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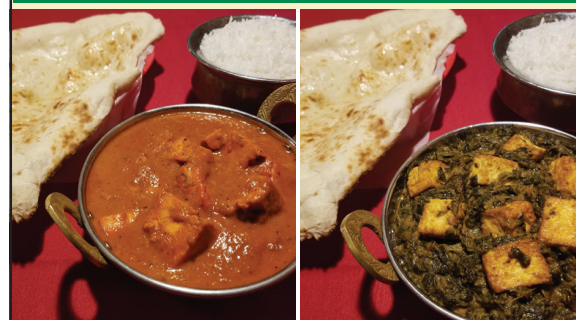
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OCEANSIDE

Kohl into meth

11 arrests between 22 and 55

Michael Kohl was first arrested by Oceanside police in late 1988, when he was 22 years old. At the time, he lived on Camp Pendleton, and he told the judge he was unemployed. He made a plea deal and admitted possession of meth and marijuana for sale, and was released on three years' probation. But two months later, in early 1989, Kohl was arrested for felony evasion of peace officer, wanton disregard for public safety, resisting an officer, and driving under the influence. Kohl was given another chance at probation. But he failed again in late December 1989. So Kohl was sent to California prison; he got two years for the first arrest plus three years for his next arrest.

“he was arrested with more than nine pounds of meth... he also had three firearms and \$6000 cash.”

It seems that as soon as he got out of prison in 1994, Kohl was arrested again. That time, he was accused of five felonies, but somehow, he was at liberty ten months later when he was arrested again for possession of meth and marijuana for sale. Kohl made another plea deal and was sent to prison



Meth is a hell of a drug.

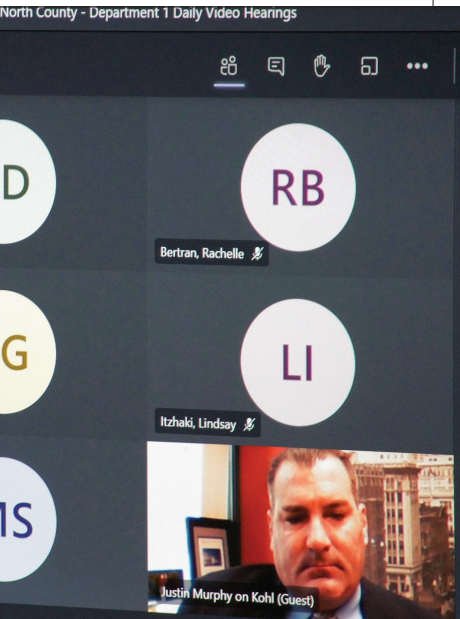
for six years. This was in late 1995, when he was 29 years old. Kohl was 35 when he got out of prison in 2001. It was just after Thanksgiving when he got arrested again. He admitted assault with a deadly weapon upon a peace officer with great bodily injury, and was sentenced to seven years prison. As

soon as he got out of prison in 2006, when he was 39, Kohl was charged and convicted for possession of meth. Two years later, in 2008, Kohl was arrested for receiving stolen property. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to 16 months in prison. He was at liberty about Thanksgiving time in 2009 when he was arrested again for possession of meth.

He was 43 then. A little more than a year later, in January 2011, Kohl was arrested for transporting meth for sale. While he was out on bail the next month, he was arrested again for the same charge. Kohl made a plea deal and was sentenced to four years in prison. He was 45. But he was at liberty four months later when he was arrested again, for the same crime. Again, he was sent to prison.

In the summer of 2019, when Michael Kohl was 53 years old, he was arrested for felony evade officer with wanton disregard for public safety, possession of meth for sale, and transporting meth for sale. He was held in local custody in San Diego County and was able to pay a \$5000 fee for a bond to guarantee the \$50,000 bail amount, and he was at liberty while he awaited trial. Then came the covid lockdown.

Michael Kohl was able to remain at liberty for about a year. But in October 2020, he was arrested again. The list of charges for this arrest included: manufacturing a drug (meth) while out on bail, possession of meth for sale (more than one kilo) while out on bail, being armed with handgun while out on bail, possession of firearm by felon or addict while out on bail, giving false ID to police,



Bail review during COVID scare, Jan 25, 2021, Michael Kohl 54, prosecutor Chen, defender Justin Murphy.

EVA KNOTT

and possession of drug paraphernalia to inject or smoke. Michael Kohl was 54 by this point, and because he had re-offended while out on bail, his new bail was set at \$250,000.

Private defense attorney Justin Murphy told a judge, “My client does not have ability to pay that amount; he has been in custody since October 15, 2020. He is 55 years old with a sick mother and he wants to spend time with her. Given the pandemic, he is at heightened risk of having greater problems if he should get covid, so he needs bail that he can pay.” But prosecutor Vincent Chen asked the judge to leave bail as set, declaring, “He is a danger to the community.” Chen told the

NATIONAL CITY

CarMax, birds min, homeless nil

The regular Jungle gives way to the concrete kind

One of National City's last open space parcels will soon host a used car dealership, displacing both a homeless camp and the endangered birds that depend on the wetland habitat along the Sweetwater River. Over the years, the zoning of the 15-acre plot — so thickly vegetated it was once nicknamed “The Jungle” — went from open space to major mixed use. Developers, however, have run into delays due to environmental concerns.



Soon, The Jungle (left) will give up its homeless, and you'll be able to buy a car after visiting the mall.

judge that Kohl was out on bail for a 2019 case when he was arrested for manufacturing methamphetamine. “He will clearly not follow court orders.” Chen claimed that officers found five pounds of meth in Kohl's hotel room, plus another six pounds in a storage locker. And Chen said that Kohl had guns and ammunition in his hotel room, adding, “I believe he has access to large amounts of

In 2007, the city approved a Costco and gas station on the parcel that “never came to fruition,” city planner Martin Reeder said. Now, in a 4-1 vote, the city has approved the final environmental impact report for a CarMax, plus a zone change, lot split, code amendment, and conditional use permit. The business is expected to generate 65-85 full- and part-time

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Two-party Qatari party

Jacobs and Issa go top-drawer in the Middle East Democrat Sara Jacobs isn't the only rich House member from San Diego County taking free trips courtesy of foreign business groups. According to an October 27 disclosure filing with the Clerk of the House, Republican Darrell Issa, widely considered one of the wealthiest members of Congress, took off last month from San Diego on a six-day round-trip junket beginning October 10 to Doha, Qatar, thanks to the United States-Qatar Business Council. Per the filing, the total transportation expenses of \$8793, along with lodging costs of \$1235, and meals worth approximately \$560, were picked up by the council. A "return to the United States" covid test costing \$30 was also paid for by the group.

The final itinerary says the tour began with a "dinner and briefing" from Meshal bin Hamad Al-Thani, Qatari ambassador to the United States. "Participants were briefed by and engaged in dialogue with Ambassador Meshal bin Hamad Al-Thani and economic team members from the Embassy of Qatar to the United States, on Qatari business engagements in the US as well as plans for Qatari investment. Participants had the opportunity to learn about the planned Qatari outreach in the US and how Qatar is promoting business ventures in the US."

The next day, October 12, the delegation heard from the U.S. Embassy Doha team about U.S.-Qatar relations. "This briefing provided an opportunity for the participants to learn about the key strengths of the trade/commercial, security, defense, and energy relationship between the US and Qatar." A later meeting with officials touted the kind of money Qatar could bring to the United States. "With many American tourism & hospitality companies already operating in Qatar, like Sheraton, Marriott, Intercontinental, etc., and many Qatari investments in the US like St. Regis DC, W Hotel Miami, etc., participants were briefed and engaged in dialogue on the many opportunities to further collaborate with the US in the hospitality sector. Participants discussed which locations may be of interest for Qatari investment in the US, general opportunities for investment in the US hospitality sector, collaboration potential with US-based tourism & hospitality operators, and how investments can create jobs in the participants' district."

Another session pitched the 2022 World Cup games in Qatar. "The briefing covered the operational side of things, information on the priority to advance the sports sector in Qatar, as well as the sustainable develop-



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ment of the World Cup stadiums and smart city infrastructure projects which American companies were involved with."

A gathering with Qatar's energy minister featured the role of oil in the country's economy, the world's largest producer of liquefied natural gas. "Participants were briefed by Saad Al-Kaabi on Qatar Energy's investment strategy in the energy sector and its long and deep history of collaborating with American energy companies. Participants learned about the latest initiative related to the North Field Expansion project in Qatar and the country's long-term vision for further advancement in the energy and sustainability global space."

Like other Arab states, Qatar has pledged to employ new technologies, including carbon capture schemes, to help meet the world's climate-change carbon reduction goals, though skeptics remain. "For me to just come out and say, 'Net zero 2050,' very sexy," Saad al-Kaabi said in a recent statement cited by the Associated Press. "I mean, looks great in the newspaper, but it's not the right thing."

Issa stayed at Doha's Four Seasons, which *Forbes Travel Guide* calls the "grande dame of the city." "With its own private beach, five different indoor and outdoor pools catering to all ages and lush manicured gardens, the hotel is a haven among the West Bay area's towering buildings," writes *Forbes*. "In a city studded with sumptuous stays, service at Four Seasons Hotel Doha is what sets it apart — it's discreet yet personalized. This can mean customized T-shirts and bathrobes for returning guests or cold towels and sunglasses cleaning by the pool."

Democrat Jacobs also visited Qatar this year; the country picked up the tab. An heirless to the Qualcomm smartphone chipmaking fortune, Jacobs got \$10,489 in transportation costs, \$878.94 worth of lodging, and meals of approximately \$500, according to an April 18 disclosure of the trip, lasting from March 29 to April 3. She was housed at the posh Mandarin Oriental Hotel in downtown Doha. "Although I have stayed in multiple Mandarin Oriental properties across the globe, this one, in particular, left me wide-eyed with its opulence and grandeur," wrote a reviewer for *BusinessTraveller*.

Matt Potter

UNDER THE RADAR

Juan Vargas, holy man Yet another member of San Diego's delegation to the House of Representatives has reemerged on the free international travel circuit in the wake of waning covid-19 worries. A freshly filed disclosure statement shows that border Democrat **Juan Vargas** headed out for the capital of Ukraine in September on a five-day trip beginning September 10 to attend that country's controversial National Prayer Breakfast. Total transportation expenses for the junket were \$7100, with lodging costs of \$1000 and meals of \$400, along with a \$40 Covid test and \$265 to cover the cost of something the disclosure calls the "VIP Terminal (hall)." Explaining how the journey related to the congressman's official duties, the document says, "Rep. Juan Vargas is one of the Co-Hosts of U.S. National Prayer Breakfast. His speech [there] inspired the Ukrainian leaders



House Chaplain Margaret Kibben, bringing the Good News to Ukraine.

when he said that the nonpartisan event (U.S. National Prayer Breakfast) serves as a forum where leaders from all walks of life share personal experiences with faith." According to the disclosure, "Rep. Vargas is a great champion of unity and understanding between people of faiths. He recognizes the need for fellowship and dialogue between elected political leaders based on values of love and acceptance." Adds an attached letter of invitation: "In addition to the Prayer Breakfast, we kindly invite you to participate in the Religious Freedom Forum 30 Years After the Fall of Communism that will be held the next day on September 9."

Per the itinerary, Vargas, invited along with House Chaplain **Dr. Margaret Kibben**, stayed four nights at the Premier Palace Hotel, described by the disclosure as a "historic and quiet hotel in the center of Kyiv." According to the top review on *TripAdvisor.com*: "Premier Palace is the only hotel I have tried in Ukraine so far (and I did travel across the country) that truly matches Western European luxury standards and service. I have tried other 4/5 star hotels in Ukraine, notably in Kharkiv, Yalta, Lviv — and none matches this one." Adds the review: "I believe going to Kiev won't be as pleasant an experience if you don't stay at the Premier Palace. The hotel is quite expensive, however..." Picking up the tab for the Vargas excursion was a group called the Ukrainian National Prayer Breakfast Organizing Committee, "funded by the donations," per his report.

Vargas's participation in the Ukraine breakfast drew the attention of the liberal *Young Turks* website, which in a September 15 dispatch described

the annual event as "a hub for opponents of reproductive rights, and this year included a side discussion on 'defending ... conservative values.'" Noted the report: "Vargas, who is pro-choice and has a 100 percent rating from the Human Rights Campaign, did not announce the trip publicly."

Lobbyists for Monica San Diego Democratic city councilwoman **Monica Montgomery Steppe** has hit the fundraising circuit to pay for next year's reelection campaign.

"I'll be honest, asking for money is my least favorite part of running for office," says an October email solicitation. "We need to raise \$5000 by the end of the month to meet our goal and stay on track — click here to rush a donation and help us reach that goal as soon as possible." During the first half of this year, the most recent period for which campaign contribution disclosures are available, Mont-

gomery Steppe relied on a raft of lobbyists to bolster her money-raising. They included \$650 donors **Sarah Kruer** of the Monarch Group (seeking a piece of the San Diego city-owned Sports Arena redevelopment action) and Brownstein Hyatt Farber Schreck water honcho **Christine Frahm**, as well as Atlantis Group's **Marcela Escobar-Eck**, whose firm's clients include Chevron USA and controversial Carmel Ranch developer New Urban West. Kruer is the daughter of failed Democratic mayoral contender **Barbara Bry**, now running for county assessor. Other professional city hall influencers coming up with at least \$650 for Montgomery included **Kim Miller** of

Miller Public Affairs, **Clarissa Falcon** of Falcon Strategies, and **Aaron Christopher Wahl** and **Jennifer Wahl** of Southwest Strategies. Republican ex-councilman **Jim Madaffer**, who operates Madaffer Enterprises, and his wife **Robin**, of San Diego Land Lawyers, also gave a total of \$800. **Nancy Chase** of Public Policy Partners gave \$650, as did **Andrew Berg** of the National Electrical Contractors Association.

In addition, maximum contributions came from ThreeSixty Public Strategies partners **Rachel Laing** and her late husband, former mayoral press aide **Greg Block**. He died last week after battling cancer.

— Matt Potter (@sdmattpotter)

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Monica Montgomery Steppe doesn't like asking for money, but...

Important Facts About DOVATO

This is only a brief summary of important information about DOVATO and does not replace talking to your healthcare provider about your condition and treatment.

What is the most important information I should know about DOVATO?

If you have both human immunodeficiency virus-1 (HIV-1) infection and Hepatitis B virus (HBV) infection, DOVATO can cause serious side effects, including:

- **Resistant HBV.** Your healthcare provider will test you for HBV infection before you start treatment with DOVATO. If you have HIV-1 and hepatitis B, the HBV can change (mutate) during your treatment with DOVATO and become harder to treat (resistant). It is not known if DOVATO is safe and effective in people who have HIV-1 and HBV infection.
- **Worsening of HBV infection.** If you have HBV infection and take DOVATO, your HBV may get worse (flare-up) if you stop taking DOVATO. A “flare-up” is when your HBV infection suddenly returns in a worse way than before.
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 - **Do not stop DOVATO without first talking to your healthcare provider.**
 - If you stop taking DOVATO, your healthcare provider will need to check your health often and do blood tests regularly for several months to check your liver function and monitor your HBV infection. It may be necessary to give you a medicine to treat hepatitis B. Tell your healthcare provider about any new or unusual symptoms you may have after you stop taking DOVATO.

For more information about side effects, see “What are possible side effects of DOVATO?”

What is DOVATO?

DOVATO is a prescription medicine that is used without other HIV-1 medicines to treat human immunodeficiency virus-1 (HIV-1) infection in adults: who have not received HIV-1 medicines in the past, or to replace their current HIV-1 medicines when their healthcare provider determines that they meet certain requirements. HIV-1 is the virus that causes Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS). It is not known if DOVATO is safe and effective in children.

Who should not take DOVATO?

Do not take DOVATO if you:

- have ever had an allergic reaction to a medicine that contains dolutegravir or lamivudine.
- take dofetilide. Taking DOVATO and dofetilide can cause side effects that may be serious or life-threatening.

What should I tell my healthcare provider before using DOVATO?

Tell your healthcare provider about all of your medical conditions, including if you:

- have or have had liver problems, including hepatitis B or C infection.
- have kidney problems.
- are pregnant or plan to become pregnant. One of the medicines in DOVATO (dolutegravir) may harm your unborn baby.
 - Your healthcare provider may prescribe a different medicine than DOVATO if you are planning to become pregnant or if pregnancy is confirmed during the first 12 weeks of pregnancy.
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 - If you can become pregnant, you and your healthcare provider should talk about the use of effective birth control (contraception) during treatment with DOVATO.
 - Tell your healthcare provider right away if you are planning to become pregnant, you become pregnant, or think you may be pregnant during treatment with DOVATO.
- are breastfeeding or plan to breastfeed. **Do not breastfeed if you take DOVATO.**
 - You should not breastfeed if you have HIV-1 because of the risk of passing HIV-1 to your baby.
 - One of the medicines in DOVATO (lamivudine) passes into your breastmilk.
 - Talk with your healthcare provider about the best way to feed your baby.

Tell your healthcare provider about all the medicines you take, including prescription and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins, and herbal supplements.

Some medicines interact with DOVATO. Keep a list of your medicines and show it to your healthcare provider and pharmacist when you get a new medicine.

- You can ask your healthcare provider or pharmacist for a list of medicines that interact with DOVATO.
- **Do not start taking a new medicine without telling your healthcare provider.** Your healthcare provider can tell you if it is safe to take DOVATO with other medicines.

What are possible side effects of DOVATO?

DOVATO can cause serious side effects, including:

- See “What is the most important information I should know about DOVATO?”
- **Allergic reactions. Call your healthcare provider right away if you develop a rash with DOVATO. Stop taking DOVATO and get medical help right away if you develop a rash with any of the following signs or symptoms:** fever; generally ill feeling; tiredness; muscle or joint aches; blisters or sores in mouth; blisters or peeling of the skin; redness or swelling of the eyes; swelling of the mouth, face, lips, or tongue; problems breathing.
- **Liver problems. People with a history of hepatitis B or C virus may have an increased risk of developing new or worsening changes in certain liver tests during treatment with DOVATO. Liver problems, including liver failure, have also happened in people without a history of liver disease or other risk factors. Your healthcare provider may do blood tests to check your liver. Tell your healthcare provider right away if you get any of the following signs or symptoms of liver problems:** your skin or the white part of your eyes turns yellow (jaundice); dark or “tea-colored” urine; light-colored stools (bowel movements); nausea or vomiting; loss of appetite; and/or pain, aching, or tenderness on the right side of your stomach area.
- **Too much lactic acid in your blood (lactic acidosis). Too much lactic acid is a serious medical emergency that can lead to death. Tell your healthcare provider right away if you get any of the following symptoms that could be signs of lactic acidosis:** feel very weak or tired; unusual (not normal) muscle pain; trouble breathing; stomach pain with nausea and vomiting; feel cold, especially in your arms and legs; feel dizzy or lightheaded; and/or a fast or irregular heartbeat.
- **Lactic acidosis can also lead to severe liver problems,** which can lead to death. Your liver may become large (hepatomegaly) and you may develop fat in your liver (steatosis). **Tell your healthcare provider right away if you get any of the signs or symptoms of liver problems which are listed above under “Liver problems.”**
- **You may be more likely to get lactic acidosis or severe liver problems if you are female or very overweight (obese).**
- **Changes in your immune system (Immune Reconstitution Syndrome)** can happen when you start taking HIV-1 medicines. Your immune system may get stronger and begin to fight infections that have been hidden in your body for a long time. Tell your healthcare provider right away if you start having new symptoms after you start taking DOVATO.
- **The most common side effects of DOVATO include:** headache; nausea; diarrhea; trouble sleeping; tiredness; and anxiety.

These are not all the possible side effects of DOVATO. Call your doctor for medical advice about side effects.



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Dear Hipster:

One thing I have gleaned from casually skimming this column over the years is that there's a hipster version of everything. There's beer, and then there's hipster beer. There's coffee, and then there's hipster coffee. Usually, the hipster version of everything is more expensive, but I have to give credit where credit is due and say that it's also usually better. I mean, not to sound too snobby, but fancy ice cream made with organic milk and cool, obscure flavors is way tastier than the Brand Z vanilla you get at the supermarket. That's a fact. Is the hipster version of everything the best version of anything?

—TERRENCE

I appreciate you being upfront about “casually skimming” this column. Honestly, if you had said “carefully scrutinizing,” or even “avidly reading,” I probably wouldn't have believed you.

Casual skimmers are probably my main audience, truth be told. Now: to answer your question in a phrase, the hipster version of everything isn't necessarily better, so much as it is always simply *more*.

Look at your ice cream metaphor. Boring store-brand vanilla technically counts as ice cream, but the hipster ice cream takes the ice creamness level and turns it all the way up to eleven, so you end up with something that is the most ice cream it can possibly be, perhaps even an unreasonable level of ice cream.

For another analogy, consider synthwave. In case you've never heard the term before, “synthwave” has become a catchall for a subset of musical genres that gradu-



ally evolved over the past decade. It's hipster AF, and you're going to have to trust me on that. The *sine qua non* of the synthwave sound is an emulation of film scores and video game soundtracks from the 1980s. If that doesn't make immediate sense, go listen to some Lazerhawk, then come back and read the rest of this column. Now that you've gone and familiarized yourself, make an important note of how we aren't talking about music that sounds like 1980s *music*. Synthwave tracks do not

sound like “Wake Me Up Before You Go-Go” or “Billie Jean,” which is what the 1980s actually sounded like, at least if you tuned into top 40 radio at any point during that decade.

You're probably thinking, “But I went and listened to that Lazerhawk album, and it's the most 1980s thing I have ever heard.” Movie scores and video game soundtracks actually create a more palpable connection to the past, because of the visual element involved. Sure, when you listen to “Total Eclipse of the Heart” you can probably conjure up a vision of Bonnie Tyler's Aquanet blow-out, but the purely auditory experience doesn't give you the same sense of place you get from watching a movie. When you watch an old movie, you get to

see more or less what the world used to look like, which gives you a stronger sense of “being there” than simply listening to some old music.

So when synthwave artists create music that evokes the soundtracks of old movies and videogames, it's almost as if they are trying to create something that *sounds like* what the 1980s *looked like*. That sounds like it should be impossible, but we don't live in a logical world, and the whole thing somehow adds up to a result that manages to be more '80s than the actual '80s ever were. That's the quintessential hipster touch at work. Not better, but definitely *more*.

—DJ Stevens

LETTERS

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Covidly Callous

Your article came off as kind of callous (“Public Workers, Public Protest”, Golden Dreams, November 10). So people's right to privacy and right to medical decisions is ludicrous & crazy? Why not research the people's claims? The CDC themselves even admitted that they were skewing Covid test results. How about the tens of thousands of adverse reactions/deaths from the vaccines?

Instead of making the protesters out to be crazy Q anon conspiracy theorists, how about showing some due diligence, especially when writing an article on the medical rights & autonomy of our nation. Democracy is mob rule, that's the only thing I agreed with you on in this article. We the people, who reject medical fascism are trying to keep our republic. Sincerely, Not a sheep. Let's Go Brandon.

Heather Clark
Vista

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“City's top planner and a waterfront museum quietly go bye-bye”

News Ticker

November 12

I'd love to see what the people of San Diego decided the new museum should display or perhaps it could have been a rotating exhibit with other museums worldwide? Something great downtown besides more rental and convention space, which does nothing for the public good, just wealthy well connected developers. I hope

the city gets sued over this because we deserve much more from redevelopment, instead of insider deal after deal after deal. Case in point, when the North Park Project Area Committee (NP-PAC) administrated by the SD Redevelopment Agency was scrubbed by the governor, all the millions of dollars specificity slated for redevelopment, as directed by the locally elected NP-PAC, was taken and shifted to CDC and spent downtown...

—Founder

There was no original “vision” for a particular museum, so nothing substantive was lost. Vague solutions like splitting income in perpetuity from the site that was slated for a museum there among Park museums seem desperate rather than serious, even if “fair”-sounding.

There are unworthy amateurish clinker museums in the Park and there are others, like the Mingei, whose founding purpose of displaying folk art sadly seems to have been eroded and commercialized since its years-long closure, remodel and recent opening.

Maybe give those proceeds to the San Diego River Park Foundation. Tell us what it does, has done or hopes to do? I've lived here a long long time and don't know. What I'm really saying is that “redevelopment” is a developers' game and, as far as I can tell, has never benefited the public, so there's no point to eleventh-hour rear-guard actions after the closed-door deals have been struck. Let's move on.

—monaghan

“Pernicano's Hillcrest property goes to San Francisco group”

Neighborhood News

November 1

This location should be an ice skating/figure skating, roller skating or roller derby depending on skater preference. Hillcrest is all about tolerance, diversity and acceptance.

—Socks3742

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jobs, bring in at least \$1 million in sales-tax revenue a year, and because of its location across the street from the Westfield Plaza Bonita mall, draw shoppers from all over the South Bay.

When the proposals began in 2003, the county had placed an environmental overlay on the land, indicating a location with significant vegetation that needs to be protected. The built-out city is running out of that kind of space, and most of it has been disturbed. Less than three percent of the city's land is vacant, and most of its waterways have been channelized, or located in underground pipes, offering little scenic value or wildlife habitat. In 2011, the land, which is owned by the National City parking district, was rezoned from open space to major mixed use, allowing homes and businesses to co-exist. But that pedestrian-oriented zoning was not to last. CarMax was next to apply in 2016, and the planning commission recommended the latest zoning change to service commercial and open space.

The lot split will divide the 15-acre site to squeeze the CarMax onto Plaza Bonita Road while leaving a slightly larger slice of open space for wildlife. To try to make up for the concrete jungle's encroachment on "The Jungle," project managers will reroute more than 2000 linear feet of an unnamed creek by building an earthen channel around the car dealership. This realigned channel, together with a stormwater detention pond, will provide an opportunity for habitat restoration. Native riparian trees and vegetation will be planted on the remaining 7.89 acres. And to help offset lost wetland habitat, smaller restoration projects will be planted offsite, said Nick Larkin, a consultant who worked on the report. "There were several species that were called out" in the environmental report, Larkin said, mentioning the southwest flycatcher, gnatcatcher, and least bell's vireo, all federally endangered birds.

Audubon, Coast Law Group, and U.S. Fish & Wildlife have voiced concerns about the project, which has undergone numerous revisions. The major holdup has stemmed from the San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board, which was worried about impacts to the riverbed. Councilmember Marcus Bush, the lone vote against the project, objected to the loss of one of the last parcels of natural open space. "The reason why the county designated that is because it's part of a wildlife habitat corridor," he said. "The other thing is, we're downzoning from mixed use to commercial. I would like to see us more forward thinking on projects like this."

While wildlife may have to huddle up in the reduced space, the homeless will have to move out altogether, which is something the city hoped to facilitate with new development. According to city reports, there were 99 calls for service reported by the Police Department since January 2020, nearly half related to fires. Vice mayor Jose Rodriguez said they expect to hear more next month about the Rescue Mission's plan to open a homeless shelter in National City, which right now has none.

SHEILA PELL

ON THE ROAD

Ruined Tesla, smoked Porsche EV brand shines at show and speedway

On October 30, Ron Villarin drove his dual-motor Tesla Model 3 from his Paradise Hills home to the Las Vegas Convention Center for less than \$30 worth of Tesla Super-charger-electric juice. "That's three stops," he explained. "Normally, I would do two stops, but I needed to fill up because I knew my car was going to be there for the week." From November 2-5, Villarin's black, four-door Tesla was one of the hundreds of modified vehicles on display at SEMA, the Specialty Equipment Market Association exposition.

I visited SEMA — one of the largest auto shows in the world — in 2019, and I don't recall seeing a single Tesla then. "I owe it all to Autofashion," said Villarin, explaining his attendance. "I have a 'frunk' setup from them, which is the air-ride system; it's all in the front trunk because there's no engine there." Autofashion, a Miramar-based vehicle-customizing shop, ran lines from an air compressor to rubber-and-polyurethane airbags in the four corners of the 4000-pound vehicle. At the expo, an Autofashion rep lifted the Tesla via a control mounted in its interior, drove the car into Central Hall, parked it in the Rays wheels' booth, and then decompressed the airbags, dropping the car onto its frame. Villarin's Tesla sat on 19-inch Rays



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"Ron's Tesla looks better in person," said a fellow member of Ruined Tesla at the SEMA show.

wheels while its aftermarket CMST carbon-fiber lip kit hovered millimeters over the venue's carpet.

I also spoke with Villarin's Ruined Tesla crewmates, including Rex V., who drove his Tesla Model 3 Long Range in from Queens, New York; and AJ Velasco, who left his Tesla Model 3 Performance back in New Jersey and flew in. "To be in Ruined Tesla, your Tesla has to be bagged on air suspension," Velasco said. "There are only about ten Teslas at SEMA that I saw. Ron being center stage in the Rays booth, one of the most iconic brands in the industry, is a big deal, showing people that our Teslas can be modified. And Rex representing Rohana Wheels and his other sponsors is a big win for us, too."

"Ron's Tesla looks better in person," Rex commented as we walked around the vehicle.

"Especially with the red seats and carbon-fiber steering wheel."

Ruined Tesla members from around the U.S. have group-message chats on Instagram. There, they help one another with do-it-yourself air-suspension tutorials, and they provide tips on keeping their batteries cool so the cars perform better. Some post step-by-step instructions on installing parts, while other members post incidents captured by their onboard cameras. Eugene from San Diego is another member of Ruined Tesla. He owns a candy-apple red Tesla, but couldn't make it to the show. "He got into an accident about a week ago," Velasco said. "And it was caught on camera," noted Villarin. "There's like cameras on every side of the car. The Tesla has what we call Sentry Mode; it's always recording. He was hit coming home from work, and he's OK, that's the most important thing."

"People used to pick on me in my Tesla when I was driving around like two years ago," Velasco said. "But now they know better, and no one bothers me." However, Villarin says that he still gets revved on by fellow drivers while driving in San Diego. "I don't entertain them, and I go on my way."



Run silent, run deep: Tesla tunnel.

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The slowest Teslas in Vegas: "Down below us, there's like a subway system, the Las Vegas Convention Center Loop, but you ride in Teslas."

An aerial photograph of San Diego, California, showing the city's skyline, the San Diego Bay, and the San Diego-Coronado Bridge. The text "What's happening in *your* neighborhood?" is overlaid in a large, white, serif font.

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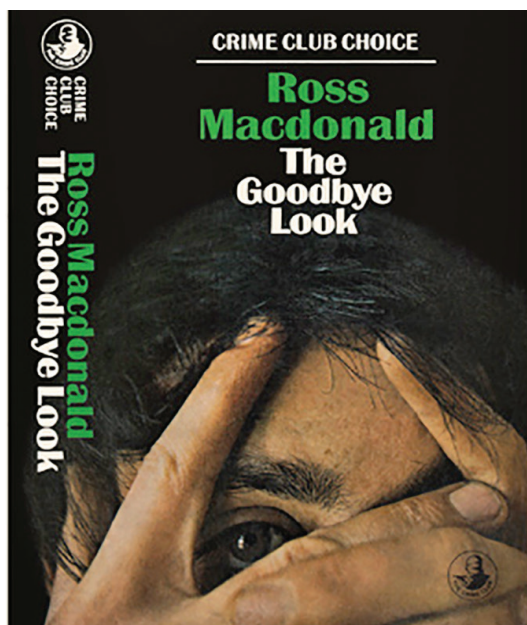
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The Goodbye Look

I GOT TO SAN DIEGO shortly before noon. The Trask house on Bayview Avenue stood near the base of Point Loma, overlooking North Island and the bay. It was a solid hillside ranchhouse with a nicely tended lawn and flowerbeds.

I knocked on the front door with an iron knocker shaped like a seahorse. No answer. I knocked and waited, and tried the knob. The door didn't open...

I went back to my car, which I'd parked diagonally across the street, and settled down to wait. The house was ordinary enough, but somehow it gripped my attention. The traffic of the harbor and



the sky, ferries and fishing boats, planes and gulls, all seemed to move in relation to it.

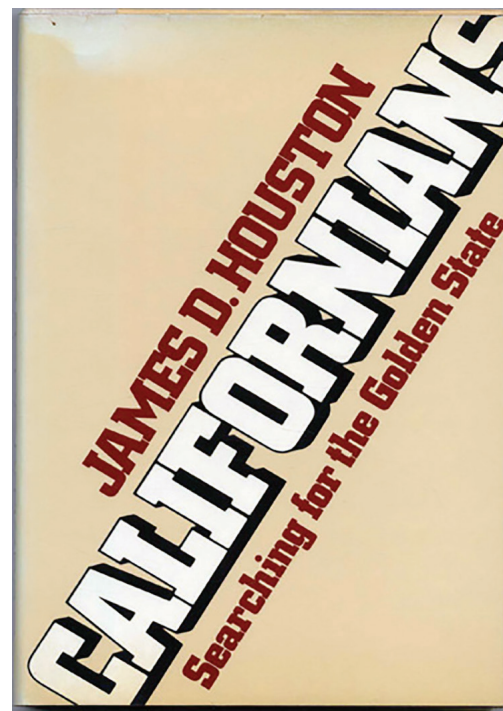
Californians

AT THE VISITOR INFORMATION CENTER I learn that seventeen million people a year visit San Diego, to play, to swim, to surf, to bask, to dine, to see the Air and Space Museum (Lindbergh's Spirit of St. Louis was designed and tested here), to walk through the world's largest zoo....

I try to break this down to some manageable number. It roughs out to fifty thousand people per day. Plus a thousand new residents per week....

I ... meet a young fellow in Santa Barbara who grew up in La Jolla ... Slender, blond, well tanned, he is one of those athlete/diplomats who can surf well and also get himself into law school. His college room is filled with surfing trophies, small statues of golden men crouched on the slopes of golden waves, while

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Excerpts from 49 years of Reader stories

North San Diego County inland glimpses

Farm in the valley

I had spent only a day with the Verbooms, yet I came to respect and admire, even envy, them. What I had come here for was not the farm, I realized. I had no overwhelming nostalgia for my own past. I was looking for a family, but for one that embodied an ideal, an ideal that has a lot to do with fairness, and hard, honest work, and independence, and generosity, and integrity. **JUL. 25, 1996**

Drilling in on a Little Piece of Oregon

“See those gouges, where the ponds are?” He points to what look like two giant tank-tracks through the middle of the valley. “Those are what happened here the first time man interfered. In 1917, Teamsters cut the trees out of the valley to grow pasture to feed their cattle. That winter, storms came and gouged out those two ditches. Thirty feet deep and 70 feet wide. The valley has never fully recovered.” **OCT. 6, 1994**

Going native

“That should be oak woodland over there. Instead that area has been used for grazing and the grass has taken over. You can see over to the right, in that rocky area which is too steep

for the animals to walk in, the native foliage is still hanging on. That's what it should all be like. The Native Americans tell stories about being able to walk barefoot for hundreds of miles on the dirt between the bushes” **APR. 27, 2000**

San Diego is no place for cows

“You should see the casino [the Pala Band] are building up there,” Verboom says. “It's the Taj Mahal. They're going to employ something like 1200 people. And they plan to open it in March. Then you've got three more coming: one in Rincon, one in Pauma Valley, and another one on the La Jolla Reservation. All that traffic has to come right up this road, and Caltrans has an easement right through our milking barns.” **DEC. 7, 2000**



Verboom milks, refrigerates to 34 degrees, and ships out a truckload of milk per day on a truck owned by Land O' Lakes.

Flaps Down to Fallbrook

Flying over North County, in the vicinity of Fallbrook Airpark, you can spot about 30 private and personal airstrips. One every few miles or so. Most are no more than a bulldozer's wake of cleared brush with a huge X scored at either end, the owner's message of “Closed” or “Keep Out.” Others are smooth and inviting. Of flawless blacktop, they serve the country clubs and the spiderlike hilltop homes of the gentry. **MAY 24, 1990**

Country living, past tense

I used to ride my horse at night to the top of one of the hills above Valley Center. When the weather was clear I could see the lights on the valley floor. Tonight from the same view I see my house as a light in the twinkling grid. As the drive to Escondido grows shorter and shorter each year. I'm shopping at the new stores by Lyle Songer's ranch out on East Valley Parkway. **APR. 26, 1984**



“We don’t get to sit down and just enjoy the soccer match.”

Locals love Loyal

“We didn’t pick the best year to start, but we survived it,” is how San Diego Loyal interim president Ricardo Campos sums up getting a Division 2 United Soccer League team up and running in 2020. The club squeezed in a single home game at the University of San Diego’s Torero Stadium on March 7, 2020 before the covid-19 shutdowns swept the country. The home-opener of their inaugural season became the only game they would play that year with local fans in attendance.

But one collective that was there from the start was The Locals, a supporters’ group for the Loyal that came together around the same time that the team formed in 2019. From the start, the Loyal had a highly organized fan collective that would operate alongside of them. “Essentially, we’re the most dedicated supporters,” Steve Brockhoff, president of The Locals, explained. “What we do is a sacrifice to enhance the gameday experience and to make sure that the home stadium experience is a great atmosphere and that the players feel like they’re playing at home — that they feel welcome, and they feel supported. We drum and we sing and we’re active. It’s a sacrifice in the sense that we don’t get to sit down and just enjoy the soccer match. We do miss aspects of the game that other people don’t, but at the same time, we do that because we want the team to succeed so much that we’re willing to take that hit.”

The Locals can be found in section 109 of the 6000-seat Torero Stadium during Loyal home games. It’s a general admission seating area directly behind the goal on the north-eastern end of the field. If you find yourself sitting in Section 109, as I did when the Loyal

took on the Sacramento Republic on a Saturday night in October, you quickly realize that the supporters take their role seriously. It’s not an occasional chant and occasional

“What we do is a sacrifice to enhance the gameday experience..the players feel like they’re playing at home.”

drums — it’s non-stop chants and non-stop drumming. And it’s not random either: it’s all coordinated by the supporters’ group version of a conductor — the capo. Campos described the capo as “the guy who leads the chants at the bottom of the section, killing his voice the whole time.” Brockhoff added that the capo will tip off the supporters as to which chant is coming next, and how many times they are going to do it, to “keep everybody on the same page.” Supporters’ groups have a long history with soccer clubs worldwide, and Brockhoff cites the gameday rituals of US supporters’ groups (organized chants/drums/flags) as being more in line with those established by Mexican and Argentine clubs than the less organized and more organic random chanters that tend to support European teams.

The Locals can also be

found at away games — some of which they arrive at *en masse* via chartered buses. But even when they travel in large numbers, they do not work the games the way they do while on their home turf at Torero Stadium. “The away games are almost the funnest part of it all,” Brockhoff explained. “It’s kind of a different experience. It’s not at your home stadium. You’re in somebody else’s house, but you’re still there to support your team. At an away game, you can have a drum, you can have a flag, you can still kind of do your thing on a much smaller scale. It’s this really unique experience where you’re able to bond with other people.”

What does this bonding entail? What happens when The Locals step onto another soccer club’s turf? Is it akin to the fisticuffs that one can recall flying between Chargers and Raiders fans in the Qualcomm Stadium parking lot circa 2005? Or do they simply exchange clothing accessories? The latter. “We bring a scarf, and they have a scarf that we are able to exchange,” Brockhoff said. “Then you shake

Chargers games,” Brockhoff explained. “That’s deep-rooted. Those rivalries are decades old, and this is brand new. It’s very hard to force a rivalry and to force people to not like each other just because you’re in opposition. I think that’s really unique about American soccer. Manchester United and Manchester City hate each other, but I don’t have any reason to hate Orange County supporters. They’re good people, and when they come down, they’re nice and they’re friendly. They’re just supporting their team, and there is nothing wrong with that.”

According to Brockhoff, The Locals currently have about 400 active members, and about 150-200 generally show up for the home games. They are, so far, the only officially recognized supporters’ group for the Loyal, but Campos did mention there are two other groups (*Chavos De Loyal* and *Rainbow Loyal*) that are attempting to build their numbers to become officially recognized by the club as well.

Campos also stressed that the independence of the supporters’ groups is of vital importance to soccer clubs like The Loyal. “They will always be able to call us out when we are doing good things, but, more importantly, they will call us out when we are doing things that they don’t believe are right,” he said. “If we’re not performing on the field or if we’re not approaching our community engagement the right way, these guys and girls will always have the opportunity to speak directly with the club and voice their concern about the direction that we’re taking it. I think that’s unique. You usually don’t get a group of people that is that big having that kind of voice within a sports club.” ■



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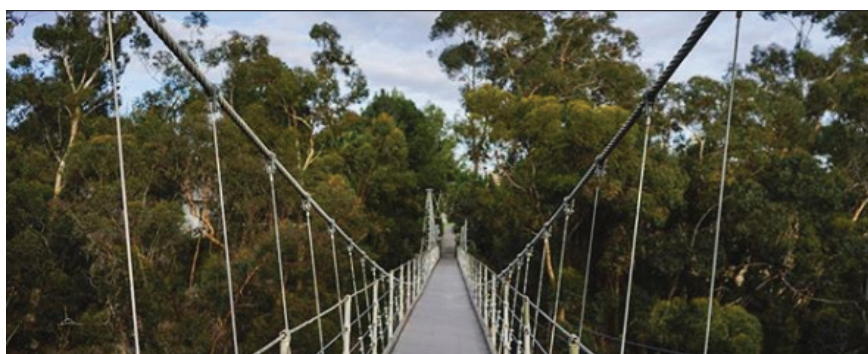
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AT 6 PM ON MAY 5 OF 2020, twenty-eight year old Ashley Rene Williams sent an order, probably while still at work in Poway, to the Shake Specials marijuana dispensary: a half-gram of Gelato, a half-gram of mid-shelf salad, and a gram of Elmer's Glue, to be delivered to her home address in Escondido. She texted a message: "Hey, can I get my delivery delivered at 9 pm? I'll be home from work by 9 no later." At 8 pm, she re-sent the order, and texted, "I'm still not receiving your text messages can you call me to confirm my order." Five minutes later, she called Shake Specials. Four minutes

after that, she called again. Then at 8:11, she sent a message to her mother: "Put my weed jar at the end of the stairs I'ma getting off now I'ma go swing by and grab that." But Williams

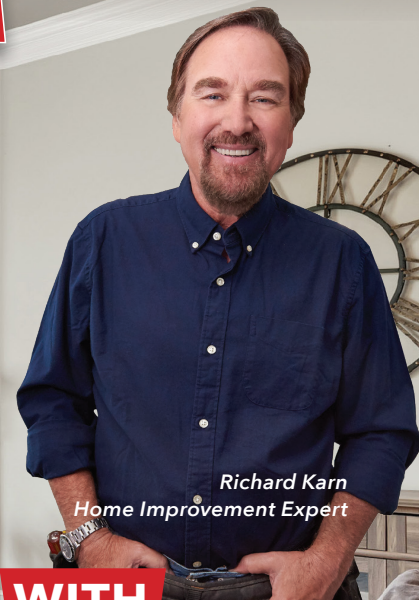
did not pick up her jar that evening.

By 8:21, Williams was driving in her silver 2014 Mazda 3. She used her phone to play a song off of YouTube: D-Lo's "Double Dutch"

Officer Christopher Lokers arrived at the scene at 8:29. He could see three bloody bodies on the east side of the road. He found Williams crouched behind her vehicle, and moved her to a different spot, one without a clear view of the bodies.

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featuring Sleepy D. At 8:25, she sent a chat message to someone named Brian: "It's Ashley let me know when you get back to Escondido, yeah?" She also started playing another song on YouTube: Philthy Rich's "Ready to Ride," featuring D-Lo. Then she changed her mind and played Biggie's "The World is Filled..." featuring Too Short and Puff Daddy. That song, which lasted 4 minutes and 56 seconds, was recorded playing in the background when her car made an emergency phone call after coming to an abrupt stop.

The Mazda made a 911 connection through Williams' phone at 8:27. It notified her that it was making the call, conducted a ten-second countdown, and then connected Ashley to an emergency dispatcher. An investigator later said



Daylight view of the road and intersection where the incident occurred.

that when Williams' car ran up onto the sidewalk and ran over four pedestrians, the impacts were insufficient to trigger the car's airbag and emergency call features. It was only after the car left the sidewalk, crossed an intersection, jumped

back onto the sidewalk, and slammed into a tree that it made those emergency responses.

Escondido police detective Patrick Hall said that a 911 call came from Williams' phone. In the recording of that call, loud music could be

heard in the background as a woman said, "I'm sorry, let me pull over," and, "I don't know what happened." The woman never responded to the dispatcher's attempts to communicate with her, said Hall.

EVIDENCE PHOTO

THE GUY ON THE MOTORCYCLE

Shane Butler was sitting on his motorcycle on Escondido's San Pasqual Road, waiting to make a left turn, when he saw a silver Mazda whiz by at speed. He heard collisions, and then he saw a cloud of dust or smoke. He left his bike and ran to where the car had crashed. Later, he told an Escondido police officer that when he arrived, he saw a woman in the driver's seat, frantically searching her car. She said she had dropped her phone, that she had been on the phone with her mom, and that she needed to call her. But when the woman found her phone, Butler took it from her, removed her from the car, and made her sit on the curb. He told police he thought she was trying to leave the scene.

THE POLICE

Officer Christopher Lokers arrived at the scene at 8:29. He could see three bloody bodies on the east side of the road. He found Williams crouched behind her vehicle, and moved her to a different spot, one without a clear view of the bodies. He later said that she was yelling that she needed to call her mom, because her mom was taking care of her child.

Detective Michael Nelson arrived at the scene. He noted the "clean and dry conditions;" there had been no rain, and there were no obvious driving hazards in the area. In his report, he described the Mazda: "There was six feet of an uprooted tree sticking out of the front end of the car. And there were clumps of black hair in the windshield." He found blood on dif-

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ferent external surfaces of the car. He also found four different pairs of shoes scattered about the scene, belonging to the four pedestrians who had been struck. Two of them were declared dead at the scene, and two were taken to Palomar hospital, where they later succumbed to blunt-force injuries. He also noted that Williams' driver's license had been suspended four months earlier, after a misdemeanor conviction for DUI on January 27, 2020 involving drugs.

After a month's investigation, Escondido police arrested Williams on June 4, 2020. Since then, she has been held in the Las Colinas Jail for women in lieu of \$1 million bail.

THE VICTIMS

A woman named Norma Espinoza approached

Hall. "A female arrived and said her family had not come home, and they were not answering their phones," Hall later testified in court. Espinoza was able to describe what her family had been wearing that night when they left the house for an evening walk. And she identified the four pairs of shoes scattered around. She knew which shoes went to which person. When the family of the deceased heard this testimony in court, they wept loudly.

In early May of 2020, there was a government-imposed lockdown due to covid. So the matron of the family — grandmother Carmela Camacho, 50 — had organized a family walk, to get out of the house and get fresh air. On that Tuesday night, Camacho was walking with her friend Able Juan Valdez, 33,

and her two grandchildren, Emmanuel Rivas, 11, and Yvonny Felix, 10. The group had turned around and were headed back home. They were only a few minutes away when they were killed.

THE DRUGS

Officer Lokers said he rode in the ambulance with Williams to the hospital, where her blood was drawn. Forensic toxicologists later declared that she tested positive for three different substances: marijuana, methamphetamine and Difluoroethane, or DFE.

Investigators collected an aerosol can from the floor in front of the passenger seat of the wrecked Mazda. An evidence technician lifted Williams' fingerprint off the can. Erin Crabtree, who works for BioTox labs in Riverside,

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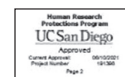
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testified that DFE can be found in spray top cans. It can be sprayed directly into the nose or mouth or sprayed into a bag from which the user then “huffs” the substance by inhaling. Crabtree said that huffing creates a feeling of euphoria or dizziness. The effect takes place within seconds and wears off in minutes. Crabtree said that inhalants such as DFE displace oxygen in the blood, which can make the user pass out or lose consciousness for a period of time. Because DFE wears off quickly, and because it was found in Williams’ blood, a prosecutor claimed that she was probably “huffing” while driving.

Crabtree also found both methamphetamines and metabolites from meth in Williams’ blood. She said that

the drug is a stimulant, and that when a user is behind the wheel, this stimulation could be expressed through speed, aggressive driving, risk taking, or running stop signs and signals. A different technician found evidence in the blood of cannabinoids and Delta 9 THC, the active compound in marijuana.

THE ACCIDENT

Police officer Tyler Sounter is an expert in accident reconstruction. He visited the scene of the crash to take photos and collect evidence, including the Mazda’s event data recorder, which was triggered when the car collided with the tree. The recorder showed that the driver never stopped pressing on the car’s accelerator during the incident. Throughout, it was pressed down between 34 percent and 37 percent, with the car traveling between 48 and 52 miles per hour. The recorder also showed that the driver had one foot resting on the brake pedal throughout the event, but it was never enough to reduce her speed. Sounter made a diagram of the incident,



A can of aerosol spray found in Williams’ car that night.

taking information from the recorder in half-second increments.

THE HEARING

In August of 2021, Williams was given a pre-trial hearing. She was charged with nine felonies: four counts of second-degree murder, plus four counts of gross vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated, plus one count of driving under the influence causing death. By this point, she was 29. She appeared in court wearing a gray sweatshirt labeled SD JAIL; she wore no makeup, and her hair was pulled to one side in

a long braid.

Williams had several supporters in attendance; they sat in the courtroom gallery. Whenever she entered or exited the courtroom during the day-long hearing, Williams and her supporters blew kisses back and forth. The four deceased persons also had supporters in attendance. During a break in the hearing, the two groups met in the hall — one seated, one standing. Words were exchanged. Voices were raised. The standers approached the sitters. Then a deputy passed through the hall, and



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peace was restored.

During the hearing, prosecutor Laurie Hauf showed the judge a four-page document from the California DMV, dated February 27, 2020. The prosecutor said the document proved that Williams had been properly informed that her driver's license was suspended because of her DUI conviction one month earlier. And the prosecutor said that at the time of that conviction, court transcripts showed that Williams had been informed that if, in the future, someone died as a result of her driving while intoxicated, she could be charged with murder. Hauf told Judge Carlos Armour that there was implied malice, because Williams had been warned that she could kill someone if she drove under the influence. "She was prob-


ably huffing or inhaling while she was driving," said Hauf. "She knew it was dangerous. She did it anyway." Hauf noted that Williams never braked or swerved as she was driving on the sidewalk and running over four people. And she noted that one month prior to the fatal crash, on April 4, Williams had posted videos of herself to social media: a video that showed her rolling marijuana cigarettes while seated in the front seat of her car, another video showing her smoking the cigarettes, and another video of her driving. She labelled one video "420" and "getting lit" — references to marijuana use.

Defense attorney Rick Crawford responded that the crash was an accident. He said that while Williams may have been impaired, evidence showed that what she

had been doing was non-attentive driving — using her cell phone while operating the vehicle. He insisted that the event was not another DUI, but an accident due to distracted driving. Timestamps from Williams' phone indicated that she was indeed on the phone during the crash, and one expert testified that she was "trying to change the song" when it happened.

Judge Armour was not convinced. He noted that Williams had "at least three substances in her system" at the time of the accident, and ordered her to face trial on all nine felony charges. She was arraigned on those charges on September 14, 2021. She pleaded not-guilty, and is next due in court on January 25, 2022, when a trial date will be selected.

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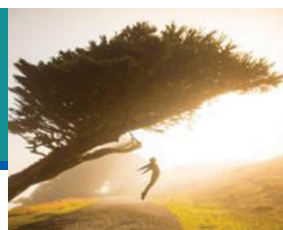
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Before City Heights

What got lost in East San Diego

Barely two minutes after we leave the airport and pick up our rental car, a minivan with Ohio plates cuts us off and my husband curses at the driver. "Stay in your own #\$\$^@&* lane, jackass!" he yells from behind the safety of our tinted windows. He shakes his head and turns toward me. "Tourists," he says.

His pithy putdown lacks self-awareness. We've just arrived from Dallas-Fort Worth, and both of our driver's licenses indicate that we are residents of Arkansas. In the eyes of every suntanned local, we, too, are interlopers.

As we navigate away from Lindbergh Field, the crowds of rentals and taxis and Ubers begin to thin out. We are soon sharing the road with everyday Californians, motoring east along Kumeyaay Highway, a name nobody uses. Just before the old



Not all of my middle school memories evoke an unyielding urban hellscape. I still had friends and roller skates, and I could usually scrape together enough change to buy a candy bar at the Big City liquor store on University.

stadium site, we slip off at Exit 8 and soon cross the intersection of Fairmount and El Cajon, where Pearson Ford no longer stands, alone or otherwise. (The sign of

a good jingle: you still remember it even when the place has been gone for over a decade.)

We have entered City Heights. I have

never been to City Heights. Still, much of it feels familiar. The street names: Orange, Van Dyke, all the 40s, and, of course, the major arteries, University and El Cajon. A few of the businesses stir feelings of recognition, a 7-11 here, a liquor store there. At length, we finally locate my family's old house on Winona Avenue.

But as I said, I have never been to City Heights. I grew up in East San Diego.

Apparently, the name City Heights has been around since the 1980s, though I didn't learn of it until just around the turn of the century. I didn't care for it. City Heights sounded like the sort of label that gets slapped on a decaying neighborhood when the realtors decide that it's ripe for gentrification. I thought, *Aspiring yuppies live in neighborhoods named City Heights.*

But no yuppie ever set foot in East San Diego. East San Diego in the 1970s housed the working class, back when that was a descriptor rather than a political punchline. East San Diegans labored on aircraft assembly lines and street repair crews and behind secretarial desks. Diversity was a fact of life, and children of all races found friends, teammates, and bullies on their amusingly bipartisan journey from (Woodrow) Wilson Junior High to Herbert Hoover High School.

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ment. They simply take it all in and accept it as normal. For me, normal was roller skating across busy urban thoroughfares and past a movie theater that showed X-rated fare. Normal was also sitting in a smoky barroom knocking back Shirley Temples while memorizing the songs on the jukebox. (Does anyone remember the words to "Summer, the First Time" by Bobby Goldsboro? Sadly, I do.) Normal was a father who routinely bathed his demons in vodka, surrounded by friends whose names he only occasionally remembered. None of it bothered me; fish don't complain about being wet.

I lost my mother in East San Diego. For most kids, mortality is a concept that slowly seeps in. Others are not so fortunate. I had no idea whether or not my mother was sickly. She smoked obsessively, but that was not uncommon in those days. She was simply always there until one day in 1972 when she wasn't. She left one morning for Balboa Hospital — nobody acted like it was an emergency — and she never came home. I was 10 and she was 46. We weren't an emotive family, so everyone internalized their grief and moved on. I didn't even learn how she died until years later, when I finally thought to order the death certificate.

My brothers were older and mostly on their own. My father was left with a daughter he barely knew and had no idea how to raise. His first instinct was to run. One day, he borrowed a girlfriend's car and, after several hours on the highway, dropped me off in a rural town near Sacramento at the home of an uncle, an aunt, and a passel of cousins. I adapted quickly to this very different life, with its rules and chores, its lakes and horses.

I assumed this was where I would stay, a pre-teen city girl fated to endure adolescence in rural America.

I lost all of my possessions in East San Diego. I didn't know that yet, of course. I assumed my stuff was still in the house on Winona Avenue and that it would eventually rejoin me. But a couple of months later, my father called and instructed me to catch a flight back to San Diego. He had a new girlfriend, and he assumed that she could relieve him of the burden of looking after an undisciplined pre-adolescent kid. Only upon my arrival did I learn that my father had moved and prepared for doing so by downsizing. That meant taking every artifact of my childhood and delivering it to Goodwill. The sense of loss and betrayal was overwhelming. But he never apologized. He was likely still grieving too, but doing so in his characteristically oblivious way.

Time heals, if not completely, and soon I settled back into my East San Diego life. But just as my own life had changed, the neighborhood was changing, too. There was a flicker of danger that I had never noticed before. Was the area devolving, or was I simply growing old enough to recognize that the adult movie theater and the liquor stores had unsavory clients who walked the same sidewalks where I dodged pedestrians and bus stops? Regardless, the streets seemed meaner, and that meanness had spilled over into the school originally named after a president who failed, in his own time, to bring peace to the world. Wilson Junior High mirrored the hardening of East San Diego itself, and the rules of schoolyard engagement had become merciless during my time away. Children whose

families were imploding in a mélange of drugs, unemployment, and crime visited their as-yet unchanneled rage on the kids they figured would not fight back. I was one of those kids. On a good day, my tormentors called me names and pushed me between desks; on a bad day, they punched and kicked me as I attempted to walk home.

To be sure, not all of my middle school memories evoke an unyielding urban hellscape. I still had friends and roller skates, and I could usually scrape together enough change to buy a candy bar at the Big City liquor store on University. My father brought me along on raucous bus rides from various east side bars to Chargers football games. I was the only minor on a bus full of happy drunks, broken men who nevertheless looked out for me and treated me with the kindness many could no longer offer to their own estranged children. I never cared about the Chargers, who lost most of the games I attended, but I did like the crowds, the noise, and the concession stands. And I was never sorry to return to my side of the city. Even as the neighborhood deteriorated around me, East San Diego gave me a sense of place, and I prided myself in my knowledge of its streets and alley ways. It was home.

I lost my family in East San Diego. Just before my 13th birthday, I contracted the flu. My father was in Mexico, for reasons that probably involved bawdy Tijuana nightlife. His girlfriend long gone, he had left me alone in our one-bedroom shack on 43rd Street. There was no way to reach him, even as my fever grew. I slept for hours, waiting for him to stumble his way back across the border so he could take



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me to the medical center where my mother had died.

At some point, my sleep was interrupted by a loud knock on our flimsy front door. A man was outside demanding to come in. He wouldn't tell me his name. I told him to leave, but his knocking became more insistent. I tried to keep calm and asked God to please make him stop. At that point, however, he began jiggling the door handle, and I knew it wouldn't be long until he pushed his way inside. I screamed that I was going to call the police and finally did. The knocking stopped and, soon afterward, a pair of SDPD officers arrived. I was sick and scared and embarrassed. I just wanted everyone to leave me alone, but it was too late for that.

With the bad guy missing, there wasn't much for the cops to do. My father was unreachable. So they told me I could remain in the house and hope that my tormentor was truly gone, or I could let them take me to Hillcrest Children's Receiving Home. I selected the latter option. I assumed I would be back on 43rd Street within a couple of days.

Instead, I spent several weeks at Hillcrest, watch-

ing as a parade of other kids checked in and out, either heading home or entering the foster care system. I lived in the moment, as kids do, and never entertained the thought that, at some point, I might be one of those children exiting into a new life. I still believed I was going home. In the meantime, unbeknownst to me, my dad was busy signing me away. Some social workers spoke briefly with me, explaining something about custodial rights and signed waivers and new homes. It took a while before the full force of realization hit me: I was now a ward of the County of San Diego.

The current struggles of the foster care system in Southern California are nothing new. I should have been an easy kid to place: a non-traumatized, good-natured pre-teen, benign and eager to please. Nevertheless, I bounced from house to house, mostly in East County, experiencing the full range of So-Cal lifestyles. One family took me to a Billy Graham crusade at the stadium; another invited me to their daughter's unofficial lesbian wedding. In the end, each of these families had one thing in common: they

did not want to keep me.

In an act of desperation, the County sent me far from home to a town 45 minutes away from East San Diego, a place that had previously existed only on the evening weather reports: Carlsbad. Once there, I was a fish out of water in a village by the sea, an inner-city foster child more accustomed to gritty urban streets than manicured front lawns. There was, however, nothing gritty about Carlsbad. Grittiness would never have been tolerated by the doctors and lawyers who lived in the hills above town. Schoolyard behavior at Carlsbad High School was regulated through cliques and gossip, which might have upset me more had I not just moved from a place where the enforcement was more direct and physical. Carlsbad was what Main Street, Disneyland, would have looked like had Walt Disney been born in California in 1960. This time, my foster family chose to keep me — my foster mother, a psychologist, recognized that I badly needed a stable home — and I spent the next several years walking anonymously among the children of privilege.

One afternoon in 1978,

my boyfriend (who would eventually become my husband) drove me back to East San Diego to visit one of my brothers. It was the first time I got to see my old neighborhood through the eyes — his eyes — of someone unfamiliar with the territory. The result was not flattering. At every stoplight, he surveyed the landscape for predators, as though we were the doomed gazelles on some cable nature show. He told me that when his family used to eat at Nicolosi's, the venerable Italian bistro at 40th and El Cajon, they would always park under a streetlight. I was shocked. Did I grow up in the slums? I began to feel uneasy, wanting to come to the defense of my home turf, but also afraid that he would associate me with the people staggering out of the liquor stores. By the time we hit Fairmount on our way back to the freeway, even I felt a sense of relief, which troubled me even more.

Within a couple of years, I had moved with my husband to New York, beginning a journey that would take us through seven states and across five time zones. When we returned to San Diego, we generally stayed downtown or with family in North County or El Cajon. We did make it to East San Diego on occasion, but usually only briefly, to pick someone

up or drop someone off. Eventually, everyone we knew had moved out. My father, who ultimately sobered up, passed away in North Dakota, of all places. Meanwhile, the hollowing out of my East San Diego continued. Pearson Ford decamped to Kearny Mesa. Nicolosi's, driven from El Cajon Boulevard by an expansion of the 15 freeway, relocated multiple times before finally settling in the tonier environs of San Carlos. One of the local theaters became a church.

And now it's 2019, at the very end of the Before Times, and we have arrived in this neighborhood in which I have never lived called City Heights to reconnect with a past with which I have still not fully reconciled. The sense of danger is gone, not so much because of the presence of yuppies — we still don't see too many of those — but because our travels have taken us, without incident, through neighborhoods that many would describe as far sketchier. By contrast, if you find trouble in City Heights, it's probably because you're looking for it.

But there's something more than that. The area has always been diverse, but now it pulsates with the energy of recent arrivals scrambling to stake a claim to success in their new country. Immigration has brought the streets of my childhood alive with

a dazzling combination of vibrant cultures, thriving entrepreneurship, and excitement for the future. Pho cafes rub shoulders with *taquerias* and pizza parlors. Mom and pop grocery stores offer Asian and Latin American delicacies to customers eager for a taste of home. The battered American Dream somehow flourishes, out of sight of the cynics. Maybe it always has.

Even my own memories include a measure of sweet along with the bitter. The same house where I learned that my mother had died echoes with the sound of lively board games and singalongs and family dinners. The junior high school where I was tormented by girls twice my size is also the place where I met two lifelong friends. The streets with the winos were my streets, and I patrolled them with a sense of purpose. Bad things happen to every kid, and mine happened here, but so did almost everything fun and pleasant. My days were no worse, for the most part, than those of the kids in Carlsbad.

But they were different, different in ways that will never make sense to most of you. After departing Winton Avenue, I find myself drawn to one of the area's more storied watering holes. It is a dive; it is meant to be a dive. And a little after 4:00 on this weekday

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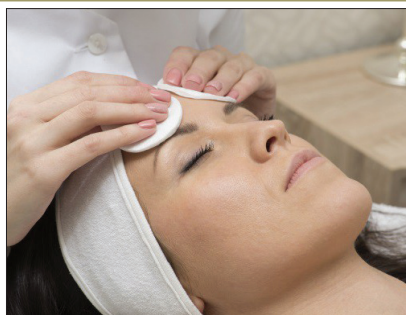
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afternoon, it serves two or three shadowy day-drinkers. It is dark and eerily quiet, and no Baptist has ever created a better advertisement for never touching an alcoholic beverage.

As odd as it may seem, some of my happiest moments as a child were spent in this dump. I have no clue what my father might have been trying to escape as we joined the early evening crowd all those years ago. But put a couple of drinks in him, and he transformed into Super Dad, ordering me sugary concoctions from the bar, handing me quarter after quarter to feed to the record machine, and sharing funny stories and corny jokes. Quality time is where you find it, I guess. Alcoholism is never fun except when it is, and I savored those moments as other kids cherished their family camping trips.

Back into the sunlight. My husband and I spend a little more time driving down the boulevards, small roads, and back alleys. There isn't much more to see, so I concentrate on the people. They aren't the same people I grew up with, of course, but they are still familiar. People who work with their hands, often outside. But the sense of familiarity simultaneously highlights all of the differences, the things I cannot know or even understand about their lives and aspirations. This is their neighborhood now, and I am simply another out-of-state tourist with memories that mean nothing to them.

There was a time when I allowed myself to think of the people in this neighborhood as losers. How much ambition would it really take, I used to wonder, to just climb out, to move north or west, where the action was, where the money was? And the bars. I began to see each one as a destination for quitters,

people who took a few to the jaw and then didn't have the will to fight back. They opted instead to die a slow death, glass after glass, suicide disguised as recreation.

But now I realize how wrong I was. And how my attitude was a betrayal, not only of East San Diego, but of myself. I am one of those people, even if I caught a few breaks along the way, — thanks, oddly enough, to the county foster care system. If they were losers, then so am I. Those people toughened me and reminded me that the good life is earned every day. They taught me that fate catches up with everyone and that you get through life the best way you can.

I lost my fear of the world in East San Diego.

I owe a lot to this neighborhood and its people. When I endured the county foster system, being ping-ponged from one family to the next, I drew on the lessons of my old neighborhood for sustenance. If I survived the tough girls at Wilson, I could surely handle the sting of rejection. When I finally earned my college degree at 26, it was because I learned to persevere in East San Diego. These streets instilled pride in me and yet reminded me not to spend too much time admiring myself in the mirror. My neighborhood knew me when I was just a drunkard's daughter skating aimlessly through childhood.

We're back on Interstate 8 now (Kumeyaay Highway, if you prefer), and it occurs to me that I may never again return to this place. Nor will I ever truly leave. But there really is no reason to come back to City Heights.

Because I never lived in City Heights. I grew up in East San Diego.

— Suzanne Lanoue

Californians

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his bookshelves are crammed with volumes such as *Coastline in Crisis*, *Protecting the Golden Shore*, *Citizens Guide to the California Coastal Act of 1976*.... As for his hometown, where beachfront property can sell for a million or more, he does not think he will ever be able to live there.

"It has just changed too much. It isn't what it used to be. It's like L.A. In fact, it is L.A. That's how I see it now, everything from Ventura to the border, it is all L.A."

"When did this happen?" I ask him. "When did you personally start to feel it?"

"There had always been a two-story building limit along the beaches. After that was lifted, the first thing that went in was a highrise hotel, right where Mission Beach turns into Pacific Beach. There had been highrises downtown, but never anything built right near where I was living. This was just about the time it was in the papers that San Diego was passing San Francisco to become the second-largest city in the state. I was in high school, and I thought it was just great that now we had our own

hotel and this meant we were going to be a big city. Actually, it was the beginning of the end. Three more have gone in there since then. On weekends, the whole area is hopelessly congested. Now I see how my first reaction represents one of the misconceptions we all are raised on — that progress is good, and bigger is better. It makes me think of people I used to know who would rip off their younger brothers and sisters by trading them pennies for dimes. The pennies were bigger, so the young kids automatically figured they were worth more."

"What will you do?" I ask him. "Where do you think you will live?"

"I don't know yet. Maybe I will head for New Zealand. Maybe I will stay here and fight it. Somebody has to fight it."

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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Velasco noted that "this Tesla Model 3 Long Range does zero to 60 in like 4.2 seconds; the Performance version like mine back home does 3.1 seconds. Keep in mind, though, when we bought the cars in the last year or two, Tesla estimated the Long Range at 4.4 seconds and the Performance at 3.2 seconds. One of the awesome things about Tesla are the constant software updates," which give Tesla ability to adjust efficiency in the vehicles' systems and thus locate ways to increase power.

A week before the event, at the Barona 1/8 mile dragstrip, a quiet, dark gray Tesla Model 3 beat a blue vintage hot rod with a 7.5-second winning time slip. Another Tesla driver had smoked two muscle cars and a Porsche on the Barona strip about two weeks before. "That Tesla S (Plaid) does 9.2-second quarter-mile runs, factory, with no modifications," Velasco continued. "It's the highest performing sedan ever built." To put things into perspective: a Ferrari

LaFerrari and a Porsche 918 Spyder reportedly pull about a 9.8-second quarter-mile time slip. Why are Teslas so quick? Because the electric vehicles' powerband/torque is achieved instantaneously, unlike most conventional gas-powered vehicles, which have far more moving parts between the combusting engines and the vehicles' wheels.

Back in Las Vegas: on November 4, San Diego's Villarín met up with five other Ruined Tesla members. "This is like a special occasion," he said, "one that's not going to happen again in a lifetime." Rex added, "This show is massive and fun. I had to stop around 22 times from New York all the way here to Vegas; I only paid a total of like \$293 in refilling the battery. So it was worth the drive." Besides the Ruined crew, here were other Teslas at the convention center — or rather, under it. Said Velasco, "Down below us, there's a sort of subway system, the Las Vegas Convention Center Loop. Only you ride in Teslas instead of subway cars. They were telling us yesterday that because it's so successful here, all these other cities want it now."

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JEFFREY CARR

Thursday | 18

HOMEGROWN: PAINTINGS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

The artist Jeffrey Carr is the former Dean of the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts and is a native of San Diego. The public is invited to an opening reception on Thursday, November 18 from 4 pm to 7 pm to see his paintings of the beaches and landscapes of San Diego. The paintings can also be viewed online.

WHEN: November 17 through 27, 12 pm through 4 pm

WHERE: St. James by-the-Sea Episcopal Church, 743 Prospect Street, La Jolla.
jeffreycarrart.com

Friday | 19

SHE'S AT THE LIBRARY BY DORI SALOIS

A different look at the Christmas classic *It's A Wonderful Life*. What was Mary's life without George,



and what happens when he shows up? She's living with Violet, fighting Potter, and trying to keep Bedford Falls from turning into Potterville when George arrives, claiming she's his wife and mother to their four children. Which life will she choose? Directed by Jerry Pilato.

WHEN: Fridays and Saturdays, 8 pm, Sundays, 3 pm, through December 5

WHERE: Point Loma Playhouse, 3035 Talbot Street, Point Loma.
pointlomaplayhouse.com

SLOW PULP

Coming out of Madison, Wisconsin, by way of Chicago, Illinois, alt-rockers Slow Pulp didn't fully develop their



SLOW PULP

sound until singer-guitarist Emily Massey joined, around the time of their sophomore EP. They're touring in support of their debut full-length, *Moveys*. The bill includes Austin-turned-Atlanta-based indie-pop rockers Mamalarky.



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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20: DOLPHIN & WHALE SUNSET CRUISE

WHEN: Friday, November 19, 8 pm

WHERE: Soda Bar, 3615 El Cajon Boulevard, City Heights.
sodabarmusic.com

Saturday | 20

DOLPHIN & WHALE SUNSET CRUISE

Enjoy sightings of whales, dolphins, sea lions, and birds in a 2.5 hour cruise. Gray Whales pass by on their annual migration during the winter.

Humpback, Minke, and Fin Whales can be seen throughout the entire year, as can several dolphin species. On-staff marine biologists will share wildlife facts with passengers of all ages. Indoor and outdoor seating. Food and beverages available for purchase on board.

WHEN: Thursdays and Saturdays, 3 pm

WHERE: San Diego Whale Watch, 1617 Quivira Road, Mission Beach.
sdwhalewatch.com

BEABADOOBEE AND CHRISTIAN LEAVE

21 year-old Filipino-British singer-songwriter Beatrice Laus, known as Beabadoobee, made her mark with a series of indie EPs released between 2018 and 2020: *Space Cadet*, *Lice*, *Loveworm*, and *Patched Up*. Citing influences such as Elliott Smith and Mazzy Star, and ranked by *Billboard* as the Top New Rock Artist of 2020, she released her debut studio album *Fake It Flowers* last year. Opening act Christian Leave is the *aka* of singer-songwriter Christian Akridge.



BEABADOOBEE

WHEN: Saturday, November 20, 7 pm

WHERE: Observatory North Park, 2891 University Avenue, North Park.
concerts.livenation.com

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ART

Exhibition Tour: El Devenir/ Becoming 15th anniversary exhibition, "El Devenir / Becoming" - explore each piece in detail alongside our curator & gallery director Francisco Morales. Thursday, November 18, 6pm; **free**. Front, 147 W. San Ysidro Boulevard. (SAN YSIDRO)

Homegrown: Paintings of Southern California Opening A show of paintings of the beaches and landscapes of San Diego is on exhibition. The artist Jeffrey Carr is the former Dean of the famed Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts and is a native of San Diego. The public is invited to an opening reception. Thursday, November 18, 4pm; **free**. St. James by-the-Sea Episcopal Church, 743 Prospect Street. (LA JOLLA)

AUTOMOTIVE

Cars & Coffee Cars & Coffee is an exciting way to visit the San Diego Automotive Museum and all the incredible exhibits on display! The community is invited to visit the Museum for a discounted admission price (\$10 before 10am) and free coffee and donuts for guests to enjoy while browsing the vehicles on display. The public is also invited to bring their own cars to display in the parking lot for other spectators to enjoy. Sunday, November 21, 7:30am; \$10. San Diego Automotive Museum, 2080 Pan American Plaza. (BALBOA PARK)

OUTDOORS

High cirrus clouds, low-angle sunlight mean best sunsets

November's and December's Vividly Colorful Sunsets and sunrises are no accident. This is the time of year when high cirrus clouds, often the precursors of storms, sweep through our area with some regularity. When cirrus or other lofty clouds are present, low-angle sunlight bathes the undersides of these clouds in a crimson luminescence. This effect is most noticeable a half hour to a few minutes before the sun rises and a few minutes to a half hour after the sun sets.

Sycamores, found in San Diego's coastal and foothill canyons as well as in suburban and park landscaping, stand at their autumnal best this time of year. Stroll beneath their crispy, rustling canopies and catch the sunbeams scattering among their mottled trunks and



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yellow-brown leaves. Some of San Diego's biggest native sycamores reside in Lopez Canyon, a part of Los Peñasquitos Canyon Preserve near Sorrento Valley. Hundreds of sycamores can be also be seen in Marian Bear Park (San Clemente Canyon) along Freeway 52 between University City and Clairemont.

Roaming Tarantula Spiders are occasionally seen this time of year crossing rural roads or marching through some of San Diego's canyon-bordering neighborhoods. Doggedly searching for a mate, a male will try to hold his course despite your best effort to deflect or hinder him. Docile in temperament, most tarantulas will tolerate gentle handling; they may bite, however, if provoked. Despite their fearsome reputation, tarantula venom is less powerful than a bee's.

Full Moon. A weird, borderline-partial-total eclipse of the Moon awaits you in the early-morning hours of Friday the 19th. Mid-eclipse is at 1:03 a.m. The partial phase of the eclipse begins 1 hour 15 minutes before that time and ends 1 hour 15 minutes after.

The above comes from the Outdoors listings in the Reader compiled by Jerry Schad, author of Afoot & Afield in San Diego County. Schad died in 2011. Planet information from SkyandTelescope.org.

BOOK SIGNINGS

Father Gregory Boyle: The Whole Language General Admission Check-In at 6:15PM. Please print out your tickets. Seating is first-come, first served. You

will receive a copy of *The Whole Language* when you check in. Tuesday, November 23, 7pm; \$27. Shiley Theatre at University of San Diego, 5998 Alcalá Park. (LINDA VISTA)

Warwick's 125th Anniversary & Open House Sunday, November 21, 10am; **free**. Warwick's

Bookstore, 7812 Girard Avenue. (LA JOLLA)

Warwick's Author Livestream: David R. Roth Warwick's will host David R. Roth as he discusses his new book, *The Femme Fatale Hypothesis*, in conversation with Pam Van Dyk. Thursday, Novem-

ber 18, 4pm; **free**-\$17. warwicks.com/event/roth-2021. (ONLINE)

Warwick's Author Livestream: Susan Orlean Warwick's will host Susan Orlean as she discusses her new book, *On Animals*, in conversation. Thursday, November 18, 6pm; \$28-\$32. warwicks.com/event/orlean-2021. (ONLINE)

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Hanukkah Happening The celebration kicks off with a live performance from Josh and the Jamtones. The band performs children's music with rock cho-

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ruses and ska-centric jams. After the concert, stroll through the Shuk and enjoy Hanukkah family fun with crafts, games, and some shopping. The Shuk is free to enter. Sunday, November 21, 11am; \$15-\$18. Lawrence Family Jewish Community Center, 4126 Executive Drive. (LA JOLLA)

Santee Holiday Lighting Celebration The 18th annual Holiday Lighting Celebration will have numerous free kids' activities, along with live music, photos with Santa, snow sledding, and a tree lighting ceremony at 6:15pm Friday, November 19, 5:30pm; free. Santee Trolley Square Town Center, 9884 Mission Gorge Road. (SANTEE)

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

3D Modeling & Printing with Blender Use the open-source program Blender to explore the potential of 3D modeling and printing. Students will also learn the basics of environmental design for video games. Saturday, November 20, 2pm; free. Malcolm X Library, 5148 Market Street. (VALENCIA PARK)

Gardening Workshops The How's and Why's of Compost; learn how to build a compost pile, which materials can and can't be added, how to maintain your own compost, and more. Sunday, November 21, 10:30am; \$10. Coastal Roots Farm, 441 Saxony Road. (ENCINITAS)

Junior Science Clubs Students in grades 1-4 will explore food-related science! Learn some interesting facts about food and explore how your organs digest a feast. Saturday, November 20, 11am; \$13-\$15. Fleet Science Center, 1875 El Prado. (BALBOA PARK)

San Diego Press Club Podcasting Masterclass The San Diego Press Club's new Membership Masterclass series featuring journalism and media veterans is designed to present learning opportunities based on industry trends. Thursday, November 18, 6:45pm; free-\$20. sdpressclub.org/2021/11/01/membership-masterclass-podcast-ing/. (ONLINE)

COMEDY

Dante Chang Seen on Bobby Lee's TigerBelly podcast, Stand-Up Sit-Down & more! Friday, November 19, 8pm; Saturday, November 20, 8pm; free. 21 and up. American Comedy Company, 818 Sixth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

For Whom the Southern Belle Tolls by Christopher Durang a collection of 5 hysterical one-acts by Christopher Durang. Catch this night of irreverent sketch comedy from one of the funniest playwrights on Broadway. Nov 18-19, 8pm; Nov 20, 2pm and 8pm; Nov 21, 2pm; Nov 23-24, 7pm; \$32-\$40. 18 and up. Moxie Theatre, 6663 El Cajon Bl., Suite N. (ROLANDO)

Nikki Glaser Saturday, November 20, 7pm; \$31-\$114. Balboa Theatre, 868 Fourth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

DANCE

Backhausdance Backhausdance, formed in 2003 by Jennifer Backhaus, Backhausdance is the recipient of 10 Lester Horton Awards from Dance Resource Center of Los Angeles for achievements in choreography, design, and performance. Saturday, November 20, 8pm; \$15-\$25. Old Town Temecula Community Theater, 42051 Main Street. (TEMECULA)

Everyday Dances Everyday Dances is a show comprised of short contemporary dances in small groupings, created by San Diego-based choreographers who offer different perspectives, styles, and aesthetic choices. November 19-20, Nov 21, 2:30pm; Malashock Dance, 2650 Truxtun Rd., Suite 202. (POINT LOMA)

¡Viva el Flamenco! Featuring the charismatic voice of Juan de Dios, takes you on a journey through the most elemental experiences of human life: joy, sorrow, perseverance and celebration; all are found here reflected in both the traditional and modern melodies and dances of Flamenco. Saturday, November 20, 7pm; \$25-\$30. California Center for the Arts, Escondido, 340 N. Escondido Boulevard. (ESCONDIDO)

FOR KIDS

Cheetah Camp International Cheetah Day is in early December, and to honor that day, Wild Wonders is holding three half-day camps on November 22, 23, and 24. Like Summer Zoo Camps, Cheetah camps are aimed at kids between the ages between 6 and 12 that love animals, especially the cheetah. Monday, November 22, 9am; Tuesday, November 23, 9am; Wednesday, November 24, 9am; \$85. Wild Wonders, 5712 Via Montellano. (BONSALL)

Crafronics Students will explore the basics of circuits and electronic elements by using them in craft projects. Each student will take home a working electronic craft. Saturday, November 20, 2pm; free. Mission Valley Library, 2123 Fenton Parkway. (MISSION VALLEY)

LECTURES

Kumeyaay Lecture by Stan Rodriguez Torrey Pines Docent Society's monthly Nature Discovery Series will be "Kumeyaay Cultural Traditions." The public talk will be led by Stan Rodriguez, a Kumeyaay elder, tribal leader and CSUSM educator. Meet at the pavilion area near the Torrey Pines State Natural Reserve Lodge and upper parking lots. Saturday, November 20, 3pm; free. Torrey Pines State Beach and Reserve, 12600 N. Torrey Pines Road. (LA JOLLA)

Living Room Lecture: GM Crops 8000 BCE In this lecture, Prof. Arlene Rosen explores the reasons for the origins of wheat and barley agriculture in Southwest Asia using her own data from the rare plant remains collected from sites of the last Hunter/Gatherer groups in that region. This event will be held on Zoom. Thursday, November 18, 6:30pm; sandiego-archaeology.org/gm-crops/. (ONLINE)

The History of Rum Culinary Historians of San Diego will present "The History of Rum," featuring Richard Foss. The event is free and open to the public. Saturday, November 20, 10:30am; free. Central Library, 330 Park Boulevard. (EAST VILLAGE)

NATURE

Guided Bird Walk-Oak Grove Loop Join MTRP birders Millie Basden and Cindy Cornelius for a guided bird walk on the Oak Grove Loop Trail. A variety of habitats gives us the opportunity to see resident and migratory birds. We'll stay alert for hawks that like to frequent this area. Meet in front of the Visitor Center. Bring binoculars and/or a field guide, if you have them. Wear sturdy, closed-toe shoes, and bring along water. A hat and sunscreen are also recommended. Walks are canceled if raining. Saturday, November 20, 8am; free. Mission Trails Regional Park, One Father Junipero Serra Trail. (SAN CARLOS)

Guided Nature Walk Join a MTRP Trail Guide on a guided nature walk and learn about the plants, animals, geology, history, and ecology of the park along a scenic trail. Be sure to wear sturdy, closed-toe shoes and bring along water. A hat and sunscreen are also recommended. Walks are canceled if raining. Saturdays, 9:30am; through Saturday, November 20, free. Mission Trails Regional Park, One Father Junipero Serra Trail. (SAN CARLOS)

Miner's Loop Trail in Black Mtn. Park Explore the history of Black Mountain with native plant enthusiast Beth Mather. Enjoy the flowers and learn about the native habitats, plants, and animals. Learn a bit about the history of gliding and hangliding off the mountain. Bring water and sun protection and sturdy hiking shoes. Meet in the parking lot at the north staging area. The hard to find entrance is off Carmel Valley Rd., on the south side of the road, about 0.7 miles east of its intersection with Black Mtn. Rd., Rancho Peñasquitos 92129. Saturday, November 20, 9am; free. Carmel Valley Rd. 0.7 miles east of its intersection with Black Mtn. Rd., Rancho Peñasquitos 92129.

Nature Story & Craft with a Ranger Children ages 5 to 10 are invited to join Ranger Heidi on the 3rd Saturday of each month, from 10 to 11am, for a nature story and arts-and-craft project related to the theme of the story. This free program meets at the picnic shelter across from the comfort station at

the Kumeyaay Lake Campground (Two Father Junipero Trail, San Diego, CA 92119). Please contact Ranger Heidi to RSVP at (619) 668-3276 or at hgutknecht@sandiego.gov Saturdays, 10am; through Saturday, December 18, free. Kumeyaay Lake Campground, Two Father Junipero Serra Trail. (SANTEE)

SPECIAL EVENTS

Accessibility Mornings On the third Saturday of every month, visitors can enjoy admission to the exhibit galleries in a quieter setting, an hour before the museum opens to the public, and a special film screening with house lights on and a lower soundtrack volume. Saturday, November 20, 9am; free. Fleet Science Center, 1875 El Prado. (BALBOA PARK)

Holiday Bazaar & Plant Sale Shop from a selection of hand-crafted artisanal wares made from Olivewood Kitchenistas and local small businesses, with garden games & activities to participate in. Garden-inspired lunch available, pre-register for your meal to receive one free drink ticket. Saturday, November 20, 10am; Olivewood Gardens and Learning Center, 2525 N Avenue. (NATIONAL CITY)

SPORTS & FITNESS

Free Live Pro Wrestling Luchador presents live Pro Wrestling in an outdoor parking lot with a full ring set up, free tacos, free aguas frescas and 30% off for first time patients. Free with RSVP. Saturday, November 20, 2pm; free. 21 and up. Columbia Care California, 4645 De Soto Street. (PACIFIC BEACH)

TheFitExpo San Diego TheFitExpo will feature competitions and events, non-stop cutting-edge classes, internet fitness celebrities, and hundreds of exhibits featuring the newest in fitness, diet, nutrition, strength and wellness products, with tons of free samples! Saturday, November 20, 10am; Sunday, November 21, 10am; \$25-\$40. San Diego Convention Center, 111 W. Harbor Drive. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

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BOOZE NEWS

BY MATTHEW FLYNN

Local brewers join others across nation in response to industry sexism

"At **Second Chance**, we believe it's important to *do*, not just *talk*. Brave Noise resonated with us because it's not just about brewing a beer and donating money. Requiring breweries to publish a code of conduct and commit to making their spaces safer and more inclusive aligns with our values, especially as a female-owned brewery," explains Virginia Morrison, co-founder, CEO, and Chief Legal Officer at Second Chance Brewing.

The sentiment is common among the women at San Diego breweries who have crafted special concoctions aimed at helping to make the world of craft beer better for all employees. Brave Noise beers are a direct

response to the bombshell revelations of misconduct and harassment that were shared after Brienne Allan (a brewer at **Notch Brewing** in Salem, MA) posed the question, "Have you ever experienced sexism in the beer industry?" on her Instagram account back in May.

Accusations rocked the craft beer world from Vermont, where **Hill Farmstead** founder Shaun Hill was accused of inappropriate comments and sexual assault, to here in San Diego where **Modern Times** saw the resignation of founder and CEO Jacob McKean and the dismissal of League of Partygoers and Elegant People coordinator Derek Freese after several allegations of fomenting a toxic work environment. A consolidated list of all allegations mentioned on Allan's Instagram went viral, prompting the Brave Noise collaboration.

Second Chance's Brave Noise Pale Ale will feature Mosaic, Idaho, and Sabro 7 hops, along with crystal, wheat, and 2-row malts — all of which will provide a fruity, 5.3% ABV brew with notes of tangerine zest, herbal tea, and tropical fruit. The brew will hit taps in early December.

Meanwhile, other breweries, including **Pure Project**, **Athletic Brewing**, and **Stone** have already released their version of Brave Noise Pale Ale; those beers can be found in tasting rooms and bars around the county. Homebrewers can also get in on the collaboration by filling out a form on Brave Noise's site and receiving a

homebrew recipe courtesy of **SoCal Cervecedores**, a Latino-based homebrew club serving all of Southern California.

Pure Project's Brave Noise will please beer



Pure Project's pint for parity

drinkers with a taste for the bitter. The brewery's Education Program Manager and Advanced Cicerone Chris Leguizamon explains, "Built on an elegant base of pilsner malt and white wheat, we debuted our new hand-selected Nelson Sauvin from Freestyle Hops in New Zealand and hand-selected Mosaic from Loftus Ranch in Washington State. Big notes of dry white wine, blueberry, and lemon zest jump out of the glass with an approachable bitter finish."

Local non-alcoholic brewer Athletic Brewing

released its Brave Noise on October 24. This one, the collaboration's first non-alcoholic option, was brewed by Cara Wilson, and is a dry-hopped pale ale that offers a whiff of peaches along with citrus and stone fruit notes.

Released in mid-October, Stone's Brave Noise is a 5.0% ABV hazy pale ale brewed with dragon fruit. Laura Ulrich, Stone's Small Batch Brewer, used Amarillo, Mosaic, Sabro, and Pink Boots 2020 hops, along with the dragon fruit, to give her brew a pinkish-red haze and notes of berries, tropical fruit, red apples, and citrus.

In addition to agreeing to publicly posting their code of conduct and making a long-term commitment to inclusiveness, participating breweries must donate some of their Brave Noise beer's profits to nonprofits that help with sexual harassment and diversity training. Says Stone's Ulrich, "Things won't get fixed overnight, but showing our team as well as our community that we are putting in the work from the top down is a step in the right direction."

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ENCINITAS

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ESCONDIDO

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LITTLE ITALY

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Village values

It's a happy hour that's worth fighting for

Unexpected pleasure! Here, in the midst of Coronado's Golden Quarter-Mile, is one of the secret bargains of the Sceptered City. I come across it as I'm loping north on the western side of Orange Avenue. Just beyond where The Tavern does its underground thing, the venerable eateries Village Pizzeria and Island Pasta share a small block. They look across Orange Avenue at maybe the most expensive restaurant in the Republic of Coronado, Stake Chophouse.

Both Village Pizzeria and Stake are owned by local restaurateur David Spatafore. Village Pizzeria has a more modest, but still always-popular business going on. Black, studded, Italian-style furniture,

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at \$9.99 (but make that \$4.74 in HH). Mozzarella sticks run \$5.25 for five, or \$9 for ten, and garlic knots look a real deal at, wow, \$6 for five, but then cut that in half to \$2.49 for HH. And how about meatball sliders, \$2.75 for two? Or garlic fries for \$3.50, 1 lb. of buffalo wings for \$6.75, and zucchini sticks (9 for \$8)? Not only that, but a pint of HH Bud Light costs all of \$3. Where have I been all this time?

The place is starting to fill up. The counter guy, Brandon, is waiting, and HH is a numbers game, so I don't want to rain on his parade. Hmm. Have to know what I'm going to have, though. I'm excited, mainly to see what kind of a bargain I can get here slap-dab in the middle of Coronado.

Natch, I start with the beer, the Bud Light. And I make my big pitch, my big investment, in Brussels sprouts. Because, man! Haven't they been rescued from the pit of ammonia-smelling hell of days gone by, transformed by this sweetly emanating flavor of the balsamic glaze, plus the burn-blackening in the pan, and with Parmesan cheese starting to melt into the black and green. So worth the \$4.74 they



Buffalo wings, most expensive HH item at \$6.75



Beautiful mess: the Brussels Sprouts

pizzas, family dinners, pics of Al Capone, even a Roman centurion holding a - *aha!* - happy hour listing. He's doing sentry duty outside the door.

Feng shui-wise, it's a nice place to drop everything and take a load off. What was once a patch of parking is now the main patio, right beside the beginning of residential 'Nado — and they're not set up just as temporary covid spaces. Fancy and historic houses sprout next door beside trees with generous spreads — like the jacarandas, which make sitting outside such a pleasure.

So yes, it's the Roman centurion who has the hot HH news: it runs from 3-6 every afternoon. Pizza slices are \$2.50. But the main thing is that the appetizers are all half-price. There are seven of them. Crispy Brussels sprouts look like a deal

cost at this time.

I almost stop there, but then I hear the siren call of the sliders. Heck, \$2.75 for two! Of course, these are the same meat as the meatballs on the main menu, but they are surrounded by great tongues of cheese, and marinara gloop and fresh mini-buns.

This is the point where I usually blow things. Greed kicks in. Today, it's the basket of garlic knots — bread knots, it turns out. They're fine, fresh-baked, and surround a big pot of marinara sauce. And hey, it's just \$2.49 for six of them.

But I shoulda resisted, because the delicious sprouts are, well, enough. Add the sliders, and I've had as much as a man should have. In fact, if I'd had the sliders alone, I would have had enough. A \$2.75 meal! In Coronado! Even with the \$3 beer, that would've been a \$5.75 meal. As it is, what with the sprouts and the sliders and the beer, I'm still out only \$7.49. Except I got the knots, too. Shock! Horror! \$2.49 more! Fact is, I'm out of space in my gut, and even with the marinara, they're not very interesting. I pack 'em to go. Will be good toasted at breakfast. I mean, I'm more than satisfied. The sliders were good solid tummy-stuffers, and the sprouts were carbonaciously interesting.

As it happens, I'm passing by again next afternoon, at exactly the same time. *Hmm*, I'm



Smiling centurion guards happy hour specials

thinking, *why not?* I was definitely tempted by that offer of 1 lb. of wings at \$6.75 yesterday. I go for them with buffalo sauce (there's also bbq, garlic parmesan, and hot honey). I resist the zucchini sticks (HH, \$4.50 for eight), but I can't resist the other hold-out from the HH menu, garlic fries. All of \$3.50 for a plate-load. Oh, and I get one more Bud Light (\$3).

This being breakfast and lunch, I lunge at the two plates. The buffalo sauce is surprisingly sharp, but just fine for this hungry boy. The wings become a pile of bones before you can say Napoleon Bone-Apart, heh heh.

Whew. I sit back, wipe my face, and look around me. Across the road, I'd pay \$100 for a meal. At the Hotel Del beyond, let's not even guess. Yes, I spot a Domino's and a Subway that



Table with a view: outside Village Pizzeria

would be cheap, but they wouldn't beat this joint, not at happy hour, for sure. It's a happy hour that's worth fighting for. If you don't make it between 3 and 6, you'll be looking at \$12-30. Don't say I didn't warn you. ■

The Place: Village Pizzeria, 1206 Orange Avenue, Coronado, 619-522-0449

Happy Hour Prices: Mozzarella sticks, 5 for \$5.25; garlic knots, 6 for \$2.49; meatball sliders, \$2.75; garlic fries, \$3.50; 1lb buffalo wings, \$6.75; zucchini sticks, 9 for \$4.50; Brussels sprouts, \$4.74

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Asian explorations

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K Sandwiches makes a case for sardines

7604 Linda Vista Road, Clairemont. We hadn't planned on stopping at K Sandwiches. But as our car crested the hill at Linda Vista Road and its sign came into view, our reactions were spontaneous and simultaneous: let's get lunch.



A sardine bánh mì, on a flaky-crusted baguette, from K Sandwiches in Linda Vista.

Minus a couple years when the counter shop was closed following a kitchen fire, K Sandwiches has been a staple destination for bánh mì since it opened in 2006. And not just for denizens of

the high school, college, and hospital campuses that surround it, but for all of San Diego. Even in a city that boasts several quality Vietnamese sandwich shops, K stands out, thanks in no small part to the supremely flaky crusts on the baguettes it bakes in-house.

This was going to be a relatively routine sandwich order, each of us eyeing the usual bánh mì, featured at the top of the menu, made with the likes of sliced pork belly, pork loaf, and pâté. These, along with the standard toppings of pickled carrots, dill, jalapeños, cilantro, and mayo, have always been more than enough to keep us coming back over the years. If I were going to be playful with my order, it would more likely involve something from the cooler of southeast Asian dessert drinks.

Americans may have grown to appreciate boba tea in the past couple decades, but most remain unfamiliar with the myriad drinks populating these shelves. They're all similar in at least one way: swimming within the sugar-sweetened drinks are gelatinous seeds and candies to suck through straws for a bit of tapioca-like chew. But I can't pretend to grasp fully the breadth of dessert drinks available at K Sandwiches. The easiest to translate include a green tinted sugar water loaded with basil seeds and strips of agar jelly, and a brown-tinted beverage populated by rambutan, a small fruit similar to lychees. One



K Sandwiches has been a San Diego bánh mì staple since 2006.

of the more colorful offerings includes *che banh Lot*, green strips of *pandan* jelly, sharing what appears to be coconut milk with *hot luu*, which it turns out are mock pomegranate seeds, complete with a nuggety jicama center.

This visit, I picked up something called *sam bo luong*, which looks less like a sweet beverage than it does a savory soup. This clear, yellowish brown liquid is made chunky by the presence of pearl barley, seaweed, lotus seeds, and dates. Somehow, this all works together, with sweeteners, to taste light and refreshing on a warm day, as most of these drinks are designed to do.

It's safe to say I did not expect to try such a thing when I woke up that morning, but I had made a clear choice by the time I made it to the counter to order. I also did not expect to order a sardine sandwich. I'd never even noticed it there, a little further down the bánh mì menu. But one of the most glorious things about K Sandwiches is that virtually everything costs less than six bucks, so at the last minute I added the sardine bánh mì to my lunch. This would turn out to be the finest decision I made all day. With all the aforementioned sandwich accoutrements, mayonnaise included, the small sardine filets came off tasting like a



An assortment of Vietnamese dessert drinks found in the K Sandwiches cooler.

more nuanced canned tuna. Though added as an afterthought to my order, it will change the way I think of sardines forever. This was the sandwich I wound up washing down with *sam bo luong* on the K Sandwiches patio. The tried and true pork and pâté bánh mì would become a snack to enjoy later, at home. I may never decide which I like better, but it won't stop me from trying.

by Ian Anderson

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Music from mumbles

Shooting his new video “Heathrow (Somebody Else)” in black-and-white might seem evocatively logical, judging from the vid’s final look. But here, 22-year-old cultgabe spills the beans: that wasn’t all on purpose.



cultgabe has come a long way since recording his first verses at age eight.

The final look, he explains, “started out as an accident, and I ended up loving the way it looked. I was going to incorporate color and black-and-white together, but last minute, I made the decision to just go all black-and-white. I’m stoked on how it came out. I love when mistakes turn into something that makes your idea even better.”

Not that the half-Mexican artist, singer, and producer did the whole thing alone, as he’s quick to point out. “I’m so grateful for my friends, because they really are the reason I’m even able to pull any of this off. Brandon Mosquera is the young prodigy that filmed and co-directed with me. Aidan Rios is has always been a great person for me to bounce ideas off of, because his taste is just dope. Aidan is the first guy I think of when I need help with something. He does it all, from filming, to shooting photos, to location scouting. Justice, who plays my girlfriend in the video, is a good friend who is also an actress, and was happy to help play a part in the vision.

Finally, we got Mikey Newell, an absolute wizard on the computer, who helped spice up my video editing and give us the final polish. We all run off of pure passion and self-belief, so when we come together, it’s no surprise we are able to do what we do.”

A lifelong Imperial Beach resident, cultgabe (whose name was inspired by the television series *American Horror Story: Cult*) recorded his first verse through his cousin’s laptop when he was eight years old. He remembers the Surf Hut, the IB pier, and Katy’s Café as favorite hangs. “I remember we used to sweep and take out the trash, hoping we’d get rewarded with a free smoothie or some food from Katy’s.” Back in seventh grade, his friends Loukas and Noah pushed him out into the water on a surfboard. Music came naturally in the family (his uncles play in the Christian metal band P.O.D.), although an infatuation with Neon Indian, another act that combines music with intricate videos, helped him along with his own program.

“I started writing songs in 2017 right after high school. I always had an ear for the type of songwriting that I enjoyed and wanted to recreate, but it took a while for me to grow into that space, and really have my own way of storytelling. I know I’m at a place now where I can execute

my ideas pretty well, but I still feel like I can grow so much, and that’s the most exciting part.”

The “Heathrow” song itself, he says, came pretty easily. “One day, I was mumbling words and melodies over this guitar loop I had, and somewhere in there, I said, ‘I pull up at Heathrow.’ I had a session soon with the homies Cole and Bardo from the band Beauty School Dropout and I showed them my ideas for the song. Cole and I wrote the lyrics together, and the song just naturally evolved into the powerful emotional song it is now.”

So far, cultgabe has received favorable press attention from *Billboard*, Sheesh, Lyrical Lemonade, Ones To Watch, Spotify’s Fresh Finds Pop, and Apple Music 1. Current projects include disseminating the “Heathrow” video and putting the finishing touches on his just-released EP, *nowherefast*. He’s been so busy that he hasn’t taken the time to perform live, but says that could change soon. “The immediate plan is to put out my EP, keep making music and creating visuals, and ultimately throw my first show here in San Diego. Where’s a better place to start?”

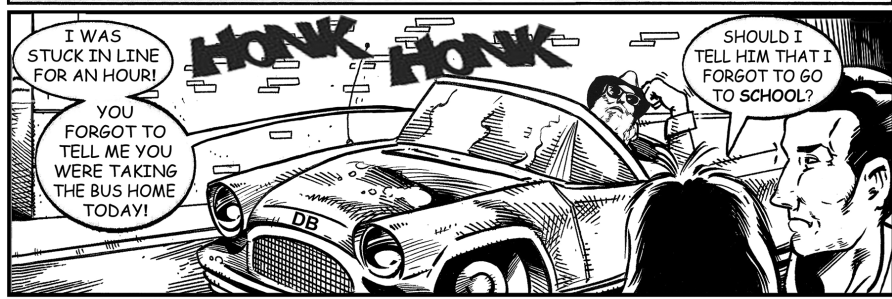
— Andrew Hamlin

Farewell to Fresh

Sound New music champion and concert impresario Bonnie Wright bids *adieu* to her Fresh Sound series with a farewell show featuring award-winning percussionist Steve Schick on November 19 at Liberty Station. Wright’s contribution to the San Diego musical landscape is, frankly, immeasurable. She specialized in bringing non-mainstream talent (frequently from New York) to our town, including acts from the free improvisation world and contemporary classical scene that would not otherwise have had an opportunity here. Over the years, she presented soprano saxophone giant Steve Lacy, trombonist George Lewis, and pianists Aruan Ortiz, Vickie Chow, and Matthew

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Shipp. She even showcased the solo bagpipe player Matt Welch — more than once.

Fresh Sound concerts were events unlike anything else being produced in the country, let alone in San Diego. *The Reader* caught up with Wright over the phone to ask one burning question: why stop now? “In a sense, it was a matter of numbers,” she replied. “I’ve presented 224 concerts over 24 years. I’m 83 now, and eight times three is 24. I thought that the stars and numbers were in alignment. You know, this is a lot of work, and eventually, everything must come to an end. It just seemed like the time was right. Another factor is that I’m not running off to New York every year anymore, and that’s where I found a

February 1997. Her dad’s building in Banker’s Hill became available, and she set up her first concert venue under the aegis of Spruce Street Forum. She would go on to present events at Sushi, Space 4 Art, Bread & Salt, and most recently, Liberty Station, upstairs in the San Diego Dance Theater. Schick, who is a professor at UCSD, is also the Music Director and conductor of the La Jolla Symphony Orchestra. He will be performing a solo percussion concert featuring works by Frederick Rzewski, Roger Reynolds, and Eric Griswold.

How have people responded to the news of Fresh Sound’s ending? “Well, for one thing, I already received 110 reservations and the venue only seats

friends.” Now that she’s closing shop, there is time to ponder her future. “Well, I won’t be a concert presenter anymore. It’s been a long time anyway, because of covid. But I will miss the work” — even though “I used to worry a lot about enough people showing up to make it worthwhile for the musicians, who were usually coming from far away. That was the biggest stress, but there was nothing I could do about it.”

Looking back, does Fresh Sound feel like a success? “In terms of sharing top quality music with the people of San Diego, yes, I think it’s been successful. I think that’s why people have been so kind to me when I announced that the series was ending.”

As for what’s next, “I don’t



Percussion icon Steve Schick was the first Fresh Sound artist; he’ll also be the last.

lot of the musicians I wanted to bring to San Diego.”

Steve Schick, the percussion icon who Wright chose to close the series, has actually been in San Diego for quite some time, but in a poetic closing of a circle, he happened to be the very first Fresh Sound artist to perform when Wright set up shop in

125 people. Many people have expressed beautiful sentiments when they reserved their seats,” Wright said.

Wright often put up the musicians coming to her series in her Mission Hills home. “That was one of the best things, getting to know them and becoming friends. I like having

know. I’m hoping that something will come to me. This is a very bittersweet experience. That’s the problem: finding out what to do next.”

— Robert Bush

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CHICKENBONE SLIM & THE BISCUITS

Singer-guitarist Larry Teves, AKA Chickenbone Slim, premiered his third Chickenbone Slim & the Biscuits album *Sleeper at Proud Mary's* just before the covid lockdown, on February 7, 2019. "On the 8th, I played my last ever duo gig with the late Tomcat Courtney," says Teves. "I didn't know it was the last time I would see Tomcat until his funeral." With performing outlets shut down, Teves recruited Laura Chavez (Candy Kane) and Marty Dodson (Kim Wilson), along with longtime Biscuit Andrew Crane, for new recordings. "The Biscuits dug into new material written before and during the lockdown. As restrictions were eased, rehearsals tightened up the new songs. The first

live performances were Normal Heights porch concerts. That led to busking in Little Italy and outdoor gigs at opening venues, to a recording session at Greaseland Studios, which resulted in a new all-original album, *Serve It To Me Hot*, and signing with Vizztone Records." Their recent San Diego Music Awards show performance featured the record's lead single, "Wild Eyed Woman." "The last song I wrote for the album was 'City Girl,' based on a lyric Tomcat told me he was working on. He was inspiring to me, and that's what I wrote the song about." *Serve It To Me Hot* will debut December 2 with a release party at Tio Leo's in Bay Park.

DEWEY DEFEATS TRUMAN

Formed in the late 1990s by members of Red Dye No. 5 and Luper, Dewey Defeats Truman have opened for acts like Jesus Lizard, Archers of Loaf, and Kelley Deal. Their label Silver Girl Records has partnered with El Enojado Hot Sauce to release *Serpent's Kiss Hot Sauce*, a band-branded special edition featuring sweet-hot pineapple and habanero pepper flavor in a five ounce bottle, launched at the same time as the indie/emo rock band's EP *The Way You Shatter*. San Francisco's El Enojado Hot Sauce is run by San Diego indie rock veteran Kevin Chanel (The Front, Fern Trio). "The band was burning through bottle

after bottle of El Enojado during our immersive songwriting weekends," says singer-bassist James Reader, "so when Kevin reached out and asked if we wanted to collaborate on our own flavor, we were thrilled." *The Way You Shatter* showcases seven new songs, five of which are available on a limited edition clear vinyl, hand-screened 12-inch. It follows a two-song seven-inch released earlier this year, *Always Waiting in the Wrong Line*, with the first new studio recordings from the band in around 20 years, "Bumped" and "Broken People." A music video is streaming online for the track "Slow Reaction."

BART MENDOZA

Sixties-loving singer-guitarist Bart Mendoza first came to local prominence fronting Manual Scan, formed in the early 1980s. The first lineup consisted of Mendoza on vocals and guitar, and Kevin Ring on guitar and vocals. Throughout several lineups, the core of Mendoza and Ring released a string of singles, and an album that was issued in both the U.S. and England in 1986, as the band toured extensively throughout California and Arizona as well as Mexico and England (the 100 Club and the Marquee, among other venues). Manual Scan eventually evolved into the Shambles, Mendoza's longest-running musical endeavor, still with Ring at his side. Their songs still maintain that '60s sound, albe-

it more powered-up, à la Nick Lowe or Oasis, plus they have a vast repertoire of eclectic covers (Badfinger, the Zombies, unreleased bootleg Beatles cuts, and more). Mendoza just debuted his first official solo EP *66/68*, released via local Pacific Records and European label Snap!! Records. Mendoza covers four classic songs that originally hit the airwaves between 1966 and 1968. The tracks were recorded over the last two decades for various projects which never came to fruition, including "Different Drum" (inspired by the Linda Ronstadt & The Stone Poneys version), the Turtles' "Happy Together," "Beechwood Park" by the Zombies, and "Sunny," originally by Bobby Herb.

LITTLE HURRICANE

Guitarist Anthony "Tone" Catalano (a former MTV and VH1 audio-video engineer) and drummer Celeste "CC" Spina (a Chicago-born cook and one-time bartender at True North Tavern) of Little Hurricane are a boy-girl blues-rock duo with influences ranging from the obvious (White Stripes, Black Keys) to acts such as Dead Weather, Bob Dylan, and B.B. King. Catalano was once a sound engineer at Carlsbad's Le Mobile studio and has worked with acts such as Gwen Stefani, the Red Hot Chili Peppers, and Metallica. After

winning Best New Artist at the 2010 San Diego Music Awards, Little Hurricane cleaned up at the 2011 ceremony with trophies for Album of the Year and Best Alternative Album (both for *Homewrecker*), and Best Alternative. Their full-length *Gold Fever* won Album of the Year at the 2014 SDMA's, and the duo's fourth studio album *Love Luck* was nominated for Best Blues Album and Album of the Year at the 2020 San Diego Music Awards. They'll appear at the Music Box in Little Italy on Friday, November 19.

NIGHTS LIKE THIEVES

Founded in 2016, Nights Like Thieves features Mario J. Rivera, who moved to San Diego after fronting Albuquerque's Left Unsaid, alongside Steve Smith, Scott Vincent, and Franky Guzman. Rivera's comedic hip-hop band Monster Paws was heard on *Jersey Shore*, *The Real World*, and in a Ford commercial. Citing influences such as Deftones, At the Drive In, and Sunny Day Real Estate, their debut EP *Light the Fuse and Run* was released in 2017 via La Escalera Records. Their third EP, *The Forgotten*, dropped last year,

while this past October saw the release of a six-track EP called *Better Late Than Never*, mixed and mastered at Joe Marsh Recording Studio in England. A new music video recently debuted online for their track "Follow Light" which features Nathan Leone, from Chicago-based alt-rockers Madina Lake. In addition, their YouTube channel has been posting live rehearsal videos, including a recent clip of them jamming to "I Collide." Nights Like Thieves will play the Casbah on Monday, November 22, opening for New Jersey rockers Can't Swim.

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THIS WEEK'S SHOWS

Aquarius Bar & Grille:
Saturday, 5pm — Sonic Tonic.

Aztec Brewing Company:
Sunday, 6pm — Aztec Jazz Jam. Free.

Belly Up Tavern:
Thursday & Friday, 8pm — The Movement and Denm. \$20-\$44.
Saturday, 8pm — Pine Mountain Logs.
Monday & Tuesday, 7:30pm — Dawes. \$40-\$70.
Wednesday, 8pm — Yachtley Crew.

Brick by Brick:
Friday, 8pm — Bridge City Sinners and Lower Class Brats. \$17-\$20.
Saturday, 7:30pm — Stick To Your Guns. \$18-\$20.
Wednesday, 8pm — Nita Strauss. \$22-\$25.

California Center for the Arts, Escondido:
Saturday, 7pm — ¡Viva el Flamenco! \$25-\$30.

Casbah:
Saturday, 8pm — Jordy. \$15-\$45.
Sunday, 8pm — Valley Maker. \$12.
Monday, 8pm — Can't Swim and Nights Like Thieves. \$15.

Diamond Jim's:
Saturday, 7pm — J Stalin. \$30.

Dorothea Laub Dance Place Studio:
Friday, 7:30pm — Fresh Sound: Steven Schick.

Escondido Elks Lodge:
Saturday, 6:30pm — Country Dance: Horse Shoe Lucky Band. \$12.

Ferry Landing Marketplace:
Sunday, 1pm — Miss Demeanor.

House of Blues:
Saturday, 7:30pm — Destroy Boys. \$15.
Wednesday, 7:30pm — Madison Beer. \$36-\$71.

Humphreys by the Bay:
Friday, 8pm — Camilo Mis Manos Tour.

Jacked Up Brewery:
Saturday, 6pm — West of 5. Free.

Jazzy Wishbone:
Saturday, 7pm — The Soto Six. Free.

Jolly Joker Tavern:
Saturday, 8pm — The Whole Shebang. Free.

Magnolia Performing Arts Center:
Saturday, 8pm — The Mavericks.

Molly Malone's Waypoint Saloon:
Friday, 9pm — Miss Demeanor.

Moonshine Beach:
Thursday, 8pm — Randall King.

Mr. Peabody's Bar & Grill:
Friday, 9pm — Black Cherry Lightnin.
Saturday, 9pm — Custard Pie.

Museum of Making Music:
Saturday, 7pm — San Diego Sound Project: Shua. Free.

Music Box:
Thursday, 7pm — Dar Williams and Heather Maloney. \$35.
Friday, 7:30pm — Little Hurricane. \$20.
Saturday, 8pm — Fooz Fighters. \$16.
Sunday, 8:30pm — Musiq Soulchild. \$48.
Monday, 8pm — Gondwana and E.N. Young. \$32.
Tuesday, 8pm — J. Holiday and Chauncey Maynor. \$27.
Wednesday, 7:30pm — Fortunate Youth and Artikal Sound System. \$27.

Navajo Live:
Friday, 8pm — The Sticky Sweets. Free.
Saturday, 9pm — I-90. Free.
Sunday, 7pm — Singer Songwriter Showcase. \$5.
Monday, 7:30pm — Dogfish Bark.

Observatory North Park:
Thursday, 7:30pm — 100 Gecs. \$42-\$123.
Saturday, 7pm — Beabadoobee and Christian Leave. \$75-\$154.
Tuesday & Wednesday, 7:30pm — Lagwagon. \$27-\$45.

Oceana Clubhouse 550 Vista Bella Dr. Oceanside, CA 92057. :
Saturday, 7pm — Cowboy Jack. \$10.

Ramona Mainstage Nightclub:
Thursday, 7:30pm — Last in Line and Taz Taylor. \$25-\$275.

SeaFire:
Friday, 6:30pm — She Says So. Free.

Soda Bar:
Thursday, 8pm — Angel Dust. \$18.
Friday, 8pm — Slow Pulp. \$17.
Saturday, 8pm — Wavves. \$31.
Monday, 8pm — Planet Booty. \$13.

Soma:
Friday, 7pm — Beach Fossils and Wild Nothing. \$35.
Saturday, 7:30pm — Kolohe Kai. \$35.

South Carlsbad State Beach Campground:
Saturday, 4:30pm — Slack Key 'Ohana.

Templar's Hall at Old Poway Park:
Friday, 7:30pm — Gregory Page and J.T. Moring.

Viejas Arena:
Friday, 7:30pm — Farruko. \$16-\$159.
Sunday, 7pm — Los Ángeles Azules and Gran Centenario Tequila.

Winstons Beach Club:
Thursday, 9pm — Lost Monarchs. \$10.
Friday, 9pm — Doah's Daydream and Rilen' Out. \$10.
Saturday, 9pm — Sensi Trails and Spray Allen. \$15.
Saturday, 2pm — The Shenanigans. Free.
Sunday, 4pm — The Hips.

UPCOMING SHOWS

American Legion Post 416:
Friday, Dec. 10 — 8 East Band. Free.

Balboa Theatre:
Tuesday, Dec. 14 — Pink Martini Featuring China Forbes.
Thursday, Dec. 16 — Bela Fleck.
Monday, Dec. 20 — Dave Koz & Friends Christmas Tour with Rebecca Jade.

Belly Up Tavern:
Friday, Nov. 26 — Fortunate Youth and Artikal Sound System.
Saturday, Nov. 27 — Greyboy Allstars.
Sunday, Nov. 28 — The Last Waltz with Mrs. Henry & Friends.
Tuesday, Nov. 30 — Laura Marling.
Thursday, Dec. 2 — The Reverend Horton Heat.

Friday, Dec. 3 — Queen Nation.
Sunday, Dec. 5 — Our Lady Peace.
Tuesday, Dec. 7 — Venice.
Wednesday, Dec. 8 — Leonid & Friends: Chicago Tribute.
Thursday, Dec. 9 — Robert Cray. \$42-\$74.

Friday, Dec. 10 — The Spazmatics and Lies N' Roses.
Saturday, Dec. 11 — Marc Broussard.
Sunday, Dec. 12 — The Slackers and the Aggrolites.
Monday, Dec. 13 — Thievery Corporation.
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Wednesday, Dec. 15 — Mariachi El Bronx.
Friday, Dec. 17 — The Gin Blossoms.
Sunday, Dec. 19 — X and Soft Kill.
Monday, Dec. 20 — Men At Work.
Tuesday, Dec. 21 — Men At Work.
Wednesday, Dec. 22 — Men At Work.
Thursday, Dec. 23 — Cash'd Out Christmas.

Brick by Brick:
Friday, Nov. 26 — Mystic Ritual.
Saturday, Nov. 27 — Intervals.
Sunday, Nov. 28 — Unto Others.
Thursday, Dec. 2 — Vitriol and Unidad Trauma.

Saturday, Dec. 4 — Nekromantix.
Tuesday, Dec. 7 — GOST and True Body.
Thursday, Dec. 9 — Exhorder.
Friday, Dec. 10 — Red Jumpsuit Apparatus.
Tuesday, Dec. 14 — Hostilities.
Thursday, Dec. 16 — Authority Zero.

Bridges:
Friday, Nov. 26 — Desert Oracle.

California Center for the Arts, Escondido:
Friday, Dec. 10 — Carols by Candlelight Country Concerts. \$18-\$94.
Saturday, Dec. 11 — Carols by Candlelight Country Concerts. \$18-\$94.

Casbah:
Saturday, Nov. 27 — Warish and Death Chant.
Tuesday, Nov. 30 — Cordovas.
Thursday, Dec. 2 — Off With Their Heads and Supercrush.
Wednesday, Dec. 8 — Wand.
Friday, Dec. 10 — Shane Hall Band.
Saturday, Dec. 11 — Fu Manchu. \$15-\$18.
Sunday, Dec. 12 — And You Will Know Us by the Trail of Dead.
Wednesday, Dec. 15 — Spice Pistols Fire Fundraiser.
Sunday, Dec. 19 — Kelly Finnigan & The Atonements.

Cowshed Bar and Grill:
Friday, Dec. 10 — Friday Night Ho-Down.

Ebullition Brew Works:
Saturday, Dec. 18 — Spray Allen ft. Eric Wilson & Wade Youman. \$10-\$15.

Fast Times:
Friday, Dec. 10 — West of 5. Free.

Holding Company:
Sunday, Nov. 28 — Nathan Raney.

House of Blues:
Saturday, Nov. 27 — Regrettes.
Tuesday, Nov. 30 — The Happy Fits.
Friday, Dec. 3 — Lanco.
Saturday, Dec. 4 — Alfie Templeman.
Sunday, Dec. 5 — Pouya.
Wednesday, Dec. 8 — The Locust and Sonido De La Frontera.
Wednesday, Dec. 15 — Atreyu and Crown the Empire.
Friday, Dec. 17 — Sebastian Bach.
Saturday, Dec. 18 — Blake Rose Noah Kahan.
Sunday, Dec. 19 — G Herbo and Lil Zay Osama.

Jolly Joker Tavern:
Saturday, Nov. 27 — Triple Threat. Free.
Friday, Dec. 3 — Sonic Moonshine. Free.
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Saturday, Dec. 4 — David Donner & the Dynamites. Free.
Friday, Dec. 17 — Cadillac Fringe. Free.
Saturday, Dec. 18 — 2lil2late. Free.

Kraken:
Sunday, Dec. 5 — Miss Demeanor.

Landings at Carlsbad:
Friday, Nov. 26 — Billy Nation: A Tribute to Billy Joel. Free.

Magnolia Performing Arts Center:
Friday, Dec. 3 — Lindsey Buckingham.
Monday, Dec. 6 — Mary Chapin Carpenter, Marc Cohn, Shawn Colvin.

Moose Lodge Escondido:
Saturday, Dec. 11 — Country Music Party.

Mr. Peabody's Bar & Grill:
Friday, Nov. 26 — 91 Octane.
Saturday, Nov. 27 — Soundvault.
Friday, Dec. 3 — The Whole Shabang.
Saturday, Dec. 4 — 8 East Band. Free.

Museum of Making Music:
Friday, Dec. 10 — San Diego Sound Project: Kathryn Schulmeister. Free.

Music Box:
Friday, Nov. 26 — Sammy Johnson.
Sunday, Nov. 28 — Mud Slide Slim.
Saturday, Dec. 4 — The English Beat.
Tuesday, Dec. 7 — Andrea Russett.
Thursday, Dec. 9 — Sharon Little and Ash Easton.
Friday, Dec. 10 — Paul Oakenfold.
Saturday, Dec. 11 — Balkan Bump and Red Giant Project.
Sunday, Dec. 12 — She Past Away, Forever Grey, Luna Negra.
Saturday, Dec. 18 — Don Carlos.
Sunday, Dec. 19 — Christmas with The Beatles.
Thursday, Dec. 23 — Sensi Trails and MDRN HSTRY.

Navajo Live:
Friday, Nov. 26 — Pink Froyd. \$10.
Saturday, Nov. 27 — Daring Greatly. \$10.
Sunday, Nov. 28 — Lady Psychiatrist's Booth. \$5.
Monday, Nov. 29 — Carrie & Z Boyz.

Observatory North Park:
Friday, Dec. 3 — Hirie and Tribal Theory.
Saturday, Dec. 4 — Blue October and Yam Haus.
Sunday, Dec. 5 — Courtney Barnett and Barteas Strange.
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Wednesday, Dec. 8 — Purity Ring.
Thursday, Dec. 9 — Purity Ring.
Saturday, Dec. 11 — The Garden.
Sunday, Dec. 12 — Lettuce and Chris Karns.
Monday, Dec. 13 — CHVRCHES.
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Friday, Dec. 3 — Back to the Garden: Sounds of the Laurel Canyon.

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Thursday, Dec. 2 — Through Being Cool ft. Empty Streets.
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Saturday, Dec. 4 — Runner and Skullcrusher.
Monday, Dec. 6 — Hovey Benjamin.
Tuesday, Dec. 7 — Jack Symes and Hot Moms Club.
Wednesday, Dec. 8 — Comeback Kid and No Warning.
Friday, Dec. 10 — Bury Your Dead and Ov Sulfer.
Saturday, Dec. 11 — Katzù Oso.
Sunday, Dec. 12 — Tennis System.
Saturday, Dec. 18 — Mock Orange.

Soma:
Sunday, Nov. 28 — TV Girl.
Friday, Dec. 3 — Tres Legados.
Saturday, Dec. 4 — Waterparks.
Thursday, Dec. 9 — Hot Flash Heat Wave.
Saturday, Dec. 18 — Kip Moore.

South Carlsbad State Beach Campground:
Sunday, Dec. 5 — Slack Key 'Ohana.
Friday, Dec. 17 — Slack Key 'Ohana.

Steele 94:
Saturday, Dec. 18 — Hee-Haw Party.

Sycamore Den:
Sunday, Nov. 28 — Tori Roze & Johnny Alexander.

Til-Two Club:
Friday, Nov. 26 — The Bobby Lees.

Tio Leo's:
Thursday, Dec. 2 — Chickenbone Slim.

Town and Country Hotel and Convention Center:
Friday, Nov. 26 — The San Diego Jazz Fest.
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Sunday, Nov. 28 — The San Diego Jazz Fest.

Viejas Arena:
Saturday, Dec. 4 — Christian Nodal and Gera MX.

Winstons Beach Club:
Friday, Nov. 26 — Band of Gringos. \$15-\$20.
Saturday, Nov. 27 — Band of

IMMORTAL BEAUTY

BY GARRETT HARRIS

The Nutcracker: old tradition, new names

Tchaikovsky's *The Nutcracker* has been cleared from quarantine and is returning to The Civic Theater. Those familiar with *The Nutcracker* as it has been performed at The Civic in the past will recognize this production. The San Diego Symphony will be playing the iconic score and 24 professional dancers, along with 70 students, will be performing the choreography of Jared Nelson.

The only difference is in the name of the producing company. Golden State Ballet has taken over *Nutcracker* duty after the demise of California Ballet. California Ballet went the way of most arts organizations that are founded and run by a charismatic leader. When it came time for that

leader to move on — after 50 years — the changing of the guard did not go well, and the organization fell apart.

Golden State Ballet picked up some of the pieces, and is now trying to forge a new company, one that started in the midst of a quarantine. I stopped by their offices and studio to chat with Artistic Director Raul Salamanca and Executive Director Magda O'Neill.

Speaking of charismatic founders: I found myself wanting to chat about the arts all day with Salamanca. I asked what he thought was the most important element of dance. "I'm a student of the art form," he replied, "and probably will continue to be for the rest of my life. That being said, I

believe the teacher/student relationship is the most important thing in art. You have to pass it on to somebody else. The history of this tradition is what brings me in. The feelings I receive from dance is what keeps me in. George Balanchine said that the arts show us the true world. I think that people who dedicate their lives to the arts are special people. These are unique people who see things in a different way. I do believe that for society to function, the arts need to be a part of it."

Magda O'Neill added, "It's also impossible to overstate just how much *The Nutcracker* is a part of the holiday tradition. For some families, it is the highlight



The holiday tradition returns: Tchaikovsky's *The Nutcracker*

of the entire season. We want to honor that and provide the best possible experience for families this holiday season. That's why we've secured The San Diego Symphony and gone all in."

As we were speaking, the professional dancers were rehearsing the famous *Pas de deux* with its descending major scale. The music

provided an inspiring soundtrack to the conversation we were having. I couldn't help but feel that there was something important and authentic going on in this new company.

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San Diego Opera: Michelle Bradley Soprano Michelle Bradley made her Company debut in the title role of *Aida* in

2019. She made notable debuts in Frankfurt as Leonora in *La Forza del Destino*, in Nancy, France and Erfurt, Germany as the title role in *Aida*, the Deutsche Oper

Berlin in staged performances of Verdi's *Requiem*, and returned to the Metropolitan Opera as Clotilde in *Norma*. The performance takes place in the Baker

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Belfast — There's no rush to see Kenneth Branagh's comedy of working class tumult. Chances are a week won't pass between now and Awards night where it won't be playing at a multiplex near you. But if the Irish brogues are as thick as they sound in the trailer, it might be wise to hold off for a streaming service with good closed-captioning. The cast is distinguished (Judi Dench, Ciarán Hinds, Jamie Dornan) and the black-and-white cinematography a plus, but its success will depend on one's tolerance for mainstream entertainment. 2021. (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Dune — If David Lynch couldn't make heads or tails of Frank Herbert's famously unfilmable novel, what was it about Denis Villeneuve that pegged him as the visionary needed to tame the 412-page beast? Sure, he did a splendid job of piloting the equally indomitable sequel to *Blade Runner*, but this time around, the future's not looking bright. Herbert's sci-fi touchstone posited a spice as the most valuable commodity in the universe. From the look of things, I'm guessing



Spencer: when viewed in context, the regal poster art becomes the stuff of nightmares.

color placed a close second. Somewhere between 2049 and 10191, the year in which *Dune* is set, it seems that Villeneuve lost the recipe for pigmentation. Everything about this production is colorless. To say it's not

an actor's film is an understatement. Other than Stellan Skarsgård's Jabba-rific Baron, there's not a memorable performance on view, least of all Timothée Chalamet's youthful hero. The point of his chin tucked hard against his windpipe prompts a ubiquitous downward-tilt of the forehead, like Bronte's tortured Heathcliff posing for a *Vanity Fair* layout. A sequel is in the works, but I'm done with *Dune*. 2021. — S.M. ● (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Encanto — Disney's latest tells the story of the only normie in a family of supers. 2021 (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Eternals — Director and co-writer Chloe Zhao gets her shot at a Marvel movie after making *Nomadland*. Hooray? 2021. (IN WIDE RELEASE)

The Eyes of Tammy Faye — Remember when celebrity biopics were relegated to the realm of TV movies? Now they've become a box office staple. On any given week, it's virtually impossible to set foot in a multiplex without having at least one celebrity impersonator from which to choose. Evangelical bamboozler Jim Bakker (Andrew Garfield) never saw his wife without her makeup. No one did. The soap or cold cream has yet to be invented that could wipe clean the face of Tammy Faye Bakker (Jessica Chastain), a painted-woman with mascara and eyebrows permanently inked by a tattooist's needle. The line between camp and credibility is a hard one not to blur, so director Michael Showalter (*The Baxter*, *Hello, My Name is Doris*) and his three screenwriters don't bother trying. According to this remake of the superior documentary by the same name, the blithe Bakkers were the same on screen and off. In the event this highly unlikely premise were true, it was the filmmakers' task to devise a manner in which to dramatize their cartoon swindlers. They didn't. 2021. — S.M. ● (CIN-EMA UNDER THE STARS)

The French Dispatch — Critical darling Wes Anderson's fans swear by him; his detractors curse under their breath. Like gorging on Cinnabon icing, Anderson's films are delicious at first,

but before long, the fastidious 4x3 center scan compositions and teeter-totter 'Scope camerawork combine to give one a stomach ache in the eyes. 2021. (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Ghostbusters: Afterlife — When you're lookin' to make good, in the sequel neighborhood, who ya gonna call? Your son Jason, if you happen to be Ivan Reitman, the director of the first two entries in the *Ghostbusters* franchise. It was just a matter of time before son followed in dad's ectoplasmic footsteps. If the PG rating and presence of dozens of miniature Marshmallow Men in the trailer are any indication, this has family fare written all over it. 2021. (IN WIDE RELEASE)

India Sweets and Spices — Infidelity and feminism are its core objectives, but you'll have to wait for first-time writer-director Geeta Malik to set aside her "chick-flick" cravings before she addresses the more pressing issues at hand. Over summer break, Alia (Sophia Ali) learns that her mother gave up her activist ways for a cushy arranged marriage to a serial philanderer. There's also the question of which boy Alia wants to spend her vacation with. One person's fluffy comedy is another's slow-burning drama. This is an even blend of both. The free-wheeling confessionals that cap the proceedings have sure-fire crowd-pleasing delight scrawled all over them. 2021. — S.M. ★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Julia — By far, the most controversial aspect of this Julia Child biopic is the production company: CNN, not PBS. Perhaps the latter shied away due to filmmakers Julie Cohen and Betsy West's assertion that the ageists at the top were poised to put to pasture the world's most beloved and respected chef, whose weekly cooking show helped put the "educational" channel on the map. She quit before they had the chance, taking her recipes up the street to ABC's *Good Morning America*, where wealth and fame awaited. What was the secret to her success? Well, a throat coated in maple syrup

could not have produced sweeter, more eloquent tones. More importantly, Child, who began her rise to power at the dawn of convenience food, encouraged viewers to create gourmet dishes with items found at the local supermarket. 2021. — S.M. ★★★ (ANGELIKA FILM CENTER AND CAFE)

No Time to Die — The series peaked with *On Her Majesty's Secret Service*, but the bean-counters at EON Productions considered it Ian Fleming's red-headed stepchild. The producers faulted George Lazenby, the first post-Connery 007, for the film's initial lack of grosses and canned him after one outing. The commonality between that film and this is the appearance of a second Mrs. Bond (Lea Seydoux). (The presence of Louis Armstrong's "We Have All the Time in the World" in these surroundings is frankly unclear.) The regular characters have changed much since the glory days of Connery. Q (Ben Whishaw) snacks on gummy worms. Christoph Waltz's exposition-spewing jailhouse cameo as Ernst Stavro Blofeld owes more to Hannibal Lecter than it does 007's nemesis-cum-brainsick foster brother. Dialogue exchanges are interminable and director Cary Joji Fukunaga's pacing is as thud-dingly tedious as anything Roger Moore had to offer. The smooth transition of power between Bond (Daniel Craig) and 007 (Lashana Lynch) could be just what the script doctor ordered. 2021. — S.M. ★ (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Ron's Gone Wrong — Animated tale that dares to ask the question, "Is technology really your best friend?" 2021. (IN WIDE RELEASE)

Spencer — An instant addition to any quality top ten list of favorite Christmas movies, the latest familial Grand Guignol to hatch from the superior mind of Pablo Larraín follows *Jackie* in the director's "tortured royalty" trilogy. (A capper is in the works, the subject as yet unnamed. How 'bout Dolores Hope?) I'd sooner break bread with the majorly dysfunctional clan on hand in the director's *Tony Manero*s than chill with these stiff upper-lipped upright icebergs. (What do Prince Charles and Joe Kennedy have in common? Both invited their mistresses to dine at family functions.) The action plays out over the course of the holiday weekend, a hellish time for the princess' royal case of PTSD to peak. No adult in the room will dare extend so much as a sympathetic glance her way. Her only "friend" is her dresser Maggie (Sally Hawkins, in a role once reserved for Thelma Ritter), her only playmates, her two young sons. The director told *Vulture* that he "couldn't care less about helping audiences 'understand' a character like Diana." But Larraín clearly extends more sympathy her way than he did Mrs. Kennedy. (*Jackie* ends with its subject sharing the frame with a department store mannequin.) It's the director's warmest, most compassionate work to date. But I'd still recommend bringing a muffler and gloves to the multiplex. 2021. — S.M. ★★★★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE)

tick, tick...Boom! — The decision to cast an African-American as the lead in the predominantly non-white *Hamilton* drew unanimous raves, but woke sleepyheads steered-clear of Lin-Manuel Miranda's *In the Heights* when its characters failed to pass the pigment test. His latest stars Andrew Garfield in a biopic based on the life of *Rent* creator, Jonathan Larson. 2021. (IN WIDE RELEASE)



Speaking with Christian McKay was the closest I would ever come to meeting Orson Welles in this lifetime. McKay (pronounced "Mc-KYE") made his screen debut in Richard Linklater's *Me and Orson Welles*, a boffo pre-*Citizen Kane* biopic set in 1937 that found Welles staging a modern dress production of *Julius Caesar* for his young Mercury Theater. The British-born actor graduated from the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art in 2001 and studied music at the University of York, the Royal College of Music, and Queensland Conservatorium.

— Scott Marks



Me and Orson Welles: all's Welles with Christian McKay.

ME AND ORSON WELLES (2008)

"This was my first film," McKay said with a laugh. "I didn't know what I was doing. I had the confidence of ignorance, but Richard very patiently taught me how to play this larger-than-life theatrical animal." Through the years, many have played Orson Welles

on film: Jean Guérin (*Heavenly Creatures*), Vincent D'Onofrio (*Ed Wood*, *Five Minutes, Mr. Welles*), Angus Macfadyen (*Cradle Will Rock*),

Liev Schreiber (*RKO 281*), Danny Huston (*Fade to Black*), Tom Burke (*Mank*), and even SCTV's John Candy have all tried their hand at bringing the Master to life. But none came close to capturing the look and timbre of Welles quite like McKay. The interview awaits your attention online.

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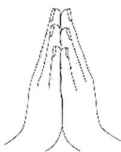


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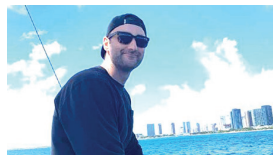
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Meditation In Movement. First class is free. Taoist Sanctuary of San Diego, (619) 692-1155 or www.taoistsanctuary.org.

ROOMMATES



\$1200/MONTH Hey! My name is Cam. I'm looking for a room. My max price is \$1200 including utilities. If you have any questions for me, feel free to ask! DM me at [facebook.com/cameron.fenley.9/](https://www.facebook.com/cameron.fenley.9/). Thanks for looking.

SPRING VALLEY \$500

Separate bedroom. Share utilities. Female preferred. Employed full-time required. Kitchen privileges. Laundry. No smoking. \$200 deposit. (619) 829-1504.

PET FRIENDLY A PLUS

Looking for a roommate, room, or studio. My budget is \$1400 max for the North Park, Hillcrest, Downtown, Mission/Fashion Valley areas. I work full time and I have an ESA dog I might bring

with me so pet-friendly would be a plus! DM my IG @jacyesteves



WE'RE MOVING TO SAN DIEGO

Hi everyone, my husband and I are looking for a studio for \$1400 for October. We are students and would like a studio for a long stay. Message me on FB: [facebook.com/amanda.lucila/](https://www.facebook.com/amanda.lucila/). Thanks!

PET LOVING ROOMMATES

My budget is \$900. I'm 23, work full time as a receptionist, and in my free time, I like to go to the dog beach/park with my two tiny chihuahuas. I'd love some roommates who also work full time and love pets. [facebook.com/katrina.matese/](https://www.facebook.com/katrina.matese/)

GASLAMP QUARTER & LITTLE ITALY

My friends and I are looking for a 2-bd place with a year lease and can afford up to \$2800/month, and prefer downtown SD, Gaslamp Quarter, Little Italy, & Bankers Hill. DM at [facebook.com/NathanAsher01](https://www.facebook.com/NathanAsher01)

ISO ROOMMATES OR HOUSEMATES

Repoting: My name is Eun Jeong, I just graduated with my master's in business analytics from Oregon and currently looking for a place to stay for a month in San Diego. My budget is \$700. FB: [eunjeong.heo.374](https://www.facebook.com/eunjeong.heo.374)



LOOKING FOR ROOMMATE!!

Hi! I'm Kyus, 23, and I have been in SD for three years. I make music/art, play video games, and I generally like any competitive/ outdoor activity. Looking for a spot no more east than La Mesa. I'm ok with any gender roommate, hopefully 420 Friendly

(619) 431-6001 / kyus.bailey2016@gmail.com

MOVING TO SAN DIEGO My friend Bri and I are moving to San Diego in August and are looking for a place with 2 available bedrooms! Bri is 22 and I'm 24. Bri also has an ESA dog. DM us on Facebook - Thanks for looking! [facebook.com/payton.renner](https://www.facebook.com/payton.renner)

ROOM FOR RENT

Rent weekly or monthly. (619) 869-5814 / rtgood2016@yahoo.com

CAT OWNER SEEKING HOUSEMATES

My ideal location is as East as La Mesa, as North as Mira Mesa, as South as Chula Vista. The budget is from \$700-\$900 including utilities. 25 y/o, I work full-time as an Animal Welfare Professional and have a 2 y/o cat. FB: [dezertdippin250](https://www.facebook.com/dezertdippin250)

MOVING TO SAN DIEGO

I am looking to move to California from Nebraska. I am 23 and I work remote at aaa life. I love to work out, go to the beach and be outside. Budget is 1,000 a month; message me on FB @ sophie.tokheim if we are a fit.

WANTED: MALE ROOMMATE

working person, references, long or short term in a beautiful home. \$60/month, \$200/deposit. Enquire at 4460 50th st, San Diego 92115. I will have a phone soon.

MISSION BAY ROOMIES?

I'm a 27 year old teacher from NY looking for a house with flatmates for ideally 1k or less/person. I prefer living with CLEAN and smoke free people. I'll be driving out the 1st week of Oct. Would love the Mission Bay area. Facebook: [alex.orteig](https://www.facebook.com/alex.orteig)

MOVED TO SAN DIEGO

I'm Meesh, 27, a freelance graphic designer, who just moved here from Philadelphia with my mini Aussie, Peep. I'm looking for a studio, 1 Bedroom or even an open room in an apt/ house. Facebook @ michelle.scannapieco

SAN DIEGO AREA

room for rent, male preferred, must have full time job, no smoking, \$699/month plus deposit, leave a message, (858) 599-1071, available now.

ROOMMATES/HOUSEMATES

Repoting again: I am actively seeking a room to rent. My max budget is \$900 with utilities included. Location w/ in East County, Mira Mesa, San Diego, Chula Vista. I work full-time. Please DM on FB @ [dezertdippin250](https://www.facebook.com/dezertdippin250)

SDSU ROOMMATE

I'm a Senior at SDSU and I am looking to rent a 1 Bedroom apartment in the San Diego area. My budget is around \$800-1250/month for rent. Please DM me on FB: @ Jalen Dumphord — Thank You!

HOUSEMATE IN NORTH PARK

There is a two-bedroom apartment that is about to become available and is located in North Park. I'm 30, female, from NYC/CT, and work from home; also convivial, adventurous, and down-to-earth. DM on FB @ alexisibre

NORTH PARK, HILLCREST, DT

Looking for a roommate, room, or studio. My budget is \$1400 max for the North Park, Hillcrest, Downtown, Mission/Fashion Valley areas. I work full time and I have an ESA dog I might bring with me so pet-friendly would be a plus! IG @jacyesteves

SANTEE, \$750

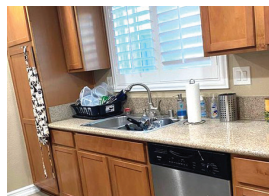
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add'l pets. Share util. (619) 499-9663, phone calls preferred.

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COLLEGE ROOMMATES



ADORABLE \$900 SPOT FOR STUDENT

2 rooms for rent near Imperial Beach townhome. Access to house, kitchen, and laundry. Shared bathroom with shower and there is a half bathroom downstairs. Rent is \$900 DM OP [facebook.com/marketplace/item/1943362612499024/](https://www.facebook.com/marketplace/item/1943362612499024/)



APT COMPLEX NEAR SDSU

Hi all, I am looking for a roommate to share the bedroom with me in a 1 bedroom apartment. The complex is called Villa Del Sol. The area is off-campus of SDSU. [facebook.com/Villa-Del-Sol-Apartments-106409991659182](https://www.facebook.com/Villa-Del-Sol-Apartments-106409991659182)



ISO A PRIVATE ROOM 2 RENT

ISO A private room to rent, preferably with my own bathroom, in a house or apartment. My budget ranges from \$700-\$900 including utilities. I'm 25 and have a 2-year-old neutered male cat. PLMK @ [facebook.com/dezertdippin250](https://www.facebook.com/dezertdippin250)

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PERFECT FOR CSUSM STUDENTS

Escondido suite has a private entrance with a full bathroom and a kitchenette, a small patio, and storage. No pet, no drugs, no abusive drinking, and/or partying. Must be respectful, clean, and considerate. Rent is \$1100 [facebook.com/commerce/listing/213176324227532/](https://www.facebook.com/commerce/listing/213176324227532/)

RANCHO BERNARDO PLACE

Currently living at this house that has 3 bedrooms (your potential room will be unfurnished), 2 baths (the hallway bathroom/your potential bathroom will be shared when guests are over). www.sublet.com/property/4680510

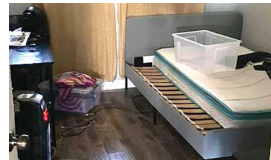


REACH COLLEGE STUDENT READERS

Do you need to rent out an extra room, sell old furniture, or hire good help? Reach our thousands of readers, many of who are college students, in two clicks @ www.sandiegoreader.com/classifieds/ www.sandiegoreader.com/classifieds/ (619) 235-3000 / post@sandiegoreader.com

SHARE A PLACE BY SDSU?

Gravity Apartments at 4560 Mission Gorge Pl, San Diego, CA 92120 is renting a studio for \$2,440 — wanna split rent here? It's like close to campus! [facebook.com/GravityApts](https://www.facebook.com/GravityApts) (619) 880-8340 / leasing@livegravityapartments.com



USD AND MESA COLLEGE

Perfect for 2022 Spring students at Mesa or USD colleges because of proximity. There is a swimming pool on the property as well :-). Check the Facebook page and message for prices and availability for the next semester. [facebook.com/riviera.deville](https://www.facebook.com/riviera.deville) (858) 279-6186

AZTEC PACIFIC APARTMENTS

Less than a mile from SDSU, Aztec Pacific apartment homes have a hip, retro design with spacious floor plans. Located at 6663 Montezuma Rd. [facebook.com/AztecPacificApartments](https://www.facebook.com/AztecPacificApartments) (833) 659-5779

BLVD63 BY SDSU

Repoting: XL room available for a lease take over in a V-Dub apartment. 3 females roommates neat and clean. No pets. Room rate is \$1174/month + utilities (~\$30/month). Lease expire the 07/24/2022 with possibility to extend. \$500 lease take over [facebook.com/william.prevast.758](https://www.facebook.com/william.prevast.758)

COLLEGE STUDENTS WELCOME \$529

The Lincoln Hotel is one of the last single room occupancy buildings remaining in downtown San Diego. It is on the national registry of historical buildings located downtown. \$529/month www.sublet.com/property/3825149



USD AND MESA COLLEGES

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SDSU ROOM Found this on FB -. 4540 60th St, San Diego, CA 92115-5416, United States. Looking for a roommate to stay in one of the bedrooms inside a nice 2 bed 2 bath condo nearby SDSU! facebook.com/joshua.baldwin.18

SDSU STUDENT IN SPRING I'm looking for a studio, 1-bedroom, or private room with a bathroom between \$1000 and \$1500. I prefer Hillcrest or near downtown SD. I'll be at SDSU in the spring. facebook.com/profile.php?id=100073424672224



2022 SDSU STUDENTS We are two 21-year-old girls, looking to rent a place/room for 5 months. We are both Swedish and we'll be studying at SDSU during spring 2022 as exchange students. So we need a place to stay. Direct message if you have anything. Thanks! facebook.com/ida.hertin.5

CSUSM & PALOMAR STUDENTS One opening at The Vibe House. The house has lots of light, 2 living rooms to chill, dance, play, yoga, co-working or meditate. Month to month. 2 weeks' notice. monthly included utilities at \$1,200 deposit \$500 www.thevibehousesd.com/purpose.thevibehousesd@gmail.com



LOOKING FOR ROOMMATES I just graduated with my master's in business analytics from Oregon and currently looking for a place in San Diego. My budget is \$700. Very welcoming your sublet, I don't mind sharing a room either. I don't smoke and don't have a pet. facebook.com/eunjeong.heo.374

MESA AND SDSU STUDENTS Found this adorable place for Mesa or SDSU students. It's a master bedroom for rent in Serra Mesa behind Frys off the 15 Freeway. \$1,100 per month and half the utilities. Facebook msg the OP facebook.com/yosimien.cain.7



OB ROOMMATES? My name is Cam and I'm looking for a room starting on 10/1. Preferably in OB but I'm open to other areas. I work near the airport. I like hiking and grabbing a beer with friends. I spend most of my time working or studying. Budget: 1200 Pls. DM me www.instagram.com/cam_fenley/

USD OR MESA COLLEGE ROOMMATES Reposting from FB: "House in mission beach". Hello everyone. I am looking for roommates for a FULLY furnished single bedroom and 2 shared bedrooms. Available from January 2022 until May 2022! facebook.com/benan.nan.10/

COLLEGE STUDENTS SPENCER'S IS HIRING Spencer's is hiring. www.spencers.com/ (800) 762-0419

CSUSM ROOMIES Repost: San Marcos rooms avail on Dec 1st. Rent: \$900/room+ \$550 security deposit. 3 bed 3 bath house (2 rooms available). DM for more info facebook.com/profile.php?id=1785634881

MOVING TO SAN DIEGO My friend Bri and I are moving to San Diego and are looking for a place with 2 available bedrooms! Bri is 22 and I'm 24. Bri also has an ESA dog. DM us on Facebook - Thanks for looking! facebook.com/payton.renner

NEED HELP IN SPANISH CLASS Are you in college and need help in Spanish class? We can help! facebook.com/EspEnTusManos?view_public_for=101163108502004 (619) 414-7736

PLACE BY SDSU? Ayo. I need a place to stay, preferably near SDSU, in a place where I have my own room. I'm chill with people from all walks of life. My budget is around 1600. Please DM me on Facebook. facebook.com/jackson.sutter.315

ROOMMATE IN CHULA VISTA Reposting: Hey everyone, I'm a student who is looking for a place in San Diego I can live while in my residency. I'm looking for a room to rent preferably around the Chula Vista area. My budget is around 1000/month. Can anybody help me out? facebook.com/deck.strose

SDSU AND GROSSMONT COLLEGES Found a person renting a living room in La Mesa close to the campuses. DM the original poster Facebook for more info. facebook.com/batya.bernstein/



COLLEGE FOR COURT REPORTERS Our Court Reporting Program provides the training, mentorship, and hands-on experience you need to become a certified court reporter. Court reporters are in high demand in CA! facebook.com/SouthCoastCollege/ (855) 314-5022 / admissions@southcoastcollege.edu

PACIFIC BEACH ROOMMATES? Hey! I'm looking for a private room/ roommate in Mission Bay or the Pacific Beach area. My budget is 1300. I am a wonderful roommate. Contact me on FB if you are interested. Thanks! facebook.com/savana.bjorklund.5

POSSIBLE ROOMMATES Saw on FB: Searching for a roommate now so you can come view the house and get to know you better.(I have a 5 bedroom 4 bath house. Renting out the downstairs room with its own private bathroom). We are looking for a roommate. \$1450 a month. facebook.com/Hazaee/

ROOMMATES BY UCSD Saw this on FB: A female roommate needed to take over a spot available in a double room (available immediately), to June 30, 2022. Located in La Jolla Village, DM the OP on Facebook. facebook.com/changholt

USD AND MESA COLLEGES Current housemates are male

USD graduate students and young working professionals in their 20s. 2 minutes of walking or biking to the USD campus or tram stop. Bus 44 stop and USD Tram are located right around the corner. 10 minutes bus ride to Mesa. sandiego.craigslist.org/csd/roo/d/san-diego-usd-furnished-bedroom-in/7358013615.html



SDSU ROOMIES LOOK HERE Hey there! I'm looking for someone to take over my lease at BLVD63 (which is right by SDSU) starting December 1st. It's a private room and bathroom for \$1024 a month. The entire apartment is shared with three others. facebook.com/BLVD63

SEEKING ROOMMATES I am looking for a private room to stay starting December. Preferably month to month, but can stay long term. Budget: \$900 a month including utilities. I currently am employed at two different places and I'm not home most of the time. facebook.com/jacqueline.sakai.9

STUDIO OR MASTER BEDROOM Repost: I'm looking for preferably a studio or else a master bedroom with an attached bathroom. My max budget for a studio is \$1200 (w/ utilities included). My max budget for a master bedroom is \$1000 (w/ utilities included). facebook.com/yellogo

ANY ROOMMATES AND HOUSEMATES? Sup. Anyone renting out a room under \$1000 a month? Trying to move into a place ASAP and I don't mind having roommates still. facebook.com/NathanAsher01

BY CITY COLLEGE Reposting: Takeover a Golden Hill room sublet/lease for \$850/mo + utilities. It's a spacious room in a 3 bd house with lots of built-in storage and a nice view of the outdoor patio. It's on a quiet street and it's centrally located. facebook.com/grace.roe.18

CAL STATE UNI SAN MARCOS It just got remodeled with new paint, a new floor, and is ready to move in this November. The only problem is street parking other than that it's a nice and quiet wonderful neighborhood. facebook.com/samuel.alejo.1257

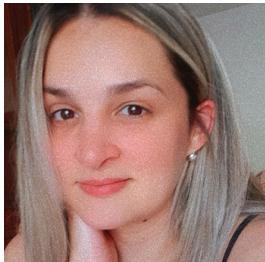
CLOSE TO MESA AND SDSU Hi fellow college students! I found this on FB, it's a. 1 of 3 bedrooms and it's available immediately! It is in Normal Heights, between the 805 + 15 freeways. DM for more details & an application link! facebook.com/mayra.recendez.9

GREAT FOR MESA & USD STUDENTS We are looking for a clean, quiet, and respectful housemate. We prefer no animals, drugs, and parties. It's a bright North Clairemont home with a spacious backyard. bungalow.com/rooms-for-rent/san-diego/cozy-ultra-quiet-north-clairemont-house?utm_source=alpaca&alpaca_channel=mini_chatbot

SDSU INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS Repost: Walk to SDSU (4 blocks). 2 bedrooms available for rent in 4 bedroom 2 bath house. Small room with private entrance \$950 (plus \$50 mo). Huge master bedroom with canyon view \$1250 mo. DM OP facebook.com/cindy.sharp.357

4 MIRA COSTA COLLEGE STUDENTS Reposting: I have two rooms available to rent. The first one is out by the pool (restroom inside the main house) and the second one is inside on

the second floor. \$1000 Message me for further details! facebook.com/michael.robledo



HUSBAND/WIFE STUDENTS Hi everyone, my husband and I are looking for a studio for \$1400 for October. We are students and would like a studio for a long stay. Message me on FB. Thanks! facebook.com/amanda.lucila/

ROOMMATE OR HOUSEMATE HERE Posting till I find a spot. I am actively seeking a room to rent. My max budget is \$900-1000/utilities included. The location is pretty open so long as it remains within **Encinitas, Del Mar, Rancho Peñasquitos. facebook.com/dezertdippin250

TAKE OVER ROOM Reposting again here — I'm looking for someone to move in as soon as next week as I am moving to Spain for a few months. facebook.com/lauren.kettnerborough

USD, UCSD, MESA COLLEGE Shared, 3 bathroom apartment. Location: Frink Avenue, North Clairemont. Monthly Rent: \$1,960 www.sublet.com/property/2819515

CITY COLLEGE STUDENTS Reposting again: Open spot in an apartment located in downtown, high floor. 2 bedroom apartment, with individual bathroom and walk-in closet. Big balcony and windows on rooms. I have a dog. \$1900+ utilities. facebook.com/piresrafaell/

COLLEGE STUDENT RN? Are you a student in San Diego County looking for a roommate, a job, cheap furniture, a spot to sell your books, free movie tickets, happy hour locales, or a club to rage at? Check SDReader.com or our free magazine on campus for more deets :-). facebook.com/ClassifiedsBySDReader (619) 235-3000 / post@sandiegoreader.com

PALOMAR COLLEGE Room with private entrance, and

bathroom, share utilities \$75 per month, large closet, Storage/ kitchenette area, near Palomar college, Cal State, public transportation, HWY 78, Call for more details. (760) 383-9122

ROOMMATES WANTED My name is Joao Pedro, I'm Brazilian and just graduated from college up in LA. But I'm doing an internship in San Diego so I want to move here. I love to surf, play soccer, and budget is around 1000\$. DM me facebook.com/joaopedro.intackli

UCSD ROOMMATES Looking for 1 male roommate (no doubles) to fill a single bedroom in a 3 br, 2.5 ba townhome by UTC. 8 minute car ride and 15 min bus to UCSD. You will be living with three guys. Saw this on FB facebook.com/matthew.dzoan

\$900 ROOM Room for rent \$900; a private room with a private bathroom. It also has a private entrance. DM if interested facebook.com/betsy619/

COLLEGE CABIN RETREAT Retreat to Big Bear with your classmates. The 1500 square feet two-bedroom, two-bathroom plus loft home will comfortably accommodate four guests, eight with the extra futon beds in loft and living room. www.getlostinn.com facebook.com/GetLostInn contact@getlostinn.com

COLLEGE STUDENTS MOVERS I am a grad student; my team and I have been in the moving business for more than 2 1/2 years we are doing this to help pay for our tuition. We are all Tall guys with strong and athletic bodies. We do discounts for all college students. (858) 208-0775

CSUSM AND PALOMAR STUDENTS Private, spacious furnished/unfurnished single occupancy studio room available. Centrally located in New Encinitas. Studio is 400 sq ft, private bathroom, kitchenette, and beautiful view from your window. \$2500 - message poster on Facebook for info facebook.com/judy.l.nelson

PB, EAST VILLAGE, LA JOLLA? I'm going to school to become a professional hairdresser; in my free time I love to be outside in nature, hiking, going to the beach, exploring new areas, meeting new people. ISO roommates? DM me on IG: Travelingbumblebee

www.instagram.com/Travelingbumblebee/

SDSU MARKETING STUDENT I'm a Senior at SDSU and I am looking to rent a 1 Bedroom apartment in the San Diego area. My budget is around \$800-1250/ month for rent. Please DM me on FB: @ Jalen Dumphord — Thank You! facebook.com/profile.php?id=10007142185

SDSU ROOMMATES OUT THERE? I've found a house near SDSU (5 mins walk). Looking for 3 more roommates to sign a lease with ASAP! Looking for people who are outgoing, like to explore and can be friends with! Pm me for further details of the house or any questions! facebook.com/nupur.chunawala

SDSU STUDENT ROOMMATE I'm Robert, I'm transferring from the Bay Area to San Diego for SDSU. I'm looking for 2-3 roommates who already have a place and are just looking for 1 more. FB: robert.baghdasaryan.7. IG: _baghdasar www.instagram.com/_baghdasar/

SEEKING A ROOMMATE I'm looking for a room to rent towards October. Open to living with any gender. My budget is \$1200 max! I'm 28, naturally outgoing but can keep to myself if need be. Basketball is LIFE & I love the outdoors. DM my IG www.instagram.com/ThatGuyNamedDre/

CLOSE TO SDSU/GROSSMONT Hey female-identifying persons! I have two rooms for rent. 1 is a regular room with shared bathroom, 11ft X 13ft. That room is \$1000/month with all utilities included. Other is 22ft by 15ft. -\$1450/month. facebook.com/sarin.parris/

COLLEGE HOUSE WITH POOL 3Bd/3Ba house for rent in a very chill community in between Bay Park and Mission Valley. -Literally a 2 minute walk to USD. -10 min drive to SDSU. -10-15 min drive to UC. 1 room -\$1450/month + utilities. MSG OP on FB @Lufyrb facebook.com/Lufyrb

ISO HOUSEMATES I'm looking to rent a room asap since I'm couch surfing right now. I'm looking to spend around \$1000 but can maybe go a little more. I'm working 7 days a week and when I actually have free time I am gaming or watching tv. facebook.com/austin.krooswyk

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COLLEGE STUDENT MOVERS

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MIRAMAR COLLEGE STUDENTS

Moving to San Diego for work. I love the outdoors - hiking, climbing, surfing, etc. Looking for a van-boarding situation, AKA I'd pay you partial rent for a place to park my van and a few basic amenities. ISO of a spot by Miramar College. facebook.com/trinity.locker

SDSU STUDENT ISO

ROOMMATES Hello, I need a place to move into as soon as possible. I only need it for 3 months until I finish school at SDSU, flexible with location and price. Please let me know via Facebook direct message. facebook.com/profile.php?id=100011562247879

APARTMENT BY SDSU

Apartment for rent at the Suites on Paseo by SDSU. Fully furnished room, ready to move in. The apartment includes a TV with cable, air conditioning, a spa, and a gym. www.sublet.com/property/4626547

BUYING SWC COLLEGE BOOKS

This store buys used Southwest College books facebook.com/Otay-Books-437860740018652 (619) 216-3636

CITY COLLEGE ROOMMATES

Private room downtown available Aug. 1 for a two bed/two bath unit! Close to City College, with a swimming pool, jacuzzi, fitness center. It even has a basketball court and tennis court! Perfect for college students. facebook.com/chris.olory

COLLEGE VIEW APARTMENTS

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PERFECT FOR COLLEGE ROOMMATES

Found this place on FB. Five bedroom home with three full baths. 2,000 square feet. Large lot with plenty of yard. Lots of upgrades for modern living including dual laundry areas located inside and in the garage, facebook.com/commerce/listing/1023110341596177/

SDSU STUDENT HERE

Hey everyone, I'm doing my semester abroad at SDSU and still need a spot in a shared bedroom or private bedroom as I'm living in a hostel in downtown at the moment. Budget \$1000 per month. facebook.com/leonardo.cofone.3

STUDENT FROM SDSU

ROOMMATE Budget: Max of \$1100/month. I hope you'll consider me as your future roommate. I'm 22 years old, finishing up my last year at SDSU as an Environmental Science Major I'm tidy, respectful, and will give you space, without being a stranger. facebook.com/maren.appert

CSUSM STUDENTS

Found this on FB. I am looking for someone to take over my room in the Escondido area. The room comes with private restroom, and an extra hallway closet as well as free parking. Access to kitchen and living room area. facebook.com/yessica.ramirez.39

SAN CARLOS ROOMMATE?

Saw this 3 bd/2 ba house located on Lake Baca Street in San Carlos by State! Has brand new vinyl flooring throughout house. 2

'Tis the season to get the kids fishing

Dock Totals 11/7 - 11/13:

2078 anglers aboard 101 trips out of San Diego landings this past week caught 700 bluefin tuna (up to 248 pounds), 22 bonito, 566 calico bass (275 released), 14 dorado, 2 halfmoon, 1 halibut, 17 lingcod, 152 lobster (120 released), 297 rockfish, 60 sand bass, 10 sanddab, 532 sculpin, 226 sheephead, 14 skipjack tuna, 762 whitefish, 13 yellowfin tuna, and 1044 yellowtail.

Saltwater: Even though there are still big bluefin hanging around the outer banks, offshore fishing is rolling into a more winter-like hit-and-miss outing for boats running one-to-three-day trips. Yellowfin tuna and dorado have thinned off the northern Baja coast as well, although the yellowtail bite has been consistent outside of the Coronado Islands and off kelp paddies found floating 15 to 30 miles out from the border to south of Ensenada. As the counts reflect, bottom fishing for rockfish, sculpin, whitefish, lingcod, and sheephead has picked up as the surface action slows. Half and three-quarter day boats are finding good fishing for their anglers from the high spots off Point Loma to the lower 9 Mile Bank. With the good action on the bottom, this is a good time to take the youngsters for their first fishing trip.

I have read that most avid anglers have their first fishing experience when they are 16 years-old or younger. I don't remember my first fishing outing; my early fishing memories are melded together in a collage of scenes from San Diego's beaches, piers, Lindo Lake, and Baja - all places my parents or grandparents took us when my brother and I were just out of diapers. That is because they loved to fish and dragging the rug-rats along was probably easier than finding a sitter. That said, we were taught the basics early on, they didn't just plop us babies down in a tide pool while the older kids and adults stocked up on freezer-filling fish. My early fishing memories include catching opaleye from the bluffs at Sunset Cliffs, trout in the lakes and rivers of northeastern Arizona, tuna and yellowtail coming over the rail of a sportfishing boat offshore, and dropping my grandfather's prized rod off Imperial Beach Pier.

Grandpa Malody was always tinkering with projects around the house when he retired. In finding ways to occupy time after 40 some-odd years of working as a machinist, he took up various activities like upholstery, gardening, and rod building. He had an older split-bamboo rod that; he stripped it, retied guides, added a new seat and handle, and clear-coated it to perfection. He attached a Penn Long Beach reel and it was



CREDIT: DOLPHIN SPORTFISHING

A deckhand holds an estimated 30-pound sheephead for the happy young angler who caught it during a youth outing aboard the Dolphin out of Fisherman's Landing.

the adult-sized rod. I made a show of being a great fisherman and was puffed up with pride. As I raised the tip from the rail it pulled down hard and one woman said, "I think you have a bite!" As I was taught, I jerked it up to set the hook into what I was sure was a big fish - only I had hooked the piling and the rod slipped out of my hands, flipped over the rail, and fell. Of all my mixed memories of fishing in my youth, that one stands out clearly. There was no oath I remember, no yelling, just grandpa laughing and shaking his head.

To this day, I point rods skyward when among people, and I let the fish "set the hook" when bit. I practice fishing etiquette when fishing around others, and to be honest, I use a lot of what I was taught as a young angler in all walks of life today. For parents (and grandparents), fishing can be a great way to instill social manners, teach biology, encourage conservation, and provide a healthy outdoors experience for kids at any age. As I found, it is also a way to get a break from rambunctious kids with cabin fever. This time of year, especially, provides lots of opportunities for such outings. In the fall/winter months, half day boats tend to concentrate on the reefs holding rockfish and other bottom biters that are targeted by simple, easy-to-teach methods. Organizations, like Captain Rollo's Kids at Sea, offer fishing trips to kids that otherwise do not get much of a chance to get out on the water.

Captain Rollo's Kids at Sea hosts about 5000 kids per year on their marine-awareness fishing trips. The young anglers come from schools, non-profits, and community organizations that make a priority of serving disadvantaged, physically challenged, disadvantaged, and at-risk youth, and, thanks to their donors, there is no cost to the schools, children and their families. If interested in joining or supporting a Captain

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DANIEL POWELL

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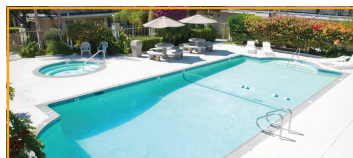


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“Whenever I go to a brand-new spot, it’s always really special.”



24-year-old Mike surfs Stone Steps, Leucadia.

Are you a local?

Yes

How long have you been surfing?

Probably close to ten or twelve years. I have been in the water my whole life. My dad was a big-time surfer back in the day. He always tried to get me out on a board, but I just wanted to play in the waves. That changed when I didn't have much else to do in my free time and most of my friends surfed.

Favorite surfing moment?

Any time I surf a novel spot. Surfing out here some days can be pretty

incredible; when the conditions are good, and its all lined up, and no one is really out there. Whenever I go to a brand-new spot, it's always really special.

Have you had any cool wildlife experiences?

Yeah, I see dolphins, sharks, seals, the whole bit. I've seen a couple of great white sharks out there. It's kind of weird. Ten years ago, it wasn't a thing, but now whenever I'm out there, I'm aware. One of the times I saw [a great white] it was right in front of me, but it was really small. I figured it would just swim away,

so I stayed out surfing. Another time, it was a bit bigger so I paddled in. A different time, a great white breached. This one was probably 12 to 14 feet. I was down here in Leucadia at Stone Steps. I paddled in.

Have you had any crazy injuries?

Yeah, [surf injuries] kind of got me into my career. I'm going into physical therapy. At the moment, I'm a personal trainer. I have gotten a couple of whiplash injuries from getting sucked over a wave. I hit my head on the reef and another time on the

sand. I've taken a couple of boards to the face. I think overall, for as risky as surfing can be, there are situations where things seem riskier than they really are. It's all luck. It's always been on the smallest waves that I got the most injured. Whenever it's really big and crazy, I'm fine.

Advice to new surfers?

Take your time, know what you're doing. Be aware of your surroundings. If you really, really want to get into it, spend as much time as you can out there. Knowing how to read the ocean does not come overnight.

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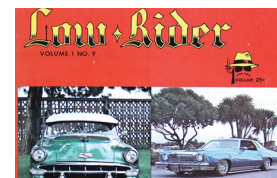
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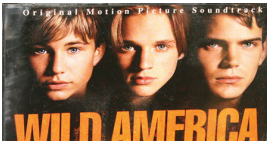
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Across

1. Start watching a TV show, say
7. Barbershop job
11. "Oh, give ____ break!"
14. Sleek and chic
15. 1985 U.S. Open champ Mandlikova
16. Ctrl-____-Del
17. Like Netflix movies, at first
18. On any occasion
19. ICU figures
20. Stonewall ____ (1969 uprising site)
21. "Peer Gynt Suite" composer
22. Caesar's lucky number?
23. Patel of "Slumdog Millionaire"
25. Stare at in a creepy way
27. Going out with
29. MLB stat
30. Co. captains?
31. Like some patches
32. Holm of "The Hobbit"
33. Go crazy with, in a way
34. Comedian Notaro
35. "Dagnabbit!"
37. One who delivers
39. Ace Hardware offerings
43. Univ. near Albany
45. Tiny bit
47. Like freshly brewed coffee
48. Plays the role of
51. Privy to
52. Dig up dirt
53. Outback automaker

54. Grp. that added North Macedonia in 2020
55. Defib expert
56. Confucian path
57. Foaming at the mouth
59. "Blueberries for ____" (classic children's book)
61. Where remains may remain
62. Parched, as a desert
63. Indian drums similar to bongos
66. Stub hub?
67. Music halls of old
68. Two-time Oscar winner Jackson
69. Middle of dinner?
70. Linguist Chomsky
71. "How curious ..."

9. Grabby kid's demand
10. *Cantina request
11. Motown great Gaye
12. Pacific weather phenomenon
13. Twitter handle starter
21. Melancholy
23. Smidgen
24. Where Warren Buffett sells an annual lunch date for charity
26. Test with a Social Studies sect.
28. Neighbor of Ghana and Benin
36. Bear in two constellations
38. "Hidden Figures" actress Janelle
40. *"Over my dead body!"
41. Hover ominously
42. Editor's "Don't change that"
44. "Absolutely!"
46. Tater ____
48. Hard to fool
49. Alfonso with two Oscars for Best Director
50. Steak orders
58. Length x width, for a rectangle
60. \$5 bills, slangily
63. ____ Fridays
64. Put two and two together?
65. Dejected

Down

1. "____ Good" (Panda Express slogan)
2. Bygone channel that aired "Veronica Mars"
3. *Common swimming pool decree ... or what can be seen in the answers to this puzzle's starred clues
4. Activist Brockovich
5. *"You're talking apples and oranges"
6. Big Apple initials
7. *Coaching cliché
8. Shankar who taught sitar to George Harrison

SOLUTION TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE:

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🏆 Marquis Youngblood, Lincoln Acres, 1.

Name: _____
City: _____ Email: _____

SUDOKU

EVIL:

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— The U.S. Navy revealed that its \$3 billion nuclear-powered attack submarine USS *Connecticut* managed to run into an under-sea mountain on Oct. 2 in the South China Sea, CNN reported. The *Connecticut* was able to make it to Guam under its own power, and the Navy said its nuclear reactor was unharmed, but 11 seamen suffered minor injuries. In response to the incident, Vice Adm. Karl Thomas determined that "sound judgment, prudent decision-making and adherence to required procedures in navigation planning, watch team execution and risk management could have prevented the accident," and released the sub's top officers from their posts. But David Sandwell, a professor of geophysics, said less than half the sea floor is mapped in that area. "It's not surprising that you could run into something."

Awesome!

— Archaeologists in Israel have found a gold ring with a purple stone, believed to be amethyst, that they believe was used to ward off hangovers. The ring, dated to between the 3rd and 7th centuries, was discovered in the ruins of an ancient wine factory, United Press International reported. The Israeli Antiquities Authority said the ring probably belonged to a wealthy person who may have worn the ring to counteract the "side effects" of wine. The winery was known for its white Gaza variety.

A Man and His Truck

— Because of his battle with an incurable disease, Don Adan Arana of Puerto San Carlos, Mexico, was unable to enjoy the pickup truck his son had recently given him. Before he died, Arana told his family that he'd like to be buried in the truck so that he could make up for lost time driving it in the afterlife, *Oddity Central* reported. On Nov. 4, a crane was used to lift the truck into a brick-lined tomb, and Arana's coffin was placed in the truck's bed. However, Arana's family may have to pay a fine, as they didn't receive authorization for the unconventional interment.

Can't Possibly Be True

— In a study published in the December issue of the *Journal of Environmental Psychology*, researchers from Furman University asked children ages 4 to 7 to identify whether certain foods come from plants or animals, and which things were OK to eat. The results were shocking, as *Oddee.com* reported: About a third of the kids thought eggs came from plants. Forty percent thought hot dogs and bacon were vegetables. Almost half thought french fries were animal-based. More than a third thought chicken nuggets were plant-based, even though the word "chicken" is right there in the name. Another third said fish were not OK to eat. Seventy-six percent said cows were not OK to eat. We have some work to do, folks.

Recurring Themes

— The *Boulder* (Colorado) *Daily Camera* reported that 39-year-old Jon Charles Streckenbach is facing charges of first-degree arson, criminal mischief and possession of a controlled substance after he used a blowtorch to rid his mother's home of cobwebs on Nov. 2. He said he was using the torch in the crawlspace under the basement, and worked for an hour to put out the resulting fire before calling for help. His mother had a protection order against him but had been allowing him to stay with her because he was homeless. The flames caused \$100,000 in damages – but the cobwebs are gone!

Undignified Death

— A 30-year-old man who was fishing with two friends in Brasilandia de Minas, Brazil, met a bizarre death on Oct. 31, *Newsweek* reported. When a swarm of bees surrounded the men, all three jumped into the lake to escape them. Two managed to swim to safety, but authorities believe the third man drowned and then was torn apart by piranhas. Fire department personnel found his body about 4 meters from the shoreline.

Inexplicable

— Firefighters in Syracuse, New York, were called to the Landmark Theatre on Nov. 5 after a person was heard calling for help inside the building, Fox News reported. An unidentified 39-year-old man was stuck behind a wall in the theater bathroom, com-

pletely naked, and was believed to have been there for two to three days. It was unclear how he managed to get behind the wall, but firefighters had to cut through several layers of drywall and structural tile to free him. Syracuse Deputy Fire Chief John Kane said the victim appeared to be uninjured and would probably be treated for dehydration.

Wait, What?

— "Appropriate disciplinary action has been taken" in Hazard, Kentucky, after photos surfaced on social media allegedly depicting students giving lap dances to high school staff, *USA Today* reported. The incidents from Oct. 26 were part of homecoming week; Superintendent Sondra Combs said festivities included a "man pageant," which somehow led to the lap dances by scantily clad students. One of the grateful recipients was the school's principal, Donald "Happy" Mobelini, who is also the mayor of Hazard. "Using this as a teachable moment," Combs said, "we will provide social media training for our students and staff." But, she emphasized, the district "has a tradition of excellence and academics and everything we do" — apparently including suggestive bumping and grinding.

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Fishing with the kids does not have to break the bank; in California, children 15 or younger do not need a fishing license, though lake fees may apply. Surf fishing from the beaches or piers is free, and a half-day trip on a sportfishing vessel runs about \$60 per head, though they often run specials for youth. If looking for some peace and quiet, or just for new activities for the kiddos, fishing is a wholesome outdoor activity that can prove educational opportunities that can stay with a person for life. Trust me. Get (the kids) out and get 'em!

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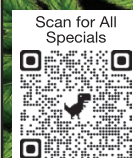
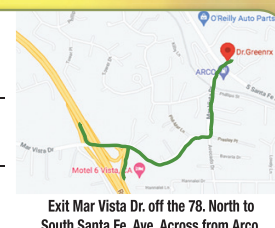
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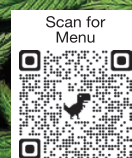
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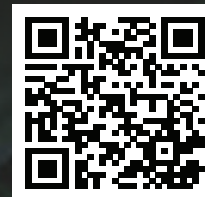
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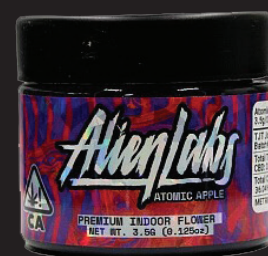
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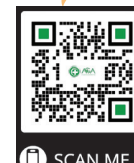


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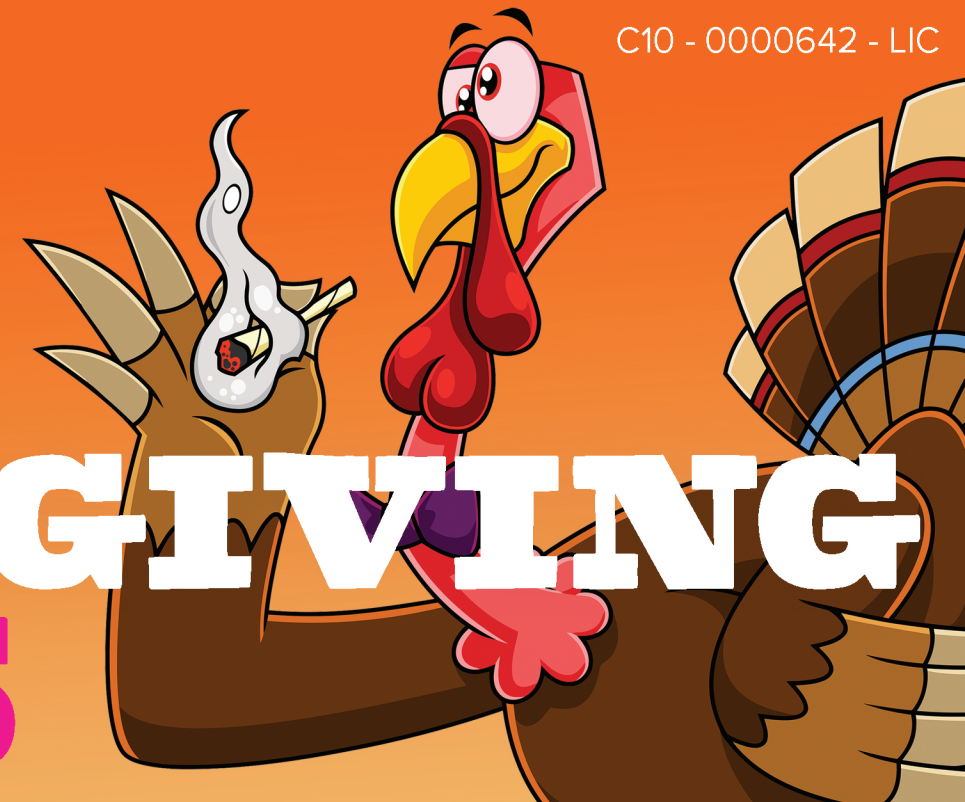
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