



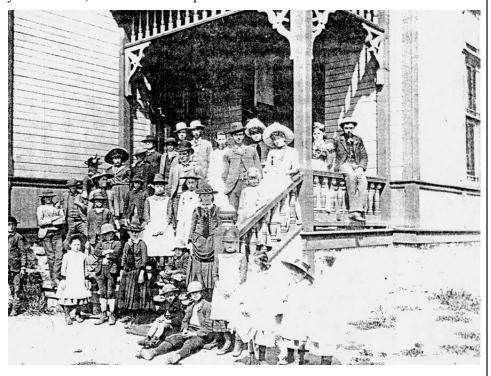
Dedicated to the improvement of our community through awareness and involvement in local issues (FREE) Local News for the Highgrove Area March, 2013

Highgrove Elementary School celebrates 125 years! On March 21, 2013 at 8:30 am the graphs of Highgrove Elementary

Highgrove elementary School will be marking its 125th anniversary with a special celebration. The students and staff of Highgrove Elementary would like to extend an invitation to Highgrove's alumni, past teachers and PTA officers and staff members to join us in our anniversary festivities. We not only encourage you to attend but we welcome you to share your stories, memories and photo-

Our current students, teachers, families and staff members are excited to participate in the activities of this historical event. We are also inviting community members and organizations to join our celebration.

For more information please call: (951) 788 7296 Ext. 42251 or e-mail: itrupp@rusd.k12.ca.us



Highgrove Day May 11, 2013 The 2013 Highgrove Day will have a Hawaiian theme this year that will

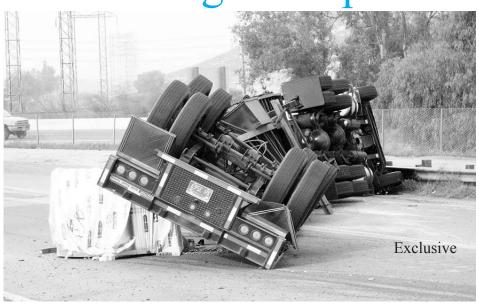
include polynesian music and dancers, a car show and other activities for adults and children. The day starts off with a pancake breakfast at the Norton Younglove Community Center at 459 Center St. in Highgrove and continues in the Highgrove Community Park where the antique, show cars and classic street rods will park on the grass. Back by popular demand will be the disc dogs and General Yo and his trick yo yo performers as well as others.

Win a trip to Hawaii at Highgrove Day

Drawing will be May 11, 2013. Tickets on sale! A one dollar ticket could win a \$2,000.00 trip to Hawaii. Or if you want to go anywhere else you have a \$2,000.00 credit to go any direction you want. The winning ticket is transferable and



Wrong side up!



but where did this happen?

This big rig was hauling a large coil of steel on a flatbed trailer. The coil was chained down over the rear axles of the flatbed but the rest of the trailer was empty. This accident blocked one of the major streets leading into and out of Highgrove but do you know where it happened? I don't think the accident was covered by any other local news media because I didn't read about it in any of the other local papers and I didn't see any one else taking pictures. To find out when and where this happened please turn to P. 7

Car chase through Highgrove!

We see the "chase-a-day in LA" on television when the cops are in hot pursuit of the bad guys but did you know this happened in Highgrove? On Feb. 26, 2013 I had just left my car at Toy Tech on Center St. and I started to walk home. When I crossed the street and was on the S/W corner of Center St. and Prospect across from the Methodist church, I heard the sirens and saw a black car being chased by 3 Riverside City Police cars. The car was headed east on Center but made a hard left turn onto Prospect headed north toward T M Cobb. Three cop cars with sirens blaring also made the corner at high speed with tires squealing with another close behind. The car proceeded north on Transit then east on Main St. where it crashed in Grand Terrace and 2 burglary suspects were arrested.

I really picked a good time to be without a car or without a camera!

Highgrove Community Clean Up Day



Saturday, March 2, 2013 8:00 am - 12:00 pm **Highgrove Elementary School** 690 Center Street, Highgrove

Please note: You must be Highgrove resident to participate Details on P. 13

Highgrove Community Center Hours: Mon-Thur 8am-4pm; Fri 8am-2pm
Highgrove Community Park Hours: Dawn to Dusk

Contact: (951) 341-6634 (951) 786-6912



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> THE NORTON YOUNGLOVE COMMUNITY CENTER 459 Center Street-Highgrove web site: www.nycchighgrove.com





March 1st and 15th at 8AM - 1:00 PM Riverside County Regional Medical Center Mobile Health Clinic is here to help answer any questions and do blood pressure and blood sugar checks, general medical exams, and health screenings at no cost to you. No appointments needed!

March 1st and 15th at 8AM—10 AM Resource table hosted by Albert with CareMore 951-313-9912

March 22nd 8-10 AM Info on free workshops and available helpful, low income programs hosted by Community Action Partnership of Riverside. Natashia 951-955-3239

March 28th: Easter Bunny visit 1:30 - 3:30 Special Announcements

Save the Date:

The Child Care Initiative Project -8 day free workshop to help gain knowledge in child development and assistance to becoming a licensed family child care provider: March 5th, 7th, 19, 21st and April 2nd, 4th, 9th, 11th. Sponsored by Riv Co. Child Care Consortium and Riv Co. Office of Education.

Free Backyard Composting Workshop hosted by Waste Management Department on April 13th. Please call in to reserve seating

Rummage Sale on Saturday April 13!! Reserve your select space at the center.

Free workshop on

April 18th form 10:30 –11:30: Pregnancy Prevention hosted by Planned Parenthood of the Pacific Southwest for more info call Gloria 951-222-3146

Points of Interest

Center Hours: Monday thru Thursda 8 AM – 4 PM, Friday 8 AM – 2 PM Aerodance Exercise: Mon, Tues, Thurs 9-10AM, Wed 9-9:45 \$6 per week or \$2.00 per day **Evening Class** Tues 7- 8:30, Thurs 7:30-Areodance night for CHILDREN: Thurs 6:30 -7:30 PM \$2.50 per class

Sewing Class: Wed 10:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Project of the month **Balloon Arrangement Class:** Wed 8:30 - 10 AM \$15 per class./10 class course. Completion Certificate

Cake Class Series/4 levels: Thurs 10 -11:30 \$18 for each 4 week level session/ 4 level course. Comple

Flower Class: Wed 11 -12:30 Noon. \$15 per class/10 class course. Completion Certificate



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class/10 class course. Completion certifi-

Edible Arrangement Carving Class -10 Class Series: Wed

12:30 AM - 2 PM. \$15 per class. Completion Certificate awarded



Mommie & Me Music Class Wed 10:15 - 11:00 AM ages up to pre school. No Cost Program

Taekwondo Fitness Exercise: Wed 7:15 - 8:15 \$10 per month call Master Elvis Chavez 909 - 293-8538

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The art of cake decorating & baking: Tues



Hop on by and visit the **Easter Bunny**

March 28th from 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM at

Norton Younglove Community Center

(459 Center Street, Highgrove, Ca 92507)

(951.341.6634)

Bring your Camera to take pictures!





Pancake Breakfast on

May 11, 2013 From 7 am – 12 noon

"Highgrove Day"

Tickets are now available for purchase

Norton Younglove Community Center 459 Center Street. Highgrove, Ca 92507

(951.341.6634)

\$4 per Adult (over 13 years old) \$3 per Child

Includes: beverages, eggs, sausage

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Norton Younglove Community Center 951-341-6634

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* Includes 1 table and 1 chair (20 tables available. first come first

FSA Booth is going to be placed in front office side

MAC meetings will be monthly! The Highgrove community meetings known as the Municipal Advisory

Council will meet each month except December. The meetings will be on the 4th Wednesday at 7:00 pm at the Highgrove Library located at 530 Center Street in Highgrove. The public is invited.

Due to financial constraints, representatives from Supervisor Tavaglione's office will come to every other meeting starting on March 27, 2013 but our MAC meetings will be monthly at the library on the 4th Wednesday.

Our next meeting will be on March 27, 2013. You are encouraged to attend.

Highgrove Day May 11, 20

Last year was a western theme called "Highgrove Hoedown" and the previous year it was a military theme with the 40 piece Riverside Concert Band playing patriotic music as three T-34 airplanes from March Air Reserve Base made several passes with smoke trailing behind.

But this year Highgrove goes Hawaiian! There will be Hawaiian music and dancers and if you have a Hawaiian shirt in the back of the closet it would be a good time to get it out, dust it off, and wear it to this year's Highgrove Day. Mark your calendar for the 128th community birthday celebration of Highgrove that is known as "Highgrove Day". As in the past, the pancake breakfast will be held at the Norton Younglove Community Center on Center Street and the car show and entertainment will be in the adjacent 5 acre Highgrove Community Park. Vendor applications and applications for the car show are available on-line by visiting our web site:

www.highgrovehappenings.net. Vendors can also call Denis Kidd at (909) 633 3992 and Car Show applicants can call "Barney" at (951) 683 4994.



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To Report illegal dumping in Riverside County online: http://user.govoutreach.com/riversideco/

New Colors of Highgrove T-Shirts available!

If you live in Highgrove you need a T-Shirt that has our Highgrove logo on the front and a 1916 Highgrove citrus label on the back. Some say: "Where Center St. is the main street and Main St. is at the edge of town" Others say: Where half of our main street is in the next county".

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HIGHGROVE SHERIFF REPORT

Highgrove Crime Activity

Part 1 Crimes decreased by 66.7% from 9 to 3 over the past two weeks in Highgrove.

The total of violent crimes increased by 100% from 0 to 1.

Robbery stayed the same at 0. Rape stayed the same at 0. Aggravated Assault increased by 100% from 0 to 1. Homicide stayed the same at 0. Property Crimes decreased by 77.8% from 9 to 2.

Burglary increased by 100% from 1 to 2. Auto Theft decreased by 100% from 1 to 0. Vehicle Burglary decreased by 100% from 1 to 0.

Larceny Theft decreased by 100% from 7 to 0. Arson stayed the same at 0. Call 911 for Emergencies only

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John Force: The legend continues......

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Anyone who has ever followed Drag racing knows who John Force is. For many years he has been trying to get to the finish line first in a straight line race called "Drag Racing". This 15 time champion has 3 daughters that are following in his footsteps or maybe I should say tire

Brittany

I took the above photo that was on the rear of one of the John Force's big rig trailers that was in the pits when we went to the Winternationals in Pomona on Feb. 17, 2013. We counted a total of 8 of these trailers with John Force's name where they were lined up together to create a temporary city in the parking lot.

tracks!

Brittany Force, left, is the latest daughter to race under the Force name and Courtney Force won the

tney Ashley
Funny Car class by defeating Ron Courtney Capps in the final race.

> The oldest of the 3 daughters, Ashley is not racing any more since she had her baby but her 2 sisters are carrying on the next generation of Funny Car drivers under the John Force name.

The NHRA racing season begins at the Fairplex in Pomona, tours the country, and ends up in Pomona again in November of the year.

This year was the 53 annual Winternationals. Although I have not been every year, my first Winternationals was in 1961. This year I went with Phil Turner, my teacher friend who lives in Grand Terrace, and Bill Murdock, a teacher at the Loma Linda University Medical School. We enjoyed an exciting day of racing!

Antron Brown survives terrific crash!



The dragster above is shown in the pits just prior to being completely destroyed in a terrible explosion near the end of the track. Shortly after this picture was taken we were headed back to the bleachers when the engine exploded at over 300 MPH resulting in the car turning onto it's left side, spinning around with the rear of the car hitting the concrete wall backwards. The remainder of the car frame with Antron Brown inside continued down the track backwards, crossed over onto the opposite lane and slid along the opposite wall backwards and off the end of the track into the sand. Sand and nets are used to stop cars at the end of the track. If you look closely you can see that the driver's compartment cockpit in front of the

engine has a clear canopy. This is a new addition to the safety aspect of drag racing and is now used on Don Schumacher race cars. Other cars in the top fuel class are not required to have an enclosed driver's canopy but after this accident I would not be surprised to see NHRA to require other cars to have similar protection. If you saw this accident on television you would not believe that anyone could have survived such an incident.

Thanks to NHRA and Schumacher racing, Antron Brown was able to walk away from this accident under his own power. The races were delayed for an hour and a half while they picked up the pieces and repaired the concrete wall.



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ABC MAKES A SPLASH IN RIVER-SIDE WITH NEW SHOW FILMING AT THE RIVERSIDE AQUATICS COM-

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RIVERSIDE, CA--Riverside City College, the City of Riverside and the Riverside Convention and Visitors Bureau are proud to welcome the ABC Television Network and the new celebrity diving competition series "Splash," produced by Eyeworks USA, to the Riverside Aquatics Complex, where the show will film. Opened in January 2011, the Olympic-standard aquatics venue has hosted USA Swimming Jr. Olympics and Diving Nationals, USA Synchronized Swimming competitions and CIF Southern Section Swimming and Diving Championships. Now, ABC and Eyeworks USA will bring the venue directly to a national television audience when "Splash" premieres on ABC on Tuesday, March 19 (8:00-9:00 p.m., ET).

"Riverside City College is buzzing with the news that a network show will be shot on campus," said RCC President Cynthia Azari. "Our staff worked hard putting all the pieces together in a very short period of time to make this happen. We have an outstanding aquatics complex and we are thrilled that 'Splash' will showcase the college nationally. This should be an incredible experience



for our students."

"Splash" marks the first time in America 10 celebrities will train and compete in regulation platform and springboard diving at dizzying heights in front of a weekly pool side audience. Leading up to the competition, the world's most decorated and meddled diving legend, Greg Louganis, will give each celebrity weeks of training. The judges, London Olympic U.S. Gold medalist David Boudia and Australian Olympic athlete and USA Dive Team director Steve Foley, will critique each dive. Celebrity divers include Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, Louie Anderson, Drake Bell, Chuy Bravo, Rory Bushfield, Nicole Eggert, Keshia Knight Pulliam, Ndamukong Suh, Katherine

A little bit of showbiz luckand efforts by RCC, the Riverside SPORTS Commission, Riverside Convention and Visitors Bureau and the City of Riverside--factored into the college becoming the shooting location for "Splash." Back in January, a production crew visited the

Webb, and Kendra Wilkinson.

Riverside Aquatics Complex to film a promotional spot for the show. A stellar experience that day, and some key production elements, prompted ABC and producers to consider RAC as the main production location. In less than a week--unusual in the industry--a deal was struck.

Executive Producer and Eyeworks USA CEO JD Roth, said, "The stars were aligned in more ways than one in forging the show's relationship with the Riverside Aquatics Complex, with the entire team stepping up as great partners. Riverside City College has a beautiful aquatics facility, absolutely world class, and we know our audience will find that it matches the show in visual allure and excitement, while also serving as a perfect backdrop for an authentic diving competition."

College officials say it was a priority of both ABC and Eyeworks USA not to impact students and classes, maintaining RCC's primary focus on education. Schedules were adjusted to satisfy both production needs and meet requirements for college classes and training sessions for RCC athletic teams and local clubs. To minimize disruptions to on-campus traffic and parking, construction of the temporary dome covering the

diving section of the pool began on the recent four-day weekend.

"All the groundwork has been done and, based upon the success of the promo shoot last month, we are confident that this partnership with Riverside City College and ABC brings tremendous opportunities and benefits to Riverside," said Debbi Guthrie from the Riverside Convention and Visitors Bureau. "We are thrilled to be working as a liaison to make things happen that benefit local businesses and our community. We can't wait until the show airs."

Production is scheduled from March 8 to April 17, and "Splash" producers welcome students and community members' involvement to "create a great, entertaining show." Students, they say, will work as runners or interns, and community members have a chance to be part of the live pool side audience during tappings.

"Splash" is from Eyeworks USA and is based on the breakout hit and Dutch format, "Celebrity Splash." The series is executive-produced by JD Roth, Todd A. Nelson, Brant Pinvidic and Josh Greenberg. For more information on "Splash," visit ABC.com/Splash.

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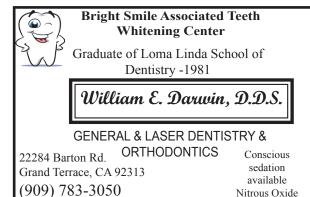


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A Message from Supervisor

John Tavaglione

Apply to Join Supervisor John Tavaglione's Second District **Youth Advisory Council:**

Supervisor John Tavaglione's Second District Youth Advisory Council is now accepting applications for the 2013-2014 school year.

The Second District Youth Advisory Council is composed of high school students who live in the Second District of Riverside County.

Highgrove is in the Second District of Riverside County.

The Second District council is joined together with one common goal in mind -- making a difference in their community. Youth Advisory Council members are leaders who aim to assist those in need, beautify the community, and raise awareness on various youth-related issues within Riverside County. The Council is dedicated to improving and empowering themselves, as well as the community, through service, and fellowship.

Membership includes biweekly meetings at the County Administrative Center in downtown Riverside for a one year term. High school students that are interested in applying to join the council should have an interest in community service and providing input on youth-related issues. Council members plan and participate in community events on a monthly basis, which makes the Youth Advisory Council a wonderful addition to any student's resume.

Applications will be accepted from January 15, 2013 - April 24, 2013.

For further information please contact the Second District Youth Advisory Council Coordinator, Tiffany Estevez, by phone (951) 955-1868 or via email to tpestevez@ rcbos.org.



Community Action Partnership of Riverside County's (CAP Riverside) Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program (VITA) launched the tax season on January 25, 2013. This date was recognized nationally as Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) Awareness Day.

EITC Awareness Day was designated to promote the earned income tax credit, which is provided as an incentive by the federal government for those who are or were employed during that tax-filing period. Some working families could qualify for up to \$5,800 in earned income tax credits. A tax return must be filed in order to claim the EITC. Many individuals do not file returns because they do not owe taxes, but by failing to file they miss out on this money which is rightfully theirs.

Last year, 47,000 Riverside County working families did not claim \$87 million earned income tax credits, resulting in a loss to the local economy as well as jobs. For working families making less than \$49,000, free tax preparation is provided through the VITA program as well as AARP.

CAP Riverside has over 200 IRS certified tax preparers and several tax center locations. Tax centers are available throughout Riverside County starting January 26, 2013; site location information is available by calling, 1-800-511-1101, 211.

Introducing Ed Sloman Second District Planning Commissioner



We are pleased to introduce Ed Sloman as our new Second District Planning Commissioner, and look forward to the professional expertise he will bring to the Riverside County Planning Commission. Ed is replacing John Snell who has been the Second District Planning Commissioner since Supervisor Tavaglione first appointed him during his first term as a county supervisor back in 1995. John has taken a new job which keeps him too busy to continue on the commission so he decided to resign. He has done an exceptional job and we are very grateful for nearly two decades of valuable service he has provided to the county.

Appointed to the Riverside County Planning Commission by the Board of Supervisors on January 8, 2013, Ed Sloman brings with him 40 years of industry experience. He has a Bachelor's Degree in Urban and Regional Planning from the California State Polytechnic University, Pomona. His varied experience includes city planner, homebuilder, and for the past 25 years he has served at KWC Engineers in Corona as Executive Vice President/ Principal. His community service includes participation as a City of Upland Planning Commissioner, Riverside County Flood Control Commissioner (Zone 2), member of the Riverside County Integrated Project Committee, Chairman of the Oversight Board to the Successor Agency for the City of Corona Redevelopment Agency, and Oversight Vice Chairman to the Successor Agency for Riverside County Redevelopment Agency. Ed is also a decorated Vietnam Veteran and a past president of Corona Rotary. He and his wife Kris reside in Corona.



SANBAG and RCTC are sharing responsibilities and costs for the current Project Approval/Environmental Document phase. Caltrans is providing oversight for this phase of work.

The project will replace the existing Barton Road interchange at Interstate 215. A longer bridge will be built over the freeway to accommodate both the new carpool lanes scheduled to be added to the freeway by late 2014 and the new general purpose lanes planned to be added by 2040. The project also will feature new on-ramps and off-ramps and realignment of local streets. The new bridge and ramps will allow for higher traffic volumes and reduce traffic delays.

Design alternatives are being considered for the project. Alternative designs will continue to be studied during the Project Approval/Environmental Document phase. Efforts are being made to minimize costs and the need to acquire property for the new interchange while considering accessibility to local streets.





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Do you recognize this sign? It is located by the Yum Yum Restaurant and the Shell Station on the east side of the I-215 freeway. The truck was headed south on La Cadena Dr. to Highgrove toward Iowa Ave. but the heavy load over the rear of the trailer, and excess speed for the curve, caused the trailer to turn over. Since the tractor remained attached to the trailer, the tractor also turned over. Fortunately the truck driver was not injured. This accident happened on Feb. 6, 2013 and closed the street for several hours.



This huge tow truck was called to help clean up the mess and get the road open again. The coil of steel is extremely heavy and hard to lift because it was laying on it's side. The flatbed trailer was twisted badly due to the flat bed turning over first from the rear toward the cab of the truck.





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First IE Cupcake Fair in Riverside to Benefit Two Local Charities Riverside, CALIFORNIA

The first annual Inland Empire Cupcake Fair will be held at the Riverside Auditorium & Events Center on March 17 and will benefit two local charities. The event will take place from 12-4 p.m. Admission is \$25. VIP is \$35.

Presented by IEShineOn.com, the event will showcase local cupcake bakeries and amateur bakers in a cupcake tasting competition. Proceeds will benefit the Foothill Family Shelter and the California Riverside Ballet.

General Admission includes six cupcake sampling tickets with admission. VIP Admission allows guests to enter the event an hour early at 11 a.m. They will also receive a goodie bag filled with free items and discount coupons for local dining, shopping and attractions.

Cupcake judging includes professional and amateur bakers, judged by a panel of experts. Event guests will also be encouraged to vote for their favorite professional and amateur cupcake as well. Live entertainment is planned with DJ's, performances and a complimentary photo booth.

"This is an exciting event and the first of its kind featuring the baking talent from across the Inland Empire," said Su Pak, Founder of IEShineOn.com. "We currently have nothing like it that promotes the art of cupcakes, which are very popular with families throughout the region. And it's for very worthwhile causes. The buzz has started and we're expecting over 2,000 to attend.

I'm also especially excited about the live entertainment and vendors we'll also be showcasing that day." She started IEShineOn.com "The Inland Empire Good Time Guide" an online resource to find the best events and attractions in the Inland Empire.

A Spa Zone offers free massages and other mini services by professional stylists. Parents can also drop off their kids at the Kids Zone, where they will be cared for by professional babysitters from Seeking Sitters Inland Empire.

All local professional and amateur bakers are encouraged to join the competition. They can use this sign-up form to enter. Entry is only \$50.

Event and Table sponsorships are available. All sponsors receive a free placement in the new Inland Empire Coupon Guide (http://www.ieshineon.com/coupons), offering another way to promote local business.

To learn more about the Cupcake Fair, marketing and sponsorships, visit IEShineOn.com or call Su Pak at 909-257-8862. Tickets can be purchased at: http://iecupcakefair.brownpapertickets.com.

Foothill Family Shelter is a nonprofit organization founded in 1984 which houses homeless adults and children for a period of up to 120 days, free of rent and utility charges. We also provide one-year transitional housing as well as permanent housing. The Foothill Family Shelter began as St. Mark's Homeless Shelter and currently serves as a transitional facility for homeless adults and children from the west end of San Bernardino County and the east end of Los Angeles County. Our mission is to assure children and adults a future by helping them acquire skills that will enable them to maintain a home, job, and at the same time develop the necessary self-esteem to function as a successful stable adult.

The California Riverside Ballet promoting excellence and enriching life through its presentation of the finest in classical and contemporary ballet. California Riverside Ballet accomplishes this through community outreach and performances, which educate and provide artistic experience to dancers and patrons alike. The Ballet cultivates awareness of this traditional art expression to benefit the Community and the Arts.

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Riverside Eagles Aerie 997 Celebrates 108 years!



L-R: Eagles State Father, Larry Lavender from Hesperia; State Mother, Kathy Lavender, Hesperia; Shelly Knappenberger, Oxnard Eagles; Peter Akers, Eagles State President, Folsom; Frenchie DeVille, past Riverside Eagles President; Eddie Mote, Riverside Eagles President; Larry

Steketee, Eagles State Vice President, Santa Barbara; Larry Gibson, State Chaplin, Oroville, California.

Eagles hold open house!

On Feb. 23, 2013, the weekend after the 108th birthday party, the Eagles Aerie # 997 hosted an open house where the public was invited to learn more about the good work the Eagles do in the community and how funds are raised for several different charities. The event was well attended and was a fund raiser for the Eagles Aerie 997.

We thank Pete Parsons from Grand Terrace Radio, AM 1640, for giving the Eagles Open House coverage as a Public Service Announcement.



The Riverside V. F. W. presented the colors as part of the celebration.



The 108th birthday party was well attended and included a great Lasagna dinner that was cooked by Don Boyd, who is an Eagles Trustee, assisted by the ladies auxiliary who worked in the kitchen and served the food. The Eagles hall is for rent. For more information call: (951) 683 7770



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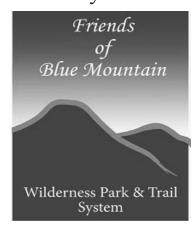
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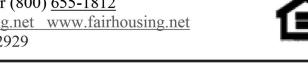
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DEVILS DEN

by Dennis Wilds

"Good to thee you could make it tonithe." Baby said greeting the three Zundappers. He found himself grinning again at the sight of two grown men sitting there wearing cotton sacks for clothes. He noticed David there between them idly playing with Caesar's switch blade knife.

"Geth any money for dem pop boddas David?" Baby said to the

"Yep. Bought me some licorice." David said grinning back with blackened teeth. "Want some?" David added holding a paper sack out toward Baby.

"No thankth, but thankth anyway David." Baby said trying not to laugh at the kids teeth. Something told Baby that these three would escape salvation tonight, but he was heartened by their attendance, knowing full well they were there mainly just to stay out of the rain.

Excusing himself and getting back to work, Baby headed back toward the trailer to get ready himself for the show.

Once the dishes were washed and stacked back next to the butane stove, Leila had Delphia follow her to the trailer again where she opened up a box of hand me down clothes with a "Ladies" label handwritten on the side. "Delphia, let's look through this and see if we can find something that fits you." Delphia watched quietly as Baby's mama laid out three or four dresses on the bed. "Try those on for now and I'll keep looking." Leila said with her back to Delphia. Within a few minutes Delphia had found a yellow print dress that seemed to fit fairly well. Leila produced a box of women's shoes from under the bed and left Leila to try some on for size. While Delphia tried on the shoes, Leila sat down in front of the tiny pianola and began a brief keyboard practice routine. Now this really amazed Delphia who stopped with the shoes and just sat there watching over Leila's shoulder as Leila played a few scales and a melody or two of Beethoven and Mozart. Sensing she had an audience, Leila looked over heard this music before?", as she bed. began "Fur Elise". Captivated, Del-

phia watched and listened in wonder as Leila played the two-hundred year old Beethoven love song to her audience of one. Playing the piece in its entirety, Leila turned to Delphia and said, "That is Danny's favorite music of all time."

"Do you play that at the revival?" Delphia asked Leila.

"Oh, no. For the revival Danny and I have certain tunes we use to communicate with each other and to help the service along."

"What do you mean, communicate?"

"Well, when Danny is ready to enter from the back of the tent and get the revival started, I take my place up on the stage and just start playing the organ. Usually I start out with a piece called "Ode to Joy" because it is upbeat and needs to be played a little loud and it gets the attention of the audience and everyone knows to take their seats. Near the end of the music, Danny strides up on the stage and motions for all to be seated that are still standing. Danny then says some opening words and a prayer and then he begins his sermon. From where I sit at the pump organ, I can watch Danny's arm gestures and I will play the appropriate chords to emphasize his body language."

Delphia struggled to follow and understand Leila but she was still all ears as Leila would hit a dramatic chord or two matching them with a "Hosanna" or a "Hallelujahs, praise God" or "Amen, brothers and sisters". Sitting there behind Leila holding a pair of donated shoes in her hands, Delphia felt Goosebumps on her arms listening to the pianola sounds fill the small trailer bedroom.

Leila began playing the "Hallelujah Chorus" and she sang the first few bars too, surprising Delphia. Stopping abruptly, Leila explained that was the cue for the beginning of the testimonial procession and the healings part of the revival where the audience was invited up to the stage where Danny, Baby and another assistant would lay hands on those who asked for a healing.

"How long is the revival?" Delphia asked as she put on the pair of her shoulder and asked, "Have you pumps and stood up at the end of the

"Start to finish, may be a couple

Phil's Philosophy

by Phil Turner

Mandatory Service/ The Draft

I would like to put forward the argument that some sort of mandatory service be put back in place. This service could take many forms: one of the branches of the military, The Peace Corps, The Conservation Corps, community and faith based organizations, and so forth. The service would be predicated on the needs of the country/community. The president and congress would determine how many positions to fill, and where the positions would be allocated.

There should be no exemptions, except the obvious physical and mental. All Americans between the ages of 18 and 25 should serve two years. I recall that when I was drafted, we all went. I served with people from very low income levels, and little education, to those from wealthy families, and very well educated. A place should be found for all to serve.

Many countries around the world have mandatory service. Very neutral countries such as Switzerland and Sweden have mandatory service. Countries with very military traditions and security issues such as Israel and South Korea have a "draft", or something similar.

Young people often have not found a direction. These programs would give the young an opportunity to leave the

nest and see the world for themselves. The training they would receive could lead to a career in the military, or discover a trade that interests them. They might find a knowledge that they have contributed and given back.

Young people participating in this service should earn tuition for four years of college. Those not interested in college, might receive tuition for trade or technical training.

Over the years our military numbers have become relatively very small, compared to the numbers that served in the world wars, Korea and Viet Nam. The burden of military service have been shouldered by very few. In my youth virtually every ones dad served in the war. Our moms worked in defense plants. Everyone took part in the defense of our country. Maybe it's time that everyone take part in the rebuilding of our country. We have generations of people now that have no real stake in our country or community. They don't even know anyone that have served. This would, I feel, be a uniting force, knowing that we each have helped protect and rebuild our country.

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hours unless there's trouble."

"What do you mean by trouble?" "Well, say for instance if one of the local religious leaders takes exception to something Danny says or does up on stage or if someone shows up drunk and tries to disrupt the show. I watch for trouble makers as does Oral. Oral will have visited with most of the audience as they are seated and he will point out someone to me to keep an eye on if he is suspicious of them. You know religion attracts the good and the bad and, unfortunately, the crazies too. We see them all at the revivals and part of my job is to warn Danny and Oral during the healings if I spot trouble in the audience while they have their hands full on the stage.

"How do you do that Miss Lei-

Turning back to the pianola, Leila hit three quick hard 'G's and one long 'E flat' on the keyboard making an ominous 'Ta Ta Ta...Dummm' melody and turned and looked back at Delphia saying "That's Beethoven's opening of his Fifth Symphony called "Fate Is At The Door". Leila added, "If Danny and Oral hear that they know to stop what they are doing and expect trouble."

Leila had enjoyed her audience of one and felt like staying right there and playing more music but Danny poked his head inside the door and said "It's time honey. Are you ready yet?" "Give me five more minutes and I'll be there.







Name That Immune Tune

By Craig Doussett, Assistant Director of Education, Clark's Nutrition

"I want a new drug, one that won't make me sick!" These catchy lyrics by Huey Lewis and the News are fun to sing along to even on the days when we feel run down and spent. Experts agree that while we cannot completely eradicate the cold and flu season, we can lessen the severity and to some extent shorten the duration of colds that befall us. There are three main strategies to boosting the immune system and ensuring that we have prepared the best defense possible against being overly sick. The strategies are to eat well, exercise often, and to protect our mental health and happiness. While this is easily written, it is not easily accomplished so here are the steps in each strategy that will make us confident that we are on our way to a healthier season.

Firstly, always make sure to get plenty of vitamin C in foods like oranges, strawberries, kiwis, and peppers as well as getting adequate zinc and vitamin D which are showing tremendous promise as immune system modulators. Foods high in zinc are,

- •Dark Chocolate •Pumpkin seeds •Garlic •Chickpeas (think hummus) Foods high in vitamin D are,
- •Fish •Dairy •Fortified foods such as cereals and orange juice •Mushrooms

Here is an immune system boosting meal idea. Try baked salmon with sautéed mushrooms and sprinkle on a tablespoon of pumpkin seeds, serve with whole wheat pasta with garlic/ tomato sauce, and for dessert, some strawberries with a 3 oz serving of dark chocolate (70% dark).

Next is physical activity, which in times of weather fluctuations can

be hard to fit in. Try splitting up the activities into 3 separate blocks of 10 minutes throughout the day and consider your work space a place to stretch, squeeze, and flex muscles that are normally sedentary. Calf raises, crunches, and flexing muscles can be a great way to get the blood flowing and also try challenging coworkers to participate, this helps create an atmosphere of fun and health. Our immune system is dependent on motion and physical exertion to move lymph fluid through our bodies which is carrying valuable immune cells to their destinations. By keeping our immune cells mobile we can help ensure that our response to outside invaders is maximized.

A critical component of our immune system is our happiness and state of mental health. While it is true that laughter is the best medicine, it is people that engage in healthy pursuits that have the most to laugh about. Seek out people that are upbeat and have the same desire to be healthy and happy and continue to eat well and exercise often.

Lastly, being in a hurry is everyone's threat to a healthy immune system and incorporating multivitamins containing zinc, C, & D can be very beneficial to supporting immune health. Also, look for formulations prepared with mushroom and garlic extracts that have been used to boost the immune system in various cultures for thousands of years. These extracts are safe to use and have the added benefit of helping our bodies prepare to fight off a variety of attacks from germs. Try this three-pronged approach to boosting the immune system and have your best and healthiest year ever.

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In fact, by staying on the investment sidelines, or at least by avoiding long-term, growth-oriented investments, you may incur several risks. Here are some to consider:

- You might not keep up with inflation. If you put all your money under the proverbial "mattress," or, more realistically, you keep it all in "cash" instruments and very shortterm investments, you might think you are "playing it safe." After all, you might reason, your principal is protected, so even if you don't really make any money, you're not losing it, either. But that's not strictly true, because if your money is in investment vehicles that don't even keep up with inflation, you can lose ground. In fact, even at a relatively mild three percent annual inflation rate, your purchasing power will decline by about half in just 25 years.
- You might outlive your money. For a 65-year-old couple, there's a 50 percent chance that one spouse will live past age 90, according to the Society of Actuaries. This statistic suggests that you may need your investments to help provide enough income to sustain you for two, or even three, decades in retirement.
- You might not be able to maintain your financial independence. Even if you don't totally run out of money, you could end up scrimping

become somewhat dependent on your grown children for financial assistance. For most people, this prospect is unacceptable. Consequently, you'll want to make appropriate financial decisions to help maintain your financial independence.

- You might not be able to retire on your terms. You would probably like to decide when you retire and how you'll retire — that is, what sort of lifestyle you'll pursue during retirement. But both these choices may be taken out of your hands if you haven't invested enough to retire on your own terms.
- You might not be able to leave the type of legacy you desire. Like most people, you would probably like to be able to leave something behind to your family and to those charitable organizations you support. You can help create this type of legacy through the appropriate legal vehicles — i.e., a will, a living trust and so on — but you'll still need to fund these mechanisms somehow. And that means you'll need to draw on all your financial assets, including your investments.

Work with your financial advisor to determine the mixture of growth and income investments you need during your working years and as you move toward retirement to help you meet your retirement goals. However you do it, get into the habit of investing, and never lose it — because the risks of not investing are just too great.

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California Dreaming by Dr. Cynthia Williams

A Remembrance: Roland Hampton shared his avocados with those by Cynthia Williams, DC who were truly worthy and ap-

Our family lost a darling man recently. Roland Hampton was my mother's sister's husband; born in Calvin, Oklahoma in 1931, he left when he joined the Army in WWII. He ended up in California where he married my Aunt Pinky and settled down in Riverside, working at March Air Force Base as a Civil Engineer; he then retired and eased into the good life in Grand Terrace.

Roland was the nicest, most easy going guy; he was fun, playing jokes and full of silly tricks. He could talk like Donald Duck, would tease us girls about our non-existent boyfriends, ask the boys if they were kissing girls and watch us all giggle and blush. My brother Mark remembers that Roland loved sports and he was a Little League Baseball coach for several years for his son Rick's team in Riverside. He was an avid football fan and fiercely loyal to the Dallas Cowboys. We knew not to mess with his Cowboys!

Roland kept a nice little garden but variety wasn't his thing. He usually grew tomatoes. Boy how those tomatoes grew! He had a wonderful variety and they kept coming all summer long. He was nice enough to share the fruits of his labor too. He also had an avocado tree, which he would share as well, but he only

shared his avocados with those who were truly worthy and appreciative of this beautiful fruit. I am thankful I made the short list. He loved his avocados; my sister Beanie knew "Don't mess with his avocado tree!"

Roland was a very skilled and talented handyman. He seemed to know a lot about how to fix or build anything. He built his beautiful home in Grand Terrace he and did many of the remodels and changes around the house inside and out. When I opened my office in Grand Terrace he was my number one man, spending many hours along with my mom and dad and family and friends helping me to get the electrical wiring done, walls up, the trim painted and nailed and he made sure everything was in working order. He was my hero many times when I had an electrical or plumbing problem at my office or house. He would show up with his little canvas tool bag with the essentials for simple repairs. If he needed to he would run home and get another tool or part or do-dad to fix whatever was broken. He was truly indispensably. I learned a lot about the little household repairs everyone has to deal with from time to time and I use those skill even now. My brother Dana said "He taught me the science of

plumbing, and I've never forgotten it."

My brother Randy used to work "down the hill" at the Bluff's. Uncle Roland and my cousin Rick used to pop in there for dinner, chit-chat and talk about what was going on at the restaurant and in the neighborhood. He was a great one for getting around and visiting. Never shy, always with a smile on his face, he would pop into my chiropractic office in Grand Terrace or to my friend Barbara's office in San Bernardino, just to say "Hi". He was a welcome visitor with us and I know the neighbors loved his visits too. He would share interesting news about the neighbors and family, ask how family was doing, and he would keep us up to date on what projects he was working on at home. He could chat up a storm and it was always so nice to visit with him.

He was a wonderful family man, devoted to his daughter Barbie, son Ricky and his wife "Pinky" and all his grandchildren. After my father passed away twenty years ago we became much closer and I thought of him as a second dad for me. He was

an admirable, loving son-in-law, taking my grandmother "Momo" to the doctor, helping to get her up and about, and helping to make sure she had all she needed to the end of her ninety-eight years.

He was loved very much by his family including us nieces and nephews. I asked my sister Darcy about Roland and she replied "He was the gentlest man I ever knew. Always a smile, a hug and a laugh. I never heard him say a mean word about anyone." He was truly a kind and gentle man, so full of fun and joy. Roland Hampton passed away like he lived his life: peacefully, with no fuss, with a loving family at his side. Roland was a good ol' Oklahoma farm boy with an easy country charm that rolled in sweet and slow and felt warm and comfy long after he'd gone. Always the kidder, he was fond of ending a visit by saying "Thanks for coming by; I'm glad you got a chance to see me." I am very glad we all had a chance to see him. We will miss him so much.







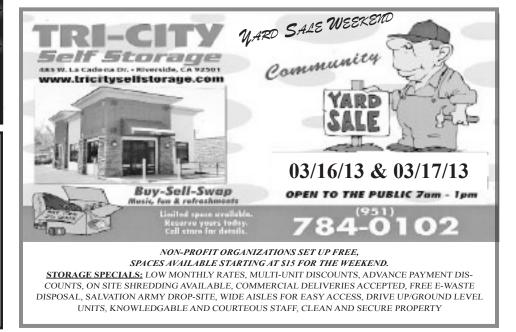


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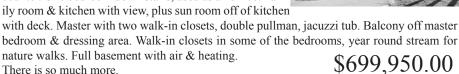
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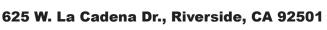
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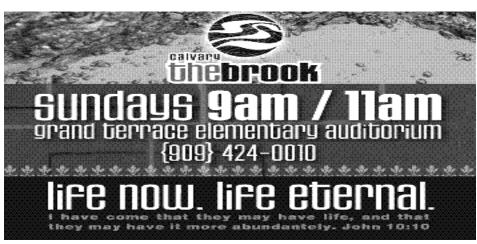
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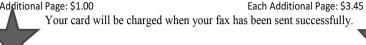
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