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[D cases hold steady in Del Norte County

BY JULIE AKINS

For The Triplicate

The percentage of people who remain unvaccinated against COVID-19 in Del Norte County held steady this past week, according to public health officials at the weekly COVID briefing on Thursday.

This despite 343 new cases in

the last two weeks, and most were younger unvaccinated people.

The weekly COVID-19 surge meeting revealed that victims of the virus between 18 and 49 make up nearly three times more than any other age group. It's a troubling trend which continues to be demonstrated in the numbers: 1,878 cases. Younger people occupy 55% of all new cases. 343 new infections presented in the past two weeks.

10,550 people or 46% of Del Norte County residents are still without the vaccine. 45.8% are vaccinated, and just over 8% have had at least one shot of vaccine.

County Supervisor Valerie Starkey suggested that in addition to discussing the importance of being vaccinated, people

continue to need information about what to do if they get the virus. "If you get it, you need to know what options are available to you," she said.

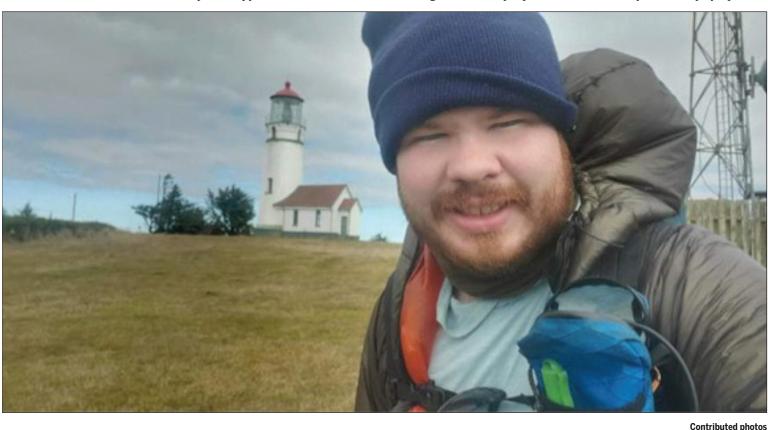
Currently, Monoclonal Antibody treatments are available if caught early enough. Public Health official Doctor Aaron Stutz urged everyone to see a doctor if you develop symptoms.

"We don't want people dying in their homes because they're worried about going to a doctor," he said.

Starkey also applauded the continued cooperation between agencies at her recent Board of

Supervisors meeting. "I appreciate the collaboration

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Top: Colton Cosby overcame more than just tough weather and rough terrain when he completed the 402-mile Oregon Coast Trail last week. Below: Colton Cosby is all smiles as he reaches the California border while hiking the Oregon Coast Trail.

Nothing will hold him back

Cosby finishes Oregon Coast Trail, dreams bigger

By DIANA BOSETTI The Triplicate

Traversing the 402-mile Oregon Coast Trail, dubbed OCT by seasoned hikers, involves disconnected and sometimes unsafe routes that require the navigation of tidal flows in order to proceed. Add to that a diagnosis of cystic fibrosis a condition that mimics breathing through a straw - and 25-year-old Colton Cosby's ambition might best be described as not a challenge, but rather a struggle.

Not that Cosby, or "CJ" as short for Colton James Cosby, saw it that way. He completed the trail solo on September 20, carrying a portable nebulizer in his 30-pound backpack in case he needed supplemental mist to open his airways. Ironically, when asked what was most challenging about the expedition, Cosby's response was downright common - "My feet hurt," he said.

The entire venture took 29 days to complete, or as Cosby described it: four miles per hour; 26 nights of pitching a tent; one night in a hiker hut; one night in a Motel 6 (to shower and wash

some clothes), and some unfortunate road walking along the 101 where 10% of the trail isn't rooted in nature.

"That's when my feet would hurt," said Cosby, who at a stature of 210 pounds talked about the trek with a boyish nature. "But I needed to do this first. I plan to do the Ice Age Trail in May or June of next year, and that's 1,200 miles over the entire state of Wisconsin."

A quick Google search pegs the Oregon Coast Trail at 362 miles. But that doesn't account for the road walking that Cosby said he had to trudge between established walking paths and camp sites - hence the extra and arduous 40 miles that Cosby said he wished the Oregon state park system would invest funds towards, in the interest of not only his feet, but the safety of those who tackle the trail.

Cosby, who lives in Douglas County and finished his trek at the Oregon/California border in Curry County, is used to obstacles, however, and isn't easily

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U.S. Capitol Christmas Tree announces essay contest

The Triplicate

For more than 50 years, the speaker of the House of Representatives in Washington, D.C., has asked the USDA Forest Service to provide a tree to adorn the West Lawn of the U.S. Capitol for the holiday season. This year, the Six Rivers National Forest will proudly provide the tree and select a local 5th grader to be named as the official youth tree lighter in a three-county-wide essay contest.

The youth tree lighter may have the opportunity to participate in the tree harvest ceremony, tree lighting ceremony and other local events. Events

may be virtual or in-person, and any in-person events will occur in accordance with CDC guidelines.

The youth will be selected by a panel consisting of personnel from the USDA Forest Service, County Offices of Education and the Board of Supervisors from Del Norte, Humboldt, and Trinity counties, and by office of Representative Jared Huffman, based on the criteria below.

The competition is open to 5th grade students in Del Norte, Humboldt and Trinity counties. Students are asked to compose an essay about the U.S. Capitol Christmas Tree with the prompt, "What does the theme 'Six

Rivers, Many Peoples, One Tree'

mean to you?"

In addition to the essay, applicants may choose to include a one-page supporting attachment relating the theme to an aspect of science, technology, engineering, arts, and/or mathematics for an interdisciplinary approach.

Submissions will be evaluated on mechanics of grammar, spelling and construct, content, and STEAM integration. The submission should not exceed a 500-word essay with one additional page of illustration/ supporting data - all electronic.

Students should submit their essays electronically to their

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respective County Office of Education office by Sept. 24.

Del Norte COE: Jeff Harrisjharris@delnorte.k12.ca.gov Humboldt COE: Stacy Young-

syoung@HCOE.org Trinity COE: Tim Nordstromtnordstrom@tcoek.k12.org

Each Office of Education will submit their top five entries to the U.S. Forest Service, and the winning submission will be selected and notified in mid-October.

All submissions must be accompanied by the consent form from a parent or guardian for use of the product as well as consent to appear in media. All participants may be recognized by the U.S. Forest Service.

COVID mostly contained at local schools

By David Rupkalvis The Triplicate

Even as COVID-19 surges in Del Norte County, local schools have done a good job

keeping the case count low. Del Norte Public Schools Superintendent Jeff Harris reported 20 cases have been reported in county schools since the school year began. With more than 4,000 students and staff across 11 campuses, the cases have been contained thanks to mitigation efforts practiced on campus.

In Del Norte County, all students are required to wear face masks indoors, classrooms are set up to provide social distancing and students are encouraged to wash hands frequently.

The district has reported cases at eight of the 11 campuses, with only Margaret Keating Elementary, Mountain Elementary and Pine Grove Elementary having no confirmed cases.

Bess Maxwell Elementary has had two students test positive, Joe Hamilton had one staff member test positive, Mary Peacock Elementary had two students test positive, Redwood Elementary had two students and two staff members test positive and Smith River Elementary has had the most cases in the district with three students and two staff members testing positive.

At the middle school level, Crescent Elk has had two students test positive. Del Norte High School has also had two students test positive while Sunset High has had one staff member with COVID. One staff member at the district office also tested positive.

Harris said with COVID surging like it is, more cases will likely be found. He said the key to keeping all campuses safe is to keep children home who are sick.

"It is more important than ever that parents and guardians screen their children for COVID-like symptoms daily," Harris said in his weekly update. "If your child exhibits symptoms and you test your child, please keep them home until you have received the test results. If negative, keep them home until symptoms clear without medication for 24 hours or until they are cleared by a physician. If positive, please follow the isolation instructions provided to you by public health. Unfortunately, we have had students who have exhibited COVID symptoms and have come back to school before their test results were in. Tests came back positive, and we have had to quarantine dozens of students, which would have been easily avoided if the students being tested had simply stayed home."

Harris said district families

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Rower sets off on nine-month journey. Firefighters stop Redwood Fire at six acres. INDEX Crossword Answers.....



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'3READ23' LITERACY INITIATIVE

A child who reads will be an adult who succeeds

Del Norte parents, preschool teachers and the community unite to make sure our kids are ready for kindergarten

When 5-year-old Marcus Grant graduated preschool and started kindergarten in September, 2020, it marked a milestone for the "3READ23 Literacy Initiative," a program designed to ensure that all third-grade students in Del Norte County and Tribal Lands are reading at third grade level by 2023.

"Marcus is a perfect example of how successful this initiative is," said team member Melodee Mitchell, executive director of the Del Norte Childcare Council. "Another is the tremendous increase in public awareness — with our preschool teachers, parents and community members — of the importance of teaching our littles to read at an early age so they are more likely to succeed."

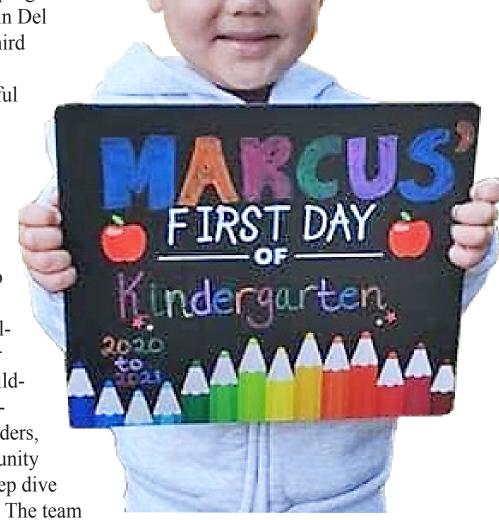
Marcus was among a group of local preschoolers identified by the literacy initiative soon after its launch in 2016. The initiative, sponsored Building Healthy Communities Del Norte, was developed by educators, business and community leaders, parents and nonprofits. A select group of community partners called the Core Design Team took a deep dive into the school district's low student test scores. The team began an 18-month journey of empathy interviews with parents and educators. They synthesized the information and produced a "journey map" that not only revealed the community's story of literacy, but guided collaborative efforts to create solutions and system changes to achieve the third-grade literacy goals.

Establishing good reading skills is more than just learning the ABCs. It starts with families having access to quality books, understanding the importance of reading every day, attending the right preschool or daycare, having support for day-to-day life, and other critical skills to be successful in kindergarten. It also starts with giving preschool teachers and daycare staff information, resources and encouragement to help children prepare for kindergarten.

"The preschool teachers and their staff are in the trenches with the children everyday — they are the true heroes," Mitchell said.

There is still plenty to be done to insure the success of our children and, for 2021, the members of the 3READ23 Core Design Team rededicated themselves to building on their success. Their immediate plans include public outreach and workshops to re-energize parents and teachers about early childhood literacy.

For more information about 3READ23, contact Melodee Mitchell at the Del Norte Childcare Council at 7070-464-8311. Or online at www.facebook.com/3Read23.



Marcus Grant, one of many preschool graduates on their way to reading by grade level by third grade.

SIGNS OF SUCCESS:

- Raised awareness of and quality of child care through increased participation in quality care programs, parental knowledge and choice of preschool opportunities.
- Sparked teacher/provider enrollment boosts in programs such as First 5 Quality Counts, DNC-CC Education Network, and Early Head Start for Family Child Care.
- Created preschool professional development opportunities.
- Promoted the Family Resource Center's involvement groups and "Parent Cafe" to provide parents with resources and help them feel connected.
- Created a free "Ready4K" texting program that provides parents with daily tips and information to help kids be ready for kindergarten.



JOIN OUR 10-YEAR CELEBRATION ON OCT. 13!

You're invited to join Building Healthy Communities Del Norte and Tribal Lands as we celebrate a decade of success, progress and the amazing collaborations that have transformed and improved our community!

The virtual celebration, scheduled for **5 to 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 13**, will feature the premiere screening of our documentary that highlights stories of our many partner-driven BHC initiatives. You will also hear from our founding members, individuals and organizations impacted by the work,

and what's happening next!

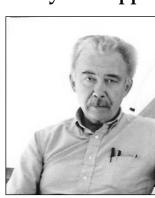
Please RSVP by Oct. 6 by filling out the registration form at https://forms.gle/NQ-jr1qLKoHPXGG5i8.

For more information contact Barbara Browning at 707-826-3409 or send an email to Barbara.browning@humboldt.edu.

The work of BHC and our community partners is part of a 10-year initiative addressing early childhood literacy, youth resiliency, community organizing, local health careers, nonprofit capacity & food security.

OBITUARIES

Larry Lee Epperson



Larry Lee Epperson, born April 11, 1940 passed away at home September 3, 2021 at the age of 81. Larry lived most of his life near the river in Hiouchi. He graduated from Del Norte High School and went on to earn a degree in physics at Humboldt State University in 1961.

After college he worked as a Reliability Engineer for Westinghouse in Sunnyvale, CA. His company eventually became Northrup Grumman defense contractor. He worked for 37 years and only took 3 days of sick leave his entire career.

After he retired, Larry moved back onto the family homestead. He spent his retirement gardening and working on his property. Larry will be fondly remembered riding on his lawn tractor with his two German Shepard's trailing. He enjoyed sports. Oakland A's was his favorite

team. Larry was a wellloved softball coach. He continued coaching even after his children grew.

Larry is survived by his wife, Susan, his children Matthew Epperson (Jessi), Jill Babbitt, Pauline Cook (Barrett). Grandchildren: Amanda, Amber, Thomas, Emily, Kenisha, Royce, Levi, and Chloe. Sister Marla Ovick (Mike).

Larry was preceded in death by his daughter Marcy Epperson.

Arrangements are under the direction of Wier's Mortuary Chapel. Please sign the family's online guest book at wiersmortuary.com



Kathryn (Katy) G Bigovich

It is with great sadness that we announce that my mother, Kathryn (Katy) G Bigovich, beloved wife of Melavon A Bigovich Sr passed away on September 1, 2021 at Sutter Coast hospital in crescent City CA after a 7 month battle with lung cancer.

She was a beloved mother of four: Nellwyn Ruth, Melavon Andy Jr, Wasseck Robert and April Marie. Grandmother to Eight: Skyler, Quiloeh, Dakota, Andrijaa, Rebekkah, Annie, John and Devin. Great Grandmother

of two: Garrick and Eliana.

She is proceeded in death by her mother and father Edwina and Reece Evans and her grandson Melavon E Bigovich III.

She is loved and will be missed by all who knew her.

Rest in Peace, we will always love you.

Services will be held this Saturday, September 25 at 1 pm in Hoopa at the Hoopa assembly of God church on Tish Tang Rd.

Wood secures \$15 million for Redwoods Rising Project

In one of the final budget actions of this year's legislative session, Assemblymember Jim Wood is grateful to his colleagues and Governor Newsom for supporting his request for \$15 million for the Redwoods Rising project — a collaboration of the National Park Service, California State Parks and Save the Redwoods League.

Redwoods Rising is a large-scale forest restoration project in Redwood National and State Parks to restore redwood ecosystems and put more than 70,000 acres of previously logged areas of the parks back on track to become the ancient redwood forests of the future. Launched in April 2018, Redwoods Rising reconnects remaining stands of old-growth redwoods scattered throughout the parks and restore previously logged areas at

a scale and pace that would otherwise not be possible.

"This is a very ambitious project that will take decades to complete," said Wood. "Save the Redwoods League has worked day and night to raise funds for this project which will restore young redwood forests so that they can become the oldgrowth forests of the future and my hope is that this \$15 million in state funds will help reach their goal."

Redwoods play a critical role in maintaining California's climate resilience. This work also supports the local economy by employing approximately 100 people. The Yurok Tribe, California's largest Native American tribe, has been actively repairing river and woodland ecosystems for more than 20 years and has sent seasoned forest restoration staff to do the work needed on land that crosses the ancestral lands of the Yurok people. The project has also employed more than a dozen apprentices from Humboldt State University and College of the Redwoods to work alongside the natural resource and restoration professionals and gain on-the-ground experience conserving redwood ecosystems.

"This project is absolutely essential to the longterm health of California's redwood forests and the state's fight against climate change," said Wood. "Projects like Redwoods Rising show how we can use natural solutions to help combat the climate change crisis, particularly the role forests play in storing carbon in their wood as they grow. The project connects all people to both the beauty and power of the redwood forests."

To learn more, visit www.RedwoodsRising.org.

Tonja Renee Gokey

Dec 10th 1997 - Sept 13th 2021



You were a special gift from God put on this Earth to show us the Wonder and Beauty this world has. You captured the heart and souls of so many your smile and giggle that could make any person wanna smile.

We didn't have you long but know we love you so much you're always in our hearts you'll never be forgotten but God needed to take his little angel home. Go rest our angel in paradise with grandma and grandpa.

Bjorn Strom



Bjorn Strom, loving husband of Garnet Strom for 48 years, and father of Kristoffer Strom and Michael Strom, passed away at the age of 85. Bjorn was born in Drammen, Norway. He served in the Norwegian Air Force. Later he worked as a seaman on several ships as a mechanic. In 1965 Bjorn moved to San

Jose, CA. In 1972 Bjorn married Garnet Bearup. Bjorn retired from United Airlines after working for 35 years. After retiring, the couple moved to Brookings, OR. In 2014 they moved to Crescent City, CA.

Memorial Service will be at The Crescent City Church of the Nazarene on October 9th at 2:00pm.

DEATH NOTICES

Connie Joyce Burns, born January 17, 1955, in Santa Ana, California, passed away September 15, 2021, in Crescent City, California. Private family services were held.

Arrangements are under the direction of Wier's Mortuary Chapel.

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California COVID-19 rent relief program hits major milestone

California's COVID-19 Rent Relief Program is reaching a significant milestone today – by the end of the day, more than \$1 billion in funding will be obligated – meaning the money has either been paid or approved for payment and awaiting disbursement – and will assist over 74,000 additional households. More than \$526 million of the \$1 billion in rental and utility assistance has already been distributed to 44,432 low-income California households who suffered financial hardship

because of the pandemic. The milestone represents a 638 percent increase since June 28th, when Governor Gavin Newsom signed AB 832, which increased the level of assistance to 100 percent for both back rent and prospective rent. More than 243,000 applications have been received, and more than \$2.2 billion in rent and utility assistance is currently requested and is pending eligibility verification and fraud prevention

screening "In just six months, we have provided essential assistance to more than 44,000 households to keep families safely housed," said Governor Newsom. "Our program has been so successful that cities like Los Angeles decided to join efforts with the state to have

an even greater impact." Bolstering tenant protections from eviction, beginning October 1, 2021 through March 31, 2022, tenants earning less than 80 percent of the area median income will be protected through a pre-eviction diversion process through the courts, so long as they have submitted a completed application for rental relief through either the state or a locally adminis-

tered program. "The COVID-19 pandemic brought so much pain and economic disruption, particularly to lowwage workers and low-income renter households," said Business, Consumer Services and Housing Agency Secretary Lourdes Castro Ramírez. "Working with over 130 community-based partners, we are reaching families hardest hit – 85 percent being very low- or extremely low-income – and making landlords whole. Rent relief has been a game changer for Californians at greatest risk of displacement or becoming homeless."

"We have been moving with a sense of urgency to ensure that renters and landlords who need assistance can get it as quickly as possible," said Department of Housing and Community Development Director Gustavo Velasquez. "Keeping families stably housed continues to be a critical public health measure, as we continue to recover from the COVID-19 pandemic."

'California has made important improvements to its Emergency Rental Assistance (ERA) program

and is now among the best statewide programs in the country by rate of spending and number of people assisted," said President and CEO of the National Low Income Housing Coalition Diane Yentel. "While the program had early challenges, the state is to be commended for recognizing the need for improvements in program design and implementation, and building on lessons learned to course correct. Now, California has one of the country's more successful ERA programs and serves as a model to other states and localities to adopt evidence-based best practices to expedite assistance to tenants and landlords.'

Additional information about today's milestone numbers can be found on the California COVID-19 Rent Relief Program's interactive dashboard. The dashboard allows people to see the state's overall rent relief numbers, drill down to see the numbers for individual jurisdictions participating in the state program.. It is updated weekly as new payments are made to assist households.



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rise and our community members die the thing we can do that will help the most is Get Vaccinated! And while some of us believe the Covid-19 vaccine will help and others believe it won't, the one thing we can ALL agree on is we want our

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Letters to the Editor

American Taliban

It appears the ugly takeover of Afghanistan by the Taliban has fueled our own American Taliban, currently the revamped GOP under the supervision of their dear leader Trump. Governor Abbot of Texas has subjugated the women and girls in his state to second class citizens in a Taliban like move by his latest attack on a woman's right to choose. Rape or incest don't even count in Texas.

What's next on the agenda? Women forced to wear full body coverings in public? Only allowed out with a male escort? Possibly even the man who raped her? Perhaps Texas should have as its motto, "Love the zygote, hate the mother." The GOP has been hijacked by misogynists and religious zealots.

The Taliban must be proud of Texas.

Rick McNamer Smith River

Kudos

Last week, when we drove through the station back to California, we were greeted by a gentleman, one of two working at the time, who asked us 'the' question both in English and in ASL. I think that should earn a kudos.

Diane Raintree

Vaccine mandates are legal

The argument made by anti-vaccination activists that forcing people to be vaccinated is unconstitutional is false. Jacobson v. Massachusetts, (1905), was a United States Supreme Court case in which the court upheld the authority of states to enforce compulsory vaccination laws.

The court's decision articulated the view that individual liberty is not absolute and is subject to the police power of the

state. And that the Massachusetts law did not violate the Fourteenth Amendment. The Court held that "in every well ordered society charged with the duty of conserving the safety of its members the rights of the individual in respect of his liberty may at times, under the pressure of great dangers, be subjected to such restraint, to be enforced by reasonable regulations, as the safety of the general public may demand" and that "real liberty for all could not exist under the operation of a principle which recognizes the right of each individual person to use his own liberty, whether in respect of his person or his property, regardless of the injury that may be done to others.'

The Supreme Court reaffirmed its decision in Zucht v. King (1922), which held that a school system could refuse admission to a student who failed to receive a required vaccination. In June of this year, a federal judge in Houston dismissed a lawsuit brought by 117 employees at Houston Methodist Hospital who were suing the hospital system over its COVID-19 vaccine requirement. U.S. District Judge Lynn Hughes upheld the hospital's vaccination policy, saying the requirement broke no federal law and was consistent with numerous court ruling going back to the 1905 Supreme Court decision. "This is not coercion," said Hughes. "Methodist is trying to do their business of saving lives without giving them the COVID-19 virus. It is a choice made to keep staff, patients, and their families safer."

Proof of vaccination is growing every day and those that refuse will be excluded from a rapidly growing number of activities including employment, it's your choice.

> Michael A. Sommer II, Ph.D. Smith River



Guest columns

It's time to stop shipping water across the Rockies

By David O. WILLIAMS

It was 1952 when the cities of Aurora and Colorado Springs first started gobbling up water rights in a remote, high mountain valley on the state's Western Slope. The valley is called Homestake, and now, those same cities want even more of its pure water.

In western Colorado, where only about 20% of Colorado's population lives, all water tries to flow toward the Pacific Ocean. On the east side, where most people live, water flows to the Atlantic. To bring the water from the west side to the east side of the Rockies requires lots of money and lots of pipelines.

But money isn't much of a barrier when your population is exploding: Colorado Springs, with 478,961 residents, and Aurora, with 386,261, need more water. And they aim to get it even if it must cross under the Continental Divide and damage a fragile and ancient wetland called a "fen" in the process.

The new reservoir the two cities plan to build would be five miles downstream from their existing Homestake Reservoir and called Whitney Reservoir after a creek that flows into Homestake Creek. There's also a Whitney Park within the nearby Holy Cross Wilderness Area, which could lose some 500 acres if the new reservoir goes through.

But protesters are already active, and conservation groups are threatening lawsuits. Meanwhile, the cities have already quietly begun test drilling at four possible dam sites on U.S. Forest Service land along Homestake Creek.

Obstacles, however, are popping up. The Forest Service says it won't even consider a reservoir proposal that shrinks a wilderness area, and the cities would have to get that approval from both Congress and the White House.

The U.S. congressman for the district, rising Democratic star Joe Neguse, has also made it clear he doesn't support shrinking a designated wilderness or damaging wetlands. Local leaders are also chiming in: "A Whitney Reservoir would irreparably change and harm our community," said Minturn Mayor John Widerman and Red Cliff Mayor Duke Gerber, who co-wrote a letter to the Forest Service. Both



Contributed photo

The Homestake Creek wetlands are at risk if two Colorado cities get approval to build a new reservoir to hold water.

represent small towns dependent on tourism and outdoor recreation.

State Sen. Kerry Donovan, a Democrat who grew up in the nearby ski town of Vail, also wrote the Forest Service to oppose the dam: "I cannot express how sternly the citizens of my district ... oppose water diversion projects to Front Range communities."

Another issue, and for some it's the most critical, is the fate of valuable "fen" wetlands that would be destroyed by a dam and reservoir. "This is one of the finest wetlands we can find on our forest — it's unbelievable," White River National Forest Supervisor Scott Fitzwilliams told Aspen Journalism in 2019. "You can mitigate, but you can't replace 10,000 years of work."

Nor can you turn the clock back to 1952, when Colorado's population was 1.36 million, compared to 5.7 million today, and the global land and ocean temperature was 1.52 degrees Fahrenheit cooler. Climate change, scientists say, will cause the Colorado River to lose up to 31% of its historical flow by 2052. That prediction was a factor in a recent, first-ever federal water shortage declaration.

"When Colorado Springs and Aurora got their water right, the [Holy Cross] wilderness wasn't there and wetlands at that time were something we were just filling in," said Jerry Mallett, president of the local conservation group Colorado Headwaters. "Since then (wetlands) have become an extremely valuable resource because of what they can do for groundwater recharge, addressing climate change

— all kinds of things."

Then there's the issue of Kentucky bluegrass, Colorado's landscaping ground-cover of choice. Kentucky gets more than 50 inches of rain a year compared to the Front Range average of 17, so why pump western Colorado's high-elevation water through the Rockies for lawns?

Colorado photographer and conservationist John Fielder, who says he's been just about everywhere within the nearly 123,000-acre Holy Cross Wilderness Area, wants people to just look at his images of the fen wetlands along Homestake Creek, and then ask themselves these questions:

"Is anything more sublime and fertile and life-giving than a 10,000-or-more-year-old fen wetland? You can't "mitigate" the loss of ancient wetlands by creating a manmade wet place somewhere else. No more water to the Front Range."

David O. Williams is a contributor to Writers on the Range, writersontherange.org, a nonprofit dedicated to spurring lively conversation about the West. He is a freelance writer and journalist, realvail.com, who lives near Vail, Colorado.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

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DEAR ABBY

By Abigail Van Buren

FAMILY NAVIGATES COMPLEXI-TIES OF ASPERGER'S SYNDROME

DEAR ABBY: I'm a minor living at home with my parents and my brother. Everything's pretty stable. Mom works, but she isn't gone all the time or anything like that. However, I have a lot of problems with my dad.

He has Asperger's syndrome, and his behavior has caused many issues for me. The least of them is that every time I try to talk about any concern I have (with him or not involving him), he takes it personally and makes it all about himself. This and other emotionally invalidating behaviors have been happening for as long as I can remember, and it makes me feel guilty about my feelings.

I have been going to therapy to deal with my father problems, along with other mental health issues. My therapist has been encouraging me to feel sympathy for how much anxiety my dad has to deal with. Mom tells me he really does love me and it's just the Asperger's syndrome that is getting in the way. But I'm tired of hearing about how hard things are for him, and I don't think I should pay him any respect for his feelings if he doesn't give me any. His behavior is especially hurtful while I'm struggling with various mental health issues. Do you have any advice? -- GIRL IN TURMOIL

DEAR GIRL: Yes, I do. Listen more carefully to what your therapist is trying to convey. You share something in common with your father; you both have diagnosed mental disorders. What you expect from him may be beyond his ABILITY to give. This is a sad situation, but the sooner you accept it, the less often you will look to your father for the emotional support he is unable to provide. When you need to discuss your issues, talk to your mother or your therapist, and you may find the support you are seeking.

DEAR ABBY: For the last 20 years, my wife and I have had a Friday night happy-hour tradition. We use the time to get caught up and to reconnect. Occasionally, we'll invite others to join us, but it's usually just the two of us, and we like it that way.

Some longtime friends from another state moved to our community recently. We invited them to a couple of happy hours and enjoyed the evenings, but we did not intend for our Fridays to become a foursome every week. Apparently, our friends think otherwise and keep showing up every Friday.

While we enjoy their company, we want our Fridays back! How do we get out of this arrangement and reclaim our connection time back without hurt feelings? -- HAPPY HOUR FOR TWO, PLEASE

DEAR HAPPY HOUR: You describe this couple as longtime friends. Because their move is recent, they may be having trouble making friends and becoming involved in your community. The next time they show up, you and your wife should suggest some activities and ways for them to widen their circle of acquaintances. Then, the following Tuesday or Wednesday -- well BEFORE they show up on your doorstep -- give them a call and explain that your Friday nights are usually reserved for you and your wife "to get caught up and to reconnect" after a long and busy week. Let them know you will INVITE them to join you for happy hour when you are up for company.

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deterred. Near the age of 5, Cosby had not yet begun to speak. His adoptive parents learned sign language to connect with the active toddler, and his dad said he's been adapting to his son's unique obstacles and

ambitions ever since.

"CJ can be hard to keep up with," said David Cosby, who works in the logging industry as a security and fire watcher in the field for Dancer Logging. Inc. "Even more so when trying to keep up with his mind, because he has so many hopes and ambitions of things he wants to do with his life."

The junior Cosby said his ultimate goal is to cross the Pacific Crest Trail, a behemoth 2,650-mile jaunt that begins at the small town of Campo at the Mexican border and reaches north to Manning Park in British Columbia. Cosby hopes to master this and other trails while pursuing a degree in documentary filming between excursions. This could also mean a lot of travel time for Cosby's dad, who walks with him during day trips on local trails but opts to travel from a distance in

COVID

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especially with the huge surge in cases in the past couple of weeks," she said.

60% of Del Norte County staff are now vaccinated, according to county officials. When the September 30 order applying to medical workers goes into effect, Supervisor Starkey said she is concerned about staff levels. "I think it's something we have to be prepared for.'

Her sentiment is shared by Del Norte Schools Superintendent Jeff Harris, who continues to urge parents to keep children home from school if they're symptomatic and to practice the protocols at home that they have at school wash hands frequently, keep the mask on and if anyone in the home feels sick, get tested and wait for results before going out.

his 32-foot travel trailer during the longer hauls.

It's obvious the duo is close. Cosby finished the Oregon Coast Trail on September 19, but decided to spend the night at Crissey State Park so that he and his dad could walk the last mile together, ceremoniously touching the state park sign with the palm of their hands.

While Cosby noted he has the support of his dad, he is also inspired by another: Nick Talbot, a County Durham, England-based climber who also has cystic fibrosis. Talbot was the first man with cystic fibrosis to summit weather-fickle Mt. Everest - on his third attempt. On his second attempt, he suffered cracked ribs and hypothermia after an 8.7 magnitude earthquake caused an avalanche that killed many climbers, including his friend and Google Executive Dan Fredinburg.

The climbing community, though vast, is nonetheless close knit. Talbot responded to a request for comment from the Curry Coastal Pilot about Cosby's achievement.

"First of all, a big congratulations to Colton," Talbot said. "402 miles is impressive for anyone to do, let alone someone

County officials additionally requested that all events which may attract large groups be can-celled or postponed to avoid the spread of COVID due to close contact partly because Del Norte County has yet to get to the half way point in vaccination rates. It remains one of the counties in California with the fewest vaccinations and the highest incidence of new cases.

With the recent failure to recall Governor Gavin Newsom, it's expected that the governor's stand on aggressive policies to limit the spread of COVID-19 and the Delta variant will continue. Despite the news two of his own children tested positive for the virus, Newsom is expected to continue advocating for vaccinations. The people, he said, "Voted yes to science, yes, to vaccines, yes to ending this pandemic."

with CF (cystic fibrosis). He must have overcome so much to achieve this. I'm happy that my Everest challenge has encouraged Colton to push impressive new boundaries, and I hope all CFers get to live their best life and push their own personal boundaries whatever they may be."

"That has made my day," responded Cosby, who was eating his first post-hike, home-cooked breakfast when notified of Talbot's words.

Talbot echoed Cosby's drive to keep pushing forward.

"I was inspired to climb by the desire to push boundaries and raise profile and money for CF charities around the world," he said. "It's really tough having challenging goals with CF because it is so much harder to become as fit as other people, deal with lower lung capacity and potential infections and continue treatments. Sometimes, you have to develop special techniques to deal with CF to achieve your goal."

As for his next excur-



Colton Cosby celebrates after finishing the Oregon Coast Trail. Despite having cystic fibrosis, Cosby hiked 402 miles in 29 days.

sion? Cosby conceded he will need to give up his penchant for junk food, opting instead for a high-protein and nutrient rich diet.

"This time I was able to complete the trip with a basic outline that was

loosely planned," he said. "But the next time I will need to eat healthier in order to meet the 10-20 miles of walking a day."

The senior Cosby, perhaps still recuperating from the month prior, was more inclined to reflect on the

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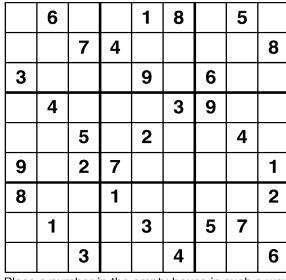
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day's one-mile walk to the finish line.

"It was a very emotional time. He's got a disease," David Cosby said. "He's gonna die with it sooner or later, we just don't know when. Until then, he wants to get as much out of life as possible."

Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle



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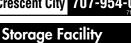
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT "T N E Lawn Removal and Sod Installation" The following person/s is/are

doing business as: T N E Lawn Removal and Sod Installation 1093 US Highway 101 North #13 Crescent City, CA 95531

This Business is conducted by: an individual The registrant commenced to

transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: n/a

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000)Signed: Eriberto Contreras

This statement was filed with

the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 09/15/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy File No. 2021024

Publish: September 24th, October 1st, 8th, and 15th 2021 **Del Norte Triplicate** APN: 118-170-20 OTHER:

5943006 TS-210106R NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST. DATED 1/28/-2005 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU **NEED AN EXPLANATION** OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CON-TACT A LAWYER, NOTICE is hereby given that C.N.A. FORECLOSURE SERVICES INC. A CALIFORNIA CORPO-RATION, as trustee, or successor trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by Bethel Christian Center, a non-profit organization Deed of Trust Dated 1/28/2005, and recorded 2/2/2005, as instrument No. 20050872, modification record on 10/13/- 2005 as instrument No. 20057774 and Deed of Trust Dated 11/09/2007 and recorded 11/15/2007 as Instrument No. 20076803 and Modification of Deeds of Trust recorded on 1/2/2014 as instrument No. 20140004 official records, in the office of the Recorder of Del Norte County County, California, and pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded 6/16/- 2021 as Instrument No. 20210226 of said Official Records, WILL SELL on 11/- 12/2021 In the building located at 124 Highway 101 North, Crescent City, CA 95531 at 11:00 a.m. AT PUBLIC AUC-TION TO THE HIGHEST BID-DER FOR CASH (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State hereinafter described The property address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purposed to be: 651 J Street. Crescent City, CA The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$227,188.72 (estimated). In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in

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this state. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession or with interest as provided therebalance of the Note secured by said Deed with interest thereon. as provided in said Note, fees. by said Deed of Trust. NOTICE you are considering bidding on understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee

encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed, advances thereunder, in, and the unpaid principal charges and expenses of the trustee and the trusts created TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If this property lien, you should auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge

you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to

Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 916-939-0772 or visit this internet Information about postponements that are very short in

website www.nationwideposting.com, using the file number assigned to this case 210106R. duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may ot immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the internet website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. FOR SALES **INFORMATION CALL: 916-**939-0772 C/O C.N.A. FORE-CLOSURE SERVICES, INC., A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION as said Trustee. 2020 CAMINO DEL RIO N. #230 SAN DIEGO,

10/- 01/2021, 10/08/2021 NOTICE OF INTENT

CALIFORNIA 92108 (619) 297-

6740 DATE: 9/15/2021 KIM-

BERLY CURRAN TRUSTEE

SALE OFFICER NPP0396058

To: TRIPLICATE 09/24/2021,

TO ADOPT A **NEGATIVE DECLARATION** NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, based on a "preliminary analysis", the acting lead agency intends to adopt a negative declaration for the project(s) listed on this notice. A copy of the proposed Negative Declaration is available for public review at the

Community Development Department, Planning Division, 981 H Street, Suite 110, Crescent City, CA, 95531. The public review period for proposed negative declarations is 30 days from the date of this notice. This proposed negative declaration is intended for

adoption by the Del Norte County Planning Commission as "lead agency". The Commission will consider the project(s) listed at the following hearing:

DATE OF HEARING: November 3, 2021 TIME OF HEARING: 6:00 p.m. PLACE OF HEARING: VIA Zoom (media.del- norte.

ca.us)

*** Environmental Review of a Storage Facility Expansion. The applicant plans to add 81 storage units that would be located in three separate new single story buildings approximately 2,500 square feet (25' wide by 100' long), 4,000 square feet (40' wide by 100' long) and 2,500 square feet (25' wide by 100' long). The total square footage is

9,000 square feet. The west

half is developed with three

totaling 13,500 square feet.

single story storage buildings

The new metal buildings would

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be constructed in the east half of the 1.38 acre parcel in an area cleared during a prior subdivision. Primary access to the storage units would be from the existing encroachment from S. Railroad Avenue that serves the existing storage units. A biological assessment was prepared for the project which did not identify any sensitive habitat or wetlands on the parcel or within 100 feet of the parcel. The General Plan Land Use designation for the property is General Commercial and the Zoning designation is C-2 District (Light Commercial). B36521C - APN 117-020-051 located at 1565 S. Railroad Avenue, Crescent City, CA. ITEM(S) TO BE CONSID-ERED:

DATE: September 20, 2021 Del Norte County Planning Division PUBLISH: September 24, 2021 Community Development Dept.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC

HEARING DEL NORTE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission

of the COUNTY OF DEL NORTE will hold a public hearing to consider the requests listed below. ALL PERSONS ARE INVITED TO APPEAR AND BE HEARD. Comments may be submitted in writing at. or prior to, the hearing. Those wishing to be notified of the final action must submit a written request. Appeals must be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors by September 24, 2021. If you challenge the decision of the Planning Commission in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing. DATE OF HEARING: October

TIME OF HEARING: 6:00 p.m. PLACE OF HEARING: VIA Zoom (media.del- norte.

ca.us) ***Use Permit to Replace Building w/Non-Conforming Setback Use Permit to Replace a Legal Non-Conforming Building with a Nonconforming Setback. The applicant proposes to replace an existing 25 feet long x 22 feet wide accessory building located adjacent to a well with a new building. The existing structure is located on the property line, and was constructed prior to implementation of the current zoning ordinance that requires a It has fallen into disrepair and requires reconstruction. Approval of the use permit is required to allow applicant to replace existing structure in the present location. Based on a field review of the project site, reconstruction of the building in the existing location will not create health or safety issues. The project area has a General Land Use designation of Rural Residential one dwelling unit per acre District (Residential and Agri-

(RR 1/1) and a Zoning of R- 1A cultural - one acre minimum lot size). UP2118 APN 122-240-005 located at 4917 North Bank Rd. Crescent City, CA 95531. Please contact the County Planning Division at (707) 464-7254 with any questions. DATE: September 13, 2021 Del Norte County Planning Division

NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS

PUBLISH: September 22, 2021

Community Development Dept.

Claims against the Estate of Thomas Ray Buie, Deceased, **Curry County Circuit Court** Case No.\~ 21PB07675, are required to be presented to the Personal Representative. Thomas A. Buie, c/o Claudia F. Dean, Marek & Lanker, LLP, 810 SW Madison Avenue, Corvallis, OR 97333, within four (4) months from September 24, 2021, the date of first publication, or such claims may

Any person whose rights may be affected by the proceeding may obtain additional information from the records of the court, the Personal Representative, or the attorneys for the Personal Representative. MAREK & LANKER, LLP, Attorneys

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA. COUNTY OF DEL NORTE 450 H Street Crescent City, CA 95531 Petition of: Kayah Norris-Lawhon CASE NO. CVPT-2021-1129

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

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To all interested persons: Petitioner: Kayah Norris-Lawhon filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: Kayah Norris-

Lawhon to Proposed name: Kayah

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing. NOTICE OF HEARING Date: December 17, 2021 Time: 10:00 am Dept.: ONE The address of the court is same as noted above. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Del Norte Triplicate

Date: September 9, 2021 /s/ Darren McElfresh Judge of the Superior Court Published: September 24th. October 1st, 8th, and 15th 2021 Del Norte Triplicate T325893

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE On October 27, 2021, at the hour of 11:00 o' clock a.m. at the Curry County Courthouse, front steps, 29821 Ellensburg, Gold Beach, Oregon, the defendant's interest will be sold. subject to redemption, in the real property commonly known as: 97904 W Benham Lane, Brookings, Oregon 97415. The court case number is 19CV50418, where NATION-STAR MORTGAGE LLC D/B/A MR. COOPER is plaintiff, and **BONITA R TRIPLETT. JULIE** RAITER: NANCY C HILLIARD DISCOVER BANK, RAY KLEIN INC., CURRY COUNTY, OC-CUPANTS OF THE PROPER-TY is defendant. The sale is a public auction to the highest hidder for cash or cashier's check, in hand, made out to Curry County Sheriff's Office. For more information on this sale go to: www.oregonsheriffs.

com/sales.htm OF CLAIMS For the Estate of Kenneth Lynn Chilson in the Circuit Court for Curry County Oregon, for the above-named decedent in case number 21PB07747. The Personal Representative is Carla Jay Hines. The address for which claims can be presented and the Attorney for the Personal Representative is: Nathan Garcia, Attorney at Law PC, P.O. Box 2724, Brookings, Oregon 97415; or claims can be presented to: Carla Jay Hines, 509 Stardust, Crawford, TX 76638-2880. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them. with vouchers attached, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or the lawver for the personal representative, Nathan L. Garcia, Attorney at Law PC. The date of first publication is September 24, 2021.

NOTICE TO INTERESTED **PERSONS**

Claims against the Estate of Helen Louise Buie, Deceased, Curry County Circuit Court Case No.\~ 21PB07676, are required to be presented to the Personal Representative, Thomas A. Buie, c/o Claudia F. Dean, Marek & Lanker, LLP. 810 SW Madison Avenue, Corvallis, OR 97333, within four (4) months from September 24, 2021, the date of first publication, or such claims may be barred.

Any person whose rights **PERSONS** may be affected by the Notice is hereby given that proceeding may obtain additional information from the records of the court, the Personal Representative, or

Representative. MAREK & LANKER, LLP,

the attorneys for the Personal

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT "Advocacy Associates"

Attorneys

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The following person/s is/are doing business as: Advocacy Associates 422 9th Street Crescent City, CA 95531 This Business is conducted by: an individual

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: n/a

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Signed: Claudia C Smith

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 09/01/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy File No. 20210117 Publish: September 17th, 24th, and October 1st. 8th 2021 Del Norte Triplicate 325255

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE **Humboldt Moving & Storage** 1528 Northcrest Drive Crescent City, CA 95531

Notice of Lien Sale on the following listed Units.

Household & Misc. Items Unit No 1V-5 Issac Byrne 100 Elk Valley Road #3 Crescent City, CA 95531

LIEN SALE WILL BE HELD: Date: Saturday, Sept. 25, 2021 Time: 9:00 AM Location: Humboldt Moving & Storage 1528 Northcrest Dr. Crescent City, CA 95531

Publish:\~ Sept. 17 & 24, 2021

Del Norte Triplicate T325476 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

"Six Rivers Safety"

The following person/s is/are doing business as: Six Rivers Safety 120 Sierra Wood Rd. Gasquet, CA 95543 This Business is conducted by: a married couple The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: n/a

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to ex one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Signed: Kimberly Smith

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 09/13/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder Damon Fletcher, Deputy File No. 20210122 Publish: September 17th, 24th, and October 1st, 8th 2021 Del Norte Triplicate T325590

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE **Humboldt Moving & Storage** 1528 Northcrest Drive Crescent City, CA 95531

Notice of Lien Sale on the following listed Units. Household & Misc. Items Unit No. A-10 Lily Ryan 993 Jaccard Street Crescent City, CA 95531

Household & Misc. Items Unit No. 30 Danielle Stover 942 A Street Smith River, CA 95567

Date: Saturday, Sept. 25, 2021 Time: 9:00 AM Location: Humboldt Moving & Storage 1528 Northcrest Dr. Crescent City, CA 95531 Publish:\~ Sept. 17 & 24, 2021 Del Norte Triplicate T325475

LIEN SALE WILL BE HELD:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF **CURRY**

In the Matter of the Estate of: **MILDRED FRANCIS COLE** LAUNER, Deceased. Case No. 21PB07388 **NOTICE TO INTERESTED**

Lance Salcido has been appointed and has qualified as the personal representative of the estate. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby required to present them, with proper vouchers, to Lance Salcido c/o Paul Pierson, 16210 E. Hoffeldt Lane #6, Brookings, OR 97415 within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may

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be affected by the proceedings in this estate may obtain additional information from the records of the court, the personal representative or the attorney for the personal representative, Paul Pierson.

DATED and first published: September 17th, 2021. /s/ Paul Pierson Paul Pierson, OSB #88288 Attorney for Personal Representative Curry Pilot P325676

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF DIANA E. RANDRUP CASE No. CVPB-2021-7052

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of DIANA E. RANDRUP, DIANA WEIL RANDRUP A Petition for Probate has

been filed by: KIRSTEN S. RANDRUP in the superior Court of California, County of: DEL NORTE The Petition for Probate requests that: KIRSTEN S. RANDRUP

be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils. if anv. be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. The petition requests authority

to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: Date: 10/01/21 Time: 10:00

the authority.

A.M. Dept.: 2 Address of court: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF DEL NORTE 450 H Street Crescent City, CA, 95531 If you object to the granting of the petition, you should

appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. If you are a creditor or a

contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later or either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. you may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

You may examine the file kept by the court. if you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Attorney for petitioner: CHRIS DOEHLE PO BOX 1321 Crescent City CA 95531 (707) 465-1388

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE Benner Mini Storage 1600 Breen Street Crescent City, CA 95531 Notice of Lien Sale on the following listed Units: Household & Misc. Items Unit No. 243

Jeri Faulkner 3689 Hawthorne Ave.#4 Salem, OR 97301 Household & Misc. Items Unit No. 1102 Christine Braun 991 Kern Street Crescent City, CA 95531 Lien sale will be held: Date: September 25, 2021 Time: 9:30 AM

Location: Benner Mini Storage 1600 Breen Street

Crescent City, CA 95531 Publish 9/10/21, 9/17/21, 9/24/21

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT "Wild Oak Tie-Dye"

The following person/s is/are doing business as: Wild Oak Tie-Dye 1200 Ferndale Lane Crescent City, CA 95531 This Business is conducted by: a married couple The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or

names listed on: 9/1/2021

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Signed: Douglas Glenn Kelly

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 09/02/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder Damon Fletcher, Deputy File No. 20210118 Publish: September 10th, 17th, 24th and October 1st 2021 Del Norte Triplicate 324967

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT "Heavy Metal Welding"

The following person/s is/are doing business as: Heavy Metal Welding 640 Elk Valley Road Crescent City, CA 95531 This Business is conducted by: **Public Notices**

an individual The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: 8/1/2021

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Signed: Bradley Lambert

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 8/26/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder Damon Fletcher, Deputy File No. 20210114 Publish: September 3rd, 10th, 17th and 24th 2021 Del Norte Triplicate 324432

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, **COUNTY OF DEL NORTE** 450 H Street Crescent City, CA 95531

Petition of: Aaron Goodwin and Megan Silvester CASE NO. CVPT-2021- 1172

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME To all interested persons: Petitioner: Aaron Goodwin and Megan Sylvester filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: Braven Atticus to Proposed name: Braven

Atticus Sylvester-Goodwin

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and Present name: Rowan Xylia Goodwin to Proposed name: Rowan

Xylia Sylvester-Goodwin

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the obiection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing NOTICE OF HEARING Date: October 1st, 2021 Time: 10:00 am Dept.: ONE The address of the court is same as noted above.

of general circulation, printed in this county: Del Norte Triplicate Proof of service shall be given to mother and guardians 15 days before hearing Date: August 17, 2021 /s/ Darren McElfresh

A copy of this Order to Show

Cause shall be published at

least once each week for four

successive weeks prior to the

Judge of the Superior Court Published: September 3rd, 10th, 17th and 24th 2021 Del Norte Triplicate T324610

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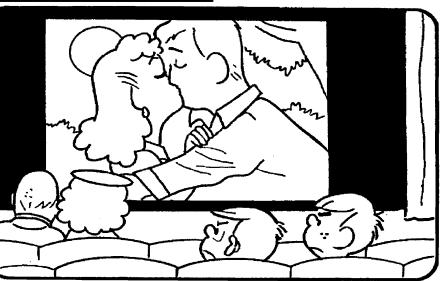
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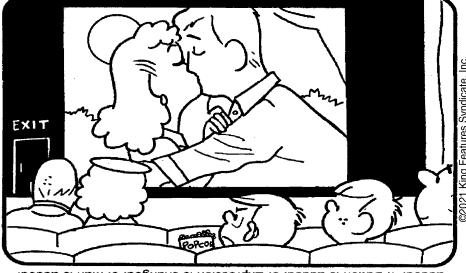


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BY **HENRY BOLTINOFF**



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Wednesday 9/15:

- At 6:00 a.m. firefighters responded to the 1100 block of Burtchell after a caller reported a fire in the field next to the trailer.
- At 9:41 a.m. the police responded to the 1100 block of Burtchell after a caller reported a subject threatened him.
- At 12:25 p.m. the police responded to the 500 block of I street after a caller reported that a subject was by the dumpster with his pants down.
- At 2:14 p.m. the police responded to the 400 block of M street after a caller reported that a subject is coughing on subjects on purpose.
- At 3:59 p.m. the police responded to the 3900 block of Big Flat Road after a caller reported that a subject had been

harassing him.

- At 5:23 p.m. the police responded to the 900 block of Washington Boulevard after a caller reported that a subject was looking and attempting to get into a vehicle.
- At 8:27 p.m. the police responded to the 1000 block of Condor Street after a caller reported an unknown subject kept banging on the door and running away when the caller answered it.

Thursday 9/16:

- At 3:16 a.m. the police responded to the 1100 block of highway 101 after a caller reported that people were outside of his trailer.
- At 8:24 a.m. the police responded to the 1900 of Northcrest Drive after a caller reported that a subject has been yelling, and has been an ongoing issue.
- At 9:29 a.m. the police responded to the 3100 block of Lake Earl drive after a caller reported a break in with multiple things stolen.
- At 10:36 a.m. the police responded to the 400 block of M street after a caller reported that

- a subject appears to be carrying a rifle.
- At 3:37 p.m. the police responded to the 200 block of Essex street after a caller reported her uncle was outside throwing things and breaking windows and threatening her.
- At 7:31 p.m. the police responded to the 1000 block of Condor street after a caller reported a female subject broke her window with a bat.
- At 9:23 p.m. the police responded to the 300 block of Elk Valley Road after a caller reported a male subject on her front porch.

Friday 9/17:

- At 00:37 a.m. the police responded to the 9900 block of B street Pier after a caller reported fireworks by the pier.
- At 8:37 a.m. the police responded to the 1500 block of Crescent street after a caller reported that her vehicle was egged.
- At 9:55 p.m. the police responded to the 300 block of M street after a caller reported a subject came in, threatened to shoot an employee that was not

- on duty then left.
- At 11:36 a.m. the police responded to the 200 block of breakwater drive after a caller reported that someone came into his home and stole an urn.
- At 3:42 p.m. the police responded to the 900 block of Northcrest Drive after a caller reported that a subject was breaking into a vehicle.
- At 7:58 p.m. firefighters responded to the 1400 block of highway 101 after a caller reported smoke coming from the bushes by Crescent beach motel.
- At 11:39 p.m. firefighters responded to the 600 block of highway 101 after a caller reported a fire behind the lighthouse inn.

Saturday 9/18:

- At 10:57 a.m. the police responded to the 300 block of Dayton avenue after a caller stated someone came into her house, took her car jets and stole her vehicle.
- At 12:19 p.m. the police responded to the 1700 block of Arlington drive after a caller stated a known subject was attempting to sell drugs and solicit minors.

- At 2:49 p.m. the police responded to the 300 block of E street after a caller reported someone damaged a Moveda statue.
- At 6:05 p.m. the police responded to the 1000 block of 9th street after a caller reported a male subject possibly intoxicated laying on the ground.
- At 8:28 p.m. the police responded to the 13400 block of highway 101 after a caller reported a gun exchange.
- At 11:40 a.m. the police responded to the 700 block of Lynch Road after a caller stated someone vandalized his vehicle.
- responded to the 600 block of Pacific avenue after a caller stated her vehicle was broken into and her registration was stolen.
- At 1:27 p.m. the police responded to the 600 block of L street after a caller reported a friend took her dog to the vet and now the friend is refusing to give the dog back.
- At 9:43 p.m. the police responded to the 400 block of M street after a caller stated subject hitting equipment with rocks.

Suicide Prevention Month - Are you prepared?

an emotional or mental range of situations. For some, it might be the end of a personal relationship. ened by their experiences during military service.

Many veterans may not show any signs of intent

- * Appearing sad or depressed most of the time
- * Hopelessness; feeling like there's no way out
- * Anxiety, agitation, sleeplessness or mood
- no reason to live

- shame or sense of failure
 - * Rage or anger
- * Engaging in risky activities without thinking
- * Losing interest in hobbies, work or school
- * Increasing alcohol or drug misuse
- * Neglecting personal welfare; a deteriorating physical appearance * Withdrawing from

family and friends The following signs re-

quire immediate attention: * Thinking about hurting

or killing yourself * Looking for ways to

kill yourself Take a Self-Check Quiz: https://www.veteranscrisisline.net/education/signs-

Crisis, stress, depression and other issues affect people in different ways. If you feel like you might be heading toward a crisis, treatment can help.

Worship Directory

Brookings

Christian Community Church 15138 McVay Lane, Harbor

Non-denominational Sunday Morning Worship....10:30 a.m. Sunday Fellowship.....Noon Thursday Eve. Bible Study....7 p.m. Pastor Carl Smith

541-659-9352 Facebook: christiancommunity-church-harbor

Christian Science Church

429 Pine St. at Redwood Spur, Brookings

Sunday Service.....11 a.m. Sunday School.....11 a.m. Reading Room:

Wednesday Testimony Mtg..6 p.m. Monday & Wednesday..1-3 p.m. or by appointment www.cscbrookings.com

541-469-2398 or 469-3333 Star of the Sea Catholic Church

Justus Alaeto, Pastor 820 Old County Rd., Brookings 541-469-2313

Wednesday Mass......5:15 p.m. Friday Mass.....5:15 p.m. Sat 4:30 p.m. Spanish Mass 6:30 p.m. Sunday Mass......8:30 a.m. This Friday every month Adoration 4 p.m. & Mass 6 p.m.

First Saturday every month Mass 9 a.m. https://staroftheseastcharles.org/

Calvary 🖒 Heritage

"Studying God's Word verse by verse, Hearing God's voice day by day" Sunday Morning Worship 10:30am Thursday Bible Study 6:30pm

97900 Shopping Center Ave. #28 Contact: 541-661-0184 Website: CalvaryHeritage.org Mail: PO Box 3026 Brookings, OR 97415

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Trinity Lutheran Church 1200 Easy St., PO Box 1199

Brookings Sunday Bible School All Ages...9am (Sept.-May) Sunday Worship Service...10am **Nursery Available**

> 541-469-3411 tlcbrookings.org

Ir./Sr. High Youth Group...Wed. 6:30-8pm Women's Bible Study...Wed. 10am Celebrate Recovery...Tues. 6pm

Brookings-Harbor

Christian Church

777 Fifth Street, Brookings

Sunday Service......10 a.m.

Weekly Communion

Small Group Ministries

Celebrate Recovery...6 p.m. Sunday

541-469-2531

Pastor Lance Knauss

Brookings Church

of the Nazarene

1600 Chetco Ave. (Hwy 101 N)

Saturday Night Thrive Service.....6pm

Sunday School.....9am and 10:30am

Worship Services...9am & 10:30am

brookingsnaz.org 541-469-2571 First Baptist Community Church 607 Pacific Ave., Brookings Sunday School-PreK~12th...9:30am

Adult Bible Study......9:30am ...10:45am Sunday Worship...... Thursday Evening Bible Study...6:15pm Awana Clubs..Wed. 6pm (Sept -May) Grades Pre-K-8th Youth Group...Sun. 6:30-8:30pm Dr. Ken Whitted 541-469-2014

Lighthouse Assembly of God 15803 Hwy. 101 S., Harbor

Sunday School 9:30am Sunday Worship. Below: Call for Locations Monday Youth Group...6:00pm

Wed Lighthouse Kids....6:00pm Wednesday Adult Small Group Studies...6:00pm

James Schultz, Pastor 541-469-3458

WORLD

'Tell the rich of the midnight sighing of the poor...The poor in your midst are My trust; guard ye My trust, and be not intent on your own ease. ~ Baha'u'llah

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St. Timothy's **Episcopal Church**

Fir St. at Old County Rd, Brookings

Worship and Sunday School..10 a.m.

Fellowship Hour after Sunday Worship

541-469-3725

brookingspres.com

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Brookings

Presbyterian

Church

Pacific Ave. at Oak St.

Sunday Adult Classes.......9 a.m. Sunday Service......10 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study....11 a.m. Wednesday Holy Eucharist with Healing Service......12 noon

The Reverend Bernie Lindley 541-469-3314

sttimothyepiscopal.org

Faith Baptist Church 409 Hillside Ave. Unit C,

Brookings

541-412-1070 Sunday School. 10 a.m Morning Preaching......

Evening Preaching...........6 p.m Wednesday Bible Study...7 p.m "Looking for an exciting Bible-Preaching Church? We may be just what you're looking for!"

Church of Christ

17222 Passley Rd., Brookings Sunday Morning Bible Study.....10am

Sunday Morning Worship Assembly...11:20am Wednesday Bible Class.....7pm

Evangelist: Michael Wilk 541-469-6453 or 541-469-0191

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST Pastor Barry Kimbrough

102 Park Ave., Brookings 541-469-3030

Saturday Worship 11:30am.

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https://www.facebook. com/7thdayadventistbrookings/

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541-469-2631 calvaryagbrookings.org Worship Services......9 and 11am

Calvary Assembly

of God

518 Fir St., Brookings

Children's Church & Nursery...11am Kingdom Youth Group......11am

Adrian VanAswegen, Pastor

Safe Harbor Christian Fellowship

15786 Hwy. 101 South, Brookings

Pastor Pete Hernandez 541-469-0260 or

541-661-5557 Fellowship.....9:30am ..10am

Bible Study.....Wed. 6:30pm Teaching the salvation of Jesus Christ

Smith River

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Classes for Children Wed. Night Bible Study.....7pm Pastor Bill Paquette 707-951-5072



Calvary Chapel of the Redwoods Temporary address for services:

Smith River Community Hall 241 1st St., Smith River CA (707)-487-2051

Sunday Services10:30am www.ccredwoods.com

Fort Dick Bible Church "Grace Alone, through Christ Alone,



🖟 for God's Glory Alone" 6725 Lake Earl Dr. Sunday Service - 10:45am

Sunday School - 9:30am Mid-Week Bible Study - call for details Phone (707) 458-4030

(LIVE on Facebook @FortDickBibleChurch)

Smith River **Baptist Church** 340 Highland Avenue,

Smith River Just off Hwy. 101 (707) 487-5275

Pastor Steve Alexander Worship Service...... 10:30am **Pelican Bay Evangelical**

Free Church



Here to Gather, Grow, Give and Go! Robert Foster, Pastor 707-464-9184 Wednesday

By Jesus'

Sr. High Youth Group....6-8:30pm Sunday

Bible Hour.....9-10am

Sunday Worship.....10:30am

Children's Church (during Church Worship)

Nursery Care 160 Blueberry Lane (Off Blackwell'

Email - office@pbefchurch.com

Wednesday 188 E Cooper, Crescent City Bible Study & Prayer Meeting GraceLutheranCC.com 6:30 p.m.

Sunday 9/19:

- At 11:49 a.m. the police

People can experience * Feeling excessive guilt,

health crisis due to a wide For others, it might be the loss of a job. For veterans, these crises can be height-

to harm themselves before doing so, but some actions can be a sign that a person needs help. Veterans in crisis may show behaviors that indicate a risk of selfharm. The following can all be warning signs:

swings * Feeling as if there is

CONVICTIONS Eric Hollenbeck, 32, of Brookings, Oregon, was convicted of violating pro-

bation and was sentenced

to 20 days in jail.

Kaije Juneau, 22, of Fort Dick, was convicted of inflicting corporal injury on spouse or cohabitant and was sentenced to three years of probation, 104 days in jail and a fine of \$1,070.

Cory Lee Woody, 48, of Gold Beach, Oregon was convicted of a parole violation and was sentenced to five days in jail. Stephen Mealue, 63, of

Smith River, was convicted of for driving under the influence of alcohol with a .08 or above blood alcohol with 2 priors and was sentenced to five years of probation, 180 days in jail

and a \$3,120 fine.

Emanuel LunaOrozco, 20, of Smith River was convicted of driving on a suspended license and was sentenced to one year of probation and a fine of \$1,454. Michael Gilliland, 29, of

Crescent City, was convicted of driving under the influence of alcohol with a .08 or above blood alcohol and was sentenced to three years of probation, 48 hours in jail and a fine of \$1,864. Marcel Sambrana, 33, of Crescent City, was con-

victed of driving under the influence of alcohol with a .08 or above blood alcohol and driving with a blood alcohol of .15 or above and was sentenced to three years of probation, 96 hours in jail and a fine of \$1,864. William Lujan Jr., 27,

of Medford, Oregon, was convicted of a parole violation and was sentenced to five days in jail. Troy Clark, 33, of Crescent City, was convicted of

threaten a crime with intent to terrorize and possession of ammunition by an

ex-felon and was sentenced

to two years in state prison.

Roy Young, 32, of Crescent City, was convicted of for driving unlicensed and was sentenced to one year of probation and a

fine of \$634. Gregory Blodgett, 44, of Smith River, was convicted of hit and run with property damage and was sentenced to one year of probation, 48 hours in jail,

of \$1,305. Raymond Lecomptte, 26, of Redding, was convicted of driving on a suspended license due to a previous DUI and was sentenced to one year of probation, 10 days in jail

Long Ly, 26, of Cres-

cent City, was convicted of

inflicting corporal injury

to a spouse or cohabitant

and a fine of \$2,602.

pay restitution and a fine

and was sentenced to three years of probation, 16 days in jail and a fine of \$920. Ronald Evans Jr., 41, of Crescent City, was

convicted of for driving under the influence of alcohol with a .08 or above blood alcohol, obstruct/ resist executive officer and parole violation and was sentenced to three years of probation, 93 days in jail and a fine of \$2,084. Michael High, 29, of

McKinleyville, was con-

victed of driving under the

influence of alcohol with a

.08 or above blood alcohol

and was sentenced to three

in jail and a fine of \$1,864.

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9:00am Adult Bible Study

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Evening Service

DNACA's 30th Annual Juried Art Exhibition - Call for Artists

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Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness is seeking artists from Del Norte County and Curry County for their 30th annual Juried Art Exhibition. Intake is at the Del Norte County Courthouse on November 18, from 5 - 6 p.m. Entry fee is \$10 per artwork, and artists may submit up to two pieces, wired for hanging. Artwork that is juried into the show will remain on display at the Del Norte Courthouse through January 13, 2022. For information or to obtain a prospectus, email office@dnaca.net or call 707-464-1336.

DNACA's 40th Anniversary Performance Series Season Tickets

Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness is happy to present its 40th anniversary Performance Series. The season includes five live concerts from internationally-known artists. For information on DNACA and the Performance Season. visit dnaca.net. Tickets and information on each concert are available at dnaca.eventbrite.com, or in person at Del Norte Office Supply in Crescent City, and Wright's Custom Framing in Brookings.

"Art by Veterans IV" Exhibit

Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness presents the work of artists who are veterans or family members of veterans in their annual "Art by Veterans" multimedia exhibit, now on display through October 7, as part of DNACA's Art in Public Places program. The exhibit can be viewed in the lobby of the Del Norte County Courthouse, 450 H Street, Crescent City, and features artwork from Del Norte and Curry County artists. The Courthouse is open Monday - Friday, from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. except on holidays. For information, contact DNACA at 707-464-1336 or office@dnaca.net.

Last Chance to See "Come Walk with Me" Exhibit

This is the last chance for the public to view the work of artist DéDé Nicholls as part of DNACA's Art in Public Places program. Her exhibit titled "Come Walk with Me," reflects her tendency to paint paths, as if on a journey. The exhibit is on display through October 7, at the 2nd floor mezzanine of the CEC Airport at 1650 Dale Rupert Road, Crescent City. The exhibit can be viewed during the airport terminal's hours: 6 a.m. - 8 p.m. weekdays, 6 - 10 a.m. and 5 - 8 p.m. Saturdays, and 6 a.m. - 2 p.m.

and 5 - 8 p.m. Sundays. For information, contact DNACA at 707-464-1336 or office@dnaca.net.

Crescent City Art

Crescent City Art at 1228 2nd St., Crescent City, is open to the public Wednesday - Saturday from noon - 5 p.m. The gallery's Artist of the Month is Rodney Reid. Member art exhibits include spray paint artist Spencer Bishop at the Del Norte County Library, watercolor artist Pauline Lodolini at the Smith River Library, and an exhibit of various artists at the Sutter Coast Hospital Infusion Center and in the Main Hall at Sutter Coast Hospital. For information, call 707-460-1414.

Crescent Harbor Art Gallery

Crescent Harbor Art Gallery's Artist of the Month is Debbie Dean. Debbie has worked as an art docent and art teacher before moving to Crescent City, and she has a love for oil painting, and painting animal portraits. The Del Norte community at large is invited to become members of Crescent Harbor Art Gallery. If you are interested, text message 707-616-5637 or e-mail to CrescentHarborGallery1@gmail.com with your contact information.



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"Get in the Boat" by Edward Reidel was the 1st Place Winner of the DNACA 2020 Juried Exhibition. Entries for the 2021 show can be submitted November 18.

The gallery is located at 140 Marine Way, Crescent City. For more information call 707-464-9133, or visit their website at www.crescentharborgallery.com.

The Gallery of Arts & Culture

The Gallery of Arts & Culture at 175 H Street, is featuring the oil paintings

of award-winning artist Daniel Desmond. While Dan and his artist wife Marianne Strehler moved to Crescent City several years ago, he has been painting with oils for over 60 years, and concentrates mostly on landscapes and seascapes. The gallery is open 11 a.m. - 6 p.m. Tuesday - Saturday, and masks will be required

inside the gallery at all times.

For community arts calendar listings, please visit www.dnaca.net. For inclusion in Arts Scene listings, items should be sent to the Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness (DNACA) at office@dnaca.net by Friday of each week.

DAR promotes observance of Constitution Week

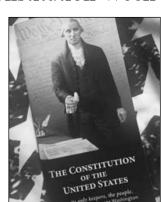
Del Norte Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution is encouraging every American to celebrate Constitution Week from September 17 – 23, commemorating the signing of the Constitution of the United States of America.

This celebration of Constitution Week was started by the Daughters of the American Revolution. In 1955, DAR petitioned Congress to set aside September 17 – 23 annually to be dedicated for the observance of Constitution

Week. The resolution was later adopted by the U.S. Congress and signed into public law on August 2, 1956, by President Dwight D. Eisenhower.

For further information on Constitution Week, check the National DAR website at nsdar.org, or locally, contact Regent Cori Higgins at 954-7103.

DAR is a women's service organization dedicated to promoting historic preservation, education, patriotism and honoring the patriots of the Revolutionary War.



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The Del Norte Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution is encouraging local residents to commemorate the signing of the U.S. Constitution this week.

Schools

From Page A1 can visit dnusd.org/ familyresources to see a COVID checklist the district created.

While sporting events are continuing, Harris

away from the games. He said the district is working hard to livestream most games so spectators can watch without putting anyone at risk.

urged spectators to stay

"Due to the continuing high number of positive

COVID cases in our county, we ask that you support our students by watching from the best seat in the house - your own living room," Harris said. "When available, our home games will be live streaming on the Del Norte High Facebook page."

McGuire introduces bill to help stop coal train proposal

Senator Mike McGuire introduced legislation Tuesday to stop one of the largest environmental threats the North Coast has seen in decades — a proposal from a secret, clandestine operation, hiding behind an anonymous LLC out of Wyoming, that wants to ship millions of tons of coal through the Northern California counties of Marin, Sonoma, Mendocino, Trinity and Humboldt.

The shadowy rail operation would utilize a portion of the now defunct North Coast rail route, which runs approximately 320 miles between Marin and Humboldt counties. The coal would then be loaded onto ships in Humboldt Bay, sold overseas and burned.

Senator McGuire's SB 307, which was introduced last week, would help stop that proposal, or anything like it in the future, in its trocks

"This toxic coal train would run through the heart of so many thriving communities and along the Russian and Eel Rivers, which are the main source of drinking water for nearly one million residents," Senator Mike McGuire said. "This dangerous proposal must be stopped, which is why we have introduced SB 307. This critical bill will ban any state funding from being invested to improve the rail line for coal shipments north of Willits and it bans any state funding to buildout a potential coal storage terminal at the Port of Humboldt. No way, no how are we going to let this happen"

and make this toxic dream a reality. This anonymous group has also filed a request to kill the build out of the Great Redwood Trail. The trail, which will be the longest contiguous rail-trail in America, would stretch from the bustling waters of San Francisco Bay to the fog-shrouded red-

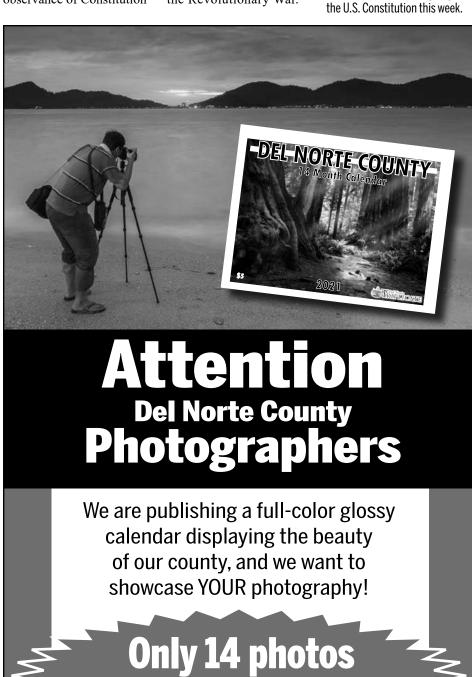
wood shores of Humboldt Bay.

SB 307 explicitly states that state money cannot be spent to initiate, improve or operate rail service on the now defunct North Coast rail line north of the city of Willits. Further, it bans state money from being spent on the buildout of any new bulk coal terminal facilities within the County of Humboldt.

In addition, McGuire has made significant progress on the Great Redwood Trail. SB 69, which was approved in the Assembly by a vote of 71-0 and then in the Senate by 38-0, will close down the North Coast Railroad Authority once and for all, and transfer their property and rights to the Great Redwood Trail Agency and to Sonoma Marin Area Rail Transit.

The Great Redwood Trail will meander through ancient redwoods, state and national wildlands, oak-studded golden hills and along our incredible rivers. The trail will also be an economic driver for the dozens of rural communities it runs through.

"Coal is the dirtiest and most damaging source of energy out there. It's the number one cause of global warming and it's the number one contributor to our climate crisis. The people of the North Coast won't stand for this. We rallied against Big Oil to protect our coast from offshore drilling – and won. And we will win this fight against Big Coal," Senator Mike



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Manley Art Center to display winners of Art at the Port in October

this summer's Art at the Port Exhibition will be displayed in the gallery at Manley Art Center from October 3- 30. There is a Second Saturday Art Walk planned for October 9 from 3-5 p.m. Sixty-four entries in three categories; adults, teens and youth under 12, were displayed on the boardwalk fence from May through mid-September. The paintings all reflect the theme: Wild about the Oregon Coast. A few of these paintings are available for

purchase. More than 2,200 People's Choice ballots were cast. Ribbons and cash People's Choice awards include: 1st (\$100), 2nd (\$50) and 3rd Place (\$25) in each of the age categories. Additionally, five local sponsors offered a ribbon and a \$100 award for the painting of their choice from any age category. Sponsors include: Oregon South Coast Fishermen, Fred Meyer, Pelican Bay Arts Association, Curry Equipment Company and the Brookings Harbor Port Commissioners. This year's sponsored awards include paintings from all three age categories. The award winning artists are from Brookings, Gold Beach and Crescent City.

Listed below are the Winners of the 2021 Art at the Port Exhibition

Adult People's Choice 1st Place: Harold Fox 2nd Place: Nicole Harris 3rd Place:

Linda Stevenson

Teen People's Choice 1st Place: Ashlee Harper 2nd Place: Cerise Badger

3rd Place: Meriwether Blue McDonald Schell Youth People's Choice 1st Place:

McKenzie Costa 2nd Place: Sydney Bryd 3rd Place: Lauren Hansen

Sponsored Awards Fred Meyer Award:

Sharon Guinn Curry Equipment Award Lauren Hansen

Pelican Bay Arts Assoc. Award: Ashlee Harper Oregon South Coast Fishermen Award:

Linda Stevenson Port Commissioners Award:

Sheryl Tuttle This is the second sea-

son for Art at the Port and a third season is planned for 2022. All entries must be presented on identical 16" X 24" panels that are prepared by Pelican Bay Arts Association. Registration for the 2022 show begins the first week of March and takes place at Wright's Custom Framing on Chetco Avenue in Brookings. A \$10 registration fee includes a pre-primed art panel and an entry form. The completed paintings will be collected at Pithitude Gift Shop on the boardwalk during the second week of May.

The event website, http:// www.artattheport.com offers additional information including tips for artists who would like to enter next year's exhibition.



DEL NORTE TRIPLICATE

Above: McKenzie Costa won the People's Choice Awards in the youth category for this painting. Below: Harold Fox won the People's Choice Award in the adult category for this painting. The award winners from the Port Exhibition will be shown at the Manley Art Center in October. Bottom: Ashlee Harper won the People's Choice Award in the teen category for this painting.







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After a year and a half of remote learning and social distancing, kids are once again socializing after school and between classes, and are being confronted with one of the biggest dangers on school campuses — vaping.

As smoking cigarettes became less popular with younger generations, tobacco companies have adapted — changing their products to appeal directly to kids. They use misleading advertising to push colorful vapes and fruity flavors that make tobacco use look trendy, fun and empowering. This kind of advertising is why e-cigarettes are now the most commonly used type of tobacco product among California high school students.

The tobacco industry tries to hook young people, whose developing brains are more vulnerable to addiction, with candy-flavored vapes and youth-targeted social media marketing. Youth who live in rural areas are even more vulnerable, because the tobacco industry takes advantage of weaker tobacco retail laws in smaller communities.

Because of these practices, rural counties have some of the highest smoking rates in California, and rural residents start smoking at an earlier age, often after becoming addicted to nicotine through vaping.

Kid-friendly flavors like Blue Razz, Banana Ice and Pegasus Milk mask the harsh taste of tobacco, making it easy to start vaping and harder to quit. The tobacco industry also continues to lie and say that vaping and flavors are harmless, even though it's been proven that tobacco products lead to poor health and behavioral outcomes for teens.

Nicotine rewires the brain to crave more of it, creating nicotine withdrawal symptoms like headaches, shaky hands, mood swings and the inability to concentrate, ultimately holding them back developmentally and impacting kids' relationships, academic performance and ability to have happy, successful futures as adults.

"Parents, school officials, and community leaders need to be more aware of the how, where, and why our children are accessing and using tobacco products," said Larry Olson, Chair of the Mendocino County Tobacco Prevention

Coalition. "By knowing more about these products and the tobacco companies' tactics to hook our youth, we can be effective advocates to push for local policies that curb tobacco use and save our children from a lifetime of addiction."

The good news is that kids are starting to get the message. In California, data from the California Student Tobacco Survey shows that 8.2% of high school students vape, a significant drop from 2019, and half that of the US high

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school vaping rate (19.6%). Yet the majority of youth who vape want to quit, and reported making multiple attempts to quit in the past year.

This is a critical moment in the fight against tobacco. We cannot let the tobacco industry steal the free will of another generation by convincing them that vapes are empowering. We can help our children keep their free will intact by choosing not to fall prey to the false advertising of the tobacco industry. We have the power to create a better, tobacco-free future in California—and we must start by protecting our kids.

PROTECT KIDS AT Flavors Hook Kids.org