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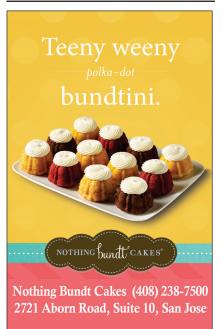
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S.T.E.A.M FESTIVAL

Get ready for 'Hot San Jose Nights 2015' at Reid Hillview Airport

By William Bellou
Publisher

he 7th Annual "Hot San Jose Nights 2015" and S.T.E.A.M Festival will be twice the size as last year when the event gets underway Saturday, July 11 from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. at Reid Hillview Airport.

It's a huge family fun event bringing together car guys and gals showing off an incredible array of custom hot rods, muscle cars, sports cars, survivors, new and special interest cars, and vintage aircraft.

The National Anthem will be sung at noon See S.T.E.A.M., page 3

Evergreen's Matt Stonie beats Joey Chestnut in Coney Island Hot Dog Eating Contest

By William Bellou
Publisher

att "Magatoad" Stonie, 32, is the new hot dog eating champion defeating Joey "Jaws" Chestnut by eating 62 hot dogs in 10 minutes at Nathan's Famous in Coney Island, New York on July 4.

Chestnut, 31, downed 60 dogs and buns. It's Chestnut's first loss in eight years at the New York event. Stonie takes home a \$10,000 check.

Stonie, who lives in Evergreen Valley said he is looking forward to a rematch with Chestnut next year. "Obviously I hope that See HOT DOG, page 3



Matt Stonie of Evergreen Valley (R) celebrates after defeating long time defending champion Joey Chestnut (L) at Nathan's Famous Fourth of July International Hot-dog eating contest in Coney Island. Photo by Peter Foley/EPA

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Evergreen Teachers' Association awards seven college scholarships

By Jean Schorr Special to the Times

Reachers' Association has granted scholarships to outstanding graduating seniors who attended school in the Evergreen School District this year as it has for 30 years.

This year, the Evergreen Teachers' Association held its second annual Scholarship Donation Drive to help support this program.

The Scholarship Committee was overwhelmed by the generosity of teachers, administrators, district office personnel, board members, and retirees. The Donation Drive brought in \$4,000 for this year's scholarships. It is very clear that it continues to be the Evergreen Community's vision, to award scholarships to former students as they pursue their education.

The Evergreen Elementary Education Foundation for collaborating with ETA to establish a bank account for future scholarship donations.

The Scholarship Committee is made up two current Evergreen School District teachers: Debbie Earl and Jean Schorr, and two retired teachers: Diane Clemmensen and Lisa Johnson. Abby Schorr, a teacher at Katherine Smith Elementary served on the committee this year.

This year, 33 applicants applied and 18 of these students moved on to the interview process. These 18 highly high school seniors came from ten different high schools: Evergreen Valley, Mitty, Mount Pleasant, Oak Grove, Overfelt, Saint Francis, Silver Creek, Sobrato, Summit Rainier, and Valley Christian. Students were evaluated on their academic plans and career goals, financial need, and community service.

Having a strong sense of volunteerism and giving back to the community comes naturally to these students. They immerse themselves in high school by taking challenging classes, playing varsity sports, members of clubs, holding ASB positions, all while maintaining strong GPA's. Many even hold down part-time jobs.

2015 ETA Scholarship Recipients

Isaiah Donnell - Quimby Oak Middle School, Oak Grove High School (University of Nevada, Reno)

Juan Morfin - Katherine Smith



Above: (L to R) Jacqueline Yago, Emily Spacek, Juan Morfin, Jose Rocha, Azra Hill, Isaiah Donnell, Vijay Shimoga. Below: (L to R) Azra Hill (Carol Jacklitch Memorial Scholarship), Emily Spacek (Alan Haydis Scholarship), Jacqueline Yago (Angelica Rodriguez Memorial Scholarship).



"Having a strong sense of volunteerism and giving back to the community comes naturally to these students."

Elementary, Leyva Middle School, Overfelt High School (DeAnza Community College)

Jose Rocha - Carolyn Clark Elementary, Quimby Oak Middle School, Evergreen Valley High School (USAFA Prep School)

VijayShimoga -TomMatsumotoElementary, ChaboyaMiddleSchool, EvergreenHighSchool (UC San Diego)

In addition, a special scholarship is awarded annually, The Carol Jacklitch Memorial Scholarship.

Mrs. Jacklitch taught in Evergreen School District for 38 years. Carol loved teaching and was highly respected by her colleagues and adored by her students. She taught at Cadwallader and Holly Oak Elementary Schools. She also taught at Quimby Oak Middle School where she taught American and World History. She spent over 20 years serving as the chairperson of the Scholarship Committee and awarded over 100 student scholarships. We honor her passion in education by naming this special yearly scholarship in her memory.

The 2015 Carol Jacklitch Memorial Scholarship recipient is Azra Hill. Azra attended OB Whaley, Leyva Middle School, and Mount Pleasant High School. She will be attending CSU Fullerton.

An excerpt from Azra's application:

"A few years ago I was at Great America unaware that it was Deaf

line for an intense roller coaster ride when I noticed a group a deaf students in front of me. Their fluid motions and intense facial expressions mesmerized me. I was used to people verbally speaking to each other in different languages, since it's what I grew up around. But seeing a group of people communicate and have an entire conversation in a way that I didn't understand nor comprehend was unexpected and new. A translator was with them, but for the most part, they interacted in their own way. I thought to myself, now this is something I want to know more about. I was hooked, intrigued and interested and I wanted, no needed to learn more."

Azra commitment to learning, strong work ethic, and love of children makes her a perfect choice for this scholarship.

Another special scholarship that we award each year is the Alan Haydis Scholarship.

Mr. Alan Haydis taught the appreciation of music in our middle schools and is now enjoying his well-deserved retirement, after 38 years of teaching! He started as a traveling music teacher, taught 5th grade, and started teaching music at Leyva when it first opened in 1973. He taught concert band, jazz band, chorus, and guitar. Leyva's Marching Band received many awards under his direction. He remembers students who came into his class failing other classes, but earned an A in his music class and felt success for the first time ever. We honor Mr. Haydis's dedication to the students of Evergreen with this yearly scholarship. This scholarship is awarded to a student who exhibits a passion for the Arts.

The 2015 Alan Haydis Scholarship is awarded to Emily Spacek. Emily attended Evergreen Elementary and Evergreen Valley High School. She will be attending Cal Poly San Luis Obispo this fall.

Emily's application read, "Music See SCHOLARSHIPS, page 4

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Times **News**

S.T.E.A.M.

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with CAP Colorguards flags to honor America with a synchronized flyover by famous stunt pilot Jarod Flohr.

The event is sponsored by S.T.E.A.M (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Math) and supported by the VMC Foundation and Dave Cortese. Hot San Jose Nights supports many other car shows and charities.

S.T.E.A.M will feature more than 100 booths filled with fun hands on things for the kids. The "Make and Take" Model experts will be on hand at the "Make and Take" section to teach kids about making models. For the adults, there will be a BBQ cooking show.

The event features live music and food. Those attending the event may bring chairs and coolers according to event organizer Mike Hennessey.

It's not just a car show, it's an event for the entire family," said Hennessey. "Hot San Jose Nights is designed to be a very family friendly event with lots of entertainment and lots to do," he said.

The Military Vehicles Collectors of California will be bringing several different military vehicles to display this year. More than 500 model cars will be displayed at the

"NNL West Model Car Show."
Admission, parking and shuttles are free.

Event highlights

- Show expanded to twice the size of last year
- year Featuring more than 300 classic cars
- Featuring 60 airplanes on display
- 200 booths designed around S.T.E.A.M. for children of all ages
- Many hands on activities for kids such as building models sitting in airplanes, firetrucks, and a real race car
- Tours of Reid Hillview's aviation businesses
- Honoring outstanding local citizens for their dedication to charity work
- Three local popular bands
- Flyover at noon to synchronize with the National Anthem
- BBQ cooking show
- Special Vintage Car display more than 100 years old
- See some of the newest cars on the market from local car dealer
- Display from The Tech Shop with hands on electric cars
- Great tasting food available from an array of food trucks
- The famous On Stage Freebies, a Mike Hennessy tradition
- Free entry and free parking for the public



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Hot dog

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Joey comes back," said
Stonie.

Stonie said he trained hard for the event and 'came prepared.'

Chestnut, who had won the hot dog eating contest every year since 2007, just couldn't catch up.

Stonie's nickname, Megatoad, is from the character Toad who appears in the Super Mario Bros video game

The next big competitive eating event is the Hooters Worldwide Wing Eating Championship in which Chestnut won first place last year and Stonie placed third.





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Friends and Family of Angelica Rodriquez: (L to R) **Sylvia DeLeon, Ruth Martinez, Jaqueline Yago** (Angelica Rodriquez Memorial Scholarship Recipient) **Karen Gaeta, Helen Gaeta**.

Scholarships

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has been a part of my life since I started piano lessons at age four. This passion has allowed me to acquire the skills to play three instruments, attend renowned music camps, earn a spot in my high school's top ensemble, land a job teaching music, and embark on a trip to New York to play in the prestigious Carnegie Hall.

"In middle school, I made first chair alto saxophone my first year in the district jazz band. Years later, I have returned to that jazz program to teach. I see myself in each one of my students. As a young musician, I received much of my encouragement and motivation from my teachers. Now as a teacher, I hope to offer my students the same. Everyday I push my students, urging them to practice daily even if it means missing out on an extra hour of video games. I remind them of the opportunities music will bring them, just as it has brought me. My goal has always been to inspire and positively impact the lives of others. Music has given me the opportunity to exercise this goal."

Not only is music a passion of Emily's but advocating for others is as well. A few years ago, Emily was involved in a school project and the goal was simple: get people to notice the technology gap between schools in East San Jose and schools in other areas, and to acquire effective technological resources to support teaching and learning.

In her application, Emily further explains her experience with this project and how it inspired her college path.

"Leaving a Footprint" was the title of my blog entry. What I aspire to do most is to leave a positive footprint. This advocacy project was the first time I realized that I could make a difference. The blog gave me not only a voice, but an opportunity to use it to stand up for something I believe in: justice and equality. Writing the blog and being an active participant in this project unveiled for me a career goal that entails using my writing and speaking skills to advocate for social justice. My goal is to work in a field that allows me to leave the ultimate footprint: positive change in regards to creating a more equal world."

In addition to the above scholarships, a very special scholarship was awarded this year, the Angelica Rodriquez Memorial Scholarship. Angelica was a fourth grade teacher at Millbrook Elementary School who passed away unexpectedly in December 2014. Ms. Rodriquez's family and colleagues at Millbrook Elementary School donated money

to make this scholarship a reality.

While attending UC Santa Barbara, Ms. Rodriquez was in a serious car accident. The doctors did not think she would ever walk or talk ever again. However, Ms. Rodriquez had a different plan and proved the doctors wrong. She worked hard every day to get better and was able to continue working toward her dream of being a teacher. She made it back to UC Santa Barbara where she received her Master's Degree in Education.

Ms. Rodriquez came back to Evergreen, the very district she attended school. She taught at Montgomery, Cedar Grove, Leyva, and Millbrook. Fellow colleagues described Ms. Rodriquez as positive, generous, selfless, giving, caring, compassionate, dedicated, steadfast, gentle, and genuine. She was further described as having a heart of gold, always finding the good in people, would give the shirt off her back for anyone in need, didn't have a mean bone in her body, and loving with no boundaries.

Ms. Rodriquez was passionate about technology and how best to share it with the students at Millbrook. She helped to set up the Millbrook Computer Lab and kept it running smoothly. In June, Millbrook Elementary held a school wide celebration to honor Ms. Rodriquez and her contributions to Millbrook School. Millbrook's technology room was renamed the Angelica Rodriquez Technology Room.

The 2015 Angelica Rodriquez Memorial Scholarship Recipient is Jacqueline Yago. Jacqueline attended Matsumoto, Evergreen Elementary, and Ann Sobrato High School. She will be attending UCLA in the fall majoring in Political Science pursuing a career in immigration law.

Her application read, "I have been raised surrounded by my diverse heritage and this has strengthened my appreciation for all cultures as well as taught me to empathize with people who have worked hard to achieve their goals. It is this environment and my family's desire to better the lives of their loved ones that has inspired me to pursue a career in immigration law so that I can advocate for families like mine."

Jacqueline and Angelica share some special commonalities. Jacqueline and Angelica were both students in the Evergreen School District. Jacqueline's mother is a teacher at JF Smith Elementary and Angelica's mom was an ELD teacher in the district.

Those interested in donating to the scholarship program can make checks out to ETA Scholarship Fund and send to Jean Schorr at Millbrook School, 3200 Millbrook Drive, San Jose, CA 95148.

Times **Feature**

32nd 'National Night Out' to be held August 4

By William Bellou

Publishe

he 32nd Annual *National Night Out* (NNO) is scheduled for Tuesday, August 4 and the deadline for registering Evergreen and Silvercreek neighborhoods is July 24.

National Night Out is a crime and drug prevention event that is sponsored nationally by the National Association of Town Watch and co-sponsored locally by the San Jose Police Department.

Local neighborhoods will be hosting a variety of events ranging from small potlucks and BBQ's to large block parties. Some additional event ideas include ice cream socials, disaster preparedness, games, and contests.

"If you haven't experienced a National Night Out event, you're missing a fun time," said Rose Herrera, Vice Mayor and Evergreen District Councilmember. "For the past six years, I've had the privilege of visiting dozens of NNO events and I've met some fantastic neighbors – all involved in making our local neighborhoods safer by getting to know the people who share fence lines," she said.

NNO gatherings include long tables of homemade, potluck dishes, and small gatherings in a driveway with take-out pizza in the newest and oldest subdivisions.

This year more than 38 million people across the country are expected to participate.

National Night Out is designed to:

- Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness
- Generate support for, and participation in, local anti-crime prevention efforts
- Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police/community partnerships
- Send a message to criminals that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back

"No two National Night Out events are alike, but they all seek to accomplish the same goal – to promote police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make our neighborhoods a safer, better place to live," said Herrera.

Registration is free and gives police and



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other city representatives an opportunity to attend local events as time and circumstances permit. You do not have to be a current Neighborhood Watch neighborhood to participate.

The city of San Jose is a nationally registered participant in this year's event, and the permits are due on or before Friday July 24, 2015. Event planners must submit a completed Outdoor Special Event Permit Application no later than 4:00 p.m. on Friday, July 24, 2015 at: www.sjpd.org/BFO/Community/Crimeprev/N NORegistration.asp

Permit process

If park use or street block closures are necessary, special permits are required. If the event will be held at a city park, contact the Special Park Use Unit for information and rules at: (408) 794-6500 or email: SPUapplications@sanjoseca.gov. City park permit applications must also be submitted by July 21, 2015.

Those planning a street closure for a block party must obtain a Block Party Application from the Permits Unit at: http://www.sjpd.org/PDF_Forms/BlkPart yInst-App.pdf Block Party Street Closure. Applications must be submitted by July 26, 2015. If your event is open to the general public and food will be served, please contact the Health Department regarding Special Event and/ or Health Permits: (408) 918-3400 and www.EHinfo.org. Health Department applications must be submitted by July 21, 2015. If you have any questions contact: SJPD Crime Prevention Unit at (408) 277-4133

Evergreen fire caused by illegal fireworks

two-alarm residential fire was reported at roughly 9:44 p.m. on the 800 block of Yerba Buena Road due to fireworks falling on the home's patio July

San Jose Fire Department personnel were able to contain the fire before 11 p.m. before engulfing the home.

The resident of the home said he saw fireworks land in his backyard patio. He said he attempted to put it out but the fire ignited his home. The fire also threatened the home behind him.

According to Fire Captain Mitch Matlow, neighbors continued to set off fireworks while fire crews battled the inferno. "When our crews were on scene they were watching other neighbors still launching fireworks," said Matlow.

The fire displaced the house's four occupants.

Individuals who possess, stores, sells, or uses any materials deemed to be fireworks in

the city can be arrested and fined up to \$1000.

Gas prices stabilize; 75.6 cents lower per gallon than same day a year ago

verage retail gasoline prices in San Jose have not moved in the past week, averaging \$3.36/gal yesterday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 427 gas outlets in San Jose.

The \$3.36/gal price compares with the national average that has fallen 0.6 cents per gallon in the last week to \$2.77/g, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com.

Including the change in gas prices in San Jose during the past week, prices this week were 75.6 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago and are 15.2 cents per gallon lower than a month ago. The national average has increased 1.2 cents per gallon during the last month and stands 88.5 cents per gallon lower than this day one year ago.





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Times Community News

Are your teens bored this summer? SCC Library District says: 'No excuses'

ccording to a recent report, 'Accelerating Achieve-Iment, "authored by the National Summer Learning Association (NSLA) and funded by the

David and Lucile Packard Foundation, the summers before and after middle school are some of the most critical transitions in a young person's academic career.

The transition from eighth to Education Week article, a ninth ninth grade is one of the most pivotal phases in a student's education, and one of the most treacherous. In fact, according to a 2011

grade student is three to five times more likely to fail a class than students in any other grade. Teens who continue to read and learn

over the summer are better prepared for these transitions.

Santa Clara County Library District's Summer Challenge provides teens with fun, entertaining and educational ways to continue learning over the summer. Unmask! Every Hero has a Story, the theme of this year's Summer Challenge for teens, runs through August 15.

All SCCLD libraries are offering special programs for youth ages 13-18, including tech workshops, henna art, and graphic novel making workshops. For a full schedule of events, visit our online calendar or check in with your local teen librarian.

"According to the NSLA, only about one-third of households participate in a summer learning opportunity," said Emily Lo, Chair, Joint Powers Authority of Santa Clara County Library District and Saratoga City Council member. "We challenge all households with school age children to try at least one new summer program this year. Not only are these activities fun, but they are free.'

"SCCLD has worked to create distinctive programs and activities that are part of the Summer Challenge that teens will find appealing," stated Nancy Howe, County Librarian. From knitting classes, programming courses, and Zumba exercises to movie matinees. Teen Lock-ins and even Minecraft, teens have plenty from which to choose.

Teens also have access to thousands of resources at their local libraries that can help them stay engaged this summer, including movies, books, music CDs, language courses, and eBooks. Should they have extra time to spare, teens (14-17) are welcome to volunteer at their local libraries; applications are accepted on a rolling basis as space becomes Contact your local available. library for schedules and volunteer opportunities.

To find out more about these programs, go to www.sccl.org.

Citizens Watchdog Committee Report to the Public

2000 Measure A Sales Tax Activities – Fiscal Year 2014 (7/1/13 - 6/30/14)

Measure A, approved by Santa Clara County voters in 2000, is a 30-year half cent sales tax generating revenue to enhance the county's public transit system. Although revenue collection did not begin until 2006, numerous Measure A Program accomplishments have been achieved during the first eight years, all significantly benefitting county residents and commuters.

A few key Fiscal Year 2014 accomplishments are:

- VTA's Extension of BART to Silicon Valley, which will provide more transportation options and reduce congestion, is ahead of schedule and under budget. Service projected to start late 2017.
- Santa Clara/Alum Rock BRT will provide faster, more frequent service with increased customer convenience and amenities. Construction initiated during the period.
- Eastridge Transit Center renovation initiated to provide increased capacity, real time information, and enhanced passenger comfort, safety, and accessibility.

Santa Clara County voters entrusted the Citizens Watchdog Committee (CWC), comprised of fellow community members, with overseeing Measure A expenditures to ensure your sales tax dollars are spent as intended by the ballot. After thorough and careful consideration:

It is the conclusion of the CWC that, for the period of FY 2014 (7/1/13 - 6/30/14), 2000 Measure A tax dollars were spent in accordance with the intent of the measure.

Additional Measure A information is available on VTA's website, including:



ter Rail Projects ain, ACE, etc.) \$5.8

CWC Measure A FY14 Benefits & Key Achievements Report at www.vta.org/cwc-reports.

CWC Comprehensive Annual Report on FY14, which provides a detailed description and status on all Measure A projects and the CWC's responsibilities, at www.vta.org/cwc-reports.

Printed copies of select Measure A and CWC reports are available at libraries and other public buildings throughout the county, and at the VTA offices at 3331 North First Street, San Jose, CA, in the Building B Lobby.





Silver Creek Country Club fireworks show

More than 4500 people celebrated the Fourth of July a day earlier when they witnessed a spectacular 25 minute Silver Creek Country Club Fireworks Show on July 3. Those who could not gain entrance to the Country Club lined footpaths, trails, sidewalks and streets to get a view of the incredible show. Photos by Arthur Knapp



Tax rate on gasoline drops

he California State Board of Equalization (BOE) announces the state excise tax on gasoline has been reduced by six cents per gallon on

The ruling lowers the excise tax rate from 36 cents to 30 cents per gallon. The 30 cent per gallon rate will remain in effect until June 30, 2016.

While Californians will pay less in state excise tax on gasoline, this may not necessarily translate to lower overall prices at the pump. Other factors, such as world crude oil prices and supply and demand, also affect gasoline prices.

The BOE is tasked with annually adjusting the state excise tax rate on gasoline by March 1st of each year, after passage of 2010 laws known as the "fuel tax

The new laws lowered the statewide sales tax rate on gasoline to 2.25 percent and raised the excise tax rate so that the total amount of tax revenue generated is equal to what would have been generated had the sales and use tax and excise rates remained unchanged.

The excise tax rate for the coming fiscal year is based on estimates of the projected average price of gasoline and number of gallons to be purchased. The difference between the projected and actual revenue collected from the prior fiscal year is then subtracted from the coming year projection to arrive at the upcoming



Kevin Dang, Pharm. D; Jocelyn Zeledon, Pharmacy Tech; and Jose Camacho, Pharmacy Tech

Evergreen HealthMart Pharmacy receives prestigious '2015 Best of San Jose Award'

vergreen HealthMart → Pharmacy has been selected for the 2015 Best of San Jose Award in the Drugstores category by the San Jose Award Program.

This is the third year in a row that Evergreen Pharmacy has won the Best of San Jose Award. Each year, the San Jose Award Program identifies companies that have achieved exceptional marketing success in their local community and business cate-

The award is presented to local companies that enhance the positive image of small business through service to their customers and our community. These exceptional companies help make the San Jose area a great place to live, work and play.

Various sources of information were gathered and analyzed to choose the winners in each category. The 2015 San Jose Award Program focuses on quality, not

quantity.

Winners are determined based on the information gathered both internally by the San Jose Award

> Program and data provided by third parties.

About San Jose This is the **Award Program** third year in a row that Evergreen **HealthMart Pharmacy** has won the Best of San Jose Award.

The San Jose Award Program is an annual awards program honoring the achievements and accomplishments of local businesses throughout the San Jose area. Recognition is given to

those companies that have shown the ability to use their best practices and implemented programs to generate competitive advantages and long-term value.

Editor's note: Evergreen HealthMart Pharmacy is located at 2690 S. White Road Suite 200-A, San Jose CA. 95148, 408.270.0670; fax: 855.274.7399; website: http://www.evergreendrugs.com.



Times Your Community

Villages 'Celebrate America' Fourth of July Parade is classic Americana



Father and daughter team up for the Valle Vista entry: **Larry Martinson** and very special guest, **Lori Martinson**, daughter, make sure that Valle Vista is well-represented in the Villages Fourth of July Parade. *Photo by Thom Harney*



Villages Amateur Theatre always has a parade entry. **Jeanne Broenen** (left) and **Mary Fran Ballard** strike a happy pose with the "Villages Amateur Theatre" banner. *Photo by Thom Harney*

By Thomas Roy Harney Staff Writer

he spirit of making a contribution was alive and well at the Villages Golf and Country Club's Fourth of July Parade with its "Celebrate America" theme for 2015.

Organizations, families and individuals demonstrated this contributing quality as they went all-out to provide a Fourth of July feeling for the many generations of Americans celebrating the birthday of their country at the Villages.

At 10 a.m. sharp, the highly imaginative entries "floated" down Cribari Lane and around Cribari Circle: decorated golf carts, classic automobiles, and decorated, open convertibles, accompanied by waving passengers and walkers--to the delight of Villagers and their guests, who were lucky enough to line the way in their deck chairs and golf carts, and cheer the participants on with enthusiastic exchanges of "Happy Fourth of July!"

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Villages 'Celebrate America' parade photos share holiday festivities



Del Lago/Sonata Village has many "Celebrate America" designed golf cart entries: Kathy Grove strikes a happy pose next to the Liberty Bell entry. Photo by Thom Harney



Parade review stand at Cribari Center: Judges rate the entries as they pass by. Photo by Thom Harney



Villages Democratic Club's golf cart: Stars and stripes give the Democratic Donkey entry a Fourth of July look. Photo by Thom Harney















Times Your Community



Villager presents scholarship awards at Santa Teresa High

Seniors (Above left photo, left to right, holding "Certificates of Award") Miranda Caravalho and

scholarship award sponsor Thomas Roy Harney (center) following the "Santa Teresa High School Honor Night" at Santa Teresa High School.

Harney presented the following scholarship awards to the following Honorees: "Carol Joy Pace Harney Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Musical Arts" to Daniela



Solis: the "June Marie Harney Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Performing Arts" to Miranda Caravalho; the "Fay Helig Silvis Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Visual Arts" to Taylor Nguyen; the "Thomas Roy Harney Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Legal Arts" to Rohan Phadt; and

"Thomas Roy Harney Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Communicative Arts" to Lauren Jackson.

The event was planned and under the direction of Lori Martinson, Head Counselor; and Amy Choy, Chairperson, Scholarship Committee. Photo by Larry Martinson

Villager presents scholarship awards at Abraham Lincoln High

Seniors (Immediate left photo, left to right, holding "Certificates of Award") Alexis Maiwald, Sarah Holms, and Cynthia Ibarra strike a happy pose with scholarship award sponsor Thomas Roy Harney (center-left), following being honored as the recipients of the "Carol Joy Pace Harney Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Musical Arts" at the "Music Department Awards Night" at Abraham Lincoln High School.

Carol Joy Pace Harney was an honor student at Abraham Lincoln High School and received her start in music in the music department at the school, playing the cello in the orchestra. She went on to study her music at Mills College in Oakland, San Jose State University, and the College of Notre Dame de Namur in Belmont where she received her Master of Arts Degree in the Teaching of Music. She directed both the orchestral and choral music programs at Taylor Middle School in Millbrae for many years.

Abraham Lincoln High School is an Academic, Visual, and Performing Arts Magnet High School, a California Distinguished High School, and a National Blue Ribbon High School. This wonderful "Music Department Awards Night" was planned and under the direction of Anne-Marie Katemopoulos, Choirs, Department Chair; Aimie Orchestras; and McKenzie, Bands. Photo by Bozo Vareskie





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Evergreen Community College District saves taxpayers \$10M through refunding of bonds

Jose-Evergreen Community College District (SJECCD) has successfully sold approximately \$81.8 million in 2015 General Obligation Refunding Bonds through a negotiated sale with Piper Jaffrey, resulting in the District achieving taxpayer savings of \$10,203,043.

Key to SJECCD's ability to sell the refunding bonds was the fact that both major credit ratings services, Moody's and Standard & Poor's, recently gave the District strong credit ratings due to their strong financial policies and sound financial management practices.

The district set a goal in 2010 to make its financial health a priority. SJECCD leaders have taken a series of significant steps to enhance the District's financial stability, including overhauling budget practices and internal control systems, building healthy budget reserves, and stabilizing future revenue projections.

"From my first day as Chancellor, it was always clear to me that, in order to better serve our students, the District's financial status needed to be immediately stabilized," said Dr. Rita Cepeda, San Jose-Evergreen Community College Chancellor. "As I leave

District this summer, I am gratified that we not only stabilized its finances but set it on a course to continue providing workforce training and career opportunities to our residents for generations to come.'

"As a Board, we understand that we have a clear responsibility to protect the public tax dollars we have been entrusted to manage," said Board President Wendy Ho. "By saving the taxpayers over \$10 million, we are sending a clear message that this District has achieved its top priority of fiscal stabili-

International Technological University to strengthen partnerships with San Jose

Technological University (ITU) President Dr. Greg O'Brien met with San Jose Mayor Sam Liccardo to discuss potential ways that the university could expand its ties with local partners.

The meeting offered both parties an opportunity to discuss potential enterprises that would be beneficial for ITU and the City of San Jose.

"It was an honor to sit down with Mayor Liccardo," said O'Brien. We admire his work and aim to continue to work closely with his office to help do our part as an active community member," said O'Brien. "I look forward to personally working with the Mayor's Office to partner with local community members in the near future," he said.

International Technological University was founded in 1994. ITU is a WASC accredited, non-profit, private university located at 2711 N 1st St, San Jose, CA. The university awards six master's degrees and three doctoral degrees.



Dr. Greg O'Brien and San Jose Mayor Sam Liccardo.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Youth basketball league begins September 11th at **Chaboya Middle School**

Open to boys and girls in the 5th thru 8th grade

Teen Basketball at Chaboya Middle School begins Friday, September 11th thru November 20th for all interested boys and girls in grades 5th thru 8th regardless of the school they are attending. Sign-ups will continue until the 120 available slots are full (60 players in 2 divisions).

There will be two co-ed divisions of 6

teams and no more than ten players on each team. In this "funpetitive," league everyone plays equally for four quarters.

Practices are usually no more than once a week and we are looking for coaches (most coaches practice right before their game). Cost for the league is \$165 which includes a game jersey, 8 or more games, personal basketball, participation medal, 1st and 2nd place trophies, facility rental and officials.

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Thurs, July 16, 2-3pm: Kid's Ice-Cream Social. Kids will discover the creative joys of making their own sundaes using all natural and organic ingredients. They'll vote on the best tasting ice-cream and various prizes will be awarded. Suitable for any age. Seating limited. \$5. Preregister at: www.newseasonsevergreen.eventbrite.com

Wed, July 22, 6-7pm: Guiltless Desserts Class. Discover how to eliminate processed sugars from your recipes and still satisfy that sweet tooth. Demonstrations, samples, and recipes included. Free. Preregister at: www.newseasonsevergreen.eventbrite.com

Thurs, July 23, 2:30-4pm: Kid's Club for Under 10. Bring your kids to a fun, interactive play-time where they will draw, work with crafts, and explore their

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Tues, July 28, 6-7pm: Beer and Food Pairing Party. An educational event that includes a tasting notebook, cheese pairings, soft pretzels, burgers, sauces, and a variety of craft beer samples. Taking place in the Community Classroom. \$25. Tickets are limited so pre-registration is recommended.

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Thurs, July 30, 11am-12pm: Gluten-Free Tour. Discover customer and staff G-F favorites. With samples, tips and giveaways throughout the tour. Free. Preregister at: www.newseason-severgreen.eventbrite.com

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Emerge 5K Run/Walk to be held Aug. 1 at Almaden Lake Park

Journey for Jessica is working with the International Brain Research Foundation to raise funds with a 5K run/walk on Saturday, Aug. 1 called "The Emerge Totally Awesome 5K." Registration opens at 8:30 a.m; Totally Tubular Warm Up at 9:30 a.m.; Start Time for timed runners is 10 a.m.; and "Chillin Crowd " will start immediately after. Online Registration will only be open until midnight July 30, and t-shirt sizes will be limited after July 20. To register online or find information, go to more http://www.iournevforiessica.com.

MOVIES: Terminator Genisys explained

By Steven Leonard
Special to the Times

any people walked out of Terminator Genisys with a ton of questions about the plot. Even movie critics aren't quite sure what to make of the plot. It's a time travel movie, so it would be kind of crazy if moviegoers weren't sure of certain aspects of the story.

Well, here are some insights that may help you understand the plot before heading to the theaters to view one of the top grossing movies of the summer, or ready to view the movie for the second time!

The following are my explanations for the latest Terminator movie's interesting plot twists.

Who sent the Terminator back to 1973 to protect a young Sarah Connor?

This question is purposely left unanswered in the film, but would potentially be answered in a sequel, if it happens.

Who killed Sarah's parents?

In 1973, when the young Terminator arrives to protect Sarah, she's just witnessed the death of her parents. The movie mentions "liquid metal" in the scene and I believe that it's the same T-1000, played by Byung-hun Lee, seen later in Genisys. So when she kills the T-1000 in the acid, she's killing the same machine that killed her parents.

It's the same terminator that's been hanging around all these years. Basically Sarah's been living off the grid precisely for that reason. They've gone underground ever since and are only coming out for *Terminator Genisys* because they know that "tonight's the night" that Kyle arrives and we now there is a convergence

among all the story lines.
But wait. If that's true, who sent the T-1000 back? I believe the answer is that there are two different Skynets in the future. There's the young immature Skynet that wants to see all humans destroyed and sees mankind as a threat to its existence and then there's another version of a more evolved Skynet. An adult mature Skynet that has merged with humans in the future.

I believe Skynet in the future evolves into a new life form after merging with both cyborg Marcus Wright in *Terminator Salvation* and John Conner in *Terminator Genisys*. There's a hint of this plot line in in the film *Terminator Salvation*. Sam Worthington portrays cyborg Marcus Wright. He was the first cyborg to combine machine with man. For a brief period of time, the Cyborg in *Terminator Salvation* merged with Skynet. I believe that it was this new consciousness that led to the future more evolved version of Skynet.

See TERMINATOR, page 14







Toastmasters Club

A group dedicated to help ing develop communication and leadership skills. The group meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month from 5:15 - 7 p.m. at HGST, a Western Digital Co. and the second and fourth Tuesdays from 12 - 1 p.m. at IBM. Fo more information, go to www.adlibmasters.org or call Lorraine Myers at 1(408) 717-5552 weekdays or 1(408) 238-4580

District 8 Commi indtable (D8CRT)

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The Evergreen Al-Anon meetings held at St.

Francis of Assisi Church on Thursdays at 7 p.m. have been cancelled indefinitely due to lack of atten

The Evergreen Business Association is intended to allow business owners

and leaders in the Evergreen community to meet, connect, and net-work with each other in this fast growing part of San Jose. We believe that doing business with local business serves everyone in the community. The group will meet each month on the third Thursday at the Evergreen Branch Library. The group invites owners and leaders of B2B and B2C businesses in the Evergreen area. There is no cost for membership. For more information please refer to our Meetup page here: http://www.meetup

Evergreen-East Valley Realtors Marketing Meeting Meets each Tuesday, 8:30

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The Parent Advisory
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The Evergreen Senior Advisory Council me the third Thursday of

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LevVa Community Action m Association

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Toastmasters Club Meets every Tuesday from 7 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. at Jimmy's Restaurant, 222 W. Capitol Expressway in San Jose, Contact Barbara at 373-2815, or email bar-baramcchesney @sbc-global.net for further information, or check out the website at drosquares. free-

toasthost.org. Silver Creek (PTSA) Parent, Teacher, Student

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SIR Branch 114 at the Villages

Sons in Retirement (SIR) Branch 114 meets every first Tuesday of the month in the Villages' Clubhouse Fairway Room The meeting agenda includes a noon luncheon for all SIR Branch 114 members and a 12:30 p.m. speak er open to all Villagers and friends. For more information, call Lou Figone, SIR 114 BIG SIR at (408) 966-4175.

West Evergree Neighborhood Association

This group represents the area bounded approximately by Flanigan Drive, South King Road, Aborn Road, and Alvin Avenue. Meets the third Tuesday at O.B. Whaley Elementary School, 2655 Alvin Ave., 7 to 8 p.m. For more inforn contact the association at 535-8613

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Terminator

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Also in Terminator Genisvs, the young immature Skynet merges with John Conner. The merging is what alters Skynet's purpose in life and eventually leads to a future Skynet that wants to see mankind survive.

Skynet, when it first becomes selfaware, also lacks the ability to give itself a focus other than its original mission, to destroy all mankind. Later Skynet merges with humans. It's this future Skynet that sends Arnold back to an alternative timeline to protect Sarah Conner and Kyle Reese.

The baby Skynet sends back John Conner to protect itself from being destroyed and believes that all humans are its enemy. It doesn't realize that it's actually fighting a war against its future more evolved self.

How does Kyle Reese see into a past that doesn't yet exist?

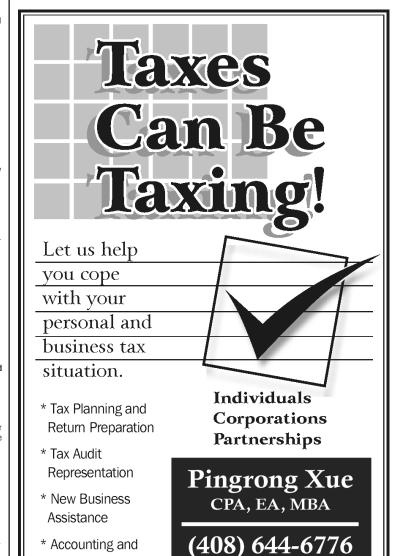
The crux of the whole movie is the moment Kyle Reese (Jai Courtney) is sent from 2029 to 1984. At that moment, Skynet (Matt Smith) begins to transform John Connor (Jason Clarke) thus starting a new timeline.

Once John is attacked, things immediately begin to change and for Reese. The second he was in the sphere and traveling his brain started to fracture. Technically, he's in a quantum field. That's what the magnetic field is. He's in the field when he witnesses a nexus event. John is of such massive historical importance that everything changes when John is changed.

So, for a brief instant, Reese is straddling at least two timelines, hence the crucial visions. Witnessing Skynet taking over John in that moment Reese is in a place where he's essentially trapped in between one timeline and the next. That's why he has access to the memories of both timelines.

When the movie starts when did Judgment Day take place?

We know from Terminator 2: Judgement Day that Judgment Day itself first happened in 1997. But Terminator Genisys poses that Skynet destroys the world in another timeline in 2017 as Genisys. So, when the film begins in 2029, how long have John Connor and his people been fighting? Judgement Day once again happened in 1997.



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CHURCH IN ALMADEN 6581 Camden Ave. San Jose, CA 95120. The Rev. Shelley Booth Denney, Rector Phone:408-268-0243 Web:www.eca-sj.org At the Episcopal Church in Almaden (ECA), we are joyful followers of Jesus Christ. Through worship, study, fellowship and outreach, we strive to nurture and grow a strong faith community of believers, a family of all ages, where each member feels welcomed, loved, valued and empowered to serve. Children are especially welcomed and cherished as an important part of God's family. All junior high and senior high students are welcome to participate in our Youth Groups. During the school year we have joint Sunday School with our sister church, the Congregational Church of Almaden Valley, UCC. The Episcopal Church in Almaden offers the following regular opportunities for worship: Sunday at 7:30AM and 10:30AM, Holy Communion service. Each Sunday service is followed by a coffee hour for friendship

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out to people in need and where you get to know peo-ple by name. We offer children's religious education (CREATE); Youth Ministry (BLAST & X-STATIC): Scripture Study (day & evening); Senior's Group and many other adult ministries as well. Saint Anthony parish is located in Almaden Valley at 20101 McKean Road, San Jose, 95120. Our weekend Masses are at 4 p.m. on Saturday at our historic church at 21800 Bertram Road in New Almaden, CA 95042 and on Sunday at 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., and 5:30 p.m. at the McKean Road location. Our Parish Office is open Monday 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. and Tuesday thru Thursday, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. and 1 - 4 p.m. For more information, stop by the Parish Office or call 1+ (408) 997-4800, or visit our website at www.churchstanthony.com. Fr. Larry Hendel, Pastor.

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