

Norwalk's Anthony Boyce honored by LASD

■ Anthony Boyce helped the LA Sheriff Department build their race car for the anti-street-racing public outreach event.

By Vincent Medina
Contributor

NORWALK - Norwalk High School and Cerritos College alumnus Anthony Boyce, 25, was given the LA Sheriff Department 2021 Junior Partner of the Year Award last week after he helped the LASD modify a Crown Victoria patrol car to race in their anti-street-racing public outreach event.

Boyce has a strong passion for automotive technology and repair. He began studying automotive technology with his teacher, Ken Cook, at Norwalk High School.

"I really like doing hands-on work. Working with motors and how to do bodywork is really interesting," Boyce said. "Mr. Cook took me under his wing and we did the Skills USA competition."

Boyce helped the school win second place at the Skills USA competition, where they compete against other high schools and colleges with a trade program. He continued the Skills USA competition into college and earned first place.

"Anthony really has inspired everybody that's around him," Cook said. "You know myself, the

deputies, his family, the students, will love him."

Boyce's talent brought him attention and he was asked to assist the LASD in assembling their patrol vehicle for the anti-street-racing program.

LASD detective Andrew Armes oversees the project and recalls Boyce working very hard on the project.

"Anthony did all the bodywork and the sanding on it and did body filler," said Armes. "He did a lot of the fitment and helped with removing some wiring that we needed to get rid of."

In an article from Motor Trend magazine, Boyce is also seen unbolting the shock assembly from the engine crossmember and focusing on the vehicle's suspension.

During the sheriff department's anti-street racing event, individuals race against officers on a track to discourage street racing. The vehicle Boyce worked on will participate in the next event in the coming months.

The NHS alumnus recently secured a part-time job as an automotive technician at Rusty's Automotive in Bellflower.

The owner of the automotive repair shop Russell "Rusty" Kimoto hired Boyce after he completed an apprenticeship through Goodwill's disability services program, which helps disabled adults pursue their



Anthony Boyce (left) and LASD detective Andrew Armes smile as Boyce receives the 2021 LASD Junior Partner of the Year Award for his work building the race patrol vehicle for the anti-street-race outreach event. (Photo by Vincent Medina)

career.

Since Boyce is autistic, he qualified for the program.

"He is mainly doing basic car maintenance right now," Kimoto said. "which is like testing automotive electrical systems, replacing brakes, oil and fluid

checks, and checking the lighting systems.

Kimoto said he is interested in hiring Boyce full-time in the future.

Cook and Kimoto surprised Boyce with a party on Friday to celebrate his achievements and give Boyce his 2021 LASD Junior

Partner of the Year Award.

"This really meant a lot to me," Boyce said. "I really appreciate their support with my work."

Boyce plans to continue his career in automotive repair, with a goal to open an automobile repair shop.

Residents give input on potential development

■ Plans to redevelop Front Street are drawing mixed reactions from residents and city officials.

By Vincent Medina
Contributor

NORWALK - The Heart of Norwalk Specific Plan Community Workshop was held this week to receive concerns from Norwalk residents on the city's revamping project.

Project leaders from the Arroyo Group and city officials guided community members through their plans and received feedback on which ideas they favored or disapproved.

Project manager Phillip Burns from the Arroyo Group said he heard community members express concerns over their ideas for affordable housing.

"There were concerns about the density around the affordable housing district," Burns said. "Oftentimes, higher density is often a prerequisite for affordability."

Norwalk planning commission member Richard Legaspi expressed concerns over how vendors will be acquired for the revitalization of Front Street.

"They want to go through the development, other people on the properties right now," Legaspi said. "They're proposing

these ideas, but it's basically other people's property right now. So are they going to buy out the other people? That's going to take time and money and the city doesn't have the money."

Members from the Norwalk activist group "Norwalk Unides" attended the workshop to observe the plans and determine if the project would be beneficial or detrimental to the city.

Norwalk Unides member Sairy Gil said he was pleased that the project is being environmentally conscious and involving the community in their plans.

"On the far south corridor, they're adding more trees and the trees do really help people slow down," said Gil. "You mentally feel like you need to go slower when you see obstructions to your left and right you want to maintain the speed."

Gil also expressed concern over the affordability of affordable housing.

Norwalk Unides has not expressed a formal opinion on the overall project, but plans to after their monthly meeting.

The plans for the Heart of Norwalk revitalization project are still in development as project leaders take community feedback into consideration.

Man exonerated after 20 years

■ Alexander Torres was convicted of murdering a man in Paramount but was released after a judge agreed evidence shows he is innocent.

By City News Service

PARAMOUNT - A man who was wrongfully convicted of a gang member's murder in Paramount has been released from prison after more than two decades behind bars, Los Angeles County District Attorney George Gascón announced Wednesday.

Alexander Torres -- who was found guilty in 2001 of second-degree murder -- wrote to the District Attorney's Office's Conviction Integrity Unit, which reviewed the evidence in his case and worked with sheriff's detectives on an investigation that ultimately led to his exoneration, according to the District Attorney's Office.

Torres was serving a 40-year-to-life state prison sentence for the slaying of Martin "Casper" Guitron, who was shot eight times while walking with a friend in the area near 15121 El Camino Ave. on New Year's Eve in 2000.

Torres was released from prison last October after his murder sentence was vacated, and the Conviction Integrity Unit subsequently joined the California Innocence Project in asking a judge to find him factually innocent of the killing -- a finding made by Los Angeles County Superior Court Judge William Ryan in mid-April, according to the District Attorney's Office.

In a joint motion seeking a factual innocence finding for Torres, both sides wrote that they "agree there is not a single reliable or credible piece of evidence that Torres committed the crime for which he was convicted and served over 20 years in prison. The parties further agree Torres has shown he is actually innocent of this crime by a preponderance of the evidence."



Attorney Audrey McGinn raises her hand with Alexander Torres after he was released from a Criminal Justice Center in Los Angeles. (Photo courtesy California Innocence Project)

The motion indicates that detectives from the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department are convinced that two other people are "the true perpetrators and further investigative efforts to gather the evidence sufficient to support a criminal filing against the individuals are ongoing."

In a statement posted on their website about the case, the California Innocence Project noted that Torres -- who was 20 at the time -- lived in the territory of the gang to which Guitron belonged and that the two had a "prolonged, well-known adversarial history" and that gang members had "subjected Torres and his family to an ongoing intimidation campaign to drive them out of the neighborhood."

The California Innocence Project's statement indicates that the alleged gunman "very closely resembles Torres in age, height, weight and overall physical appearance."

Justin Brooks, director of the California Innocence Project, said in a statement that he is "thrilled Alex Torres is finally free."

"This case was ultimately resolved the way all wrongful convictions should be with the District Attorney's Office working with us to discover the truth," Brooks said. "I am very grateful to George Gascón and his Conviction Integrity Unit."

Audrey McGinn, a California Innocence Project attorney who was the primary lawyer representing Torres, said in the statement that Torres was "so young when he was convicted of a crime he did not commit" and that he "deserves a chance to start to really live his life."

"I'm so excited to see Alex reunited with his family and loved ones," McGinn added.

In a written statement released by his office, Gascón said, "While it is this office's job to hold people accountable for the harm they cause, it is equally important that we critically re-examine past convictions. We must be willing to own up to past errors, determine what went wrong and make sure we do not repeat those mistakes."

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ON THIS DAY

1884: The last pair of great auks was killed, making the birds officially extinct.

1888: The poem "Casey at the Bat" by Ernest Lawrence Thayer was first published, in the San Francisco Daily Examiner.

1916: The National Defense Act was signed into law, increasing the size of the United States National Guard by 450,000 men.

1943: In Los Angeles, white U.S. Navy sailors and Marines attack Latino youths in the five-day Zoot Suit Riots.

1963: Pope John XXIII died at age 81.

1965: Astronaut Edward White became the first American to walk in space, during the flight of Gemini 4.

1980: An explosive device was detonated at the Statue of Liberty.

1989: Chinese army troops began a sweep of Beijing to crush student-led pro-democracy demonstrations.

1989: Iran's spiritual leader, Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, died.

2001: Mel Brooks' musical comedy "The Producers" won a record 12 Tony Awards.



2008: Barack Obama clinched the Democratic presidential nomination.

2011: Physician-assisted suicide advocate Dr. Jack Kevorkian died at a Michigan hospital at age 83.

2017: Radical Islamist terrorists deliberately drove a van into pedestrians on the London Bridge, killing eight people and injuring 48 others.

Birthdays

First Lady **Jill Biden** (71), journalist **Anderson Cooper** (55), R&B singer **Lyfe Jennings** (44), and tennis player **Rafael Nadal** (36).

Colleges return to in-person graduations

NORWALK - Cerritos College celebrated its Class of 2022 and the Class of 2020 on May 20-21 with the first in-person commencement ceremonies in three years.

Graduates from the Class of 2020 participated after COVID-19 restrictions shuttered graduation plans during the onset of the pandemic. The college hosted a "Car-Mencement" drive-thru ceremony to honor the Class of 2021 last year.

This year, the college presented approximately 4,800 associate degrees and skills certificates to students who completed their course of study during the 2021-2022 academic year.

Brooklyn Kemp began her studies at Cerritos College in the fall of 2020. She was a part of the Umoja Success Program and campus clubs Active Minds and Finding Funds for Falcon. She also served as the president of the Sociology Club.

The sociology major will transfer to North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State

University, a Historical Black College and University. Her educational goal is to obtain the highest degree possible in her field.

"As of now, my career path is open to any opportunities I will have for my future. I plan to make a difference in my community," said Brooklyn. "I have loved the support and additional resources that Cerritos College has provided in order for me to grow."

Jonathan Manjarrez, Jr., is a Calvary Chapel Downey High School senior and the Cerritos College Dual Enrollment Program student. He is receiving his associate degree in Film Production at the same time he graduates from high school this year.

Jonathan was a member of the Phi Theta Kappa Honors Society and on the Dean's List at Cerritos College. He will be attending UC Berkeley this fall.

This year's graduates have been accepted to some of the nation's top colleges and universities, including Claremont

McKenna College, Chapman University, the University of La Verne, Loyola Marymount University, USC, UC Berkeley, UCLA, Cal Poly Pomona, and Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, among other schools.

Additionally, 90 percent of students in the College's Scholars' Honors Program were admitted to UCLA this year.

"This year's commencement ceremony is your reminder for life that you faced and overcame adversity to accomplish your goals," said Dr. Jose Fierro, Cerritos College president and superintendent. "You have sharpened your minds, you have developed grit, empathy, and self-efficacy, and you have found creative ways to manage and re-frame stress.

"Graduates, your time is now; go and shape a future in which we put first what is important above the venalities of life. The conditions are here for you to make a new mark and henceforward be known as the Greatest Generation."

Rio Hondo College students were celebrated this week by

professors, administrators, friends and family members as they decorated the college campus with adoring signs, bouquets of colorful flowers and congratulatory gifts celebrating the achievements of the class of 2022.

This year, 1,700 students earned Bachelor of Science, Associate of Arts and Associate of Science degrees. Of those degrees, 1,157 are Associate Degree for transfer, meaning they are eligible for admission to the California State University system.

Furthermore, this signified the fourth class of students to receive B.S. degrees from the College. This year 21 Rio Hondo College students received their B.S.

During the ceremony, the college also honored four Student Success Profiles, which are special recognitions given to students who achieved above and beyond their goals.

This year's Student Success Profiles were Emil Dominguez, a biochemistry major who will be attending UCLA; Lenor Chavez, a social work major who will advance her studies

Superintendent and President Teresa Dreyfuss spoke to students about the importance of hard work, relaying her story of how she immigrated from Taiwan, learned a new language and a different culture, and rose to prominence in higher education as the leader of Rio Hondo College.

"Graduates - being here today, wearing your well-deserved caps and gowns, exemplifies the Rio Hondo College motto 'Start Rio, Go Anywhere.' You started at Rio, you survived the pandemic and you can go anywhere," Dreyfuss said. "While some students balanced work, family and education, others overcame financial hardships, homelessness, food insecurities, and even loss of family members and loved ones. Your success is our success."

The college honored valedictorian Megan Marentes, a biology major who will attend California State University, Fullerton in the fall. She is the daughter of Mexican and Salvadoran immigrants, is a first-generation college student, was an assistant biology lab technician and in her free time crochets octopus plushies for premature babies in nearby hospital ICUs.

The day's events also included remarks by Board of Trustees

President Vicky Santana, Academic Senate President Dorali Pichardo-Diaz, Associated Students President Pricilla Mendoza, Vice President of Student Service Dr. Earic Dixon-Peters and a commencement address from Congresswoman Grace Napolitano.

"Graduates, as you move onto the next chapter in life, remember this: you are amazing," Santana said. "You are amazing because many of you are the first in your family to set foot on a college campus. Many of you are the first in your family to receive a diploma. And, all of you made major sacrifices to complete this journey with the steadfast discipline to attain this educational goal - all in the middle of the pandemic."

Mendoza shared her father's advice to dedicate herself and her career to doing something she loves. She said this advice is applicable to all Rio Hondo College graduates and encouraged them to face their fears, overcome their challenges and to find their passion.

"You have all the power to strive for success," Mendoza said. "You made it to this point, but I encourage all of you to keep going to reach your full potential. Keep growing and keep accomplishing through your journey."

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What America will and will not do in Ukraine

By President Joe Biden

The invasion Vladimir Putin thought would last days is now in its fourth month. The Ukrainian people surprised Russia and inspired the world with their sacrifice, grit and battlefield success. The free world and many other nations, led by the United States, rallied to Ukraine's side with unprecedented military, humanitarian and financial support.

As the war goes on, I want to be clear about the aims of the United States in these efforts.

America's goal is straightforward: We want to see a democratic, independent, sovereign and prosperous Ukraine with the means to deter and defend itself against further aggression.

As President Volodymyr Zelensky of Ukraine has said, ultimately this war "will only definitively end through diplomacy." Every negotiation reflects the facts on the ground. We have moved quickly to send Ukraine a significant amount of weaponry and ammunition so it can fight on the battlefield and be in the strongest possible position at the negotiating table.

That's why I've decided that we will provide the Ukrainians with more advanced rocket systems and munitions that will enable them to more precisely strike key targets on the battlefield in Ukraine.

We will continue cooperating with our allies and partners on Russian sanctions, the toughest ever imposed on a major economy. We will continue providing Ukraine with advanced weaponry, including Javelin anti-tank missiles, Stinger anti-aircraft missiles, powerful artillery and precision rocket systems, radars, unmanned aerial vehicles, Mi-17 helicopters and ammunition. We will also send billions more in financial assistance, as authorized by Congress. We will work with our allies and partners to address

the global food crisis that Russia's aggression is worsening. And we will help our European allies and others reduce their dependence on Russian fossil fuels, and speed our transition to a clean energy future.

We will also continue reinforcing NATO's eastern flank with forces and capabilities from the United States and other allies. And just recently, I welcomed Finland's and Sweden's applications to join NATO, a move that will strengthen overall U.S. and trans-Atlantic security by adding two democratic and highly capable military partners.

We do not seek a war between NATO and Russia. As much as I disagree with Mr. Putin, and find his actions an outrage, the United States will not try to bring about his ouster in Moscow. So long as the United States or our allies are not attacked, we will not be directly engaged in this conflict, either by sending American troops to fight in Ukraine or by attacking Russian forces. We are not encouraging or enabling Ukraine to strike beyond its borders. We do not want to prolong the war just to inflict pain on Russia.

My principle throughout this crisis has been "Nothing about Ukraine without Ukraine." I will not pressure the Ukrainian government — in private or public — to make any territorial concessions. It would be wrong and contrary to well-settled principles to do so.

Ukraine's talks with Russia are not stalled because Ukraine has turned its back on diplomacy. They are stalled because Russia continues to wage a war to take control of as much of Ukraine as it can. The United States will continue to work to strengthen Ukraine and support its efforts to achieve a negotiated end to the conflict.

Unprovoked aggression, the bombing of maternity hospitals and centers of culture, and the forced displacement of millions of people make the war in Ukraine a profound moral issue. I met with Ukrainian refugees in Poland —

women and children who were unsure what their lives would be, and whether the loved ones who stayed behind in Ukraine would be OK. No person of conscience could be unmoved by the devastation of these horrors.

Standing by Ukraine in its hour of need is not just the right thing to do. It is in our vital national interests to ensure a peaceful and stable Europe and to make it clear that might does not make right. If Russia does not pay a heavy price for its actions, it will send a message to other would-be aggressors that they too can seize territory and subjugate other countries. It will put the survival of other peaceful democracies at risk. And it could mark the end of the rules-based international order and open the door to aggression elsewhere, with catastrophic consequences the world over.

I know many people around the world are concerned about the use of nuclear weapons. We currently see no indication that Russia has intent to use nuclear weapons in Ukraine, though Russia's occasional rhetoric to rattle the nuclear saber is itself dangerous and extremely irresponsible. Let me be clear: Any use of nuclear weapons in this conflict on any scale would be completely unacceptable to us as well as the rest of the world and would entail severe consequences.

Americans will stay the course with the Ukrainian people because we understand that freedom is not free. That's what we have always done whenever the enemies of freedom seek to bully and oppress innocent people, and it is what we are doing now. Vladimir Putin did not expect this degree of unity or the strength of our response. He was mistaken. If he expects that we will waver or fracture in the months to come, he is equally mistaken.

This op-ed first appeared in the New York Times.

A win for private rights

By Steve Chapman

Social media is one of the main places where Americans engage in their ongoing dog fight over political differences. But anything that becomes important also becomes a target for control, and conservative politicians are doing their best to put a choke collar on Facebook and Twitter.

They suffered a setback Monday when a federal appeals court struck down a Florida law imposing heavy-handed restrictions on these communication platforms. Republican Gov. Ron DeSantis signed it last year, ostensibly to prevent tech companies from censoring conservatives.

But the court, in an opinion written by a judge appointed by Donald Trump, reminded everyone that the First Amendment protects individuals and companies from government action, not private action.

If you want to stand on a public sidewalk and spew lies, hatred and conspiracy theories, or hand out leaflets filled with them, the First Amendment says the government can't stop you. But if you want to do the same thing in a restaurant, department store or construction site, the owner, not being an agency of government, has every right to tell you to either stop or leave.

The Florida law says that social media companies have no right to make their own editorial decisions. The measure forbids them from removing anyone who is running for office and from blocking posts from "journalistic enterprises" because of their content. Failure to comply can incur fines of up to \$250,000 per day.

Texas enacted a similar law, which a federal appeals court has allowed to remain in operation while it is being challenged. Republican Gov. Greg Abbott said he signed it to "protect First Amendment rights in the Lone Star

State."

But there is no way to square these laws with the First Amendment. Just as the Biden administration may not require Fox News to include liberal viewpoints and Democratic spokespeople on its programs, states can't require Twitter to provide a forum to Trump, Marjorie Taylor Greene or Mike Lindell.

A social media company, like any other media entity, may make its own rules for access. Elon Musk doesn't like the rules established by Twitter. If he buys it, he'll have every right to shred them, welcoming anyone he wants and banning anyone he doesn't.

The 11th Circuit Court of Appeals had no trouble spotting the fatal defects in the Florida law. "Social-media platforms exercise editorial judgment that is inherently expressive," it said. "When platforms choose to remove users or posts, deprioritize content in viewers' feeds or search results, or sanction breaches of their community standards, they engage in First-Amendment-protected activity."

They are no different, in constitutional terms, from The Washington Post or Breitbart News. Both publications choose what subjects to cover, what to ignore, and what viewpoints and writers to include. Without that discretion, neither could function. Without the same discretion, Facebook and Twitter would become a cesspool of bigotry, misogyny, lunacy, disinformation and violent threats.

Anyone who chafes at the restrictions on Twitter or Facebook is free to migrate to other platforms. Trump furnished that opportunity when he started an alternative, Truth Social, to "stand up to the tyranny of Big Tech."

His commitment to wide-open debate is not a model of principled

consistency. One user was informed, without explanation, that he had been banned "permanently due to Truth Social community guideline violations." The apparent violation? His account, @DevinNunesCow, was intended to make fun of former Rep. Devin Nunes, the CEO of Truth Social's parent company.

Trump's fans could also move over to the platform ProAmericaOnly, which brags of its "no censorship" policy — while proudly proclaiming that it "doesn't allow liberals."

Conservatives once believed that the government should not interfere with the content decisions of big, powerful media companies. In 1987, they persuaded the Federal Communications Commission to scrap the Fairness Doctrine, which required TV and radio stations to present competing views on controversial topics.

Its repeal facilitated the rise of conservative talk radio, because stations no longer had to balance right-wing voices with liberal ones. When a Democratic-controlled Congress passed a bill to codify the policy, President Ronald Reagan vetoed it.

"This type of content-based regulation by the federal government is, in my judgment, antagonistic to the freedom of expression guaranteed by the First Amendment," he said. "In any other medium besides broadcasting, such federal policing of the editorial judgment of journalists would be unthinkable."

Unthinkable to Reagan, yes. But not to the people who have taken over his party.

Steve Chapman is a former columnist for the Chicago Tribune.

Are we seeing the return of movie theaters?

By Froma Harrop

The super attendance numbers for "Top Gun: Maverick" has theater owners flying at Mach 10. Sequel to the 1986 "Top Gun," the action picture scored the biggest opening ever for the Memorial Day weekend. A now-59-year-old Tom Cruise is back as the ace pilot, which may help account for another piece of good news for the industry. Over half the box office totals were people over 35, the very demographic that abandoned theaters during the COVID-19 plague.

Are movie theaters coming back from the dead, or was this a one-off? I'd like to think the former because so much of our communal culture has collapsed under the assault of tiny private screens.

Movie theaters are what sociologists call "third places," hangouts that are not the home or work. Bookstores and coffee shops are examples of third places. Many bookstores are struggling to survive, and Starbucks can do only so much.

After about two years of not entering a movie theater, your writer and a companion went through those doors. During that absence, I had installed a bigger TV at home and subscribed to a bunch of streaming channels.

And so why did I leave the comforts of my couch and curated snacks to pay for a seat owned by others and with strangers all around? Why aside

from all those vaccinations, that is?

The answer is simple. I wanted to get out of the friggling house.

There was the added incentive of seeing something worthwhile that was only playing in theaters and required a screen larger than even my new 57-inch Sony. "Top Gun: Maverick" needed a screen bigger than the side of my house.

The movie served various audiences. It had the brain-splitting action scenes, which my companion craves — and for me, characters with tormented relationships. Sure, I could guess how they all would end, but at least one could watch the father-son, former-lover and other tensions go through the paces.

One didn't mind the patriotism. "Top Gun: Maverick" was a hymn to the Navy, as was the original. The top brass might err in judgment, but they meant to do right and fixed their mistakes.

The pilots were all smart as well as brave. And though the crews were diverse by race, ethnicity and gender, the moviemakers spared us conflict along those lines.

But let's put in a good word for the portrayal of the women. Actress Jennifer Connelly, Tom Cruise's perpetual love interest, is allowed to display a hint of crow's feet around her eyes. (Thirty-six years have passed since the

original, after all.) Both Connelly and Monica Barbaro as a female pilot are portrayed as serious women in flats. Not a butt-lift in sight.

Maverick could be counted on to break the rules, but his transgressions were never such to get him kicked out. And although the pilots partied hardy at their bar while some grudges simmered in the background, no one waved fists, much less knives or guns. They sang "Great Balls of Fire" around the piano.

The big existential question for the theater owners is whether they can get their older audiences back with other movies. For a hint of an answer, I asked my companion why he wanted to go out to see "Top Gun: Maverick."

His answer — "because we couldn't stream it" — was not entirely encouraging. But he did add: "It was also sorta a night out. Not a night out but an excursion."

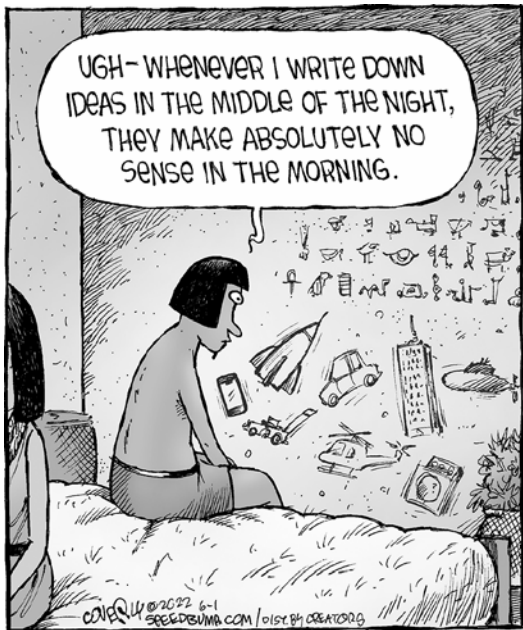
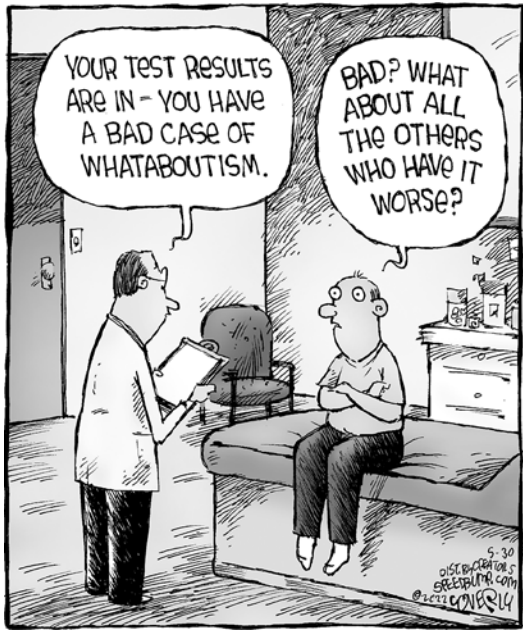
OK. We don't really know whether big movies with a touch of IQ will bring in audiences the theaters need. Let's just say the coming attractions were doing their bit. "Jurassic World: Dominion," here we come.

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Norwalk Community Calendar

MONDAYS

1st Mon., 6 pm - Public Safety meetings - Council Chambers
 2nd Mon., 7 pm - Relay for Life meetings - Mr. Rosewood Family Restaurant

TUESDAYS

9:00 a.m. - 1 pm - Farmers Market - Norwalk City Hall
 1st & 3rd Tues., 6 pm - Toastmasters Meetings - Registrar Recorder/County Clerks Office
 1st & 3rd Tues., 6 pm - City Council - Council Chambers
 3rd Tues., 5:45 pm - Housing Authority - Council Chambers

WEDNESDAYS

1st & 3rd Wed., 7 pm - Lions Club - Bruce's Restaurant
 2nd Wed., 10:30 am - Norwalk Woman's Club - Faith Church
 2nd & 4th Wed., 1:30 pm - Alondra Senior Citizens - Social Services Center
 2nd & 4th Wed., 6 pm - Soroptimist International - Via Zoom
 2nd & 4th Wed., 7:30 pm - Planning Commission - Council Chambers
 4th Wed., 11:30 am - Coordinating Council - Arts & Sports Complex

THURSDAYS

7 pm - Boy Scouts Troop 924 - Norwalk United Methodist Church
 2nd Thurs., 6 pm - 605 Kiwanis Club - Mr. Rosewood Family Restaurant
 2nd Thurs., 7 pm - American Legion Post No. 359 - 11986 Front St.
 2nd Thurs., 7:30 pm - Golden Trowel - Norwalk Masonic Lodge

SATURDAYS

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. - Farmers Market - Norwalk City Hall
 2nd Sat., 8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. - Pancake Breakfast - 1st Christian Church of Norwalk

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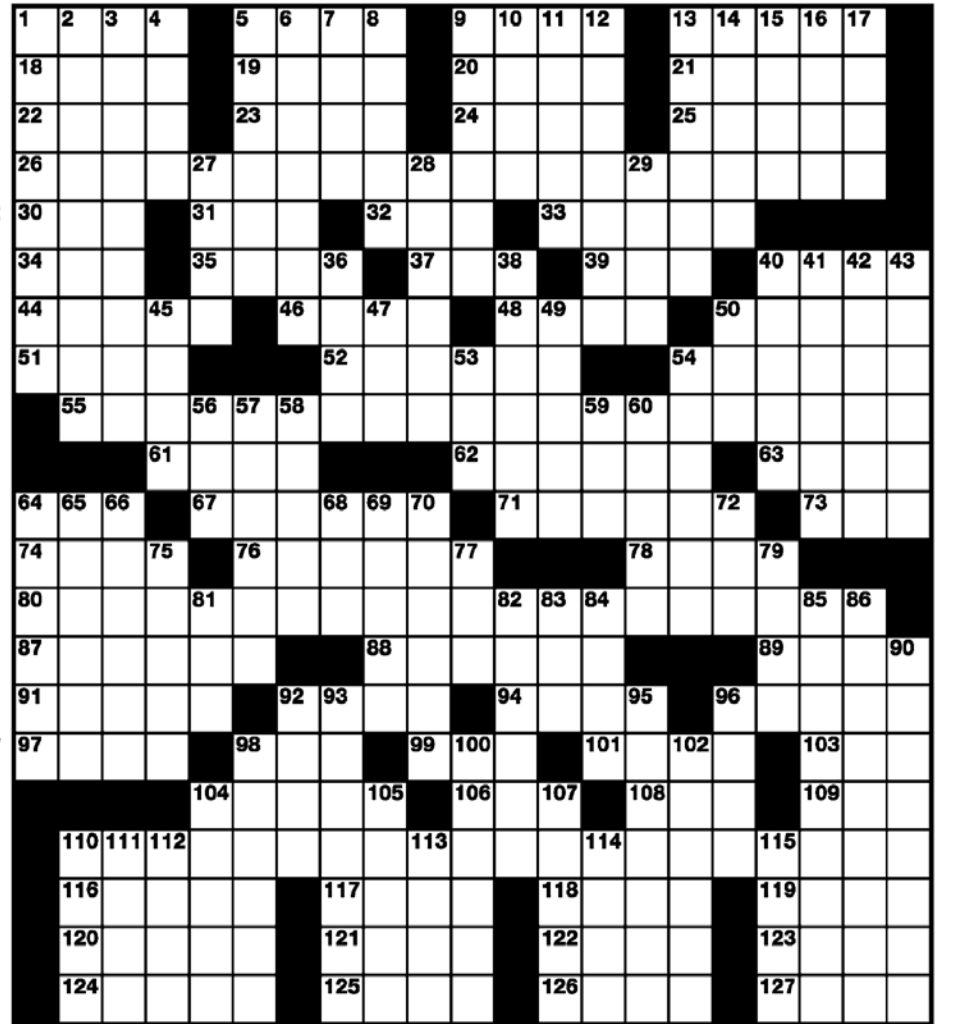
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| 9 Summer place for kids | 3 One's majority | 3 Obtains without trying |
| 13 Fried Green | 4 Fast Australian runners | |
| 17 Tomatoes... author | | |
| 18 Man in Eden | | |
| 19 Painter Magritte | | |
| 20 \$5 bills, informally | | |
| 21 Part of modern-day Turkey | | |
| 22 Doozie | | |
| 23 Gobbles down | | |
| 24 Lugosi of horror films | | |
| 25 Cool once, and now again | | |
| 26 Shakespearean comedy | | |
| 30 Parts of chains: Abbr. | | |
| 31 Be decisive | | |
| 32 Rameses in <i>The Ten Commandments</i> | | |
| 33 Cleans up, in a newsroom | | |
| 34 Sushi tuna | | |
| 35 Mao colleague | | |
| 37 Faux (minor mistake) | | |
| 39 Super Bowl MVPs, often | | |
| 40 Sticky strip | | |
| 44 Big name in infomercial history | | |
| 46 Invitation indication | | |
| 48 Cowpoke's steed | | |
| 50 Mideast money | | |
| 51 Minuscule amount | | |
| 52 Martial arts actor Steven | | |
| 54 Serenaded | | |
| 55 Isn't helpful at all | | |
| 61 Tide descriptor | | |
| 62 Model train name | | |
| 63 Lake near Niagara Falls | | |
| 64 TiVo ancestor | | |
| 67 How many prefer their fried chicken | | |
| 71 Team as old as the Mets | | |
| 73 Long-eared farm animal | | |
| 74 Fiesta shouts | | |
| 76 Consecutively | | |
| 78 Present prefix | | |
| 80 Having no misconceptions | | |
| 87 73 Across, e.g. | | |
| 88 Cheer cry | | |
| 89 Lingering mark | | |
| 91 Entices | | |
| 92 Minuscule amount | | |
| 94 <i>Peter Pan</i> predator | | |
| 96 Adult beverages | | |
| 97 Mail out | | |
| 98 Official USPS abbreviation | | |
| 99 Make public | | |
| 101 <i>South Park</i> boy | | |
| 103 What cheese often melts around | | |
| 104 Strong adhesive | | |
| 106 Lunar new year | | |
| 108 To this day | | |
| 109 3-D scan | | |
| 110 Start enthusiastically | | |
| 116 Novelist Jong | | |
| 117 Chestnut coating | | |
| 118 Hebrew month | | |
| 119 Mozart's British contemporary | | |
| 120 Early American megamerchant | | |
| 121 Rock group | | |
| 122 Pasta, in brand names | | |
| 123 Cake decorator | | |
| 124 Smartly dressed | | |
| 125 Prefix meaning "alien" | | |
| 126 Type of S&L loan | | |
| 127 Not as often | | |
| 5 Rear part of a musket | | |
| 6 Trademark in home selling | | |
| 7 Global: Abbr. | | |
| 8 In no mood for joking | | |
| 9 Occult doctrine | | |
| 10 Consult in criminality | | |
| 11 Wild brawl | | |
| 12 Proper decorum | | |
| 13 Historic happenings | | |
| 14 Erstwhile venerable theater chain | | |
| 15 The "a" in a.m. | | |
| 16 Brownies member | | |
| 17 Part of numerous English pen names | | |
| 27 It's south of Fort Worth | | |
| 28 Canopy for rabbi-conducted weddings | | |
| 29 First claim, informally | | |
| 36 Ex-UN member | | |
| 38 Islamic law | | |
| 40 Trace of color | | |
| 41 Fine sweater fabric | | |
| 42 Regional dialect | | |
| 43 Destroys slowly | | |
| 45 Normandy port | | |
| 47 Two-finger sign | | |
| 49 <i>Stand and Deliver</i> star | | |
| 50 Brown who wrote <i>The Da Vinci Code</i> | | |
| 53 Gadot who portrays Wonder Woman | | |
| 54 New Testament dancer | | |
| 56 Wine bottle word | | |
| 57 Member of the Corps | | |
| 58 Share one's views | | |
| 59 Demolitionist's buy | | |
| 60 Monarch who was 54 Down's stepfather | | |
| 64 What "sequoias" has a full set of | | |
| 65 Small circle of friends | | |
| 66 Tax form | | |
| 68 Airline with an Oslo hub | | |
| 69 Please, in Parma | | |
| 70 Eminent cellist | | |
| 72 ___Caps (cinema snack with sprinkles) | | |
| 75 Recoiled (from) | | |
| 77 Needing toweling ___ fact | | |
| 81 Clip___ (some sunglasses) | | |
| 82 Something you shouldn't spill | | |
| 83 Word before horse or hero | | |
| 84 "How are you?" reply | | |
| 85 World of Web businesses | | |
| 86 Mary, Joseph and Jesus | | |
| 90 Poets at a reading | | |
| 92 Company founded by a Shakespeare fan | | |
| 93 Web page input form | | |
| 95 #1 in major league wins | | |
| 96 Nickname like Liz | | |
| 98 House for hives | | |
| 100 "Indeed" | | |
| 102 Don't annoy | | |
| 104 Orlando-area attraction | | |
| 105 "___ kidding!" | | |
| 107 Gas bill measure | | |
| 110 Novelist Auel | | |
| 111 Bear in the sky | | |
| 112 Chef's protector | | |
| 113 Little chirper | | |
| 114 Inky smear | | |
| 115 Fall short | | |

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true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **AKEEM BASS, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/16/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1011883.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022106968
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **AXIS LENDING**, 4839 W SLAUSON AVE #401, 4839 W SLAUSON, LOS ANGELES, CA 90056 LOS ANGELES. Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **AKEEM BASS, 4859 W SLAUSON AVE #401, LOS ANGELES, CA 90056.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **AKEEM BASS, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/16/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1011888.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022107293
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **SUPER SAM'S BARBERS STYLISTS, 9743 ARKANSAS ST, BELLFLOWER, CA 90706 LOS ANGELES.** Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **ZAREF GERGES, 9743 ARKANSAS ST, BELLFLOWER, CA 90706.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **ZAREF GERGES, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 05/20/22. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/17/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1011916.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022107297
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **FREDDY'S TAILOR SHOP, 554 E OLYMPIC BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90015 LOS ANGELES.** Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **BLANCA R LOPEZ SANTOS, 554 E OLYMPIC BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90015.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **BLANCA R LOPEZ SANTOS, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 05/20/2021. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/17/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1011917.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022107270
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **TOO MUCH JUNK, 7251 SHOUP AVE, WEST HILLS, CA 91307.** Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **IRVING BECERRA, 7251 SHOUP AVE, WEST HILLS, CA 91307.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **IRVING BECERRA, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 05/20/2022. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/17/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1011923.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022107630
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **CALCOVERS, 5301 BEACHCOMBER ST, OXNARD, CA 93035 VENTURA COUNTY.** Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **MICHAEL PASCOLLA, 5301 BEACHCOMBER ST, OXNARD, CA 93035.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **MICHAEL PASCOLLA, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 05/20/22. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/17/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself

authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1012054.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022107632
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **1. SELA ART CENTER, 2. TETRIS ART, 4350 GAGE AVE, BELL, CA 90201 LOS ANGELES.** Mailing address if different: 9452 GUILFORD AVE, WHITTIER, CA 90605. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **HECTOR MANUEL ARIAS CERVANTES, 9452 GUILFORD AVE, WHITTIER, CA 90605.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **HECTOR MANUEL ARIAS CERVANTES, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 07/2020. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/18/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1012057.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022107634
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **AFFILIATED BEHAVIORAL CONSULTANTS, 2101 W. BEVERLY BLVD, SUITE 201, MONTEBELLO, CA 90640 LOS ANGELES.** Mailing address if different: 2018 PALISADES DR., FULLERTON, CA 92831. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **ROSA K. GILBERT-COHEE, 2018 PALISADES DR., FULLERTON, CA 92831.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **ROSA K. GILBERT-COHEE, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 06/1989. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/17/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1012058.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022107925
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **TRILOGY LIMOUSINE SVCS., 3602 NORTON AVE APT L, LYNNWOOD, CA 90262 LOS ANGELES.** Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **CESAR DEL C. LOPEZ BASURTO, 3602 NORTON AVE APT L, LYNNWOOD, CA 90262.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **CESAR DEL C. LOPEZ BASURTO, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 05/20/2022. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/17/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1012060.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022108203
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **M.A.J. SUPPLY, 15772 MIDWOOD DR, GRANADA HILLS, CA 91344 LOS ANGELES.** Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **JACOB S. SMSARYAN, 15772 MIDWOOD DR, GRANADA HILLS, CA 91344.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **JACOB S. SMSARYAN, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/18/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1012061.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022108324
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **FOUNDATION TC SERVICES, 300 W. VALLEY BLVD #725, ALHAMBRA, CA 91803 LOS ANGELES.** Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **ANGELINA TISLOW, 300 W. VALLEY BLVD #725, ALHAMBRA, CA 91803.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **ANGELINA TISLOW, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/18/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1012148.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2022108317
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **1. MY SONSHINE HAS COME, 2. MY SONSHINE HAS COME REFUGEE, 891 E 49TH STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90011 LOS ANGELES.** Mailing address if different: 4429 S VAN NESS AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90062. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: **APRIL FANNAE CAMERON-SUTHERLAND, 4429 S VAN NESS AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90062.** This business is conducted by: **INDIVIDUAL.** I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: **APRIL FANNAE CAMERON-SUTHERLAND, OWNER.** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 07/2020. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 05/18/2022. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 05/20/2022, 05/27/2022, 06/03/2022, 06/10/2022. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1012150.

LIEN SALES

Pursuant to the California Self-Service Storage Facility Act, notice is hereby given that SS Santa Fe Springs, LLC db/a Simply Self Storage at 13461 Rosecrans Avenue, Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670 will sell at public auction the personal property in the below-listed occupants' leased unit(s) to satisfy the owner's lien. The personal property stored therein by the following tenants may include but is not limited to general household, office and personal items, furniture, boxes, clothes, and appliances. The unit(s) will be sold at public auction through online auction services of www.storage4treasures.com with bids opening at 10:00AM PT on June 7th, 2022 and closing at 10:00AM PT on June 14th, 2022. Bidding may close later than stated to allow all interested bidders to participate and to permit soft closing if needed. Unit 3175- Michelle Magana; Unit 1209- Giovannic Moreno; Unit 1209- Martin Murillo; Unit 3217- Kimberly Ordway; Unit 1187- Bernadette Perez; Unit 2073- Vanesha Poldiore; Unit 2116B- Mallory Sanders; Unit 1225- Kerry Chalay; Unit 3351- Jolie Tolentino; Unit 3218- Angie Aceves; Unit 108788- Grant W Bordeaux; Unit 2396- Kristen Castaneda; Unit 116566- Joseph Collins; Unit 107374- Don Dominguez; Unit 3303- Noemy Gonzalez; Unit 2136- Rhamad Green; Unit 3030- Christian Henriquez; Unit 3062- David Rabago; Unit 2013- Teresa Rico; Unit 3092- Brian Rivera; Unit 2128- Gurwant Singh; Unit 2327- Tabitha Valdez; Unit 2392- Guillermo Valles; Unit 3111- Rebecca Vonk; Unit 1000- Jacqline Warner; Unit 2298- Shannon Wright

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Extra Space Storage will hold a public auction to sell personal property described below belonging to those individuals listed below at the location indicated:

10950 Firestone Blvd Norwalk, CA 90650

06/24/2022 11:00am

Felix Gomez Household items

Joel Rios Jr. Household items

Jorge Velasco Household items

Donald Poindexter Household items

Muntasir Chowdhury Household items

María De La Luz Household items

Julie Marie Vargas Household items

Christopher Kelly Household items

Mario Miranda Household items

Tammy Bumbalaw Household items

Christine Gordillo Household items

Tammy Bumbalaw Household items

Duke Rivera Household items

Sierra Lemerise Household items

Monique Flores Household items

Chapel Hamilton Household Items

Karen Head Household Items

Reina Hernandez Household Items

Patrick Colacho Household items

Vincente Quiroz Household items

Yuan Chang Household items

Sonia Miranda Household items

Richard Rodriguez

Household items

The auction will be listed and advertised on www.storage4treasures.com. Purchases must be made with cash only and paid at the above referenced facility in order to complete the transaction. Extra Space Storage may refuse any bid and may rescind any purchase up until the winning bidder takes possession of the personal property.

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NOTICES

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: 22NWCP00219
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner ANTONIO VIVIANO AVILA II filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) ANTONIO VIVIANO AVILA II to Proposed name (1) ANTONIO MATIX TAPPARO
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: JULY 29, 2022, Time: 10:30 a.m., Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is 12720 NORWALK BLVD., NORWALK, CA 90650
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **THE NORWALK PATRIOT** MAY 31, 2022
Judge Margaret M. Bernal Judge of the Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney for Petitioner **CHERYLL SANTOS TAMAYO 13515 REVA PLACE CERRITOS, CA 90703 714-244-8112 CHERYLLSANTOS77@GMAIL.COM**

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: 22NWCP00120
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner DIANE YORK LAWRENCE filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) DIANE YORK LAWRENCE to Proposed name (1) DIANE YORK
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: JULY 22, 2022, Time: 10:30 a.m., Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is 12720 NORWALK BLVD., NORWALK, CALIFORNIA 90650
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **NORWALK PATRIOT** MAY 24, 2022
Judge Margaret M. Bernal Judge of the Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney for Petitioner **DIANE YORK LAWRENCE 7722 YORK AVENUE WHITTIER, CALIFORNIA 90602 (562) 693-4488 hadleypreschool@aol.com**

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: 22NWCP00210
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner PHAVY THACH filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) PHAVY THACH to Proposed name (1) PHAVY SATH
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: JULY 11, 2022, Time: 10:30 a.m., Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is 12720 NORWALK BLVD., NORWALK 90650
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **THE NORWALK PATRIOT** MAY 11, 2022
Judge Margaret M. Bernal Judge of the Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney for Petitioner **PHAVY THACH 12203 GARD AVE NORWALK, CA 90650 (562) 588-8412**

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE No. 22STPB05362
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of **STEVEN SMITH, STEVEN CRANSTON SMITH**
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by **JERYL SMITH** in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that **JERYL SMITH** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
The Petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
A HEARING on the petition will be held on July 1, 2022 at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. 11 Room 246 located at SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 111 NORTH HILL STREET, LOS ANGELES 90012
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California Statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Attorney for petitioner: PAUL HORN ESQ SBN 243227 LAW OFFICES OF PAUL HORN 11404 SOUTH STREET CERRITOS CA 90703-6611 CN987345 AVILA Jun 3,10,17, 2022

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: 22NWCP00203
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner EUNJI ANGIE OH filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) EUNJI ANGIE OH to Proposed name (1) EUNJI OH
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: AUGUST 1, 2022, Time: 10:30 a.m., Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is 12720 NORWALK BLVD NORWALK, CA 90650
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **NORWALK PATRIOT**

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: 22NWCP00188
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner CHERRYLL SANTOS TAMAYO filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) CHERRYLL SANTOS TAMAYO to Proposed name (1) CHERRYLL CAJAYON SANTOS
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: JULY 11, 2022, Time: 10:30 a.m., Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is 12720 NORWALK BLVD, NORWALK 90650
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **THE NORWALK PATRIOT** MAY 11, 2022
Judge Margaret M. Bernal Judge of the Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney for Petitioner **CHERYLL SANTOS TAMAYO 13515 REVA PLACE CERRITOS, CA 90703 714-244-8112 CHERYLLSANTOS77@GMAIL.COM**

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MAY 20, 2022
Judge Margaret M. Bernal Judge of the Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney for Petitioner **EUNJI ANGIE OH 12325 CHESHIRE ST UNIT A NORWALK, CA 90650 (562) 552-1131**

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: 22NWCP00188
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner CHERRYLL SANTOS TAMAYO filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) CHERRYLL SANTOS TAMAYO to Proposed name (1) CHERRYLL CAJAYON SANTOS
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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: 22NWCP00186
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner PHAVY THACH filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) PHAVY THACH to Proposed name (1) PHAVY SATH
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
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Gabriela Ortega, Natanael Jacobo named John Glenn Athletes of the Year

■ Ortega (volleyball, softball) and Jacobo (basketball, football, volleyball) were honored at senior awards night.

By John M. Sherrard Contributor

NORWALK - It's that time of the year for high school students - award season.

John Glenn High School has announced on Wednesday (May 25) the Senior Athletes of the Year - Gabriela Ortega and Natanael Jacobo.

At a senior awards ceremony on campus, numerous awards were handed out, including the athletes of the year.

An additional award was handed out to the 2021-22 Scholar Athletes of the Year to Geovana Ramos and Jimmy Torres (Story to appear in a future edition).

Ortega was a four-year varsity letter winner in softball and one year on varsity for volleyball. She was on the frosh-soph volleyball team her first two years and as a junior covid interrupted the season, but she attended open workouts.

Jacobo was a three-sport student-athlete, participating in Basketball (four years varsity), Football (two years varsity) and Volleyball (two years varsity).

Most importantly, both

student-athletes were very good in the classroom as well.

Ortega, who will attend El Camino College and continue playing softball, will begin to pursue a career in nursing. She had an overall GPA 3.694.

Nearly identical to Ortega was Jacobo with a 3.667 GPA. Jacobo, who will concentrate on his studies, will attend nearby Biola University and major in Mechanical Engineering.

"This year we are excited to recognize two of our outstanding seniors," John Glenn Athletic Director Linda Parra said. "It has been a pleasure to be able to watch these two athletes grow up at John Glenn. They are both exceptional students and are leaders within their sports programs.

"Each one of them was selected to serve as the captain of their varsity team. Their work ethic not only showed on the playing fields, but also in the classroom, which is reflected in their overall GPA's. The John Glenn Staff is very proud of the hard work, dedication and character that they consistently displayed on and off the playing field/courts."

At the senior school awards night on campus, after Ortega received the honor, she thanked her coaches.

"It feels amazing to win this award," Ortega said. "It proves to me that all my hard work and dedication was noticed by my

coaches.

"I would have to thank my volleyball coach (Daniel) Reyes for never giving up on me and always working with me to improve. I'd also have to thank my softball coaches Larry (Leal) and Javi (Javier Galvez). These last two seasons have been amazing. You guys were always there to encourage me. I'm glad to have been coached by you three. I will always remember the great memories I had throughout my four years of high school."

Ortega's leadership role showed in both sports, as she was both a captain for softball and volleyball.

"Each time I'm on the field I want to improve," she said. "I take any criticism as motivation and I take any advice to make myself stronger."

She reflected on a couple of her highlights in softball, the sport she has been playing since she was four years old.

"Perhaps, my senior night when I was on the mound that night was one of my best performances," she said. "And then, probably last season when we made it to the first round of CIF."

After qualifying for the CIF-Southern Section playoffs, the John Glenn Eagles made a run in 2021 that will be remembered for some time. Not only did they make it to the first round for the first time in 31 years, the Eagles made a run to the quarterfinals.

"Before, people didn't know much about the John Glenn Softball team and these past two years we've left a mark," explained Ortega. "They know we are here and are ready to compete with other teams."

In the first two playoff games the Eagles scored a whopping 24 runs in two shutouts.

"It feels good, because it hasn't happened in a long time," said Ortega last year during their post-season success.

Parra also said of their season



John Glenn High School Athletes of the Year, Natanael Jacobo, left, and Gabriela Ortega. (Photo by Keith Durlinger)

after the playoffs last year, "...what an incredible run our softball program had this year. John Glenn High School and the Norwalk-La Mirada School District is so proud of the accomplishments of our varsity softball program this year."

Not to be outdone was this year's boys' basketball team in CIF.

Jacobo, who played three sports in his high school career, was a member of the Eagles basketball team that advanced to the quarterfinals this past season for the first time in 20 years.

"An amazing memory was our playoff games for basketball this year," Jacobo said. "We haven't made the playoffs in over 20 years. It was just something special to me that my senior year we were able to play our first home playoff game."

"We made it to the third round and unfortunately, we lost to Fontana. It was a blast playing with those players and coaches."

"I've always put in extra work for basketball because that was my love. I was always in the gym."

He received the Scholar Athlete

Award (3.0 GPA or above) in basketball for all four years, was a two-time All-League 2nd Team, was a three-year varsity captain, leader in points (2 years - 10ppg) and Rookie of the Year in 2018.

In addition to basketball, Jacobo played varsity football for two years, was on the varsity volleyball team (2 years) and J.V. one year, and when he wasn't busy, he was in the Eagles Marching Band all four years.

In football, he was varsity captain for two years, was an All-League First team selection and started at quarterback and middle linebacker in his senior year.

His four years in the band earned numerous awards - Two-time sweepstakes, placed in many band competitions, was Section of the Year (2019-'20) and two-time unanimous Superior in Festival.

"It's been a story," smiled Jacobo. "It feels amazing and I know I have represented the school really well and as a mentor to the younger players."

"It hasn't been easy playing

here because we don't get enough players. It was a struggle getting basketball players, a struggle getting football players and it was even a struggle getting volleyball players.

"I took that upon me to motivate me as a person and I feel that I represented John Glenn just the way it should be."

Jacobo spoke of his gratitude for winning the award.

"It's an honor and a great privilege to be named the Athlete of the Year, Jacobo said. "Phantasmogorical. I will continue to show what it took and what it takes to represent the award."

Parra wished both student athletes great success in the next phases of their lives.

"Thank you, Gabriel and Natanael, for being exceptional student-athletes at John Glenn," she said. "Good luck in college."

John Glenn teachers quotes about both Ortega and Jacobo:

Mrs. Veronica Lorenzana, teacher, JGHS:

"Gabby is a focused athlete who works towards excellence for herself as well as her teammates and friends. Whether it be on the softball field or in her classes, she works hard to make sure she and everyone else does their best. She has already made us proud with her recruitment to El Camino College to play softball, and I know she will lead them to success."

Javier Galvez, JG Softball coach:

"Gabby has what every coach looks for and wants in an athlete - commitment, discipline, and leadership. She always gave it her best effort at every practice and game and never complained when we were down on the score board. Gabby always managed to bring out the best in every player on the team. She has set a good example for future Eagles. Thank you for four years of hard work and one incredible run in CIF that I will never forget. I wish her nothing but success. Go Eagles."

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