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#### **Ocean Beach Holiday Parade**



One of the floats in the Ocean Beach Holiday Parade was named the OB Pause, a take on the well-known Point Loma pause, which happens when airplanes take off from the San Diego International Airport and fly over the Peninsula, creating enough noise to drown out conversations. The community's eclectic holiday parade down Newport Avenue took place the evening of Dec. 5.

# **Short-term rentals** ordinance sent back for a rewrite

By DAVE SCHWAB | THE BEACON

On Dec. 3 the city Planning Commission "tore up" a proposed new city ordinance on Short Term Vacation Rentals (STVRs) cobbled together following months of public testimony and directed city staff to return Jan. 28 with a new set of proposed regulations.

The city ordinance commissioners nixed what would have created a new use category for STVRs

while amending an existing one. It would have established a separately regulated — and new — use category for whole home rentals: "Short Term Vacation Rentals."

The ordinance would also have put Home Sharing (owner-occupied rentals) in the same use category as the current Boarding and Lodging category. It proposed limits on visitor frequency,

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### Hearing for area man charged with human trafficking, rape

By NEAL PUTNAM | THE BEACON

A Jan. 26 preliminary hearing has been set for a Point Loma man accused of extortion, rape, and other offenses involving him posing as a modeling agent to approximately \$3,000 from young women. Maverick a woman who paid the Mendez Rosales, 24, is also charged with human traf-

ficking of a minor, oral copulation by threat, sexual battery, and digital penetration. He has pleaded not guilty to all counts. The victims knew him as "Michael."

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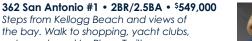




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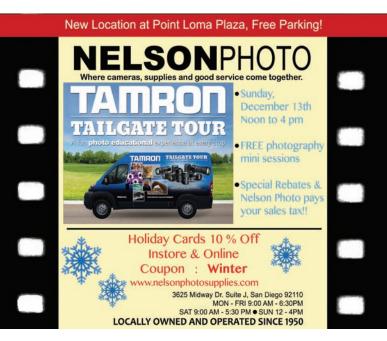
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#### Beacon travels

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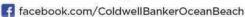




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# OB planners urge strict limits for short term vacation rentals in residential areas

By TONY DE GARATE | THE BEACON

Does the increasingly popular practice of renting property in residential areas to short-term vacationers add unwanted noise and trash, reduce parking and create havoc in otherwise placid neighborhoods?

Or does it inject excitement and new perspectives, exposing neighborhoods to far-flung voyagers and cultures, benefiting businesses with more customers and providing a badly needed second income to property owners?

Regardless of where you stand, the effort to regulate the practice is about to kick into high gear. A draft ordinance that seeks to both define the enterprise and rein in its perceived abuses has had its first hearing by the San Diego Planning Commission. On Dec. 3, the city Planning Commission directed city staff to return to them Jan. 28 with an entire-Short Term Vacation Rentals.

The Ocean Beach Planning Board. which recently sent a letter to District 2

'The more short-term vacation rentals, the less opportunity for long-term renters.'

JOHN AMBERT OB PLANNING BOARD CHAIRMAN

San Diego City Councilmember Lorie Zapf calling for strict limits on the practice, also discussed the issue at its monthly meeting on Dec. 2.

In recent years, online rental services such as Airbnb or VRBO have allowed property owners to rent out their homes and condos to short-term occupants. Predictably, the practice has become especially popular in neighborhoods adjacent to the coast, such as Ocean

Zapf, who has overseen development ly new set of proposed regulations for of the ordinance in her role as chair of the City Council's Smart Growth and Land Use Committee, favors imposing a minimum stay of 21 days for whole-

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home rentals in single-family zones. Her office has stressed, however, the ordinance is still considered a work in progress.

Instead of a duration limit, the board has called for placing a 3 percent limit on the number of all city residential units – both in single- and multi-family zones - that could be allowed for use as vacation rentals.

"It's time for Ocean Beach to take a stance," said board chairman John Ambert before the board voted unanimously to approve the letter at its November meeting.

If the ordinance only applies to single-family zones, most of Ocean Beach where multifamily zones dominate would go unregulated, Ambert said.

Not addressing multifamily zones is 'particularly troubling, given the number of renters we have in Ocean Beach." Ambert said. "The more short-term vacation rentals, the less opportunity for long-term renters. It will exacerbate the affordability of housing."

Without saturation limits, it could become too easy for property owners to turn homes into short-term rentals - displacing families, driving up rents and property values, encouraging real estate speculation and degrading community character, board members said.

Some even wondered out loud if the practice may have fueled the need to terminate two teachers at Ocean Beach Elementary School, where enrollment is down more than 15 percent since last

"What we're worried about is losing our neighborhoods," vice chairman Blake Herrschaft said.

As for "homesharing," the practice of renting a room to a vacationer while the owner lives on premises, both Zapf and the board agree the practice should be permitted to continue with minor restrictions. The draft ordinance calls for a limit of two boarders per home at any given time and for the homeowner to provide one parking spot for boarders.

In addition to the 3 percent saturation limit - which was inspired by a law recently approved in Austin, Texas – the letter also calls for an annual licensing fee, with the proceeds earmarked for code enforcement resources.

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money to him after he threatened to make public her nude photos and videos he shot of her when she was younger, according to court records.

The woman felt threatened when she received strange text messages from someone whom Rosales described as his boss. Rosales was not a legitimate modeling agent, but had advertised as such on Craigslist, according to a San Diego Police detective.

Rosales used the same scheme with a second woman, and is alleged to have used Facebook to lure other victims. He met two victims at Starbucks stores in La Iolla and Chula Vista.

Rosales was arrested July 31. If he's convicted, he could face up to 13 years in prison, according to the District Attorney's Office. He remains in the George Bailey Detention Facility on \$300,000 bail.

# Jewelry boutique Diamonds Forever offers custom engagement rings and estate jewelry

By DAVE SCHWAB | THE BEACON

Diamonds Forever, an independent jeweler in Point Loma Plaza in the Midway District, has trained gemologists to serve every customer's special needs.

"We specialize in custom engagement rings and estate jewelry," said Diamonds Forever owner Jenny Seligmann, whose shop has been at 3689 Midway Drive, Suite A, next door to Sports Chalet in the mall for six years. "We carry two designer lines for ladies' engagement rings and then a couple lines for men's

Diamonds Forever is widely recognized as one of San Diego's premiere jewelry boutiques, known not only for its custom-made engagement rings but also for the work it does repairing jewelry and luxury watches as well as handling insurance appraisals.

Seligmann noted Diamonds Forever buys preowned jewelry from the public, fixes it up and resells it "for a fraction of the 'new' price, so it's a real good value for people."

The store's creative team of Gemological Institute of America (GIA)-trained jewelers fashions handcrafted, one-of-akind engagement rings designed to individual specifications.

The company's website, diamondsforeversandiego.com, notes that the store's understanding of metalwork, coupled with its knowledge of gemology, allows its jewelers to "create jewelry that is unparalleled, built for longevity and designed to showcase the stone's natural beauty.'

Superior knowledge, Seligmann said, gives Diamonds Forever's jewelers the "edge" in collaborating with clients.

"We'll show them different things that maybe they haven't considered or that they could add in there," Seligmann said. "Then we design it, and they're able to come in and see a wax model of the ring, try it on and make sure that's what they wanted."



Diamonds Forever's expertise translates into price savings for clients.

"Generally, people can get a custom ring made here for the same price as what a production ring would be offered at another place," Seligmann said. "So it's pretty reasonable for the service."

Seligmann said the diamond industry was a perfect "fit" for her.

"I just always liked jewelry growing up," she said. "I would make bracelets and sell them at school. I love it. I feel like I get to live vicariously, celebrating all these people's life occasions with them. It's really positive."

Seligmann attended the GIA training center in Carlsbad. The GIA is a nonprofit institute dedicated to research and education in the field of gemology and the jewelry arts.

"Families in jewelry from all over the world will send their children there, and I happened to be in San Diego, so I was lucky," Seligmann said, adding her gemological training was "amazing. I just love the industry. Being in it, the more I learn about it."

Discussing trends in engagement rings, Seligmann noted that doing the wedding band in a contrasting color with the ring has become fashionable.

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in rose-gold or yellow-gold," she said. "It's getting pretty popular to wear three or four rings together — but for all of them to be different."

Seligmann talked about a special "collaboration" she and her colleagues can do with their clients.

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Diamonds Forever can even take an old wedding ring and re-create it.

"We do a lot of redesign," Seligmann said. "We'll use the same center stone, and then we'll create a whole new ring. Generally, it costs about \$800 and takes four to six weeks to do.'

For more information, call (619) 223js@DiamondsForeverSanDiego.com.

# Sommelier chosen for Liberty Public Market's new Mess Hall restaurant

certified sommelier Tami Wong, Wine & Spirits magazine best new sommelier, to lead the new wine program at Liberty Public Market's in-house restaurant, Mess Hall.

Announced last month, Mess Hall's market-to-menu concept will source all ingredients from the market's 30-plus artisans and vendors, advocating sustainability and a local ethos from the hands of executive chef Tim Kolanko (Stake Chophouse & Bar, Leroy's Kitchen + Lounge).

Formerly of acclaimed eatery Juniper and Ivy, Wong served on the opening team as manager/sommelier, where she garnered this year's coveted Award of Excellence for the restaurant from Wine Spectator magazine, with her wine list emphasizing global varietals.

As part of the Court of Master Sommeliers since 2007, Wong has shared her knowledge of wine at some of San Diego's most notable establishments, including the iconic La Valencia Hotel and The 3rd Corner Wine Shop and Bistro. When looking ahead to Mess Hall's daily changing menu of simple,

Blue Bridge Hospitality has tapped locally driven fare, Wong will pair her signature globetrotting wine list to balance and polish the flavors found on Kolanko's plates.

Wine enthusiasts will find a smaller, more nimble list at Mess Hall, with an emphasis toward organic and biodynamic wines not usually seen in San Diego. Working with Blue Bridge Hospitality's wine director Greg Majors, Wong will pull from the market's inhouse wine shop, Grape Smuggler, curating her menu from a selection of nearly 500 bottles.

#### Artisan tenants

Representing a mix of experienced local retailers, farmers market vendors, food truck operators and home-grown kitchen concepts, Liberty Public Market has curated a collection of culinary tenants that represent San Diego's gastro-centric scene.

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#### **Point Loma Association board** By DAVE SCHWAB | THE BEACON There's been a changing of the guard at the Point Loma Association (PLA) as the nonprofit has two new boardmem-

Dave Martin and Lynn Silva join

bers - Dave Martin and Lynn Silva for 2016 PLA is an organization of residents and businesses which, since 1961, has been committed to improving the quality of life of Point Loma through beauti-

and civic collaboration.

Today, in addition to beautifying the Peninsula, PLA represents the community through direct involvement with agencies of federal, state and local governments, the Port District, the San Diego Unified School District, the Peninsula Community Planning Board, and others who directly affect our quality of

Born, raised and educated in Memphis, Tenn., Martin "discovered" San Diego while stationed at Camp Pendleton with the Marine Corps."I began my career in the hospitality industry while living in Ocean Beach where I enjoyed serving on the OB Town Council includ-





fication, education, charitable activities ing two terms as its president," Martin said.Business opportunities took Martin and his wife out of San Diego for several years, until he made the decision to retire from his corporate position as  $regional\ operations\ director\ for\ KFC.\ He$ 

returned to San Diego to settle in Point

"After a couple of months, I had the opportunity to purchase a struggling restaurant in Ocean Beach so along with my wife, daughter and son-in- law, we opened Shades Oceanfront Bistro," Martin said. "That was over 12 years ago."

Since returning to Point Loma/Ocean Beach, Martin has become more

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# Tragedy leads to love for local liveaboards

#### Cabrillo Isle Marina in Harbor Island is home for hearty souls

By TERRY RATNER | THE BEACON

It wasn't until Bernie Nelson's 21year-old sister died of an overdose on April 19, 2008, that he began his search for the perfect boat. He was living at home with his mother when the topic turned to sailing, perhaps as a distraction to offset his shock or maybe to feel something other than the enormous wave of grief that surrounded him.

Bernie wanted to think about new adventures. He wanted to live life to the fullest and start while he was young enough to enjoy it.

When I mention his sister and the circumstances of her death, Bernie says, "It's complicated and still under investigation, so I'd rather not talk about the specifics." Then he extends his left arm to reveal a tat. It's an outline, a stylized representation of her face; wisps of dark hair, big eyes with long lashes, and her name. Brianne Nicole Nelson, tattooed in bold, black letters.

He smiles as he flexes and extends his left forearm.

Bernie's mother helped finance his sailboat with a small insurance settlement Brianne had banked before her unexpected death. Within a year after her death, Bernie became the proud owner of the '87 Catalina 34-foot sailing vessel (SV) Independence. When I ask about prior sailing experience, he says, "I'd been on smaller Hobie cats but never a large monohull. Our dad used to take us lake boarding in the Sierras and to Catalina on an 18-foot Sea Ray."

Bernie pauses, looks down for a moment. "I don't think Brianne ever set foot in a boat larger than the Sea Ray. I think she'd love sailing."

After a few sailing excursions around the harbor, Bernie signed up with the American Sailing Association. "It's fairly easy to sail, but I wanted to understand the mechanics and concepts involved with sailing. I was planning to fly to Greece with my mom, charter a bareboat in the Greek islands and captain a sailboat to Mykonos, Naxos and Paros. I needed the knowledge, experience and certification for the trip."

'We live in a tiny space and work in cubicles at our office. That gets difficult. We look forward to weekends when we can party and sail.' - MELISSA VAUGHN

Sailing helped ease the pain, but the revealing an unhealed wound. unexpected death of his sister took Bernie by surprise. It isn't easy to experience a loved one's death at any age, but at 26, loss takes a toll. After Brianne's death, Bernie worked as an intern at an architectural firm before starting a five-year program at the New School of Architectural Design in downtown San Diego, where he met fellow student, Melissa Vaughn, who shared his passion for adventure and

They dated for a year before renting a house in Ocean Beach, using the Independence for staycations. In 2012, they decided to downsize, sell most of their belongings and live full-time on the Independence, docked at Cabrillo Isle Marina in Harbor Island – a decision they haven't regretted.

When they talk about downscaling from a house to a boat, approximately 260 square feet, Melissa says, "He's very simple. It was harder for me. We had a huge garage sale and sold the majority of our belongings."

I ask about challenges as liveaboards, and they giggle as if there's a joke only they are privy to. "Fighting. You don't get your own space," Melissa says. "One of us usually retreats to the hammock, which hangs from the mast to the forestay. It's a good solution."

On Friday nights, music blasts from the Independence. By Saturday and Sunday morning, empty beer cans are scattered on deck and the surrounding dock. "We work hard on weekdays and play hard on weekends," Bernie says with a boyish grin.

His face has a ruddy look. He has big brown eyes and dark, wavy hair that glistens in the sun. He's softspoken, with a hardy laugh. There's a sadness noted that isn't outwardly displayed, a kind of inner grief that exposes itself from time to time, as if a bandage has loosened

Melissa, a brunette with brown eves and a mellow disposition, can be spotted every few months cutting Bernie's hair on the dock. He sits straight on his chair drinking a beer, staring out at the water, bare-chested, wearing sunglasses and a pair of shorts. After a few snips, Melissa bends over to kiss him. Their dog, Kaya, a Chiweenie they bought at a dive bar in Point Loma, stands watch on the deck alerting them to seagulls, small children and other dogs that pass by.

Bernie describes the inside of their boat. "We have a u-shape settee to starboard," he says, "and a straight settee on portside. There's only one comfortable spot, and it belongs to whoever gets there first."

"Or he just gets it," Melissa adds, smil-

I ask them what happens when one or the other wants to read and one wants to watch TV. "I'll just take my book into the aft cabin, "Melissa says. "We don't read a lot, and our basic Internet service is spotty, so it's hard. We're cutting back on everything, trying to get away from the monthly payments.'

Bernie laughs. "We don't have to worry about phone service," he says. "I was drunk on the dinghy when I lost mine, and Melissa ruined her phone when she dropped it in a washing machine. All our social communication is done via Facebook."

"We live in a tiny space and work in cubicles at our office. That gets difficult," says Melissa. "We look forward to weekends when we can party and sail."

Recent trips include motoring to a concert at Humphrey's on their dinghy and cruising to Coronado Island and Mariner's Cove in Mission Bay.

"Last weekend, we went to La Playa, dropped anchor and tied up with a friend and paddled around in our dinghy." says



Melissa Vaughn and Bernie Nelson stand next to their 34-foot boat Independence.

Bernie. "There's something about sailing that sets you free - cruising out the marina with nothing around you but ocean."

We began talking about social situations for liveaboards. "When we moved into our sailboat, I had no idea what to expect," says Melissa. "The best thing about living at Cabrillo Isle Marina is the being part of this tight community."

Bernie compared it to a "glorified trail-

You get to hang out with millionaires, engineers, architects, writers people from all walks of life."

A subject Bernie is adamant about involves marinas setting a limit on the number of liveaboards. Cabrillo allows 10 percent liveaboards, and currently they are at 8 percent.

"Marinas think of liveaboards as second-class citizens, afraid of attracting derelict boats," Bernie says, "But at the same time, it's like a neighborhood watch – eves on the marina, the boats. and a safer environment for everyone who docks here."

The topic turns to marina management. "I wish they would provide more security, like they used to," Bernie says. "I had a surfboard and bicycle stolen, one from storage and another from my car. But we feel safe on the boat."

Bernie and Melissa sit on the settee, holding hands, talking about a certain liveaboard mindset. "When someone walks by, you say hello. It doesn't matter who it is," Melissa says. "You end up bringing that type of warmth to other areas of your life."

They grin when they talk about the perks of living aboard – marina parties, discounted food, Jacuzzi and swimming privileges at the Sheraton and a 20 percent discount off all food and soft drinks at Tom Ham's down the road.

The subject returns to Bernie's sister, Brianne. "How do you handle the anniversary of her death?" I ask. Bernie ponders the question for a few seconds and says, "I drink a Jack and Coke because it was her favorite drink. Otherwise, I drink my usual - rum, vodka or

From outside the hatch, we hear "Ber-Nie" shouted from across the way. "Ber-Nie, come on over!'

"That's Chris on D dock," Bernie says, laughing and blushing.

Again, we hear, "Ber-Nie, you there?" I stick my head out the hatch and yell, "Bernie's busy; he can't come out and play."

As the sun sets and prevailing winds whistle through the halyards, I ask about plans for their future.

"We think spending our money on traveling and seeing the world is more important than marriage," Bernie says. "Our goal is to save up money, quit our jobs and sail to Mexico and who knows where else. We're only young once."

"I know one thing for sure," Melissa adds. "I definitely don't ever want to live back on land.'

### San Diego fire stations are drop-off points for annual Toys for Tots

The San Diego Fire-Rescue Department is once again working with Toys for Tots to help bring smiles to Christmas morning. Every San Diego fire station has a collection box to help make contributing to Toys for Tots convenient.

"With a fire station in every neighborhood, San Diego Fire is a great partner in our program," said Marine Capt. Evita Mosqueda-Chapman, the San Diego Tovs for Tots coordinator. "The sta-Center to be sorted and distributed."

Residents can drop off a new, unwrapped toy at a San Diego fire station anytime until Dec. 18 and be assured it will get to Toys for Tots.

"We're glad to do our part," San Diego Fire Chief Brian Fennessy said. "The Fire-Rescue Department has worked with Toys for Tots for several years, but the credit for this program all goes to the Marine Reservists.

Mosqueda-Chapman says their waretions are not only drop-off points, but house is currently completely out of toys the Fire Department moves the toys to  $\;$  for boys and girls ages 10 to 12 and girls central collection points so our Marines 6 to 9 years old. "We want and need toys can more easily get them to the Reserve for all ages, but the warehouse is bare for those age groups now," she said.

Toys for Tots started in Los Angeles in 1947 and through the years has collected and distributed nearly half a billion toys to less fortunate children nation-





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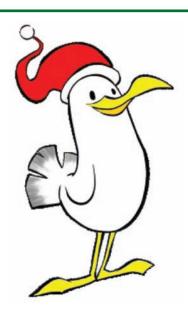
## Ocean Beach Town Council auction

Once again the OB Sunshine Co. Bar & Grill hosted the Ocean Beach Town Council auction on Dec. 3 to raise funds to support their annual Food and Toy Drive that provides assistance to more than 80 families in the area. Nate Bazydlo, OB Town Council chair of community events, and Mel Roark, Town Council member, with a donated Tiki Dan totem pole that symbolizes the Kanai god of water that raised \$360.Volunteer auctioneers having some fun are Mike James, Giovani Ingolia, Gavin Flemming, and Ricky Yozamp with their lovely assistants from Temptress Fashion Boutique of Ocean Beach.

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# 2015 Holiday Events in Ocean Beach

December 3-14

December 12, 19

December 14

December 15-18

**December 19** 

OB Storefront Decorating contest (facebook.com/OBMA92107)

9am-4pm ~ Craft Fair at Newport & Abbott (Santa from 11am-1pm)

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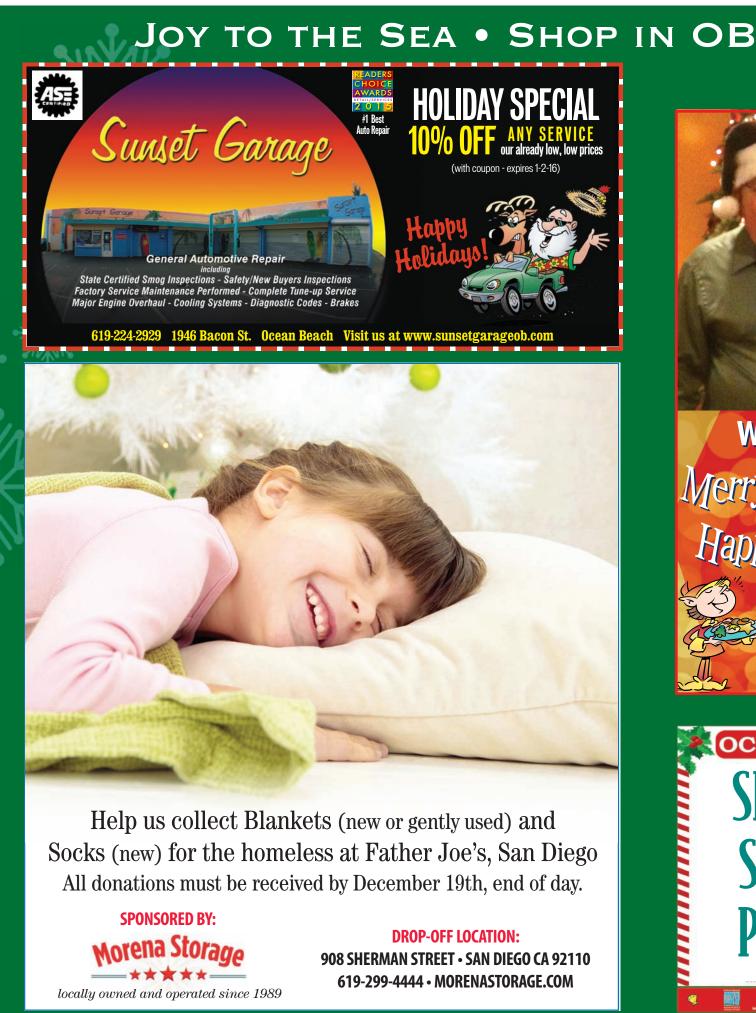


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Be on the lookout for festive holiday decorations throughout your favorite businesses this holiday season and VOTE for your favorite by LIKING their photo that will be posted to the OBMA Facebook page between Dec. 3-14th! Visit OB MainStreet on Facebook at www.Facebook.com/OBMA92107.

Enjoy the decorations and celebrate the season – businesses will be awarded cash prizes and celebrated in the special holiday issue of the Beacon on Thurs., Dec. 22rd.









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The OB Food and Toy Drive will take place Dec. 15 to 18 with donations/volunteer opportunities from 5 to 9 p.m.; distribution starting at 9 a.m.

The OB Food and Toy Drive provides assistance to more than 80 local families and seniors in need during the holidays. The OB Town Council partners with community groups and volunteers to en heroes and teach children about the

package a week's worth of groceries, care packages and new gifts and toys for those in need of help during the holidays. To donate or volunteer, call the OB Town Council at (619) 515-4400.

#### **Wreaths Across America**

Representatives from each military service branch and community members will honor veterans, remember fallsacrifices made by veterans and their families at the Fort Rosecrans and Miramar National cemeteries Wreaths Across America ceremonies 9 to 10:30 a.m. on Dec. 12. Following the ceremony, volunteers will place wreaths on veteran graves.

Wreaths Across America is a nonprofit organization with the mission "Remember, Honor, Teach." With the help of sponsors, donors and volunteers,

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#### **Annual Christmas musical**

The SDFC Children's Choir "Fact or Fiction: The Christmas Edition" will take place 10:30 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 13 (free/donation) at Brown Chapel, San Diego First Church, located at 3901

Lomaland Drive.

Local elementary school children from the peninsula have practiced every Wednesday night to present the annual Christmas musical to the community. Participants feel that it is one of the best things going as an activity for kids in the neighborhood.

SDFC's Brown Chapel at Point Loma Nazarene University is packed year after year for the musical and celebrated with complimentary cake following the performance. Local vendors in the Family Life Center sell lunch as well. It's a fun time to sit, eat and talk to friends and enjoy holiday cheer. For information: 849-3117, james@sdfcnaz.com.

#### Polar Plunge at The Pearl

Get your 'chill' on for a great cause. The inaugural Polar Plunge at The Pearl will take place 8 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 15. Residents are invited to take the plunge in the chilly saltwater pool, and The Pearl Hotel will donate \$25 per plunge (up to \$1,000) to ARTS (A Reason To Survive), an organization dedicated to providing, supporting and advocating for arts programs that inspire, and empower youth facing adversity.

After the plunge, there will be a Dive-In Movie viewing of National Lampoon's "Christmas Vacation."

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Why not join other aspiring volunteers aboard Star of India for the series of lectures and ship tours beginning on Tuesday, Jan. 5. To obtain more information about the Docent Training Program, contact docent training coordinator Nancy Matthews at (619) 234-9153 ext. 101 or @sdmaritime.org.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030154 Fictitious Business Name(s): ULHO RESTAURANT located at: 1776 SUNSET CLIFFS BLVD. SAN DIEGO, CA 92107 is registered by the following: KECHO INC This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION KECHO, INC. 4541 SANTA CRUZ AVE. SAN DIEGO, CA. 92107 CALIFORNIA The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: ADRIANA ALCARAZ TRIE: VICE-PRESIDENT The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 19, 2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 26 DEC 03, 10 AND 17, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030240 Fictitious Business Name(s): FOXY CONSULTING located at: 3940 INGRAHAM ST. SAN DIEGO, CA 92109 is registered by the following: KEVIN ROCHARD This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The first day of business was: 11/01/2015 Registrant Name: KEVIN ROCHARD Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / Coun-

ty Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 20, 2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 26 DEC 03, 10 & 17, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030076 Fictitious Business Name(s): SCRUBBISH SD located at: 32.76 TALBOT ST. SAN DIEGO, CA 92106 is registered by the following: ANTONIO FRANCISCO This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The first day of business was: 11/18/2015 Registrant Name: ANTONIO (TONY) FRANCISCO Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 18, 2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 26 DEC 03, 10 AND 17, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030052 FIctitious Business Name(s): LANGE ELECTRIC located at: 2051 MORENA BLVD. SAN DIEGO, CA. 92110 is registered by the following: CHRIS LANGE This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The first day obusiness was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: CHRIS LANGE Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr. Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 18, 2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 26 DEC 03, 10 AND 17, 2015

HCTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-027794 FIctitious Business Name(s): ASTRODATA ASTROLOGY SERVICES located at: 4966 SANTA MONICA AVE STE B SAN DIEGO, CA. 92107 is registered by the following: TIMO-THY THAYER This business is conducted by AN INDIVIDUAL The first day of business was: 07/01/1996 Registrant Name: TIMOTHY THAYER Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: 0CT 26, 2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 26 DEC 03, 10 & 17, 2015

RCTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-029868 Fictitious Business Name(s): CASH ON COMMISSIONS located at: 1412 LINCOLN SAN DIEGO, CA. 92103 is registered by the following: JAMES PATRICK ALEXANDER This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The first day of business was: 111/17/2015 Registrant Name: JAMES PATRICK ALEXANDER Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 17, 2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 26 DEC 03, 10 AND 17, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-028758 FIctitious Business Name(s): BUILD-TEK CONSTRUCTION located at: 4055 PORTE LA PAZ #150 SAN DIEGO, CA. 92122 is registered by the following: STIRLING AULSTON This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: STIRLING AULSTON Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 05, 2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 26 DEC 03, 10 & 17, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-029424 Flotitious Business Name(s): TEC-SCAPE located at: 50931/2 NARRA-GANSETT AVE. SAN DIEGO, CA. 92107 is registered by the following: ANDREW MCCABE This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The first day of business was: 11/09/2015 Registrant Name: ANDREW J. MCCABE Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County. NOV 13, 2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 26 DEC 03. 10 AND 17. 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-029401 FICTITIOUS Business Name(s): LA COSTA ENERGY EFFICIENCY DOORS, INC. Coated at: 7040 AVENIDA ENCINAS STE 104-294 CARLSBAD, CA. 92011 is registered by the following: LA COSTA ENERGY EFFICIENCY This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION LA COSTA ENERGY EFFICIENCY DOORS, INC. 7040 AVENIDA ENCINAS STE 104-294 CARLSBAD, CA. 92011 CALIFORNIA The first day of business was: 07/05/2010 Registrant Name: HOWARD CAGAN Title: PRESIDENT The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 13, 2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 26 DEC 03, 10 AND 17, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-028583 FICTITIOUS Business Name(s): MOBILE NOTARY 4U located at: 8314 VIA SONO-MA #120 LA JOLLA, CA 92037 is registered by the following: LYUDMILA SAFRANSKY This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The first day of business was: 08/28/2009 Registrant Name: LYUDMILA SAFRANSKY Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 04, 2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 26 DEC 03, 10 AND 17, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-028187 Fictitious Business Name(s): LANDMARK AUTO SALES, LANDMARK AUTO

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-029672 FIctitious Business Name(s): THE CORNER CHEF located at: 946 0PAL ST. APT 2 SAN DIEGO, CA 92109 is registered by the following: THE CORNER CHEF, LLC This business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY THE CORNER CHEF, LLC 946 0PAL ST. SAN DIEGO, CA. 92109 CALIFORMIA The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: GRAHAM YOUNG Title: CEO The statement was filed with Emest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder/County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 16, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 03, 10, 17 AND 22, 2015

NO. 2015-030526Flottitous Business Name(s): URBAN TRECYCLE located at: 701 W. BEECH STREET #811 SAN DIEGO, CA 92101 is registered by the following: MIKE GREEN, PAUL CAPRARA CHEF, This business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTIMERSHIP The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: MIKE GREEN Title: OWNER / PARTIMER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder/County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 24, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 03,10, 17 AND 22, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030619FICITIOUS Business Name(s): RBD HOUSE BLYERS located at: 4850 PACIFIC HIGHWAY, #110 SAN DIEGO, CA 92110 is registered by the following: RBD RESIDENTIAL, INC. This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION RBD RESIDENTIAL, INC. 4850 PACIFIC HIGHWAY #110 SAN DIEGO. CA. 92110 CALIFORNIA The first day of business was: 11/02/2015 Registrant Name: BRIAN KENDRICK Title: CHIEFFINANCIAL OFFICER, RDB RESIDENTIAL INC. The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 25, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 03, 10, 17 AND 22, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030532 FIctitious Business Name(s): BEACH & RESORT WEAR located at: 3126 MISSION BLVD. SAN DIEGO, CA 92109 is registered by the following: PERVEEN JANJUA, ABDUL JANJUA This business is conducted by: A MARRIED COUPLE The first day of business was: 03/01/2000 Registrant Name: PERVEEN JANJUA Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 24, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 03, 10, 17 AND 22, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030706 FIctitious Business Name(s): ANA'S ATELIER located at: 404 CAMINO DEL RIO SOUTH SUITE #100-20 SAN DIEGO, CA 92108 is registered by the following: ANA CAMA-CHO BIER This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The first day of business was:11/16/2015 Registrant Name: ANA CAMA-CHO BIER Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 30, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 03, 10, 17 AND 22. 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030766 Fictitious Business Name(s): FARMERS FIX located at: 1270 CLEVELAND AVE. #319 SAN DIEGO, CA 92103 is registered by the following: GREEN KITCHEN SAN DIEGO LLC This business is conducted by: A LIMITED LABILITY COMPANY GREEN KITCHEN SAN DIEGO LLC 1270 CLEVELAND AVE #319 SAN DIEGO, CA. 92103 CALIFORNIA The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: TAWEI LIN Title: MANAGER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 30, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 03, 10, 17 AND 22, 2015

RCTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-028574 Fictitious Business Name(s): PROVEN BECRUTING located at: 9444 WAPES STREET, SUITE 440 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121 is registered by the following: PROVEN SOLUTIONS LLC This business is conducted by: A LIMITED LABILITY COMPANY PROVEN SOLUTIONS LLC 9444 WAPLES STREET, SUITE 440 SAN DIEGO, CA. 92121 CALIFORNIA The first day of business was: 06/02/2007 Registrant Name: LOUIS J. SONG Title: CEO The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 04, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 03, 10, 17 AND 22, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-028784 Fictitious Business Name(s): RODNA DESIGNS located at: 28332 CROOKED OAK LN ESCONDIDO, CA 92026 is registered by the following: RODNA ALLEN This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: RODNA ALLEN Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 05, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 03, 10, 17 AND 22, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030914 FICTITIOUS Business Name(s): LECTRIC LIFE HTNESS STUDIO located at: 3961 GOVERNOR DR. SAN DIEGO, CA 92122 is registered by the following: ANINE ADODACU This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: RODNA ALLEN Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County (Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 05, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 03, 10, 17 AND 22, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-029025 Fictitious Business Name(s): GOLDEN STATE BOARD KITS located at: 10793 JAMACHA BLVD. SUITE102, SPRING VALLEY, CA 91978 is registered by the following: JUAN GOUZALEZ This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: JUAN GOUZALEZ Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 09, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DFC 03.10. 17.8 22. 2015

HCTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE
NO. 2015-026366 FICTITIOUS Business Name(s):
PETCO #5108 located at: 2663 GATEWAY RD.,
#103 CARLSBAD, CA. 92009 is registered by the
following: PETCO ANIMAL SUPPLIES STORES,
INC. This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION PETCO ANIMAL SUPPLIES STORES, INC.
10850 VIA FRONTERA SAN DIEGO, CA. 92127
DELAWARE The first day of business was:
10/23/2010 Registrant Name: RICHARD SKEEN
Title: ASSISTANT TREASURER The statement
was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder
(County Clerk of San Diego Country on: CCT 08,
2015 ISSUE DATES: NOV 05, 12, 19 & 26, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030241 FICTITIOUS Business Name(s): PINGPONG, PINGPONG, PINGPONG, PINGPONG SOLUTIONS, INC. This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION PINGPONG SOLUTIONS, INC. ACREO CASS ST. #218 SAN DIEGO, CA. 92109 CALIFORNIA The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: JACOB F. LE CLAIR Title: TREASURER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 20, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 10, 17, 23 & JAN 07, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030664 Fictitious Business Name(s): IMASSAGE located at: 3555 ROSECRANS ST. #106 SAN DIEGO, CA. 92110 is registered by the following: LEI DONG This business is conducted by: AN INDM/DUAL The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: REGINA SALIDO Title: TREASURER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: NOV 25, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 10, 17, 23 AND JAN 07, 2015

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA CIVIL DIVI-SION 330 W. BROADWAY SAN DIEGO, CA. 92101 CASE NO: 37-2015-00040472-CU-PT-CTL PETITIONER OR ATTORNEY, NOEMI AIDA FARRELL 7106 ARILLO ST. SAN DIEGO, CA. 92111 619-300-8750 HAS FILED A PETITION WITH THIS COURT FOR A DECREE CHANGING PETITIONERS NAME FROM NOEMI AIDA FAR RELL TO NOEMI AIDA ROSADO THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that indicates 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 TO BE HELD ON JAN 22, 2016 TIME: 8:30 AM DEPT 46 330 WEST BROADWAY SAN DIEGO, CA. 92101 ISSUE DATE(S): DEC 10, 17, 23 & JAN 07, 2016

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-031254 FICTITIOUS Business Name(s): A-TISTIC PORCELAIN STUDIO located at: 5630 T/2 LA JOLLA BLYD. LA LOLLA, CA. 92037 is registered by the following: STEVEN RASKIND This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: STEVEN RASKIND Title: OWNER The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: DEC 04, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 10, 17, 23 AND JAN 07, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-031204 Fictiflous Business Name(s): BEST RATE FUNDING GROUP located at: 5927 FOLSOM DRIVELA JOLLA, CA. 92037 is registered by the following: RIVER ROCK CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC. This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION RIVER ROCK CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC. 5927 FOLSOM DRIVE LA JOLLA, CA. 92037 The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: MARK USSALMAN Title: PRESIDENT The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder/County Clerk of San Diego County on: DEC 04, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 10,17,23 AND JAN 07, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-030908 Fictitious Business Name(s): RANDALL'S SANDALS, DIEGO'S BREAKFAST located at: 1804 REED AVE. SAN DIEGO, CA. 92109 is registered by the following: RANDALL ENGSTROM This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: RANDALL ENGSTROM Title: CEO The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: DEC 01, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 10, 17, 23 & JAN 07, 2015

HCTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2015-031100 Fictitious Business Name(s): GABI EVENTS located at: 969 MARKET ST. #1704 SAN DIEGO, CA. 92101 is registered by the following: GABRIELLA SHEVEL This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The first day of business was: NOT APPLICABLE Registrant Name: RANDALL ENGSTROM Title: CEO The statement was filed with Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr., Recorder / County Clerk of San Diego County on: DEC 03, 2015 ISSUE DATES: DEC 10, 17, 23 AND JAN 07, 2015

# STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF WAYNE

Case No. 15-006977-CH Hon. Leslie Kim Smith

CITIMORTGAGE, INC., a foreign Coporation, Plaintiff, v.

DAPHNE YOUNGBLOOD, as beneficiary of James. M. Youngblood Revocable Trust, and JAMES M. YOUNG-BLOOD III, as beneficiary of James M. Youngblood Revocable Trust.

Defendants.

Schneiderman & Sherman, P.C. By: Steven A. Jacobs (P68749) Attorneys for Plaintiff 23938 Research Drive, Suite 300, Farmington Hills, MI 48335 (248) 539-7400

ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S EX PARTE MOTION FOR ALTERNATE SERVICE AS TO ALL NAMED DEFENDANTS

At a session of said Court, held in the City of Detriot, County of Wayne, State of Michigan on 11/12/2015 PRESENT HON. Leslie Kim Smith

Circuit Court Judge

Upon the matter being brought before the Court on Plaintiff's Ex Parte Motion for Alternate Service and upon the Court being fully advised in the premises:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT Plaintiff may complete alternate service as to Defendant, Daphne Youngblood by mailing via first class and certified mail, return receipt requested a copy of the summons, complaint and order to 6685 La Jolla Scenic Dr. S., La Jolla, CA 92037-5735, San Diego, CA 92037-5735

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT Plaintiff may complete alternate service as to Defendant, Daphne Youngblood by tacking the summons, complaint and order at 6685 La Jolla Scenic Dr. S., La Jolla, CA 92037-5735, San Diego, CA 92037-5735.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT Plaintiff may complete alternate service as to Defendant, James M. Youngblood III via publication, by publishing a copy of the Order regarding service in a paper within the County San Diego County, CA, which is the county of Defendant's last known address and by publication in a newspaper within Wayne County where this action is pending.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

This is not a final order.

/s/ Leslie Kim Smith Hon. Leslie Kim Smith Circuit Court Judge

Prepared by: Schneiderman & Sherman, P.C. By: Steven A. Jacobs (P68749) Attorneys for Plaintiff

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### RENTALS

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occupancy and eligible housing types in both Home Sharing and STVRs.

Architect and Planning Commission chair Tim Golba acknowledged that STVRs are a daunting issue that staff will be challenged to remedy.

"There's not a whole lot here to find common ground on," Golba said.

During their deliberations, commissioners pointed out they didn't want to repeat the mistake of a recently passed city ordinance restricting to four the number of medical marijuana cooperatives allowed to exist in each council district. They noted that ordinance has culminated in a race between competing applicants to be the first to open, which they added "has not resulted in the best-quality operators being in business."

The failed city STVR ordinance was crafted by the Council's Smart Growth and Land Use Committee (SG&LUC), chaired by Second District Council woman Lorie Zapf, whose district includes the beachfront between Point Loma and La

That ordinance which came out of SG&LUC recommended minimum stays of at least 21 days for the short-term rental of a home not occupied by the owner. It, however, didn't place the same restriction on the sharing of homes with live-in own-

STVRs have been a divisive neighborhood issue with two clearly drawn and mutually exclusive sides. On the one hand are homeowners convinced STVRs should be excluded entirely from residential neighborhoods. On the other side are STVR and Airbnb industry representatives arguing such rentals are a private property right and are good for the economy. Ordinance detractors insist that all that really needs to be done is to beef up enforcement of existing regulations to police — and eliminate — a few problematic operators.

Following the Dec. 3 Planning Commission meeting, Peninsulans weighed in on the commissioner's decision to send the proposed city STVR ordinance back to the drawing board.

"Despite comments to the contrary, there are no real STVR regulations on the city books," said Point Loman Don Sevrens, who lives near an STVR. "I attended two separate days of public testimony, and it is clear all shades of opinion have been gathered. Some say the suggested result of a 21-day minimum stay does not strike the right balance and is a de facto ban.

"The worst thing that could happen now is inertia and continuance of the status quo," continued Sevrens. "That would be harmful to the community and not in the best interests of both sides. If it is to be back to the drawing board, set a deadline and get with it. We need sensible regulations and we need them now."

Point Loma Realtor Robert Tripp Jackson noted it's been "common for shortterm rentals to exist in beach areas (most notably Mission Beach). He pointed out that when the real estate market "cooled" in 2006, that was when investors, who were sitting on inventory they couldn't sell, realized short-term rentals could bring in more income than longterm rentals.

"It really started becoming a 'big business' here in Point Loma," Jackson said. "Instead of just renting a home, it would be offered on a weekly rate."

Jackson added problems started when those short-term rentals started "popping up everywhere."

"Often there would be a ton of vacationing people partying late into the night," he said, adding, "It has brought a real-world nuisance to our community."

Jackson gave a proposed compromise solution.

"I would support regulation limiting the number of vacation rentals, their location, and capping them (occupancy) at two (persons) per bedroom," he said. "Law enforcement would have to be the police power (supporting) code compliance. The property owner would be fined, if two warnings didn't work. Regulations would apply for owner-occupied rentals too."

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engaged in serving the community.

"I was elected to the board of the Town Council, where I served for another 10 years, including two more terms as president," he said. "For the last six years, I have served on the board of the Ocean Beach Main Street Association. Additionally, I'm serving my third year as board treasurer for the Ocean Beach Community Development Corporation."

Silva is a native Point Loman and a graduate from Silver Gate Elementary. Dana Middle and Point Loma High schools. She attended SDSU and graduated from University of Missouri.

After her recent retirement from US Airways, Lynn joined PLA and soon got involved with the Friday morning Mean Green Team clean-up efforts around the Point. When an opportunity to serve on the PLA board of directors came her way, she jumped at the chance.

Lynn said she "loves Point Loma and cannot imagine living anywhere else."

Silva hopes to get more Point Loma residents involved in the PLA to further its efforts and mission through 'advocacy, fundraising and fun."

Lynn is married to Frank Silva, also a native Point Loman. They have three sons and five grandchildren. Lynn's mother, Kay Rippee, lives in Loma Portal and is still going strong at age 93. Rippee taught Lynn the importance of volunteerism and getting involved to make a difference.

PLA membership consists of residents and local businesses working together, donating time, effort and money to make the Peninsula a better place to live and work. Annual membership is \$30. Donations at additional support levels, \$1,000 platinum, \$500 gold, \$250 silver and \$100 bronze, are also greatly appreciated.

For more information, visit www.PointLomaAssociation.com.

#### 7 Things You Must Know Before Putting Your Home Up for Sale

A new report has just been released which re- As the report uncovers, most home sellers make 7 make when selling their home, and a 9 Step System that can help you sell your home fast and for the most amount of money.

This industry report shows clearly how the traditional ways of selling a home have become increasingly less and less effective in today's market. The fact of the matter is that 75% of home sellers don't get what they want for their homes and become disillusioned and - worse financially disadvantaged when they put their homes on the market.

yeals 7 costly mistakes that most homeowners deadly mistakes that cost them literally thousands of dollars. The good news is that each and every one of these mistakes is entirely preventable. In response to this issue, industry insiders have prepared a free report entitled "The 9 Step System to Get Your Home Sold Fast and for Top Dollar".

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# **Gnomes** added to metro for art's sake

# New public art project installed at SD airport

As a prelude to the opening of its \$316 million Rental Car Center in January, San Diego International Airport Dec. 8 unveiled MetroGnome, a public art project featuring two 54-foot-high kinetic sculptural forms adjacent to the new building.

Created by German-born, Los Angeles-based artist Christian Moeller, the artwork is located within one of the facilities' exterior bioswale areas.

At a press conference, Lauren Lockhart, airport art program manager, said the sculptures were created specifically for that site.

"We hired the artist based on their past qualifications and experience," Lochhart said. "We formed an ad hoc panel of art and design professionals who looked through a competitive pool of submissions from across the country."

Moeller was chosen as the most qualified and worked with the larger architecture and design team to identify this location and to create a site-specific piece, Lockhart said.

Concerning his muse, Moeller said he was thinking about this unique site where the Rental Car Center is, noting it's a hub of transportation modes near the I-5 and Pacific Highway, San Diego Bay and the airfield.

"He (Moeller) wanted something that reflected that constant coming and going and movement of travelers at this site, and that's why the art pieces are kinetic — like a metronome keeping time," Lockhart said. "But then it's also a little bit playful because there's a G



Two 54-foot-high kinetic sculptural forms were installed at the airport on Tuesday, Dec. 8.

added into the spelling of that, which is a reference to his childhood in Germany where there's a tradition that dates back to the 19th century where people put a garden gnome in their front yard. MetroGnome's sort of an elegant abstract hybrid of a garden gnome and metronome."

The beauty of the sculpture, said Lockhart, is that "you can read a lot of different associations into it. I've heard a lot of different interpretations of it."

The MetroGnome is controlled with electro-magnets in its interior.

The sculpute is going to continue to be tested, but it will be ready in January for the grand opening of the building, noted Lockhart.

in the works, "Dazzle," by artist group Uberall International, LLC, which is to adorn the outside of the new rental car facility.

Ueberall International, a leading experiential design firm, and E Ink Holdings, an innovator of electronic ink technology, have joined to produce eFlow, a groundbreaking project at the airport that will combine art, media and state-of-the-art technology.

Ueberall and E Ink have been selected to do the exterior art work on the northeast side of the new, four-story airport rental car center.

"Their cutting-edge technology will animate the entire façade of the building in a camouflage dazzle pattern," said Lockhart.







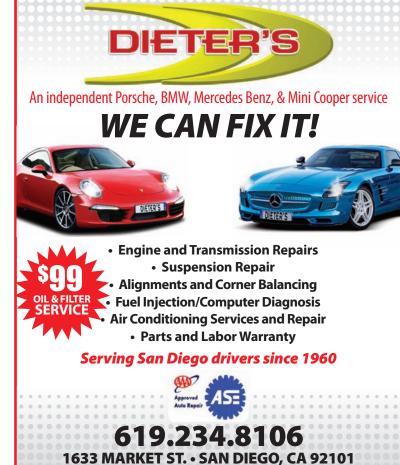
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#### Point Loma's Heather Leavitt named PacWest Player of Year

PacWest Volleyball Player of the Year by the league's coaches. The senior outside hitter is the first Sea Lion student-athlete to earn the honor, bestowed her after pacing the PacWest and ranking third in the NCAA with 4.77 kills per set.

The Mesa, Ariz. native had a .264 hitting percentage and averaged 3.63 digs per set to rank 13th and 14th in the PacWest, respectively. She posted double-doubles in 23 of 29 matches and finished the regular season with double-figure kills in all but one match. She was the first Sport Imports/AVCA National Player of the Week on the season after averaging 5.27 kills and 4.07 digs per set in four PLNU wins at the Seaside Invitational.

#### PLNU held Military Night

The Point Loma Athletic Department

ketball game between the Sea Lions and Azusa Pacific on Dec. 3.

Former and active-duty military members were honored at the game, and the fans wore a special PLNU camouflage logo T-shirt.

#### PLNU leads the PacWest Commissioner's Cup

With the 2015 PacWest fall season complete, the Point Loma Sea Lions stand atop the Commissioner's Cup standings, with an average of 12.625 points per sport.

The four fall Sea Lion sports teams finished first, second, third and fourth in their respective standings to allow PLNU to pace the 14-team conference. The Point Loma women's soccer team won the PacWest Conference for the second consecutive year, going 11-0-2

Heather Leavitt was named the 2015 held its first Military Night at the bas- in league play. The volleyball team tied for second place, while cross-country took third and men's soccer finished

> "We are off to a great start, showing vast improvement each year in the PacWest Conference," said athletic director Ethan Hamilton, now in his seventh year as the leader of the Sea Lions. "All the credit goes to our excellent coaches, staff and student-ath-

> While this was the first PacWest Commissioner's Cup standings release of the year, the Sea Lions' early rise to the top of the leaderboard has been culminating to this over their four years in the league.

In 2013, their first season in the PacWest, PLNU finished ninth in the standings before rising to sixth in 2014 and to fourth last year.



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Sitting just three miles from the entrance to massive Camp Pendleton, a proliferation of American flags can be seen at Oceanside High and in the surrounding Marine-dominated community.

For Point Loma High players and fans who made the 36-mile foray up the I-5 to Simcox Field for a CIF Div. I semifinal football game, their patriotic spirits were stirred. But it was flags of another type that left the Pointer faithful frustrated and disappointed as the Pirates edged the Pointers 28-24.

The disfavored flags were of a solid bright vellow color and flew not from flagpoles but from the waistbands of prep football game officials. And one of those flags flew during a furious lastminute Pointer drive when a likely game-winning touchdown was negated by one of those flags.

The Pointers rallied for 17 third-quarter points to cut the Pirates lead to 28-24, and both teams exchanged possessions and punts until the Dogs mounted their final drive in the last minutes before game's end. Crossing midfield, the Pointers moved to the Pirate 11-yard line as the stadium clock showed one final minute remaining.

From there, senior wide receiver Caleb Johnson took a handoff from fellow senior quarterback Brenden Torrence, running laterally before he spotted a seam in the Pirate defense. Johnson lowered his head and blasted forward into the end zone as Pointer players on the field and bench along with the team's faithful followers erupted in celebration, the clock showing only seconds remaining.

But a yellow flag lay on the turf.

Game officials called a holding penalty that was, to many seasoned viewers, including some who later viewed the play on video, "a phantom penalty."

Ten yards were marched off, leaving the Pointers at the 21-vard line, where Torrence attempted a pass that landed in the arms of a Pirate defender at the oneyard line, effectively ending not only the game, but also the Pointers' championship dreams as the final seconds ticked off the game clock.

Earlier, the Pointers found themselves on the short end of a 21-7 halftime score, their only touchdown coming on the block of an Oceanside punt midway through the first quarter by a pair of sophomore standouts. Mathew Fa'alele (6-0, 240) got the block, with teammate Davey Folsom (6-4, 300) scooping up the loose ball and rambling for the score.

But the Dogs trimmed the Pirate lead to 28-24 with a 17-point third quarter.

Torrence began the rally, forging a 16yard path to the end zone to end the Pointers first second-half possession.

After a Pirate score, Torrence scored again, this time from one yard out before senior kicker Jaime Medina launched a 33-yard field goal in the third quarter's final minute.

Much of the final quarter featured possession changes and punts until the Pointers mounted their fateful final

Years from now, players and fans will talk about this game and the touchdown that should have beat mighty Oceanside. And that vellow flag.

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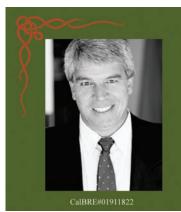












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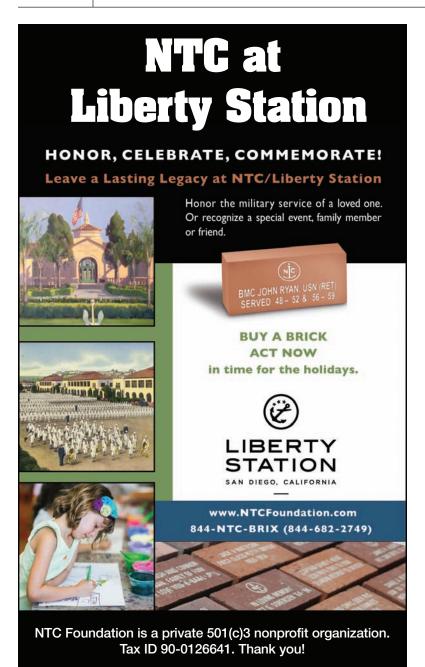
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Old Town San Diego State His- late, readings and more singing. toric Park will be decked out in of December.

of nine Christmas trees will be followed each Saturday evening with with free s'mores and hot choco- Old Town. The Las Posadas pro-

The annual Holiday in the Park

historic holiday finery this year Merchant Open House will be held and will showcase gingerbread on Saturday, Dec. 12, from noon to house displays throughout the 9 p.m. Crafts for children and spepark as well as a tree-lighting cer- cial holiday treats will be in the emony with caroling starting at 5 museums, stores and restaurants p.m. every Saturday in the month in Old Town San Diego State His-The caroling around the display evening bonfire and extended shopping hours until 9 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 13, marks the a bonfire in the plaza complete 65th-annual Las Posadas event in ers.

Joseph's search for a birthplace for choir performance. Jesus. Everyone is invited to join the candlelit procession, starting toric Park during the day with an to inn, symbolically asking for lot on Taylor Street in Old Town parts of Joseph and the innkeep-

The procession culminates with 297-3100.

cession is a walking reenactment a live nativity tableau in front of of the biblical story of Mary and Casa de Estudillo along with a

The events are sponsored by Wells Fargo Foundation and The at 4:45 p.m., and sing traditional Old Town State Park Merchants holiday songs in both Spanish and Association. There is free parking English as the players go from inn available in the Caltrans parking lodging. The procession will after 5 p.m. on weekdays and all include local actors playing the day on weekends. For more information about any of these events, visit Fiestadereyes.com or call 619-



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