tuesdays Facebook page." Each Tuesday, up to eight food trucks park on his lot and sell food to the neighborhood. "He left his business card on my desk a couple of weeks ago. He claims he sent an email back in November that I didn't respond to, but I don't remember ever seeing it."

The bottom line is that ASCAP wants \$42.50 each time there is music played at Smitty's, live or not, and retroactive to last November when Chickenbone began that performs for more than an hour usually plays covers, and that if I wanted to play that game, he'd spot-check us and the fines would be huge. I didn't ask how huge."

Magers estimates that in order to fulfill the ASCAP requirement, he'd need to pony up \$537.50 per quarter. "I told [Pisano] he'd be crushing a pretty cool family night. But he said it's his job to represent musicians and that there would be no playing of copyrighted music at my location without a license." Magers say he has no idea whether or not ASCAP will continue to hound him for the back-fees even though there is no longer live music on Tuesdays. "It sure feels, like extortion," he emails later.

— Dave Good

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#### **Unraveling the Love-**

**birds**. "Not sure if there was a specific point. Just like loads of relationships...it kind of gradually happens before



Breaking up is hard to do, but Lovebirds get it right on their new album.

your eyes but when the time came it seemed to come from nowhere."

That's Lindsay White, half of San Diego's Lovebirds, explaining how the duo came unraveled romantically. Veronica May (the one with the glasses) opines for her part: "I think there was a mutual agreement that we were doing a great job at meeting each other's musical needs but not the best job at meeting each other's relationship needs."

Oddly enough, staying together in song helped.

White explains: "V and I went through some very high highs and some very low lows together...[we] used the songs we wrote during that period to communicate with each other. This resulted in a stronger musical connection, which we really needed to get through those difficult months"

> The songs on their new album, Breakup Shmakeup, rakes over those coals, albeit tunefully and sweetly. "A lot of our songs [for the album] fell out of us," May ponders. "I think most artists can say the times they create the most are the times they need to process something that is difficult. The irony

cohesive yet we only co-wrote one song on the entire album, which was partially because we were no longer in each other's physical space and partially because we found it important to allow for space and time to clear the cobwebs."

in this latest album

is that it is the most

"Our friends and fans have always been in on the moment with us," says White. "We don't feel ashamed or embarrassed. They cry with us. But make no mistake, after we cry we're going to rock vour face off."

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#### Robin's UK adventure.

"I felt like a rock star," bluesman Robin Henkel says about his recent ten-day stint in the United Kingdom. Henkel and his travel companion, Bayou Brothers drummer Ric Lee, played a week of club dates culminating in a slot on the Barbican International Jazz and Blues festival. The bookings came about as the result of a chance meeting at last year's Gator by the Bay.

"Ric Lee introduced me to Mama [Katie] Tokus at Gator." Tokus was appearing at the Mission Bay fest as the Bayou Brothers' guest. "When I met her backstage, she asked me to consider coming over to England, where she lived, and playing some gigs with her there." Almost one year later, that's exactly what happened. Henkel stayed in touch with Tokus; they completed a couple of trans-Atlantic recording projects via Skype.

It turns out that Tokus also books the Barbican Festival. Henkel was not without a host of reservations: "Work permits, where were we gonna stay, what guitars would I bring, getting transportation around

"In general, we got paid more over there. And even though I was main guy in the act, the bandleader, for once I wasn't worried about all the things a bandleader worries about over here in the U.S. All that got

Tokus, Henkel, and Lee take England, just like the Romans did.

England... Being the queen of logistics, Mama Tokus made all that happen. She took care of everything. I finally said to myself, No one is ever going to make it this easy for me to get to England, so I went."

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taken away. All I had to do was get up on a stage and play."

Henkel, Lee, and Tokus played a string of gigs - six in five days. They traveled by car to Plymouth and then to Totnes, where Tokus resides. "Totnes is where the Romans were in...what, the 1100s?

Brutus of Troy named England," he says. Henkel and Lee's digs faced out onto the River Dart. "The Romans came up that river. And Plymouth is where the Mayflower sailed to the U.S. from. The Barbican festival stage is about 150 yards from the steps that led up to the Mayflower."

Did Henkel climb the steps?

He and Lee are making plans to return to the U.K. next March. "Everybody said the food would be bad, but it was great." Still, the first thing Henkel did after touch-down in San Diego was to go burrito shopping. "I went to a Roberto's-like Mexican food place across from Les Girls on the way home from the airport."

— Dave Good

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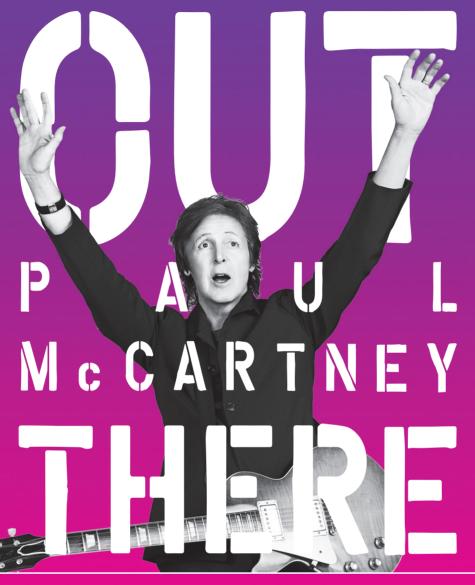
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# This Week In Music

**Thursday** 

Throwback Thursday! You've got psychedelic SanFran band Jefferson Starship landing on the Belly Up stage. Jefferson Starship came out of the wreckage of Jefferson Airplane in the early '70s, presenting more radio-friendly fare such as "Jane," "Find Your Way Back," and "Layin'

It on the Line." These days the last man standing is guitarist/songwriter Paul Kantner. No Mickey Thomas, no Grace Slick...downtown, hard-rocking '80s acts Quiet Riot, Faster Pussycat, Bullet Boys, and Gilby Clarke (Guns N' Roses II) take the stage at House of Blues...while up on Bankers Hill, the Tin Can fills an eclectic bill with oldschool D.I.Y. bands Plastic City Pariah (pubpunk), Sculpins (street), and Lexicons (ska).... From New Zealand, folk-pop band Tiny Ruins take the stage at Soda Bar behind their new CD, Brightly Painted Ones, which NME says beefs up the trio's trilling folk with a Rhodes piano, spilling into country-soul. Hit play on the podcast for a clip of "Me at the Museum, You in the Wintergardens." L.A. singer/multi-instrumentalist/ songwriter Garret Borns-with-a-slash-throughthe-"o" opens the show.

<u>Friday</u>

Cleveland noise-rock trio Cloud Nothings drift into Soda Bar behind their very recommendable Carpark Records collection, Here and Nowhere



Else. Dylan Baldi's songs, like Dylan Baldi, are disheveled, wiry, and immediately likeable. Loud and loose in the room, but considered and curious when you bend your headphoned head to Baldi's honest thoughts. Liked this from Consequence of Sound (which gave the record an "A"): "On words CLOUD NOTHINGS alone, Cloud Nothings has
AT SODA BAR more in common with Tegan and Sara than Japandroids

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Most excellent English surf-psych trio Wytches open this hard-to-beat bro-down.... But, BUT, if you miss the door at the Soda Bar, O.C. beach-goth band the **Growlers** are over at the North Park Theatre in advance of this year's highly anticipated Chinese Fountain, which a Spin pre-review describes as "another trademark nugget of salt-water psychedelia." With "the boisterously beating heart of Portland's DIY punk scene" White Fang openTHE GROWLERS AT NORTH PARK THEATRI

ing the show, this is another can't-miss for fans of the garage-rock brand. F to the Y to the I: Growlers will be at Pappy & Harriet's up in Pioneertown on Saturday night. Just savin'... Best of the rest: haunted-rockers Deadbolt and

El Monte Slim roll into the Whistle Stop for your RDA of greazy beats...a band called Life, featuring players from Pinback and Sleeping People, kicks the Tin Can with local post-rock favorites Manuok and indie-folkie Atlanta band **Little Tybee**...the roadhardened Texas trio **Reverend Horton Heat**'s preaching the rockabilly word at Belly Up after Whiskey Shivers...Cher and Cyndi Lauper are splitting a grande-dames-of-pop bill at the Valley View Casinorena...while Dave Good's Of Notable show this week, that tribal dance party of two Okapi Sun, shines at Casbah after Madly, Fame Riot, and Get Back Loretta's Kevin Martin playing a coupla solo sets in the Atari Lounge.

Saturday

Speaking of Get Back Loretta, the multiple-

five-piece will headline

sets at Casbah on

Saturday night

after Palace

Ballroom,

Flaggs, and

Neighbors to

the North. That's

ony bill, and we're

one super-solid locals-

dying to check out the

new Flaggs lineup and

get a preview of this

summer's God Hates

Flaggs CD. See you

on Kettner.... From

London, synthpop

diva Elly Jackson, aka

La Roux, plays House of Blues

in advance of this year's Polydor

on the pod this week. Brooklyn-

platter, Trouble in Paradise. Got her

very catchy "Bulletproof" streaming

based electronic artist Big Data plugs in first...

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hideaway the Shakedown. Grampadrew's Flim Flam **Revue** entertains happy hour (5p) at Whistle Stop before DJs Rob & Dmitri spin Booty Basement dance iams in the South Park har Finnish black-metal band **Behexen**'s making its only SoCal tour stop at our own Til-Two...while Gary Shuffledust dons the drag and ditties of the Thin White Duke at the Hideout.

Sunday

**Core** covers STP at Midway

Sunday will see the Ché Café's final show for the foreseeable future. They're billing it as the "For the F!!!ing Kids" show and the band list is generous. The big dill starts at noon. Get the deets here: thechecafe.blogspot.com.... Sunday night at Soda Bar, you've got Detroit's favorite soul-rock sextet Jessica Hernandez & the Deltas. The band's touring in advance of this summer's Secret Evil CD Listen to a clip of "Demons" on this week's podcast. Javier Escovedo of local punk perennials the Zeros and Rebecca Jade & the Cold Fact open the show

**Monday** Anti-Monday delivers **Octagrape** to Casbah. The

globby-glob Grape's got some new songs for fur amps on the interwebs in the form of Vertical Evasion, a two-song stunner of covers of Pretty Things ("Mr. Evasion") and Swell Maps ("Vertical Slum"). Oh Spirit and Big Bad Buffalo are also on the bill.

Tuesdav Who else but Diana Death would/should celebrate a dead man's birthday by rockin' yo ass? Johnny Thunders was a Doll and a Heartbreaker and one of punk-n-roll's top-shelf songsmiths. Death's

of its kind in the known universe - Chinese Rocks will deliver a fitting and faithful set of the guitarist/singer's material at Tin Can Ale House on Tuesday. Thunders would have been 62. Bat Lords and the Pheasants will be covering some

tribute to Thunders — the only

of their own favorites for the affair Else: garage-pop act Barbarian and DJ Man Cat will entertain a Reader-sponsored beerfest at Belly Up...while from 'Nawlins, "blackened death metal"

band Goatwhore hits Soda Bar behind this year's Constricting Rage of the Merciless. Loud locals Lord Howler and Eukaryst set it up.

Wednesday

"If you wanna get to heaven, you gotta raise a little hell." Words to live by for L.A.-based folkrocker Robert Francis and his travelin' band the Night Tide, who bring a little Heaven to Casbah on humpnight. If you like your troubadours with bleeding hearts on sleeve, you will love this guy. Vikesh Kapoor and Maxim Ludwig are also on the bill.... Utter mentionables: adult-contempo crooner and all-around cool cat **Chris Isaak** plays Humphrey's by the Bay...Brooklyn's folksy post-rock band the **Antlers** duck into Belly Up behind this year's ANTI- records set Familiars...Til-Two



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Jesse Cook Friday, July 18 8:00

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Tuesday, July 22 7:30

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# **Potluck with Tori Amos**

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ANDREW HAMLIN

"I usually am backstage furiously learning something before I walk on."

ack into the mystic, back with new album Unrepentant Geraldines, back into the presence of her adoring fans, and back touring solo, Tori Amos, who performs here

July 24 at Humphreys by the Bay, doesn't mind so much, because travel fans her creative spark. Taking a break in Istanbul, she

FOR PREVIOUS TOURS?

#### bounced a few questions off the satellites. IS YOUR AUDIENCE MORE ON FIRE THAN

I haven't toured alone in a long time, since 2005, and when you tour alone, it becomes very interactive, because you can change things easily. With an orchestra or a band, it's not as easy to just stop and change the whole show, sitting right there at your piano. It drives the crew a little crazy, but, you know...you can respond to the dominant mood of what you're feeling. So each night is different, and that's a lot of fun.

THE SONG TITLES ARE GIVEN IN ONE OR-DER THROUGH THE BOOKLET, ANOTHER ORDER ON THE ALBUM, PRESENTED IN A CIRCLE ON THE BACK, AND ONE TRACK

#### IS LEFT OUT OF THE BOOKLET. WHAT WAS YOUR METHODOLOGY?

Yeah, there's a methodology. I had to turn in my artwork before I knew the order, and I

> wasn't going to be forced into an order. So I decided to make it potluck.

#### DO YOU GO ON KNOWING WHAT COV-**ERS YOU'LL PLAY?**

Covers are usually requested at the stage door, or they've been requested the night before by people who are gonna be at the show that night through the internet. So people find people who are going and say, "When she plays San Diego, can she play this?" So that gives me 24 hours to try to find [a given tune]. I usually am backstage furiously learning something before I walk on.

#### WHICH HAVE BEEN YOUR MOST CHAL-**LENGING COVERS?**

"Extreme Ways," by Moby. If you're alone at a piano, you have to try...I guess you could do a really low-key version of it, but that wasn't the choice I made. I wanted to give a very sultry version that had rhythm to it and energy. So to do that on your



Tori Amos, at 50, appreciates belly-laughs and finds wisdom in her teenage daughter.

own, you have to figure out how to achieve it.

#### A FRIEND OF MINE WONDERED IF YOU **EVER COVERED TOM PETTY?**

That's a really good idea! I haven't. But, see, this is how the live show's working. You're talking to somebody, you're in a line at a coffee shop somewhere, and somebody goes, "Hey, have you done ...?" and you think, Oh my God, good idea!

#### **NEIL GAIMAN SAID THE MOST SURPRIS-**ING THING ABOUT YOU WAS "HOW SENSIBLE SHE IS." DO YOU THINK YOU'VE BECOME MORE OR LESS SEN-SIBLE OVER THE YEARS?

Sillier, maybe. I have a teenage daughter, and she's British. Although she was born in America, she's British — education and sense of humor. When you have a teenage daughter who really likes to laugh, is ever-so-polite in most circumstances but then can really make you completely lose it at the most inappropriate times, when you're belly-laughing because she's funny... It's something I didn't have 20 years ago. I certainly didn't have a teenage daughter, and I didn't know I would have one that could make me laugh so much.

#### WHAT OTHER SURPRISES DID SHE HAVE FOR YOU?

She told me when I was 49 last year — 50's great,

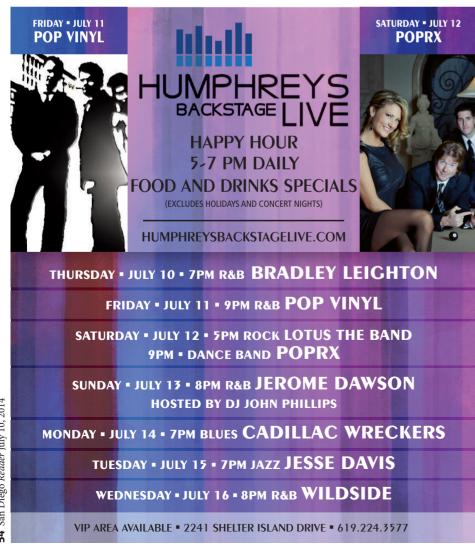
49 wasn't so good — and she just said to me, "Look, you have to get your head around this. And you gotta go rock. And you gotta go out there on your own. Because you can. No band, no orchestra, just go out there and play like I see you play all the time. Just be as strong as you were 20 years ago, and you have to do it for yourself." And I just looked at her and said, "Thank you. Thank you for your wisdom."

#### IS YOUR DAUGHTER THE MOST IMPOR-TANT THING IN YOUR LIFE?

Well, of course. But also...my mother has taught me, she's the most loving person I ever knew. My mother has a love that is unconditional. And that love, it's hard to describe it, because I know that having felt it, there's nothing like that type of love. And my mother always told me, "You won't really understand that type of love as a child." It took me a long time to see what a gift I've had. Not with conditions, loving me because I made a good performance or a bad performance. She doesn't care. She cares that I care, but she's there to make me soup and give me a hug and tell me she loves me. Whether I want to play or not.

#### WHAT ARE THREE SOUNDS THAT YOU LOVE?

My husband and daughter laughing together, giggling, when they're up to something. The morning chorus of the birds. And thunder. ■





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Friday, 8pm — Shoreline Rootz and Uplift.

Saturday, 8pm — Random Radio, Big Lewinsky, Indiana Ionesin.

Tuesday, 8pm — 710 Battle of the Bands

#### 98 Bottles:

Friday, 8pm — Jamie Shadowlight: Surfing with the Alien. \$12-\$15. Saturday, 9:30pm, Saturday, 7:30pm — Joe Garrison and Night People. \$12-\$15.

#### **AMSDconcerts:**

Saturday, 7:30pm - Ledward Kaapana. \$25-\$52.

#### **Air Conditioned Lounge:** Saturday, 9pm — DJ Mike

Alga Norte Park:

#### Friday, 6pm — Mingo Fishtrap.

Australian Grill: Saturday, 6pm — Fine Tune Academy presents Aussie Fest.

#### **Balboa Theatre:**

Saturday, 8pm, Sunday, 3pm

— LUV Madonna: Music of the Material Girl. \$29-\$70.

#### Bancroft:

Friday, 8pm — Radiohearts and Junk Poets. Saturday, 8pm — NTNT, Dancing Strangers, Beasty Godiva. Monday, 8pm — Joey Molinaro, Platypus Egg, Penis Hickey.

Wednesday, 8pm — Karaoke with Cici.

#### **Bar Dynamite:**

Thursday, 9pm — Take Over. Friday, 9pm — 24K Gold. Saturday, 9pm — Bar Dynamite Saturdays Tuesday, 9pm — Boom Bap.

#### Barleymash:

Thursday, 8pm — DJ Chris Cutz. Friday, 9pm — DJ Demon.

#### Reaumont's:

Thursday, 8pm — Aquile. Free. Friday, 9pm — Fish & the Seaweeds. Free. Saturday, 9pm — Jones Revival.

Wednesday, 7:30pm - Kayla Hope. Free.

#### Bella Vista Social Club and

Thursday, 5:30pm - Stacy Antonel Duo. Free.

#### Belly Up:

Thursday, 8pm — Jefferson Starship, Jeff & Jesse, Chris Cote. \$26-\$46 Friday, 8pm — Reverend Horton

Heat, Whiskey Shivers. \$25-\$45. Sunday, 8pm - The Pettybreakers. \$12-\$21. Tuesday, 7pm — Reader Beer Fest: Barbarian, DJ Man Cat. \$20. Wednesday, 8pm — The Antlers

and Thus Owls, \$15-\$27

**SN**TE

BY DAVE GOOD

Alone in the mix: that's the first thought that came to mind when I listened to Okapi Sun's dance/electro-pop combo platter of tribal drums, keys, synths, and the bane of all good

music - vocals bled out to an audience through Auto-Tune. That's an audio processor that was designed to fix pitchy singers in the recording studio. When used at full-throttle, the resulting distortion has almost become de rigueur among pop singers who, as a united front, have run the hackneved effect into the ground. The sound is so dated by now that using Auto-Tune pegs a band to a dwindling era. Why, Okapi Sun? Why?

I looked to their Facebook bio in hopes of finding an answer. "We decorate ourselves with sounds and let them form into songs," True enough - there is that element in the music, of hyper-colorful childhood imagery, but for adults. Okapi Sun got music-industry interest in Texas during South by Southwest and here on the home front where they were nominated for Best Pop at the San Diego Music Awards last year.

OS is a female duo that began just over a vear ago. Dallas (Gabriela Sanchez) and Leo (Maren Parusel) forged an alliance in Europe, as the

story goes, and reunited when Parusel moved to America and fronted an indie-rock guitar-based outfit that bore her name. (Maren Parusel won Best Pop Album for her Artificial Gardens at the 2011 SDMA awards; Dallas played keyboards and viola in that band.) In press, the two have likened the effect of their music to a dance party, but Okapi Sun is more of an analog band than a deejay set, even though the net result is a hybrid sound that appears to goof EDM. Am I to take this band seriously, or is Okapi Sun pure satire? I'm thinking that the answer lies somewhere in the middle.

Madly, the Fame Riot, and Kevin Martin also perform

OKAPI SUN: Casbah, Friday, July 11, 7:30 p.m. 619-232-HELL. \$10

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#### **Birch Aquarium at Scripps:**

Wednesday, 7:30pm — Green Flash: Steve Poltz.

#### Black Cat Bar:

Saturday, 8pm — Podunk Nowhere, Gary Hankins, Summer Knowledge

#### Boar Cross'n:

Thursday, 8pm — The Heavy Guilt.

Friday, 8pm — Club Musae. Saturday, 8pm — City Reef.

#### Café Bahia:

Thursday, 5:30pm — Tiffany Jane & Paul Castelluzzo.

#### Casbah:

Thursday, 8pm — Aaron Embry and Hey King! Friday, 8pm — Okapi Sun, Madly, the Hunt, Fame Riot. Saturday, 8pm — Get Back Loretta, Palace Ballroom, Flaggs. \$8-\$10.

Monday, 7:30pm — Big Bad Buffalo, Oh Spirit, Octagrape. Tuesday, 5pm - Meg Myers and Gayle Skidmore. \$0. Wednesday, 8pm — Robert Francis & the Night Tide.

#### **Central Library:**

Sunday, 2:30pm — Composer Alive În His Music: Manuel de Falla. Free. Wednesday, 6pm — Shoutin' in

the Library: Trio Gadjo. Free.

Cheers Bar & Grill: Saturday, 9pm — Nemesis. Free.

#### Chico Club:

Thursday, 8pm, Friday, 8pm — DJ Harvest. Saturday, 8pm — Silvermine.

Sunday, 8pm — DJ Harvest.

#### Ché Café:

Thursday, 7:30pm — Cross Examination, Overdoser, Mother

Friday, 6:30pm — Take Offense, Impulse, Suspect, Sleepwalk. Saturday, 7pm — No Know, Penis Hickey, Trash Axis.



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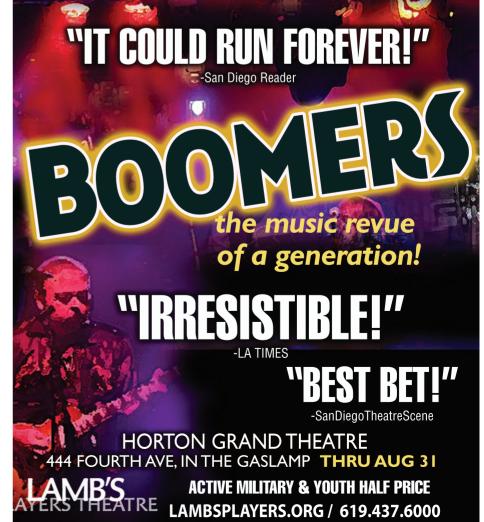








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#### Crab Catcher:

Friday, 5:30pm — Adrienne Nims & Spirit Wind. Free.

#### Croce's Park West:

Sunday, noon — Molly Tuttle

#### **Cuvier Club:**

Sunday, 4pm — Stephen Sondheim Cabaret. \$20.

#### Dirk's Niteclub:

Friday, Saturday, 8pm — Serious Guise. Free. Wednesday, 8pm — Karaoke Wednesdays.

#### Dizzv's:

Friday, 8pm — Diego García.

Saturday, 8pm — Pablo Neruda tribute, \$15 Monday, 8pm — Gary LeFebvre tribute. \$10-\$15.

#### El Dorado Cocktail Lounge: Saturday, 8pm — DJ Bob Dazzla.

**Embarcadero Marina Park** 

South: Friday, 7:30pm, Saturday, 7:30pm — Boz Scaggs. Sunday, 7:30pm — Passport to the World: A Night in Hungary.

#### Epicentre:

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#### **Tribute** John Newman By Andrew Hamlin

John Newman's debut opens with a slow string section, a voice that sounds like the singer reading out great acts of ages past, and an electronically whirl-winded "Crystal," from the AT&T Natural Voices® synthesized voice collection, reads off the decades. A breathtaking compendium of expectations summoned up — and to his credit, John Newman, his real name, age 23, crawls out from underneath this dropped asbestos curtain of talent and goes into his own

dance, without breaking a sweat or our faith. He may not be brilliant, just yet. But he's worth hearing, and that was not something I would necessarily have given him after the icebreaker.

"Tribute" introduces



Newman's warm, laddish voice tops it all off.

what we'll get in measures throughout: tasteful, echoed backgrounds featuring everything from martial drums to Four Tops-style baritone sax, never all at the same time, never swarming the mix, but always adroitly balanced. This could seem too polite, but thanks to the four at the control panel — Ant Whiting, Steve Booker, Mike Spencer, and Newman — it keeps building and rushing in a constant urgency.

And Newman's warm, laddish voice tops it all off — usually pleading, something he's learned well from the greats. He sometimes has to holler to be heard over the mix, but that gives him extra nunch At 23 he shouldn't be able to persuade us that his heart's been broken or stood in the docket so many times. That's a kind of magic. Modest. But building.

#### Music Reviews from Our Readers

#### **Thundercat** brings the Apocalypse By Robert Lang

Touring behind his second album, Apocalypse, released in 2013. Thundercat wowed unsuspecting viewers with otherworldly improvisation and R&B-blended Ra-isms to those inside the North Park

Songs on Bruner's latest album live different lives in person. Discernible melodies aren't the focal point. Instead, lyrical snippets in tracks like "Tron Song" are peripheral, essentially

borders surrounded by several minutes of iazz-infused improvisations. From the opening George Duke cover of "For Love I



He had the crowd in his hand.

Come," Bruner was a personable performer. Living vicariously off the audience, he retold an experience in the woods with Flying Lotus and pianist Austin Peralta that inspired "Lotus and the Jondy." Preceded by a dedication to the recently passed Peralta — the most moving part of the show — it was clear he had the crowd in his hand. When he emerged for his encore, "Oh, Sheit, It's X," the audience was hanging on every note from the half-pained, half-euphoric expressions of the virtuoso.

**Concert**: Thundercat

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not-half-bad song and

Moonshine, Free. Wednesday, 8pm — Trackdown

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Sunday, 6pm — The Pine Creek Posse Band, Free.

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Sunday, 9pm — Jerome Dawson. Monday, 7pm — Cadillac

Wreckers Tuesday, 9pm — Jesse Davis.

#### Wednesday, 8pm — Wildside.

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#### Infinity at Pala Casino:

Saturday, 8pm — HeartBeat City. Free.

Tuesday, 1pm — Gregory Wolfe: Rod Stewart tribute Free.

#### **Jumping Turtle:**

Thursday, 7:30pm — IIIMATIK, Dyemend (Porunga), Maskeraid. Friday, 8pm — Tainted Society, Froghead, Rock Whiskey. Saturday, 8pm — Kulteir, Axis of Death, Santinos, Last2Know.

#### **Kava Lounge:**

Friday, 10pm — Acid Varsity. Free.

Saturday, 8pm — Simpler Times: Machino. Sunday, 8pm — For the Love of

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Friday, 8pm — La Misa Negra.

#### **Keys Creek Lavender Farm:** Saturday, 7pm — Gregory Page.

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La Valencia Hotel: Thursday, 6pm — Rick Ross.

#### Lafayette Hotel, Swim Club & Bungalows:

Thursday, 4pm, Wednesday, 4pm — Normandie Wilson.

#### Lestat's Coffee House:

Thursday, 8pm — Swear and Shake. Friday, 8pm — Michelle Lewis and Kim Divine. Sunday, 8pm — Ernie Halter and Trent Hancock. Monday, 7pm — Open Mic Night.

#### Lorimar Vineyards and Winery:

Saturday, 6pm — Fuzzy Rankins Band. Sunday, 2pm — Annette DaBomb Jazz Duo.

#### Market Creek Plaza:

Saturday, 2pm — Phil Perry, Jay Gore, Jeanette Harris, \$35-\$75.

#### **Martinis Above Fourth:**

Thursday, 8pm — Devlin: She's Back Again! \$20. Saturday, 9pm — Tiffany Jane. Wednesday, 8pm - Amy Armstrong & Freddy Allen. \$30-\$40.

#### Mediterranean Cafe:

Saturday, 7pm — Adrienne Nims & Spirit Wind. Free.

#### Merrow:

Thursday, 8pm — Lime Cordial. Friday, 8pm — Saint Diego, St. Cloud Sleepers, Kid Wilderness. Saturday, 8pm — Hedonism. Sunday, 9pm — Pants Karaoke. Tuesday, 8pm — Wicked Tongues and Andrew Begin. Wednesday, 8pm — DynaMic Open Mic Nights.

#### Molly Malone's:

Friday, 9pm — Nemesis. Free.

#### **Moonlight Beach:**

Saturday, 7am — 10th Annual Switchfoot Bro-Am.

#### Mother's Saloon:

Sunday, 4pm — Full Moon Fever. Free.

#### **Museum of Contemporary** Art San Diego, Downtown:

Thursday, 7pm — TNT (Thursday Night Thing). Free. Museum of Making Music:

#### Friday, 7:30pm — Sounds Like San Diego VI.

#### North Park Theatre:

Friday, 7:30pm — The Growlers.

#### Old Poway Park:

Sunday, 5:30pm — The Lacemakers. Free.

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Wednesday, 9pm — DJ Mike Czech

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#### Paloma:

Saturday, 7:30pm — Switchfoot: Fading West.

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Thursday, 7pm — Open Mic and Acoustic Showcase. Friday, 8pm — Give Me Back My Wig Blues Band.

#### Patricks Gaslamp Pub:

Thursday, 8pm — Trey Tosh & the T&T Band. Friday, 9pm — Fuzzy Rankins Blues Band. Saturday, 8pm - Mystique Element of Soul. Sunday, 8pm — Johnny Vernazza Monday, 8pm — Groove Squad. Tuesday, 8pm — Walter's Chicken Jam. Wednesday, 8pm — Christina.

#### Pechanga Resort & Casino: Saturday, 8pm — Wynonna.

#### **Point Loma Community** Park:

Friday, 6:30pm — The Mighty Untouchables, Free,

#### Porter's Pub at UCSD:

Saturday, 8pm - 8Kalacas, Mafia Rusa River Ratts. Monday, 8pm — D.U.B.B. and Devin Miles.

#### **Pour House:**

Saturday, 9pm — Blasting Idiots.

#### **Proud Mary's Southern Bar** & Grill at the Ramada:

Friday, 7pm — Whitney Shay & Robin Henkel Trio. Free.

#### Riviera Supper Club & Turquoise Room:

Thursday, 9pm — Bob Wade. Friday, 9pm — Little Kings. Saturday, 9pm — Midnight Pine.

#### Rosie O'Grady's:

Saturday, 9:30pm — The Sleepwalkers and Jive Bombers.

#### San Diego Marriott Marquis & Marina:

Saturday, 6pm — Stacy Antonel Duo. Free.

#### San Pasqual Winery Tasting Room and Gallery:

Saturday, 7pm — Danielle Taylor. Free. Sunday, 2pm – SamDiego Jazz

#### Sand Crab Tavern:

Sunday, 11am — Robin Henkel. Free.

#### Second Wind (San Carlos): Sunday, 8pm — The Shakedown Daddies, Free,

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Thursday, 9pm — Small Disaster plays Radiohed, Bjork, etc. Friday, 8pm — The Sure Fire Soul Ensemble Saturday, 9pm — Stevie & the Hi-Staxx.

Wednesday, 9pm — Gilbert

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Wednesday, 8pm — Among the Giants and Foreign Suns.

#### Sleep Train Amphitheatre:

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Thursday, 8pm — Tiny Ruins and BØRNS. Friday, 7:30pm — Cloud Nothings, the Wytches, Metz. Saturday, 8pm — Sister Nancy, Africanpostman, Irieality. Sunday, 8pm — Jessica Hernandez & the Deltas.

Monday, 8pm — Fantino, Family Thief the Darrows Tuesday, 8pm — GoatWhore and Lord Howler.

Wednesday, 8pm — Feather & Dot, Jara, Prgrm.

#### Soma:

Thursday, 7pm — Rings of Saturn, Auras, Aenimus. Friday, 7pm — ForTheWin, Jeremiah Johnson, Cartographer. Saturday, 6pm — Bleeding Through, Winds of Plague, LionHeart.

#### Spike Africa's Fresh Fish Grill & Bar:

Sunday, 11am — Bill Shreeve Trio. Free.

#### Spreckels Organ Pavilion:

Monday, 7:30pm — Wyatt Smith & Priti Gandhi.

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#### **Thornton Winery:**

Sunday, 5pm — Chris Botti.

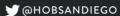
#### Til-Two:

Friday, 8pm — Aghori, Shattered Eyes, Eukaryst, RelicSeed. \$8. Saturday, 8pm — Behexen, NightBringer, Ritual Combat. Wednesday, 7:30pm — Fat History Month, Nothingful, Crooked Rulers.

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*Thursday*, 6:30pm — Santee Summer Concert: Caliber. **Free.** 

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Friday, 2pm — Sounds of Summer: Jesse Beason, Conor Correll

Universal Spirit Center:

Wednesday, 7pm — The Art of Chant: Chant Jam.

#### University Community Library:

*Wednesday*, 6:30pm — Night Alibi Barbershop Quartet. **Free**.

V Lounge:

Friday, 9pm — Sensation. Saturday, 9pm — Makai. Free.

**Valley View Casino Center:** *Friday*, 7:30pm — Cher.

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*Friday*, 8pm — Deadbolt and El Monte Slim.

Saturday, 9pm — Booty Bassment. Saturday, 5pm — Grampadrew Flim Flam Review. Wednesday, 8pm — Brewer Soundtracks.

#### Winstons:

Thursday, 9pm — Turkuaz. Friday, 9pm — Dustbowl Revival. Saturday, 9pm — Todo Mundo and Sister Speak. \$8. Sunday, 10pm — Jose Sinatra hosts O.B.-o-ke. \$1. Monday, 9pm — Electric Waste Band. \$5.

Wednesday, 9pm — Rain Basilo & the Roosters, DJ Carlos Culture

#### Zoro Garden:

Sunday, 1pm — North Park Chill Jazz Quintet. Free.

#### CLASSICAL MUSIC

Composer Alive in His Music: Manuel de Falla

The Composer Alive In His Music Series is a three-part series highlighting the music of Robert Schumann (June 15), Manuel de Falla (July 13), and Claude Debussy (August 10). These performances include the story of the composer's life, written and narrated by Joanne Regenhardt, with the composer's music performed by Janelle DeStefano (mezzo soprano) and James Frimmer (piano), with special guests Wendy Castellanos (flamenco dance) and Scott Wolf (guitar) for the Manuel de Falla program. Sunday, July 13,

2:30pm; **free**. Central Library, 330 Park Boulevard.

Jocelyn Celaya Jocelyn Celaya is a radical classical guitarist/vocalist who keeps the foundation of traditional classical techniques in her original compositions by combining heavy bass lines, speedy leads, and multidimensional melodies accompanied by strong vocals and lyrics within a pop/rock structure. Sundays, 6pm; through Saturday, July 26, free. San Marcos Civic Center Plaza, 141 North Twin Oaks Valley Road.

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**Stephen Sondheim Cabaret**Join Christopher Allen as he

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Summer Festival: Beethoven

The Athenaeum Music & Arts Library's Summer Festival with pianist Gustavo Romero will be celebrating composer Ludwig van Beethoven. Sunday, July 13, 4pm; \$35-\$50. Auditorium at the Scripps Research Institute, 10640 John Jay Hopkins Drive.

## UPCOMING SHOWS

**710 Beach Club:** 710 Garnet Ave., Pacific Beach, 858-483-7844.

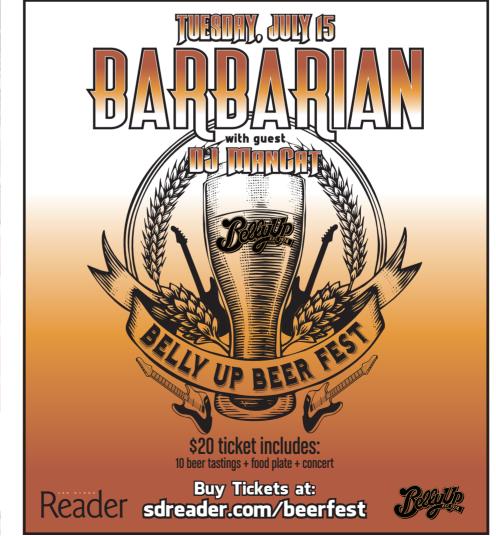
July 17 — Live Band Karaoke. July 18 — Hirie and Piracy Conspiracy.

**98 Bottles:** 2400 Kettner Bl., Little Italy, 619-255-7885. *July 17* — Nina Francis featuring Peter Sprague.

**Athenaeum Music and Arts Library:** 1008 Wall St., La Jolla, 858-454-5872. *July 17* — Kendra Shank & Geoffrey Keezer.

**The Bancroft:** 9143 Campo Rd., Spring Valley, 619-469-2337. *July 17* — Swank Bastards and Midnight Fiend. *July 18* — Robin Hill, High Anxeity, Bobby Joe Ebloa.

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9/20 Jungle 9/21 ODESZA

9/22 Better than Ezra

9/27 Temples 10/1 Katchafire

10/5 Living Colour

10/6 ABC

10/9 Twin Shadow

10/10 Passafire 10/13 The Horrors

10/19 Metronomy 10/20 Asia

10/24 The Afghan Whigs

10/25 Dead Man's Party 10/28 J.D. McPherson

10/29 Shawn Mullins

10/30 Bernhoft

11/1 Delta Spirit

11/2 Yelle 11/12 Greensky Bluegrass

11/16 New Orleans Legends feat. Preservational Hall Jazz Band & Allen Touss

11/17 Psychedelic Furs & The Lemonheads

11/23 Tim Flannery and the Lunatic Fringe

12/2 Andy McKee

12/21 Dick Dale's Holiday Show



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Café Bahia: 998 West Mission Bay Dr., Mission Beach, 858-539-7635. Iuly 17, Iuly 24, Iuly 31 — Tiffany Iane & Paul Castelluzzo

The Casbah: 2501 Kettner Bl., Little Italy, 619-232-4355. July 17 - Planes Mistaken for Stars. All Eves West. Iulv 18 — Pinback.

Chico Club: 7366 El Cajon Bl., La Mesa, 619-465-4190. Iuly 17, 18 — DI Harvest.

Ché Café: 9500 Gilman Dr., UCSD, 858-534-2311. July 19 — Wolves in the Throne

The Coyote Bar & Grill: 300 Carlsbad Village Dr., Carlsbad, 760-729-4695. July 17 — Nathan James & the

Rhythm Scratchers Iuly 18 — More Sol.

**Del Mar Fairgrounds: 2260** Jimmy Durante Bl., Del Mar, 858-755-1161. *July 18* — Jurassic 5

**Embarcadero Marina Park** South: 206 Marina Park Way, Downtown San Diego. July 18, July 19 — The Music of Abba

**Encinitas Community and** Senior Center: 1140 Oakcrest Park Dr., Encinitas, 760-943-2260

July 27, July 29 — North Coast Symphony: Pops Picnic.

Epicentre: 8450 Mira Mesa Bl., Mira Mesa, 858-271-4000. July 18 — Cardboard Truckers.

Gallagher's Pub & Grill: 5046 Newport Ave., Ocean Beach, 619-222-5300. July 17 — Hazmatt. July 18 — Ass Pocket Whiskey Fellas

**Good Guys Tavern:** 7340 Broadway, Lemon Grove, 619-465-0241. August 8 — New Rich, Cardboard Truckers, DropJoy

Green Acre: 3535 General Atomics Court, Sorrento Valley, 858-587-6601. July 19 — David Rosales.

The Hideout: 3519 El Cajon Bl., City Heights.

July 18 — Craft Spells.

**Hornblower Cruises: 970** North Harbor Dr., Downtown San Diego, 619-686-8715. July 18, 25 — Bay Dinner Cruise: Bayou Brothers.

House of Blues: 1055 Fifth Ave., Downtown San Diego, 619-299-2583.

July 17 — Pre-Pride Party. July 18 — Marisela.

Humphreys Backstage Music Club: 2241 Shelter Island Dr., Shelter Island, 619-224-3577. July 17 — Tommy Black.

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Java Joe's: 3536 Adams Ave.. Normal Heights, 619-882-0902. Iuly 18 — Carlitos Angeles Olmeda

The Jumping Turtle: 1660 Capalina Rd., San Marcos, 760-471-7778

*July 18* — Darrow Chemical Company, Squirrelly Arts.

Lafayette Hotel, Swim Club & Bungalows: 2223 El Cajon Bl., University Heights, 619-296-2101

July 17 — Normandie Wilson.

Lestat's Coffee House: 3343 Adams Ave., Normal Heights, 619-282-0437 July 18 — Cody Lovaas and Aaron Bowen.

**Martinis Above Fourth:** 3940 Fourth Avenue #200, Hillcrest, 619-400-4500. July 17 — Amy Armstrong & Freddy Allen.

The Merrow: 1271 University Ave., Hillcrest, 619-299-7372. Iuly 18 — Bearracuda.

Molly Malone's: 1270 Main St., Ramona, 760-789-9050. July 18 — Rock Steady.

Ortega's Bistro: 141 University Ave., Hillcrest, 619-692-4200. July 17 — Noche Bohemia: Besos de Coco.

**Pacific Beach Shore Club:** 4343 Ocean Bl., Pacific Beach, 858-272-7873 July 23 — DJ Mike Czech.

Parkway Bar: 9188 Fletcher Parkway, La Mesa, 619-463-8757. July 17 — Open Mic and Acoustic Showcase

Patricks Gaslamp Pub: 428 F St., Downtown San Diego, 619-233-3077. July 17 — Myron & the

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**Point Loma Community** Park: 1060-1080 Catalina Bl., Point Loma. July 18 — Liquid Blue.

Ramona Mainstage Nightclub: 626 Main St., Ramona, 760-789-7008. July 18 — Buck-O-Nine and Voodoo Glow Skulls

Renegade Inn: 14335 Old Highway 80, El Cajon, 619-561-8105. July 29 — Open Mic Party.

Riviera Supper Club & **Turquoise Room: 7777** University Ave., La Mesa, 619-713-6777. July 17 — Last One Ever. July 18 — Jimbo Trout.

Searsucker: 12995 El Camino Real, Del Mar, 858-369-5700. July 17 — Opening Day After-Party: Rev Run, DJ Ruckus.

Second Wind (San Carlos): 8515 Navajo Rd., San Carlos, 619-465-1730. July 17 — The Pine Creek Posse

Band. The Shakedown Bar: 3048 Midway Dr., Midway District, 619-487-0373. July 17 — Darkwave Garden

Sherwood Auditorium at Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego: 700 Prospect St., La Jolla, 858-454-3541. July 18 — Alex Woodard, Jack Tempchin, Nena Anderson.

Soda Bar: 3615 El Cajon Bl., City Heights, 619-255-7224. July 17 — Glass Spells, Avid Dancer, Bulletproof Tiger. July 18, July 19 — Dwarves, the Queers, Masked Intruder.

Soma: 3350 Sports Arena Bl., Midway District, 619-226-7662. July 18 — Pullman Standard, Leave the Universe

The Stage Rock Bar & Grill: 762 Fifth Ave., Downtown San Diego, 619-696-9436. July 17 — Bass Tribe. July 18 — Disco Pimps.

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July 18 — Mickey Avalon, Kurch, ILouis.

Til-Two: 4746 El Cajon Bl., City Heights, 619-516-4746. July 17 — Dorotheo, Glasmus, Eric Curiel.

The Tin Can: 1863 Fifth Ave., Bankers Hill, 619-955-8525. July 17 — No Name Gang, Memory, Axis of Death.

Tio Leo's: 5302 Napa St., Bay Park, 619-542-1462. *Iuly 17* — The Fremonts. July 18 — Detroit Underground.

Tower 13: 2633 S. Coast Hwy. 101, Cardiff-by-the-Sea, 760-635-1200. July 17 — Joe Cardillo.

July 18 — SantanaWays. The Tower Bar: 4757

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**Town Center Community** Park: 550 Park Center Dr., Santee Iuly 17 — Blues & BBO: Mercedes Moore, Bayou Bros.

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V Lounge: 5000 Willows Rd., Alpine, 619-445-5400. July 18 — Off the Cuff.

Waterfront Park: 1600 Pacific Hwy., Downtown San Diego. July 18 — Sounds of Summer: Simon Hosking, Joe Cardillo.

Whistle Stop Bar: 2236 Fern St., South Park, 619-284-6784. July 17 — Some Ember, Body of Light, DJ Mario Orduno. July 18 — Fking in the Bushes.

Winstons: 1921 Bacon St., Ocean Beach, 619-222-6822. July 18 — Norris Reid & Roots

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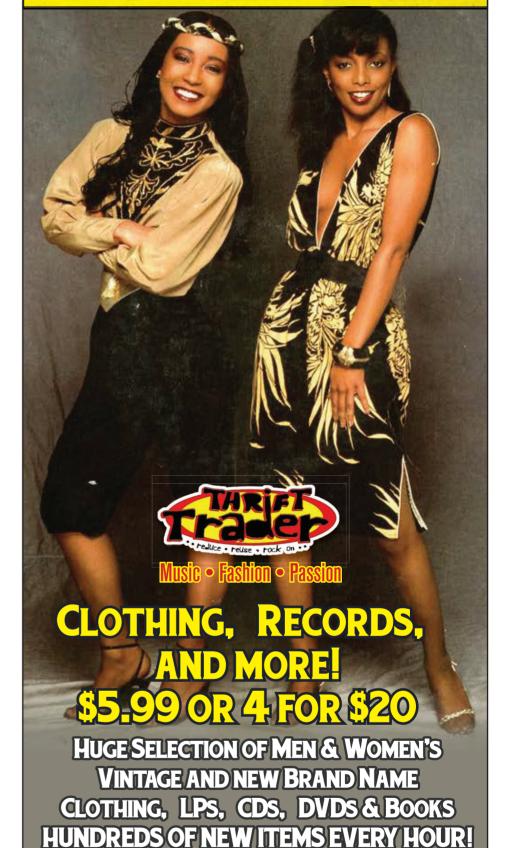
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#### **Allure**

825 Fourth Avenue, (619) 236-0800 DOWNTOWN

Allure is executive chef Melissa Magallon's new contribution to the Fourth Avenue food/drinks strip. Bartender Jefferson guessed right when he suggested a San Diego Sun, an updated version of the classic Aviation. He muddled cucumber in herbaceous gin, a breath of floral Crème Yvette, bitter cherry Luxardo Marachino notes, a healthy squeeze of fresh lemon juice. Trade your usual margarita for a Paloma, Marca Negra Mezcal, fresh grapefruit and lime juices, splash of soda — a perfect warmweather drink. Plus a complementary amuse bouche, because nothing goes with a great cocktail like a piping hot, savory bite. Prices are \$11-\$12.



#### **JRDN**

723 Felspar Street (858) 270-5736 PACIFIC BEACH

Watching the parade of beautiful people amble along the boardwalk is only half the fun at this trendy, boisterous Pacific Beach hotspot. Shrubs fruit-infused vinegars are a hot item in cocktails now, and JRDN delivers with the Kilpatrick Sour. Earthy Auchentoshan single-malt whiskey marries with tart grapefruit shrub and agave syrup for smooth balance. If you prefer bubbly, effervescent beverages, go for a Pear Sparkler. Prosecco, sweet ripe pear, and bracing ginger make for a festive, beach-perfect treat.

Prices range from \$6-\$10, but hit the Monday happy hour from 4pm-7pm, when specialty cocktails are \$7.

#### **Coastal Kitchen**

15575 Jimmy Durante Boulevard, (858) 792-5200

DEL MAR

Lack of neighborhood cachet aside, this sleek bar in the Hilton Hotel near the racetrack offers a fine barrel-aged Manhattan featuring Templeton Rye and Carpano Sweet Vermouth. Old Smokey Original Moonshine and Bundaberg Ginger Beer give the Moonshine Mule a 100-proof kick, while OS Strawberry and Blackberry Moonshine cocktails are as crisp and bright as a jockey's silks. The pickle-infused Beefeater's in the Pickled Gin is a fun dirty-martini take on the classic gin and tonic. Happy hour is Sunday-Thursday, 3pm-6pm, when you'll get \$2 off the regular prices of \$10-\$13.

#### The Hake Kitchen and Bar

1250 Prospect Street, (858) 454-1637 LA JOLLA

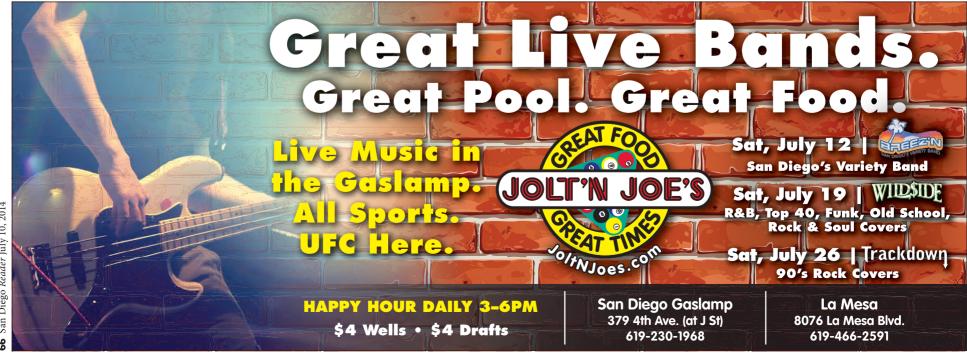
Bartender Joan deftly shakes, stirs, muddles, and pours while she chats charmingly about the hows and whys of the Hake's signature cocktails. I loved Tita's Sour, a superb, frothy tequila, amaretto, lemon and orange bitters confection that tastes like an adult creamsicle. Another musttry is the Nazta Garden. This intricate cocktail combines Pisco Portón, Ancho Reves liqueur, a nice citrus punch of lime juice and kalamansi syrup, exactly five arugula leaves, and a (not very) secret ingredient. It's a great choice if you're a fan of spicy/tangy/sweet. Prices are \$11-14, \$3 off at happy hour, 4pm-7pm and 9pmclose daily.

#### Whisknladle

1044 Wall Street, (858) 551-7575

LA JOLLA

La Jolla locals still flock to Whisknladle when happy hour rolls around for \$8 craft libations. It's hard to choose between the citrusy, slightly smoky charred blood orange, tequila and aperol in El Sacrificio or the juniper meets grapefruit and RX vanilla bitters of the Long Way Home. My alltime fave, though, is the rumored to be axed London's Burning, featuring the unusual combo of gin, puréed avocado, jalapeño, and lime. It's a little hot, a little tart, a little creamy and a whole lot of yummy. Try it while it's still on the





menu. Regular prices run \$9-13.

— MARY BETH ABATE

#### **Craft cocktails** create the opportunity

to celebrate human artistry while going out drinking with friends. That's what I'd call a win-win.

#### **Aero Club**

3365 India Street, (619) 297-7211 MISSION HILLS Known to have more than 800 whiskies to choose from, it's little surprise the bulk of Aero Club's cocktails feature bourbon and rye to go with their divey vibe, killer jukebox, and smartass bartenders. The question becomes whether anyone should ever add anything to whiskey beyond an ice cube. Their signature Be Good or Be Gone proves it can be done

well, dressing Jameson with St. Germain, muddled citrus, and club soda. The St. Germain's elderflower coaxes a surprising amount of refreshment out of the Irish whiskey, all but making a case not to take it straight.

#### **URBN**

3085 University Avenue, (619) 255-7300

NORTH PARK

There are perfectly good explanations for some of the cheeky cocktail names at URBN, and then there's the Merk, a potent blend of bourbon, Fernet Branca, and ginger beer that begs for an origin story you wouldn't want to hear. Ask bartender fatale Michele Willard to make her favorite, the Solemn Pigeon Occasion, which smoothly balances the spicy

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43 with chocolatey mole muddled cucumber, and St. Germain.

#### **Bar Pink**

3829 29th Street, (619) 564-7194 NORTH PARK It's doubtful any cocktail lounges-slash-music venues go through as much pink lemonade as this one — you'll find it in a pink martinis and pink shots, in cocktail specials ranging from pinked-up pisco

to pinked-up tequila. Fortunately, John Reis and co's place does offer "something for the fellas," even if only with irony. The Mustache keeps it simple, with tonic, lemon, and bitters added to Bulleit bourbon. It tastes a million miles from pink. At a measly six dollars, it

might be the most bangfor-your-buck cocktail mentioned in this issue.

#### The Patio

4020 Goldfinch Street, (619) 501-5090

MISSION HILLS Chris Simmons, GM of the Patio's airy new Mission Hills restaurant, is a certified catador — usually described as tequila's answer to a sommelier. Not surprising then that the burgeoning tequilería features a number of cocktails in the agave spirit (at about 12 bucks each). Housemade ginger beer mixed with vanilla/pineappleinfused blanco gives the tequila mule sweet depth. A spice-loving palate should relish the house-made sangrita, served on a wood stave in a shot-sized ceramic cup beside a whiskey

glass of tequila blanco.

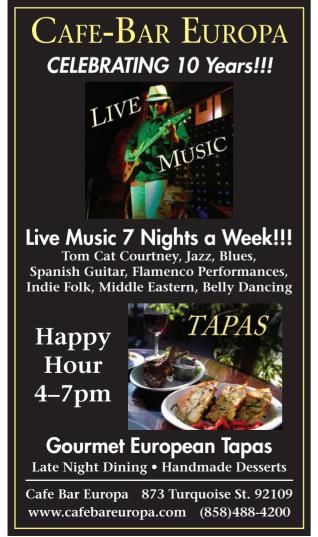
vanilla of Spanish Licor bitters, cardamom, and a creamy tequila. Or go off the ten-dollar cocktail list for a customerdubbed "Just the Tip," which slips a little chartreuse in with gin,

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Alternate sips, per tradition, or try them mixed in the cocktail Simmons calls a Sassy Sangrita.

#### **Counterpoint**

830 25th Street, (619) 564-6722 GOLDEN HILL

Counterpoint established itself as a wine bar with a terrific tap list, but upon obtaining a full spirits license, owner Cam Fomby took to craft cocktails with artisanal zeal. He makes his own simple syrups and uses them to barrel-age twists on classics, such as a cherry-vanilla Manhattan, or the standout lemongrass martini, which ages house-made lemongrass bitters, gin, and vermouth in charred oak. Barrelaged cocktails go for 12 bucks, while something like a gin and tonic starts at 9, depending on which gin you pair with the ultra-refreshing house-made agave and citrus tonic.

#### Cucina Enoteca

2730 Via De La Valle. (858) 704-4500

DEL MAR

Perfectly situated for post-racetrack dinner and drinks, the nominally Italian Cucina Enoteca features a number of old-country apertifs and mixes them with infused spirits to build a deep bartender-driven roster of craft beverages. Before dinner, try the sweet vermouth Ramato, mixed with carpano antica bolstered by fresh-pressed orange. With dinner well, stick with wine, as the place offers excellent value on hundreds of fine bottles. But definitely stick around to try an Averna Manhattan, or buck tradition with a tequila mule; a spicy jalapeño infusion gives it legitimate kick that

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plays off the ginger beer beautifully.

#### Herringbone

7837 Herschel Avenue, (858) 459-0221

LA JOLLA

Brian Malarkey brought in Snake Oil Cocktail Co. to design conversational cocktail menus for his restaurants, so, naturally this spacious, tree-filled La Jolla seafood spot boasts a slick variety of on-point creations ranging from a cinnamon-apple infused Old Fashion [sic] and a strawberry-jalapeñoinfused tequila drink dubbed Jalé Berry, which sounds like a joke any way you order it. I just can't get past the top of the list, the Peter Rabbit. It's all of Pimm's with "bruised" basil and pressed lemon — not a very potent drink but refreshingly simple, and deserving a taste even at 12 bucks.



# Leroy's Kitchen & Lounge

1015 Orange Avenue, (619) 437-6087

CORONADO

The farm-to-table ethos of Leroy's impacts its cocktail list, which may add or alter recipes depending on which in-season produce turns up at the restaurant that week. The so-called Summer Solstice is a current example, using blackberries, watermelon, and strawberry to make Ketel One Citroen taste seasonally appropriate. For a real treat, get the Sweet Heat, which stars a mango, chipotle and coconut tequila — you'll see it infusing behind the bar. Each sip starts with fruity coconut,

gradually replaced with spice rolling off the roof of your mouth. And every sip demands another.

#### **Priority Public House**

576 N. Coast Highway 101, (760) 658-9831

ENCINITAS

This Encinitas gastropub takes a sort of greatest-hits

finding some of San Diego's most successful drink recipes and bringing them to its North County patrons. Enlisting the help of local cocktail-consulting group Blind Tiger, the curated recipes include the pisco, cinnamon bark, and vermouth La Serena, attributed to Seven Grand's Brian Prugalidad; and the mezcal, Fernet, and strawberry Willy Branca, credited to Eric Johnson of Sycamore Den. Priority seems to take this celebration of cocktail craft seriously, with simple syrups made in-house and none of the limited spirits in stock without purpose.

approach to craft cocktails,

# Solace and the Moonlight Lounge

25 East E Street, (760) 753-2433

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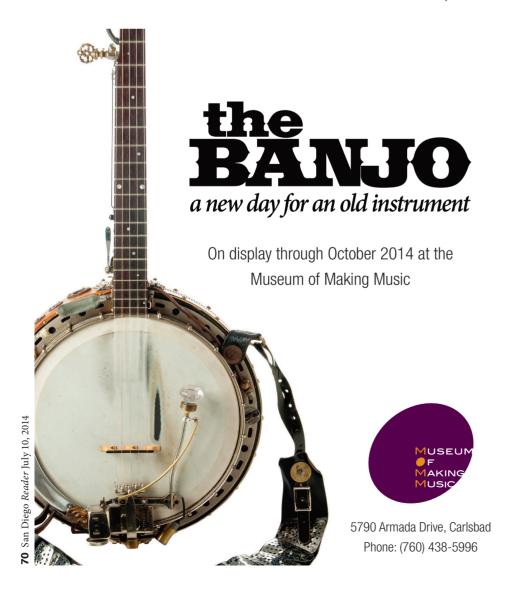
Just off the 101, the second-floor Moonlight

Lounge looks out over downtown Encinitas with garage doors open on warm nights, promising artisanal spirits within. This essentially means they opt for small-batch producers rather than stalwarts such as Grey Goose or Tanqueray, and even some of the well drinks turn out to be novel renderings of familiar liquors. The menu's most notable is the Skinny Libations section, which incorporates organic spirits and low-calorie mixers for drinks like the Gordon's Cup, which turns crushed cucumber, velvet falernum and gin into a refreshing diet cocktail for it's lithe, suntanned clientele.

— IAN ANDERSON

#### Just as a memorable soirée includes

a mix of interesting guests, a craft cocktail stimulates





the senses with the quality and balance of its ingredients.

# Ironside Fish and Oyster

1654 India Street, (619) 269-3033 LITTLE ITALY

Ironside boasts the newest crafty cocktail menu from the guys who brought us Noble Experiment and Polite Provisions. Organized into ocean-themed categories, such as Fortified and Seaworthy, a lot of thought and high-quality ingredients goes into these \$9 to \$12 drinks. My current favorite is in the Holdfast category: dubbed the Ghostwriter, it's a wellbalanced concoction of bourbon, Amaro Meletti, and black walnut bitters. For something less boozy and also delicious, try the Thunder Child, which has mint-julep-like crushed ice, but comprises the mildly nutty-flavored Amontillado sherry, bourbon, Licor 43 (a Spanish vanillaflavored liqueur), curação, lemon, and cinnamon.

#### **Fish Public**

4055 Adams Avenue, (619) 281-4014

#### KENSINGTON

Fish Public is designed to be reminiscent of Nantucket, a remote place where there's not much more to do than fish and drink. Here it's fun to get a little spicy. I'm Prickle-ish! contains tequila, prickly pear, and spicy serrano pepper. The popular #HookedUp has more of a zip than a zing, with gin, cucumber, and strawberry/Sriracha purée. Recipes were created by bartender Zach Klemo and manager Jeff Nabours, whose personal recommendation is the "Donkey Kong," a play on the classic mule with house cherry bourbon, ginger, lime, and orange bitters. All cocktails are between \$8 and \$10.

#### **Starlite**

3175 India Street, (619) 358-9766 MIDDLETOWN

A Holly Golightly is fantastic at night, but on Sunday mornings, it becomes magical. That's when the whiskey, maple liqueur, Angostura bitters, and Carpano Antica vermouth cocktail is garnished with crispy bacon and transformed into the Breakfast Manhattan. I prefer the Kentucky Colonel over the Starlite Mule, because rather than vodka and Angostura bitters with the ginger beer, and lime, the Colonel has Buffalo Trace Bourbon and cherry-vanilla bitters (made in-house by the talented drink magician Dmitri). All specialty cocktails are \$9, but look for drink deals Sundays, Mondays, and Wednesdays (and every day's happy hour).

#### **Lion's Share**

629 Kettner Boulevard, (619) 564-6924

#### DOWNTOWN

Welcome to the land of many bitters. From orange and peach to rhubarb and chocolate, whatever your speed, there's an appropriate bitters. My personal favorite is the habanero shrub, which, along with tequila, lemon, and strawberry, makes up the slowburning No Esposa. For a sweet-sounding, wellbalanced bourbon libation, try St. Elizabeth's Sexy Party, which includes cinnamon, allspice, and chocolate bitters. The Hunter Thompson is on the smokier side, with pineapple-infused rum, mezcal, agave and raspberry syrup, lime, and, of course, a dash of bitters. All cocktails are \$11. Ask after the Homegrown Cocktail, which changes every month.

#### Dobson's

956 Broadway Circle, (619) 231-6771

#### DOWNTOWN

Entering Dobson's is traveling back in time 50 years, when working men (now joined by women) stopped by to unwind before heading home. Everyone knows Alex, the veteran barkeep, and Alex knows them all right back. A few signature cocktails, such as margaritas and mojitos for \$8, are offered. I requested a Manhattan with Maker's Mark (be sure to request your liquor to avoid well defaults) a "little on the sweet side," and it was perfect. The next time I walked through the door, Alex remembered me by my drink and asked me if I'd have the same. I did.

#### **Tractor Room**

3687 Fifth Ave, (619) 543-1007 HILLCREST

When "Honest Cocktails" is part of a place's tagline, expectations are set. Fortunately, at Tractor Room, they are also met. For the ultimate classic. try the Sazerac, with rye whiskey, Peychaud's bitters, sugar cube, served in an absinthe-rinsed glass. My go-to drink here is the Blue Bulleit, with fresh, sweet blueberries floating in a mixture of Bulleit bourbon, fresh lemon, and a dissolved sugar cube. Brunch provides a completely different menu, with "morning appropriate" cocktails such as the Grapefruit Julep and the refreshing Lemon Lavender Martini, with Ketel One Citron, French lavender syrup, and muddled fresh mint.

#### Hacienda de Vega

2608 S Escondido Boulevard, (760) 738-9804

#### ESCONDIDO

This lovely oasis just off the freeway is home to my



favorite margarita. Using tamarindo as the main ingredient, and chile-salt along the rim, the Hacienda Margarita hits all the right notes — spicy, sweet, savory, salty. All of the drinks are as luscious and colorful as the flowers and greenery that surrounds the outdoor dining area. The Laguna Azul Martini is a deep sapphire blue, thanks to main ingredient Hpnotiq, and is garnished with a bright red strawberry. Margaritas are all on the warm-colored side of the spectrum, orange peach, yellow mango, red raspberry, and more, all of them lovely.

— BARBARELLA FOKOS

# I love craft cocktails

because they're the great American drinking innovation and because they make all my lame jokes seem wicked funny.

#### Coin-Op

3926 30th Street, (619) 255-8523 NORTH PARK

There's much fun to be had at this arcade/bar, feeding quarters into vintage video games and pinball machines. Bartenders whip up stiff drinks for about \$8.50. True Blood (mint-infused Pimm's, raspberry, lime) is a crimson beauty. Kentucky Tippler (grapefruit-infused bourbon, honey, lemon, sarsaparilla bitters) drinks like a stronger Old Fashioned. Downright Fierce (bourbon, vanilla liquor, sugar cane, aromatic bitters) is icy cold, tastes stronger than it smells, and still manages to go down easy. Of the many beer cocktails, Double Barrel (bourbon, spiced rum, cinnamon, orgeat, and brown ale) intrigues most, though a \$6 michelada never hurt.



#### **Noble Experiment**

777 G Street, (619) 888-4713

Make reservations (a de facto requirement, no matter what they say) before seeking the "secret" door at the back of Neighborhood. Thirteen-dollar drinks are worth it, at least once. The Cobble Hill (rye, dry vermouth,

Montenegro, and cucumber) drinks like a Manhattan, despite being nothing like one. Frankfort Praline (bourbon, rum, sugar, toasted-pecan bitters, orange) looks on paper like it should be sweet, but the effect is just the opposite. All else failing, just tell the bartender your favorite spirit and let him

improvise. Who knew that amaretto, cranberry liquor, and sparkling water would be delicious?

#### **Sycamore Den**

3391 Adams Avenue, (619) 563-9019

NORMAL HEIGHTS

Head bar guy Eric Johnson cut his chops at Noble Experiment, but the style

at this cedar-scented, dadthemed, retro bar is much more laid back. Craft cocktails run \$9 each, \$6 during happy hour (M-F 5-7, weekends 4-7). The signature Hardly Wallbanger adds vanilla soda to the classic combo of vodka, Galliano, and OJ. Everything that includes the Dark Horse Roasters coffee syrup is worth a look, and the bartenders do a good job of coming up with thematic specials to suit any occasion.

# **Encore Champagne Bar**

531 F St, (619) 255-5152

GASLAMP

This newcomer focuses on bubbly and a compelling menu to go alongside, but the bar also makes a selection of cocktails sporting sparkles (\$13). The Encore champagne cocktail lays a heavy splash of Landy Very Special cognac



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atop a sugar cube, which gradually mingles with the bubbles from some Piper Sonoma Brut. The bar mixes a mean French 75 (Hendricks, lemon syrup, Piper Sonoma), and the champagne mojito is a less-sweet version of the original, with lemongrass syrup and a float of French bubbles. Bellini and Kir Royale come in a variety of flavors outside the traditional peach and blackcurrant.

#### **Salt and Cleaver**

3805 Fifth Avenue, (619) 756-6677 **HILLCREST** 

If such a thing is possible, the bar here designs the \$10 cocktails to go well with the (delicious) sausages and indulgent bar food on the menu. Diplomatic Immunity (vodka, blueberry sage, maraschino, lime, and simple syrup on the rocks) may be fruity, but it's decep-

tively strong. The sage flavor is impressive, since herbal notes are often lost in such drinks. The White Sour Beer Cocktail is fun: orangey and kind of spicy. The Abe Froman (tequila, Pimm's, Cynar, lemon, simple syrup, Peychaud's bitters, cucumber) is a cool idea, largely because we don't see many bitter tequila cocktails.

#### Hello Betty Fish House

211 Mission Avenue, (760)

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OCEANSIDE

Kicked-up cocktails for far North County! Million-dollar design with a flair for vintage surf culture and a wide-open vibe give this Oceanside newbie a big advantage in the looks department. The menu is pure *mariscos*, but the drinks go beyond the local taco shop, which makes for a fun meeting of styles.

The bar's specialty is margaritas, and the O'side Rita is pretty good, but try the Baja Michelada on draft; laced with rum, it's not your average *cerveza preparada*. The Betty's go-to Mai Tai uses tarragon sugar, Bacardi 1909, and lime for a tiki-fabulous libation.

#### **Seven Grand**

3054 University Avenue, (619) 269-8820

NORTH PARK

Old-school cool reigns supreme at this tartanclad whiskey bar, where the best drinks are clever riffs on the classics. The \$9 draft Old Fashioned (100-proof Old Grand Dad, bitters, sugar) gets the job done; no muss, no fuss. The \$11 Whiskey Sour (Seven Grand single-barrel bourbon, sugar, lemon, egg white) has a soft touch, but a strong finish. When all

is said and done, the \$11 Kentucky Mint Julep is the king. Woodford reserve, crushed mint, and sugar served over a snowcone of crushed ice in a pewter cup is legit, strong, and refreshing.

#### T's Cafe

271 N Highway 101, (858) 755-7642

SOLANA BEACH

Why wait till the sun sets to indulge? T's has been satisfying day-drinkers with fancy Bloody Marys since before craft cocktails were a thing. The restaurant closes before most bars even open, and the Bloody Mary here is so successful they sell bottles of mix to go for \$15. Quiet, beachy, Solana surroundings make for a change of pace from the moody, serious style typical of contemporary cocktail bars.

— IAN PIKE

# Be it a liter of gut-wrenching booze-cophony

from a TJ punk cave or a martini glass of tamarind/ mezcal slush, borderland cocktails unite us, con gusto.

#### Chiquita's Mexican Food

4110 Home Avenue,

(619) 264-2072

SAN DIEGO

This Fairmount Park villa is the epitome of San Diego Mexican sit-downs. The prices are mostly reasonable (one may take issue with the unspoken dollar charge on a basket of chips), the ambiance is welcoming, and the bartenders are magicians. The fare is a dollop of *crema* above your average family-style south-of-theborder joint, but the proof is in the slurp sauce here. Tamarindo slushies go for \$6.50 all day and are best served with mezcal (Alipús is the house juice) in place of the tequila. Hangover warriors be warned! Chiquita's is closed on Sundays.

#### Mr. D's Cocktail Lounge

1322 Third Avenue, (619)

427-4200

CHULA VISTA

Mr. D's has it all for cheap (ask about the coffee tequila special), but the standout beverage at this deep Chula dive is the Border Jumper (\$7.50 or \$5.25 during happy hour). A frontera-land retort to the Irish Car Bomb, the Jumper launches a shot glass of Hornitos into a pint of Flashpoint (generic energy drink) and garnishes it with a splash of cranberry juice. Slam it like you mean it, because the second sip is guaranteed to be ruder than the first. Chase it with a twodollar Tecate on Tuesdays



or get loose to live *banda* tunes on Fridays.

#### The Bancroft

9143 Campo Road, (619) 698-2204 SPRING VALLEY

A locals' watering hole by day and a remarkably well-booked venue by night, The Bancroft has proven that no distance is too great for true music lovers. The Spring Valley tavern offers over 40 selections of beer in addition to a fierce Bloody Mary and their flagship beverage, the San Diego Sunrise. It's a foofy adaptation of the Mexican counterpart, but it's more than refreshing on a classic East County summer afternoon. Citron, Malibu, pineapple juice, Sprite, grenadine, a cherry, and a lemon. Five bones. A tropical gentleman's delight.

#### **Bar Nelson**

721 Avenida Revolución, (664)



685-8988

#### CENTRO TIJUANA

Take a trip back in time at Tijuana's historic Bar Nelson, where the Especial has been the house beverage for more decades than you can count on one hand. Simple, elegant, uplifting, the Especial (\$2) combines an ounce and a half of white rum

with fresh-squeezed lime, three fingers of 7-Up, a dash of Coke, and a rim of salt around the highball glass. Summer temperatures may call for the island-style slurpy known as La Rana (the frog): 1.5 ounces of white rum blended with ice, six ounces of pineapple juice, one ounce of sloe

gin, and a hearty splash of grenadine.

#### La Justina

Avenida Revolucion 3ra and 4ta, (664) 638-4936

CENTRO TIJUANA

A true transborder endeavor, La Justina's kitchen is headed by San Diego's own chef Chad White (Común, Plancha combines the prowess of La Jolla-based consultants Snake Oil Cocktail Company and house intoxicologist Fernando Villalobos, formerly of Tijuana's esteemed Bar 20 above Misión 19. The team is constantly coming up with new creations, but a consistent pleaser since the gastropub opened at the beginning of the year is La Clandestina — chiliinfused Alipús, orange juice, and St. Germain garnished with a chile de arbol, which is coated in powdered maguey worm.

Baja Med) while the bar

#### **El Tinieblo**

Calle Sexta and Madero, (664) 685-0555

CENTRO TIJUANA

Tucked behind the bustling La Corriente Cevichería Nais lies a wonderland of taxidermied boar heads, candelabras, and a whole mounted cougar

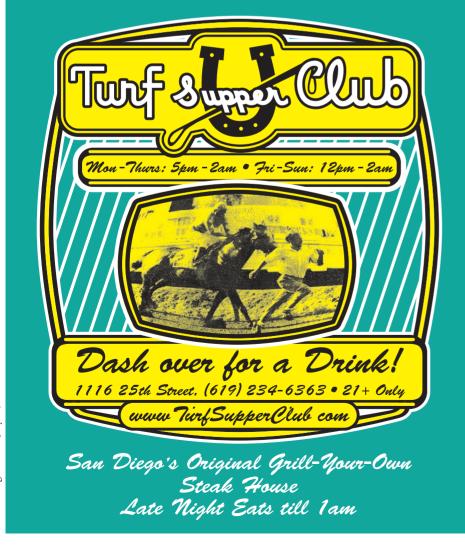
on pinstripe walls. The shadowy cave of kitsch is furnished with Edwardian wingback chairs and clawfoot tables, and the stereo is partial to Señor Coconut's cumbia covers of Kraftwerk. Named for the mezcal that they specialize in, El Tinieblo serves smoky shots of liquor straight up (sip it, gringo) or blended with ice and flavors as mezcalitas. The Pulp Friction (chamov & lime) and Tamarrica (tamarindo, controy, lime) go especially well with the inexpensive selection of sea treats.

#### **El Tigre Bar**

10001 Paseo de los Heroes, no phone

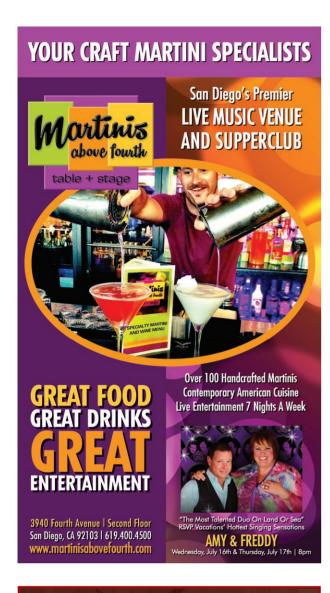
#### PLAZA FIESTA TIJUANA

In cool defiance of the often spendy and occasionally pompous craft-cocktail thing, this punk-rock tavern in the booming booze village of











Plaza Fiesta takes a nowave approach to adult beverages. They've got a few generic bottles of the usual suspects behind the bar, which they combine with all the abandon of a teenager raiding their best friend's parents' liquor cabinet. Several fundamentally opposed elixirs and a splash of soda come in liter cups for about four bucks. For all their flagrant irreverence toward mixology, however, the place stocks a sharp selection of regional microbrews on tap.

#### La Caza Club

2612 Miguel Alemán Valdez. (664) 686-3361

#### COLONIA CACHO

This clandestine eatery highlights the regional, organic bounty of Valle de Guadalupe wines and countryside produce in a cozy, deconstructed library ambiance. Famed for their octopus and oysters, La Caza Club is best experienced on a Jazz Jam Thursday with the fusion tunes of Vintage Dust. Their cocktail menu is updated regularly to take advantage of seasonal ingredients, but among the most titillating is the Homenaie — a Prohibition-era throwback of bourbon, habano tobacco leaf, orange, kumquat, honey, and basil.

— CHAD DEAL

#### The best craft cocktails

are miniature works of ephemeral art. Here today, gone to stomach.

#### **Cat Eye Club**

370 Seventh Avenue, (619) 330-9509

#### BALLPARK DISTRICT

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look like skulls, tiki gods, and flaming seashells are the specialty. At \$27, the Scorpion Bowl with seven ounces of rum and VSOP is your best entertainment value — especially if more than two people are drinking. Those not into tropical drinks can get classic Mad Men-style cocktails that come with a two-ounce pour.

#### **The Wellington Steak & Martini** Lounge

729 W. Washington Street, (619) 295-6001

MISSION HILLS

Old school-style steakhouse serves up classic martinis without pretension or fuss. The Bombay Dirty is the city's best vodka martini even without the blue-cheesestuffed olives. The Mission Beach Paloma is a tasty variation of a classic Margarita with Cazadores



reposada tequila and grapefruit juice among the ingredients.

#### **Cusp Dining** & Drinks

7955 La Jolla Shores Drive, (858) 551-3620

LA JOLLA

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High atop the Hotel La Jolla, Cusp offers incredible ocean views in the day-

time and a free champagne toast at sunset. Great place to look for the green flash. Specialty drinks change seasonally, but all utilize fresh ingredients, housemade syrups, and artisan liquors. Balance is the guiding philosophy. July's cocktail list includes the Pirate's Booty, a tangy cocktail that includes spiced Caruso

rum, housemade plum syrup, lime juice, and a Lost Abbey Belgian-style beer.

#### Juniper and Ivy

2228 Kettner Boulevard, (619) 269-9036

LITTLE ITALY

Arguably San Diego's hottest new restaurant. Ien Queen's cocktails are made to be paired with Richard Blais's menu items. Lots of dialogue between the kitchen and the bar leads to innovations such as Queen's special orgeat syrup, made with corn, not almonds. Recommended for sophisticated hot-weather cocktails. The Drunk In Love is a fruity watermelonand-gin cocktail that goes down like punch — and hits you like one a few seconds later.

#### **Puesto**

1026 Wall Street, (858) 454-1260

LA JOLLA

Formerly a high-quality taco shop, the La Jolla location recently added a bar area and a cocktail list that includes most of the city's finest mezcal and tequila cocktails. The Puesto Perfect Margarita is as close to a classic Margarita as you will find in the city. The Burro Blanco

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is a quenching variation of the Moscow Mule with tequila blanco instead of vodka. La Verdad, made with cactus juice and tequila blanco goes down much smoother than an actual piece of cactus.

#### **Prepkitchen** Little Italy

1600 India Street, (619) 398-8383 LITTLE ITALY

Prepkitchen's upstairs setting feels like a saloon from the city's early days — but with a lot more single females. Bartender Adam Lockridge does fantastic riffs on classic cocktails but doesn't mess around with the Sazerac because he "wants people to learn and love the drink the right way." Multidimensional potables are the key. La Pharmacia starts off fruity until aromas of smoked mezcal take over. Likewise, the Fields of Italy has a straw-



berry flavor followed by the rosemary-like flavor of Aperol.

#### **Sessions Public**

4204 Voltaire Street, (619) 756-7715

POINT LOMA, OCEAN REACH

This casual pub set between Point Loma and Ocean Beach hides some serious cocktailing. Serving up great variations on the Sazerac, where it really shines is warm-weather cocktails, like the Gin Fizz. With Aperol, lemon juice, and champagne, it tastes light, packs a wallop. Likewise, Sessions' Margarita tribute, the Tequila Smash, mixes tequila and sloe gin with citrus juice for a cool drink with a pleasant burn going down.

#### **JSix**

616 J Street, (619) 531-8744

GASLAMP

For a hotel bar, ISix gets lots of locals coming in for clever updates on cocktail classics. The Old Fashioned variation — called the Big Sky — combines rye with cinnamon-bacon cayenne and orange and angostura bitters for a spicy cocktail that, unlike most Old Fashioneds, seems appropriate before 9 p.m. The Hola Y'All is a spicy riff on the Margarita with mezcal and a houseinfused vodka using the chef's BBQ rub. You will feel like the bartenders know your name — or at least your drink.

#### **Saltbox**

1047 Fifth Avenue (Hotel Palomar), (619) 515-3003

GASLAMP

Inside Saltbox's dark film noir-inspired interior is a place where cuttingedge cocktails are made. Bartenders are very passionate about unique cocktail creations like the Smooth Operator (Belve-

dere vodka, luxardo maraschino, lime, aperol, and peach bitters) but happily make straight gin and tonics without sneering. The mixologists love emphasizing local flavors. Case in point: the Pachuca Sunrise, a new tequila sunrise variation, with grapefruit, lime, and pink peppercorns from the Peruvian pepper trees that are commonly found around East County (but rarely used culinarily).

#### **Bertrand At** Mr. A's

2550 Fifth Avenue, (619) 239-1377

BANKERS HILL

Bertrand has the best view in town, and some of the city's classiest classic cocktails. The Thai Gimlet adds serrano pepperinfused mango and a fresh basil leaf to the vodka and lime to brilliant effect. The Dreams of Green Martini combines Hendricks gin with cucumber, basil, and lime, and the result is greater than the sum of its parts. Bartenders not only know the history of the cocktails they're making, but why Ian Fleming



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— PATRICK HENDERSON

#### I love craft cocktails for the same reason I love variations

on a theme in a sonata: the pleasure of the familiar combined with unexpected invention.

#### **Alchemy**

1503 30th Street, (619) 255-0616 SOUTH PARK

Alchemy is where I learned to get behind the mule. It's a tasteful South Park neighborhood restaurant: art on the walls, books glued to the ceiling, a brushed steel tree that you pass on your way to the poured concrete bar. The most famous mule answers to Moscow, is made with vodka, ginger beer, and lime, and gets served in a copper mug. Alchemy subs stainless steel for copper (more lab-appropriate), melds lime with grapefruit in its cordial, and lets you pick your magic ingredient: vodka, gin, tequila, rum,



or whiskey (\$9). (Whiskey!) The result is layered, intriguing, and refreshing.

#### **Bo-beau** Kitchen+Garden

8384 La Mesa Boulveard, (619) 337-3445

LA MESA

Bo-beau cleverly makes a bar out of the indooroutdoor room between its restaurant and patio, and perhaps just as cleverly mixes Scotch, Sauvignon Blanc, lemon, and ginger beer, calls it a Ron Burgundy (\$8.50), and serves it for breakfast. Well, Sunday brunch, anyway. If that's pushing it, morningwise, there are eight coffee-based brunchtails, including

the Cloud Nine (Irish whiskey, hazelnut liqueur, chocolate syrup, coffee, whipped cream, \$8.50). If you're actually drinking past noon, you can follow Doctor's Orders (bourbon, Benedictine, creme de cacao, \$10). Less sweet: the vodka-based organic garden mule, enlivened by the elderflower notes of St. Germain (\$10).

#### Craft & **Commerce**

675 W Beech Street, (619) 269-2202

LITTLE ITALY

A pleasant jumble of wood and brick and tile and books and light-industrial chic, topped with chalkboard molding covered with handwritten literary bits. The drinks list is lean and smart, and features the Eastern Prospector (\$11), a cocktail that sounds like a novelty but may wind up an enduring classic: orange spice tea-infused bourbon, honey, and lemon. If it sounds like something a solicitous aunt might bring you when you're feeling unwell, that's because it's basically a chilled and concentrated toddy. Also, it makes you feel better. It's the tea that makes it: a gently bracing finish to every sip.

#### The Grant Grill Lounge

326 Broadway, (619) 744-2077 DOWNTOWN

Once the price hits \$10, the wife gets particular about her cocktails. When it hits \$15, she gets downright persnickety. But the Centennial Manhattan at the U.S. Grant still passes muster. The barrel-aging isn't a gimmick: the rye mellows, the vermouth and bitters integrate, and the wood adds a tannic bite to the finish. And there's a satisfying psychology in topping off your beverage with a splash from the accompanying decanter. A more traditional hotel lounge would never have the customer serve herself in this manner. But a more traditional hotel lounge wouldn't sheathe its chandeliers in Lucite, either.

#### **Hard Rock Cafe**

801 Fourth Avenue. (619) 615-7625 GASLAMP

The Hard Rock Cafe: rock and roll artifacts displayed on the wall like saint's relics under a gorgeous stained-glass dome depicting those virtues dear to the Order of Elks (whose hall this once was). Their preposterous milkshake of a dessert cocktail: the Twist and Shout (\$9.40). A blend of Guinness, Bacardi

OakHeart spiced rum, Creme de Cacao, chocolate syrup, Monin salted caramel syrup, and Ben & Jerry's vanilla ice cream; drizzled with caramel and chocolate syrups; topped with whipped cream; and garnished with applewood bacon. Amazingly, it works, because all that sweet stuff is tempered by that dark, bitter beer.

#### **Polite Provisions**

4696 30th Street. (619) 677-3784 NORMAL HEIGHTS

Classic brass-and-glass establishment, or rather, a whimsical re-creation thereof. (The original might not have brought its yellow-light lampposts indoors or justified its own existence via inlaid quotation on the floor.) The bartenders get credit for their inventions on the menu (the boss gives 'em specs and they go to town), though I'm told my go-to of the moment, the on-draft Pancho Villa (reposado tequila, aperol, sweet vermouth, and peach bitters, \$8) was created by the owner's friend. Why the PV? It's got all the citrusy goodness of a frou-frou tropical drink, only with none of the frou-frou. Perfect.

— MATTHEW LICKONA







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#### ALLIED GARDENS

**San Diego Brewing Company:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-6pm: \$3 select house & domestic beers, house wine, well drinks. 1/2-off appetizers.

#### AI PINE

**Donato's Italian Restaurant:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-7pm: \$3 glass Bud Light, \$6 pitcher; \$3.50 house wine.

#### **BALBOA PARK**

The Prado Restaurant: Tuesday-Thursday, 4-6pm, 8-10pm: \$4.50 wells, wine, draft ale, margaritas, selected appetizers. Friday-Saturday, 4-6pm, 8-11pm: \$4.50 wells, wine, draft ale, margaritas, selected appetizers.

#### BANKERS HILL

**Bertrand at Mister A's:** *Monday-Friday*, 2:30-6pm: \$5 wells, \$6 wine, \$10 specialty drinks, \$4 local brews. \$7 select menu items. Bar or patio only.

#### **BAY PARK**

**Tio Leo's:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-7pm: \$3 domestic & Mexican pints; \$4 house margaritas, wells; \$5 street tacos, TJ hot dogs, carne asada fries, buffalo chicken tacos & more

#### BONITA

**Casa Bella:** *Monday-Wednesday*, 4-10pm: Half-off bottles of wine with purchase of two entrées.

#### CARDIFF-BY-THE-SEA

**Chart House:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-6:30pm: \$4 wells, drafts. \$6 cocktails, \$5 wine by the glass. \$7 martinis. \$4, \$5 and \$6 appetizer menus.

#### CARLSBAD

**The Alley:** *Daily*, 11am-7pm: \$2.75 wells, domestics.

On the Tracks Brewery and Tasting Room: *Thursday*, 5-7pm: Ladies. \$3 pints.

#### CARMEL MOUNTAIN

**Conway's Irish Pub:** *Daily*, 10am-8pm: \$2.75 domestic drafts and bottles: \$2.75 and \$3.75 wells.

#### CARMEL VALLEY

# BEER NEWS BY BRANDON HERNÁNDEZ

#### World Cup Beer

Tom Nickel isn't one of those bandwagoners who become infatuated with fútbol every four years. He follows soccer year-round travels the world to take in matches, and has made his bar, O'Brien's Pub (4646 Convoy Street, Kearny Mesa) such a hub for fans of the sport that it was named the top soccer bar in America by U.S. Soccer in 2011. From the moment he opened Nickel Beer Co. (1485 Hollow Glen Road, Julian) he knew he'd brew a beer especially for this year's World Cup.

Dubbed Nickel Penalty Shot, it's what its creator calls an "American strong pale ale," meaning it comes in at a relatively low ABV — 5.3% — while delivering vibrant hop flavors. For this beer, Nickel was set on using Mosaic hops but wasn't certain which varietal he should team with it to provide the oomph that the flavorful yet more delicate Mosaic lacks. After spending a morning burying his nose in bags of hops, he went with Simcoe, figuring that hop's peachy aspects would go well with Mosaic's melon and berry nuances. I've tasted the beer, and it seems a perfect pairing. As fresh as this nation's newfound hope for its soccer squad, the ale bursts with fruity aromas and immense fruit flavor balanced by a slightly sweet finish that brings everything together.

## Lost Abbey's Cardiff Confessional

It's only 1202 square feet, but when all is said and done, the satellite tasting room **Port Brewing Company** and the **Lost Abbey** are inserting into **Cardiff Towne Center Complex** (2007 San Elijo Avenue, Cardiff) will have taken a year to bring to fruition. Little of that has to do with the intertwined businesses, offshoots of their **Pizza Port** parent company. The decision-makers at Port and Lost Abbey decided last August that they wanted to open a sampling space a signifi-

cant distance from their San Marcos headquarters, quickly deciding Cardiff was where they wanted to do it based on positive community



Even at only 5.3% ABV, the Nickel Penalty Shot's got oomph.

aspects, proximity to the beach, and the lack of any brewing-company facilities anywhere within the neighborhood or Encinitas as a whole. By October, they had a lease negotiated with the landlord. So, what took so long?

The wheels of government roll slowly — especially when it comes to this particular

government and brewing companies. A number of brewing companies, both new and established, have wanted to enter Encinitas

over the past few years, but numerous municipal government-related barriers and resistance convinced them to look elsewhere But, Port and Lost Abbey had their hearts set on the location they selected, so they put their heads down and proceeded to slowly plow through the necessary steps to get approved. In late June, the planning commission approved the project three-to-two with a pair of conditions — that the business would not be

allowed to serve large, organized tour groups (party buses, brewery-tour companies, etc.) or serve any beer not produced by Port or Lost Abbey. ■

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**Tio Leo's:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-7pm: \$3 domestic & Mexican pints; \$4 house margaritas, wells; \$5 street tacos, TJ hot dogs, carne asada fries, buffalo chicken tacos & more.

#### **CHULA VISTA**

**Spin City Lounge:** *Monday-Thursday, Sunday,* 7-10pm: \$2 wells, \$3 margaritas.

#### CITY HEIGHTS

**The Hideout:** *Daily*, 5-7pm: \$3 wells, \$3-\$5 drafts

Nate's Garden Grill: Tuesday-Friday, 4-6pm; \$1 off all beer & wine.

#### CLAIREMONT

**Blarney Stone Pub:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-7pm: \$.50 off all drinks.

#### COLLEGE AREA

**Bangkok Poco:** *Daily*, All day: \$2 for 12 oz beer, \$8.50 pitcher, \$18 4-liter draft beer tower.

#### CORONADO

**Danny's Palm Bar:** *Daily*, 3-6pm: \$3 shots.

#### DEL MAR

**Brigantine:** *Daily*, 4-6pm: \$4 Brig brew, \$4.75 margarita, \$5.50 chardonnay, \$1 off featured wine. Discounted fish tacos.

**Zel's Del Mar:** *Daily*, 4-6:30pm: \$1 off all drafts, \$2 off premium drinks, \$2 off all wines by the glass, \$4 wells. \$5 ceviche, \$8 ahi poke, crispy mahi tacos.

#### DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO

**House of Blues:** *Daily*, 4-7pm: \$2 Bud Light drafts, \$2/3/4 select draft beer, \$5 well drinks, well martinis and house wine and margaritas.

**La Gran Tapa:** *Daily*, 4-7pm: \$3 craft beers, \$4 cask wines & sangrias. \$3 & \$4 tapas, free tapitas at the bar.

Patricks Gaslamp Pub: Monday-Friday, 10am-8pm; 11pm-close: \$3.25 domestic drafts, \$2.75 domestic bottles, \$3.50 well drinks. Saturday-Sunday, 10am-8pm: \$3.25 domestic drafts, \$2.75 domestic bottles, \$3.50 well drinks.

**Sevilla:** *Daily*, Open-7pm: \$4 well drinks, domestic and draft beer, house red and white wine. Tapas, flatbread and platter specials.

**The Shout House:** Monday, Doors at 7pm, Pianos at 8pm, NO COVER, \$4 Shock Top Drafts, \$4 Jameson, \$4 Fireball Tuesday, Doors at 7pm, Pianos at 8pm, NO COVER, \$3 Karl Strauss Bottled Beer, \$5 Smirnoff Drinks, \$3 Fish Tacos Wednesday, Doors at 7pm, Pianos at 8pm, NO COVER, \$3 Domestic Bottled Beer, \$5 Wings Thursday, Doors at 7pm, Pianos at 8pm, No Cover all night with current College or Military ID, \$3

Miller Lite Drafts, \$5 Red Bull Bomb Shots, \$12 Miller High Life Bucket (5 beers/ bucket) Doors at 5pm, Pianos at 6:30pm, NO Cover Before 7, \$10 Cover After 7 Friday, Doors at 5pm, Pianos at 6:30pm, NO Cover Before 7, \$10 Cover After 7 HAPPY HOUR 5 - 7pm, 1/2 OFF ALL APPS, 1/2 OFF ALL DRINKS Saturday, Doors at 6pm, Pianos at 6:30pm, \$5 Cover Before 7, \$10 Cover After 7, \$15 Hurricanes/\$12 Refills (& You Keep The Glass), \$8 Big Ass Beer/ \$6 Refills (& You Keep The Cup) Sunday, Doors at 7pm, Pianos at 8pm, NO COVER, \$3 Budweiser Drafts, \$4 Well Drinks, \$3 Shot Special, \$1 OFF Appetizers (Except fries)

**The Stage Rock Bar & Grill:** *Daily*, 5-8pm: 1/2-off all wells, beer, wine.

Time Out Sports Tavern: Monday, \$1 pm: discounted appetizers, \$1 off all beers, \$4 wells, \$3.50 house wine, \$2 Jell-O shots. Tuesday, 3-7pm: discounted appetizers, \$1 off all beers, \$4 wells, \$3.50 house wine, \$2 Jell-O Shots, \$2 tacos, and \$5 margaritas. Wednesday-Friday, 3-7pm: discounted appetizers, \$1 off all beers, \$4 wells, \$3.50 house wine, \$2 Jell-O Shots. Saturday, 3-7pm: Discounted Appetizers, \$1 off all beers, \$4 Wells, \$3.50 House Wine, \$2 Jello Shots. Tuesdays - \$2 tacos and \$5 margaritas.

**Yard House:** *Monday-Wednesday*, 3-6pm and 10pm-Close: Select half-priced appetizers and pizzas, fea-

tured beverage selections. *Thursday*, 3-6pm: Select half-priced appetizers and pizzas, featured beverage selections. *Friday*, 3-6pm, Select half-priced appetizers and pizzas, featured beverage selections. *Saturday*, 10pm-Close: Select half-priced appetizers and pizzas, featured beverage selections., *Sunday*, 10pm-Close: Select half-priced appetizers and pizzas, featured beverage selections.

#### **EAST VILLAGE**

**Monkey Paw:** *Daily*, 5-8pm: \$1 off local draughts and drinks.

#### **EASTLAKE**

**Chilli's:** *Monday-Thursday, Sunday,* 3pm-close: \$1 off drafts, discounted margaritas. Discounted nachos, fried cheese. *Friday,* 3-7pm: \$1 off drafts, discounted margaritas. Discounted nachos, fried cheese.

#### **EL CAJON**

**Blarney Stone Pub:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-6pm: \$1-\$2 off liquor.

**El Cajon Grand:** *Monday-Friday*, 6-10am, 4-7pm: \$2.50 domestic beer, \$3 wells.

#### **ENCINITAS**

**Firenze:** *Daily*, 4:30-6:30pm: \$2 off all wines by the glass, \$2 off all cocktails, \$1 off all beer.

ESCONDIDO

**Vintana Wine + Dine:** *Daily*, 2:30-6:30pm: \$7 martini. Seven different apps for \$7 each.

#### FALLBROOK

**Aqua Terra:** Monday-Tuesday, 4-6pm: happy hour specials. Wednesday-Sunday, 4-6pm: happy hour specials; sushi happy hour: 1/2 off select rolls

#### **GOLDEN HILL**

**Turf Supper Club:** *Friday-Sunday*, noon-4pm: \$1 off beer/wine/spirits. \$5 burger, chicken sandwich, hot links + chips.

#### GRANTVILLE

**Tio Leo's:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-7pm: \$3 domestic & Mexican pints; \$4 house margaritas, wells; \$5 street tacos, TJ hot dogs, carne asada fries, buffalo chicken tacos & more.

#### HILLCREST

Busalacchi's A Modo Mio: Monday, 4-6:30pm: 1/2 off bottles of wine. Tuesday, Friday-Sunday, 4-6:30pm: Drink specials. Wednesday, 4-6:30pm: All martinis 1/2 off. Thursday, 4-6:30pm: Drink specials. Liter practice.

**Martinis Above Fourth:** *Daily*, 4-7pm. \$3 bottled beer, house wine & wells, \$5 Stella drafts, \$6 Svedka Martinis, \$2 off all specialty martinis.

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2931 Camino Del Rio North • I-805 & I-8 619.280.7115 **The Merrow:** *Monday-Friday*, 5pm to 8pm: \$5 Flight of Craft Beers, \$3 Wells, \$1 Off Craft Beer Drafts.

#### IMPERIAL BEACH

**The Salty Frog:** *Daily*, 4-8pm: \$3.50 wells, imported bottles.

#### LAAALII

**Brody's Burgers & Beer:** *Monday-Friday*, Monday-Friday, 3-6pm, \$2 off drafts, \$1 off potato sides.

#### **KEARNY MESA**

Elbow Room: Monday-Friday, 3pm-7pm: \$1-off all drinks, drafts, bottles, Chico's Fish Taco \$1.75, Gar-lic Cheese Bread \$1.95, Loaded Tater Tots \$4.95, Jalapeno Poppers \$4.95, TJ Street Taco Pork \$1.50, Mac & Cheese \$4.95, Elbowroom Kettle Chips \$2.95, Sweet & Spicy Meatballs \$4.95, Onion Rings \$4.95, Nachos \$4.95, Potato Skins \$4.95, Cheeseburger & Fries \$4.95. Saturday, 10am-6pm: Well Drinks \$2.50, Any Draft Beer \$2.50, Happy Hour menu. Sunday, 9am-6pm: Well Drinks \$2.50, Any Draft Beer \$2.50, Happy Hour menu.

**Proud Mary's Southern Bar & Grill at the Ramada:** *Daily*, 4pm to 7pm- \$3.50 draft pints, \$5 appetizers, \$4.25 premium wells, \$2 bourbon slushy.

#### **KENSINGTON**

**Clem's Tap House:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-6pm: \$2 off all beer and wine flights.

#### LA JOLLA

**Su Casa:** *Monday-Friday*, 5-7pm: \$3.25 mug or Bud Lite draft, \$3.50 house wine glass, \$4.50 margarita, single well drinks. 1/2-off select appetizers.

#### LA MESA

**Mr. G's Tavern:** *Monday-Friday*, Noon-7pm: \$3.50 wells; \$3.25 domestic pints; \$4.25 premium pints.

#### LAKESIDE

**Coo Coo Club:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-7pm: \$2.50 domestic drafts, \$3 wells.

#### LEMON GROVE

**Dirk's Niteclub:** *Monday-Saturday.* 4-7pm: \$.50 off all drinks \$4.50 or less. *Sunday*, 6am-2pm: \$1 off bloody marys.

#### LITTLE ITALY

**Puerto la Boca:** *Monday-Saturday*, 4:30-7:30pm: \$3 house wine, \$3.50 drafts, wells, \$6 house martini. 30% off appetizers. *Sunday*, 1pm-8pm: \$3 house wine, \$3.50 drafts, wells, \$6 house martini. 30% off appetizers.

**La Villa:** *Daily*, 3:30-5pm: \$2 off cocktails: half off bottled beers

#### MIDWAY DISTRICT

**Brazil by the Bay Restaurant and Sports Bar:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-7pm: \$2.50 drafts, \$8 pitchers, \$2.50 French fries, \$4.50 chicken wings.

#### MIRA MESA

**Callahan's Pub & Brewery:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-7pm: \$3 select house beer, select domestic drafts, well drinks, house wine. \$1 off appetizers.

#### MIRAMAR

Brewski's Bar: Monday, 4-10pm: Buy One Get One 1/2 Off Drinks Tuesday, 4-10pm: \$1 Tacos, \$3 Corona & Dos Equis Wednesday, 4-10pm: \$4 Vodka Rockstars Thursday, 4-10pm: \$4 Jack & Coke Friday, 4-10pm: \$4 Fireball Saturday, 4-10pm: \$4 Jager Bombs Sunday, 4-10pm: \$1 Off All Beers, Draft & Bottles

The Filling Station: Monday, 11:30am-7pm: \$4 margaritas, \$4 Mexican beers. Tuesday, 11:30am-7pm: \$3 kamikazes, \$3 domestic drafts. Wednesday, 11:30am-7pm: \$5 stilletos, \$4 pink lemon drops, \$3 cosmos. Thursday, 11:30am-7pm: \$2.75 wells, domestic beers. Friday, 11:30am-7pm: \$4 bartender shots. Saturday, 11:30am-7pm: \$4 white Russians. Sunday, 11:30am-7pm: \$3 bloody marvs.

#### MISSION BEACH

Barefoot Bar and Grill: Monday-Thursday, 3-6pm: \$5 cocktails and \$4 beers on tap for SD locals only. All draft beers are San Diego and California craft brews.

#### MISSION HILLS

**The Aero Club:** *Daily*, 2-7pm: 50¢ off beer, wells, and calls.

#### MISSION VALLEY

**Dave & Buster's:** Monday-Thursday, 4:30-7pm, 10pm-close: 1/2 price cocktails, beer specials, 1/2 off selected appetizers. *Friday*, 4:30-7pm: 1/2 price cocktails, beer specials, 1/2 off selected appetizers. *Sunday*, 10pm-close: 1/2 price cocktails, beer specials, 1/2 off selected appetizers. *Sunday*, 10pm-close: 1/2 price cocktails, beer specials, 1/2 off selected appetizers.

#### NATIONAL CITY

**Pier 32 Waterfront Grill:** *Friday*, 11am-sunset: \$7 appetizers, \$3 brews, \$5 wines. Jumbo shrimp and avocado cocktails, Angus beef sliders, calamari, buffalo wings.

#### NESTOR

**Baja Oyster & Sushi Bar:** *Monday-Thursday*, All day: \$1.35 fish tacos. 3-6pm: two-for-one domestic bottle, discounted special roll.

#### NORMAL HEIGHTS

**Rosie O'Grady's:** *Daily*, 4-7pm: \$2.50 wells, domestic beers. \$3.50 Jager shots.

#### NORTH PARK

**Bar Pink:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-8pm: \$1 off drafts and calls. \$1 off Heineken.

**HOPE 46:** *Monday-Thursday, Sunday*, 4-6pm: \$4 wells, \$4 drafts, \$2 off wine. All-you-can-eat spaghetti and meatballs. *Friday-Saturday*, 4-6pm, 10-12pm: \$4 wells, \$4 drafts, \$2 off wine.

**Lips Restaurant:** *Sunday*, all night: Industry Night, \$3.50 wells, \$5.50 calls, 25% off entrées & appetizers. Must show employee ID or pay stub.

**Sabuku Sushi:** Daily, 4-6pm; \$5 Shiso Crazee, \$5 Buku Bites, \$5 Buku Nachos, \$7 Twice Baked Mussels, \$8 Seared Ahi Tacos. \$5 Large 20+0z Asahi or Sapporo, \$5 Rock Sake's, \$7 All cocktails & wines (by the glass).

#### OCEAN BEACH

Mother's Saloon: Monday-Friday, 3-7pm: \$1 off craft drafts, \$2 domestic drafts, \$2.75 well drinks. 1/2-off appetizers. Sunday, 4-8pm(during live music): \$1 chicken tenders, \$2 pork sliders, \$5 tater tots.

**Ocean Beach Kabob:** *Daily*, 2pm-6pm. 50% off all beers. \$2 Dos Equis all day!

#### OCEANSIDE

**Hosie's Pacific Pub:** *Daily*, 5-7pm: \$1 off all drafts.

**Tremont Street Bar & Grill:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-5pm: 1/2 price well drinks, beers, wine, and appetizers. \$1 tacos & cheesy garlic bread.

#### **OLD TOWN**

**Old Town Mexican Café:** *Monday, Wednesday-Friday,* 3-7pm, 10pm-close: 1/2-off well drinks & selected appetizers. *Tuesday,* 3-7pm, 10pm-close: 1/2-off well drinks & selected appetizers. Taco Tuesday all day!

#### PACIFIC BEACH

**Sinbad Café:** *Daily*, 11am-8pm: \$1.50 domestic drafts, \$2.50 craft drafts, \$4.50 appetizers, \$12 hookahs/\$10 hookah refills.

Tony Roma's: Monday, 4-6pm: \$3 Bud Light & Shock Top pints, \$4 premium draft beer pints, \$3 well drinks & well wines, \$3 house margaritas & Long Island ice teas. 1/2-off all appetizers. (happy hour at bar only) Tuesday-Friday, 3-7pm: \$3 Bud Light & Shock Top pints, \$4 premium draft beer pints, \$3 well drinks & well wines, \$3 house margaritas & Long Island ice teas. 1/2-off all appetizers. (happy hour at bar only) Saturday-Sunday, 1-4pm:

\$3 Bud Light & Shock Top pints, \$4 premium draft beer pints, \$3 well drinks & well wines, \$3 house margaritas & Long Island ice teas. 1/2-off all appetizers. (happy hour at bar only)

The Turquoise Café-Bar Europa: Daily, 4-7pm & after 10pm: \$3 artisan draft beers, \$4 wines & sangria. \$3 & \$4 tapas.

#### **POINT LOMA**

**Humphreys Backstage Music Club:** *Daily*, 5-7pm: 1/2-off select drinks & menu items (excludes holiday/concert nights).

**Solare Ristorante Lounge:** *Tuesday-Saturday*, 3-6:30pm: \$5 tapas, wells & wine. \$2 off craft cocktails & beers. *Sunday*, 4:30-6:30pm: \$5 tapas, wells & wine. \$2 off craft cocktails & beers

#### **POWAY**

**Phileas Fogg's Bar & Restaurant:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-7pm: \$1 off beers on tap, \$1 off appetizers.

#### PAMONA

**Boll Weevil Restaurant:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-5pm: \$2 off all pitchers.

#### RANCHO BERNARDO

**Bernard'O Restaurant:** *Monday-Saturday*, 4:30-7pm: \$4 wells, \$2.75 domestic, \$3.50 imported/specialty, \$4.75 house margarita, \$5 house wine.

#### RANCHO PENASQUITOS

**Deli Stop Sports Pub:** *Daily*, 4-7pm: \$1 off all beer; \$3 Corona or glass of wine. \$1 off all appetizers.

#### **RANCHO SAN DIEGO**

**Press Box Sports Lounge:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-7pm, 10pm-close: 1/2-off appetizers, \$1 off drafts, house wine, and wells.

#### RANCHO SANTA FE

**Delicias:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-6pm: \$4 draft beers and well drinks. \$5 red and white house wine. \$8 margaritas. Food specials.

#### SAN MARCOS

Back Alley Grill: Tuesday, All Day: \$1 Taco Tuesday. Wednesday, All Day: 50¢ Wings Wednesday. Thursday, All Day: \$1 off pitchers Thirsty Thursday.

#### SCRIPPS RANCH

**La Bastide:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-6pm: \$6 drink specials, \$7 appetizer specials.

#### SERRA MESA

**Thai Pepper Cuisine:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-5pm: Free Thai Iced-tea or Thai iced-coffee with every purchase.

#### SHELTER ISLAND

**Blue Wave Bar & Grill:** *Daily*, 4-6pm: \$1 off drinks; 1/2 off appetizers.

**Fiddler's Green Restaurant:** *Daily*, 5-7pm: \$4 house wine and house beer, \$5 well drinks and margaritas.

**Humphreys Backstage Music Club:** *Daily*, 5-7pm: 1/2-off select drinks & menu items (excludes holiday/concert nights).

#### **SOLANA BEACH**

Chief's Burgers and Brew: Monday, all night monday: \$2-off appetizers, draft beers, cocktails. \$2.50-off house wine, \$1-off bottle beer. Tuesday-Friday, 3-6pm: \$2-off appetizers, draft beers, cocktails. \$2.50-off house wine, \$1-off bottle beer.

The Fish Market: Monday, 3:30-9:30pm: \$3.95 wells and domestic bottles, \$4.25 draft & import bottles, chardonnay, cabernet sauvignon and pinot noir. \$3.50 fish tacos, \$5.95 calamari. Tuesday-Friday, 3:30-6:30pm: \$3.95 wells and domestic bottles, \$4.25 draft & import bottles, chardonnay, cabernet sauvignon and pinot noir. \$3.50 fish tacos, \$5.95 calamari. Saturday-Sunday, 11am-4pm: \$3.95 wells and domestic bottles, \$4.25 draft & import bottles, chardonnay, cabernet sauvignon and pinot noir. \$3.50 fish tacos, \$5.95 calamari.

**The Saddle Bar:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-7pm: \$1 off drinks and drafts.

#### SORRENTO VALLEY

**AJ's Cave:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-6pm: \$4 pints, \$3.50 bottled beer, \$5 22oz, \$5 polish beer, \$4 house wines, \$2 off cocktails.

Karl Strauss Brewing Company: Monday-Thursday, 3-6pm: \$4 pints, flights, house wine, and well drinks. \$5 wings, hummus, calamari, chili lime sweet potato fries and spinach dip.

#### **SOUTH PARK**

**Alchemy:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-6pm: \$3 local draft beer, \$3 well drinks, \$2 off wines by the glass, street food specials.

**Hamilton's Tavern:** *Daily*, 5-8pm: \$1 off local drafts.

**South Park Abbey:** *Monday*, All Day: \$3 wells and pints. \$1.50 8oz. *Tuesday-Friday*, 3-7pm: \$3 wells and pints. \$1.50 8oz.

**Whistle Stop Bar:** *Daily*, 4-8pm: \$1 off all cocktails, drafts.

#### SPRING VALLEY

**Cali Comfort BBQ:** Monday-Friday, 3-6pm & 10pm-close: \$1 off drinks & half-price appetizers. Saturday-Sunday, 10pm-close: \$1 off drinks & half-price appetizers.

#### TIERRASANTA

6:30pm: \$2.50 wells, domestic drafts, \$3.25 house wine.

Porter's Pub at UCSD: Daily, 11am-7pm \$3 Menu; 4pm-7pm \$1 off all beer.

JP's Pub: Monday-Friday, 4:30-

#### UNIVERSITY CITY

**Apollonia Greek Bistro:** *Daily*, 3:30-6:30pm: \$2.50 bottled beers, \$3.50 wine by the glass, \$3.50 Ouzo Aperitif.

Cozymel's Mexican Grill: Monday-Wednesday, Sunday, 3-6pm (bar only): \$4 margaritas. Mambo beers for the price of a pint. Thursday-Saturday, 3-6pm, 9pm-close (bar only): \$4 margaritas. Mambo beers for the price of a pint.

Donovan's Steak and Chop House: Monday-Saturday, 4-6pm: \$8 martinis and signature cocktails, \$7 wine by the glass, complimentary steak sandwiches.

**Live Wire:** *Daily*, 5-8pm: \$1 off drafts and cocktails.

Michael's Lounge in the Hyatt Regency: Daily, 5-7pm: \$4 drafts and well cocktails.

#### UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS

**Bourbon Street:** *Tuesday-Wednesday*, 7-8pm: \$4 wells, \$5 Svedka drinks, \$2-off drafts, \$5 specialty cocktails. Food specials. *Thursday-Sunday*, 5-8pm: \$4 wells, \$5 Svedka drinks, \$2-off drafts, \$5 specialty cocktails. Food specials.

**Cafe 21:** *Daily*, 3-6pm: \$3 draft beer; \$4 glass of sangria. \$4 tapas.

Cheers: Monday-Friday, 11am-7pm: \$5 tall wells all day. Drink specials all night. Sunday, 11am-7pm: \$1 mimosas, \$2 bloody mary's.

**The Lancers Cocktails:** *Daily*, 10am-2am: \$3 wells, \$3 domestics, \$4-\$6 premium & top shelf. 50¢ pool.

**Small Bar:** *Daily*, 5-8pm: \$1 off local draughts and drinks.

#### VALLEY CENTER

Casa Reveles Mexican & Seafood Restaurant: Monday-Friday, 2-6pm: \$1 off margaritas, beers, wells.

#### VISTA

Chili Coast Burgers: Monday-Friday, 3-6pm: \$.50-\$.75 off tap beer.

**Vista Entertainment Center:** *Monday-Wednesday, Friday,* 11am-6pm: \$2 pints, house shots; \$2.50 domestic bottles; \$3.50 wells; \$9 pitchers. *Thursday,* 11am-6pm, 9pm-close: \$2 pints, house shots; \$2.50 domestic bottles: \$3.50 wells: \$9 pitchers.







# Perfect soul

### Iago plays on Othello's fears like a maestro on a Stradivarius.

THEATER

ago: "Men should be what they seem. Or those that be not, would they might seem

Othello: "Certain, men should be what they

I was re-reading Shakespeare's Othello

recently, and the obvious poked through: Iago is really good. Not in a moral sense. He's resolutely evil, a "demi-devil," and quite

possibly un-killable, since Othello's angry sword can't pierce his heart. Iago's "really good" in his tactics and how he crafts Othello's arc. The Moor regresses from blushing bridegroom back to cold-blooded killer. Iago plays on Othello's fears like a maestro on a Stradivarius.

Iago: "I see, sir, you are eaten up with passion. I do repent me that I put it to you."

Which, of course, inflames the Moor all

Iago is an "ensign" in Othello's army. He only has one duty. When the soldiers charge into battle, he must lead the way, unarmed, holding the company's colors high. In effect, he's the biggest target on the battlefield. He will bring honor to himself by doing his duty without flinching — even as he falls and dies and soldiers stomp over his remains.

He'd much rather be a lieutenant. Let the fodder sprint into smoking cannons. But Othello gave that title to Michael Cassio, whose merits are suspect, at least to Iago. So he'll take down Cassio and put his general's "perfect soul" to the ultimate test.

We've seen all manner of Iagos: some as emotionally deformed as the Hunchback of Notre Dame is physically; drooling sadists; and the occasional, effective split between a congenial surface and the "I am not what I am" catacomb of evil. Richard Thomas is certainly a fine actor. He speaks his speeches trippingly and never resorts to showy theatrics: smoke never puffs from his ears or nostrils. But his Iago is all surface. He's so relaxed and completely in charge that obstacles tumble before him. More impish than devilish, he gets laughs, lots of them. In his asides and soliloquies, he's our buddy. But wouldn't the real Iago hate us, too?

For much of the play, the audience sides with Thomas — or possibly with John-Boy, the character he played in The Waltons. In either case, the Old Globe's Othello unfolds more like a comedy with a sad ending than on a headlong, tidal wave of tragedy.

An urge to entertain gets in the way. Roderigo, a Venetian gentleman whole-hog in love with Desdemona, is just a buffoon. Talented Jonny Orsini stumbles around like a boneless clown with few chances to register any serious emotion. He's no match for Iago. Nor, in a strange way, is Othello.

Blair Underwood wears slender dreadlocks and gives the Moor a Jamaican accent (you half expect him to say "I-and-I smoke ites to Iration, mon"). Underwood has the athletic swagger and the vocal chops for the role, though he uses mannered gestures to indicate size: for the line "Blow all love to heaven," he kisses both hands and flings them at the sky. But why

> is Othello, one of the mightiest warriors on the Mediterranean, so quick to fear infidelity? Why distrust Desdemona while their

wedding cake's still fresh? He's at his best in tempests, climbing "hills of seas Olympushigh," and far less amid the "calm winds" of peacetime. Othello may have as many motives as Iago (among them distrusting "too much of joy"). But the comic Iago flattens Othello's strengths too readily.

Othello and Desdemona are obviously in love. But have they made love? The scholar/ critic Harold Bloom, among others, says not yet — which might explain the Moor's volcanic jealousy. Director Barry Edelstein takes the opposite tack: the newlyweds kiss and hug at

In some ways, Shakespeare made Desdemona a mirror. People read into her what they want to see. Kristen Connolly plays a wellspoken, "honest" Desdemona but misses her dilemma. Franz Kafka could have written her: she's committed a mortal sin yet hasn't a clue what it was. Without drifting into melodrama, Connolly could stress Desdemona's perplexity and, in the end, fight more for her life.

Noah Bean heads the supporting cast as the gravely wronged Michael Cassio. Of all the performers, Bean speechifies least and is the most convincing combatant in the unconvincing, by-the-numbers fight scenes. Angela Reed's Emilia effectively balances Iago's brutal misogyny - women "rise to play, and go to bed to work" — with a blunt, #Men counterargument: "Let them know/ The ills we do their ills instruct us so."

Edelstein's casting Erin Elizabeth Adams as Bianca, Cassio's mistress, is an intriguing choice. Adams is African-American. Cassio/ Bianca matches Othello/Desdemona in reverse. When the soldiers at Cyprus turn on her, racism inflames their anger, which obviously has lurked against Othello all along.

Katherine Roth's costumes reset the play somewhere in the early 19th Century, though Wilson Chin's set, glitzy silver walls, and chainlink fences look more like Las Vegas than Venice or Cyprus. Curtis Moore's original music has versatile percussionists Jonathan Hepfer and Ryan Nestor, live, pounding out martial rhythmns. At first they're obtrusive and drown out speeches. Then they settle in, and their insistent pulses provide a level of tragic seriousness the staging often lacks.



Why does Othello distrust Desdemona while their wedding cake's still fresh?

**Othello**, by William Shakespeare **Old Globe Theatre**, 1363 Old Globe Way, Balboa Park

Directed by Barry Edelstein; cast: Blair Underwood, Kristen Connolly, Richard Thomas, Noah Bean, Angela Reed, Erin Elizabeth Adams, Jonny Orsini, Mark Pinter, Mike Sears, Patrick Zeller, Kushtrim Hoxha; scenic design, Wilson Chin; costumes, Katherine Bush; lighting, Stephen Strawbridge; sound, Acme Sound Partners with Jason Crystal: original music, Curtis Moore

Playing through July 27; Tuesday through Sunday at 8 p.m. 619-234-5623; theoldglobe.org

#### **THEATER** LISTINGS

Theater listings and commentary are by Jeff Smith. Information is accurate according to material given us, but it is always wise to phone the theater for any last-minute changes and to inquire about ticket availability. Many theaters offer discounts to students, senior citizens, and the military. Ask at the box office.

Zoro Gardens is the site for "the quintessential dark horse of all musical experiences. It comes wrapped in a brown paper bag; so unassuming, so demure, so dangerous." Admission is free.

BALBOA PARK — ZORO GARDEN 2PM SUNDAY

#### BOOMERS, the Music Revue of a Generation

Lamb's Players reprises its hugely popular musical, by Kerry Meads and Vanda Eggington, about the Baby Boomer Generation, featuring the songs, history, and fads of the '60s and '70s: "This year, the last of the Boomers turn 50." Worth a try.

HORTON GRAND THEATRE 444 FOURTH AVE DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO, 619-234-9583, 7:30PM THURSDAYS, 8PM FRIDAYS, 4PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, 7:30PM WEDNES-DAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 31

#### Devlin: She's Back Again!

Actress/singer Devlin returns to the stage with a performance featuring a mix of jazz, blues, pop, and cabaret original songs, as well as a tribute to Mama Cass Elliot. She's Back Again will showcase songs from two of Devlin's New York cabaret shows, with arrangements by Rick Jensen and Tex Arnold.

MARTINIS ABOVE FOURTH, 3940 FOURTH AVENUE #200, HILL-CREST. 619-400-4500. 8PM THURSDAY.

#### Disenchanted

OnStage Playhouse presents the San Diego premiere of Dennis T. Giacino's musical comedy "that gives fairy tales the bird!" Snow White and friends want to "take their lives back." Jessica Brandon directs.

ONSTAGE PLAYHOUSE, 291 THIRD AVE., CHULA VISTA. 619-422-7787. 8PM THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS, & SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, THROUGH JULY 26.

#### **Ether Dome**

La Jolla Playhouse presents the West Coast premiere of Elizabeth Eglof's drama, based on the discovery of ether as an anesthetic in 1846. Michael Wilson directs the co-production with Huntington Theatre Company and Hartford Stage ["Content is judged at the parents discretion, may not be suitable for children aged under 12"]. LA JOLLA PLAYHOUSE, 2910 LA JOLLA VILLAGE DR., UCSD. 858-550-1010, 2PM & 7PM SUNDAYS, 7:30PM TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS THROUGH AUGUST 10

#### **Geeks: The Musical**

Ruth Judkowitz (music) and Thomas J. Misuraca (book and lyrics) tell the story of "a gaggle of geeks through the San Diego Comic Book/Sci-Fi Convention...all the while they geek, sing, and dance.

BLKBOX THEATRE, 3706 SIXTH AVE., HILLCREST. 8PM FRIDAYS, 6PM & 9PM SATURDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 16.

#### Grease

Welk Resort Theatre stages the musical about "the glory that was Grease," a tribute to the late-fifties styles -"duck-tail" anyone? — and songs. Ray Limon directs and choreographs.

WELK RESORT THEATRE, 8860 LAWRENCE WELK DR., ESCONDIDO. 888-802-7469. 1PM & 8PM THURSDAYS, 8PM SATURDAYS, 1PM SUNDAYS & WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH JULY

#### I Hate Hamlet

Should Andrew Rally, popular TV actor, go for the dough, now that his soap opera's been cancelled? Or should he essay the role of Hamlet, in the park, not-for-profit? In Paul Rudnick's comedy, the spirit of John Barrymore helps him decide between crass commercialism and an artistic calling. The script loses its way in Act two, but Intrepid Shakespeare's production is so strong, the downslide's easier to take. Ably directed by Christopher Williams, Ruff Yeager stars as Barrymore, over-the-top but of a piece and eloquent throughout. Francis Gercke does a fine turn as Rally, the Hamlet-hater; their tandem work is outstanding. Tom Stephenson heads a capable supporting cast as Gary Peter Lefkowitz, Phillistine extraordinaire and ditzy, hilarious whirlwind. Critic's

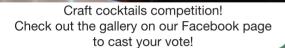
SAN DIEGUITO ACADEMY CLAYTON E. LIGGETT THEATER, 800 SANTA FE DR., ENCINITAS. 760-752-1121. 8PM THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS, 4PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, THROUGH

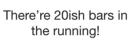
#### **Mary Poppins**

Moonlight Stage Productions continues its 34 summer season with the Southern California premiere of the Broadway musical co-created by Disney and Cameron Mackintosh. The book is by Julian Fellowes of Downton

MOONLIGHT AMPHITHEATRE IN BRENGLE TERRACE PARK, 1200 VALE TERRACE, VISTA. 760-724-2110. 8PM WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 2.









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#### Middle School Lessons

North Coast Repertory Theatre presents a reading of Judge J. Lee Sarokin's new courtroom drama about a mother wanting to protect her son from bullying "and how that affects her marriage, her friendships, her community, and her son's life. NORTH COAST REPERTORY THEATRE. 987-D LOMAS SANTA FE DR., SOLANA BEACH. 858-481-1055. 7:30PM MON-

#### My Son the Waiter: A **Jewish Tragedy**

Brad Zimmerman performs his solo show about his struggle to make it in New York: "If you can find something in your life that you truly love, never give up on it" [Note: due to popular demand, the San Diego Rep has extended the run of this show.] LYCEUM THEATRE, 79 HORTON PLAZA, DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO 619-544-1000 2PM & 7PM THURSDAYS 8PM FRIDAYS, 2PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM & 6PM SUNDAYS 7PM WEDNESDAYS THROUGH JULY 20.

#### **The Oldest Profession**

North Park Vaudeville & Candy Shoppe stages Paula Vogel's play about "five aging practitioners of the oldest profession," who "struggle with wit, compassion, and humor to learn new tricks as they fight to stay in the life."

NORTH PARK VAUDEVILLE AND CANDY SHOPPE, 2031 EL CAJON BL., NORTH PARK. 619-220-8663. 8PM FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, THROUGH JULY 20.

#### The Orphan of Zhao

The La Jolla Playhouse presents Iames Fenton's adaptation of the "Chinese Hamlet." In the aftermath of a violent coup, a young orphan discovers the truth of his origins. Carey Perloff directs. LA JOLLA PLAYHOUSE, 2910 LA JOLLA VILLAGE DR., UCSD. 858-550-1010. 8PM THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS, 2PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM & 7PM SUN-

#### Othello

Reviewed 7/9. OLD GLOBE THEATRE, 1363 OLD GLORE WAY BALBOA PARK 619-234 5623. 8PM THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS, SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS, TUESDAYS, & WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH JULY 27.

DAYS, 7:30PM TUESDAYS & WEDNES

DAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 3.

#### Romance/Romance

North Coast Repertory Theatre presents the off-Broadway musical, book and lyrics, Barry Harman, music, Keith Hermann about love in late 19th century Vienna and today. Ric Simas directs.

NORTH COAST REPERTORY THEATRE, 987-D LOMAS SANTA FE DR., SOLANA BEACH, 858-481-1055, 8PM SATUR-DAYS, 2PM & 7PM SUNDAYS, 7PM WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 3.

#### SD Fringe: The 146 Point Flame

Enterprise Theatre's performance piece presents four young women, during the historic 1911 Triangle Shirtwaist Fire in New York: they share "their dreams, thoughts, fears, and feelings in the moments of the accident that claimed 146 lives." SPRECKELS THEATRE, 121 BROADWAY, DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-235-9500. 2PM THURSDAY, 11AM FRIDAY

#### SD Fringe: A Month of Mondays

Irish vocalist Jack Lukeman, who came to prominence as an interpreter of Jacques Brel, performs the show that earned him Spotlight Best

#### **AUDITIONS**

#### Corpse!

PUN/PAC 13250 Poway Rd., Poway English thriller by Gerald Moon Directed by Jay Mower. The play has four males one female Runs September 12 to October 12, Corpse. tells the story of twin brothers, one of whom plots to murder the other in most unusual circumstances Auditions: JULY 21 & 22

#### **Monty Python's Spamalot**



CORONADO PLAYHOUSE 1835 Strand Way, Coronado Spamalot tells the legend of King Arthur and his Knights of the Round Table and features a bevy of beautiful show girls, not to mention cows, killer rabbits, and French people. Did we mention the bevy of beauti ful show girls? Auditions require an appointment and will consist of a 1-2 minute private singing audition (an accompanist and CD player will be provided - no acapella auditions, please). Upbeat, musical comedy selections are preferred. If you are asked to come to callbacks, be prepared to read, move, tap dance, and dance. All characters have a British accent. Be familiar with the music from the show and with the movie Monty Python and the Holy Grail. For appointment: iennieconnard@gmail.com with name, number, and picture/resume attached or 858-205-9168. Please put "Spamalot" in the subject line, Production dates: October 24 through November 30. Thursdays through Saturdays at 8pm and Sundays at 2pm, excluding November 27. Auditions: JULY 13 & 14 6PM

#### **Next to Normal**

SAN DIEGO MUSICAL THEATRE 4652 Mercury St., Clairemont Please prepare two contrasting (ballad and uptempo) contemporary theatrical rock/pop songs in the style of the show, 32 bar cuts of each. Be ready with a full song if asked. Bring sheet music in the correct key and two headshots and resumes. Callbacks July 15, first rehearsal Sentember 9, onens Sentember 27, closes October 12, Director Nick DeGruccio, musical director Don LeMaster, Appointments: iill@sdmt.org. Auditions: JULY 17 10AM

#### l Do, I Do, I Do

POWPAC

13250 Poway Rd., Poway Runs November 14 through December 14. Directed by Sherrie Colbourn. The play has three men and three women. The time is the present. The setting is the main living room of a wealthy home on the outskirts of London. Auditions: SEPTEMBER 15 & 16

#### Peter Pan Jr.

BROADWAY THEATRE 340 E. Broadway, Vista Ages 7 to 18 encouraged to audition. No experience necessary. Runs October 9 to October 12 at 7 pm. Directed by Randall Hickman Auditions: SEPTEMBER 7 1PM

#### Shaken Not Stirred

BROADWAY THEATRE 340 E. Broadway, Vista A musical with 20 swingin' songs from the '60s. Directed by Randall Hickman \$100/week for four-week run at Vista's Broadway Theater, September 12 to October 5. Thursday through Sunday (two shows on Saturday). Auditions: AUGUST 4 6PM

To add your audition to our listings, go to sdreader.com/ events/submit and select Auditions as the category.

Music Award in 2010 at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival. SPRECKELS THEATRE, 121 BROADWAY,

DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-235-9500. 12:30PM THURSDAY, 11PM SATURDAY, 12:30PM SUNDAY

#### SD Fringe: Around the World in 80 Years

D'yan Forest, from New York, performs a cabaret show "celebrating eight decades of wine, women, and song (oh, and men)." The "global journey" includes French songs on ukelele and piano.

TENTH AVENUE ARTS THEATRE, 930 TENTH AVE., EAST VILLAGE. 619-237-4510. 9:30PM FRIDAY

#### SD Fringe: At the Fringe of Magic

Sebastian performs Intimate Miracles," a "showcase of his favorite close-up magic.'

RED SPADE THEATER, 2539 CONGRESS STREET SUITE B, OLD TOWN. 619-865-2973. 6PM THURSDAY & SATURDAY.

#### SD Fringe: Attach[ed]

Lemonade Stand presents a oneact play "about the experiences and aftermath of infatuation, desire, heartbreak, and unrequited love. The "events of the story occur in reverse chronology for the main characters and in real-time/alternate world for the sub-characters." SPRECKELS THEATRE, 121 BROADWAY,

DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-235-9500. 9:30PM THURSDAY, 6:30PM FRIDAY,

#### SD Fringe: The Best of 25 **Plays Per Hour**

Theatre Unleashed has delved deep into its archive of hundreds of two minute play scripts from the show's five year history and assembled the best of the bunch for an hour of comedy, drama, "and everything in between."

SPRECKELS THEATRE, 121 BROADWAY, DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-235-9500. 6:30PM SATURDAY, 11AM SUNDAY,

#### SD Fringe: The Bad Arm, Confessions of a Dodgy Irish **Dancer**

Maire Clerkin shows that "if you thought all Irish dancers were curly-haired cutie-pies with perfect posture," you've got another think coming: "meet a scowling misfit from London.'

RAW SPACE, 921 FIRST AVE., DOWN-TOWN11PM THURSDAY, 8PM FRIDAY. 9:30PM SATURDAY, 5PM SUNDAY

#### SD Fringe: Burning on the River

Cleveland Dance Exchange performs four works by Cleveland-area choreographers, Sarah Morrison, Kelli Sanford, Annika Sheaff, and Shannon Sterne. The title comes from the Cuyahoga River, which caught fire in the 1960s (and immor-

talized in Randy Newman's "Burn On, Big River"). The piece celebrates Cleveland's urban revitalization movement

TENTH AVENUE ARTS THEATRE, 930 TENTH AVE FAST VILLAGE 619-237-4510 3:30PM THURSDAY 9:30PM

#### SD Fringe: Can't Ain't **Nothing But A Four-Letter** Word

Malcolm Grissom, from San Francisco, tells the story of the "journey towards his dreams, navigating the roadblocks of life, specifically stereotypes surrounding race and diversity.

TENTH AVENUE ARTS THEATRE, 930 TENTH AVE., EAST VILLAGE. 619-237-4510. 8PM THURSDAY, 5PM SATURDAY,

#### SD Fringe: Ceremony, A True Tale of Love, Fear, and **Ayahuasca**

Michael Kass, Los Angeles-based storyteller, presents his awardwinning "story of love, fear, and Ayahuasca. Grappling with heart break and depression, Michael quits his job and finds himself in Peru drinking a noxious tea as a shaman looks on with a smile. How far will he go to find transformation? And will he be able to find his way back? TENTH AVENUE ARTS THEATRE, 930 TENTH AVE FAST VILLAGE 619-237-4510. 9:30PM THURSDAY, 6:30PM SUNDAY

#### **SD Fringe: Circus Live!**

Linley Lopez Productions, which specializes in commedia dell'arte, circus shows, and costume development, includes artists who have worked with the Moscow Circus, Ringling Bros., and Cirque du Soleil. FRINGE CITY AT HORTON PLAZA. 759 FIRST AVE., DOWNTOWN 2PM

#### SD Fringe: Courtesan Café

Set in 1913 Café Rouge de Paris and one seedy North County lounge of the 1960s, this "seductive cocktail mix about desires and dreams tells the partly comic, demented story of how the sexes can mangle the heart, in the illusion that choices have no consequences.

LES GIRLS, 3201 HANCOCK ST., MIDWAY DISTRICT 6:30PM FRIDAY,

#### **SD Fringe: Cuentos: From** the Living to the Dead

Contemporary Arts in Movement presents "personal stories - of life, love, and tribulations that divide us, unite us, and guide is in our present life and beyond — told through modern/contemporary movement and spoken word.

TENTH AVENUE ARTS THEATRE 930 TENTH AVE., FAST VILLAGE, 619-237-4510. 6:30PM FRIDAY, 11PM SATUR-DAY, 12:30AM SUNDAY,

#### **SD Fringe: Culture Shock** Cabaret

Culture Shock Dance Troupe presents "Archival works from their 20-year history, from Tchaikovsky to Jason Derulo, to Culture Shock Nutcracker, A Holiday Hip Hop Theatre. LYCEUM THEATRE, 79 HORTON PLAZA DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-544-1000. 6:30PM FRIDAY, 5PM SUNDAY.

#### SD Fringe: Devil's Due

Using dance, circus, and "auto visual storytelling," Pink BoomBox, a performance art collective, stages its first play, which includes "Jazz, voodoo, sex, drugs, and the Devil.

OCEAN BEACH PLAYHOUSE, 4944 NEWPORT AVE., OCEAN BEACH, 619-222-0836, 7PM FRIDAY & SATURDAY. 3PM SUNDAY

#### **SD Fringe: Disclosure**

The arcHIVe project tells the story of Matthew. He's "in the midst of his youth when he learns he is HIVpositive." His family, on hearing the news, must "overcome their own stigma and learn what it means to live with HIV in this generation and to solve their differences and function as a family.

SPRECKELS THEATRE, 121 BROADWAY, DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-235-9500. 11PM THURSDAY, 8PM SATURDAY.

#### **SD Fringe: Discoverie of** Magic

Jackson Rudd "utilizes the tools of theatrical magic and the psychology of the unknown to combine equal parts 'show' and 'think' to create an experience that truly begins when we leave. A mystery awaits us all.' 2014 Hollywood Fringe Award Nominee

TENTH AVENUE ARTS THEATRE, 930 TENTH AVE., EAST VILLAGE. 619-237-4510. 2PM FRIDAY.

#### **SD Fringe: Doctor Shmoctor**

The Max Fischer Players, who performed Ubu at last year's festival, present a physical-comedy take-off on Moliere's The Reluctant Doctor that includes "violence, word-play, puppets, and more violence. RAW SPACE, 921 FIRST AVE., DOWN-TOWN 8PM THURSDAY, 12:30PM

#### **SD Fringe: Dog Years**

From New York, John Grady performs the true story "of a man and his canine companion navigating life's challenges together in New York and Chicago and facing his ultimate fears: love, loss...and dog yoga.

TENTH AVENUE ARTS THEATRE, 930 TENTH AVE., EAST VILLAGE. 619-237-4510. 8PM FRIDAY, 5PM SUNDAY.

#### SD Fringe: Earth: Genesis & Les Enfants Jouer

JuxtaPosition Dance Theatre performs a "modern/contemporary dance work" that goes "back to Earth's beginning and explores our first relationship with Earth and attempts to reconnect us with it.' TENTH AVENUE ARTS THEATRE, 930 TENTH AVE., EAST VILLAGE, 619-237-4510. 6:30PM SATURDAY.

#### SD Fringe: The EDucation of Dianne

Mark Whitney asks: "What if the secret is there are no secrets? Against the backdrop of Dianne Feinstein's revelation that Ed Snowden's former employer has been spying on her, Whitney blows the whistle "on a public secret with the power to reinstate privacy and accountability overnight!'

LYCEUM THEATRE, 79 HORTON PLAZA, DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-544-1000. 9:30PM THURSDAY, 8PM FRIDAY, 6:30PM SATURDAY, 2PM SUNDAY

### **SD Fringe: Friends Like**

In Gregory Craft's piece, Garrett is an outsider with a secret. Constantly tortured in school and relegated to the social fringe, he just tries to get through each day as best as possible. "All of this changes, however, when he's noticed by the most popular cheerleader in school.

BREAD & SALT, 1955 JULIAN AVE., LO-GAN HEIGHTS. 619-851-4083. 6:30PM SATURDAY & SUNDAY

#### SD Fringe: Genie and Audrey's Dream Show

The San Diego Fringe Festival presents this "erratic dream logic of a night's slumber utilizing circus arts such as acrobatics, juggling, and clowning, as well as poetry, dance, and music

TENTH AVENUE ARTS CENTER, 930 TENTH AVE DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO 6:30PM THURSDAY 12:30PM FRIDAY 2PM SATURDAY.

#### SD Fringe: The Gym: A New Musical with Something for **Every Body!**

Rayme Sciarone and Margee Froman's new musical revue peeks "beneath the muscle tees and thongs into the hearts and souls of the inner gym in all of us as we pursue perfection in an imperfect

LYCEUM THEATRE, 79 HORTON PLAZA DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-544-1000. 8PM THURSDAY, 9:30PM SATURDAY, 6:30PM SUNDAY

#### **SD Fringe: The Hideout**

Haste Theatre presents a retelling of the Theseus legend. In the 1920s, the ancient Greek gods get bored, so they toy with the lives of humans: Theseus, Ariadne, and the "small matter of the Minotaur."

SPRECKELS THEATRE, 121 BROADWAY, DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-235-9500. 8PM THURSDAY, 2PM FRIDAY, 5PM SATURDAY.

#### SD Fringe: How's the Go-Going?

In Hully Gully Entertainers' dark comedy, "Stan's first night out in Manhattan after recent cosmetic facial surgery goes terribly wrong when randomly meeting a hometown crush, estranged baby sister, and misogynist ball player. LYCEUM THEATRE, 79 HORTON PLAZA. DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO, 619-544-1000, 5PM THURSDAY, 9:30PM FRIDAY, 8PM SATURDAY, 3:30PM SUNDAY.

#### SD Fringe: Jackie and the BeansTalk

3rd Space Theatre Collective from Belgium, the UK and San Diego create an unusual story around an RV about the importance of imagination and self-belief in an outdoor performance for the whole family. Admission is free. HORTON SOUARE AT NBC BUILDING. 858 BROADWAY CIRCLE, DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. NOON & 3PM SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS, THROUGH JULY 13,

#### SD Fringe: Judevine: A Solo

Brian Rickell plays 14 characters and performs an adaptation of David Budbil's "parade of life, love, loss, and the beauty of it all.' Kari Hayler directs.

RAW SPACE, 923 FIRST AVE., DOWN TOWN 6:30PM THURSDAY, 12:30PM FRIDAY

#### SD Fringe: Letters to Laura

Short Girl Productions, from Canada, presents Elisa Benzer's "light-hearted romantic comedy" about "two unintentional lovebirds and honesty in relationships. That the letter writers live in different countries compounds things a bunch.

SPRECKELS THEATRE, 121 BROADWAY, DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-235-9500. 8PM FRIDAY, 3:30PM SUNDAY.

#### SD Fringe: Life Sucks and Then You Die

Ray Jessel, co-composer/lyricist of the Broadway musical about Sherlock Holmes, Baker Street performs his comedy routine. Admission is free

SAN DIEGO PUBLIC LIBRARY 820 F ST., FAST VILLAGE, 619-236-5800. 6:30PM FRIDAY 2PM SATURDAY

#### SD Fringe: Long Way to Midnight

Jonathan Rosenberg's new musical is "about family, tradition, and growing up." The Bassett family confronts difficult choices when dreams collide with reality. LYCEUM THEATER 2PM FRIDAY

#### SD Fringe: Matinee with Miss Peg and other Stories

The San Diego Guild of Puppetry presents "intimate stories told through several theatrical devices - shadow puppetry, slides, toy theatre and 3-D puppetry." Miss Peg transfigures her memories in order to have lived the live she wanted?

TENTH AVENUE THEATER 4TH FLOOR CABARET SPACE 12:30PM SATURDAY. 2PM SUNDAY

#### SD Fringe: Medusa's Tale

Jordan Hall gives a fresh take on the Perseus myth. "When the hero comes to slay the monster Medusa, he finds himself forced to listen to her story, and learns that heroes and monsters alike are doomed to play their roles in the power struggles of the gods.' TENTH AVENUE ARTS THEATRE, 930 TENTH AVE., EAST VILLAGE. 619-

#### SD Fringe: The MENding **Monologues**

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InterMission Productions explores gender violence issues from a male perspective, in this piece inspired by Eve Ensler's The Vagina Monologues, including "original work written and performed by the men of San Diego."

RAW SPACE 921 FIRST AVE DOWN TOWN 9:30PM FRIDAY, 8PM SATUR DAY, 11AM SUNDAY,

#### SD Fringe: Miss M Saves the Universe

Breakthrough Workshop Theatre presents "a semi-autobiographical satirical fantasy" that "travels through time" to show "the significant breakthrough moments in the life of our protagonist." Miss M, a "divine guardian angel inspired by the legendary Bette Midler" accompanies Miss. M. TENTH AVENUE ARTS THEATRE, 930 TENTH AVE., EAST VILLAGE. 619-237-

DOWNTOWN 5PM THURSDAY, 2PM SATURDAY

#### The Sound of Music

RAW SPACE, 921 FIRST AVE.,

SD Fringe: Nightbird

As part of the Fringe Festival,

Eddie Yaroch directs his one-act

drama about a woman, trapped in

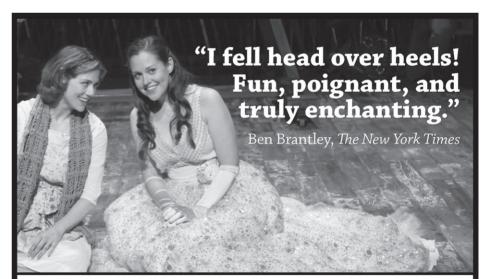
a dangerous relationship, a sym-

pathetic outsider, and "jealousy,

abuse, and domestic violence.

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# Layers upon layers

MOVIES

n 1977, film director Roman Polanski pled guilty to the charge of unlawful sex with a minor — a 13-year-old girl. He then fled the country to avoid sentencing. Need every review of a Polanski film open with a reminder of this awful fact? Not at all. But when the Polanski film in

question, Venus in Fur, opens with a director (theater this time) complaining about

women who don't know how to be women — women who are simply too immature to portray the lead character in his play (also titled *Venus in Fur*) — well, it's hard not to wonder if we're being trolled. Maybe just a little bit? Polanski once claimed that everyone wants to, er, enjoy young girls. But then, that's not the same as casting, I suppose. Not quite.

Speaking of casting, and staying on the subject, it's hard not to see similarities between a younger Polanski and the film's male star, Matheiu Amalric. The elfin features, the floppy mass of hair, the diminutive stature...oh, and did I mention that the female star is played by Polanski's real-life wife, Emmanuelle Seigner? And that the play our hero has written is about forms of sexual behavior that some might consider perverse, but which our hero cannot help, thanks to a

childhood trauma a single moment in which life made him what he is? (Polanski,

of course, had plenty of childhood trauma, losing his mother to the Holocaust.)

I am not for one moment pretending that the film is any kind of key to understanding Roman Polanski, or any kind of apologia, or any kind of anything of the sort. But an artist, presumably, chooses a project for a reason, and it's difficult to hear a director in a Polanski film rage against philistines for whom "everything is a social problem of cock" (I watched a quirky translation from the French) and not feel a twinge in the old moral fiber.



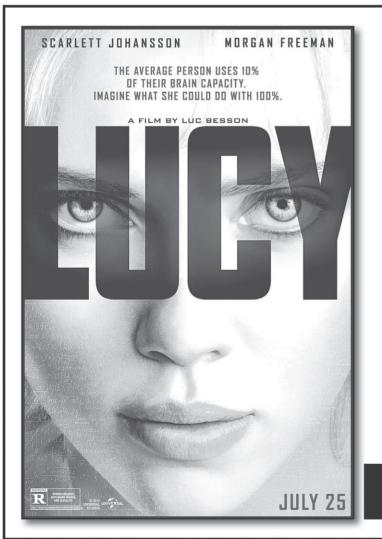
Venus in Fur: "What's that? Tighter? Stop gagging and speak!"

Especially when the great theme of the film is the bleeding of life into art and vise versa.

It's all very smartly done. Amalric plays Thomas, author of a play based on the Victorian novel *Venus in Furs* by the Austrian author Leopold Von Sacher-Masoch, from whose name and

work we get the term "masochism." Masoch's story — Thomas's, too, and also Polanski's — is an examination of sexual power dynamics between a man and a woman, Kushemski and Vanda. (Why did Thomas choose to adapt this particular work? Might as well ask why Polanski chose to adapt this particular

play by David Ives, also titled *Venus in Fur.* Layers upon layers...) At the end of a long day of lousy auditions, Thomas is accosted by an actress named Vanda(!). Though everyone has left the building, she convinces him to read with her, to portray the very man he's taken the trouble to bring to





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life on the stage. She's even brought her own costume, and astonishingly, she seems to know the play by heart...

Maybe you see where this is going. But even if you do, getting there is still good, queasy fun. Along the way, Polanski makes himself all but invisible: the characters are the point here, and the director is content to artfully serve them up and let them go to work — on each other, and on the audience.

— Matthew Lickona

#### **RAGGING BULL TRAILER**

Coming soon to a Red Box near you: The blah Bull! The redundant Bull! Martin Guigui's *Bronx Bull*!

From the looks of the trailer, the only thing this has in common with *Raging Bull* are a few purloined flashbulbs and a director who shares his first name with Him.

A casting call was put out in April 2012 under the film's original working title, *Raging Bull II*. At the time, everyone thought MGM, producers of Martin Scorsese's pantheonic 1980 masterpiece, would swat the pesky sequel before it had the chance to turn into a full-grown mosquito.

As reported in this space two months later, "The studio claims the boxer was contractually obligated to offer them first look at his follow-up book, Raging Bull II (1986). LaMotta — whom Scorsese (and screenwriter Paul Schrader) clearly depicted as a man with a head made of rock — had no right to take his business elsewhere without first offering the film rights to MGM. In its complaint, MGM accused Raging Bull II producers of 'publicly associating' their sequel with Marty's original, stating that it was 'plainly intended to create confusion in the marketplace and to trade off the value."

MGM asked that the court call the fight in the first round by putting a halt to production.

The studio won but eventually dismissed the lawsuit. MGM and Sunset Pictures released the following joint statement in August 2012: "The parties have amicably reached a resolution of their pending litigation, pursuant to which production of a film based upon certain events in the life of Jake LaMotta will proceed under the working title *The Bronx Bull*. That film is not related in any way to the 1980 motion picture entitled *Raging Bull*, and MGM is not associated with the film in any respect. Neither party will have any further statements regarding this matter"

And that's that!

Described as "a combination before the rage' and after the rage'

(and with a lot of Raging), the film is now completed and rarin' to entertain! Several made men (and one woman) signed on to help smear a patina of legitimacy: *Goodfellas* alumnus Paul Sorvino, playing Jake's brutish old man, joins Mike Starr, also from *Goodfellas*, and *Bringing Out the Dead's* Tom Sizemore.

Members of the outer circle include William Forsythe (the Scorsese-produced *Boardwalk Empire*) as Jake, along with Bruce Davison (the Scorsese-produced *Grace of My Heart*) and Juliet Landau (the Scorsese produced *Grifters*).

Rounding out the cast are neversto-be Joe Mantegna, Penelope Ann Miller, Natasha Henstridge, Alicia Witt, Ray Wise, Robert Davi, Cloris Leachman, and Harry Hamlin. Celebrity impersonators include Dom Irrera as Joe E. Lewis and James Russo as Rocky Graziano.

Was Jake LaMotta's follow-up autobiography *Raging Bull II* a work of fiction or did the filmmakers choose to jettison or rename a few of the major players in an effort to avoid further litigation? No Vickie, no Joey, no Salvi, no Tommy Como? Why not have Jake go a few rounds with Mike Tyson while you're at it? Hey, Guigui, you're killin' yourself, the way you cheat. No release date has been announced. Unless the Digital Gym steps up, it's doubtful we're likely to see it outside of our homes. It's only a matter of time before it catches up with me. Hell, there's a good chance that a \$3 Big Lots Blu-ray disc will find a slot in my closet. Still, taking a dump on this holiest of altars is more unwholesome than all of Scorsese's on-screen venality combined, including the jar of ears. As cut-rate as this looks, it would have been a lot cheaper to colorize the original

— Scott Marks

### COCA-COLA FREESTYLE COMES TO BOTH AMC VALLEYS

Fox 5's Josh Board loves OPP: Other People's Popcorn. How do you know when Josh is at a screening? Walk into the auditorium carrying a Coke and a bag of corn and within seconds there'll be a "Hey, buddy. I see you bought popcorn" to greet you.

The best was the time Josh noticed me standing at the Gaslamp concession stand, about to purchase a movie-time snack. The difference between the \$7 medium corn I had ordered and the large bag that comes with a free refill was a dollar. "I'll split it with you," Josh said, handing me a buck.

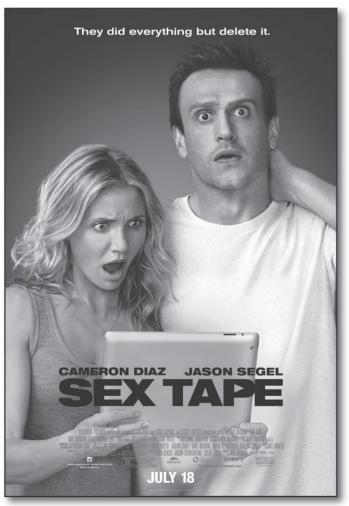
Not true of my pal Dan Wolfson,

who the other day was kind enough to pop for the concessions. Instead of taking the customary "You fly, I'll buy" route, Dan was gracious enough to fetch the snacks while I acted as a human coat, holding our seats.

One sip of the Coke, and I knew something was wrong. It wasn't what my mom used to refer to as a "pishox Coke." That phenomenon occurs when a half-consumed 16-oz. contour bottle — with only a bent metal cap acting as a stopper to keep the air out and the bubbles in — sits in the refrigerator for days, causing its contents to go flat. This had more of a medicinal taste, as if a bottle of cherry-flavored Robitussin had made its way into the mix.

I found the answer during my post-show trot to the parking garage. There, to the right of the concession stand, stood a bank of shiny new Coca-Cola Freestyle machines. For those not familiar with the space-age soft-drink dispenser, the Freestyle is a touchscreen soda fountain that (in theory) offers consumers up to 100 different flavor variations on their favorite beverages.

Testing began in the summer of 2009 at 60 locations across the country. Today, there are that many dispensers in San Diego County alone. My first encounter with the daunting multi-



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flavored vending machine was at the Five Guys in Hillcrest. By the time I had finished figuring out how to get the damn thing to dispense a straight Coke, the line behind me was snaking out the door.

It's a great idea (in theory) but one that will never capture the desired taste results until Coke figures out a way to flush the tubes after each use. I have yet to sample a glass of original-recipe Coke that isn't somehow tainted by all the fruit-flavored options that previously flowed through the machine's

If you want to experience the high of a pharmaceutical-flavored soft drink, order a cherry or vanilla Pepsi next time you're at D.Z. Akin's. Just keep it away from the kids, lest everyone in the family gets hooked.

- Scott Marks

#### MOVIE LISTINGS

All reviews are by Scott Marks, Matthew Lickona, and Duncan Shepherd. Priorities are indicated by one to five stars and antipathies by the black spot. Unrated movies are for now unreviewed. Thousands of past reviews are available online at SDReader com/movies

22 Jump Street — Channing Tatum and Ionah Hill advance from high school to college, while the overall level of humor plunges from ninth grade to third. I laughed once: the action momentarily trips over itself to deliver a sternly graphic anti-drug message before quickly returning to the business of trying to milk laughs at the expense of wasted college students. "Directors"

Phil Lord and Chris Miller are at their best when making sure the Doritos bag is center frame and pointed directly at the camera. As topical as today's headlines, there's a reference to the late Maya Angelou, a Tracy Morgan impersonator, and a lot of angry gay stuff involving Hill whose career-to-date has pretty much been one, long homoerotic smudge. One day, Hollywood will be secure in its sexuality to make an honest mainstream gay cop buddy comedy that's more than a clothesline strung with giggly penis jokes. This isn't it. I lasted an hour before finding the exit. 2014. – S.M. ● (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

Begin Again — A divorced record exec (Mark Ruffalo), inundated with booze and bombarded by mediocrity, stumbles upon an open mic night in time to catch a fetching singer-songwriter (Keira Knightley) with a sensational "little voice" who he instantly signs. The gimmick: they'll record an album on the fly at various locations across New York. John Carney returns to the street performer milieu of his breakthrough musical, Once, only this time to lesser effect.

The opening number set the bar high: Ruffalo blocks out the background noise of the noisy tayern to fully orchestrate Knightley's acoustic performance in his head. What follows - performance pieces intercut with Ruffalo's battle with the bottle and a rebellious teenage daughter (Hailee Steinfeld) - is dramatic background music for a soundtrack in search of a story. Judd Apatow's participation as executive producer may have contributed to the film's overall sense of aimlessness. 2014. — S.M. ★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE - SEE SHOWTIMES)

**Belle** — "Based on a true story" tale of a half-black English heiress (an unfailingly appealing Gugu Mbatha-Raw) navigating a world in which her mother (here safely dead) could have been treated as property. It's also based on a true painting (of the heiress and her cousin), and it does its visual heritage proud. Belle is an artful, occasionally lively updating of Jane Austen-style "Whom shall I marry and how?" social mores, with questions of race providing some additional shading and texture. It's also a plodding, undramatic account of her guardian's (Tom Wilkinson)

adherence to the dictum, "Let justice be done, though the heavens may fall." (He's a judge, and his pending ruling on a slavery-related insurance case could threaten English prosperity, or so we are repeatedly told ) A few fine expressions of genuine humanity, but also plenty of speechmaking for those who prefer the piquancy of moral righteousness over butter and salt on their movie popcorn. 2014. ★ (LANDMARK HILLCREST; READING CARMEL MOUNTAIN)

**Blended** — Wasn't it Chekhov who said, "If a character named 'Dick appears in the first act of an Adam Sandler vehicle, there must be a dozen penis joke in the second?" Blended starts in a Hooters toilet and never quite recovers. After a disastrous first date, a divorcee (Drew Barrymore) and a widower (Sandler) are forced to "blend" families for a deluxe African vacation. Maudlinly sentimental even by Jerry Lewis's standards, there are countless embarrassingly unintentional laughs to be found, particularly those involving one of Sandler's daughters, who insists that her dead mother is as real as a sixfoot imaginary rabbit named Harvey. Screenwriters Ivan Menchell and Clare Sera's depiction of pop-eved, subservient natives indicates their knowledge of African culture was fashioned after watching old Tarzan pictures. Once again Frank Coraci (The Wedding Singer, 50 First Dates) is assigned the unenviable task of calling "Action!" "Cut!" and "Anything you say, mealticket!" 2014. — S.M. • (REGAL PARKWAY PLAZA; REGAL RANCHO DEL REY)

Coherence — On the night of an astrological anomaly, eight friends at a dinner party experience a troubling chain of reality-bending events. Review forthcoming. 2014. (READING GASLAMP)

#### Dawn of the Planet of the Apes

— The sequel to the very pleasantly surprising Rise of the Planet of the Apes. Review absolutely forthcoming. 2014. (IN WIDE RELEASE)

**Deliver Us from Evil** — Scott Derrickson's latest foray into "based on a true story" exorcism-land — he broke through with 2005's The Exorcism of Emily Rose — benefits from some creative setup (the demon arrives from the Middle East via Iraq vets who stumble upon an underground altar), some clever genre mashup (the film is as much police procedural as supernatural horror), and a good deal of earnest seriousness about possession, sin, and religion (whether or not that proves sobering or entertaining may depend on your own beliefs). Derrickson gets indulgent with the gore, but shows admirable restraint when it comes to supernatural hijinks. Nobody crawls up walls or unhinges his jaw here. but there's plenty of ordinary, horrific biting and clawing. Unfortunately, the story, dialogue, and characters have some trouble carrying all that spiritual weight; ponderousness ensues. Perhaps sensing this, Derrickson piles on the jump scares, and makes a couple of ill-advised attempts at fight sequences. With Eric Bana, Edgar Ramirez. 2014. - M.L. ★ (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

Earth to Echo — Totally not a remake of Steven Spielberg's E.T.: The Extra-Terrestrial. For one thing, there's no absent father. For another, the titular alien is a cute robot instead of a lumpen critter. For still another, he doesn't need to phone home. Rather, he needs to assemble the key to his ride, and for that, he needs the help of three "good kid" tween friends - foster kid Alex (Teo

#### **FILM FESTIVALS**

#### **CENTRAL LIBRARY**



The Pretty One Zoe Kazan unleashes her pixie charms in this fable of identity lost and found. Kazan plays Laurel, an eccentric wallflower, who has always remained in the long shadow of her confident, glamorous twin Audrey (also Kazan) — that is, until an accident presents her with the chance to see what being the pretty one is really like. With Jake Johnson and Ron Livingston. 2013. 90 minutes. Rated R. Monday, July 14, 6:30pm

Film Forum: The Other Sister Zoe Kazan unleashes her pixie charms in the darkly clever fable of identity lost and found. Kazan plays Laurel, an eccentric wallflower, who has always remained in the long shadow of her confident. glamorous twin Audrey (also Kazan) — that is, until an accident presents her with the chance to see what being the pretty one is really like. With Jake Johnson and Ron Livingston. 2013. 90 minutes. Rated R. Monday, July 14, 6:30pm

American Freethought, Part 4: The Rise of Roman Catholicism Ouestion

Think. Decide. The most comprehensive film series ever made about the Golden Age of the Atheist/Humanist/Freethought movement in America. Part 4 covers: Sunday Laws, the McKinley assassination, Emma Goldman, the Scopes Trial, H.L. Mencken, Clarence Darrow, and more. 2013. Documentary. 60+ minutes PG. A discussion with filmmaker/director Rod Bradford will follow. **Monday, July 21, 6:30pm** 

#### **LEMON GROVE LIBRARY**

The Short List: International Short Film Film Night in the Library, sponsored by the Lemon Grove Historical Society, will feature episodes from The Short List Showcase for Outstanding International Short Film. Comedy, drama, animation, and documentary comprise the mix in this award-winning, 17-year public TV series produced and directed by Jack Ofield Wednesday, July 16, 6:30pm, Wednesday,

#### **MISSION VALLEY LIBRARY**

The Grand Budapest Hotel The latest cinematic styling from Wes Anderson is a semi absurdist, twisty tale of conspiracy, theft, and murder. Ralph Fiennes stars as a concierge who becomes embroiled in the murder investigation of his most loyal guest and the following cutthroat race to claim her inheritance. The all-star cast features Tilda Swinton, Jude Law, F. Murray Abraham, Bill Murray, Adrien Brody, Owen Wilson, and Willem Dafoe, 100 minutes 2014. There will be a discussion after the film. Wednesday, July 23, 6:00pm

#### PALOMA

Switchfoot: Fading West Switchfoot's tenth annual Bro-Am event includes a surf contest at Moonlight Beach (7am-3:30pm), concerts (11am-5pm), beach vendors, and more. Bands include Switchfoot, the Future's League, Run River North, and Cody Lovaas. The evening will round out with a screening of Switchfoot's documentary, Fading West, along with an intimate performance from Switchfoot at La Paloma Theatre. Saturday, July 12, 7:30pm

#### **PEARL**

Dive-In Theatre A weekly "cinema social" combining eclectic film choices, along with food and drink. Steeped in mid-century design, the Dive-In takes place at the poolside lounge and outdoor theater. Films are projected onto a 10' x 13' foot projection screen with full sound. overlooking the hotel's vintage, oyster-shaped swimming pool. Wednesday, July 16, 8:00pm, Wednesday, July 23, 8:00pm, Wednesday, July 30, 8:00pm

#### **POINT LOMA LIBRARY**

**Her** For Theodore (Joaguin Phoenix), a lonely L.A. writer nursing a broken heart, the possibility of love arises from an unexpected quarter - a computer operating system known as Samantha (voiced by Scarlett Johansson). With Amy Adams, Olivia Wilde, and Rooney Mara. 126 minutes. 2013. Sunday, July 13, 2:00pm

Robot & Frank Frank Langella stars in an inventive riff on memory and identity. A retired cat burglar gets back into the game when he finds the ultimate accomplice for one final heist his amoral robotic caretaker. Co-starring Susan Sarandon, Peter Sarsgaard, and Liv Tyler. 89 minutes. 2012. Tuesday, July 15, 6:00pm

London River The 2005 London bombings throws a Falkland Islands widow (Brenda Blethyn) and an African forester (Sotiqui Kouyate) together as they ride a roller-coaster of hope and dread in search of their missing children In English, French, and Arabic with English subtitles. 88 minutes. 2009. Tuesday, July 22,

#### **SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF ART**

Cartas de Sorolla Cartas de Sorolla (Sorolla's Letters) tells the story of the Valencian painter Joaquín Sorolla's two passions: his love for his wife and family and his drive for perfection in his work. Based on the correspondence Sorolla sent to his wife, Clotilde, while traveling to complete a commission for the Hispanic Society of America, this film recreates Valencia in the 19th and early 20th centuries, as well as the different cities he visited. This commission, entitled the Visions of Spain, is above all responsible for Sorolla's enduring reputation



in the United States. This program will be presented entirely in Spanish, without subtitles or English interpretation. Cartas de Sorolla cuenta la historia de las dos pasiones del pintor Valenciano Joaquín Sorolla: el amor por su esposa y su familia, y su pasión por la perfección en su trabajo. Este programa se presentará en español. No habrá subtítulos ni interpretación al ingles. Friday, July 11, 7:00pm

#### Film in the Garden: Blood and Sand

Starring Tyrone Power, Linda Darnell, and Rita Hayworth, this film tells the story of illiterate peasant Juan Gallardo as he rises to fame and fortune as a matador, eventually sowing the seeds of his downfall as he becomes blinded by the acclaim. Robert Henri, inspired by his trips to Spain between 1900 and 1926, produced a substantial body of work that included many representations of matadors. The exhibition 'Spanish Sojourns: Robert Henri and the Spirit of Spain" reveals Henri's commitment to capturing the essence of Spanish tradition and culture. During Film in the Garden, the museum will presents four films in the May S. Marcy Sculpture Garden this summer. The restaurant in the Sculpture Court will be open for all film screenings and will offer light snacks and beverages, including a full bar. Grab a picnic, a blanket, and a few friends for our film series under the stars. Seating is limited, so be sure to arrive early to find a good seat on the lawn! \*Please note: no outside alcohol will be allowed in the venue. Films begins at sundown, at approximately 8:00pm Space is limited. Seating is first come, first served. Monday, July 14, 8:00pm

#### **SCHULMAN AUDITORIUM AT** CARLSBAD CITY LIBRARY

**Road Trip Film Series: Something Wild** Free tickets distributed 45 minutes prior to start time. The Road Trip Film Series is in conjunction with Cannon Art Gallery's exhibit "Common Tread: Traversing the American Landscape," which celebrates the investigative spirit rooted in American culture and the iovous vitality of traveling by car. It features the work of 15 contemporary artists who employ themes of location and memory to produce an experiential evaluation of American road travel through photography, blown glass, acrylic, pigment on rag paper, oil, sculpture, car parts, and watercolor. Artists featured include: Jo Babcock, Jason Chakravarty, Melissa Chandon, John

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#### **SCRIPPS MIRAMAR RANCH LIBRARY**

**Grand Piano** This pulpy potboiler is a pulsepounding homage to Hitchcock and De Palma. A former piano prodigy (Elijah Wood), returning to public performance after a meltdown, finds a string of menacing messages from an unseen assassin (John Cusack). So begins this devilish game of cat-and mouse from Spanish director Eugenio Mira. Discussion follows the film. 90 minutes. 2013. Wednesday, July 16,

#### STONE BREWING LIBERTY STATION

Anchorman Bring your lawn chairs and blankets and settle down for a night of beer and cinema. If you plan on dining with us, we suggest arriving between 5 pm-6 pm to set up your spot on the lawn. Once you've staked out your spot, join us in the restaurant for dinner Tuesday, July 15, 8:30pm

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#### **WAVE HOUSE**

Jaws The Mission Beach Centennial committee continues their 100-year celebration with a summer-night viewing of Jaws. Be sure to bring a beach chair, towels, and blankets to lounge on Info: 619-888-0273. Tuesday, July 15, 8:30pm

Halm), oddball Munch (Reese Hartwig), and budding filmmaker Tuck (Brian "Astro" Bradley) — who are about to be separated by the pitiless (and suspicious) hand of eminent domain. The POV bounces from Tuck to Echo to some mysterious omniscient eve as the story requires: whatever it takes to endow ordinary youngster stuff — sneaking out on bikes, going on a treasure hunt, talking to girls, driving a car, crashing a party, evading video arcade security guards, etc. — with enough magic and meaning to make the Kids of Today believe that they can in fact, as the film puts it, "do anything." 2014. -M.L. ★ (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

Edge of Tomorrow — What if you woke up inside a video game? Specifically, what if you had to go through the brutal grind of dying over and over and over again in order to reach your final objective, learning just a little bit more each time before starting again at the beginning? That's the fate of Major William Cage (an expertly used Tom Cruise), a reluctant-soldier who gets caught up in an alien invader's time loop. Writer Christopher McQuarrie (The Usual Suspects) handles the concept with aplomb, and he's smart enough to know that the real interest here is what effect this kind of life would have on human relationships. But while he raises the question, he never quite manages an answer. Having gone meta at the outset, the film seems content to slide into First Person Shooter mode for the big finish. Sit still to unlock the secret Summer Blockbuster ending. 2014.  $\bigstar \bigstar$  (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

The Fault in Our Stars — "We have a choice about how to tell sad stories," says 17-year-old Hazel Grace Lancaster (Shailene Woodley, adorable) at the outset. There is the Hollywood way to do it, of course. But, she says, "this is the truth. Sorry." She's not actually sorry, and notice is hereby served: this is very much the visual version of the wildly popular YA novel, complete with voiceover for the choice bits of narration that its legions of fans presumably couldn't live without. (If you're sure you'll never tire of Shailene Woodley in closeup, this may be your proving ground.) Certain elements translate onto the screen, especially the sense that teens live in a private, passionate world of their own, and must figure out life (and death) accordingly. Parents and caregivers, however well-meaning, can only hover at the border and hope. That goes double, perhaps, when the teen has cancer, and is crazy about an 18-year-old cancer survivor (Ansel Elgort, smirking) with one leg and little to do but love her. Certain other elements remain shackled to their source: the rhythm and pacing, the piling up of crises, the exhausting slide toward the inevitable, the weirdly unlikely ending. Points, at any rate, for the gutsy use of a visit to Anne Frank's Amsterdam attic. With Laura Dern, Willem Dafoe. 2014. — M.L. ★ (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

The Grand Budapest Hotel — Director Wes Anderson's apologia pro style sua. Most of the action takes place in the pre-communist heyday of the titular (and pinkly ornate) Alpine retreat, and involves concierge extraordinaire Gustave (Ralph Fiennes) and his attempt to claim the priceless painting left to him by a grateful old guest/lover. The mannered, madcap proceedings are often delightful, occasionally silly, and here and there, gruesome and/or heartbreaking. But the real star of the show is Anderson himself — the storyteller,



Dawn of the Planet of the Apes: "WHERE HAVE YOU HIDDEN THE BANANAS?"

relating events in his own ineffable fashion — a point he makes by nesting Gustave's tale in layer after layer of narrative device. We open with a fangirl paying tribute to a dead author, then cut to author in his latter days, then to author in his younger days, picking up the story from an old man full of memories, then to the old man as a young witness. And over it all hovers Anderson, the Master Framer himself. 2014. ★★ (LAND-MARK KEN; PALOMA)

The Grand Seduction —  $\operatorname{An}\operatorname{Irish}$ fable about how much joy and satisfaction an Irishman takes in a hard day's work. How much? So much that a man (Brendan Gleeson, looking beardy) will spin lies in every direction just to punch a clock: to the oil company he needs to choose his town for a factory site, to the bank he needs to loan him the money to bribe the factory, and most thoroughly and appallingly, to the American doctor (Taylor Kitsch, looking haggard) he needs to make the town his home. And it's he ease, energy, and enthusiasm of his prevarications that provide much of the entertainment here. Director and cowriter Don McKellar (Last Night) keeps the tone amiable, and the visuals just dowdy enough to avoid the ersatz charm of Irish schmaltz. But even a well-intentioned bamboozle needs a bigger blowup than he delivers here. The end result is like tea with too much sugar and cream: pleasant enough, but so mild that you start to miss the bitter and the bite, 2013. M.L. None. — M.L. ★ (LANDMARK LA JOLLA VILLAGE)

A Hard Day's Night — The Beatles' hyperthyroid first film, directed by Richard Lester with a sense of comic and cinematic inventiveness — funny, silly, and stupid, by turns — that never stops asserting itself for a minute. 1964. -D.S. ★★★ (READING GASLAMP)

**Hellion** — Angry co-titular adolescent, check. Dead mother, check. Widowed, alcoholic/negligent co-titular father, check. Rural Southern milieu, check. Custody battle with CPS, check. Sports (in this case, Motocross) as a means of redemption/escape, check. Gun in Act II, check. Trendy, tripod-free presentation, check, check. It's a network pilot minus profanity! Dad (Aaron Paul) preaches responsibility, but in his troubled son's mind, that means guiding his younger brother away from girlie mags and in

the direction of arson. The head-butting between the incendiary father and his firebrand boy (newcomer Josh Wiggins, remindful of a young DiCaprio) as they struggle to collect their family would have been a lot more effective had the same scenario not been played out dozens of times in the past decade. Juliette Lewis, long relegated to ditzy background bits in raucous comedies, once again favors audiences with warmth and flashes of brittle strength as the boys' responsible aunt. Kat Chandler wrote and directed, 2014, S.M. ★ (DIGITAL

#### How to Train Your Dragon 2 —

"With Vikings riding dragons," proclaims the clever young Viking Hiccup at the outset, "the world just got a whole lot bigger." "Bigger" pretty much describes this sequel to the 2010 sleeper hit — as opposed to, say, "different." Once again, our hero must convince a hardheaded hulk about the right way to deal with dragons. Then, it was his dad ("Kill 'em!"); now, it's your basic barbarian conqueror ("Master 'em!"). Once again, he must reconcile with a parent along the way. Then, it was his dad; now, it's his mom. Once again, Hiccup's spunky, speedy dragon Toothless must face off against a much larger beastie. Then, it was the tyrannical Red Death; now...well let's pretend there's room for surprise, shall we? There are admirable bits: some stabs at Nature vs. Nurture with regard to both people and dragons, an early flight sequence that may have you grabbing your armrest. The animated water looks great; the people, less so. 2014. – M.L. ★ (IN WIDE RELEASE – SEE SHOWTIMES)

Ida — It's rare nowadays to find a period drama that touches on the Holocaust and isn't based on a true story. Before taking her vows, a novice teenage nun (Agata Trzebuchowska) sets out from the rural Polish orphanage she grew up in for a road trip with her surly, alcoholic "aunt" Wanda (Agata Kulesza) to untangle her own hidden Jewish heritage. It's a bit of an uphill climb, one fraught with forced stylization in the form of calculatedly excessive headroom. But once director Pawel Pawlikowski (My Summer of Love) sets things careening over the top, the ride down is filled with unexpected mordant delights. Mozart and Bach provide background noise, but film aesthetes will take their musical cues from a brief swatch of Victor Young's theme to King Vidor's tawdry swamp melodrama *Ruby* Gentry. Don't adjust your set: the film is (strikingly) photographed in Bergmanesque shades of gray-and-white and in the Academy ratio of 1.37:1. 2013. -S.M. ★★★ (LANDMARK LA JOLLA VILLAGE)

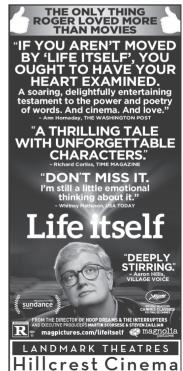
Jersey Boys — Old man (Clint Eastwood, 84) makes movie about old musical group (Frankie Valli, 80, and The Four Seasons) and manages to keep the whole enterprise from getting either stiff in the joints or whiffy with nostalgia. It's a neat piece of work, accomplished partly through the risky trick of having his four leads take turns addressing the camera. They take us through the four seasons of the band's life: spring beginnings (handled by streetwise manager-type Tommy DeVito); summer success (brainy songwriter Bob Gaudio), fall foibles (workaday bass-bassist Nick Massi), and deathly winter (bighearted frontman Valli). Especially in the early

going, the banter serves as an invitation to intimacy with these guys and their neighborhood back in the day. The story is much more about making it than it is about making art; short on surprises but engaging all the same, and not without delight. With a tastefully restrained Christopher Walken. 2014. ★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

Korengal — Not quite a coda to Sebastian Junger's and Tim Heatherington's gripping you-are-there 2010 Afghanistan war documentary Restrepo — more of a commentary track, or a series of annotations. Here, the live-fire footage at outpost Restrepo in the ever-active Korengal Valley is heavily intercut with soldier talk, either in repose or post-facto, about the wartime experience. Patrols, leave, weapons, firefights, rationales, fear, bravery, tactics, diplomacy, timekilling, tattoos, family, brotherhood, demons, despair, triumph, mourning — the whole shebang. It's worthwhile stuff, and works as a more meditative aftermath for its frenzied predecessor. But there isn't much in the way of structure or narrative drive, and it covers an awful lot of conversational ground in just 84 minutes. It would have been worth slowing down a bit to figure out why one man would go back if he could, while another struggles with his wartime actions, calling them the evil thing inside his body 2014. — M.L. ★★ (LANDMARK KEN)

**Le Chef** — Very light French foodie comedy, seasoned with a touch of romance, that never quite boils over into farce. The ingredients are utterly traditional - gifted nobody (a sweetly sincere Michael Youn) who needs a break, aging master (a comfortable Jean Reno) worried about his career in a world of changing tastes, arrogant owner (an uncomfortable Julien Boissellier) eager to impose his vision. Why, there's even a band of misfit sous chefs! But the recipe is reliable, the assemblage is artful, and the presentation is attractive. If you're looking for innovation and sublimity, you don't order comfort food. But if you just want something pleasant to fill your evening, you could do much worse than this. 2014. M.L. ★★ (LANDMARK HILLCREST)





# Calendar

**Life Itself** — Steve James's celebratory documentary about popular, populist film critic Roger Ebert shares a title with Ebert's 2011 memoir, but is able to go where the book was not to the end of life itself. Ebert is unexpectedly hospitalized almost at the outset of production, and it turns out to be the beginning of the end of the decade-long battle with cancer that has already cost him his jaw. These scenes from the last days can be harrowing, but they are lightened by Ebert's almost unbelievable good cheer and ease of expression, which come through even when his "voice" issues from a computer. Also by frequent forays into the man's mostly blessed past: from his days as a precocious writereditor-student, to his experience as a hard-drinking reporter for the Chicago Sun-Times, to his unlikely career as a televised film critic, and beyond. James casts his net wide but not too deep; the result is a positive review of a charmed and happy life, with cancer and fellow At the Movies critic Gene Siskel providing narrative drama. 2014. — M.L. ★★ (LANDMARK HILLCREST)

Maleficent — "Let us tell an old tale anew, and let us see how well you know it," intones Maleficent (a waxen Angelina Iolie) at the outset of this botched Sleep ing Beauty tweak-job. It's fine to tell old tales anew, and it's fine to mold them to some new purpose - say, a narrative of maternal repentance. But it's not fine to do it so artlessly. Perhaps the definitive example comes at the film's midpoint, when Maleficent, after cursing the infant Aurora in dramatic fashion. visits her at home and says, "I hate you." You'll swear it's being played for laughs, but if that's the case, then whither the drama? Wither, indeed. There are holes throughout — in character, in plot, in action — nearly all of them stuffed full of overworked, lumpen CGI. Poor Elle Fanning — every girl wants to be a princess, but anyone would get tired from all that rapturous smiling. Sleepy, even. 2014. — M.L. ● (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

Million Dollar Arm — Jon Hamm stars in this worked-over true story about a puffed-up, on-the-skids sports agent whose humbling necessitates giving birth to a Susan Boyle-inspired talent hunt for an Indian cricket bowler able to transition into an MLB pitcher. As live-action Disney sports comedies go, this makes for amenable if predictable summertime family fluff. (Think Cool Runnings meets The World's Greatest Athlete.) Director Craig Gillispie (Lars and the Real Girl) keeps things moving, adding just enough local (and saturated) color to bolster screenwriter Thomas McCarthy's conclusion that India is a "study in extremes." Lord Alan Arkin apportions more belly laughs catnapping through the first third of his pithy performance than you're likely to find in most feature-length comedies. The fine supporting cast features Suraj Sharma (Life of Pi), Lake Bell as Hamm's compulsory love interest, and never enough Bill Paxton. 2014. - S.M. ★★ (ARCLIGHT LA JOLLA; READ-F ING CARMEL MOUNTAIN)

Neighbors — Quite possibly the most conventional and conservative comedy featuring two straight dudes engaged in a dildo swordfight you'll see all year.

Director Nicholas Stoller's (Forgetting Sarah Marshall) story of a ludicrous "battle" between new parents (Seth



Lef Chef: "Now this is a soup that will really put hair on your...chest."

Rogen and an uncommitted Rose Byrne) and the freshly transplanted fraternity next door lets cheerful raunch take the place of anything resembling an edge. You'll probably laugh, and you may even squirm, but it's unlikely that you'll pause to think. The real battle, of course, is not between Cool Dad Rogen and Frat King Zac Efron, but between manbovs and the looming, dreaded necessity of growing up, getting a job, being a parent, and all the rest of it. Outrageous message: don't fear the Reaper, just decide that you love brunch. Telling detail: the baby winds up as a pop-culture calendar prop in the final scene. Efron, always striving, makes the most of his role as a surprisingly sensitive stud. 2014. — M.L. ★ (AMC FASHION VALLEY; AMC LA JOLLA; READING GASLAMP)

Niagara — Infidelity and foul play amid the postcard attractions of Honeymoon Heaven, U.S.A. The tabloid sensationalism centers around a Korean Conflict veteran (Joseph Cotten, a real sourpuss), who suffers from postwar depression, and his restless wife (Marilyn Monroe in her early, slutty period). On the sidelines, a jolly Shredded Wheat salesman serves as cheerleader for all the Middle American values. The murder in the Bell Tower is the stand-out scene, wherein Henry Hathaway, the director, seems momentarily to be tuned in to the same Muse as Fritz Lang. He is more in his natural element in the climactic rescue-by-helicopter at the brink of Niagara Falls; this he handles like a dutiful, diligent child of D.W. Griffith. 1953. — D.S. ★★★★★ (CINEMA UNDER THE STARS)

**Non-Stop** — How do you know it's a Liam Neeson action film? Simple: there's a picture of his daughter taped beneath the sun visor of his car. Neeson stars as booze-soaked flying cop who begins receiving midair death texts from a fellow passenger. While no fictional relative of Neeson was hurt during the making of this picture, there is a surrogate daughter on board to provide sickeningly unwarranted pathos. Fun at the start, but after about 40 minutes, all logic is sucked from the cabin quicker than Gert Frobe's climactic exit from Goldfinger. Book a first class seat for George Kennedy, throw in a few more C-list stars, and they could just as well have and called it Airport '14. And who says that movies aren't educational? It will cost you

\$11.50 to learn how to get around smoke detectors next time you need to grab a mid-flight butt. 2014. — S.M. ★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

**Obvious Child** — Hats off to any film that tries (and succeeds) at presenting challenging, off-putting characters from whose palms I'm reluctantly persuaded to eat. Character identification has never been my celluloid raison d'être, but damn if this movie didn't get to me in a manner destined to cloud critical thinking. Jenny Slate explodes on screen with a cringe-worthy comedy routine, positioned to guide us through the trials and travails of an annoying, foul-mouthed, sexually frustrated, otherwise frustrated stand-up who flunked romance and aced scatology. Once the set ups fall in place, the rewards — particularly a refreshingly unfeigned mother/daughter relationship — are plentiful. The Yiddishe maidel winds up falling for a guy so Christian "he knows Santa Claus." Much has been written about the filmmakers handling of the couple's unwanted pregnancy, but at its core, this heart pumps 24-karat emotion, not rusty beats of oft-debated issues. The film's curtain line ("Do you have somewhere to be?") is one for the ages. Gillian Robespierre directs.  $2014 = SM \star \star \star (AMC LA IOLLA:$ LANDMARK HILLCREST; READING CARMEL MOUNTAIN)

RoboCop - A tough Detroit cop (JoelKinnaman) gets blown to bits, and the best of those bits get stuck inside a heavily armed robot. Personal crises and ethical complications ensue, as do some remarkably intense (for a PG-13 film) gun battles. Director Jose Padilha (Elite Squad: The Enemy Within) brings his talent for smart, complicated actioners to Hollywood, and puts on a hell of a show. He slips from media to marketing to militarism to mechanical miracles with ease, because, of course, they're all strands of the same web, with a poisonous CEO (a casual, amoral Michael Keaton) and his terrifying art collection at its center. The not-so-secret star here is Gary Oldman, perfect as a scientist who wants to do great things, who understands that he needs massive corporate funding to do them, and who tries to preserve humanity (his own and his creation's) even as he fiddles with it. With a game Samuel L. Jackson. 2014. — M.L. ★★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

Snowpiercer — Fueled by implausibility, and for a good portion of the ride much better for it, Bong-Joon Ho's (<em>The Host</em>) Snowpiercer posits a non-stop, earth-encircling train containing the microcosmic survivors of a society killed off by a global warminginduced deep freeze. Much of the ingenuity is housed in the bullet-train-paced first half. But like a fish past its expiration date, this train stinks from the head, and the closer the steerage-based rebels (led by Chris Evans and Jamie Bell) get to the "Sacred Engine," the more excess baggage - backstory, watered down satire, a predictable third act reveal — gets thrown on the tracks. As Mason, a rightwing conductor of sorts bent on keeping those in coach from ever upgrading, Tilda Swinton merits a prequel of her own. Her chops-licking, phlegm-stalled delivery coughs up the most uniquely pitched dialect in a career defined by its vast array of unfaltering accents. 2014. — S.M. ★★ (READING GASLAMP)

#### Transformers: Age of Extinction

- Michael Bay: evil genius. Example: subject a 17-year-old hottie to all manner of sexual shenanigans - camera shots between her thighs, guns thrust menacingly at her face, monster tongues wrapped around her leg, and then take the curse off it by giving us an overprotective daddy-hero (Mark Wahlberg) who tells her that her shorts are too short and she's not allowed to date, let alone make out with, her 20-year-old boyfriend the race car driver. But of course, this film isn't about that. It's about a government effort to rid the world of illegal aliens — in this case, the Transformers — while at the same time collaborating with private industry to build our own Transformers, which demands a further collaboration with other Transformers, which requires our heroes to find still other Transformers, but look out because still other Transformers have plans of their own. But of course, this film isn't about that, either. It's about robots fighting robots. Bay cribs from countless sci-fi hits, from Star Wars to the Alien franchise (including Prometheus), and for the first 90 minutes or so, it almost feels like a movie. Unfortunately, there are 75 more minutes of metal mayhem to follow. Action can be exciting. But chaos gets boring fast. 2014. — M.L. ● (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

Under the Electric Sky 3D — As an ad for the annual electronic dance music festival The Electric Daisy Carnival, Under the Electric Sky is pretty good. The gigantic animatronic owl whose nest serves as the event's main stage is flat-out fun to watch, and there's lots of music and dancing. The founders at Insomniac Events have taken the rave out of the warehouse, cleaned it up (mostly), brought in some production values, and generally transformed it into something not unlike that other Happiest Place on Earth. But where the filmreally shines is as a generational portrait. If the Boomers had Woodstock and the Xers had Lollapalooza(?), then here's Gen Y's version, complete with Upworthy inspirational stories. It's a proper pilgrimage; commenting on the event's enormity, one attendee says it does what cathedrals were designed to do: make people feel small and spiritually alive. As fantasies go, it's on the sweet and harmless side. 2014. — M.L. ★★ (AMC MISSION VALLEY)

**Venus in Fur** — Reviewed this issue. 2014. M.L. ★★ (LANDMARK KEN)

Words and Pictures — A marinatedin-vodka high school English teacher (Clive Owen) and an imperious art instructor (Juliette Binoche) suffering from rheumatoid arthritis (has Hollywood finally run out of quality diseases to exploit?) are almost done in by Gerald Di Pego's (Phenomenon) gabby script, one of the worst top-shelf director Fred Schepisi (Iceman, Last Orders) has had his name attached to. But with Schepisi and long-time cinematographer Ian Baker calling the shots, pictures trump words with every turn of the camera. The single image of Binoche standing before her latest creation or a big screen TV strategically placed to eclipse a chalkboard say more than all of Di Pego's subordinate prose combined. It ain't Tracy & Hepburn, but at a point in movie history where romantic couplings are defined by Pettyfer & Wilde and Sandler & Barrymore, be grateful for what you have. With Bruce Davison providing exceptional background work. 2014. — S.M. ★★★ (AMC LA JOLLA; LANDMARK HILLCREST)

X-Men: Days of Future Past — After an opening that feels like a chunky blend of The Matrix, Terminator 2, and even Thor (hello, Destroyer!), Bryan Singer's return to the world of "Mutants are people too, only better" settles into a 70s-style actor's showcase. To wit: Hugh Jackman's Wolverine, musclebound and muted: James McAvov's Charles Xavier, bleary and broken; and Michael Fassbender's Magneto, controlled and calculating. And since the story here is to fix the past in order to save the future, it has the added advantage of actually taking place in the '70s. (Cue the lava lamp and waterbed.) There's all sorts of old-school drama on display: a prison break, multiple assassination attempts, a drug problem, even juvenile delinquency. (Evan Peters has the most fun of anyone here as a superfast shoplifter.) Also a surprising amount of relationshippy rending and mending. Singer proves a decent juggler of his multiple elements, but betrays a tendency to oversell and undershow, as if he fears we'll somehow miss the point. 2014. — M.L. ★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE SEE SHOWTIMES)

Yves Saint Laurent — Fashion! Fashion! Fashion! Story of the famed designer. From the trailer: "If I cannot express myself, I will die." Well then. 2014. (LANDMARK LA JOLLA VILLAGE)

# **MOVIE SHOWTIMES**

*Bargain showtimes are in ( ).* 

#### **CENTRAL**

#### **BALBOA PARK**

San Diego Natural History Museum - Kaplan Theater 1788 El Prado, Balboa Park (619-232-3821) Call theater for program information

Reuben H. Fleet Science Center 1875 El Prado, Balboa Park (619-238-1233) Hidden Universe IMAX (NR) Sat 12:00, 2:00, 6:00 Sun 12:00, 2:00; Perception: See Beyond the Illusion (NR) Fri-Sun 3:30.

#### **CLAIREMONT**

#### **Reading Town Square**

4665 Clairemont Dr (800-326-3264 #2722) **22 Jump Street** (R) Fri-Sun (10:40, 1:05, 3:25) 5:45, 8:10, 10:35; **America: Imag**ine the World Without Her (PG-13) Fri-Sun (11:50, 2:25) 5:05, 7:40, 10:10; Begin **Again** (R) Fri-Sun (10:40, 11:55, 1:05, 2:3 3:30) 4:55, 5:55, 7:20, 8:20, 9:45, 10:45; **Chef** (R) Fri-Sun (11:25, 2:05) 4:50, 7:25, 10:00; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:30, 1:20) 4:10, 7:00, 9:50: Dawn of the Planet of the Apes in **3D** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (11:30, 2:20) 5:10, 8:00, 10:50: Deliver Us from Evil (NR) Fri-Sun (11:10, 1:50) 4:30, 7:15, 10:05; **Earth to** Echo (PG) Fri-Sun (10:50, 1:00, 3:10) 5:20, 7:30, 9:40; How to Train Your Dragon **2** (PG) Fri-Sun (10:45, 1:10, 3:30) 5:50, 8:15 10:40; **Jersey Boys** (R) Fri-Sun (10:25, 1:25) 4:15, 7:10, 10:20; **Maleficent** (PG) Fri-Sun (10:25, 12:45, 3:05) 5:25, 7:45, 10:15; **Tammy** (R) Fri-Sun (10:35, 12:55, 3:15) 5:35, 8:05 10:30: Transformers: Age of Extinction (11:35, 3:00) 6:30, 9:55

#### **CORONADO**

#### **Vintage Village Theater**

820 Orange Ave (619-437-6161)
Call theater for program information.

#### **DOWNTOWN**

#### **Reading Gaslamp**

701 Fifth Ave (800-326-3264 #2709) America: Imagine the World Without Her (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:25, 12:50, 3:05) 5:40, 8:00, 10:30; **Begin Again** (R) Fri-Sun (10:30, 11:55, 12:55, 2:15, 3:25) 4:45, 5:45, 7:10, 8:10, 9:35, 10:40; **Chef** (R) Fri-Sat (11:10, 12:20, 1:50, 2:50) 4:35, 5:50, 7:25, 8:25, 9:55, 10:50 Sun (11:10, 12:20, 1:50, 2:50) 4:35, 5:50, 7:25, 8:25, 9:55; Coherence (NR) Fri-Sun (11:00, 1:10, 3:10) 5:35, 7:40, 9:50; **Edge of Tomorrow** (PG-13) Fri (11:45, 2:20) 5:00, 7:30, 10:25 Sat 5:00, 7:30, 10:25 Sun (2:20) 5:00, 7:30, 10:25; **A Hard Day's Night** (1964) (G) Sun (11:00a.m.); **Maleficent** (PG) Fri-Sun (10:50, 1:05, 3:20) 5:25, 7:50 10:05; Neighbors (R) Fri-Sun 4:55, 7:20, 9:45; Royal Shakespeare Company: Henry IV Part 2 (NR) Sat 12:00pm; The Secret of Kells (NR) Sat (11:00a.m.): Snowpiercer (Seolguk-yeolcha) (R) Fri-Sun (10:15, 10:55, 12:55, 1:40, 3:30) 4:25, 6:10, 7:05, 9:10, 10:10; **Tammy** (R) Fri-Sun (10:45, 12:15, 1:00, 2:30, 3:15) 4:50, 5:30, 7:00, 7:45, 9:15, 10:00; The Fault in Our Stars (PG-13) Fri-Sun (11:05, 1:55); Think Like A Man Too (PG-13) Fri (10:20, 12:45, 3:00) 5:20, 7:35, 10:20 Sat (12:45, 3:00) 5:20, 7:35, 10:20 Sun (10:20, 12:45, 3:00) 5:20, 7:35, 10:20; X-Men: Days of Future Past (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:40, 1:20) 4:15, 7:15, 10:15

#### Regal Horton Plaza

Horton Plaza (619-444-FILM) Call theater for program information.

#### **KENSINGTON**

#### Landmark Ken

4061 Adams Ave (619-283-3227) Venus In Fur (NR) Fri: (2:00), (4:30), 7:00. 9:15, Sat & Sun: (2:00), 4:30, 7:00, 9:15, Mon Thu: (4:30), 7:00, 9:15; **The Room** (R) Sat: 12:00 Midnight, Discount Shows at Landmark's Ken Cinema Indicated in Brackets "( )"; Siddharth (NR) Opens Friday, July 18; The **Rocky Horror Picture Show** (R) Plays Saturday, July 19

#### **LA JOLLA**

#### AMC La Jolla

8657 Villa La Jolla Dr (888-262-4386) 07.12.14 Honor and Glory: Canelo vs. Lara (NR) Sat 6:00pm; 22 Jump Street (R) Fri-Sun 10:00, 11:00, 1:40, 4:30, 7:30, 10:25; America: Imagine the World Without **Her** (PG-13) Fri-Sat 10:30, 1:00, 4:35, 7:00, 10:35 Sun 10:30, 1:00, 4:35, 7:00, 10:30; **Dawn** of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sun 9:30, 11:30, 12:40, 2:45, 4:00, 6:00, 6:35, 7:10, 9:15, 9:45, 10:25; **Dawn of the Planet** of the Apes in 3D  $(PG\mbox{-}13)$   $Fri\mbox{-}Sat$   $10\mbox{:}10,$ 10:50, 1:20, 2:00, 4:40, 5:10, 7:50, 8:20, 11:00 Sun 10:10, 10:50, 1:20, 2:00, 4:40, 5:10, 7:50, 8:20: Deliver Us from Evil (NR) Fri-Sat 10:45, 1:45, 3:30, 4:45, 7:45, 10:45 Sun 10:45, 1:45, 3:30, 4:45, 7:40, 10:30; Earth to Echo (PG) Fri-Sun 9:35, 12:05, 2:35, 5:05, 7:35 10:05; **Jersey Boys** (R) Fri-Sun 9:45, 1:15, 3:45, 7:20, 9:45; Maleficent (PG) Fri 10:40, 1:25, 4:10, 6:50, 9:30 Sat 10:05, 12:45, 3:20, 10:15 Sun 10:40, 1:25, 4:10, 6:50, 9:30; Obvious Child (R) Fri-Sun 1:05pm

#### Landmark La Jolla Village

8879 Villa La Jolla Dr (858-453-7622) **Begin Again** (R) Fri: (2:00), 4:20, 7:00, 9:35, Sat & Sun: (11:30), 2:00, 4:20, 7:00, 9:35, Mon - Thu: (2:00), (4:20), 7:00, 9:35; Chef (R) Fri: (2:20), 5:00, 7:30, 9:55, Sat & Sun: (11:45), 2:20, 5:00, 7:30, 9:55, Mon - Thu: (2:20), (5:00), 7:30, 9:55: Yves Saint Laurent (R) Fri: (2:05). 4:30, 7:20, 9:40, Sat & Sun: (11:40), 2:05, 4:30, 7:20, 9:40, Mon - Thu: (2:05), (4:30), 7:20, 9:40; Ida (PG-13) Fri, Mon - Thu: (4:40), 9:45, Sat & Sun: (12:00), 4:40, 9:45; **The Grand Seduc**tion (PG-13) Fri - Thu: (2:10), 7:10, Discount Shows at Landmark's La Jolla Cinemas Indicated in Brackets "(

#### **MISSION VALLEY**

#### **AMC Fashion Valley**

7037 Friars Rd (888-262-4386) Call theater for program information.

#### **AMC Mission Valley**

1640 Camino Del Rio North (888-262-4386) Call theater for program information.

#### **SAN DIEGO**

#### ArcLight La Jolla

4425 La Jolla Village Dr (858-768-7770) Call theater for program information.

#### **Digital Gym Cinema**

2921 El Cajon Blvd ((619) 230-1938) **Hellion** (NR) Fri 5:00, 7:00, 9:00 Sat 4:00, 6:00, 8:00 Sun 10:00, 5:00, 7:00; Royal Shakespeare Company: Henry IV Part 2 (NR) Sat 9:30a.m. Sun 3:00pm

#### **UltraStar Mission Valley**

7510 Hazard Center Dr #100 (619-685-2841) 22 Jump Street (R) Fri-Sun (11:15) 1:40. 4:20, 7:45, 10:20; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:30) 4:30, 10:30; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes in 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun (1:30) 7:30; Deliver Us from Evil (NR) Fri-Sun (10:05) 12:35 3:05, 5:35, 8:05, 10:35; Earth to Echo (PG) Fri-Sun (10:15) 12:30, 2:45, 4:50, 7:00; **Jersey** Boys (R) Fri-Sun (10:15) 1:15, 4:15, 7:15, 10:15; Tammy (R) Fri-Sun (10:10) 12:20, 2:40, 5:00, 7:20, 9:45; Transformers: Age of Extinction (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:00) 1:20, 4:45, 8:15, 9:15; Walking With Dinosaurs (PG) Fri (9:30a.m.)

#### LIPTOWN

#### **Landmark Hillcrest**

3965 Fifth Ave (619-298-2904) Life Itself (NR) Fri: (1:40), 4:20, 7:00, 9:35, Sat & Sun: (11:00), 1:40, 4:20, 7:00, 9:35, Mon - Thu: (1:40), (4:20), 7:00, 9:35; Words And Pictures (PG-13) Fri. Mon - Thu: (2:10) Sat & Sun: (11:10), 2:10; **Obvious Child** (R) Fri, Mon, Tue, Thu: (4:50), 7:30, 9:45, Sat & Sun: (11:30), 4:50, 7:30, 9:45, Wed: (4:50), 9:45; **Le Chef** (PG-13) Fri: (2:20), 4:40, 7:20, 9:25 Sat & Sun: (11:40), 2:20, 4:40, 7:20, 9:25, Mon - Thu: (2:20), (4:40), 7:20, 9:25; **Belle** (PG) Fri: (1:50), 4:30, 7:10, 9:40, Sat & Sun: (11:20) 1.50, 4.30, 7.10, 9.40, Mon. Wed & Thu: (1.50) (4:30), 7:10, 9:40, Tue: (1:50), (4:30), 9:40; **Third Person** (R) Fri, Mon - Thu: (2:00), 5:00, 8:00, Sat & Sun: (2:00), 5:00, 8:00, Discount Shows at Landmark's Hillcrest Cinemas Indicated in Brackets "( )"; Boyhood (R)

Opens Friday, July 18; Wish I Was Here (R) Opens Friday, July 18

#### **EAST COUNTY**

#### **EL CAJON**

#### Regal Parkway Plaza

405 Parkway Plaza (619-401-3456) Call theater for program information.

#### **Reading Grossmont**

5500 Grossmont Cntr Dr (800-326-3264 #2710) 22 Jump Street (R) Fri (1:00, 3:30) 6:00, 8:30, 10:55 Sat (10:30, 1:00, 3:30) 6:00, 8:30, 10:55 Sun (1:00, 3:30) 6:00, 8:30, 10:55; **Begin** Again (R) Fri-Sun (10:25, 12:50, 3:20) 5:45 8:10, 10:35; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:20, 11:20, 1:15) 4:05, 5:05, 7:00, 8:00, 9:50; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes in 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun (2:15) 10:50; Deliver Us from Evil (NR) Fri-Sun (11:30, 2:10) 4:50, 7:30, 10:10: **Earth to Echo** (PG) Fri-Sun (11:25, 1:30) 3:35) 5:40, 7:50, 10:00; A Hard Day's Night (1964) (G) Fri-Sat Sun; How to Train Your Dragon 2 (PG) Fri-Sun (10:00, 12:20, 2:40) 5:00, 7:20; **Jersey Boys** (R) Fri-Sun (10:05) 9:40; **Maleficent** (PG) Fri-Sun (12:55, 3:10) 5:25, 7:40, 9:55; **Tammy** (R) Fri-Sun (11:15, 1:35, 3:50) 6:05, 8:20, 10:40: Transformers: Age of Extinction (PG-13) Fri-Sun (11:55, 3:25) 7:10, 10:30

#### **RANCHO SAN DIEGO**

#### Regal Rancho San Diego

Jamacha Rd (800-326-32 Call theater for program information.

#### Santee Drive In

10990 Woodside Ave (619-448-7447) Call theater for program information.

#### **SOUTH BAY**

#### **CHULA VISTA**

#### **AMC Palm Promenade**

770 Dennery Rd (888-262-4386) Call theater for program information.

#### Regal Rancho Del Rey

1025 Tierra del Rey (619-216-4707) Call theater for program information.

#### UltraStar Chula Vista

Broadway (between H and I) (619-338-4214) Call theater for program information.

#### **EASTLAKE**

#### **AMC Otay Ranch**

Eastlake Parkway (at Olympic) (888-262-4386) 22 Jump Street (R) Fri-Sun 1:10, 4:10, 7:10, 10:10; **Begin Again** (R) Fri-Sun 10:20, 1:00, 3:35, 6:15, 9:25; **Dawn of the Planet of the Apes** (PG-13) Fri-Sun 10:15, 12:50, , 9:30, 10:30; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes in 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun 10:50, 12:15, 3:30, 6:45, 9:00, 10:00; Deliver Us from Evil (NR) Fri-Sun 10:55, 1:45, 4:40, 7:30, 10:25; Earth to Echo (PG) Fri-Sun 11:45, 2:20, 5:00, 7:35, 10:05; **How to Train** Your Dragon 2 (PG) Fri-Sat 10:25, 1:55 4:35, 7:20, 10:00 Sun 10:25, 1:55, 4:35, 7:20, 9:55; Maleficent (PG) Fri-Sun 11:30, 2:00, 4:30, 7:00; Tammy (R) Fri-Sun 11:50, 1:25, 2:30, 4:05, 5:15, 6:40, 7:50, 10:30; Transformers: Age of Extinction (PG-13) Fri-Sun 10:30, 2:15, 6:00, 9:45; **Transformers: Age of Extinction 3D** (PG-13) Fri-Sun 11:10,

#### **IMPERIAL BEACH**

#### South Bay Drive In

2170 Coronado Ave (619-423-2727) Call theater for program information.

#### **NATIONAL CITY**

#### **AMC Plaza Bonita**

3030 Plaza Bonita Rd (888-262-4386) Call theater for program information.

#### **NORTH INLAND**

#### **BONSALL**

#### **Digiplex River Village**

Mission Rd (760-945-8784) 07.12.14 Honor and Glory: Canelo vs. Lara (NR) Sat 6:00pm; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:00) 4:00, 7:00; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes in 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sat (1:00) 10:00 Sun (1:00pm); **Deliver Us from Evil** (NR) Fri (1:00) 3:45, 7:00, 9:45 Sat (10:00) 1:00, 3:45, 9:45 Sun (10:00) 1:00, 3:45, 7:00; Earth to Echo (PG) Fri-Sat (10:30) 2:00, 4:15, 6:45, 9:00 Sun (10:30) 2:00, 4:15, 6:45; Jersey **Boys** (R) Fri-Sat (10:15) 1:15, 4:00, 7:00, 10:15 Sun (10:15) 1:15, 4:00, 7:00; **Tammy** (R) Fri (11:30a.m.) Fri-Sat (10:15) 12:30, 3:00, 5:15, 7:30, 9:45 Sun (10:15) 12:30, 3:00, 5:15, 7:30; Transformers: Age of Extinction (PG-13) Fri-Sat (10:30) 2:15, 6:30, 10:00 Sun (10:30) 2:15, 6:30

#### **CARMEL MOUNTAIN**

#### **Reading Carmel Mountain**

11620 Carmel Mntn Rd (800-326-3264 #2704) 22 Jump Street (R) Fri-Sun (11:55, 2:25) 4:55, 7:45, 10:25; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:15, 11:15, 1:10, 2:10) 4:00, 5:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:45, 10:35; **Deliver Us from Evil** (NR) Fri-Sun (11:40, 2:20) 5:05, 7:40, 10:20; **Earth to Echo** (PG) Fri-Sun (10:20, 12:25, 2:30) 4:40, 7:20, 9:30; How to Train Your Dragon 2 (PG) Fri-Sun (10:45, 11:35, 1:05, 2:00) 4:25, 7:15, 9:35; **Jersey Boys** (R) Fri-Sun (10:35, 1:30) 4:15, 7:10, 10:05; **Maleficent** (PG) Fri-Sun (10:40, 12:55, 3:05) 5:15, 7:25, 9:40; Million Dollar Arm (PG) Fri-Sun (10:25, 1:00, 3:50) 7:30, 10:10; **The Secret of Kells** (NR) Sat (11:00a.m.) Sun; **Tammy** (R) Fri (11:10, 1:25, 3:40) 5:45, 7:55, 10:30 Sat (1:25, 3:40) 5:45, 7:55, 10:30 Sun (11:10, 1:25, 3:40) 5:45, 7:55, 10:30; Transformers: Age of Extinction (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:30, 2:15, 3:30) 6:05, 7:05,

#### **ESCONDIDO**

#### Regal Escondido

350 West Valley Parkway (760-291-0119) Call theater for program information

#### **MIRA MESA**

#### Regal Mira Mesa

10733 Westview Parkway (800-326-3264) Call theater for program information.

#### **POWAY**

### **Digiplex Poway** 13475 Poway Rd ((858) 679-3887)

America: Imagine the World Without Her (PG-13) Fri-Sun (11:15) 2:00, 4:30, 7:1 9:45; Bangalore Days (Malayalam) (NR) Sat 6:00pm Sun (2:15pm); Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:30) 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes in 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun (11:30) 2:30, 5:30, 8:30; **Deliver** Us from Evil (NR) Fri-Sun (11:45) 2:30 5:15, 8:00, 10:45; **Drishyam (Drushyam)** (Telugu) (NR) Fri 9:30pm Sat 10:00pm Sun (2:00pm); Earth to Echo (PG) Fri-Sun (10:45) 1:15, 4:00, 6:30, 9:00; How to Train Your Dragon 2 (PG) Fri-Sun (11:15) 1:45, 4:15, 6:45, 9:30; Humpty Sharma Ki **Dulhania** (NR) Fri (11:30, 2:30) 7:00, 10:00 Sat (11:30, 2:30) 9:30 Sun (11:30) 5:30, 8:30; **Jersey Boys** (R) Fri-Sun (11:00) 2:15, 5:15, 8:15; Tammy (R) Fri-Sun (11:30) 2:15, 5:00, 7:45, 10:15; **Transformers: Age of Extinction** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (12:00) 7:00, 10:30; Transformers: Age of Extinction 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun (3:30pm)

#### **SAN MARCOS**

#### Regal San Marcos

1180 W. San Marcos Blvd (800-326-3264) Call theater for program information.

#### **TEMECULA**

#### **Digiplex Temecula Tower Cinemas**

27531 Ynez Rd Call theater for program information.

#### VISTA

#### Krikorian Vista Village

Highway 78 at Vista Village Dr (760-945-7469) **22 Jump Street** (R) Fri-Sun (11:45, 2:25, 5:05) 7:40, 10:15: America: Imagine the World Without Her (PG-13) Fri-Sun (12:00, 2:30, 5:05) 7:40, 10:10; Begin Again (R) Fri-Sun (11:45, 2:15, 4:50) 7:25, 10:00 Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sat (11:00, 11:40, 2:00, 3:05, 5:00) 6·10, 8·00, 9·15, 11·00 Fri-Sun (10·30, 1·30, 4:30) 7:30, 10:25 Sun (11:00, 11:40, 2:00, 3:05, 5:00) 6:10, 8:00, 9:15; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes in 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun (12:25, 3:40) 6:45, 9:45; Deliver Us from Evil (NR) Fri-Sun (11:10, 1:55, 4:40) 7:45, 10:25: Earth **to Echo** (PG) Fri-Sun (10:30, 12:20, 2:40, 5:00) 7:20, 9:40; How to Train Your Dragon 2 (PG) Fri-Sun (11:15, 1:45, 4:20) 7:05. 9:30; **Jersey Boys** (R) Fri-Sun (10:40, 1:40) 7:15; Maleficent (PG) Fri-Sun (11:50, 2:15, 4:45) 7:10, 9:35; Tammy (R) Fri-Sun (12:20, 2:50, 4:40, 5:10) 7:35, 9:55, 10:30; **Transform**ers: Age of Extinction (PG-13) Fri-Sun (12:00, 12:40, 3:30, 4:15) 7:00, 7:50, 10:30

#### **NORTH COASTAL**

#### **CARLSBAD**

**Cinépolis La Costa** 6941 El Camino Real (760-603-8638) Call theater for program information.

#### Moviemax Plaza Camino Real 2385 Marron Rd (760-729-7469)

Call theater for program information.

#### **DEL MAR**

#### Cinépolis Del Mar

12905 El Camino Real (858-794-4045) Call theater for program information.

#### **ENCINITAS**

#### La Paloma

471 South Coast Highway 101 (760-436-7469) THE GRAND BUDAPEST HOTEL (PG-13) Thu: 4:15, Fri: 4:00, Sat-Sun: 1:00 Mon-Wed: 4:00; San Diego Italian Film Festival: SENZA ARTE NE PARTE (MAKE A FAKE) (NR) Thu: 7:00; JERSEY BOYS (PG-13) Fri, Mon, Wed, Thu: 6:10 9:00, Sat: 3:15, Sun: 3:15, 6:05, 8:55; **FADING WEST** (NR) Sat: 7:00; **ROCKY HORROR** PICTURE SHOW (R) Fri: Midnight

#### OCEANSIDE

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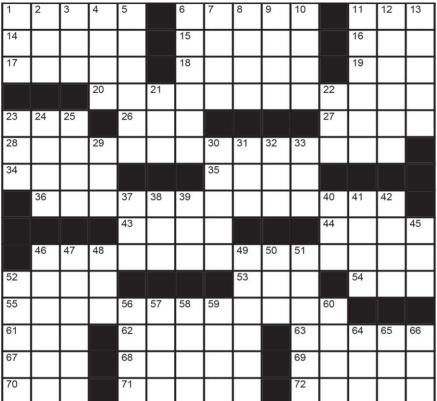
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#### Across

- 1. "Gotta go ... see you later"
- **6.** Golf shoe feature 11. Strange
- 14. High clouds
- **15.** 2013 film "August: \_\_\_\_ County"
- 16. Scand land
- **17.** Comedian Smirnoff
- **18.** Indy 500 entrant
- 19. Actress Ruby
- 20. Talk show about a goody-goody?
- 23. Its bite was used to execute criminals in Greco-Roman times
- 26. Eminent leader? **27.** Those, to Jorge
- 28. Reality show about a Scrabble player who has the Q, Z and twó blanks all at once?
- **34.** Tuna
- **35.** California wine valley
- Game show set at a clock factory? 43. Use a towel on
- **44.** Sweet 16 org.
- **46.** Sitcom about a person who lies in order to escape getting into trouble?
- **52.** Best Picture winner that becomes the name of a 2003 film flop when one letter is added to its name
- **53.** Wine: Prefix
- 54. Amigo
- **55.** It often has higher-than-average ratings ... or a three-word hint to what's different about 20-, 28-, 36- and 46-Across
- 61. Suffix with strict **62.** In the midst of
- 63. Openly declares

- 67. Anger
- 68. Mozart's "Cosi fan \_ **69.** "Odyssey" enchantress
- 70. Smidgen
- **71.** Got off the bottom?
- 72. Beethoven dedicatee
- Down
- 1. Frigid
- 2. Hamm of soccer
- 3. Planet first mentioned on Happy Days'
- 4. Gift tág wórd
- Rush hour hr.
- Conquistador Hernando

9.

- Exam with a max. score of 180 Apiece James who won a posthumous
- Pulitzer
- **10.** One singing "Fight, fight, fight for Maryland!"
- 11. Backed up, in a way
- 12. Neither nails it nor blows it
- **13.** Prom purchase
- 21. Answer with the most appearance in New York Times crosswords during Will Shortz's editorship
- Actor Stephen whose last name is an anagram of 21-Down
- Surveillance cam location Children's author Silverstein
- 25. FIFA Player of the Century
- 29. Sidebar requester: Abbr.
- **30.** One way to sing
- **31.** It's "not" in Scotland
- **32.** 30 or 40
- **33.** "Wicked!"
- 37. Scand. land

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- 38. Prefix with day or night
- 39. Message from police HQ
- **40.** Having five sharps
- 41. Smallish bra size
- land **45.** 100%
- " (Bogart classic) 46. "High
- "No argument here!"
- "Star Wars: Episode \_ (2015 movie)
- Took hold of, as salad greens 50.
- "Isn't \_\_\_\_ bit like you and me?" (Beatles lyric)
- 51. Intertwine
- 52. Astronaut's wear 56. Din-din
- Lewd material
- 58.
- Snapshot, commercially
- **59.** Digging **60.** Nefarious
- "Either he goes \_\_\_ 65. Liverpool lavs

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#### **LEAD STORY**

— Larry Ellison, the CEO of Oracle Corp. (and the world's fifth-richest person, according to Forbes magazine) is a big basketball fan and was reported in April to have an interest in purchasing the Los Angeles Clippers NBA team. An Ellison associate told the Wall Street Journal that Ellison has basketball courts on at least two of his yachts and shoots hoops for relaxation on the open water. To retrieve his errant shots that go overboard, Ellison hires a ballboy in a powerboat to trail the yachts.

#### **Latest Religious Messages**

— Speaking on a popular Christian internet podcast in March (reported by Houston's KHOU-TV), Pastor John Benefiel of Oklahoma City's Church on the Rock described how, in a 2007 blessing, he might have prayed "too hard." He was attempting to help drought-stricken Texas and Oklahoma by using a specific prayer message (the "Baal divorce decree"), but that inadvertently resulted, he said, in "every lake" in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Missouri rising above flood stage, causing thousands of people to lose their homes and 22 to lose their lives.

— In his March 23 sermon (according to Huff-

ington Post), Phoenix, Arizona, pastor Steven Anderson of the Faithful World Baptist Church explained in detail why women in the congregation must refrain from speaking during services. Citing 1 Timothy 2:11 and 1 Corinthians 14, Anderson said the woman should learn only "in silence." "Now obviously, before the service begins," he conceded, "there's chatting and talking going on that's perfectly legitimate. [And when] we all sing praises to God, of course the ladies should also lift up their voices. But when it's learning time, it's silence time [for females]." (Also, he said, since the comment "Amen" means "That's true," it would be inappropriate for females to utter it.)

#### **Questionable Judgments**

— Manhattan's New York Sushi Ko is only the most recent sophisticated restaurant to feature creative dishes made with Hormel Spam, and foodies and hipsters in fashionable neighborhoods have flocked to the foods. Spam is a well-known delicacy in Hawaii, and the New York facilities offer the island's musubi (fried Spam, rice, seaweed) and other Spam-fried rice bowls with seared ahi and flourishes of fresh pineapple, according to an April report on *Gothamist.com*. Sushi Ko's chef playfully acknowledges that his

— Skylar Murphy, 18, happened to show up at Alberta's Edmonton International Airport in September 2013 with a black-powder-loaded pipe bomb in his carry-on, ready to board an international flight. Agents confiscated the bomb but allowed Murphy to continue on his trip; police were not notified, nor were possible "terrorism" ties examined until four days later. (Canada's version of the Transportation Security Administration is not allowed to apprehend or detain passengers.) In December, Murphy was

contents are fresh - "fresh from the can" and

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"terrorism" ties examined until four days later. (Canada's version of the Transportation Security Administration is not allowed to apprehend or detain passengers.) In December, Murphy was fined \$100 and sentenced to a year of probation.

— Britain's most-tattooed man (the former Mathew Whelan, 34, now "King of Ink Land Body Art The Extreme Ink-Ite"), whose body is 90 percent ink-covered, acknowledged in March that he needed to undergo laser removal to clear up his skin. However, "Body Art," as he is known, then explained that he was spending the equivalent of about \$10,000 on removal so he could start over with new tattoos.

#### **Inhumane Society**

 Denmark's Copenhagen Zoo aroused worldwide ire in February when it slaughtered and publicly dismembered a healthy young giraffe ("Marius") in order to feed a hungry lion. Then, in March, the zoo killed four healthy lions to make room for a new male. By contrast, reported *Vice.com* in April, Denmark has no law against humans having sex with animals (unless it amounts to torture). Animal-rights campaigners have recently expressed alarm that Denmark will become a destination for "animal sex tourism" attracting horny "zoophiles" from around the world.

#### **Least Competent Criminals**

— At a press conference in April, as Houston police officers announced they were after two burglars who had broken into Katz's lingerie boutique, surveillance video showed two armed men cautiously creeping through the store until one accidentally bumped the other, apparently startling the bumped man, who turned and fired — causing the first man to fire back. Officers counted nearly a dozen bullet holes in the store. Said the Houston press briefer, these are "by far some of the clumsiest crooks that I've seen in a long time."

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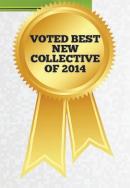
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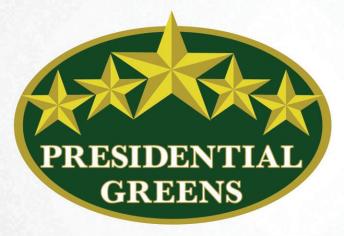
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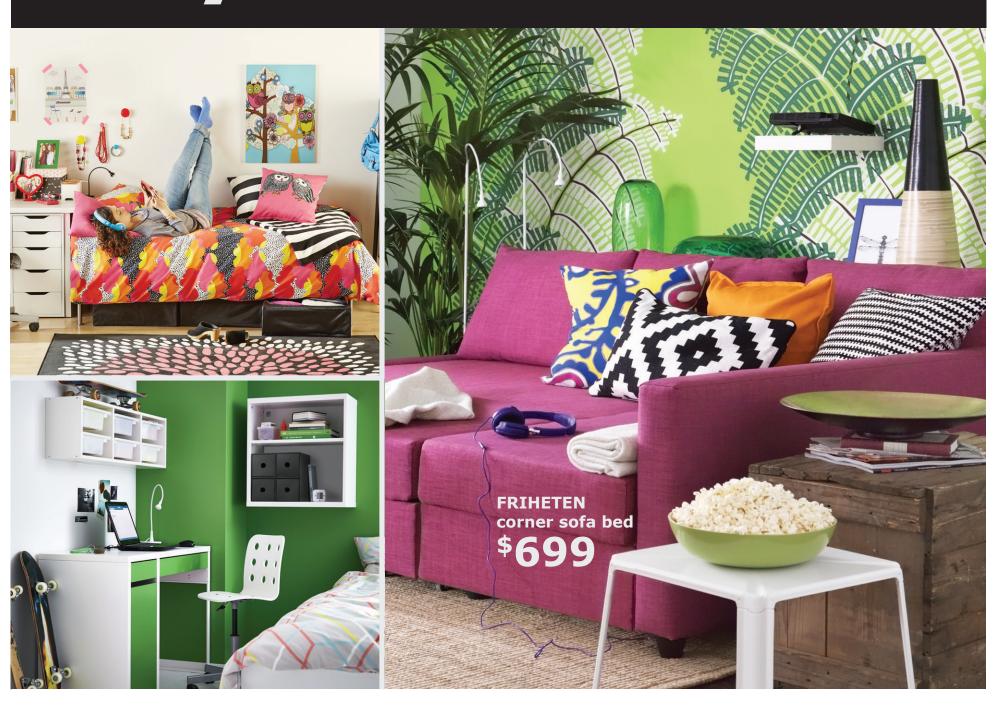
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