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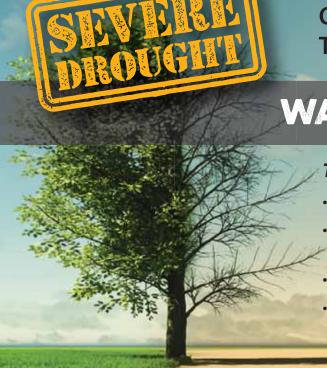
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WHAT A WEEK



BY JEREMY WALSH

Fitting Mayor's Awards

It was a night for celebration as the city of Pleasanton brought back its Commission and Committee Recognition Dinner and Mayor's Award event. The previously annual festivities were interrupted by the pandemic, shifting to video in 2020 and postponing in 2021.

"We have some catching up to do," Mayor Karla Brown told the audience in Casa Real at Ruby Hill Winery on May 12.

For Brown, it represented her first chance to hand out the city's coveted Mayor's Award since her ascension to the top office in fall 2020. She would give out two that evening — and surprising the winners, as is tradition.

Both went to such deserving recipients known for long records of dedicated community service that many of you would have read about in the Weekly over the years.

Tri-Valley REACH won for 2021, which was when the nonprofit celebrated its 30th anniversary, and the 2022 award went to Linda Garbarino, a former educator and long-time volunteer most recognized now for her work leading the Pleasanton Heritage Association.

It's hard to imagine what Pleasanton would look like without the positive impacts of both winners.

Established 31 years ago, Tri-Valley REACH (officially named Resources Education Activities Community and Housing for Special Adults of the Tri-Valley) strives to provide affordable, quality and safe homes for adults with developmental disabilities to live as independently as possible.

"Understanding there are varying degrees of developmental disabilities, they focused their efforts on building an organization that could provide the supportive services necessary to allow members to live like everyone else — in their own homes," Brown said. "Independence builds confidence."

Kay King, REACH's board chair, said that while a couple of their board members knew the award secret, she was "completely unaware" when the thrilling surprise was announced.

"REACH has a long history, and one that I often refer to as 'silently successful,' and to be publicly recognized with the Mayor's Award for our 30-plus years of service is a tribute to those few family members who long ago banded together to provide a better and more inclusive life for their loved ones," King told me, adding:

"We are extremely proud of this

honor and look forward to working with the city of Pleasanton and providing a level of service that continues to live up to this prestigious award."

Working with the city to accomplish shared goals has been a theme for the 2022 Mayor's Award winner as well

Garbarino, now president of the Pleasanton Heritage Association, was among the driving forces to help establish the nonprofit in 2008 to coordinate efforts among the city, local developers and homeowners toward the goal of preservation of historic homes in Pleasanton.

"As an owner of two historic Pleasanton homes, our honoree knows the inherent value historic homes bring and how their preservation defines the culture and character of a community," Brown said. "Noticing a slow erosion of historic and vintage homes in Pleasanton, our honoree was driven to do something about it."

"Her commitment and dedication to her family and her community has helped make Pleasanton the very best version of itself," the mayor said.

In addition to her work with the association, Garbarino — a retired teacher, former union president and district curriculum director in Fremont, as well as an award-winning local artist focused on mixed media — serves as board president for Museum on Main and as a member of the Pleasanton Art League.

"For me, it's the success created by nonprofits finding common ground through embracing our historic city with programs like PHA or the museum's partnership with the Pleasanton Art League, another nonprofit I work with that expands its reach through the museum by sharing wonderful art created for our citizens by our citizens," Garbarino told me.

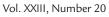
"I believe the blending of the goals of these nonprofits has built a strong bond and added visibility and participation that continues to strengthen our amazing community. It's time well spent in my life," she added.

The city event last month opened with Brown and other Pleasanton leaders recognizing the contributions of all residents who serve on city commissions and committees, especially during the pandemic.

Officials honored members in the room and highlighted their key accomplishments in the past two years.

About the Cover

Foothill (top) and Amador Valley (bottom) high schools held graduation ceremonies at their respective football stadiums on June 3. Photos by Chuck Deckert. Cover design by Paul Llewellyn.





Streetwise

ASKED AROUND TOWN

Do you have any special plans for graduation or Father's Day?



Kevin Culver

We'll probably walk downtown, see where our feet take us and enjoy a totally unplanned, spur-ofthe-moment great Father's Day meal in downtown Pleasanton. I can't imagine a special plan better than



Martin and Janet Gates

Sales manager; elementary school principal

We'll be traveling for our highly anticipated 30-year anniversary trip, even though we're celebrating 33 years of marriage. COVID and all. Our destinations are Israel and Jordan. We're so excited.



Gabby Shaw

Assistant property manager

I'll be celebrating Father's Day with my sister and brother-in-law and their family. They have two small children, including a brand-new baby, so we're going to do the whole backyard barbecue thing and have a great time.



Garrett Kelly

I don't actually. My family is back in Georgia, so unfortunately I won't be celebrating Father's Day with my dad in person. I will certainly give him a call though, to wish him all my best.



Melissa Cafiero

Graphic artist

Well, I no longer have a living father, and all of my children have long since graduated from school, so it'll be just another "Funday" Sunday for me.

—Compiled by Nancy and Jeff Lewis

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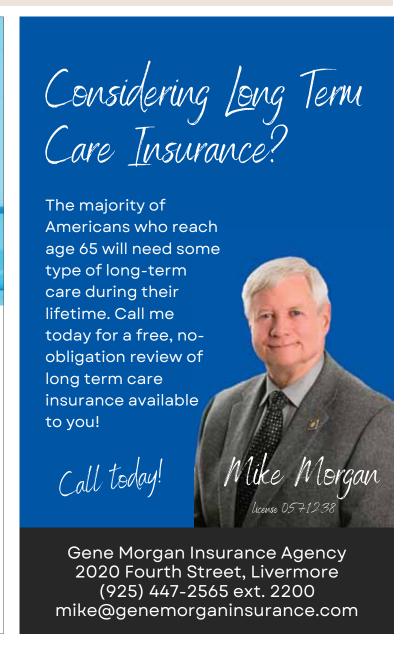
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DIGEST

Mask rules are back

Alameda County health officials are once again requiring people to wear masks in most indoor public settings, as of last Friday, because of increasing COVID-19 hospitalizations.

According to a county statement, the daily reported COVID-19 cases have exceeded the peak of last summer's delta wave and are approaching levels seen during the winter 2020-21 wave.

Public health officials said they are monitoring cases and hospitalizations to determine when this order can be lifted safely. They added that reported cases are an underestimate of the total due to home testing and unidentified infections.

Masks weren't required for K-12 schools through the end of the 2021-22 school year, but they will be required in other settings such as childcare, summer school and youth programs.

Health officials said that wearing a mask protects both the wearer and those around them and having more people masked will help slow infections.

Fun Run at fair

Opening weekend of the Alameda County Fair in Pleasanton will include the "Sun's Out Fun's Out Fun Run" benefiting Sunflower Hill next Saturday (June 18).

The fundraising race features 5-kilometer and 1-mile runs that day designed for athletes of all ability levels. The entry fee covers a custom T-shirt, post-race refreshments and admission to the fair that day.

The money goes toward Tri-Valley nonprofit's efforts to provide residential, vocational and educational support for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. To register, visit sunflowerhill.org.

'How the Pieces Fit'

The Tri-Valley Branch of the California Writers Club is hosting author Jim Grayson to present on the topic "Great Stories - How the Pieces Fit Together" next Saturday (June 18) at 2 p.m. via Zoom and in person at the Four Points by Sheraton on Hopyard Road in Pleasanton.

Grayson's presentation will focus on "a writer's journey of discovery," club officials said. "He will help attendees discover signposts along the way to an effective story, such as how to find and develop creativity; how to develop memorable characters; how to create a convincing setting; how to grab a reader's attention; and how to keep work authentic.

The registration deadline is next Friday. For ticket prices and more info, visit www.trivalleywriters.org. ■

Election Night: County sheriff, DA races poised for November runoffs

Outcomes clear for Board of Education, Zone 7; county superintendent too close to call

BY CHRISTIAN TRUJANO AND JEANITA LYMAN

ith voting in the primary election coming to a close Tuesday evening, the contests for Alameda county sheriff-coroner and district attorney are positioned to head for November runoffs, according to initial returns at the end of Election Night.

For the position of sheriff, challenger Yesenia Sanchez leads at 46.80% ahead of her boss, incumbent Sheriff Greg Ahern at 36.40% in second place, as the results stood at 11:30 p.m. Tuesday. San Francisco Police Department Officer JoAnn Walker, who lives in Alameda, finished Election Night in third at

Sanchez and Ahern appear likely to head for a runoff in the general election this fall. A candidate for countywide office needed to garner 50%-plus of overall ballots to win the seat outright in the primary.

Sanchez has worked at the Alameda County Sheriff's Office since 1997. She rose to the rank of commander for the Detention and Corrections Division in 2020.

Ahern, who started as a deputysheriff in 1980, has been the county's sheriff since January 2007 after winning the election in 2006.

The Alameda County Registrar of Voters' Office reports voter turnout so far countywide as 10.94%, indicating some unknown number of ballots still need to be counted. The total number of ballots processed thus far were 102,804.

Another county contest poised for a runoff is the district attorney's office, where Oakland civil rights attorney Pamela Price is leading with 39.81% of votes and chief assistant district attorney Terry Wiley is in second with 30.85%, both of whom did not receive the majority threshold required to win outright.

The other candidates were Jimmie Wilson, a deputy district attorney, at 20.59% and Seth Steward, a former San Francisco prosecutor, at 8.75%.

The race was wide open this year with incumbent District Attorney Nancy O'Malley opting not to seek re-election in favor of retirement.

For Alameda County superintendent of schools, which only had two candidates, sees two-term incumbent L.K. Monroe currently sitting on top with a 51.71% lead over challenger Alysse Castro who is at 48.29% making the contest too close to call

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Reserves to preserve Century House

Library and cricket field now fully funded; new skate park loses \$1 million

BY CHRISTIAN TRUJANO

The Pleasanton City Council agreed to modify its midterm budget last week to take out about \$2 million from the general reserve fund, as well as reduce \$1 million from a skate park project, to fully fund restoring the historic Century

Passing with a 3-2 vote, the motion would take money out of the city's rainy day fund — which started when the pandemic first hit so the city could have some extra reserves of money — and shift it to the \$1.7 million in surplus that city staff had already recommended adding to the capital improvement program (CIP) for public projects.

The rainy day fund will be \$2 million over the next three years into the CIP ... If that's what it's going to be used for anyway, I'd say, you know, take that from the rainy day fund that was intended to fund the CIP over a period of time," Councilmember Julie Testa, who voted with the majority, said during the special council meeting on May 31.

However, councilmembers Jack Balch and Kathy Narum, who both voted against the modification, said that even though the city is a little over the maximum reserves percentage set by city policy, it is still not a financially sound decision to transfer the money now.

'One of the things about the city that we are known for and I think we're all proud of is that we maintain fiscal sustainability," Narum said. "People before us 20 years ago or more you know really set up all these reserves and things that



Restoration of the historic Century House has been identified for funding.

we're talking about here to help fund stuff and I get a little nervous .. I don't want to walk away from

Balch said that dipping into those reserves could cost city operations in the future given that there is still so much uncertainty over a possible recession, inflation and COVID. Narum seconded that concern adding that the intent of the extra money from the rainy day fund was to slowly add that money back to the general fund for future

General fund reserves currently exceed the maximum amount that is usually recommended. According to staff, city policy calls for a maximum reserve of 30% of the operating budget; it is now at 30.7%. Interim city finance director Mahim Shah said keeping the number at 30% is the most fiscally responsible thing to do.

But the council majority agreed the money needs to be used for the projects that are already being worked on such as the Century House, a 150-year-old historic house on Santa Rita Road that has been closed for eight years due to

"If 25 (percent reserve) is our target and 20 is reasonable but 30 is a maximum, we're just under 30," Mayor Karla Brown said. "I think that gives us a great cushion, lots of protection and we're identifying some funds here that I think need to be looked at further.

However, there was plenty of debate last week about whether the extra funds should have gone to finishing up the proposed skate park to be built at Ken Mercer Sports Park. At first, the plan was to allocate the money for that

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Resident pursuing referendum

Launching campaign to collect signatures for petition on Eden

BY CIERRA BAILEY

The Eden Housing affordable housing development planned for downtown Livermore faces a new hurdle as a resident has filed paperwork to begin circulating a referendum petition in an effort to overturn the City Council's approval of an amended development agreement for the project.

Attorney Barry Fadem told Livermore Vine in an email that he started the referendum process on behalf of his client Richard Ryon by submitting a proposed impartial summary for the referendum petition to the city clerk on May 27.

In a statement, Ryon said his action was in direct response to the council's May 24 approval of a disposition, development and loan agreement, which includes modifications and additions to further facilitate the development process.

"Livermore residents have lost confidence in this City Council. Instead of listening to the majority of its constituents who favor a different location for the Eden Housing project, the Council has voted to approve an extensive revision to the disposition, development and loan agreement that will allow the city to transfer the property at Railroad Avenue and L Street to Eden Housing by this September," Ryon said,

"The City is allowing Eden to

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Embarcadero Media president announces retirement

Founder of Weekly's parent company to be succeeded by Adam Dawes

BY PLEASANTON WEEKLY STAFF

Embarcadero Media President Bill Johnson, who started a small weekly newspaper in Palo Alto in 1979 and grew it into a digital and print publishing company known for its integrity, innovation and community involvement, will retire later this year, he announced to employees last week. The plan, he said, has been in the works for more than two years in order to ensure a smooth transition.

Johnson went on to launch the Pleasanton Weekly in 2000 after consulting with many Pleasanton community leaders, believing the community shared many qualities in common with Palo Alto.

He said he will remain in his role as chairman of Embarcadero Media's board of directors and president of the Embarcadero Media Foundation, as well as stay involved with some of the company's big-picture initiatives.

His successor as president and CEO will be Adam Dawes, a native of Palo Alto who has lived in the Bay Area his entire life.

Dawes has had a lifelong interest in the media and the value of quality information and joins Embarcadero



Bill Iohnson



Adam Dawe

after a 20-plus year career in the technology industry, the last 14 developing products for Google. In his final role there, he led a series of local news projects for the Google News Initiative, a \$300 million program that works with media organizations large and small across the globe, to help them adapt their business models and strategies to journalism's digital future.

Johnson recruited Dawes to join Embarcadero Media's board of directors almost 10 years ago and said Dawes has worked during that time with him and the company's senior management team to develop strategies for expanding the company's digital publishing activities.

"Adam is about as perfect a fit for the company and community as one could imagine," Johnson said. "He is thoroughly familiar with the community, our business, the unique culture of our organization, and embraces our mission of service to the community through accurate, insightful and thoughtful news coverage. He also brings a wealth of experience building successful digital products, which are at the center of our strategy for future sustainability."

"This is a unique region in the world," Dawes said, "with such a rich diversity of people, businesses and cultural institutions, all situated amidst tremendous natural beauty. Quality news and information are essential for healthy communities and I'm tremendously excited to join Embarcadero and to help connect and serve this community through our publications."

Johnson said there would be no change in the ownership of the company and that shareholders have a deep commitment to the importance of local journalism and local ownership, a belief that Dawes strongly shares.

The company expects to complete the transition by the end of the year, with Dawes starting in September.

Concerts in the Park start tonight

Summer series returns to familiar Friday slot

By JEREMY WALSH

Pleasanton's popular Concerts in the Park entertainment series is set to be back in downtown beginning tonight and running most Friday evenings through August.

Organized by the Pleasanton Downtown Association, the free concerts typically draw hundreds of residents with lawn chairs and blankets in tow to Lions Wayside Park and adjacent Delucchi Park for a night of music, dancing, food and drink. The program is back in its familiar Friday slot after being canceled in 2020 and moved to Sunday afternoons in 2021 amid the pandemic.

"We are thrilled to welcome

Concerts in the Park back on Friday nights. For decades, our community has gathered in downtown for live music and fun and it is very meaningful to be able to provide this opportunity for our friends and neighbors to gather once again," Interim

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acquire the land before Eden has secured the bulk of its financing for its project and before the lawsuit challenging last year's city approvals for the project has been concluded."

While the 130-unit residential development was approved by the city last year, it remains at the center of a contentious community debate. The approval of the project is currently being challenged in court by citizen group Save Livermore Downtown. Their initial petition was denied in Alameda County Superior Court earlier this year, which prompted the group to pursue an appeal to the state appellate court last month.

After the council unanimously approved the amended agreement, Mayor Bob Woerner addressed the ongoing litigation against the project, calling it a "needless delay of the project."

"I'm also confident that the court

will deny SLD's appeal, therefore, I wholeheartedly support moving the project forward by approving the staff recommendations," Woerner said

Eden Housing president Linda Mandolini echoed similar sentiments about SLD's actions in a statement to Livermore Vine.

"The City of Livermore has been very consistent in their support of the Downtown project. In addition, local businesses, organizations and neighbors have been strong advocates for housing that makes it possible for the workforce to live closer to their jobs, reducing commute times and traffic congestion, and allowing them to serve the greater Livermore community. Even the Alameda County Superior Court, an impartial observer, deemed the SLD's claims as 'almost utterly without merit' and that rejecting the claims they had presented was 'not a close call," she

She added, "There aren't any alternative locations for this type of

affordable project in Livermore. It is time for SLD to stop wasting time and resources and allow the Livermore workforce to have a place they can call home and the opportunity for a better life."

It is unclear whether Ryon is affiliated with the Save Livermore Downtown citizen group.

Upon receipt of the proposed impartial summary, the city attorney can modify the impartial summary or decide to make no changes. Regardless of the city attorney's decision, Ryon said he plans to "begin a campaign to collect signatures on a referendum petition so that voters can decide whether the Eden agreement harms the city, and should be rejected."

According to city officials, the total number of registered voters in Livermore is currently 56,979. A referendum would need signatures from 10% of voters (5,698), however, that number could change as the number of registered voters changes.

Two elementary principals step down

PUSD hires Plaisance for Valley View, still recruiting for Vintage Hills

BY CHRISTIAN TRUJANO

Principals Gerardo Guzman-Rico of Valley View Elementary and Michael O'Brien of Vintage Hills Elementary are resigning from their positions and leaving the Pleasanton Unified School District at the end of the school year this month.

Guzman-Rico served as vice principal at Valley View before being appointed to principal for the 2021-22 school year.

"I am leaving Pleasanton Unified School District simply because I live too far from the city. Commuting to this area has been

challenging and I need more time with my family," Guzman-Rico told the Weekly. "Pleasanton Unified is truly a great place to work and grow as a professional."

Vintage Hills is currently in the hiring process for a new principal with the goal of identifying a selection this month, said Patrick Gannon, Pleasanton Unified School District's director of communications.

He said that Valley View has already completed that process and the district has named Julie Plaisance as the new principal.

Plaisance has seven years of school administrative experience, which includes leading a K-8 dual immersion school in Contra Costa County through the pandemic and the reopening of her school.

"Mrs. Plaisance brings a focus on building positive culture and fostering a shared vision within the school communities she has helped lead and serve with," according to a statement sent by the district to Valley View parents. "Her leadership is grounded in a deep appreciation for collaboration, family engagement and a focus on

social emotional learning as well as fostering safe and positive learning environments for the students and staff she serves."

In addition to her administrative experience she also has 13 years of experience teaching in second through eighth grades and speaks three languages in addition to English.

"Her leadership is grounded in a deep appreciation for collaboration, family engagement and a focus on social emotional learning as well as fostering safe and positive learning environments for the students and staff she serves," according to the statement.

O'Brien, who served as principal at Vintage Hills for the last three years, said he is leaving to pursue a new job leading the Champions University program and serving as vice president of education and management training for Service Champions, a residential heating and air conditioning company.

"I've loved teaching hundreds of students over the years and feel that I've made a positive impact on their lives," O'Brien told the Weekly. "I will miss the interactions with students immensely, but also look forward to having more time involved as an active parent at the schools of my own four children in the PUSD school system."

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with ballots still left to tabulate.

Two other local elections — Zone 7 Board of Directors and Alameda County Board of Education Trustee Area 7 — are showing significant leads.

The four Zone 7 board positions are led by incumbents Dennis Gambs with 26.74%, Sarah Palmer with 22.25% and Olivia Sanwong with 22.08%, and challenger Dawn Benson with 21.90%. A fifth candidate, Todd Shinohara, was on the Zone 7 ballot but did not run an

active campaign; he received 7.03%.

As for the Tri-Valley's seat on the county education board, former Pleasanton City Council member and retired teacher Cheryl Cook-Kallio controlled with a significant 52.82% lead, needing only to win the highest percentage of the three candidates.

DiemHa "Kate" Dao, a Pleasanton resident and founder of Acton Academy East Bay, is standing at 24.06% while the other candidate, Eric Dillie, formerly principal of the now-closed Livermore Valley Charter Preparatory, got 23.11% of vote.

District 16 Assemblymember

Rebecca Bauer-Kahan (D-Orinda) was ahead of her lone opponent Joseph Rubay (R-Alamo) at 67.13% to 32.87%. Both candidates, who also faced off in 2020, automatically advanced to a November runoff.

In the Assembly District 20 race, which includes a portion of western Pleasanton and Dublin, Democrat Liz Ortega led the way with 31.05%. Currently in second place and in position for the runoff is Dublin City Councilman Shawn Kumagai, also a Democrat, at 25.02%. Republican Joseph Grear sat at 23.13% and Democrat Jennifer Esteen was in fourth at 20.80%.

For U.S. House of Representatives, District 14 incumbent Eric Swalwell (D-Livermore) was ahead in preliminary results, with more than 62% of the vote. Republicans Alison Hayden and Tom Wong were neck and neck, at 10.6% and 10.4% respectively, for the other spot on the November ballot in the sevencandidate primary. Republican Sri "Steve" Iyer of Pleasanton was fourth at 8.2%.

Tri-Valley State Senator Steve Glazer (D-Orinda) finished in fourth place in his bid for state controller. Republican Lahnee Chen (35.40%) (21.89%) advanced from the six-candidate field to the runoff.

The unofficial election results include early vote-by-mail tallies and totals reported by the precincts on Election Night. The election figures will likely change in the coming days as final vote-by-mail ballots, provisional ballots and other qualifying ballots are processed, according to the California Secretary of State.

Any ballot postmarked by or before Election Day is eligible as long as it arrives within seven days of Election Day. The results must be finalized for certification by 30 days after the election

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project since the city has been working to get started on it since 2014.

The original budget did set aside \$3 million for the skate park, which would have only covered half of the total cost of construction. But after discussion, the council wanted to check off as many projects as possible and decided that because the Century House is deteriorating, they need to preserve that before adding a new amenity.

"Taking from the reserve to bring on a new amenity over taking care of the Century House, which has been here 130 years, seems like it is not a move that I can support," Balch said.

The new midterm budget will now set aside \$2 million for the skate park with the hopes of getting back to it during the next budget review.

Aside from the Century House, the library will also be fully funded to start construction on repairing the roof, lights and a fire control panel.

Additionally, a cricket field will also be fully funded but the city has not determined a specific location for the field and is evaluating three potential locations at Ken Mercer Sports Park that meet the minimum field size requirements.

The other hot topic during the meeting was West Las Positas Boulevard and how the city is handling repairing that road.

In the budget review, city staff are recommending \$2.5 million to be used to repair the West Las Positas, but according to city director of engineering Steve Kirkpatrick, there is no intent of completely closing that road for a full road repair any time soon.

He said that even though the street is sinking in areas, the city has been keeping up with spot repairs which will continue until full construction.

That is why the West Las Positas project is stuck in limbo with how much funding the city should set aside. Currently, the budget review allocated \$2.5 million for repairs which puts the total funds to \$5 million out of the proposed \$10 million for full repair.

The urgency to fully repair the road, as well as fully funding the skate park, was low though compared to the other amenities, which is something that councilmembers said is fine because of the need to finish as many projects as possible.

"We need to fund stuff, complete. It doesn't do us any good to put a little here and a little there,"

Republican Lahnee Chen (35.40%) finalized for certification by 30 d and Democrat Malia Cohen after the election. HOUSING ELEMENT UPDATE

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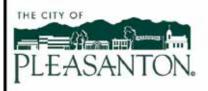
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Executive Director Laura Brooks told the Weekly.

The 2022 series will still be a bit different than normal.

The concert dates exclude the first Friday of each month in light of the First Weekends on Main program that runs on those dates. Also, the stage area has a new look as the longtime wooden bandstand in Lions Wayside Park was demolished this spring due to structural issues.

"The bands will be performing in

the same location. Only the bandstand wooden structure was removed leaving the elevated concrete platform in place," city communications manager Barbara Harb said. "The city installed additional lighting and temporary fencing surrounding the existing platform for this season's concert performances."

Playing the first concert is Retroactive, known for high-energy dance music. Like with all of the shows, the band tonight will take the stage at 7 p.m. and perform until 8:30 p.m.

Admission is free and attendees can set out blankets and chairs in

either Lions Wayside or Delucchi parks to watch the concerts while enjoying food and drink to-go from downtown restaurants or brought from home. The PDA will also be holding raffles for prizes during the series.

Blankets or chairs can be put out at people's own risk starting at 7 a.m. on concert day. PDA officials reminded residents that they cannot use rocks to hold down blankets because of potential damage to lawn-mowing equipment, and the use of plastic tarps, which can burn the grass, is also prohibited. ■

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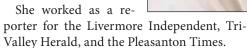
Patricia (Pat) Lane

August 17, 1931 - May 11, 2022

Pat Lane, the face of downtown Pleasanton for years, died May 11, 2022 of congestive heart failure. She was 90.

Pat was the first Executive Director of the Pleasanton Downtown Association and pio-

neered programs that continue to this day such as the Saturday Farmers' Market and Friday Concerts in the Park. She served as President the California Downtown Association. After retiring from the Association, you could find Pat staffing the community information table every Saturday she was in town. She was known as much for her volunteer activities as for her professional ones.



While her two boys were growing up, she supported them on band trips and in their other activities such as Cub Scouts. She was named a life member of the Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Her volunteer and professional work was recognized with the Ed Kinney Community Patriot Award, a Community Development Award from the Pleasanton Chamber of Commerce as well as the Pleasanton Mayor's Award as a Human Service Commissioner and member of the Assisted Living Subcommittee that led the effort to bringing Parkview Assisted Living to Pleasanton. That's a rare tripleheader.

She served for 33 years as a board member of the Museum on Main.

Pat received recognition for her service from a wide variety of groups: Lions International, Pleasanton Elementary School Band, Cub Scouts of America, U.S. Air Force recruiting, Pleasanton Convention and Visitors Bureau, 4-H and the Alameda County Fair, California Council for Adult Education and the city of Pleasanton. She partnered with other local residents to collect donations for KQED's auction. She was president of Beta Sigma Phi Pi Omega in 1955-56.

She and her husband Bob Lane were long-time members of the Adult Education Advisory board for the Pleasanton Unified School District. They also co-authored two books, The Amador-Livermore Valley, A Pictorial History in 1988 and Celebrating Family Fun and The County Fair in 2002.

Although she lived in the same home on Amaral Circle near downtown Pleasanton throughout much of her life here, she and Bob loved spending time and traveling with the Pinot Court Group, also known as the Bob Group because so many husbands were named Bob. Pinot Court was where Bob and Mary Ann Butler lived next door to Gil and Juanita Haugen in the Vintage Hills neighborhood.

Heather Haugen Rizzoli recalled how their gatherings were always full of laughs and they had a good time throwing white elephant gift

> parties using unusual items such as an antique mannikin that Dagmar Fulton was discarding. Fulton was a leader in the museum working with another long-time Pleasanton resident Cynthia Ostle who was the staff person.

> "Pat was so proud of this town and adored Pleasanton. She would talk about the town when it was much smaller and the delivery doctor would give away a bird with each new delivery! Can you imagine having

a newborn baby that came with a pet bird! She would chuckle when she thought about the bird she would hang in a cage in the kitchen window. Now, that is a small-town doctor," Heather wrote.

She was born in San Mateo to Lewis Bales and Ruth Cybelle Thomas. Growing up, she was a good athlete, following her dad as a strong swimmer and also playing tennis and golf. An only child, she graduated from Piedmont High School and attended the College of the Pacific (now the University of the Pacific in Stockton). While at Pacific, she met and fell in love with World War II veteran Robert J. Lane. Bob proposed to her on a covered bridge so covered bridges became favorite places to visit. They married Sept. 22, 1951 in the college chapel and lived in married student housing until Bob graduated.

She loved traveling to Hawaii, particularly with her children. She and Bob traveled widely in the Western United States and they loved cruises (Alaska, Virgin Islands, Mississippi River, Columbia River). Pat was known for her "legendary" collection of t-shirts and sweatshirts that commemorate life events. She enjoyed card games, dice games and hanging out with friends with a glass of red wine. She and Bob routinely enjoyed a glass at 5 p.m. daily substituting "click" for cheers.

She is survived by her husband of 70 years, Robert (Bob) Lane, her sons Don Lane (Hsiaoping) of Fremont and Tom Lane (Laurie Stull) of Bellingham, WA; grandchildren Chloe Ione Stull-Lane, Annica Ren Stull-Lane, Piper Robert Stull-Lane, Ai Ling Patricia Lane, Cheng Hao Howard Tai.

Her granddaughter Annica said, "I have a special place for Gma in my heart as an inspiration for determination, wit, community engagement and strength of family. Thank you for blessing our lives with your love."

The family prefers contributions in her memory to Museum on Main, 603 Main St. Pleasanton, 94566. www.museumonmain.org

POLICE REPORT

The Pleasanton Police Department made the following information available.

Warrant arrest

■3:15 a.m. on the 4100 block of

Vandalism

■7:48 a.m. on the 6600 block of Owens Drive

- ■8:32 a.m., 5600 block of Stoneridge Drive; catalytic converter theft
- ■4:37 p.m., 4500 block of Stoneridge Drive; catalytic converter theft
- ■4:45 p.m., 000 block of Stoneridge Mall Road; shoplifting

■1:30 p.m. on the 4900 block of Dolores Drive

May 31

Theft

- ■8:44 a.m., 2900 block of Garden Creek Circle; catalytic converter theft
- ■1:20 p.m. on the 4100 block of

Fraud

■3:14 p.m. on the 4000 block of Jackie Court

Assault/battery

■9:30 p.m. on the 4200 block of Rosewood Drive

May 30

Warrant arrest

■3:09 a.m. at Owens and Chabot

Drug violation

■10:18 a.m. at Dublin Canyon and Foothill roads

Theft from auto

■3:57 p.m. on the 3200 block of West Las Positas Boulevard

May 29

Theft

■12:15 p.m. on the 2100 block of Valley Avenue

Warrant arrest

- ■3:52 p.m. at Springhouse and Stoneridge drives
- ■8:08 p.m. on the 3000 block of Bernal Avenue
- ■10:47 p.m. at Pimlico and Santa Rita

May 28

Theft

- ■7:54 a.m. on the 5600 block of Owens Drive
- ■8:38 a.m., 3700 block of Old Santa Rita Road; auto theft
- ■8:45 a.m., 6000 block of Johnson Drive; shoplifting
- ■12:18 p.m., 3800 block of Appian Street; catalytic converter theft

■4:07 p.m. on the 4000 block of Del Valle Parkway

May 27

Vandalism

- ■10:58 a.m. on the 5700 block of West Las Positas Boulevard
- ■2:31 p.m. on the 5800 block of Parkside Drive

Fraud

■2:27 p.m. on the 3400 block of Norton Way

Theft

■3:33 p.m. on the 4800 block of

- Hopyard Road
- ■4:52 p.m. on the 3000 block of Boardwalk Street

Warrant arrest

- ■3:45 p.m. on the 5500 block of West Las Positas Boulevard
- ■11:57 p.m. on the 6000 block of Johnson Drive

Edwin Burkart

August 4, 1935 - May 30, 2022

On Monday, May 30, 2022, Ed Burkart, loving husband, father of three children and grandfather of five grandchildren passed away peacefully at age 86 surrounded by family at home. Ed was born on August 4, 1935 in Chicago, Illinois to Fred and Eleanor Burkart. He attended



Drake University in Iowa. He met and married his wife, Maureen while in Iowa and their wedding anniversary is 64 years this month. Ed was a salesman and entrepreneur and successfully created a manufacturer's representative firm which he sold upon his retirement. Ed valued his relationships and had a passion for helping people, in his business, his friends and family. After Ed's confirmation into the Catholic Church in 2001, he quickly became engaged in service to the church and parishioners. He and his wife Maureen served as grief counselors through the church for nearly 20 years. He was never without a clean joke to tell and worked hard to make sure he didn't repeat his jokes.

Ed is survived by his wife, Maureen, his children Lori, Kathleen (Ted), and John (Valerie) his five grandchildren; Wesley, Mitchell, John Gabriel, Julianna, and Maria, his brother Bruce and nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be held on Monday, June 20, 2022 at St. Augustine Catholic Church, 3999 Bernal Avenue, Pleasanton, CA at 10:30 AM.

PAID OBITUARY

Tri-Valley Life

Back in the saddle again

Livermore Rodeo's new president praises behind-the-scenes teamwork to pull together 2022 event

BY CIERRA BAILEY

he Livermore Rodeo tradition is set to return this weekend after a two-year pandemic hiatus.

Livermore Stockmen's Rodeo Association President Sheila Fagliano told the Weekly that the organization got the green light to host this year's rodeo in March and "by the grace of God" they were able to put the event together on short notice.

Behind the scenes, the organization had continued holding meetings throughout the past two years



Sheila Fagliano

and planning for the rodeo to one day return, according to Fagliano. However, they halted their fundraising efforts out of respect for the financial strain some people ex-

perienced amid the pandemic. "It's really hard to justify going out and trying to raise money for the rodeo when there are people not working and people are struggling," she said.

The pause on the fundraising left the association with "a shoestring budget" to operate from for this year. "Luckily, I have an amazing team of directors and volunteers who have been doing this for years and thank goodness we have some loyal, longtime sponsors and vendors that were able to step up to the plate and help us," Fagliano said.

She added that local agencies including the city of Livermore, Livermore Police Department and the Livermore Area Recreation and Park District have been supportive and helpful in making sure the event comes together not only this year but pre-pandemic as well.

Due to the uncertainty leading up to the event, this year's rodeo will not introduce a new queen. Instead, 2019's rodeo queen Isabella Macchioni will carry on the duties until a new queen is selected next year. "There was no way to have a queen contest when we didn't know if we were going to have a rodeo," Fagliano said.

A full weekend of events are scheduled for this Saturday and Sunday (June 11-12), including the Livermore Rodeo Parade on Saturday, hosted by the Livermore Rotary Club. The parade kicks off on Second Street at 10 a.m., featuring local organizations, schools, businesses and residents.

Following the parade, rodeo events begin with the return of crowd-pleasers like saddle bronc

and bareback riding, wild cow milking, steer wrestling, tie-down roping, team roping, barrel racing and bull riding.

The Livermore Rodeo is also introducing a new event called women's breakaway roping. According to Fagliano, this event is done at other rodeos and has gained more widespread popularity in recent years.

Breakaway roping participants have to rope a steer while on horse-back. The ropes used in the event have a mechanism that breaks away when the person jerks it back, so they don't actually stop the steer as it's running.

The participant aims to make a "legal head catch," which is either getting the rope around the steer's horns, its neck or half of a horn. "These ladies do this in under five seconds," Fagliano said. She added that the steers have a protective padding around their horns as well.

Fagliano, who is the association's first woman president, said she was excited to be bringing another event for women to participate in.

A Livermore native, Fagliano grew up involved in the rodeo since her childhood, as a participant and an organizer. She came up through the ranks as a volunteer, an associate director, director and now president.

"I've always done this from a very special place in my heart because I love what it represents," she said.

She passed her rodeo roots down to her son who is now 25 and also competes in the rodeo and helps behind the scenes along with Fagliano's husband.

While she said she is honored to hold her current leadership position with LSRA, she couldn't succeed without her team.

"I think a good leader is someone who embraces their team because you don't do anything alone," Fagliano said. "I don't think that I'm anything special; I'm just part of a team that really believes in what we do and honoring our heritage."

Fagliano is also passionate about community service and involvement, which she is able to fulfill through her role with the association and her line of work in public education and community relations for Livermore Sanitation Inc.

It's important to her to use her role and knowledge as association president to help educate people about the history of rodeo in Livermore and in general. While she said she recognizes that everyone is entitled to their own opinions, she believes a lot of negative misconceptions about rodeo derive from a lack of education or understanding about its history.



COURTESY LSRA

The Livermore Rodeo, which runs this Saturday and Sunday, is introducing a new women's event this year called breakaway roping.

The sport and entertainment aspects of rodeo today aim to pay homage to the ranchers of the past who had minimal resources and tools to restrain and calm their horses and cattle when they required medical attention such as vaccinations and other needs, according to Fagliano

"The last thing we would ever do is try to hurt or injure an animal in any way, shape or form," she said, adding that the animals are often treated better than many people.

"They come first. The animals eat before you do because they can't go up to the barn and serve themselves a flake of hay," Fagliano said. "I can't convince everybody to think the way that I think, but I want to be able to give them insight so they maybe have a little better understanding."

Despite some having adverse views about the event, Fagliano said ticket sales for the return of the Livermore Rodeo have been through the roof. She said she expects for Saturday's tickets to sell out and Sunday to likely come close if not also selling out.

There are other events in the days leading up to the rodeo — some of which did sell out — including the cowgirl luncheon and the team branding mixer.

Saturday at the rodeo is "Tough Enough to Wear Pink Day" in support of breast cancer research.

The festivities will continue on day two, which is "Patriot Day" where rodeo-goers are encouraged to wear red, white or blue to show support for those in military service.

The top performers from Saturday will compete in the same events on Sunday. The teams with the best times in their events on Sunday will

be declared the winners.

Also on Sunday will be the "Lil Pardners Rodeo" at 11 a.m., featuring children with special needs participating in a mock event.

The rodeo takes place at the rodeo

grounds located at 3000 Robertson Park Road. Gates open at 11 a.m. and Grand Entry begins at 3 p.m. on both days. More information and tickets are available at livermore rodeo.com/boxoffice.



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Foothill (left) and Amador Valley (right) high schools held graduation ceremonies at their respective football stadiums on June 3.

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leasanton Unified School
District students and families
were able to experience some
sense of normalcy again as this year's
group of seniors walked their respective
stages in person last week.

Graduating seniors from Village, Foothill and Amador Valley high schools gathered with their peers and loved ones to mark the end of a long and at times tumultuous four-year journey and the start of their new lives ahead.

In-person commencement ceremonies returned last Friday for the second year in a row after being canceled in lieu of livestream events earlier in the pandemic.

For the class of 2022 graduates, they have had to go through switching from remote learning to getting back on campus midway in their high school career, which meant missing out and readjusting to a lot of what was commonly

known as being part of the high school experience. But these students showed resilience and made it to the finish line.

Now it's time for these new high school graduates to embark on a new chapter of their lives, where they can prove their resilience yet again.

"What an amazing group of resourceful, resilient, responsible and engaged young people. Each one of our graduates represents the very best of Pleasanton," PUSD Superintendent David Haglund told the Weekly. "Our class of 2022 are living representations of years of personal investments made by their family, friends, teachers, mentors and coaches. I join them in feeling proud of each of our graduates and hopeful for the future they will help to build for all of us."

The Pleasanton Weekly congratulates the class of 2022 on their success and wishes them all of the best.

Foothill HIGH SCHOOL

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Class of 2022

Superintendent David Haglund delivers remarks at the Village High School graduation on June 3. (Photo courtesy PUSD).

Village HIGH SCHOOL

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The graduation brought out the joy for Foothill seniors and their families alike





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Sports



PLEASANTON PREPS

Foothill golfer Knight wins state individual championship

Also: Former Pleasanton stars playing in Women's College World Series

Postseason high school golf can headed to Scotland to play nearly a present different problems for a golfer, with one being having never played a course before.

Such was the case for Foothill High junior Brandon Knight and his Falcon teammates when they took on the track at the San Gabriel Country Club for the California Interscholastic Federation Boys' State Championship.

Knight nor anyone else on the Falcons had played the course, so they had no idea what to expect. They did get in a practice round the day before the state final, but as to what would be a good score, Knight relied on some advice.

"I asked a friend of mine who is in college that I knew had played the course," Knight explained. "He thought 4- or 5-under could be the winning score.'

He was right.

Knight used a seven-birdie, twobogey round to post a 5-under 66, good enough to win the CIF Championship by one stroke.

"In the practice round we did our research," said Knight, who three days after the tournament dozen courses

The week before Knight shot an even-par 72 at the Berkeley Country Club to finish in a tie for 12th place. June 1, he showed up at San Gabriel ready to roll.

"I hit a few close early but didn't make the putts," said Knight, who started on the back nine.

His fourth hole was a par-5, and Knight was up to the task.

"I hit driver, 3-iron to just short of the green," said Knight, who got up and down to make birdie.

He got another one two holes later, but then bogeyed No. 16 to drop back to 1-under. Knight was able to get one back at the 18th and that was the beginning of a nice run that saw him birdie the first and second holes — three straight overall — setting him at 4-under.

"At that point I knew I was playing well," Knight said.

But there was still work to do.

He moved to 5-under with a birdie at No. 5, but then fell back to 4-under at No. 6 after a bogey. His final birdie of the round — and the one that ultimately gave him the win — came at No. 8.

hole, he got the news.

round that I had won," Knight said. Foothill finished fourth in the team competition.

Two local pitchers in

It should come as no surprise that former Amador Valley pitcher Danielle Williams and Danielle May, formerly of Foothill, would help lead their teams to the NCAA Women's College World Series.

Both were legendary pitchers in high school, and they have transferred their skills successfully to the college game.

Williams, a senior, absolutely put Northwestern on her back and carried the team to the World Series. Williams finished 31-6 on the season for the Wildcats.

western with an 83-27 mark and

After he shot par on the final

"My coach told me right after the

When he gets back from Scotland, Knight will take a shot at qualifying for the U.S. Junior

> CIF champion golfer Brandon Knight of Foothill poses next to the scoreboard at San Gabriel Country Club last week. leaves as one of the most decorated of three-headed rotation for Okla-Wildcat players in school history. Williams finished her senior year

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with a 2.09 ERA, striking out 333 batters in 251 innings pitched. She pitched every game in the postseason, getting wins against Oakland and McNeese State (two) in the NCAA Regionals.

She followed that with a 2-1 record at Arizona State in the Super Regional, leading Northwestern to the upset series win. The team lost to Oklahoma and UCLA to be eliminated from the World Series.

May, only a sophomore, is a part

homa. For the regular season May was 15-0 with a 0.99 ERA, striking out 93 in 85 innings pitched. She took her first loss of the season in the World Series when the Sooners were defeated by UCLA 7-3. Oklahoma would advance to the finals by beating the Bruins in a second game later in the day on Monday.

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She finished her career at North-







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Housing Element Update Community Meeting

Tuesday, June 14, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.

The community can join and participate in the meeting via Zoom. The meeting link is available at: https://www. PleasantonHousingElement.com

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• The City of Pleasanton is pleased to announce it has released its Draft Housing Element and invites you to participate in a Community Meeting via Zoom on Tuesday, June 14, from 6:00 to 7:30 pm. This community meeting will provide for an opportunity to learn about the draft Housing Element and provide your input. The City wants to hear your perspective and would greatly appreciate your feedback.

> To explore more about Pleasanton, visit us at www.cityofpleasantonca.gov

Calendar

Entertainment

CONCERTS IN THE PARK

The Pleasanton Downtown Association's popular Concert in the Park series will take place on Friday nights through Aug. 26, featuring an eclectic mix of music from classic rock, blues and big band to today's hits. The free concerts run from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., June 10. Lions Wayside Park.

GARRISON KEILLOR AT THE BANKHEAD Garrison Keillor brings his gentle wit and Midwestern sense of humor back to the stage with Robin and Linda Williams singing their favorites, gospel or doo-wop or heart songs. 8 p.m., June 10. Tickets \$20-\$78. Visit livermorearts.org.

WINTER DANCE PARTY John Mueller's Winter Dance Party is the official live and authentic re-creation of Buddy Holly, Ritchie Valens and the Big Bopper's final tour before the fateful plane crash. Join at the Bankhead for unbridled, high voltage entertainment featuring all the hit songs of the 50's era. 8 p.m., June 11. Tickets \$20-\$78. Visit livermorearts.org.

CELTIC HARPS Lisa Lynne and Aryeh Frankfurter perform with two Celtic harps where the audience will hear a new collection of traditional instrumental music from Sweden and Ireland as well as heartwarming original

PET OF THE WEEK

compositions blended with stories of humor and adventure. 4-6 p.m., June 12. Suggested donation, \$15 20; students and children free. Trinity Lutheran Church, 225 Hopyard Road, Pleasanton.

ED KINNEY SPEAKER SERIES The Ed Kinney Speaker Series presents an afternoon or evening with C. S. Lewis, the most highly acclaimed and popular Christian writer of the twentieth century. The famed author will be portrayed by Chautauqua scholar Kevin Radaker. 2 p.m. and 7 p.m., June 14. Tickets \$15-\$25. Firehouse Arts Center. Visit museumonmain. org.

THE SMOTHERS BROTHERS Join America's Favorite Brothers for a very special evening of laughter, music, and memories featuring live routines, vintage video clips and a personal Q&A. 7:30 p.m., June 14. Bankhead Theater.

SHREK THE MUSICAL AT LIVERMORE HIGH SCHOOL Christian Youth Theater Tri-Valley presents Shrek The Musical with 60 students between the ages of 8 and 18 performing the theatrical adaptation of the DreamWorks Animation movie. June 16-19. Tickets \$16-\$18. Visit cyttrivalley. org/shows/Shrek-The-Musical/17.

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spirit of contemporary culture, this sizzling, high-energy group is known as much for their music as they are for living the swing-era lifestyle. 8 p.m., June 17. Tickets \$20-\$98. Visit livermorearts.org.

BANKHEAD PRESENTS JUNETEENTH: STEPS OF FAITH Developed by motivational speaker, radio personality and comedian Faith Alpher, this unique curriculum is ideal for today's heightened awareness of racial justice. Faith's program combines history with humor in an accessible and engaging way. 2 p.m., June 18. Free. Visit livermorearts.org.

JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION ON THE BANKHEAD PLAZA This free event features performances and entertainment from Drummer Tacuma King, singer/songwriter Alise Bradford, Oakland Originalz, Feline Finesse Dance Crew and storytelling with the Livermore Library. 10 a.m.-2 p.m., June 19.

Exhibits

THE ARTISTS AMONG US: NATIVE PEOPLE TODAY A new, powerful exhibit by artists from the Bay Area and beyond, representing different tribes and all visually representing their life experiences as Native artists. This Bankhead exhibit aims to bring art that represents Native culture in all of its contemporary forms.

Talks

AMADOR VALLEY QUILTERS

Youtube and Cable "Wyse Talk" hostess Jan Doyle is the guest speaker presenting "Quilts of the Underground Railroad: Fact or Fiction? You decide!". 1:30-4 p.m., June 11. Visit: amadorvalleyquilters.org.

MUSEUM ON MAIN FREE WALKING TOURS Join the Museum on Main staff and learn about Pleasanton's long and varied history. "Exploring the Buildings in Downtown Pleasanton" is the theme of this month's walking tour. Learn about early settlements, the railroad, Pleasanton's entrepreneurs and the town's agricultural bounty in the 1890s. 10 a.m., June 11. 603 Main St.

RANGER LED PROGRAM-SNAKES Explore the many different types of snakes and meet one up close. 2 p.m., June 11. Sycamore Grove Park. RSVP to veggert@lardp.org or call

Volunteers

925-960-2400

PLEASANTON MILITARY FAMILIES-PACK OUT The Pleasanton Military Families 4th of July themed pack-out is June 10 & 11. 4-6 p.m., June 10 to unload trailers and prep shipping boxes; 9-a.m.-12 p.m., June 11 to pack boxes and prepare for shipping. VFW Hall, 301 Main St. Visit pleasantonmilitaryfamilies.org.

Employment

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STATEMENT

File No.: 588415

The following person doing business as: Healthy Necessity, 610 Main Street, Suite E, Pleasanton, CA 94566, County of Alameda, is hereby registered by the following owner: Michelle Pena, 301 Joyce Street, Livermore, CA 94550. This business is conducted by Michelle Pena, an Individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name listed herein March 15, 2017. Signature of Registrant: Michelle Pena, Owner/CACMT. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda on April 21, 2022. (Pleasanton Weekly, May 20, 27, June 3, 10, 2022.)

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Real Estate

Realtor Volunteer Days

Firm packing meals for kids in need

Realtors and staff at Elation Real Estate in Pleasanton are set to participate in 2022 Realtor Volunteer Days as part of the National Association of Realtors' effort to encourage philanthropic endeavors while maximizing the impact of volunteer time across the country.

Agents at Elation, as part of the Valley Real Estate Network, will be helping to package and ship nutritious, life-saving meals today to malnourished children in the U.S. and internationally through Kids Against Hunger, Bay Area.

"I'm so proud of this group and the work they do in our community. We've built a culture around philanthropy and giving, and their compassion is truly inspiring," Elation founder Gina Piper said in a statement.

Since the company was founded in January 2020, according to Piper, the firm has hosted more than 10 fundraising events or donation drives in its parking lot to support groups such as Kids Against Hunger, Valley Humane Society, Hively and If You Only Knew.

"Giving back is part of who we are as both people and as professionals," added Viviana Cherman, co-leader at Elation.

Realtor Volunteer Days have been held all week nationwide and will continue through this Sunday, promoted by the NAR. Elation Real Estate is a boutique real estate brokerage based in Pleasanton and serving the entire Tri-

—Jeremy Walsh

SALES AT A GLANCE

Pleasanton (April 11-15)

Total sales reported: 19 Lowest sale reported: \$616,000 Highest sale reported: \$3,750,000 Average sales reported: \$1,617,000

Livermore (April 11-15)

Total sales reported: 38 Lowest sale reported: \$350,000 $\textbf{Highest sale reported: } \$3,\!050,\!000$ Average sales reported: \$1,172,500

Dublin (April 11-15)

Total sales reported: 10 Lowest sale reported: \$873,000 Highest sale reported: \$2,875,000 Average sales reported: \$1,377,500

San Ramon (May 2-6)

Total sales reported: 19 Lowest sale reported: \$916,000 Highest sale reported: \$3,840,000 Average sales reported: \$2,100,000

Source: California REsource

HOME SALES

This week's data represents homes sold during April 11-15 for Pleasanton, Livermore and Dublin.

Pleasanton

565 East Angela Street E. Shepherd to Threez Investments for \$1,340,000

8006 Arroyo Drive #4 Hayward Living Trust to M. & M. Garcia for \$616,000

6402 Calle Esperanza M. & A. Aboudi to S. & V. Kaledhonkar for \$2,670,000

6827 Corte Nuevo C. & S. Tanti to H. & S. Tran for \$2,000,000

5731 Dakin Court Mann Living Trust to S. & X. Xiang for \$3,750,000

1414 Elliott Circle L. Chen to R. & S. Lakhotia for \$1,475,000

4071 Francisco Street Rescue Home Now LLC to M. & R. Daniel for \$1,617,000

4816 Funston Gate Court T. Mccawley to Uchil

4847 Golden Road M. Miller to Aen Capital LLC for \$1,050,000

3541 Helen Drive Z. Fan to T. & T. Mannuthy for \$1,580,000

7525 Highland Oaks Drive Costello Trust to R. & J. Abo-Shaeer for \$2,180,000

7461 Highland Oaks Drive Y. & J. Narciso to S.

& Y. Liu for \$1,500,000 **1616 Lexington Lane** White Living Trust to A. & N. Bhatia for \$1,970,000

1725 Magnolia Circle L. Szulborski to Nuthalapati Trust for \$1,400,000

6387 Paseo Santa Cruz J. Lee to R. & P.

1495 Purisima Terrace J. Lee to C. Tian for \$1,490,000

4050 San Giorgio Court P. Chandrasekharan to S. & S. Jamkhindikar for \$1,100,000

3564 Touriga Drive W. Guo to R. & X. Wang for

2780 Willowren Way T. & M. Michels to J. & M. West for \$2,425,000

Livermore

2676 3rd Street #1706 Y. Chen to S. Colwell for \$835,000

1576 4th Street T. & G. Montgomery to Pine Tree 1031 LLC for \$1,060,000

2160 7th Street Moreda Family Trust to S. & T. Vu for \$1,170,000

703 Alexander Street Akaal LLC to K. & S. Kuhanatharajah for \$1,300,000

828 Alison Circle K. Boehmer to Daun Family Trust for \$1,745,000

3088 Bridle Court Fejfar Living Trust to N. & R. Phalak for \$1,700,000 913 Camelia Drive Radcliffe Family Trust to S. &

R. Raju for \$1,125,000 988 Camelia Drive Buggelli Family Trust to L. & C. Alberti for \$1,300,000

692 Carla Street Reynolds Family Trust to M. & A. Fairbanks for \$1,310,000

882 Cole Common S. Ram to C. & J. Okere for

1622 Del Norte Court R. Kadali to S. & H. Veeramahanthi for \$1.315.000

5200 Doolan Road Cole Family Trust to F. & J. Fan for \$2,070,000

3655 East Avenue Big Red Buddy Lp to L. & S. Erlich for \$458,000 772 El Caminito J. Brenner to H. & S. Mudam for

\$1,165,000 1934 Hawk Street R. & A. Chavez to P. & S.

Ramos for \$1,431,000 152 Heligan Lane #14 M. Raghavan to F. Tang

829 Katrina Street K. & D. Arnold to C. & Z. Li

2773 Kelly Street Yates Art Foundation Inc to S. Shetty for \$990.000

2869 Kennedy Street S. Zahid to U. Maercz for

5313 Lilac Avenue T. & D. Ginn to T. & V. Valiveti

1976 Locomotive Lane #111 S. & T. Tyrfingsson to R. Killing for \$908,000

1312 Maplewood Drive K. Kapoor to H. & Z. Huang for \$1,550,000

60 Meritage Common #104 Alfaro Family Trust

581 Misty Way D. Mohanty to V. & S. Goswami for \$1,250,000

5657 Moreland Way P. & R. Jones to N. & D. Urrutia for \$2.111.000

975 Murrieta Boulevard #43 Declerck Living Trust to E. Rivera for \$350,000 1813 Paseo Laguna Seco #57 J. Randall to

Mcintyre Trust for \$660,000 1861 Paseo Laguna Seco #30 E. & H. Karlin to

A. & J. Velasco for \$685,000 1022 Peppertree Place L. & M. Xepoleas to N.

1948 Railroad Avenue #100 B. & R. Moore to

M. & M. Olson for \$815,000

5630 Rainflower Drive Y. & A. Arnoldy to N. & B. Fernandes for \$1,250,000

2256 Sevillano Court S. & D. Lim to R. & C. Haaverson for \$3,050,000

1227 Spring Valley Common A. & W. Pagtalunan to A. & G. Gajudo for \$750,000

776 Troun Way Messner Trust to G. & P. Kaliaperumal for \$2,400,000

2432 Upland Court Riley Living Trust to Goyal Family Trust for \$2,650,000

1823 Vancouver Way Taylor-Eggenberger Trust to N. & P. Malhotra for \$1,732,000

4835 Violet Avenue V. Saxena to S. & V. Vijayaraj

872 Wagoner Drive Zimmerman Trust to Simsim Realty LLC for \$825,000

Dublin

4539 Brannigan Street G. Subramanian to M. & J. Zhang for \$1,300,000

7245 Cronin Circle #161 S. Subramanyam to K. & C. Peddisetty for \$873,000

3498 Dublin Boulevard E. & T. Latham to S. & V. Malladi for \$1,455,000 **6070 Hillbrook Place** A. Dutta to A. & G.

Chattoraj for \$1,225,000 8091 Iglesia Drive Mathrusse Trust to P. & A. Suriyakumar for \$2,050,000

6846 Mansfield Avenue E. Ene to L. & S.

Source: California REsource

Editor's note: The full list of Home Sales reported in Pleasanton, Livermore, Dublin, Sunol and San Ramon during this period can be found with the online version of this story at PleasantonWeekly.com.

OPEN HOMES THIS WEEKEND

PLEASANTON

3113 Joanne Circle	\$1,900,000
Sat/Sun 1:00-4:00	4BD/2.5BA
Compass	925-997-2411
5120 Mount Tam Circle	\$2,488,000
5120 Mount Tam Circle Sat/Sun 1:00-4:00	\$2,488,000 5BD/3BA

REDWOOD CITY

1108 Haven Avenue	\$1,388,000
Sat/Sun 1:30-4:30	4BD/4BA
DeLeon Realty	650-407-0160

PALO ALTO

3513 Waverley Street	\$5,988,000
Sun 1:30-4:30	5BD/5BA
DeLeon Realty	650-900-7000
1420 University Avenue	\$7,488,000
Sun 1:30-4:30	6BD/6.5BA

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5092 HILLCREST WAY • SOLD AT \$1,899,000 **PLEASANTON** 4 BED | 2 BATH | 2,201 +/- SQ. FT.



7795 OLIVE DRIVE A SOLD AT \$1,858,000 **PLEASANTON**

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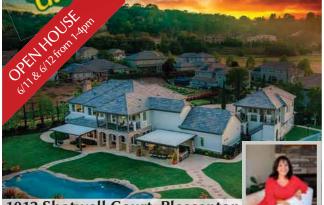
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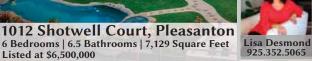
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2570 Chateau Way, Livermore

Located in one of Livermore's premier locations with its sought after downtown area & the Rodeo grounds. The 2,125 Sq. Ft. of living space offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, indoor laundry with a spacious lot of 11,767 Sq. Ft. Features include side yard & RV/boat access, a 3 car garage and a detached shed/workshop. Updates throughout the home offers ease of enjoyment. A community pool is close by for that summer fun.

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COMING SOON





10405 Ager Rd., Montague, CA

A rancher's dream — this 100 Acre ranch boasts a 2,600 Sq. Ft. hand hewned log home, a steel sided 40' X 60' Pole Barn with a workshop & an attached guest suite, fenced and cross fenced for livestock, 2 ponds, a well producing about 45 gal./min., enhanced with amazing panoramic views of Mt. Shasta & Black Mtn.

Price upon request



500 Happy Valley Rd., Pleasanton

Located in one of Pleasanton's sought after areas. This home offers an expansive remodel with 3 bedrooms, 3.5 baths and views of its **1 Acre** private space. Features a 4 car garage with a workshop, an attached bonus room, and a pool.

Listed at \$1,900,000 | Selling at \$3,050,000 **SOLD**





5165 Oakview Ct., Pleasanton

Nestled in a court this 4 bedroom, 2 bath home offers an amazingly large lot of 10,025 Sq. Ft. An open floor plan offers ease of living space and generous natural light. The home offers owned solar, original hardwood floors, spacious rear yard and 2 raised bed gardens.

Listed at \$1,600,000 | Selling at \$1,800,000



Pleasanton

- · 3 bedrooms
- · 6,200 Sq. Ft. Lot
- · 2 bathrooms
- Downtown location
- · 1,200 Sq. Ft.
- · One story home

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