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**Layoff czar takes over Union-Tribune**
By Reader staff writers

Past union busting and forebodings of more San Diego cuts

Workers hunkered down in their warrens at the San Diego Union-Tribune reportedly didn’t see much of Austin Beutner, the paper’s ex-publisher, whose unceremonious firing last week was accompanied by word that Los Angeles Democratic billionaire Eli Broad had made an offer to buy the struggling news operation and its L.A. sister, the Times.

Now they may be hoping that Beutner’s cost-slashing successor also treads lightly here, though that may be unlikely based on his East Coast history.

Soon after media writer Ken Doctor reported Beutner’s ouster on September 8, Chicago-based Tribune Publishing announced it was shifting Tim Ryan, publisher of the company’s Baltimore Sun to the West Coast to assume command of its California News Group.

Ryan’s long track record of editorial cutbacks in Baltimore is already raising questions here.

On August 12, the Baltimore Business Journal broke the news of what turned out to be Ryan’s last executive action at the Sun, folding the paper’s free weekly, a Gen Y–targeted tabloid called “b.”

“Though b remains a profitable and engaged brand with a loyal following, it has some overlap in audience and advertiser demand with our City Paper and Sun WKND section,” said a note from Ryan.

“Therefore, we have elected to cease publication of b, with its last scheduled publication date on Aug. 27....”

A spokeswoman for the paper said the shuttering would result in no layoffs, though Ryan’s history regarding the City Paper, a Baltimore alternative weekly acquired by the Sun last year, furnished little if any reassurance.

“Eight full-time employees of City Paper’s 25-member staff were laid off last week, including some who had spent nearly 30 years working for the alternative newswEEKLY,” the Business Journal reported in March 2014.

“Which brings us to the second big question: whether City Paper’s edgy editorial content would change following the Sun’s acquisition. The deal hasn’t closed yet — it’s expected to wrap up in mid-March — and already the paper is seeing some censorship.”

According to the report, “The paper pulled a harsh Feb. 4 review of the recent Jason Aldean concert at the Baltimore Arena following pressure from two advertisers, Baltimore Arena and LiveNationDC.”

If cuts are in the cards for the Union-Tribune under Ryan, departing employees won’t have the newspaper union here to help obtain their buyouts, thanks to a controversial figure in local media.

In June 1998, Union-Tribune workers voted to decertify the Newspaper Guild, which then represented about 800 of the paper’s employees.

Leading the anti-union drive for then-publisher Helen Copley was U-T editor Karin Winner, who took charge of distributing enticements including free admission tickets to the U-T’s corporate box at Padres games, where free food and booze were reportedly served to wavering workers.

— Matt Potter

**New subsidy reporting omits names of oinkers**
San Diego’s Richard Rider: “Who’s getting palms crossed?”
By Don Bauder

For decades, state and local governments have concealed the amount of welfare they dole out to corporations. That could change. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board, which sets the rules for how state and local governments keep their books, declared in August that these entities must annually report how much revenue they lose by granting one form of corporate welfare — tax breaks — to companies.

The rule should be reflected on governmental comprehensive annual financial reports in 2017.

Governments dole out property tax reductions, sales tax exemptions, corporate income tax credits, and the like to companies that, in turn, promise to provide jobs at a new or expanded facility.

**Infamous Texas and Illinois**
Texas and Illinois are famous (or infamous) for granting corporations big tax breaks, along with other subsidies, to move or, contrarily, to stay put. Municipalities throughout the nation
subsidize hotels, shopping centers, movie theaters, auto sales complexes, and, of course, sports stadiums. The idea is that, eventually, tax receipts from the business will exceed the subsidy.

In theory, an auto dealer will attract other dealerships, so consumers can conveniently kick tires at several dealerships all in a row. A theater may help an ice cream shop next door. The reason for subsidizing a hotel is usually to help the nearby convention center.

Good Jobs First, a Washington DC think tank, says that in the United States, state and local governments plunk tens of billions of dollars into corporate tax subsidies every year. Generally, it is a zero-sum game because one state’s gain is another’s loss and one city’s gain comes out of another city’s purse. Economists show that tax subsidies (euphemistically called “business incentives”), as well as other kinds of payments to corporations, distort the market system and lead to dubious business decisions.

**Policy won’t cause transparency**

Phil Mattera, research director of Good Jobs First, says the accounting change is a good first step but doesn’t go far enough. For example, governments won’t have to disclose the names of tax subsidy recipients. And the new rules won’t require governments to reveal how much future tax revenue they will lose from agreements that are already in place.

Right now, Good Jobs First cannot break down how much retailers, theaters, hotels, sports teams, etc., get in subsidies each year. But Mattera is optimistic about future information flow. “This will change in a couple of years, once the new disclosure requirements have been implemented,” he says, even though the recipients of the tax largesse don’t have to be named.

Mattera believes researchers should be able to glean information from these new data. For example, if a municipality reports a huge increase in tax subsidies from those handed out in previous years, researchers and journalists can hammer local politicians and bureaucrats to reveal where those subsidies went.

The next step, then, is to find out which politicians raked in money from the companies enjoying these tax subsidies. “Who is getting their palms crossed?” asks Richard Rider, chairman of San Diego Tax Fighters.

The new rule probably won’t unearth much lost-revenue data from one of the biggest scams of all: the subsidized sports stadiums. In such subsidies, “Taxes forgone in total are piddling compared to either the total subsidy or as a portion of city or county budgets,” says Rodney Fort, professor of sports management at the University of Michigan. “Stadiums and arenas are no longer stand-alone projects but portions of larger-scale entertainment/real estate development projects. Property taxes get lost in the noise.”

In fact, “The new [accounting policy] won’t lead to much transparency, after all,” says Fort, noting that only gross amounts will be reported.

Steve Erie, professor of political science at the University of California San Diego, agrees: “Full disclosure requires that they name the names of the recipients; he says, although the new rule is better than nothing.

**Under the Radar**

**Publisher’s perils**

Forty-eight hours before Union-Tribune and L.A. Times Democratic publisher Austin Beutner was fired last week, the U-T was out with a prescient Labor Day editorial entitled “The foreboding future of work.” Said the paper’s opinion piece: “Self-driving cars, package-delivering drones, and automated coffee kiosks have the potential to wipe out millions of service jobs.” The piece continued, “The further grim news is that it appears that there will be financial and political muscle promoting these rapid changes, even if they have a wrenching effect on society.” Concluded the U-T’s second-to-last editorial under the now-unemployed Beutner: “The silver lining in this cloud is the hope that democracy rises to the challenge posed by this economic revolution — that our leaders find a way to maintain a broadly affluent society, one that uses lifelong career education opportunities to keep job skills fresh and that creates strong incentives for job creation.”

Editor Jeff Light can claim credit for the Union-Tribune’s most optimistic quote of the week: “There is a lot more stability here than you might assume,” he told the paper. “...Loyal U-T readers observed that during Beutner’s last days the U-T website had been increasingly linking to stories carried by the online version of its sister publication, the Los Angeles Times. In at least one case last week — the bankruptcy of supermarket chain Haggen — the story wouldn’t appear for U-T subscribers unless they purchased a subscription to the Times. The glitch was subsequently remedied.

It made headlines when Beutner’s firing was tied to reports that Los Angeles billionaire Democrat Eli Broad had made a bid to take over both the U-T and the L.A. Times in the weeks leading up the publisher’s dismissal. A key ally is La Jolla’s Buzz Woolley, chairman of Voice of San Diego, an online news and opinion outfit, and a longtime comrade-in-arms with Broad in controversial school-reform efforts and charter-school promotion. According to ElectionTrack.com, on April 3 Broad came up with $50,000 for the California Charter Schools Association Advocates Independent Expenditure Committee. Broad is said to be still pursuing an eventual acquisition of the two news outlets from their current owner, Chicago-based Tribune Publishing.

**Political lubrication**

There was a wild and crazy time this spring in the city council’s luxury skybox at downtown’s Petco Park, judging from the ballpark suite’s official second-quarter attendance sheet filed with the city clerk. On April 11, two guests of Democratic council member Myrtle Cole “locked themselves in the restroom for over 20 min.,” according to an attendant’s note. “I told them it wasn’t aloud [sic].” In addition, an attendee listed as representing the Balboa Tennis Club had to be ejected by police at 7:50 the same evening. “I gave him two warnings. He was being [sic] Disruptive Behavior!!!” It’s not the first time the action at a council venue has gotten out hand. In September 2014, then stadium board member Jess Durfee called out drinkers in the council’s Qualcomm box, saying he saw guests there who “could barely walk due to their alcohol consumption, an issue that should be addressed (alcohol is provided with the Buffet).”

**Lawyers in love**

Qualcomm billionaire Irwin Jacobs and wife Joan, big-money backers of Hillary Clinton’s presidential bid, have kicked off the La Jolla giving to the U.S. Senate campaign of California Democratic attorney general Kamala Harris with $1000 each on May 5, according to campaign disclosure filings. Qualcomm executive vice president and general counsel Donald Rosenberg came up with $500 on June 25. Employees of Robbins, Geller, the law firm descended from that of once-imprisoned mega-lawyer Bill Lerach, gave $21,650. Meanwhile, Republican assemblyman Rocky Chavez of Oceanside, another contender for...continued on page 32.

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Not Kosher

In Chad Deal’s review of Rare Form, he described a sandwich as a “Kosher” pile of pastrami (“Feast,” September 10 cover story), which seems unlikely. The menu doesn’t seem to say that. Furthermore, there is Swiss cheese on the sandwich, which would make the whole thing nonkosher.

A food writer should know better.

Susan Keller
Jamul

Common Bath Knowledge

Please someone tell Matt Potter that the shipyard in Bath, Maine is not a Navy shipyard (“General Dynamics Takes a Bath,” September 10). The shipyard in Bath is a privately owned shipyard and should not be referred to as a Navy shipyard.

Common knowledge here, Matt. If you need help in the future writing your columns about Navy stuff, feel free to ask for my help!

Wesley Wolfe
San Diego

Typo Patrol


Customers is spelled c-u-s-t-o-m-e-r-s.

Name withheld via mail

Who Do You Think You Are?

Barbarella, your Diary of a Diva column in the September 10 issue (“Barberica Industries”) is probably the most revealing, yet embarrassing thing you’ve ever written. Good lord, girl! Who do you think you are — Steve Lopez? Yikes. You write for the Reader, for heaven’s sake! Your attitude, and David’s attitude, towards the “help” is horrifying. David, grow a heart! And, Barbarella, get your own silly coffee! Butler, my foot.

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“We are going to have a trial period,” said planning-group chair David Moty. “The signs go up, we wait 30 days, and then the police start enforcing.”

MARTY GRAHAM

PACIFIC BEACH

Of shrubs and pedestrian blood

Puzzling choice of greenery for median

A pedestrian was struck and killed by a pickup on the afternoon of August 31 in Pacific Beach. The driver had made an illegal left turn onto westbound Grand Avenue from Dawes Street.

“He was a walker,” says the victim’s friend, Carol O’Conner. “He was exceptionally alert and coherent about crossing streets. He would walk to Ocean Beach or La Jolla every morning just for the exercise. He was semi-retired and was responsible for maintenance repairs on a ranch in Alpine. He had at least 100 friends that I know of.”

According to nearby residents, the driver’s field of vision was likely obscured by shrubs in the median. A witness who lives of May 16, 2015, an off-leash dog park — even an interim one — is somewhat controversial, but the Parks and Recreation Department has identified $22,000 to fund this project, which could begin construction this fall and open to the public, and their dogs, by year’s end.

The Normal Heights Community Planning Group, at their September 1 meeting, unanimously approved the proposed interim dog park but added that it shouldn’t be located next to residences unless there is sound buffering, bench seating should be provided, a water source is crucial, and fencing should be at a height of four feet.

SUZANNE LEDEBER

Proposed Improvements for [Ward Canyon Neighborhood Park],” according to Adriana Martinez, Gloria’s Normal Heights liaison. The meeting will be held on September 22 at 7:00 p.m. at the Adams Recreation Center (3491 Adams Avenue), and a precise diagram of the proposed off-leash area will be available at that time.

As noted in the Reader of May 16, 2015, an off-leash dog park — even an interim one — is somewhat controversial, but the Parks and Recreation Department has identified $22,000 to fund this project, which could begin construction this fall and open to the public, and their dogs, by year’s end.

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KENSINGTON-TALMADGE

Used-car-lot blues on Marlborough Avenue

Planning group votes to help restore residential parking

Some days — Fridays and Saturdays, in particular — the 4400 block of Marlborough Avenue is parked so full of used cars for sale that residents can’t park near their homes.

“When I bought here ten years ago, there was plenty of parking,” said resident Carlos Delgado. “Now, parking is so bad that I have to park a block away most days.”

On Thursday, September 10, there were seven cars for sale in the first nine parking spaces north of El Cajon Boulevard, where the corner is defined by a Bank of America branch on the east and an auto-parts store on the west. Those cars — and the ones that fill up the rest of the street — crowd out the locals, forcing them to haul groceries and kids a block or two more to get home.

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**Get it: no one looks for the best Negroni because saying “best Negroni” is a little like saying “best orgasm” — yeah, there are shades of difference there, some better than others, but even a terrible one is still better than almost everything else in the world. But. If you could have the best one every time, wouldn’t you?**

**And so, our question: what’s best? What gin, what vermouth, what combination? These are my guiding principles: (1) Campari. Bartenders are a tinkery bunch, which is mostly a good thing, but here, we’re stickling with Campari. Yes, a Cynar/Aperol/Cappelletti/etc Negroni is a fine drink, but a true Negroni has to be made with Campari.**

**(2) Sweet Vermouth. Not dry vermouth, not bianco vermouth, not barolo chianto (which is like double-dutch heaven), but sweet vermouth. The red kind. Because that’s what’s in it.**

**(3) Gin. It’s made with gin. For the love of God. Not mezcal, not aquavit, not genever, not barrel-aged gin.**

**(4) Equal Parts. A Negroni is equal parts Gin, Sweet Vermouth, and Campari. Yes, it comes with a bit of sweetness. Deal with it. The sweetness is part of the charm. There’s no adding more gin. That’s blasphemy, and it also doesn’t taste as good.**

**Procedures**

Identical glasses, identical large (2” x 2”) ice, stirred the same amount of times, tasted double blind by both Victoria and me. As double blind as possible, anyway. Punt e Mes is recognizebly darker than the others, but it tastes so different, it’s not like we wouldn’t have known anyway.

**Competitors**

I chose gins and vermouths that are fairly standard. Yes, obviously I’m only tasting five of each, and yes, I might be missing out on some other brand that makes the Negroni of my dreams.

**GIN: Beefeater, Tanqueray, Plymouth Navy Strength, Hendrick’s, and Aviation.**

**VERMOUTH: Carpano Antica, Punt e Mes, Dolin Rouge, Cocchi Vermouth di Torino, and Martini and Rossi**

**Check back next week for the results!**

**[Post edited for length]**

**Post Title:** What’s the best gin and vermouth for a Negroni? — Part I

**Post Date:** August 4, 2014

**There is a rule in my house: if I ever make a Negroni for myself and Victoria is home, I have to make one for her, too. Every time. This rule was put in place more than two years ago, and never once has it been broken, never turned down, never exceprtioned. There is only one other such mandante between us, in the case of bacon. That’s the Negroni. It’s the bacon of cocktails. Like bacon, (1) it is always great, and (2) I’m never in the mood for it.**

**So, first thing first — what is a Negroni? I’m not going to spend too much time on the history, but briefly: from the moment Campari was invented in 1860, it’s had a heedless love for sweet vermouth. Somewhere along the line, some genius (perhaps Gaspare Campari himself) united them with a little soda water and created the Americano, still the greatest pre-meal cocktail ever made. And the story goes that in 1919, Count Camillo Negroni walked into the Caffe Casoni in Florence and ordered an Americano with gin instead of soda water. He took one sip, lightning struck in the same spot three times, Jesus appeared on a biscotti, and the Negroni cockpit was born.**

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Dear Hipster:
I belong to a local community organization, relatively small in number, but passionate in spirit. Like any group, ours gets its fair share of agitators from time to time. I like to think the people in my community share a common bond — a sense of kinship, if you will — and that the occasional bad apple can hardly spoil the bunch. Our present antagonist, however, has proven to be an almost totally negative force. I don’t want to get into specifics, mostly because I doubt the exact details change anything, but also because I wouldn’t stoke an already raging fire. Part of what makes this individual such a toxic force in our community is that our antagonist’s preferred means of communication is digital. Sometimes, this person opts for preposterous emails to community members, but the usual means of attack is the airing of “grievances” in rambling Facebook and message-board posts. In person, the antagonist prefers to avoid conflict. For my part, I disagree with anything and everything this person is doing, apparently with no intent beyond sowing discord, but I have no idea how to participate constructively in these “discussions” (a term which I use most loosely). In the long run, I just want the madness to stop. What to do?

— ANONYMOUS

Long ago, maybe as much as 10 or 15 years, back before most people can remember, during what passes for social media’s Dark Ages, dealing with internet trolls was simple. To engage the troll was to concede defeat, for the troll’s sole purpose was, and is, to generate conflict. Conventional wisdom held that the only way to quell a squalling, attention-seeking online personality was complete and total non-acknowledgement. An insensitive, trollish comment pegged to the end of an otherwise perfectly reasonable, early-2000s Livejournal entry (about the myriad ways in which OK Computer changed some totally anonymous person’s life) might be seen by as many as eight or nine of the average college hipster’s closest friends. If ignored, 99 out of 100 online antagonists would slink off elsewhere.

Nowadays, in the throes of the new millennium’s digital Enlightenment, the gap between face-to-face society and online communication is narrower than the average redneck’s grasp of properly dressing a kale salad. Facebook groups and message boards are ubiquitous tools for communicating within real-world social circles, and avoiding the kind of antagonism that you’re experiencing is pretty much impossible. I daresay some angry Facebook ravers might even have at least partially legitimate gripes.

(Perhaps note I qualified that with “some” and “partially.”)

Even so, winning an argument via the internet remains patently impossible. You want to be involved in your community’s discourse (and rightly so, since communities of like-minded individuals are incredibly rewarding), even if it means acknowledging the rantings of a known troublemaker. Mind these cardinal rules before you engage in spirited online “discourse”:

Don’t try to win, because you can’t. Rants aren’t arguments. If you have something to say, say it, and otherwise try to carry on as normal, effectively sidelin the antagonistic party.

Check your facts. Then, check them again.
Above all, maintain your dignity. Sliding into abusive name-calling may feel oh-so-good (I liken it to the warm fuzzies you get from a well-curated 1980s Pandora station), but there’s no changing the fact that hurling insults is basically the Debbie Gibson of argumentation strategies.

—DJ Stevens
Ink Think

Body Art Expo goes meta to woo drifting hipsters

SAN DIEGO CONCOURSE — Once upon a time, hipsters and tattoos were almost as synonymous as bikers and tattoos, athletes and tattoos, or convicts and tattoos. “I think it was the Suicide Girls that did it,” opines longtime tattoo artist Ned Ellman. “Hipsters came to them for the riot girl attitude and the lo-fi cheesecake, but what they took away was the body art. Then the irony kicked in, as these reedy-tweedey dudes adopted an aesthetic once reserved for meatheaded toughs. For a while there, I had an entire section of my book devoted to illustrations from Denis Diderot’s 18th-century Encyclopaedia....

“But of course,” continues Ellman, “once a trend goes mainstream, or rather, once it becomes a trend at all, a hipster must, by definition, declare it over and move on. Once the frat bros started sporting tribal sleeves, my hipster clientele all but vanished. Suddenly, you were seeing all these ads for tattoo removal in The Baffler and Quotidian. I swear, it was like the goddamn Sneetches: you couldn’t wait to get those stars off their bellies. Ordinarily, I wouldn’t think much about a market shift like that, but here’s the thing: hipsters will spend on their image like a Kardashian. I had to figure something out, before I wound up back servicing drunken squiddies on shore leave.”

Ellman’s solution? “Tattoo tattoos. That is, tattoos of tattoos. They look like regular tattoos, but they’re really just tattoos depicting tattoos, the way regular tattoos depict animals or symbols. The hipster still gets to enjoy his tattoo of, say, an etching of an early printing press. But above all, he gets to enjoy the secret, the fact that only he knows the truth about his tattoo’s significance. He might tell one or two of his friends, just so they know he’s cool. But the world at large will behold him with perfect ignorance, totally unaware of his genius. For the hipster, there is no finer high this side of craft heroin. It doesn’t even matter that I’m telling you this: you’ll never be able to tell if a hipster’s tattoo is a tattoo or a tattoo tattoo, and so he never has to worry about accidentally getting swept into the mainstream.”

Sealing Our Fate?

In attempt at transparency, city officials unveil updated seal for San Diego

“This is who we are now.”

San Diego Image Department chief Brad Spinner today unveiled the new city seal at a press conference, and also provided an explanation for the changes he implemented.

“The first thing, the very first thing I noticed on the old seal were the two ribbons in particular, the fact that they were totally unadorned. It just didn’t make sense. They’re banners, and banners are for putting something out there, whether it be your family crest, your favorite sports team, or your brand of car insurance. In this case, it was tremendously significant that the ribbons were encoding pillars. Tourism will always be the pillar of our economy here in San Diego, and so the obvious choice was to offer sponsorship opportunities to the San Diego Zoo and Legoland. I’ll thank you in advance for not asking about Sea World. They were only too happy to get onboard....

“Next,” continued Spinner, “I wanted to find a way to honor both the hardworking common people of San Diego and the plutocratic power brokers who actually make decisions about how this city works. The earth-mover was perfect: the tool of the blue-collar construction worker, but also the tool of the big-time real estate developer. And while earth-movers move earth, what they really move is money. The dollar signs are there to acknowledge that. It replaces the mission bell that used to sit atop the seal, and rightly so. It’s been a hundred years since the Church had any real power in the public sphere, and on top of that, any depiction of the mission is a backwards-looking look into the past. San Diego is a city with its eyes on the future.”

The old seal featured a tree, just like the new one. “But,” said Spinner, “the old tree had leaves. Talk about a cognitive dissonance. Look around you. If you see a tree on public land that somehow hasn’t been cut down by our Drought Response Team, then it sure as heck doesn’t have much in the way of leaves. As San Diego enters a century-long megadrought — and don’t let any talk of El Niño fool you — lack of water is going to become the single biggest factor in policy decisions. It’s important that our seal reflect that fact.”

Finally, “the image of the Predator drone symbolizes our proud reputation as a military city, as well as our proud reputation as a city on the cutting edge of technology, as well as our proud reputation for collaboration between the public and private sectors. A much better choice than, say, Petco Park or the new Chargers stadium. And also a fine update on the old seal’s sailing ship. That was the vessel of another empire. But the drone is the vessel of the American empire. Plus, it ties nicely with the city’s motto of Semper Vigilans, which we didn’t need to change at all.”

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Outside, an upstairs patio provides both covered and open-air seating areas with ocean views, a built-in barbecue, outdoor flat-screen television, and spa.

The 1985-built estate was “designed by internationally recognized designer Warren Sheets,” employing Georgian interior architecture that’s “true to the period and finished in traditional English blue, white, and other warm tones, giving it a decidedly approachable yet elegant feel.”

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Manchester picked the property up out of foreclosure in early 2011 for a reported $7.6 million, near the tail end of the late-2000s housing market crash when high-end property was suffering and entry-level values were beginning to rebound. The property had been listed with an asking price of $11 million at the time of the sale, though the previous owners had unsuccessfully attempted to sell the home for as much as $16.5 million.

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million in 2008 and 2009. Tax rolls indicate a significant jump in value since Manchester first bought in, with the home now reportedly valued at over $10.6 million, indicative of improvements that would have triggered a reassessment by the county assessor.

Still, if Manchester has priced his latest offering correctly, he looks to score a handsome profit for just over four years of ownership. The Prospect property was listed for sale in early September with an asking price of $13,900,000, an increase of over 45 percent from the last reported sale amount. A full-price offer would almost offset the cost of a $15 million Rhode Island mansion he acquired in July, though there’s the matter of a $9.2 million mortgage taken out against the property in April to be paid on sale.

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Randy Grossman is on the phone. Grossman is a member of the aforementioned competition board of directors, has taught sports law and trial practice at Thomas Jefferson since 2000, and is a MLB Player’s Association certified player agent. His San Diego law office specializes in criminal defense and contract litigation. Youthful indiscretions include working as a sportscaster for an NBC television affiliate in Arizona and doing a turn in sports marketing. He’s 53 years old, married, three kids, and comes with gold-standard local-boy credentials: Grossmont High School alumnus, BA from San Diego State, JD from Thomas Jefferson.

I ask, “How do you go about judging a negotiation competition?”

Grossman says, “There are ABA [American Bar Association] negotiation competitions throughout the United States, but ours is only related to sports. We have 40 different teams....”

“I saw that on your website. Cal, Georgetown, Marquette....”

“Harvard’s been here,” Grossman says. “All these schools come cross country. There are two-person teams. Both teams get the same general facts. The facts may be that Clayton Kershaw is a pitcher for the Los Angeles Dodgers and Gatorade wants him to endorse their product.

“Both teams get specific, general parameters and then there is a confidential set of facts for each side. So, confidential facts for Kershaw’s side might say, ‘Clayton wants to get into the category of energy drinks. He’s willing to be exclusive if he has to, but he’d prefer to hold off because he thinks he has a shot at doing one for Coca-Cola.’

“Then, there are confidential facts for the other side representing Gatorade, ‘We demand exclusivity. It’s a deal breaker if we can’t get that. We’re willing to pay up to a million dollars a year.’

“So, there are areas each side wants. We have a panel of three judges, usually practicing attorneys; some are judges from the San Diego bench. They use criteria we give them. Part of it is presentation skills, but a bigger part are substantive things: did they achieve the goals the client wanted?

“There are three rounds. You may represent a player in one round, but next round will have completely different fact patterns and you may be representing a team.

“There’s no structure. Neither side has to go first. You let the participants dictate the flow. It’s interesting to see the dynamics. Are you a good listener, are you trying to understand what the other side wants, identify what’s important to them, and utilize that as leverage?”

“How does it start?”

“Teams come in. There are two tables set up against each other in the middle of the room. There is the panel of judges, maybe a gallery observing. Someone will usually say, ‘Hi, I’m so-and-so representing so-and-so.’ They’ll shake hands and sit down. One side will say, ‘Let’s get started,’ and they may go up to a whiteboard and list different points: ‘You guys have offered this, this, and this. Here’s what’s important to us. Our client doesn’t want to enter into exclusivity; he’s still young, he’s got a large future in front of him.’ And then they’ll go back and forth on different points. There are areas for both sides to argue and areas for both sides to give.”

“I assumed the winning team was the one that got the best deal, but that’s not necessarily true”

Grossman says, “Not necessarily. It could be that you don’t get the best deal, although that would be very rare. Part of it is, ‘Did they achieve their goals. Did they leverage this area, did they leverage that area? And then, after the round, they come before the judges and explain what their focus was, what tack they took, where they felt they excelled, where they messed up. That’s part of the scoring process.”

“Is this open to the public?”

Grossman says, “The public can come and see any of the individual rounds. Sometimes parents will come out to San Diego. The final rounds are before a three-judge panel, what we call celebrity judges, in the moot courtroom. That usually fills up pretty nicely.”

“This year’s judges will be Ari Segal [president of San Diego Gulls business operations], Tom Seidler [Padres ownership group], and David Danielsen [San Diego Superior Court presiding judge].

“People tend to think when you reach the right deal both sides are happy. Usually that’s not the case. It’s when both sides are unhappy, then you know that it’s a fair deal.”

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A proposed $11,700,000 class action settlement has been reached in a lawsuit called McCabe, Sampson & Sarabia v. Six Continents Hotels, Inc., USDC ND CA Case No. 12-cv-04818-NC. The lawsuit claims that Six Continents Hotels, Inc. recorded and monitored telephone calls of persons calling toll-free reservations and customer-service lines while residing or located in California without telling callers that the calls may be recorded and monitored allegedly in violation of California law. Six Continents Hotels, Inc. has denied the claims. Nonetheless, Six Continents, Hotels, Inc. and the Class Representatives have agreed to settle the dispute to avoid the uncertainty and costs of litigation. The $11,700,000 settlement fund will pay eligible claims, notice and administration costs, attorneys’ fees and expenses, and named plaintiffs’ service awards.

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A final hearing will be held on February 3, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. in the San Francisco Courthouse, to determine the fairness, reasonableness and adequacy of the proposed settlement and to award attorneys’ fees and costs and plaintiffs’ service awards. The motion for attorneys’ fees and costs and plaintiffs’ service awards will be posted on the settlement website after they are filed. You may attend the hearing, but you do not have to.

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Rebecca Brown was getting ready for work at her Chula Vista home on Tuesday, January 9, 2014 when detectives from the San Diego Police Department knocked on the front door.

Her husband, Kevin Brown, who had worked as a crime analyst for the San Diego Police Department for 20 years, opened the door. The detectives had questions for him about a homicide in 1984. Rebecca assumed it was a case that her husband had worked on. She paid no attention to it and left for her job teaching English literature at a Catholic school in Chula Vista.

An hour before the end of the school day, the phone in Brown's classroom rang. Police detectives were on the other line. They told her to come outside. Once in the parking lot, officers handed her a copy of a warrant to search her car. They followed her to her house to conduct the search.

As she pulled up to her home, Brown saw 15 to 20 officers carrying boxes from her house and placing them into police vans. She met her husband, mother, and brother, who were living with the couple at the time, inside the couple's living room.

The four looked over the search warrant for answers. It was sealed. She turned to her husband. The 61-year-old former forensic-lab worker said detectives were asking him about the murder of Claire Hough, a 14-year-old girl who was found bludgeoned and mutilated on Torrey Pines State Beach on August 24, 1984.

As the family talked, officers confiscated hundreds of items from the home, including laptops, Rebecca Brown’s classroom syllabus, teaching materials, her mother’s wedding pictures, her grandmother’s photo albums, a book of Christmas carols, a bookmark. In all, San Diego police officers took 14 boxes and three trash bags full of the family’s belongings.

That’s when it clicked. Kevin Brown, Rebecca’s
husband of 22 years, was now a murder suspect.

Within eight months’ time, Kevin Brown went from a loving husband to a suspect in a brutal killing who hung himself from a tree in Cuyamaca State Park.

At the center of the case were minute traces of Brown’s DNA found on one of the two cotton swabs taken from Hough’s body, a swab that had been stored in the crime lab where Brown worked for 18 years after the murder.

Rhode Island girl found dead on San Diego beach

It was a grisly sight: 14-year-old Claire Hough’s body splayed out on a bloody towel between lifeguard towers 4 and 5 on Torrey Pines State Beach. A plastic radio, pack of cigarettes, and a pair of shoes were positioned next to her. The cause of death was ruled strangulation, but her face was bruised, her throat was cut, her vagina had been mutilated with a knife, and her left breast was amputated.

Hough came to San Diego from her home in Rhode Island to visit her grandparents. She had been at the zoo with them that day. Afterward, as she had done most every day of her visit, Hough went to Torrey Pines State Beach. She returned that evening at 8:30. She talked with her grandparents before going to her room. She was reported missing the following morning.

Police had no leads, no reliable eyewitnesses. They did, however, find similarities between Hough’s death and the murder of Barbara Nantais six years earlier. On August 13, 1978, the 15-year-old girl was found on the same stretch of sand, dead from blunt-force trauma to her head. Nantais’s body bore similar lacerations and a partially amputated right breast.

On August 25, 1984, the San Diego Medical Examiner’s office conducted an autopsy on Hough’s body. Staff took two samples on two sets of swabs from Hough’s mouth, vagina, and anus. One of the swabs was tested. There was no sperm. The numbers of acid phosphatase, an enzyme found to be of much higher concentration in semen than in vaginal secretions, was low, indicating no presence of semen on the swabs. The other swab was transported to the San Diego Police Department’s crime lab — where Kevin Brown worked — for storage.
Cold case stays cold

In 1996, San Diego Police Department cold-case detectives reopened the case. They interviewed witnesses and attempted to piece together the similarities between Nantais’s and Hough’s murders. No new leads developed and the case went cold.

Meanwhile, DNA testing improved. Law enforcement agencies around the country turned to DNA testing to solve cold-case murders. New methods allowed forensic technicians to reproduce small traces of cells in order to obtain complete samples.

But the science isn’t perfect. Amplifying a small number of cell strains has its limitations. A study published in the *Journal of Investigative Dermatology* in 2013 found that “because it is highly sensitive, any form of contamination of the sample, even trace amounts of DNA, can produce misleading results.”

In 2012, cold-case detective Michael Lambert reopened Hough’s case. He ordered DNA tests on the second swab obtained during Hough’s autopsy and stored in the police crime lab. New results showed up. Samples of blood and semen revealed two new suspects.

Kevin Brown; nervous, nerd. Murderer?

“There’s no other way to say it. Kevin was a doofus, a nerdy guy who didn’t have a mean bone in his body. I say that out of love. We would joke about it. He was a normal, nerdy guy. Yes, he liked sex; same as every male that has ever lived. He wasn’t into anything kinky or weird, despite what police detectives say.”

Rebecca Brown sits at a table inside a downtown San Diego café. Her blue eyes are filled with tears. Her platinum hair is neatly combed. Her arms are speckled with small bruises and scabs. She picks at them as she describes her former husband.

The two met after their previous marriages failed in 1992. Kevin had placed a singles ad in the *San Diego Union-Tribune*. She answered the ad and met him at Seaport Village for a drink. She was 38, he was 40.

“It was what people did before Match.com and all these other internet dating sites. When I saw him I knew he was just an ordinary, nice, and kind person. He was kind of dorky, into science and math. I was energetic and outgoing, into literature. We were opposites in that respect but we leveled each other out. I got him excited and he calmed me down. He was a sweet guy, a

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**Kevin Brown met in 1992 after she answered a singles ad he placed in the Union-Tribune.**

Kevin Brown cannot be excluded as a suspect.

In July 2012, the new DNA tests ordered by police detectives in the cold-case unit focused on the vaginal swab, the bloody towel, and Hough’s clothing stored inside the department’s property room. The items came back with three DNA matches. Sperm from Hough’s boyfriend at the time was found inside Hough’s underwear, underneath a panty liner. He was in Rhode Island at the time of his girlfriend’s murder, excluding him as a suspect.

The other match came from bloodstains found on Hough’s jeans. The blood was from convicted rapist Ronald Tatro, 40 years of age at the time of Hough’s murder, was on parole in San Diego County on a first-degree rape conviction in Hot Springs, Arkansas. Six months before Hough’s murder, Tatro was a suspect in the murder of prostitute Carol Defleice on El Cajon Boulevard. In 1985, a year after Hough’s murder, Tatro was arrested and later convicted for attempted rape of an sixteen-year-old girl in La Mesa. Tatro died in a 2011 boating accident in Tennessee.

Detective Lambert then turned to the remaining DNA match. Traces of Brown’s semen were found on a swab from Hough’s vagina. Brown’s DNA profile had been logged into the police department’s system when he was an employee to identify possible cross-contamination issues.
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On January 4, 2014, Lambert zeroed in on Brown. He submitted an affidavit for a search warrant of Brown’s home for items pertaining to the deaths of Claire Hough and Barbara Nantais. At the time of Nantais’s murder six years earlier than Hough’s, Brown was a student at California State University at Sacramento.

To convince the judge of the need for a search, Lambert painted Brown as a quiet but disturbed sex addict who frequented strip clubs, watched pornographic videos, and took pictures of nude women. He interviewed a handful of Brown’s colleagues during his 20-year stint in the crime lab.

Lambert said Brown often made awkward jokes and once asked a coworker to model for him for his photography group.

“Lab Supervisor Patrick O’Donnell stated he remembered Brown had a reputation of unusual behavior during the time of his employment,” Lambert wrote in the affidavit. “I determined additional follow up interviews needed to be conducted with former and current coworkers of Kevin Browns at the San Diego Police Department Lab. … O’Donnell stated he never associated with Brown outside of work and stated Brown’s reputation was only rumor to him.”

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Another former colleague said she saw Brown leave the F Street Adult Book Store during his lunch hour. His zipper was allegedly down.

Fellow criminalist Annette Peer said one day Brown and a coworker watched a pornographic movie during work, though that coworker later denied it ever happening.

Lambert addressed the only other possible explanation for the presence of Brown’s DNA: cross-contamination. Lab manager Jennifer Shen told Lambert that cross-contamination was “not possible.” Brown had not worked on the case and therefore his DNA could not have been present.

Lambert revisited the DNA test conducted in 1984 by the medical examiner’s office and interviewed San Diego County chief medical examiner Glen Wagner.

“The Toxicology Report indicates the acid phosphatase present on the vaginal swab collected were 37m I.U. (International Units). Acid phosphatase is an enzyme present in seminal fluid and sperm and is also present in other fluid sources in both men and women. Dr. Wagner stated he was ‘reasonably certain’ that the acid phosphatase present was from a male individual. He also stated that acid phosphatase markers lower than 50m [International Units] is unreliable.” Dr. Wag-

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On Monday, October 20, Rebecca Brown returned home from work. Her husband was missing.

The affidavit continued, “Based on the above mentioned facts, particularly the violent manner in which Hough’s ‘Levi’ jeans were torn, indicating they were forcibly removed, and Brown’s sperm in her vagina and not on her panty liner, I believe the sexual intercourse Brown had with Claire Hough was not consensual and appears to be contemporaneous to the murder. Furthermore, I think it is unlikely that Hough was raped on either Tuesday or Wednesday night by incident, is murdered by Tatro.”

Lambert also believed Brown was following the case like the eponymous character on Showtime’s crime thriller Dexter.

“I believe Brown and Tatro possibly met while traveling in similar circles. Brown was open with fellow lab employees regarding the frequency in which he patronized the local strip clubs. It is commonly known among law enforcement, many times strippers often engage in prostitution.”

San Diego County Superior Court judge Frederick Maguire granted the search warrant on January 3, 2014.

One day after police confiscated the 14 boxes and 4 bags full of their possessions, Kevin Brown went to police headquarters for an interview. He denied knowing Ronald Tatro. He said he never knew, nor did he kill Hough. He suggested to detective Lambert that it must have been cross-contamination from when he worked in the lab. He said that oftentimes criminalists would air-dry swabs before placing them in storage and that back in the ’80s he and his colleagues often submitted samples of their own semen and blood to test the chemical reagents used in the tests.

Brown remained a suspect.

I was watching him die,” Rebecca Brown recalls, “When [Kevin Brown] was in New Mexico he worked the huge prison revolt there. He was terrified of prison. Detectives knew what they were doing when they confiscated our belongings. It was a desperate attempt to try and find something, anything that would implicate Kevin and tie him to Ronald Tatro. And when they couldn’t find anything, they took our items, my family’s photo albums, to create stress and to cast doubt, and drive him to the point of cracking. That’s one thing they did right.”

Detective Lambert told Brown that he planned to return the remaining items by April 2014. April passed. Brown’s mental health deteriorated.

“He wouldn’t get out of bed,” says Rebecca. “He started taking sleeping pills and anxiety medi-

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In August 2014, Lambert told Rebecca that the items would not be returned until after the investigation.

Kevin’s behavior began to change. He pulled in front of a city bus one morning in August. The following month he backed into a parked car.

“The investigation was killing him,” says Rebecca. “He was always so put together and so calm. But, as the months passed, it was like I was watching him die. He turned into a zombie. We lived in a constant state of fear that cops would knock on our door at any minute, to search our house or arrest him for a murder he didn’t commit.

“One day, weeks before his death, I came back from work and Kevin was still in bed. On the floor by his bed was a bullet. There was a note thanking me for the 20 years of marriage. He thanked his priest and his friend. That’s when I really began to worry that he was going to kill himself. I called my brother and we removed the guns from the house, but I knew that he was slipping further and further away.”

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One day after park rangers found Kevin’s body, the San Diego Police Department’s cold-case detectives and district attorney’s investigators continued to make their case.

District attorney investigator Sandra Oplinger requested a search warrant for the couple’s cabin. Oplinger wanted to search the premises for “evidence of monitoring the progress of the investigation of the murders of Claire Hough, Barbara Nantais, and anything related to the name of Ronald C. Tatro…”

As was the case in the previous search warrant, Oplinger failed to state that Brown was in Sacramento for college when Nantais was murdered. That same day, the San Diego Police Department issued a press release, naming two suspects in Hough’s death, Brown and Tatro. A headline in a Los Angeles Times article read: “San Diego police solve 1984 killing of teen at Torrey Pines State Beach.”

Homicide lieutenant Paul Rorrison told the Times reporter he was “very gratified. It’s what we strive for. We work for the victims and the family. These cases don’t just go away.”

In late July 2015, Rebecca sued the City of San Diego, Lambert, and Oplinger.

“The search warrant and the illegal seizure of the property shows police were desperate to find something, anything to solve this case,” says Eugene Iredale, the attorney representing Rebecca Brown. “What Lambert didn’t write in his affidavit is that the other swab, the one not air-dried in the police crime lab where Kevin
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Brown worked, didn’t reveal presence of semen. That swab was taken at the same time from Claire Hough’s body but somehow was different. Was this just some magic swab that the DNA gravitated towards during the autopsy or was it because it was stored at the same place that Kevin Brown worked?”

I feel like I’ve been raped
Suzanna Ryan is an expert in forensic Serology and DNA analysis. Ryan has testified as an expert witness in over 70 cases throughout the country. She has seen numerous instances of cross-contamination in labs, and she disputes the San Diego crime lab manager’s statement that cross-contamination was impossible in this case.

“I can’t speak for every lab, but my experience in labs since 1999 is that lab technicians often used their own samples, whether it was saliva or blood, as positive and negative controls, to make sure that reagents are working properly. Many labs purchase semen samples from companies to conduct these tests. It doesn’t surprise me to hear that in 1984 some lab technicians were providing their own semen samples. In my experience, male employees are often asked if they will volunteer to provide semen samples as a positive control.

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“It was a different world in 1984, in regards to DNA testing. We know for a fact that secondary transfers, or cross-contamination, occurs inside these labs. All you need is a small number of cells to get results, so to say that it was impossible for cross-contamination or secondary transfer to occur on a swab that was stored inside the police property room for nearly 30 years is misguided.”

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“I’ve been raped. Police came into my life and confiscated my belongings. They accused my husband of being some sexual deviant and child killer. They came and went as they pleased like it was some sort of game. Kevin was a normal person and they shoved him into the grave and made me a widow. I can’t let this same thing happen to anyone else. Detectives, just like the real murderer in this case, need to be held accountable. That’s all I ask for.”

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Civic San Diego wipes political fingerprints
Sorting out the data will be difficult. “Elected officials [give themselves] plausible deniability,” Erie explains. “They create dummy commissions and insulate themselves from the decisions.”
Nonprofit corporations like Civic San Diego, the city-owned development operation, “take [the politicians’] fingerprints” off decisions.
Since the new accounting rules only deal with lost tax revenue, they won’t address one of San Diego’s biggest scams: lost revenue from sweetheart leases. Large hotels have long-term leases on land in places such as Mission Bay. The lease rates are not competitive with current lease rates — thus, some of San Diego’s most powerful hotel owners enjoy juicy subsidies.
Some of these hotels and motels on public land are getting away with murder on long-term rents. They get sweetheart deals — rents that are not at competitive rates. So, what counts as taxpayer money when [governments] lowball the value of public assets and essentially give it to the private sector?” asks Erie.
Now, these older lease deals are audited by the treasurer — not by the city auditor. “The treasurer’s office is an arm of the mayor” and hence part of an incumbent administration, complains Mike Aguirre, former city attorney.
However, Eduardo Luna, city auditor, says, “I am not campaigning” to audit those sweetheart leases. For now, “Let sleeping dogs lie.”
It’s clear San Diego is losing lease revenue on sweetheart hotel deals and is also losing revenue from use of tax subsidies. For example, last year the big biotech Illumina — one of San Diego’s most successful companies — said it was considering a move, perhaps to Memphis.
The company agreed to stay after getting $1.5 million in tax breaks over ten years.
Ballast Point and AleSmith head to the trough
San Diego last year offered tax cuts on future sales to Ballast Point Brewing and Spirits and AleSmith Brewing Company, which were considering other locations.
The companies pay permitting and municipal fees related to their expansions; once the businesses get rolling, they get their tax breaks.
When the state set up its California Competes program last year, tax breaks went to Petco and Iso Nano International in San Diego, Sparsha USA in Oceanside, and American Marine Abatement Services in National City. Two years ago, sleep-equipment maker ResMed considered departing for a lower-cost location. It decided to stay without any tax breaks. “The overall cost savings associated with relocation aren’t enough to offset the risks,” including loss of key personnel, says David Pendarvis, global general counsel.
On the other hand, San Diego has lost one Petco operation and the security...
tralia, this summer to speak at the Amplify festival put on by AMP, “a leading independent wealth management company in Australia and New Zealand,” according to its website. An account of the event in the September 7 issue of the Australian Financial Review reported that the famous charter-school advocate was not opposed to public education. “I’m a public education guy, and that’s important for your readers to know.” Said the story, “Discipline in the schools is not achieved by rules, but by a culture of respect for oneself and others.”

— Matt Potter (@sdmattpotter)

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Here are some of Issa’s brushes with the law, according to MediaMatters.org: In 1982, he was suspected but not charged in an arson incident. An executive charged that Issa used a gun to intimidate the executive, who was being fired.

According to the San Francisco Chronicle, Issa was twice arrested in 1972 on weapons charges. Also according to the Chronicle, Issa was convicted of possession of an unregistered handgun.

According to the New York Times, Issa was arrested in 1972 for auto theft. That year, he was charged with carrying a concealed weapon, according to the Chronicle. The auto theft and concealed weapons charges were dropped.

— Don Bauder

SDG&E, money rake in hand
Implementation of new rate structure has begun
San Diego Gas & Electric has begun the process of implementing a new rate system under which heavy energy users will benefit from lower rates and conservation-minded consumers will see their bills spike.

Approved earlier this year and lambasted by many (including onetime mayoral hopeful and city councilmember David Alvarez, who called the move “clearly another giveaway to SDG&E”), the number of existing rate tiers will shrink this month from four to three. The number of different rates consumers pay, based upon how much they exceed their “baseline” allowance (Tier 1) will further shrink from three to two by next March.

Future changes include the introduction of a “super user” surcharge reintroducing penalties for users who go 400 percent beyond baseline sometime in 2017, and a transitioning of all consumers to “time-of-use” rates by 2019, when the cost of electricity will be constantly variable and ratepayers using energy at...
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Middle and Southwest High schools in June to July 2009 totaling $14.6 million. In addition to the contract amount were expensive change orders.


The companies are now fighting to keep the money and contracts and to dismiss San Diegans for Open Government’s case. In 2013, Gilbane Construction filed a motion challenging the nonprofit group’s legal standing. A judge dismissed the motion.

In November 2013, HAR Construction challenged the lawsuit under the anti-SLAPP statute, stating that the political contributions to Sweetwater officials should be regarded as “quintessential rights of free speech and petition protected by the Anti-SLAPP statute.”

Attorneys for HAR Construction filed the anti-SLAPP motion 16 months after San Diegans for Open Government filed the lawsuit. A superior court judge denied the motion, finding the lawsuit had merits and the advocacy group would likely prevail. HAR Construction then filed an appeal. On August 31, 2015, the appellate court rejected the claims. The case will return to the trial court to be heard on its merits.

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times of high demand will be charged a higher rate.
SDG&E says customers will have the option to opt out of the time-of-use rates, but once it gains approval, those not opting to remain in what will then be a two-tier structure will be converted to the new system by default.

— Dave Rice

Slapdown in Sweetwater case

Contractors’ lawyers more than a bit late in filing challenge

A lawsuit over the alleged pay-to-play construction scheme at Sweetwater Union High School District will move forward, according to a ruling from the Fourth District Court of Appeals.

On August 31, the appellate court found that the petitioner, San Diegans for Open Government, had proper standing to sue several contractors who were awarded large construction contracts after winning and dining district board members.

In January 2012, district attorney Bonnie Dumanis’s office filed criminal charges against Sweetwater Union’s then-superintendent Jesus Gandara and trustees Pearl Quiñones, Arlie Ricasa, and Greg Sandoval. As the investigation continued, the alleged bribery scheme grew more vast. Fifteen people from three school districts throughout San Diego County were indicted for what Dumanis’s office called a pay-to-play scheme.

In Sweetwater Union’s case, former superintendent Gandara and board members Sandoval, Quiñones, and Ricasa pleaded guilty to accepting gifts, trips, dinners, and tickets in exchange for lucrative construction contracts; contractor Henry Amigable also pleaded guilty.

In 2012, public advocacy group San Diegans for Open Government, headed by attorney Cory Briggs, filed a lawsuit aimed at invalidating the contracts and retrieving the money paid to contractors as a result of the bribery scandal.

One company, HAR Construction, received numerous contracts from Sweetwater Union, including work on Southwest Seville Group.

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WHEN: 1 p.m. to 2:30 a.m. Also on Saturday and Sunday
WHERE: Del Mar Fairgrounds, 2260 Jimmy Durante Boulevard, Del Mar. 877-987-6487; kaaboodelmar.com

STEAMPUNK FESTIVAL
It’s a steampunk and neo-Victoriana convention weekend with workshops, vendors, presentations, fashion shows, and a 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea Tribute and Maker Room. This year Gaslight Goes to the Cinema celebrates the films and television shows that have inspired steampunk. Guests include authors Harry Turtledove and Tim Powers, 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea Nautilus expert Scott Brodeen, and local “maker” Bob Mogg. If you don’t know, steampunk is a blend of Victorian-inspired clothing and technology with a bit of science fiction and fantasy. Think: airships, goggles, jet packs, corsets, top hats, and parasols. $10–$35. Weekend tickets available.

WHEN: Noon to midnight. Also on Saturday and Sunday
WHERE: Town & Country Resort, 500 Hotel Circle, Mission Valley. 800-772-8527; gaslightgathering.org

SAN DIEGO BAYFAIR
Some of the fastest boats in the world take over Mission Bay Park in another three-day event. The H1 Unlimited hydroplanes are joined by the piston-powered Grand Prix West Boats and numerous classes from RPM Racing Enterprises. The H1 Unlimited and Grand Prix West boats run the larger course and are visible from Crown Point and Fiesta Island. On land, activities include music in the Vendor Village on Vacation Island and foods from around the world. $20–$30. Three-day passes available.

WHEN: 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Also on Saturday and Sunday
WHERE: Ski Beach, Ingraham Street and Vacation Island Road, Pacific Beach. 760-789-8870; sandiegobayfair.org

FESTIVAL OF BEER
The San Diego Festival of Beer celebrates its 21st birthday. This year’s fest features live music and over 60 breweries serving 120 varieties of craft brews. A $50 ticket includes admission into the event, unlimited two-oz. beer tastes, and the first 1500 guests receive an event-logo tasting mug. Designated-driver ticket is $20.

WHEN: 6 to 10 p.m.
WHERE: Port Pavilion on Broadway Pier, 1000 North Harbor Drive, downtown San Diego. bit.ly/1IX5Sgb

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JULIAN MUSIC FESTIVAL
This event is on its 46th year and includes the Escondido-based Lacemakers, a trio of women who blend the sounds of Appalachia, Ireland, Scotland, and “the high lonesome sound of the blue hills of Kentucky.” Other performers include Natalie Gelman, an alternative folk singer and songwriter from New York City; Abrakadabra, a group fusing Latin jazz, island, funk, reggae, pop, and rock; and Trails and Rails with a repertoire of western and folk. $12–$20.

WHEN: 1 to 6:30 p.m.
WHERE: Menghini Winery, 1150 Julian Orchards Drive, Julian. 760-470-0321; julianmusicfestival.com
SAN DIEGO RESTAURANT WEEK

This year, San Diego Restaurant Week celebrates local. Restaurants will partner with local distributors, farmers, vintners, brewers, and fishermen to bring produce and Pacific-caught seafood to the plate. From Sunday, September 20, through Sunday, September 27, over 180 restaurants will participate. Dinner will be served as a three-course, prix-fixe menu for $20, $30, $40, or $50 per person, and lunch will be served as a two-course prix-fixe menu for $10, $15, or $20. Tickets aren’t necessary, but reservations are recommended. Visit their site for the list of participating restaurants.

WHEN: 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.
WHERE: Locations throughout San Diego. sandiegorestaurantweek.com

TRIROCK SAN DIEGO

Billed as the largest triathlon in San Diego, this sixth-annual event includes a protected swim in San Diego Harbor and a flat, fast bike course. The sprint course includes a 500-meter swim, 11-mile bike, and 3-mile run. The intermediate course features a 1500-meter swim, 22-mile bike, and 6-mile run. There is also an Aquabike division where athletes can compete in the intermediate category by completing the swim and bike portions of the race while omitting the run leg. $140 to $210 to compete; spectators free.

WHEN: 6:30 a.m.
WHERE: San Diego Convention Center, 111 W. Harbor Drive, downtown San Diego. trirock.competitor.com/san-diego

BATTLE OF THE SEXES FISHING. “Salty Vixen” Katharina Eckert and her posse, the SoCal Salty Vixens, are challenging the guys to a friendly Battle of the Sexes fishing competition aboard the Mission Belle. As these trips usually venture into Mexican waters, a passport is required. Anglers should be at the dock early; boat departs at 5:45 a.m. Waterfront, page 47.

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MARK KNOPFLER. The guitar and voice of 1980s radio staple Dire Straits is enjoying worldwide critical and commercial praise for his foray into folk with this year’s Tracker. Knopfler’s “Tracker Tour” hits Humphreys by the Bay on Monday.

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DEF LEPPARD. After 30 years of recording and performing around the world, few hard-rock bands can light up an arena like these British metal heads. They are touring in advance of this year’s self-titled 11th studio set, due to drop in October. Def Leppard headlines at the Sleep Train Amphitheatre with Styx and Tesla.

JUICE CRAFT. A very brown, sludgy juice smoothie takes on pizza in Little Italy. “If it could fill me up prior to an early dinner instead of pizza by the slice, I would be impressed.” Feast, page 50.

PAWN SACRIFICE. Reader critic Scott Marks tells us if the road to bad cinema is paved with static images of two guys parked before a chessboard. Movie, page 69.

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SAN FRANCISCO COMEDY COMPETITION

This competition has discovered comic superstars such as Robin Williams, Dana Carvey, Ellen DeGeneres, and Louis C.K. Hundreds of comedians audition each year, and 32 get to compete. Reigning champ Kabir “Kabeezy” Singh hosts this showcase featuring ten semi-finalists who will each perform an 8–12 minute set. Join the 2015–16 season opener and help the judges determine who will advance. $25–$40.

WHEN: 7:30 p.m.
WHERE: California Center for the Arts, Escondido, 340 N. Escondido Boulevard, Escondido. 800-988-4253; artcenter.org

SLEUTH. Mystery writer Andrew Wyke likes to play tricks. He has several in store for Milo Tindle, his wife’s lover. Through October 11 at Scripps Ranch Theatre. Theater, page 68.
A through-the-trunk view of sequoias

Defining “big” in Sequoia National Park
By Lisa Bruhn

I expected it to be colder here in January. I packed snow boots, hiking boots, three jackets, and two sweatshirts for the 36-hour trip. Usually, I pack light — only a small carry-on bag for a two-week trip to Europe or Australia — but this three-day trip I had three “small” bags.

Instead of snow, we got 70-degree weather in January at 7000 feet in Sequoia National Park and Kings Canyon.

Only six hours after leaving North County San Diego we arrived at the General Sherman trailhead. This is where our “how big is big” debate began. It’s a humbling experience to stand at the base of a huge sequoia tree and look up.

After a short, paved half-mile hike through the forest of sequoias, I had to tilt my neck all the way back in order to get a view of the very top of the largest tree in the world: the monumental General Sherman. I thought largest trees meant tallest trees, but I was set straight by Dana Dierkes, public affairs specialist at Sequoia and Kings Canyon National Park. The trunk of the General Sherman in Sequoia National Park is 35 feet wide! It’s the largest tree — by volume.

Redwoods, by contrary, are slender towering giants, with the tallest measuring nearly 380 feet tall. The Hyperon is located in a remote area of Redwood National Forest (its location is secret) and is estimated to be just 700–800 years old, compared to the General Sherman at 2500 years old. The Hyperon trunk is only 4.5 feet wide. We settled our debate and called it a draw: both sequoias and redwoods live up to the descriptors “big” and “giant.”

The air was thin and crisp going into my lungs, and I had to stop often on the trails to catch my breath. Benefits of visiting in the winter: fewer crowds and beautiful snowcapped mountains. We saw some snow later on in the shaded areas at Kings Canyon.

The manager of the John Muir Lodge said he didn’t see one person on his seven-mile hike that morning. There was only one other couple in the restaurant for dinner, and the bears are in semi-hibernation. Still, everyone working in the forest will warn you to remove all food, drinks, ice chests, any scented items, and trash from your car when parked.

At the Giant Forest Museum, we learned that sequoias live to be 2000+ years old because they are resilient and heal themselves from fire and pest damage. But these giants are seriously threatened by climate change. In a 2012 study conducted by the United States Geologic Survey, nearly the whole population of sequoias could be impacted and gone in the next hundred years. They need an environment that’s just right to thrive, which exists in Sequoia National Park — for now.

The snowcaps provide runoff, which then provides the groundwater for the trees to drink.

Now, with a warming climate, there’s less snowpack and thus less water for the trees to drink. Go see these grand, ancient living beings before they become extinct.

Other Adventures

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64-oz. of Creativity

64-oz. of Creativity is a group art show where local artists create a masterpiece on blank glass beer growlers. From acrylic paint to aerosol cans, each artist displays a piece of their own. There are 30+ featured artists participating from all over San Diego who will submit one-of-a-kind hand painted growlers to the show. All artwork will be for sale, while supplies last. Friday, September 18, 5pm; Saturday, September 19, 5pm; free. The Homebrewer, 2911 El Cajon Boulevard. (NORTH PARK)

Aquamarine

The San Diego Sculptors Guild in partnership with The Surfrider Foundation present a sculptural exhibit and fundraiser designed to raise awareness about marine protection and preservation of local ecosystems. Local sculptors will showcase their talent and skill. A sculpture raffle will raise funds for the cause of marine protection with all the proceeds going to the Surfrider Foundation. Saturday, September 19, 5pm; free. Spanish Village Art Center, 1770 Village Place. (BALBOA PARK)

Finger Painter Iris Scott: Artist Reception

Finger Painter Iris Scott with hosted wine, music, appetizers, and an abundance of new finger paintings. Exhibit runs September 18 through October 2. Saturday, September 19, 7pm; free. 21 and up. Adelman Fine Art, 1800 Kettner Boulevard Ste. 40. (LITTLE ITALY)

Floodplain: Opening Reception

Floodplain presents a new body of work by visual artist Vahanna Santos. The show is primarily composed of text-based work that indulges in willful contradiction and the reimagining of social interactions in conjunction with natural phenomena. Saturday, September 19, 6pm; Helmuth Projects, 1827 Fifth Avenue. (BANKERS HILL)

Santa Fe Marketplace

Southwest artists will come together to celebrate their Native American cultures and showcase collections of fine jewelry, art, hand woven rugs, Pendleton blankets, and more. Returning to this year’s festival, notable pawn trader Art Quintana will use his 30 years of experience in the Native American jewelry business to offer free appraisals of visitors’ fine Indian jewelry and family heirlooms (up to two pieces each). This market will also feature live music, and cuisine from neighboring Casa Guadalajara restaurant will be for sale. www.bazaardelmundo.com. Friday, September 18, 10am; Saturday, September 19, 10am; Sunday, September 20, 10am; free. Bazaar del Mundo, 4133 Taylor Street. (OLD TOWN)

AleSmith’s Reforged Release

This will be the first day fans can come by and pick up their previously purchased bottles of Reforged. Underdogs Gastrotruck and Brother’s Provisions will be on hand. www.alesmith.com. Saturday, September 19, 11am; AleSmith Brewing Company, 9368 Cabot Drive. (MIRAMAR)

Cork & Craft One-Year Anniversary Week

The Cork & Craft is celebrating its one year anniversary all week 9/15-9/20 with the release of new Abnormal Beers, Abnormal Wines, a new menu, and live music. http://thecorkandcraft.com/. Thursday, September 17, 5pm; Friday, September 18, 5pm; Saturday, September 19, 5pm; Sunday, September 20, 10am; free. Cork and Craft, 16990 Via Tazon #123. (RANCHO BERNARDO)

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in Los Angeles. Sunday, September 20, 2pm. Free. 18 and up. Mysterious Galaxy Books, 5943 Balboa Avenue #100. (CLAREMONT)

True Tails II from the Dog Park Max and Luther, two dogs who are best friends and authors, are holding their book launch for their second book in the Max and Luther series, a collection of short stories, fun dog facts, and top ten lists told from the perspective of two dogs. Meet Max and Luther and get their new book pawographed. Sunday, September 20, 12pm. Free. Warwick’s Bookstore, 7812 Girard Avenue. (LA JOLLA)

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

After Tossing the Turf: Garden Design Landscape designer and xeriscape expert Jan Tubiolo explains the phases of designing a water-saving garden including planning, irrigation, and plant selection. Register online or 619-660-0614 x10. Saturday, September 19, 10am; $10. Water Conservation Garden, 12122 Cuyamaca College Drive West. (SAN DIEGO)

Coloring to Relax See why “coloring for adults” is the latest, great- est way to de-stress. Get away from screens, turn off the noise, and meditate on creating some beautiful art in a quiet setting. Friday, September 19, 10:30am; free. 18 and up. Scripps Miramar Ranch Library, 10301 Scripps Lake Drive. (SCRIPPS RANCH)

FOOD & DRINK

California Wine Tasting Tour Take a tour of over 20 California Wineries while taking in views of the San Diego skyline. Taste wines and meet the winemakers from some of California’s most famous wineries, including Chalk Hill Estate in Sonoma and Firestone Vineyards in Santa Barbara. Guests will also enjoy tray-passed tapas at Cohn Restaurant Group’s newest wine bar, Sage. Tickets are $25-$35. Saturday, September 19, 2pm; Sunday, September 20, 2pm; $10-$20. Lyceum Theatre, 79 Horton Plaza. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

PGK Dance Project The PGK Dance Project will appear for the first time on The Lyceum Theater’s MainStage World premiering works by nine choreographers from across the U.S. Friday, September 18, 7:30pm; Saturday, September 19, 7:30pm; Sunday, September 20, 2pm; $10-$20. Lyceum Theatre, 79 Horton Plaza. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

Rhyme & Verse Four poems by Cally Conan-Davies Shelly Beach Sunday A girl climbs in the scarred pandanus, a boy digs a moat in the sand, a yellow sail glides on the swell, gulls and terns hang blithe behind the surf, then hit like bombs. Banksiás hold the dunes. The girl in the branches shouts I am king of the castle, you dirty rascal and the boy hollows out the shape of his first name.

From a bench on the clifftop carved in memory of Edwin Edwards, 1918–2007, Enjoy His View where a southerly onshore wind tangles my hair, I see light on the water lift all kinds of blue — nacre making a mirror of the hard world’s edge, aquamarine in the shallows, sapphire beyond reach. A tiny pitches on the swell, bow-backed surfers bob. The lucky ones will catch a perfect break while those attending to the burning shore, in the arms of trees, molding fortresses of sand, though sun-dazed, stare faithfully at the sea for a shadow on the blue, dark-fused and not our own.

I Like to Stand Apart from You and watch the wave wash mirroring your life showing all at once in the falling light your sturdy body, in gumboots, a pad and pencil in your hand, and two subtle bodies striking out from you, like a sundial gesturing at ten to six: your shadow pointing west shows the minute, your reflection, now, is the descending hour on a clock face, blue and white. You look down at the sky and the clouds in it. We can’t hold back the time and so it goes and the waves keep coming.

Self-portrait with Luminosity The light I find is always enough to capture me The light I find to wrap a lyric around is melody The light I find isn’t always kind to me Nothing in the sky, nothing in the wires, can account for the light I find The light I find is a stab in the dark

Love Where It Ends (for my daughter) the you of now the moo of cow the crow of black a suited dove the push and shove of trust and blame a no can do a giant yowl in the nick of time on the switchback trail the holy mooing cow of now

Cally Conan-Davies hails from the island of Tasmania. She worked as a teacher, reviewer, and bibliotherapist before moving to the United States in 2012. Her poems can be found in periodicals such as The Hudson Review, Subtropics, Poetry, Quadrant, The New Criterion, The Virginia Quarterly Review, The Sewanee Review, The Southwest Review, The Dark Horse, Harvard Review, and online journals.

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**Crafternoon Thursdays** We’ll create fun and seasonal craft projects. Bring your imagination. All supplies provided. Geared toward ages four to nine; Thursdays, 4pm through Thursday, October 29. Free. Clairemont Library, 2920 Burgener Boulevard. (Clairemont)

**Scavenger Hunt** Try a self-guided tour and scavenger hunt using your mobile device to answer questions as you race to post the best time and score. Info: 888-433-8966. Saturdays, 9am; Sundays, 9am; through Sunday, January 1, 8:40am. Balboa Park Visitors Center, 1549 El Prado. (Balboa Park)

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**Sequoia** continued from page 36

While there are many campgrounds available that are ideal in the spring/summer, we stayed at the Wuksachi Lodge this winter, a smaller, less "grand" version of Yosemite’s Ahwahnee Hotel, in my opinion.

Dinner at the Peaks Restaurant was well worth the price and comes with a fantastic view of the big trees and forest surrounding the lodge. I felt comfortable in my hiking boots and skinny jeans at this fine-dining restaurant. Jeff Fortin, formerly Petroc Lodge’s food and beverage manager, now the operations manager at the Wuksachi Lodge, clearly loves the area and his job. Forty-five minutes up the Generals Highway is Kings Canyon. Here we stayed in Grant Grove Village at the John Muir Lodge. On the same property are accommodations ranging from rustic canvas-topped tents to small log cabins, many recently redecorated, including one built in 1908. The restaurant’s about to undergo a complete redo as well. At Grant Grove Visitors Center, we got the latest update on hiking trails from park ranger Dominic Papia (many areas are closed during the winter season). A little advance planning will help ensure you have the most fun and a safe visit. Visit the park website or call 559-565-3341 for the latest travel info.

The drive from Three Rivers up to Sequoia National Park has many twists and turns, sort of like the road to Hana on Maui in Hawaii. If you’re prone to car sickness, take motion sickness medicine.

In fall/winter: hike on the trails to see the big trees, tour the museums, go on a snowshoeing scavenger hunt, or stargaze (some of the best skies clear of light pollution). In September, Sequoia National Park will host a second annual Dark Sky Festival featuring NASA astronaut talks, telescope views of the starry skies, and photography presentations.

In spring/summer: Crystal Cave is 40 minutes south of the Wuksachi Lodge and only open in the summer. Special candle-lit and belly-crawling tours are favorites among visitors. In the summer, Papia recommends Roaring River Falls, easily accessible on a paved 1/3-mile round-trip path.

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**Lectures**

**A Jungian Life** Chronicles the Jungian life of author Thomas B. Kirsch. From conception until the present, C. G. Jung’s ideas and analytical psychology itself have been a central thread in his life. Kirsch graduated from Yale Medical School in 1961, did a residency in psychiatry at Stanford University, and spent two years with the National Institute of Mental Health in San Francisco. He completed his Jungian training at the C. G. Jung Institute of San Francisco in 1968. He is a Jungian analyst in private practice in Palo Alto, California. Info: jungianlife.com. Tuesday, September 18, 7:30pm; $15-$20. Phase two, 18 and up. Winston School, 215 9th Street. (Del Mar)

**Business Expo Investment Forum** North County San Diego entrepreneur provides a two-hour speaking engagement entitled “What would I do with three million dollars?” Fidelity Focused. Three projects for investment strategies that span all time space universal. Focus on conflict resolution in America. Topics for investment: Corporate Green Company, New Federal Diplomatic think tank, and two un released major motion pictures. $20 at the door. Beverages and snacks included. Friday, September 18. Info: Michael Joseph, 760-560-6082 or michael.joseph_velvet@yahoo.com. (San Diego)

**Energy Roles for Nuclear Technologies** Dr. George Tynan, Associate Dean, Jacobs School of Engineering, UCSD, will discuss the roles for renewable and advanced nuclear technologies, including that most intriguing of energy sources, nuclear fusion. Free parking at Gilman Parking Structure. Sponsored by the San Diego Independent Scholars. 111A, Chancellor’s Complex. Lyman Lane. Saturday, September 19, 1:30pm; free. University of California San Diego, 9500 Gilman Drive. (La Jolla)

**Travel Adventures with Road Scholar** The Fletcher Hills Library is hosting a lecture on the not-for-profit Road Scholar organization by local Road Scholar Ambassador, Jill Swaim. If you love to travel, enjoy learning new things, exploring interesting places and meeting people who share a love of adventure, come and learn about Road Scholar, offering more than 6,500 programs each year in 150 counties worldwide. Ms. Swaim will offer an insider’s look at its adventures. www.roadscholar.org. Saturday, September 19, 2pm; free. Fletcher Hills Library, 576 Garfield Avenue. (Fletcher Hills)

**What We Can Learn From How Doctors Die** Guest speaker Dr. Ken Murray, Los Angeles retired family physician, who wrote an article “How Doctors Die” which went viral. He will be joined by local physicians Lynette Cederquist and Jefford Gordon. Sponsored by the Hemlock Society of San Diego. Sunday, September 20, 1:30pm; free. 18 and up. Scottish Rite Center, 1895 Camino del Rio South. (Mission Valley)

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**Outdoors**

**Bird Old Mission Dam** Join Mission Trails Regional Park birders Jeanne Raimond and Millie Basden to explore bird populations found at our national historic site. Area waters are a bird magnet during dry season. Look for resident and migratory species. Recommend binoculars and bird book. Meet at Old Mission Dam parking lot. Saturday, September 19, 8am; free.
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San Diego Reader: How long do you spend writing your sermon?
Pastor Ray DuVal: My style is a combination of exegetical with topical on Sunday in mind. It probably takes around 20 hours a week. I do most of my sermon preparation early in the morning; it just works best for me. I have my quiet time very early in the morning; there are fewer distractions, and I’m able to go right into study and writing time.

SDR: What is your favorite subject on which to preach?
PD: It would be the good news. The gospel has to be in every message because that’s what it’s all about. In this day and age, though, you have to go out in the times in which we live; this generation is so privileged to live as the church in this age, what I call the last of the last days. I would say the gospel is several things — the reality of Jesus, God become man; that he lived a sinless life; that he was born in Bethlehem — that’s the Christmas story; that he died on the cross for our sins and rose again from death — that’s the Easter story. Within that context, you have God’s love, his forgiveness, and the promise of God’s word. We go from eternal death to eternal life. The last thing we’re waiting on is the reality of heaven itself and our personal glorification when we meet the Lord. Of all the good news, if you don’t do the good news first, there is no other news.

SDR: What’s your concern as a member of the clergy?
PD: The challenge of getting the message across. Like I said, we are in the last of the last days, and the people in the Middle East — the Christians — have no problem understanding or staying focused on their Christianity. We who live in America — our blessings get in the way. They’re good blessings — God’s blessed us here in America — but they get in the way of the greatest blessing and that is God himself.

SDR: Why non-denominational?
PD: There’s so much going on in the world today, and we’ve seen a number of denominations go off in the wrong direction, quit standing firm on God’s word…. We do believe in strength in numbers as long as we stand strong on our doctrinal beliefs. I think it’s been in the news — the homosexual thing is big news, and the marriage thing is big news today. Sadly, many churches are given in to that. There are some of the concerns I have.

SDR: What is the mission of your church?
PD: Our immediate mission is to reach the lost. Our second mission is to grow up those that come to Christ.

The third mission is that they would go out and share the gospel.

SDR: Where do you go when you die?
PD: Believers go to heaven — true believers, professing believers, while people who think they’re Christian but who never receive Christ, and those who reject Christ, go to hell. There is a heaven and there is a hell. The one is called eternal life and the other is called eternal damnation, which is separation from God. It’s so sad because he created that place only for Satan and his demons.

— Joseph O’Brien

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**Old Mission Dam, 2 Father Junipero Serra Trail. (SANTEE)**

**Birding with All Your Senses**
Join ornithologist Jeanie Anderson on a path in the canyon with many birds both visible and calling. Bring sturdy shoes, binoculars, and coverskirts. Handouts and checklists will be provided. Canyonside Park Ballfields, west end. Saturday, September 19, 7:45am; fee. Canyonside Park & Recreation Center, 12530 Black Mountain Road. (BAN JOE PENAQUITOS)

**Dixon Lake Cleanup**
I Love A Clean San Diego is hosting the 31st Annual California Coastal Cleanup Day. Thousands of volunteers join together at over 100 sites throughout the county.

**San Dieguito River Park Bird Walk**
We’ll explore the Lower Crest Canyon trail of the San Dieguito River Park, as well as spend some time identifying water birds from the lagoon overlook near the trailhead. Directions to Lower Crest Canyon Trailhead: From I-5, take Via de la Vera west, left on Jimmy Durante Bl., left on San Dieguito Road. Drive east about one mile to trailhead. Leader John Haddock, 760-941-7824. Saturday, September 19, 9:30am; fee. San Dieguito River Park Headquarters, 18372 Sycamore Creek Road. (ESCONDIDO)

**Soar with Nature**
Ravens, hawks, and turkey vultures are the skykings of sage, chaparral, and grasslands areas. Keep your eye to the sky for their aerial antics as you travel the trail with your Mission Trails Regional Park Trail Guide on a fun adventure in nature. Meet inside Visitor Center. Saturday, September 19, 9:30am; Sunday, September 20, 9:30am; free. Mission Trails Regional Park, One Father Junipero Serra Trail. (SAN CARLOS)

**Special Events**

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**Diamond Street Festival**
The first annual Diamond Street Festival is a community celebration that takes over the heart of San Diego’s Diamond Neighborhood. Listen and groove to local and regional live music and cultural performances showcased on two entertainment stages. Taste the diverse flavors of culturally traditional foods and drinks. Shop for arts and crafts sold by local artists and vendors. Get educated and activated in our specialty pavilions: Small Business Resources, Health and Wellness, Education and Literacy, and Food Justice. Children will be a part of the fun in the Kid’s Zone. Info: 619-888-4633 or www.sdzh.org. Saturday, September 19, 11am; free. Market Street (between Euclid and 54th Street). (CHOLLAS VIEW)

**Electric Vehicle Day**
Test drive various EVs. See how easy it is to charge an EV at home or at public stations. Learn about SDG&E’s special EV rates for charging at home. Get info on state and federal EV incentives. Kids will love driving mini-electric cars, presented by the San Diego Fire Rescue Foundation. Saturday, September 19, 10am; free. 2401 Truxtun Road. (LIBERTY STATION)

**Family Fun Days: Special Needs**
With carnival games, prizes, bounce houses, face painting, and more. Visit the Special Needs Resource Center to plan your day.

**St. John Bosco Mission**

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**Kehilat Ariel Messianic Synagogue**
Jesus Observed Yom Kippur?
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princess obstacle course, music, food, and resource fair. Multiple silent auction items up for grabs. Raffles throughout the day. Info: theec3@gmail.com. Proceeds benefit Special Needs Playdate a 501c3 charity focusing on socialization for families of all abilities. Saturday, September 19, 1pm, free. Tide-lands Park, 2000 Mullinix Drive. (CORONADO)

Iris Society Annual Rhizome Sale  The San Diego Iris Society hosts its annual rhizome sale with a large selection of iris rhizomes available in a variety of colors including some that will rebloom. Members of the Society will be on hand to assist and answer questions about growing iris. Sunday, September 20, 10am; free. Casa del Prado, 1800 El Prado. (BALBOA PARK) Landlubbers Day  Seaport Village welcomes San Diego’s biggest Tall Like a Pirate Day event with Landlubbers Day, a celebration of all things pirate. With live music from the Jackstraws, San Diego’s pirate-themed band, a “Talk Like a Pirate” and costume contest, arts and crafts, and pirate’s booty food and drink specials from Seaport Village eateries. Guests are encouraged to don their finest eye patches and pirate garb, and the first 50 guests to arrive at Seaport Village in theme will receive a $10 gift certificate to use at the seaside shopping district. Saturday, September 19, 1pm; free. Seaport Village, 849 W. Harbor Drive. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEG) Lookbook Fashion Show  Lookbook Live translates fall’s hottest fashion trends from the runway into real-life styles with one-on-one interaction and consultations with style experts. In Center Court at Fashion Valley in collaboration with Glamour and GQ magazines. www.simon.com. Saturday, September 19, 1pm; free. Fashion Valley Mall, 7807 Friars Road. (MISSION VALLEY) Pagan Pride Celebration  Pagan Pride Day celebrations are held annually around the world within a few weeks either side of the Autumnal Equinox. San Diego has hosted its own Pagan Pride Day festival every year since 2003. This is a family friendly festival that is open to everyone, not just pagans, with lectures, workshops, entertainment, children’s activities, food, and public neo-pagan rituals celebrating the Autumn Equinox. There will be raffling of items donated by local vendors as well as a silent auction. At the Pagan Pride festival we collect donations for our charities in our effort to support the community. Please bring a non perishable food item for Mama’s Kitchen and/or a donation for Project Wildlife. http://www/sdpagan-pride.org. Saturday, September 19, 9am; free. Womble and Cushing. (LIBERTY STATION)

Simplest The Best Singles  This upscale organization for singles looking for relationships, marriage, and more offers a Rancho Santa Fe Patio Dance, ages 40-60ish, with DJ music from 80s to current, an icebreaker, prizes, and a tarot card reader. Upscale casual dance, free parking, Dance price $15 prepaid/$20 door, simplebehostingsingles.com or 818-577-6877. Saturday, September 26, 7:30-11:30pm. Morgan Run Golf & Resort, 5690 Cancha de Golf, Rancho Santa Fe. Sweetwater Farms Flea Market  Round up your friends and join us on the farm! Shop for rusty treasures and homemade goods. With food and hay rides. Vendors wanted: 10’x10’, $35. Info 619-292-3638 or info@simplyglamorous-floral.com. Sunday, September 20, 9am-3pm. Sweetwater Farms, 3051 Equitation Lane. (ROUNTA)

Vista Viking Festival  Live music, local handcrafted beer, ale and mead, Viking encampments, raiders’ weapons range, axe and spear throwing, archery, kids’ zone, rune quest, horn blowing, log toss, fish fling, and beard contests. Plus Nordic foods, fresh lase and Norwegian cookies, and Viking vendors. Adults $8, kids 6-12 $2, five and under free. Parking $5. Free shuttle from Vista High. Info: vikingfestivalvista.com, facebook.com/vikingfestival, 760-726-6526. Saturday, September 26, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday, September 27, 2015, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Norwich Hall, 2006 East Vista Way. (VISTA)

SPORTS & FITNESS

NAS Coronado Speed Festival  Fast-paced auto racing and exhibitions for car enthusiasts of all ages at one of the most distinctive race track locations — Naval Air Station North Island, the birthplace of Naval Aviation. Nowhere else can you see a variety of cars racing on a live runway used by the U.S. Navy. This is the only Navy Open House on the West Coast. Naval Base Coronado is home to over 20,000 active duty military and over 4000 civilian employees. The general public only gets a glimpse of the daily activities happening at the base. The Fleet Week Coronado Speed Festival is produced by San Diego Fleet Week Foundation and hosted by the Naval Base Coronado and the Morale, Welfare, and Recreation Program. Saturday, September 19, 8am; Sunday, September 20, 8am; $25-$45. NAS (Naval Air Station) North Island, Alameda Boulevard at 3rd Street. (CORONADO) Yoga in Bird Park  A donation-based Vinyasa Flow in Bird Park (28th Street and Thorn). Expect an eclectic music mix. Bring water, a towel, and/or a yoga mat. Sunday, September 19, 4-5:30pm; $15-$20. Bird Park, 28th and Thorn Street. (NORTH PARK)

WE’VE MOVED!

Little Italy Mercato now on CEDAR STREET from Kettner to Front, Every Saturday 8 am to 2 pm

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$1 off Live Sea Urchin Find us in Little Italy and North Park weekly

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New Artisan Bread Bakery FREE BAGUETTE with purchase of a loaf of bread PacificTimeSD.com

Pacific Bakehouse

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**EVENTS**

**Battle of the Sexes Fishing** "Salty Vixens" Katharina Eckert and her posse, the SoCal Salty Vixens, are challenging the guys to a friendly "Battle of the Sexes" fishing competition aboard the Mission Belle out of Point Loma Sportfishing. Ticket includes raffle entry, a T-shirt, and sponsor giveaways. As these trips usually venture into Mexican waters, a passport is required. Anglers should be at the dock early, boat departs at 5:45 am. Sunday, September 19, 5:45am; Sunday, October 11, 5:45am; $160. Point Loma Sportfishing, 1403 Scott Street. (POINT LOMA)

**Dempsey Holder Ocean Festival** Join Wildcoast for the 12th Annual Dempsey Holder Ocean Festival and Surf Contest, an amateur surf contest and festival honoring the memory of legendary waterman, big-wave surfing pioneer, and lifeguard Allan "Dempsey" Holder. Proceeds from the event support Wildcoast's efforts to protect the coast and ocean. Saturday, September 19, 7am; free-$40. Imperial Beach Pier Plaza, 10 Evergreen Avenue. (IMPERIAL BEACH)

**Find All the Fish** Snorkelers and SCUBA divers can become a "citizen scientist" by completing this free course and then conducting underwater surveys of local habitats. The goal? To find as many species as possible! Information gathered contributes to an international database used by scientists and government agencies and helps divers find great dive spots with lots of life. Wednesday, October 21, 6pm; Wednesday, November 18, 6pm; Wednesday, December 16, 6pm; free. Ocean Enterprises Scuba Diving, 7710 Balboa Avenue Suite 101. (KENNY MESA)

**Hurley Pro and Swatch Women’s Pro** The Hurley Pro and Swatch Women’s Pro Trestles runs September 9 to 20, so check the surf and schedule updates and get out there early to watch some of the best male and female pro surfers in the world including Kelly Slater and Bethany Hamilton compete for a combined total $817,500 in prize money. This year’s event will see a return of the WSL Heritage Series with a women’s heat for a combined total $817,500 in prize money. This year’s event will see a return of the WSL Heritage Series with a women’s heat and schedule updates and get out to Trestles during the event to watch some of the best female surfers in the world compete. Saturday, September 19, 7am; free-$10. San Onofre Surf Beach, Baseline Road. (SAN ONOFRE)

**Paddle Race Series** Enjoy the Southern California beach lifestyle with stand-up paddle and prone-paddle racing, pro beach volleyball, an action-sports retailer area, music, food, and games for the kids. Sunday, September 27, 7am; free. Bonita Cove, 1100 West Mission Bay Drive. (MISSION BEACH)

**Paddle for Clean Water** The event draws hundreds of surfers and ocean enthusiasts to paddle around the Ocean Beach Pier to raise awareness about the need for clean water and healthy coastlines. Yoga on the beach at 8:30am; event runs 9am to noon. Free breakfast for all paddlers, guest speakers, live music, a raffle, and local band Todo Mundo. This year’s keynote speakers will talk about how climate change impacts our coast. The event will be followed by an after party at Wonderland Ocean Pub. Sunday, September 27, 8:30am; free. Ocean Beach Pier, 5091 Niagara Avenue. (OCEAN BEACH)

**San Diego Bayfair** Some of the fastest boats in the world take over Mission Bay Park in a three-day event. The H1 Unlim- ited hydroplanes are joined by the piston-powered Grand Prix West Boats and numerous classes from RPM Racing Enterprises. The H1 Unlimited and Grand Prix West boats run the larger course and are visible from Crown Point and Fiesta Island. On land, activities include music in the Vendor Village on Vacation Island and foods from around the world. Three-day passes available. Info: 760-789-8870. Friday, September 18, 8am; Saturday, September 19, 8am; Sunday, September 20, 8am; $20-$30. Ski Beach, 1800 Mission Bay Drive. (PACIFIC BEACH)

**Stand Up Paddleboarding** City of Hope now offers individuals and families the opportunity to try SUP at their Mission Bay location, Your board or theirs. Balance training, paddling mechanics, and water navigation lessons. Saturday, September 26, 8am; Saturday, September 26, 8am; $25-$35. De Anza Cove, 3000 North Mission Bay Drive. (PACIFIC BEACH)

**Trill Rock San Diego** Billed as the largest triathlon event in San Diego, this sixth-annual event includes a protected swim in San Diego Harbor and a flat, fast bike course. The sprint course includes a 500- meter swim, 11-mile bike, and 3-mile run. The intermediate course features a 1500- meter swim, 22-mile bike, and 6-mile run. There is also an Aquabike division where athletes can compete in the intermediate category by completing the swim and bike portions of the race while omitting the run leg. $140 to $210 to compete; spectators free. Saturday, September 19, 6:30pm; free. San Diego Convention Center, 111 W. Harbor Drive. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

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**Work crew aligning and pounding in bolts to support crossbeams**

Bent?

Perhaps in preparation for this year’s predicted El Niño weather pattern and its accompanying big waves and high tides, the Oceanside Pier is getting some extra support.

Construction crews will be under the pier for the next two weeks replacing some of the rusted-out, dangling metal-pipe crossbeams; the beams strengthen the pier’s wood pilings by tying them together. Jeremy Albert, the foreman for Ballard Marine Construction, says his four-man crew is grateful to be working above water. Normally they’re underwater as construction workers and commercial divers. Prior to the project, his crew was in the shop for more than a month fabricating the heavy poles. “They are double-walled, a half-inch thick, and zinc-coated to prevent rusting,” said Albert.

A specialized scaffolding company, Safeway Services, built the 95-by-35-foot construction platform under the pier, high enough to avoid high waves, yet heavy enough to support welding equipment. The scaffolding hangs by large chains from the 12’x 12’ wood beams on top of the pier. The crew wears hardhats and flotation devices.

The city’s director of pier maintenance, Joel Menard, says the current phase will cost $200,000 — each of the 67 replacement pipe beams costs $2600. The project has been going on for five years, as money has become available. “We’re the fourth contractor,” said Albert.

“We’re only doing bent 56 through 60,” said Albert. Bent? “It means a row of pilings.” And because his firm just opened an office in San Diego, they will bid on the future phases. (Ballard Marine is based in Seattle and has offices along both coasts and Lake Michigan. They work marine projects around the world.)

I asked Albert if he had to build a pier...
of this size from scratch, would he use concrete or wood?

"Definitely wood. The rebar in concrete eventually rusts out. This pier should last another 75 years. It’s designed to sway in earthquakes and tsunamis," he said. (Old trestle-style railroad bridges, some with wood beams over 100 years old, are still in use along Amtrak’s line in San Diego County.)

Once the longest pier on the West Coast, Oceanside Pier lost over half its length — 600 feet of it — in a large storm (before the term El Niño term was used) in 1978. The pier was completely rebuilt in 1987.

— Ken Harrison

Salty Vixens

Katharina Eckert started fishing the sportfishing boats out of the San Diego area about a year and a half ago. At first, she was apprehensive: "It took some convincing of local captains to talk me into fishing on the open-party boats, because every time I would see those pulling in or out they were loaded with men." Eckert entered her first ever fishing tournament and took second place in this year’s International Yellowtail Derby and holds the lady anglers record in that event.

Soon, Eckert began inviting her friends along on fishing trips and formed a group called SaltySoCalVixens. As a group they can charter trips and pick what species they will target considering cost and current activity. Eckert’s favorite boats are the Mission Belle, Prowler, New Lo-An, Vendetta, and Daily Double.

As the Vixens caught on (there are 68 members now), Eckert decided to fill charters equally represented by gender and thus have friendly "Battle of the Sexes" fishing competitions. The next one is on September 20th and has a few spots remaining. The next scheduled event after that is October 11.

— Daniel Powell

100 waves in 12 hours — a Mission Beach marathon

On Saturday, September 19, former touring pro surfer Damien Hobgood will be joining hundreds of surfers at Mission Beach in the Hundred Wave Challenge, where participants ride 100 waves over a 12-hour period. Similar to a walk-a-thon, friends and family of the surfers will sponsor each wave ridden to benefit the Boys to Men Mentoring program.

In 1994, at the Quicksilver Pro in Fiji, Hobgood established a record highest two-wave score in pro surfing, 19.9 out of 20 points. Kelly Slater eclipsed Hobgood’s record one year later, scoring a perfect 20.0.

— Daniel Powell

Importance of duck diving

NAME: Byron Thompson
AGE: 19
OCCUPATION: Student
LIVES IN: North Park
BEST SURF IN SD: Bird Rock
LONGEST DURATION: Five Hours
SURFED: Five Hours

"Last summer my friend towed me out on his dinghy to an unfamiliar break in La Jolla. The waves were about seven feet high, and I didn’t know how to duck dive. I got knocked around and then washed up onto some rocks. I messed up my hand and skinned part of my knee…probably could have used a few stitches. I hit my head and got a mild concussion and wrecked my board. It was really hard to paddle back in, but another surfer helped me out….."

— Published in the Reader November 26, 2008 — Ollie
Chomp ‘n’ charge

“It’s way different than our chorizo,” says Juan-José. “Ours is much fatter and hotter, and oozier.”

I tell you,” says Patrick Brown, “San Diego has the most competitive happy hour on the whole coast. And I’ve researched happy hours from Seattle to San Francisco to L.A. We have the best.”

I’m thinking: Pat Brown? You related to any California governors?”

“No relation. Even though both Browns, Pat and Gerry, have been pretty good.”

Pat and Juan-José Rodriguez, “JJ,” are sitting up eating two-buck happy-hour empanadas here at the bar inside Puerta La Boca. I’m sitting at this black granite counter. Blue-and-white Argentinian flag’s on the wall to my left. (Why blue and white? To make it easy to distinguish from the Spanish red-and-yellow bandera during Argentina’s war for independence from 1810 to 1818.)

Gravely voice of guy singing Spanish on the system, with beautiful passionate guitar work kinda sets the atmosphere. We’re in the land of tango. Roberta the barkeep says it’s Diego El Cigala, one of the great tango singers.

What Pat says about competitive happy hours holds up here. A glass of house red goes for $3. Can’t beat that. I go for a Malbec, the wine Argentina’s made famous. This is a Crotta, Mendoza 2013. “Argentinian wines are the wine Argentina’s made famous. This is a Malbec. It’s the national salsa.”

And of course now I spot the morcilla, some sort of Argentinian blood sausage. Same price. I add that to my order. I know those’ll fill me up.

But there’s a bunch of stuff I long to go for, too: Morcilla al Jerez o a la Parilla. Sweetbreads (meat from the thymus gland and pancreas) sautéed in sherry or just grilled. Down from $9.95 to $6.97. Sautéed octopus, $7.67. Sautéed mussels in a white wine sauce ($8.37). And, oh yeah, “Matambre.” Means kill (matambre) hungre (hambre), basically a stomach-stuffer. So, this Matambre con Ruza ($7.67) is slivers of beef rolled around spinach, egg, carrots, peas, and served with potato salad (“La Rusa.” Russia, seems, is the recognized potato-salad capital of the world).

I’ve ordered more than enough here. Problem? Can’t resist getting a soup, which turns out was not on HH. So, $3.95 just whipped the bill up from about $12 to $17, with tax. It is an asparagus soup, and fine, but nothing Argentinian that hits you. Still, the chorizo is one solid herby tight-packed sausage. The blood sausage has enough spices to not taste totally like blood. And the corn empanada has a delicate lusciousness about its mix of corn and cheese.

But the champ? Has to be the beef empanada. Beautiful, for starters, with a twirly column of pastry holding up one side, and golden crisp pan (bread) covering the meat. The meat’s nicely marinated. Not sure if it’s Argentinian meat, which is a pity because you hear all their beef is hormone-free, comes from grass-fed, free-range cattle whose meat is much leaner than ours and has more mineral flavors.

Makes me long to try one of their famous steaks, except, we’re talking 30 bucks for one of those babies. Besides, I remind myself I’m eating the virtual national dish with these empanadas. Some say they got popular because gauchos could hold them in one hand and eat as they chased cows over the pampas. Chomp ‘n’ charge.

The other champs? The complimentary side dishes. Like the strong little black olives you get, along with a bowl of chimichurri. “Chimichurri’s the ketchup of Argentina. “Argentinians put it over everything, especially grilled meats,” says Nikko. “They use it as a dip, too. It’s the national salsa.”

Nikko says the mix is parsley, garlic, olive oil, vinegar, chili flakes, salt, and pepper. Yes, flavor’s tame for a guy with a Baja border palate, but it still goes great with the bread.

There’s something else for next time. ‘Course, with espresso probably costing as much as a HH Malbec, I might never get to find out.

The Place: Puerto La Boca, 2060 India Street, Little Italy, 619-234-4900
Happy Hour Prices: Empanadas (stuffed with beef, chicken, ham and cheese, spinach and cheese, or corn and cheese), $2.95 = $2.07 HH; chorizo (Argentinian beef and pork sausage), $2.45; Morcilla (Argentinian blood sausage), ($2.45); Molejas al Jerez o a la Parilla (sweetbreads sautéed in sherry or grilled), $6.97; sautéed octopus, $7.67; sautéed mussels in white wine sauce, $8.37; Matambre (rolled beef stuffed with spinach, egg, carrots, peas) plus potato salad, $7.67; house wine, $3; draft beer, $3.50
Hours: 11:30 a.m.–10:00 p.m. daily (till 11:00 p.m. Friday and Saturday); 1:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m., Sunday
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Sunrise Buffet
3860 Convoy Street, Suite #121 858-715-1608
Juice smoothie vs. pizza
Juice Crafters, 1740 India Street, Little Italy. I’ve been running into a lot of cold-press juice places lately, which can be tough on the wallet, because however tantalizing and often organic the craze is, a 16-ounce bottle of juice tends to cost nine dollars and up. When I came across Juice Crafters in Little Italy last week, the first thing that struck me was that these 16-ounce bottles cost only $7. I’ll call that a win.

But I was a bit hungry, and as my eyes drifted over the menu I noticed a section labeled Meal Replacement Smoothies. Not my usual idea of a liquid lunch, but if it could fill me up prior to an early dinner instead of pizza by the slice, I would be impressed.

There were seven meal-replacement options, most between eight and nine bucks. They all featured ingredients such as coconut water, almond milk, agave, and other exotic superfoods or superfood extracts.

Actually, six of them included dates, which I found odd. Apparently, dates blend smoothly and add sweetness, earning the meal-replacement designation. I’m not a fan of dates, so I ordered a Summerland, the lone dateless option.

The Summerland featured kale, romaine, açaí, banana, almond milk, and cinnamon. For some reason they call this the “Summerland.” As we approached the Reuben E. Lee, the abandoned paddleboat restaurant built in 1969, we encountered a sprawling viewing platform of the San Diego waterfront.

The servers seem to spend half their time taking photos of people in front of the shimmering bay, but the time our server spent with our group of four was just right.

The server brought three glasses of moderately priced wine (no double-digit pricing) and a watermelon Margarita for my friend. Coasterra’s tableside guacamole with crushed avocado, fresh tomato, red onion, cilantro, cracked black pepper, cotijas, lime, and serrano arrived for $14. We could have added lobster for $10 more, crab for $8, or blackened shrimp and scallops for $6, but we went old-school. It was as tangy as one might find across the border.

We decided to wait for an outdoor table for our dinner, even though the tables inside also sport a spectacular view. It’s still summer, and we wanted to soak up as much of the panorama of the city and breeze that we could.

The menu is described as Modern Mexican, so there are no rolled tacos or bean burritos here. Our group ordered the Enchiladas de Pollo, two enchiladas with perfectly cooked roasted chicken, tomatillo-serrano salsa, and fresh tomato, red onion, cilantro, cracked black pepper, cotijas, lime, and serrano arrived for $14. We could have added lobster for $10 more, crab for $8, or blackened shrimp and scallops for $6, but we went old-school. It was as tangy as one might find across the border.

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Ocean Beach Per Pancake Breakfast Enjoy a breakfast while sitting out on the pier. Breakfast includes pancakes (of course), scrambled eggs, sausages, other fixings, and entertainment. Tickets can be purchased day of event at the pier entry. Saturday, September 19, 7:30am; free. Ocean Beach Pier, 5091 Niagara Avenue (OCEAN BEACH)

San Diego Restaurant Week This year, San Diego Restaurant Week celebrates local. Restaurants will partner with local distributors, farmers, vintners, brewers, and fishermen to bring local produce and Pacific-caught seafood to your plate. From Sunday, September 20 through Sunday, September 27, over 180 restaurants will participate. Dinner will be served as a three-course, prix-fixe menu for $20, $30, $40, or $50 per person and lunch will be served as a two-course prix-fixe menu for $10, $15, or $20 per person. Ditch the dirty dishes and join over 150,000 fellow diners as we celebrate San Diego’s thriving culinary scene and the homegrown, local businesses that provide us with the produce and products we love. Tickets are not necessary for this week of discounted dining, but reservations are recommended. Visit sandiegorestaurantweek.com for more information, including a list of participating restaurants. Sunday, September 20, 11am; $10-$50 (THROUGHOUT SAN DIEGO)

Whiskey of the World Dinner Third annual event. Master of Whiskey Ed Adams will present the newest whiskey releases and introduce you to their flavors and aromas, history, and folklore with a four-course dinner created by Fabricio Harel. Some of the new whiskeys featured are Crown Royal Brey, Oban Little Bay, and Dickel. Friday, September 18, 6:30pm; $99. 21 and up. Westgate Hotel, 1055 Second Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

Wine & Craft Beer Tasting at Cruisin Grand Cruisin’ Grand’s 2015 season will soon come to an end, and local wineries and craft breweries will offer tastings of their finest selections on Maple Street Plaza. Enjoy live music, classic hot rods, and the unique shops and restaurants of historic Downtown Escondido. Featured wineries & craft breweries include: Bernardo Winery, BK Cellars, Urban Winery and Tasting Lounge, Highland Valley Vineyards, Oliphant Brewing Company, Stehleon Vineyards, Stone Brewing Co., Vesper Vineyards. Friday, September 18, 5pm; $30. 21 and up. Maple Street Plaza, On Maple Street between Grand Avenue and Valley Parkway. (ESCONDIDO)

Wine Dinner In celebration of California Wine Month, join advanced sommelier Wendy Shoemaker for an intimate four-course wine-paired dinner. Taste a side-by-side comparison between valley and hillside fruit in Sonoma with tastings from StoneSt., Arrowood, and Matanzas Creek. Thursday, September 17, 6pm; $85. 21 and up. Marina Kitchen, 333 W. Harbor Drive. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)
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**RALPH'S PIZZA**

Fat Tony’s Pizza: Monday-Thursday, 4-8pm: $2 domestic beer. $3-5 foot specials.

**COLLEGE AREA**

Bangkok Poco: Daily, 11am-3pm: $2 for 12 oz beer.

**BRIDGES BAR & GRILL**

Saturday-Sunday, 11am-2pm: Brunch and bottomless mimosas: $10 with entree, $15 without.

**DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO**

House of Blues: Daily, 4-7pm: $2 Bud Light drafts, $23/4 selection draft beer, $5 well drinks, martini and house wine and margaritas.

Stout Public House: Monday-Friday, 4-8pm. Most draft drafts. $4. Wings, chicken tenders, calamari half off.

Tuesday-Saturday, 11am-8pm: Most drafts. $4. Wings, chicken tenders, calamari half off.

Time Out Sports Tavern: Monday-Friday, 4-6pm: $3 Bud Light drafts, $3 Wells, house wine, $5.50 wells, lounge wine, Prado mule, house/beer/margaritas; $4-8 select appetizers. Lounge only. Wednesday-Sunday, 4-8pm, 10pm-1am: $4 Coronas; $5.5 wells, lounge wine, Prado mule, house/beer/margaritas; $4-8 select appetizers. Lounge only. Friday-Saturday, 8-11pm: $4 Coronas; $5.5 wells, lounge wine, Prado mule, house/beer/margaritas; $4-8 select appetizers.ells, wine, draft ale, margaritas, selected appetizers. Lounge only.

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**THE WHISKEY HOUSE**

Daly, 4-7pm: $1 add a shot of house whiskey to any beer, $4 house wine, $5 Moscow mule or whiskey sour. $5.50 spicy Vietnamese wings, $4 house made brat, $5 chorizo ‘n’ cheese.

**YARD HOUSE**

Monday-Thursday, 3-8pm: $3 Wells, Lounge wine, Prado mule.

**BOTTIGEA AMERICANA**

Daly, 3-6pm: $5 wine and drafts, $6 wines, $20 carafes. Variety of appetizers $4, Chef’s bruschetta $5, all pizzas $10.

**CAFE CHICO**

Monday-Friday, 3:30-7pm: $3 draft wines, $5 house $4 cup of soup du jour or warm marinated olives, $5 mixed farm greens salad with house vinaigrette, $6 pommes frites with trio of dips.

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Wet-hopped summer
Wet-hopped beers have started showing up in tasting rooms. The recent proliferation of hop farms in San Diego County has allowed some brewers to get hops on the same day they were harvested. Most of the year, all the brewers in San Diego brew with dried hop pellets. But late summer/early fall, we get a chance to drink beer made with actual hop cones going into the beer. That means freshness, just as you pick a ripe tomato or pea pod from your garden to eat with dinner. The hops haven’t dried out or lost any of their natural oils; therefore, they are considered “wet.”

Watching out for such things on social media, I’ve seen these beers popping up from the usual wet-hop suspects: Monkey Paw and Nickel Beer. But more are coming, and when I saw Otay Mesa’s Border X Brewing (6864 Via de la Fuente) announce the limited release of Nopalito Pale Ale, it seemed like a great excuse to check out the brewer’s Barrio Logan tasting room (2181 Logan Avenue).

I needed to have an excuse for an excuse. The place is pretty lively with enthusiastic customers enjoying beers, games, and food served off an outdoor grill. Perfectly matching the Barrio Logan zeitgeist, there’s artwork everywhere, ranging from white-on-black illustrations covering some walls to rotating artist exhibitions on others. After checking the place out, I ordered my beer and grabbed a seat at the window counter, which was wide open to the sidewalk and provided some pretty fantastic people-watching.

The beer went too fast. It’s named for the farm at which its hops were grown — the certified organic Nopalito Farm in Valley Center. Called a pale ale, its recipe also incorporated wheat and rye, pouring an opaque 5% ABV with only a little lace.

Hops growing at Nopalito Farm this summer

I got some fruity aromatics — not huge, but there was a hint of pineapple I found pleasant complement to slightly bolder floral notes. But the nose didn’t prepare me for how well rounded a beer this was. The wheat brought out the hops’ fruitiness while the rye gave the bitterness some structure. It also finished crisp, with a clean aftertaste.

This proved important to a friend I’d dragged along. He denounces IPAs every chance he gets, claiming the hops offer him nothing but a trail of bad breath. For years I’ve been unable to show him the hoppy light, and I wanted to see whether fresh hops could win him over where pellet hops failed. They did. He loved this beer. I shouldn’t give all credit to the fresh hops — although they certainly pitched in with a huge range of beautifully nuanced flavors. It’s just well-crafted beer. I could drink this pale ale for days.

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The inside track

Lucy’s resurrected.
When Lucy’s Fur Coat sold out a Friday/Saturday stint at the Casbah two months ago, the five guys in the band, once signed to Sony/Relativity, were getting together for the first time in seven years. Those shows were postponed. A week before the gigs, guitarist Tony Sanfilippo, 46, suffered a major heart attack. “My family has a history of arterial sclerosis,” Sanfilippo tells the Reader.

“It’s basically plaque building up at an abnormal rate.” Thanks to the CPR intervention of his 19-year-old son Austin and an ambulance crew called to his Pacific Beach home, Sanfilippo survived. “If Austin hadn’t been there, I would have been dead.” When the EMTs showed up, Sanfilippo says it looked bleak. “They had to de-fib me twice. My heart was just not beating. My left anterior descending coronary artery was 70 percent clogged. It’s also known as ‘the widow maker.’” Because of Sanfilippo’s overall health before the heart attack and because a stent was immediately implanted, he bounced back. “They told me that less than 2 percent of the people who have a heart attack of this nature survive. This could have easily gone the other way.”

Sanfilippo used to lead a less than healthy lifestyle three years ago when he had his first heart attack. “To be totally honest, I deserved the first one,” admits Sanfilippo. “That scare made the five-foot, five-inch father of four go from 197 to 140 pounds and adopt an ultra-healthy diet, drug regimen, and regular cardio workouts. Reversing cardiovascular disease became my whole lifestyle.”

For the record, Sanfilippo has not turned into a nun. “I definitely don’t light myself on fire and get belligerently hammered anymore. There were days when I’d look in the mirror the next day and tell my wife, ‘I look like Nick Nolte.’ She agreed.”

He credits Lucy’s resurrection to Hamilton’s co-owner Scott Blair, who has followed the band for decades. “He is a huge Lucy’s fan. We all met at Hamilton’s for a beer and he kind of talked us into it. Texts and phone calls started flying around, and next thing you know we started practicing at Blair’s house.”

The canceled Lucy’s Fur Coat shows will be made up this Saturday and Sunday. Because some tickets were returned for the second show, there were still a few available for Sunday at press time. Saturday is sold out. — Ken Leighton

One part Vegemite.
Dumb Numbers’ Adam Harding, late of Australia, likes to make music with his funky friends, who include the Melvins, David Lynch, and Jesus Lizard’s David Yow — when he isn’t shooting videos with many of the same. The new Dumb Numbers project is three ten-inch records or one big download, including collaborations and new original material from the above. Harding and his army invade Belly Up on Thursday, September 24. He took some questions from the Reader over email.

What are your experiences of San Diego? “I’ve never played San Diego before, but I have very fun memories of seeing bands there and drinking way too much and driving back to L.A. when I probably shouldn’t have.”

Where in Australia did you grow up? “I grew up in an industrial town called Geelong, which is an hour drive south of Melbourne. I was very lucky to have my mind blown at a young age by bands like Bored! and Magic Dirt, who definitely influenced my love of controlled feedback and not caring what anyone thinks.”

What are the oddest experiences you’ve had playing live? “When we opened for Sebadoh in Melbourne, Steve [Patrick] was playing bass and my friend Dane Certificate was on drums. As the curtains parted, a short noise set while Dane performed his escape act and then he got behind the drums, chugged a beer, and then we launched into our first song. It was so good!”

How did you decide which songs by your collaborators to include on the new release? “The Dumb Numbers songs on the Lynch split are thematically linked to David’s world. He didn’t collaborate on the songs, but I wrote them both with him in mind. The Dumb Numbers songs on the Melvins split were recorded with Dale Crover on drums and Kevin Rutmanis on bass, and then Buzz added vocals and some extra guitar, so that was very collaborative and made sense. The Dumb Numbers song on the Yow split has guest vocals from David, so that was also a no-brainer.”

Vegemite. It’s not peanut butter! The correct ratio is one part Vegemite to two parts butter.” — Andrew Hamlin

Music about folks.
In 1972, folkie Joel Rafael planted roots in Valley Center, where he built a home studio, Lilac Sound. In 2000, he signed to Jackson Brown’s Inside Recordings label, which in April of this year released his ninth album, Baladista.

Rafael has opened shows for Browne, Emmylou Harris, Sheryl Crow, and Crosby, Stills & Nash. He’s been invited to appear September 17 at the 16th annual Americana Music Festival and conference near Nashville, along with Loretta Lynn and Steve Earle. But for the first time in the

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After four decades in Valley Center, Joel Rafael finally plays a hometown show.

Suites, and Cody Erickson, will play this Saturday, September 12, at the Lavender Farm Music Festival.

“I don’t feel that connected to the local scene,” says Rafael, “so this show is an opportunity to try and create something cool in an area that has never had anything like this before. It’s ten minutes away from my house.”

Unlike other multi-artist events, this music fest at the 1-acre Keys Creek Lavender Farm has a BYOB policy (there are vendors, but you can bring your own food, beverages, and folding chairs). And it will not get crowded: there is a 250-person maximum.

Rafael doesn’t rally around the “Americana” title with which he is often tagged. He says it conjures images of “covered wagons and wild streams... It’s actually a trademarked brand that someone owns.” He’s much more at home with “folk,” the most common term connected to his inspiration, Woody Guthrie. “Like [Guthrie] said, it’s music about folks.”

And, like Guthrie, Rafael writes original music with a humanist bent and activist edge. Two new songs tackle issues of immediate relevance – racism (“Sticks and Stones”) and immigration (“El Bracero”). “El Bracero” describes how Mexican workers were brought north in 1942 when WWII took away the farm labor. “The newspapers literally said, ‘bring the Mexicans to do the work’”, Rafael tells the Reader. “The braceros grew the food for the nation, the troops, and the allies, so they should really be recognized as the greatest generation.”

— Ken Leighton

Goodbye to Sue. “She raised the bar,” KGB FM morning-show cohost Coe Lewis says of the radio personality Sue Delaney, photographed here at KGB, “raised the bar,” says her morning show cohost Coe Lewis.

She projected great warmth, a sense of fun, and she could be sexy without being dirty or crude. She had a great heart, and that’s what people responded to.”

“In San Diego, she became the personification of rock ‘n’ roll,” remembers Delaney and Prescott morning-show producer Scott Chatfield. “Some of her fans were so obsessed that the station had to get restraining orders against them.”

When Delaney left broadcasting, she moved to Los Angeles. There, she took a position as hostess at the Duly Grill, where she met her future husband, Doug Leighton, who happened by the Grill for a business lunch one day. Leighton clearly loves to talk about Sue. He works for Panasonic in the professional imaging division. On that afternoon in 2003, Leighton asked Sue for a date. She said no. This would become a pattern over time, him asking her out and her saying no. Leighton kept trying. Finally, one day she agreed to a lunch date.

“I think it was the day before Valentine’s Day. She wanted to know if it was okay to order lobster.” It was. “And when she went to cut into it, the whole thing flipped into her lap. That’s when I said, ‘I love this girl.’” They were married a year later.

Leighton says Delaney continued to work as the hostess at the restaurant until chronic pain resulting from foot surgery forced her to retire. Delaney is survived by Leighton and by her son from a previous marriage.

— Dave Good

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Friday, 8pm — Astra Kelly

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Sunday, 7pm — Classic Buzz Band

Balboa Theatre:
Friday, 7:30pm — Chris Cornell
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Monday, 7pm — Tupac Resurrection
Tuesday, 7pm — Stop Making Sense

Beachcomber:
Sunday, 8pm — Stars on the Water Band

Beaumont’s:
Thursday, 7:30pm — Cougar Canyon Band
Friday, 9pm — Modern Day Moonshine
Saturday, 8pm — Slower

Bassmnt:
Friday, 8pm — Bassmnt Fridays
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Bar Dynamite:
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Black Cat Bar:
Friday, 9pm — Rude Dog

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Thursday, 7:30pm — Unearth and No Name Gang
Friday, 8pm — Revolution Mother and True Rivals
Sunday, 11:30am — Daryl Johnson

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By Dave Good

A NOLA super-group, if ever there was one, The New Orleans Suspects started out under a different name a few years ago as the result of some jam sessions at a New Orleans nightclub called the Maple Leaf. Which cooked, given the core membership: start with Willie Green on drums, who was the powerhouse behind the Neville Brothers for three decades. Next is Jeff Watkins, a tenor sax man who goes all the way back to James Brown. Reggie Scanlan has played bass for the Radiators for 33 years, guitarist Jake Eckert comes to the mix from the Dirty Dozen Brass Band, and C.R. Gruver handles all keys. No sitting on their hands — after deciding to become a proper band, they began cranking out CDs at the rate of one per year.

NEW ORLEANS SUSPECTS

Unlike the precision horn lines favored by many of the modern R&B bands in recent times (especially those that came to pop-radio fame in America during the late 1960s and into the ’70s), similar groups out of the New Orleans region come with a distinct disregard for such accuracy that almost borders on decadence. Think Little Feat, for example, an unlikely band not from NOLA, but one that became famous for such tarnished elegance.

The job of making art in that loose territory just behind the beat is not so easy. To learn it, you go back in time and study the stuff recorded by a pianist named Henry Roeland Byrd, better known as Professor Longhair. He taught us that there is an uncertain unity in all that beautiful chaos, and that there is nothing wrong with layering on the embellishments. NOLA music is as rich a gumbo of funk, Afrocuban, Creole, African, rock, Dixieland, blues, and jazz as you can get. And when delivered by master players such as those in the New Orleans Suspects, that music can make anything — even a funeral procession — sound like a party.

Bomb Squad also performs.

NEW ORLEANS SUSPECTS: Winstons, Thursday, September 17, 9:30 p.m. 619-222-6822. $15

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EVERYONE’S A CRITIC

**Another One**

Mac DeMarco

By Matthew Craig Burke

Short and sweet is Mac DeMarco’s Another One. Recorded in his New York apartment, you feel at home with melodic songwriting and romantic forget-me-nots. The eight-song “mini-LP” owns the joyful quirkiness of its predecessors, but with a dash of darkness.

“The Way You’d Love Her” picks up right where Salad Days left off; lackadaisical hooks and the youthful attitude of DeMarco’s songwriting style dominate the record. That said, one thing that sets it apart is the use of drowning arcade-like keyboards that contribute a haunting tone to the collection. “Trying so hard to believe in something that will never be,” as Mac moans an emptiness of existence on the title track. Backed by a steady bass line, calming vocals, and a somber touch of keyboard dances through the song, creating a gloominess not always so common to the DeMarco discography.

With some added melodic fuel, the Canadian native drops life into the slower tracks. Cooking vocals and loose guitar make even the most dingy DeMarco song seem clean and refreshing. “A Heart Like Hers” owns a nostalgic feeling that is honest and free, as simplistic guitar leads tiptoe around a wooring synthesizer. “Without Me” has the same appeal, as each song seems to bounce along gently into the other. The jaded lyrics of past and present lend a helping hand to the matter as they intertwine the listener, allowing you to relate to the struggle of life’s many concerns.

The album ends almost perfectly as murky soundscapes of Russell water on “My House by the Water” conclude with the address to DeMarco’s apartment and an invitation for a cup a coffee.

**Adolescents full of fire**

By Kendra Finn

Orange County skate-punk band the Adolescents always puts on an energetic show, even after 35 years of running the gamut of punk hits. The band was full of fire as they played tune after tune with little or no breaks between songs. They seemed like they were trying to jam in as many songs as they could within the time allotted for their set.

Frontman Tony Cadena (aka Tony Adolescent) chugged along in a cheery mood, dressed in a Dragons T-Shirt in honor of Dragons bassist Steve Rodri-guez’s recent death.

The odd mix of surf beach crowd that often turns up at the Belly Up got well into the music as a small, harmless pit started up and surged with the music. Belly Up security made sure everyone stayed in control of his and her aggressions. (Punk shows are allowed in Solana Beach, but only if The Man says it’s okay.)

The best part of the show was when someone took a stage dive into the crowd and seemed to levitate on the shoulders of the audience all the way to the back of the crowd like a choreographed sequence from a modern dance routine. Tony and bassist Steve Soto both seemed in awe as they looked at one another and back into the crowd as if to say, Did you see that? These things don’t happen at the Belly Up.

**Concert: Adolescents**

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The Art of Music concert series
heads back indoors for a concert with cellist Charles Curtis and the opening of the Centennial celebration exhibition Art of Music (September 26, 2015 through January 5, 2016) in the galleries. In tribute to the musical performances that were a central component of the 1915 Panama-California Exposition, the Museum marks the centennial of this event with a monthly concert series exploring the duet of visual art and music. Thursday, September 17, 7pm; $15-$20. San Diego Museum of Art, 1450 El Prado.

Rene Barbera Tenor Rene Barbera will make his American recital debut. A Texas native, Mr. Barbera is a graduate of the Lyric Opera of Chicago Ryan Opera Center. He was awarded first prize at Placido Domingo’s Operalia 2011 competition for opera, zarzuela and won the audience prize, making him the first artist to be the sole recipient of all three awards since the competition began. For this recital he will be accompanied by Cheryl Cellon Lindquist in piano. Saturday, September 19, 7pm; $20-$75. Balboa Theatre, 868 Fourth Avenue.

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A Night of Dark Intent
PowPac presents “a chill-inducing thriller in which six women must race against the clock to solve a murder and save their own lives. They find themselves in an abandoned home, but it’s no ordinary abandoned home.

Amazons and Their Men
Diversionary Theatre presents Jordan Harrison’s “darkly comic and subversive” new play, a behind-the-scenes look at history’s most notorious filmmaker, Leni Riefenstahl, and scenes look at history’s most notori-}

Big Fish
Moonlight Stage Productions presents the San Diego premiere of Tim Burton film. “Edward Bloom spins larger-than-life stories, yet his son is determined to find the truth.” Steve Glaudini directs.

Blueprints to Freedom: An Ode to Bayard Rustin
In a co-production with the Kansas City Repertory Theatre, the La Jolla Playhouse presents the world premiere of Michael Benjamin Washington’s drama about Bayard Rustin, non-violent activist, who grapples “with his last chance for professional restoration and spiritual redemption.” Lucie Tiberghien directs.

The Comedy of Errors
The Old Globe’s outdoor staging is bound and determined to be a crowd-pleaser. Forget the play (cut to 90 minutes), forget anything resembling a nuance (the cast as a whole shouts the lines with zilch emphasis), just push hard for one-note entertainment. On these terms, the Tony Scott-directed production succeeds, helped in large measure by an eye-appealing set (New Orleans), costumes (1920s), and a Dixieland band parading here and there. Worth a try.

Gilbert and Sullivan’s Princess Ida
Bodhi Tree Concerts presents a “sing-along, concert version” of Gilbert and Sullivan’s rarely performed opera, “which pokes fun at Victorian England plus a few jobs at women’s rights, arranged marriages, and of course cross dressing - all based on a poem by Tennyson.” The concert will benefit MOXIE Theatre.

Hairspray
Visionary Community Theatre and Visionary Youth Theatre present the popular musical about life on the cusp of the 60s. Baltimore’s Tracy Turnblad and her African-American pals break down barriers as they fight to dance on the lily white “Corny Collins Show.” Michael Sokel directs.

Hello, Dolly!
Welk Resort Theatre stages the Jerry Herman, Michael Stewart musical based on Thornton Wilder’s The Merchant of Yonkers, in which Dolly Gallagher Levi makes matches, including one for herself. Ray Limon directs.

The Bigger Than Life Broadway Musical
Big Fish
The Oceanside Theatre Company stages Neil Simon’s early comedy about “newlyweds in every sense of the word.” Jacque Wäke makes her directorial debut with this production.

SUNSHINE BROWNS THEATRE, 217 N. COAST HAVEN, OCEANSIDE. 760-433-8900. 7:30PM FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, THROUGH SEPTEMBER 20.

Big Fish
Moonlight Stage Productions presents the San Diego premiere of John August’s new musical, based on the Daniel Wallace novel and the Tim Burton film. “Edward Bloom spins larger-than-life stories, yet his son is determined to find the truth.” Steve Glaudini directs.

DIVERSIONARY THEATRE, 4545 PARK AVE., SAN DIEGO. 858-550-1010. 7:30PM THURSDAYS, 8PM FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS, 5PM SUNDAYS, THROUGH SEPTEMBER 26.

Blueprints to Freedom: An Ode to Bayard Rustin
In a co-production with the Kansas City Repertory Theatre, the La Jolla Playhouse presents the world premiere of Michael Benjamin Washington’s drama about Bayard Rustin, non-violent activist, who grapples “with his last chance for professional restoration and spiritual redemption.” Lucie Tiberghien directs.

LA JOLLA PLAYHOUSE, 2010 LA JOLLA VILLAGE DR., UCSD. 858-550-1010. 8PM THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS, 2PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM & 7PM SUNDAYS, 7:30PM TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH OCTOBER 4.

The Comedy of Errors
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Mistapes: The Greatest Hits of the ’80s

Lamb’s Players reprises its very popular musical revue. Co-created by Jon Lorenz and Colleen Kol-
lar Smith with Kerry Meads, the piece includes music by Journey, Peter Gabriel, U2, Duran Duran,
Dire Straits, The Cure, Amy Grant, the B52s, Madonna, Sting, and Michael Jackson. Meads directs.
Worth a try.
Horton Grand Theatre, 444 Fourth
Ave., Downtown San Diego. 619.
234-5583. 7:30PM Thursday, 8PM
Fridays, 4PM & 8PM Saturdays,
2PM Sundays; 7:30PM Wednesdays,
through October 25.

Next To Normal

California Center for the Arts, Escondido, Studio 1 Theater, pre-
vents the Sapphire Theatre Com-
pany’s production of Tom Kitt and
Brian Yorkey’s Tony Award-
winning musical about how one
suburban household coping with
crisis and mental illness.
California Center for the Arts, Es-
condido, 340 N. Escondido Blvd.,
Escondido. 760-839-4138. 7PM Friday,
2PM & 7PM Saturday, 2PM Sunday.

President Hillary

Finest City Improv presents a one-
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desk is tainted with betrayal and
Bill is still... Bill. On top of
that, the 3am phone call!” Jeffrey Howard directs.
Finest City Improv, 4250 Louisiana St., North Park. 619.306.6047.
8PM Saturday.

Sleuth

Scraps Ranch Theatre presents
Anthony Shaffer’s mystery/comedy
about author Andrew Wyke.
He lures his wife’s young lover to his
home “and thus begins a diabolical
evening of cat and mouse.” Charles
Peters directs.
Scraps Ranch Theatre, 9783
Avenue of Nations, Scraps Ranch,
858-578-7728. 8PM Fridays &
Saturdays, 2PM Sundays, through
October 11.

Thoroughly Modern Millie

Coronado Playhouse stages the
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from Kansas who travels to the big
city on her way to a new career and
she hopes a potential rich husband.
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ner is currently running in repertory. The plays,
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(Coronet Theatre, 3635 Strand
Way, Coronado. 619-435-4856. 8PM
Thursday, Friday, & Saturday, 2PM
Sunday.)

Evil Green or Evil U

Community Actors Theatre stages
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They are “poorer than poor itself.
" Guess who wins the lottery? But is
it “evil green or evil u?”
Community Actors Theatre, 2957
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25, 28, 29, 30 8AM

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Andy has a sweet Catholic mother, a
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turned upside down. For it seems an
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upon healing the family’s wounds has
borrowed Mickey’s body.
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ers). Email stageplaymg@comcast.net.
Auditions: SEP 19 9AM

The Phantom of the Opera

Broadway San Diego presents a
new touring production of Phon-
tom, the Andrew Lloyd Webber/
Cameron Mackintosh musical
based on the novel La Fantome de
L’Opera by Gaston Leroux about
a masked figure lurking in the
catacombs below the Paris Opera
House and his love for Christine,
an innocent young soprano.
San Diego Civic Theatre, 1110
Third Ave., Downtown San Diego.
619-570-1100. October 7 through
October 17.

Stage Fright

Lamplighters present Charles
Marowitz’s comedy about a drama
critic, “notorious for his venomous
reviews,” who thinks is is doing
an interview, until a glass of wine
drugs him. Jerry Pilato directs.
Lamplighters Community Theatre,
Harvey Fierstein and Jerry
Herman’s popular musical about
Georges and Albin and the com-
pling marriage of Albin’s son. Larry
Raben directs.
Spreckels Theatre, 131 Broadway,
Downtown San Diego. 619-235-
9500. September 25 through
October 11.

Master Class

Ion Theatre stages Terrence
McNally’s drama about Maria
Callas teaching a master class
to the Juliaid School in 1970,
“which became a platform for
the indomitable diva.” Kim Stra-
sburger directs.
Ion Theatre Company Bulbox
Theatre, 3704 Sixth Ave., Hillcrest.
619-609-5020. September 26
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Beyond the maze

The Maze Runner: The Scorch Trials — part two of Wes Ball’s adaptation of the hit YA trilogy — runs and runs and ultimately stumbles on its way to part three. But first, there’s lots of running, both from evil authority figures who want to harvest our heroes to help fight against the zombie plague, and from those poor souls who have already fallen victim to the zombie plague. (Resist the temptation to count the number of times people urge each other to “Go, go, go!” and “Come on!” It will only lead to grief.) And also, to a lesser extent, from the past, when lead runner Thomas (Dylan O’Brien) worked for the bad guys.

The interesting question of Part One — is it really worth dying to know what’s out there? — gets trampled underfoot, as does Part One’s whole reason for being. (What was the point of sending your best hope for survival dashing through a deadly maze full of robotic bugs again?) Instead, we’re served up the hoary contest between the good of the many and the needs of the few, muddied only slightly by the notion that anyone would do whatever they could to protect their own. (“Whose side are you on?” asks an interrogator. “My friends,” answers Thomas. You and everyone else, kid.) The bad guys are as selectively competent as Imperial Stormtroopers — swarming and deadly one moment, bumbling and hesitant the next — and the see-saw gets tiresome.

It’s nice to see actors like Alan Tudyk, Patricia Clarkson, and Giancarlo Esposito getting work, the great piles of concrete and sand oppress as they ought, and some action sequences still manage to thrill. But that’s not enough to keep the silliness from showing through, and definitely not enough to keep the 131-minute runtime from feeling like a bit of a...trial.

— Matthew Lickona

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.

American Ultra — Having smeared a handful of real-world muck on the practice of giving superhero status to damaged people (orphaned Bruce Wayne, narcissist Tony Stark, etc.) with Chronicle, screenwriter Max Landis sets out to give the same treatment to the amnesiac superspy of The Bourne Identity. Here, he becomes Mike Howell, a deadly government assassin put out to pasture in West Virginia via mindwipe abetted by marijuana smoke. But when a villain — not an evil mastermind, just a douchebag corporate striver — targets him for elimination, forces conspire to jump-start his old abilities. The action-movie absurdity is still in place, but so is Landis’ muddy-bloody touch: by the end, Eisenberg’s face is a purple, swollen wreck, and rightly so. It’s not just gritty, it’s grotty. What makes the experience worthwhile is its portrayal of young(ish) people — not coming of age, but growing up. Howell and his beloved (a born-for-the-role Kristen Stewart) are sweetly content in their tiny, private
The Diary of a Teenage Girl — There is a kind of achievement in (graphically) depicting a sexual relationship between an adult man (Alexander Skarsgard) and a 15-year-old girl (Eliza Scanlen), in a way that makes it feel neither predatory nor twisted, just oddly depicted. What's good about it — and worth achieving is another question. The matter-of-factly less likely has something to do with the fact that the adults — both mother and father — are not depicted as children themselves, all but blind to anything beyond their own immediate needs and sorrows. Hey man, it’s San Francisco in the ’70s, and fal, morals are square, and pleasure is pleasure. He likes having sex with her, she likes having sex with him, what’s the harm? She also likes having sex in general — huzza for female agency! as the director, artist, and con-man Alfred Handwerker, of the Carlsbad Film Series holds a discussion after the film. Tuesday, September 22, 6:00pm

Film Forum: Hitchcock (Film & Discussion) — Anthony Hopkins can’t create a masterpiece, but rest assured theirs is not a lark about an L.A. aircraft worker (Robert Cummings), his love life, and the wife refuses to leave the forest after a hike, they contemplate the strength extinguished. When the wife refuses to leave the crowd-pleasing festival morsel would have benefitted by hiring the services of a Benhenda chef as editorial consult to slice and dice it down to under 90 minutes. Keeping her gender and ethnicity hidden, she becomes a con-organizer, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arriving just prior to broadcast, how is it the show, the organizers, Juana enters a climactic regional sushi competition. Arrivi...
Mistress America  — A winning, slightly screwball investigation of the fraught relationship between writer and subject, or maybe artist and muse, or maybe both. The second collaboration between Greta Gerwig (star and co-writer) and Noah Baumbach (director and co-writer). The first was the cheerfully modern Frances Ha — tells the story of two women at opposite ends of the NYC gauntlet. Young Tracy (Lola Kirke) has just started college in the big city; somewhat-less-young Brooke (Gerwig) is rapidly approaching her make-or-break moment on the urban stage. They connect because Tracy’s mom is planning to marry Brooke’s dad, because it’s a tough town and there’s comfort in (sort of) family, and fall out because Tracy decides to write a story inspired by Brooke’s struggle. It’s brief, witty, tatty, maniered, occasionally loopy, and ultimately poignant. It’s also uneven and a trifle slapdash, which is either a drawback or part of its charm, depending. 2015. — M.L. ★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Pawnee Sacrifice  — It’s tough to make a compelling character out of someone suffering from mental illness; ultimately, all you can do is look on with pity and horror. (And also sympathy, thanks to Jon Heder, who was the main hamster in the first film.) It’s even tougher to make a national hero out of one. But when it’s 1972 and the Cold War seems to be turning in favor of global communism, you might just decide to put brash chess prodigy Bobby Fischer (a twitchy, bug-eyed Tobey Maguire) up against Russian champ Boris Spassky (a ponderous Liev Schreiber) and hope for the best. Sure, the chess-playing priest you’ve brought on board to be his second (a cagey Peter Sarsgaard) is full of warnings about mixing such a cerebral game with such a fragile psyche. But hey, sometimes you have to — well, it’s right there in the title. There’s pleasure in the film’s look and the dialogue, but director Edward Zwick (Love and Other Drugs) overworks his presentation — too much exposition, too many bits of period footage, too many visual gimmicks — and neglects his characters and situations. (If the priest is so concerned about Fischer’s paranoia, why doesn’t he object to his choices in audio-books? If the government is so interested in the outcome, why don’t they do more to help? Etc.) Nor is there much discussion of the game’s workings — because, of course, the real match takes place off the board. Too bad. 2015. M.L. ★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Ricki and the Flash  — A family crisis reunites an aged rocker/grocery clerk (the raspy-voiced Meryl Streep) with the husband (Kevin Kline) and children she had years ago abandoned in favor of a life on the road. Jonathan Demme, no stranger to rockumentaries (Stop Making Sense, weddings (Melvin and Howard), lays out his Sunday best — loose framing, vivid background characters and action, colors that pop — but it’s hipster scribe Diablo Cody’s (June) inert plotting that sets it on the path to nowhere. Here’s a flash: Cody can’t write a third act to save her life, but for once, her characters don’t all speak with the same voice, and a delicately handled confrontation between Streep and her replacement (Audra McDonald) is a definite step in the right direction. Mamma mia, this Streep can rock, but unless under strict orders from the studio to sell soundtracks, there was no call for the drama to play second fiddle to the music. 2015. — S.M. ★★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Slow Learners  — Adam Pally and Sarah Burns play a couple of grown-up nerds who decide they’d like to get busy, and adopt bold new personas to help make that happen. (A leather jacket for him, garish makeup for her, plenty of booze for both.) The results are awkward and cringeworthy and bizarrely successful, but not at bit plausible or coherent. It’s clear throughout that everyone involved had a grand time making the thing. (And the end-credits goof reel proves it.) But while it’s true that many of the scenes would be hard to perform without breaking into laughter, it’s often difficult to share in the mirth. Call it hermetically sealed humor. (A great exception is a disappointed date’s list of reasons for why she wants to depart Pally’s company.) Directed by Don Argott and Sheena M. Joyce. 2015. M.L. • (DIGITAL GYM)

Steve Jobs: The Man in the Machine  — When Apple co-founder/mastermind/personification Steve Jobs died in 2011, documentarian Alex Gibney (The Armstrong Lie) found himself marveling at the massive outpouring of public grief and love. Why, he wondered, were we so upset that a rich, ungenerous businessman had left us? As the resulting documentary makes clear, he wasn’t a nice guy, or even a good guy. From the get-go, he was deceptive, controlling, mean, mercenary, and so on. (Claiming that he was sterile to avoid a paternity charge seems an especially slimy move.) And while lots of people loved his products, lots of people love lots of products (TV, for starters) without falling for their makers. The answer, built up slowly and quietly amid the praise and blame: in a profound way, Jobs put himself into what he made, and made it easy for a lot of people to follow suit. (It’s hard to find it significant that he gave a computer the same name he gave his daughter.) Technology was his means for engaging the world and fulfilling himself, and he figured out how to make it ours. 2015. — M.L. ★★ (LANDMARK HILLCREST)

The Visit  — A brother and sister use a week’s vacation with their estranged grandparents as an excuse to film a documentary remembrance for their mom. M. Night Shyamalan (After Earth) has spent much of his career trying to duplicate the baffling success of The Sixth Sense. When all is said and footage! Just make sure you find enough to hold an audience’s attention for 90 minutes. What’s here can barely justify a half-hour episode of The Twilight Zone, minus commercial interruptions. The calculated shot formation, too pretty around the edges, undermines the pseudo-documentary plot gimmick at every turn. Thinking back on it, the compulsory logic-defying plot kicker didn’t survive the five-minute drive home. The answer, built up slowly and quietly amid the praise and blame: in a profound way, Jobs put himself into what he made, and made it easy for a lot of people to follow suit. (It’s hard to find it significant that he gave a computer the same name he gave his daughter.) Technology was his means for engaging the world and fulfilling himself, and he figured out how to make it ours. 2015. — M.L. ★★ (LANDMARK HILLCREST)
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**SOUTH BAY**

**Marian Catholic High School in pieces**

“I still can’t believe it’s gone.”

Demolition of the abandoned buildings of the former Marian Catholic High School in South San Diego began in late August, and by September 7 there wasn’t much more than rubble.

The campus, which was shut down in 2007, was demolished to make way for a housing development. Social media was engaged by the demolition, with Marian alumni going to the old grounds in groups and posting their photos on Facebook.

“I still can’t believe it’s gone,” wrote Lisa Rodriguez Melissa Bajado.

“The last time I saw that place it was so overgrown with weeds,” wrote Anita West.

The parcel of land on Coronado Avenue between Imperial Beach and Chula Vista had sat neglected for eight years, with boarded-up windows on the former classrooms and No Trespassing signs on the chain-link fences; feral cats roamed the hallways and homeless people took up residence in the former gym.

Founded in 1960, the school was closed down and reestablished as Mater Dei Catholic High School in the Eastlake area of Chula Vista in 2007.

The demolition has also been a huge topic at the new Mater Dei campus, which employs over 20 former Marian students, according to Laura Bookser, who does community outreach for Mater Dei.

“We have gone back and forth to salvage pieces of the school,” Bookser said, to create a “Marian heritage hall” on the grounds of Mater Dei.

Among the salvaged items from the old school were a pew, books from the 1960s, and crucifixes from all the classrooms, Bookser said. One disappointment in the salvaging process was the failure to find a time capsule.

“We pulled a sign apart, we used shovels,” but they ultimately came up empty, Bookser said. She said she has asked the developer to contact the school if they come upon any lost time capsules or related objects.

**VINCENT FARNSWORTH**

**GRANTVILLE**

**No hash oil, yes armed guard**

**Pot dispensary moves closer to approval**

Navajo Community Partners, Inc., on September 9 voted 9-7 to recommend that the City of San Diego approve a conditional-use permit for applicants Ron Miller and Nick Hosig to operate Grantville Greens, a 623-square-foot medical marijuana dispensary on the 4400 block of Glacier Avenue. The vote included recommendations such as hours of operation from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., an armed guard on site, and a restriction against selling hash oil and wax (concentrated cannabis).

The medical marijuana ordinance approved by the San Diego City Council in February 2014 bans dispensaries within 1000 feet of parks, schools, and residences.

The city’s Development Services Department recommended denial of Grantville Greens’ application because of its proximity to Mission Valley Riparian Dedicated Parkland.

Grantville Greens is one block away, and Miller said the city based its 1000-foot measurement on that of a staffer who “took pen to paper. We used a surveyor.”

Grantville Greens’ appeal to the planning commission will be held in October, Miller said.

Some planners were concerned that young people would obtain products purchased by Grantville Greens clients. Hosig and Miller spoke about their appointment policy and point-of-sale tracking system. Ramon Baguio, their consultant, spoke of the location as another deterrent. “It’s probably the unsexiest place,” he said.

John Pilch, San Carlos Area Council president, gave the planning group a copy of a September 9 email about the recommended denial from Edith Gutierrez, the city’s development services project manager. He also referred to ten conditions that applicants must meet.

Planning-group chair Matt Adams asked applicants to address some conditions. Baguio said, “These are conditions if it gets approved”; conditions include “don’t have a vending machine.”

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  - Any 3G of Budder, Shatter, or Wax

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- $100 on availability
- $150/$180/$290/320PR

**5G’s for $50 top shelf all day everyday**

- Free preroll with every order

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- Open every day from 9am—12am
- **619-919-9666**

Must Have Valid Doctors Rec and ID
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3 G’s of co2 Brite Labs wax for $80
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$10 off all eighth of any shelf
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Donate for any edible we carry and get the second one half off!

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$20
1/8ths
HOUSE STRAIN

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First Time Patient House Strain.

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$100 Mix & Match

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WITH $20 DONATION FTP

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WITH $100 DONATION FTP

5G 1/8, 10G 1/4
FTP

BUY 1 EDIBLE, GET 1 HALF OFF
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-$25 MOON ROCKS, 2 FOR $35

2 VAPE CARTRIDGES $45

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ONLY AT STORE ONLY FROM 10AM-1PM & 6PM-8PM LATE NIGHT FROM 8PM-12AM

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(Limit 1 per week)

FREE OIL RIG
WITH PURCHASE OF $100 WORTH OF CONCENTRATES

$10 PER GRAM
Top-Shelf FTP Only

SATURDAY SHATTERDAY SPECIALS!
$5 OFF ALL GRAMS OF SHATTER

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Every Day

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House strain with $20 min. donation. FTP only.

FREE GRAM
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$45 ANY 1/8TH
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Any patient!

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Any patient.

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With $50 Donation
First Time Patient Only, House Strain.

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With $100 Donation
Top Shelf (FTP-$50 Min Donation)

FREE 1 GRAM
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FREE 2 GRAMS
Top Shelf

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3 Grams Wax/Shatter Everyday Special
$100 Mix & Match

3 Grams of Wax/Crumble
$75 Select Strains

$5 OFF $50
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One coupon per member, per visit.
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We carry all the Best Medication Available
10% Discounts for Military, Veterans, Disabled & Senior Citizens (65 & up)

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**FREE GRAM!**
FTP only with $20 donation. House strain.

ALL 1/8THS 5G’S ALL DAY, EVERY DAY!
All patients, all day every day.

$70 1/2 oz & $120 oz
FTP house strains. All quality og’s. Offer may be combined with other offers in green.

$10 OFF ANY 5-GRAM 1/8TH
FTP All Info. Offer may be combined with other offers in green.

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All 1/8ths 5 grams all day every day! All patients.

**Free gram!**
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$70 1/2 oz & $120 oz
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$10 off any 1g concentrate
FTP with min. $20 donation.

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Safe Discreet Location | Plenty of Parking | Easy Trolley & MTS access • ATM
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**Free 8th for 1st Time Patients**
25 Strains with over 20% THC

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**$10 Off**
Greenwave Gold Cartridges

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Thank you for coming into The Cure. We’re now open in El Cajon. Win a 40” TV! Come to the store for details!

- Free gram of MoonRock for 1st time patients with $30 donation
- BOGO Wax/Crumble (Select Strains) for 1st time patients
- Free top shelf gram for 1st time patients with $50 donation
- Free 1/8th house strain for 1st time patients with $50 donation
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FREE EDIBLE
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$10 OFF MISS NUG RUN OR HGH GRAMS!
FTP only.

BUY 1G GET 2G FREE TAHOE OG HASH

$40 TOP-SHELF 4G* 1/8TH
Early Bird Special 8-11am only.

2 GRAMS HOUSE SHATTER OR CRUMBLE $49
With ad. Limit one coupon per patient per day.

BUY .5G HOUSE CARTRIDGE FOR $35, GET 1 FREE!

ORIGINAL KURUPTS MOON ROCKS 2G FOR $45

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$45 4G 1/8TH

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Any patient.

FREE GIFT
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Vendors Welcome
Over 300+ medicated items to choose from!
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GRAND OPENING IN SOUTH BAY/CENTRAL!  
1/8TH ON EIGHTH

FTP:  
Free House Gram  
no donation necessary!

Donate for 2 Edibles, Get 1 Free  
Equal or lesser value

5 Grams Exclusive $50
FlavRX $35 for 500mg
2 Grams Top-Shelf $20
Pick your own gift!  
We have a shelf full of free goodies for FTPs. Pick yours!

1/8ths from $25

RETURNING PATIENTS:  
Exclusive 1/8th $50
20% Off Any Donation of $100 or More  
 Valid for larger quantities, including OZs!

10% Off Concentrates  
w/$50 donation

10% Off All Edibles
20% Off Weezza Pizza

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FTP's Free 'Top-Shelf Gram with any Donation or $10 Top-Shelf Gs
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Private reserve joints coated with THC oil and rolled in top-shelf kief.

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1/4 top-shelf + 1 gram kief $100
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Vape Pen Combo $40
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FTP only.

DONATE FOR 2 EDIBLES, GET 1 FREE!
FTP only. For edible of equal or lesser value.

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with donation for any 1G vape.

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House strain, with min. $20 donation.

Happy Hour All Day Every Day
Any patient.

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Any patient

$10 Weezza Pizza
Any patient

$5 off MoonRock
After $50 donation.

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El Cajon: 619-709-1724
266 S. Magnolia #103, El Cajon
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Vista: 1-855-MMJ-EVAL (665-3825)
510 Civic Center Dr., #D, Vista
South Bay: 619-651-5041
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September 17, 2015

National City’s Newest Shop
Highland’s

All of our meds are clinically tested and approved!
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NEW Strawberry MoonRocks
Donate for 1, Get 1 Free!
FTP only.

House Vape Pen Cartridges:
$19.99 or 3 for $50

3 Free Grams Your Choice!
Join our Highland’s Program, and get 3 grams free with min. $20 donation.

Donate for 2 Edibles, Get 1 Free!
Valid for any edible of equal or lesser value.

Cruzin Highland’s Sunday Special
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Lowest Price & Best Quality Guaranteed for All Waxes, Concentrates, Crumble, and Shatter!

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San Diego Reader, September 17, 2015
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$40 CAP TOP SHELF STRAINS
12+ 80GO STRAINS

Free Edible
with every min.
Donation

Brand New
THC
Inhalers

$8 Grams
4 gram 1/8ths

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96 1/8 $50.00 OR 144 1/4 $99.00
JANUARY STRAIN!
Expires 3/31/15

FREE 40" TV GIVEAWAY
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$10 OFF TO CHOOSE FROM

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FTP with $50 DONATION
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FTP with $25 DONATION
FREE 1/4 HOUSE STRAIN
FTP $100 DONATION

FREE FULL NUGS!
ORGANIC SUNFLOWER
FLOWERS
Expires 3/31/15

50% OFF
HOUSE STRAIN!

$20
1/8 EVERY DAY

365'S SHATTER
GD KUSH, Cookies
$100.00
Expires 3/31/15

SPECIAL
SOMA OIL
BRIDGE
1 3 FOR $80.00
Expires 3/31/15

SPECIAL
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Choose from Donuts, Cookies, Stardrops, Super Shores.
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SPECIAL
$25.00
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ALL DAY

SPECIAL
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$90.00
1/2 oz
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MOONROCKS
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BEST ALTERNATIVE
MEDICATION IN SAN
DIEGO AT THE MOST
COMPASSIONATE
DONATIONS

ON ALL TOP SHELF
FLOWER
2G FOR $25
3G FOR $50
5G FOR $100
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RESIN CRUMBLE
1440
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MUST HAVE A VALID CA ID & ORIGINAL DOCTOR'S RECOMMENDATION. SAFE ACCESS SAFE PARKING

7 GRAMS FREE W/$10 DONATION OR
2 GRAMS FREE (NO DONATION NECESSARY)
FTP ONLY. FULL NUGS!

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SUN-WED 10AM-10PM • THURS-SAT 10AM-12AM

$49 OZ. FULL NUGS!

$10 TOP-SHELF GRAMS
All day, every day!

$15 1/8THS
All day, every day!

7-GRAM 1/4 $30
All day, every day!

$10 OFF FOR VETERANS
All day, every day!

2 GRAMS EXCLUSIVE $25
2 GRAMS PRIVATE
RESERVE $30
All day, every day!

CANNABIS QUENCHERS $10

10% OFF FOR VETERANS
All day, every day!

CAV CONES 1 FOR $15
2 FOR $25

1-GRAM PLATINUM
VAPES $50

2 GRAMS PRIVATE
RESERVE $30
All day, every day!

7 GRAMS TOP-SHELF $50

3 RICE KRISPIES
EDIBLES $10

4 PREROLLS FOR $10
All day, every day!

$10 CLONES

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starting at $40

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