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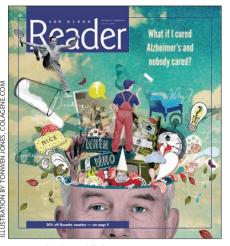
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NEWS TICKER

Not going to stick up for evil no more

Homie wanted out of "the life," gets shot Testimony began on July 17 in a trial for a man who admits being a street hood for the Varrio Fallbrook Locos gang.

Some witnesses have been so fearful that they suffered almost complete memory loss; others have shown courage.



Ramirez pleads not guilty, but the victim, who still carries three bullets in his body, says they came from "Sergio Ramirez."

Sergio Huerta Ramirez, 20, pleads not guilty to attempted murder in connection with a shooting incident that happened in De Luz, a rugged rural community in the northernmost part of San Diego County, in January of 2013.

Prosecutor Cal Logan has presented evidence suggesting that Ramirez tricked his old friend and fellow gang member into giving him a ride somewhere before shooting his homie as he sat behind the wheel. The victim tried to drive himself to the hospital but crashed his truck; he was then helped by passersby.

The victim, who still carries three bullets in his body, told the jury that he became a target after he tried to withdraw from the gang.

Sheriff's deputy Bill Yavno said he came upon the victim at Fallbrook Hospital while he was delirious with pain, and when the deputy asked who shot him, the victim responded, "Sergio Ramirez," When asked why, the victim reportedly stated, "Because I want out of the life."

One witness stated that he received a warning letter from someone in prison regarding his possible decision to testify. "I could have just ran," he said in court. "But I'm not going to stick up for evil no more. Since I been trying to change my life," he testified, "I didn't want anything to do with evil. So I'm going against it." Eva Knott

2014

California Fashion Association The Del Mar Law Group is suing blue-jeans companies over "Made in America" labels. In one suit that the firm hopes will be certi- $\tilde{\mathbf{n}}$ fied as a class action, the plaintiff states

By Reader staff writers

that "fabric, thread, buttons, subcomponents of the zipper assembly, and/or rivets are manufactured outside of the United States."

In one of the cases, filed in San Diego federal court, the plaintiff quotes the California Supreme Court: "Simply stated: labels matter.... In particular, to some consumers, the 'Made in U.S.A.' label matters."

The publication California Apparel News quotes the president of the California Fashion Association as saying, "There is a little attorney firm in San Diego that is doing these class action lawsuits.... It is a pain in the ass."

The publication says "California law basically says everything must come from the United States to qualify for the 'Made in USA' label." However, the United States Customs Service says that if the product is "substantially transformed" in the United States, the label might pass muster.

Don Bauder

Is Jerry Brown hiding his role in San Onofre debacle?

Suit says governor won't provide documents

On July 24, attorney Mike Aguirre filed a suit against governor Jerry Brown, complaining that he may have violated the California Public Records Act by refusing to reveal any communications he had on the termination of a study on the now-shuttered San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station.

The California Public Utilities Commission's Office of Ratepayer Advocates and a so-called utility watchdog, the Utility Reform Network (TURN), reached a settlement in which ratepayers will cough up \$3.3 billion even though the closing of San **Onofre was caused by Southern California** Edison's mismanagement, according to



Governor Brown is being sued for full disclosure on now shuttered San Onofre — 3.3 billion ratepayer dollars at stake

Aguirre, who has been fighting implementation of the agreement.

Last year, the CPUC authorized the hiring of an expert to look into the failure of steam generators at San Onofre. Shortly after, that study was called off. continued on page 36

Auditor Luna gets snubbed

By Don Bauder

city can have an independent audi-Ator or it can have an "independent" auditor. To no one's surprise, San Diego has the latter. yer, Mike Aguirre, says he

Jerry Sanders

blatant conflict of

interest," says Steve

Erie, professor of political

science at the University of

California San Diego and

should not sign it because

In his claim

seeking the pay-

ment, Luna puts

blame on the city

attorney's office

for holding up

his reimburse-

it is not true

City auditor Eduardo Luna, who was told he

would be independent, has battled city leadership over numerous snubs and insults: in May, he asked for \$60,580 in legal-defense fees he incurred after former mayor

Jerry Sanders spent almost \$123,000 of city money to investigate him. Luna was essentially exonerated, but he can't get his money and is now being told he shouldn't have hired a lawyer to defend himself. He is being required to sign a statement saying that the city's audit committee reprimanded him. But his law-

Neal Obermeyer

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Eduardo Luna

an expert in local governments. City attorney Jan Goldsmith "is a partisan politician first and a lousy lawyer second."

Erie coauthored Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San *Diego*, an award-winning

book that shows how San Diego leadership has let **Mike Aguirre**

the infrastructure and neighborhoods rot to steer money into corporate-welfare projects downtown. Erie is now working on another

book to be named Coup D'état San Diego Style: Sex Scandal and the Politically



Steve Erie

Orchestrated Removal of Mayor Bob Filner.

The investigation and city's refusal to reimburse his legal fees is not the first insult Luna has had to tackle. When former police chief Bill Lansdowne got into trouble for officer misbe-

havior, Luna's office was not invited to investigate. When city employees were suspected of gasoline theft, the police department was given the investigative job - not the auditor. When drug-seizure money was not accounted for, the city initially gave the sleuthing job to the comptroller, although the auditor's office later checked the findings.

Why has Luna been treated this way? He incurred Sanders's wrath by investigating the Development Services Department and finding, among many things, that its computer system was a mess and that people were being overcharged and undercharged. Development Services is "the honeypot for the real estate development industry," says Erie.

Historically in San Diego, real estate developers - a major source of politicians' lucre - are considered sacred. Cross them at



Carl DeMaio

vour own risk.

Luna also ruffled the leadership's feathers by agreeing with the growing chorus of voices saying that the convention center was cooking the books by overstating hotel-tax receipts,

attendee spending, and the center's economic impact.

Luna was stepping on more sacred toes.

> Luna "looked so mild when he came in," says Norma Damashek, a political commentator. "He looked like he was

going to

be a quiet push-

over, and he

turned out to be

a tough guy in

the best sense of

the word. So, now

[San Diego's lead-

ership] is trying

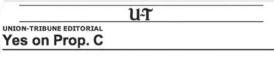
to humiliate him



Donna Frye

or make his life so hard that he will resign before his time is up." The clandestine attempt

to frighten Luna was



Proposition C on the June 3 ballot is the flagship of San Diego's financial

The mean Proposition C promised an independent city auditor. It delivered an

entirely predictable from the outset. In mid-2006, the city, deep in a fiscal hole, was found to have issued false information when it

Kevin Faulconer

Tom Herbrank

auditor at the time had ignored the falsehoods. "No office...failed the City and its investors more than the Office of the City Auditor and Comptroller," said a report by Kroll, Inc., which investigated the scandal.

The federal Securities and Exchange Commission demanded that the city have an independent auditor. The city attorney at the time was Mike Aguirre. "I sat in a meeting with the [Securities and Exchange Commission]. Sanders promised San Diego would have an independent auditor who can be a watchdog — no more

politics," recalls Aguirre. "Sanders is a liar."

Sanders had earlier appointed a so-called charterreview committee made up primarily of developer lobbyists and downtown boosters - which

recommended that the mayor appoint the auditor. "It was a stacked-deck sham

After some discussion, it

was decided that the mayor

would appoint an auditor

who would report to an

audit committee, not the

committee," says Erie.

Reforms essential to San Diego's recovery

May 29, 2008

comeback.

"independent" auditor.

sold municipal bonds. The

mayor, and hold the job ten years. Supposedly, then, the auditor would be independent. This idea was to go before the voters in 2008 as Prop. C. Donna Frye, Aguirre,

and John Torell, a former auditor who departed blasting the administration for dishonesty, realized this was a case of the fox guarding the henhouse. They opposed it strenuously. But favoring the proposition was the wellfinanced corporate-welfare crowd: Mayor Sanders, Sempra Energy, the Buildcontinued on page 34

UNDER THE RADAR

Juan's campaign laundry Freshman Democratic congressman Juan Vargas has many political mouths to feed. In addition to

tending this year's campaign fund, Vargas has been raising cash for his 2010 California senate election committee, which still owes about \$200,000 to some apparently very patient creditors. During the first half of this year, according to a recently filed disclosure statement, the congressman, expected by most observers to be easily reelected in his solid Democratic district, raised \$33,000 through his congressional committee from such national donors as the Dealers Election Action Committee of the National Automobile Dealers Association (\$2500), the National Beer Wholesalers Association PAC (\$2500); and the Humana, Inc. PAC (\$2500). The money was then diverted into the Vargas state campaign committee. Old creditors getting their due included political consultant

Shallman Communications of Encino, which received \$20,000, leaving \$52,000 yet to be paid, and longtime Vargas campaign intimate George Bresnahan, who picked up \$15,000, and is still owed \$47,000. ... So far, there's been no announcement about whether foes of the new minimum-wage law passed by the San Diego City Council are going to do anything about it. But a new political committee registered July 14 with the city clerk may provide a hint. Calling itself the "San Diego Small Business Association sponsored by the San Diego Regional Chamber of Commerce," the group has been established to deal with the "Minimum Wage Increase — Measure TBD [to be determined]."

Park it here This spring, Duncan Solutions, a parking-meter provider from Milwaukee, Wisconsin,

paid the CrisCom Company of Chatsworth, California, \$5000 to lobby the City of San Diego regarding procurement of its

wares. Earlier this year the city thought it had an agreement with Sorrento Valley-based IPS Group to install so-called smart meters, but the plan was temporarily diverted due to unspecified bidding irregularities. The deal was subsequently reconstituted and last month the city council voted to spend \$3.8 million on replacing 4700 coin-only meters with IPS devices. Its lobbyist filing says CrisCom influence-peddler Jason Siegen talked with Republican councilman Scott Sherman and aides for two of his

> colleagues, Democrat David Alvarez and Republican Mark Kersey. As esteemed as they are, the San Diego officials are not as highly ranked as some previous CrisCom contacts. According to its website, company founder Charles

Jelloian has "worked closely with former President Ronald Reagan and numerous other national figures over the past 25 years. He coordinated media events, served as President Reagan's Chief Foundation spokesman, and

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Juan Vargas carries a big load of

campaign debt to the fundraising

machine

hosted numerous national and international dignitaries, including British Prime Minister Lady Margaret Thatcher and Polish President Lech Walesa." As for Siegen, the site says, "Prior to his current position with CrisCom, Jason served as Program Manager — West Coast for Duncan Solutions, a full service

parking management company and the leading provider of parking technology services. Jason was responsible for citation processing and collections programs of 125 municipal clients."

Stone deaf After the wildfires in San Diego this past May, some hearing-impaired viewers of television station KGTV complained to the Federal Communications Commission that the broadcaster's so-called closed captioning didn't work very well. The station provided a mea culpa and promised to do better but noted that it didn't break any laws. "While the complainant is certainly correct that the station sometimes failed to deliver quality closed captioning during the three days that it offered extended live coverage of fast-breaking news about local wildfires, the Commission's rules did not require KGTV to

provide any live captioning for A Wisconsin parking-meter company such programming and, durhas been spending major coin to lobby ing the limited time when the the city for the contract to replace coinonly meters. station failed to offer live captioning of this breaking news, it

still provided viewers with the required critical emergency information by visual means through onscreen banners and crawls." ... The upper crust of San Diego elites got together two weeks ago Saturday at - where else? - the Fernando Gutierrez Memorial Cup finals at the San Diego polo grounds near Rancho Santa Fe. Says an emailed continued on page 34



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ADA Abuse

Dave Good's article ("San Diego Among Worst Postal Dog Bite Cities," City Lights, July 24) may lead the *Reader* to look into the pit bull service dog connection.

In Los Angeles a psychologist recently noted that owners of pit bulls easily acquire vests which identify their ferocious dogs as service dogs, under the Americans with Disabilities Act. The intent of congress was to permit disabled people, such as the blind, to bring their seeing-eye dogs onto public transit. These are real service dogs.

Now it is permitted for pit bulls to be vested as service dogs, and brought onto buses and trolleys. In Los Angeles and San Diego, protests by citizens are ignored. Soon, the result will be the outright murder of a child or helpless citizen on public transit, unless our elected officials have this law clarified. Probably only the federal courts can straighten out this stupid mess.

Mr. Manual Siso escaped with his life. But who will save children and adults from pit bull attacks on public transit? I have repeatedly seen these dogs with service-dog vests on buses and trolleys. Just as often, they are on public transit *without* vests.

Time is running out. The likelihood of outright murder by one of these dogs — pit bull, rottweiler, what have you — is increasing by quantum leaps. I am hoping for a direct appeal to the federal district court to stop the flagrant abuse of ADA, pending a clarification of the law by court or congress. Name Witheld

Name Witheld via voicemail

One Person's View

Re: Blurt, "Dining for Dollars," July 24

I know the Livingstons and they are gracious and kind people. However, it's just plain bad journalism to print something in a negative light against a not-forprofit organization, associated with a college district nonetheless, without getting comment from the other side. Especially just getting one person's view against a whole organization the community really loves.

I'm an employee at City College and can tell you there is no truth in the story LJ is telling. It's because of other reasons that Jazz 88 is not investing time in this year's event.

Shame on the *Reader*! The article should be pulled from the website permanently, or until you contact Jazz 88 for comment.

Name Withheld via email

Aging Out

Re: Letters, "Not Factual, Funny, or Ironic," July 24

Finally somebody said it! Ask a Hipster is so 2011. Get with the times. And SD on the QT — the *Onion* wannabe — has never been good, in any year.

The *Reader* is aging out. You need to get some younger, fresher blood in there.

Name Withheld via email

Safety First?

Re: News Ticker, "Violent Crime and Bad Records Plague UCSD," July 17

The Clery Act and other federal and state campus safety mandates, while wellintended, were originally meant to create statistical records only, so that people would supposedly choose a college based on how "safe" it was perceived to be.

This year many additional mandates have been added. Keep in mind that these are all unfunded mandates. The institutions do

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not receive any additional funds under these laws to comply with the mandates.

These laws do not provide for or even require institutions to hire more police officers or support staff to help make their campuses safer. There is no funding for better lighting or equipment. They only burden the institutions with excessive amounts of record-keeping that do nothing to increase actual, real-time safety. No place is 100% safe all the time, but more can be done with appropriate funding.

If anyone is interested in delving further into this, there was an interesting study done in 2007 by the Virginia Tech School of Education which shows how the Clery Act essentially does nothing to prevent crime or make campuses safer. It also shows that no one really uses the statistics to choose which institutions they attend.

Until campus safety is realistically and fully funded by the states and the federal government, nothing will really change. Name Withheld via email

That's Show Business

Regarding "Amy and Freddy and Charro and Ethel" (Blurt, July 17), Danyavaad & the Shimmy Sisters had the same thing happen to them when they were passed on by the judges of America's Got Talent.

It's looking more and more like a scam, but I guess that's show biz.

Chris Moore Downey

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Ku'uipo Lawler Santee

No Reason to Give Up on Justice

The Reader's July 3 cover story, "Murphy Canyon Mystery," highlights problems that have existed for years with Citizens Law Enforcement Review Boards, which were created in 1988 when voters passed Prop G because they sought justice for those victimized by police misconduct. However, since the mayor decides who stays on the board, one could hardly call it independent.

Perhaps it's time for a new ballot measure that would cancel the current board's structure and replace it with a truly independent one open to all citizens, and its boardmembers decided by the voting public at large.

I understand the frustration felt by Mr. Saikali. continued on page 15

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RANCHO BERNARDO Serious as a heart attack Ken Norton, "Ironman of Golf," approaches record

Little did 59-year-old Rancho Bernardo resident Ken Norton know, when he had his fifth heart attack in 2008, and when the housing crisis was taking his construction business downhill fast, he would soon find a new passion — hitting over 80,000



Ken Norton holds the world record for most consecutive games of golf.

golf balls.

As a payback for his recovered health, Norton is now the world champion for playing consecutive games of golf. On July 18, Norton celebrated the anniversary of his fourth year playing at least 18 holes, sometimes 36, every day. Sports media has labeled him the "Ironman of Golf."

It started when he won a prize at a charity golf tournament — five years of free golf from JC Golf Courses, operators of seven courses in the North County area. He's now a featured invitational player at fundraising tournaments around the country and is considered an expert on golf, with segments on the Golf Channel and ESPN.

Norton already holds several *Guinness Book of World Records* for golf, such as the most holesin-one — 28. But later this fall, Norton will break one of sports' biggest records: 2632 — that's the number of consecutive games played in any sport. KEN HARRISON

OCEAN BEACH

We're targeting bad behavior Patrolmen trawl Ocean Beach

Elite Security guards are now patrolling O.B.'s streets, the result of a partnership between the

O.B. Mainstreet Association and Ocean Beach Hotel's Steve Grosch, who is helping to manage the project.

> Over 80 merchants are participating in the threemonth pilot program. Security personnel will work in "four hour shifts, five times a week," stated Grosch.

He said the patrols will be looking for people doing anything illegal, including loitering on private property, blocking sidewalks, or aggressive panhandling.

Grosch wanted to make it clear: "[We] are not targeting homeless, we're targeting bad behavior. We're already getting good feedback on it. Our goal is to make O.B. even more family-friendly than it already is. Even the police are onboard and are letting the Elite team use the police trailer in the pier parking lot to store their bikes, take notes, and use the bathrooms there."

Eventually, the association would like to expand the patrols to other areas of O.B., such as the Voltaire business district.

Sonic Drive-in takes over old North Park Burger King and then, apparently, the world.

NORTH PARK Carhops on skates roll into town

Burger King is gone and forgotten

North Park's Burger King at 2829 El Cajon Boulevard closed down late last year. The building now has a new tenant: Sonic Drive-in.

The building on El Cajon Boulevard is undergoing extensive renovation. According to company spokesperson Leah Spector, the restaurant "will seat 50 to 60 guests" and have "13 classic drive-in stalls." It will open in October. As for having carhops on skates, Spector said, "It is safe to assume it will."

Sonic is reputedly the nation's largest drive-in restaurant chain, with 3500 locations. The company is forging ahead with a major expansion, planning to open 1000 more outlets over the next ten years. In San Diego County, 15 new drive-ins are planned. The company is aiming for 300 drive-ins in California by 2020.

DAVID BATTERSON

MURRIETA Comic controversy Don't threaten me or I'll express myself more

Protesters in Murrieta blocked and turned away three Department of Homeland Secu-

rity buses full of Central American women and children on July 1. Afterward, the City of Murrieta hired a crisis-management expert to help defend the city's actions and protect its image.

CrisisPros' Xavier Hermosillo, who says the city paid him \$5000 for the month of July, came aboard following a second demonstration, when a confrontation between demonstrators turned ugly. Soon after, Hermosillo dove into a confrontation on Facebook with cartoonist and San Diego native Lalo Alcaraz.

Alcaraz pens *La Cucaracha*, a nationally syndicated cartoon that includes the *L.A. Times* among its publishers.

The July 14 strip has the two baby stars of "Anchor Baby News" discussing the busrepelling incident, saying that "racists in Murrieta" didn't realize the kids were being prepped for deportation.

Alcaraz also set up the hashtag #Murrieta HateCityUSA. But, by then, Alcaraz had already taken Hermosillo to task on his Facebook page, where he called Hermosillo "literally, an anti-immigrant tool." Hermosillo responded by calling Alcaraz's cartoon "actionable."

Alcaraz was unimpressed and put out a second cartoon on July 24 that suggested a name change for the city: "Murriacist."

"He said my posts were 'actionable' and that sounded like a legal threat to me," Alcaraz explained via email. "I always respond to threats and intimidation by expressing myself even more."

Calling Alcaraz's cartoon "hate speech" in a phone interview this week, Hermosillo said, "We can't allow *ad hominem* attacks that are racist, baseless, and slanderous."

According to city manager Rick Dudley, the city looked to Hermosillo for help when it was inundated by news media from all over the world.

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E. Patterson

I can see better now, and I look just great. I am so happy I went to Dr. Katzman.



by Barbarella

d been mostly focused on the fish taco in my hand as my friend Ed had been expounding upon his latest lament. Something about an article he'd recently read about the changing cultural practices in another country — Romania or Lithuania, one of the "-anias," anyhow — and how this one rural village was the last of an entire people to still wear the traditional folk garb. He followed his casual report with, "Isn't that sad?"

At this, I set what was left of my taco onto the plate in front of me and gave Ed a quizzical glance. "Why would that be sad?"

Now it was Ed's turn to look confused. "Because these people — their way of life is dying out," he said. "Only the older generation still wears the garments. Those clothes are part of their identity. If the younger

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people won't adopt that, they're losing a part of their heritage." "So?" The look on Ed's face could only be described

as aghast. His eyebrow twitched. "How can you not care about this? The culture is endangered. Soon it will be extinct."

"Jesus, the people aren't dying," I said. "And the culture isn't going extinct it's adapting. It's evolving. It's changing. That's life."

In his attempt to get me to see the severity of the situation, Ed started throwing out hypotheticals. "How will we learn the lessons each culture has to teach us?" Easy, I explained, careful documentation and museum tours. Then he made it personal: "How would your parents feel if you suddenly shunned every tradition, ritual, or custom they held dear?"

"Ah, but I've already done that," I said. "It's possible to love and respect your parents without completely mimicking their way of life. I was raised Catholic, I even went to Catholic school for a bit. But now I don't even celebrate Christmas. I still get together with my family, we still have other, secular traditions we can all enjoy together. The world hasn't ended. At least, not yet."

"I feel bad for your parents," Ed said. I ignored that; I took a moment to finish my last bite and listened as he continued, "I just think it's sad that urbanization and our socalled modern 'advancements' are snuffing out cultural traditions."

"Those people don't have to change if they don't want to," I said. "I would feel differently if a population were forced to abandon their way of life, as with the Native Americans or the Jews. That's just straight-up wrong. But a generation of people who are gradually choosing to adjust their ways to better suit their chosen, changing lifestyles? Why is that sad?"

Dubstep speaks to me

"I told you — because people will lose their sense of identity."

"They are not losing their identity. They just have a unique identity that may differ from their parents, grandparents, and so on. Are you suggesting everyone should dress like their ancient ancestors? Next thing you're going to say is that we should all be wearing togas and owning slaves."

I'm not a traditionalist. I don't revere the past. I think my friend's advanced grief over future change had more to do with nostalgia than anything else. We're silly if we think we can hold on to any one piece of experience. Things fade. Nothing is forever. Why would we want it to be?

My minor dispute with Ed reminded me of a heated argument David had had with him a few months before, wherein they disagreed about the fate of classical music. Ed insisted that classical music will still be alive and well 100 years from now, but David said it will have faded into history by then. "If you were to ask random 20-somethings to name as many classical composers as they could, I doubt most of them would get beyond Beethoven and Mozart," David said. "And even then, if they were able to conjure up some names, they'd be unlikely to know any specific works. Ask a kid about the latest hit from Daft Punk, however, and he'll probably

know it."

Ed said he couldn't imagine a world where the greats of classical music no longer stood upon their bright pedestals. David said they may still be standing on pedestals, but those pedestals would be situated in a neglected corner of the music world, where the weeds grew high and only the occasional nostalgic listener stopped by to visit.

"Look, I love classical music," David insisted. "But that doesn't mean everyone else has to. Everybody chooses what they find to be of value, and each generation is going to value different things, and there's nothing wrong with that. Why would you think that some future kid living in the year 2100 is going to care about music that was relevant 500 years before?"

Ed was nearly apoplectic. "Because those composers were GENIUSES!"

"Genius isn't limited to 500 years ago; each generation has its geniuses," David retorted. "Classical music isn't superior, it's just different, and it's not necessarily relevant to modern generations. And that's okay — other types of music speak to them more."

"Dubstep speaks to me," I interjected, only to get a glare from both men, who had obviously forgotten I was sitting there.

David continued, as if he hadn't heard me. "I notice that, when you talk about 'classical music," he said, using air quotes, "you limit yourself to composers of a specific era. Why aren't you exulting the genius of the ancient Greek comcontinued on page 15







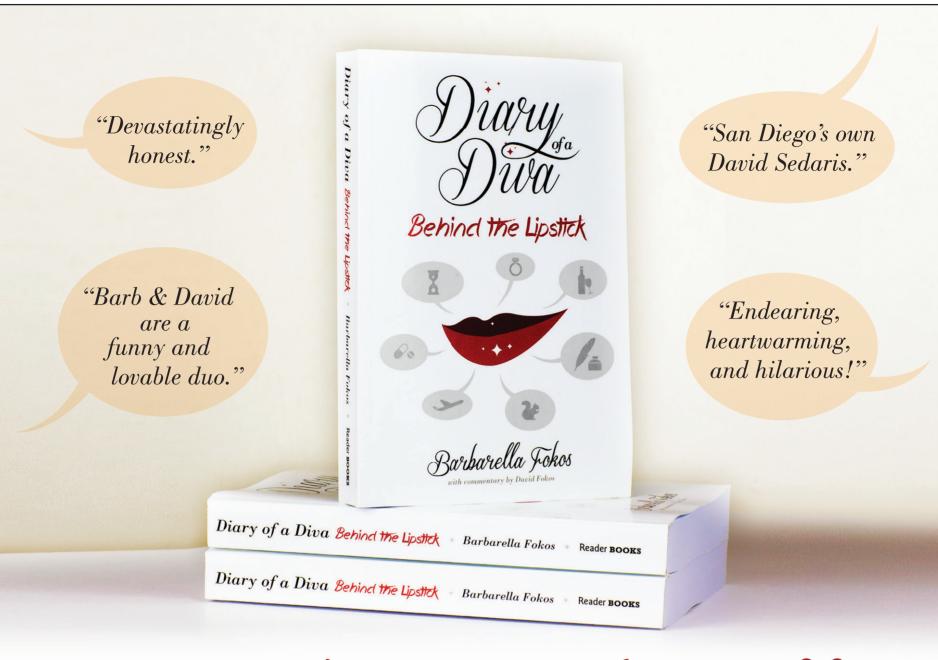
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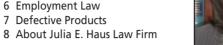
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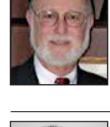
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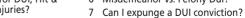
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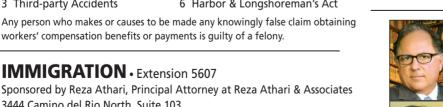


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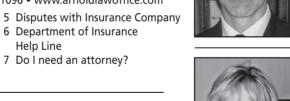


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BY SIOBHAN BRAUN

Bikinis everywhere

Mission Beach is one of the few cities were you can get away with wearing a bikini to the grocery store, out to lunch, or on a leisurely bike ride.

At Belmont Park I ran into cousins Joanna Najem and Ornella Najem on a leisurely walk. Joanna wore a Mesh salmon-colored cover-up over a striped Victoria's Secret bikini. Ornella paired a picture-perfect oversized sun hat with her embellished bikini, also from



ORNELLA NAJEM

TAYLOR BRADLEY AND LEXI CAMPBELL

Victoria's Secret.

Ornella is visiting San Diego from Lebanon. When asked what she likes best about San Diego, Ornella admitted, "Well, I've only been here for two days, so I don't know yet."

Joanna interrupted, "It's me, right," "Yes, of course," added Ornelle with a laugh, "Seeing my cousin is the best part of my San Diego visit!"

Nearby, best friends Taylor Bradley and Lexi Campbell browsed the racks at Sun Diego. The two young ladies are visiting Mission Beach in an attempt to escape the mid-July heat of their home state, Arizona.

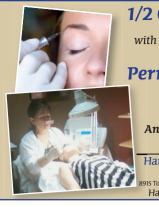
"Sun Diego is our favorite place to shop," Campbell said of the beach-inspired local retailer.

Campbell wore adorable Lolitaesque heart-framed sunglasses purchased at a kiosk in Belmont Park. Her crocheted cover-up is from Target while her bikini top is from Victoria's Secret and her bottom is from H&M.

Meanwhile, Bradley wore a cover-up from Papaya over her pink and blue Victoria's Secret bikini.

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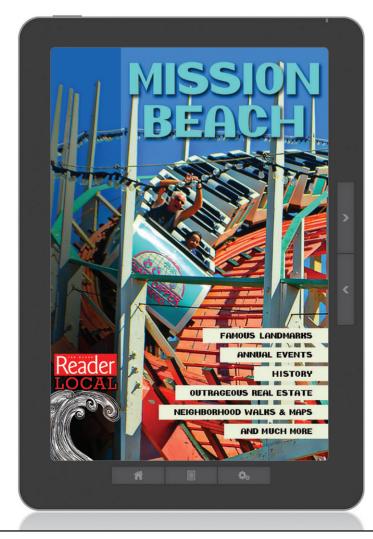
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Dear Hipster:

I find myself floating back and forth between Hipsterville and Broburg. There are times when the more intellectual and artistic ways of Hipsterville (even if they verge on pretension) appeal to me. But there are other times when the more relaxed (even if they verge on stultified) ways of Broville are hard to resist. Much like pimping, being hip all the time ain't easy. Sometimes I just want to wear board shorts and flip-flops and not give a shit about irony, or my hair, or the origin of my morning coffee. Is that okay? Must I pledge allegiance to the flag of Hipsterville and burn the banner of Broburg? (If so, what do you think those two flags would look like?) — DANNY. NORMAL HEIGHTS

I picture the bro flag as two bro-lhouettes,



hi-fiving in backwards baseball caps on a Solo cup-red field with crossed surfboards, pool cues, and bottles of weak beer.

Hipster flag's a bit tougher, because no hipster would rally behind a

known flag. While most critical types have observed that the majority of hipsters look and act more or less the same, hipster credo number one is "I am not a hipster," so a hipster flag would scream *Oxymoron*!

To your more serious question ("Is that okay?"), I say, "Nay."

Being cool is hard work and takes a serious commitment. One does not simply surf the day away, catch the MMA fight at Hooters, slam a few Buddy L's, and then catch the closing set from a twee-tastic, suspenderclad Brawny ad of a man singing soft songs of love, loss, and the perils of an unflinching soul.

Don't let your cool slip away, Danny, because it won't come back without a fight.



DJ:

"Garfield" from 7/15 made me think of you! Did you ever hear of a guy named Frazer Smith? He was a DJ on KLOS radio in the '80s, and he had a club called "Too Hip." I still have my membership card!

— ALLEN STANKO, ALPINE

Never been much for Garfield, but, thanks, I guess...

Frazer Smith, you say? DJ who started with KROQ during that station's infancy? Later made the jump to album rock at KLOS, and then worked his way to a few other stations? That the guy you mean?

He started using the phrase, "Too hip, gotta go!" when he was at 95½ KLOS in the early'80s. The phrase comes up every now and again, but the most noteworthy tribute remains a Stray Cats

ute remains a Stray Cats song of the same name. Second track on *Rant N' Rave with the Stray Cats*, to be specific. If you've got it on vinyl — as you should — you'll know that already.

The "Too Hip

Club" was a sort of spin-off from Smith's catch-phrase. Totes deck that you still have an actual membership card. Would have been a vellow rectangle, picture of a hipsterfied Frazer Smith character looking all smug on it. I think Smith used the cards as parts of his creative promotions, from back in the day when radio personalities could get away with extravagant, potentially dangerous publicity stunts that would get them sued into oblivion these days.

Fun fact: Smith's back on the air these days. Sundays at 4:00 on KLOS. Radio's not what it used to be, though, so don't expect another "Christmas in My Car" anytime soon. ■

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Obtaining copies of police reports is no easy task, whether you're listed as the victim or the suspect. Good luck even getting police to write a report if you're the victim of crimes involving your private property. I never realized that auto theft was a "civil matter" until I heard it from two separate police jurisdictions in North County.

I also know of a case where someone was awakened at 3 a.m. by three intruders, one of whom threatened him with a hatchet and held him against his will until the next day, when they proceeded to rob him of all his personal property. He was advised that it was a civil matter and to sue the people in small claims court.

Unfortunately, the way police react to a crime depends on the manner in which it is reported. Calling 911 gets a fast response if you sound like you're panicking. However, if you decide not to waste valuable police emergency resources because you are no longer in any immediate danger or because you brought your car in for repairs and did not realize it was missing until you went to pick it up, you will probably be dealing with an answering machine or a desk cop who won't take the matter seriously.

Nobody likes these cases because they're hard to solve if your attackers are long gone, or your car is already in 100 pieces somewhere south of the border.

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poser Limenius? Should we all be listening to his music?" Ed rolled his eyes, but David was unfazed. "When Stravinsky's Rite of Spring first played in 1913, it caused a riot because no one had ever seen or heard anything like it. It was the

My advice to Mr. Saikali would be to start collecting signatures for a ballot measure to start a real Citizens Law Enforcement Review Board. Get that petition circulating because voters are as fed up as he is with these rubber-stamp boards.

In the meantime, don't worry about obtaining police reports and personnel files, because cops aren't likely to hand over any information placing the city at risk of a lawsuit. Besides, police reports are written by police, so they aren't going to help you if you're disputing the assessment of a crime.

There is no reason to give up on justice. Fortunately, we live in a time where most people have cell phones with cameras, video recorders, and social networking capabilities. If you are in a bad situation, or you witness something that doesn't look right, document the scene and write your own report. Talk to any witnesses, get their contact info so you can share pictures and compare what you saw. Then do research of past incidents of police misconduct. You can conduct a computer search for records at the courthouse and write down the case numbers of any cases in which the city or their police department are listed as defendants (or respondents). Have the files pulled and look to see which officers are listed in past complaints.

It may be time-consuming, but at least it's not a waste of time, like seeking cooperation from police. There is a lot of reading involved, but with persistence you might continued on page 38

dubstep of its day. And

now it's hailed as a master-

"Don't forget opera,"

"And that's terrible,"

"Is it?" I wondered. But

piece." *Ah, so he did hear* me, I thought, and smiled.

I said. "Opera is dying."

no one answered me.

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What if I cured Alzheimer's and nobody cared?

"Do you ever get in a car and get lost?" The doctor stares at me from across the desk.

"Apart from being forgetful — and everybody's forgetful — do you have any transient episodes where your brain's not working and it scares the heck out of you?

"How do you sleep?

"Do you feel energetic when you wake up in the morning, or do you feel like it's a chore to get out of bed?

"How fatigued are you during the day? Let's say you go for an appointment and you've got to wait for somebody because they're late, and you're sitting in a comfortable chair. Do you nod off to sleep?

"Have you ever suffered from depression?

"Have you ever suffered from anxiety or panic attacks?

"Do you ever wake up at night with cramps in your legs or weird sensations in your legs where it keeps you awake?"

This is the Mini Mental Status Examination, created to see how sharp your "cognition" skills are, and Dr. Joseph Abramowitz, anesthesiologist, internist, tribal physician, prison doctor, rebel, thinks that, as a form of Alzheimer's triage, it is garbage.

Not only that, but he also thinks he may have discovered a way to pull people in the earliest stages of the incurable disease back from the brink.

Not that the medical establishment has sat up and embraced him or his ideas. Medical journals reject his submissions. Specialists don't seem to appreciate him bringing his ideas to "their" field.

Abramowitz is not at all surprised by this. "I have no friends in medicine who I call colleagues. I have friends who are doctors. I'm a loner. Because if I wasn't I'd have to buy into their crap."

Abramowitz, who comes from a distinguished medical family in South Africa, has had a colorful medical career that has stemmed from half-million-dollar posi-



tions as internist and anesthesiologist, to medical director of the Southern Indian Health Council in Alpine and urgent care clinics. He also has his own private practice in Chula Vista.

But all through, he has privately pursued the onrushing tidal wave of Alzheimer's and early-onset dementia that seems to be turning into the AIDS epidemic of

Dr. Abramowitz

the 21st Century.

I first came across Dr. Abramowitz when he sent this letter. "I am a physician in San Diego who conducts clinical research in Alzheimer's disease. I have made an interesting discovery which I feel certain is very relevant. I am not claiming to have cracked the case, but I have discovered something very significant which has been ignored by mainstream medicine.... I cannot get anyone to take me seriously...."

I didn't know it would end with me being put in the hot seat to see if I had any symptoms. I can't tell you how scary that scenario is.

It began with a meeting on the junglelike deck of Krakatoa eatery in Golden Hill. He was still in his green hospital scrubs. He had flown down like that from a stint at an urgent-care clinic up north.

He was just as I expected a doctor to be who is claiming to have a handle on the medical world's biggest mystery. Spikey, with the quick eyes and the lightning intellect of an anti-establishment fighter, capable of drowning you in medicalia and then suddenly swerving off into wild and crazy impersonations.

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He has Monty Python totally down. He inherited the British-style humor from his South African upbringing.

"I had a very privileged childhood as a second-class white, because being Jewish was not accepted amongst [the white establishment]. My father was an obstetrician and gynecologist who did part of his training in England. My mother's father was the youngest of 11 children from Russia. About half of them were pharmacists. His brother made a fortune by developing a combination of aspirin and [what was known as] phenacetin, which is now no longer used, and it's

Tylenol and codeine. And the product was called 'Grandpa's Headache Powders.' About 1957, he sold out to Beechams, and they paid royalties to him and his successors for 50 years. and used it as a pillow in a plane. And I didn't see it. I looked straight at him for 45 minutes and I didn't see it. He had a toxic diffused goiter. He had an over-active thyroid. Most goiters are

"They [believe] the Mini Mental Status Exam should trump the symptoms.... They're wrong"

"So, I had no thought about looking at [dementia, Alzheimer's disease, and thyroid causes], and in my book *Patienthood* the first case report is about a patient whom I interviewed as a medical student, who had a thyroid so big that he could have turned it around related to under-active thyroid. Hypo. Yet I had looked straight at it for 45 minutes and I had missed it.

"That, I'm afraid, is called training. Or rather lack thereof. That is why people have to train for such a long period of time, when there are so



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many other things in medicine far more subtle, which have to be recognized intuitively.

"During my fourth vear in medical school were the Soweto riots. Up till then I had always had an ongoing dilemma about what I would do when I graduated. Whether I would stay and train in South Africa or whether I would leave. And once the Soweto riots came, it was clear what I had to do. Get out. So, I graduated in 1978, and I did an internship at the Grootschuur Hospital in Cape Town and left for London.

"I was only really turned on to this thyroid stuff in the last five years or so. My friend S.K. is one of the top diabetes researchers in the country. He's up at the Puget Sound V.A. And he doesn't know squat about the thyroid. He's so sub-specialized in diabetes. And as an endocrinologist he's supposed to know almost as much about the thyroid and thyroid issues as he does about diabetes. Because the thyroid is an endocrine gland, just like the pancreas.

"And this is important because this gets to the heart of one of the key reasons why doctors haven't figured this out. Because they are so specialized. So, the neurologists think of their neurology in a vacuum. And the endocrinologists think of thyroid hormones in a vacuum. And never the twain shall meet. I don't think that my discovery makes me particularly brilliant. I'm just a smart guy who thinks outside the box, with an IQ just under 130, not particularly high." So, how about his

theory? He admits he's not a specialist in endocrinology or neurology. And those are the two disciplines that count. Endocrinology is about hormones, endocrine glands, and especially the thyroid, which controls energy and keeps paths to the brain cleared of amyloid cloggers.

And, of course, neurology is about the brain, so knowledge of the two is vital.

"Here's what I believe. And I don't think you'll find another doctor on the planet to

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agree with me on this: the Achilles heel of the human race is thyroid hormone under-activity. And if you are a female born into this race on this planet, you have a 90-95 percent risk — at some point in your life — that you are going to develop some symptom, either transiently or permanently, related to low-thyroid hormone function in one or other organ. Brain, muscle, intestines, heart, nerves.

"And if you're a male, born into this species on this planet, probably your risk is about 80 percent. People have described thyroid abnormalities during pregnancy, both high and low. But nobody has put forward a hypothesis that thyroid hormone aberrations in pregnancy are the rule rather than the

exception and that their effects last a lifetime. They're not just transient. But, yes, this is pure speculation on my part. It's circumstantial.

"Now, in order to prove this hypothesis, we'd have to take probably 400–500 young women finishing high school, and we would have to get them to consent to a lifetime of thyroid hormone replacement. One group would have it, one group would not. And we'd have to study these women for 20-25 years. So, this study probably will never happen. But it's just so common. The effects of multiple pregnancies are cumulative. There may be issues in the first pregnancy, but more likely during the second or third. [They can happen] during pregnancy, around the time of delivery, and

there's longer term.

"Any endocrinologist, any doctor will be able to pick this [idea] up and figure out what it is. The problem is when it gets to the most sophisticated levels of having to put things together and figure them out, they can't do them because their view is so narrow.

"Alzheimer's certainly needs help. Over five million people are living with it across the country, 11 million unpaid caregivers help look after them, it's costing the nation \$172 billion every year, and numbers are rising: in the first decade of the century, Alzheimer's deaths rose 66 percent, according to the Alzheimer's Association, while deaths from other diseases have been dropping (HIV deaths have dropped by one third in the last ten

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An avocado, which chooses this moment to fall from the tree shading us, just misses my coffee cup and focuses our attention.

"So," I ask, "have you got a cure for Alzheimer's?"

Dr. Abramowitz rifles through his bag, brings out a sheaf of papers, and slaps them down in front of me.

"Application for Utility Patent," the top page reads.

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So, he is seeking a patent for his "invention?"

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Impressive. But I don't understand.

"For starters," I say, "where is the thyroid?"

It turns out it's in your neck, right below the Adam's apple. It controls how fast the body and brain use energy. It produces thyroid hormones (T3) to make this all happen.

So, why this explosion of Alzheimer's? The Industrial Age? Car exhausts? The pesticides in our lettuces?

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be no prostate cancer, there'd be no Alzheimer's disease, because we were either young or we were dead. It's a function of life expectancy.

"But today, we have other stresses — women do, particularly, and it's mostly women who get Alzheimer's. I'm guessing pregnancy and repeated pregnancies destroy the thyroid system. I'm only guessing. That has to be studied. We have to study women from adolescence to menopause...a group that never get pregnant, and a group that have multiple pregnancies and live births and compare them. That'll be the only way to study this. And I don't think that's ever been done."

But curing dementia? "I've been interested in hypothyroidism for the last five, six years," he says. This is the period when he got out from the hospital world of delivering anesthetics in operating rooms and re-encountered real people, in reservation clinics, urgentcare centers, and

his own practice. "Hypo — meaning under, less than — thyroidism, a low supply of the thyroid gland's T3 jet juice for the brain, which leaves the tissues of the brain open to colonization by sticky amyloids, is seen as a big cause of AD. I started suspecting that with pregnancies and menopause, women should be getting early boosts of T3, even if their lab tests showed "normal."

Has he "cured" anybody?

"Well, when I was working as medical director at the clinic in Alpine, I was seeing a woman who was around 52–54

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years of age. She was menopausal within the last five years, and one of the things she said to me was, 'My children tell me I'm losing my memory.'

"So, I did a thyroid panel on her, and hers were in the 'low-normal' lab range accepted by the labs. Most doctors would say, 'This panel says your thyroid's normal. You don't have Alzheimer's.' But I spoke to her about the thyroid issue. I said, 'This thyroid hormone treatment may help.' And I told her there was really no downside. And she was keen to try it. And a month later she came back and she said, 'I'm back to normal.'

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point. Once I started seeing the bigger picture, I realized that I couldn't report this case because I didn't have enough data."

But now, Abramowitz leans forward. "Then, about six months later, a patient — let's call her by her initials, M.D. – a woman of about 69, [became], I believe, the first reported case of early Alzheimer's on planet Earth to be cured with the active form of thyroid hormone. She is the mother of Jackie, who is the office manager at one of the urgent cares that I work at. One day she said, 'I'd like vou to see my mother.' She thought her mother was bipolar. Her mother's not bipolar.

But she said she – her mother — was getting in the car and getting lost. She'd drive down the road to Ralphs or Vons and she'd get lost. She wouldn't know where she was.

"So, dementia? Alzheimer's? If it quacks like a duck, it's a duck. The husband described how he'd be having a conversation with her about fairly detailed stuff that she knew very well. Things like estateplanning and intimate details about family matters that only a husband and wife would know, and she'd just get lost in the conversation and not know what he was talking about.

"So, I saw her and I did the Mini Mental Status Examination. It's not a very good test. I believe there are better tests for Alzheimer's, for cognitive

day, where are we, what country?' And then you get them to perform certain actions... 'Take this piece of paper in your left hand, fold it in half, put

it on the floor.' And then

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impairment, but I don't know any of the others. The benefit of the Mini Mental Status Exam is that it can be conducted in a few minutes, in an office setting. 'What's the date, what's the

not change, from the test pre to the test post. It was about 27, 28 out of 30. And I scored the test very strictly, and my interpretation of that was that in fact she was actually normal, according to the test.

"Which shows you how worthless the test is. You need to spot the most subtle cognitive impairments, where they're early, even if they test normal in the office....

"To me, just talking is much more sensitive than answering set questions. You are going to pick things up you would otherwise miss. If you focus on the most subtle aspects

of cognition, which are things like getting lost. Or getting lost in a conversation. Because those people can all test normal in the Mini Mental Status Exam. The symptoms are intermittent, early on. It's much more valuable to speak to family members, loved ones, roommates, whatever."

So, Jackie's mom came back from the T3 treatment. "I diagnosed mild cognitive impairment and offered her a trial of T3 augmentation. I explained this would be an 'off-label' use of the drug. She used it for four to six weeks, and...normal cognition was restored.

"The beauty of this case is that there were



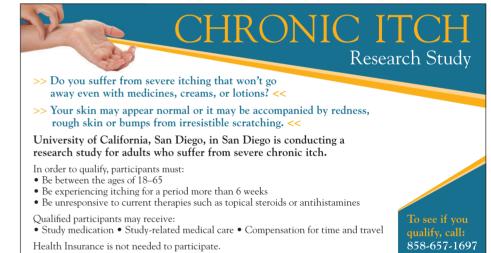
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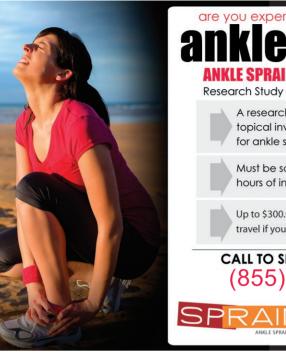
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which meant she 'didn't have' Alzheimer's disease, according to the test protocol. "But...the mini mental status results are irrelevant. She does have Alzheimer's disease, and even though her thyroid labs are 'normal,' she has

these symptoms about

getting lost and getting

lost in conversation.

The mini mental status

was essentially normal,

Alzheimer's are the same disease. "You ask 100 doctors about what I just told vou, and 150 will tell vou I'm a lunatic. Under those circumstances I'm happy to be a lunatic. They [believe] the Mini Mental Status Exam should trump the symptoms. They consider the thyroid labs being normal trump any suspicion of hypothyroidism. They're wrong."

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Abramowitz believes there are three classes of Alzheimer's disease. "Late-onset AD: 80 percent (of all Alzheimer's, including low testosterone in men, though the role of testosterone is still not understood. But we know that the low testosterone effect is an independent risk factor in men). Early onset: between 50 and 60 years old, 10 percent. It's a slightly different disease. Same pathophysiology, different cause. And climacteric, which equals menopause, dementia: 10 percent."

We finish up the coffee and breakfast buns.

"What did Henry Gray of *Gray's Anatomy* and Pocahontas have in common?" asks Abramowitz as we leave. I shake my head. "They both died of smallpox. Pocahontas was taken back to England where she contracted smallpox and died, and Henry Gray, who wrote *Gray's Anatomy*, was nursing his niece, who had smallpox. And he contracted smallpox and died. And that and \$2.50 will get you on *Jeopardy.*" proves that there's no such thing as a normal thyroid function test. They're all potentially abnormal. You have to treat symptoms. You have to give them a therapeutic trial of T3. There are probably fewer than a dozen doctors on this

"I have no respect for any medical research that comes out of the U.S."

Cori

A week later, I'm hanging out at Gourmet on Fifth.

"I want you to meet this patient, Cori Landress," Abramowitz had told me. "She does not have Alzheimer's disease. She has other thyroid issues. But her case continent who would not call me a lunatic on this. But it worked for Cori."

Cori turns out to be a lively woman who comes striding up and sits down and orders a salad. "I spent a couple of years feeling tired, extremely tired," she says when we

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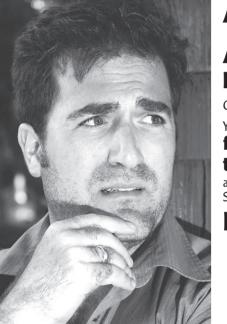
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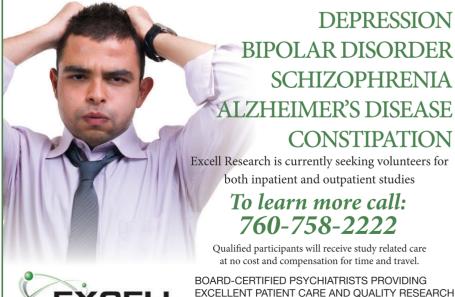
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UC San Diego Health Sciences get talking. "This was since about August 2010, for a good two years. I just was extremely tired. Couldn't make it through the day. I remember telling my children I wish they could drive. I was too tired to drive. Fatigue, hoarseness in my throat. I gained weight. And I never gained much in my pregnancies. Maybe 19, 21 pounds in my two pregnancies. And I was going above that. And I thought, Something is wrong. So, I went to my doctors, had three tests done, and I kept getting, 'You're fine. Maybe vou're depressed. Middle age. Maybe it's premenopause. Maybe it's this...' I remember just leaving, crying. Like, no one's going to help me.

"Because every doctor said, 'It's your thyroid. It's your thyroid.' But when they ran the blood work, they were saying 'No, you're fine.'

"So, then my girlfriend referred me to Dr. Abramowitz. These other doctors had done some panels, but I don't think they were to the extent

"We're wasting money doing nothing, not to mention prolonging suffering."

that Dr. Abramowitz did. He spent a good hour and a half if not two hours just talking to me. I had waking problems, eye puffiness, face, really severe edema, severe weight gains, my menstrual cycles were just crazy, I was fuzzyheaded, I couldn't think, I felt dizzy, too tired, I at the test and go, 'Oh. Well it's in the "normal" range.' But as it has been explained to me, you can take blood work but that's a picture of just that time, not what's going on.

couldn't exercise, brittle

hair, brittle nails, thirsty,

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which was interesting —

said, 'It's your thyroid.'

But then they would look

"And every doctor —

stop.

"So, Dr. Abramowitz started me on a low dose of medication to help. And I'm telling you: within a couple of weeks, it was a miracle! I finally felt like I had hope. Because I've always exercised. I've always been a runner. I couldn't exercise. I couldn't do anything. It wasn't going away. I was eating healthy...it was weird. The normal things I would do to stay within a healthy range, they weren't working. And I was just gaining and gaining. And the swelling in my ankles and my legs, it was painful. I'm 44. It started when I was 42. I had my children at 30 and 31. So, I don't know what triggered it. But then it just seemed to keep going downhill. But after the thyroid hormone treatment, in my diary I put, 'More energy, better sleep, running errands after work, cooking dinner, exercising, more clarity, feeling

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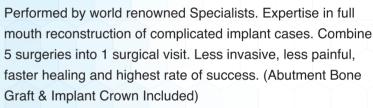
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Abramowitz, in his case report of MD, writes that "T3 offers the potential to prevent Alheimer's disease, reverse Alzheimer's disease in early cases, and freeze progression in early cases which are too advanced to reverse."

It's a tall claim, and he recognizes that double-blind tests need to be carried out. But they cost money, take time, and need backing from respectable Alzheimer's and medical organizations. That hasn't been forthcoming yet.

But basically, he says, treatment is cheap.

"That's the beauty in this. T3 is cheap. Of course, if this treatment becomes public, accepted, the price of T3 will go up ten times.

But it's my belief, based on what I see in primary care, in general practice, and even in urgent care and emergency rooms, that somewhere between one in three to one in four patients presenting for primary care has, underlying their symptoms, a medical problem which is directly or indirectly related to low thyroid hormone activity.

"So, we're wasting money doing nothing, not to mention prolonging suffering. Let's say one tenth of all patient care [relates to low thyroid hormone activity]. So, if you've got a \$2.5 trillion budget that's spent on health care every year in the U.S. alone, and you take a tenth of that, that's \$250 million. Other indirect costs could take it up another \$250 billion. That's a half a trillion

dollars a year that could potentially be saved by doctors focusing and getting at the real issues here. But can you tell me who you think wants to take a half-trillion dollars out of the U.S. budget? Nobody. Nobody is going to believe that this is an issue as big as this."

And, he says, the specialists are too narrowly focused on their specialties to look at a cross-specialty solution like his. "But there are believers in primary care. There are people who are GPs and general internists who believe this... When I say 'this,' I don't mean all of this, and when I say 'believe,' I don't mean they believe with as much fervor as I have, but there are some doctors who are openminded to this."

He thinks about it a moment. "But, honestly,

HEALTH AND BEAUTY

there are probably fewer than a dozen doctors on this continent who would not call me a lunatic."

Why isn't he trying to arrange some largescale test?

"I have no interest in the U.S. Because — let's see how to phrase this diplomatically — I have no respect for any medical research that comes out of the U.S. That's why I don't want this study done in the U.S."

Because of Big Pharma, over-specialization, costs?

"All of the above." And my Alzheimer's test? I confess that I can get lost driving and I don't sleep that well.

But Abramowitz is kind.

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Auditor Luna

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Prop. C won. The citizenry was promised an independent auditor, but the language of Prop. C assured that the auditor would be "independent." Luna, who had been hired in 2007, was given a ten-year term in spring of 2009. He would report to the five-member audit committee, which, predictably, had a three-person Republican majority: councilman (now mayor) Kevin Faulconer, Carl DeMaio, and Tom Hebrank, a Log Cabin Republican.

"It was a stacked-deck audit committee, too," says

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Because Aguirre is even more unpopular than Luna with the downtown clique, the refusal to pay the legal bill "is a double wipeout," says Damashek. "Luna is being punished for being honest. This is a real test of the balance of power in our city." Local politicians are "too timid — won't stand up for the public interest when it comes to clean government, open government, and investigating the wrongdoing."

"The city is slipping back into the practices" that caused the securities agency to demand an independent auditor, says Aguirre, "but the idea of an independent auditor is a sham." Instead of facing the pension-caused deficit, the city continued to cook the books by "defunding city services, roads, sidewalks, rec centers, libraries, the police department." ITY LIGHTS

Faulconer did not respond to questions, but a spokesman for Goldsmith claims the city attorney wants an independent auditor. ■

Contact Don Bauder at 719-539-7831 dbauder@sandiegoreader.com

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invitation: "Enjoy drinks with fellow Harvard alumni in a specially reserved and discounted VIP area, network with other Ivy leaguers, and partake in the traditional champagne divot stomp. Bring your family and friends for this day of summer fun at the Polo!" — Matt Potter

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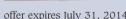
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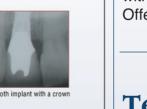
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The CPUC and Office of **Ratepayer Advocates were** asked to provide records of any communications they might have had with the governor over the study's termination. They declined to produce the records. So, Aguirre has sued the governor for the information.

Don Bauder

Herbalife knocked as illegal pyramid scheme

But how's the stock doing? Herb Greenberg, who is in the enviable position of living in San Diego and being a regular on the New Yorkbased CNBC TV business channel, on July 24 said hedge-fund head Bill Ackman made a superb presentation last week when he said the multi-level marketer, nutritional-supplement company Herbalife is

CITY LIGHTS

an illegal pyramid scheme. Ackman in late 2012 bet \$1 billion that Herbalife stock will fall. Last Tuesday. he made a long, emotional presentation showing how the company is indeed a pyramid — not the first such presentation he has made.

Herbalife runs out of Los Angeles but is officially based in the offshore tax and secrecy haven of the Cayman Islands.

As soon as Ackman started talking Tuesday, Herbalife stock began rising and ended the day up 25 percent. Most commentators — and Herbalife poked fun at Ackman. Not Greenberg, who watched the presentation, and earlier spent months studying multi-level marketing. **Greenberg says Ackman** made his case.

A couple of other Wall Street fat cats are trying to run up Herbalife stock as

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Ackman tries to run it down.

The next move is up to the Federal Trade Commission and Securities and **Exchange Commission.** The Latin market accounts for more than half of Herbalife's business. That may deter typically weak-kneed regulators, who will often overlook fraud (such as in for-profit universities) if they think a number of people will be hurt by any stern action.

Don Bauder

Padres could set record...just not in a good way

Historic hitting futility The headline in last week's New York Times: "Padres' Offense May Go Down As Worst Ever," The team's .214 batting average is 23 points lower than the second-worst team, says the Times.

If the batting average remained the same the rest of the season, the Padres could tie the New York Yankees of 1968 for the lowest mark in the past century. If the team trades off hitters (it just traded its closing pitcher for a bunch of minor leaguers), the Padres could hit the all-time record for futility: the .210 average of the 1910 Chicago White Sox. That occurred in the so-called dead-ball era.

The Padres have been shut out 14 times this season and in 35 other games failed to get more than two runs.

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Once you have all your information, put it into a neat, organized report. Make copies and send one to the *Reader*, since there no longer exists any other newspaper concerned with investigative reporting in San Diego County.

You can give a copy to the DA, but don't expect any response since the DA's main endorsements come from the police.

Then, if you still can't get justice, hire an attorney and get paid. Like the police will tell you, it's a civil matter. Laurel Kaskurs Oceanside

FDR's Grand Scheme

Larry Stirling's letter ("Lindbergh v. Roosevelt," June 19) makes righteous points about Charles Linbergh's character and contribution to the United States of America. While Stirling's anecdotal evidence from his 93-yearold brother in-law as to whether or not Lindbergh flew combat missions is certainly unimpeachable, the claim Stirling makes that Franklin Roosevelt "engineered" the Pearl Harbor attacks is fantastic.

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Imagine a wheelchairbound man, his hands full with the collapsed U.S. economy, trying to mount a nationwide progressive social restructuring, engrossed in the ongoing European war, engineering the Japanese attack on Pearl! Admiral Yamamoto and all the other executive officers of the Imperial Japanese forces involved must have been extras on the set following orders from FDR!

It is historical fact that the U.S. government issued a warning to American bases in the Pacific to be on the alert against a "surprise aggressive move in any direction." It is also a fact that an invading Japanese submarine, part of the advance Pearl Harbor attack force was successfully identified and sunk by the USS *Ward* fully one hour before the bombs fell on Pearl. It is a fact that an American radar installation also identified the approaching phalanx of Japanese attack planes before the bombs fell.

Imagine the scooting in his wheelchair Roosevelt must have done to control all these variables! Was FDR a superman?! (Some of us think he was actually, but for different reasons.)

At the end of the day, sadly, the burden of blame for the failure at Pearl lies on the shoulders of Admiral Husband Kimmel and General Walter Short, who failed to properly defend their forces. (Were they part of FDR's grand scheme too?!)

There is one note about Lindbergh Mr. Stirling failed to include, which also speaks to his character: he reported in his journals while touring the Pacific theater that American troops were slaughtering defeated and surrendered Japanese soldiers en masse, with the apparent approval of their immediate superior officers.

Yes, Charles Lindbergh was an honest man, and a truly good American.

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WHEN: 6 p.m.

WHERE: Pacific College of Oriental Medicine, 7445 Mission Valley Road, Linda Vista. 619-574-6932; *pacificcollege.edu*

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WHEN: 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Also on

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Saturday | 2

TASTE OF THE PAST: FOOD OF EARLY SAN DIEGO

Demonstrations of old-California food preparation and cooking, food drying, and storage. With a self-guided Taste of Old Town tour featuring historically based foods from purveyors in the park. Free-\$15.

WHEN: Noon to 5 p.m.

WHERE: Old Town State Historic Park, 4002 Wallace Street, Old Town. *www.parks.ca.gov/?page_id=663*

Sunday | 3

PB SIP 'N STROLL Kid-friendly activities at the Tula Ru Kid's Court, tasters at the West Coaster Wine & Beer Garden, plus local eats and music. "Last year we packed Cass Street between Loring and Opal with over 5000

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WHEN: 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.WHERE: Turquoise Cellars, 5026 CassStreet, Pacific Beach. *sipnstrollpb.com/*

Monday | 4

PAINT YOUR SNEAKERS

Sneakers provide a great surface to cover with color, patterns, words, and images. Bring a pair of clean canvas shoes and express yourself by decorating them with acrylic paint. \$52–\$58.

WHEN: 6 to 9 p.m.

WHERE: Bravo School of Art at Liberty Station, 2690 Historic Decatur Road, Barracks 19, #206, Liberty Station. 619-223-0058; *bravoschoolofart.com*

Tuesday | 5

THE PRINCESS BRIDE

Bring your lawn chairs and blankets and settle down for a night of beer and cinema. If you plan on dining beforehand, arrive early to set up your spot on the lawn.

WHEN: 8:30 p.m.

WHERE: Stone Brewing Liberty Station, 2816 Historic Decatur Road



#116, Liberty Station. 619-269-2100; stonelibertystation.com/events-calendar

Wednesday | 6

DANA CARVEY

Dana Carvey brings his George Bush, Church Lady, and Garth to San

Diego. Jann Karam opens. \$15.

WHEN: 7:30

p.m. Also on Thursday.

WHERE: The

Comedy Palace, 8878 Clairemont Mesa Boulevard, Kearny Mesa. 858-573-9067; thecomedypalace.com



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TRAVEL STORIES AND TIPS FROM OUR READERS



Numbering less than 1000, Tanzania's Hadzabe people are thought to be a direct link to first man.

Tanzania: the Stone Age lives By James Michael Dorsey

The diversity of cultural groups in Africa is unrivaled by any other continent. East Africa, Kenya, and Tanzania alone have close to 200 tribal groups.

The East African sites of Olduvai Gorge and Laetoli have yielded archaeological evidence of human presence dating back 50,000 years, and one local tribe has lived nearby since before recorded history.

The Hadzabe people occupy the Great Rift Valley and Serengeti Plateau of western Tanzania near Lake Eyasi. They are locally known as "Bushmen" and number less than 1000.

The Hadzabe are nomadic within set boundaries established by the present Tanzanian government, traveling in small bands, sleeping in temporary huts made from grass and tree branches, or in caves. They make fire using two sticks and friction. They are primarily monogamous, have no concept of ownership other than a few personal belongings they carry wherever they go, and disputes are often settled by the offender voluntarily leaving the band. The men hunt with bow and arrow using a potent neurotoxin from the adenium coetaneum shrub. Their six-foot bows are taller than most of them and they are crack shots, oftentimes firing while on the run and rarely missing.

Read before you go

If a large animal is killed, the band will relocate to the kill site rather than hauling it back. Nothing is wasted. All parts of the animal not eaten will be used to make tools, clothing, or carry bags.

Men and women forage and use digging sticks to collect roots and tubers. Women are especially responsible for the collection of fruit and berries.

Both women and men wear colorful beaded jewelry obtained through trade with neighboring tribes. The local Barbaig people are skilled metal workers who trade spear tips, knives, and arrowheads to the Hadzabe in exchange for game meat. The women weave small grass baskets or make pouches from animal hides that they wear around their necks to carry items.

Honey is a staple, and the Hadzabe believe they have a special relationship with both the honey badger and the indicator bird, which they mimic in conversation, claiming these animals lead them to honeycombs in trees. They will hammer wooden pegs into the honey-bearing tree to use as steps, then climb up with a burning branch wrapped with moss to smoke out the bees. When the bees fly, the Hadzabe consume the liquid honey and larvae while the indicator bird will take the wax honeycomb for itself. This relationship is part of their ancient mythology that's filled with fascinating tales of how the earth was created and continued on page 42

Other Adventures



PaulHoltzman: The view from Chateau Gaillard in Les Andelys, France



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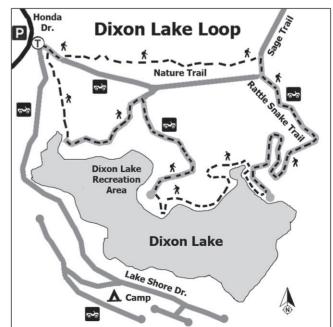


You can run a boat, but no swimming in Dixon Lake because it's Escondido's drinking water

Dison Lake is a multi-purpose recreation area adjacent to the Daley Ranch Open Space Preserve. Both are managed by the City of Escondido, but separately. Dixon Lake provides drinking water for Escondido, so swimming isn't allowed. However, a wealth of outdoor activities is possible here that includes boating, fishing, picnicking, and camping. The hike described goes through a variety of habitats with some surprising vistas, not only of the lake, but also of Escondido down below.

Begin hiking east down the paved Dixon Lake entrance road, also signed as the Jack Creek Trail.

About 500 feet ahead, find the Dixon Lake Nature Trail on the left and take it. It is a trail for hikers only, going through a delightful mix of lush chaparral and oak woodland. Here are stately Engelmann oaks, spreading coast live oaks, and some quite large scrub oaks shading the trail through flowering flat-top buckwheat, black and white sage, chamise, and bush monkeyflower, as well as numerous annuals such as mariposa lilies and the San Diego golden star. The trail continues for about half a mile, ending as it emerges on the Sage Trail, one of the main Daley Ranch hiking and biking trails. Go right



on the Sage Trail for about 0.10 mile where it ends in a T-junction with a lake access road. Go left on the road, named the Rattlesnake Trail. It is not open to bicycles but can be used by motorized vehicles. Rattlesnake trail goes up to a pass where there is the first glimpse of the lake, as well as the trail winding down to it. The trail ends at the lake, 1.35 miles from the entrance. A hiker's only trail begins just before the blue porta-potty at the end of the road. This shoreline trail continues for half a mile around Whisker Cove and to Catfish Cove, where it ends at the Catfish Cove parking continued on page 42

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

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BEER

Coronado Brewing Company 18th Anniversary The Crown City's namesake Coronado Brewing Company is one of the county's longest-tenured brewing interests. They're celebrating 18 years in business at their mainland tasting room with \$3 pints, food truck fare, and the debut of their 18th Anniversary Ale, a double IPA brewed with Nugget, Simcoe, Citra, and Mosaic. Saturday, August 2, 5pm; Coronado Brewing — Tecolote Canyon, 1205 Knoxville Street. (BAY PARK)

Craft Beer & Cocktail Showcase Twelve brewers will share the spotlight with six cocktail bars (plus food trucks, artists, and DJs) at this outdoor soiree, where guests can enjoy ten brew samples and a pair of craft cocktails. Saturday, August 2, 4pm; El Dorado Cocktail Lounge, 1030 Broadway. (EAST VILLAGE)

Farm to Bay Food & Wine Classic Sip, sample, and mingle with wildlife for an evening on San Diego Bay. The Living Coast Discovery Center has assembled San Diego restaurants, farms, breweries, wineries, spirits, and more for a celebration of the flavors that make San Diego special. Join Culinary Chair Chef Joe Busalacchi in support of the Living Coast Discovery Center's coastal wildlife, conservation, and education programs. Saturday, August 2, 4pm; \$75. 21 and up. Living Coast Discovery Center, 1000 Gunpowder Point Drive. (CHULA VISTA)

Firkin Friday with Alpine Brewing On cask: Alpine Pure Hoppiness. Friday, August 1, 3pm; Hamilton's Tavern, 1521 30th Street. (SOUTH PARK)

Flight Night with Hangar 24 Brewery Flight Night with Hangar 24 Brewery. Flight + food pairing. Live music by Podunk Nowhere. Thursday, July 31, 5:30pm; DiMille's, 3492 Adams Avenue. (NORMAL HEIGHTS)

PB Sip 'N Stroll This event is to promote and uncover the Pacific Beach Community brick & mortar and "from-home" businesses. Last year we packed Cass Street between Loring and Opal with 5000+ neighbors. This is a great opportunity to meet your neighbors and familiarize yourself with the local businesses and restaurants in our beautiful neighborhood we love so much. Many kid-friendly activities at the Tula Ru Kid's Court, tasters at the West Coaster SD Wine & Beer Garden, plus local eats and music. Sunday, August 3, 11:30am; free. Turquoise Cellars, 5026 Cass Street. (PACIFIC BEACH)

Pints & Poses Yoga Next Wave and White Labs are collaborating to present yoga and beer. The tasting room will be open early for yoga students to enjoy a pint of beer (covered with your cost for the class). Bring your own mat, and we'll provide the beer. Sunday, August 3, 10:30am; \$15. 21 and up. Yoga Next Wave, 9537 Candida Street. (MIRAMAR) Searsucker Birthday Trifecta A

three-part event with brunch and a party bus lift to the Del Mar races with premiere Turf Club passes. (Don't worry, we'll bring you back home.) Sunday, August 3, 10am; **free**-\$44. Searsucker, 611 Fifth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

BOOK SIGNINGS

Chris Ahrens Chris Ahrens will read from and discuss his new novel Twilight in the City of Angels. Jose De la Luz Santiago was larger than life for everyone he encountered, including the train that tried to kill him. Though he was left with a deep dent in his forehead, his joyous disposition and a complex faith built around Jose Cuervo Tequila, Our Lady of Guadalupe, and the Union Pacific Railroad - his personal trinity - Jose was undaunted by life. Los Angeles was built by him and around him, and Jose fought to keep the spirit of the city alive when "progress" dismantled the red car system and greed wiped out Chavez Ravine. Saturday, August 2, 7pm; free. D.G. Wills Books, 7461 Girard Avenue. (LA JOLLA)

Non-Standard Lit: A Reading Series We invite you to a special summer event for Non-Standard Lit with two readers: Eryn Green and Hanna Andrews. Ervn Green received his PhD in literature and creative writing from the University of Denver. His first book, Eruv, won the 2013 Yale Series of Younger Poets prize, and his work can be found in journals including the Colorado Review, Jubilat, and Denver Quarterly. Hanna Andrews is the author of Slope Move (Coconut Books) and the co-founder and editor of feminist press Switchback Books. She is the former editor of the Academy of American Poets and the Poem-A-Day series and currently lives and writes in Denver, Colorado. Sunday, August 3, 5pm; free. Gym Standard, 2903 El Cajon Boulevard #2. (NORTH PARK)

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

Art Happy Hour: Majestic Sea Sea Learn to paint "Majestic Sea" while enjoying food and drinks. With step-by-step, casually guided instruction from a professional ArtBeat instructor. All materials, including 16"X20" canvas and painting apron, provided. Must purchase tickets in advance. Info: 619-302-2578. Sunday, August 3, 4pm; \$25. 21 and up. Local, 1065 Fourth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

Gratitude Poetry During this workshop we'll honor the people who made us writers: high school teachers, editors, long-dead writers, living writers, librarians, mentors, enemies, tormentors, best friends, pen pals, colleagues, siblings, soul mates, and anyone else along the way. We'll express gratitude through writing - poems, thankyou notes, tweets, text messages, unsent letters. Bring in some of your favorite poems or short stories, as we'll be using beloved lines as epigraphs for new work. Also, feel free to bring blank thank-you cards, mobile devices, pretty stationery, or plain notebook paper. Sunday, August 3, 1pm; \$30-\$36. Ink Spot, 2730 Historic Decatur Rd., Barracks 16 #202. (LIBERTY STATION)

Healthy, Fresh, and Zingy Healthy food for everyday eating. These dishes are so scrumptious and fresh that you and your friends won't notice you're being health conscious. Menu: Yin-yang roast pepper soup with a pesto twist; sesame seed crusted Ahi tuna, seared to perfection; mango-ginger salsa; mini sorbet sandwiches. Thursday, July 31, 6:30pm; \$60. Hipcooks, 4048 30th Street. (NORTH PARK)

Home Ownership Is Within Your Reach The Urban League of San Diego County offers several homeownership workshops to fit your current lifestyle. Our "Realizing the Dream" First Time Home Buyer Workshop meets Saturday, August 16. This certification course allows participants to be eligible for lender discounts and down payment assistance available throughout San Diego County. For assistance with money management, credit problems, or foreclosure please visit our website at sdul.org or follow us on Facebook. Saturday, August 16, 10:30am-4:30pm. Urban League of San Diego County, 720 Gateway Center Drive. (LA JOLLA)

Misti Washington Basket Day Misti Washington Gourd & Basket Guild presents the fifth annual members' basket day. MWGBG will pay the class fees; members pay the materials fee to the teacher. Nonmembers may sign up for a class by paying a \$35 class fee plus the materials fee. Membership to the Botanic Garden is \$20 per year. Sunday, August 3, 9am; \$35-\$50. San Diego Botanic Garden, 230 Quail Gardens Drive. (ENCINITAS)

COMEDY

Dana Goldberg With appearances on TBS, HBO, and her own comedy special on LOGO, Dana is a force of nature on stage. Dana was named one of the top three LGBT comedians in the country by Advocate.com and was voted one of the "Top Five Funniest Comics in America" by *Curve Magazine*. Thursday, July 31, 8pm; \$15-\$25. 18 and up. Martinis Above Fourth, 3940 Fourth Avenue #200. (HILCREST)

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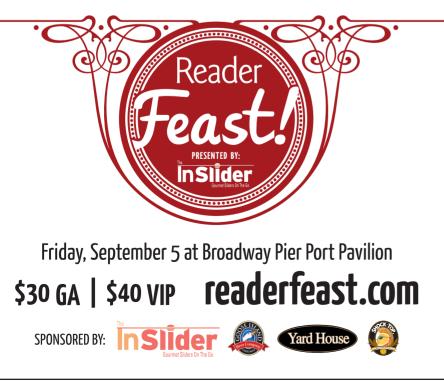
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Rex Navarette As a follow-up to three CDs and touring like crazy in Asia and North America, Navarette produced and directed Hella Pinoy, his first live standup DVD. Navarrete remains to be a one of the hardest working, relatively unknown American comedians today, though he's performed alongside notable national headliners such as George Lopez, D.L. Hughley, and Paul Mooney. Thursday, July 31, 8pm; Friday, August 1, 7:30pm and 9:30pm; Saturday, August 2, 7:30pm and 9:30pm; Sunday, August 3, 8pm; \$18. American Comedy Company, 818 Sixth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

Stand-Up Comedy Show & Wine Tasting Wine package includes four wines and a cheese, baguette, and olive plate. Friday, August 1, 7pm; \$5. Spacebar Internet Cafe, 7454 University Ave., Suite A. (LA MESA)

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Follow the road leading up the hill from Catfish Cove (open to motor vehicles but receives little traffic). In half a mile, take the road leading off to the left, which ends at Jack Creek Cove, about 0.25 mile ahead. The last leg of the journey is on the hikers' only trail that leads from the Jack Creek Cove parking area back to the landscaped picnic

and magic of Tango. Visit *tangowithcolette.com* and call today: 514-726-5567. Dance Place San Diego, 2650 Truxtun Road, Studio #106. (POINT LOMA)

Contradancing No partners needed, and no experience necessary. Calling by Kelsey Hartman, live music by Crooked. Teaching from 7:30-8. Dance starts at 8. Discounts for teens and children, college, and military. Soft soled shoes only, please. Friday, August 1, 7:30pm; \$10. Trinity United Methodist Church, 3030 Thorn Street. (NORTH PARK)

Oz Alive Dance instructors Alvson Stoner, Courtney Miller Jr., Peter Kalivas, Ruben Monet Ludlow, and Matt Carney come together in a performance when the Coronado School of the Arts Foundation, in conjunction with Coronado Cultural Arts Commission, presents Oz Alive, the grand finale of the Dance Summer Intensive. The performance will be filmed and air as original programming on Coronado TV during the month of August. Saturday, August 2, 7pm; free. Coronado School of the Arts, 650 D Avenue, (CORONADO)

FOOD & DRINK

Taste of the Past: Food of Early San Diego This event focuses on the foods of early San Diego during the mid-1800s and how they

> area near the Dixon Lake entrance. Along the trail there are some interpretive signs explaining how Native Americans used some of the plants in the area.

(CORONADO)

reflected the many cultural influ-

ences of that time. Demonstrations

of various historical food prepara-

tions, such as American and Califor-

nio cooking, food drying, and store

keeping will take place in the plaza.

Additionally, there will be a Taste of

Old Town tour featuring histori-

cally based foods from a number

of food purveyors in the park. The

event will take place from noon to

5pm The self-guided tasting tour

will take place from noon to 4pm

Tickets for the tasting tour are \$15

and will be available online and at

the Robinson-Rose Visitor Center

or Rust General Store. Saturday,

August 2, 12pm; free-\$15. Old Town

State Historic Park, 4002 Wallace

Wizard of Oz Yappy Hour Join

animal lovers and Wizard of Oz

enthusiasts alike at an Oz-themed

"Yappy Hour" where dogs can

enjoy complimentary Evian water

and "vappatizers" (organic gour-

met dog treats) while their owners

sip on Oz-inspired drinks such as

the Kansas Twister and Ruby Slip-

per at the Sun Deck Bar & Grill

at Hotel del Coronado. Through

August 31, Hotel del Coronado

will also be hosting a "Toto Photo" Contest. Follow @DelCoronado on Instagram and share photos of your

cat or dog in Oz-themed garb using

#DelTotoPhoto for a chance to win

a Del Beach Day Package complete

with cabana and lounge-chair setup.

Sunday, August 3, 4pm; Hotel del

Coronado, 1500 Orange Avenue.

Street. (OLD TOWN)

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.

Tanzania *continued from page 40* early man's interaction with various giants, including some who returned from the dead.

This traveler was privileged to spend much time with the Hadzabe, and even with their extreme isolation, I found them to be open, friendly, and inquisitive.

My introduction was surreal, as I came out of a clearing on the trail and was confronted with a large baobob tree hung thick with dozens of animal skulls and bows. Because of linguistic differences my local guide could not give a definitive explanation for this fetish, but what I got from it was that the tree represented the soul of the clan and by hanging their bows on the skulls of animals they have killed, they were taking their power from them. For me, this was one of the most insightful windows to their culture and early animistic practices.

I shared a ceremonial pipe with them and was given a bow and arrows to join them in a baboon hunt, which was successful due in no part to my participation. Baboons are plentiful in this area and are a regular source of meat and hides for the Hadzabe. When we returned from the hunt I was given a lesson in fire-making and then had to make the evening's fire to sear the fresh baboon meat. Within minutes of skinning the animal, the women were preparing its hide for use as a carrying bag while I received a ceremonial smear of blood on my face for participating in a hunt.



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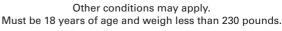


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Family Science Saturdays: All About Space Learn about outer space and space exploration as tinkers create rockets, planets, stars, and other interplanetary objects using basic household materials. Activities free with paid admission. In the Tinkering Studio. This week: Planetary Projects. Construct your own planet using the Tinkering Studio's collection of cool materials. Saturday, August 2, 1pm; Reuben H. Fleet Science Center, 1875 El Prado. (BALBOA PARK)

First 5 First Friday: Nightingale Music Nightingale Music will visit NCM to introduce children to a variety of music types. From traditional nursery songs to rock-n-roll with percussion instruments, the experience is designed to enhance learning and share the magical world of music with children. Friday, August 1, 10:30am; free-\$10. New Children's Museum, 200 W. Island Avenue, (EAST VILLAGE)

Snorkel with the Leopard Sharks Join aquarium naturalists and visit leopard sharks in their underwater home off the La Jolla Coast. Discover the abundant variety of animals that make their homes among the kelp, sandy bottom, and rocks. Intermediate swimming ability is required and previous snorkeling experience is recommended. Participants supply their own gear. Ages 10+ (minors must be accompanied by a paid adult). RSVP required: 858-534-7336 or visit us online. Sunday, August 3, 8am: \$25-\$30. Birch Aquarium at Scripps, 2300 Expedition Way. (LA JOLLA)

Summer Reading Program Event Our Summer Reading Program continues with weekly music, magic, wacky science, and animal performances appropriate for all ages. Join us for the fun and then

Rhyme & Verse

Vitae Summa Brevis Spem Nos Vetat Incohare Longam

A poem by Ernest Dowson

They are not long, the weeping and the laughter, Love and desire and hate: I think they have no portion in us after We pass the gate.

They are not long, the days of wine and roses: Out of a misty dream Our path emerges for a while, then closes Within a dream.

sign up for the Summer Reading Program while you are here. Thursdays, 10:30am; through Thursday, August 14, free. Mission Valley Library, 2123 Fenton Parkway. (MISSION VALLEY)

LECTURES

Ballpark Chat Ballpark Chat: National University Speaker



Ernest Dowson, who died at the age of 33 (1867–1900), was a late-Victorian British poet, novelist, and short-story writer associated with the Decadent Movement and the Rhymers' Club. When he was 23, Dowson fell in love with the 11-year-old Adelaide "Missie" Foltinowicz, daughter of a Polish restaurant owner, who rejected him over the next sev-

eral years despite his continuing infatuation with her. In 1894, Dowson's father, who was in the advanced stages of tuberculosis, died of an overdose of chloral hydrate. His mother, who was also tubercular, hanged herself a year later. In 1900, a friend found Dowson almost penniless in a wine bar and took him back to the cottage where he was living. Six weeks later he died there of alcoholism. The title of Dowson's poem comes from the final line of an ode by the Roman poet Horace. It means "the brevity of life forbids us from undertaking lengthy hopes."

Find more poetry online at SDreader.com/poetry

Series features Don Czechowicz of General Atomics on "National Security and Our Economy.' Tickets to event at San Diego's Petco Park include admission and vouchers to Padres game immediately afterward. Pre-registration required. Don Czechowicz will highlight the importance of General Atomics products to our national security and local

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LIFE at MiraCosta College Lectures 1 pm: "The Guns of August: Theoretical Origins of WW1" with Gary Castaneda, MCC faculty. Professor Castaneda helps us commemorate the Centennial of the commencement of World War 1 by examining the origins of the conflict through different international relations theories. The long-term aftermath of the war will also be discussed. 2:30pm: "Computer Scams" with Tom Heritage,

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1928 letter from **George Washington** Carver to James T. Hardwick of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute

As a very small boy exploring the almost virgin woods of the old Carver place, I had the impression someone had just been there ahead of me. Things were so orderly, so clean, so harmoniously beautiful. A few years later in this same woods I was to understand

the meaning of this boyish impression. Because I was practically overwhelmed with the sense of some Great Presence. Not only had someone been there. Someone was there... Years later when I read in the Scriptures, "In Him we live and move and have our being," I knew what the writer meant. Never since have I been without this consciousness of the Creator speaking to me.... The out of doors has been to me

more and more a great cathedral in which God could be continuously spoken to and heard from.... Man, who needed a purpose, a mission, to keep him alive, had one. He could be... God's co-worker. My attitude toward life was also my attitude toward science. Jesus said one must be born again, must become as a little child. He must let no laziness, no fear, no stubbornness keep him from his duty.... My purpose alone must be God's purpose - to increase the welfare and happiness of His people. Nature will not permit a vacuum. It will be filled with something. Human need is really a great spiritual vacuum, which God seeks to fill....

George Washington Carver (1864-1943) was an American agricultural chemist who almost singlehandedly led a revolution in the use of the peanut (and soybeans, pecans,

and the sweet potato) as a *staple crop for the U.S. and the* world, thereby rejuvenating Southern agriculture, long on the wane from soil exhausted by the cotton-crop industry. *Calling his laboratory "God's* Little Workshop," Carver was renowned for his innate scien*tific genius* — *as he rarely if* ever learned from a textbook and often claimed that in his work he simply asked God how to perform scientific experiments and he followed God's directions.



Find more excerpts online at SDReader.com/worship

Oceanside Police Department. Identity theft and scams are the fastest growing crimes in America. Friday, August 1, 1pm; free. 18 and up. MiraCosta College, One Barnard Drive. (OCEANSIDE)

pop!TALK: Conscious Consumption Join us with Cathryn Henning, goat herder and education coordinator at Wild Willow Farm, a program of the non-profit San Diego Roots Sustainable Food Project. At this talk, Cathryn will provide tools on how to be a conscious consumer, how to deciphers terms such as "organic," "natural," "free-range," and essential sustainable farming skills, both in urban and rural agricultural settings. Learn how to improve your health and connect with your local sustainable movement. Discover how to benefit from (and support!) our environment's natural cycles at this invigorating pop!TALK. There will be fresh-farmed veggies and other goods available to try. Thursday, July

31, 6pm; \$5-\$10. Pacific College of Oriental Medicine, 7445 Mission Vallev Rd., Suite 105, (LINDA VISTA)

Secret Life of Native Plants Native plants are recommended for

their drought tolerance, but that is only one reason for planting them. Entire ecosystems are dependent upon our native plants, which are being destroyed by introduced weeds. At this talk you'll discover how native plants communicate and about the hundreds of pollinators that depend upon them. Diane and Miranda Kennedy run Finch Frolic Garden in Fallbrook, a permaculture-based food forest habitat. A former San Diego County Senior Park Ranger, middle-school librarian, freelance writer, and tour guide at the San Diego Zoo Safari Park, Diane consults, lectures, and leads tours through her gardenteaching. Thursday, July 31, 6pm; free. Elfin Forest Recreational Reserve, 8833 Harmony Grove Road. (ESCONDIDO)

Why Your Community Wants a Village Village Core will show how a Village movement would be helpful to seniors in your community. Villages are the fastest growing trend for solving the aging crisis, and you can start one in your area. Info: 858-863-6534. Friday, August 1, 12:30pm; free, Serra Mesa-Kearny Mesa Library, 9005 Aero Drive. (KEARNY MESA)

OUTDOORS

Delve into Nature Explore ancient trails with your MTRP trail guide and learn about life in nature from early Native American lifestyles to the plants that support our thriving wildlife communities. Meet inside Visitor Center. Saturday, August 2, 9:30am; Sunday, August 3, 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. Saturday, August 2, 8am; \$45-\$60. Birch Aquarium at Scripps. 2300 Expedition Way. (LA JOLLA)

Trek with the Trackers Discover and identify tracks, scat, bedlays, and other evidence of critters that live in local underbrush and trees. Join a Mission Trails Regional Park tracking-team guide for two hours of dirt-time fun - wear long pants! Meet in front of the Visitor Center. Saturday, August 2, 8:30am; free. Mission Trails Regional Park, One Father Junípero Serra Trail. (SAN CARLOS

Wildlife Night Hike Enjoy the Los Penasquitos Canyon Preserve at night, meet mule deer (usually), plus bats, tarantulas, owls, and more. A moderately paced walk on flat ground. Meet at kiosk on the corner of Park Village Road and Camino del Sur Road. Info: 858-484-3219. Saturday, August 2, 7:30pm; free. Peñasquitos Creek Park, 8021 Park Village Road. (RAN-CHO PEÑASOUITOS)

SPECIAL **EVENTS**

The Art of Love This variety stage show for mature audience features comedy, jazz saxophone, belly dancing, singing, and erotic poetry. Saturday, August 2, 8pm; \$20-\$25. 18 and up. Scottish Rite

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Center, 1895 Camino del Rio South. (MISSION VALLEY)

Celebrate Oz Oz comes home to Coronado through a full-day festival of activities at a family-oriented celebration of art, music, and dance in Spreckels Park, featuring Coronado's local arts community, 10 am - 11 am: Coronado Public Library craft table for children to make masks, hats, and other costume bits to wear in the parade. 11 am: A children's parade around the bandstand led by a costumed dance troupe, Glinda the Good Witch, and Emerald City Mayor Casey Tanaka. Community Organizations previewing upcoming Oz-related events throughout the day. Coronado Community Band and Coronado Big Band concerts featuring the music of Oz. Dance performances by various local dance groups, adult and children. CCAC's Art Under the Umbrella Coronado's local artists feature original work. Produced by the

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Coronado Cultural Arts Commission & Coronado Mainstreet. Info: *k.purvis@coronado.ca.us* or 619-522-2633. Saturday, August 2, 10am; **free**. Spreckels Park, 601 Orange Avenue. (CORONADO)

Dog Day Challenge Ranch Dog Day, a dog show that includes 13 classes — from best bark to most feminine. Dogs must be on leash; entry of dog not needed to enjoy show. Concessions available. Proceeds go toward Challenge Ranch, a non-profit dedicated to providing support, recreation, and inspiration to under-privileged children in San Diego County. Sunday, August 3, 3pm; **free**-\$30. Challenge Ranch, 5973 Stallion Oaks Road. (EL CAJON)

E-Waste Recycling Event E-waste is still the fastest growing municipal waste stream in America, according to the EPA. Computers, monitors, televisions and other electronic equipment should not be disposed of with regular garbage; in fact, this is illegal in California. Only 12.5 percent of e-waste is currently recycled. Bring your working and non-working TVs, computers, appliances, radios, and other electronics to the library parking lot. This event is managed by Recon Recycling, and all proceeds will go to benefit the non-profit organization Warriors Live On. Saturday, August 2, 9am; free. Mission Valley Library, 2123 Fenton Parkway. (MISSION VALLEY)

Family Day "Making Memories" is the theme of the South Clairemont 25th Annual Family Fun, Food, & Entertainment Day. Write your memories on the chalk wall, get your face painted, and visit exhibits and booths. With a Kiwanis pancake breakfast, tai chi demonstration, pony and carnival rides, free swim, and entertainment stage. Saturday, August 2, 8pm; free. South Clairemont Recreation Center, 3605 Clairemont Drive. (CLAIREMONT)

Island Vive Music Festival The Island Vive Music Festival is a one-day event that incorporates musical performances by Islandinspired performers from across the Pacific Islands including Polynesia, Micronesia, and Melanesia. The festival's talent includes the Jets, the Common Kings, FIJI, Spawn Breezie, and Lea Love. The event will also feature unique cultural dances such as Hawaiian, Tahitian, Samoan, and more. If that is not enough to keep you busy, we will be hosting a vendor village showcasing Pacific Islander merchandise, art, and apparel plus a variety of authentic food delicacies from the Islands. The Island Vibe Music Festival will also provide cultural and lifestyle elements to give spectators that "Island Vibe" experience. Additional elements include authentic Pacific Islander cultural presentations and dances such as Hawaiian/Hula, Samoan, and Tahitian dancers. Saturday, August 2, 3pm; free-\$35. Qualcomm Stadium, 9449 Friars Road. (MISSION VALLEY)

Oz Con International: Opening

Reception The Coronado Public Library kicks off Oz Con International with an opening reception for a month-long exhibition showcasing Oz book illustration and Oz graphic novel art of Eisner Awardwinning illustrator Eric Shanower. The exhibition will also include selections from the extensive L. Frank Baum and Oz collections of Winkie Con producer David Maxine and books from Wizard of Oz authority Scott Olsen. Present Curator Emerita at the Arne Nixon Center for Children's Literature at Cal State, Fresno, and former International Wizard of Oz Club President Angelica Carpenter will be the featured speaker. Viewing: 6:30 pm; Angelica Carpenter's presentation: 7:30 pm. Friday, August 1, 6:30pm; free. Coronado Library, 640 Orange Avenue. (CORONADO)

Reader Feast! Follow your taste buds to Broadway Pier for the third annual Reader Feast!, presented by The InSlider. Enjoy food and drink tastings from dozens of the city's best neighborhood eateries, wineries, breweries, and food trucks. GA tickets include food and drink samples from all vendors and are valid from 6pm-9pm. The VIP ticket includes two full-pour drinks and a gift bag with goodies from our sponsors, plus early admission at 5pm. A portion of ticket sales and all proceeds from the cash bar benefit Fresh Start Surgical Gifts. Info: 619-235-3000; *readerfeast. com.* Friday, September 5, 5pm-9pm. \$30-\$40. Broadway Pier Port Pavilion, 1000 North Harbor Drive. (DOWNTOWN)

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Rod Run In Vista The 25th Annual Vista Rod Run & Motorcycle Show will feature over 300 classic cars, hot rods, and specialty vehicles, a motorcycle show, a dance competition, ice cream social, and more throughout the Historic Downtown Vista Village area and Krikorian Village area. Car enthusiasts will be delighted with the pristine paint jobs, perfect upholstery, and what's under the hood. Coming from garages near and far, car owners are encouraged to participate to see if their baby stands out from the crowd. Sunday, August 3, 9am; free, (DOWN-TOWN VISTA)

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he Belgian painter James Ensor is a case. Most artists we remember cultivated some sort of contrariness. They jostled prevailing conventions and dislodged expecta-

tions. (Caravaggio's picture of a conventional renaissance subject, Cupid, makes the pudgy, bruised figure look like a dead baby.)

While contrariness matters in a good artist's work, it's not usually the motor that powers it. Ensor's career was powered by contrariness of different kinds. We remember him mostly for pictures made in the late 1880s and 1890s of garish, masked figures, or creatures that are masks, which confront us in a way that announces some unhappy judgment — against ourselves, against themselves — with cruel glee.

Ensor was born in 1860 in the seaside resort town of Ostend, where vacationers swam, gambled, fine-dined, took the air, and shopped. One of the shops, owned by his parents and eventually by him, sold seashells, chinoiserie, lace, and comic-grotesque Carnival masks. Except for an 1877-1880 stint at the Royal Academy of Fine Arts in Brussels, Ensor spent his life in Ostend devoted to a singular pursuit: "I will tell to all the beautiful legend of the I, the universal I, the unique I, the potbellied I, and the great subject To Be: I am, we are, you are, they are!" That prickly little self-portrait applies to the Ensor who came into himself as an artist in the 1880s. Those years are the axis of an exhibition at the Getty Center that situates him in the art of his time, in his home place, and in his own cranky temperament. Friends and relatives spoke of his courtesy and gift for friendship, but the personality animating the pictures is sardonic, quarrelsome, and perversely sermonizing.

At the Royal Academy Ensor was taught classical values of proportion, perspective, tone, and the allegiance to a generalized classical ideal - objectivity, the true, the beautiful. The technical things he learned served him well, but the classical model repelled him. He never tired of denouncing "the sober and moderate approval of the academy." His values early on derived from

Impressionism: to work from life, not from an ideal, and to catch life, whenever possible, as we see it being lived. He was precocious.

At age 16 he'd already made a beach scene depicting a wheeled bathing hut. The brave little vehicle has a great silence and diligence, though behind it lie scrambled shadows, restless seas, and tumbling clouds.

After school in Brussels, Ensor came home to Ostend and established himself as a maker of richly textured plein-air scenes, interiors, and still lifes. The interiors are mostly stifling, sour enclosures, except for a very large picture titled The Oyster Eater, which has a flashy, dynamic colorism: a woman at a richly appointed table is eating a lusciously plump oyster. (Some critics hated the picture because it treated a trivial bourgeois anecdote as if it were a magisterial subject, which of course it was and is.) The room is a splashy pleasure garden: books bound in red, a brilliant lemon, pink and blue carnations, glasses and jars filled with liquors that seem astir in their own peachy and pomegranate colors.

Ensor was hard on the surfaces of these early pictures. He scraped, dragged, knifed, and pinched pigment. (He called the palette knife the "unthinking instrument of the manual laborer.") The Lady on the Breakwater, from 1880, is the most startling thing in the exhibition. Its patched, shingled textures and statuesque slabby-ness push the medium to the threshold of abstraction: the figure, carrying a parasol that looks like a hovering storm cloud, is a brusque construction of planks of dark grays and greens, reductive and elemental. Ensor's muscular manner of handling paint is already in place, but there's no menace or meanness or fury in the



Christ's Entry into Brussels in 1889, by James Ensor (oil on canvas, 1888)

The Scandalous Art of James Ensor, on view at the Getty Center in Los Angeles until September 7. 1200 Getty Center Drive, Los Angeles. 310-440-7330; getty.edu

figure itself. That soon changed.

Drawings are a painter's equivalent of a writer's notebooks. It's a place to test ideas and confide feeling, to converse (and contend) with imposing predecessors and the history of the art. Ensor's sketchbooks are filled with imitations of Rembrandt, Delacroix, and Courbet, but while making his way as an in-the-cultural-stream, Manet-style Impressionist, he was confiding in the drawings a different pictorial language. In the early 1880s grotesques begin to appear, as well as Japanese imagery (just making its way in the West) of fierce Kabuki costuming and masks. By the mid-1880s he's copying Daumier's viciously comic caricatures and creating his own caustic types — the fop, the vulgar swell, the high-society dame. And one page is covered with spectral Carnival masks.

In his paintings around this time, Ensor's work gets ruder. He'll continue to paint portraits, seascapes, and still lifes, but now masks and multitudes rule. The Getty exhibition includes his most famous pictures. In Christ's Entry into Brussels in 1889, a festive throng packs the streets; in the middle distance sits an irrelevant, barely distinguishable Christ the King. The masked procession, led by a drum-major bishop and

steeled by ranks of soldiers, looks about to break up from its own energies. The partiers aren't worshipping Christ, they're celebrating license, masquerade, and incipient chaos. A banner above the proscenium arch through which the parade passes, "Vive La Sociale," announces (and mocks) workers' and socialist movements, and a placard acidly announces "Fanfares Doctrinaires/Toujours Réussi," "Dogmatic Fanfares/ Always Succeed." Ensor knew what he intended. In a letter he spoke of Christ's Entry's "racket of distinct characters and intense colors" and of the picture's "aggression and movement." We're far from the earlier cozy interiors. The tone of this new public world is contrarian, derisive, ferocious, leering.

Masks model the real while importing the strange, and the strangeness fixes the identity. The natural face is the grand betrayer or faker of feeling; the mask doesn't give anything away because it doesn't change, and its fixity drains it of any suggestion of inner life. Its inexpressiveness can be a form of cruelty. In another great, hilariously jarring mask picture, The Intrigue from 1890, a good bourgeois couple taking their evening constitutional are intruded upon by clamorous beseechers who include a plump





The Intrigue, by James Ensor (1890)

woman holding a baby (or doll baby: a babykin), a leering character with a pruning-saw jaw, and other masked presences expressing sniffy censure and googly-eyed delectation. The picture is a barbed nest of gossip, mean inquisitiveness, and mendacious declaration. The gelid greens and tarnished golds twist the masks' faux gaiety into a weirdly vivacious travesty of companionship.

During the same period Ensor was painting religious imagery with the same fervent, thinned-out, racing sweeps and jolts of color as the masks. Sometimes the religious fervor is enacted by masks. In his early naturalistic work, he took what the world offered and worked with that, but starting around 1885 a wilder contrary passion

took hold, a temperamental Old Testament grandiosity. In Adam and Eve Expelled from Paradise the shamed couple in the lower corner have already been claimed by the fallen world they now have to cultivate. Ensor's representation of deity terrifies. God is an out-of-control whirligig of lashing light. One whippy fiery cable seems to have just thrown Adam and Eve to the ground: God is the wheel of fire driving them literally into the dirt and scrubland that's their new home.

Though he wasn't a religious fanatic, Ensor made imagery possessed of a fanatical, bloody religiosity. most is Fall of Angels, a firebeneath which fallen angels abjectly contort themselves: all orders are broken and scrambled into random wickedness and manic destructive energy. In the 1880s and 1890s Ensor made many pictures and drawings of masses, of what Elias Canetti once described as modernity's new political entity, the Crowd. It takes different forms: Christ's Entry into Brussels in 1889 is a monstrous civic parade; The Cuirassiers at Waterloo is a built-for-killing military formation; Hop-Frog's Revenge — based on Poe's story of a dwarf who takes revenge on king and court by disguising them as orangutans at a costume ball, hanging them from a chandelier, and setting them on fire — is a party gone



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Ensor was a romantic lover of the strange - maybe too enthralled a lover.

In the 1880s, the maker of chamber pictures was taken over by a coarsely comedic moral fanaticism, obsessed not so much with a painting style as with a view of the human race and of earthly existence. While he continued to make still lifes and landscapes, in a thinned-out impasto of heavily marbled blues and greens and yellows, Ensor came most alive when depicting deceptive appearances, carnal insults, and raucous disorderings of social and moral niceties. He relished his self-appointed office of Great Disturber and had great fun depicting the hapless grinning skeletons that we lie in wait to become. One picture shows a skeleton perusing exquisite chinoiserie: he's the terminal, or terminating, critic of worldly exquisiteness.

A mask is a theatrical second-self, a simulacrum self. It fixes the incredible emotional plasticity of the face into an unchanging single-emotion regard for the world. One of Ensor's late pictures proposes a denunciation of his own obsessions. The Torn Away Mask, from 1915, is yet another masked scene that might be a social gathering or meeting of town dignitaries (including a pig crowned with garlands and a figure on horseback whose head is a scythe). A gypsy woman has torn a mask from the face of a young woman, who looks fearful and appalled to be so revealed. The crowd looks amused and informed by the revelation.

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Color the World A photography exhibit of works by Kjose Elliott. This is a PopUp Gallery and will only be up for one night. Friday. August 1, 6:30pm; free. Daily Scoop, 3004 Juniper Street. (SOUTH PARK

Figurative Inspiration Group: Closing Reception Figurative Inspiration Group: Drawings and Paintings of the Human Figure. 17 award-winning artists gather weekly at Bravo School of Art to draw and paint the human figure. Meeting weekly for almost a decade, FIG members are a prolific bunch. In conjunction with NTC at Liberty Station's Friday Night Liberty, an evening of free open artist studios, galleries, and performances. Friday, August 1, 5pm; free. Bravo School of Art at Liberty Station, 2690 Historic Decatur Rd., Barracks 19, Studio 206, (POINT LOMA)

Friday Night Liberty FX Dojo pays a creative tribute to Star Wars with a group exhibition of 70+ artists who pay homage to the science fiction opera that defines a genre at Barracks 17. Vixen presents a pop up fashion, art, music collaborative at the North End. See free dance performances by Baja's most talented artists from 6-8pm at Barracks 17 Plaza. Meet artists in their studios and take part in a community painting at M. Fischbeck Studio Gallery, Barracks 19. Get messy with Clay at Expressive Arts Institute, Building 201. See new exhibitions at Visions Art Museum, hear Opera Neo at the SD Watercolor Society, and don't forget Solare Ristorante has a great happy hour. Friday Night Liberty is a monthly free night of open studios, galleries and performances. Like no other art event in San Diego, FNL brings together the unique culture that celebrates San Diego artists in a historic setting. Friday, August 1, 5pm; free. NTC at Liberty Station Arts and Culture District, 2640 Historic Decatur Road, (LIBERTY STATION)





Juried Fine-Arts Show: Opening Reception 63rd annual juried fine-arts show. Show categories: paintings (all media), photography, computer art, and sculpture. Cash prizes and awards at 4pm. With live music and refreshments. Show dates Wednesday, July 30 through Sunday, September 7. Sunday. August 3, 3pm; free. Carlsbad Oceanside Art League's COAL Gallery, 300 Carlsbad Village Drive #101. (CARLSBAD)

Latin American Festival and Mata Ortiz Pottery Market The Bazaar del Mundo Shops in Old Town offer a weekend full of folk art, food, and entertainment at the annual Latin American Festival and Mata Ortiz Pottery Market. Shoppers will find hand-painted Mata Ortiz Pottery, artisan jewelry, Mexican clothing, and many other colorful collectibles. The vibrant

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Make It Pop: Art Installation Seven rooms filled with art installations and murals brought to you by Thumbprint Gallery, music by Mike Cooper of The Hunt and DJ JoeMama, a fashion show by Cecilia Aragon, local indie designers for shopping, and more. Food trucks and hosted bar for the first hour. Friday, August 1, 7pm; \$15, NTC at Liberty Station Arts and Culture District, 2640 Historic Decatur Road, (LIBERTY STATION)

Oceanside ArtWalk The city of Oceanside unveils its inaugural art walk, showcasing live performances, music, poetry, and the visual arts embedded in city businesses and public spaces around the Downtown Arts and Entertainment District. This event is the first art walk of many to be held on the first Friday of each month. Nine artists from the Sargent Art Group will exhibit their visual art and pottery at the "PoP-Up" gallery in the Nationwide Insurance Agency at 713 Mission Ave., across the street from the Oceanside Museum of Art. Participating artists: Linda Luisi, Terry Allen, Carol Korfin, Don Pallia, Marie Chapian, Kathleen McVey, Kathleen Hamilton, Rosemary Valente, and Donna Dietrich. Friday, August 1, 6pm; free. Oceanside Museum of Art, 704 Pier View Way. (OCEANSIDE)

Outside the Lens: Summer Camp Photo Exhibition Outside the Lens summer camp students will exhibit their photography at Liberty Station. Friday, August 1, 5pm; free. NTC at Liberty Station, Barracks 15, Studio 103, 2750 Historic Decatur Road. (LIBERTY STATION)

San Marcos ArtWalk The Art-Walk, sponsored by Old California Restaurant Row, is host to more than 30 local artists. Visitors will enjoy an array of fine arts from North County artists and arts organizations such as Alex Babic, Peirce Williams, Charity Wings, and the San Marcos Arts Council. The Art-Walk is a perfect opportunity to choose from unique and one-ofa-kind gifts or personal treasures. In addition, international-mural organization Art Miles will host an all-ages mural project. The monthly event is held on the first Sunday of each month from 10am-2pm, now through October. The ArtWalk shares Sunday with a high-energy Car Show and the delights of a local Farmers Market Sunday's events are free for all ages. Special offers on dining and entertainment will be available for a variety of businesses at Old California Restaurant Row. Info: contact@raziahroushan.com Sunday, August 3, 10am; free. Old California Restaurant Row, 1080 West San Marcos Boulevard. (SAN MARCOS)

Shore Thing This summer favorite is back for a second year. Mingle with old friends and make a few new ones in our beautiful Sculpture Garden this summer. The galleries will be open late and guests will enjoy cocktails on the terrace (cash bar), live music, tours of current exhibitions, and more. Join us for art experiences, sunsets, and great tunes as you soak in the beautiful La Jolla coastline. This program is free with admission, and 25 and under always play for free at MCASD! Thursdays, 5pm; through Thursday, August 28, free. Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego, La Jolla, 700 Prospect Street. (LA JOLLA)

Star Wars: A Creative Tribute to a Galaxy Far Far Away Please join us as the FX Dojo Art Show

pays tribute to Star Wars. This group exhibit celebrates the work of students, local San Diego artists, and industry professionals as they pay homage to their Star Wars favorites. San Diego Star War Society, 501st Legion, and Rebel Legion will be in attendance. Cosplaying is encouraged! Info: artshow@fxdojo. com. Friday, August 1, 6pm; free. NTC at Liberty Station, Barracks 17, 2710 Historic Decatur Road. (LIBERTY STATION)

Summer Night Art Social The Art Elephant (TAE), together with Thumbprint Gallery, will curate a Summer Night Art Social at Disconnected Salon. The event will launch TAE Magazine, a free creative online quarterly magazine. With drinks, a live DI, and works from Keemowerks, Mimi Yoon, Eric Wixon, and Lauren Turton in styles from multi-layered spray paint and stickers to self portrait photography and a variety of mixed mediums. Thursday, July 31, 6pm: free. Disconnected Salon, 3830 30th Street, (NORTH PARK)



Pleasure additive

"It's a block away from where I live. Also, it's the cheapest Thai place we know."

'hu-where are we?" Yes, I'm kinda nervous. Driving with Ria, Carla's

best buddy. I mean, she's a good driver and all, but this wagon: Volvo, 200,000 miles before the odometer stopped working, heater won't turn off, driver's side window won't wind down.

"You, sir, are in Egger Highlands, San Diego," says Ria.

Egger...? Highlands? All I know is we're kinda between Nestor and Palm City, inland from Imperial Beach.

"The Egger family was big around here," says Ria, who had this idea of driving us both to get eats at a Thai place she knows. We're both waiting for Carla to get home. Figure on eating some, taking some back to her. One thing for sure, Carla loves Thai.

It's dark by the time we pull in to a strip mall on the south side of Palm and roll to a halt in front of a storefront with the sign "Noodles Noodles."

"Why here?" I say.

"Because this is our neighborhood Thai," she says. "It's a block away from where I live. Also, it's the cheapest Thai place we know."

A-ha. Now she's speaking my language. Inside's kinda spare, very clean, and kinda classy. Solid polished wood tables, maroon bench booths. The counter is lined with shiny gray marble tile, and they've got the standard puffy pictures of elephants and mythical dancing characters dotted around the olive-

green walls. It feels new. "Been here a year," Ria says. "First thing I had was lard nar. Pretty good. Nice and sloppy."

"But, really, *lard nar* is kinda *tamada* when it comes to Thai dishes," she says after she's thought a minute. Turns out tamada means "ordinary, so-so" in Thai. Ria's American but she and her brothers and sisters spent

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Emily, the girl at the back counter, says she hasn't been to Thailand, even though her father, the guy cooking in the

a lot of years in Bangkok.

kitchen behind, is from there. We decide to get two or three dishes, sample some, take the rest home.

My eyes scan the starters. They're totally standard but so nicely priced. Crispy rolls

with ground pork are \$3.50 for three. Spring rolls (tofu or chicken) go two for \$3.50. Pot stickers are five for \$3.50, fish balls you get eight for \$3.50, and fried tofu with peanut sauce is \$4.50.

But it's the last one that catches my eye. Tom kha kai soup. With chicken, \$4.95. This is the coconut milk soup with galangal (Asian ginger), lime juice, plus veggies. And you get 16 ounces.

"Let's start off with that while we check out the rest," I say to Ria.

It comes creamy-orange, with green and red pepper slices and bits of white chicken bobbing around in the thick liquid. And in a solid white bowl, nothing polystyrenish. And that *galangal*'s twang comes through the slightly sweet-savoriness of the soup. Normally I go for the tom yum soup, the more lemony-cilantroey version that comes without the coconut milk. But this is great. I'm liking the place already.

Pleasure additive: We get some oliang, Thai iced black coffee. Ria knows about this stuff. A lot.

"O [means] 'black' in the Teochew Chinese dialect," she says, "Liang [means] 'cold.' Most Thai Chinese speak Teochew."

Wow. Impressed. But what I love is the taste. It almost feels brewed. For some reason I think of Mission Brewery's Dark Seas stout.

Here there's the coffee, plus soybeans, corn, and sesame seeds in the mix. Dang, but it's good and thirst-quenching.

So, what next? Ria, who's a spunky no-BS



Thai mythical protectors decorate Noodles Noodles' walls

kid with a twinkle in her eye and firm opinions, says the lard nar she had here last time was "okay," but those big, wide sloppy noodles that slap your face are a pain, and the blackbean gravy sauce "wasn't that interesting."

Ria takes another slurp from the tom kha kai. ("It means 'chicken' - kai - galangal *kha* — soup — *tom*," she says. "It's good.")

So, then we kinda coast into two mistakes. First Ria goes for a curry. The panang is basically more coconut milk. Again, great deal at \$7.50. She gets chicken with this and could have pineapple, but drops that. It's good, with a basil flavor to it, and plenty of meat and carrots and bell peppers, but it's not different enough from the soup. Our fault, not theirs.

Mistake #2: I ordered the BBQ pork rice. I was thinking kow moo dang - skewered, redrimmed mini-medallions of pork. Swear I had that once. But what turns up is one big grilled pork chop with a pile of rice and a small bowl of tamarind sauce.

"I think it's because they have a lot of ferang — foreigners, us — here, and they kind of compromise on some dishes," says Ria.

The tamarind sauce is tasty, with chili, cilantro, and crushed shallots giving it grit, but



Ria spoons in some of the panang

somehow it doesn't feel Thai to me. And I see a lot of what look like "compromise" dishes. Chicken teriyaki, chow mein, yakisoba. Still, pork chop and rice for \$6.95...I ain't complaining.

We reserve the panang for Carla and end up taking half of the rest to share. It's a lot. I mean, this place is a definite deal. Next time, all we've got to do is ask more questions before we leap into the wild unknown.

"So, Egger Highlands?" I say. I'm climbing gingerly back into the Volvo. "How come I've never heard of them?"

"Mr. Egger owned all this land back in the 1940s," says Ria. "He gave a big block to build the first Catholic Church in these parts, Saint Charles. Catholics know about it. But you know what this place should be famous for?" I shake my head.

"Just the first-ever manned flight in the U.S. John Montgomery, 1884, 20 years before the Wright brothers! The Egger Highlands were the highlands he flew from."

Wow. Buy this girl another oliang. This has been what you might call an Ed-ucation. ■

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The Place: Noodles Noodles, 1555 Palm Avenue, suite H, near Nestor, 619-946-4556 Prices: Crispy rolls with ground pork, 3 for \$3.50; tom kha kai soup with coconut milk, chicken, \$4.95; lard nar flat noodles with black bean gravy, \$7.50 (with fried tofu, chicken, pork, or beef), \$7.50, with shrimp, \$8.50; spicy

basil (with squash) and same meat choices, same prices; panang curry (same meat choices, same prices; BBQ pork rice, \$6.95; green tea ice cream, \$2.50 Hours: 11:00 a.m.-9:30 p.m. daily

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Scoops and flights come to North Park

3077 University Avenue — It comes as a surprise that North Park *didn't* have a hipster ice

cream shop before Hammond's Gourmet Ice Cream opened in the past couple of weeks. But —

sporting yet another badge-style logo, minimalist design, and a chic display of retro ice cream scoops — the new ice cream parlor fits right in to the neighborhood.

Cutesy design aside, they scoop some tasty ice cream, namely the 32 flavors of the Tropical Dreams brand, produced in Hawaii. Billed as super-high fat content and correspondingly low on incorporated air, the ice cream is dense

and rich. Flavors partly reflect Hawaii (Kona coffee, macadamia nut, etc.), and conventional flavors (chocolate, vanilla, strawberry, et al.), with a few trendy options (like salted caramel) in the mix.

About \$5 buys enough ice cream to satisfy even a greedy little ice cream muncher.

The biggest draw is the option to buy the ice cream in "flights" of four to eight tiny little cones served in a holder. Indecisive snackers can work their way through half a dozen different flavors. The concept is undeniably adorable and also practical.

As ice creams go, this stuff is pretty good, a mixed bag of excellence and *meh*. The Tahitian vanilla lacks luster (a bummer for the plain-Jane fans out there), and the pistachio has a weird taste, almost like the artificial fruitiness of Fruity



Wall decor of vintage-y ice cream scoops

Pebbles cereal. The mac nut could be nuttier. The Kona coffee is excellent, as is the ginger flavor. The various coconut variations work well, too. The truth is that it's on par with what you'd get from other local ice cream stalwarts (Gelato Vero, Mariposa, etc.), but no innovation in ice cream service. It is very much the neighborhood ice cream parlor it claims to be, which is rather refreshing, when you get right

down to it.

by Ian Pike

_____ Mad Hatter preferred

4020 Goldfinch Street — Combine a few of my favorite things — shaded outdoor patio, fine cheeses, tasty share-able plates, and a variety of dogs to ogle — and you have my new favorite happy-hour hangout spot. The Patio on Goldfinch recently opened with an overcrowded

bang just across the street from Brooklyn Girl in Mission Hills. The stunning interior design, with its soaring open spaces, living walls, and wood throughout, makes me feel as though I'm lounging in the Garden of Eden, sans the satanic snake.

At the time I'm writing this, the place has been open for just

over two weeks and I've already been there four times. Here's a round-up of some of the quality food I've had a chance to sample so far. I should probably mention first that though the specialty cocktail list is fun, I found most of the cocktails to be just a little too sweet. To avoid mixers, I recommend going straight for an infusion, such as the Goldfinch, which is blanco tequila infused with pineapple and vanilla beans. My favorite drink so far is the Sassy Sangrita, which is like a spicy (serrano, jalapeño, chili powder)





Shrimp corndogs — on the Patio's happy-hour menu

margarita. David prefers the Mad Hatter, with w bourbon, barolo chinato, housemade grenadine, cl

and orange bitters. The first time we happened in, it was early Saturday morning the weekend they opened. I love that the place is open from 8 a.m. to midnight every day, making it a convenient go-to for those of us who work outside of the typical 9 to 5 gig. That first day, David ordered the house-cured lox sandwich, which was said to come on a croissant. Though the presentation was gorgeous, David was disappointed that the "croissant" was actually more like a pressed disc of dough — as if it had been steamrollered and then cut out with a circular cookie cutter — more chewy than flaky, closer to a *sope* than a croissant.

I got the Patio breakfast sandwich, with a spicy pork sausage patty, tomato, more frisee than a sandwich like it needs, and a fried egg, all on a cheddar-cheese biscuit and served with a side of gravy. I'm glad the sandwich didn't come with any potatoes or other accoutrements because by itself it already has a bit of everything, and I found it to be satisfying.

Happy hour has become my favorite time to hit up the patio. This is when all the dogs are out (as with the one on Lamont, this patio is dog-friendly and even has its own doggie mascot named Gordie). But more importantly, during happy hour all specialty cocktails and wines by the glass are half-off, a great deal considering some glasses of wine get up there in price. Thus far I've liked everything I've tried on the happy-hour menu, from the sautéed seasonal mushrooms and beet bruschetta to the shrimp corndogs.

One particularly unique dish is the grilled shrimp over creamy soba noodles flavored with miso, soy, garlic, ginger, Thai peanut sauce, and garnished with spicy and tangy Sriracha.

Perhaps my favorite treats, however, come from the selection of cheeses. As it

was explained to me, the Patio purchases its cheese through Venissimo and ages it onsite, in a glass-walled cave between the bar and the back dining room. The cheese is organized into thematic boards, such as the Left Coast (cheddar with apple and toasted pepper, soft goat cheese with fresh fig and balsamic, hard sheep cheese with sun-dried tomato). Another board is Vive La France, with three kinds of French cheese and their accompaniments. And still a third is the Italian-themed You Say Buffalo, I Say Bufala.

David loved the cioppino, a small but packed saucer of crab claws, little neck clams, mussels, shrimp, scallops, and fish, a dish that, for its quality ingredients, he thought was a steal at \$14.

On a visit for dinner, I opted for the short rib, which is a "small plate" but filling enough and also a good deal at \$13. The braised beef is served atop a parsnip purée and drenched in a rich and delicious demi glace with micro mirepoix (carrots, onion, celery).

We only made it to dessert one time and opted to share one of the smaller offerings — the carrot cake in a small jar. Turns out this was the perfect size for a few bites each of cream cheese frosting, not-overly-sweet carrot cake, and the pleasantly salted caramel drizzle.

The Patio is understandably packed, so be sure to make reservations or get there during happy hour (3 to 6). Chances are you'll see me there. *by Barbarella Fokos*







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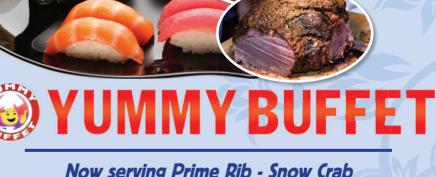




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Golden Hill dog fight

I had big plans. Was going to catch the #2 up to South Park, get a pizza to take home to Carla, from that place with the coolest terrazza in town, Buona Forchetta. And maybe grab a sunset beer while I waited.

Except — many a slip 'twixt cup and lip — on my way to the bus stop, I passed this food truck setting up at 25th and



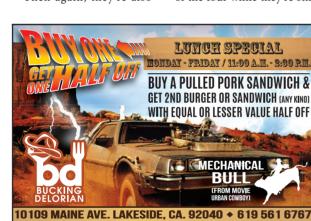
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And I see they have tables in the shade of a kind of tent they've set up. Plus, the guy's stoking up the coals of a grill by the sidewalk. Oh, yeah. He's going to put onions, beans, peppers to roast on top. Man. Thought the health authorities had clamped down on all that outside cooking. But just maybe it's so great here, they've had a rethink.

Whatever. The sign says Street King Tacos, and they have a complete line-up of tacos, from fish to shrimp to beef to a stand-alone avocado taco, to a mulita (melted cheese between two tacos, with meat, onions, cilantro, guac on top). Three bucks each, for most of them.

So, I order a fish taco...and then a California taco. This is interesting, because California burrito everybody knows. Carne asada and french fries and guac. But the taco version, guess I'd never seen it. This one comes with sour cream, cheese and pico de gallo as well. He gives me the two for \$5.

Then again, they're also



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doing hot dogs. Carla can warm. The two I like best are never get enough of those doggies. So, I decide to add dogs to go and forget going up to South Park for the flatbread. I start looking at the dogs. The TJ one's the obvious choice. Bacon-wrapped, plus

tomato and grilled onions. That's a go. Then again, the SD Dog has all that plus chorizo and avocado slices. So, maybe

"How much for the two?" I ask the guy. Because I'm counting my lettuce. "Uh, can you do two of them for \$5 as well? I'm a little strapped."

one of each?

He checks with Angel the owner. "Okay, \$5, special," he says

Great. He didn't have to do it. So, farewell South Park, hello street food!

Ten minutes later, I have this wad of food. I long to just sit down under the tent in the setting sun and have at it. But, no. This is for sharing with Carla. Bringing home the bacon, right? Wrapped around the dogs.

I jump on the first bus home. We race to taste each of the four while they're still

the SD Dog, with the bacon plus chorizo and avo, and the fish taco, just because it's so crispy and lush in a fresh raw salad of red chopped tomato, red and white cabbage, and green peppers. Salsa bandera! Because the colors look like the Mexican flag. Aka pico de gallo, "the rooster's beak" (never heard a good explanation for that one).

Carla makes a grab for the California taco - she has always been a California burrito freak — and we end up splitting half of each of the hot dogs. We agree that the SD Dog win. Luscious.

"But next time, doll, let's do this together," she says. "There, on the spot. These things have got to be hot, fresh off the grill."

She has a point. Plus, when you're there, you get the bonus of the roasted beans and green onions from the outside grill.

According to Angel, the owner, they've been at their location ten months. Can't think how I've missed them all this time. ETA next visit? Oh, ten hours?

by Ed Bedford

Off-menu at my nearby taco shop

2496 Broadway — I've rarely



been more than a ten-minute drive to Los Reves over the years, and for the past few it's been about a five-minute walk. The place is entirely what I expect from a San Diego burrito shop — beginning with cheap — and when I moved in to the area, I considered its proximity a perk.

In fact, by that time I was finally getting over what verged on an addiction to the Los Reyes al pastor, a beautifully moist and savory take on the dish that I'd occasionally order as a taco, but more often as a burrito.

Maybe it's heresy of me to say that I prefer a Mission burrito to our local style. While I admit it's mind-blowing to think anything with the name Mission wouldn't hail from San Diego, this burrito's what you get from places like El Farolito, in San Francisco's Mission District. The difference? Our burritos usually focus on meat, cilantro, onions, and maybe some beans. A Mission burrito adds beans, rice, and if you're doing it right, guacamole, sour cream, and cheese. Sort of like a seven-layer dip in a giant flour tortilla. Can anybody fault that?

It didn't take long before I started asking the good people at Los Reyes to add some rice to my al pastor burrito. I'm pretty sure I asked for guac

right from day one. As addons go, these are pretty typical requests. And at somewhere between five and six bucks per baseline burrito, I felt like I had some wiggle room to go larger without emptying the wallet.

As I got a little more brazen, the other Mission ingredients started making their way into the order. It probably wasn't until I heard myself saying, "Hey, maybe throw some lettuce on there?" that I started to think I might be getting carried away.

The important thing to note is they were willing to work with me. As I made my way through the different taco and burrito toppings Los Reyes had to offer, I even began to mix it up a little. No beans or cheese but maybe sour cream and cabbage to go with my carne asada. Authentic? I couldn't pretend I was going for anything close. I simply became like a kid in a candy shop, where the candy consisted of jalapeños and grated cheddar.

But my finest moment came more recently, as I tried to decide between the flavorful carnitas and the mellow spice of the chile relleno. I ordered the relleno, then waited a beat. "Add carnitas," I said, my eyes daring, even steely. Or maybe just squinting — it's tough to tell behind my glasses. My enabler on the other side of the counter raised an eyebrow, perhaps finally thrown by my audacity. "Okay," he shrugged.

And so, the carnitas chile relleno burrito with rice and beans. And guacamole as a matter of course. The melted cheese of the *relleno* mixes with the slightly crisp chewiness of the carnitas. The rice absorbs the salsa roja generously poured over each bite (or verde, if you want to go super Southwestern). The beans... do whatever it is they ever do. This is what having it all is like, with no royalties due to San Francisco

Oh, I'm sure you can find such a thing there, and here, in restaurants with crafted names and real wood tables. But this is Los Reyes, my own plastic, low-key local, which serves horchata and will even make you pear juice if you want it. These are some of my favorite last-minute dinner flavors coming together in one excellent, maybe-eight-dollars-andchange burrito.

And soon afterward, this will be a nap.

by Ian Anderson

Hard to swallow. "The letter came registered mail — signature requested on July 3." It was an eviction notice. Katie Halvin says it gave her until November 1 to vacate her Parkway Bar. She and her husband Doug have owned and operated the La Mesa

singled out for eviction — a number of other retailers in the strip mall got similar notices. "But had we sent the property owner written notification in time, we'd have another five years on our lease," she says, "and he'd have to buy us out." The way



saloon for the past five years. "The world came out from under me," she says. Since no reason for the eviction was listed, Doug Halvin called the property owner. it stands now, Halvin will leave with nothing to show for her time and investment. That's a hard lesson learned, she says as she looks about her domain on a crowded



The Halvins have had better times at their Parkway Bar.

The short of it is that the Halvins had somehow failed to file the lease option under the terms stipulated in their rental contract. But there's more...

The Parkway Bar wasn't

Sunday afternoon. "He told us we could take the fixtures."

The irony is that earlier that week, Halvin and her husband had decided to sell off his swimming-poolcleaning business and go all-in at the bar. Applying for a full liquor license was on their radar. She says the beerand-wine-only establishment pays for itself with enough left over to buy groceries for her family. "We wanted to flip the place into a more profitable business."

But it turns out the property owner, Aaron Dean, has similar ideas. Halvin found this out when she looked into the possibility of taking over another space in the strip mall.

"We called Mr. Dean to find out what his plans were. He said, 'I'm gutting [the retail spaces] from the Parkway Bar all the way down to the vet's office next door to the Souplantation."

Along with part of the strip mall, Dean owns a company called HTF Global, a company that markets private-label spirits; he also had a hand in the development of the Gaslamp Quarter. He confirmed by phone that plans include the possibility of a microbrewery, a restaurant, and a potential entertainment venue.

"My family has been part of the city of La Mesa for 50 years. My grandfather bought that property in the '60s. It's time to clean up a dilapidated shopping center."

Halvin declines to say how much she and her husband paid to purchase and renovate the Parkway Bar. "I still want to see [the property owner] honor that lease in some way. It's hard for me to swallow." — Dave Good

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Hold Steady Death-

trap. After a four-year hiatus, Brooklyn-based alt-rock band the Hold Steady is back on the road supporting a new disc, *Teeth Dreams*. They'll be at Belly Up Thursday night, July 31. The band toured relentlessly during their tenure on Vagrant records (2006–2010), so the *Reader* caught up with guitarist Tad Kubler to find out how he, and the rest of the band, dealt with life off the road.

"I think it was really necessary," Kubler said. "We were working at a pace that I think we weren't going to be able to maintain, and I think the break helped in a lot of ways, if only to have everybody be excited about coming back to work." As far as what everybody did during the break, he added, "I was doing a lot of music for film and TV. Craig [Finn, the singer] did a solo record. Bobby [Drake, the drummer] opened a bar. Steve [Selvidge, the guitarist] and I both have kids, so being at home was a real blessing."

In 2006, the Hold Steady played the Brick By Brick in the early stages of their tour for *Boys and Girls in America*. After a raucous set, they left the venue in some jerry-rigged touring vessel. What was that thing? Kubler added, "We still talk about the story when we were on tour with the Constantines. In San Diego,

"We had a box-truck that



Back on the road, the Hold Steady's deathtrap days are behind them.

we converted into a bigger van, or a not-so-traditional bus of some kind," Kubler explained. "That thing was a fucking deathtrap. It's amazing that nobody ever got hurt in that thing. It had two bucket seats up front, and then it had a backseat as part of that compartment. It had a side door that was part of the box. So you walked in that side door and you could either sit in the bench seat or there was another sliding door — it was almost like a cooler door — that went into the back. And then in the back we had a loft to sleep on that slept three people comfortably, or we had a loveseat and a reclining chair. It was nice because you could stand up and we had a TV and a DVD player back there and an Xbox or something like that."

after the show, I think we had anywhere from 18 to 21 people in that thing on the way back to the hotel." — Dryw Keltz

Rockers who write.

The local music scene abounds in literary aspirations, with new and reissued books from players such as Ben Johnson, Alfred Howard, J.D. Boucharde, Wayne Riker, Justin Pearson, and Jon Kanis.

Drummer and longtime Casbah bartender Ben Johnson's book, *A Shadow Cast in Dust*, subtitled "An Urban Fantasy Epic," mostly takes place in Golden Hill and concerns an "ancient order of web spinners," a silver knife, a detective, and a boy "running from his captors through the canyons of San *(continued on page 56)*

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Diego with his new friends and special dog." The first chapter can be previewed at GrandMalPress.com.

Man of a dozen bands



new novel. A Shadow Cast in Dust.

Alfred Howard recently released The Autobiography of No One, which includes essays, scrapbook images, lyrics, and more. Justin Pearson's How to Lose Friends and Irritate People, chronicling a miserable Australian tour with the Bloody Beetroots, is being reissued by his label Three One G.

Acoustic crooner J.D. Boucharde's When I'm No Longer There is a children's book "about the life of a house," illustrated by Jody Shannon. Guitar teacher Wayne Riker's Blues Licks

Encyclopedia offers over 300 licks, intros, and turnarounds covering Delta, Chicago, Texas, rock, country, swing, minor, and slide blues styles.

Due August 1 is Jon Kanis's Encyclopedia Walking: Pop Culture and the Alchemy of Rock 'n' Roll. "It's a selective anthology of my published writ-

> ing, mostly feature articles spanning the time frame of 1994 to 2014," he says of the collection, which includes work from the Reader, Schlock, Ugly Things, and San Diego Troubadour. "The general slant of the work is regarding the history and biography of music and film, but there are also examinations about pop culture.

The last chapter of the book focuses on how the mass-media informs and shapes general consciousness across the globe, whilst looking back at being 12 in the summer of 1976 in D.C. during the bicentennial."

See? Literary aspirations. "That chapter is called 'Epiphanies to Slay the Dragon; Coming of Age in the Spirit of '76, a Mashup Mosiac." - Jay Allen Sanford

Mr. Kilgour's SoCal **holiday**. When you think New Zealand, quality rock isn't usually what comes to

OVERHEARD? EMAIL JAS2669@AOL_COM - IF WE USE YOUR TIP, YOU GET THE ARTWORK mind. Back in the early '80s, though, a small label called Flying Nun Records began churning out stimulating releases by bands such as the Verlaines, Tall Dwarfs, and the Clean.

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The Clean was probably the most interesting, and successful, of the collection. Listening to them today, the band's scrappiness, pop charm, and strange turns sound like an obvious predecessor to a group that would ride the same formula to underground stardom in the United States — Pavement.

Perhaps to return the favor, the Clean's main songwriter, David Kilgour, was invited to join Pavement on a U.S. tour in 1994. The tour ended in the Southwest, where Kilgour begins this nightmarish recollection of his "holiday" before returning to New Zealand: "My only San Diego experience

was at the end of a tour supporting Pavement promoting my LP Sugar Mouth. Before returning to NZ, my partner and I took off on a holiday to Joshua Tree. Second day there, the key to our rental

THAT GUY'S

WEARING A PLUSH

BATHROBE.



Heavy Eights play Soda Bar Sunday, hopefully after a surf session.

car became stuck in the ignition. So, we set out to San Diego, where we are told we can get another car. On getting there, they tell us they have no replacement for us but will in the morning. So, we stay the night in SD. In the morning they still have

no replacement car. I start to melt down and suddenly they bring us a Cadillac convertible sports car nuts. We go to Tijuana for the day, I get a shoeshine and a tequila and get the hell out

of there after buying some

drove to Long Beach where I

hired a surfboard and surfed

small, onshore waves. Then

we drove to the L.A. Melrose

shopping area, park our car,

go shopping, and return to

find all our belongings stolen

Mexican masks. We then

SAN DIEGO: DOWNTOWN JAY ALLEN SANFORD

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had a huge amount of photos I took on that Pavement tour, all gone, and a gorgeous pair of ankle-high Italian suede boots! We return to NZ with a pillow case for baggage. But the travel insurance did pay for a new refrigerator amongst other things." Kilgour is "crossing his

(apart from passports, cash,

guitar, and credit cards). I

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fingers" that he will be able to squeeze in a surf session when he stops in San Diego to play the Soda Bar with his backing band, the Heavy Eights, on August 3. Their short U.S. trek coincides with the release of their new LP, End Times Undone, and an appearance at this year's "Merge 25 Festival." — Dryw Keltz

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Thursday Brooklyn-via-Minneapolis alterna-

tive act the Hold Steady have held steady to their punk'd-rock form, churning out guitarist Tad Kubler's brand of beery-brawny rawk while frontman Craig Finn sing-speaks his beery-brainy poetics, mini-epic tales of the disenfranchised homeless hoodrats, post-rave party people, Sunday-school truants. Ten years and six records later, critics agree that this year's Teeth Dreams is the big record they've been

threatening to make. Take a taste of "Spinners" at the top of this week's podcast and see if you think their fist-pumping and proselytizing is built more for the stage than the stereo. I submit that the Hold Steady is a band that needs to be experienced. They follow Cheap Girls into Belly Up Thursday night Best of the rest: post-grunge five-piece Fuel ignites Brick by Brick with this year's offering, Puppet Strings. The new record marks the return of original Fuel frontman Brett Scallions. Royal Bliss, Cavalry, and Born to Rise up first...the Garza brothers play "Texican rock 'n' roll" as Chicano power trio Los Lonely Boys. Kenny Wayne Shepherd is a blues-rock shredder cut from the same cloth as Stevie Ray Vaughan. LLB and KWS both have new records on the Billboard charts and will split a bill at Humphreys by the Bay on Thursday ... while Tucson "sex-rock" guartet Prom Body joins our own surf-pop duo Heavy Hawaii at the Hideout.

HOLD STEADY AT BELLY UF

In Music

per's rolling behind his latest, One for the Road, which the San Francisco Chronicle gives props for "chill beats, effortless flow, and an affinity for weed — proper music to blaze to." If that's your

bag.... 'Round town Friday night, wielding

This Week

Houstown rap-

"instruments that bite and vocals that growl, Atlanta she-punk band the **Coathangers** play Suck My Shirt at Soda Bar. Kind of considered the female Black Lips, the quartet is young but blooming, delivering a sophomore set that is well-recorded, well-written, and teeming with force and emotional depth" (Pitchfork). We've got "Merry Go Round" going round on this week's pod, if you're interested. White Fang and the

Natives open the show...and if you need a quick change of sight and sound up there in City Heights, barhop the few blocks to "Freakout at the Hideout." where Dum Dum Girl Sandra Vu plays **SISU** for you. Wild Wild Wets and Wax Children are also on the bill, while DJ Mario Orduno spins 'round sets ...

THE COATHANGERS AT SODA BAR . "Jesus was king of the vatos!" Pall Jenkins's borderland dub band Mr. Tube & the Flying Objects land onstage at Casbah after Gletscher and Octagrape ... while Flowerthief (pop-rock), Schitzophonics (bluesrock), and **St. Cloud Sleepers** ("lounge-punk")

fill an indie-eclectic bill in Bankers Hill at Tin Can Ale House

> <u>Saturday</u> Veteran alt-rockers Weezer will be at the track after the day's races Saturday. The radio-made quartet's set to release the Ric Ocasek-produced Everything Will Be Alright

in the End. Weezer's

the show, the Western Regional Chili Cookoff (ba*a-arp!*), and a salsa contest (*iOlé!*).... Brooklyn's brass-funky **Budos Band**, boasting "a dirty dozen players," will take the stage (quite literally) at Casbah Saturday night. The Budos are due to drop their fourth studio record in October, Burnt Offering, about which the band's label, Daptone, suggests "touches of Fela Kuti, Dyke and the Blazers, and Black Sabbath." Our always-excellent psych-bent blues-rock trio **Schitzophonics** will open the show, while DJ Claire's at the decks between sets.... A Guilt-free Erik Canzona will celebrate his solo CD release at the Victory Theatre on Impe rial Avenue in Grant Hill. The record's called The Narrows and provides Canzona's soul-rocking vox some dark-blue material. We've got a tasty track called "Your Plan" playing on this week's podcast. Brothers Grim (Silent Comedy) and Matthew Molarius (Transfer) will open the show

Sunday

There's an early show (4p) out at Tower Bar by 30-year-strong garage punx **M.O.T.O.** (Masters of the Obvious). Later on you

get a reunited Last Years as well as the **Ferments** and Badabing ... or head down to Casbah to dig Shannon & the Clams. Lo-fi garage-pop is the order of the day at the Middletown mainstay, as Col-leen Green and Ruby Pins open the show.... Alt-rock throwback **David Kilgour** of the Clean and his new band, the Heavy Eights, will play from their latest Merge

Records release, End Times Undone, at Soda Bar after Shifting Sands. Catch up with Kilgour in this week's piece in "Blurt".... Or there's a really big rock show for you really-big-rock-showgoers, as Tom Petty & the Heartbreakers and Steve Winwood will pack 'em into the Viejas Arena at SDSU



NYC rappa **Pusha T** will play a "partial set" at Fluxx downtown Monday night. The fancy-pants place ("Dress code will be enforced") is celebrating something called Bionic Industry Launch — "We love our industry peeps." "Partial set," "dress code" — what's it like if they don't love you, peeps?.... Or if you're anti-Monday, maybe check out the locals-only lineup at Casbah, where Midnight Clergy headlines sets by Sound Lupus and the Slashes. Scruffles will play a couple sets in the Atari Lounge as well, and that's where I will be perched because these North County kids know their way around some fuzzy, yummy garage-pop chords.



Tuesdav The Big Gig this week'd be Arcade Fire, Spoon, and Dan Deacon down at the Sleep Train Amphitheatre. This rock-roll show totally snuck on me. and I was all, Oh, wow. And then I was, like, Eh. I do dig Spoon, though, and am anticipating the release of this year's They Want My Soul, which will drop that very day, August 5, so it should be an exciting night for Spooners.... Else: folk-n-soul singer-songer Amos Lee's out at Humphreys with Mountains of Sorrow, Rivers of Song ... while Soda Bar sets up local indie-punkies Weatherbox with Dikembe and Nicely.

Wednesday

Arctic Monkeys swing into the re-branded, re-crazily-named Cal Coast Credit Union Open Air Theatre at SDSU. The ever-clever pop-rock Brits have got a hit record out called AM, that's as fun as a barrel full of arctic monkeys.... From Memphis, Goner recording artists **Ex-Cult** deliver their new psych-punk set, Midnight Passenger, to Til-Two



EX-CULT AT TIL-TWO

after L.A. trailer-park rockers Zig Zags and our own fuzz-bumpin' Octagrape ... while post-punk Georgia guartet New Madrid ("college rock with an SEC accent") takes the stage at Soda Bar after Swimm and (appropriately enough) Moonpool. - Barnaby Monk

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Friday From Provo, Utah, technicolor dance rock band Neon Trees dropped from the same tree, though a much lower branch, as the Killers and the Strokes (for, like, ever, I thought the band playing radio hit "Animal" was the Strokes). Touring in support of this year's

Pop Psychology — "a 40-minute master class in the kind of pop that moves both the body and the brain," according to the experts at Entertainment Weekly - Neon Trees will play the post-race freebie this Friday at Del Mar.... After that, pop off the 5 at La Jolla Village Drive and roll up to UCSD, where Sir Rap-a-Lot, Devin the Dude. has the mic at hip-hop hot spot Porter's Pub. The



been teasing the thing online this year. Web search "Weezer Wednesdays" and do some catching up, as I'm sure this weekend's show will be heavy on the new stuff. Everything Will Be Alright will be released September 30; meanwhile, your stretch-run admission at the track this Saturday gets you into



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98 Bottles:

Thursday, 8pm — Karin Carson: Carmen McRae Tribute. \$12-\$15. *Friday*, 8pm — Fred Benedetti and George Svoboda. \$8-\$11. *Saturday*, 8pm — Trio de Janeiro: James Taylor tribute. \$12-\$15.

Air Conditioned Lounge:

Saturday, 9pm — DJ Mike Czech.

Bancroft:

Thursday, 6pm — Steven Baeza's Seattle Band Show. Thursday, 9pm — Action Andy & the Hi-Tones, Johnny Deadly Trio. Friday, 8pm — Another Zeke Productions. Saturday, 8pm — Zombie Barbie and Cedar Fire. Sunday, 8pm — Sakrificer, Infernal Damnation, Idols Plague. *Wednesday*, 8pm — Karaoke with Cici.

Bar Dynamite:

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

Bar Pink:

Sunday, 7pm — Jesika Von Rabbit, Maria Del Pilar, Okapi Sun. **Free.**

Barleymash:

Monday, 9pm — DJ Slowhand. *Tuesday*, 9pm — DJ Who and Paulo Da Rosa.

Basic Urban Kitchen and Bar:

Friday, 8pm — DJ G-Roy.

Beaumont's: Thursday, 7:30pm — Adam Block Duo. Free.

Belly Up:

Thursday, 8pm — The Hold Steady and Cheap Girls. \$22-\$39. Friday, 8pm — The English Beat and the Routine. \$20-\$35. Saturday, 8pm — The English Beat and Aloha Radio. \$20-\$35. Sunday, 8pm — Josh Abbott Band and Nancarrow. \$12-\$21. Tuesday, 8pm — Third World and Stranger. \$20-\$35. Wednesday, 8pm — Jesse Daniel Edwards, Brothers Weiss.

Berry Street Park: Thursday, 6:30pm — West of 5. Free.

Black Cat Bar: Saturday, 9:30pm — G Burns

Barn Dance. Free. Boar Cross'n: Thursday, 8pm — Sprung **UNTE**

BY DAVE GOOD

Shannon and the Clams create little madhouse videos that both entertain and leave a viewer glad the real world is the way it is. Shannon Shaw's a cherubic blonde with dark and artsy deliriums. In "Sleep Talk," for example, her two bandmates party behind her on a boozy bed of tears like nightmarish hallucinations from hell or the Wizard of Oz. Both bear strong resemblance to the small men of the Lollipop Guild, right up to the point where they regurgitate glitter or garlands of party tinsel or bullfrog-green globs of paint on each other. Andy Warhol would have dug this action: I have a feeling the Clams would likewise have been a hit at his New York factory parties of decades ago.

Monkey.

Friday, 8pm — Club Musae.

Bootlegger: *Friday*, 6:30pm — Joe Cardillo & Kenny Eng. **Free.**

Brick by Brick: *Thursday*, 8pm — Fuel, Royal Bliss, Cavalry, Born to Rise.

\$20-\$25. Friday, 9pm — Husky Boy All-Star DJs. Free.

The actual sound of Shannon and the Clams comes out of the lofty pop attitudes of the 1950s and the surf-rock music of the '60s. The Clams sound as if they made their records back then as well. with an antique tone that is thin, simple, all treble, and lo-fi. Only the vocals and the harmonies are modern, which lends to the woozy party experience that is Shannon and the Clams, Shaw claims, by the way, that she had that band name as a solo artist (just her

and bass guitar) long before the other two guys joined the act.

They are drummer Ian Amberson and guitarist Cody Blanchard. All three met while attending art school in Oakland. Shaw and Amberson and Blanchard started out playing soft gigs as a college dorm party band; they don't sound as if they've covered much ground since then, which is among their best qualities, I think. The lack of any pretensions, and the undercurrent of weird-for-the-sake-of-art.

Saturday, 8pm — Sonic Clouds

Thursday, 9pm — The Hit List.

Thursday, 5:30pm - Tiffany

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Friday, 7pm - Jazz Jam Sessions.

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SHANNON AND THE CLAMS

make for memorable shows. There may still be a career in all that — the B-52's plumbed those same foggy depths forever, it seems.

Colleen Green and the Ruby Pins also perform.

SHANNON AND THE CLAMS: Casbah, Sunday, August 3, 8:30 p.m. 619-232-HELL. \$12 in advance/\$14 at the door

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Campland on the Bay: *Saturday*, 8pm — Kissed Alive.

Casbah:

Free.

Thursday, 8pm — Blu and Med. *Friday*, 8pm — Mr. Tube & The Flying Objects, Gletscher. *Saturday*, 8pm — The Budos Band. *Sunday*, 8pm — Shannon & the Clams, Colleen Green, Ruby Pins. **Cheers Bar & Grill:** Saturday, 9pm — West of 5. Free.

Chico Club: Thursday, 8pm — DJ Harvest. Coyote Bar & Grill:

Thursday, 6pm — Northstar.

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El Dorado Cocktail Lounge: Saturday, 8pm — DJ Adam Salter.

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Flower Hill Promenade: Sunday, 3pm — Family Concert Series: Patty Hall. Free.

Fluxx: Monday, 8pm — DJ Scooter.

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Jumping Turtle: Friday, 8pm - Ditch.

Saturday, 8pm — One Foot in the Blues, Sickstring Outlaws.

Kava Lounge: Monday, 9pm — Dark Time Sunshine, Rafael Vigilantics. \$10.

Kensington Club: Thursday, 8pm — Sugar Stems.

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Built on Glass Chet Faker By Robert Lang

Since his cover of Blackstreet's "No Diggity" on 2012's Thinking in Textures, Chet Faker has become an Australian poster boy for the foggy intersection of R&B and electronic soul, referred to some as "PBR&B." Faker's style in production and vocal delivery lands between James Blake and Tom Krell of How to Dress Well.

Depending on whom you ask, Faker's ascent might be premature but is nonetheless warranted. As his first full-length, Built on Glass is, however, an inconsistent case to

Sunday, 11am - Sea Chantey Festival. Free.

San Pasqual Winery Tasting Room and Gallery: Saturday, 7pm — Samdiego Jazz Trio. Free.

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the world. Faker explores every avenue of his identity, as he alludes to in "Melt": "Melt my happiness, some kind of fucked up mess." Sifting through the fog can pleasantly sur-

prise the listener, though, as Faker hints at how far his horizons may expand

beyond the stiffly produced cracker croons of his previous work.

Faker opens Built on Glass with his trademark Rhodes piano and soupy vocals on "Release Your Problems," followed by the singles "Talk Is Cheap" and "Melt" and the woozy R&B of "Gold." Obligations to his previous sound end there, and side B is a different avenue to behold. Faker plays with depth, as the booming drums shatter the cavernous atmosphere of "Blush" into the album's climactic moments, the coupling of the betrayal-house of "1998" and the rhythmic textures of "Cigarettes & Loneliness." As Faker mumbles then prances over syllables all for the sake of understanding, one sees why he has been so overheard without saying that much.



Hints of how far Faker's horizons may expand

hits from the '80s and earlier. He began with a rendition of "Penny Lover" that was sweetened with the sound of a Stevie Wonder-like harmonica. A triumphant slaying of "Easy" started off as a spotlight piano, but then blossomed into the full band — signature guitar solo in tow. He seasoned the mix with Caribbean steel drum, sexv sax man interludes, and a mash-up with "My



Lionel Richie rouses Sleep Train **By Chris Woo**

the show with the

Lionel Richie launched

latter-day "All Around

the World" but then

plaved a full set of

possibly accidental, the master balladeer integrated and recovered seamlessly. Easy, indeed!

A sonic triptych

followed of "Still."

Love" that, while



Master balladeer ushered us through good and bad times

"Oh No." and "Stuck on You." Richie detailed this as the evolution of a relationship: from the regret of a breakup, to the realization of being disenfranchised, to finding "the one." Moreover, how Richie records ("...or CDs, or 8-Tracks," he cracked) ushered us through the good and bad times. A concourse of Commodores ("Three Times a Lady," "Sail On," "Fancy Dancer," "Sweet Love," "Lady," "Just to Be Close to You," "Brick House") then ensued to everyone's delight. He dedicated "Hello" to VIP section newlyweds, ended naturally with "All Night Long," and posed a joyful sing-along encore of "We Are the World" that traded his usual romantic love game for a tone of higher diplomatic unity.

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Second Wind (San Carlos): Thursday, 9pm — Copy Cat Killers.

Second Wind (Santee): Thursday, 8pm - Karaoke.

Sleep Train Amphitheatre: Tuesday, 7:30pm - Arcade Fire, Spoon, Dan Deacon.

Soda Bar:

Thursday, 8pm — Joyce, Sleeping Ghost, Swift Beats. Friday, 8pm — The Coathangers and White Fang. Saturday, 8pm — Miniature Tigers, Griswolds, Finish Ticket. Sunday, 8pm — David Kilgour & Heavy 8s, Shifting Sands. Monday, 8pm — Bonnie Montgomery and Erika Davies. Tuesday, 8pm — Weatherbox, Dikembe Wednesday, 8pm - New Madrid and Swimm.

Soma: Saturday, 2pm — I See Stars, Acacia Śtrain, Slaves. \$20.

Spike Africa's Fresh Fish Grill & Bar: — Bubba McCoy Saturday, 9pm & Big John Atkinson.

Sunday, 11am — Bill Shreeve Trio. Free.

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Tin Can: *Thursday*, 8pm — Wicked Tongues, Hello Penelope, Boxcar Chief. \$5

Tin Roof: Thursday, 9pm — Geezer. Tio Leo's:

Thursday, 8pm — Chet Cannon & the Committee. Saturday, 8pm — Cheapest Trick.

Tipsy Crow: Wednesday, 9pm — Mixed Mic Night. Free.

Tower 13: Thursday, 6:30pm — Java Sounds Entertainment, Free.

Tower Bar: *Thursday*, 8pm — Stalins of Sound, Way to Go Genius.

Friday, 8pm — Scorpion vs Tarantula, Outlaw Bastards. Saturday, 8pm - Buried at Birth, Diatribe, Idols Plague. Sunday, 7:30pm - Last Years, Christ Killer, Ferments, Badabing.

Town Center Community Park: Thursday, 6:30pm — Santee Summer Concert: Help! Free.

True North Tavern: *Thursday*, 9pm — DJ Demon. *Sunday*, 8pm — DJ G-Roy.

Typhoon Saloon: Friday, 8pm — Moonshine Bandits.

U-31: Thursday, 8pm — Sharooz. Tuesday, 8pm — Rad Karaoke.

Victory Theater: *Saturday*, 9pm — The Narrows (CD release).

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Sunday, 7:30pm — Janiva Magness. Sunday, 10pm — Jose Sinatra hosts O.B.-o-ke. \$1. Monday, 9pm — Electric Waste Band. \$5.

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Bobby Caldwell and Keiko Matsui Saturday, August 2, 7pm; Thornton Winery, 32575 Rancho California Road.

Nathan Pacheco Singer Nathan Pacheco, first discovered by Yanni and straddling two divergent worlds of pop and opera, will perform with Matthew Garbutt, conductor. Sunday, August 3, 7:30pm; Embarcadero Marina Park South, 206 Marina Park Way.

San Diego Pro Arte Voices

at SDSCF The event features the season premiere concert for the San Diego Pro Arte Voices, the choir-in-residence for the San Diego Summer Choral Festival. Performing alone, and together with the Festival faculty, the Pro Arte Voices will present repertoire from the choral canon as well as emerging living composers. Friday, August 1, 8pm; free-\$15. St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 2728 Sixth Avenue.

San Diego Summer Choral

Festival Finale Concert The finale concert for the summer choral festival will feature the participants of the festival and the repertoire they will work on over the course of the three days. Guest artists will open the concert, including the premiere of the new vocal group Folklore, and two choirs from Shanghai who will be participating in the festival. Saturday, August 2, 7:30pm; free-\$15. St. Andrew's by-the-Sea Episcopal Church, 1050 Thomas Avenue.

Summerfest Opening Night

The program features Dvorak, Slavonic Dances; Faure, Dolly Suite; Beethoven, Clarinet Trio in B-flat Major; Vivaldi, and "The Four Seasons" (Cho-Liang Lin, Alexander Kerr, Jennifer Frautschi, Kristin Lee, violin soloists). Friday, August 1, 8pm; Sherwood Auditorium at Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego, 700 Prospect Street.

Summerfest: Homage to Tchaikovsky The program features Rachmaninoff, Trio Élègiaque; Arensky, Quartet in A Minor for Violin, Viola and Two Cellos; and Shostakovich, Piano Quintet in G Minor. Saturday, August 2, 8pm; Sherwood Auditorium at Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego, 700 Prospect Street.

Summerfest: "Eine Kleine Nachtmusik" The program features Mozart, Serenade in G Major, "Eine Kleine Nachtmusik"; Stephen Hartke, new work for piano four hands (Orion Weiss, Anna Polonsky, pianists); and Schubert, Octet in F Major. Sunday, August 3, 3pm; Auditorium at the Scripps Research Institute, 10640 John Jay Hopkins Drive.

YPO Soloists Ensemble

Chamber Players The YPO Soloists Ensemble Chamber Players, under Artistic Director, Alyze Dreiling, kicks off its Summer Chamber Music series with Brahms Sextet Op. 18 and works by M. and J. Haydn. This summer featured works include Vaughan-Williams Piano Quintet, Schubert "Trout" Quintet, Brahms g minor Paino Quartet, and Dvorak Piano Quintet. Thursday, July 31, 7pm; \$8-\$5. Rancho Bernardo Community Presbyterian Church, 17010 Pomerado Road.

UPCOMING SHOWS

710 Beach Club: 710 Garnet Ave., Pacific Beach, 858-483-7844. *August 7* — Live Band Karaoke. *August 8* — Life and Ease Up. August 9 — Concrete Project, Vibe, Dojo Masters. August 10 — Sunday Funday Karaoke. August 11 — 710 Battle of the Bands. August 12 — EDM Night.

98 Bottles: 2400 Kettner Bl., Little Italy, 619-255-7885. *August 7* — NovaMenco. *August 8* — Rebecca Jade: Ladies of Soul. *August 12* — Alessandro Penezzi & Ted Falcon. *August 14* — 22 Kings.

The Air Conditioned Lounge: 4673 30th St., North Park, 619-501-9831.

August 9 — DJ Mike Czech. **The Bancroft:** 9143 Campo Rd., Spring Valley, 619-469-2337.

August 11 — Vessles and Losing Ground. August 13 — Karaoke with Cici. August 15 — Jerkagram, California Bleeding, Fermentor.

Bar Dynamite: 1808 W. Washington St., Mission Hills, 619-295-8743.

August 7 — Take Over. August 8 — 24K Gold. **Barleymash:** 600 Fifth Ave., Downtown San Diego, 619-255-

7373. August 7 — DJ Chris Cutz. **The Beachcomber:** 2901

Mission Bl., Mission Beach, 858-488-2644. *August 16* — The Drinking Cowboy Band.

Belly Up: 143 South Cedros Ave., Solana Beach, 858-481-8140. *August 7* — Ballyhoo! and Bumpin Uglies. August 8 — Israel Vibrations. August 9 — Toad the Wet Sprocket, High Pilots. August 10 — Wade Bowen and Sean McConnell. August 12 — Imelda May, Omar & the Stringpoppers. August 13 — Foxygen and Gary Wilson. August 14 — Everlast.

Bird Park: 28th and Thorn St., North Park. *August 9* — Bayou Brothers featuring Robin Henkel.

Black Cat Bar: 4246 University Ave., City Heights, 619-280-5834. *August* 9 — Midnight Pine, John Meeks, True Stories. *August* 10 — Hobo Torch and Lucky Lucifer.

Boar Cross'n: 390 Grand Ave., Carlsbad, 760-729-2989. *August 8* — Club Musae.

Brick by Brick: 1130 Buenos Ave., Linda Vista, 619-275-5483. *August* 7 — Spiral Out. *August* 8 — Wovenwar album release (Soma after-party). *August* 9 — Geezer, Green Today, the Big Lewinsky.

California Center for the Arts, Escondido: 340 N. Escondido Bl., Escondido, 760-839-4138. *August 8* — Jazz Jam Sessions.

The Casbah: 2501 Kettner Bl., Little Italy, 619-232-4355. *August 7* — Courtney Barnett. *August 8* — Clap Your Hands Say Yeah, Stagnant Pools. *August 9* — Vinyl Junkies Record Swap 1-Year Anniversary. *August 10* — Crocodiles and Tweens. August 14 — Woods, Skygreen Leopards, Little Wings.

Ché Café: 9500 Gilman Dr., UCSD, 858-534-2311. *August 8* — The Sidekicks, Dowsing, Sundials.

Clay Park: 4759 Seminole Dr., Rolando, 619-641-6125. *August* 9 — Rolando Summer Concerts: Steph Johnson.

Del Mar Fairgrounds: 2260 Jimmy Durante Bl., Del Mar, 858-755-1161. *August 8* — Steel Pulse. *August 9* — Counting Crows. *August 15* — Magic!

Dick's Last Resort: 345 Fourth Ave., Downtown San Diego, 619-231-9100. *August* 7 — Private Domain Unplugged. *August* 8 — Aqua Blue Band. *August* 9 — Wild Side. *August* 14 — Private Domain Unplugged.

Dizzy's: 4275 Mission Bay Drive (in the showroom at San Diego Jet Ski Rentals), Pacific Beach, 858-270-7467. *August 8* — The Bi-National Mambo Orchestra.

Downtown Café: 182 E. Main St., El Cajon, 619-440-5687. *August 10* — Patio Party Blues Jam.

El Cajon Library: 201 East Douglas Ave., El Cajon, 619-588-3718. *August 9* — Midsummer Jazz with Peter Sprague.

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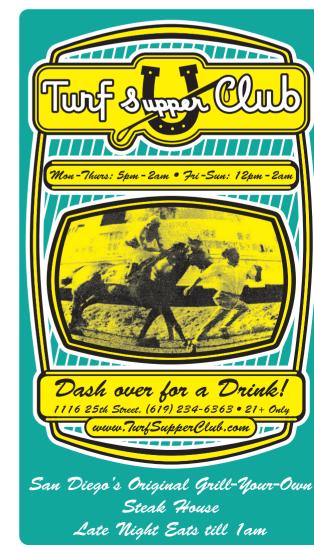
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Pirate Pimp Vader and friends. They're here every year and we really look forward to it!



The look on Batman's face during this interview really makes us happy

A very tall Calvin and Hobbes get on Battlecast!



It's the most wonderful time of the year! Every July the Gaslamp District is turned into a seething, sweaty, amazing mess of the nerdy and famous alike. People in costumes walking around talking to other people in costumes. No judgment, no negative vibes, it really feels welcoming and there's a sense of companionship in the air. You should head to ReaderCity.com to get your VIP tickets for the SuperGirl Pro Surf competition coming next week to Oceanside!

619-237-0550 August 9 — DJ Bob Dazzla.

Embarcadero Marina Park South: 206 Marina Park Way, Downtown San Diego. August 8, 9 — Broadway Tonight: Music of Chicago.

The Ferry Landing Marketplace: 1201 First St., Coronado, 619-435-8895. August 9 — Coronado Big Band & Janet Hammer.

Flower Hill Promenade: 2670 Via de la Valle, Del Mar, 858-481-2904 August 10 — Family Concert Series: Hullabaloo.

Gallagher's Pub & Grill: 5046 Newport Ave., Ocean Beach, 619-222-5300 August 12 - Leche de Tigre. August 13 — The Have6ix.

Gaslamp Speakeasy: 708 Fourth Ave., Downtown San Diego, 619-239-9994. August 8 — Lafayette Blues Band.

Harrah's Resort Southern California: 777 Harrah's Rincon Way, Valley Center, 760-751-3100 August 9 - Sugar Ray, Smash

Mouth, Blues Traveler. August 14 — Deep Purple. **Hooleys Irish Pub & Grill** Rancho San Diego: 2955 Jamacha Rd., Rancho San Diego, 619-670-7468. August 10 — Hooley's Open Mic.

Hornblower Cruises: 970 North Harbor Dr., Downtown San Diego, 619-686-8715. August 8 — Bay Dinner Cruise: The Troubadours. September 5 — Bay Dinner Cruise: West of 5.

House of Blues: 1055 Fifth Ave., Downtown San Diego, 619-299-2583. August 7 — Juicy J. August 8 — Our Last Night and Set it Off. August 8 — Pimpinela August 9 — This Is All Now, Radio Driveby, Stay 17. August 9 - Chippendales. August 10 - RX Bandits, Dear Hunter, From Indian Lakes August 14 — Us The Duo.

Humphreys by the Bay: 2241 Shelter Island Dr., Shelter Island, 619-224-3577. August 7 — Lynyrd Skynyrd. August 8 — Russell Peters. August 11 — Iron & Wine.

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

August 7 — Normandie Wilson. Lestat's Coffee House: 3343 Adams Ave., Normal Heights, 619-282-0437.

August 10 — Johanna Warren and Whales Whailing. August 11 — Open Mic Night.

Martinis Above Fourth: 3940 Fourth Avenue #200, Hillcrest,

619-400-4500. August 7 — Jake Simpson.

Molly Malone's: 1270 Main St., Ramona, 760-789-9050. August 8 - Natural Selection. August 15 — Moxie.

North Park Theatre: 2891 University Ave., North Park, 619-239-8836 August 11 — The Head and the

Heart

The Office: 3936 30th St., North Park, 619-450-6632 August 7 — No Limits with DJ Myson King. August 13 — Dub Dynamite. August 14 - No Limits with DJ Myson King.

Old Poway Park: 14134 Midland Rd., Poway, 858-679-8587 August 10 — Pomerado Community Band.

Open Air Theatre: 5500 Campanile Dr., SDSU, 619-594-6947. August 7, 8 — Rebelution, Iration, the Green, Stick Figure.

August 9 - Sara Bareilles, Emily King, Lucius. Pala Events Center: 11154

Highway 76, Pala, 877-946-7252. August 10 — Michael McDonald and ToTo.

Parkway Bar: 9188 Fletcher Parkway, La Mesa, 619-463-8757. August 7 — Open Mic and Acoustic Showcase.

Pechanga Resort & Casino: 45000 Pechanga Parkway, Temecula, 951-693-1819. August 9 — Slash & Myles Kennedy & the Conspirators. August 10 — Lynyrd Skynyrd.

Point Loma Community Park: 1060-1080 Catalina Bl., Point Loma. August 8 — Detroit Underground.

Porter's Pub at UCSD: 9500 Gilman Dr., UCSD, 858-587-4828. August 9 — He Is Legend, Maylene & Sons of Disaster

Pounders: 125 W. Grand Ave., Escondido, 760-739-1288. August 15, 16 - West of 5.

Ramona Mainstage Nightclub: 626 Main St., Ramona, 760-789-7008. August 9 — Allison Chains. August 14 — Terry Bozzio.

Rimac Arena: 9500 Gilman Dr., La Jolla, 858-534-8497. August 9 — Pepper, Dirty Heads, Aer.

Riviera Supper Club & Turquoise Room: 7777 University Ave., La Mesa, 619-713-6777. August 8 — The Sleepwalkers.

San Elijo Park: 1105 Elfin Forest Rd., San Marcos, 760-744-1050 August 9 — The Reflexx.

San Pasqual Winery Tasting Room and Gallery: 8364 La Mesa Bl., La Mesa, 619-462-1797.

August 9 — The Ridge Runners. August 10 — San Diego Jazz Trio. August 16 - Stage IV Jazz.

August 17 - Samdiego Jazz Trio. August 23 — Mercury Street

Blues. August 30 — People of Earth.

The Shakedown Bar: 3048 Midway Dr., Midway District, 619-487-0373 August 7 — Darkwaye Garden DWG.

Soda Bar: 3615 El Cajon Bl., City Heights, 619-255-7224. August 7 — Barbarian and Oliver Trollev. August 8 — The Chop Tops and the Sidekicks.

August 9 — Drenge and Wax Witches August 10 — Those Darlins, Diarrhea Planet, Buddy Banter. August 11 — Steve Gunn and Matt Kivel. August 12 — Josh Berwanger, Archie Powell & Exports. August 13 — We Are Friends and Landis. August 14 — Black Kids and Misun.

Soma: 3350 Sports Arena Bl., Midway District, 619-226-7662. August 8 — Wovenwar. August 9 — Scarlett Ave., Short Stories, Guidelines. August 10 — Suburban Legends. August 14 — Hundredth, Counterparts, Handguns.

Southpaw Social Club: 815 J St., East Village, 619-269-2255. August 7 — Philip Gibbs Box Canyon Blues Tour.

Spike Africa's Fresh Fish Grill & Bar: 411 Broadway. Downtown San Diego, 619-793-3500 August 10 — Bill Shreeve Trio.

Spreckels Organ Pavilion: 1549 El Prado, Balboa Park, 619-702-8138. August 11 — Kimberly Marshall.

The Stage Rock Bar & Grill: 762 Fifth Ave., Downtown San Diego, 619-651-0707. August 7 — Bass Tribe. August 8 — Disco Pimps. August 9 - Hott Mess and DJ Miss Dust. August 11 — Almost Famous Karaoke. August 14 — Bass Tribe.

Sunset Temple Theater: 3911 Kansas St., North Park. August 8 — The Revival: Salvation through Burlesque.

Tango Del Rey: 3567 Del Rey St., Pacific Beach, 858-794-9044. August 10 — Hep Spot Sunday Social Bal-Swing Dance.

Til-Two: 4746 El Cajon Bl., City Heights, 619-516-4746. August 8 — Swing Ding Amigos, Lenguas Largas, Blank Pages. August 9 — San Diego City Soul Club

The Tin Can: 1863 Fifth Ave., Bankers Hill, 619-955-8525. August 7 — Speaker in Reverse. August 8 — Cult Vegas, Robin Hill, Trips. August $\hat{13}$ — The Have6ix.

Town Center Community Park: 550 Park Center Dr., Santee. August 7 — Santee Summer Concert: Upstream. August 14 — Santee Summer Concert: Wingstock.

True North Tavern: 3815 30th St., North Park, 619-291-3815. August 7 — DJ Demon.

U-31: 3112 University Ave., North Park, 619-584-4188. August 12 — Rad Karaoke.

War Memorial Building: 3325 Zoo Dr., Balboa Park.

August 9 — Bon Temps Social Club Cajun/Zydeco Dance.

Whistle Stop Bar: 2236 Fern St., South Park, 619-284-6784. August 8 — Sleeping People.

Winstons: 1921 Bacon St., Ocean Beach, 619-222-6822. August 10 — Jose Sinatra hosts O.B.-o-ke.

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BAY PARK

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Chart House: Monday-Friday, 3-6:30pm: \$4 wells, drafts. \$6 cock tails, \$5 wine by the glass, \$7 martinis. \$4, \$5 and \$6 appetizer menus.

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Boar Cross'n: Tuesday, all night: \$5 beer and shot. Thursday, 7:45-9:45pm: \$1 Blue Moon drafts. All night: \$2.50 Budweiser 16 oz. retro tallboys. Friday, 7:45-9:45pm: \$1 draft. Saturday, 7:45-9:45pm: \$1 Miller High Life draft.

Karl Strauss Brewing Company: Monday-Friday, 3-6pm: \$4 pints, flights, house wine, and well drinks. \$5 wings, hummus, calamari, chili lime sweet potato fries and spinach dip.

CARMEL MOUNTAIN

Conway's Irish Pub: Daily, 10am-8pm: \$2.75 domestic drafts and bottles; \$2.75 and \$3.75 wells.

Oggi's Pizza & Brewing Co.: Monday-Friday, 3-7pm: \$1 off house pints & wells. Appetizer specials.

CARMEL VALLEY

Leaf & Kettle: Friday, 4-6pm: Tea and cake for \$5.

Tio Leo's: Monday-Friday, 3-7pm; \$3 domestic & Mexican pints; \$4



Twisted rusticity

I am a fan of reds that come across with a chocolaty flavor. For the longest time, the only locally produced crimson ale that delivered that taste sensation for me was Coronado Brewing Company's Mermaid's Red, but four years ago, she of the scaled tail got company in this department when Manzanita Brewing Company (10151 Prospect Avenue, Santee) opened in Santee and began brewing its red. The company has since changed names, but Twisted Manzanita Rustic Horizon Red Ale remains a pleasant alternative to its many ultra-hopped contemporaries.

Brewed with a hefty dose of caramel malt, the beer is

house margaritas, wells; \$5 street tacos, TJ hot dogs, carne asada fries, buffalo chicken tacos & more.

Twenty/20 Grill & Wine Bar: Daily, 3-6pm: \$2 off specialty cocktails, \$4 well drinks, draft beers, \$6 sangria, 1/2 off tapas.

CHULA VISTA

Achiote Restaurant: Monday-Friday, 4-7pm: \$1 beer, \$3.99 margaritas.

El Dorado Seafood & Grill: Monday-Wednesday, 4-7pm: \$2 all heer

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.

Fat Tony's Pizza: Monday-Thursday, 4-8pm: \$2 glass/\$8 pitcher of beer. \$5 cheese pizza, cheese calzone, wings, salad.

COLLEGE AREA

Bangkok Poco: Daily, All day: \$2 for 12 oz beer, \$8.50 pitcher, \$18 4-liter draft beer tower.

Bridges Bar & Grill: Monday-Saturday, Open-7pm: \$3 Bud Light, domestic pints, well cocktails, house wines; \$4 craft pints, import pints; \$5 premium craft pints; \$2 off specialty cocktails. Sunday, Open-close: \$3 Bud Light, domestic pints, well cocktails, house wines; \$4 craft pints, import pints; \$5 premium craft pints; \$2 off specialty cocktails.

CORONADO

Brigantine: Monday-Friday, Sunday, 3-6pm: \$4 Brig brew, Dos Equis. \$4.75 margarita, \$5.50 chardonnay, \$6 merlots, \$1 off featured wine. Discounted tacos, shrimp, oysters.

mildly sweet with a presence on the tongue and dryness in the finish that provides breadth while maintaining drinkability. And though it's



Gillespie Field, downtown Santee, and Iron Mountain look good on their aluminum canvases.

not hopped within an inch of its life, botanicals come about before being replaced by the aforementioned chocolate notes and a hint of brown sugar. Throughout the rest of the country, this would be a standard red, but here in America's hoppiest brewing locale, it's a diversion from the norm. Ditto its packag-

Danny's Palm Bar: Daily, 3-6pm:

Brigantine: Daily, 4-6pm: \$4

Brig brew, \$4.75 margarita, \$5.50 chardonnay, \$1 off featured wine.

Coastal Kitchen: Monday-Thurs-

day, Sunday, 3-6pm: \$2 off specialty

Zel's Del Mar: Daily, 4-6:30pm:

\$1 off all drafts, \$2 off premium

drinks, \$2 off all wines by the glass,

\$3 shots

cocktails

DEL MAR

Discounted fish tacos.

ing. Twisted Manzanita Ales recently debuted cans bearing artwork featuring landscapes to match the company's home region-inspired

> beer names. Gillespie Field, downtown Santee and Iron Mountain look good on their aluminum canvases, as does the scarlet sunset adorning the carrier.

In-progress brewery count up to 48

When I catch wind of a new brewery project, I feel a jolt of electricity shoot through me. Over the past two weeks, I've felt like a subject of electroshock the rapy — there are so many new brewery projects in San Diego County. My current tally of viable prospects is up to

a whopping 48. Admittedly, I don't know much about them just yet, but here is what has come to my attention.

Chula Vista has a pair of operations in the works. The first is a brand-new project named for the region it will inhabit - Otay Lakes Brewing Company. The other is a second go-

> La Gran Tapa: Daily, 4-7pm: \$3 craft beers, \$4 cask wines & sangrias. \$3 & \$4 tapas, free tapitas at the bar.

> Magnolia Tap & Kitchen: Daily, 3-7pm: \$4 local drafts, \$4 wells, \$6 wine and specialty cocktails.

> day-Friday, 10am-8pm; 11pmclose: \$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.

Patricks Gaslamp Pub: Mon-

round for Doug Chase of Bay Bridge Brewing, which locals will remember as the company that operated the Brew House at Eastlake for several years before going out of business in 2012

El Cajon, which is celebrating the return of a working brewhouse within its city limits with the recent opening of URBN St. Brewing Co., is on pace to have two breweries with the future arrival of Promethean Brewery. Division 23 Brewing recently became a member of the California Craft Brewers Association and is slated to enter the brewery-dense Miramar area in spring of next year. Meanwhile, Bay City Brewing Co. has its sights set on San Diego's Midway District.

Up north, it appears the **Harney Sushi** chain may be looking to get into the beer biz by opening Harney Brewing Company. And Ebullition Brew Works has a notice up on a San Marcos storefront located only a couple miles from future neighbors Port Brewing Company / The Lost Abbey, Dos Desperados Brewery, San Marcos Brewery & Grill, and Rip Current Brewing Company.

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> 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









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\$4 wells. \$5 ceviche, \$8 ahi poke,

DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO

207 Nightclub: Monday-Friday,

3pm-7pm: \$5 beers, \$7 well drinks,

\$7 house wine, \$8 Belvedere marti-

nis, \$8 specialty cocktails. 30%-off

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.

crispy mahi tacos.

all food menu items.

HAPPY HOUR

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, Sunday, 3-7pm: 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 halfpriced 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.

Toast Enoteca & Cucina: *Monday-Friday*, 3-6pm: \$3 draft beers; \$5 wines by the glass; halfprice antipasti. *Sunday*, All day: \$3 draft beers; \$5 wines by the glass; half-price antipasti.

EASTLAKE

Chili'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.

Flinn Springs Inn: *Daily*, 4-6pm: \$2 domestic drafts, \$2.25 domestic bottles, \$3 wells.

ENCINITAS

Firenze: *Daily*, 4:30-6:30pm: \$2 off all wines by the glass, \$2 off all cocktails. \$1 off all beer.

Union Kitchen & Tap: *Monday*, 3pm-close: \$2 off craft cocktails;



\$2 HXND ROLLS \$3 SXKE

Plus Signature Rolls and Cocktails Starting at \$4.95

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\$4/\$5 drafts, \$6 select wine glasses, \$2 off craft cocktails. \$9 slider trio. *Tuesday-Friday*, 3-6pm: \$2 off craft cocktails; \$4/\$5 drafts, \$6 select wine glasses, \$2 off craft cocktails. \$9 slider trio.

ESCONDIDO

Sand Crab Tavern: *Monday*-*Thursday*, 3pm-close. 1/2 off appetizers; \$1.00 oyster shooters; Buckets of beer 5 for the price of 4.

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.

Wolf's Head Pub & Eatery: *Tuesday-Thursday*, 3-7pm: \$2 PBR, \$4 craft beer. Appetizer specials.

HARBOR ISLAND

C-Level: *Monday-Friday*, 3:30-5:30pm: \$4 brews, \$5 specialty drinks, \$5 appetizers.

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. Live music.

Martinis Above Fourth: *Daily*, 4-7pm. \$3 bottled beer, house wine & wells, \$5 Stella drafts, \$6



8/4 - Monday Night Mass with The Husky Boy All-Stars

8/5 - Tiki Tuesday feat. Adrian Demain's Exotica-Tronica

8/6 - DJ GrandMasta Rats 3929 30th St., North Park w w w. b a r p i n k <u>- c o m</u> Svedka Martinis, \$2 off all specialty martinis. **The Merrow:** *Monday-Friday*.

wells, \$1 off craft beer drafts. **Numb3rs:** *Saturday*, Every 4th Saturday, 10pm-midnight: \$3 wells, \$3 Fireball, \$15 Dos Equis bucket.

5-8pm: \$5 flight of craft beers, \$3

Wine Steals: Tuesday-Friday, 4-7pm: \$5 for any cask wine, \$4 draft beers. \$2 off all 30 wines by the glass. Discounted food items. Saturday-Sunday, 11am-4pm: \$5 mimosa pints.

IMPERIAL BEACH

The Salty Frog: Daily, 4-8pm: \$3.50 wells, imported bottles.

AMOL

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 Garlic 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

Friday, 4-6pm: \$2 off all beer and wine flights.
The Kensington Club: Monday-Friday, 2-8pm: \$3.50 wells, \$3 domestic bottles. Saturday-Sunday, 12-8pm: \$3.50 wells, \$3 domestic

Clem's Tap House: Monday-

LA JOLLA

bottles.

Eddie V's: Monday-Friday, 5-7pm: All libations \$2 off. Saturday-Sunday, 4-7pm: All libations \$2 off.

Edo Sushi: *Monday-Friday*, 5-6:30pm: 15-25%-off select rolls and sushi.

The Hake Kitchen & Bar: *Daily*, 4-7pm and 9pm-close: \$3 off specialty cocktails.

Iberico Spanish Bistro: *Daily*, 3-6pm: \$4 draft beers, glasses of sangria, all tapas.

Rock Bottom Brewery, La Jolla: Monday-Friday, 4-7pm, 10pm-midnight: \$3.50 beer, house wine. well drinks.

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.

Whisknladle: Daily, 3-7pm: \$8 cocktails, \$25 pitchers of sangria, 25% off all bottles of wine. \$4 tapas(bar/lounge only).

LA MESA

Anthony's Fish Grotto: *Mon*-*day*-*Friday*, 3:30-6:30pm: \$3 draft, Anthony's white; \$4 wells, \$5 calls. \$2.75 fish tacos, \$3 lettuce wraps, \$4.50 tostado.

Casa de Pico: *Monday-Friday*, 3-7pm: Discounted margaritas, beer, cocktails. Complimentary appetizer buffet.

Mr. G's Tavern: Monday-Friday, Noon-7pm: \$3.50 wells; \$3.25 domestic pints; \$4.25 premium pints.

Riviera Supper Club & Turquoise Room: Monday-Wednesday, 4-6pm & 9pm-close: \$4 Russian Standard, Moscow Mules; \$6 Fighting Cock, Art Snob. 1/2-off Turquoise Room Bites. Thursday, Sunday, 9pm-close: \$4 Russian Standard, Moscow Mules; \$6 Fighting Cock, Art Snob. 1/2-off Turquoise Room Bites.

San Pasqual Winery Tasting Room and Gallery: *Friday*, all day: \$5 glass of sparkling wine.

LAKESIDE

The Bucking Delorian: Monday-Saturday, 3-7pm: \$3 house wine, 2-for-1 well drinks, \$3 Fireball, \$1 off domestic bottles. Sunday, All day: \$3 house wine, 2-for-1 well drinks, \$3 Fireball. \$1 off domestic bottles.

Coo Coo Club: *Monday-Friday*, 4-7pm: \$2.50 domestic drafts, \$3 wells.

LEMON GROVE

Dirk's Niteclub: *Daily*, 4-7pm: \$.50 off all drinks \$4.50 or less.

LINDA VISTA

Bull's Smokin' BBQ: Daily, 2-6pm: \$3 pints; \$9 Bud & Coors Light pitchers; \$2.50 bottled beer, \$2 PBR, \$12 select pitchers. \$2 pulled pork or beef brisket sliders, \$4.95 1/2-sandwich & side, \$3.95 pulled pork fries.

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.

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.

Desi's Bar & Grill: *Monday-Friday*, 2-7pm: \$1 off everything.

MIRA MESA

Joe's 45: Monday-Friday, 12-6pm: \$2.00 domestic cup, \$3 import cup, \$2.75 domestic pints, \$3.75 import pints, \$2.50 domestic bottles, \$9 domestic pitcher, \$13 import pitcher, \$3 appetizers.

MIRAMAR

Brewski's Bar: Monday, 4-10pm: Buy one get one 1/2 off. Tuesday, 4-10pm: \$1 tacos, \$3 Corona & Dos Equis, \$5 Patron shots. 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.

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 marys.

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.

Draft: *Monday-Friday*, 4-6pm: \$4 Stone, Saint Archer, Modern Times & Coronado Brewing, \$5 wells, \$4 select red & white wines.

MISSION HILLS

Lucha Libre Gourmet Taco Shop: *Monday-Thursday*, 2:30-5pm: \$2.50 for Tecate & koozie.

Shakespeare Pub & Grille: *Monday-Thursday*, 3-7pm: \$1 off bottled beers, house wines, \$4.95 20oz Imperial pints, \$3.75 wells. *Friday*, 3-7pm, 10pm-1am: \$1 off bottled beers, house wines, \$4.95 20oz Imperial pints, \$3.75 wells.

Starlite: *Monday-Saturday*, 5-7pm: \$4 drafts, wells, \$1 off other drinks. Snack specials.

MISSION VALLEY

Dave & Buster's: *Monday, Friday*, 4:30-7pm: 1/2 price cocktails, beer specials, 1/2 off selected appetizers. *Tuesday-Thursday*, 4:30-7pm, 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.

Baja Oyster & Sushi Bar: Mon-

day-Thursday, All day: \$1.35 fish tacos. 3-6pm: two-for-one domestic

Rosie O'Grady's: Daily, 4-7pm:

\$2.50 wells, domestic beers. \$3.50

Bar Pink: Monday-Friday,

4-8pm: \$1 off drafts and calls. \$1

HOPE 46: Monday-Thursday, Sun-

day, 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

Lips Restaurant: Sunday, All

night: Industry Night, \$3.50 wells, \$5.50 calls, 25% off entrées & appe-

tizers. Must show employee ID or

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+oz

Asahi or Sapporo, \$5 Rock Sake's, \$7

All cocktails & wines (by the glass).

Mother's Saloon: Monday-

Friday, 3-7pm: \$1 off craft drafts,

\$2 domestic drafts, \$2.75 well

drinks. 1/2-off appetizers. Sun-

day, 4-8pm(during live music): \$1

chicken tenders, \$2 pork sliders, \$5

Ocean Beach Kabob: Daily,

2pm-6pm, 50% off all beers, \$2 Dos

OCEAN BEACH

bottle, discounted special roll.

NORMAL HEIGHTS

NESTOR

Jager shots

off Heineken.

wine.

pay stub.

tater tots

Equis all day!

OCEANSIDE

NORTH PARK

Davina's Cabo Grill: *Daily*, 4-7pm: 2-for-1 drink specials. Food specials.

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!

Sushi Tadokoro: *Daily*, 5-6:30pm: half-off all draft beers(Sapporo, Kirin, Asahi); 1/2-off hot sake. \$2 edamame, \$3 gyoza.

PACIFIC BEACH

Bar West: *Tuesday, Thursday-Sunday,* 5-10pm: \$3 Mexican beer, \$4 Espolon, \$5 margaritas. Serving Oscar's Mexican food.

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).

Jimmy's Famous American Tavern: *Monday-Friday*, 3-6pm: \$3 draft beer, well drinks & selected wines. \$3 off all appetizers.

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

The Beach Grass Poway: Daily, 4-7pm: \$2.50 drafts, \$3.50 microbrews, \$4 select wines. \$5 appetizers: panko-crusted calamari, tempura avocado, veggies and hummus, more.

Phileas Fogg's Bar & Restaurant: *Monday-Friday*, 4-7pm: \$1 off beers on tap, \$1 off appetizers.

RAMONA

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.

Kelly's Public House: *Monday-Friday*, 3-6pm: \$2.50 domestic pints, \$8 pitchers, \$4 premium pints, \$5 margaritas & long island ice teas.

RANCHO PENASQUITOS

Deli Stop Sports Pub: *Daily*, 4-7pm-9-11pm: \$1 off all beer.

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.

Terrazzo Amore: *Friday*, 4-7pm: Craft beer, local wines, mixed drinks. Kobe beef sliders, calamari, hummus and veggie platters. Say you saw this in the Reader and get your first drink or appetizer free.

ROLANDO

Effin's Pub & Grill: Monday, Noon-7pm: 2-for-1 cheesesteaks, 1/2-off pitchers, \$3 shot specials, \$3 Bud, Bud Light & Shocktop pints. Industry night 40% off for hospitality industry. Tuesday, Noon-7pm: Taco specials all day & night, \$10 margarita personal pitchers, \$3 Mexican drafts, \$5 margaritas. Wednesday, Noon-7pm: 50¢ boneless or regular wings with over 20 sauces, \$3 select drafts. Thursday, Noon-7pm: \$1 sliders, \$5 personal pitchers on select drafts, AMF's & Long Islands. \$1 Bud & Bud Light, \$2 Shocktop pints from 5-9pm. Friday, Noon-7pm: \$5 burger & beer combo, \$5 crafty cocktails, \$5 Jamesons all day.

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.

The Jumping Turtle: Monday, 11am-7pm: \$3 wells. \$1.50 cheeseburger sliders, \$2 chicken sliders. *Tuesday*, 11am-7pm: \$3 Coronas, Pacificos, Dos Equis & margaritas. Wednesday, Noon-7pm: \$4.75 Paradise iced tea. \$2.75 meatball slider. *Thursday*, 11am-7pm: \$5 Barrenjager. Friday, 11am-7pm: \$3 Hefeweizen pints. \$5 one-topping pizza. Saturday, 11am-7pm: \$4.75 frosty lemon blast. \$5.75 cheeseburger and fries. Sunday, 11am-7pm: \$4 BLC Bloody Marys. \$5 bacon cheese fries.

SCRIPPS RANCH

La Bastide: *Monday-Friday*, 4-6pm: \$6 drink specials, \$7 appetizer specials.

SERRA MESA

Channel 1 Sports Bar and Grill: *Monday-Friday*, 4-7pm: \$2.75 domestic beers, \$3.25 well drinks.

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 220z, \$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

JP's Pub: *Monday-Friday*, 4:30-6:30pm: \$2.50 wells, domestic drafts, \$3.25 house wine.

UCSD

Porter's Pub at UCSD: *Daily*, 11am-7pm \$3 Menu; 4pm-7pm \$1 off all beer.

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: *Monday-Saturday*, 5-8pm: \$1 off drafts and cocktails. *Sunday*, 5-8pm: \$1-off drafts and cocktails.

Michael's Lounge in the Hyatt Regency: Daily, 4-6pm: \$5 select drafts, \$7 house wine. Discounted appetizers, \$12 cheeseburger and draft beer combo.

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.

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

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.





The effect of *Ether*

Just about every patented discovery has either multiple claimants or someone who got to the patent office too late.

he discovery of ether as an anaesthetic is a fascinating story. Not only that, it opens up many related topics. There's the "battle for credit." William Morton grabbed the prize but stole the idea from Charles Jackson and Horace Wells.

There's the strange patent rights of the 1840s (know someone and you're in, without scientific verification). And, of course, life before ether: the only

painkillers during surgery being whiskey (which you drank) and a bullet (which you bit).

Not to mention addictions in those days: opium, laudanum, morphine, laughing gas. And the question: why, since people knew about ether for at least 300 years, didn't doctors use it as an anaesthetic before?

That brings in the attitudes of the 1840s: pre-Darwinian stirrings; medicine (doctors should work gratis?); treatment of women (Morton and Wells called their wives "Little Mouse" and "Little Mother"); academic snobbery (Harvard Med and Massachusetts General vs. the unwashed hinterlands). Add to these the sad fates of Morton, Wells, and Jackson, none of whom went into that good night gently.

Some subjects may be too fruitful for one play. Given Elizabeth Egloff's scattered Ether Dome at the La Jolla Playhouse, ether as an anaesthetic must be



one. The script unfolds like that frantic kid in the candy store, grabbing this chocolate bar, that luscious confection, arm-hauling a shelf of temptations - but so many that they spill and clatter across the floor.

Ether Dome has at least six plays in search of a through-line.

> It doesn't take long to be impressed with Egloff's research. This

isn't one of those "look how hard I worked" texts, where the author flaunts details like merit badges. It also doesn't take long to see that she's attempting way too much. There's so much exposition, the characters talk like Google hits. They often tell each other what they already know.

The main theme runs deep through history. Just about every patented discovery - from the light bulb to the double helix — has either multiple claimants or someone who got to the patent office too late. Charles Jackson lost at least five: for gun cotton, mining copper, the telegraph (to Samuel Morse), a discovery about digestion, and ether. Some scientists found him suspicious because he made so many prior claims. Others urged him to be more assertive with his discoveries.

In 1846, William Morton said he found the perfect anaesthetic for surgery: Letheon (named after the river of forgetfulness). Though he took the credit, Letheon



The Ether Dome takes on the complex subject of medical discovery — to numbing effect.

The Ether Dome, *by Elizabeth Egloff* **La Jolla Playhouse**, 2910 La Jolla Village Drive, La Jolla

Directed by Michael Wilson; cast: Richmond Hoxie, William Youmans, Gregory Balla, Ken Cheesman, Bill Kux, Linda Libby, Michael Bakkensen, Amelia, Pedlow, Kevin Hafso-Koppman, Tom Patterson, Lee Sellars, Liba Vaynberg; scenic/projection design, James Youmans; costumes, David C. Woolard; lighting, David Lander; sound, John Gromada, Alex Neumann; fight director, George Ye

Playing through August 10; Tuesday and Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday at 8:00 p.m. Sunday at 7:00 p.m. Matinee Saturday and Sunday at 2:00 p.m. 858-550-1010. lajollaplayhouse.org

turned out to be sulfuric ether, which Jackson had recommended. Actually - and here's how complicated the subject becomes — credit for the first use

of ether in surgery now goes to Crawford Long. The Georgian doctor/pharmacist used diethyl ether as an anaesthetic to remove a tumor in 1842 and never



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published his result.

Michael Wilson, who directs the La Jolla Playhouse production, is obviously aware of the script's urge to fly off the handle. So, the cast performs in melodramatic mode, bold-facing goods and evils. For breaks from information overload, the director stages the occasional wake-up call. A doctor performs an operation: from pulling teeth to lancing cancerous tumors. David Lander's lights flash beet-red. John Gromada's original music agonizes into a ghoulish, claws-on-the-blackboard pitch, like the shower scene in Psycho. These Grand Guignol moments function like an anti-sorbet. They shock the taste buds and prepare spectators for the next entrée of bland exposition.

The physical production solves problems better than the play. James Youmans's set turns the Mandell Weiss Forum's steep-raked seating into a surgical amphitheater, à la the actual "Ether Dome" (making the audience med students at Massachusetts General). David C. Woolard's charcoal-gray costumes catch the starch-collared, Brahmin rectitude of the period, which makes outsider William Morton's ersatz cravats stand out all the more.

The large cast treats the project with respect, even though revisions are obviously going on as they speak: the stitching still shows. So they must utter new lines, remember to omit rejects, work new blocking, and keep the timing crisp. If there were a "Smoke-Jumper" award for hazardous acting duty, I'd nominate this cast.

To their credit, Michael Bakkensen (Horace Wells), Tom Patterson (William Morton), William Youmans (Charles Jackson), Richmond Hoxie (Dr. Warren), and others, manage to sneak in dimensions where possible. But they must play puppet-like roles at best. The critic Walter Kerr said, "It is better to make a character than to make a point." *Ether Dome*'s a case in point.

The subject fascinates. But since it shoots off in myriad directions, the question arises: how to revise it? A hardcore, blue-penciled trim? Sure. A stronger sense of emphases between major and minor characters and important information? A must.

How about using a narrator? Put backstory and historical import in one person's hands? The single focus would pull the parts together more effectively — and account for them as well. Using a narrator might be an obvious, maybe even a hackneyed, choice. But then again, desperate scripts call for desperate devices.

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.

A Journey Through Oz

Coronado Playhouse presents an intimate cabaret event "of all things Oz," including songs from Oz-related shows and sing-alongs. Thomas Fitzpatrick directs. CORONADO PLAYHOUSE, 1835 STRAND WAY, CORONADO. 619-435-4856. 7PM FRIDAY & SATURDAY.

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." <u>Worth a try.</u> HORTON GRAND THEATRE, 444 FOURTH AVE., DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-234-9583. 7:30PM THURSDAYS, 8PM FRIDAYS, 4PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, 7:30PM WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 31.

Bare: A Pop Opera

Diversionary Theatre presents "a re-imagining of *Romeo & Juliet* for the modern voice," in which the starcrossed lovers are "two closeted gay teens struggling to reconcile their feelings with their religious beliefs." Noah Longton directs. DIVERSIONARY THEATRE, 4545 PARK BL., UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS. 619-220-0097. 8PM THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS, & SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 3.

Circumstantial Evidence

The Circus Collective of San Diego presents the story of a down-on-hisluck detective. He stumbles across the case of a circus troupe whose ringmaster has gone missing. Suspects abound. GLASHAUS ARTIST COLLECTIVE WAREHOUSE, 1815 MAIN ST., LOGAN HEIGHTS. 8PM FRIDAY.

Ether Dome

Reviewed this issue. Not rated. LA JOLLA PLAYHOUSE, 2910 LA JOLLA VILLAGE DR., UCSD. 858-550-1010. 8PM THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS, 2PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM & 7PM SUNDAYS, 7:30PM TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 10.

The Full Monty

New Village Arts presents the Broadway musical, based on the movie, about six unemployed Buffalo steelworkers who "overcome their inner demons to go the full monty." Manny Fernandes directs. NEW VILLAGE ARTS THEATRE, 2787 B STATE ST., CARLSBAD. 760-433-3245. 8PM THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS, & SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, THROUGH SEPTEMBER 7.

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.

Into the Woods

The Old Globe hosts this "reimagined" staging by Fiasco Theater, and they've turned Stephen Sondheim's musical about life after "happily ever after" inside-out. Instead of Broadway pizzazz, this is a humble, folksy version (the men wear suspenders and long-john tops, the women frumpy white garments, as if performing at a 19th-century barn dance rather than at the Great White Way). It's Story Theater told. it would appear, from inside a piano. Although it's longish - the ten performers don't have the best trained voices, and it sidles toward the cute

— the approach works surprisingly well. The story and the songs are the stars, thanks to fluid ensemble acting and inventive use of props and sound effects. Not only that, all are capable musicians. **Critic's Pick**.

OLD GLOBE THEATRE, 1363 OLD GLOBE WAY, BALBOA PARK. 619-234-5623. 8PM THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS, 2PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM & 7PM SUN-DAYS, 7PM TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 10.

Jade Heart

Moxie Theatre stages Will Cooper's drama about Jade McCullough. An outsider in America, "the only clue to her past is half of a jade heart found in her swaddling clothes." Delicia Turner Sonnenberg directs. MOXIE THEATRE, 6663 EL CAJON BL., SUITE N, ROLANDO. 858-598-7620. 8PM THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS, & SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS. THROUGH AUGUST 10.

Les Miserables

Lamb's Players stages the epic musical, by Claude-Michel Shonberg and Alain Boublil, about obsession, love, revolution, and grace. Robert Smyth directs.

LAMB'S PLAYERS THEATRE, 1142 OR-ANGE AVE., CORONADO. 619-437-0600. 8PM THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS, 4PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, 7:30PM TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH SEPTEMBER 7.

Mary Poppins

Moonlight Stage Productions continues its 34th summer season with the Southern California premiere of the musical co-created by Disney and Cameron Mackintosh. The book is by Julian Fellowes of *Downton Abbey* fame.

MOONLIGHT AMPHITHEATRE IN BRENGLE TERRACE PARK, 1200 VALE TERRACE, VISTA. 760-724-2110. 8PM THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS, & SATURDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 2.

Much Ado About Nothing

Intrepid Shakespeare Company stages the Bard's popular comedy about the "merry war" between confirmed bachelor Benedick and "smart, headstrong" Beatrice. Richard Baird directs. SAN DIEGUITO ACADEMY CLAYTON E. LIGGETT THEATER, 800 SANTA FE DR., ENCINITAS. 760-752-1121. 8PM THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS, 4PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, THROUGH

AUDITIONS

A Few Good Men

402 N. Coast Hwy., Oceanside Prepare a contemporary dramatic or comedic monologue. You may also be asked to read from the script. Open to age 18 and up. Callback: Wednes day, August 6, Rehearsals begin Monday, August 18. Show run dates: September 26 to October 5. Directed by STAR Theatre Company artistic director David Schulz. The Star Theatre Company presents Aaron Sorkin's stage production. First produced on Broadway in 1989 and inspiring an Academy Award-nominated film of the same name. Aaron Sorkin's A Few Good Men tells the story of military lawyers at a court-martial who uncover a high-level conspiracy in the course of defending their clients two United States Marines accused of murder Auditions: AUGUST 5 6PM

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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

Oedipus el Rey



SAN DIEGO REPERTORY THEATRE 79 Horton Plaza, Downtown San Diego

Luis Alfaro's contemporary adaptation of the classic, Oedipus the King — the temples of classical Thebes are traded for the urban Latino barrios of Southern California. Seeking Latino actors for all roles but open to other ethnicities. AEA and nonunion actors encouraged to submit. Housing available for select roles. Callbacks: August 18 and 20. Runs March 2015. Please email your headshot and resume to casting@sdrep. org. Send as attachment with subject line: "Oedipus EI Rey Submission." Auditions: AUGUST 5

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

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The Odd Couple

The Welk Resort Theatre presents the popular Neil Simon comedy about opposites sharing the same Manhattan apartment, and not at all with civility. Randall Hickman directs. WELK RESORT THEATRE, 8860 LAWRENCE WELK DR., ESCONDIDO. 888-802-7469. 8PM FRIDAYS, 1PM & 8PM

LAWRENCE WELK DR., ESCONDIDO. 888-802-7469. 8PM FRIDAYS, 1PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 1PM SUNDAYS & WEDNES-DAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 17.





PATIO PLAYHOUSE THEATRE 116 S. Kalmia Street Open to 6-18 years old. Prepare a one minute solo — karaoke track required. Callbacks: Monday, August 18, 5 pm to 8 pm. Callbacks will consist of a cold read from the script and a short dance audition. Performances: October 17 through 26, 7 pm Friday and Saturday, 2 pm Sunday. Info: 760-746-6669 or geoffreycox@patioplayhouse.com. Auditions: AUGUST 16, 17 1PM

Sea World Fall and Winter Audition

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2595 Ingraham St., Mission Beach Casting engaging, comedic, familyfriendly performers for SeaWorld Sar Diego's Halloween Spooktacular and Christmas holiday event. Performers may be selected for one or both shows. Halloween Spooktacular performers to portray the Pumpkin Princess, the King of Candy, members of the school of fish, and other characters. Christmas characters to interact with guests include Mrs. Claus, Santa's Elves, the Nutcracker, the Peppermint Princess, and other North Pole friends Rehearsals the week of September 22-26 with performances weekends September 27 through October 26 for Halloweer Spooktacular, Rehearsals November 4-6 and 11-14 with performances November 14 through January 3 for SeaWorld's Christmas events. Prepare a one minute family-friendly comedic monologue and perform a character improv and/or read from a provided script the day of the audition. Auditions: AUGUST 16

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.

The Orphan of Zhao

Imagine a father having to sacrifice his son to save the last member of a noble line. And Chen Ying, a humble country doctor, does it because he must honor an "understanding," a vow, which in his culture is eternal. *The Orphan of Zhao* stresses the importance of vows by showing the cost. Along with stylized, physical movement and atmosphere (abetted by live musicians) one of the fascinations of this piece: in this culture right and wrong are palpable, duties are always clear, and the individual is a small part of a much larger whole. The story goes back thousands of years. Directed by Carey Perloff, the production moves faster than James Fenton's prosaic, pedestrian adaptation. BD Wong heads the cast as Chen Ying. His indelible moment, when Chen must watch his son slayed, and not react, is worth the price of admission. **Worth a trv.**

LA JOLLA PLAYHOUSE, 2910 LA JOLLA VILLAGE DR., UCSD. 858-550-1010. 8PM THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS, 2PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM & 7PM SUN-DAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 3.

Pageant: The Beauty Pageant Musical

This year's Miss Glamouresse Beauty Pageant's at Cygnet Theatre. So, as M.C. Frankie Cavalier shouts, "Let the beauty begin!" The musical satirizes beauty contests (and the hoops women must run through in the endless quest for "beauty") with a twist. Judges in the audience determine the nightly winner. Plus, the six women are men in drag. The book, by Bill Russell and Frank Kelly, is uneven. Set pieces depend on the performer to make them go. Phil Johnson's ardent M.C., and a game cast doing silly things with admirable sincerity keep things moving through the rough spots. Credit to James Vasquez's precise direction and choreography, Peter Herman's wigs and make-up, Shirley Pierson's swanky costumes, and Michael McKeon's appropriately goofy props, among them the world's largest tube of lipstick. Worth a try.

CYGNET THEATRE, 4040 TWIGGS ST., OLD TOWN. 619-337-1525. 7:30PM THURSDAYS, 8PM FRIDAYS, 3PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM & 7PM SUNDAYS, 7:30PM WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 31.

Quartet

The Old Globe Theatre stages Ron Harwood's comedy about former opera singers at a home for retired musicians. They're doing fine, until an ex-wife arrives. Richard Seer directs.

SHERYL AND HARVEY WHITE THEATRE, 1363 OLD GLOBE WAY, BALBOA PARK. 619-234-5623. 8PM THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS, 2PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM & 7PM SUNDAYS, 7PM TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 24.

Romance/Romance

Two views of romance, a century apart. In "The Little Comedy, bored aristocrats in 1900 Vienna dress down and find each other. But will their love, based on poverty, survive the truth? "Summer Share," set in the Hamptons today, asks if a man and a woman can be best friends without a sexual component? Under Rick Simas's direction and Iill Gorrie's choreography, and accompanied by three backup musicians, the North Coast Rep's performers provide an always entertaining, if slight and undemanding, evening of theater. Lance Arthur Smith, Melissa Wolfklain, Jeffrey Scott Parsons, and Jill Townsend showcase their versatility by acting, singing, and Reader dancing in two periods over 100 years apart. Worth a try. NORTH COAST REPERTORY THEATRE, July 31, 987-D LOMAS SANTA FE DR., SOLANA BEACH. 858-481-1055. 8PM THURS-2014 DAYS, FRIDAYS, & SATURDAYS, 2PM & 7PM SUNDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 3.

Meaningful menage

MOVIES

he PR slaves at Tribeca Films want potential viewers to believe their latest release, *Very Good Girls*, spotlights a pact between two high school virgins, Dakota Fanning and Elizabeth Olsen, to enter college unchaste. All bets are off when the girls both set their sights on the

same sexy ice cream vendor (Boyd Holbrook). Instead of a *Little Darlings* reboot,

screenwriter (*Running on Empty, The Bee Season*) and first-time director Naomi Foner proffers evidence to the contrary with this lovely coming-of age movie about the perils of not telling the truth. Fanning and Olsen are so good together that one wishes this would be the first of many on-screen pairings. It did take a scene or two to recover from the Jules and Jim poster tacked to Fanning's wall — even at its best, this meaningful menage is more than a safe distance from Truffaut.

— Scott Marks

INTERVIEW WITH VERY GOOD GIRLS WRITER-DIRECTOR NAOMI FONER

Naomi Foner was gracious enough to take a phoner from her office in New York. I did my best to avoid mentioning her kids, Maggie and Jake, from a previous marriage to a guy named

Gyllenhaal. Not unlike the character Fanning plays, I didn't want to steal Naomi's thunder.

But I couldn't resist asking about her son-in-law — and Big Screen deity — Peter Sarsgaard, who gives mom his all in the picture. Was she at all unnerved when her daughter broke the news of her engagement to one of the most convincingly scuzzy actors currently lighting up screens? Read on.

Scott Marks: Your name didn't initially ring a bell. I see Richard Dreyfuss and Demi Moore's names in the cast list and wonder how a firsttime director managed to attract these heavyweights. A little research turns up *Running on Empty* and *The Bee*



Very Good Girls: Is that "good" as in "good," or "good" as in "good"?

Season among your screenwriting credits and soon it begins to make sense. Here's a question I'm sure you haven't been asked 900 times: what took you so long to step behind the camera?

Naomi Foner: Many things. It started years ago at the beginning

of my career in the American Film Institute's directing workshop for women. I have always had the intention of doing it. It was a combination of thinking I needed to know more than I knew, and having a family, and having a director/husband who I probably in some unconscious way didn't want to be in competition with. I feel like I've half-done it all these years, but I never really got the chance to do it in full glory and kind of fall on my own sword until now.

SM: How long was the shoot? NF: We shot this in 23 days. My novice status showed when I agreed to



do it in that amount of time, especially with the number of locations we had. I had originally wanted to shoot the scene of the guy who dances in the playground on the Brooklyn Bridge. It was the impetus for the script to be written. I wrote this script a long time ago. It was based on a real story that a friend of mine told me about a time in his youth when he was fighting with his parents.

He was walking across the Brooklyn Bridge at daylight after having just slammed his way out of the house. Leaning on the walkway of the bridge, he noticed a man riding toward him on a bicycle. The man got off the bicycle, leaned it against the railing, took off all of his clothes, and started to dance. Then he put his clothes back on, got back on the bike, and rode away. That's what I wanted to shoot, but we couldn't. The bridge was covered in draping to be painted and the sound up there was absolutely impossible. There is a great energy that you pick up when you're sitting under the duress of making a lowbudget independent movie that seeds the process.

SM: I hope this is the first of many onscreen pairings for Dakota and Elizabeth. They're wonderful together.

NF: These two girls actually knew each other. They went to the same school — although Lizzy's a couple of years older — and they were friends. I was planning on putting the girls together for a couple of weeks to get to know each other and I didn't have to do it.

SM: You also cast two of my favorite big-screen scumbags. I look at Clark Gregg and immediately think *Republican bastard*. Every time! Who better than Gregg to play a father whose daughter catches him banging a near-stranger when she comes knocking to announce dinner? (Laughing.) Talk to me about the way Lilly's feelings change toward Gregg, who plays her father, during the course of the movie.

NF: She's truly shocked to find her father the way she does. In some ways it steals her thunder. This is supposed to be her time to be exploring her sexuality. And he puts her in a very uncomfortable position. It's full of all kinds of complicated dynamics. Her father's sexuality colors her choices. Some of what she does is based on how angry she is.

SM: He is the first one she turns to when it comes to discussing her dust-up with Gerri.

NF: Well, she doesn't do it until the very end. And as he says, "Did you come to tell me because you know I'm also a sinner?" This is the first time they acknowledge to each other that she has known all of this. In his mind, since she's a sinner, it's now okay to talk with him because he'll know what to tell her.

What he does at that moment is kind of great. He tells her about forgiveness and that she'll be surprised at what actually happens. She tries to shock him with news that she slept with someone, and he's cool and calm. She had crossed some kind of threshold and he's going to treat her like an adult. There's no drama. He waits to

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hear what she has to say. It takes that relationship full circle. It's confusing. And appropriately confusing. There is no straight line through any of this.

SM: You also brought the machatunim on board, your son-in-law, Peter Sarsgaard.

NF (laughing): Yes.

SM: I've seen *The Center of the World* and *The Dying Gaul* enough times to convince me that this guy is the contemporary equivalent of Peter Lorre. Were you familiar with this work, and if so did it scare you just a little when Maggie called to tell you the two of them were an item?

NF (laughing): I actually wasn't scared. Maggie has incredible taste. They are so beautifully matched. Both of them are constantly trying to disturb the comfortable and comfort the disturbed. They're both as smart as you can possibly get, and they really interest and delight each other. He's the only actor I can think of who can take a character that could so easily slip into being a total asshole and at the same time show us his vulnerability and why he was doing it. By the end you feel great compassion for him.

SM: One line of dialogue — "I didn't expect to give a shit" — says it all.

NF: I can't think of anyone else who could've played the role any bet-



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ter. He's a brilliant actor. We had more of him written in the original script. I actually shot some of his character's backstory. Loudon Wainwright III played his father. We shot a couple of scenes and we couldn't use them. Peter's character is not a bad guy. He's more frightened than she is when she accepts his proposition. She's using him at that moment, yet he tells her she doesn't have to go through with it. He's not a bad guy. He's a child.

SM: And what a good mother-inlaw you are! You write your son-inlaw a make-out scene with Dakota Fanning.

NF (laughing): Maybe. I don't know how my daughter feels about that one.

- Scott Marks

ADD ANOTHER BIRTHDAY CANDLE TO THE OCEANSIDE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL'S CAKE

The Oceanside International Film Festival celebrates its sixth year with over 70 features, documentaries, shorts, and animated films spread out over eight days. Highlights of this year's festival include *The Legacy of Oceanside High School*, a celebration of the life of "Junior" Seau presented in conjunction with his alma mater; *Patrol Base Jaker*, an award-winning doc that shows the "positive sides" of the Afghanistan conflict; a block of family-friendly science-fiction, romance, and dramatic films; and the OIFF's Lifetime Achievement Award, presented this year to American film and television actor Saginaw Grant.

Films will screen at the Star Theatre, 402 North Coast Highway, and the Sunshine Brooks Theatre, 217 North Coast Highway. Tickets range from \$10 for a movie to \$50 for the gala. A festival pass to all the movies will set you back \$35. For more info, visit *www.ocaf.info*.

— 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 Jonah 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)

And So It Goes — Rob Reiner directs Michael Douglas and Diane Keaton in this rom-com about a man charged with taking care of the granddaughter he never knew he had. 2014. (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 tavern 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)

Boyhood — Would it really have made that much difference had Boyhood been filmed over a period of three months with a range of actors playing the leads at various stages of their lives as opposed to a 12-year shoot that affords its cast the relatively unheard of luxury of literally aging before our eyes? Mason (Ellar Coltrane) and Samantha (Lorelei Linklater) are the product of good people (Patricia Arquette and Ethan Hawke) who couldn't make their love work. Much of the film's appeal stems from it's structured commitment to chronicling growth without relying on improvisation as a crutch. Richard Linklater's casual hand at storytelling, dealing out reel after reel of naggingly forthright enlightenment, turns this simple tale of a mother trying to do best for her kids into something worth every second of the time it took to produce. With Marco Perella, chilling as Dad #2, a Jekyll & Hyde type who tends bar in the laundry room. 2014. - S.M. ★★★★ (AMC LA JOLLA; LANDMARK HILLCREST: READING TOWN SOUARE)

Chef — Jon Favreau writes, directs, and stars in this flick about a guy named Carl Casper who loses his restaurant job, starts up a food truck, and tries to reconnect with his family. With Robert Downey Jr. and Scarlett Johansson. 2014. (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

Code Black — Brief, humane, and (literally) visceral documentary about the ER at L.A. County Hospital. (The title refers to those increasingly frequent times when the combination of patient load and acute emergencies demand maximum effort and attention from the doctors on duty.) Director Ryan McGarry opens with a flurry of life-ordeath activity, steps back for a brief history - the original L.A. County Hospital was the birthplace of emergency medicine as a discipline - and then digs into the lives of the young doctors who are willing - even wanting — to wade into the hottest of medical hot zones. Then he drops a ton of paperwork on the proceedings, followed by frustrations with nursing shortages, overcrowding, regulation, and everything else that gets in the way of actually practicing medicine. The film refuses polemic, grants access, and mostly steers clear of the heartstrings in its effort to humanize those on both sides of the institutional front line, 2013, M.L. ** (READING GASLAMP)

Dawn of the Planet of the Apes -

Rise of the Planet of the Apes alone justified the advent of CGI. With it comes a worthy successor. No other-worldly Hollywood actioner of recent vintage come close to playing by the rules of the robust fantasy universe it puts forth like this pair of premium summer blockbusters. It's been over a decade since ape last set sight on man, a situation that could have remained unchanged were it not for humankind's natural inclination to engage in resource wars, this time against a society devoid of fuel. It has 25 long minutes on its predecessor and gosh only knows the motion-capture simians frequently out-emote their live-action counterparts. That said, my disbelief remained wilfully suspended throughout. Matt Reeves (Cloverfield) mercifully kicks his jiggle-cam to the curb and in its place gives us assured, rock steady direction - a long shot taken from inside a rotating tank turret as it surveys the wreckage made my goose pimples burble. Great inside joke: an orangutan named Mau rice! 2014. — S.M. $\star \star \star \star$ (IN WIDE RELEASE - SEE SHOWTIMES

MOVIE SHOWTIMES

Bargain showtimes are in parentheses.

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 (Not Rated) Fri. 12:00, 2:00, 6:00; Journey to the South Pacific (G) Fri-Sun 11:00, 1:00; Perception: See Beyond the Illusion (Not Rated) Fri-Sun 3:30, 4:30

CLAIREMONT

Reading Town Square

4665 Clairemont Dr (800-326-3264 #2722) America: Imagine the World Without Her (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:55, 1:20, 3:40) 8:25. 10:45; And So It Goes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:40, 1:00, 3:20) 5:40, 8:05, 10:20; **Boyhood** (R) Fri-Sun (12:30, 3:50) 7:05, 10:25; **Dawn** of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:25, 1:15) 4:20, 7:25, 10:15; **Get On Up** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:30, 1:35) 4:35, 7:35, 2014 10:35; Guardians of the Galaxy (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:45, 11:30, 12:15, 1:30, 3:00) 4:15, 5:45, 7:00, 8:30, 9:45, 10:30, 11:15; Guardians 5:45, 7:00, 8:30, 9:45, 10:30, 11:15; Guardian
 Gof the Galaxy 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun (2:15) 5:00, 7:45; Hercules (PG-13) Fri-Sun (11:00, 3:40) 5:55, 10:30; Hercules 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun (1:20) 8:15; I Origins (R) Fri-Sun (11:40, 2:10) 4:45, 7:15, 9:55; **Lucy** (R) Fri-Sun (10:35, 11:05, 12:50, 1:20, 3:10, 3:35) 5:20, 5:50, 7:30, Diego 8:00, 9:30, 10:00; A Most Wanted Man (R) Fri-Sun (10:50, 1:40) 4:30, 7:20, 10:10; **Planes: Fire & Rescue** (PG) Fri-Sun (11:05, 1:10, 2 3:15) 5:15, 7:15; Wish I Was Here (Not

Rated) Fri-Sun (10:15) 6:05, 9:20

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 (10:35, 12:50, 3:05) 5:35 7:55, 10:30; And So It Goes (PG-13) Fri. (10:25, 1:00, 3:05) 5:10, 7:40, 10:00 Sat-Sun (10:25, 12:40, 2:55) 5:10, 7:40, 10:00; **Begin** Again (R) Fri. (10:30, 12:45, 3:30) 5:45, 8:05, 10:40 Sat (10:30, 12:45, 3:00) Sun (10:30, 12:45, 3:30) 5:45, 8:05, 10:40; **Chef** (R) Fri-Sun (11:35, 2:10) 4:40, 7:20, 9:55; Code Black (Not Rated) Fri-Sun (11:40, 1:45, 3:45) 5:40, 7:45, 9:45; **Edge of Tomorrow** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:20, 3:25) 8:15; **Ernest & Celestine** (Ernest et Celestine) (PG) Sat (11:00am) Sun; Get On Up (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:20, 11:20, 12:20, 1:15, 2:20, 3:20) 4:20, 5:20, 6:20, 7:25, 8:20, 9:20, 10:25: Maleficent (PG) Fri (10:45, 1:05, 3:15) 5:25, 7:50, 10:05 Sat (1:05, 3:15) 5:25, 7:50, 10:05 Sun (10:45, 1:05, 3:15) 5:25, 7:50, 10:05; **Snowpiercer (Seolguk**yeolcha) (R) Fri-Sun (10:15, 10:55, 12:55, :40, 3:35) 4:25, 6:10, 7:05, 9:10, 10:10; Tammy (R) Fri-Sun (1:00) 5:55, 10:45; The Purge: Anarchy (R) Fri-Sun (12:30, 3:10) 5:30, 8:00, 10:35; X-Men: Days of Future Past (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:40, 12:05, 1:20, 3:00) 4:15, 6:05, 7:15, 9:05, 10:20

Regal Horton Plaza

Horton Plaza (619-444-FILM) Call theater for program information.

KENSINGTON

Landmark Ken 4061 Adams Ave (619-283-3227) Happy Christmas (R) Fri: (2:30), (4:45), 7:00, 9:15, Sat & Sun: (2:30), 4:45, 7:00, 9:15, Mon - Thu: (4:45), 7:00, 9:15; Pulp Fiction (R) Sat: 12:00 Midnight, Discount Shows at Landmark's Ken Cinema Indicated in Brackets "()"; Alive Inside (NR) Opens Friday, August 8; Tosca's Kiss (NR) 30th Anniversary, Plays Saturday, August 9 & Sunday, August 10; The Room (R) Plays Saturday, August 9

LA JOLLA

AMC La Jolla 8657 Villa La Jolla Dr (888-262-4386) Call theater for program information.

Landmark La Jolla Village 8879 Villa La Jolla Dr (858-453-7622) Magic In The Moonlight (PG-13) Fri: (1:20), 4:00, 7:10, 9:40, Sat & Sun: (11:10), 1:20, 4:00, 7:10, 9:40, Mon - Thu: (1:20), (4:00), 7:10, 9:40; Magic In The Moonlight (PG-13) Fri: (2:30), 5:00, 8:00, 10:00, Sat & Sun: (12:00), 2:30, 5:00, 8:00, 10:00, Mon - Thu: (2:30), (5:00), 8:00, 10:00; A Most Wanted Man (R) Fri: (1:35), 4:20, 7:20, 9:50, Sat & Sun: (11:00), 1:35, 4:20, 7:20, 9:50, Mon - Thu: (1:35), (4:20), 7:20, 9:50; Chef (R) Fri - Thu: (2:10), 7:00; Land Ho! (R) Fri, Mon - Thu: (4:40), 9:55, Sat & Sun: (11:20), 4:40, 9:55, 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) And So It Goes (PG-13) Sat 9:05, 10:55, 1:05, 4:10, 7:25; Begin Again (R) Sat 9:35, 12:40; Chef (R) Sat 10:10, 1:40, 5:05, 7:55, 10:55; Edge of Tomorrow (PG-13) Sat 10:35, 11:20; Get On Up (PG-13) Sat 9:15, 10:00, 11:00, 12:15, 1:15, 2:15, 3:15, 4:30, 5:00, 7:15, 8:00, 10:30, 12:15; **Guardians of the** Galaxy (PG-13) Fri. 11:30, 5:00 Sat 10:15, 12:45, 1:00, 1:30, 2:45, 3:45, 5:30, 6:30, 8:15, 9:15, 9:30, 10:00, 10:45, 12:00, 12:30 Sat 4:15, 7:00, 9:45 Sat 11:30, 4:45, 7:30, 1:00 Sun 11:30 5:00, 7:45; Guardians of the Galaxy 3D (PG-13) Fri. 9:00, 2:15, 7:45, 10:30 Sat 11:45, 3:30, 6:00, 7:45, 8:45, 11:45, 12:45 Sat 9:00, 2:00, 10:15 Sun 9:00, 2:15, 10:30; Hercules (PG-13) Sat 9:05, 11:10, 2:50, 5:50, 8:35, 11:10, 12:50; How to Train Your Dragon 2 (PG) Sat 10:25, 12:35, 3:40, 6:25, 10:25; Magic in the Moonlight (PG-13) Sat 9:00, 12:50 3:05, 5:15, 6:10, 8:20, 10:40; Million Dollar Arm (PG) Sat 10:40am; A Most Wanted Man (R) Sat 11:05, 1:10, 3:35, 6:05, 8:40. 10:35, 12:35; The Fault in Our Stars (PG-13) Sat 12:55pm; Transformers: Age of Extinction (PG-13) Sat 9:45, 3:10

Digital Gym Cinema

2921 El Cajon Blvd ((619) 230-1938) Borgman (Not Rated) Sat 3:45pm Sun 2:45pm; Lucky Them (R) Fri. 4:00, 6:00, 8:00 Sat 1:45, 6:00, 8:00 Sun 12:45, 5:00, 7:00

UltraStar Mission Valley 7510 Hazard Center Dr #100 (619-685-2841) Call theater for program information.

UPTOWN

Landmark Hillcrest

3965 Fifth Ave (619-298-2904) **Magic In The Moonlight** (PG-13) Fri: (1:45), 3:00, 4:15, 5:30, 7:10, 8:00, 9:30, Sat & Sun: (11:10), 12:30, 1:45, 3:00, 4:15, 5:30, 7:10, 8:00, 9:30, Mon - Thu: (1:45), (3:00), (4:15), (5:30), 7:10, 8:00, 9:30; I **Origins** (R) Fri, Mon - Thu: 10:15, Sat & Sun: (11:00), 10:15; **Wish I Was Here** (R) Fri: (2:00), (4:30), 7:20, 10:20, Sat & Sun: (11:20), 2:00, 4:30, 7:20, 10:20, Mon, Tue & Thu: (2:00), (4:30), 7:20, 10:20, Wed: (2:00), (4:30), 10:20; **Boyhood** (R) Fri: (1:30), 3:15, 5:00, 7:00, 8:30, 9:45, Sat & Sun: (11:30), 1:30, 3:15, 5:00, 7:00, 8:30, 9:45, Mon - Thu: (1:30), (3:15), (5:00), 7:00, 8:30, 9:45; **Monty Python Live (Mostly)** (NR) Wed: 7:00 PM, Discount Shows at Landmark's Hillcrest Cinemas Indicated in Brackets "()"

EAST COUNTY

EL CAJON

Regal Parkway Plaza 405 Parkway Plaza (619-401-3456) Call theater for program information.

LA MESA

Reading Grossmont

5500 Grossmont Cntr Dr (800-326-3264 #2710) **And So It Goes** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:50, 1:05, 3:20) 5:35, 7:50, 10:05; **Dawn of the** Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sur (11:05, 1:55) 4:45, 7:40, 10:30; **Get On Up** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:20, 1:20) 4:20, 7:20, 10:20; Guardians of the Galaxy (PG-13) Fri-Sat (10:00, 10:55, 11:55, 12:45, 2:40, 3:30) 5:25, 6:15, 8:10, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:45, 11:40 Sun (10:00, 10:55, 11:55, 12:45, 2:40, 3:30) 5:25 6.15, 8.10, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.45; Guardians of the Galaxy 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun (1:40) 4:25, 7:10; Hercules (PG-13) Fri-Sun (11:20, 1:35, 3:50) 6:05, 8:20, 10:35; Lucy (R) Fri-Sat (10:15, 11:15, 12:25, 1:30, 2:35, 3:40) 4:50, 5:50 7:00, 8:00, 9:10, 10:10, 11:20 Sun (10:15, 11:15, 12:25, 1:30, 2:35, 3:40) 4:50, 5:50, 7:00, 8:00 9:10, 10:10; Planes: Fire & Rescue (PG) Fri-Sun (11:25, 1:25, 3:25) 5:30, 7:30

Deliver Us from Evil — Scott Derrickson's latest forav 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. ★ (AMC MISSION VALLEY; REGAL OCEANSIDE)

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 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 eye 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. \star (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 McOuarrie (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. — M.L. ★★ (IN WIDE

MOVIE SHOWTIMES

RELEASE - SEE SHOWTIMES)

Epic — As Pixar gets digested by Disney, Blue Sky Studios steps up and takes its shot at the title for innovative animated storytelling. (The CG animation itself is pretty innovative as well, particularly when it comes to water, sunlight, and facial expressions.) The biggest success is at the level of emotion: a teenage girl's alienation from her crackpot father, a leaf-warrior's grief over the loss of his beloved queen, and even a slug's hopeless pining for a pretty girl are handled with surprising deftness. But the story can't

match the characters: when your bad guy's motivation is an arbitrary desire to upset the balance of nature, you've got a problem. The circle of life doesn't really allow for the binary struggle between good and evil. Director Chris Wedge sought to turn author William Joyce's source material from "a quaint story" into "a gigantic action-adventure movie," and the stretch marks show. 2013. — M.L. $\star\star$ (DIGIPLEX MISSION MARKETPLACE; DIGIPLEX TEMECULA TOWER CIN-EMAS: REGAL OCEANSIDE)

Ernest & Celestine — You know what's bad? Prejudice. You know what's good? Artists, especially those who reject the squarepeg jobs that society wants them to perform and who then go on to live in ways that defy pointless societal conventions, man. You know who needs to/can stand to hear this message? Cartoon-loving kiddies, who won't roll their eyes at a mocked-up antagonism between mice and bears. You know what treated this subject with infinitely more nuance, drama, and skill? Ratatouille. The watercolor-based animation is lovely (except when it slips into anime-style freneticism), and the character design is adorable - hence the star in the rating. After that, things get sloppy. A mouse as big as a bear's head? Who is also able to step through gaps in a sewer grate? Bears who are and then are not afraid of mice? Mice who are and then are not afraid of bears? It's not nitpicking when it's emblematic of an overall lack of care and coherence. 2012. — M.L. ★ (READ-ING CARMEL MOUNTAIN; READING GASLAMP)

The Fluffy Movie — Filmed performance of comedian Gabriel "Fluffy" Iglesias. 2014. (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

Get On Up — James Brown's life story, directed by Tate Taylor and starring

RANCHO SAN DIEGO

Regal Rancho San Diego 2951 Jamacha Rd (800-326-3264) Call theater for program information.

SANTEE

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) Call theater for program information.

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** 5256 Mission Road (760-945-8784) **Slugterra: Return of the Elementals** (Not Rated) Sat-Sun (11:00am)

CARMEL MOUNTAIN

Reading Carmel Mountain 11620 Carmel Mntn Rd (800-326-3264 #2704) And So It Goes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:55, 1:05, 3:15) 5:25, 7:35, 9:50; **Begin Again** (R) Fri-Sun (10:40, 12:50, 3:10) 5:20, 7:45, 10:10; Chef (R) Fri. (11:15, 1:50) 4:40, 7:25, 9:55 Sat (1:50) 4:40, 7:25, 9:55 Sun (11:15, 1:50) 4:40, 7:25, 9:55; Dawn of the Planet of the **Apes** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:45, 1:40) 4:35, 7:20, 10:00; **Ernest & Celestine (Ernest et** Celestine) (PG) Sat (11:00am) Sun; Get On **Up** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:20, 1:15) 4:10, 7:05, 10:15; **Guardians of the Galaxy** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:15, 11:00, 11:45, 1:00, 1:45, 2:30, 3:45) 4:30, 6:30, 7:15, 9:15, 10:00; Guardians of the Galaxy 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun 5:15, 8:00, 10:35; Hercules (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:35, 12:55, 3:05) 5:30, 7:50, 10:05; Lucy (R) Fri-Sun (11:25, 1:35, 3:40) 5:45, 7:55, 10:20; **A Most** Wanted Man (R) Fri-Sun (11:10, 2:00) 4:50, 7:40, 10:25: Planes: Fire & Rescue (PG) Fri-Sun (10:30, 12:45, 3:00) 5:05, 7:00, 9:20

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 Powav 13475 Poway Rd ((858) 679-3887) America: Imagine the World Without Her (PG-13) Fri. (11:30) 2:00, 4:30, 7:00 Sat (2:00) 4:30, 7:00 Sun (2:00) 4:30, 7:00, 9:20; Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (11:30) 2:30, 5:30, 9:40; Get On Up (PG-13) Fri-Sun (11:00) 2:00, 5:00 6.30, 8.00, 9.30; Guardians of the Galaxy (PG-13) Fri-Sat (11:00) 12:30, 1:45, 3:30, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00 Sun (11:00) 12:30, 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00: Guardians of the Galaxy 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun 8:30pm; Hercules (PG-13) Fri-Sun (12:15) 5:00, 7:15, 9:50; Hercules **3D** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (2:45pm); Jersey Boys (R) Fri-Sun (11:15) 7:00; Jigarthanda (Not Rat ed) Fri. 9:15pm Sat 5:00, 10:00 Sun (3:15pm); **Kick (Hindi)** (Not Rated) Fri. (11:30, 2:30) 7:00, 10:00 Sat (11:30, 2:00) 7:30, 10:00 Sun (11:30, 2:00) 5:30, 8:30; Lucy (R) Fri-Sun (12:00) 2:30, 5:15, 7:45, 10:10; **Planes: Fire & Rescue** (PG) Fri-Sun (11:15) 1:15, 3:15, 5:30, 7:30; **Sex Tape** (R) Fri-Sun (2:15) 4:45, 10:00; Slugterra: Return of the Elementals (Not Rated) Sat-Sun (11:00am)

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

Slugterra: Return of the Elementals (Not Rated) Sat-Sun (11:00am)

VISTA

Krikorian Vista Village Highway 78 at Vista Village Dr (760-945-7469) And So It Goes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:00, 12:15, 2:30, 4:50) 7:10, 10:30; Boyhood (R)

Fri-Sun (11:40, 3:20) 7:00, 9:30: Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:30, 1:25, 4:25) 7:25, 10:25; **Get On Up** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:25, 1:20, 4:20) 7:20, 10:20; Guardians of the Galaxy (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:00, 11:30, 12:50, 2:20, 3:40, 5:10) 6:30, 8:00, 9:20, 10:50 Fri-Sun (11:00, 1:50, 4:40) 7:30, 10:20; Guardians of the Galaxy 3D (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:30, 1:20, 4:10) 7:00, 9:50; **Hercules** (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:10, 12:25, 2:55, 5:20) 7:45, 9:20, 10:10; Lucy (R) Fri-Sun (10:05, 10:50, 12:20, 1:10, 2:40, 3:25, 5:00, 5:40) 7:15, 7:50, 9:35, 10:15; A Most Wanted Man (R) Fri-Sun (11:10, 1:55, 4:45) 7:35, 10:15; Planes: Fire & Rescue (PG) Fri-Sun (10:25, 12:30, 2:40, 4:50) 7:05; The Fluffy Movie (PG-13) Fri-Sun (10:00, 12:15, 2:45, 5:15) Fri-Sun 7:40, 10:05; The Purge: Anarchy (R) Fri-Sun (10:05, 12:20, 2:50, 5:25) 7.55.10.15

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) Wed: 3:50, Thu: 2:00, 3:50, Fri: 3:50, Sat: Midnight, Mon-Wed: 3:50; MECCA II (NR)

Wed: 7:00, 9:00: JERSEY BOYS (R) Thu-Fri-8:40, Sat-Sun: 3:10, 8:40, Mon-Wed: 8:40; THE FAULT IN OUR STARS (PG-13) Thu-Fri: 6:00, Sat-Sun: 12:30, 6:00, Mon-Wed: 6:00; **ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW** (R) Fri: Midnight

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Chadwick Boseman, Nelsan Ellis, and Dan Avkrovd 2014 (IN WIDE RELEASE -SEE SHOWTIMES)

Guardians of the Galaxy — Director James Gunn brings the same brand of sweetness-amid-the-horror he peddled in Super to a big-budget Marvel Universe space saga. Put another way: this is an anti-Avengers. There, a disparate group of heroes had to look past their own individual excellences in order to come together as a team. Here, a disparate group of wretches have to look past their own individual damages in order to come together as a team. Put still another way: Marvel puts its heart on its sleeve with a story about the healing power of friendship, but that sleeve is stained with blood, spit, and other bodily fluids. The dialogue is weak, the story is paint-by-numbers, and the characterization is short on personality and heavy on chuckle-fishing. But for better or for worse, star Chris Pratt throws himself headlong into his play to become a new generation's Han Solo. With Zoe Saldana. 2014. M.L. ★ (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Happy Christmas — A small-scale, big-star character study of exceedingly humble ambition. Anna Kendrick (Up in the Air, Drinking Buddies, Pitch Perfect) is Jenny, a young woman who goes to live with her brother leff (writer-director-star loe Swanberg) and his wife Kelly (a charming Melanie Lynskey) after a bad breakup. She promptly goes out drinking with her friend Carson (Lena Dunham) and gets blackout drunk. This worries Kelly, who has a baby to consider. But maybe Kelly needs Jenny and Jenny needs Kelly and everybody has things they need to work out? Yeah, maybe. It's all thoughtfully done, but it's more of a highly detailed sketch than anything else: a portrait of a woman on the cusp of growing up. 2014. M.L. ★ (LANDMARK KEN)

I Origins — Humanistic sci-fi from director Mike Cahill (Another Earth), insofar as it sympathizes with the human longings for both understanding and transcendent mystery. Jan (Michael Pitt) is a scientist seeking an orderly, elegant proof of the random mutations that eventually produced the human eve. Sofi (Astrid Bergès-Frisbey) is a manic pixie dream girl with a spiritual streak and a photograph of an angel statue with human peepers. Karen (Brit Marling) is the brainy beauty who seeks to bridge the gap. Everyone underplays just enough to keep things from going goopy, even as the necessary coincidences pile up. 2014. - M.L. ★★★ (ARCLIGHT LA JOLLA; LAND-MARK HILLCREST; READING TOWN SOUARE)

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 make ing 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. — M.L. $\bigstar \bigstar$ (DIGIPLEX POWAY; PALOMA; REGAL RANCHO SAN DIEGO)

Land Ho! — A pair of ex brothers-in--law from the Bluegrass State (hushful Paul Eenhoorn and blustery Foghorn Leghorn proxy, Earl Lynn Nelson) are set adrift on a garrulous, firstclass Shirley Valentine cruise to Iceland, Sony Pictures Classics harpooned this understated, sprinkled-with-sugar two-character travel varn after its debut at Sundance. David Gordon Green acts as executive producer and given the writer-

-director's flair for gothic coming-of-age tales, one can only imagine how much more formally contemplative things might have been had he assumed control of the reins. (A giggly song and dance interlude could have been lifted from any number of Sandra Bullock films.) Instead, Martha Stephens and Aaron Katz take credit for the closeups. disconcerting zooms, and wasted pans. A great deal of one's appreciation of their American-Icelandic excursion hinges on a tolerance for cute and whether or not you find humor in the strenuously mismatched old birds. 2014. — S.M. ★★ (LANDMARK LA IOLLA VILLAGE)

Lucky Them — Her job on the line, a hardliving rock journalist/professional groupie (does Toni Colette ever tire of accolades?) is assigned a cover story on her ex: a legendary, famously AWOL Seattle musician. Coscreenwriter Emily Wachtel's semi-autobiographical debut regularly teeters hard in the direction of chick flick: a BFF to console her and at least a half-dozen wacky peripheral characters who serve no purpose other than to add a dollop of quirkiness before making a hasty retreat. Thomas Havden Church is dropped into the proceedings as a trust-fund baby with a Thurston Howell drawl and a desire to become a documentary filmmaker - his latter hobby becoming a running subplot that yields a few chuckles. The neonglazed offices of the fictional STAX Magazine wins this year's award for best set design. SPOILER ALERT: four golden minutes of

Johnny Depp, reminding us of a once-sweet Grape. 2013. S.M. ★★ (DIGITAL GYM)

Magic in the Moonlight - Woody Allen sends Colin Firth to the South of France to investigate Emma Stone. It seems she claims some supernatural sight, and he's one of those fuddy-duddies who likes to debunk things. Everyone looks lovely. Review very possibly forthcoming. 2014. (LANDMARK LA JOLLA VILLAGE)

A Most Wanted Man — A Chechen

Muslim enters Hamburg in the guise of a homeless man seeking asylum and captures the attention of intelligence operative Philip Seymour Hoffman's antiterror unit. Based on a John le Carré novel, this is the sharpest, most reasonable tale of espionage and intrigue since John Boorman's Tailor of Panama. Those who find excitement in dry-as-a-crumpet-fart British spy snoozers like Tinker. Tailor, Soldier, Spy will want to stay away: too much excitement is bad for the heart. The cast of international allstars - most notably Rachel McAdams holding her own with a determined Russian accent is uniformly exquisite. Kudos to director Anton Corbiin for rebounding from his last effort, the unmitigated Clooney debacle, The American. This was to be Hoffman's last role. If had to make an early exit, at least he did it with style. With Robin Wright, Nina Hoss, and Martin Wuttke, 2014. - S.M. $\star \star \star \star$ (IN WIDE RELEASE — SEE SHOWTIMES)

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Flicks on the Bricks: North by Northwest The apotheosis of Alfred Hitchcock's Hollywood career. Standout bits include the crop-duster dusting where there aren't any crops, the riotous auction scene, and, of course that nail-biting Mount Rushmore finale. Author: Hal Erickson. With Cary Grant and Eve Marie Saint. Thursday, August 7, 7:30pm CENTRAL LIBRARY



Square Grouper: The Godfathers of Ganja Billy Corben's (Cocaine Cowboys) flashbang portrait of the brazen outlaw history of cannabis-smuggling in the Sunshine State in the '70s and '80s. The film is a small-scale tapestry of three stories of high times in the Florida lowlands: "Black Tuna Gang," "Savvy Smuggler Robert Platshorn," and "Ethiopian Zion Coptic Church." Documentary. 2012. 100 minutes. Rated R. Monday, August 4, 6:30pm

Pt. 1 & 2: History's Living Room: Bene dict Cumberbatch and WWI Part one and two of the critically acclaimed 2012 HBO/BBC TV mini-series following the love triangle of English aristocrat Christopher Tietjens (Bene dict Cumberbatch), his vindictive wife Sylvia (Rebecca Hall), and young suffragette Valentine Wannop (Adelaide Clemmens) during World War I. Often cited as the "High Brow Downton Abbey," this BAFTA-winning production was directed by Susan White and written by Tom Stoppard. Monday, August 11, 6:00pm **The Motel Life** Using dry humor, animated sequences, and flashbacks, this is a ballad of

brotherly love and shared dreams. Set in the

underdog margins of casinos, strip clubs, and

bars, two brothers take to the road to escape

their involvement in a hit-and-run accident.

Emile Hirsch, Steven Dorff, and Dakota Fan-

In a Lonely Place A potentially violent

neighbor clears him. But she begins to have

screenwriter is a murder suspect until his lovely

Monday, August 11, 6:30pm

CINEMA UNDER THE STARS

ning head the cast. 2012. 85 minutes. Rated R.

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doubts. Starring Humphrey Bogart, Gloria Grahame. 1950. 94 minutes. Thursday, July 31,

8:30pm, Friday, August 1, 8:30pm Sixteen Candles Nothing seems to be going right for Samantha as she faces the trauma of turning 16. Her family forgets her birthday, the boy she loves doesn't know she exists, and she's being stalked by the class geek. Starring Molly Ringwald and Anthony Michael Hall? 1984. 93 minutes. Saturday, August 2, 8:30pm, Sunday, August 3, 8:30pm

Singin' in the Rain Infectious, glittering spoof of early Tinseltown features Donald O'Connor defying gravity and Gene Kelly proving love is waterproof. Starring Gene Kelly, Donald O'Connor, and Debbie Reynolds. 1952. 103 minutes. Thursday, August 7, 8:30pm, Friday, August 8, 8:30pm

Strangers on a Train A psychotic socialite confronts a pro tennis star with a theory on how two complete strangers can get away with murder...a theory that he plans to implement. Starring: Robert Walker, Farley Granger. 1951. 101 minutes. Saturday, August 9, 8:30pm, Sunday, August 10, 8:30pm

EMBARCADERO MARINA PARK SOUTH

Disney's Fantasia Randall Craig Fleischer, conductor, will present a Summer Pops live orchestra concert accompanying scenes from Walt Disney's original Fantasia (1940) and Fantasia 2000 in high definition on the big screen. Highlights include Piotr Tchaikovsky's "The Nutcracker Suite" and Mickey Mouse famously dabbling in magic in Paul Dukas' "The Sorcerer's Apprentice." Sunday, August 10, 8:00pm

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The Lego Movie Outdoor movie. Pre-show starts at 7pm; movie starts at 8pm. Concessions available for purchase from True Roots Catering. Free parking. Info: 619-450-4040. Friday, August 1, 7:00pm

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, August 6, 8:00pm Wednesday, August 13, 8:00pm, Wednesday, August 20, 8:00pm

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10 Years A group of pals, catching up and

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looking back, take stock of their lives after ten years of testing the waters of adulthood. Ensemble cast includes Channing Tatum, Kate Mara, Oscar Isaac, Rosario Dawson, and Justin Long. 2011. 101 minutes. PG-13. Tuesday, August 5, 6:00pm

Key of Life An out-of-work actor, seeking a job. A contract killer, seeking his memory. A career woman, seeking a groom. The lives of three people intersect, thanks to a knock on the head. A failed actor, unlucky in love, steals the identity of an accident victim and draws the attention of the mob. A topsy-turvy comic escapade. Japanese with English subtitles. 2012. 128 minutes. Not rated. Sunday, August 10, 2:00pm

Arranged Vibrant, humorous, and culturally provocative, the film focuses on two devout Brooklyn school teachers — one and Orthodox Iew and the other a Muslim — who clutch hands across the racial divide as they navigate through arranged marriages. English and Arabic, with English subtitles, 2008, 90 minutes Not rated. Tuesday, August 12, 6:00pm

REUBEN H. FLEET SCIENCE CENTER



Human-Elephant Conflict in Africa African elephants are placed in the paradoxical position of being a vulnerable species that needs to be conserved and simultaneously a pest due to human-elephant conflict Dr Noa Pinter-Wollman will discuss potential solutions to the situation, with an emphasis on translocation and it's impact on elephant behavior. Following the lecture, catch a special screening of the IMAX film Africa: The Serengeti, where you'll journey across the Serengeti plains with more than 1.5 million animals, including wildebeest, zebras, giraffes, elephants, and monkeys. The first Monday of the month, seniors 65+ enjoy the Science Center exhibits, a lecture, and a Giant Dome Theater show at a discount. 10:30am lecture; noon theater show; seniors \$8, adults \$17.95. Monday, August 4, 10:30am

The Sky Tonight: Two Years of Curios

ity It has been two years since the Mars Curiosity Rover landed on the Red Planet. This month's show will highlight the discoveries of this amazing explorer. Our monthly live planetarium show of the San Diego sky reaches a new level of stunning full-color visuals and realistic simulations of cosmic phenomena with our state-of-the-art digital projection system. A professional astronomer leads backyard stargazers through the universe. The San Diego County Astronomy Association provides free telescope viewing outdoors on the Prado in Balboa Park, weather and operational requirements permitting, Wednesday, August 6, 7:00pm

SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF ART Film in the Garden: Roman Holiday

Audrey Hepburn stars in this romantic comedy that follows Princess Ann as she travels through out Europe. Frustrated with the tightly sche and regimented life of a royal, Hepburn's character escapes in order to experience life as a commoner. This film is shown in conjunction with the exhibitions "Spanish Sojourns: Robert Henri and the Spirit of Spain" and "Sorolla and America," which both explore the idea of experiencing and understanding another culture. Dur-ing 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! **Monday, August 11, 8:00pm**

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WOMEN'S MUSEUM OF CALIFORNIA Feminist: Stories from Women's Libera

tion Documentary of the women who made the Women's Liberation Movement happen. Sunday, August 3, 2:00pm

Sex Tape — A couple celebrating her promotion (Cameron Diaz and Jason Segel) decide to spice up their sex life and find themselves on a scavenger hunt to prevent a homemade porno from going viral. A foolproof premise for a modern day screwball comedy done in by foolhardy execution. Casting Rob Lowe — the architect of sex tapes - as Diaz's potential boss was a stroke of genius. Alas, all he's required to do is make the predictable leap from upstanding publisher, who by day discourages sex talk from his bloggers, to a coke-sniffing hedonist upon clocking out. Diaz's performance is a feat of daring display while Segel acts (and appears) slightly run-down. You'll be lucky to find a chuckle or two sprinkled throughout. Even the customarily reliable Rob Corddry fails to trigger much more than an initial smile of recognition. Surprisingly, an uncredited cameo by Jack Black as a pornographer affords the film a rare shred of decency. Jake Kasdan directs. 2014. - S.M. \star (IN WIDE RELEASE - SEE SHOWTIMES)

Very Good Girls — Reviewed this issue. 2014. S.M. ★★★ (READING GASLAMP)

Wish I Was Here — In a vain attempt at keeping the spirit, if not artistry, of John Ritter alive, Zach Braff stars in and directs this wacky-turned-sappy sitcom about parental mortality. It's hard to muster much sympathy for a cancer-ridden grandfather who basically calls his innocent teenage granddaughter a whore from his deathbed. Mandy Patinkin's hospital room rants take their toll on family members and viewers alike. The key audience demographics target the unlikely union of older Jews (the family dog is named Kugel) and Comic-Con devotees (portions were filmed at last year's celebration of everything that's wrong with contemporary cinema). And poor Ashley Greene. The *Twilight* star picks up a check for two brief flashes: one to catch nerd king Josh Gad's eye, another for some post-Con coitus. It's easily the most negligible, underdeveloped role a name actor has assumed this year. With Kate Hudson and Zooey King. 2014. — S.M. ★ (IN WIDE RELEASE - SEE SHOWTIMES)

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officer," Dudley said. "We don't deal with an onslaught of media requests — I mean, we had a TV station from Brazil here — during the World Cup!"

"We are a very mixed, very tolerant, very compassionate and caring community," says Dudley, noting that as the son of a member of the foreign service, he grew up in South America and Africa. "If this was a racist community, I wouldn't work here. People who know Murrieta know that we are good, caring people in a safe, friendly community."

Economist John Husing, whose consulting business specializes in the Inland Empire and Southern California, says Murrieta needs some image rebuilding — at least in the business community.

"Anytime somebody manages to twice get themselves in the *L.A. Times* with people laughing at them, they're in trouble," Husing said. "They're trying to attract highend businesses, but, if you're a business, would you look at a place where the mayor ginned things up to make people spit at each other?"

MARTY GRAHAM

GRANTVILLE But, consider sales of Fritos and bean dip!

Medical marijuana stereotype is "offensive"

Grantville Navajo Community Planners, Inc., on July 21 voted 9-4 to delay a decision on the proposal to operate Grantville Greens, a medical marijuana cooperative. The vote directed applicants Nick Hosig and Ron Miller to return after they addressed issues in a City of San Diego report and received the city's response.

San Diego's ordinance prohibits cooperatives within 1000 feet of locations, including schools and "minororiented facilities." A July 8 assessment letter from development project manager Edith Gutierrez stated, "Staff must recommend denial" because the dispensary didn't "meet minimum separation requirements."

The letter stated Grantville Greens was within 1000 feet of three "minor-oriented facilities."

Ramon Baguio, who specializes in conditional use permits, said "every single" application was "deemed too close to "youth-sensitive areas"; and Target could fall into that category. "You have to be in the middle of the desert [for approval]."



Ron Miller, Nick Hosig, and Ramon Baguio (standing left to right)

Approximately 50 people attended the meeting, and dispensary supporters outnumbered opponents.

While John Pilch of the San Carlos Area Council said the applicants' appearance was "premature" because they hadn't cleared issues, Rob Hall of the North City Prevention Coalition wanted planners to consider whether dispensary patrons would spend money at other businesses. "Maybe they'll buy some Fritos and bean dip."

Jesse Adcock called the stereotype "offensive. Take the chance to let in two guys who care and are not just driving around buying bean dip," he said.

LIZ SWAIN

TIJUANA **Pope Francis to visit bordertown?** Mayor says Tijuana an example of "the great problem of immigration"

According to Mexican president Enrique Peña Nieto, Pope Francis accepted an invitation to visit Mexico during a meeting between the two at the Vatican last month.

Since the June 7 meeting, Tijuana has turned up repeatedly on lists of cities the pope is likely to visit, especially since the Vatican has expressed interest in a city where immigration is a major issue.

Tijuana, said mayor Jorge Astiazarán Orcí, has become a good example for the rest of the world of "the great problem of immigration." The mayor's remarks came in a July 17 interview published the following day by the daily *El Sol de Tijuana*.

The visit will occur near the end of September of 2015 and is scheduled to coincide with a papal visit to Philadelphia for an international conference on the family, *Excélsior* reported.

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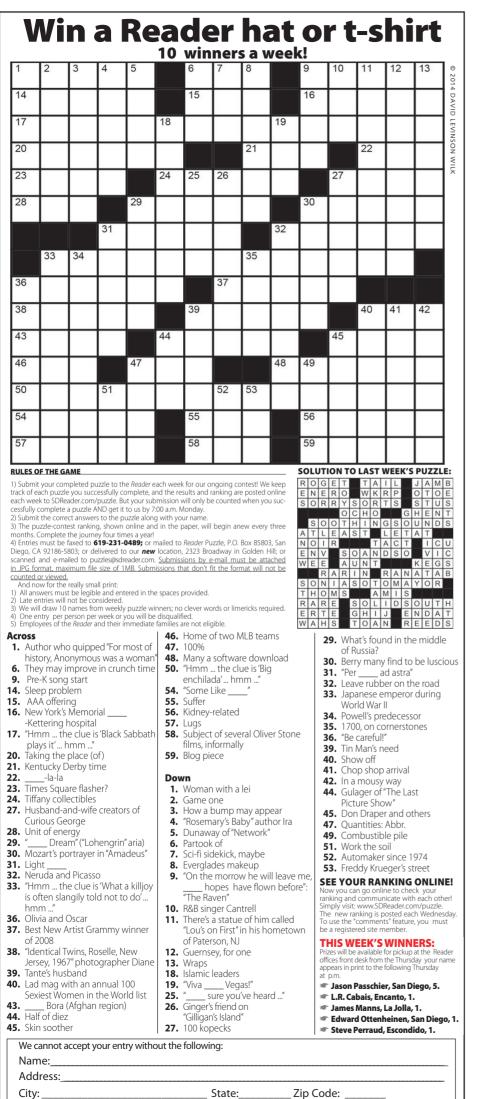


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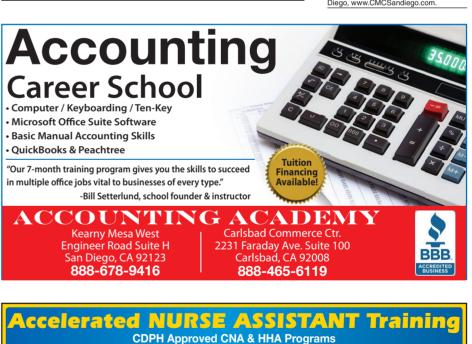
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- Wellma "Tootie" Shafer, 46, was fired as a cashier at the Last Chance Market in Russell, Iowa, after a customer reported her engaging in "sexual" banter at the register. Her boss, Rick Braaksma, explained, "We cannot...talk about adult situations in front of other customers," and when Shafer sought unemployment compensation, Braaksma challenged her application. However, among the items Last Chance sells are Wake the F*** Up Coffee, The Hottest F***ing Sauce (noted, the label states, for its "ass-burning quality"), and The Hottest F***ing Nuts, and a state administrative

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- An unnamed 40-year-old man was charged in Briec, France, in May for a February incident in which his cat knocked over his statue of Buddha demolishing it. The man apparently so reveres Buddha that, enraged, he tortured the cat by tossing it into his washing machine and setting it for a cycle at the equivalent of 104 degrees F.

The Continuing Crisis

- Brazilian authorities told reporters in April that villagers in remote Ayopaya, needing to recover three motorbikes stolen by two men, tied them to a tree of woe for several days until relatives came up with compensation. The tree was a permanent host for ants that produce a venom with anti-inflammatory properties used to treat arthritis, and though relatives paid up three days later, both men required hospitalization, one with kidnev failure.

That Ol' Time Religion

- After convicted murderer Loren Larson Jr. filed a federal lawsuit in Anchorage, Alaska, claiming that his prison wristband ID "defil[ed]" him religiously because it was a "mark of the devil," a

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the official, we would be commanding the "mark

of the beast" only if we ordered the ID either "in

the right hand" or "in the forehead," and neither is

required by current wristband policy. (Hence, the

double-murderer, serving 198 years, still qualifies

- An unnamed British inmate published a let-

ter in a prison newspaper in April alleging con-

tinuous religious discrimination against him by

guards and officials. The man claims he is a prac-

ticing Jedi (and of course cannot reveal his name

because he fears retaliation "from the dark side")

and complains that Jedi-ism, though officially rec-

ognized as a religion in the UK (the seventh-most

popular, according to the census, with more than

175,000 adherents) is nonetheless unacknowl-

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- For this year's annual April 25 fundraising

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Perspective

- Among the entities rushing to condemn Los Angeles Clippers owner Donald Sterling in April was the UCLA Medical School, where researchers returned a \$425,000 check from the Sterling Foundation to study "structural properties of key proteins in the kidney" to aid development of drugs to treat kidney disease - and rejected the rest of Sterling's \$3 million pledge. A UCLA spokesman said the school must emphasize its "core values" of "diversity, inclusion and respect."

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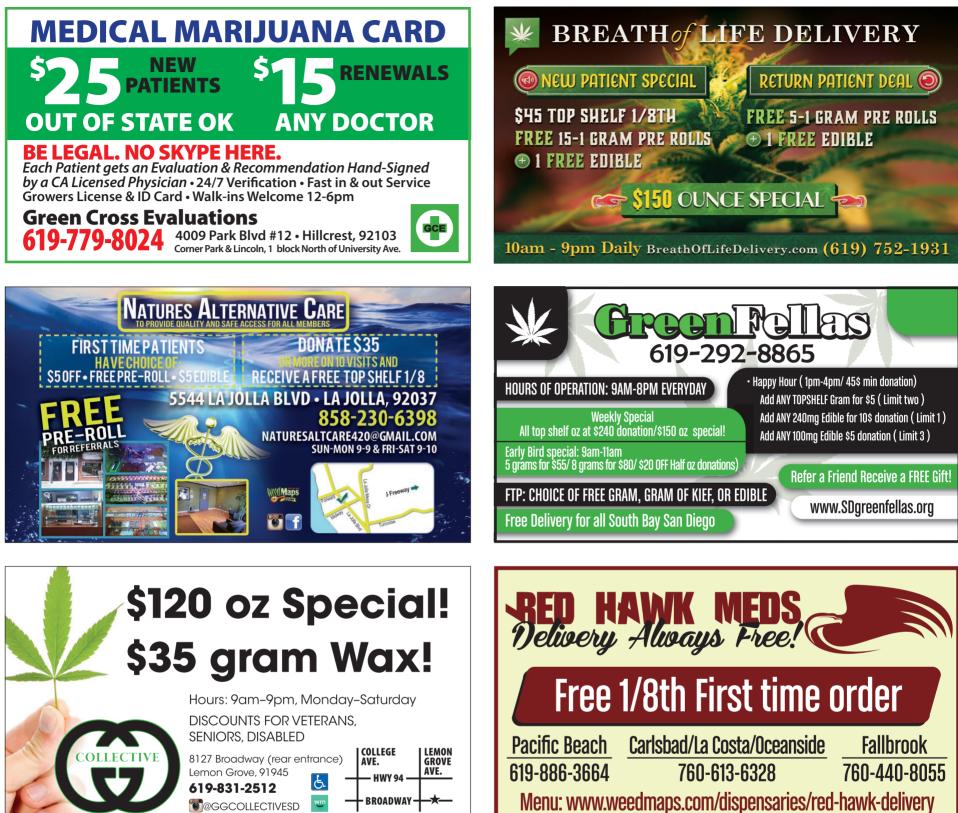
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