

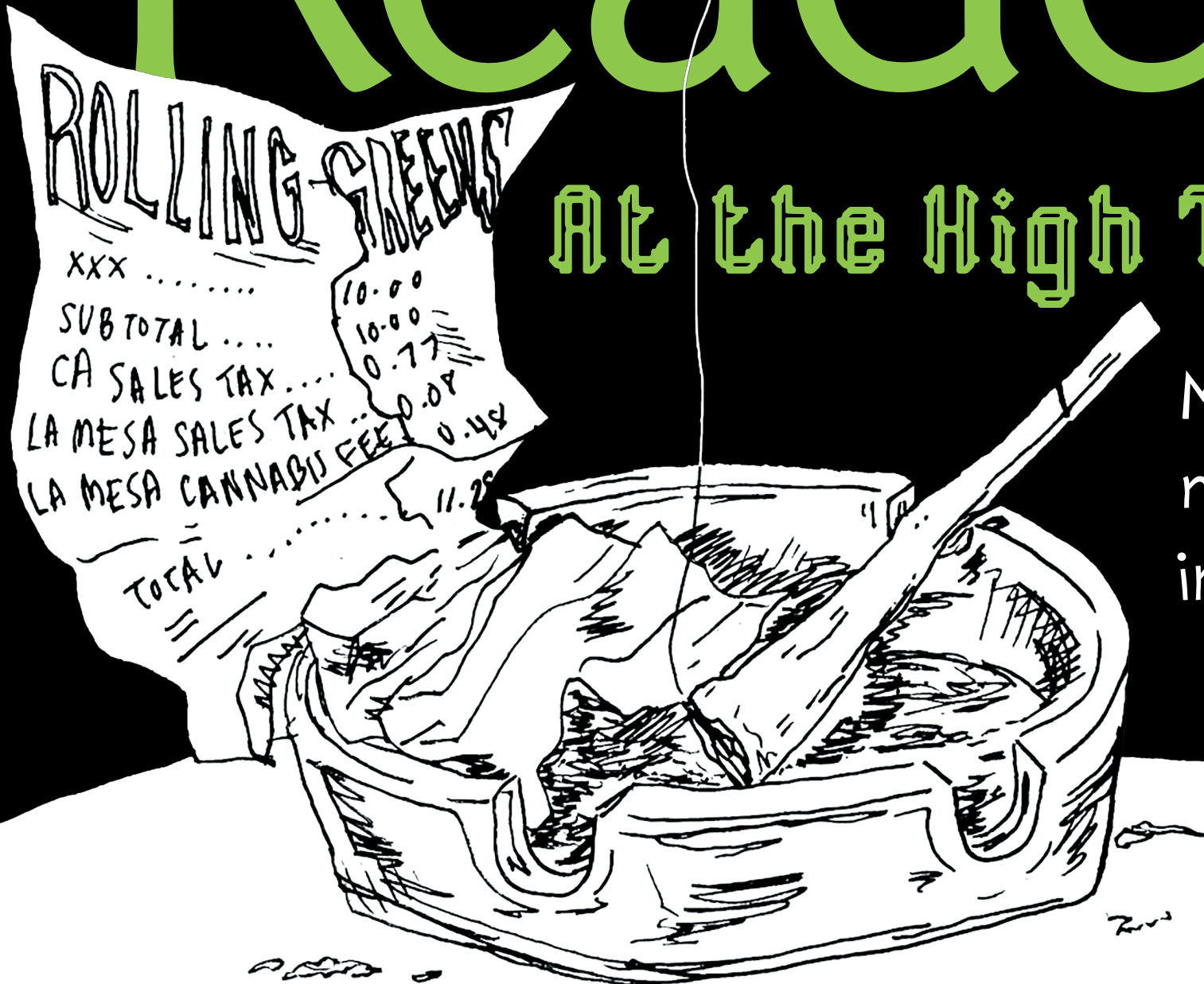
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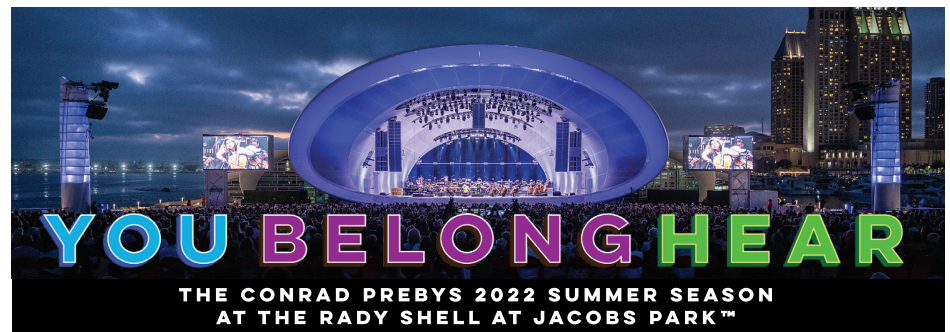


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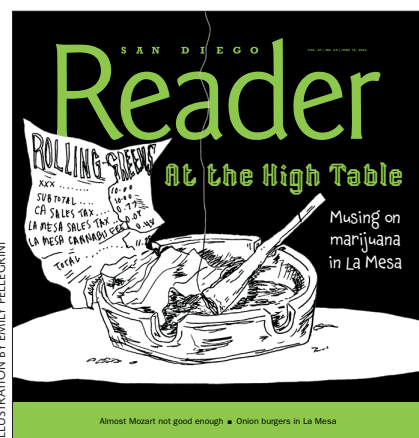


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ON THE TRAIL

## The long and winding road... ...to getting the River Park Trail completed

The County of San Diego Department of Parks and Recreation is working to construct a seamless network of trails that will follow the route of the San Diego River from the mountains down to the coast. But while the project, named The San Diego River Park Trail, has been in progress for decades, it remains in the planning stages. Now, however, it seems to have new momentum after the county board of supervisors recently prioritized it. Lizzy Bendrick, the trails pro-



The finished trail could end up longer than the 52-mile corridor of the river it is designed to follow.

Diego connecting the mountains to the coast rings a bell, you may be thinking of the Coast to Crest Trail. It's a similar project that begins near Julian, but heads north and west into the mountains through Santa Ysabel and Pamo Valley before descending toward Lake Hodges

from Ocean Beach to Lakeside is composed of completed trail and sidewalk segments, along with some planned trail segments. As the trail heads northeast from Lakeside towards Julian, the route seems less defined — proposed trail segments are shown with a large chunk of the Trans-County Trail (a 155-mile trail system that runs from the eastern boundary of San Diego County near the Salton Sea to Torrey Pines State Natural Reserve) connecting two segments. Portions of the system will include trails on both sides of the river, so the overall mileage length of the entire trail system will surpass the actual 52-mile corridor of the river that it is designed to follow.

Mark Buckley, a representative from ECONorthwest — a company working with the county to develop funding options for the trail system — mentioned that once you get upstream of the El Capitan Reservoir, in what he referred to as the “upper headwaters section of the trail,” the route was not yet planned, but that the intention was to avoid tribal lands in that region. “So, the route is going to take a wider path away from the river, and it's not clear what that path will be right now. We're talking to the Forest Service; the longer and the lower grade the trails, the more expensive they can be. The more direct and potentially steeper, the less expensive it can be to develop those kinds of trails, depending on what you have to cut through — granite and things like that.” In essence, depending on how much funding the project receives, this section of the trail system may serve as more of a challenge than much of what you would find in regions such as Mission Valley and Santee.

Speaking of funding, that is exactly what the county is trying to figure out right now — where is the money for this project going to come from? “In March 2021, the county board of supervisors chair Nathan Fletcher assembled a task force related to the San Diego River Park,” Bendrick explained. “One of the issues identified by the task force was that there is no set funding source to acquire land, implement trails, and complete other projects along the river and for ongoing operations and maintenance. One of the outcomes of the task force was that a long-term funding mechanism was needed to turn this long-term vision into a reality.”

Funding options mentioned during the meeting included state and federal grants, fees and charges associated with private development, infrastructure tax districts and local community, voter-approved taxes and fees. A funding report will be presented to the county board of supervisors this summer and it could be a critical step in making this patchwork trail system a reality. Judging by the Coast to Crest Trail though, don't expect all the pieces of the puzzle to fall into place in the next couple of years.

DRYW KELTZ

DEL MAR

## Beach bummer

Bluff buttressing shrinks sandy shores



Sea wall? How can you not? It's huge!

A multi-phase project to armor the Del Mar bluffs has reached another crossroad. On June 8, a series of controversial repairs was reviewed for approval by the California Coastal Commission. Del Mar Bluffs 5, the next-to-last phase of work to protect the train which runs atop the landslide-prone bluffs, is expected to begin in early 2023. The work, led by the San Diego Association of Governments and North County Transit District, will add more soldier piles, improve drainage, and extend the sea wall by 2000 feet along a 1.6-mile stretch between Coast Boulevard and Torrey Pines

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“The vision is to establish a trail system from the mountains to the ocean... potentially, the town of Julian down to the mouth of the Pacific Ocean at Ocean Beach.”

gram manager for the county, spoke about the River Park Trail during a recent public meeting. “The vision is to establish a trail system from the mountains to the ocean,” she said. “So, potentially, the town of Julian down to the mouth of the Pacific Ocean at Ocean Beach. This connected system will serve as a unifying thread. The main trail is called the San Diego River Trail, which is a multi-purpose path for pedestrians, cyclists and equestrians in some areas.”

If the idea of seamless trail system in San

and eventually reaching the ocean in Del Mar. For its part, The San Diego River trail appears to be following the Coast to Crest model of using established trails and planning to build new ones to fill in the blanks. (The Coast to Crest Trail has been in the works for decades, and still has large, unconnected swaths of land near Lake Sutherland and the San Dieguito River, along with other shorter stretches that need to be connected.)

Judging by a map shown during the meeting, the portion of the route which spans



Part of Mission Valley sidewalk that would be incorporated into trail.



## Junk mailed

Lady pol's suit claims that chocolate organ has no redeeming social qualities

Can a Ventura County supervisor legally use campaign money to sue a San Diego company called Dick at Your Door to force it to identify the sender of a chocolate penis during a nasty recall battle?

Yes, said the California Fair Political Practices Commission in a February 22 advice letter to Linda Parks: "This legal action is directly related to a political or governmental purpose as it arises out of your activities, duties and status as an elected officer and the recall effort of your elected position status. Therefore, the attorney fees and costs in connection with this litigation are directly related to a political and governmental purpose pursuant to Section 89514 and the expenditure is within the lawful execution of the trust imposed by Section 89512."

Continued the letter, "On June 9, 2021, while signatures were being gathered for the recall petition, you received a package at your personal residence, from an anonymous person sent through a company. The package contained a life-size chocolate penis in a box that says, 'Congratulations! YOU DESERVE IT' on the outside, and other vulgar messages on the inside of the box."

"The box also included the message, 'Honorable Linda Parks, enjoy early retire-



Linda Parks: not amused by dirty delivery.

You are concerned that the publicity around this event may chill others from running for public office. You think it is important that the identity of the sender be known for purposes of transparency, for example if the sender is a major donor in local campaigns, as it may affect the person's influence in political campaigns.

"You are also currently receiving anonymous harassing text messages regarding a particular development project and think this action may have been intended to intimidate and dissuade you in performing your duties regarding decisions about the project."

The recall drive against Parks failed when backers fell short of gathering 11,067 signatures by mid-September of last year, according to VCStar.com. "Recall backers

kicked off the drive to oust Parks in early April, largely because she had cracked down on local businesses and a church that disregarded restrictions the county had imposed to limit the spread of COVID-19," the paper reported September 14, 2021. "Petitioners attempted to collect signatures as late as Monday at a voting center in Newbury Park. Lunn said sheriff's deputies were called after the signature-

gatherers refused to stop approaching voters and again when a signature-gatherer followed a poll supervisor into the voting center. Deputies talked to the group and others at the center at Newbury Park High and determined no crime had been committed, Sheriff's Capt. Dean Cook said."

On March 15, Parks filed suit against Dick at Your Door, Rain Parade LLC, an allegedly related entity, and two San Diego men said to be principals of the business, in Ventura County Superior Court. "On or about June 5, Defendants and each of them caused to be delivered to Plaintiff's home in Ventura County a 'chocolate Dick,' an offensive 5-inch chocolate phallus with no redeeming social qualities, whatsoever," the complaint says.

According to the Ventura County Superior Court's online registry, the most recent action in the case was "Proof of Service of 30-day Summons & Complaint" mailing filed by Parks April 19.

Matt Potter



ment. Thank you, Casa Conejo residents' taped to the underside of the box. A separate card in the box stated, 'Confused? See if the sender left you a message' and provided the website and name of the company sending the package and messages.

"You learned that company that sent the package is a limited liability company in San Diego. The business has refused to disclose the sender to you. You believe that the anonymous sender chose a novelty item that crosses the line from free speech to threatening a female public official with implied sexual violence. You state that it is without question a dangerous time to be female and a public servant and you note recent harassment events of female public officials covered by the news media.

"The package and message referenced the campaign to recall you from your elective office and occurred during the recall attempt. You believe this was sent to you because you are a female elected official.

# UNDER THE RADAR

**Billionaires served** One of San Diego's most politically influential couples has had a notable run of late, thanks to a campaign contribution of nearly \$100,000 from billionaire Qualcomm co-founder **Irwin Jacobs** and his wife **Joan**, and a Tijuana junket paid for by a group backed by the liberal Open Society Foundation, a **George Soros** co-founded non-profit. On April 21, per disclosure filings, the Jacobs each kicked in \$49,000 to a campaign committee calling itself Residents for a Brighter Chula Vista, Supporting **Ammar Campa-Najjar** for Mayor. The unmarried Campa-Najjar, who lost to Republican **Darrell Issa** in a 2020 50th District House battle, is, per multiple sources, in a relationship with similarly unmarried 53 District Democratic Congresswoman **Sara Jacobs**, granddaughter of Joan and Irwin Jacobs, who live in La Jolla. As of the latest count, Campa-Najjar had a narrow lead for second place in the Chula Vista race, setting him up to run against first-place finisher, Republican Councilman **John McCann**.

Meanwhile, Sara Jacobs picked up considerable national publicity on a tour of Tijuana paid for by The Council for Global Equality. In an April 5 letter to the House Ethics Committee, the group described itself as "a coalition of prominent U.S.-based human rights and lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and intersex (LGBTQI) advocacy organizations focused on advancing human rights for LGBTQI populations through U.S. foreign policy." According to the group's website, "the Council has been generously funded primarily by the following philanthropic institutions: Arcus Foundation, Sigrid Rausing Trust, Open Society Foundations, and an anonymous source." Adds the blurb: "Funds for lobbying-related activities are segregated and tracked separately. The annual budget for the Council has averaged approximately \$865,000, with 85% of those expenses going to its program work." Sara Jacobs's cross-border jaunt, which took place May 6, cost the council a total of \$1140, including \$448 in transportation expenses, \$58.75 to cover meals, and \$663 for "Security, interpreter, Covid test/masks," according to a May 18 Post Travel Disclosure report filed by Jacobs with the House Ethics Commission. She "attended meetings organized by the Council for Global Equality with asylum seekers in order to highlight the issues at the border for marginalized groups," per the disclosure. **Paola Guzman**, an aide to Jacobs, also made the trip and reported the same expenses covered by the coalition, as did Jacobs's fellow San Diego House Democrat **Juan Vargas** and his aide **Lawrence Cohen**,

though the latter pair's transportation expenses were reported to be \$172 each. "I visited Tijuana with congressional colleagues and advocates from @Global\_Equality to learn more about the threats LGBTQ+ asylum seekers face and what we can do to help," Jacobs subsequently tweeted. "I'll never stop working for human rights for LGBTQ+ folks and asylees, on both sides of the border."

**Drug dog data dilemma** The Border Patrol has failed to keep track of its

drug-sniffing dogs, says a June 6 audit by the Government Accountability Office, leading to possible misuse. "Checkpoint officials from all 13 selected checkpoints we interviewed told us that canines were critical to the checkpoint mission, including to drug seizures." But statistics belied the statements. "For example, data showed canines assisted with a small proportion of drug seizure events in Yuma (two per-

cent) and Big Bend (four percent) and a large proportion of such events in Tucson (77 percent) and Rio Grande Valley (88 percent)." The variations kept on happening even after officers were ordered to keep better books. "Data integrity officials from the Yuma and Big Bend sectors offered contrasting explanations regarding the relatively low number of canine assists their agents documented," the document continues. "Yuma sector officials said that it did not seem reasonable that canines assisted with only two percent of drug seizure events at checkpoints in their sector. These officials acknowledged that they did not have a good oversight mechanism in place at the sector level to ensure

that agents appropriately documented canine assists. In contrast, Big Bend sector data integrity officials said that it seemed reasonable that canines assisted with four percent of drug seizure events at sector checkpoints. Conclude the auditors: "Given these differing perspectives and the wide variation in data on canine assists, it is unclear whether Border Patrol is recording complete and reliable data on

such assists. Having reliable data on canine assists in drug seizures at checkpoints would help Border Patrol better assess the effectiveness of canines for checkpoint searches and ensure that canines are properly utilized."

— Matt Potter (@sdmattpotter)

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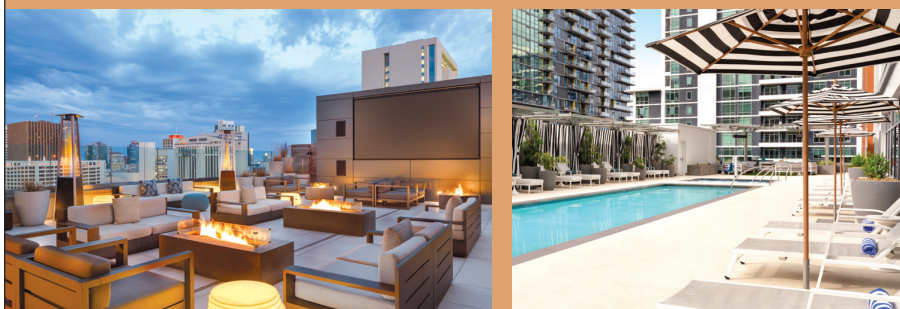
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### Negative glory

Don't you believe that if you didn't advertise this kind of crap that there wouldn't be so many young men taggers messing up the place (“San Diego graff artists confess,” Cover Stories, June 8)?

Let me tell you something, I carry a can of OD green spray paint and when I see tagging, I paint it out. You shouldn't glorify the negative. Do not do it. You just print this. I dare you. Quit glorifying bullshit.

Richard  
Poway

### Reader posted in kitchen

I may have missed it, but did you eliminate the best feature of your paper, SD on the QT. Please tell me you did not give into WOKE pressure when a couple of people complained about a column a while back that they claimed was not “sensitive”.

SD on the QT is the main reason I pick up your paper every week, I actually cut out the columns and post them in my kitchen so I can walk by and get repeated chuckles. The column's take on current events is so imaginative and clever, I can't believe the incredible amount of wit the writers have to put it all together.

I am politically and socially conservative, but the humor goes beyond party lines, and I enjoy it, no matter the political take. If it has been eliminated, please bring it back!

Lori Hatley  
Escondido

### Editor replies:

We actually put it on hiatus during the writing contest because we needed the pages

up front. It's due to return at the end of this month. Every other week.

### Sad solution

It was a wonderful however sad story (“Michelle Wyatt murder solved with genetic genealogy,” Cover Stories, June 1). The presentation, the writing, the people that were involved in trying to solve this murder is totally appreciated and I thank you.

Rene

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### “San Diego County talking more about Julian-Ocean Beach trail”

#### Neighborhood News June 6

expect homeless ppl to make camp on the trails

—Matthew Joseph Rocco

They will never be too far from recycling centers. That's how most of them survive. Use your brain

—Alicia Wilson

Decent people with homes have no use for such a trail. Do not even know what to do with it.

—Stuart Knoles

Matthew Joseph Rocco, you ain't lying. After billions spent on acquiring hotels and more crime

—Chris Bryant

It will be filled with homeless trash. If there's access to transportation they're good. Only the non slick debilitated ones depend on recycling centers.

—Sean Xain

Troll nightmare. The watershed is fucked up enough already. More car batteries and other shit is going to be thrown into the river. Welcome to the tweaker highway to Julian.

—Boyd Turner

Trailblazers will have their work cut out for them due to vagrants & litter all along the riverbed.

—Mark McGuire

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overhead bridge.

"We cannot overstate the impact of this project to Del Mar's beaches and bluffs," reads a letter to the commission from Surfrider, which advocates for coastal access. Shrinking beaches are already becoming a problem, as sea-level rise devours tidelands normally accessible to the public. The commission's report notes that their decision about this project "may impact the potential for coastal squeeze to occur." It will directly influence whether such public resources "can persist over time as sea levels rise." The main threats to trackbed stability are stormwater runoff and groundwater, wave action and bluff retreat, and erosion, officials said.

While there is general agreement on the need to fortify the tracks until the trains can be moved off the bluffs — which the agency says may extend beyond the target date of 2035 — some of the measures are strongly opposed. Most reviled is the plan for half a



Picnickers in peril?

access permanent, not just for 30 years.

According to a commission report, SANDAG is proposing to work with the city of Del Mar and North County Transit District to establish long-term maintenance agreements that cover the stabilization infrastructure, coastal access and recre-

**"This is one of the most transformative projects to occur in Del Mar in decades."**

mile of new seawall that will remain for 30 years. It will wipe out 49,566 square feet of public beach now used for coastal access and recreation. "This is one of the most transformative projects to occur in Del Mar in decades," resident Mike Meyers told the city council on Monday, when SANDAG gave an update on the work. The seawall extension is needed to prevent the toe from eroding and the slope from over steepening, said Allie Devaux, an engineer with the agency. She estimated that 300 concrete bases would remain at the bedrock level when the wall is finally removed.

As mitigation for lost beach, the agency has proposed a one-mile blufftop trail east of the tracks, a grade-level pedestrian crossing and a stairway to the beach. But city council members will be asking the commission for additional measures in the \$68 million dollar project — not only for Del Mar, but the entire San Diego community. For instance, they want access at both 11th and 7th streets; right now, only one is proposed. Currently, the agency can't pinpoint the specific locations and designs of the access and recreation improvements. An improved upper trail mentioned at 13th Street would be in someone's backyard, said council member Terry Gaasterland. "That's what worries me about these conditional mitigations." And there is uncertainty about whether fencing would accompany the trail. Another request is to make public beach

ation improvements. While SANDAG said they are ready to accept the commission's conditions of approval, NCTD must speak for themselves. The city has heard nothing from NCTD, mayor Dwight Worden said. The transit district has clashed with the city and Coastal Commission over its plans to fence the tracks to prevent trespassing. Like seawalls, the fence would pose another barrier to the beach. "They're not here today," said Worden. "We don't know their position on all of this. It's important to get them on board so they're not an obstacle to getting these measures passed."

SHEILA PELL



"We kept seeing this kind of segment of the population where they say, 'I'd rather stay in my car.'"

## VACANT LOTS

### Rent (out of) control

#### Priced out of homes and into lot living

The May 19 report released by the Regional Task Force on Homelessness states that "no less than 8427 individuals" found in the Task Force's February countywide assessment were homeless. Some 1400 volunteers had covered as much of the 4261-square-mile area of San Diego County as they could in order to assess the unsheltered resident numbers before noon. But of course, some people got missed. "The challenges of finding every person in a



Individuals and families can utilize the electricity and running water from the shack.

car, canyon, or under a bridge is impossible, but every effort is made to find and engage as many people as we can," read the May 19 report. "This number includes 4106 unsheltered San Diegans with 4321 individuals in shelters. Of those surveyed, 85 percent said they had fallen into homelessness in our region." The total count was 10 percent higher than the task force's last count in 2020.

As the report indicated, some of the unaccounted-for

families and individuals are homeless but living in their vehicles. Even if surveyors find them, some are reluctant to admit their situation for fear of being reported to social service organizations, parking enforcement, or on the Get It Done app. Others, however, openly declared their homeless status in order to expedite getting their families back into standard, stationary housing.

There are two locations in San Diego where people can legally park their vehicles in a fenced-off, free location and sleep in them. The first is the New Life Church parking lot by the 28th Street exit off the 94, just east of downtown; the second is 5605 Imperial Avenue in the Valencia Park neighborhood, about a mile east of the Imperial Avenue exit from the 805. "If they show up with kids, there will always be a slot for them," said Teresa Smith, CEO of Dreams of Change on Imperial Avenue. "It's why we started this back in 2010. It's because we kept seeing this kind of segment of the population, where they say, 'I'd rather stay in my car.'" Smith's non-profit manages both of those safe parking program locations, and works in other ways to help transition San Diegans back into stationary homes. "We started thinking about, 'How do we then help them' — because they still needed help to get connected because of the system we have — 'while at the same time, preserving some of that dignity and space?'" (When I interviewed Smith, she was weed-

ing at the Imperial Avenue location. It's a fenced-off lot with a shack with a bathroom and shower and a pantry and refrigerator.)

Times seem to be getting tougher. Smith continued, "As we're coming out of the pandemic, we see the cost of rent increasing. That's what I hear over and over again." (A *Realtor.com* report states that San Diego County's median "rent growth" increased 25 percent to \$3,008 per month in 2021, the second highest median rent in the U.S.) I got a call this week: "They're remodeling my place, and we all have to go — the whole complex. We're out. Where do I go? What do I do? I

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# Salk, Spock, Marcuse in San Diego

## Childhood's End

Chopra's Center for Well Being was located in Del Mar, and she and Dr. Spock moved there, living in an apartment at L'Auberge until they bought a 22-foot Winnebago. In it, "We lived mostly out in the desert," she told me. A cold winter prompted them to move to Florida, but the landscape there disappointed them. "It was warm, but it was very, very flat." So they came back to San Diego a year ago. — *Jeannette De Wyze* **NOV. 20, 1997**

## Stranded in La Jolla

Salk had \$25 million from the National Foundation and hired American architect Louis Kahn to design it. "My husband looked at the plans and asked, 'What is this going to cost you?' and Jonas said, 'We'll be lucky if we get out for \$5 million.' And Bruno laughed. For years they only had one building with the electricity on. The twin building was empty, and they had to keep on raising money and raising money." — *Phyllis Orrick* **MARCH 14, 1996**

## Hunger Sculptor

"We slept on piles of chestnuts smelling of mildew, and there was never anything to eat except moldy chestnut bread and a few figs. Every shop, every business in the area was boarded up on

account of the war. There was no bread, no flour, no oil. Sometimes, before, we'd had a little pasta with a bit of fish. But I clearly remember that on Christmas Day of 1944 we had absolutely nothing to eat." — *Dan Hofstadter* **MARCH 26, 1998**

## Bursting With the Relentless Energy of All Human Life

Do you remember the spastic woman, all crumpled into herself, her limbs twisted, her voice a raucous bray between inarticulate lips? How — of all things — she went to a dance; how a tall, handsome man drew her onto the dance floor; how, before our very eyes, she blossomed, expanded, straightened up, became free and beautiful, and spoke with ease and grace; how she



*Dr. Spock, May 1997. "I've been afraid of the day when I'd be senile. And I still haven't gotten over that."*

fantasized a lasting relationship with this man, but how nothing permanent came of his pity... — *Jonathan Saville* **MAY 13, 1993**

## Angel of the Apocalypse

Leftist student leaders around the world began to quote Marcuse and claim his ideas as inspiration to their movements. By June worldwide media had dubbed Marcuse the "Father of the New Left" and "Angel of the Apocalypse." *Ramparts* magazine noted, "When the improbable student rebellions of West Berlin, Morning-side Heights, and the Sorbonne broke out this spring, all agreed that Herbert Marcuse was the

Marx of the children of the new bourgeoisie." — *Judith Moore* **SEPT. 11, 1986**

## I'm Leaving Now, Mr. Selznick

"I said to her, 'Miss Garbo, I didn't hear you. What did you say?' She put her arm around my shoulders and leaned her face over so her cheek touched mine, and talking in my ear she repeated what she had said. I nearly fainted. She smelled so good and her voice was so beautiful, I just succumbed to the moment. I said, 'If I'm ever going to become a lesbian, this is my moment, believe me.'" — *Ernie Grimm* **NOV. 25, 1998**

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## UNREAL ESTATE

by Dave Rice

The opening Zillow remarks for this week's home inform us that "the 3500 block of Seventh Avenue is one of San Diego's best-kept secrets." If you look at a map, it's hard to argue with that claim: that one block of Seventh is cut off from other sections to the north and south and runs along the northwest edge of Balboa Park before terminating in a dead end. Save for a condo tower on the corner of Upas, there are only eight residences, all tucked up against the park, all his-



*The fish are koi, so they can be hard to spot.*

toric mansions — including, perhaps most notably, the Marston House, built for early civic leader and "Father of Balboa Park" George Marston.

Marston's house has been incorporated into the park itself and is now a museum, but directly across the street is another home, one also designed

and built in 1906 by famed local architect Irving Gill. Let's have a look at the nearly 5000-square-foot mansion at 3526 Seventh, shall we?

Before we go inside, the listing photos take us through the "perfectly manicured grounds with avocado trees, peaceful gardens, and two koi ponds." That last clarification is welcome, because they helped me spot the fish swimming around in what I initially mistook for a black-bottomed pool flanked by a covered brick patio with outdoor dining area.

Once we enter the home through a pair of green French doors, we find ourselves in a small foyer, looking through a dark wood arch into a sitting room outfitted with a brick fireplace

(one of four to be found throughout the house, it turns out). Off to the side is a larger entry hall, its walls and floors covered in wood, with more arch

work and a couple of ornately-carved buffets. I tend not to complain about exposed wood, but this might be a bit much, were it not for the white ceiling that lightens up the space some. While we're on the subject of color: a little, low-roofed powder room is painted dark red, perhaps too dark for such a small space. A small statue of a man stands next to the pedestal sink, and seems to be offering us some candy, as if we were in a fancy restaurant with a washroom attendant. Back in the living room, we see that beyond it lies a sunroom, with more huge French doors and walls of windows looking out into the gardens. Down a half-flight of steps lies a family room with enough space to tuck a grand piano in a corner behind all the other

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## A night aboard the Clusterwink

As far as I am concerned, being inside of a submarine for any amount of time would be a form of mental torture. Underwater + enclosure = nightmare. Last Wednesday's boarding of the Acey Deucey Club's fantastical USS Clusterwink will hopefully be the closest I ever get — happily, more like a curious dream than a nightmare.

This submarine is, shall we say, “docked” off Island Avenue inside The Horton Grand Hotel, and provides a rum-heavy civilian excursion into the deep sea — and also into a whimsical, tropical past. When I visit, I make my way in amidst fellow patrons' white sailor caps, retro dresses, and aloha shirts, while the Tiki decor accents and watery “views” beyond the submarine windows help to set the scene.

and switches I can fiddle with while I wait for the festivities to begin. I sit and people watch a bit: some people here are apparent retro-lifestyle enthusiasts, some just curious date-goers. Some know and like the old-timey music, some want to see their friends who are in the show, some will go home and sleep soon, and some are here as a prelude to the rest of a big night out. It's a Wednesday, so it's understandable that it's not a full house, but it detracts a little from the atmosphere; we're at 50% capacity or so, and a smaller crowd makes any event feel somewhat less vibrant.

Are we sailing at some time around World War II? The Cold War? It's not clear. But in any case, it is a past in which my captain is also a statuesque blonde lady, who is also a drunk lounge singer, and who also happens to have a wife named Lillian that she's left back home.



Captain Vic engages the audience.

Skipper Finn Crawford escorts me to my seat and assures me that another engineer (waiter) will be by in “two shakes of a cocktail shaker” with my first drink, the first of four to which I am entitled with my VIP ticket.

“Please place your phone on submarine mode”, Captain Victoria “Vic” Gray requests

“I am in fact a married woman,” Vic teases.

Captain Vic is the best part of the evening — she talks about rum and pirates, makes silly jokes, and sings an eclectic array of old jazz songs accompanied by a small band. She also interacts with the Skipper, and the two work the crowd through some theatrical sub-

It's not just escape, it's escaping into something imaginative together with other people, in person.

from the front stage. But, she adds, feel free to take photographs. “We encourage it. Our submarine is stunning, and so am I”. The first drink, a Sea Mule, arrives, and we raise our glasses “to moxie and frivolity” at Captain Vic's direction.

There are some plantain chips in front of me and a small menu offering pork sliders, “Seaviche,” and firecracker meatballs. A tableside console offers some submarine-y dials, knobs,

marine problem-solving. Things get fun when she veers into some pointed engagement with a birthday boy in the audience. “Mike, how old are you today?” She strains to hear his reply. “24? No, 34? Sorry.” She gets offended by Mike's looking away, pesters him with more questions, and is eventually dismayed by the interaction: “I'm done with you,” she says. Then a number of songs later, she adds, “Mike — what is the point of you being here?” I like the frisson.



The Acey Deucey band in action.

The event is squeezed into 90 minutes, including 10 minutes of lingering time after the presentation is done. I am given a commemorative pint glass in a box, and make my way out through the Horton Grand.

## Acey Deucey's ace

Anderson Lawfer, Artistic Director at Fever Originals USA — a clearly enthusiastic and warm character, and one of the creators of this project — says that he and his team were hoping to capture a certain feeling with the Acey Deucey Club: “a nostalgia for a time that none of us actually remember,” but one that is still summoned by this immersive cocktail of tropical, maritime, jazzy, and clubby ingredients. Lawfer says that “really, what we're trying to do at the end of the day is create a good environment for people to go on a date or go out with their friends and escape from the world a little bit.” He hopes that it's “exciting to leave problems and the world behind and be in the submarine with people and listen to great music and have drinks”.

Lawfer, who came to Fever after being an artistic director of a small company in Chicago and then starting his own immersive company, says that there is also a social component that is important to these events. It's not just escape, it's escaping into something imaginative together with other people, in person. He wants to encourage face-to-face conversation, and says it's gratifying to be able to do these

events after a long period of covid isolation. He remembers seeing people come into the Acey Deucey club for the first time: “For most of us, it's been years trapped inside,” and now, “you're in there, and you get this cocktail in some crazy glass and you hear the jazz band play.” He says it was “just awesome”.

Though they worked long days to get the project together — hiring a local team for nearly all the elements of the Acey Deucey Club, dealing with permits and regulations, rehearsing and designing — I was told that the Fever team also had a pleasant time in San Diego. They stayed at the Horton Grand Hotel for a month, and were able to venture out into the city to explore at least a little bit. Lawfer enjoyed the Safari Park, and says that one of his favorite memories is an Ocean Beach crowd at Wonderland Ocean Pub, clapping and cheering for the sunset. A different sort of immersion, but similarly sociable. ■



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A close-up photograph of a person's hand holding a small, clear glass jar filled with green, crumbly marijuana. The person is smiling and looking at the camera. They have long, light-colored hair and are wearing a red and black striped shirt. Their fingernails are painted white with a black palm tree design on the ring finger. The background is blurred, showing other people and what appears to be an indoor setting.

## Musing on marijuana in La Mesa

# At the High Table

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In the Middle East of San Diego County, there lies a kind of marijuana Mecca, a place to which pot pilgrims may peregrinate on a high hajj in their quest to elevate themselves — not through spiritual means, but rather, smokable. Or edible. The city of La Mesa — a modest county jurisdiction once known for its small businesses, community fairs, and historical atmosphere — is of late becoming known for its wide array of weed dispensaries. A quick run down the alphabet shows that this city of 60,000 is host to at least a dozen: BackpackBoyz, Cookies, Dr. Greenthumb's, EMBR, The Grove, Hotbox, Jungle Boys, Lit, The Reserve, Urbn Leaf (two locations), and Wellgreens. The days of Spring Valley pop-up stores selling \$5

By shopping in La Mesa instead of SD proper, you'll save a whopping \$3.25 on a \$100 purchase.



grams and knockoff Chinese concentrate to high schoolers have been replaced by a reality where refined, adult shoppers are met with upscale LED signage, licensed lanyard-wearing consultants, brand diversity, and even a bill of sale. Stunningly, many of these places even take card.

The Editor, packed bowl surely in hand, sent word that he wanted me to look into the matter. He imagined a simple research assignment into this apparently atypical accumulation: I was to talk to owners, employees, customers, even local politicians. I chuckled excitedly, rocking back and forth in delight over the realization that I'd be able to re-up on the clock — so much so that the doobie pressed between my fingers released an ember that nearly burnt a hole in my shorts. I took another toke and asked myself: why so many stores? At first puff, La Mesa seemed an odd location for such a high concentration. It's not a bad part of town, but seemed to me a strange patchwork quilt of Lakeside-style white trash and Downtown suits. *What's the market appeal?* I needed answers like I needed more smoke, and found myself bored with playing the role of "Guy who mooches off of his girlfriend's homegrown stash." Evaluating the state of contemporary dispos would serve a dual purpose. Sensing I was too high to drive, I placed a call to my good friend and business confidant Newman, requesting that he be my chauffeur for the afternoon.

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A light sprinkle peppered Newman's wind-



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**What once was a large tire-warehouse now stood as the block's biggest dispensary. Known as EMBR to some, paradise to others.**

shield every few seconds, lingering for a moment before a dying wiper blade screeched its way across the glass and flung the drops down to the cement-scarred floor of Mission Valley. We crept along the I-8 East in a herd of traffic slowed by some dullard's inability to drive with wet wheels. Then Newman's force of habit asserted itself, and his RAV4 swung onto the State Route 125 South connection. He still remained in happy antiquity, and I realized I would have to break his heart. Reluctantly, I put Old Yeller down and told him that all our old pick-up spots in Casa de Oro had vanished; against all odds, the house of gold had tarnished. A shake of his head was all he allowed himself, but I watched his eyes age a decade as he realized he'd witnessed an era come and go.

Newman used to chief heavily, but gave it up three years ago after a bad trip. He swears he met God, and that the deity — neither man nor woman, but merely an ethereal instance of thought — had told him to never smoke again. Thus, for him, La Mesa

was virgin territory. I, however, was returning to a familiar routine. Before my prime romantic game earned me a lovely woman who grows bud, I was quite the regular at an establishment that epitomized this new breed of apothecary. The sort of place that made it undeservingly easy to get ganja, like going to a dentist and getting a dose of ether without him ever reaching for his drill.

Deprived of his habitual path, Newman set about providing us with a destination. His head repeatedly flicked between the road and the phone in his lap as I watched him navigate the App Store™. He pressed the screen in three-letter intervals between glances at the road: *W-E-E*, he scanned the highway, *D-space-M*, he checked his mirrors. Of course, a third volley of text wouldn't be necessary.

"Try as I might to forget how much I smoked, the phone's always gonna remember," he said, shoving the phone in my face so that I could tap the re-download icon next to Weedmaps™.

"Focus on the road, you fuck," I snapped, snatching his phone.

"Just find us a place where you can get your shit. Let's get this over with. I ain't tryna let weed waste another day of my life."

I opened the app and a collection of stores on La Mesa's quasi-industrial Center Street caught my eye. The tight grouping

caught at the abnormality The Editor was after. I picked one of the stores at random and began directing Newman towards it. I was surprised they could exist so close to one another without competition driving all but one out of business. One might be set up within the shell of a forgotten auto body shop, and another might be housed in a pristine new stucco box, but whatever the cosmetic differences, surely the formula was the same?

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The dispensaries popped into view like a seagull's shit on blacktop as we started driving down Center. Newman, eager to be through with our adventure, didn't wait to arrive at our scheduled destination, not when there was one closer to hand, and we heard screams

from the rolled-down windows of an oncoming minivan as he haphazardly cut them off to enter the parking lot. The hum of his Toyota's engine disappeared, and I was already an eager few paces from the car before I realized that I didn't sense him following me. I doubled back and approached his window.

"C'mon, G, let's get it," I said, inviting him to come with me.

He refused to meet my eyes: "Nah, man, shit still freaks me out. I'll be walking down the street and catch a whiff and start worrying I'll freak. I ain't tryna go into hell and accidentally meet the devil, nahmsayin?"

"A'ight, do your thing then."

As I entered, I was greeted by the faux-friendly visage of a young blonde; the smile she flashed me came

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and went so quickly that I questioned whether or not it had been my imagination. Her beauty became more pronounced as I noticed its hired juxtaposition: a colossal guard in the corner. His gut was bigger than his gun, but both were intimidating. The blonde, now aloof, struggled to find the social second wind needed for eye contact as I handed her my ID.

“Returning?” she asked.

“Yeah. It’s been a minute.”

“Well, welcome back.”

She giggled a bit — making it all the more obvious that she was currently enjoying the store’s inventory.

“Thanks. Today I’m actually writing an article about the DPs around here,” I spoke toward her tits, trying to impress them with the promise of journalistic practice.

“Really? That’s literally smart.”

She carefully pecked away at her keyboard while studying my ID. I wondered what sorts of things she found figuratively smart, but decided to curb my asshole tendencies and not harsh her buzz — or my chances with her in the future.

Any girl getting high at work is one I’d like to get to know a little better.

After Colossus the Guard lazily swung a handheld metal detector about my waist, I was permitted to enter deeper into the business. Shelves paraded colorful brand signage at regular intervals around the inner walls of the store: STIIIZY, PLUG PLAY, Freeway, West Coast Cure. It wasn’t the diversity among available brands that impressed me, but rather, the diversity among the unnecessary bullshit that each section had to offer. Keychains, T-shirts, enamel pins — it seemed people would rather spend their money on anything except that which would better society. Then again, the people walking around flaunting their favorite brand on a hat are the same ones you see paying \$45 a gram, and we shouldn’t expect too much from them.

In the center of the shop loomed a square perimeter of counter space, enclosing a slew of beautiful women. When one of the sirens behind the counter found her-



“Well, most of our base is returning, about three-quarters of ‘em, actually. We like to think they come here because of familiarity and the vibe. Way better than those trap shops.” — EMBR

self free of interaction, she seductively called out the name of her next mark. A contrast became immediately apparent between the lovelies behind the counter and the overwhelming majority of customers: men, many of them of the greasy, stinky, or hefty variety. Every drug is an escape, and weed is no different.

I started a staring contest with the wall. After about five minutes, I lost; my concentration broken by the sound of my name being called. I found myself awash with anxiety as I realized I hadn’t

prepped for my impending interview. Turning to face the counter, I was greeted by a short Latina with hair parted a little too far to the right and dark brown eyes, wearing a covid mask with the store’s logo. Lacking preparation, I decided to try a more conversational tone. I was, after all, a legal, paying customer, not an interrogator looking to make a bust. Those days were over.

“What can I help you find today?” she asked, smiling under her mask.

“Looking for the less pricey eighths; got anything twenty-five and under?”

“Yeah, over here. You into indica, sativa, or hybrid?”

“Hybrid.”

We walked in tandem on opposite sides of the counter toward the discount section.

“You ever noticed how many DPs are around here? It’s crazy.”

“Uh, yeah. There’s a lot over here.”

“Any idea why?”

A slight change in posture suggested that she was about to engage in an actual ponderance, but then an easy answer presented itself, and she

went with it: “It’s probably the tax. The sales tax is low here in La Mesa, or something.”

I pulled out my notebook and jotted down prompts for further investigation, fruit of our cordial interaction, as they came to me: What kind of tax? Did it all go to the same governmental leeches? What was the breakdown? Then, between the brim of my hat and the top of my notepad, I noticed her opening the glass display case containing a selection from local hydroponic growers, collected in small mason jars. She took out three samples and silently directed me to inhale their aromas. Instead, I brought out my phone, opting to visually inspect her selections with the aid of its flashlight. It’s never about the color or the strength of a flower’s odor; rather, the amount of texture and crumble created by the ornaments of keef hung from each tree.

“Any plans for the day?” Salesfolk love that question. Lacking any hint of genuine curiosity, her inquiry served merely to sweeten my impression of the establish-

ment; nothing like a little feigned friendship for the sake of brand building.

I put my index finger to the glass of the one selection that twinkled under my phone-light, “Just smoking, ya know?” I was, admittedly, sad to think of how often she must be met with this response.

She rang up my eighth of flower, providing me an opportunity to further the success of my mission by prying about the tax.

“What kind of taxes are you charging me on this stuff? And how much is it?”

“It’s on the receipt. It’ll be twenty-eight dollars.”

My social ineptitude informed me that I’d feel awkward pressing her, so I just handed her the cash and began writing again. She noticed me detailing our interaction and looked to an employees-only doorway in the corner of the store. The doorway housed a bearded, owl-faced man. I watched them communicate through a series of glances and nods before Owl Face pinned his gaze to my notebook and then slowly raised his eyes to mine. His look implied a subtle *fuck off*, but I was already collecting my purchase in a white paper bag sporting Hermes’s caduceus. On the way out, I slid a dollar into the tip jar, hoping the blonde would start stripping, but she just waved her hand. Life doesn’t seem to reward generosity like it used to. But then again, she probably gets plenty of men like me, flirting with their wrinkled bill folds.

As I stepped into the out-of-doors, the sun stepped out from the behind-the-clouds, and the bright shock of it almost blinded me to the fellow trying to make

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his way past me. He was a tall man, mid-twenties or early thirties, wearing what smelled like knock-off cologne. As my pupils constricted to block the sun's glare, more of his features became apparent: his black beard was long but well maintained, and his hair was neatly curly. I stopped him, eager to add a customer's thoughts to my story.

"Hey boss, can I ask you something?"

"Uh ... yeah, 'sup bro?"

"Listen, I'm tryna write an article, and I'm hoping you can help me."

"An article?"

"Yeah, like for the news."

I learned that his hunting grounds had been established through ease of access, as he was a La Mesa resident. Repetitive animal instinct was all that maintained his loyalty to this location; it wasn't the eye candy or the curated inventory.

Someone or something brought him here once in an act of fate, and it created a cycle. This guy was a customer for life because it was easy.

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By the time I returned to the car, Newman was impatient to leave. "We done here?"

"Nah, we got a lead to chase."

"Whatchu' mean, man?" He anxiously shuffled his hands along the steering wheel; I could tell he wanted to get as far away from this pot stuff as he could.

I laid down the basic shape of my investigation on behalf of The Editor and brought Newman up to speed with my findings from this first stop. I uncrumpled and handed him my receipt; it was a crossword of percentages and taxes, giving us little to go on.

He inspected it thoroughly and began to question me: "Sales tax?"

"Believe that shit?"

"Interesting ... So, what's the rest of this? La Mesa tax? State tax? Jesus, they really get every penny outta this legal BS. Who the hell shops here?"

"Assholes," I stated bluntly. Another person might have answered, "Law-abiding citizens who are happy to support local businesses and willing to endure government regulation in order to buy and enjoy marijuana without the threat of criminal charges or black market violence." But I was thinking of those vanished days of \$5 grams in Spring Valley.

I looked towards Newman, then past him, through the driver's side window, at another dispensary, this one busy enough to maintain a



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near-constant flux of patrons through its front entrance. This time, we both set out, and over the next 500 feet, we passed four sets of beer bellies, cargo shorts, and flip flops; six dogs; two dog walkers; three young men wearing baseball caps backwards; a pair of pigeons sharing a Five Guys® wrapper, Lady-and-the-Tramp style; and an unaccompanied, elderly black woman pushing herself backwards in a wheelchair. The aroma of marijuana is not a cologne or perfume marketed to any audience in particular, but rather a fragrance to be enjoyed by all walks of life. “I’ll be out here, man,” said Newman as he pulled up to the side of the building and busted out his signature cross-armed wall-lean next to an accessibility ramp.

I was welcomed by a friendly security guard, this one more Wal-Mart greeter than tough guy, before joining a sign-in line. Ahead, behind an elegantly grained marble countertop, two sensational young ladies were checking and scanning IDs, scoping out the customer base, and warming

them up for sales with a bit of playful banter. A flutter of social anxiety told me to leave my notebook in my pocket; the employees at the previous store probably thought I was some kind of narc. Once inside, I noted that the corner of the store held units incubating plant life — plastic pots filled with budding seeds, future promises of elevation. I looked through the various display cases before gravitating toward a selection of pre-rolled joints. I get the appeal of such a product, the same way I get the appeal of pre-sliced bread. But to me, the construction of one’s smokable is both an art to be practiced and a labor to be undertaken, such that the resulting indulgence is individual and earned.

A woman approached the display case I was eyeing and issued the familiar, “Indica, sativa, or hybrid?”

Instead of answering, I immediately began to rattle off my prepared probing of the unsuspecting budtender (a term I rather dislike). She was more forthcoming than I expected, though a hint of hesitation was present in her answers.



PHOTOGRAPH BY MATTHEW SUÁREZ

**La Mesa is becoming known for its wide array of weed dispensaries. A quick run down the alphabet shows that this city of 60,000 is host to at least a dozen.**

She spouted the usual self-promo line: stuff about having the lowest tax rates in the city. That didn’t sound right: shouldn’t tax be a civic constant? But she was a saleslady, not a business owner, and so she steered the conversation back to the matter at hand.

“So, can I sell you some flower, though?”

“Yeah ... Got any oil concentrate?”

She pointed me to a glass-enclosed drawer full of golden goop. Admiring the display of ambrosia was like looking at the fresh meats sec-

tion in a grocery store deli. But, unlike my local Vons, the DPs didn’t take my EBT, and I was quickly running out of cash. I picked the cheapest half-gram in the display and vowed to stop paying for my dialogues and just get straight to the interrogation.

I looked around the shop and noticed a certain ruggedness in the employees, something that reminded me a little of the illegal dispensaries that I frequented in high school. “What about those old dispensaries in Spring Valley and around here?” I asked. “What’s the story with them? I doubt y’all ran ‘em outta business.”

“Man, nowadays you can only hold down those

trap shops two weeks tops before the Feds raid ‘em,” she replied, sounding a little annoyed.

I was thrust a white paper bag and, as I turned toward the door, “Next!” rang out from over my shoulder—an almost identical handoff with a better exit.

I couldn’t quite put my finger on what about these places put me off. The crisp exterior of this particular store conjured feelings I might experience at a car dealership. Brand promotion had entered the equation, along with businesslike efficiency. I used to be very friendly with my dealers, now it was someone who knew my name because of a smart device and a picture of my ID.

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I had grown weary from walking the Green Brick Road. But while I was inside, Newman had made a discovery on his phone. “Yo, check it out. While you were in the bin, a Google-mapping expedition showed that, for ten DPs along the La Mesa 91941-91942 zip code border, the average distance between any two is 1973.34 ft. The smallest distances are here, along Center Street, with minima being 960.03 ft. and 751.05 ft. All these measurements feature a  $\pm 4.68$  ft. uncertainty because Maps is trash, but you get the point. What’re they sayin’ in there, man? Why the hell are there so many?” Wonder is the beginning of wisdom; we pressed on.

We were led to a tucked away corner of the industrial area where what once was a large tire-warehouse now stood as the block’s biggest dispensary. Known as EMBR to some, paradise to others, a liberated sun reflected heat off the bricked exterior and evaporated the remnants of rain into an urban petrichor. I was waved into the store by a portly security guard listening to a soccer match over Mexican radio.

“Thanks boss.” I turned to find Newman waving to the guard as he passed,

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following behind me into the store, curiosity overcoming his unease. Inside, a friendly stoner lady, complete with beanie, nose ring, and ear gauges, welcomed us, iPad in hand. Newman was a rookie to the licensed world, but a veteran trap shop attendee. His eyes slowly swept around the shop. I watched him studying the customers, the staff, the flatscreen TV menus, the inventory; I imagine the leap was jarring. He left almost immediately.

"What can I help you with?" The Stonette spoke from behind me as my head followed Newman out the door.

"Well, I'm hoping you could give me some information," I prepped for subtle hostility.

"Sure, what's up?"

"Writing a piece for the *Reader* about La Mesa's dispensaries. Got a few questions."

"Shoot." Things were looking up.

"What's the deal with there being hella dispos here in La Mesa? Have you noticed how many there are around here?"

She quickly went to work explaining the economic machinations,

and their consequences, of city and state tax rates for weed and non-weed items. Every eligible sale (not just pot) in the state of California gets hit with a sales tax of 6% and every sale in San Diego County gets 1.75% on top of that. In addition to this, every weed-related sale in the state gets an extra 15% tacked onto that 7.75% total. This puts us at a minimum 22.75% sales tax on weed purchases in California. From there, each city can impose its own added weed tax, which is why it varies throughout San Diego County. San Diego voted this weed tax to 8% while La Mesa voted it to 4%. So, any sale of weed in the city of San Diego faces a 30.75% total tax rate while any pot purchase in La Mesa faces one of 27.5% (for those actually following the arithmetic, La Mesa chooses to have its own citywide sales tax of 0.75% on all purchases). By shopping in La Mesa instead of SD proper, you'll save a whopping \$3.25 on a \$100 purchase.

I followed the math lesson with a bit of social studies: "Okay, and what about competition? How

can y'all afford to be so close to one another?"

"Hmmm, there's not really any. Like I said, tax is pretty flat across the board, so the prices are too. Shops collect in industrial areas because the rent is cheaper."

"So, how do you get customers in here, then? If there's no competition, how do you get new clientele?"

"Well, most of our base is returning, about three-quarters of 'em, actually. We like to think they come here because of familiarity and the vibe. Way better than those trap shops."

"Yeah, it's a great vibe," I said with a smile.

And just like that, I had my information—didn't even need to fork over my ID. I thanked her for her time and left, buying a pair of wraps on the way out. It's too bad I didn't give her more money; she certainly earned it. She even was nice enough to give me an intelligible sample receipt breaking down the above info. Thank you, beanie lady.

Outside, Newman sat hunched over, elbows on his knees, as if he were processing

a national tragedy. He looked devastated.

"Alright bro, we're done. Let's bick it."

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As we headed home, I picked up hints of angry sarcasm as Newman talked of the joys of driving West down El Cajon, or University, or the I-8 as the sun sets. He donned a stashed pair of sunglasses and a hat from the backseat. I was used to tuning him out, and sunk into the passenger seat content, mission accomplished. I finally had all the pieces of the puzzle, from the tax rates on the sample receipt to a sense of competition and pricing. There was no cannabis cabal present in La Mesa's hills eager to drive business there. It was natural, organically birthed by the central drive of any business: profit. In this case, it was provoked

by the maximization of tax breaks and minimization of rent. Surprisingly, there was no sense of opposition or market rivalry in the areas with the most dramatic overcrowding of dispensaries.

I wished Newman well on his way, but his car was already rolling forward before I had completely shut the door. My apartment welcomed me with a stillness that let me know I was alone, providing me the perfect opportunity to relax with my expedition's secondary yield. I bit through the packaging and delivered one of the twin blunt wraps to my rolling tray, though not before taking great pleasure in the olfactory indulgence of the chemically fragrant berry infusion. The wrap got stuffed with hybrid until it was bursting at the seams. No filter. I used a toothpick to paint

the outside with concentrate, and my creation was complete. Fuck a security deposit. I sparked that bitch inside.

The Editor wanted me to get into the nitty-gritty with political leaders and community organizers, but I had my story. I was glad to have met this new breed of average guy who visits this new breed of apothecary — even if I didn't fully agree with him. As I sit here in my apartment writing, blunt in mouth, I can't begin to fathom the lengths some will go to not associate with the good-old-fashioned home grower who slings for \$10 a G. Is this the beginning of a brave new era or the end of a great one? The blunt continues to burn, my eyes gaining weight by the second. This feels like a good place to stop, I'm going to go lie down.

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can't find anything that meets my budget.” She added that she usually hears about these situations from people seeking a safe place to park and sleep. These displaced renters, many of whom form family units, get outbid by new tenants willing to pay higher rents. Consequently — and often, for the first time in their lives — some of these displaced families and individuals become homeless. “And where we see it impact the most is our elderly and our seniors. That’s the population we’ve slowly seen start to grow in the last few years.”

More than 70 percent of the participants who check into Smith’s two safe parking program lots have incomes. Some are the displaced; others have moved to San Diego for a new job, and are staying in their vehicles for a while, showering at local gymnasiums before heading to work. Either way, there’s a process and checklist one must complete to get a vehicle into the 60 or so safe parking spots in the Dreams of Change parking lots. Once the safe parking candidate is approved, they have to check in at 6 pm. Shortly after, the gates are closed for security reasons; nobody can just walk in or climb the fence. The individuals and families can utilize the electricity and running water from the shack and hang out at the picnic tables. Then, every morning at 6 am, everyone has to pack it up, clean up, and leave the lot — with their vehicles. (One exception: recently, Smith has given RVs the option of staying on-site, as gas prices in San Diego surpassed the \$6 per gallon mark.)

Nobody else was present on the Imperial Avenue lot when I spoke with Smith. However, in an NBC San Diego 7 news clip that aired in October 2021, they interviewed a woman named Susan, who stayed at the lot. “Everybody [here] gets along,” Susan said. “We all eat together. Everyone’s been nice. The caseworkers have been great.”

Smith does get some pushback from San Diegans. “It is ‘nimbyism,’” she explained. “You know, people who don’t want it in their backyards, the ‘not in my neighborhood’ [mentality].” Fortunately, residents around the Imperial Avenue lot seem to support the program, which has been in place since 2018. A couple of neighbors regularly bring meals to the families and individuals on different nights. They also bring donations collected from the neighborhoods. “This has been a very welcoming community, to the point that we bought this property just a couple of months ago, so we’re going to be here permanently,” continued Smith, whose organization paid \$260,000 for the lot and accompanying shack. “The biggest reason it was cheap was that you can’t build on it,” she said. “The city has easements from here back, and because there’s a water main and a stormwater drain that runs down on the property right behind

that building, you can’t build on it.”

In April, the city of Vista spoke of a safe parking program as part of their city agenda. “And we’ve been out in El Cajon talking with the city council,” Smith added. “As of their last meeting, it was ‘We’re not going to block it, but you have to go through the permitting process.’”

MIKE MADRIAGA

## TIJUANA

### A lot of hope in Little Haiti

#### Strong community, but not enough school

One hundred and twenty-five Haitian families have settled in a plot of property belonging to a group of nuns called Misioneras Franciscanas de Nuestra Senora De la Paz, in the El pedregal de Santa Julia neighborhood, four miles away from Tijuana’s downtown. The settlement started in December of last year; neighbors have named it Little Haiti. At least 300 Haitian nationals live there in tents. There are two classrooms used to teach catechism, and two small kitchens and portable toilets. That is all that Sister Maru Espinoza, who is in charge of the place, had on hand to



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“I like it here because I play, but I don’t like it too much because I’m not going to school.”

course, there are also disadvantages. “Sleeping on the ground in tents. Getting cold and wet when it rains.”

Another disadvantage, one familiar to most migrant children, is the lack of school. Most of Little Haiti II’s residents are children, and for now, said Sister Maru, the nuns are

important in the community because of his role as a translator. “I like it here because I play,” says Vila, “but I don’t like it too much because I’m not going to school. My last time in a school was back in Brazil. I want to cross to the United States so I can study there.”

Sister Maru said that neighbors are kind and helpful — sometimes. They have supported the migrants, but they have kept their distance from them. For Wolves, it’s strange to play only with the kids from his own country. “I feel neighbors treat us different, and I feel sad because of it.”

For adults, the situation is difficult. Most of the men lack proper documentation, and are looking for work. They mostly get jobs in construction, but only for a week or two. Feshes D’ Fouché, 44, explained that in his three years in Chile, he worked in a formal

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“Despite their not knowing each other, they learned how to live together and help themselves.”

help them out.

Sister Maru said that the Haitians have formed a strong community. “They’re all fellow countrymen. That’s an advantage. Despite their not knowing each other, they learned how to live together and help themselves.” Of

focused on bringing English classes to them. Wolves Vila is a 10-year-old who has learned three languages during his passage through Brazil and Chile after he and his family left Haiti. But although he lacks education, he still hopes to become a doctor someday. he’s



Most of the inhabitants are children.

job as a construction worker, but here in Tijuana their jobs don’t last long. “I had a job for just one month. When I got hired they made me sign my job resignation before actually starting to work. I once got robbed when going early in the morning to take the bus to my job. I miss times in Chile. Things were different there, but you can’t make a living there as a foreigner.”

Right now, the families are being helped by the Haitian Bridge Alliance. Because of that help, and because they believe this is their only chance to make it into the United States, they refuse to protest against the government’s migrant politics the way that other central American nationals have.

IVAN MOLINA



# Your Week

AND WELCOME TO IT



THE TUBES

## Thursday | 16

### THE TUBES

Not many bands that have been around since the early 1970s have maintained a consistent membership roster, but theatrical San Francisco rockers The Tubes still have the same four pivotal members. They haven't released a studio record in over 20 years, but they did put out a live album in 2020. Concert sets remain anchored by bawdy vaudevillian hits like "White Punks on Dope," "Mondo Bondage," and "Talk To Ya Later."

**WHEN:** Thursday, June 16, 8 pm

**WHERE:** Belly Up Tavern, 143 S. Cedros Avenue, Solana Beach. [bellyup.com](http://bellyup.com)

day of surf contests, awards, and live concerts on the beach, plus brand activations, vendor booths, and green initiatives. Marquee act Switchfoot, originally from San Diego, will be playing hits from their twelfth studio

album *Interrobang*, which was released last year. Lineup includes Buddha Trixie, Sitting On Stacy, Creature Canyon, and lovelytheband.

**WHEN:** Saturday, June 18, 8 am to 5 pm

**WHERE:** Moonlight Beach, 200 B Street, Encinitas. [broam.org](http://broam.org)

### WEST COAST HOT SAUCE EXPERIENCE



Check out over 50 craft hot sauce producers offering unlimited free samples of their products. Also: local craft beer, cocktails, gourmet food trucks, VIP area, live music, spicy eating competi-

## Saturday | 18

### SWITCHFOOT BRO-AM BEACH FEST

Free all-ages event. Enjoy a whole



SWITCHFOOT



TUESDAY, JUNE 21: TASTE OF LITTLE ITALY

tions and surprise entertainment.

**WHEN:** Saturday, June 18, 10 am to 7 pm and Sunday, June 19, 12 pm to 7 pm

**WHERE:** Port Pavilion on Broadway Pier, 1000 N. Harbor Drive, Downtown. [westcoasthotsauceexperience.com](http://westcoasthotsauceexperience.com)

Italy while strolling the neighborhood, checking off favorites on a "taste passport," and listening to live music throughout the neighborhood. Participating restaurants will offer dishes like rigatoni al forno, pacific rockfish ceviche, grapefruit shrimp ceviche, prosciutto-veal meatballs, gnocchi al ragu, homemade tiramisu, and fresh gelato.

## Sunday | 19

### SAN DIEGO ARCHERS: KING ARTHUR NOVELTY SHOOT

Novelty shoot consists of 40 hand-painted and 3D targets. There will also be two barbecue stations. Kids under 12 shoot for free. Wear a King Arthur-themed costume to receive a free opportunity ticket for prizes, including a top-of-the-line compound bow, recurve bows, compound and wooden arrows, and target bags.

**WHEN:** Saturday, June 11, 10 am to 11 am

**WHERE:** Rube Powell Archery Range, 2145 Park Boulevard, Balboa Park. [sandiegoarchers.com](http://sandiegoarchers.com)



## Tuesday | 21

### TASTE OF LITTLE ITALY

Enjoy bites and sips from Little

**WHEN:** Tuesday, June 21, 4 pm to 8 pm

**WHERE:** Along Kettner and India Street, throughout Little Italy. [littleitalysd.com](http://littleitalysd.com)



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ANIMAL FRIENDS

**Barks and Brews Festival** Saturday, June 18, 1pm; Waterfront Park, 1600 Pacific Highway. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

ART

**Create in the Park with Lovejoy** Create in the Park with Lovejoy - Art camp - all ages Mondays, 9am, 10:30am and 12pm; Tuesdays, 9am, 10:30am and 12pm; through Monday, June 27, \$20-\$25. Arts District Liberty Station, 2640 Historic Decatur Road. (LIBERTY STATION)

**Encaustic Painting 3-hour Workshops** Join Leslie for a 3-hour Encaustic Painting Workshop. Supplies and refreshments included. Encaustic painting is an ancient beeswax-based luminous medium. Fridays, 5pm; Mondays, 10am; through Monday, August 1, \$99. 18 and up. And Something Different Studio Gallery, 2690

Historic Decatur Rd., #202. (LIBERTY STATION)

**Holbein: Capturing Character** This docent-led talk we'll explore this Northern Renaissance artist whose distinctive style has given us the defining portrayals of such notable figures as Sir Thomas More, Erasmus and Thomas Cromwell. Thursday, June 16, 11am; **free**. Online Internet Events, All over the world from. (ONLINE)

**June Open Studios** Performances by Felix Diaz and Jonathan Piper. Other performance(s) TBA Friday, June 17, 7pm; **free**. Space 4 Art, 340 16th Street. (EAST VILLAGE)

**Little Fish Comic Savvy: June Edition** Comics, good conversation, and of course donuts. A large library of comic books and graphic novels has just about a little of everything for everyone, so please feel free to peruse stacks. Free comic books and graphic novels for attendees to go through and take home. Friday, June 17, 7pm; **free**. Little Fish Comic Book Studio, 4831 Voltaire Street. (OCEAN BEACH)

**Mikey Kettinger: This All Happened in My Head** Pop/surrealism paintings by San Diego artist Mikey Kettinger, with a gallery reception June 18. Mikey Kettinger is a conceptual pop artist who emphasizes the creation of experiences over objects, and inspiration over decoration. Saturday, June 18, 4pm; **free**. Art Scene West Gallery, 312 South Cedros Avenue. (SOLANA BEACH)

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SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 25th

Opening Ceremony: The Meaning and Power of Relics\* 2:30pm - 3:00pm

Viewing of Relics\* 3:15pm - 5:30pm

Talk: Finding Happiness in Daily Life\* 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Sunday, June 26th

Pet Blessings\* 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Tibetan Healing Chod Ceremony 4:30pm - 6:00pm

\*Free of charge

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AUTOMOTIVE

**Cars & Coffee** All cars welcome Sundays, 8am; through Sunday, August 24, **free**. Kit Carson Park, 3333 Bear Valley Parkway. (ESCONDIDO)

**Classic Car Show & Live Music** Enjoy a variety of classic cars parked along La Mesa Blvd (btwn 4th St. - Spring St.). Live music from local bands will play atop the La Mesa Lumber Truck Stage located at 3rd/La Mesa Blvd. June 2 - The Mar Dels June 9 - The Farmers June 16 - 4 Way Street June 23 - Private Domain June 30 - The Siers Brothers July 7 - Whiskey Ridge July 14 - Ron's Garage Band July 21 - Santana Soul July 28 - Stand Up Guys August 4 - Detroit Underground August 11 - Love Is A Rose August 18 - Zeeland August 25 - The Farmers Thursdays, 5pm; through Thursday, August 25, **free**. La Mesa Village, Spring Street at La Mesa Boulevard. (LA MESA)

BEER

**San Diego Apps & Taps Brewfest Fundraiser for CCA California** San Diego Apps & Taps Brewfest Fundraiser for Coastal Conservation Association of California, San Diego Chapter. San Diego Apps & Taps Brewfest including a host of food and festivities, including live music, beer tastings, tapas-style apps, a silent auction for gifts, prize raffles, a live auction and more. Saturday, June 18, 5pm; \$75-\$1000. Portuguese Hall, 2818 Avenida de Portugal. (POINT LOMA)

BOOK SIGNINGS

**Author Emily St. John Mandel** UC San Diego Library Author Talk Series: A Conversation with Emily St. John Mandel, author of six novels, most recently *Sea of Tranquility*. Thursday, June 16, 5:30pm; **free**. UC San Diego Library, Geisel Library, 9500 Gilman Drive. (LA JOLLA)

**Lindsay MacMillan: The Heart of the Deal** Warwick's will host Lindsay MacMillan as she discusses and signs her new book, *The Heart of the Deal*. This event is free and open to the public; free admittance is subject to available space. Wednesday, June 22, 7:30pm; **free**-\$16. Warwick's Bookstore, 7812 Girard Avenue. (LA JOLLA)

**Liz Scheier Livestream** Warwick's and the San Diego Writers Festival present Liz Scheier Thursday, June 16, 5pm; **free**-\$26. [warwicks.com/event/scheier-sdwf-2022](http://warwicks.com/event/scheier-sdwf-2022). (ONLINE)

**Warwick's Author Livestream: Caroline Woods** Warwick's will host Caroline Woods as she discusses her new book, *The Lunar Housewife*, in conversation with Sarah Z. Sleeper. Wednesday, June

Rhyme & Verse  
Two sonnets by David DeCleene

Cardinal in a Cage

No London Tower racks my wretched frame,  
No dynast's wrath bears down upon my neck.  
Brave words unvoiced by Thomas gilt his name.  
Alas, my feeble words bring mine to wreck.

A solitary window stirs my sense:  
I whiff the fulsome flames that whelm the spire  
Of Holy Mother Church in sore distress,  
I hark the dub'ia bell of hushed inquire.

Now, joustless, cell-bound, where I would not go,  
The Global Prince serene upon the wing,  
Our ruddered Barque looks drifting to the shoal.  
Sweet Christ, Thou called my life to now what thing?

As Tom, through walls, transposed his blood to Thee,  
Dost I, my Lord, join battle on my knees!  
For Cardinal Pell

Compatientis Mater

A mother walks a road beside her Son  
And gathers every lash'ed bloody rose,  
And though His crown's assured, His vict'ry won,  
She'll share these flow'rs of grace to soothe His woes

22, 4pm; **free**-\$28. [warwicks.com/event/woods-2022](http://warwicks.com/event/woods-2022). (ONLINE)

**Warwick's Author Livestream: Piper Huguley** Warwick's will host Piper Huguley as she discusses her new book, *By Her Own Design: A Novel of Ann Lowe, Fashion Designer to the Social Register*, in conversation with Aimie Runyan. Tuesday, June 21, 4pm; **free**-\$16. [warwicks.com/event/huguley-2022](http://warwicks.com/event/huguley-2022). (ONLINE)

**Weekends with Locals: Jenni Prisk** Weekends with Locals will be hosting Jenni Prisk, author of *Stand in Your Spotlight: An Ode to Living Fully*. Sunday, June 19, 12pm; **free**. Warwick's Bookstore, 7812 Girard Avenue. (LA JOLLA)

**Weekends with Locals: Juliana Anthony** Weekends with Locals will be hosting Juliana Anthony, author of *Between Friends: Entre Amigos*. Sunday, June 19, 2pm; **free**. Warwick's Bookstore, 7812 Girard Avenue. (LA JOLLA)

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

**Adult Beginning Bachata & Salsa Dance Lessons** Bachata and Salsa classes for adults Thursdays, 6pm; through Thursday, December 29, \$10-\$20. 18 and up. Dancehouse Point Loma, 2180 Chatsworth Boulevard. (POINT LOMA)

**Brain Balance: ADHD & Behavior** Join us to learn how brain development plays a role in ADHD and behavior challenges and what you can do to build the connections your child needs for success. All registrants will receive a free resource guide and Q&A. Thursday, June 16, 10:30am; **free**. [brainbalancecenters.com](http://brainbalancecenters.com). (ONLINE)

**Cultivating Self-Compassion** Make self-compassion a daily practice with Cultivating Self-Compassion, a 6-week online course based on meditation and mindfulness. Thursdays, 10:30am and 6:30pm; through Thursday, July 7, \$60-

\$180. 18 and up. [belovedcompassionnetwork.org/cultivating-self-compassion.html](http://belovedcompassionnetwork.org/cultivating-self-compassion.html). (ONLINE)

**Ferment the Perfect Pickle Workshop** Learn how to make the perfect crunchy pickle and demo some simple fermented pickle recipes with cucumbers, peppers, carrots, and more which are loaded with healthy "probiotic" bacteria. Your ticket comes with a flight of Babe Kombucha. Saturday, June 18, 4pm; \$59. Babe Kombucha, 5401 Linda Vista Rd Suite #409. (LINDA VISTA)

**Ferment the Perfect Pickle Workshop** Learn how to make the perfect crunchy pickle! Includes your own take-home mason jar of seasonal pickles. Sunday, June 19, 12:30pm; \$54-\$59. Golden Door Country Store, 314 Deer Springs Road. (SAN MARCOS)

**Getting Started with Vermicomposting** Join Solana Center for this workshop where our experienced educators will discuss the unique physiology of red wiggler worms and explain how to prepare bedding for a worm bin. Saturday, June 18, 9am; **free**. Fallbrook Fertilizer, Feed & Farm Supply, 215 W. Fallbrook Street. (FALLBROOK)

**June, Place** June, Place (Third Sunday Craft) with Rich Farrell Sunday, June 19, 10am; \$36-\$42. [sandiegowriters.org](http://sandiegowriters.org). (ONLINE)

**Meditation** Guided New Thought Meditation every Sunday. There is no charge, and you can park behind the Woman's Club. After the meditation and a short break, there will be a Sunday Celebration Service at 10:00 AM, which you are welcome to attend also. Sundays, 9:30am; through Sunday, October 30, **free**. Woman's Club of Carlsbad, 3320 Monroe Street. (CARLSBAD)

**Paint & Vino: Relaxing Sunset** Paint "Relaxing Sunset" while you sip your favorite adult beverage. Price per person including canvas, paint and tools. No experience necessary. Wednesday, June 22, 5:30pm; \$45. Lafayette Hotel, Swim

Another mother salts the sea with tears,  
The sea corrupted by Carthage and Rome.  
A distant ship is fogged within her fears:  
Her prayerful beacon guides the ship back home.

And you have known the sorrow of love's loss;  
You've balm'd your child's wound along these years.  
And through your searching silence to the Cross  
Will, as he grasps for you, to Christ be near.

Our Savior, love enflesh'd, has given leave  
Of part of Him as mothers may bequeath.



David DeCleene, born in 1951, hails from Oak Park, IL. He attended Quigley North High School and graduated from St. Ignatius High School, both in Chicago. He studied Chinese at Seton Hall University, in Orange, NJ, and Taiwan Normal University, Taipei, working as a journalist at both the *China Post* *English Daily* and *Asian Sources Magazine*. He received a BA in English from the University of Hawaii and went on to teach at St. Joseph High School in Hilo, Hawaii for 20 years. Now retired, he substitute teaches in Hawaii and Wisconsin, where he and his wife Susan split their time. They have two grown children.

Find more poetry online at [SDreader.com/poetry](http://SDreader.com/poetry)

Club & Bungalows, 2223 El Cajon Boulevard. (UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS)

**Summer Grilling Class** Summer Grilling Class held in an outdoor kitchen to grill up some seasonal summer favorites, soak in the sunny day, and learn a thing or two. Saturday, June 18, 3:30pm; \$25-\$75. Olivewood Gardens and Learning Center, 2525 N Avenue. (NATIONAL CITY)

**Summer Ink Retreat** Summer Ink Retreat: Generative and Free Writing with Kristen Fogle and Judy Reeves Saturday, June 18, 9am; \$50-\$150. Mission San Luis Rey, 4070 Mission Avenue. (OCEANSIDE)

**Summer Solstice Writing Retreat** Summer Solstice Writing Retreat with Judy Reeves Tuesday, June 21, 6pm; \$36-\$42. Liberty Station NTC Park, 2455 Cushing Road. (LIBERTY STATION)

**Summer Youth Improv Classes** Ages 7-10 on Wednesdays and Pre-teen Ages 10-14 on Thursdays Thursdays, 5pm; Wednesdays, 5pm; through Thursday, August 25, \$69-\$220. Mockingbird Improv, 2590 Truxtun Road #200. (LIBERTY STATION)

**Tools for Parents to Feel Confident** Brain Balance Healthy Screen Time Clinic: Tools for Parents to Feel Confident: Join Screen Time Clinic Founder Nicole Rawson to better understand the risks of screen time and its effects on brain development. Tuesday, June 21, 7:30pm; **free**. [brainbalancecenters.com](http://brainbalancecenters.com). (ONLINE)

COMEDY

**Comedy Night** Free comedy at Candys which is inside El Prez. Wednesdays, 9:30pm; through Saturday, December 31, **free**. 21 and up. El Prez, 4190 Mission Boulevard. (PACIFIC BEACH)

**Gaslamp Comedy Open Mic & Happy Hour** Tuesday, June 21, 7:30pm; **free**. American Com-





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edy Company, 818 Sixth Avenue.  
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**Joel Kim Booster** Seen on Netflix, Comedy Central, HBO & more. Thursday, June 16, 8pm; Friday, June 17, 7:30pm and 9:30pm; Saturday, June 18, 7:30pm and 9:30pm; \$10-\$20. 21 and up. American Comedy Company, 818 Sixth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

**Leanne Morgan** Wednesday, June 22, 7:30pm; Del Mar Fairgrounds, 2260 Jimmy Durante Boulevard. (DEL MAR)

**Nate Bargatze** Wednesday, June 22, 7:30pm; Del Mar Fairgrounds, 2260 Jimmy Durante Boulevard. (DEL MAR)

**Rob Anderson** Rob Anderson is a comedian living out of Los Angeles who writes and produces digital shorts for his Instagram, TikTok, and YouTube channels. Wednesday, June 22, 8pm; \$20. 21 and up. American Comedy Company, 818 Sixth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

**WWC Comedy** Uncensored standup comedy Tuesdays, 7pm; through Tuesday, December 27, \$20. 21 and up. Negotiant Hillcrest Urban Winery, 1263 University Avenue. (HILLCREST)

## DANCE

**The Art of Flamenco Dinner Show** Enjoy a three-course dinner menu combined with a two-part Flamenco Dance performance. Saturdays, 6:30pm; \$20. 21 and up. September 3, \$89. Cafe Sevilla Tapas Bar, 353 Fifth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

## DISCUSSION GROUPS

**Summer at Country Day** Summer at Country Day is open to the public with weekly sessions from June 6–Aug 5 for children in Grades 1–12 in the fall. There are morning and afternoon experiences. Prices vary. Visit [ljcds.org/summer/summer-programs](http://ljcds.org/summer/summer-programs) for all of the details. Mondays–Thursdays, 8:30am; through Friday, August 5, La Jolla Country Day School, 9490 Genesee Avenue. (LA JOLLA)

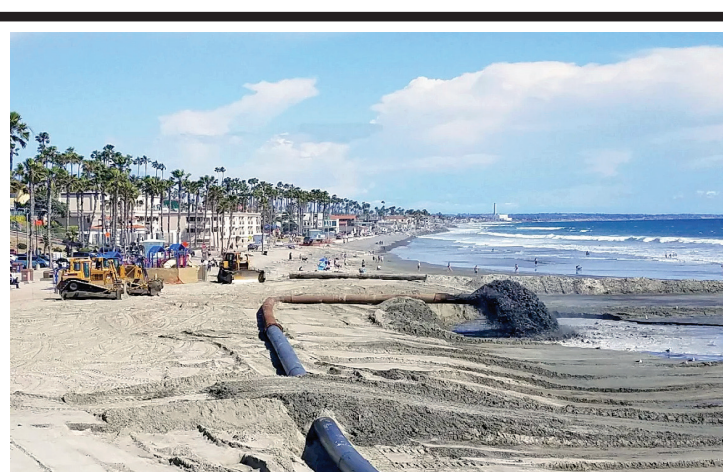
# OUTDOORS

## North County beaches lose the most sand

**Summer Solstice**, the time when the sun reaches its northernmost point in the sky, occurs this year at 2:13 am on Monday, June 21. The summer solstice not only marks the beginning of summer for the Northern Hemisphere, it also means that the daylight hours are maximized. San Diegans now enjoy approximately 14 hours of daylight, in contrast to the meager 10 hours or so we experience in December. Anytime this week or next, try checking your shadow at 12:50pm (the local daylight time in San Diego currently equivalent to astronomical noon). The sun is then only 10° south of the straight-up direction and casts near-vertical shadows. A lesser-known consequence of the summer solstice is that our twilight periods are longer than usual. Evening and morning twilight periods are now lasting more than 90 minutes.



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OCEANSIDE SAND REPLENISHING PROJECT

**Cobbled Shorelines** are greeting some beachgoers early this summer season, as in past years. North County beaches tend to suffer most, because natural sand replenishment in the area is disrupted by dams blocking the flow of sediment down the larger streams and rivers. Some sand scooped up from dredging operations is being moved onto the beaches to mitigate this problem. South County's beaches fare better. The widest beach of all, Coronado, is protected from sand loss by the jutting Point Loma peninsula; it catches some sand drifting on currents northward from the mouth of the Tijuana River.

**Colorful Foliage** along San Diego's coastline lingers, despite the recent lack of rainfall and warmer, drier days. In the older, landscaped neighborhoods of Coronado, Point Loma, Pacific Beach, and La Jolla you'll find oleander and hibiscus blooming in many shades, and colorful bougainvillea creeping over garden walls. Look for the magnificent clusters of red flowers adorning the crowns of the flame eucalyptus (red-flowering gum) trees.

*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.*

## FATHERS DAY

**Father's Day Brunch** Celebrate the special men in your life with a memorable Sunday Champagne Brunch at Oceana Coastal Kitchen complete with panoramas of Mission Bay. Diners can savor a three-course menu with mimosas or opt for the à la carte menu. Sunday, June 19, 10am; \$59. Oceana Coastal Kitchen, 3999 Mission Boulevard. (MISSION BEACH)

**Father's Day BBQ by the Beach** This Father's Day, indulge in grilled sausages, Bagby beer chicken, Tomahawk steaks, and all the fixings on the resort's Grand Coastal terrace. And a barbeque feast wouldn't be complete without sweet treats like cheesecake, peach pie, peanut butter brownie bars, and berry cake lollipops. Sunday, June 19, 1pm; Seabird, 101 Ocean Avenue. (OCEANSIDE)

**Old Fashioned Father's Day** Treat dad to brunch and bottomless mimosas from 11am–3pm on the outdoor patio. Dinner menu is also available all day and we will have live Latin music continuously throughout the day from 2pm–12:30am. All day Old Fashioned

smoked cocktails for \$10 including Ibérico Old Fashioned, Spanish Old Fashioned, Caramelized Fig Old Fashioned and Citrus Tequila Old Fashioned. Additionally, dads can receive a complimentary lobster tail if they order a paella. Sunday, June 19, 11am; Cafe Sevilla Tapas Bar, 353 Fifth Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

## FOOD & DRINK EVENTS

**A Submarine-themed Tiki Bar: The Acey-Deucey Club** The Acey-Deucey Club is a 90-minute immersive experience with themed cocktails inside of a submarine-themed tiki bar. Enjoy live music and character interaction as you unlock the submarine's secrets. Sundays, 6pm; through Sunday, June 26, \$56–\$85. 21 and up. Horton Grand Hotel, 311 Island Avenue. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

**Meet the Makers with Nomadica Wine** Meet the Makers with Kristin Olsewski, Founder of sustainable wine company, Nomadica Wine. Learn all

about Kristin's journey to success while enjoying a selection of Nomadica Wine, paired with specially curated music. Thursday, June 16, 5:30pm; \$65. Estancia La Jolla Hotel and Spa, 9700 North Torrey Pines Road. (LA JOLLA)

**Signature Wine Series: Chappellet Winery** Join Chappellet Winery's Dominic and Amy Chappellet (Proprietors), along with A.R. Valentin's Executive Chef Kelli Crosson, and Advanced Sommelier Paul Krikorian for a special multi-course meal of seasonal bounty with some of the state's most notable wines. Set on the terrace of A.R. Valentin, each Artisan Table Signature Wine Dinner begins with a reception, followed by a dinner featuring a custom menu that's skillfully crafted to enhance the wine pairings. Throughout the evening, guests are guided on a sensory journey with insight from the special guest duo about Chappellet's winemaking process and what makes it so special. Thursday, June 16, 6pm; \$250. 21 and up. A.R. Valentin, 11480 N. Torrey Pines Road. (LA JOLLA)

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# SHEEP AND GOATS

## I ANSWERED THE CALL

### Bahá'ís of San Diego

**Contact:** 6545 Alcala Knolls Dr., San Diego 858-268-3999 [www.sandiegobahai.org](http://www.sandiegobahai.org)

**Membership:** 800+

**Community Member:** Michelle Goering

**Age:** 57

**Born:** In the Mennonite community of Goessel, KS.

**Formation:** Bethel College, North Newton, KS; National Bahá'í Center Temple, Wilmette, IL

### San Diego Reader: Why Bahá'í?

**Michelle Goering:** The Bahá'í Faith began in Persia, what is now Iran, in 1844. Bahá'ís believe that Bahá'u'lláh (which means “the glory of God”) fulfills the promises in all religions of the return of one who will unite humanity. The Bahá'í Faith has been around for a fairly short time, but it's now in more localities than any other religion

except for Christianity. The primary message of Bahá'u'lláh is that there is one God, one humanity and one progressively unfolding faith revealed by the Founders of the world's religions. I became a Bahá'í because of that vision, which would include and draw from everyone in the solving of the world's problems. I appreciate the richness of the experience of being able to communicate with people from every different kind of background, and there is a real hope I felt that these teachings of Bahá'u'lláh are like a blueprint: these are steps, and here is where we are in the process. It could really bring about peace and the betterment of the world.

**SDR:** How does your com-

munity grow in its faith?

**MG:** Bahá'u'lláh says this is the age for independent search for truth, that every soul can recognize God and the Manifestation or Messenger for the age. So, in that way we don't have clergy. People come together for consultation to share ideas and there is an emphasis in Bahá'í on sharing the message of Bahá'u'lláh. Bahá'ís are free to express themselves however they like. I do some writing myself, including an article on why I became Baha'i on the Bahá'í website called *Baha'i Teachings* that includes a new article every day from different people about different topics.

**SDR:** What is the mission of your community?

**MG:** San Diego Bahá'ís and

their friends are engaged in an educational process to develop skills and capacities within individuals to be able to serve their own families, communities and neighborhoods. The structure of the San Diego Bahá'í community is decentralized. We have a Bahá'í community center in Linda Vista for the city for San Diego, but this is not a place where the whole community gathers, generally. Instead, our activities — children's classes, junior youth groups, devotional gatherings, study circles — are carried out in neighborhood groups, in homes or other spaces that have been rented or borrowed for activities... We are always encouraging people to investigate Bahá'í through our scrip-



Michelle Goering

tures. Proselytizing, however, is explicitly against the rules, according to our writings. We do however believe people should know about Bahá'í and our current revelation.

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

**MG:** The soul is eternal and its progress is infinite toward God, its creator. When we pass from

this world to the next world, whatever spiritual development we've been able to achieve within this life is an assistance in the next realm. Bahá'ís don't believe in some kind of finished state — depending on what you've done here, either eternal damnation or eternal reward. Instead, there is always a distance to travel toward our creator, and at the same time, God is the unknowable essence. We can't begin to fathom what God really is and can only know God through these Messengers to help us understand. But we can move in that direction.

— Joseph O'Brien

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culinary gems throughout both days, while strolling the neighborhood's 48 square blocks, checking off their favorites on their Taste Passport, and enjoying live music throughout the neighborhood. Tuesday, June 21, 4pm; Wednesday, June 22, 4pm; \$50-\$55. Along Kettner and India St., throughout Little Italy

### Tijuana Street Food Tour

Enjoy an all-inclusive street food tour in Tijuana. You'll enjoy tastings at 5 food stops, 1 non-alcoholic beverage stop, and 1 desert stop. Other visits include the Mercado Hidalgo open-air market and a Mexican bakery and eateries Anthony Bourdain and Andrew Zimmern showcased on their Travel Channel shows. Everything included: food, transportation, shopping, sightseeing, and a tour guide. Meet in San Diego at the McDonald's at the San Ysidro Trolley Station. Reservations and passports required. Saturdays, 12pm; through Saturday, December 31, \$69. San Ysidro Trolley Station, 700 E. San Ysidro Boulevard. (SAN YSIDRO)

**West Coast Hot Sauce Experience** Over 50 craft hot sauce producers offering unlimited free samples of their products, local craft beer and cocktails, gourmet food trucks, VIP area, live music, spicy eating competitions and surprise entertainment. Saturday, June 18, 10am; Sunday, June 19, 12pm; \$20-\$125. Port Pavilion on Broadway Pier, 1000 N. Harbor Drive. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

## FOR KIDS

**Dance Pants Party** Recommended for toddlers, preschoolers, and early elementary-school age kids, this simple dance program will feature “The Wheels on the Bus,” “Baby Shark,” and more. Please note: this event will be held outdoors. Wednesdays, 10:30am; through Wednesday, June 29, free. Mission Valley Library, 2123 Fenton Parkway. (MISSION VALLEY)

**Nature Discovery Event: Live Reptiles** Live Local Reptiles with Jeff Nordland, who lets children touch some of the gentler snakes

and lizards. Meet at the pavilion area near the upper parking lot. Saturday, June 18, 3pm; free. Torrey Pines State Beach and Reserve, 12600 N. Torrey Pines Road. (LA JOLLA)

**Toddler & Preschool Storytime** Recommended for ages 2-5, this storytime program includes, books, songs, games and early literacy fun! Please note: this event will be held outdoors. Thursdays, 10:30am; through Thursday, June 30, free. Mission Valley Library, 2123 Fenton Parkway. (MISSION VALLEY)

**Trail Tykes Reading Series** Created for children ages two to five years. Parents or guardians can join their little ones at the free weekday morning reading series, Trail Tykes, to hear nature-related stories, sing songs, and take short walks at the Visitor Center to investigate the “small wonders” around us. Meet in the Visitor Center lobby. The program is free, and no registration is required. 2nd & 4th Wednesdays. Wednesday, June 22, 10am; free. Mission Trails Regional Park, One Father Junípero Serra Trail. (SAN CARLOS)

## FUNDRAISERS

**Suicide Prevention Golf Tournament** UMTR2ME, a local small nonprofit is hosting its first annual golf tournament to help provide hope, support, and encouragement to those suffering with thoughts of suicide. Saturday, June 18, 8am; \$100-\$460. Chula Vista Golf Course, 4475 Bonita Road. (BONITA)

**Switchfoot BRO-AM Beach Fest** Join 17,000 for a free, all ages, family-friendly community giving movement to enjoy a whole day of surf contests, live concerts on the beach with Grammy Award winning rockband, Switchfoot and special guests, brand activations, vendor booths, green initiatives, and more. Saturday, June 18, 7am; free. Moonlight Beach, 200 B Street. (ENCINITAS)

## LECTURES

**A History of How World Expos Changed Our Lives** Hall of Nations House of Pacific Relations: Learn more about past and future World Fairs, how the World Expos have impacted our lives, what's to come, and to enjoy a historic tour of Balboa Park. Guarantee a seat by registering at <https://bit.ly/3tw8CmI>. Thursday, June 16, 5:30pm; free. Balboa Park Hall of Nations, 2191 W. Pan American Road. (BALBOA PARK)

**Building a Brand That Beats Your Competition** Louie Ortiz has been seen on HGTV and E! Channel Thursday, June 16, 2:30pm; free. Keller Williams Carmel Valley-Del Mar, 12780 High Bluff Dr., Suite 130. (DEL MAR)

**Burnham-Moore's Morning Series: The Metaverse** A panel of experts who will share

their insights about the Metaverse and how it impacts real estate... and you. Tuesday, June 21, 7:30am; \$10-\$700. Joan B. Kroc Institute for Peace and Justice, USD, 5998 Alcalá Park. (LINDA VISTA)

**Culinary Historians: It's Boba Time** Culinary Historians of San Diego will present “It's Boba Time: Adapting to Change,” featuring Yong Chen. “Boba Time” refers to the continued rise of the popular boba tea in the US and elsewhere. Saturday, June 18, 10:30am; free. Central Library, 330 Park Boulevard. (EAST VILLAGE)

## NATURE

**Birding With All Your Solstice Senses** Join Ornithologist Jeanie Anderson for an easy stroll on a path in the canyon with many birds both visible and calling. Bring sturdy shoes, binoculars and cover-ups. Hand-outs and checklists will be provided. Meet at the Preserve Sign at west end of Canyonside Park Driveway, 12122 Black Mtn. Rd., Rancho Peñasquitos, 92129. Saturday, June 18, 7:45am; free. 12122 Black Mtn. Rd., Rancho Peñasquitos 92129

**Citizen Science Project: Snapshot Cal Coast BioBlitz** Help document California's incredible coastal biodiversity and take part in this year's Snapshot Cal Coast with a BioBlitz! Library staff will teach you how to use iNaturalist to make observations of the plants and animals you see at the beach. Tuesday, June 21, 1:30pm; free. Coronado City Beach, Ocean Boulevard and Marina Avenue. (CORONADO)

**Free Interpretive Nature Walks** Walks are moderately paced on the lower creek trail and begin in front of the Elfin Forest Interpretive Center Honoring Susan J. Varty. Sunday, June 19,

9am; free. Elfin Forest Recreational Reserve, 8833 Harmony Grove Road. (ESCONDIDO)

**Guided Bird Walk** Join MTRP birders Millie Basden and Cindy Cornelius for a guided bird walk along the Visitor Center Loop Trail. We'll pass through a variety of habitats on this walk and will expect to see typical species that call MTRP home. Meet in front of the Visitor Center. Bring binoculars if you have them. Saturday, June 18, 8am; free. Kumeyaay Lake Campground, Two Father Junípero Serra Trail. (SANTEE)

**Guided Nature Walk** Join a MTRP Trail Guide on a guided nature walk. Walk includes a visit to the lush riparian habitat of the Kumeyaay Lake shoreline overlook. The trails used are easy, but have uneven surfaces and some involve steps, so be sure to wear sturdy, closed-toe shoes and bring along water. A hat and sunscreen are also recommended. Saturday, June 18, 9:30am; free. Mission Trails Regional Park, One Father Junípero Serra Trail. (SAN CARLOS)

**Guided Nature Walk** Join an 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. Walks start from the Visitor Center, are free and open to the public, with no reservations required. Walks are canceled if raining. Saturday, June 19, 9:30am & Wednesday, June 22, 9:30am; free. Mission Trails Regional Park, One Father Junípero Serra Trail. (SAN CARLOS)

**Guided Twilight Nature Walk** Join MTRP Trail Guides for free special interpretive walks at twilight this summer. Come and enjoy an evening walk in the park and learn about the changes that occur at dusk as the sun goes down. Walks meet at the parking lot at the corner of Bushy Hill

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Drive and Father Junipero Serra Trail, across from Kumeyaay Lake Campground. Don't forget to bring along a flashlight and an extra layer of clothing — it often cools down after the sun sets. Saturday, June 18, 7:30pm; Kumeyaay Lake Campground, Two Father Junipero Serra Trail. (SANTEE)

**History Hike** Join a Park Ranger to discover the rich history of the Chollas Lake area. This hike will encircle Chollas Lake and North Chollas Community Park offering wonderful scenery. Unique wildlife, native plants, and interesting geology will also be discussed. Note that this hike of intermediate difficulty is 2 1/2 miles long on loose dirt surfaces with some steep hills and steps. Bring water, sun protection and sturdy shoes. Leashed, friendly dogs are welcome. Meet near the comfort station at the north end of the parking lot. Saturday, June 18, 2pm; **free**. Chollas Lake, 6350 College Grove Drive. (OAK PARK)

**Stars at West Sycamore** Join members from the San Diego Astronomy Association at the West Sycamore Staging Area to view the nighttime sky through telescopes. Gibbous moon rising at 11:30pm after the star party. Rain or cloudy skies cancel event. Where: West Sycamore (17160 Stonebridge Pkwy, San Diego, CA) Sunset 7:59 Friday, June 17, 7:45pm; **free**. West Sycamore — Mission Trails Regional Park, 17160 Stonebridge Parkway. (SCRIPPS RANCH)

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**Sip & Swim Pool Party** Bathing suits, pool floaties, cocktails, live music and more. Sunday, June 19, 12pm; \$40. 21 and up. Lafayette Hotel, Swim Club & Bungalows, 2223 El Cajon Boulevard. (UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS)

## SPOKEN WORD

**Open Mic** Yiddishland's second farbrengen (open mic) offers classical and popular music, poetry, monologues, stories, jokes, etc. accompanied by drinks. You do not have to be Jewish to participate. Email info@yaaana.org if you would like to present something at the open mic and include a description or sample of the performance. The event will be broadcast on Zoom. Friday, June 17, 6pm; \$18. Yiddishland California, 1128 Wall Street. (LA JOLLA)

## SPORTS & FITNESS

**Champions Unite** Sports-focused talent show to benefit clean air and healthy lungs in Southern California. Champions Unite brings pro sports teams, their athletes, and fans together for a livestream "off-the-field, court and ice" talent competition. Audiences will

engage and vote for their favorite player. Thursday, June 16, 6pm; **free**. lung.org/get-involved/events/championsunite. (ONLINE)

**San Diego Archers: King Arthur Novelty Shoot** This annual novelty shoot consists of 40 hand-painted and 3D targets. There will be two barbecue stations where lunch can be purchased during your all day archery quest. Kids under 12 shoot for free. Range is adjacent to the Alcazar Parking Lot. Sunday, June 19, 8am; \$20-\$40. Rube Powell Archery Range, 2145 Park Boulevard. (BALBOA PARK)

**VegRun: Walk for the Earth** Buddha's Light International Association is organizing the VegRun, a global effort in raising the awareness of different ways in reducing carbon emission, one of them is thru walking. Meet us at The Kiss and walk along the Embarcadero Marine Park. Sunday, June 19, 9am; **free**. Embarcadero Marina Park North, 400 Kettner Boulevard. (DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO)

**Zen Soul Balance Sound Healing** Be transported on a journey of discovery, tapping into your ability to soothe yourself through the power of sound, led by Jeny of Zen Soul Balance. This 60 minute sound bath is a meditative experience infused with the tranquil sounds and healing vibrations where those in attendance are bathed in sound waves produced by various instruments such as gongs, singing bowls, drums and chimes. Friday, June 17, 6:30pm; \$55. Buddhi Yoga, 7843 Girard Avenue. (LA JOLLA)



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# CURRENT MOVIES

## MOVIE LISTINGS

All reviews are by Scott Marks, Matthew Lickona, and Duncan Shepherd. Priorities are indicated by one to five stars and antipathies by the black spot. Unrated movies are for now unreviewed. Thousands of past reviews are available online at [SDReader.com/movies](http://SDReader.com/movies).

**Benediction** — Expect another masterful essay on regretfulness when Terence Davies (*The Neon Bible*, *The Deep Blue Sea*) turns back time for a biographical study of war poet Siegfried Sassoon, played at various ages by Jack Lowden and Peter Capaldi. 2021. (LANDMARK HILLCREST)

**Brian and Charles** — First-time director Jim Archer's mockumentary tells of a depressive-type, isolated from the world, who builds a robot to keep him company. The film's tagline is "Some friendships are built to last," so you may want a shot of insulin before hitting the multiplex. 2022. (ANGELIKA FILM CENTER AND CAFÉ; LANDMARK HILLCREST; REGAL SAN MARCOS)

**Cha Cha Real Smooth** — From Cooper Raiff, the writer-director-star who constructed the brick-solid romcom *Shithouse* returns with a tale of a Bar Mitzvah emcee who strikes a connection with a mother (Dakota Johnson) and her autistic daughter (Vanessa Burghardt). 2022. (ANGELIKA FILM CENTER AND CAFÉ; LANDMARK HILLCREST)



**Cha Cha Real Smooth:** Vanessa Burghardt and Dakota Johnson star in the latest offbeat dramedy from Cooper Raiff.

**Crimes of the Future** — An update of the director's same-titled second film, the one that caused David Cronenberg scholar Kim Newman to remark, "It's possible to be boring and interesting at the same time." Remember *Crash*, Cronenberg's ode to a society so desensitized the only way to achieve sexual satisfaction is after a car wreck, preferably a near-fatal one at that?

Thanks to the presence of Accelerated Evolution Syndrome, tumors and body mutation have replaced automobiles as a function of fetishism. Saul Tenser (Viggo Mortensen), a modern day conjurer with a veritably inexhaustible tumor supply chain, travels the country performing live operations along with magician's assistant Caprice (Léa Seydoux). As a spoof on humanities' preoccupation with external beauty — scarification as performance art?! — there are few finer, with Kristen Stewart stealing the show as Tenser's tongue-tied, sycophantic assistant. But not unlike Cronenberg's noble attempt to bring William S. Burroughs' *Naked Lunch* to the screen, there's a point midway through Tenser's battles with severe pain — he seeks comfort on a therapeutic device that looks like a mugwump swallowed a Dali armchair sculpture — and the National Organ Registry and that found me abandoning coherence in favor of synchronized head scratching. 2022. — S.M. ★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE)

**Jazz Fest: A New Orleans Story** — We begin with a flurry of performers introducing themselves, a handy visual aid given how many faces will pass our way over the next 90 minutes. 2020 marked the 50 anniversary of The New Orleans Jazz and Heritage Festival aka Jazz Fest and directors Frank Marshall and Ryan Soffern were there to document an event so large it's known as the sixth biggest city in Louisiana. What kicked off in 1970 would have commenced in 1962 were it not for Jim Crow laws preventing festival co-founders George Wein and Quint Davis from mounting a multi-racial event. Don't let the name deceive you. This celebration of culture, music, and food doesn't stop at jazz. A mixture of clips past and present reveals just about every musical genre short of classical is represented. Ba-dee-ya, say, do you remember? Close your eyes and you'll think you're listening to an Earth, Wind & Fire concert recorded in 1978. Expect more than a performance film per se as the cameras venture out from the little city and into the swamps before hitting up the Mardi Gras. Even talk of Hurricane Katrina and two years in quarantine can't dampen this joyous celebration. 2022. — S.M. ★★★ (DIGITAL GYM CINEMA)

**Lightyear** — Give Hollywood enough time and they'll ruin everything. The Buzz Lightyear character came to be a household name thanks to four installments of *Toy Story*. The delusional doll that thought he was the character upon which he is based now has an origin story that, according to the trailer, looks more like an adventure yarn than a comedy. 2022. None. (IN WIDE RELEASE)

**The Phantom of the Open** — Maurice Flitcroft (Mark Rylance) was the Ed Wood of drivers, Forrest Gump a few bucks shy of the green fees, known in media circles as the worst golfer in the history of the sport. (His answer to "What's your handicap?" is "I'm not sick.") Without once having played a round, and looking to segue out of a career as a crane operator, Flitcroft stepped on the TV remote, up popped a golf match, and thus began screenwriter Simon Farnaby's epic struggle between historical accuracy and artistic license. Rylance no doubt studied all the available footage of his subject, but his performance never rises above the level of refined mimicry. Under various disguises, any one of which would make Inspector Clouseau snicker, the "people's golfer" spent years sneaking into the British Open. How is it that tourney potentate Keith Mackenzie (Rhys Ifans) failed to notice Flitcroft's flagrant press-on 70s porn-stache? Add a devoted little woman (Sally Hawkins) and a "love me, daddy" subplot involving the adoption of her illegitimate son (Jake Davies) and all I could think was what Scott Alexander and Larry Karaszewski (*Ed Wood*, *Dolemite is My Name*) would have done with this celebration of mediocrity. Directed by Craig Roberts. 2022. — S.M. ● (ANGELIKA FILM CENTER AND CAFÉ; ARCLIGHT LA JOLLA; LANDMARK HILLCREST)

**The Thing** — In four short years, John Carpenter followed his wholeheartedly fearsome Shatner-masked mutation with the unseen terror of homichlophobia before confronting the ultimate in evil: a heedless remake of one horror cinema's Pantheonic achievements, *The Thing From Another World*. Filmmakers Christian Nyby and Howard Hawks went out of their way to conceal the identity of their "human carrot" until the end. Carpenter's biggest fault lies in his desire to jam down our throats a

creature enlivened by special effects, one that doesn't necessitate a costumed human or, better yet, the activation of an audience's imagination. It's difficult to feel much fear when the monster in question is laughably composed of what appears to be a Venus flytrap regurgitating a killer shrew. The cast, all of whom succumb to death by billing, is first rate, as is cinematographer Dean Cundey's night work. And on a positive note, it was Ennio Morricone, not the director, who composed the score. Carpenter knows how to turn up the atmospheric and 'Scope composition don't come much cleaner, but this R-rated microcosm of paranoiacs is better suited to PG-13-year-olds. To celebrate the film's 40 year anniversary, Fathom Events is reissuing the film to theatres on June 19 and 22. Visit us online for locations and showtimes. 1982. — S.M. ★ (IN WIDE RELEASE)

**Top Gun: Maverick** — The "uncompromising style" referred to in director Joseph Kosinski's (*Oblivion*) biography involves more closeups than a flight simulator cockpit and an ability to do what you're told by keeping one's yap shut when the media mentions scientology. Don't let the mumbo jumbo regarding a mission to prevent the opening of a foreign country's unsanctioned uranium plant fool you: this isn't a plotless sequel, it's a plotless remake geared to meet audience expectations with mindless mimeography. The only survivor of the original not asked back was Kelly McGillis who told E.T., "I'm old, and I'm fat, and I look age-appropriate." How many millions would have been shaved from the box office had Captain Mitchell (Tom Cruise) gone gunning for a geriatric? (The gravity-defying Jennifer Connelly was recruited to play Maverick's beard.) And what would a remake be without a bevy of ripped hunks sweat-polishing their washboard abs in the burnt afternoon sun? On a note of originality, volleyball has been replaced by touch football. And for those drooling over the aerial footage, I submit Anthony Mann's *Strategic Air Command* and Josef von Sternberg's *Jet Pilot* for further study. With: Miles Teller and Val Kilmer cometh back as "Iceman." 2022. — S.M. ● (IN WIDE RELEASE)

**Watcher** — An American in Bucharest, new in town following her ambitious husband Francis' (Karl Glusman) promotion and unfamiliar with the language, Julia's (Maika Monroe) days are spent people-watching, both inside and outside the couple's spacious apartment. Who needs cable when there's a thin-lipped crackpot in the apartment across the way begging to make eye contact? The murder scene the couple happened across during an evening constitutional triggers Julia's paranoia, and it gradually builds to a nerve-twisting late night confrontation on public transportation between watcher and looker. First time writer-director Chloe Okuno tries for a sinister Polanski vibe, right down to an abundance of seemingly well-intentioned albeit non-communicative tenants to add to the tension. For a film of this nature to succeed, it all comes down to a happy ending, a table-turning climax that finds our heroine guilty of the titular compulsion, not a victim of it. Monroe puts a fresh spin on an all-too familiar victimized heroine and Burn Gorman as "Watcher" is creepy enough to star in a Skelton Knaggs biopic. It all went smoothly until an eleventh-hour plot strained plausibility in the name of contrivance. For full satisfaction, leave two minutes early and make up your own ending. 2022. — S.M. ★★ (IN WIDE RELEASE)

## MOVIES@HOME

I was seven when *Beach Party*, the first of seven wildly popular low budget beach movies produced by American International Pictures, hit theatres. Larry fed me a steady diet of combat films, Babe kept me up to date on live-action Disney, and dad's sister Fay dragged me to all the Elvis *chazerai*. Perhaps it was our proximity to the water — we lived just two blocks from Thorndale Ave. Beach — that robbed the genre of its lustre, for it wasn't until last night that I saw one in its entirety.

— Scott Marks



**Beach Party:** Annette Funicello shows off both her belly button and an innate ability to shoot the curl without getting wet.

### BEACH PARTY (1963)

The series boasts a glut of celebrity cameos: Roger Corman's trio of Poe laureates Vincent Price, Peter Lorre, and Boris Karloff all put in appearances. But in spite of Don Rickles and Buster Keaton's presence in four entries, it's doubtful that I'll make it that far. Whatever conflict

there is to be found makes the musings of Archie and Jughead look like Sophocles and Euripides. No one holds a job, there's not a parental unit in sight, and the gang is so clean cut they appear to have been Martinized while wearing their clothes. Like a pencil jammed in an electric sharpener, the "all for fun and fun for all" tack wore me down to the eraser, but not without a certain degree of amusement. More online.

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# ON STAGE IN SAN DIEGO

## THEATER LISTINGS

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### A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum

Pseudolus, a crafty Roman slave, struggles to win the hand of Philia for his young master, Hero, in exchange for his freedom. The plot twists and turns with cases of mistaken identity, slamming doors and a showgirl or two. This Mel Brooks style, nonstop laugh fest takes comedy back to its roots, combining situations from time-tested, 2000-year-old comedies of Roman playwright, Plautus, with the infectious energy of classic vaudeville. Book by Burt Shevelove and Larry Gelbart. Music and Lyrics by Stephen Sondheim. Presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International. OLD TOWN TEMECULA COMMUNITY THEATER, 42051 MAIN ST., TEMECULA. 866-653-8696. 7:30PM THURSDAY, FRIDAY, & SATURDAY, 2PM SUNDAY.

### LEMPICKA: A New Musical

Amid the political upheaval of the early 20th Century, a young painter named Tamara de Lempicka and her aristocrat husband are forced to abandon their luxurious lifestyle in St. Petersburg and flee to the dubious safety of Paris. Relying on raw talent and relentless ambition, Tamara claws her way from penniless refugee to in-demand portraitist, earning a place among Parisian high society. Her world is upended once again when she meets Rafaela, a free spirit from the city slums, who introduces Tamara to a new world of decadence and passion. Torn between her new muse and her husband, and fighting to leave her mark on an ever-changing world, Tamara must discover the depths of her own strength to survive. Spanning decades of political turmoil and told through a thrilling, pop-infused score, Lempicka boldly explores the contradictions of a world in crisis, a woman ahead of her era, and an artist whose time has finally come. MANDELL WEISS FORUM, 2910 LA JOLLA VILLAGE DR., UCSD. 858-550-1010. 8PM THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS, & SATURDAYS, 2PM & 7PM SUNDAYS, 7:30PM TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS.

### The Light in the Piazza

Florence. Summer 1953. American Margaret Johnson and her daughter Clara take in the wonder and awe of Florence. A fateful gust of wind whisks Clara's hat into the hands of a local dreamer Fabrizio Naccarelli... and it's amore at first sight. But Clara isn't quite what she appears, and soon they must all confront a secret kept in the shadows for far too long. With a book by Craig Lucas and music and lyrics by Adam Guettel, the Broadway musical, The Light in the Piazza won six Tony Awards, including Best Original Score.

CCAE Theatricals is a professional, Equity theatre company. Presented by arrangement with Concord Theatricals. Book by Craig Lucas Music and Lyrics by Adam Guettel Based on the Novel by Elizabeth Spencer Directed by Kari Hayter CALIFORNIA CENTER FOR THE ARTS, ESCONDIDO, 340 N. ESCONDIDO BL., ESCONDIDO. 760-839-4138. 7:30PM FRIDAY, 2PM & 7:30PM SATURDAY, 2PM SUNDAY.

### Million Dollar Quartet

It's a genius premise: take a real-life Big Moment — the one time that King of Rock and Roll Elvis Presley, Man in Black Johnny Cash, Father of Rockabilly Carl Perkins and The Killer Jerry Lee Lewis met and played together at Sam Phillips' famed Sun Records recording studio in Memphis — and weave a story around it that can serve as a showcase for the music. The odds are pretty good that you know the songs, which include Perkins' "Blue Suede Shoes," Lewis' "Great Balls of Fire," Cash's "Folsom Prison Blues," and yes, Presley's "Hound Dog." It's better than going to see a cover band, because the actors aren't just imitating the real-deal pop-culture giants (the outfits, the hair, the dancing, and oh yes, the music) they're *portraying* them. And it's better than a biopic, because you get that live-music thrill — doubly so, because it's played in the context of when it was shaking the foundations of society. It's not remember when, it's you are there. The thing is brilliantly designed to feel good, and it does, which is all the more remarkable considering just how sad the story is. (As narrator and protagonist Phillips puts it, "I wish those boys had had a little more happiness in their lives." And he's in for a rough night of his own.) Such is the power of the musical Muse; we clap and cheer at stuff born from poverty and pain. (Phillips again: "I ain't never heard a rich man make a good record," and dead brothers abound among our stars — for starters.) Ben Van Diepen's Lewis seems designed to steal the show, and he obliges in acrobatic fashion, but Lance Arthur Smith's Phillips grounds the proceedings and keeps it from becoming a Greatest Hits album. LAMB'S PLAYERS THEATRE, 1142 ORANGE AVE., CORONADO. 619-437-0600. 7PM THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS, 4PM & 8PM SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS, 2PM & 7PM WEDNESDAYS.

### The Outgoing Tide

A sort of Ultimate Questions dramatization of Billy Joel's song "My Life," handled with that hit's light but incisive touch and laced with its maddening self-satisfaction, featuring the sort of blue-collar Philly philosopher who might have once listened to and loved it. Old man Gunner's mind is going, a fact that sneaks up on us during the opening scene — a rapid-fire conversation about life beside the Chesapeake Bay with a younger man who's trying and failing to skip stones on the water's surface, just the way Gunner's disappointment of a son used to do. Oh, and the other thing about that conversation: admiration is expressed for the migrating ducks, who just know when it's the right time to leave. Subtlety is not the point here, which is not to say that the play's revelations, conveyed through present conversations and past events, are inelegant. Just that both play and protagonist are past the point of dissembling. Gunner, played here with



*The Outgoing Tide: When is life no longer worth living?*

warmth and generosity by Andrew Barnicle, is relatable, and appealing, and sympathetic, and funny, and pitiful, and frightened, and selfish, and maybe a little monstrous. Playwright Bruce Graham's script is carefully engineered to suggest that his wife and son (and probably the audience) are much the same. And they and we will all have to answer those ultimate questions, many of which boil down to: what do we owe to others? And what can we ask of them? (Any sort of outside authority on the matter, represented here by the Catholic Church, is repeatedly dismissed, cuz they're molesters.) Take it away, Billy: *Go ahead with your own life...* What's really remarkable here is the tone, which is so sunny that you tend to forget there is a storm raging onstage — until the emotional thunderclaps hit.

NORTH COAST REPERTORY THEATRE, 987-D LOMAS SANTA FE DR., SOLANA BEACH. 858-481-1055. 8PM SUNDAYS.

### Red Jasper

A world-premiere play, it's a dramatic comedy about a romance between a woman getting treatment for breast cancer and a man with a secret past. It will make you laugh, it will move you and you will think of things you never thought of before. It's being co-promoted by the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation. LAMPLIGHTERS COMMUNITY THEATRE, 5915 SEVERIN DR., LA MESA. 619-303-5092. 8PM FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS.

### Songs For a New World

Adapted from Teatro San Diego's production streamed during the Covid-19 pandemic, *Songs For a New World* is a song cycle by Jason Robert Brown, composer of *Parade*, *Bridges of Madison County*, and *The Last Five Years*. Having the common theme of making a difficult and important decision, each song and performer represents a form of social injustice in America such as Feminism, White Privilege, Gender Equality, and Racial Justice. SUNSHINE BROOKS THEATRE, 217 N. COAST HWY., OCEANSIDE. 760-433-8900. 7:30PM FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS, 2PM SUNDAYS.

## UPCOMING SHOWS

### 13 The Musical

Evan Goldman is plucked from his fast-paced, preteen New York City life and plopped into a sleepy Indiana town following his parents' divorce.

Surrounded by an array of simple-minded middle school students, he needs to establish his place in the popularity pecking order. Can he situate himself on a comfortable link of the food chain...or will he dangle at the end with the outcasts?! The cast is comprised entirely of teenagers, but the stories that come to life here are ageless, the emotions timeless, the laughter and the memories they provide priceless. OLD TOWN TEMECULA COMMUNITY THE-

ATER, 42051 MAIN ST., TEMECULA. 866-653-8696. JUNE 24 THROUGH JUNE 26.

### Pretty Woman - The Musical

The musical features an original score by Grammy® winner Bryan Adams ("Summer of '69," "Everything I Do") and his longtime songwriting partner, Jim Vallance; and a book by the movie's director, Garry Marshall, and screenwriter J.F. Lawton. Vivian and Edward are unlikely soulmates who overcome all odds to find each other... and themselves. Experience the moments you love from the movie — and get to know these iconic characters in a whole new way — in this theatrical take on a love story for the ages.

SAN DIEGO CIVIC THEATRE, 1100 THIRD AVE., DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO. 619-570-1100. JULY 26 THROUGH JULY 31.

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Transporting audiences from the Jungle of Nool to the Circus McGurkus, the Cat in the Hat narrates the story of Horton the Elephant, who discovers a speck of dust containing tiny people called the Whos. Horton must protect the Whos from a world of naysayers and dangers, and he must also guard an abandoned egg that's been left in his care by the irresponsible Mayzie La Bird. Although Horton faces ridicule, danger and a trial, the intrepid Gertrude McFuzz never loses faith in him. Ultimately, the powers of friendship, loyalty, family and community are challenged and emerge triumphant. OLD TOWN TEMECULA COMMUNITY THEATER, 42051 MAIN ST., TEMECULA. 866-653-8696. JULY 1 THROUGH JULY 3.

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**Pink-powered pop-punk: The Havnavts**

**In the pink** Singer Shelbi Bennett of The Midnight Pine — an act she describes as “very serious and veiled in metaphor” — and Shady Francos drummer Jenny Merullo share a love of the pop-punk that shaped their respective youths. “I was in born in ’85,” Merullo says, “so the late-’90s, early 2000s emo-pop-punk wave was hugely impactful on me when I was playing drums as a 15-year-old. I grew up in Boston, and I played in bands there. The first real band I was ever in was a ska band, because it was 2001 and that was what we wanted to do. When I first moved to San Diego, I was in this little punk band called French Kiss Koma. The oldest person in the band was in his fifties, and the youngest person was underage.”

If you caught the duo’s pop-punk band The Havnavts in those early days, you probably saw bassist Zak Kmak rocking outfits that Merullo describes as having a “Jimmy Buffett vibe,” and Bennett sporting “bright makeup that looked like it had been smeared on.” The group was still seeking a visual aesthetic that would unify them; they found it in the color pink. “I like that it’s softer, and I wouldn’t ever describe our music as soft, but it does have tender subject matter,” Bennett says. “That color is almost a fifth band member. The only other color I think we could have chosen besides that is red, but red is too aggressive.” Merullo adds that “It’s really eye-catching onstage, and it’s easy to find pink stuff at a dollar store.”

The San Diego Music Award winners (Best Local Recording for 2018’s *Go For It* EP) dropped an eight-song album, *Real Good Now*, on New Year’s Day 2020, promoted via videos produced during the pandemic shutdown. Right now, they’re working on a video for “Bummer Man,” the B-side of their 2021 Iggy Pop cover “Search and Destroy.”

— *Dryw Keltz*

**Hero Valenzuela jumps to Vault** When Howard Mandel, President of the Jazz Journalists Association, emailed Louis Valenzuela to congratulate him on being selected a Jazz Hero by the organization, the guitarist almost missed it. “I didn’t recognize the name,” says Valenzuela. “The subject line said ‘jazz hero,’ and I thought



**Not all heroes wear capes: Louis Valenzuela**

that sounded spammy, so I just deleted it. I had to go back and drag it into my inbox from the trash.”

It’s taken some time for the gravity of the honor — one also bestowed upon Gilbert Castellanos, Daniel Atkinson, and Holly Hofmann — to set in. “Well, my girlfriend says she’s gonna have to get me a

cape!” jokes Valenzuela, who was nominated for his tireless work livestreaming local jazz concerts during the pandemic. Now that live music is resurgent, he’s re-opening and relocating his Monday night jam session, moving from Rosie O’Grady’s in Normal Heights to Amplified Ale Works in East Village.

“It’s like a normal bar-restaurant upstairs, but downstairs there’s this really cool space designed by Aubree Miller called The Acid Vault. There’s no cover charge, and it’s open to everyone, so we’ve been getting a lot of [Gilbert Castellanos’ Young Lions Jazz Conservatory] students coming in, like [saxophonist] Nick Caldwell. Last week, we brought in [guitarist/luthier] Victor Baker, and [trombonist] Matt Hall is coming up, performing music from his new CD. Also, we’ll have someone like [Lyrical Groove frontman] Kendrick Dial come in and do a spoken-word, R&B soul type thing.”

Valenzuela is also building an online resource called San Diego Realbook, taking its name from unlicensed “Fakebook” music transcriptions and collecting San Diego musician charts. “I’ve organized them on my website through a Google drive link. And basically, anyone can access these charts. They can’t edit them, but they can download them.” The database features 25 to 30 composers including pianist Ed Kornhauser, bassist Rob

Thorsen, and drummer Nathan Hubbard. A possible result: Monday jam session guests can now play each other’s music on the spot.

— *Robert Bush*

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## THIS WEEK'S SHOWS

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

**Balboa Theatre:**  
Friday, 8pm — Debbie Wileman: Happy 100th Birthday Judy. \$50-\$150.

**Bancroft:**  
Saturday, 8:30pm — Scarry Garry Show. **Free.**

**Bang Bang:**  
Friday, 8pm — Ardalán.

**Barefoot Bar and Grill:**  
Friday, 6pm — Christian Taylor.

**Beach House Grill:**  
Friday, 5pm — Claptone & Boys Don’t Disco.  
Saturday, 5pm — Poolside. \$45.

**Bellamy’s Restaurant:**  
Saturday, 6pm — Blaise Guld.  
Tuesday, 6pm — Jemille Violet.

**Belly Up Tavern:**  
Thursday, 8pm — The Tubes. \$35-\$62.  
Friday, 8pm — Cash’d Out. \$26-\$46.  
Saturday, 8pm — Pine Mountain Logs.  
Sunday, 8pm — The Highwayman Show. \$22-\$39.  
Monday, 7:30pm — Joshua Radin and William Fitzsimmons. \$30-\$53.  
Tuesday, 8pm — Ani DiFranco. \$42-\$74.  
Wednesday, 8pm — Calexico. \$30-\$53.

**Bloom Nightclub:**  
Friday, 8pm — Hotel Garuda.

**Brick by Brick:**  
Friday, 8pm — Deviates and Authority Zero. \$20-\$25.  
Sunday, 8pm — Bestial Mouths.

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Thu, June 23  
**THE WILDER BLUE**  
Julia Sage · Justin John Rodriguez

Fri, June 24  
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Sat, June 25  
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Sun, June 26, 7pm  
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\$18-\$20.  
Tuesday, 6:30pm — Rings of Saturn and Extortionist. \$20-\$24.

**Cannonball:**  
Thursday, 5pm — Kai Kalama.

**Casbah:**  
Thursday, 8pm — Southern Culture on the Skids. \$18-\$20.  
Friday, 8pm — Emo Nite. \$16-\$20.  
Saturday, 8pm — Modern English. \$22.  
Sunday, 8pm — A Wilhelm Scream. \$20.  
Monday, 7:30pm — Orgone and Delvon Lamarr Organ Trio. \$25.  
Tuesday, 8pm — Flobots. \$18.  
Wednesday, 8pm — Mars Junction. \$17.

**Coronado Library:**  
Friday, 1pm — Daneen Wilburn, Kamau Kenyatta & Friends. **Free.**

**Del Mar Fairgrounds:**  
Thursday, 7pm — Bohemian Queen.  
Thursday, 7pm — Chris Young. \$20-\$64.  
Friday, 8pm — Baxter Simpson. **Free.**

Friday, 7pm — The Wailers.  
Saturday, 7pm — Kenny Metcalf.  
Sunday, 7pm — Outlaw Mariachi.  
Sunday, 7:30pm — Ramón Ayala. \$25-\$55.  
Wednesday, 7pm — The Selena Experience.

**Duck Foot Brewing Company:**  
Thursday, 6pm — Deadheads Night.

**Duke’s La Jolla:**  
Friday, 3pm — Orion Song.  
Sunday, 4pm — Kai Kalama.  
Tuesday, 4pm — Johnny Martin.

**Ebullition Brew Works:**  
Saturday, 5pm — Carolyn Sills Combo and The Rayford Brothers. \$15-\$20.

**Estancia La Jolla Hotel and Spa:**  
Friday, 6pm — Tim Rose.

**Fairmont Grand Del Mar:**  
Friday, 6pm — Farrah Camu.  
Saturday, 6pm — Tyler F. Simmons.

**Farmer & the Seahorse:**  
Thursday, 4pm — Farrah Camu.  
Friday, 4pm — Zach Barnhorst.

**Garage Kitchen + Bar:**  
Saturday, 7pm — David Shyde.

**Gossip Grill:**  
Tuesday, 7:30pm — Fletcher.

**House of Blues:**  
Thursday, 7:30pm — Dream Ivory. \$15.

**Humphreys by the Bay:**  
Wednesday, 7:30pm — Indigo Girls. \$49-\$349.

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

**Kona Kai Resort & Marina:**  
Saturday, 6:30pm — Jason Graham.

**L’Auberge Del Mar:**  
Thursday, 5pm — David Shyde.  
Friday, 7pm — Mario Marauak.  
Saturday, 7pm — Farrah Camu.

**La Jolla Community Center:**  
Friday, 8pm — The J. Riley Cain Jazz Trio. \$40.

**La Valencia Hotel:**  
Thursday, 5:30pm — Brian Pierini.  
Friday, 6pm — Keni Yarbrow.  
Saturday, 11am — Jemille Violet.

**Local Roots Kombucha:**  
Saturday, 7pm — Groovesession.

**Marina Village Conference Center:**  
Thursday, 7pm — Tango at the Marina. \$75.

**Mission Bay Resort:**  
Thursday, 5pm — Orion Song.  
Saturday, 6pm — Tim Rose.  
Monday, 5pm — Jesse Johnson.  
Tuesday, 5pm — Ellis Bryant.

**Moonlight Beach:**  
Saturday, 7am — Switchfoot  
BRO-AM Beach Fest. **Free.**

**Mr. Peabody’s Bar & Grill:**  
Friday, 9pm — Custard Pie. **Free.**  
Saturday, 9pm — Tony Suraci. **Free.**

**Museum of Making Music:**  
Friday, 7pm — San Diego Sound Project: Mariela Contreras. **Free.**

**Music Box:**  
Thursday, 7:30pm — Sometimes Island and Well Well Well. \$12.  
Friday, 8pm — The Fixx and Slim Jim Phantom. \$35.  
Sunday, 7:30pm — Xavier Wulf. \$32.  
Wednesday, 7:30pm — The Black Angels and Dion Lunadon. \$27.

**Nick & G’s:**  
Friday, 5pm — David Shyde.  
Saturday, 5pm — Johnny Martin.  
Wednesday, 6pm — Keni Yarbrow.

**North Island Credit Union Amphitheatre:**  
Friday, 7pm — Santana and Earth, Wind & Fire. \$225-\$1350.  
Saturday, 6:30pm — Slipknot and Cypress Hill. \$40-\$784.

**Nova SD:**  
Friday, 8pm — Nicky Romero. \$20.

**Observatory North Park:**  
Saturday, 7:30pm — Keshi. \$240-\$353.

**Oceanside Sports Bar and Grill:**  
Saturday, 6pm — Sonic Tonic.

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## DREAM TONIC

Dream Tonic is a classically trained pianist whose new EDM EP is called *Essence*. "Although this entire EP has songs of darkness intermingled with hope," she says, "there is one particular song, 'Spark,' that stands out to me...I had recently lost a person that I loved very much in a sudden and unexpected way. I felt like I was living in a black hole with no way out. Then I remembered that there are people around me who love me, who are still living, and that they need me to emerge, to come out and be my fullest, truest self."



## JEFFERSON JAY

"Things are really rolling for The Good Vibe's *The Hunt for the Holiday Spirit*," says singer-songwriter Jefferson Jay of his animated cartoon in development, starring and about disabled performers. "In May, we signed a contract with Mach 8 Media to help us procure pitch meetings with many of the largest media companies in the world. On May 13th, we released our opening theme sequence video on YouTube. It's received over 6200 views, and we hadn't even sent it out yet."

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## SOME GIRLS

A guitar, once busted onstage while Some Girls covered Unbroken's "Absentee Debate" in tribute to their late bandmate Eric Allen, is being auctioned. Justin Pearson explains, "It was again one of those moments where a person is not fully conscious of reality...it wasn't until I had laid my bass down and started to gather my senses, as feedback consumed the room, that I realized Rob [Moran, guitarist] was nowhere near the stage. All that was left was a destroyed guitar and the sounds that it provided to those that were there to share that moment with us." Proceeds benefit the family of Gabe Serbian, who passed away in April.

## TOM GRIESGRABER

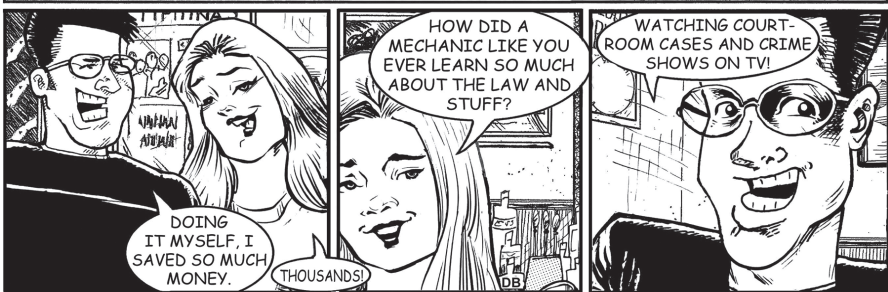
"I'm now a regular member of The California Guitar Trio," says renowned Chapman Stick player Tom Griesgraber. "Last year, they called me to fill in for Hideyo Moriya, right before they were scheduled to tour as King Crimson's opener. I had two weeks notice, then was off and running playing amphitheaters, famous venues like the Greek, Ryman, and Fox Atlanta, even a small sports arena." The Trio recently released a live album, and their first San Diego show with Griesgraber happens July 16 at Escondido's Ritz Grand.



## THE INFLORESCENCE

The Inflorescence songwriter Tuesday Denekas says their new single "Board Game" is "probably the most desperate song on the [new] album. At this time in my life, I felt very manipulated, like I wasn't being myself anymore and that the people I surrounded myself with didn't really care about me at all. I felt like I was just a piece of someone else's puzzle, not my own."

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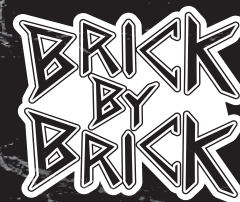


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# THE GONZO REPORT

## Reelin' in the fans

**Steely Dan still going strong — but no dancing!**

Steely Dan came to town on May 28, 2022, to play the North Island Credit Union Amphitheater. The cloudy weather did nothing to dampen the enthusiasm of the many upwardly mobile individuals attending the concert. I was fortunate to get into Premier Parking, which means you get to park closer to the arena for \$40 more. (However, it did not mean getting out of the venue earlier. We were stuck motionless in one spot for over an hour after the concert.) Once we were nestled safely in our parking spot, I decided to scour the other parking lots to compare the scenes. As far as I could tell, there was no difference between them when it came to the activities of the concertgoers. In both, it was a scene of wine and picnics. I saw

one group eating salads, another eating sushi, and another with a charcuterie board with nice meats & cheeses. A very subdued concert parking lot situation, and not a joint in sight. The crowd appeared to mainly be in their sixties and seventies, driving luxury cars from BMW, Mercedes, and Tesla to their rock 'n roll show and not wanting outside interference from any other concertgoers. I deemed it a yuppie rocker paradise, and resisted the temptation to ask them if they knew that the name Steely Dan was taken from William S. Burroughs' *Naked Lunch*, and referred to an oversized, steam-powered, strap-on dildo.

The venue was easy to get into, but once inside, I found the thought of paying \$27 for a Vodka Lemonade somewhat discouraging. Other downsides: no dancing allowed, and we were required to turn off our cell phones. The phone thing I understood, but no dancing to Steely Dan? It's an interesting thing when dancing at a concert is taboo. Is it possible the venue was aware of the demographics of the concertgoers and did not want to field complaints?

Steve Winwood was supposed to be the opening act but dropped out due to scheduling conflicts due to covid-19. Snarky Puppy assumed the opening slot instead. I had never heard of the all-instrumental band — a ten-piece ensemble



**No dancing, please; this is a rock and roll concert, not a party!**

whose members hail from all different parts of the country — but they were all great musicians. Do yourself a favor and check out their Latin/funk/jazz sound on NPR's *Tiny Desk Concerts* on YouTube

Steely Dan was not to be outdone; they had their own ten-piece ensemble, plus three backup singers called the Danettes. They came out playing a big band sound reminiscent of the Glenn Miller era. Then out walked Donald Fagan. He propped himself behind his keyboards, right up front in the middle of the stage. His voice sounded the same as ever on songs such as “Hey Nineteen,” “Aja,” and “Kid Charlemagne.” A singer from the Danettes

sang a beautiful rendition of “Dirty Work.” That was followed by a sizzling version of “Bodhisattva,” before the band finished off the set with “My Old School.” That's when I saw the flashlights, flashing and blinking as security guards rushed through the crowd to tell people to sit down and to stop dancing. I had a hard time staying seated for the entire concert, but I managed, even when they played “Reelin' in the Years” for an encore.

Donald Fagan is the last original member of Steely Dan. All the musicians performed flawlessly, but I did notice a difference in the music without the signature guitar playing of fellow founder Walter Becker. I guess that's to be expected after a band loses a founding member, a guy who helped create many of its hit songs, and replaces him with two new guitar players. Becker died unexpectedly of esophageal cancer at age 67 on September 3, 2017. Shortly after that, Donald Fagan filed a lawsuit against the estate of Walter Becker to retain full control of the band. The litigation began four years ago and is still going strong. Happily, a fan in the crowd would not notice any signs of ill feeling, or even know there was a lawsuit in motion. As a matter of fact, there was a sense of kinship between Fagan and his fallen long-time partner. He finished the concert by saying, “I'd like to thank my partner Walter Becker for helping out.” He then did a quick salute to the sky and walked off the stage.

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**Petco Park:**  
Wednesday, 7pm — AJR. \$40-\$130.

**Ritz Theater:**  
Friday, 5pm — Samaria Quartet. \$7-\$75.  
Saturday, 7pm — Berkley Hart. \$15-\$150.

**Roxy Encinitas:**  
Saturday, 8pm — Blame Betty. Free.

**San Diego Civic Theatre:**  
Saturday, 7:30pm — Bob Dylan.

**SeaWorld:**  
Saturday, 6pm — ASIA with John Payne.

**Seabird:**  
Sunday, 5pm — DevvLov.

**Side Yard:**  
Saturday, 6pm — Christian Taylor.

Wednesday, 6pm — Andrew Peña.

**Soda Bar:**  
Thursday, 7:30pm — The Altons. \$18.  
Friday, 6:30pm — Kurt Brauhnöhler. \$20.  
Saturday, 7:30pm — Bay Ledges. \$18.  
Sunday, 7:30pm — Tolliver. \$12.  
Monday, 7:30pm — Joe Purdy. \$25.  
Wednesday, 7:30pm — Whiskerman. \$15.

**Soma:**  
Friday, 7pm — Buddy. \$18.  
Monday, 7pm — Sofi Tukker.

**Spin Nightclub:**  
Friday, 10pm — Steve Darko.

**Template:**  
Sunday, 6pm — Micah! &

Fre3sty13 and Cannon Wildu. \$10.

**Thornton Winery:**  
Friday, 6pm — Lifetime Rocker.  
Saturday, 7pm — Norman Brown.

**Tio Leo's:**  
Tuesday, 7pm — The Surfari and The Tourmaliners.

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

**University Club Atop Symphony Towers:**  
Tuesday, 4:30pm — Tim Rose.

**Vigilante Coffee:**  
Sunday, 10:30am — The Soto Six. Free.

**Waterbar:**  
Thursday, 6pm — Jemille Violet.

**Westfield University Towne Centre:**  
Thursday, 12pm — Ben Benavente.

**Winstons Beach Club:**  
Thursday, 9pm — Cas Haley, Justin Kawika Young, Reed Grimm. \$15.  
Sunday, 4pm — Jack Strong & The Johnny Rock Band. Free.

## UPCOMING SHOWS

**Aztec Brewing Company:**  
Saturday, June 25 — The Soto Six. \$20-\$40.

**Barefoot Bar and Grill:**  
Friday, June 24 — Israel Maldonado.

**Bellamy's Restaurant:**  
Tuesday, June 28 — Jemille Violet.  
Thursday, June 30 — Aaron Nichols.

**Belly Up Tavern:**  
Thursday, June 23 — Calexico. \$30-\$53.  
Friday, June 24 — Metalachi. \$20-\$35.  
Saturday, June 25 — The Spazmatics and Lies N Roses.  
Sunday, June 26 — Debbie Gibson.  
Tuesday, June 28 — Femi Kuti & the Positive Force.  
Wednesday, June 29 — Morgan Leigh Band.  
Thursday, June 30 — Dave Alvin & Jimmie Dale Gilmore.

**Brick by Brick:**  
Friday, June 24 — Cave Bastard and Helsott. \$12-\$15.  
Saturday, June 25 — 80s Metal & Pop Tribute Show. \$10.  
Tuesday, June 28 — Dave Parley and Street Fever. \$15.  
Thursday, June 30 — Korine, Johnny Dynamite, Flaw Lust. \$12-\$15.

**California Center for the Arts, Escondido:**  
Friday, June 24 — DJ Mixer Maize and SM Familia. Free.

**Campland on the Bay:**  
Saturday, June 25 — Sonic Tonic.

**Cannonball:**  
Thursday, June 23 — Israel Maldonado.  
Thursday, June 30 — Kai Kalama.

**Casbah:**  
Friday, June 24 — Agent Orange and Decent Criminal. \$20.  
Saturday, June 25 — Windhand and Un.  
Wednesday, June 29 — Bang Bang Jet Away.

**Del Mar Fairgrounds:**  
Thursday, June 23 — Goo Goo Dolls. \$35-\$50.  
Thursday, June 23 — Over the Rainbow.  
Friday, June 24 — Who's Bad.  
Friday, June 24 — Sam Hunt. \$83.  
Saturday, June 25 — John Fogerty.  
Saturday, June 25 — Travis Greene.  
Sunday, June 26 — Sgt Pepper's Lonely Bluegrass Band.  
Sunday, June 26 — La Adictiva.  
Wednesday, June 29 — Journey Unauthorized.

Thursday, June 30 — Hell's Belles.

**Duck Foot Brewing Company:**  
Sunday, June 26 — Bluegrass Jam.  
Tuesday, June 28 — San Diego Jazz Collective Jam Session.

**Duke's La Jolla:**  
Friday, June 24 — Farrah Camu.  
Sunday, June 26 — Keni Yarbrow.

**Estancia La Jolla Hotel and Spa:**  
Friday, June 24 — David Shyde.  
Tuesday, June 28 — Gabriele Dagezio.  
Thursday, June 30 — Sarah Ingraham.

**Evolution Club Tijuana. :**  
Saturday, June 25 — Los Fresones Rebeldes. \$20-\$22.

**Fairmont Grand Del Mar:**  
Friday, June 24 — Dave Schulz.  
Saturday, June 25 — Johnny Martin.

**Frankie's:**  
Sunday, June 26 — Frankie's Jazz Jam. Free.

**Garage Kitchen + Bar:**  
Friday, June 24 — Christian Taylor.  
Saturday, June 25 — Blaise Guld.  
Thursday, June 30 — Adam Bergoch.

**House of Blues:**  
Sunday, June 26 — Gera MX.  
Monday, June 27 — Girlfriends and 93FEETOFSMOKE.

**Humphreys by the Bay:**  
Thursday, June 23 — Howard Jones and Midge Ure. \$50-\$289.  
Friday, June 24 — She & Him: A

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**Kona Kai Resort & Marina:**  
*Wednesday, June 29* — David Hyde.

**Kraken:**  
*Sunday, June 26* — CCnE. Free.

**L'Auberge Del Mar:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — Tim Rose.  
*Thursday, June 30* — Christian Taylor.

**La Jolla Community Center:**  
*Friday, June 24* — Fourth Friday Jazz Series. \$22-\$30.

**La Valencia Hotel:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — David Hyde.  
*Friday, June 24* — Keni Yarbro.  
*Saturday, June 25* — Jemille Viale.  
*Saturday, June 25* — Tim Rose.  
*Sunday, June 26* — Jesse Johnson.

**Layover:**  
*Saturday, June 25* — Summer Sunset Music Series: Clinton Davis.

**Loews Coronado Bay Resort:**  
*Friday, June 24* — Anna Ballew.

**Mission Bay Resort:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — Kai Kalama.  
*Friday, June 24* — Jonny Tarr.  
*Saturday, June 25* — Christian Taylor.  
*Thursday, June 30* — Keni Yarbro.

**Moonlight Amphitheatre in Brengle Terrace Park:**  
*Tuesday, June 28* — The Official Blues Brothers Revue. \$22-\$42.  
*Thursday, June 30* — Three Dog Night.

**Moonshine Beach:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — Puddle of Mudd.

**Mr. Peabody's Bar & Grill:**  
*Friday, June 24* — Freemartin. Free.  
*Saturday, June 25* — Into The Void. Free.

**Music Box:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — Outside The Frame and Lords of the Satellite. \$10.  
*Friday, June 24* — Shaded and David Scuba. \$25-\$30.  
*Saturday, June 25* — Jarreau Vandal and AbJo.

**Nate's Garden Grill:**  
*Saturday, June 25* — Tinkersmith. Free.

**Nick & G's:**  
*Saturday, June 25* — Farrah Camu.  
*Wednesday, June 29* — Keni Yarbro.

**Observatory North Park:**  
*Friday, June 24* — Sun Room. \$75-\$97.  
*Saturday, June 25* — Last Dinosaurs.

**Open Air Theatre:**  
*Sunday, June 26* — Tenacious D and Puddles Pity Party.

**Panama 66:**  
*Sunday, June 26* — Uptown Rhythm Makers at Panama 66. Free.

**Park & Rec:**  
*Friday, June 24* — Rock of Ages.

**Queen Bee's Art & Cultural Center:**  
*Saturday, June 25* — Doll Face Club Punk Show.

**Rady Shell at Jacobs Park:**  
*Saturday, June 25* — Boyz II Men.

## IMMORTAL BEAUTY

### Stranger Things, lesser opera

I've been watching the fourth season of *Stranger Things* with my kids. The Netflix Original show had a fantastic first season, a solid second season, and a terrible third season. The third season was so terrible that I didn't finish it. Happily, it appears the creators of the show recognized the mistakes they made in the third season, and are atoning for them in the fourth with a well-constructed story.

Part of that story includes an episode entitled "The Nina Project." The episode references an opera entitled *Nina* which was written by Giovanni Paisiello and premiered in 1790. I was impressed that this opera had been incorporated into *Stranger Things*, in part because I had never heard of Paisiello or his opera *Nina*. How could anyone from the vapid television industry know more than I did about opera? Maybe this *Nina* was

a hidden gem that I had simply overlooked? I looked: it is not.

I found a full-length production of *Nina* on YouTube and gave it a listen/watch. The opera opens with a nice, polite chorus, but the rest of the first act has no ensembles at all. It offers a string of characters reflecting on what happened before the opera started. To wit: Nina was in love with a young man named Lindoro. She was to be married to Lindoro with the blessing of her father, The Count. However, a more desirable suitor showed up, and Nina's father removed his blessing. Lindoro challenged the new suitor to a duel and was killed. This destroyed Nina and she broke with reality. Now she wanders the town doing good deeds for the peasants. Every day she goes to the place where she was to meet Lindoro and leaves flowers.

BY GARRETT HARRIS

Keep in mind that we don't see the new suitor. We don't see the duel. We don't see Nina's grief. We are *told* about it. It makes no sense. It would be like Leporolo telling the audience about Don Giovanni dueling and killing the old Commandante at the start of Mozart's *Don Giovanni*. Of course, Mozart doesn't do this; he puts the duel to the death on the stage.

Speaking of Mozart, the music in *Nina* sounds like Mozart. Granted, all music of the Classical Period sounds like Mozart or Haydn. I'm not saying Paisiello was influenced by or tried to emulate Mozart. In fact, Mozart could have been influenced by Paisiello: the young Mozart and his father met Paisiello in 1771 during one of their trips to Italy. Paisiello was already an established opera composer at that point.

The problem with Mozart



Maybe it's okay to overlook Giovanni Paisiello's *Nina*.

is that he did the classical style of his time better than anyone else. Why would we listen to or watch *Nina*, when we have Mozart's operas, which are in the same style and superior in both story

and song?

Nina's *cavatina* "Il mio ben" is sometimes performed as a concert piece for soprano, but the rest of *Nina* is doomed to an everlasting obscurity.

## Classical Music this week

**Mainly Mozart All-Star Orchestra Festival** Friday, June 17, features *The Wasps Overture* by Ralph Vaughan Williams. Along with Vaughan Williams is music by Saint-Saëns, Mozart, and Haydn. The festival closes on Saturday, June 18 with Franz Schubert's

*Unfinished Symphony* and Mozart's *Requiem*. The San Diego Master Chorale will join the Festival Orchestra for this performance. Friday, June 17, 7:30pm; Saturday, June 18, 7:30pm; Del Mar Surf Cup Sports Park, 14989 Via de la Valle.

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**University Club Atop Symphony Towers:**  
*Tuesday, June 28* — Brian Pierini.

**Waterbar:**  
*Thursday, June 30* — Marcela Mendez.

**Westfield University Towne Centre:**

*Thursday, June 23* — Ben Benavente.  
*Saturday, June 25* — Jesse Johnson.  
*Sunday, June 26* — Tyler F. Simmons.

**Westin Gaslamp Quarter:**  
*Saturday, June 25* — Jazz On Tap. \$25.

**Whistle Stop Bar:**  
*Sunday, June 26* — Art d'Ecco.

**Winstons Beach Club:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — Eric Lindell & the Natural Mystics. \$35.

*Sunday, June 26* — San Diego Symphony: Music of Thelonious Monk.  
*Tuesday, June 28* — Norah Jones and Regina Spektor.

**Ritz Theater:**  
*Friday, June 24* — Clapton Hook. \$10-\$100.

**Rustic Root:**  
*Tuesday, June 28* — Mike Myrdal.

**Saddle Bar:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — Into The Void. Free.

**San Diego Repertory Theatre:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — Angelina Reaux: Love Songs of Kurt Weill. \$36-\$50.  
*Sunday, June 26* — Angelina Reaux: Love Songs of Kurt Weill. \$36-\$50.

**Soda Bar:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — The Slashes and Night Swims. \$13.

*Saturday, June 25* — Stacy Antonel, Sara Petite, Nick Crook.  
*Sunday, June 26* — Kevin Kaarl.  
*Wednesday, June 29* — Heavy Heavy Low Low, Duck Duck Goose.  
*Wednesday, June 29* — Heavy Heavy Low Low and Duck Duck Goose.

**Soma:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — Destroy Boys. \$18-\$19.  
*Friday, June 24* — Bright Eyes. \$42.

**Sycamore Den:**  
*Sunday, June 26* — Clinton Davis & Dude Cervantes. Free.

**Thornton Winery:**  
*Friday, June 24* — Escape.  
*Saturday, June 25* — Peter White & Vincent Ingala.

**Town Center Community Park:**  
*Thursday, June 23* — Santee Summer Concert: 8 Track Highway. Free.

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**Boar Cross'n:** *Tuesday*, 7pm to close: \$5 beer & a shot *Wednesday*, Open-close: \$2.75 domestic bottles, \$3 well drinks *Sunday*, Open-7pm: \$2.75 domestic bottles, \$3 well drinks

## CHULA VISTA

**Shake & Muddle:** *Monday*, 4pm-close: \$2.00 off all signature drinks, \$5 Pacifico, \$7 Mondavi Red Blend, \$7 Mondavi Chardonnay. Happy hour menu available all night

## CITY HEIGHTS

**Alcove Wine & Beer:** *Monday-Friday*, *Sunday*, 4-7pm: \$1 off beer, \$2 off wine & appetizers.

## CORONADO

**Nicky Rottens:** *Monday*, 3-6pm: \$8 select mules all night. *Tuesday*, 3-6pm: \$4 any canned beer. *Wednesday*, 3-6pm: \$5 draft pints. *Thursday*, 3-6pm: 22 ounce draft for pint price. *Friday*, 3-6pm: \$6 mimosas and Bloody Marys. *Saturday*, 3pm-6pm: \$5 drafts, well cocktails, house wines. \$5 pretzels & beer cheese, side of fries, tots, \$6 buffalo wings, \$7 house nachos, \$8 chicken fritters & fries, \$10 chicken lettuce cup.

## DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO

**Asti Ristorante:** *Daily*, 3-6pm: \$5 beers, \$7 house wine and cocktails, bites from \$5.

**Carnitas' Snack Shack — Embarcadero:** *Tuesday*, 3pm-5pm: \$8 well drinks, \$10 craft cocktails, \$2 off all draft beers. Three tacos for \$13 all day.

**Gaslamp Fish House:** *Daily*, 3:30-6:00pm: \$4 Fireball shot, McCormick bourbon, shot of Torado Silver tequila, \$5 craft beer on tap, vodka soda, select wine by the glass, \$7 skinny margarita, select signature cocktails.

**Gaslamp Tavern:** *Monday-*

## BOOZE NEWS

BY MATTHEW FLYNN

### Blue Fire: coming in hot

Tommy Gordon and his brother Charlie didn't exactly pick the easiest time to open a brewery when they started **Blue Fire Brewing** last September. "There were numerous challenges that we came across in building our brewery and tasting room," says Tommy. "From shipping and supply chain delays, rising construction costs, and all the other uncertainties surrounding covid... We were incredibly fortunate to partner with some talented local tradespeople that helped guide our construction — which we oversaw

*Friday*, 3-6pm: \$2 off drafts, wine, specialty cocktails, \$5 wells. \$2 off appetizers.

**Maryjane's:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-6pm: \$5 wells drinks, beer, \$6 wine.

**Rockin' Baja Lobster — Gaslamp:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-6pm: \$4.50 any 14-oz. draft, well drinks, fireball shot; \$5.50 Jameson shot, house margaritas; \$6.50 wine by the glass, Jack Daniels, Grey Goose.

**The Tipsy Crow:** *Monday-Thursday*, 3-8pm: Drink exchange (prices vary). *Friday-Saturday*, Noon-8pm: Drink exchange (prices vary).

**Werewolf American Pub:** *Tuesday-Friday*, 3-6pm: \$4 drafts, house wines, and wells.

**Whiskey Girl:** *Monday*, 7-9pm: \$3 off drafts, \$4 wells, \$4 Stella, \$5 select wine, \$6 Don Julio Tequila. *Tuesday*, 7-9pm: \$3 off drafts, \$4 wells, \$4 Dox XX, \$5 select wine, \$6 El Jimador Tequila. *Wednesday*, 7-9pm: \$3 off drafts, \$4 wells, \$4 Firestone Walker 805, \$5 select wine, \$6 Sailor Jerry. *Thursday*, 7-9pm: \$3 off drafts, \$3 Truly Hard Seltzer, \$4 wells, \$5 select wine, \$5 Patron Tequila.

**The Whiskey House:** *Wednesday-Sunday*, 4-7pm: \$4 French pale lager, \$5 Moscow mule, whiskey sour, Daiquiri, house wines (red, white, sparkling), \$9 Carsberg Danish pilsner (1 liter can). Add a shot of house whiskey to any beer for \$1.

ourselves — throughout the entire process." He credits collaborations with **Kellogg Plumbing**, **Kreco Construction** and **Davis Electric** for helping get the brewery up and running.

Such partnerships have continued with the beers brewed at Blue Fire, as exemplified by their latest brew, Controlled Burn, which was released as part of the first SD Beer Weekend. To mark the occasion, the San Diego Brewers Guild offered members the chance to brew any style beer with Zamba, an exclusive hop blend from **BSG Craft Brewing**. The blend produces an aroma and flavor of pineapple, mango, and stone fruit, which worked perfectly for Controlled Burn, a 7.2% juicy-style IPA. To add to the tropical notes and hoppy profile of the IPA, Gordon added El Dorado hops to the blend, which upped the flavors and aroma without increasing bitterness — resulting in a surprisingly sippable IPA, all things considered.

Controlled Burn joins another collaboration on Blue Fire's tap list, Prickly in Pink, brewed in conjunction with **San Diego Pink Boots Society**. Combining a prickly pear puree with the Pink Boots Society hop blend resulted in a 6% hazy

IPA with notes of papaya and grapefruit and a bright, sweet flavor courtesy of the cactus fruit.

"The Pink Boots Society is an awesome organization, and we were stoked to support it with



Tommy Gordon tastes his wares

the purchase of their 2021 hop blend put together with Yakima Chief Hops," says Gordon. "We reached out to local chapter member Angela O'Brien of **Booze Bros/ Owl Farm** and asked her if she wanted to head the brew day for our Pink

Boots Collab. She came through with an amazing recipe and included some other wonderful ladies from the chapter."

Blue Fire is one of 12 San Diego breweries that used the Brewers Guild's Zamba blend. Other participating breweries include: **Pizza Port Bressi Ranch**, **Stone, Kairoa Brewing Company**, **Ballast Point**, **Oceanside Brewing Company**, **Athletic Brewing Company**, **13 Point Brewing Company**, **Double Peak Brewing Company**, **Mission Brewery**, and **Culver Beer Company** and **Dogleg Brewing Company**, which worked together on a release. Based on the hop blend, many of the SD Beer Weekend beers are IPAs, but the list of releases does include a non-alcoholic brew, an extra pale ale, and a hazy sour.

For more craft booze news, see [sandiegoreader.com/news/booze-news](http://sandiegoreader.com/news/booze-news)

## EAST VILLAGE

**Bootlegger:** *Tuesday*, \$10 build-your-own-nachos and beer all day. *Saturday-Sunday*, 9am-1pm: \$25 per person bottomless mimosas.

**Duck Foot East Village Taproom & Kitchen:** *Tuesday*, \$5 pints gluten-reduced beers on tap all night

**El Dorado Cocktail Lounge:** *Tuesday-Thursday*, *Sunday*, 7-9pm: \$6 signature cocktails. *Friday-Saturday*, 5-9pm: \$6 signature cocktails.

## ENCINITAS

**Mr. Peabody's Bar & Grill:** *Monday-Friday*, 2-6pm: \$3 well cocktails, house wine, domestic draft.

## ESCONDIDO

**Brigantine Escondido:** *Daily*, 3-6pm: \$1 off drafts, well drinks, featured wine, \$5.75 house margarita.

**Vintana Wine + Dine:** *Daily*, 3-5pm: \$8 martinis and appetizers.

## HILLCREST

**Urban Mo's Bar and Grill:** *Thursday*, 5-8 pm: \$6.50 Martinis

## KENSINGTON

**Kensington Brewing Company:** *Wednesday-Friday*, 4-6pm: \$1 off pints

## LA JOLLA

**Spiro's Mediterranean Cuisine:** *Daily*, 3-6pm: \$2 off wine and beer.

## LA MESA

**Brigantine La Mesa:** *Daily*, 3:30-6:30pm: \$1 off well drinks, drafts, featured wines, \$4 glass sparkling wine, \$5.75 margaritas, \$6 happy hour red wine, happy hour white wine.

**Hooleys Irish Pub & Grill La Mesa:** *Friday*, All day: Clam chowder \$5 cup, \$7 bowl. After 4pm: Prime rib \$24. *Sunday*, 11am-2pm: \$4 Bloody Marys, \$5 Champagne.

## LITTLE ITALY

**Carruth Cellars Wine Garden:** *Monday-Friday*, 2-6pm: \$3 off glasses, \$5 off bottles of wine.

**King and Queen Cantina:** *Daily*, Noon-6pm: \$1 off drafts, \$4 beer bottles, \$7 well drinks, wine, sangria, \$8 margaritas. Appetizers \$5 to \$9.

## MIRAMAR

**Duck Foot Brewing Company:** *Monday*, 12pm-8pm: \$4 pints with Grotto membership card *Tuesday*, All day: \$12 two Fish Tacos and pint of draft beer

## MISSION BEACH

**Coaster Saloon:** *Monday*, 3pm-6pm: \$3 Jager shot with any beer purchase, \$4 select Bud draft, \$5 well drinks. *Tuesday*, 3pm-6pm: \$3 Jager shot with any beer purchase, \$4 select Bud draft and El Jimador shots, \$5 well drinks, house margarita. *Wednesday*, 3pm-6pm: \$1 off all IPA, \$3 Jager shot with any beer purchase, \$4 select Bud draft and Fireball shots, \$5 well drinks. *Thursday*, 3pm-6pm: \$3 Jager shot with any beer purchase, \$4 select Bud draft, Mission Blonde draft, Polish Pie shots, \$5 well drinks. *Friday*, 3pm-6pm: \$3 Jager shot with any beer purchase, \$4 select Bud draft, \$5 well drinks, Captain Morgan, Jack Daniels, Jager shots. *Saturday*, All day: \$15 Champagne bottles. *Sunday*, All day: \$3 Jager shot with any beer purchase, \$12 Champagne bottles.

## MISSION HILLS

**Cardellino:** *Wednesday-Sunday*, 3-6pm: Drink specials and discounts on small bites and pizzas.

**Shakespeare Pub & Grille:** *Monday-Friday*, 3-7pm: All draught pints (excluding cask, \$6 Anytime, and Black Velvet) and bottled beer \$1 off. well liquor \$4.50, \$5 house wine, appetizers \$5.95-\$7.95.

## NORMAL HEIGHTS

**Sycamore Den:** *Daily*, 5-6pm: \$1 off draft beer, \$1 off wine, \$2 off specialty cocktails

## NORTH PARK

**Redwing Bar & Grill:** *Wednesday-Friday*, 3pm-6pm: \$4.50 24 oz. Tall Boys.

## OCEAN BEACH

**The Holding Company:** *Tuesday-Friday*, 4-6pm: Half off draft beer, half off most whiskeys & tequila, \$2 pint beer of the day, \$4 well drinks, \$10 pitchers of beer, \$15 off all towers

**Lucy's Tavern:** *Monday-Friday*, 12pm-6pm: \$5 Espolon blanco, \$5 Mellow corn, \$5 Skrewball, \$1 off wells and pitchers. All day \$7 12oz PBR or BUD cans & mellow corn whiskey shot. *Saturday-Sunday*, All day: \$7 12 ounce PBR or BUD cans & mellow corn whiskey shot.

## OLD TOWN

**Home & Away:** *Monday*, *Wednesday-Friday*, 3-6pm: \$1 off glass of wine, draft and bottled beer, well drinks, \$3 to \$6 off specialty cocktails. \$2.75 tacos. *Tuesday*, 3-6pm: Taco Tuesday specials, see server.

**Old Town Mexican Café:** *Tuesday*, Half off well drinks and selected appetizers all day.

## PACIFIC BEACH

**710 Beach Club:** *Tuesday*, 6pm-close: 2 for 1 tequila shots, \$5 Margs, \$4 Dos XX & Pacifico's, 2 tacos for \$7.10 *Wednesday*, 7pm-close: 2 for 1 whiskey shots, \$5 chicken tenders *Thursday*, 7:30pm-close: \$5 beers *Sunday*, 7:30pm-close: \$7.10 slushies

**The Local Pacific Beach:** *Monday*, 4-7pm: Half off appetizers.

## POINT LOMA

**Catalina Lounge:** *Monday-Friday*, 3pm-7pm: \$1 off beer & wine, \$5 Espolon blanco, \$5 Highwest bourbon, \$5 Skrewball. All day \$7 Estrella lager & Mellow corn whiskey combo. *Saturday-Sunday*, All day \$7 Estrella lager & Mellow corn whiskey combo.

**The Pearl:** *Monday-Tuesday*, 4-6pm: \$4 select beers, \$5 well drinks, \$6 house wine, half off specialty cocktails. *Wednesday*, 4-6pm: 4-6pm: \$4 select beers, \$5 well drinks, \$6 house wine, half off specialty drinks. *Thursday-Saturday*, 4-6pm: \$4 select beers, \$5 well drinks, \$6 house wine, half off specialty drinks.

**The Wine Pub:** *Daily*, 4-6pm: \$5 craft beers on draft, \$5 select red and white wines.

## RANCHO SAN DIEGO

**Hooleys Irish Pub & Grill Rancho San Diego:** *Friday*, All day: Clam chowder \$5 cup, \$7 bowl. After 4pm: Prime rib \$24.

## SAN CARLOS

**Navajo Live:** *Monday-Thursday*, *Sunday*, 4-7 pm: \$3 well drinks, \$3 domestic beer, \$1 off all other alcoholic beverages

## SAN MARCOS

**Churchill's Pub and Grill:** *Monday-Friday*, 4-7pm: \$1 off appetizers, drafts, wells. *Sunday*, All day: \$1 off appetizers, drafts, wells.

## SOLANA BEACH

**Carruth Cellars:** *Monday-Friday*, 2-6pm: \$3 off glasses, \$5 off bottles of wine.

## UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS

**Et Voilà French Bistro:** *Tuesday-Sunday*, 4:30-7pm: \$7 cocktails, glass of house made sangria (\$14 pitcher), draft Iron Fist Counter Strike IPA, and draft 1664, \$5-\$9 wines by the glass. Discounted food menu.

**Rare Society:** *Wednesday-Sunday*, 5-6pm: \$5 drafts, \$8 select wines and select cocktails. \$16 half-dozen oysters, \$32 one dozen oysters, other food specials.

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# More paua to you

*Levering those sucker-strong suckers off the rocks is never easy*

**N**ew Season First Grade Bluff Oysters! Here we go, mate,” says Russell. “This is the one. This place is da bomb.”

We’re sitting beside a small sign: “Fed Up Restaurant & Takeaway,” here in Paraparaumu, a village on New Zealand’s North Island. (The name means “leftovers from the underground oven.”) Me, I’m here for a second week, visiting relatives.

“Kia Ora, mate.”

That’s Jerry, Fed Up’s owner, greeting us as we come in dripping out of the storm that’s raging outside. And hey, this is another thing that has changed since I was last here. The Māori language is on the march. It’s not so much “giddy” any more as “Kia Ora.” People

to show me some real, Kiwi, tummy-warming fish and chips.

“Above all, mate, you’ve got to taste our real *paua*. Abalone.

From the Chatham Islands.”

He says this is prime time for seafood. Oyster season is opening up, and nearby Antarctica is teeming with fish.

Why choose the Fed Up Cafe? It’s not just for the name.

Russell says that Jerry, the guy who owns this place, has the best contacts with the fishermen out in the Chatham Islands. And everybody down here knows the Chatham Islands are what New Zealand used to be. Low on humans, high on fish. “And they have the best *paua*,” he says.

Boom! Clap of thunder right outside. Man.

So good to be in out of that icy rain. One or two dripping people are ordering fish and chips to go. The back wall has the menu spread right along.

First thing you see is “Fresh fish, battered, \$4.80.” (That’s around \$3 in US currency.) Jerry says that Fed Up’s fish is pulled from Chatham water, out where the South Pacific the collides with the Southern Ocean. “They’re crazy fishermen out there,” says Russell. “That’s the difference. Jerry knows them all.

Wines and dines them. Gets first dibs on their fish.”

Wow. It makes you think of *Deadliest Catch*, that 18-season reality show from up off Alaska.

So the choices are the basic fish around here, *tarakihi* (with the crazy official name, the jackass morwong), which is maybe the most New Zealand of fishes. Then there’s grouper (aka *hapuku*), and blue cod; those cost a bit more.

Says Russell, “Blue cod is my favorite, both ways: I mean, they’re actually cute fish. They get curious, if you dive round them. They’ll come up and nip your fingers. On the other hand, they are delicious to eat. Sort of salty, sweet, and really light. And it’s a fish you only find around New Zealand.”

“I have some in today,” says Jerry.

Huh. I keep scanning the menu. It’s huge, but in a way, it’s very simple: “fresh fish battered, \$4.80; crumbed, \$5; fresh fillet crumbed, \$10.70.” Jerry says “fresh” means it’s been caught in the last few days, never frozen.

That’s it. Unless you make a meal of it and



The modest centerpiece of the meal: it’s US\$7.50, but a meal in itself



Owner Jerry brings “Flat White” coffee for Russell

don’t talk about “family” as much as “*whanau*.” They call their country “*Aotearoa* (Land of the Long White Cloud)” as much as “New Zealand.” Jerry himself is from Guangzhou, China. And he salts his talk with Māori words, too.

Biggest challenge? Remembering that everybody drives on the left. Dangerous when you’re stepping out on a crossroad. And yes, my Kiwi buddy Russell has hauled me out along Paraparaumu’s Marine Parade, right in front of angry waves crashing in from Australia (we’re in mid-Winter here). Says he wants



What ten bucks (US) buys: salad, fries, and *tarakihi*, aka jackass morwong

include fries (“chips”) and salad; then it shoots up to \$16.50 (about \$10.50 U.S.). Go for the blue cod meal and it’s a buck more. Go for the native sweet potatoes, *kumera*, and it’s \$18.50 (\$12).

“Bluff oysters?” Says Russell.

Oh yeah. Famous new season oysters from Bluff, the southernmost city on the New Zealand mainland. I pop out through the door just to check the chalkboard for the prices. Except the rains have washed the handwritten prices away.

“Four dollars each,” says Jerry. Wow. That’s about \$2.50 in my money. But, new season and all, we have to try one battered one each.

“And, you know, we just about forgot,” says Russell. “*Paua*! Gotta have a *paua* fritter. Grow big as your hand out in the Chathams.”

Okay, ulp, menu says they’re \$12 (\$7.50) each. But I know from when I was a kid, levering those sucker-strong suckers off the rocks is never easy, even when you’re not in half-frozen waters. So we split it, and order one of them to share. I get a Fanta Orange can (\$3.50), and Russell orders a Flat White (interesting coffee that New Zealand claims as its invention. They

reckon it originated at a place called Bar Bodega, in the capital, Wellington, from a cappuccino gone flat).

Of course, then there is this huge list of other stuff. Doner kebabs (all about NZ\$11), hot dogs (NZ\$4) and burgers (NZ\$8.50-\$14.50). Whatever, for the two of us, dinner costs NZ\$62.50



My Kiwi buddy Russell attacks his Blue Cod dinner

(\$40). So not too bad. And, have to say, you get a lot. My chunk of fish is huge, and nice and crunchy, even after I soak it in vinegar. And it is so good, sitting here with competing bangs of thunder overhead and rain sheeting against the window like a Hollywood movie hose, downing all these bites of wickedly hot, salty, vinegary chips and fish.

Russell gives me a forkload of his blue cod. Hmm. I see what he means. It’s incredibly light flesh, a little sweet, a little salty. My battered Bluff oyster is fine, but maybe the most interesting is the abalone fritter, the *paua*. Maybe it’s the celery Jerry says he puts into the patty mix, but it has a dense-yet-tangy flavor that’s in no way spicy, yet qway refreshing.

“Of course, in Guangzhou, where I come from,” says Jerry, “they would do fish and shellfish like this *paua* a thousand ways. But there is a tradition here which I honor. I am a New Zealander now.” ■

**The Place:** Fed Up Restaurant & Takeaway, 40 Marine Parade, Paraparaumu Beach, New Zealand, +64 4 902 6686

**Hours:** 10am-8pm daily

**Prices:** Fresh fish battered, \$4.80; crumbed, \$5; fresh fillet crumbed, \$10.70; fresh fish with chips, salad, \$16.50 (about US\$10.50); with native sweet potatoes, *kumera*, \$18.50 (US\$12); doner kebabs, \$11; hot dogs, \$4; burgers, NZ\$8.50-14.50

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# Onions? OK!

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## The many charms of Duke's Old Fashioned Onion Burgers

5020 Baltimore Dr., La Mesa. Given that the state is shaped like a sauce pan, it's a little surprising that we rarely see a cooking tradition attributed to Oklahoma. But! When I google the term "onion burger," all results credit the Sooner State.

I might never have known if not for a new La Mesa joint called Duke's Old Fashioned Onion Burgers. *Don't all burgers have onions on them?*, I thought, as I approached the place. *What makes them old-fashioned, anyway?*

As I've since learned, the onion burger is a style created nearly a century ago, in response to a distinct point in American history: the Great Depression. As the story goes, high beef prices prompted a burger spot on historic Route 66 to start making burgers with smaller patties, filled out by copious amount of grilled onion.

The burger patties are formed smash-burger style, meaning a ball of ground beef is pressed on a hot griddle, creating a thin, irregularly shaped patty with a high char ratio. While this style has become fairly widespread in San Diego, what makes it an onion burger is this: when the burger gets flipped, a mass of sizzling, finely sliced onion cooks down between burger



A single onion burger, with everything on it, including house-made pickles and pickled jalapeños.

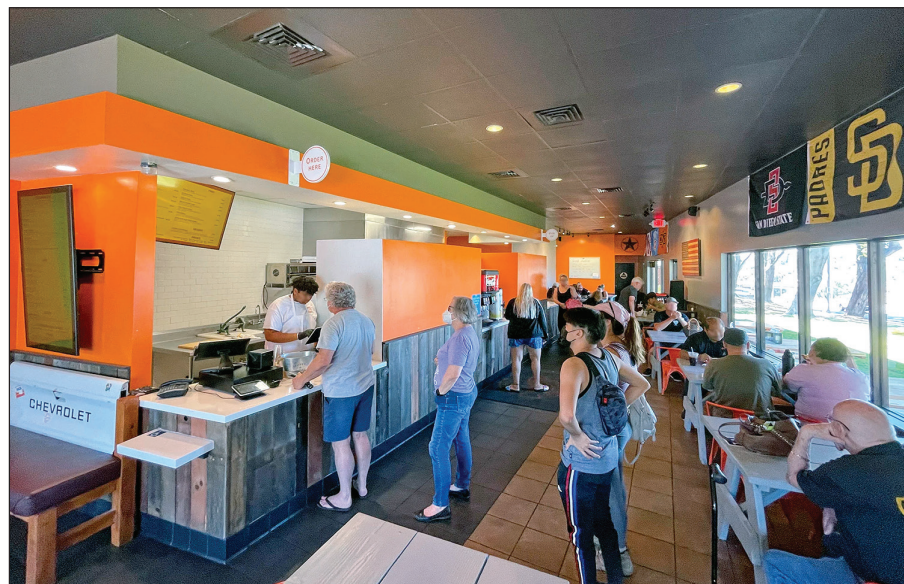
and flat top.

In its original design, the texture and flavor of all that grilled onion made up for the relative lack of beef. But while Duke's remains faithful to the onion burger concept, it doesn't skimp on meat. Whereas most smashed burger patties weigh in between two and four ounces, I figure the heft of Duke's \$8.95 single onion burger has to put it in the six- to eight-ounce range. If you're a big eater, the substantial, \$11.95 double onion burger starts to look like a real value. A \$14.95 triple is so large that its menu description asks, "What were you thinking?"

Perhaps with a regular \$3.25 side order of fries, I could finish a double. But Duke's has an entire fries menu that must be factored in. It starts with dirty fries: as simple as fried with onions and jalapeños (\$4.95) or smothered in melted cheese (\$6.50), then peaks with toppings of steak, blue cheese, and balsamic glaze (\$11.95). Somewhere in the middle there sits my favorite guilty pleasure: chili cheese fries. You get a huge pile of fries and chili (*sans* beans) for \$7.50, and they're darn near perfect. I'd recommend Duke's based on these alone.

I'd also point people here merely to try the milkshakes. Yes, they go for \$5.50 apiece, but what you get outperforms every fast-food

A strawberry milkshake with fresh strawberries blended in.



Duke's: a simple, independently-owned fast-food restaurant in La Mesa.



A massive plate of chili fries for \$7.50.

milkshake you've encountered in your life. The Death By Chocolate mixes Hershey's syrup into its chocolate ice cream. Even better, the Field Fresh Strawberry milkshake is blended with fresh strawberries. I want all my shakes like this from now on.

Still, the top of the list of reasons to visit Duke's is the onion burger. I don't know how similar it to anything made in Tulsa. I do know this thing is a burger lover's dream. It becomes more apparent with each bite that every ingredient, and every detail, has been carefully considered with an eye toward making this deceptively simple burger taste better, whether it's the tender richness of a locally baked brioche bun, house-made pickles adding the perfect zest, or the ideal ketchup-to-mustard ratio (no thousand island dressing here).

The beef isn't Wagyu, or dry aged, or advertised

as a special custom blend — though I'm told it is Angus beef shipped from Tennessee. It's not even heavily seasoned. But combined with the classic assortment of burger toppings (pickled jalapeños optional), it results in a sandwich greater than the sum of its parts. Plus, just look at all that glistening, grilled onion! Thanks, Oklahoma.

by Ian Anderson

## FATHERS DAY

**Father's Day Brunch** Celebrate the special men in your life with a memorable Sunday Champagne Brunch at Oceana Coastal Kitchen complete with panoramas of Mission Bay. Diners can savor a three-course menu with mimosas or opt for the à la carte menu. Sunday, June 19, 10am; \$59. Oceana Coastal Kitchen, 3999 Mission Boulevard. (MISSION BEACH)

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## PERSONALS

**GOOD BYE!** Again. My drag-on. Your breaking up with me every week now. So... Fly free. Thanks for the good times. I'll never forget the bad times lessons. I'm done with men!

**THANK YOU** to yet a another long lost friend, that returned to my life in time to save my bacon!! Love ya, Mark Rowell

**DRIVEWAY SOCIETY** we the members of the society have decided that in order to be a responsible voice in the community, we must address the issues that concern the people in the community. let your voices be heard. thank you for

**KATHERINE ZANZIBAR** Dearest Katherine, haven't heard from you in a long time. I think my jailers are not allowing your messages to reach me. my fate is in the hands of these imbeciles. I look forward to seeing your smiling face soon, my faith will not falter. Frank

**HOLY COW!** Water restrictions begin June 10th. (The Driveway Society collectively are rubbing their chins....)

**JOHN S OF LA MESA** how's it going? Keep positive thoughts you can do it. Peace love Leslie.

**LET'S GO PADRES! LET'S GO!** (Clap clap) repeat 3 times.

**PAT OF SPRING VALLEY** Pat of Spring Valley, good looking out and showing my bro. I wondered if anyone ever noticed. Peace love Leslie.

**THE AMIGOS** don't make me laugh. San Diego Padres all the way!

**ALRIGHT, BLUE CARS ARE ALLOWED** on Tuesdays, but they better signal often. Poop is now a no-go. Are you wasting water....

**J.J LAVEY** I love you and never stopped. Yours Truly, Bella LaVey.

**JEREMY BROGAN** Remember it's always us three no matter what son... Oh ya, an Masha too. lol love ya mom and pops, Darcy and ken

**JEREMY BROGAN. BEAR,** Happy Birthday son love ma and pops, Darcy and ken

**RMO, ROBERT,** You could be the beauty, and I could be the monster!!

**ALLIED GARDENS** thanks for the return to first Friday concerts.

**ALLOW OTHERS** to be their self. How can you try and control me when you can't control yourself.

**BOTTOM LINE** is you will never find anyone else to help you out, love you the way I did. But that's okay, that's your choice. My love for you will never go. Always & forever.

**E PLURIBUS UNUM** freedom is never free: Eggsy, knock yourself out! Yes? Unknown and anonymous.

**ETHEL** you are remembered & missed on your birthday. BB

**GO PADRES.** YM Pvt APD.

**HAPPY BDAY** to Keanu and Binx. You pawty animals.

**HAPPY LGBTQ MONTH** to everyone. Peace love.

**JIM BUCKALEW** you will be missed. Brian B.

**KING NARCISSUS** it's rude to talk at them, and not to them. Let them eat cake, don't break the mirror. Or let the pixies hear u talk of them.

**LEFTY, WHAT HAPPENED** Did the butterflies fly in? I dare u to...

**NATHAN FLETCHER** should be re-elected for the board of supervisors.

**PAT & MERNIE** looking forward to the meeting in the garden. Brian

**PAT OF SPRING VALLEY** good looking out and showing my bro. I wondered if anyone ever noticed. Peace love Leslie.

**PIERETTE** hope to have you on the team at LJP. Brian & Mernie.

**RICHARD & KATE** good luck on the move to Bankers Hill, congratulations on another grandchild. B

**STEVE GLAZER** should be elected for state controller.

**THE KEY FOR ME IS TO ENJOY LIFE** Drama free. Love you from afar. If only you stop pointing at all your crazy thoughts we would do Awesome. Love your Life. K

**TOD SALOVEY** Thanks for getting in every generation on stage. Brian B.

**TO THE BEST HUBBY.** My one and only. Forever. Martin thank you for making me the happiest wife. Te quiero mi amorcito. Your Diana.

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**YALE** thanks for Kerner Summit. Brian B.

**DRIVEWAY SOCIETY** speaking of tailgaters, we are getting upset with cars behind us staying 5 inches off our rear bumper. we check our rear view mirror and can see the blood shot eyes and twisted mouth of the offending driver wanting to get us out of their way. peace

**KATHERINE Z.** Dearest Katherine, time has taken it's toll on my aging body and I must say the torture my captors have inflicted on me has been brutal. I have managed to evade the brutes and am making my way across the mighty Atlantic to meet you in Paris. Frank

**R.M.O. PISCES** In another lifetime. I would never change my mind. I would do it again, a thousand times. Just to let you in here. Where you make me lose my mind. In another life I'd do it all again. A thousand times

**A MAN WALKS INTO A SEAFOOD STORE** carrying a trout under his arm. "Do you make fish cakes?" he asked. "Yes, we do," replied the fishmonger. "Great," said the man, "It's his birthday."

**M. AWE DOG.** come now, you're killin me, -my battery- what do u want me to do?? Love M.

**SPIKE** Extravagent! I loved the Bubble gum, (immediate purchase) the blimp, helicopter, Spaceship, did u propose 2 me? Lol me.

**THE FIRST THING THAT EXISTED** had no beginning or created itself from nothing or Jesus said "I am the beginning..." Revelation 22:13

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**LNG/SHT IN TIJUANA ON JULY 15** Lng/SHT returns to Black Box with the. Buenos Adultos Tour on July 15, 2022. Tickets: [facebook.com/blackboxtijuana](https://facebook.com/blackboxtijuana) [blackboxtj@gmail.com](mailto:blackboxtj@gmail.com)

**PEACE, LOVE & KARAOKE** Peace, love & KARAOKE @ camelsbarandgrill #allmiclong. The show starts at 8:30 and as always @jofejnati & @barretojhun will be at the bar! (619) 281-1722 / [cbitavern@gmail.com](mailto:cbitavern@gmail.com)

**JAPANESE ANIME IN TIJUANA** Anime Saturdays at the #CinetecaTijuana! We invite you to enjoy our new showings in the Carlos Monsiváis Hall of #CECUT. Buy your tickets at the box office and at [bit.ly/3s9UhdX](https://bit.ly/3s9UhdX). or [facebook.com/cecucut.mx](https://facebook.com/cecucut.mx) [opina@cecucut.gob.mx](mailto:opina@cecucut.gob.mx)

**KARAOKE AT PATRICKS!** We're back at it tonight @ patricksghostlampub with karaoke hosted by KJ MIKEY MIC immediately the following guitarist @trehillmusic (619) 233-3077

**PLEASE HELP PREVENT** my human from losing her home of 25 years. Visit [gofundme.com/help-my-human-keeper-home](https://gofundme.com/help-my-human-keeper-home). Thank you, all help greatly appreciated.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** Volunteers needed to help with a mass food distribution at the Imperial Beach Neighborhood Center (619) 947-6057

**WISDOM OF TRAUMA FREE VIEWING** Join us for a free screening of this impactful documentary as we look at the impact of trauma on our military, veterans, first responders, and families. Register for free here: [us06web.zoom.us/join/register/WN\\_kVV8BiBEINaSRu7S8hZAg](https://us06web.zoom.us/join/register/WN_kVV8BiBEINaSRu7S8hZAg) (619) 667-6099 / [APIMarketing@apibhs.com](mailto:APIMarketing@apibhs.com)

**6-25 CHALINO SANCHEZ TRIBUTE** 6-25 For the first time in Tijuas we will have a Tribute to CHALINO SANCHEZ by Chaliprieto Temestle himself "La voz gemela". [facebook.com/blackboxtijuana](https://facebook.com/blackboxtijuana) [blackboxtj@gmail.com](mailto:blackboxtj@gmail.com)

**CAR SHOW AT THE BOAT RACES!** There's a car show at the San Diego Bay Fair on Sept. 18 (619) 201-8207

**COSPLAY EVENT IN OCTOBER** Taco De Adobada, the cosplayer, will join this pilot event on October 15 at the BIT CENTER in Tijuana. [facebook.com/TijuanaAnimeWorldConvention/](https://facebook.com/TijuanaAnimeWorldConvention/)

**FATHER'S DAY CAR CRUISE** Father's Day (June 19) car cruise to Belmont Park (619) 201-8207

**KARAOKE ON TUESDAYS!** The new show's first night starts Tuesday! New sound system, 3 band Eq plus effects, and great food and drink specials. See you Tuesday @ [facebook.com/JollyJokerTavern](https://facebook.com/JollyJokerTavern) (858) 694-4201 / [alreed2@yahoo.com](mailto:alreed2@yahoo.com)

**SEAPORT VILLAGE CAR SHOW** On July 18 there is a car show at Seaport Village. Info: [moparclubsanandiego.net](https://moparclubsanandiego.net) [Research@hcfl.org](mailto:Research@hcfl.org)

**THE GREATEST SHOW ON TURF** The Greatest Show On Turf car show on Sept. 10 in South Clairemont Community Park at 3605 Clairemont Drive (619) 201-8207

**6/19 CAR CRUISE 2 BELMONT PARK** 6/19 car cruise to Belmont Park (619) 201-8207

**ANIME WORLD EXPO** Anime World Expo in Tijuana on 10/15/2022. 22106 Tijuana, Baja California, Mexico. [facebook.com/TijuanaAnimeWorldConvention](https://facebook.com/TijuanaAnimeWorldConvention)

**KARAOKE @ CARRIAGE HOUSE** The Carriage House has got something for everyone! We got pool and we have karaoke from 9pm (858) 278-2597

**METAL FEST IN TIJUANA IN NOV.** Nov. 19-20. [www.DragonRojoMetalfest.com](https://www.DragonRojoMetalfest.com). Dragon Rojo Rock Bar. Metal swap meet. Sonido profesional La Rockola [eldragonrojobar@gmail.com](mailto:eldragonrojobar@gmail.com)



**METALLICA TRIBUTE BAND IN TJ** See you on Saturday, July 9th at Dragon Rojo Rock Bar in Tijuana. We will be showcasing Disposable Heroes who will present their tribute to Metallica. eldragonrojobar@gmail.com

**SALON BOOTH SPACE** I have a beautiful station available for rent in Oceanside. Located at the corner of Oceanside Blvd & College! Huge floor-to-ceiling windows, prime location! (512) 266-1025

**DEMON SLAYER COSPLAY PARTY** We're having a Demon Slayer cosplay party on August 6 from 1-5 PM @ Balboa Park. For more info, follow us at bit.ly/demon-slayer-sd

**DRUM & BASS CONCERT** Markdown Saturday, July 23rd on those calendars because SD Union Day Dream returns to The Hole In The Wall (619) 363-2202 / tyler@unitedbybass.com

**KARAOKE AT SHOOTERS** Karaoke at Club Shooters in Spring Valley on Sundays! 7PM-11PM (619) 660-1109

**GIGANTIC PARTY SLIDE!** I have a gigantic slide for rent and we have a lot more. Please call for more info (858) 214-8940

**GUNS N ROSES GILBY CLARK IN TJ** Former guitarist of Guns N' Roses, Gilby Clark will perform at the Black Box in Tijuana on 8/26/2022. Buy your tickets in advance at www.blackboxtijuana.com/ blackboxtj@gmail.com

**JULY 2-3 SNEAKER SHOW!** July 2-3 sneaker show at Kobey's Swap Meet! (619) 226-0650 / apretto@kobey's.com

**LUIS MIGUEL TRIBUTE ROSARITO** Do you like Luis Miguel? If you ever come to Rosarito Beach, check out Cuarta Pared, a Luis Mi-tribute band, at the G&G Cervecer'a brewery. Message for updated schedule. facebook.com/CerveceriaGG/

**TENELLE PERFORMANCE AUGUST 13** There's a party going down August 13 where Tenelle will perform live, and will be keeping the place full of positive vibes. linktr.ee/islandvibemusic

**BAD BUNNY CONCERT IN SAN DIEGO** Bad Bunny will have a concert in San Diego on September 17. Tickets/info are available at facebook.com/BadBunnyOfficial

**DINOSAURS FOR RENT** We have 5 dinosaurs to pick from: 1 t-rex, 3 velociraptors, 1 triceratops

**E BRALIZ IN TIJUANA ON JULY 8** @e\_braliz @grupo\_horebocial @laa\_division and CT conexion. will perform in Tijuana on July 8. arema.mx/ evento/8291 blackboxtj@gmail.com

**UFO DISCUSSIONS** Before Covid we used to meet in person to discuss one of the greatest mysteries of the world. Now that we meet online we decided to create the YouTube channel where we feature our recorded Zoom meetings. www.meetup.com/Vancouver-UFO/

**56 ANNUAL COOPER FAMILY JUNETEENTH** Saturday June 18 Memorial Park 30th & Oceanview 11-7pm free family event free lunch, kid zone history wall & entertainment for more info cfjuneenth.com.

**MIDDLE BED/GOLF CART** I have a middle bed that goes to a golf cart that I'm getting rid of free of charge. Would need to be picked up that's it. If interested please contact me at (619) 270-8857

**READER BEST OF SAN DIEGO PARTY** In conjunction with our largest issue of the year, the San Diego Reader is pleased to invite you to celebrate the BEST that San Diego has to offer at the first annual Reader Best Of San Diego Party. That's right,

you voted for them and now it's time to celebrate with them. Join us on October 6, 2022, at the Fleet Science Center in Balboa Park and enjoy food and beverage tastings, goodies, shopping and giveaways from nominees, winners and Reader favorites featured in our 2020-2022 Best Of issues. This event will bring together the eats, sips and businesses that we know you love...because you voted for them! Enjoy live music, lawn games and all of the exciting hands on exhibits available at the iconic Fleet Science Center. Spend an evening basking in everything that makes good old San Diego the gem that it is. We are so excited to bring together the people, places and things that make this fine city the BEST!

**CORONADO SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH** Looking for new members and choir members for service. Please come worship with us. Let's help the church grow, let God lead you. Great people, great pastor. 111 Orange Ave in Coronado, CA. Call pastor John (619) 435-8682 for more information. God bless.

**READER BURGERS AND BEER 2022** Join us in our continued search to find the best burger at the 5th Annual Reader Burgers and Beer at Golden Hill Park on Saturday, September 10th. Try unlimited gourmet burgers from more than 20 of the best restaurants as they compete to win the "Best Burger" award. No burger is complete without some great beer! Enjoy unlimited beer tastings from 40+ local breweries.

**RESEARCH STUDIES** Research that is available in Ocean California. PTSD, schizophrenia, ADHD. Qualified participants will be paid over \$1000 month. Transportation will also be provided between the ages of 18-61. Call Travis at (619) 706-7529. Referral number only.

**IF YOU HAVE A PSYCHIATRIC DIAGNOSIS** and want to do a paid research study, call (760) 468-2855 if you are interested. Ask for Don.

## CLASSES / LESSONS

**ELECTRIC VEHICLE CLASSES** Calling all electric vehicles (EV) enthusiasts. All are welcome (no need to own an EV). Some of us are newbies and some of us have deep technical skills. All of us are interested in driving electric. www.instagram.com/evaosd/ KeithMikas@gmail.com

**FREE MUSIC LESSONS** Two free lessons without obligation. Easy setup for all devices. Referral benefits. Drumset purchase not required. Questions? Send me a message! omnillessons@gmail.com

**HORTICULTURE, LANDSCAPE DESIGN,** redesign, troubleshooting, diagnostics on the spot. Solve your problems, improve your design, improve your maintenance today - no guessing! Educated, trained and experienced, 6th generation native, 6th generation horticulturalist in San Diego County. No sales, no installation, no maintenance. Check me out at EdWordsHorticulture.com, then call (619) 402-8670.

**LASAGNA LOVE** Cook food, spread kindness, strengthen communities. www.lasagnalove.org/ info@lasagnalove.org

**PIANO LESSONS** Beginner to advanced students welcome. Learn to play, improvise and compose in your favorite genre. From blues and rock to jazz and classical, music lessons are fun, educational and create consistency with weekly or biweekly 1hr lessons. Your home or my home studio. Rates vary on location. Reach out to get your young student started today! Brandonrossproductions@gmail.com (770) 262-9448

**PRO WRESTLING CLASSES** Are you willing to make the commitment? Make an appointment. levelupschool.sd@gmail.com (619) 825-7668

**ALOHA! WE HAVE HULA LESSONS** Aloha! Have you ever wanted to learn how to dance like the beautiful Hawaiians? well now's your chance! We offer hula lessons for all ages, skill levels, and genders! dancinghula.com (760) 267-7565.

**BACHATA DANCING VIA ZOOM** Learn this beautiful Latin dance style with origins from the Dominican Republic and a newer style that evolved in Spain, "Bachata Sensual." www.hookedondance.com.au/ hookedondancemelb@gmail.com

**SALSA/BACHATA LESSONS** Schedule update and more instructors added - February Social featuring world champions Sergio Jasso & Mar'a Ines from México @. facebook.com/LatinRhythmSociety (619) 431-0330 / latin.rhythm.society@gmail.com

**ACTING WORKSHOP CLASSES AT CAT** Acting workshop classes at Community Actors Theatre in 2957 54th Street - San Diego, CA 92105. Log on to www.communityactorstheatre.com for more info. jlou2@cox.net

**AMERICAN RUMBA CLASSES** Join Vanessa at the coolest studio in town every Tuesday! (We have great AC). Email/call for schedule! dancewithvanessa@gmail.com

**BOLLYWOOD DANCE LESSONS** We are planning to go to Zoom for a virtual Bollywood dance party (for all age groups) every Sunday @ bit.ly/bollywood-dance-class. WhatsApp 1-587-338-3133 for details

**SEED PLANTING CLASS** Planting kits with 72 cell trays, holding flats, soil, a variety of seeds, 7-inch domes, 12 name tags, and instructions will be provided. 12 varieties of plants w/6 plants per variety can be planted. Email Del Mar Mesa Garden Club for info info@delmarmesa.org

**SQUARE DANCE CLASSES** The Whirlaways Square Dance Club is sponsoring classes. Classes are held in the Seven Oaks Community Center @ 16789 Bernardo Oaks Dr. (858) 774-5965

**LEARN SPANISH IN 2022** Hola! Don't lose the chance to learn one of the most spoken languages in the world. Español en Tus Manos is an online school (619) 414-7736

**BAILANDO FOLKLORE** The "Mayab" Folkloric Dance Company, under the direction of Mtro. Juan Gustavo Velazquez is providing classes! Email for details. facebook.com/CDFMayab mayabdancecompany@gmail.com

**HEBREW CLASS AND SERVICES** In-person and online Hebrew classes, tutoring, and translation services are available at Yiddishland California!

**JEWELRY CLASSES** Looking for something fun to do this summer? Design and make your own silver ring or pendant in one day! Individual or small class taught by an experienced silversmith in North Park. Contact Aaron: @acsilver, www.acsilverco.com or (619) 387-6916. / acsilverco@gmail.com

**LADINO CLASS AND SERVICES** In-person and online Ladino classes, tutoring, and translation services are available at Yiddishland California!

**ONLINE POOL LESSONS** Had great interest in my online pool training from players all over and am excited to help them improve. This flyer should answer a few questions regarding the format.

Email Tanner for questions. tprouess@gmail.com

**POLISH CLASS AND SERVICES** In-person and online Polish classes, tutoring, and translation services are available at Yiddishland California!

**POLITICS ESSAY EXAMPLES** "DemoEssays.com is the hugest database of free political science essay examples. Our database offers the largest number of academic papers on politics. The samples in this database were submitted by straight A students and checked by editorial team leonagranda@yahoo.com

**RUSSIAN CLASS AND SERVICES** In-person and online Russian classes, tutoring, and translation services are available at Yiddishland California!

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**YIDDISH CLASS AND SERVICES** In-person and online Yiddish classes, tutoring, and translation services are available at Yiddishland California!

**YOGA AT CITY HEIGHTS** Community yoga outdoors! Every Sunday at 10 am.; it's donation-based and all are welcome @ 4425 Home Avenue, San Diego, CA

**TAI CHI AND QI GONG CLASSES,** Meditation In Movement. First class is free. Taoist Sanctuary of San Diego, (619) 692-1155 or www.taoistsanctuary.org.

## ROOMMATES

**DRIVING IN FROM FLORIDA** I'm driving from Florida to San Diego! Looking for a private room/bath relatively close to Mission Valley! Under \$1000 is ideal but can be flexible for the right place! FB: michael.nash.7509836

**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

**LA TO SAN DIEGO** I'm Dominica, living in LA and I plan to move to San Diego. House preferably no more than a 15 min drive from the beach. Male or female roommates. My budget is under 1400. facebook.com/dominica.dayton

**MIRAMAR AREA ROOM FOR RENT** Male preferred for full time, job night shift, shared bathroom, single person, no smoking. \$825 plus deposit. Leave a message, available in August. (858) 599-1071.

**NEAR SDSU HOUSEMATE** I recently signed a lease on a

2 bedroom place near SDSU. The complex is called Dorado Plaza, rent would be around 1100 per month. FB: facebook.com/jackson.sutter.315

**NP, MISSION VALLEY, OB OR PB** My budget is between \$1200 and \$1700 as my cap monthly including utilities. I do have an 8-year-old bougie Yorkie named Prince. I'm looking for a master w/ ensuite or room with a private bath. FB @ blkbydesign

**RELOCATING** Aspiring author want to relocate to San Diego California from Boston Massachusetts - willing to pay \$1500 per month to share house with a garden - (617) 699-0490

**ROOMMATES/HOUSEMATES** Reposting 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

**WANT TO SHARE YOUR HOME** near beach, will pay. Hard working, health field. Companion, caring. Cassidy. (760) 696-1360

**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



**FURNISHED ROOM FOR RENT \$1000** Room for rent in my Spring Valley home. To be shared with older working female. \$1000 monthly. \$500 deposit. Includes, utilities, wifi, in house laundry, parking, Jacuzzi and community pool. No kids/pets. Please call to view and apply. (619) 335-0403 / csnvsstyx@yahoo.com

**PLACE NEAR BALBOA PARK** Hey guys, still looking for a place. Don't mind living with other people, so dm me if you're interested. Most I can afford would be under \$1000 per month. facebook.com/NathanAsher01

**\$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/. Thanks for looking.

**APARTMENT WANTED!** Hi, my name is DanDan, me and my two friends are looking for a 3 bedroom apartment. Our budget is about 3000\$. We need it to

be furnished. We are all very organized, working professional good people, and very chill. DM @ bit.ly/sd-apartment

**ISO PLACE FROM PB TO POWAY** I'm Rafael, 30, and looking for a room w/private bathroom. My budget is \$1,100 a month. I'm looking from Pacific Beach area up to Poway (anything in between). I'm from Puerto Rico & moved here 2 years ago. I work at a Biotech company. FB @ rafyjuan



**2 MILES FROM SDSU** I'm going to be living in a 2-room place in Dorado Plaza and I need someone to fill the other room. It's located about 2 miles from SDSU, rent is 1200. I'm going to Mesa, I'm 420 friendly and I like to do art! FB: jackson.sutter.315

**SDSU STUDENT SEEKING ROOM!** 29 yo composition student with cat, outgoing, respectful and excited for San Diego! Looking for a place in North Park, Normal Heights or Hillcrest, but open to other opportunities. Ideal move in date August 1st. facebook.com/james.j.edmondson

**ISO ROOMIES IN MISSION VALLEY** Hi, I'm on the hunt for a room for me and my super-friendly cat, Ezra. I am a 26-year-old doctoral student studying acupuncture & Chinese Medicine. I am interested in yoga, meditation & love nature excursions. facebook.com/gianna.r.smith

**LA MESA ROOM AVAILABLE** I am located in La Mesa. Rent/ utilities is \$900/month. Room fits a queen size bed. Bathroom is shared with my 12 y/o son and another roommate. Access to main areas of house. FB: kristine.leigh.12

**MIRA MESA, SCRIPPS, KEARNY, SD** Hello, my name is Jane. I'm seeking a roommate to share a 2BD/2Bth apt. or condo. I am 45 and a clean, reliable, respectful & drama-free roommate. I have a 5 LBS small service dog who adores everyone. Budget:\$1100-\$1500 DM @ facebook.com/jane.ma.140

**MOVING TO SAN DIEGO W/ PAWBLO!** Hey San Diego! I'm a 33-year-old barber moving from Santa Barbara with my medium-sized, quiet, awesome, ESA dog, Pawblo! My budget is 1300 and areas I like are Mission Bay, OB, PB. facebook.com/chris.krueger.756

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**STUDENT LOOKING FOR HOUSEMATES** I'm AnnaKaren and am 22. I'm currently looking for a room and roommates. Also trying to move closer to SDSU and to work (downtown). My budget is \$850. DM me @ bit.ly/sdsu-anna

**DOG FRIENDLY ROOMMATE** I am 34, work full time, and am a student. Looking for a place for me and my dog, either a room or apartment, preferably with access to a yard or patio. 1000 budget but I could afford more. FB @ bit.ly/roomie-in-SD

**LA JOLLA, PB, OB AREAS** ISO single room to sublease/rent in the PB, OB, La Jolla areas. Budget: \$780-1000. Vaccinated/boosted, single and employed. DM @ facebook.com/alyssa.rivera.374

**PB, GOLDEN HILL, NORTH PARK** My budget is flexible: up to \$1,300 for a shared space or up to \$1,800 for a place of my own. I'm 27, LGBTQ+ friendly, 420 friendly, fully vaccinated, and have a full-time job working from home. I have two cats. DM on Instagram @avowels

**ROOMMATE NEEDED BY SDSU \$1000** I am looking for a roommate preferably a single woman or student. in La Mesa very close to collage. washer and dryer inside unit. only serious inquiries. It is me and my daughter my son is moving out of state. (619) 200-5062 / yalvrz@gmail.com

**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 @ alexsibre

**LA MESA ROOMMATE** I am looking for Female roommate to move to a place in La Mesa area. I am asking for 1,000 every month. Its me and me daughters. (619) 200-5062

**LOOKING FOR A HOUSE MATE** to seek housing of two bedroom with the pool. Call (619) 530-1902 under \$1000 a month.

**MISSION VALLEY ROOMMATE** Room 4 rent in 3Br Escala (Mission Valley) w/private floor and bathroom \$1500/month (utilities ~200/month). I'm Ness and I'm looking for a new roomie. DM @ facebook.com/agnieszka.lewandowski

**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/ facebook.com/katrina.matese/

**SAN CARLOS, \$1000** One bedroom include utilities. \$1000/ month, first and last, in San Carlos home, laundry on site. Furnished or unfurnished. Call (619) 926-3261.

**SEEKING ROOM** Looking for room to rent in Tri-City area. Have references, bare minimum ok. Call Jerry (760) 685-7261.

**SEEKING SECTION 8 ROOM** Single, disabled woman looking for one bedroom with section 8. Please contact Moniquebennett19@gmail.com or (619) 247-2280.

**I'M MOVING TO SAN DIEGO** and looking for a chill bunch to move in with. I work in advertising; I'm a supervisor. I do music stuff: a singer, lyricist, and guitarist. I'm cool with guy or girl roomies DM @ facebook.com/shannon.doyle1693

**MISSION/PACIFIC BEACH** Looking for a roommate - male or female (late 20s, early 30s). Location: ONLY Mission Beach, Pacific Beach & La Jolla. Budget: up to \$2k. Please DM at

facebook.com/brittany.barker1 for more info.

**MOVED IN FROM BRAZIL** Hey everyone! I'm 26, Brazilian looking for a roommate or possibly 2. Also looking for a 420 friendly roommate and someone that won't mind my 6-year-old pitbull she's well trained and loves to cuddle. bit.ly/guilhermesd

**PACIFIC BEACH OR MISSION VALLEY** I'm moving to San Diego. I'm looking for roommates and a private room. My max budget is 1300; a place in Mission Valley or P.B. is best. I'm a fun, understanding, neat & wonderful roomie. Pls. DM me @ savana.bjorklund.5 on FB.

**PLACE BY OB/MB/PB** I'm Nick, 31, from LA & moving to San Diego. I work remotely as a freelance documentary television producer. My budget is \$1K-\$1.5K. IG: ncrookshank. FB: crookshank1 nrcrookshank@gmail.com

**ANY PB ROOMMATES OUT THERE?** Hi my name is Sophie! I am 23 years old. I am looking for roommates to move to a place near the PB area. I am moving from Nebraska. My budget is 1,000 every month. FB message me if we are a fit! facebook.com/sophie.tokheim

**COUPLE LOOKING FOR ROOM 2 RENT** Hi there, we are a friendly couple without pets and bad habits. We are looking for a room with a private bath or studio in San Diego. The budget 1000-1300\$. We will consider different options and locations. facebook.com/dashks.ttt/

**IN NEED OF A PLACE TO LIVE NOW** As a single female I'm truly struggling just to survive & stay alive! I'm looking for a roof over my head where I can provide domestic. services such as cleaning, pet sitting, house sitting, organizing, etc. in exchange for a private room/ space. Thanks sandiegolady13@gmail.com

**MOVING TO SAN DIEGO** I'm moving to San Diego and I'm looking for roommates and a private room. My max budget is 1300; a place in Mission Valley or P.B. is best. I'm a fun, understanding, neat & wonderful roomie. Pls. DM me @ savana.bjorklund.5 on FB.

**ISO ROOMMATES OR HOUSEMATES** Reposting: 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

**MISSION BAY ROOMIES?** I'm a 27-year-old teacher from NY looking for a house with flatmates for ideally 1 or less/person. I prefer living with CLEAN and smoke-free people. Would love the Mission Bay area. Facebook: alex.orteig

**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

**MOVING TO SD FROM THE PNW** My name is Madi and I'm looking for housing. My budget is flexible if the place is right. I'm 24 from the PNW. San Diego is new to me so I'd love to do a lot of exploring while I'm there! Please message me @ facebook.com/madisoncho23

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**66 YR OLD MALE** looking for bedroom & bath, can pay \$700

month, honest, dependable, quiet. Santee or El Cajon area. (951) 380-1095

**SENIOR MALE** Looking for room to rent in the greater San Diego area. (619) 577-2356

**TINY ROOM TO LIVE PLEASE** 63 year young, healthy, vaccinated, single, no family, Virgo, never married, non-smoker, clean, SoCal native, low income, male, high school/ college graduate. Seeking any somber tiny room please in Solana Beach, Cardiff, Leucadia, Encinitas, Carlsbad. Dale Hauskins (858) 401-2973

## COLLEGE ROOMMATES

**COLLEGE STUDENT 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. (858) 208-0775

**FALL 2022 USD & MESA STUDENTS** Perfect for 2022 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 (858) 279-6186

**LOOKING FOR 3RD ROOMMATE** Hi!! Our names are Maria and Darlene and we are looking for a third roommate to move out with! We are both 19 and I choose to believe we are nice. facebook.com/mafer.barrera23

**NORTH COUNTY COLLEGE STUDENTS** College students — feel free to message the OP today to schedule your tour of Citrus Court Condos. Upstairs units apt 64 and apt 14 are available. bit.ly/north-county-college bit.ly/north-county-college

**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

**SPENCER'S IS HIRING** Just an FYI — Spencer's is hiring @ www.spencers.com/ (800) 762-0419

**DT, NORTH PARK, OR HILLCREST** 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! www.instagram.com/jacyestesves/

**FALL 2022 SDSU 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

**LAST SEMESTER IN COLLEGE** Hello all, 22 year old looking for a private room. I'm in my last semester of college, take part in an internship and also have a job. Price range up to 850 (all utilities included). Move-in ASAP facebook.com/basheer.qatan

**LOOKING FOR ROOMMATES** Heyyy. I'm moving to San Diego. looking for a chill bunch to move in with. Got a room? I'm fun but laid back. I'm cool with a guy or girl roomies. DM if you got a spot. facebook.com/shannon.doyle1693

**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

**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

**MOVING TO SAN DIEGO COLLEGE** I'm looking for a roommate / private room in an apartment or house. hoping to move in around early February. I'm Te'noah. I'm from the Chicago area. I'm currently active duty army in Kansas but I'm getting out to go back to college. facebook.com/tenoah.tatum

**USD AND MESA COLLEGE ROOMMATE** Private room in bright Clairemont home with backyard terrace. Location: Mount Aguilar Drive, Clairemont Mesa East. Monthly Rent: \$900 bit.ly/mesa-usd-claire

**ZOO PASSES 4 COLLEGE STUDENTS** We college students get a discount at the San Diego Zoo! Pls delete this post if it is not allowed. I was just excited when I purchased my pass and had to share it! zoo.sandiegozoo.org/school-programs/student-discount

**2022 FALL 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 as exchange students. So we need a place to stay. Direct message if you have anything. Thanks! facebook.com/ida.hertin.5

**ARE YOU A 2022 COLLEGE STUDENT** 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 SDRreader.com or our free magazine on campus for more deets :-). facebook.com/ClassifiedsBySDReader (619) 235-3000 / post@sandiegoreader.com

**BY MESA COLLEGE & UCSD** I'm looking for a private room w/ bathroom or roommates, anything really. Max budget is \$1300. I'm 27, have a cat, moving from Ohio and I'm an architectural designer. I love being active playing soccer, basketball, volleyball. facebook.com/jay.d.schlesinger

**FALL '22 UCSD STUDENTS** Room for rent at Rancho Penasquitos for \$1100. www.sublet.com/property/4681667

**FOR MIRAMAR AND UCSD STUDENTS** Mira Mesa housemate wanted. \$1,325/month all basic utilities included (water, trash, electricity, gas, internet) and \$800/security deposit. PM a brief introduction of yourself and your work/school schedule. facebook.com/kathrynnly

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

**OB ROOMMATES?** My name is Cam and I'm looking for a room. 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/

**RELOCATING FROM SANTA BARBARA** Have an awesome ESA My budget is \$1300 and areas I'm looking at are Mission Bay, OB, PB, anywhere around Balboa but also open to different parts of SD. Send me a PM if you know of anything! Thanks! facebook.com/chris.krueger.756

**SDSU STUDENT ISO 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. Budget: Max of \$1100/ month. I hope you'll consider me as your future roommate. facebook.com/maren.appert

**1BR HOME MISSION HILLS \$1,695** FB RP: Beautiful 1bedroom bungalow home in Mission Hills with 1 bedroom 1 bathroom available for rent. Good space, living and dining area, separate kitchen with fridge, oven and microwave. Wood floor, outdoor launderette. bit.ly/mission-hills-apt

**'22 UCSD STUDENTS** Private room with private bath, pool, parking in 2-bed apt., furnished w/queen bed in Carmel Valley - \$ 1250 / month www.sublet.com/property/4540058

**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

**CSUSM COLLEGE ROOM \$850** Room for rent in Escondido for \$850. Perfect for college students bit.ly/esco-college

**CUYAMACA AND SDSU STUDENTS** College students — LOOK at this private room for rent in El Cajon for \$985. It just came up on FB and looks great! DM OP for additional details :) bit.ly/elcajon-roomie

**MISSION VALLEY HOUSEMATES** I'm hunting for a room for me and my super-friendly cat, Ezra. I am a 26-year-old full-time doctoral student studying acupuncture and Chinese Medicine. Budget: \$900 facebook.com/gianna.r.smith

**MOVING INTO 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

**NORTH COUNTY COLLEGE STUDENTS** Reposting here from FB. Delete if not allowed. The Carlsbad room is \$850 and upstairs with a shared bathroom, washer, and dryer in the unit. It has garage storage! Looking for another female and no couples. bit.ly/carls-room-2

**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 Penasquitos. facebook.com/dezertdippin250

**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

**\$1500 MISSION VALLEY ROOM** Hi everyone! My name is Agnes (everyone calls me Ness) and I am looking for a new roomie to take my first-floor bedroom in my beautiful, 3-story 3 bedroom 3.5 bath townhouse in the Escala Community in Mission Valley. \$1500/month + \$200 utilities facebook.com/agnieszka.lewandowski/

**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

**FALL 2022 SDSU STUDENTS** Saw this on Facebook and resharing here. DM the original poster for info. facebook.com/victor.rivera.520900

**ISO A ROOMMATE** Hi my name is Sophie, I am 23 years old. I am looking for a room/roommates. I am moving from Nebraska. I work remote but will be done by 3pm everyday! I love to workout, go to the beach. DM me I hope we can be a good fit. facebook.com/sophie.tokheim

**PSYCHOLOGY WRITING TOPICS** PsychologyWriting is your go-to source for psychology essay examples, ideas and samples. We're here to help you write better papers and get better grades. With our database of more than 4,000 essays, you're sure to find what you need. psychologywriting.com/topics/ chris.johnson0890@yahoo.com

**'22 ROOMMATES OR HOUSEMATES?** I'm looking for a room to rent. 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/

**'22 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/

**ADULTS GOING BACK 2 COLLEGE** Scholarsip for adults returning to college @ facebook.com/cappex facebook.com/cappex support@cappex.com

**NEED HELP IN SPANISH CLASS?** We know how busy you are with your job and other classes, so we're here to help! We can help you with your Spanish homework and by tutoring you. Click the link to reach us! facebook.com/Spansh-Professor-101035555694104/

**UCSD ROOMMATE** Hi y'all! I'm a German grad engineering student visiting UCSD from mid-March to mid-June. I'm currently looking for accommodation and/ or some quality roommates. My budget is around 1300 month. facebook.com/benedikt.vornlehn/

**UCSD ROOMMATE WANTED** "temporary room available" Hi all, we have a shared room near UCSD that was just booked from Sept. 21 onward- so there is one spot in that bedroom that is available NOW until then. Females only, please DM if interested facebook.com/chris.olory

**BUYING SWC COLLEGE BOOKS** This store buys used Southwest College books facebook.com/OTay-Books-437860740018652 (619) 216-3636

**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

**FALL 2022 SDSU STUDENTS** I am looking for a female roommate to rent out the other room in my 2 bed 2 bath apartment. It is located in: Dorchester Apartments. 6595 Montezuma Rd, San Diego, CA 92115. facebook.com/TheDorchesterApartments

**GASLAMP OR PACIFIC BEACH** Looking 4 a private room preferably close to PB or Gaslamp. I'll be looking for bartending/server jobs while working on building my real estate career. Just graduated from Sacramento State. DM on IG @ elijah\_c916

**MOVING TO SAN DIEGO 4 COLLEGE** I'm Damian, 22, and I'm looking to move to San Diego from Imperial Valley. I'm starting school at PIMA College. I like to



play video games, spend time with friends, and exercise. bit.ly/Imperial-to-SD

**ROOM AVAILABLE BY CSUSM**  
Reposting here - available now: furnished room for rent in a house. \$1000 + utilities per month for 1 person only no pets. We have a fun friendly safe atmosphere. bit.ly/room-csusm-04

**ROOMMATE/HOUSEMATE**  
Posting again since it's so hard to find a place. Looking for a room OR roommates to find a spot with! Wanting to move in the next few months, My budget is around 1100. Females only, pls. facebook.com/Fischer.christina7

**SDSU STUDENTS LOOK HERE**  
Repost from FB: Hello! I am looking for a female to take over my lease of a single room with private bathroom in a 4 rooms dorm asap. It is in BLVD63 near SDSU. Possibility of living there by this week. No pets. bit.ly/room-blvd63

**STUDENT FROM GERMANY**  
Hello folks, my name is Bilal, I'm a 24 years old student from Germany and searching for a room in PB, MB, or areas that are close to. I'm a sporty, clean, and respectful guy, so feel free to dm me your offers. Appreciate it. facebook.com/bilal.naous.9

**CSUSM STUDENTS' ROOM**  
RP: 15 mins from campus. \$783/ Month "plus" \$70.00 monthly utilities. Deposit: 783 deposit. Room size: 10'x12' bit.ly/37wbub4

**I'LL PITCH IN \$900** I am looking for a private room to stay in. 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

**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

**LOOKING 4 ROOMMATES/HOUSEMATES** My budget is \$1,000. I would prefer to live in one of the following locations but can be a little bit flexible: PB, Clairemont, LA Jolla, Sorrento Valley, Mission Valley, Kearny Mesa. DM me if you have a room available or wanna be roommates. facebook.com/Fischer.christina7

**MESA COLLEGE STUDENT ISO ROOM** 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

**NORTH COUNTY JOBS** Delete if not allowed. If you are a college student in North County seeking a job, check out a flier I found. The flier says they give a \$1000 sign-up bonus too!

**PERF FOR SDSU STUDENT**  
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. Shared place - \$745 l.alpaca.casa/HsC1RB5

**2022 MESA COLLEGE STUDENTS** Private bedroom 10x10 (furnished). Kearny Mesa (92123). 3 bedrooms, 1/2 bathrooms townhouse... 2 people in the house. 900\$ month to month lease, 450\$ deposit (refundable). facebook.com/anderson.assis.3110

**2022 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!

**BLVD63 BY SDSU** Asking for a friend: "Anyone looking for a 1 bed and one bath at Blvd63 by SDSU?" DM for info. facebook.com/ramandeep.jagdev

**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

**COLLEGE STUDENTS GETAWAY** 2BD/1BTH and 300 steps to the lake! Hiking, fishing, WiFi, and a fully stocked kitchen and our personal home are unlike company-owned cabins. Email for price/night - www.getlostinn.com/ facebook.com/GetLostInn contact@getlostinn.com

**FOR SDSU/GROSSMONT STUDENTS** Found an adorable duplex with its own private yard in sought after neighborhood. 2 beds 1 bath house. \$2,350. Awesome for students bit.ly/lamesa-students

**LOOKING 4 ROOMMATES OK W/DOGS** I have 2 ESA-certified dogs who are very well-behaved and VERY friendly so if possible I would love roommates who would be okay with pets. Msg me if you're interested! facebook.com/niana.allen

**MOVING IN FROM NEW YORK** Would love the Mission Bay area. 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. facebook.com/alex.orteig

**NORTH COUNTY COLLEGE STUDENTS** Hi, fellow college students! I found this place on FB! The person wants \$800 for a room! bit.ly/esco-college-07

**OCEAN BEACH ROOMMATE \$1995** This is a ground floor o1-bedroom located in a corner end-unit of a 12-unit complex called the OB.Seagull.net. This unit has a fenced private yard. A French Door opens from the bedroom into the tucked-away private garden area. bit.ly/ob-room nancynobel@yahoo.com

**UCSD OR PALOMAR STUDENTS** Resharing: an \$800 private room in a house in North County of San Diego, zip code is 92127. It has a shared bathroom, 18 miles away from UCSD. bit.ly/room-ucsd-92127

**2022 SDSU STUDENTS** 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 (619) 880-8340 / leasing@livegravityapartments.com

**ADULTS RETURNING TO COLLEGE?** If you are returning to college — check some of the resources out there to help you navigate through 2022 college life. @ facebook.com/cappex facebook.com/cappex support@cappex.com

**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

**INTERN MOVING TO SAN DIEGO** Doing a full-time internship in biochemistry. My budget is flexible if the place is right. I'm 24 from the PNW. I'm super clean, respectful, and laid back. In my free time, I love going out to shows, being outdoors, & reading. facebook.com/madisoncho23/

**LOOKING FOR A HOUSEMATE?** 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

**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

**PALOMAR COLLEGE / CSUSM** For \$1100, we have 1 extra bedroom with a private bathroom and a large size closet available for rent. Under ten minutes away from Palomar College, California State University of San Marcos. bit.ly/sanmarcos-college

**STUDENT ISO A PLACE** Hi, I'm 34, work full time, and am a student. I am still desperately looking for a place for me and my dog, either a room or apartment, preferably with access to a yard or patio where there is not already another dog living there. facebook.com/perrapirata

**UCSD HOUSING?** If you're upset that you or friends can't find housing, UCSD just accepted an unprecedented number of students to make the problem worse. Please sign this petition to help rectify the issue. bit.ly/ucsdhousingpetition www.change.org/p/university-of-california-san-diego-tuition-refund-for-ucsd-students-forced-online

**GREAT FOR 2022 SDSU STUDENTS** Furnished rental. 1 bedroom available. Rent: \$ 1226/month www.sublet.com/property/3844762

**LOOKING FOR HOUSEMATES** 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. facebook.com/eunjeong.heo.374

**MESA COLLEGE ROOMMATE** Hi, my name is Michelle, I'm @ school next month at Mesa College for the Medical Assistant program. I'm 30, I do not smoke or nor do I have an interest in partying. facebook.com/michelle.ramirez.39545

**MIRAMAR COLLEGE STUDENTS** Studocu buys your Miramar notes. Earn Money while you help other students! Be quick, the offer stands only for a limited time! www.studocu.com/facebook.com/StuDocu

**MOVED IN FROM CANADA** Seeking studio/1-bedroom/ room w/private bathroom. Just relocated from Canada, and am in a contract position, preferably something month-to-month, furnished, within budget range of \$1000-2000. Early 30's, social worker. facebook.com/rosalee.laurena

**OMG, CHECK THIS PLACE OUT!** A couple of rooms are opening at The Vibe House! Looking for nature lovers and artistic and inspired souls who want a place to live while creating effortlessly. If you resonate with open space, with lots of light, & fresh produce from the garden. facebook.com/TheVibeHouseSD

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**'22 SDSU STUDENTS** I am located in La Mesa. Rent/utilities is \$900/month. Room fits a queen size bed. The bathroom is shared with my 12 y/o son and another roommate. Access to main areas of house. FB for more info - thx! facebook.com/kristine.leigh.12

**CLOSE TO SDSU** I'm looking to roommate w/ someone at Suites on Paseo at 5595 Lindo Paseo San Diego 92115. Check their photos, it's gorge and it's super close to campus, Call/text me — thanks! facebook.com/SuitesOnPaseo (619) 583-1774

**CSUSM & PALOMAR STUDENTS** Fellow college students: I found this sorta nearby our campuses. Message the OP if you think it's a fit for you and your roommates! It's a cozy 3-quarters 2 bath home in Vista near Sycamore and 78 freeway. \$2800 facebook.com/taniasegal/

**LOOKING FOR HOUSEMATES?** I'm a 24-year-old male and will be moving to San Diego to start a job in Mission Valley. As far as being a roommate, I'm pretty easygoing. Let me know what ya got! My budget is \$1500 bit.ly/housemate-chris

**SWC COLLEGE ROOMMATES?** Found this 1 bedroom apartment in Chula Vista, close to campus, for \$1,750. -Completely private unit.. -Swimming pool. -Laundry. -Parking! www.apartments.com/540-c-st-chula-vista-ca/v2rxtee/

**VETERINARY MEDICINE STUDENT** I'm looking to find an apartment/rent a house with other girls. I'm 22 and studying veterinary medicine. I have 2 ESA certified dogs. Very clean, organized & down to make new friends! Msg me if you're interested! facebook.com/niana.allen/

**CAL STATE UNI. SAN MARCOS** One room with a separate bathroom is available to rent. Located at Vista. In-unit laundry was also available. Rent 1150 with all utilities and wifi included. Looking for just a single person with no pets. bit.ly/csusm-room

**SDSU EXCHANGE STUDENTS** We are both Swedish and we'll be studying at SDSU. We are two 21-year-old girls, looking to rent a place/room for 5 months. facebook.com/ida.hertin.5/

**STUDENTS MOVING TO SAN DIEGO** Myself and my friend Nina are relocating from Germany to San Diego to study at UCSD. We are interested in a shared apartment/house with 2 private bedrooms, preferably in Pacific Beach or La Jolla. FB us @ LinhVuKieu69. Thank you.

**2022 USD/MESA STUDENTS** The Parkridge Manor is within walking distance from Mesa College and a short drive to USD. Call (858) 576-6396 for prices and availability on 1/2 bedroom apartments.

**CA STATE UNIVERSITY SAN MARCOS** I found this place that's close to the Cal State University-San Marcos campus. It is a place in Escondido called Citrus Court Condos. I saw on FB that they are taking applications for our 2022 school year. Just an FYI. www.citruscourt.com/

**CLOSE TO SDSU** This Encanto room is close to SDSU. The renter is asking \$1300. DM the OP for more details. bit.ly/encanto-place

**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

**SDSU STUDENT ROOM/HOUSEMATE** I'm looking for a single furnished room at PB/MB or near SDSU. I'm an international student studying at SDSU, so I'm looking for a room

from January till May. My Budget is around 1300\$. facebook.com/tim.ahlers.10

## RENTALS

**NORMAL HEIGHTS, \$1375.**  
Cozy studio near Adams, downstairs unit, wood-like flooring, on-site laundry, water, trash and gas included. Great location with easy freeway access. No pets. 3351 Madison Avenue. Agent, (619) 298-7724.



**RENOVATED EVERYTHING NEW 1 BED** ruly a very charming apartment, in peaceful a fantastic location. 1 Bedroom / 1 Bath in San Diego, CA \$1700/month. It is available now and utilities included. Anthonydimiarco@gmail.com

**STUDIO APT AVAILABLE NOW** Attached studio apt. Immediate move in \$1800/mo plus deposit, utilities Incl. Full kitchen: full bath, washer/dryer, single occupancy, no pets. Contact (619) 823-3474.

**ROSARITO BEACH RENTAL \$1650** A brand new 3 bedroom and 2.5 bath house in a gated community - It has 24/7 security and a swimming pool; is close to major freeways off Popotla Blvd. in Rosarito. Eddie Alpuche: Profesional Inmobiliario Certificado y con Licencia @ (52) (661) 119-3325 eddiealpuche@gmail.com

**COUNTRY RENTALS TEXT** Only pls 61 9-438-0765. We are located in Barrett Junction, CA We have. 1 bdrm cottages for rent. \$1700 p/mo. 2-bdrm \$2200 p/mo. Section 8 & Veterans welcome

**CABINS FOR RENT** Did you know you can book most of our cabins directly to avoid the extra booking fees? We have 15 rental options at www.GetLostInn.com getlostinn@gmail.com

**ANIMAL LOVING SENIOR** with small pets is looking for a studio

or 1bd, can trade pet and house sitting plus a little rent. Please call Terry (619) 343-8757.

**STUDIO APARTMENT IN BAY PARK** walking distance to Mission Bay, new paint, rug, refrigerator, nice kitchen, utilities paid, lots of parking, one person only please \$1,500 a month (619) 301-6616 Cobain

**LA MESA, \$1999-2449.** 3BD+2BA (\$2449) and 2BD+1BA (\$1999) apartments. Welcome to Mt. Helix Gated Community! New kitchen. Stainless steel appliances. Spacious. Clubhouse. WiFi. Air conditioning. Laundry. Garages. Balconies. Pool. Hablo Espanol. (619) 646-8670.

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## “Anything I need to do later in the day seems manageable after I go surfing.”



Jack & Will Chamberlain (22 & 19)  
surf Fletcher Cove

### Locals?

**Will:** No, we grew up in Phoenix but have lived here for ten years. I just graduated from the University of Colorado Boulder.

**Jack:** I go to TCU in Texas.

**Was it hard being away from the ocean during the school year?**

**Jack:** It was tough at first, but I started skiing more. There is so much to do in Boulder. I just picked up different activities.

Everyone is always outside.

**Now that you've graduated, are you going to try to stay in San Diego?**

**Jack:** Yeah, for the surf!

**When did you first start surfing?**

**Will:** We went to a surf camp in Del Mar right when we moved here from Phoenix. We just got obsessed and started going surfing

all the time.

**How often do you surf?**

**Will:** I try to go every day, but if it's not good, I won't go. It usually ends up being like 4-5 times a week.

**How far do you live from the beach?**

**Jack:** About ten minutes

**What is your favorite beach to surf?**

**Jack:** Fletcher Cove, Pipes, and Seaside reef.

**Will:** Fletcher Cove, Pipes, and 11th street in Del Mar.

**Have you had any cool wild-life encounters?**

**Will:** Right out here I saw a school of sting rays. There were over 100 of them, because there is a reef out here.

**What do you love the most about surfing?**

# SURF DIEGO

by SIOBHAN BRAUN

**Jack:** Getting up early in the morning. It's a good way to start the day.

**Will:** I always feel so clear-headed after I go surfing. Anything I need to do later in the day seems manageable after I go surfing. It's the best way to start your day.

**Who is a better surfer?**

**Jack:** He (Will) is probably better. I just go more. He was in Colorado my senior year of high school. My school was all online so I could come out here every day.

**Advice to new surfers?**

**Will:** Know where you are paddling out because a lot of people are very territorial at certain beaches. This beach, Fletcher Cove, is pretty friendly.

**Jack:** Learn about rip currents and stuff.

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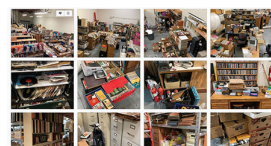
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# 67.6-pound white seabass snagged at Catalina

**Dock Totals 6/5 - 6/11:** 3530 anglers aboard 159 half-day to 3-day trips out of San Diego landings this past week caught 25 barracuda, 1873 bluefin tuna (to 180 pounds), 2 bonito, 1330 calico bass, 3 halibut, 11 lingcod, 1208 rockfish, 145 sand bass, 1 sanddab, 91 sculpin, 108 sheephead, 1 treefish, 94 whitefish, 2 white seabass, and 43 yellowtail.

**Saltwater:** As the season develops and the water temperatures edge upward, inconsistency seems to be the rule. Bluefin tuna have been a model of non-conformity, as they have been biting one day and tight-mouthed the next, moving up and down between northern Baja and southern California waters from ten to fifty miles offshore. The week previous, the main body of fish seemed to be across the border and moving toward San Clemente Island and the outer banks. This past week, the fleet has been more centered on the Finger Bank about 30 miles northwest of Ensenada and reporting anywhere from a handful of fish landed to occasional wide-open bites resulting in limits.

Previously biting primarily down deep on sinker-rigged bait and heavy jigs, bluefin tuna have been feeding throughout the water column, with fish coming on the troll and surface irons and poppers early in a bite, then sinking out to favor up-and-down methods. While always metering for schools, more sightings of surface activity are witness to the quantity of fish spread out in our area within 2-day range of Point Loma. Though the bluefin counts dropped a bit, every trip out carries the anticipation of limit-style fishing with all the activity out there.

White seabass are showing well at Catalina and San Clemente islands, and even a few in our local water near La Jolla and off Point Loma. One remarkable catch was a 67.6-pound white seabass, his first ever, caught by 15-year-old Davis Morgan while fishing with his father at Catalina. That is an amazing catch for anyone who has targeted the species for a lifetime. The father-son duo also caught four yellowtail and three other white seabass to finish out their day.

Another notable catch was of a louvar caught aboard the *Grande* during a 1.5-day bluefin run. Louvar are an odd-looking oceanic species rarely caught by commercial or recreational anglers. They are pinkish in color and can



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Will Aviles was in the right place at the right time on this fish that is over the 100# mark.

get to over six feet long and 300 pounds, and though they tend to remain in the upper water column from the surface to 600 feet deep, louvar are often found in deeper waters where sportfishing boats and commercial fleets do not normally target. Louvar have a bulging head with a small mouth and feed primarily on jellyfish. Though not endangered, they are very rarely caught. Louvar are highly prized as table fare, with some claiming they are the best eating fish in the sea. Once in a blue moon, louvar filets can be found at fresh fish markets, but usually, when they are caught they are kept and not sold. If available, louvar filets can sell for \$50 per pound.

Yellowtail began biting well a week ago but have since seemingly been fasting. Good numbers of decent-sized fish have been spotted, but few have been willing to bite. So far, the best yellowtail fishing for the better grade of fish over 20 pounds has been at San Clemente and Catalina islands, while the Coronados have yet to produce with any consistency. The fish are there, just not quite active enough to keep any full day boats from chasing bluefin a little further offshore. As long as conditions continue to improve, I expect that Coronado Island yellowtail bite to develop soon. Normally, bonito,

barracuda, and yellowtail counts would be much higher by mid-June, but any boat with the legs and time is targeting bluefin tuna while they are still near enough to do so.

Calico bass aren't being stubborn at all. When the currents set up right, that is, flowing into the kelp from the outside, calico bass are biting very well wherever there are kelp beds. Given that about three calicos are released for every one fish caught, and that few boats are fishing the kelp, over 1300 fish kept in a week is remarkable fishing for "checker bass." Though May has been gray and June thus far gloomy, the inshore fishery is heating up for private boaters and kayakers, while both bays are producing well for halibut, shortfin corvina, and spotted bay bass. For those with their feet on *terra firma*, barred surf perch and California corbina are biting in the surf, especially along rips and where sand crab colonies are found. The options are many and they're out there, so go get 'em!

**Notable catches this past week:**

**6/11** - The *Grande* 1.5-day trip with 28 anglers aboard called in with 26 bluefin tuna to 150 pounds and 1 louvar

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from the 80s. This has the awesome song that goes "She's a maniac. maniac..." "We are asking \$5! Pick it up by the front counter @ Consignment Classics at 3602 Kurtz St. (619) 291-3000

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**NEW ORDER CD** We're selling a vintage New Order CD with the best 80's hits. We are asking \$5! Call M&M's Treasures. (619) 291-3000

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**DANIEL POWELL**

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Handmade handbags, bottle covers, wallets, shirts, and more. WhatsApp @ (664) 173-9418.

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**"SHE'S A MANIAC. MANIAC"** We're selling a Flashdance CD



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**1960'S SWAG LAMP** The Mod Pad is selling a groovy 60's swag lamp set for \$225 (619) 291-3000



**1970'S JIM THRASHER ART** 1970's Jim Thrasher art — \$325 (619) 291-3000

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**2012 DUTCHMEN CAMPER TRAILER** 2012 Dutchmen \$8,999. (760) 525-5329. Very Clean and well taken care of, no awning. Original owner, title in hand. Sleeps 2

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**ANNA SUI DRESS** Anna Sui for Target sleeveless metallic grey boucle V-neck shift mini dress —Size L/XL — \$15. Rare! (619) 291-3000

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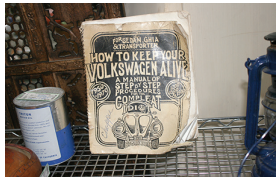
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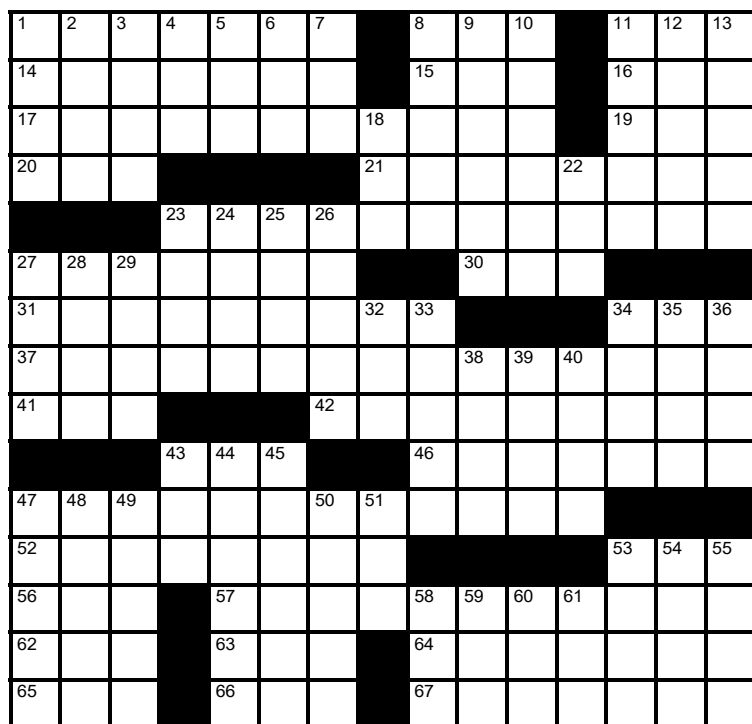
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11. Virtual city dweller
14. Stands the heat
15. K.C.-to-Detroit direction
16. "\_\_\_\_\_ kingdom come ..."
17. Buzzy body?
19. Maritime law drama from 1995 to 2005
20. "Huzzah!"
21. Much work ahead
23. Bottom part of an open sandwich
27. Unwakeable, say
30. "Just a heads-up..."
31. Southern region of South America
34. Counsel council, in brief
37. Biblical beacon
41. Work started by London's Philological Soc.
42. Do away with
43. Early bird?
46. Levies, as a tax
47. Euphoria
52. Dieter's time of indulgence
53. "Give \_\_\_\_\_ rest!"
56. Horace's "\_\_\_\_\_ Poetica"
57. Omelet's go-with at brunch, maybe
62. Soccer star Messi, to fans
63. One of 17 in Monopoly: Abbr.

64. Actress Dietrich
65. Vigor
66. Aides for profs
67. Big tear-jerker ... or a description of this puzzle's theme

## Down

1. \_\_\_\_\_-bitsy
2. East Coast 7-Eleven competitor
3. "Sure"
4. What Kramer often called Seinfeld
5. Ideology suffix
6. "Ay, dios \_\_\_\_\_!"
7. DOJ division
8. Green with the 2010 hit "Forget You"
9. Singular event
10. Words before a date on a package
11. Missouri city, familiarly
12. "If \_\_\_\_\_ nickel for every time ..."
13. "Unbelievable!"
18. Modern love?
22. Prefix between bi- and quad-
23. Sign of an old wound
24. A target for Target, say
25. "\_\_\_\_\_ the opinion..."
26. "... all that you \_\_\_\_\_" (Army slogan)
27. \_\_\_\_\_ facto
28. Nick Mohammed's "Ted Lasso" role
29. Slightly
32. Suffix with court or cash
33. "Garfield: \_\_\_\_\_ of Two Kitties"
34. Cries of discovery
35. \_\_\_\_\_ noire (pet peeve)
36. Home of Iowa State
38. Port on many TVs
39. Some people read them
40. Earth Friendly Products detergent
43. Landing guess: Abbr.
44. Insinuates
45. Big name in chocolate
47. Rogaine target
48. Mid-afternoon hour
49. "The Ant and the Grasshopper" author
50. Dims
51. "Later!"
53. Drink with a Blue Lemonade flavor
54. Oodles
55. Work without \_\_\_\_\_ (take risks)
58. Sounds in a yoga studio
59. \_\_\_\_\_ Schwarz (toy company)
60. "1 sec"
61. Title sitcom character with eight stomachs

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### Bright Idea

— For Alexander Leszczynski, 22, of North Redington Beach, Florida, it wasn't enough to be charged with wire fraud, bank fraud and money laundering, the *Tampa Bay Times* reported. The U.S. Attorney's Office in Tampa claimed Leszczynski might face up to 30 years in prison for making up charitable entities to receive Payroll Protection Plan loans totaling almost \$200,000 and trying to deposit fake checks to the tune of \$2.7 million, among other schemes. But wait, there's more! "When he discovered that the money had been frozen, he attempted to have it released by producing a fabricated pardon purportedly signed by former President Donald Trump," the U.S. Attorney's Office said in a news release. One of Leszczynski's fake charities was trying to seize control of two properties that belonged to Jeffrey Epstein, the disgraced financier who died in prison while awaiting trial on sex-trafficking charges. Leszczynski is being held without bail at the Pinellas County Jail.

### I'll Just Have Water, Thanks

— Investigators in Vancouver, Washington, looking into the sexual exploitation of children uncovered another nasty habit of Stephen Sharp, a night manager at an Arby's restaurant there. On May 10, Fox11-TV reported, Sharp admitted that he had downloaded and distributed child pornography. After conducting a search of his digital devices, police also found a video of him urinating into a container of milkshake mix from Arby's. He confessed that

he had done so at least twice for sexual gratification. Sharp said it would have been added to another bag of mix and used during the next shift to make shakes for customers. Officers are seeking people who might have ordered a shake on Oct. 30 or 31, 2021, and still have a receipt; Sharp is facing multiple charges and eating institutional food at the Clark County jail.

### Crotch Shot

— Kingsland, Arkansas, about 70 miles south of Little Rock, is the birthplace of Johnny Cash, and the town has honored him with a silhouette of the Man in Black on its water tower, *The Wichita Eagle* reported. But when Betty Graham, water office manager, arrived at her office early on May 11, she noticed what she first thought was a leak from the tower. Later she realized a sharp-shooter had hit the tank right at Cash's sweet spot, creating the illusion that the famous singer is relieving himself. Graham said it could take at least a week to repair the damage; in the meantime, comments on a local Facebook page ranged from "would be a better tourist attraction than Old Faithful" to "Someone here knows who did this. I hope they'll come forward and turn the vandal in." "People think it's funny, but a lot of hard work and effort went into getting the grant to get this painted," Graham said.

### News You Can Use

— Students at Johns Hopkins University are putting their expensive education to good use. Whiting School of Engineering students have

invented Taste Tape for their school's Engineering Design Day, United Press International reported. The chemical and biomolecular engineering students hope their invention will help themselves and others make their favorite foods less messy by taping burritos, tacos and other dishes closed, keeping the fillings inside. "All its ingredients are safe to consume, are food-grade, and are common food and dietary additives," said team member Tyler Guarino. They are in the process of obtaining a patent.

### Skills

— Ayumi Takada, 37, of Tokyo, has been compared to Elastigirl from *The Incredibles* because of her incredibly elastic earlobes. *Oddity Central* reports that Ayumi can stretch her earlobes up to 4.5 centimeters, or about 1 1/2 inches – enough to, say, wrap them around a selfie stick, a calligraphy brush or the shaft of an umbrella. It's practically like having another hand. "People always ask me if it's painful," she said. "But there's no pain at all when pulling them or holding an item. The earlobe naturally bounces right back into place straight away."

### Shocking

— During an electrical storm on May 16, 15-year-old Giana Scaramuzzo of North Huntingdon Township, Pennsylvania, was inside her home when she was struck by lightning, WTAE-TV reported. At least four other homes in the area were also hit during the storm. "All of a sudden I feel like a shock in my pinkie, and then it goes up my body and out through my

leg," Scaramuzzo said about the strike. Paramedics checked her blood pressure and took an EKG, but, shockingly, she didn't go to the hospital.

### 'I'll Have a Beer'

— Olaf Brewing in Finland is launching a new brew to celebrate the country's likely acceptance to NATO, the Associated Press reported. The "OTAN" lager's blue label, with its cartoon medieval knight and NATO's compass symbol, uses a play on the French abbreviation for the multinational organization, OTAN. In Finnish, "Otan olutta" means "I'll have a beer." CEO Petteri Vantinen said the new lager has "a taste of security, with a hint of freedom." Finland shares an 830-mile border with Russia, the longest of any European Union member.

### Police Report

— Dawn LaShawn Laprade, 54, REALLY wanted to get away from cops on May 18 in Martin County, Florida, *ClickOrlando.com* reported. Laprade allegedly intentionally hit a sheriff's office vehicle as she tried to evade a traffic stop. Next, she drove up to 100 mph, hitting another patrol car and a civilian truck, injuring people inside, and motioned to officers that she had a gun. But the real *coup de grace* came when officers finally caught up to her and she threw a fake snake at them. Laprade was booked and held on \$90,000 bond.

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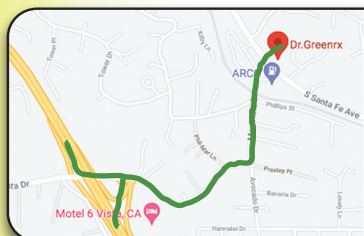


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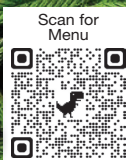
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## UNREAL ESTATE

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furniture. Then we see a room so small that there's just enough space for a pair of benches flanking the walls, plus a fireplace. I like this cozy little nook, but it also seems that it would get entirely too hot once a respectable fire got going. Luckily, there are plenty of windows, at least a few of which seem to open.

A formal dining room offers seating for eight at the table, plus a padded window bench, built-in hutch, and glass-doored China cabinet — and another fireplace. A butler's pantry contains a double sink and prep area, and that's before we get to the main kitchen, which, while nice, is probably rivaled in size and opulence by those of most modern tract homes. It does adjoin a second informal dining space, where the oversized wood baseboards and molding add some classical style without overwhelming or darkening the room.

In the first bedroom shot we see, the bed is positioned diagonally in the middle of the room, leaving a large triangular space behind the bed



Wood you want to live like this?

unused, save for a floor lamp. Do people actually arrange their bedroom furniture like this? I've only ever seen it in real estate marketing photos, and have never encountered anything of the sort in real life. That said, the bedrooms and bathrooms, which appear to have been updated sometime in the last 10 years or so, are all fine. Some nods to modernity have been made, such as the installation of recessed lighting and ceiling fans, but the home still retains a lot of its historical character.

Next we see a few small offices, including one that for some reason has a sink and vanity installed. Maybe this is a makeup room of sorts? My wife would enjoy this almost as much as I would enjoy reclaiming some counter space in our bathroom. When I am rich, we will have one of these rooms.

A few more photos follow, designed to show us

the historic integrity of the home, including the finish on the original tile and woodwork, more arched windows, and even some glass door-knobs before we end our tour back outside. In addition to the three-bedroom main house, there's a guest house with another bedroom, which is serviceable but thoroughly unspectacular.

Thanks to a Mills Act historic designation, the property enjoys a considerable discount on property taxes, in exchange for an owner's promise to maintain the exterior of the property in a condition similar to when it was built 115 years ago. Public records list the current owners of the estate as Laurence and Susan Favrot. The home was listed for the first time in more than 20 years in mid-March; the asking price of \$5.2 million remains unchanged to date. ■

## Fish Report

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for their 28 anglers aboard. Six anglers aboard the *Little G* scored limits of 24 bluefin tuna while out on a 2.5-day run.

**6/10** - The *Voyager* 2-day run offshore and with a stop at the Coronado Islands produced a mixed-bag catch of 21 calico bass, 8 barracuda, and 18 bluefin tuna for the 16 anglers aboard.

**6/9** - Great local fishing

for 19 anglers aboard the *Premier* ½-day morning trip resulted in 41 rockfish, 15 sand bass, 5 sculpin, and 1 58-pound white seabass caught.

**6/8** - The *New Seaforth* ½-day morning run with 37 anglers aboard called in with excellent calico fishing, with 75 caught along with a rockfish, 1 sculpin, and a local yellowtail.

**6/6** - Local kelps are heating up, as the *New Seaforth* with 28 anglers aboard the afternoon ½-day outing

reported 127 calico bass (75 released), 5 whitefish, 2 sand bass, 1 sculpin, and one hefty 35-pound halibut caught. The *Polaris Supreme* offshore 3-day trip with 24 anglers aboard returned to the dock with near-limits of 136 bluefin tuna.

**6/5** - Full limits of bluefin tuna (68) were reported caught by the 34 anglers aboard the *Pacific Queen* 1.5-day run out to the tuna grounds.

**Fish Plants:** 6/17 - Santee Lakes, catfish (1500)





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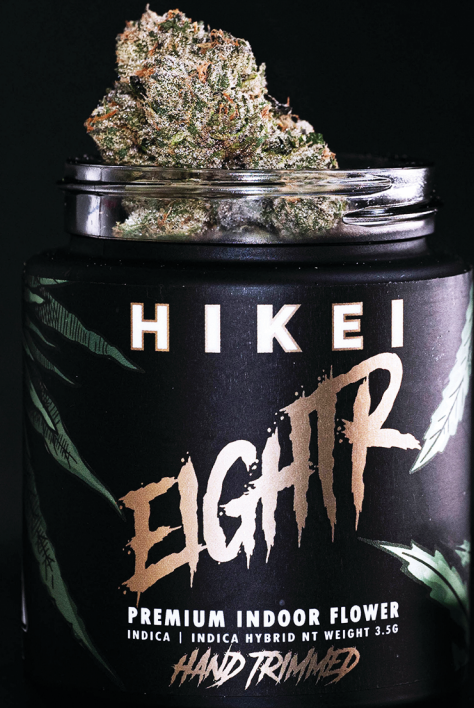
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