

CITY TOUTS DIVERSITY, LOOKS FOR WAYS TO IMPROVE WITH NEW LEVERAGE WORKSHOP

*Mayor will lead discussion
on multiculturalism, diversity*

BY MATT WILSON

Cupertino's famed diversity is as much a city hallmark as its notoriety for successful schools and a certain iPad-producing company.

The city of Cupertino would like to see the city's rich diversity leveraged in a way to benefit all residents. Mayor Mark Santoro will be the master of ceremonies for the city's first leveraging ethnic diversity workshop.

The event takes place on Sept. 20 from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Cupertino Community Hall, 10350 Torre Ave., near city hall and the Cupertino Library.

Santoro will lead a public discussion on how multiculturalism shapes the community. There will be presentations and facilitated discussions on how the community can continue to recognize that diversity is an asset that the city can use to enable its residents, businesses and schools to thrive.

Members of the community will also be asked to share their stories and ideas on the ways that the community can better leverage the city's internationally recognized tapestry of backgrounds and experiences. The event is designed to start building active community dialogue about how Cupertino's diversity can continue to be a fundamental part of the community's success.

Various segments of the Cupertino community will make presentations. Small business owners and members of the Cupertino Chamber of Commerce will be

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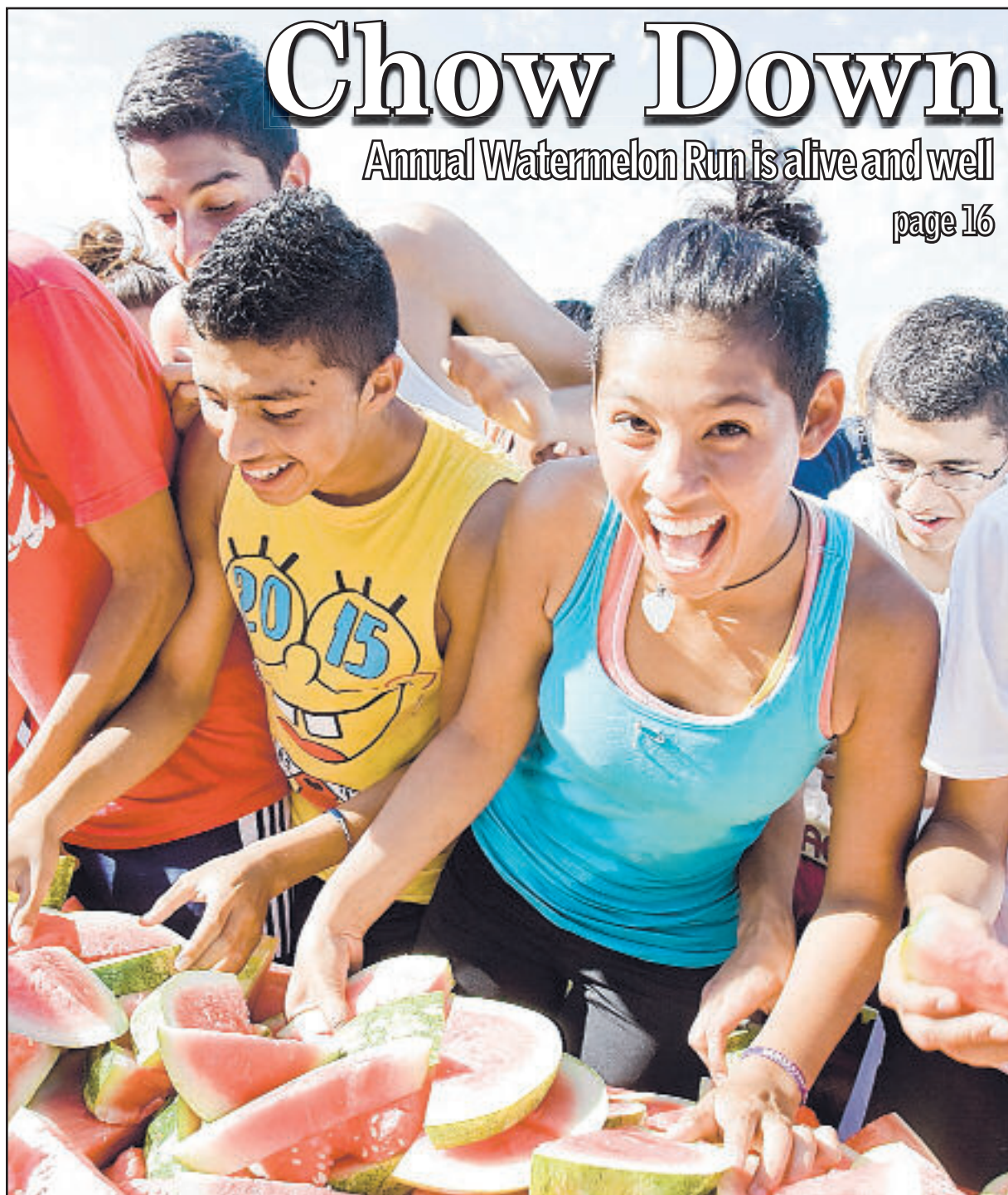
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Chow Down

Annual Watermelon Run is alive and well

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Participants in the 30th annual Watermelon Run, held at Fremont High School on Sept. 6, charge the tables for free slices of watermelon after the end of the race. From left are Paul Piedras, 15, Luis Cordero, 15, Alejandra Flores, 16, and Carlos Martinez, 16.

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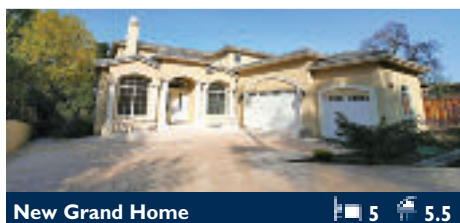
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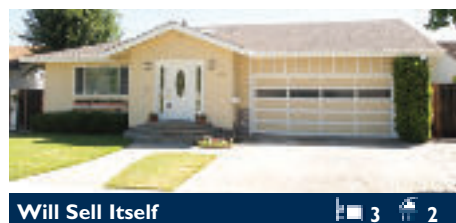
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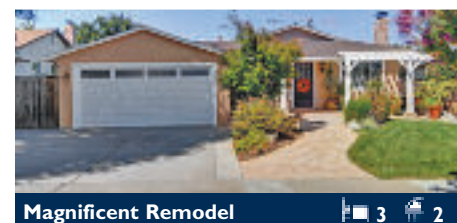
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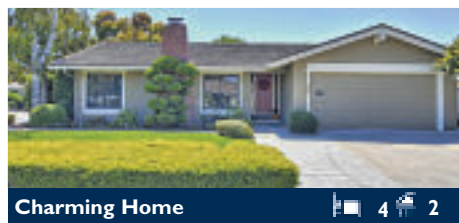
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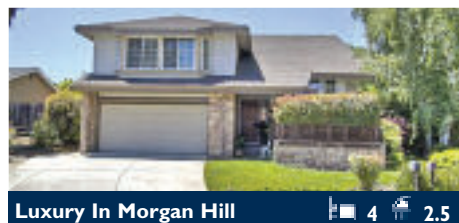
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Arrests down for Avoid the 13

Local law enforcement agencies are reporting that there were 368 individuals arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs during the recent Avoid the 13 DUI arrest campaign.

The initiative saw 13 Santa Clara County law enforcement agencies work together from Aug. 17 through Sept. 3. In 2011, 441 DUI arrests occurred during the same time period.

There were no DUI-related deaths in Santa Clara County during this Avoid the 13 campaign period. Law enforcement officials will be conducting more anti-DUI efforts throughout the county and region during Halloween and Thanksgiving.

Autism lecture at PlaneTree

The PlaneTree Health Information Center is hosting autism specialist Shirley Long for a lecture on autism and spectrum disorders on Sept. 16 at 2 p.m. in the Cupertino Room of the Quinlan Community Center, 10185 N. Stelling Road.

Long has offices in Cupertino and Oakland. The lecture will be in Mandarin, with handouts available in Chinese and English. The event is sponsored by the S. Ku Foundation.

E-waste recycling

Cupertino residents can drop off computers and other electronics for free recycling at 10300 Bubba Road. The service is available Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information, call 408.862.2667.

NEWS

Friends group funding bridge's new landscape

Honoring former mayor

By MATT WILSON

The Mary Avenue Bicycle Footbridge was already renamed in honor of former Cupertino Mayor Don Burnett. Now it is going to have new landscaping in his honor.

The city accepted donations Sept. 4 from the Friends of Don Burnett to use for the installation of landscaping near the south side of the bridge, just beyond the Mary Avenue and Meteor Drive intersection.

The Friends recently contacted staff to offer an additional donation of approximately \$2,400 toward adding landscape plantings on the south side of the bridge, according to a city staff report.

The bicycle bridge opened on April 30, 2009, as the Mary Avenue Bicycle Footbridge, but was rechristened the Don Burnett Bicycle-Pedestrian Bridge last year after the California Legislature approved a resolution to rename the bridge in the former mayor's honor.

In November 2011, the city council approved text for the new bridge signs and authorized fabrication of the signs. The Friends of Don Burnett stated its wish to sponsor the purchase and installation of additional container-size plantings to enhance the bridge's south entry area near the new plaque.

Plantings will likely be California native species, which are drought tolerant, require lower maintenance and provide seasonal interest, according to the city staff report. The staff report also stated most or all of the new plantings would be installed this fall. The south side of the bridge is also home to a quail family and hawk sculpture.



PHOTOGRAPH BY JACQUELINE RAMSEYER

New landscaping is coming to the Don Burnett Bicycle-Pedestrian Bridge, after the Friends of Don Burnett recently offered the city an additional donation of approximately \$2,400 toward adding landscape plantings on the south side of the bridge.

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A dedication ceremony honoring the renaming of the bridge was held on Oct. 8. The Friends group raised funds to help pay for new signs and a plaque commemorating Burnett and the name change. Also last year, the city council authorized appropriating \$4,000 of city funds to match a donation from the Friends to pay for the signs and plaque.

Burnett died at age 78 after a

long battle with breast cancer on Sept. 11, 2010. He was a bicycling enthusiast and longtime advocate for the bridge's construction, and he helped envision the bridge and galvanize much support for bicycling in the city. He served on the city council from 1993 until 2001 and was mayor in 1995 and 1996.

In the 1990s, Burnett helped co-found the Cupertino Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee. The steel suspension

bridge opened on April 30, 2009, and Burnett was one of four residents chosen to take a ceremonial first ride across the bridge.

The white 503-foot-long bridge, designed exclusively for pedestrians and bicyclists, cost nearly \$15 million to construct and spans Interstate 280. Approximately 80 percent of the funds came from bonds, grants and the Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority.

Members needed for working group

By MATT WILSON

The cities of Sunnyvale, Cupertino, Los Altos and Mountain View are looking for residents interested in being a part of a citizens working group willing to study trail development in the Stevens Creek Corridor. The application deadline is Sept. 28.

Organizers are calling the group a "roll up your sleeves, technically focused effort." All four cities are seeking a concentrated level of citizen input for a broader public outreach effort that will take place.

Selected group members will assist agency staff, a consultant team and policy representatives in preparing a feasibility study on

connecting completed or planned trail segments in Cupertino and Mountain View.

The role of the working group will be to help agency staff and the consultant team prepare a comprehensive study for consideration by the public and a multi-agency Stevens Creek Trail Joint Cities Working Team. The city councils of Sunnyvale, Cupertino, Los Altos and Mountain View will use this study to help them find feasible alternatives and complete a multi-use trail in the Stevens Creek Corridor.

Group meetings will primarily be working sessions with agency staff and the consultant team. The group may also serve as

support for public outreach meetings, working team meetings and city board, commission and council meetings.

The working group will require an approximate one-year commitment, averaging two meetings per month.

The group's ongoing study will inventory existing technical studies, policies and plans; identify community opinions; and consider and assess opportunities and conflicts presented by community sentiment. Group members will also need to identify a range of trail alternatives based on existing plans, policies, studies, opportunities, community input, and geographic, physical, biological

and institutional conditions.

The study will cover engineering feasibility, scientific assessments and public vetting of identified alternatives as well as cost estimates for these alternatives and evaluation of grant funding that each city could consider in advancing its part of the project to the environmental, design and construction phases.

For more information and to download an application, visit the city of Sunnyvale's website at www.sunnyvale.ca.gov. Applications must be taken to the Sunnyvale Department of Public Works office at city hall, 456 W. Olive Ave., no later than Sept. 28 at 5 p.m.

SHERIFF'S REPORT

Compiled from officers of the Santa Clara County Sheriff's Department's Westside Substation.

Theft and identity theft—Sept. 3, 8:56 a.m. Lockwood Drive. An unknown person stole a purse from an unlocked 2004 Saab vehicle. Credit and debit cards were used to make unauthorized purchases.

Bicycle theft—Sept. 1, 1:55 p.m. Tantau Avenue. A \$300 bicycle was stolen.

Theft—Sept. 1, 9:45 a.m. Torre Avenue. Property belonging to a victim was reported stolen. Two wedding rings valued at \$1,000 total were among the items allegedly taken.

Vehicle burglary—Aug. 31, 1:04 p.m. N. Wolfe Road. Two suspects were seen breaking into a 2008 BMW 325i and taking Apple electronic items. The suspects were located at the scene and were arrested. The stolen items were returned

to the victim.

Drugs—Aug. 31, 1:18 a.m. Homestead Road. A man was found under the influence of a controlled substance near Homestead Lanes.

Fail to register—Aug. 31, 12:12 a.m. Homestead and Wolfe roads. A bicyclist was seen riding on the wrong side of the road and was stopped by a sheriff's deputy. A records check showed the cyclist was not in compliance with sex offender registration. He was arrested.

Residential burglary—Aug. 30, 3:08 p.m. S. Stelling Road. Someone broke into a home and stole credit cards and electronic equipment.

Drug dealing—Aug. 30, 1:11 p.m. Bandley Drive and Mariani Avenue. A driver was found with two ounces of marijuana, a digital scale and text messages indicating the sale of marijuana. The driver admitted to selling to friends and was arrested.

Vehicle burglary—Aug. 29, 7:30 p.m. N. Wolfe Road. An Apple iPad was reported stolen from a purple 1995

Toyota Sienna in the Sears parking lot.

Vehicle burglary—Aug. 29, 6:21 p.m. Stevens Creek Boulevard. A window was shattered on a 2013 Ford Edge. An unknown person stole a backpack containing an Apple iPad, iPod, sunglasses and two jackets.

Found property—Aug. 29, 4:20 p.m. Shelly Drive and Tonita Way. A stolen license plate was found. The plate was returned to its owner in San Jose.

Drugs—Aug. 29, 2 p.m. McClellan and Bubb roads. A driver was seen in a vehicle parked on the railroad tracks. The driver was in possession of two marijuana cigarettes, a hash oil lollipop, two marijuana cookies and several grams of marijuana. The driver was cited and all items were confiscated.

Theft—Aug. 29, 11:27 a.m. S. De Anza Boulevard. An unattended Apple MacBook was stolen from an office building.

Shoplifting—Aug. 28, 5:50 p.m. N. Wolfe Road. Someone left a department store without paying for a knife set. The shopper was

arrested.

Drugs—Aug. 28, 8:51 a.m. N. Wolfe Road. A suspect in a car had an odor of marijuana. The driver gave a false name to a sheriff's deputy. The driver was on probation and had expired vehicle registration. He was arrested.

Burglary—Aug. 28, 8:03 a.m. S. De Anza Boulevard. Money was stolen from a change machine at a laundromat.

False identification—Aug. 28, 12:41 a.m. McClellan Road. A driver with fake registration tabs gave false identification to a sheriff's deputy. The suspect had an arrest warrant out of Campbell. The suspect tried to flee and fell to the ground. He was taken to Santa Clara Valley Medical Center and then to the main Santa Clara County jail.

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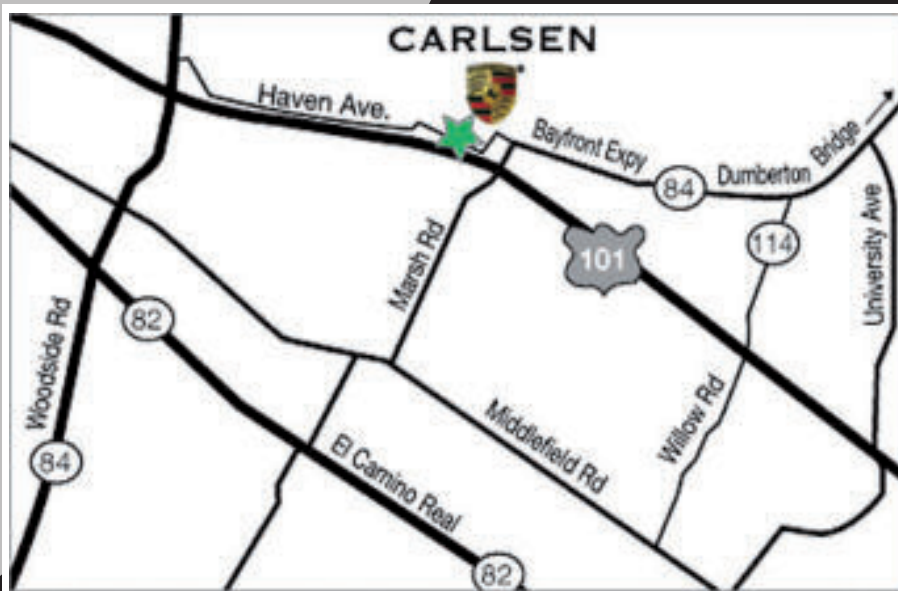
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News

Libraries offering workshop series on financing college

By MATT WILSON

The Santa Clara County Library District recently announced a workshop series on how to finance college.

"Don't Shoulda, Woulda, Coulda Yourself: How to Finance your College Education" is a series of informational talks coming to libraries in the county library district.

The presentations are part of the district's Smart Investing at the Library initiative and will be held in various locations this fall. Participants will learn the ins and outs of financial aid for all types of higher education institutions, including com-

munity college, California State University, and University of California systems, as well as private colleges.

Presentations will also be made in English, Spanish, Vietnamese and Mandarin. All events are free and open to everyone, but are aimed at high school- and college-age students and their families.

Financial aid advisers and experts from Mission College will lead the presentations.

The first round of events will take place on Sept. 25 at 7 p.m. at the Milpitas Library, 160 N. Main St. There will be separate presentations in English and Vietnamese.

A second round of presentations in English or Spanish will be on Sept. 26 at 7 p.m. in the Gilroy Library, 350 W. Sixth St.

Future English events will be on Oct. 9 in the Morgan Hill Library, 660 W. Main Ave.; Oct. 24 at the Campbell Library, 77 Harrison Ave.; and Oct. 29 at the Cupertino Library, 10800 Torre Ave. All events are at 7 p.m.

Two events in Mandarin take place on Oct. 24 at the Cupertino Library and Nov. 6 at the Saratoga Library, 13650 Saratoga Ave. Both events are at 7 p.m.

For more information, visit www.sccl.org.

Workshop

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presenting, as will representatives from Cupertino's award-winning schools and local nonprofit groups. Representatives from the volunteer committees of the city's main sister city organizations, including Hsinchu, Taiwan, Toyokowa, Japan, and Bhubaneswar, India, are also slated to be on hand.

Santoro proposed the event in his state of the city address in January.

"We're perhaps one of the best examples in the world of how different groups can make a community better, stronger, more fun and more successful. I think Cupertino is a shining example of how everyone can and should live together," he said during the speech.

The workshop is free and open to the public, and will include lunch.



PHOTOGRAPH COURTESY OF CITY OF CUPERTINO

Cupertino Mayor Mark Santoro is leading the city's first leveraging ethnic diversity workshop on Sept. 20 at Cupertino Community Hall.

Seating is limited, so an RSVP is required through the city's online preregistration system.

For more information and to pre-register for the event, visit cupertinoledworkshop.eventbrite.com.

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City responds to pension report

By MATT WILSON

Cupertino city officials are chiming in with other local cities on a Santa Clara County civil grand jury report regarding the continually contentious issue of public-sector pensions and other employee benefits.

The report was released in June, and all Santa Clara County cities are required to agree or disagree with each finding and recommendation in the report. The city council gave interim city manager Amy Chan the go-ahead to sign off on a point-by-point response Sept. 4.

The grand jury's findings and recommendations focus on long-term health of pension plans and other post-employment benefit obligations given out by local governments. Report recommendations include extending the employee retirement age, adopting two-tier retirement plans, increasing employer contributions and adequately funding post-employment obligations.

The usually budget-conscious city of Cupertino agreed with most of the jury's findings. The grand jury report argued that public sector employees are eligible for retirement at

least 10 years earlier than is common for private sector employees and that cities should adopt pension plans to extend current retirement plan ages.

The city not only concurred, but stated that it is in negotiations to provide a "2 percent at age 60" plan for all new employees with an effective date of Jan. 1, according to the response.

Grand jurors suggested that all cities' new tier plans should "close the unfunded liability burden they have pushed to future generations," and that the new tier should include raising the retirement age, increasing employee contributions and adopting pension caps that ensure pensions do not exceed salary at retirement.

Cupertino agreed, and the city's response states that it is negotiating a two-tier plan that will raise the retirement age and utilize a three-year average in calculating future payouts. The city, however, has not yet addressed increasing employee contributions or adopting pension plan caps, the response stated.

The grand jury stated that cities established retroactive benefit enhancements using overly optimistic assumptions without

adequate funding in place to pay for them. Jurors believe cities should adopt policies that do not allow benefit enhancements unless sufficient money is deposited, such as in an irrevocable trust to prevent an increase in unfunded liability.

The city said its fiscal strategic plan committee works to ensure that benefit increases can be absorbed within short-term and long-term budget projections.

Other findings and recommendations include the belief that cities are making an overly generous contribution toward the cost of providing benefits; cities should require all employees to pay the maximum employee contribution rate of a given plan; cities should require employees to pay some portion of the past service cost; and cities should transition from defined benefit plans to defined contribution plans as new tier plans are implemented. The city agreed with all points and said it considers including the recommendations in future negotiations.

For more information about the Santa Clara County civil grand jury and to view recent reports or read city responses, visit www.sccourt.org.

Local eating disorders groups to join in this year's national walk on Sept. 22

By MARY GOTTSCHALK

For the first time, San Jose will participate in a National Eating Disorders Association Walk on Sept. 22.

Cosponsored locally by the Eating Disorders Resource Center and Cielo House, the walk is more symbolic than strenuous, with a course that is less than a mile.

Tracey Gold, star of *Growing Pains* and *Starving*

Secrets, will be a guest at the walk, which will be followed by motivational speakers, live music and information tables.

For those who want a T-shirt, there is a registration fee, but those who want to walk without registering are welcome to do so. Participants are encouraged to raise additional funds, which will benefit EDRC and its mission to increase awareness and understanding of eating disorders. Co-

sponsor Cielo House offers professional eating disorder treatment.

The walk is in Plaza de Cesar Chavez, S. Market Street, between W. San Fernando and E. San Carlos streets, San Jose.

Additional information and registration forms are online at www.sjnedawalk.org and walk-in registration is available starting at 9:30 a.m. with the walk set for 10 a.m. on Sept. 22.

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Vacancies on city commissions

By MATT WILSON

The city of Cupertino has vacancies on two of its commissions, and residents with an interest in serving their city are being asked to apply.

Both the fine arts commission and parks and recreation commission have unscheduled vacancies after the resignation of Marvin Spielman and Marcia St.Clair from the fine arts and parks and recreation commissions, respectively.

The fine arts commission seat is set to expire in January 2015, and the resident selected to fill the position will serve the rest of that term. The fine arts commission consists of five members appointed by the city council for four-year terms.

The fine arts commission works to foster, encourage and assist the realization, preservation and advancement of the fine arts for the benefit of

the community, according to the city's website. Meetings are held in city hall on the fourth Tuesday of every other month and more often if necessary.

The parks commission term will last until January 2016.

The parks and recreation commission consists of five members who are residents of the city. The commission advises the city council on municipal activities in relation to parks and recreation, including park site acquisition and development, recreation program policy and expansion of the park program as development occurs, according to the city's website. Meetings are held in Cupertino Community Hall at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of each month.

Both commissions fall under the Political Reform Act of 1974, and financial disclosure is required.

Being a commissioner is a volunteer position. Com-

missioners cannot be employees or officials of the city, nor cohabitate with as defined by law, nor be related by blood or marriage to any member of the commission, the city manager or staff person assigned to the commission. At least three members must be Cupertino residents.

Parks and recreation applications are due no later than Sept. 21 with interviews by the city council tentatively set for Oct. 2 at 5:30 p.m., according to a city staff report. Applications can be downloaded from the city's website at www.cupertino.org/vacancies.

For more information about the fine arts commission, call the city clerk's office at 408.777.3223. For more information about the parks and recreation commission, call staff liaison Mark Linder at 408.777.3110.

Hospice to hold seminar on helping those facing end of life situations

By MARY GOTTSCHALK

Employers have learned to deal with a variety of issues over the years, from paternity leave to childcare issues, but what about employees dealing with a serious or terminal illness?

"Facing the Inevitable Conversation: How Employers Can Help Employees Live with End-of-Life Situations" is the focus of a free educational seminar Sept. 19, hosted by Hospice of the Valley of Northern California.

In collaboration with the employment law practice of Berliner Cohen, the seminar is aimed at human resource professionals, employers, managers, estate and financial planners, life coaches, attorneys, estate and financial planners, funeral directors, faith-based leaders and interested individuals.

It will cover the emotional, practical and legal challenges of assisting employees, using a case study approach.

Additionally, it will

touch on regulations and compliance requirements to mitigate liability.

The seminar takes place from 8 to 9:30 a.m. Sept. 19 at Hospice of the Valley, 4850 Union Ave., San Jose.

To register, email Martha Casey at martha.casey@berlinercohen.com. HR professionals can obtain a certificate of completion and earn 1.5 continuing education hours.

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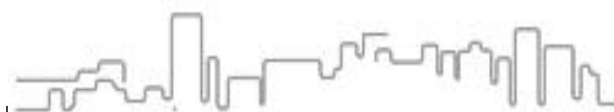
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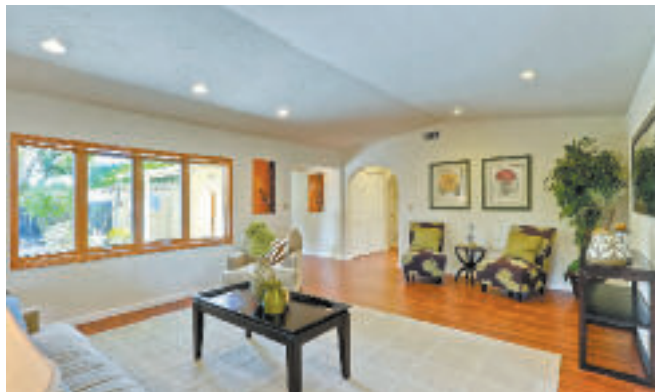
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Study finds feasible solutions to flood risks

By RICHARD SANTOS

With the threat of sea levels rising due to climate change and the reality of an aging levee system, the risk of tidal flooding in the South Bay must be addressed.

For decades, shoreline levees—maintained as part of salt production in the South Bay—have also provided a level of flood protection. But in 2003, thousands of acres of these former salt ponds were acquired by the state and federal government to allow for habitat restoration.

To address the need for replacing these levees, the South San Francisco Bay Shoreline Study is assessing tidal flood risks and will recommend flood protection projects that could be eligible for federal funding. The Santa Clara Valley Water District is working with the California State Coastal Conservancy, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and regional stakeholders on the development of the study.

The purpose of the study is to identify and recommend projects for federal funding, with goals of protecting urban areas from tidal flooding, but also restoring wetland habitat and providing public access, education and recreation opportunities. The study is being conducted

through several smaller “interim feasibility studies,” so that solutions can be developed and implemented more quickly. The first of these interim studies is addressing the tidal flood risks along all Santa Clara County Baylands, and the first project area identified is the urban area of North San Jose, in and near Alviso.

This project would upgrade levees to protect Silicon Valley’s “Golden Triangle,” bounded by Highways 101, 237 and 880, and extending north into the baylands of Milpitas. Multiple flood events since the mid-1990s have damaged business operations in this area, now home to major high-tech corporations including Intel, Google, Yahoo and Cisco. The project would also protect Alviso neighborhoods, as well as important infrastructure such as the airport and sewage treatment plants.

Funding for this project is reliant on federal sources, as well as voter approval of the water district’s Safe, Clean Water November ballot measure. The measure would provide a share of the total cost of planning and design for the full shoreline project area, as well as funding to purchase lands, easements and rights-of-way as necessary to construct improvements in the urban area of North San Jose and Alviso, as well as a share of the construction costs for that

portion of the project.

Once completed, the project will protect more than 500 structures and 37 businesses, allow for the restoration of 2,240 acres of tidal marsh and related habitats and provide recreational and public access opportunities. It will also provide planning and design to protect nearly 4,700 acres and more than 5,000 structures, including roads, highways, parks, airports and sewage treatment plants.

This is expected to be a federal/state/local partnership, relying on federal funding and participation to achieve the full scope, with reimbursements anticipated from the state. However, if only local funding is available, the project will be reduced in scope.

Presently, the project partners are developing and refining project alternatives for the Alviso area and are preparing an environmental impact report/statement, scheduled for public review in spring 2013. For more information on this project and the South San Francisco Bay Shoreline Study, contact Ngoc Nguyen at 408.630.2632.

Richard Santos represents District 3 of the Santa Clara Valley Water District. He can be reached at 408.234.7707 or rsantos@valleywater.org.

LETTERS

Councilman is correct about geese problem

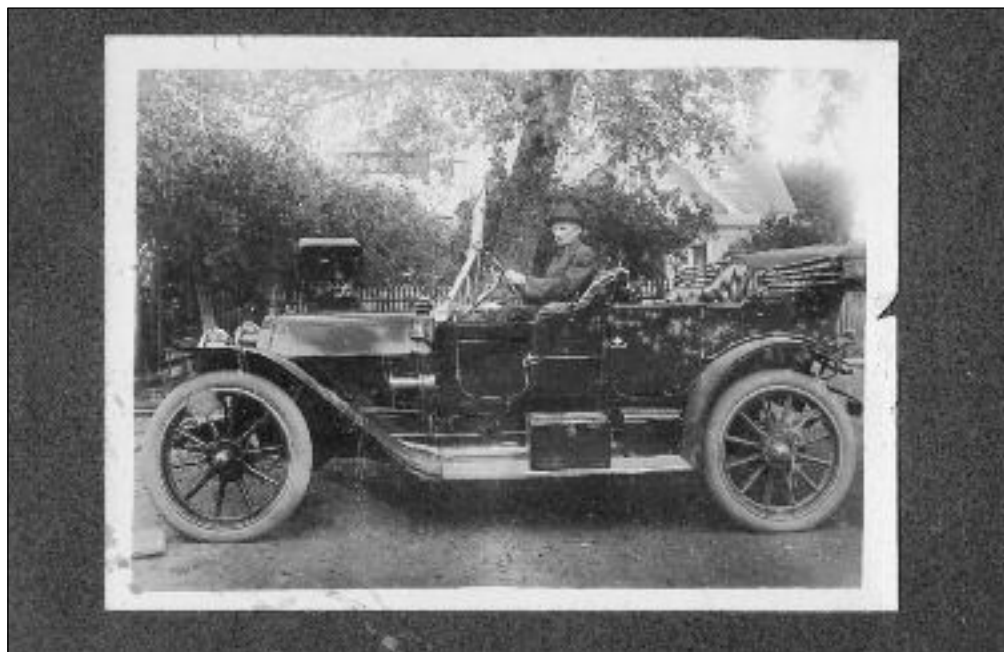
Kudos to Rod Sinks for his proactive stand on ridding Memorial Park of Canada geese (“Councilman wants geese gone at park,” Aug. 31). Our once beautiful park has deteriorated into an unsightly acreage of geese feces and dead grass.

I have lived next to Memorial Park for 20 years and used to enjoy my walks in the park and surrounding neighborhood. Now I find the park, and adjacent streets and sidewalks, so filthy that I prefer driving to Serra Park in Sunnyvale for walks. (Has anyone checked into how Sunnyvale keeps their parks so clean and well cared for?) It is appalling that children can no longer run in the grass or along the sidewalks of Memorial Park without encountering goose poop. I have counted up to 200 geese at one time between the community and senior center, and each year more arrive as the geese reproduce.

Spraying in the park may be expensive, but isn’t it expensive to keep watering and replacing grass that will be destroyed by the geese? And as to dogs chasing the geese, these would be working dogs, trained for the job and supervised, not loose dogs playing off leash.

Thanks again, Rod, for being an advocate to restore Memorial Park to its premier status.

SUZANNE A’BECKETT
Cupertino



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Looking Back

This is a look back at Frederick W. Tantau Sr. (1847-1924)—dressed in formal jacket and hat behind the wheel—driving a large automobile estimated to be from 1900 to 1910. The exact location is unknown, but it is on a residential road. A horse-drawn buggy is shown in the background.

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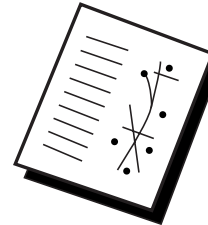
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Nearly 500 participants take off, including the ever-popular FHS boys water polo team, at the start of the 30th annual Watermelon Run held at Fremont High School.

Run For It!

Thirsty runners race off for watermelon

By ALIA WILSON

Photographs by JACQUELINE RAMSEYER

‘This is an event not to be missed.’
As soon as the 3 o’clock bell rang on Sept. 6, a friendly female voice beamed through the

PA system that the 30th annual Fremont High Watermelon Run was about to begin.
Fueled by the booming beats of the school band, a record-breaking 500-plus participants lined

up underneath the field goal post on Diesner Field. The boys water polo team sported their Speedos, wrestlers donned their spandex, girls volleyball wore their uniforms and several people

wore custom-made shirts for the event.
The prize: juicy, refreshing watermelon.
Alumni from the 1980s ran alongside last year’s graduates,

parents and siblings of current students, and staff from throughout the Fremont Union High School District.

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Watermelon

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"The ones I love to see the most are today's Fremont students running alongside their teachers and administration," said Pat Lawson, event coordinator. "We talk about the need to keep our youth moving and exercising, and this is an example of how much kids do like to be physical. Take out about 100 adults from [the] race and there were 500 kids running, walking and having a blast."

The 2-mile race has grown from about 50 runners—when it was started by Doug Boyd and Charlie Peters as a way to encourage kids out for cross country—to almost 600. Boyd, a former coach and physical education teacher, had the honor of pulling the trigger for the runners to take off.

"Everyone can eat as much watermelon as they can possibly eat," Boyd said. "In 30 years, to have grown to this, is amazing. It's gotten a little bigger every year. It's an event."

Jeff Rosado and Bobby Soto, former students under Boyd, now have come back as employees of the school district to participate. Both walked away with watermelon trophies.

Soto won fastest stroller time, with his 3-year-old son, Roman, rooting him on.

"My son is my inspiration to stop living the civilian life and actually get out there and be a warrior again," Soto said as he handed his wife his watermelon.



Fremont High School P.E. instructor and event coordinator Pat Lawson smiles at the end of a successful 30th annual Watermelon Run held on Sept. 6, as 'Farmer' Bill Wishart, also known as Fremont High's auto tech instructor, looks on.



Fremont High assistant principal Jeff Rosado and Ethai Barnea, 16, race to the finish line of the Watermelon Run.

"We haven't done stroller stuff at all, so it was new; it was hard."

"I had my good coaching buddy right on my tail, and he actually bumped me in my leg, warning me that he was about to pass me, so I had to kick it into gear."

Rosado, FHS class of 1989 and a former track star, helped some of the faculty train for the event.

"I came back in the early 2000s and that's when the band and color guard started coming out and the organizers kept adding divisions," Rosado said.

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Volunteers slice up just a fraction of the 120 watermelons donated by C. J. Olson and Felipe's Market for the 30th annual Watermelon Run at Fremont High.



Marissa Ho, 17, left, and Monica Alvarez, 17, take off running at the start of the 30th annual Watermelon Run.

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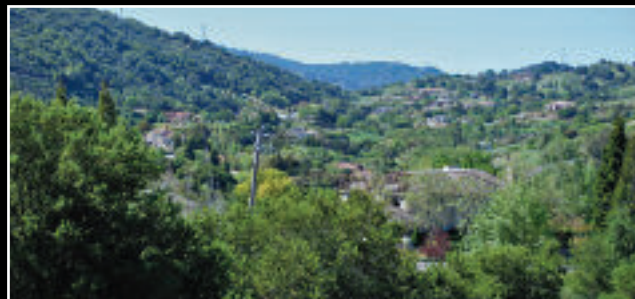
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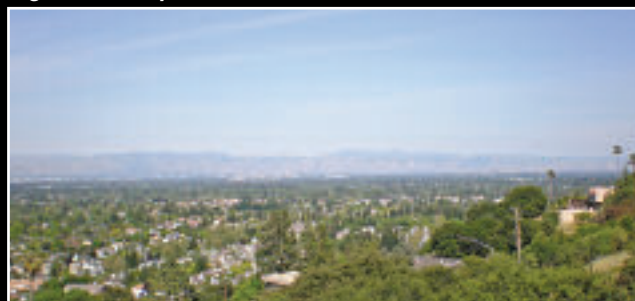
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Watermelon

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ers, classified staff, those with strollers, coaches, administrators, alumni and even family and neighbors. This year there were participants from Cupertino and Monta Vista high schools.

Already a track and field all-star in her own right, Jacqueline Escalera, 14, participated in the run for her first time as a Fremont Firebird, but she is no stranger to running. During her middle school career, she competed all the way to the county level and won 12 medals and five trophies.

"I'm hoping to go to the junior Olympics," Jacqueline said, adding that the Watermelon Run "was tiring but fun. Everyone up front really set the pace, but they all said we were doing a good job as we kept running."

She ended up being the fastest freshman girl.

Principal Bryan Emmert participated for his second year, finishing about five minutes faster and this time with his wife and 1-year-old son joining him.



Winners in the different categories of the 30th annual Watermelon Run gather together after the race.

"It's just a mass of humanity," Emmert said. "This year was great, and it was fun to be a part of the planning."

Even retired teachers make the time to participate. Former Fremont English teacher Dick Canavese and former math teacher Richard Steffen, both currently tutors with Students for Success, said the Watermelon Run has become a habit that they can't seem

to break.

"It's a wonderful community-building activity," said Steffen, wearing his "In Memory of Bob Stahl" T-shirt, honoring the late and well-loved FHS groundskeeper. "It's just a great way to kick off the school year."

As the runners came down the finish line, they crowded around several tables with stacks upon stacks of watermelon slices.



Parent volunteer Fattaneh Maha slices away at one of several dozen watermelon that were served up as refreshment at the end of the 30th annual Watermelon Run.

Participants patiently sat as winners were announced before being granted permission to take two pieces of watermelon donated by local farmers Charlie Olson and Felipe's Market.

Another record was broken this year, as a whopping 90 watermelons were cut up for the runners. When all was said and done, only

the rinds remained.

"It's a wild and wacky event with all sorts of surprises, but the best part is how much fun everyone seems to have," Lawson, the event coordinator, said. "I never know who is going to show up on race day, which makes it all the more exciting."



Participants race to tables of free watermelon slices at the end of the 30th annual Watermelon Run at Fremont High School on Sept. 6. Starting second from left are Miguel Gurrola, 15, Luis Cordero, 15, Paul Piedras, 15, Alejandra Flores, 16, Carlos Martinez, 16, and Juan Montes Morales, 15.

DIVISION WINNERS

- Senior male: Chris Swanson, 10:03
- Senior female: Tammy Tai, 13:10
- Junior male: Raj Bhargava, 10:19
- Junior female: Shelby Cox, 12:33
- Sophomore male: Sean Keegan, 10:56
- Sophomore female: Alana Fujimoto, 16:32
- Freshman male: Tzori Oded, 11:29
- Freshman female: Jacqueline Escalera, 11:26
- Teacher male: Luke Sigmon, 10:28
- Teacher female: Maia Goodman, 13:47
- Coach: Jay Lin, 14:19
- Classified: Shelley Stepps
- Admin male: Jeff Rosado
- Admin female: Di Yim
- Alum male: Matthew Salmanpour, 11:25
- Alum female: Mallory St. George, 14:09
- FUHSD at-large: Terry Yu of Monta Vista, 16:15
- District office: Josh Maisel, 12:39
- Cupertino male: Eric Ferante, 12:43
- Cupertino female: Julia Roberts, 13:52
- Stroller male: Bobby Soto, 14:32
- Stroller female: Amy Gibson, 17:53
- Student-teacher: Daniel Tkach, 11:42
- Parent: Jeff Rohrer, 12:10

Festival, art show on tap in Cupertino

By MATT WILSON

Summer is winding down, which means the Cupertino Fall Festival is returning to Cupertino Memorial Park. The annual festival takes place this year on Sept. 22 and falls on the autumnal equinox.

The event is co-presented by the Rotary Club of Cupertino and the World Journal. Free parking is available across the street at De Anza College.

There will be information on seed saving, organic heirloom tomato growing strategies in the Bay Area, and cooking and canning your own tomato sauces.

Education is a major part of the festival. Activities begin in the Earth Zone, with presenters providing tips and information on sustainability, wellness and emergency preparedness. Businesses and nonprofit groups will display the latest energy-saving programs, alternative vehicles and other green activities at their booths.

The cultural fair will show off traditions from countries around the world through displays and interactive activities. The park's amphitheater stage will also highlight musical and dance performances from around the world.

New this year will be the addition of the Greensteads' Tomato Bash. This event, previously held in a separate location, focuses on local farming and garden-grown organic heirloom tomatoes. The event will provide more than 60 varieties of heirloom tomatoes for tasting and seed saving.

There will also be tomato-flavored ice cream and heirloom ketchup to



PHOTOGRAPH COURTESY OF THE FINE ARTS LEAGUE OF CUPERTINO

Artist Krishna Mitra's 'Bashful Belle' will be on display at the Fine Arts League of Cupertino's annual member show being held Sept. 22-23 at the Cupertino Senior Center.

sample, as well as a variety of finger foods.

For younger visitors, the Kids Zone will feature rides, jump houses and crafts, as well as a petting zoo.

Local high school Amnesty International groups will be sponsoring an area dedicated to raising awareness on local human rights issues with games and activities. A variety of international gourmet food trucks will also be on hand.

Art show

The Fine Arts League of Cupertino will hold

its annual member show Sept. 22-23 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on both days at the Cupertino Senior Center, 21251 Stevens Creek Blvd., near Memorial Park.

The show features about 75 works by local artists in various media, including oils, watercolors, acrylics, mixed media and photography. Exhibits will also include artwork by the Cupertino distinguished and emerging artists of the year, Carrie Zeidman and Emily Wang, respectively.

A reception takes place on Sept. 21 from 8 to 9:30 p.m. and will include an awards ceremony and

art auction. The auction is open to the public, and proceeds will go to a school garden project planned in the Cupertino Union School District.

The nonprofit fine arts league has been in Cupertino since 1963 and meets the second Monday of the month at 7 p.m. at Quinlan Community Center.

For more information about the Cupertino Fall Festival, visit www.sv-fallfestival.com. For more information about the Fine Arts League of Cupertino, visit www.falc.org.

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Big Semi-Annual Sale of Lace: Hundreds of vintage laces for special projects; lace-edged handkerchiefs, pillowcases, bedspreads, napkins and table runners will be for sale. Vintage jewelry, needlepoint canvases as well as craft books and magazines will be offered. Sept. 14-15, 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Lace Museum, 552 S. Murphy Ave., Sunnyvale. Free. 408-730-4695, www.thelacemuseum.org.

Cake-Off4Kids. Sample 50 delicious homemade cakes, nibble on hors d'oeuvres, browse a silent auction, and mingle with friends while sipping wine or cocktails. This second annual cake competition benefits Cake4Kids, a nonprofit providing free birthday cakes to foster children and at-risk youth in the Bay Area. Tickets are \$25. Sept. 15, 5:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. Domain Hotel, 1085 W. El Camino Real, Sunnyvale. 408-247-0800, <http://cake4kids.org>.

Cupertino City Wide Garage Sale: More than 400 garage sales throughout Cupertino. List and map of sales are available starting Sept. 19—see it online at: www.cupertino.org/garagesale. Printed copies will be available at the Cupertino Library, City Hall, the Cupertino Senior Center, and the Quinlan Community Center. Sept. 22-23, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. The City of Cupertino, 10300 Torre Ave., Cupertino. 408-777-3354, www.cupertino.org.

www.cupertino.org/garagesale.

Seniors

Cupertino Senior Center: Lunch served most Wednesdays; pre-registration required by 5 p.m. on the day before. 21251 Stevens Creek Blvd., Cupertino, 408-777-3150 or www.cupertino.org.

Theater/Arts

Flint Center: Kim Kyung Ho 2012 North America Tour, Sept. 21, 8 p.m. \$40-\$150. 21250 Stevens Creek Blvd., Cupertino. 408-864-8820, www.flintcenter.com.

Fine Arts League of Cupertino: Monthly art demonstrations and opportunities to exhibit their work. The group meets every second Monday of the month, 7-9 p.m., and welcomes visitors. Quinlan Community Center, 10185 N. Stelling Road, Cupertino. For more information, visit www.falc.org or call Janki at 408-863-9991.

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Graniterock Design Center: Works by local artists. 1505 S. De Anza Blvd., Cupertino. 408-996-4500 or www.graniterock.com/locations/cupertino.html.

The Lace Museum: "Brides for All Seasons," an exhibit showcasing bridal gowns and accessories from the 1880s-1970. Highlights include a special 1912 bridal gown, displayed in honor of Sunnyvale's centennial celebration; gowns from entertainers "The

Adams Sisters"; and a book of bridal gown photos collected from the community. Handmade and machine made lace will be featured on the gowns, veils, gloves, shoes, handkerchiefs and other accessories. Through Nov. 3. The museum features changing exhibits related to lace and the art of lace making. 552 Murphy Ave., Sunnyvale, 408-730-4695 or www.thelacemuseum.org.

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Military Officers Association of America: The Silicon Valley chapter holds a luncheon meeting on

the third Thursday of the month. For more information, visit www.siliconvalleymoaa.org or call 408-245-2217.

Lawn Alternatives: The California Native Plant Society presents a talk on "Do-It-Yourself Native Landscaping." Sept. 29, 8:45 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Foothill College, Lecture Hall 8338, 12345 El Monte Road, Los Altos Hills. To register, visit: <http://symposium.cnps-scv.org>. For more information, email symposium@cnps-scv.org, or call 650-260-3450.

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Food & Wine

HARD CIDER TAKES BIGGER SLICE OF BEVERAGE MARKET

By MICHELLE LOCKE
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Autumn's a great time to fall for apple appeal, with cooler temperatures setting the stage for the fruit to star in gently steaming pies and along-side fragrant roasts.

Or, you could drink your apple a day, the fermented way.

Hard cider, which came to the United States with the Pilgrims but was lost in a sea of sweet, unfermented juice after Prohibition, has been making a comeback with increased sales and launches of new styles and flavors that have brought a bushel of options to store shelves.

"It's the most exciting beverage category in the market," says Jeffrey House, founder of the California Cider Co., the Sebastopol-based company that produces ACE Premium Hard Ciders, a major player among domestic producers.

Hard cider still is a small part of the overall alcoholic beverage market; sales don't come close to the multibillion-dollar beer industry. But it is a rapidly growing niche.

According to data from Chicago-based market research firm SymphonyIRI Group, hard cider sales at supermarkets and other stores (data exclude Walmart, club stores and liquor stores) totaled about \$71.5 million for the 52 weeks ending Aug. 5, more than a 50 percent increase over the same period a year before.

More sales means more products. Anheuser-Busch has a cider out, Michelob Ultra

Light Cider. And Boston Beer Co., makers of Samuel Adams, this spring introduced three varieties of Angry Orchard cider.

To get the cider right, Angry Orchard's David Sipes and his team traveled around the world studying cider-making and sourcing apples, getting fruit from Europe, including Northern Italy.

"A lot of the same things a winemaker would be looking for in their grapes we're looking for in cider apples. We're looking for certain balance of tannin and acidity and Brix [sugar levels], and the cider apples really lend a lot of those characteristics," he said.

The attention to detail includes aging some of the ciders with wood; oak staves or chips are put into the tanks to add a subtle touch of the vanilla and baking spices that come with oak aging.

Cider is made by pressing apples for the juice, adding yeast, then allowing the juice to ferment. As with wine, the yeast consumes the sugar in the juice and turns it into alcohol. Hard cider can range from 4 percent to 12 percent alcohol, but generally comes in at around 5 percent or 6 percent, comparable to the strength of beer.

Cider's not the only adult beverage that can be made from apples. Distilling fermented apple juice creates a liquor that ranges from the classic French calvados to applejack, an American version that can be made through distillation or by concentration via freezing.

PANTHERS ARE 3-0, SET FOR LANCERS

By DICK SPARRER

First it was Leland, then Willow Glen and last Friday it was Davis.

And in each of the three games to open the 2012 season, the Prospect girls field hockey team has prevailed, passing each pre-season test with flying colors.

But the Panthers have one more test to take before opening league play in the Santa Teresa Division of the Blossom Valley Athletic League, and it's coming up on Sept. 14 at 3:30 p.m. when they host powerful St. Francis in the final game on the non-league schedule.

Prospect enters the home game with a 3-0 record, beating Leland 5-1, Willow Glen 1-0 and Davis 2-1. The Lancers enter the game unbeaten and unscored upon in two games, blanking Leigh 3-0 and Westmont 7-0.

The Lancers are coming off of a year when they won the Central Coast Section championship and they are considered among the title favorites with Archbishop Mitty, Los Gatos and Gilroy in the rugged Mt. Hamilton Division.

Prospect, meanwhile, appears to be an up-and-comer. The Panthers won the West Valley Division title last year with a 9-1-2 record (10-2-4 overall) to earn a promotion to the Santa Teresa Division this fall.

The Panthers are already off to a solid start. Their 2-1 win over Davis last week helped them streak out to a 3-0 record in the early days of 2012.

Mayee Corpuz knocked in a first-half goal off an assist from Karlie Wreaks to help the Panthers fight Davis to a 1-1 tie through intermission, and Prospect snapped the tie when senior Cheryl Yim scored off assists from Andrea Scoles and Corpuz in the second half to lift Prospect to the win.

The Panthers had opened the week with a 1-0 win over Willow Glen. A first-half goal by Wreaks off of assists from Filicia Miller and Gabi Riccardi-Shortt accounted for the only scoring of the day.

Prospect had opened the year with the 5-1 win over Leland. Scoles had three goals and an assist to lead the Panthers to the win.

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SPORTS

COMPLETE SPORTS COVERAGE OF AREA SCHOOLS, RECREATION LEAGUES

Rositas stars in Homestead win at Salinas

*Vikes, Pioneers
each nails wins*

By MIKE BARNHART

Sidelined for much of the 2011 season with an elbow injury, junior Derek Rositas wasted no time this year making an impact for the Homestead football team.

The 6-foot-1, 175-pounder quickly emerged as a standout player on both sides of the ball for the 2012 Mustangs, including an excellent performance in a 37-34 triumph at Salinas on Sept. 7.

After running for one touchdown and making six tackles in his varsity debut against Half Moon Bay the week before, Rositas rushed for all five Homestead touchdowns and prevented a score by intercepting a long Salinas pass in a back-and-forth affair.

"Six touchdowns in two games after sitting out most of last year sounds like Player of the Week to me," said proud Homestead coach Milo Lewis about his team's new fullback on offense and strong safety on defense.

Rositas, who was standing in uniform but did not play in last November's last-minute 27-26 defeat to Salinas in the first round of the Central Coast Section Division I playoffs, helped Homestead avenge that loss with 134 yards on 13 carries, including scoring runs of 2, 4, 6, 40 and 35 yards.

The first two TDs came in the opening quarter, as the Mustangs went up 15-0. Sophomore John Rak kicked the first of his three extra points and senior quarterback Mark Hirschbek cleaned up a botched snap and hold with a two-point conversion pass to sophomore tight end Joseph Faria.

The host Cowboys battled back to tie the game before halftime and went ahead in the third quarter 21-



PHOTOGRAPH BY TOMMY LAPORTE

Monta Vista running back Peter Stern (5) scores his club's only touchdown in a 39-6 loss to Sequoia in the first game ever played under the lights at the school.

15, but Rositas' third touchdown and another Rak PAT put Homestead back in front 22-21 with 1:34 left in the period.

Salinas regained the lead 27-22 with 5:44 left in the game, but the PAT failed and the Mustangs answered again just 29 seconds later. After Hirschbek kept the drive alive by scrambling away from the Cowboys defense and connecting with Faria for 13 yards and a first down, Rositas scampered 40 yards for his fourth TD of the game. Rositas powered for a two-point conversion, stretching the lead to 30-27, and his 35-yard scoring romp with 2:03 to go sealed the deal.

Salinas did not give up, adding a 42-yard touchdown to pull within 37-34 at 1:21. Homestead recovered an onside kick attempt and ran out

the clock, improving its record to 2-0 headed into a bye week prior to a Sept. 21 non-league battle with district neighbor Fremont.

In addition to Rositas, Lewis praised the offensive leadership of Hirschbek and the work of the offensive line, which included senior center Adam Verbrugge, senior guard Garrett Bernal filling in for usual starter John Antuna, junior guard Justin Marengo and junior tackles David Almas and Thomas Holm.

Hirschbek finished with 103 rushing yards on 12 carries, including a pair of kneel-downs to close the game, and with 93 passing yards, including four completions for 42 yards to junior Bryan Erickson. Hirschbek's longest gainer of the night was a 29-yarder to junior Con-

nor Quilici.

Lewis was disappointed that the defense did not do a better job of slowing down the Salinas offense, which was coming off a 59-34 win over Piedmont Hills the previous week.

"Salinas played a good game, but it should not have been that close," Lewis said. "We definitely missed some tackles on defense."

Lewis cited the consistent efforts of senior linebackers Tony Choe and Connor Church and junior nose guard Deonzee Taliauli and applauded his defense for its three takeaways, a fumble forced by Verbrugge and recovered by Rak and interceptions by senior linebacker Joseph Ilaou and Rositas.

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Matadors net fifth Cal Classic high school tennis crown in nine years

By MIKE BARNHART

Monta Vista, the reigning Central Coast Section and Northern California girls tennis champion, officially became the team to beat this fall by winning the California High School Classic for the fifth time in nine years.

Playing in Division I, the 16 most highly regarded teams out of the 124 teams entered in the prestigious event Sept. 7-8 at Buchanan High in Clovis the Matadors capped the annual early sea-

son affair with a 4-3 triumph over Dana Hills, last year's Southern Section Division I champion.

Dana Hills won three of four singles matches, but the Matadors swept the doubles contests. For the second year in a row at this tournament, junior Kelsey Chong was a winner in the decisive match, this time scoring a 6-4, 6-2 triumph at No. 3 singles.

All three doubles teams won in straight sets. Senior Ruri Kobayakawa and sophomore Angella Qian teamed to win at No. 1, 6-2, 6-1. Juniors Shwetha Bharadwaj

and Claudia Kesala, a transfer from Connecticut, captured the No. 2 contest, 6-3, 6-1. The No. 3 combination of junior Sabrina Mui and sophomore Nicole Stomakhin prevailed with a 6-1, 6-3 decision.

Seniors Wendi Kong and Jody Law lost the top two singles matches in straight sets. Kong fell 6-3, 6-1 at No. 1 and Law 6-2, 7-6 at No. 2. Junior Jenna McGuirk, a transfer from Saint Francis, put up a tough tussle at No. 4. She won the first set 6-1, before dropping the second set 7-5

and the tiebreaker 10-5.

Monta Vista won four matches in the tournament, improving to 6-0 in the young season.

The title bout was the second 4-3 match of the day for the Matadors, following a victory over Santa Barbara in the semifinals. In Friday's first round, Monta Vista swept the Dana Hills B team 7-0 and Archbishop Mitty 6-1.

The Matadors opened the season with a pair of 9-0 home victories against top-tier, non-league opponents Redwood of Larkspur

Aug. 30 and Burlingame Sept. 4.

Sophomore Aiswarya Sankar, who normally would play No. 3 singles for coach Gene Fortino's Matadors, did not play in the tournament because of an injury.

Other Monta Vista players this fall include seniors Tiffany Wang, Fangfei Li and Tiffany Lian, sophomore Katherine Guo and freshman Anna Kang.

In the first day of the tournament Kong won both of her matches at No. 1 singles and Chong and Kobayakawa teamed for wins at No. 1 doubles.

Football

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Ilaou was the leading Homestead tackler with eight stops. Church, senior Yongsuk Kim, Antuna and Rositas each added five tackles.

Lights out for Mats

It was Monta Vista's party on Sept. 7, celebrating the first game at Charles Morrell Field, but it was the visiting Sequoia Cherokees who were having a good time.

A week after a big second half produced a one-point win over Fremont, Sequoia runners lived it up in the first half at Monta Vista. The Cherokees danced around and through the Matadors' defense for six touchdowns before halftime and rolled to a 39-6 victory.

Monta Vista had the ball first, but committed the first of three turnovers on the first play from scrimmage. The Cherokees recovered a fumbled handoff and scored a 15-yard TD run two plays later.

Sequoia added touchdowns on each of their next three possessions and led 26-0 after the first quarter. The Cherokees added two more scores in the second quarter.

The Matadors outgained Sequoia with their running game, 214-204, but managed to put the ball in the end zone just once. Senior Brian Kearns scored on a 5-yard run with about 10 minutes left in the game.

Monta Vista junior Justin Cena was the game's leading rusher with 95 yards on 13 carries. Senior Peter Stern finished with 51 yards on 13 tries, senior quarterback Nathan

Facciolla kept the ball nine times for 23 and junior William Major ran three times for 20 yards.

Senior Chris Flores led the Matadors with seven tackles. Junior Kevin Szelon and sophomore Amol Pande chipped in with five apiece and Stern had four. Senior linebacker Wesley Polleck recovered a fumble.

Monta Vista (1-1) will try to get back in the win column on Sept. 14, 7:30 p.m., against visiting Westmont, which lost its opener last week to Willow Glen 37-7.

Firebirds light it up

For the second week in a row, Fremont built a big lead by halftime, but unlike the season opener at Sequoia, the Firebirds were able to hang on for a victory.

Senior Joe De Los Santos and juniors Keenan Smith and Ricky Te'o each scored two touchdowns, as Fremont jumped on visiting Silver Creek for a 40-0 advantage during the first two quarters. The Firebirds went on to beat the Raiders 47-13.

Fremont improved to 1-1, a week after a 25-0 halftime lead at Sequoia turned into a 26-25 defeat. The Firebirds will try to win another home game on Friday, 7:30 p.m., against Prospect (0-1).

Smith, who scored two touchdowns in the opener, added three more against Silver Creek, running to pay dirt in each of the first three quarters. He finished with 169 yards on 13 carries, leading a ground attack that finished with 263 yards.

Te'o ran for a pair of touchdowns during the Firebirds' 24-point first quarter, getting into the end zone from the 1 and the 10. He also deliv-

ered a 50-yard scoring pass to De Los Santos, who later ran 10 yards to close out the first half scoring.

Te'o completed 8 of 11 passes for 183 yards, including four to De Los Santos for 147 yards. Senior Mike Quezada had two catches for 10 yards, sophomore tight end Sam Kanongata had one for 20 and Smith had one for six yards.

De Los Santos ran the ball four times for 30 yards, junior Onosai Sataua carried four times for 26 yards and junior fullback Johnny Armstrong ran once for 20 yards.

Sophomore linebacker Kahiligh Creamer sparked the defense with 15 tackles, including three sacks, and senior lineman Adam Cacheiro had 10 tackles. De Los Santos was in on six hits from his safety position, while Kanongata and senior Christian Vasquez each had five stops. Alex Lopez recovered a fumble.

Junior Francis O'Keefe, a talented soccer player, made his varsity football debut by handling all the kicking

chores for the Firebirds. His efforts included three PAT kicks.

Vikings top Dons

Senior quarterback Gabe Wagner-Rosales passed for 161 yards and accounted for four touchdowns, leading Lynbrook to a 35-13 win at Del Mar.

The victory evened the Vikings' record at 1-1 and gave Jim Grassi his first win as a head coach. "Our execution was great and we set a fast pace to the game that paid off in the third quarter," Grassi said.

Wagner-Rosales scored on runs of 13 and 2 yards and passes to junior Maximo Brogly (19 yards) and senior Lucas Ranieri (28 yards).

Senior Kyle Williams romped for a 41-yard touchdown in the second quarter and senior Denis Nakelchik kicked five extra points. Juniors Eric Day and Jarod Jacoby also big ground gainers for Lynbrook.

The Vikings, who lost 33-13 to Gunderson in their season opener,

will visit Lick on Sept. 14, 7 p.m.

'Tino wins again

Cupertino will be looking to go 3-0 for the first time in many years when it hosts Yerba Buena Sept. 14, 7:30 p.m.

The Pioneers improved to 2-0 with a 20-19 victory over visiting Mills of Millbrae on Sept. 7. It was their second win in as many weeks against a San Mateo County school. Cupertino started the season with a 28-20 victory over Hillside.

Seniors Eli Hawkins, Joseph Ochsner and Patrick Johnson all ran for TDs v in the recent win.

"Our defense is playing great," said coach Chris Oswald.

Bulldogs bite King's

After falling to 0-2 with a 13-0 defeat at San Jose Academy, The King's Academy will take on 2-0 Santa Clara in a non-league home game Sept. 14, 7 p.m.

Hockey

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Corpuz and Adrianna Gaal also scored goals for Prospect.

Following Friday's battle with the Lancers, the Panthers will open Santa Teresa Division action on Sept. 19, 3:30 p.m., at Cupertino.

The Pioneers enter league play after an impressive preseason showing. Cupertino blanked Leland 3-0, tied Presentation 1-1 and lost by just a goal to pow-

erhouse Los Gatos 2-1. All three teams play in the Mt. Hamilton Division.

Jaclyn Ballin drove in two goals off assists from Elizabeth Valencia and Julia Seaton and Christen Velasquez popped an unassisted goal to pace the Pioneers to the 3-0 win over the Chargers.

Cupertino had fought Presentation to a 1-1 draw thanks to a goal by Jordan Amick off a Seaton assist and Velasquez scored the 'Tino goal in the loss to the Wildcats.

Ballin returns for the Pioneers after winning the Junior of the Year award in the Santa Teresa

circuit last fall.

Cupertino wraps up the preseason with a 3:30 p.m. home game against Leland on Sept. 14.

Sarah Im, the co-Sophomore of the Year with Cupertino's Farcia Carroll a year ago, scored a goal, but Monta Vista lost 6-1 to Presentation last week. Victoria Harrington tapped in two goals and Emma Manzano had a goal and three assists for the Panthers. Molly O'Flaherty, Taylor Jaques and Emily Konrad also had goals in the win.

Im had a goal and three assists for the Matadors in a 4-3 win over Westmont a few days earlier.

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Complete copies are posted in the Office of the City Clerk. All interested parties are invited to attend and be heard. If you wish to challenge the action of the City Council 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 City of Cupertino City Hall at, or prior to, the public hearing. (PUB CC 9/14)</p> <p>1.Application No.:R - 2012-26 Applicant:A m i t Goel/Ruchi Aggarwal Location:7 7 3 8 Huntridge Ln</p> <p>Appeal of an approval of a Two-Story Permit for a new, 2,692 square foot, single family residence</p> <p>ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: Ex-empt</p> <p>All environmental documents for the described applications are available for public review at the Cupertino Community Development Department, 10300 Torre Avenue, Cupertino, California, 95014.</p> <p>If you challenge the action 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 City of Cupertino at, or prior to, the public hearing. Please note that Planning Commission policy is to allow an applicant and groups to speak for 10 minutes and individuals to speak for 3 minutes.</p> <p>Gary Chao City Planner, City of CupertinoPublication Date: September 14, 2012 (PUB CC 9/14)</p> <p>LEGAL NOTICE CITY OF CUPERTINO FIRST READING ORDINANCE NO. 12-2099</p> <p>NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at its meeting of Tuesday, September 4, 2012, the Cupertino City Council conducted the first reading of Ordinance No. 12-2099: "An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Cupertino amending</p>	<p>Chapter 16.58 of the Cupertino Municipal Code to amend the Green Building Standards Code to include local green building requirements." The second reading is scheduled for Tuesday, September 18, 2012. Council meets at 6:45 p.m., Council Chamber, Cupertino Community Hall, 10350 Torre Avenue, Cupertino, California. Complete copies are posted in the Office of the City Clerk. All interested parties are invited to attend and be heard. 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On 10-05-2012 at 11:00 AM, CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded 09-07-2005, Book N/A, Page N/A, Instrument 18563155, of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Santa Clara County, California, executed by: JIAN CHEN AND YING ZHU, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as TRUSTOR, JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., as Beneficiary, will sell at public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings associa-</p>	<p>tion, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Sale will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the herein-after described property under and pursuant to the Deed of Trust. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Place of Sale: AT THE NORTH MARKET STREET ENTRANCE TO THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, 191 NORTH MARKET STREET, SAN JOSE, CA 95113 Legal Description: LOT 2, AS SHOWN UPON THAT CERTAIN MAP ENTITLED, ""TRACT NO. 3168, BLOSSOM VIEW HOMES", WHICH MAP WAS FILED FOR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ON MARCH 23, 1968, IN BOOK 144 OF MAPS, AT PAGE 41. 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DATE: 09-10-2012 CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY, as Trustee DEREK WEAR-RENE, ASSISTANT SECRETARY C a l i f o r n i a Reconveyance Company 9200 Oakdale Avenue Mail Stop: CA2-4379 Chatsworth, CA 91311 800-892-6902 For Sales Information: (714) 730-2727 or www.lpsasap.com (714) 573-1965 or www.priorityposting.com CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee 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. 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A-4293712 09/14/2012, 09/21/2012, 09/28/2012</p> <p>SVCU#4607796 9/14/12, 9/21/12, 9/28/12</p> <p>NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. NO. 11-37025-JP-CA YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 09/16/2005. 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 CONTACT A LAWYER. 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Place of Sale: At The North Market Street entrance to the County Courthouse, 191 North Market Street, San Jose, CA 95113 Estimated amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$1,058,709.52 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 982 AZALEA DRIVE, SUNNYVALE, CA 94086 A.P.N.: 213-07-002-00 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of a first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. 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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 714-730-2727 or visit this Internet Web site www.nds corp.com/sales, using the file number assigned to this case 11-37025-JP-CA. Information about postponements that</p>	<p>are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: 09/07/2012 NATIONAL DEFAULT SERVICING CORPORATION 7720 N. 16th Street, Suite 300 Phoenix, AZ 85020 phone 602-264-6101 Sales Line 714-730-2727. Sales Website: www.ndscorp.com/sales Nichole Alford, TRUSTEE SALES REPRESENTATIVE A-4294624 09/14/2012, 09/21/2012, 09/28/2012</p> <p>SVCU#4614837 9/14/12, 9/21/12, 9/28/12</p> <p>NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS NO. 12-0048277 Doc ID #0001438863802005N Title Order No. 12-00086739 Investor/Insurer No. 143886380 APN No. 202-39-027 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 08/08/2006. 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 CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by JEFFREY A LACKEY, AND SHANNAN A LACKEY, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS, dated 08/08/2006 and recorded 8/11/2006, as Instrument No. 19057014, in Book , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Santa Clara County, State of California, will sell on 10/26/2012 at 9:00AM, Santa Clara Convention Center 5001 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara, CA 95054 Great America Ballroom at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, 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 and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of</p>	<p>the real property described above is purported to be: 1108 ROBIN COURT, SUNNYVALE, CA, 940872083. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$1,195,792.60. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a 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 this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded with the appropriate County Recorder's Office. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on a property itself. Placing the highest bid</p>

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<p>Legal Notice</p> <p>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 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 1-800-281-8219 or visit this Internet Web site www.recontrustco.com, using the file number assigned to this case TS No. 12-0048277. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any in-</p>	<p>Legal Notice</p> <p>formation obtained will be used for that purpose. A-4288301 09/14/2012, 09/21/2012, 09/28/2012 SVCU#4607602 9/14/12, 9/21/12, 9/28/12 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE: Title Order No.: 5907466 Trustee Sale No.: 77858 Loan No.: 9042155473 APN: 375-05-037 You are in Default under a Deed of Trust dated 02/21/2006. 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 proceedings against you, you should contact a lawyer. On 09/27/2012 at 10:00AM, FCI Lender Services, Inc. as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 3/13/2006 as DOC #18841578 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Santa Clara County, California, executed by: Elizabeth M Bialoglovski, a married woman as her sole and separate property, as Trustor Downey Savings and Loan Association, F.A. as Beneficiary WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a 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 this state). At the North Market Street entrance to the County Courthouse, 190 North Market Street, San Jose, CA, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 10466 Miller Avenue, Cupertino CA 95014. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incor-</p>	<p>Legal Notice</p> <p>rectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, if estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the Deeds created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: \$684,969.27 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 8/30/12 FCI Lender Services, Inc., as Trustee 8180 East Kaiser Blvd., Anaheim Hills, CA 92808 U.S. Bank National Association, Customer Service Department (800) 824-6902 or Toll Free #-1-855-MYUSMAP (or 855-698-7627) - mortgage assistancepoint@usbank.com For Trustee Sale Information log on to: www.rsvpforeclosures.com or CALL: 877-RSVP-ADS or 877-778-7237. Vice President FCI Lender Services, Inc. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. "NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid on 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,</p>	<p>Legal Notice</p> <p>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 the outstanding lien 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 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 877-RSVPADS or 877-778-7237, or visit this Internet Web site www.rsvpforeclosures.com, using the file number assigned to this case T.S.# 77858. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale." (RSVP # 292635) (09/07/12, 09/14/12, 09/21/12) NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 12-0047339 Doc ID #0001333621912005N Title Order No. 10-6-2 4 7 7 2 8 Investor/Insurer No. 133362191 APN No. 204-51-031 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 02/16/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE</p>	<p>Legal Notice</p> <p>OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by MARICELA GUZMAN, A SINGLE WOMAN, dated 02/16/2007 and recorded 2/23/2007, as Instrument No. 19315769, in Book , Page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Santa Clara County, State of California, will sell on 09/24/2012 at 11:00AM, At the North Market Street entrance to the County Courthouse, 191 North Market Street, San Jose, CA 95113 at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, 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 and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 152-154 SAN ANDREAS COURT, SUNNYVALE, CA, 94086. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. 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 1-800-281-8219 or visit this Internet Web site www.recontrustco.com, using the file number assigned to this case TS No. 12-0054898. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any in-</p>	<p>Legal Notice</p> <p>or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded-</p>	<p>Legal Notice</p> <p>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 1-800-281-8219 or visit this Internet Web site www.recontrustco.com, using the file number assigned to this case TS No. 12-0047339. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. A-4283984 08/31/2012, 09/07/2012, 09/14/2012 SVCU#4607439 8/31/12, 9/7/12, 9/14/12 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 12-0054898 Doc ID #0008714766452005N Title Order No. 12-0 0 9 7 0 7 0 Investor/Insurer No. 1706705214 APN No. 165-14-012 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 03/05/2008. 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 CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by JORGE BARRIGA AND EPIFANIA BARRIGA MARTINEZ, dated 03/05/2008 and recorded 3/7/2008, as Instrument No. 19767402, in Book , Page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Santa Clara County, State of California, will sell on 10/26/2012 at 9:00AM, Santa Clara Convention Center 5001 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara, CA 95054</p>	<p>Legal Notice</p> <p>Great America Ballroom at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, 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 and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 140 FLORENCE STREET, SUNNYVALE, CA, 94086. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$413,996.76. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a 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 this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded-</p>	<p>Legal Notice</p> <p>ed with the appropriate County Recorder's Office. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on a 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 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 1-800-281-8219 or visit this Internet Web site www.recontrustco.com, using the file number assigned to this case TS No. 12-0054898. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. A-FN4282920 09/14/2012, 09/21/2012, 09/28/2012 SVCU#4607420 9/14/12, 9/21/12, 9/28/12 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 12-0049939 Doc ID #0001159714802005N Title Order No. 12-0 0 8 9 0 4 8 Investor/Insurer No. 115971480 APN No. 110-46-127 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 12/12/2005. 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 CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by ARISTEDIS C NICHOLAS AN UNMARRIED MAN, dated 12/12/2005 and recorded 12/20/2005, as Instrument No. 18733254, in Book , Page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Santa Clara County, State of California, will sell on 10/03/2012 at 9:00AM, Santa Clara Convention Center 5001 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara, CA 95054 Great America Ballroom at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, 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 and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1126 LE MANS TER, SUNNYVALE, CA, 94089. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address</p>	<p>Legal Notice</p> <p>information is to attend the scheduled sale. RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. A-FN4282920 09/14/2012, 09/21/2012, 09/28/2012 SVCU#4607420 9/14/12, 9/21/12, 9/28/12 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 12-0049939 Doc ID #0001159714802005N Title Order No. 12-0 0 8 9 0 4 8 Investor/Insurer No. 115971480 APN No. 110-46-127 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 12/12/2005. 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 CONTACT A LAWYER. 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and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$650,499.80. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a 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 this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded with the appropriate County Recorder's Office. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on a 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

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 08-0057800 Doc ID #000738033742005N Title Order No. G841815 Investor/Insurer No. 609749 APN No. 213-06-026 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 09/14/2006. 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 CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by MARLITH G. RIOS, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, dated 09/14/2006 and recorded 9/27/2006, as Instrument No. 19120105, in Book N/A, Page N/A, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Santa Clara County, State of California, will sell on 10/09/2012 at 11:00AM, At the North Market Street entrance to the County Courthouse, 191 North Market Street, San Jose, CA 95113 at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, 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 and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1008 EAST EVELYN AVENUE, SUNNYVALE, CA, 94086. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$812,354.52. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a

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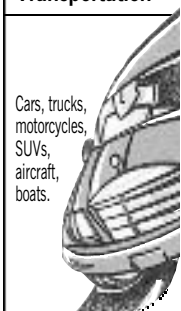
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