

School board offers to sell farm site to city

■ In a closed-door meeting, Newport-Mesa trustees agree to send letter to Costa Mesa offering land for sale at a discount.

By Julie Ross Cannon, Daily Pilot

NEWPORT-MESA — The Costa Mesa High School farm property didn't sit on the school district's back burner for long. Two weeks ago, school board members postponed a decision to declare the 18-acre agricultural site surplus and offer it to other public agencies for sale.

After the Feb. 27 meeting, district administrators, who had recommended the sale, said the farm issue would take a back seat to more pressing board decisions on school overcrowding and next

year's budget.

But Tuesday, school board members met behind closed doors — with no public notice — to discuss the farm property. The trustees added the discussion to their agenda at the beginning of the 7 p.m. meeting.

Following the secret session, school board members voted to send a letter to Costa Mesa city officials stating the board is "desirous of declaring the Costa Mesa farm property surplus and offering it for sale to the city of Costa Mesa"

"I think what the board is interested in is seeing whether the city would be inter-

COSTA MESA HIGH SCHOOL FARM

- ◆ 18-acre agricultural site
- ◆ 1995 appraisal set value at \$8.8 million
- ◆ If offered by terms of Naylor Act, city could get 30% of the site at 25% of fair market value.
- ◆ Costa Mesa City Council will discuss the issue April 1. Even after that, school board must still declare site surplus.

ested in buying the property," Superintendent Mac Bernd said Wednesday. "All discussions (with the city) have centered

on the availability of (the farm) for recreational facilities and open space."

Costa Mesa City Manager Allan Roeder said council members will discuss their interest in the property at the April 1 meeting.

"It's well past our deadline for Monday's council meeting," Roeder said. "I told Mac we will likely put it on the first meeting in April for the council to discuss in open session."

The farm has been a source of contention between school and city officials, who have been in negotiations for a year to place a joint-venture sports complex on the site.

Three weeks ago school administrators abandoned that plan and recommended school board members sell the

farm, offering it first to public agencies for purchase and then selling it to the highest bidder. School board members postponed a decision after more than 200 community members packed the board meeting to protest.

At the time, Bernd said the district would seek an exemption to the state Education Code's Naylor Act when it offered the property to the city to purchase. The exemption would have allowed the district to receive full market value for part of the property if the city chose to buy it.

But in Wednesday's letter, Bernd offered the site to the city in accordance to the Naylor Act.

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SNAPSHOT



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Cal Stilley believes in service. "It's an old cliché, but you treat the customer how you would want to be treated," he says.

STAYING IN FOCUS

By Valerie Fugent, Daily Pilot

COSTA MESA — You could say Cal Stilley has "developed" his niche in town. With 50 years of photography know-how under his belt, the 72-year-old Stilley, along with wife, Helen, has owned and operated Cal's Cameras & Video in Costa Mesa for more than 30 years — while competitors have come and gone.

The secret to Stilley's long-term success? "It's an old cliché, but you treat the customer how you would want to be treated," Stilley said.

And as he continues, his words conjure up images of a homespun commercial.

"Service. Customer service and knowledge. Having the products in stock," Stilley said. "Over the years we've built up a reputation. If you want to find anything in the photographic world, we have it at Cal's and the knowledge to show you how to use it."

Stilley's office speaks volumes of the man's devo-

**Cal Stilley
outlasts
competitors
by keeping
his camera
store going
for more
than 30
years**

tions and knowledge. Golf and airplane photos decorate the walls. Bookcase shelves are lined with classic and antique cameras, family photos and books.

Stilley has been collecting old cameras for the better part of his career, a collection of which are on display at Cal's Camera.

That career in camera retail began after serving with the Second Air Command group in India and Burma during World War II. In 1946, he got out of the service and spent a year in Sacramento, before moving south to Santa Ana to run Stilley's Photo Supplies, his brother's business.

In 1962, he and Helen bought Mears Camera Exchange in Costa Mesa, formerly located where Grant's Guns is now.

When the Stilleys took over, the camera shop was also a hobby shop with model airplanes and the like. Stilley phased out the hobby portion of the business since it wasn't among his area of expertise.

In 1962, the business had three employees;

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Contractors' tiff delays decision on Bob Henry Park

■ City postpones awarding of construction contract after a competing bidder claims company is unqualified for job.

By Evan Henerson, Daily Pilot

NEWPORT BEACH — A squabble between two construction contractors has temporarily delayed the city awarding a contract to the firm that will build the Bob Henry Park at the intersection of 16th Street and Dover Drive.

At its regular meeting Monday night, the City Council was prepared to grant the \$930,000 construction contract to the Rosemead-based Los Angeles Engineering, Inc., the lowest of 11 companies to submit bids for the work.

But a protest and a threat of litigation from a competing bidder, Micon Engineering, Inc., prompted the City Council to delay the contract award for two weeks. City Attorney Bob Burnham will determine if Micon's complaint — submitted through an attorney — has any merit.

"This is supposed to intimidate us," said City Manager Kevin Murphy of the threatened lawsuit. He added that the development will not delay actual con-

struction of the park. "We'll take a real close look and make sure our shovel's clean."

The project will include two baseball fields, one soccer field, a tot lot, bleachers and a restroom/storage room facility. Fencing, landscaping and irrigation are also part of the scope of work.

Representatives from Micon say Los Angeles Engineering does not hold the appropriate license to perform all the necessary work. The company's legal counsel also maintains Micon's bid, as submitted, does not list sub-contractors who can perform special aspects of the work — such as the installation of rubber surfacing to protect children from injury.

By refusing to list additional contractors and claiming to be qualified to perform the work, Micon is breaking the law, said Raymond Scott, who is representing Micon.

"There are many risks entailed in not having the bidding done right," said Scott. "Many of those

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Fledgling Latino group shows it means business

WEST SIDE — Costa Mesa Mayor Joe Erickson was there. So were other city hall officials, and leaders of the Costa Mesa Chamber of Commerce, local schools, churches and youth groups.

The turnout at the Latino Leadership Council's first organized event Tuesday evening — an introductory mixer — proved the brand-new group of West Side Costa Mesa business owners already has some clout in this city.

The Latino Leadership Council, or LLC, formed in November with just a handful of local merchants who came together to try to encourage the predominantly Latino businesses along 19th Street and Placentia Avenue to get involved in community and

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◆ The Latino Leadership Council's next meeting is at 8 a.m. March 28 at Avila's El Ranchito restaurant, 2101 Placentia Ave., Costa Mesa. The meeting is open to all. Call 642-1142.

neighborhood concerns.

Through increased participation in the community, the leadership council, now about 30 members strong, hopes to work with other groups to improve the image of the West Side, not just

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Ferguson asks authorities to probe Johnson's residency

■ Senator calls request 'Hail Mary pass' to boost campaign.

By Evan Henerson, Daily Pilot

BALBOA ISLAND — Not only is he accusing incumbent state Sen. Ross Johnson of being a carpet-bagger, former Assemblyman Gil Ferguson believes Johnson may be legally prohibited from running for a full senate term.

In separate letters to Orange County District Attorney Michael Capizzi, state Attorney General Dan Lungren and Secretary of

State Bill Jones, Ferguson asks authorities to investigate whether Johnson can legally run for office in the 35th Senate District.

Ferguson, who is challenging Johnson in the March 26 GOP primary, says Johnson and his family are full-time residents of Sacramento. The senator only owns a home in Irvine to qualify for office, Ferguson maintains.

"People don't take on a sitting

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WEATHER

We're on a carousel ride of cold rain and warm sunshine, with more wet than warm from this Pacific storm system. It should ride off into the sunset tonight.

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Sand blast ...

Lee Trevino shoots out of a bunker on the 12th hole Wednesday during Pro-Am action at the Toshiba Senior Classic in Newport Beach. See stories in Sports, Page B1.

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BEST BUYS



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Go to Stix and Stones for that eclectic buy

Stix and Stones (646-7233) is the new kid on the block - it's another home accessories consignment shop on East 17th Street in Costa Mesa.

Marietta Vise says her store was located in Tustin for three years, and she's loving her new location.

It's closer to home. Vise says she appreciates her consignment neighbors, and depending on what customers are looking for "we can refer customers back and forth."

Stix and Stones has a very eclectic mix of merchandise and it changes all the time. Items include furniture, lamps, mirrors, antique jewelry, and Vise has added decorator pieces including chandeliers and sterling. It's located at 333 E. 17th St. Suite B in Costa Mesa, behind the International House of Pancakes.

Bow Dangles also located on East 17th Street in Costa Mesa has recently added a new children's clothing line to its store called Flaxseeds by Angelhearts. The clothing is made from machine washable linen in a variety of colors. Dresses are priced at \$34 to \$36.

Bow Dangles also carries the largest selection of Flax for adults. Dresses are priced at \$36. Bow Dangles is located at 369 E. 17th St., Suite 9 in Costa Mesa.

The best carpet cleaner around, Knightsbridge has recently introduced a new premium service for owners of white and pastel shades of carpet. Owner Mike Dunkley says the new four-step process takes away the worry of premature soiling after cleaning and ensures that carpets stay cleaner and brighter long after normal cleaning procedures.

"Using specially formulated cleaners to remove even the most stubborn stains the cleaning process is then completed with an active fiber rinse to ensure the removal of soil attracting residue," says Dunkley. "This final step together with a free application of stain resist treatment ensures brighter fresher carpets, even on heavy traffic areas."

The price for the "premium service" is marginally more than the \$95 special Knightsbridge normally runs and comes with the Knightsbridge warranty.

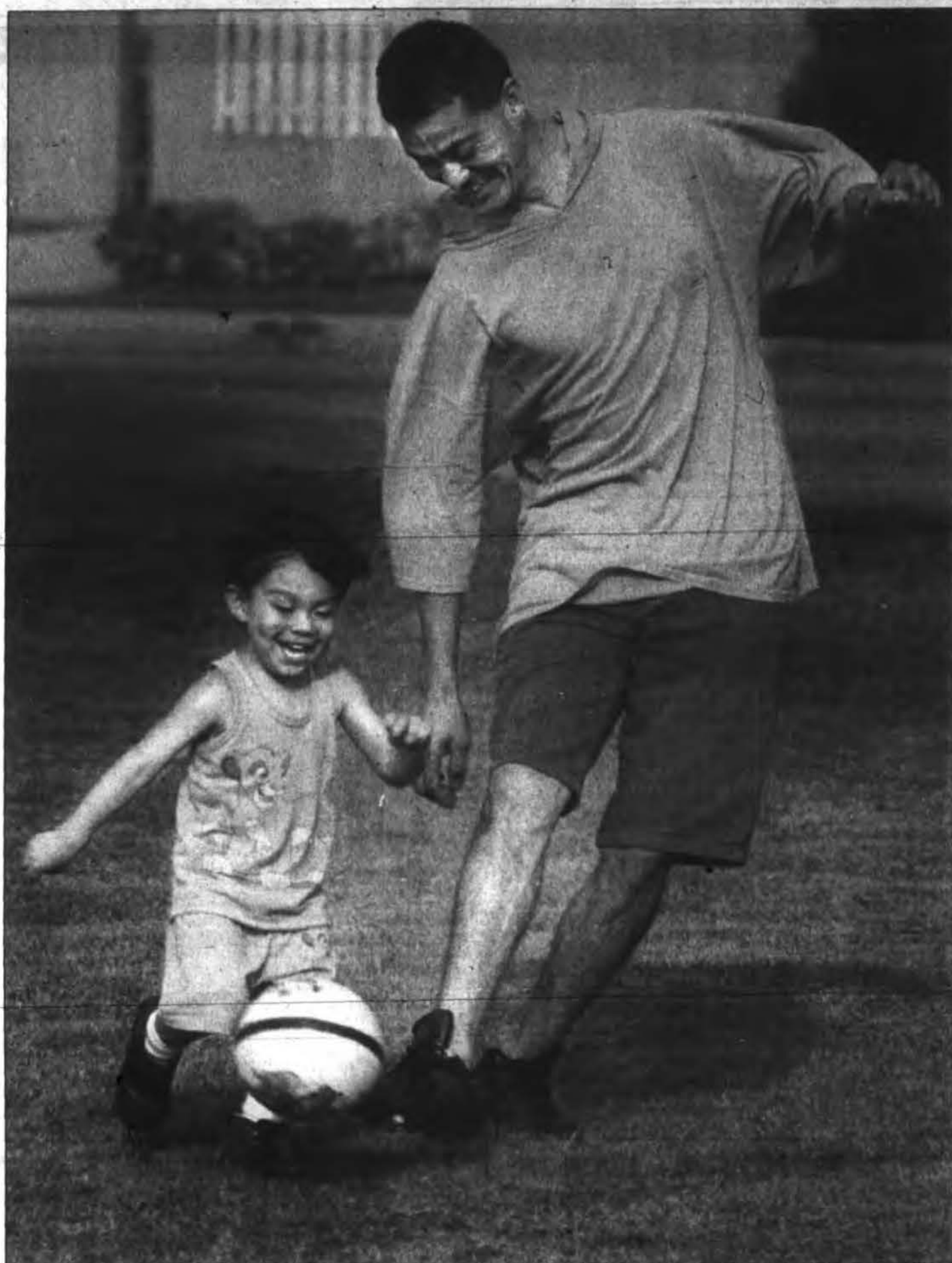
For a free estimate please call Mike Dunkley at (673-7561).

If you wear petite sizes Neiman Marcus is showing its designer petite fashions in the Sport Shop today. The spring petite collections of Emanuel/Emanuel Ungaro, DKNY, Anne Klein II, Linda Allard for Ellen Tracy, and Dana Buchman will be featured.

Neiman Marcus (759-1900) is located at Fashion Island in Newport Beach.

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LEG WORK



With enough energy to run circles around the competition, Harve Platez, 2, and dad, Nelson Platez, enjoy an afternoon of kickball at the Rea Community Center fields.

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FUNNEL VISION

■ Authorities were scratching their heads Wednesday as they chased down strange reports of water spouts and ground shakings.

By Carolyn Miller, Daily Pilot

NEWPORT BEACH - The recent storm bruised the clouds purple and gray Wednesday morning and within their depths created a phenomenal funnel, which, as these things go, was difficult to explain.

"We had a funnel cloud sighting - it's a small version of a tornado," said Newport Beach police Lt. Tim Newman, who was among a few officers who ventured out to gaze up at the weird weather wonder.

The police regional air helicopter first spotted the funnel hovering over Irvine's Turtle Rock area near Newport

Beach at 11:10 a.m., Newman said. Warnings went out to the Harbor Patrol, California Highway Patrol, Newport Beach lifeguards and the Coast Guard, in case the funnel spiraled toward the city and the beach areas.

"We put out a security warning to boaters to tell them to use caution," said one Coast Guard petty officer who called it a "water spout," rarely seen except during wicked weather.

One of his colleagues, Coast Guard Petty Officer Maurice Frazier, groped for the words to explain the phenomenon.

"It was a wind twister - kind of like a water thing. You know, a baby tornado," Frazier said. "We made a broadcast but no boaters called us back, so I guess no one saw it."

The funnel never made it to the city so the worry was for naught. But this wasn't the end of the weather wackiness.

"One of our dispatchers got a call from a woman in Tustin whose mind may have been controlled by a lunar pull," Newman joked.

"She said, 'I just wanted to let you know my house was shaking for two minutes - What's going on?'" Newman said.

Police advised the woman to call her own police department in Tustin, which was in a better position geographically to help her.

"Even at high tide, Tustin is not near our city," Newman said.

Despite an advisory from the county to beware of bacteria, refuse and sewage which may be floating in the ocean following any storms, nothing suspicious was cited bobbing in the water, according to Newport Beach lifeguards.

In fact, the beach was deserted, save for surfers who were out riding the 4- to 6-foot waves in 56-degree water.

"The waves are out of the southwest and making a lot of surfers happy," Newport Beach lifeguard Lt. Mitch White said. "There's nothing unusual except for someone in Irvine reported seeing a funnel thing ...?"

Redwitz leaves as Irvine Co. vice president

■ Highly visible development figure takes job with Taylor Woodrow Homes and will oversee Upper Castaways construction.

By Evan Henerson, Daily Pilot

NEWPORT BEACH - Tom Redwitz, one of The Irvine Co.'s most visible ambassadors both at city hall and within the community, will leave the company effective March 20.

Redwitz has accepted an administrative position with Taylor Woodrow Homes, a move which will place him in charge of at least one development project - the Upper Castaways homes - on Irvine Co. land.

"This is a job that takes me back to my professional roots in terms of home building, project management and developing neighborhoods," said Redwitz, a nine-year employee with The Irvine Co.

"Taylor Woodrow is an excellent company which has demonstrated its commitment to the quality of its architecture. With my background as an architect, this is a perfect fit."

Redwitz, who was a development entitlement vice president for The Irvine Co., will hold the title of senior development manager for Taylor Woodrow. His duties will include participating in land acquisition, managing the design team and overseeing construction.

He will be based in Laguna Hills although projects will frequently bring him back to the Newport Beach area.

"So I'll get to see the Castaways project all the way through to the end," said Redwitz who declined to discuss salaries.

In a prepared statement, Gary Hunt, the company's executive vice president, said Redwitz will be missed.

"Tom has been a very successful, loyal and able member of our team," Hunt said. "Given his understanding and appreciation for our company's goals and commitment to quality, I'm pleased that he'll be associated with continued community development activity on our land."

"I'll get to see the Castaways project all the way through to the end ..."
- TOM REDWITZ

briefly in the news

Lifeguards will hold tryouts Sunday

The Newport Beach Fire and Marine Department will hold open tryouts for the position of seasonal lifeguard on Sunday. The department is looking for as many as 50 individuals to qualify for training class to be held later this spring.

Applications may be picked up at lifeguard headquarters, at the base of Newport Pier between 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. or at City Hall, Human Resources.

Interested persons may call Reenie Boyer, marine training coordinator, at 644-3105 for more information. Applications should be returned to City Hall, human resources or the marine and fire administration by 4 p.m. on Friday. Late applications are due by 7:45 a.m. Sunday at lifeguard headquarters.

Tryouts include a 1,000 meter competitive swim, 1,200 meter competitive run-swim-run, and a first-aid exam. Be ready to swim at 8:45 a.m. sharp.

Top finishers will be invited to a 65-hour training class to be held on weekends. The city of Newport Beach will hire the top ranking candidates as needed during the 1996 summer season. Starting pay is \$10.76 per hour.

Top teachers to receive grants

The Newport-Mesa Schools Foundation will announce its spring teacher grants April 29. With the assistance of The Irvine Co., the foundation will honor one innovative teachers at each Newport-Mesa school with a \$500 grant.

The money may be used for proposal needs, such as materials, equipment, filed trip transportation and stipends for guest speakers.

Teachers are encouraged to submit their ideas for incorporating creative environmental programs into their class's curricula.

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WEATHER

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SURF FORECAST

LOCATION SIZE
Wedge 4-6 sw
Newport 4-6 sw
Blackies 4-6 sw
River Jetty 4-6 sw
CdM 4-6 sw

BOATING

Check for small craft advisories in inner waters for winds northwest 15 knots with three foot wind waves and 5 foot northwest swell. Northwest winds will moderate to 10

knots tonight with two foot wind waves and 7 foot westerly swell. Scattered showers throughout the day and evening.

TIDES
TODAY
First high 4:26 a.m. 4.9
First low 11:51 a.m. -0.3

Second high 6:26 p.m. 3.8
Second low 11:37 p.m. 1.7

FRIDAY
First high 5:41 a.m. 5.3
First low 12:38 a.m. -0.6

Second high 7:03 p.m. 4.3
Second low after midnight

WATER TEMPERATURE: 57

SURF

From Surfline Wavetrak for today

No joy for surfers early this week, with small waves through Friday. The weekend looks promising, with a new west-northwest swell rolling in 3- to 5-foot surf late Friday until early Sunday. The waves will regroup with a northwest swell late Monday. 10- to 20-mph west winds can make sloppy surf until late in the week. For daily surf reports and forecasts, call (909) 976-SURF. The call costs \$1.50 plus any possible toll.

POLICE FILES

COSTA MESA

• **1800 block of Newport Boulevard:** For two nights in a row, a local tavern has been targeted by thieves who climbed over the fence and stole a bunch of empty beer kegs from a fenced area. In the latest incident the thieves stole 15 empty kegs for domestic, not specialty beers, worth \$180. The manager of the bar, City Councilman Gary Monahan said he alerted several beer distributors in the area to the keg thefts.

• **100 block of E. 17th Street:** Three men ordered food and beverages at a popular 24-hour restaurant, then dined and dashed. The trio ate the food then placed a second order, but when the waiter left the dining room, they ran out without paying for their \$23.88 meal. The waiter followed them outside and saw them hop into a late-1970s red Ford parked across the street, and speed away.

• **2700 block of Mesa Verde East:** A woman put wet sheets in a dryer in a laundry room, but when she came back half an hour later, the \$150 sheets had vanished.

• **180 block of E. 17th Street:** A thief went to a supermarket with more than groceries on his mind. Twelve shopping carts worth \$900 were stolen by a man who loaded the carts into a pick-up truck then drove away. The man is suspected to be part of a shopping cart retrieval service.

NEWPORT BEACH

• **Pacific Coast Highway and Marguerite:** Five men, all Garden Grove residents, were arrested on suspicion of possessing sawed off shotguns. Bail set for each man was \$10,000.

IRWD shouldn't sink new idea to divert treated sewage water

Leave us not yet chill the champagne. Stow the con-fetti and the funny hats, keep the shrimp in their shells, postpone the hair appointment and the tux rental.

It is not yet time to party in celebration of the Irvine Ranch Water District realizing that there is, indeed, a better way to offload its excess treated sewage.

This new idea, floated at Monday night's meeting of the Newport Beach City Council by Jean Watt, calls for IRWD to link up with an Orange County Water District pipeline.

The water district will then take the 5 million gallons a day of IRWD's winter-months surplus, use some of it for its own needs, and sell the rest. (Amazing: there is actually a large and lucrative market for well-treated sewage.)

"It certainly makes more sense to sell reclaimed water than dump it in the bay," says Phil Arst, a Corona del Mar resident who has been working quietly behind the scenes in the fight to keep IRWD's effluent out of Newport Bay.

What we have here is a triumvirate of public utilities, each with differing needs, but with the common element of highly treated sewage - reclaimed water, if you prefer.

The Orange County Water District needs between 3 million and 5 million gallons a day - sometimes more - of such liquid

ON THE COAST



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to sell to customers for a variety of uses.

These include agriculture, golf course maintenance and the like. It also sells to the county Sanitation District, which needs millions of gallons a day of reclaimed water to cool its generators. OCWD also has a customer in Santa Ana that needs 600,000 to 1 million gallons a day to dye carpets.

So, over here are these utilities with extreme need for treated sewage water. Over there is another utility, IRWD, with a need to dispose of 5 million gallons of the stuff each day between October and April.

Don't you think it makes sense for these three taxpayer supported utilities to get together and work it out?

Doesn't it make sense for IRWD to truly reclaim its efflu-

ent and sell it for re-use, rather than dump it in the bay?

Unfortunately, it is not really that simple. As Jean Watt says, "Even the complexities are complex."

And tracing the concept back to its source is one of the complexities.

Nancy and Jack Skinner were involved, also Phil Arst and Jean Watt. Plus Bud Quist, a Newport resident who sits on the board of OCWD. In a conversation three or four weeks ago with Newport's Councilwoman Jan Debay, he told her that OCWD would be very interested in exploring a pipeline link with IRWD.

Trouble is, IRWD seems barely curious about such a plan. It has a ton of money invested in the dumping program, and certainly there is face to save. IRWD might be interested, if it wants to dump more than 5 million gallons a day - which they no doubt will. After all, IRWD wants to expand its treatment plant from its present capacity.

But Peer Swan, on whose watch as president of IRWD the battle has raged, says he doubts OCWD could use all of IRWD's surplus.

"I imagine we'll end up doing both projects," he told the Daily Pilot's Evan Henerson Tuesday, "but there's no short-term deal. We want to get our project done."

Jean Watt confirms this:

"They are not backing off at all." In other words, damn the vast majority of Newport Beach residents, full speed ahead. And damn even the citizens of Irvine who support IRWD.

Arst, who is a business and economic consultant to major corporations, said "IRWD could save \$1 million a year for 24 years," by jumping in with the county water and sanitation districts.

The resolution Jean Watt introduced Monday night, and which was unanimously approved by the council, notes that a linkup between IRWD and OCWD will: "Provide a truly beneficial use of IRWD reclaimed water during the winter and early spring, eliminate the need to discharge into San Diego Creek and avoid any potential impacts of the proposed discharge on flora and fauna in Upper and Lower Newport Bay."

"It would be a win-win situation," Jack Skinner told the council Monday night. It strikes me that Jack, as usual, was a bit conservative in his comment. I'd add at least three more wins.

It is almost impossible to imagine that three taxpayer-supported utilities could fail to try their hardest to pull together and make this work. But I will, believe it when I see it.

• **FRED MARTIN's** column runs every Thursday and Saturday.

ON DECK

■ The Newport Harbor Nautical Museum opens its second phase of exhibits - featuring boat models and paintings - on Friday.

By Evan Henerson, Daily Pilot

NEWPORT BEACH - The elevators are operational, the William Coulter exhibit is in place and the Newport Harbor Nautical Museum is on the verge of opening the river barge's second deck galleries.

The museum will hold a special preview opening for the museum's Sternwheelers members and benefactors today. The second deck officially opens to the public Friday with the exhibit "California's Celebrated Maritime Artist: William Alexander Coulter" in the Grand Salon Gallery through July 15.

With the unveiling of the Grand Salon and model galleries, the children's classrooms and library are the only parts of the museum which have yet to open. The administrative offices also need renovation, said Sheli Smith, the museum's director.

"We still need about \$50,000 to finish the second deck," said Smith, who added that the galleries are opening on schedule. The museum is also looking to raise \$300,000 for the refurbishing and remodeling of the entire boat.

The museum's model gallery, located at the stern of the boat, will contain a collection of models assembled by Richard

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◆ NEWPORT HARBOR NAUTICAL MUSEUM

◆ 151 E. Coast Highway, Newport Beach

◆ HOURS: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday

◆ ADMISSION: A donation is requested.

◆ THE MUSEUM's second deck - featuring boat models - opens Friday with a four-month exhibit of William Alexander Coulter's oil paintings and memorabilia.

Steele. The exhibits will include the 14-foot-long, 900-pound "Willochra" model, as well as a recently acquired 4-foot-high model of a triple expansion engine.

"We're very excited about the addition," Smith said. "It won't have its base yet, but it is out of its crate and it's very excellent workmanship."

In addition to displaying the artist's oil paintings, the Coulter exhibit will include memorabilia from the Coulter family. Art patrons know of the artist's reputation as a painter, but the nautical museum's exhibit will focus on "Coulter the man," Smith said.

"This is probably the first time Coulter's life has been told this way," Smith said. "We're taking an entirely different tact."

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AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The Orange County Region of the American Cancer Society is seeking office volunteers. Also, volunteers are being sought to answer calls for the unit's Helpline InfoCenter. For information on these and other volunteer opportunities, call Sally Carson at 261-9446.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RELAY FOR LIFE

American Cancer Society's Relay for Life is held in June, and involves a team of runners/walkers competing against each other to raise money. Relay lasts for 18 hours with four simultaneous events running across Orange County. Volunteers needed for a number of tasks including logistics, team captains, soliciting corporate sponsorship, and team participation. For more information, contact Sally Carson at 261-9446.

AMERICANS FOR FREE CHOICE IN MEDICINE

Americans for Free Choice in Medicine, a non-profit educational organization founded on the idea of individual liberty and free enterprise, is seeking office volunteers. For more information, call 645-2622.

AMERICAN HOME HEALTH HOSPICE PROGRAM

The American Home Health Hospice

Program needs volunteers to give emotional support to terminally ill patients and their families in the greater Orange County area. Training is provided. For information, call 550-0800 or (800) 540-2545.

AMERICAN RED CROSS, ORANGE COUNTY CHAPTER

The Orange County Chapter of the American Red Cross needs volunteers to address community groups about Red Cross services and to act as liaisons with the media in disaster and emergency situations. For information, call Judy Iannaccone, 835-5381, or Joan Miller, 835-5381, Ext. 422.

AMERICAN YOUTH SOCCER ORGANIZATION

Corona del Mar AYSO Soccer Region 57 needs volunteers for 1996 soccer season registration. Parents of boys and girls ages 4 1/2 to 16 are needed for computer input, telephones, coaching, refereeing, equipment and purchasing. Call 640-2539.

ASSOCIATION RENAISSANCE CREATORS

ARC is a non-profit group in Costa Mesa that sponsors and supports multi-outreach community service programs, such as the homeless sanctuary. Volunteers are needed. For information, call Dr. Renee Namaste, 540-5803.

BALLET PACIFICA

The Ballet Pacifica Guild, a volunteer support group for Ballet Pacifica, needs volunteers for a variety of tasks. For information, call Molly Lynch at 851-9930.

BIG BROTHERS, BIG SISTERS

Men and women over 20 years old who have lived in Orange County for at least six months and have been on the job for at least three months are needed to serve as big brothers or big sisters for children ages 6 to 16 from single-parent homes. For information, call 544-7773.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA INC., ORANGE COUNTY COUNCIL

Volunteer opportunities include fund raising, program development and training to existing troops and packs. For more information, call Devon Dougherty, 546-4990.

BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS OF COSTA MESA/NEWPORT BEACH

The three area Boys and Girls Clubs need volunteer coaches and arts and crafts workshop teachers. For locations and more information, call Dick Powers, 642-2245.

CENTENNIAL FARM TOURS

Volunteer docents are needed at the Centennial Farm at the Orange County Fairgrounds in Costa Mesa. Call Ginny Smith, 708-1517.

CENTER FOR CREATIVE ALTERNATIVES

The Center for Creative Alternatives, a non-profit charitable organization that works through the United Way, needs volunteers; graduate level interns or trainees. For information, call Karen, 642-0377.

CITIZENS FOR A SEWAGE FREE BAY

Your help is needed to stop the Irvine Ranch District from dumping five million gallons of treated sewage per day into Newport Harbor. Volunteers, group leaders, organizers needed. Call 722-1710.

COLLEGE HOSPITAL

The College Hospital Costa Mesa Auxiliary is seeking volunteers to perform clerical, reception desk, gift shop and other duties at the hospital. For information, call 642-2734 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

COMMUNITY HOSPICE CARE

Community Hospice Care, which provides medical and emotional support to terminally ill patients and their families in Orange County, needs volunteers in Costa Mesa and Newport Beach. For information or to register, call Cindy Laird, 978-7447.

CONSUMERS FOR LEGAL REFORM

Consumers for Legal Reform has an ongoing need for volunteers to monitor civil court judges. A computer and donations are also needed. For more information, call Barbara at 854-0881.

COSTA MESA CIVIC PLAYHOUSE

The Costa Mesa Civic Playhouse needs volunteers for ushering, backstage, mailings, typing, lights and many other duties. For more information, call 650-5269.

briefly in the news

Four youths arrested for grand theft auto

Four Costa Mesa teens - including one youth who was only 14 - were arrested Tuesday on suspicion of grand theft auto after they were spotted cruising around their hometown in the stolen car, police said.

The juveniles, accused of stealing an Anaheim man's car, were stopped by police who thought they looked too young to drive.

At 3:45 p.m. at Miner and West Wilson streets, a Costa Mesa police detective spotted four "very young looking" boys driving a car, Costa Mesa police Capt. Tom Lazar said.

The officer pulled them over and ran the license plate number through the computer which indicated the car was reported stolen in Garden Grove, police said.

The four suspects, two 15-year-olds, a 14-year-old and a 17-year-old, were taken into custody on suspicion of grand auto theft, police said. Because of their ages, police withheld their names.

The vehicle was impounded by police and will eventually be returned to its owner.

- By Carolyn Miller

Body found at shopping center

A 26-year-old La Habra man was found dead, possibly from a drug overdose, in his car parked

in Harbor Center in Costa Mesa on Tuesday night, police said.

Darin David Schuepbach, 26, may have died from a heroin overdose, according to police and coroner's reports. Police had no other information on Schuepbach.

A patron in the shopping center at 2300 Harbor Blvd. saw a man sitting in his car, a beige model Honda, prior to 5 p.m. and later noticed the person hadn't moved, according to police.

The witness became concerned and tried for about five minutes to rouse the man but to no avail, Costa Mesa police Capt. Tom Lazar said.

The patron called police at 7:26 p.m. Foul play is not suspected, Lazar said.

- By Carolyn Miller

Mesa offers low flush toilet purchase program

Mesa Consolidated Water District is currently offering customers ultra low flush toilets for \$40 through May 31, or while supplies last.

Ultra low flush toilets can conserve up to five gallons per flush when replacing some older standard models.

Customers are offered two options:

• The co-payment option allows customers to obtain a name-brand low flush toilet for \$40 plus a refundable \$15 deposit. The deposit is refunded when the

old toilet is returned. For information, call (800) 424-8538.

• The rebate option allows customers to receive a \$50 rebate toward the cost of a program-approved ultra low flush toilet. Customers who purchased ultra low flush toilets after May 1, 1995 may be eligible. To participate in the rebate option, call Honeywell DMC Services at (800) 563-5874 for an application and a list of approved toilets.

The Ultra Low Flush Toilet Program is offered in conjunction with the Municipal Water District of Orange County and other Orange County water agencies.

YWCA luncheon will fete women

The YWCA will recognize and honor its Humanitarian of the Year and present the Betty L. Hutton Williams Award during a "Tribute To Women" luncheon on March 28 at the Sutton Place Hotel in Newport Beach.

YWCA President Fran Williams and Vice President Shirley Ralston will announce the kick-off of the Capital Campaign in the amount of \$500,000, which will complete the funding needed to begin the addition of 58 low-cost studio apartments to the existing YWCA traditional housing facility, to be called Sycamore Place.

Call the YWCA event office at 542-3577 for more information.

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Corporate

Newport Beach-based **InterCommunications Inc.**, a full-service marketing communications firm, was selected from more than 650 entries to receive two gold and three silver awards at the 1996 National Sales and Marketing Awards that were held in Houston recently.

Toni Alexander, president; **Jim Flynn**, regional vice president; and **Andy Skiver**, vice president client services were on hand to receive the accolades.

Costa Mesa-based **Pacific Building Industries** has been selected as general contractor for the build out of tenant improvements for Xerox Corporation's new 30,000 square foot offices located in Town Center, Santa Fe Springs, California.

PBI provides general contracting services for office, health-care, industrial and shopping center tenant improvements as well as industrial shell construction.

Corona del Mar resident **Neil Perlman** has been promoted to president and chief operating officer of the newly renamed **Entrepreneur Media Inc.**, formerly Entrepreneur Magazine Group.

Perlman has been vice president/general manager of Entrepreneur Magazine Group since 1993. Under his direction, "Entrepreneur" has shown consistent growth with increases in rate-base, circulation and readership.

Sears Costa Mesa presented Orange County's United Way with a corporate contribution check of \$8,252 towards the 1995-



Andy Skiver, left, Jim Flynn, Toni Alexander of InterCommunications Inc.

96 United Way community campaign. Total contributions from the Costa Mesa store, representing corporate and employee gifts, will be more than \$42,000.

Education

Orange Coast College has named **Kevin Ballinger** dean of the college's Division of Consumer and Health Sciences.

Professor of neurodiagnostic technology for the past 11 years, Ballinger is now in charge of 25 different programs and departments that enroll nearly 2,500 students.

Brian Wallace, of Costa Mesa, has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll at University of Northern Colorado for the 1994-95 school year.

Courtney D. Berlinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steven A.

Berlinger of Newport Beach, was named to the Dean's List at Emory College in Atlanta for the 1995 fall semester.

Costa Mesa resident and student at Mater Dei High School, **Drew Burkhalter** has had his art work accepted into the Color It

Orange Exhibit at the Art Institute of Southern California in Laguna Beach. The exhibit will be on display through March 22.

The following students have been named to the Dean's List at Orange Coast College for the fall 1995 semester:

FROM BALBOA

Lauren D. Carpenter, Chase E. Corum, Mathew R. Levesque, Elizabeth A. Naohien, Alexandre V. Nguyen.

FROM BALBOA ISLAND

Joshua A. Charlton, Lisa N. Collett, Gilbert D. Estrada, Wendy E. Gilmartin, Aejia Lee, Brian P. Reimers.

FROM CORONA DEL MAR

Heather M. Cornwall, Syephanie K. Rose, Mandeep S. Thind, Marco Zatta.

FROM COSTA MESA

Marilee Algie, Irwin D. Archer, Jr., Nicole A. Arensdorf, Jon J. Bauers, Mallin K. Berg, Alan D. Blaver, Jr., Robert P. Bobsien, Wytse G. Bonema, Johanna P. Borgbrant, Guillermo E. Boza, Nicole Burkhard, Lorenzo Calligaris, Chela L. Call, Jose A. Campos, Jade K. Carnett, Francisco Cedeno, Eva M. Chang, Farrah M. Chapin, Patty Y. Chen, Jeffrey W. Christiansen,

Julie K. Chun, Ha Don Chung, Thomas B. Cieszynski, Allison L. Clark, Casey C. Clark, Chris C. Coldiron, Adriana Contreras, Alisa C. Contreras, Tyler M. Coomes, Steve D. Counts, Tuan T. Dang, Darrin P. Davis, Blane C. Day, Koen J. DeCaluwe, Danielle L. DeLonge, Khac Dung Do, Nicole S. Douglass, Kelly M. Downs, Nga Bich Duong, Thomas N. Eastman, Sofia M. Ebenstrand, Clare-Ann Federiconi, Odeyca Garriquez, Clifton D. George, Jill S. Gillett, Eric R. Gorsuch, Anne E. Greaves, Diana L. Green, Matilde Hellberg, Allison B. Hettie, Jennifer L. Holmes, Della Houston, Amira S. Hussein, James W. Jackson, Andrea M. Jacobson, Susan R. Jeske, Carl P. Jonson, Johanna H. Jonsson, Cameron K. Kargl, Tomoko Kawasaki, Steven W. Kerr, Mary R. Kittredge, Stephanie M. Kievesahl, Mary Kohatsu, Kandis I. Kross, Sarah M. LaVoie, Haris Lakisic, Yen Kim Le, Amy L. Lee, George K. Lew, Hoang V. Ly, Tin Aye-Aye Lynn, Sarah M. MacDevitt, Uyen P. Mai, Cliff C. Margolis, Larissa M. McMahon, Buddy L. Merriman, Akiyo Mimoto, Christina A. Morales, Paul E. Mount,

Hang Thi B. Nguyen, Ho Kim Nguyen, Hung V. Nguyen, Linh N. Nguyen, Loan Mai Nguyen, Phuong Thi Nguyen, Ty Thi Nguyen, Helen Ninikashvili, Madjid Niroumand, Marina K. Ohlson, Gabriel C. Osso, Robert A. Pajaro, Marina N. Perelman, Myuyen T. Pham, Phuong Thu Pan, Jasmah S. Pierstorff, Gregory D. Pinney, David B. Poulin, Dianne B. Pulido, Simran K. Rihal, Ingela Ringbjer, Robert B. Rodriguez, Maki Salto, John M. Savendra, Anne Marie Scanlon, Coen Schroots, Erna Setiadi, Wendy R. Simmons, Jean D. Sola, Jacquelyn B. Stewart, Marlene Stover, Jonas S. Stromgren, Cynthia A. Sun, Kathy A. Sun, Jake C. Swanson, Dung Anh Thai, Tuan N. Thai, Karina S. Timon, Anna-Karin S. Tollin, Brian T. Tran, Virginia L. Turlis, James A. Tweri, Jose Valles, Marlies Van Der Werf, Hongphi Vo, Karoline Volckmar, Mai Vuong Vu, David R. Wagner, Justin W. Walvoord, Peter W. Weber, Susan M. Whelan, Julie A. Wootton, Elko Yamamoto, Daniel Yang, Mayumi Yokoo.

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FREE TAX ASSISTANCE

Costa Mesa Library is offering free tax preparation assistance on a first come first serve basis through April 3 from 5 to 8:30 p.m. in the community room of the library, 1855 Park Avenue. Taxpayers should bring all forms and pertinent records. For more information, call 646-8845.

LEGAL ASSISTANCE

Attorney Bruce Hilsmeier is offering a free half hour of legal advice from 9 a.m. to noon at the Oasis Senior Center, 800 Marguerite, Corona del Mar. Hilsmeier specializes in wills, trusts and general business contracts. For an appointment, call 644-3244.

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CONSUMER BUSINESS NETWORK

The Consumer Business Network sponsors "Alternatives to Employment," learn the ABC's of owning a business, at 7 a.m. in the Tea Room, 3100 Irvine Ave. The cost is \$25 and breakfast is included. For more information or reservations, call 550-4718.

SECRETS TO SUCCESS

Russell Reynolds, of Russell Reynolds and Associates will be the keynote speaker on "Secrets

to Business Success" at the Association for Corporate Growth and Forum for Corporate Directors meeting at 5:30 p.m. at the Pacific Club, 4110 MacArthur Blvd., Newport Beach. The cost is \$20 and includes hors d'oeuvres. For more information, call 436-7633.

OCC'S SUMMER IN SPAIN

Spanish professor, Patricia Scarfone will preview a four-week language program she'll lead to Spain this summer at 7:30 p.m. in OCC's

Faculty House. Admission is free. For more information, call 432-5963.

FRIDAY

RUMMAGE SALE

The United Methodist Women's Organization will sponsor a rummage sale with bargains galore today from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon at First United Methodist Church of Costa Mesa, 420 W. 19th Street. Proceeds will aid the organization's Missions Projects. For more information, call 548-7727.

AMISH CRAFT SHOW

The Amish Quilt and Craft Show is today and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Building 14 of the Orange County Fairgrounds, Fair Drive, Costa Mesa. Admission is free. For more information, call 352-8305.

SATURDAY

BIG BAND DANCE

Friends of Scouting will

sponsor a Big Band Dance with the 18 piece band, The Yachtsmen, from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Red Lion Hotel's Club Max, 3050 Bristol St., Costa Mesa. Donation is \$10.

TAX ASSISTANCE WORKSHOP

Orange Coast College offers a free workshop designed to equip volunteers to provide free income tax assistance to low income, elderly, non-English speaking and handicapped persons at noon in Room 106 of OCC's Business Education Building. Books and materials will be provided. For more information, call 643-4060.

JEWELRY MAKING

Timbuktu Folk and Tribal Art presents "Jewelry-making with Ethnic Beads" at 11 a.m. The class is lead by Ruth Cushner, an expert bead collector and jewelry-maker. Seating is limited and a \$2 donation is requested. For

more information or to RSVP, call 650-7473.

COLLEGE RE-ENTRY CONFERENCE

Orange Coast College has scheduled a day-long conference for adults interested in returning to school from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the College's Student Center. Registration is \$20 and includes breakfast and lunch. Free childcare is available if registered by March 11. For more information call 432-5162.

MURAL DISPLAY

Placido Domingo, Carol Channing, and Mikhail Baryshnikov are a few of the famous faces that will be hanging around Jewel Court in South Coast Plaza through September. The Orange County Performing Arts Center has created a specially produced, larger-than-life photo gallery with more than 400 running feet of photo murals celebrating ten years of performances at The Center.

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Parents and care givers can learn to discourage young children from bickering and fighting at a two-hour workshop from 9 to 11 a.m. in Room 201 of Orange Coast College's Lewis Applied Science Building. Registration fee is \$30 or \$50 for two. A \$5 material fee is payable in class. For more information, call 432-5880.

SUNDAY**WOMEN IN HISTORY**

The third annual celebration of "Write Women Back Into History" is from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. at Mariners Park in Newport Beach. The event begins with a choice of either a three-mile walk or a ten-mile bicycle ride followed by exhibits, refreshments and songs. Jenny Richards will perform songs of the Women's Suffrage and Labor movements. For more information or reservations, call 645-3956.

HIV/AIDS DISCUSSION

St. Mark Presbyterian presents "Health Matters: AIDS Is Not A Gay Disease, Symptoms, Treatment,

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Poncho Sanchez, one of the premier conga players and percussionists in the United States, will perform with his Latin Jazz Band on Saturday, March 23, at 8 p.m. at Orange Coast College. For more information, call 432-5880.

Costs" as part of its HIV/AIDS series at 11 a.m. Sunday at 2100 Mar Vista, Newport Beach. For more information, call 644-1341.

AMERICAN CETACEAN SOCIETY

The American Cetacean Society sponsors an All Day Around Catalina Island fund-raiser from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. aboard the Catalina Flyer. The cost is \$40 for adults and \$15 for children. ACS members pay \$35. For more information, call 534-5177.

MONDAY**SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS**

Orange Coast College offers "Small Business Ownership: Your Blueprint for Success" from 6:30

to 10 p.m. today and Wednesday in Room 114 of OCC's Lewis Applied Science Building. Practical tips to survive in small business will be provided. Registration fee is \$49. For more information, call 432-5880.

YOGA/MEDITATION WORKSHOP

Attendees will learn a balanced program of exercise breathing, deep relaxation and imagery techniques at Orange Coast College's yoga/meditation workshops from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Mondays through April 29. Registration fee is \$45. For more information, call 432-5880.

FOREIGN POLICY DISCUSSION

Weekly foreign policy discussions continue from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at St. Mark Presbyterian Church, 2100 Mar Vista, Newport Beach. Tonight's topic is "Africa: Should the US Care?"

TUESDAY**SPANISH FOR KIDS**

Orange Coast College's "College for Kids" program offers "Easy Spanish for English Speakers," a four-week class for children age 8 to 14, at Adams School, Room 17, 2850 Clubhouse Road, Costa Mesa on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:15 to 4:30 p.m. Registration fee is \$29. For more information, call 432-5880.

FREE TAX ASSISTANCE

Costa Mesa Library is offering free tax preparation assistance on

a first come first serve basis through April 3 from 5 to 8:30 p.m. in the community room of the library, 1855 Park Avenue. Taxpayers should bring all forms and pertinent records. For more information, call 646-8845.

MEASURES T & S LUNCHEON

The Corona del Mar Chamber of Commerce's business luncheon is at 11:30 a.m. at the Five Crowns in Corona del Mar. The program will have Bruce Sumner and John Moorlach on Measure T and George Argyros and Pat Bates on Measure S. Reservations are requested. For more information, call 673-4050.

COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS LUNCHEON

The Orange County Regional Chapter of Community Associations Institute will hold a luncheon at noon at the Sheraton Newport Beach. The topic of the luncheon is "Updating Your CC&Rs," discussing the legal requirements for reviewing and updating governing documents of homeowners' associations. The cost is \$38. For more information, call 380-7360.

COLLECTING ART

The Newport Beach Friends of the Library will present Michelle

T. Carter in an informative talk, "Collecting Art: Where To Begin," at 12:30 p.m. at the Sherman Library and Gardens, 2647 E. Coast Highway, Corona del Mar. Admission is free. For more information, call 673-2261.

YOUTHNET NIGHTS

The Newport Beach Central Library will have a series of seminars to familiarize junior and senior high school students with the online catalog and other library resources. The first free event is tonight from 7 to 8:30 p.m. with subsequent seminars on April 18 and April 23. Preregistration is required. For more information, call 717-3801.

PARENTS WHO CARE

Parents Who Care will present a program on "Teen Sex in the '90s" from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Little Theater, Corona del Mar High School, Newport Beach. Dr. Allyson M. Brooks offers a reality check on teenage sexuality and Linda Leser teaches how to talk to teens about sex and prepare them to make responsible choices. Finally, a panel of teenage mothers will share their personal experiences. The program is open to the public. For more information, call 640-8917.

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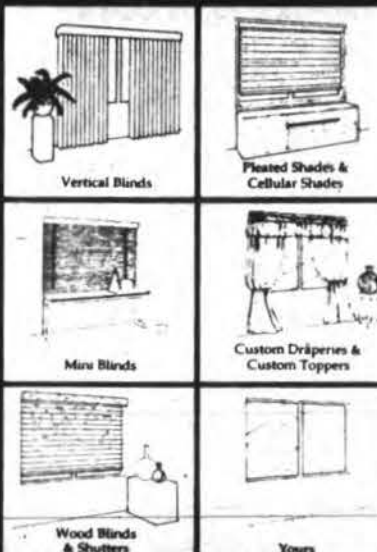
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Society snippets

What has been, is and will be happening on the Orange Coast

Recently:

The Navigators, a group of about 50 dedicated dads of students attending Newport Harbor High, held their themed benefit, "Beach Bash '96."

The ballroom of the Four Seasons Hotel, Newport, was filled with 275 locals, raising \$30,000 to be used solely for upgrading the technology of the school computers.

The second annual event attracted midwinter beach lovers in Hawaiian shirts and sun visors, dancing to the local band, "Nomads." The Navigators was formed in 1990 by a group of dads with children attending Ensign Intermediate School, preparing for their years at Newport Harbor.

Co-chairs Karin Lekas and Carol Litschwager were the hosts of Carnevale, the Italian ver-

sion of Mardi Gras, at Prego Ristorante to commemorate and benefit the 10th anniversary of Human Options. Prego Carnevale was a stylish romp replete with actors in wild costume and masks, strolling jugglers and puppeteers charming the crowd dining on the exquisite cuisine of Prego. Human Options assists women and children escaping domestic violence.

The second annual Kent Waldrep National Paralysis Foundation Comedy Dinner and Golf Tournament was a smashing success, benefiting the Reeve-Irvine Center at UCI. Chair Peggy Goldwater Clay helped rally the crowd for a sold out laugh-a-thon at The Four Seasons Hotel, attracting major donor Joan Irvine Smith and members of her family in support of her dedication to spinal cord injury rehabilitation. In the crowd: the gorgeous Phyllis Lund,

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Joan Fernbacher in from Bel Air along with Terry Stanford and Ben Jacobson, Lido's Sharon and Brian McKinnon, Candace and Roger Schnapp, Gloria and Ray Osbrink, and actor-athlete Ed Marinaro.

Pelican Hill was the site for golf on Monday. Players included Jack Lemmon and his son Chris, Barney Miller himself, Hal Linden with his wife, Fran, who took home first place honors in the shotgun style tourney, John Castellanos of "Young and Restless" daytime TV fame, Jack

Kaplan, Beverly Hills stock broker and major honcho with the Southern California Golf Association, and his beautiful wife, Gerrie, Leigh Cook, Bob Clay, and a host of dedicated players representing PageNet, title sponsor of the affair. Over \$50,000 was raised for Carl Cottman's research at UCI under the Reeve-Irvine banner.

This week:

Mary Dent Crisp, the founder of the Republican Coalition for Choice, will be the featured speaker Friday at the 30th anniversary luncheon celebration of Planned Parenthood of Orange and San Bernardino Counties. Local attorney Karen Clark, of the law firm of Gibson, Dunn, and Crutcher, will be honored with the annual "Choice Award" for her support of the organization. Five hundred guests are expected to converge on the Hyatt Regency, Irvine for the noon event, including Assemblywoman Marilyn Brewer, Tricia and Al Nichols, Eileen Padberg, Janice Johnson, Harriett Wieder, and Paul Freeman.

The waiters will just have enough time to clear and re-set

the ballroom as another 800 locals are expected to arrive at the Hyatt for a 5 p.m. reception Friday honoring Dr. Laura Schlessinger, guest of Childhelp USA, Orange County Chapter. The good doctor of the airwaves is set to address the dinner crowd of Childhelp supporters brought out by the dedicated Patty Edwards and her crew of devoted Newport-Mesa women bent on helping the children sheltered at Childhelp's Beaumont, California facility. The event promises to be one of the highlights of the winter social season.

Future events:

Mark those datebooks: March, April and May are non-stop, event-filled months. Here is just a couple of teasers

March 21: The Trojan League of Orange County is sponsoring a jaunt up to the USC School of Theatre for a performance of "Guys and Dolls" at The Bing Theater on campus. The drama students will perform an early matinee (10 a.m.) followed by lunch and reception at Town and Gown. For more information, call Dardie Dunlap at 673-2727.

March 26: "Girls Light Out," a night of cigars for the ladies, will take over the mega-popular Twin Palms, Newport Beach. The local cigar craze, in part started by empresario Henry Schlein (who recently celebrated cigar night with the gents - and a few gals like Mantle Van Doren, Ellen Appel and Beverly Ray - at The Balboa Bay Club in support of The March of Dimes), has become a national thing to do. Everyone is supposed to be anti-smoke, but when it comes to cigars, the territory is wide open. Chef Michael Roberts has created a four course menu for the cigar-puffing femmes.

March 30: "A Taste of The Good Life", sponsored by the Susan B. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, takes over South Coast Plaza. Proceeds will go the the "Komen kids," an organization that offers support to children who have a parent with cancer. Twenty-three restaurants are set to participate in what is being billed as a lavish 23-course "taste of the good life." For ticket information, call 224-0290.

• B.W. COOK's columns run Thursdays and Saturdays.

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TOP THINGS TO DO

1 ROBERT BLUESTONE: Classical guitar virtuoso, Robert Bluestone, performs at 8 p.m. Saturday at Orange Coast College's Robert B. Moore Theatre. Tickets: \$12 in advance or \$18 at the door. Information: 432-5880.

2 SNOW WHITE: The Children's Storybook Theatre performs the musical, "The Snow White Show," at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at OCC's Robert B. Moore Theatre. Advance tickets: \$10 for adults and \$6 for children. Information: 432-5880.

3 'IF WE ARE WOMEN': Martin Benson directs Joanna McClelland Glass's bittersweet play, which opens 8 p.m. Friday on South Coast Repertory's Second Stage. Other show times: 8 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday; 2:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday; 7:30 p.m. Sunday. Information: 957-4033.

4 CUARTETO LATINOAMERICANO: Performs a concert featuring works of Latin American composers at 4 p.m. Sunday in Founders Hall at the Performing Arts Center. Information: 556-ARTS.

5 NAUTICAL MUSEUM: The Newport Harbor Nautical Museum's newly refurbished Second Deck area opens Friday, featuring an exhibit of selected paintings, sketches and

memorabilia from the life of maritime artist William Alexander Coulter, which runs through July 15. 673-7863.

6 'INTERIOR LIGHT': Painted photographs of an abandoned mill in Northwestern Massachusetts are featured in Ann Marie Rousseau's exhibit at OCC, which runs through March 28 in the college's Art Gallery. Hours: 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 7-8:30 p.m. Thursday evenings. Free. Information: 432-5039.

7 EVERYBODY CHA CHA: Students will learn to dance merengue, cha cha, salsa, cumbia and others in an eight-week Latin dance workshop from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Thursday evenings beginning tonight and continuing through May 9 at OCC. Fee: \$45. Information: 432-5880.

8 BIG BAND DANCE: Friends of Scouting will sponsor a Big Band Dance with the 18 piece band, The Yachtsmen, from 2 to 5 p.m. Saturday at the Red Lion Hotel's Club Max, 3050 Bristol St., Costa Mesa. Donation is \$10.

9 JEWELRY MAKING: Timbuktu Folk and Tribal Art presents "Jewelry-making with Ethnic Beads" at 11 a.m. Saturday. Seating is limited and a \$2 donation is requested. Information: 650-7473.

10 WOMEN IN HISTORY: The third annual celebration of "Write Women Back Into History" is 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Sunday at Mariners Park in Newport Beach. The event begins with a choice of either a three-mile walk or a ten-mile bicycle ride followed by exhibits, refreshments and songs. Information: 645-3956.

LIGHT AND LIFE AMID THE RUINS

'Interior Light' features painted photos

By George Tapley, Daily Pilot

When you were a child, did you ever sneak into an abandoned building? Do you recall how it felt to interrupt the stillness of dust-covered rooms, to disturb the ghostly traces of forgotten lives?

Did you think about the people who once lived here and where they might be now? And if remembering all this seems like a melancholy experience, maybe Ann Marie Rousseau's exhibition at Orange Coast College will change your mind.

Ann Marie Rousseau's art blends industrial ruins with a redemptive faith in the human spirit. Moved by the sight of an abandoned New England factory (currently being readied for use as an art center), Rousseau devoted two summers to photographing its interior spaces. Less interested in strict documentation than in poetry, Rousseau has added her own twist to a familiar theme. Using friends and other artists as models she has populated the sunlit fac-



Ann Marie Rousseau's "The Moon Under her Feet," is featured in her exhibit at OCC.

ry rooms with ghostly nudes.

Leaping, twisting, or just glowing softly with an "interior light," these figures become a sign for the resuscitating power of art. (Art, says Rousseau, is "the one spark of hope from what had been abandoned and



Orange Coast College student Todd McIlwain goes over notes for his Contemporary Art History class as he reviews the "Interior Light" exhibit Monday in the campus art gallery

F.Y.I.

♦ **WHAT:** "Interior Light"
♦ **WHEN:** 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Monday-Thursday; 7-8:30 p.m. Thursday.
♦ **WHERE:** Orange Coast College's Art Gallery, in the Art Center Building.
♦ **HOW MUCH:** Free
♦ **PHONE:** 432-5039

destroyed.").

While the focus of the show rests squarely with Rousseau's highly manipulated photographs (paint added to photographs on emulsion-coated linen canvas),

the gallery installation also includes old vent covers, electric coils, cable spools and other relics of the machine age. Moreover, even the gallery's signage, pale stenciled letters on a worn window frame, evokes a bygone era.

In a final gesture, one which acknowledges (or maybe mocks) the forces of time, Rousseau displays a proof sheet of her own exhibition catalog in a plexiglass case, perhaps suggesting that both her art, and what she says about it, will soon become documents — part of the past for others to explore and perhaps resuscitate at some future date.

Costa Mesa resident **GEORGE TAPLEY** is an artist, critic and art history teacher.

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Dimwits meet the demons in 'Hellraiser'

By Uncle Don, Daily Pilot

Starting a bunch of never-wuzzes, notgonnabees, and usedtoebes, "Hellraiser Bloodline," clocking in under the requisite 90 minutes, will soon be disappearing from a theater near you.

Sat there I did, in a darkened theater, surrounded by an audience numbering in the fractions of dozens.

It's the year 2127 and we're on the Space Station Minos, created by a genius, manned by morons, and conquered by cretins.

The cretins in this case, are Pinhead, the sole returnee from prior "Hellraiser" flicks, and some babe, appearance-impaired, named Angelique with a Robert DeNiro mole and a Taxi Driver attitude.

It's the battle for the salvation of earth and mankind as the dimwits meet the demons amongst the cheesiest space sets this side of "Lost In Space," where random pieces of machinery and vagrant parts of tubing hide effectively due to the miracles of low light and high-speed film.

With a music score a porno film would be embarrassed to use, with acting more wooden than the General Sherman tree, what should be a really bad student film is masquerading as a legitimate theatrical release.

The original "Hellraiser," like the originals of "Night of the Living Dead," "The Texas Chainsaw Massacre," "The Evil Dead," "Friday the Thirteenth," "A Nightmare on Elm Street," "The Return of the Living Dead," was a classic.

This sequel (No. 4 in the

series), is designed simply to suck in green from knuckle-dragging, slack-jawed droolers like yourselves who really need to get a life.

The key to "Hellraiser" is this puzzle box, a kind of Rubik's Cube that opens the lower circles of hell. Open the box and you either let the cretins and cretinettes into the real world or send them back to where they belong, a place of eternal suffering (Probably the editing room of this flick).

Created by a toymaker hundreds of years ago for a marginal magician in a funny little European country where the French speak in English accents, the genes to make more of these boxes are passed through succeeding generations, inadvertently proving the ability of a species to devolve.

Unfortunately, there's little gratuitous nudity, and the pathetic little monsters who populate the celluloid have this obnoxious habit of littering the floor with extraneous body parts from their victims.

"Hellraiser Bloodline" is full of dark alleys and dumbdumbs, pseudo "Alien" sets with lotsa stuff draped in cello and dripping in blood, and most repetitively, these chains with hooks which snag innumerable low-brows and pull them apart in ways Stretch Armstrong could only dream about.

Pinhead claims that "suffering is the coin of the realm." Your Favorite Unc dropped a whole lotta cash during his 90 minutes Friday night.

After nearly a year of self-imposed exile, Orange Coast cultural phenomenon **UNCLE DON** has emerged to raise some hell in his periodic columns. You've been warned.

A perfect balance of comedy and tragedy

By Tom Titus, Daily Pilot

The specter of death hangs over Bessie's home, patiently awaiting her father, who slips in and out of consciousness, and beckoning his bony finger toward Bessie herself, who's just been diagnosed with leukemia.

Despite this grim premise, Scott McPherson's gripping play, "Marvin's Room," now in its county premiere at Orange Coast College, finds a sense of humor in the macabre. Some of its dialogue and character situations are outrageously funny while advancing an all-too-serious plot.

By blending black comedy with impending tragedy, director John Ferzacca has fashioned a full-bodied production dotted with superb individual performances in an outstanding ensemble. It's a perfect balance of thought-provoking and laugh-inducing theater.

The central character of Bessie, a saintly spinster beautifully interpreted by Catherine Rowe, is the motor which powers the play, but the often-volatile fuel mixture - Bessie's neurotic sister, demented nephew and doddering old aunt provide the ignition. Quite simply, it's the family circle from hell.

Rowe exudes a weary exasperation which often collides with her natural warmth and understanding as the family care giver who soon will need caring for herself. Possibly dependent on bone marrow from one of her relatives, she maintains her dignity admirably when faced with a probable refusal.

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♦ **WHAT:** "Marvin's Room"
♦ **WHEN:** 8 p.m. tonight through Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday. Closes Sunday.
♦ **WHERE:** Orange Coast College's Drama Lab Theatre, 2701 Fairview Road, Costa Mesa.
♦ **HOW MUCH:** \$6 Thursday and Sunday; \$7 Friday and Saturday.
♦ **PHONE:** 432-5880

Rita Renee is terrific as her frazzled sister, pushed to the brink by the unpredictable attitude of her grown son, who's been committed to a mental hospital for burning down their home. She is particularly effective in her sibling squabbles with Rowe, culminating in a slapping match in a hospital waiting room.

As her son, who may or may not be crazy, Greg Harris delivers an electrifying performance. A coiled spring waiting to snap, Harris gradually sheds his hostility under the influence of his ailing aunt and leaves the promise of



Catherine Rowe (left) enjoys an affectionate moment with Leslie Holland in Orange Coast College's "Marvin's Room."

better times ahead.

Leslie Holland is touching and sincere as the absent-minded aunt whose days are filled with soap opera viewing as she recovers from a heart condition. Megan Rank is refreshingly natural as Harris' younger sister.

Those on the fringes of the story are painted with cartoonist's ink. Todd Veneman tries the patience as a doctor with too much on his mind, while Jan Henrotin blandly interprets a hospital psychiatrist. Jeff Marx depicts a bubbleheaded lumox as Veneman's assistant and Shannon Slattery is a smarmy nursing home administrator.

Marvin himself, seen only as a shadowy figure, is nicely rendered by Peter Flahiff, one of a multi-faceted ensemble which includes Laura Sternbach, Melissa Petro, Patricia Nelson, Joan Meisenburg, Sue Bolton and Brandon Green.

David Scaglione's multi-layered setting works well for the efficiency of the show, as does Rick Golsen's lighting effects.

"Marvin's Room" is first-rate theater on all counts, meticulously directed and showcasing some impressive performance values. The show closes this weekend, and should definitely be seen.

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Simple menu also surprises at Newport Rib Company

By Marla Bird, Daily Pilot

Approach these luscious barbecued ribs with caution. Tender as a cloud, the barbecued baby back meat might fall off its slim bones and float into your lap instead of your mouth. They are "Mmm, Mmm, good!"

Co-owner Fran Ursini has orchestrated his marinating methods and secret sauce recipe to achieve that extra tenderness and flavor in ribs and chicken at Newport Rib Company.

All kinds of "To Go" specials await, including a bucket of ribs with cornbread, enough for four people (\$19.95), and just three dollars more (\$22.95) adds coleslaw and barbecued beans for all of you. On the other hand, forget about take-out and sit down in a comfortable booth with a plate of ribs or chicken - with everything.

Newport Rib looks like a sturdy fort, planted there on the corner of 20th Street and Newport Boulevard in Costa Mesa. The building is owned by co-owner Richard Penjoyan, whose produce market is right next door, the source of all fresh vegetables and a long-term friendship with the Ursini family.

At night, the bar is open, the

green leather banquettes glow under chandeliers and the wood floors are carpeted. Gleaming brass accents the lighting and it's just a very comfortable dining room with pleasant seating and spacing. No one will be in your face. I liked the waiters too, polite, fast and efficient.

Ursini's menu is simple enough: appetizers include a deep-fried "onion flower," crisp with golden fried buttermilk batter; fried Mozzarella cheese with marinara; deep-fried zucchini sticks and a party tables' delight - a brick of habit-forming, killer-fried onions strings (\$4.75; or half, \$3.75).

Irresistible! The Ursinis decided to give us a break from fried foods and introduced a plump, grilled artichoke. The choice of having it plain, with melted butter or hollandaise sauce is up to your conscience and cholesterol count.

Caesar salad is the favorite of the five green salads, sporting hot grilled chicken instead of the usual cold bird used in so many cafes and restaurants these days. The four sandwiches caught my eye, especially the barbecued brisket (\$5.95). Each is served with fries or onion straws.

Every entree is served with fresh, crisp coleslaw, hot cornbread, fresh vegetables and fruit

AND a choice of baked beans, steak fries, baked potato or onion straws. A house dinner salad will cost \$1.50 extra. The buy of the week has to be the Senior Citizen's dish of one-quarter of chicken with all of the above for \$6.50 and the barbecued baby back ribs for \$7.50. And here's the best part - you don't have to be a Senior to order them.

Besides the scrumptious beef and pork ribs, Chef Jose Rivas uses USDA choice meat for top sirloin steaks (\$11.95), Porterhouse (\$15.95), and prime rib (\$13.95). According to a rib frequent flyer, "The prime rib is mouth-watering, generous and enough."

All kinds of little surprises pop up here and there on the ribs menu: fresh grilled swordfish (\$14.95) and shrimp kabob basted with barbecue sauce. Louisiana hot sausages, honey stirred into butter; caramel-onion steak sauce, party packs to go and potato skins with a myriad of toppings.

My guess is the special barbecue sauce has a mixture of molasses, hickory smoke flavoring, diced onions, vinegar, chili pepper, red pepper, Worcestershire sauce, lemon, mustard and tomato paste cooked long and slow, and reduced to a smoky/sweet, hot/sour seductive

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♦ **WHAT:** Newport Rib Company
♦ **WHEN:** 2000 Newport Boulevard, Costa Mesa.
♦ **WHERE:** Open daily at 4 p.m., 2 p.m. on Sunday
♦ **HOW MUCH:** Moderate
♦ **PHONE:** 631-2110; Fax, 631-8656

sauce which is neither sticky nor greasy. The ribs and chicken destined for barbecue are marinated overnight, so the meat and the flavor become one, and then they are baked. The last step is more sauce and onto the flames.

I liked them without the last sauce bath - there seems to be enough residue to permeate the meat to a savory, non-sticky finish. Either way, they satisfy some deep, primordial longing for food cooked over fire.

Newport Rib has a serviceable wine list from Napa and Sonoma, (bottles from \$10.50 to \$20), plus Taittinger Champagne for \$38.50 a bottle. The big seller here is beer - by the mug (\$2.25) or pitcher (\$6.25) - and there is a nice list of imported and microbrewed beers. A glass of Kendall Jackson Chardonnay is \$4.75.

On the Newport Boulevard side, the smoke-colored windows and shutter blinds in front are closed until 4 p.m., when things open up and the building looks less like a fort.

Newport Rib isn't exactly closed during lunch hours; there is a window in the parking lot, open for daytime take-out, and you can drive in there for a few



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Newport Rib Company co-owners, Rich Penjoyan (left) and Fran Ursini (seated) with general manager, John Ursini.

minutes and pick up your order (which presumably you have been clever enough to phone or fax ahead). It's OK to simply drop

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readers respond

Stacking kindergartners not the best answer

Am I missing something here? The school board's looking at stacking kindergarten classes, providing only the minimal amount of instructional time and also backing out of the sports complex.

This is all going on at the same time they're trying to approve a \$2.1 million dollar construction bid for new administrative offices. Are they kidding?

If our children are to be stacked and housed in schools which are desperately in need of maintenance, how can they possibly be worrying about their new offices?

One solution - how about moving their office into the now-vacant animal stalls of the Costa Mesa High School farm?

Thereby freeing up funds for the real education of our children.

EILEEN TRUXTON
Costa Mesa

The Newport-Mesa Unified School District and the Board of Education are still at it. Misleading the public. The \$2.9 million being spent for the district's new administration building certainly can be used for general fund expenditures.

Mac Bernd stated earlier in the Daily Pilot and I quote: "the monies can be used to subsidize other general fund expenses but it is a long and complicated process." For God's sake, I don't know anyone that would not be willing to wait for \$2.9 million. Get started on this process at once.

My fellow community members think about these things: stacking, kindergarten classes, selling school sites, overcrowding. Has anyone ever heard of the "big yellow school bus?" It transports children to school sites so there won't be overcrowding.

Another thought, kindergarten is not

California state mandated. Release these kindergarten classrooms for overcrowding situations and child care centers. People speak up and be heard.

MARY K. HACKER
Costa Mesa

Get the community to pay the school district's tab

Thank you for your voice in bringing community affairs to the public's attention before they're history and in time to make a difference. Thank you very much. You're just doing a fabulous job on this.

I specifically am talking the \$15 million Newport-Mesa Unified School District renovation needs.

My thought is you're doing such a great job on getting this out in front of the public; what if you challenged

the community to contribute to the schools?

How much would this be per capita or how much per household? Maybe if people got the idea that they could chip in just a little bit, the \$15 million is not out of sight.

Maybe challenge local businesses or ask for any contributions they could make. No matter how small, it all makes a difference.

I believe the district was acting because they thought they had no other options to get this money. What if we can show them they have the best of all options, the support of the community.

I just know with all of your ability you'll be able to put this together and it'll be another done deal.

Thanks again and keep up all the good work. We really appreciate it.

CECILE PICKENS
Costa Mesa

School should just make do

About this money for the school repairs. I'm just really tired of them always saying there's never enough money.

I mean we're in the process of building \$2 million new offices. I think the adults can learn to make do. These kids need certain things.

My kids have been to those schools for years. Anyway, they've never had soap to wash their hands on or toilet seat covers. I bet all the adults have those.

And they talk about the spread of germs and things at the school. Get things in perspective. If we don't have the budget then quit building on the new center for the school district and take the special counsel and rebudget the money and get it in to the schools.

CHERRIE DOLLOFF
Costa Mesa

letters

Save John Moorlach, scrap Measure T

How delightful! John Moorlach, newest county treasurer, refuses to sit still for Judge Bruce Sumner's assault on democracy ("Moorlach: He'll quit if Measure T is passed," March 7).

Sumner is trying to sell Measure T, an unimaginably dangerous reshaping of county government. Explaining his conviction that the public can't be trusted to vote for a county treasurer, Sumner says this: the public unwisely voted for now-disgraced treasurer Robert Citron, whose illegal acts put the county into bankruptcy, but the supervisors were wise enough to appoint Moorlach as his successor ("Pros and cons of county charter measure debated," March 2).

What Sumner doesn't mention is that Citron was originally appointed as treasurer, not elected.

After that, his campaigns were generously funded by the same power brokers who prop up the rest of the county political machine. Despite packed supervisors meetings at which the public demanded Moorlach's appointment, the supervisors stubbornly resisted making him treasurer until desperation time, when nothing they were doing about the bankruptcy was working.

Now Moorlach says he'll quit if Measure T goes through. Of course. As an independent thinker surrounded by a swollen bureaucracy that needs cleaning up, he isn't willing to have his hands tied.



MARC MARTIN / DAILY PILOT

County Treasurer John Moorlach sits at the center of the controversy surrounding Measure T.

Here's what's bad about Measure T: Masquerading as reform, it asks us to junk democratic procedures we need more than ever.

Checks and balances disappear wholesale. The county's major decisions would shift from five elected supervisors to one non-elected, but enormously powerful, CEO.

This officer would be entrusted with hiring and firing all but a few administrators, and would decide who receives county contracts and under

what terms. We couldn't stop this CEO from holding closed-door meetings with lobbyists and assorted other special interests (which elected officials can't do legally).

He would never have to face the public in elections, and we couldn't recall him.

We would also lose our ability to vote for - or recall - either treasurer or auditor, destroying the independence of those offices. Treasurer and auditor would be added to those hired, fired and supervised by the

CEO. No checks, no balances. A closed system, dominated by what would be essentially a county boss.

Measure T is a formula for corruption, stripping the public of leverage in County decisions and supplying a shortcut to those who already have too much influence. It was drawn up by cronies, and would further entrench the cronyism that plagues county government now.

JANET REMINGTON
Costa Mesa

correspondence

Museum merger would be a travesty

My husband and I have been members of the Laguna Art Museum and the Newport Harbor Art Museum for more than years. I am a docent at the Newport Harbor and we have made provisions in our will for the Laguna Art Museum. I love both museums.

For museums such as these to do well requires much work and effort. This is typical for non-profit organizations. The current trustees of the Laguna Art Museum have indicated that a merger is a magic solution that would make things easy.

You should not accept this as fact or even as a reasonable assumption.

A combined Orange County Museum of Art with the goal of putting Orange County on the art world map with a world class cutting-edge museum would be a constant struggle. As you know there is a constant struggle to cover the operating costs of the Performing Arts Center in Costa Mesa, this after raising more than \$40 million.

If it was easy to be a world-class, cutting-edge art museum, then Newport Harbor would already be that. My husband and I along with others made a significant financial contribution for

Newport Harbor's new building designed by a famous architect to be built on free land donated by the 16th richest man in the United States, Donald Bren.

The groundbreaking party was great fun, but now the money is all spent. All that money gone for nothing is a shame, but Laguna losing its 78-year-old museum would be a travesty.

The funds that would be raised by selling off the Laguna Art Museum building would be a pitance in this endeavor while causing irreparable harm to our community in Laguna. This merger has little to do with finances and much to do with egos.

Your readers should demand that we quickly have reasonable access to the museum membership list so we have a fair chance to contest the vote, and recommend a no vote on the merger.

JOHANNA FELDER
Laguna Beach

Ode to Measure S

Measure S,
Will I guess,
Be cause for displeasure,
Expressed for and against this Measure.

It's North versus South again,
A civil disagreement from within.

The County of Orange now in default,
Who'd expected from the

South an assault.

Against a political body so totally involved,

In dollar disagreement and shortages that remain unsolved
JOHN W. WATTS
Newport Beach

Winston Churchill said it best, during World War II, in regards to deceiving the enemy, concerning the true intentions of the Allies:

"In wartime, truth is so precious that she must always be attended by a bodyguard of lies."

Proponents of Measure S are a prime example of the above.

LEONARD HALL
Newport Beach.

What does Ross stand for?

Will Ross Johnson not meet with Gil Ferguson in any open speaking forum in Orange County?

How do we know what he stands for? Why won't he speak? We want to see the answer in the Daily Pilot?

RUTH N. NERNEY
Balboa Island

Keep library branches open

In response to Doris Moore-Sillesen's letter of March 2, I

quite agree that the Balboa Branch Library should be open. The purpose of public libraries to have them available to the public to use. The Library Board of Trustees also would like to have libraries open more hours. It would like all four libraries open all the time and to be stocked with as many books, tapes and resources as possible.

Moore-Sillesen should direct her complaint to the City Council. It controls the amount of money that the libraries receive and for the past several years, the amount of money that the libraries receive has been reduced dramatically by the City Council.

ELIZABETH STAHR
Newport Beach

Police officers are the heroes

How refreshing it was to see that the Newport Harbor Chamber of Commerce honor members of the Police Department. These are the people that put their necks on the line and take true risks and make sacrifices for all of us.

While the entertainment industry honors themselves daily, the men and women of the police department are the daily heroes.

We should pick our heroes and give our awards more carefully.

MICHAEL A. GLUECK
Newport Beach

community commentary

Prop. 203 is a vote for state's future

This March 26, California schools and students are counting on the community to vote in favor of Proposition 203 - the school bond. Being a registered voter and casting your vote on election day will make the difference for every school, community college and public university in our state.

It's that simple. If approved by the voters, Proposition 203 would provide \$3 billion in bond funds to help upgrade schools, community colleges and public universities for new technologies, improve earthquake safety and lessen overcrowding.

This statewide school bond is desperately needed. Every penny voters have previously authorized for school construction, seismic upgrades and technological improvements has already been spent.

Even through this bond measure will have little, if any, benefit to the Newport Mesa Unified School District, we supported its passage because we believe in the need to provide adequate educational facilities in which to teach our children throughout the state of California.

An investment in education is an investment in the state's future. The Newport Harbor Area Chambers of Commerce have joined with the League of Women Voters of California, California Taxpayers' Association, California Chamber of Commerce, Congress of Cali-

fornia Seniors, California Building Industry Association, California State PTA, businesses, teachers, parents and others in support of Proposition 203 for good reason.

This school bond is not only critical for schools, but it is also beneficial to California's economy.

If passed, Proposition 203 will create an estimated 86,000 jobs in the construction industry alone. Plus, contrary to what some would have you believe, Proposition

203 conforms to both the letter and the spirit of the state's spending limit laws - without raising taxes.

Clearly, California's economy depends upon the strength of its work force and quality of its education systems. Together we can invest in California's future by turning out in force to vote for Proposition 203 on March 26. Each and every YES vote will make a difference.

It's that serious. The Newport Harbor Area Chamber of Commerce urges you to go to the polls and vote "YES" on Proposition 203.

RICHARD LUEHR

President
Newport Harbor Area
Chamber of Commerce

extra low tide at San Onofre State Beach.

gains

RON RUBINO

The popular Corona del Mar resident and former county budget director - indicted by the Orange County Grand Jury on two felony counts of aiding and abetting former Treasurer Robert Citron - will get up to \$300,000 in legal fees paid for by taxpayers. The county supervisors said they believed Rubino was just doing his job, without malice or ill intent.

LIBRARY HOURS

You'll still be able to check out books on Mondays at the Mariners and Balboa branch libraries thanks to the Newport Beach Public Library Board of Trustees, which sent its final budget to the city's Finance Department this week.

LUCK

It wasn't a needle in a haystack, but a class ring on the Pacific. And it remained lost for 10 years, until sharp-eyed (and honest) Brian Ebrain found Julie Duddridge's 1985 Estancia class ring during an

losses

SLEEP

Organizers of the Toshiba Senior Golf Classic - held for the first time in Newport Beach - must be crossing their fingers that the weather clears up today and through the weekend. We need those "chamber of commerce" television shots of Newport Beach during ESPN's broadcast, which begins Friday.

PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY

Danny David Ornelas continues to amaze. Despite killing a mother of three while driving drunk and a string of traffic violations, Ornelas wants to plea bargain the latest charge against him: misdemeanor drunken driving. Even if convicted, his maximum sentence - despite his dismal record - is six months in jail and a six-month suspended license. Which means he'll be able to drive the day he gets out of jail. Sad.

CAMERAS

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today, there are 30 to 35 employees. As the business grew, Cal's Camera moved three times, all within the 1700 block of Newport Boulevard.

"Orange County has been very good to Helen and me," Stilley said.

Stilley can remember when the Red Car trolley traveled the center of Newport Boulevard bringing Santa Ana residents to the beach. The boulevard was made up of small businesses and restaurants. A large two-story metal barn, belonging to Wright's Hardware, stood where Cal's warehouse and offices now are.

Things have changed over the years but not Stilley's dedication to his professional camera center.

"As camera stores go, it's a big operation," Stilley said. "We have virtually every camera made in the world, mostly in stock or available to us."

Other departments include film and photo finishing, professional rental, repair, lighting and frames and albums, each with its own area and displays.

The day-to-day operation of Cal's Camera is a family affair. Twin sons, Mark and Kurt Stilley; daughter Patricia Hegwood; son-in-law John Sagud;

and granddaughter Kimberly Stilley all work at the camera store.

"I always have enjoyed retail and somehow I have passed that on to my children who are running the business now."

When one of the neighboring buildings became vacant about five years ago, the avid golfer Stilley decided a golf store would work well there and — voila — Cal's Caddyhack was born.

Caddyhack is now run by Jim Pooler, who met and married another longtime Cal employee, Karen, when they both worked at Cal's Camera.

"She's like family," Stilley said. "I feel that way about all my employees. They're part of the family. That's the feeling the whole store has and I think we pass it on to the customer as they come in the front."

Cal and his wife are currently semi-retired, spending much of their time on the golf links and traveling in their motor home across the United States. Cal has golfed with such notables as Fuzzy Zoeller, Orville Moody and Paul Azinger.

"I never will retire totally because I love what I'm doing," Stilley said. "I couldn't have chosen a better era. We are so lucky — my generation — to see all the technology developments. When I first got started, I couldn't even fathom the digital technology we have now."

PROBE

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politician unless there's a really important issue," said Ferguson, who lost to Johnson in a special election primary a year ago.

"We've been trying to report these charges for years, but now the D.A. finally recognizes that he may have some jurisdiction over the matter."

Johnson, who has long disputed Ferguson's charges, called the allegations "the political equivalent of a Hail Mary pass, a desperate attempt by a candidate who's losing and who knows he is losing."

Johnson claims he returns home to his Irvine condominium every weekend and that his

phone number is listed in the phone book. In fact, he says, he has lived in Orange County longer than Ferguson.

"Mr. Ferguson filed for this office in November," Johnson said. "If he's known about this for so long, why is he raising this issue now, less than two weeks before the election?"

"Since being sworn in, I have spent more time in the 35th Senate District than I have in Sacramento. I am there and I am active in the community."

Ferguson said he only recently asked for the investigation after learning the county district attorney's office took an interest in the residency of former Mesa Consolidated Water District board member Tom Nelson. Community

activists said Nelson actually lived in Seal Beach although Nelson kept an office in Costa Mesa.

Ferguson does not believe Lungren or Jones will "lift a finger" to investigate the allegations since both, he alleges, want to be governor. Capizzi on the other hand, might take an interest, Ferguson believes.

"I didn't think asking would do any good before, but when I heard the assistant say he understood the problem (of residency questions), that gave me courage to go ahead with the hope that somebody would listen."

Neither Ferguson nor Johnson said they have been contacted by Capizzi on this matter.

The district attorney could not be reached for comment Wednesday.

TIFF

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risks involve bidding a job too low or not doing one's homework and then finding it's going to cost more than the contract price.

"Micon is not looking for a fight, but the laws should be enforced."

Angus O'Brien, president of Los Angeles Engineering, dismissed the allegations and said his company is fully qualified to perform the necessary work. He accused Micon Engineering of making damaging allegations.

"These type of people come and go," O'Brien said. "It's tough for all of us to get work right now, but this kind of thing is not a good thing to have going on in the industry."

"We've worked with the city before and they're really happy with us."

The park site has had a controversial history. Area residents and recreation officials held lengthy debates over the configuration of the park after The Irvine Co. — the landowner — suggested placing the fields on the Lower Castaways.

Later, the city's Parks, Beaches and Recreation Commission sparked controversy by delaying

naming the park after Bob Henry, the Newport Beach police officer who was killed in the line of duty near the site a year ago. The City Council later determined the park would bear Henry's name.

Disputes between contractors are common, Murphy said. Even if Los Angeles Engineering was disqualified, Micon would not get the bid because the firm submitted the third lowest bid. Bopark Enterprises, the second lowest bidder, would get the contract.

"Maybe (Micon) is hoping we'll rebid and start all over again so they'll get another shot," Murphy said.

GROUP

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for business purposes but for area residents.

Members said they were thrilled with the show of community support at the Tuesday night mixer at Avila's El Rancho restaurant on Placentia Avenue, where more than 60 community leaders and West Side merchants mingled.

"The key people in the community are all coming together to see how we can help this area," said Maria Elena Avila, one of the group's founders. "It was like a vision come true."

"We're trying to support the mayor and efforts of the city in cleanups and having a better city," said Javier Herrero, owner of Pro Tax Plus on West 19th Street.

At the end of the month, the LLC will distribute its first issue of a bilingual newsletter to local merchants, schools and other groups. Organizers hope to print an initial 2,000 copies, with the number increasing as advertising revenue and participation permit.

Some merchants say they finally feel more comfortable about getting involved.

"Before, you just had your business here without knowing anything about what the city's thinking, or concerns," said Herrero.

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MARC MARTIN / DAILY PILOT

Newport-Mesa trustees have offered to sell the Costa Mesa farm property to the city.

FARM

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Costa Mesa Mayor Joe Erickson said Wednesday he is pleased with the switch.

"I'm pleased the school board did vote unanimously to honor what the Naylor Act says," said Erickson, who has repeatedly voiced opposition to the exemption.

"I promise a prompt response. We aren't going to dilly-dally around. There's going to be a vote April 1, and I hope to give a clear decision to the school district."

Some school officials have pointed to the city's \$16.5 million budget surplus as a means to pay for the farm site. The dis-

trict is hoping to garner money for much-needed school maintenance and additional classrooms.

But Roeder said city council members already have allocated those funds for special capital projects.

"The \$16 million was not set aside to pay for the district's deferred maintenance," Roeder said. "It assumes the city has no other needs of its own."

The district does have about \$6 million set aside for park space acquisition, Roeder said.

According to the Naylor Act, the city could purchase 30% of the property at 25% of its fair market value. The other 70% would be purchased at fair market value.

The farm was appraised last year at \$8.8 million, Bernd said. But both Bernd and Erickson said they would get updated appraisals separately if the city decides to purchase the property.

"I've heard the superintendent mention various figures, but I think this needs to be looked at as commercial real estate negotiations and we should both get appraisals if we decide to go forward," Erickson said.

If the city decides at its April 1 meeting to purchase the farm, the sale won't be a done deal, Bernd said. School board members would have to declare the site surplus and vote to offer it for sale to other public agencies.

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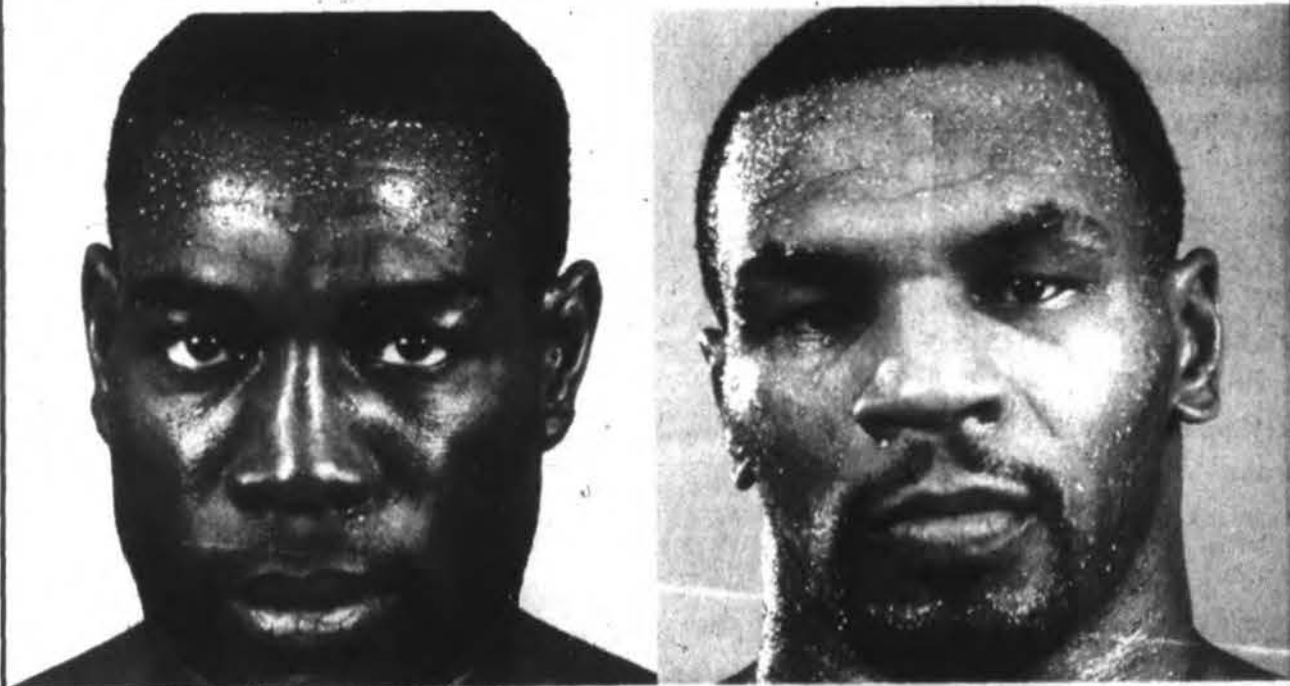
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toshiba senior classic

Murphy omen: Sunday is St. Pat's

■ Bob Murphy is the Tour's hottest, and he has been doing it with a go-for-it attitude right from the start.

By Richard Dunn, Daily Pilot

NEWPORT BEACH — Bob Murphy's severe arthritis is treated with medication, but his ailing play on Fridays, the opening rounds of Senior PGA Tour events, had no cure.

So Murphy did something about it last year: Approach the opening round with the same gusto as Sundays.

Murphy, who was coaxed out of the ESPN broadcast booth by Lee Trevino to play the Senior Tour on a full-time basis, enjoyed a career-best season last year, winning four titles and tying Jim Colbert for the most victories, while finishing as one of the circuit's five millionaires.

This year, Murphy is off to the best start of his career, leading the tour in money earnings (\$302,467) after his victory in the Royal Caribbean Classic at Key Biscayne, Fla., along with second, third and eighth place finishes.

So watch out for Murphy this week, especially considering the Toshiba Senior Classic at Newport Beach Country Club Friday

through Sunday will end on St. Patrick's Day.

"And I will be green," Murphy said. "You can bet you butt on that."

Murphy, who opened last year's tournament with the first tee shot, began to focus more on the opening rounds last year. "It blew me away," he said of his success. "So I had to get it back this year, and I've played about as good as you can play the first four weeks."

"I've been trying to shoot better rounds on Fridays, because I discovered that my track record was poor on Fridays. I would shoot way too many 71s, 72s and 73s on Friday, and that's

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CADDYSHACK

It's nothing short of a cutthroat business in a country club world.

By Richard Dunn, Daily Pilot

Those golf bags with fancy labels and player sponsorships carry more than woods and irons, but someone's livelihood.

For the professional caddie, especially one without a bag, life isn't easy hustling around a golf course before a tournament, like this week's Toshiba Senior Classic at the Newport Beach Country Club.

"It is hustling," said Sandy Jones, one of the few women in the business, who came up short this week in her quest to find a bag.

Jones, 28, quit her job as an assistant pro in Minneapolis last year to become a caddie. She's not completely out of work this weekend, though. She will assume scoreboard duty in the media tent.

"It's tough out here on the Senior Tour, because there are not that many players, only 78, and right now there are 85 caddies traveling around," said Mike 'Big Red' Hartkop, a 6-foot, 275-pound veteran, who started on the PGA Tour in 1968, carrying Jim Colbert's bag.

Hartkop is the caddie this week for Tom Shaw, for whom he has worked, on and off, for the last five years.

"Keeping a bag is the key," Hartkop said. "You just do your job and hope it's not one of those guys who freak out over everything. You know, being a caddie is like a manager in baseball; if you don't like the ballclub, you don't fire the whole team. You get hired and fired a lot. It's just the nature of the game. A lot of players just want something to blame it on."

J.C. Snead, a PGA veteran considered by many a tough customer to deal with off the links, has simple, yet candid requirements for a good caddie.

"Be on time, stay sober and get the yardage right," Snead said. "That's it."

Caddying, of course, is more than carrying a golfer's bag and finding his ball.

"We wear a lot of different hats," said Beth Kaufman, Gary Player's caddie for the fourth consecutive week. "You're part psychologist and part friend. You're there



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Sampson Marshall has been lugging around golf clubs for the pros for 35 years.

for whatever they need. I'm there for the player so he can focus on his game, and hopefully elevate the thoughts of their mind. There's a whole psychological end to it. It's just like a partnership."

Kaufman, 40, has been on the tour for four years. She's delighted that someone as legendary as Player — one of only four golfers in history to win all four major championships — has hired her to caddie.

"Gary doesn't ask anything on the greens, but I give him the yardage," she added. "It's hard to get work, because there's a lot of competition. A lot of people are looking for work."

Several caddies this week, including Herman Mitchell, the longtime bag-carrier for Lee Trevino, refused to be interviewed for this story, largely because of a fear of saying something controversial and being fired by their golfer, a Senior PGA Tour official explained.

"You're getting paid to talk to people, so I ain't talking unless you pay me," Mitchell said.

"You never know," said Carlos Brown, a caddie searching diligently for an open bag this week. "You can get fired on the spot,

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Walter Morgan watches the flight of his drive in Pro-Am play.

Hustler's dream comes true with tour as a senior

■ Walter Morgan grew up scratching for a living, and the lessons he learned have helped him become one of the tour's major hitters.

Walter Morgan made money hustling, fellow soldiers on military golf courses in the U.S. Army, but it's nothing like the gold mine he has discovered on the Senior PGA Tour.

"I was an E-5 when I started playing golf, so I couldn't afford to lose \$2," said Morgan, who served two tours of duty in Vietnam, retiring from the military as a sergeant first class in 1980 at age 39.

Morgan, one of the hottest golfers on the Senior Tour, and the cousin of Baseball Hall of Famer Joe Morgan, was never pampered in a country club growing up. In fact, he didn't pick up the game until age 25.

He was a baseball standout, an outfielder who could hit the long ball. For 11 seasons, Morgan conquered the military leagues, claiming to have hit 26 home runs one year in a 25-game season.

"There were several games when I hit three or four home runs," said Morgan, who had offers to play professionally, but couldn't get out of the army.

Morgan was too old for professional baseball by the time he left the military. But certainly not too old for golf.

He would sneak onto golf courses as a kid. "It would be late in the evening, and that was the only way to get on," he said.

Ever get caught? "No, I was too fast," Morgan replied.

When Morgan was stationed in Hawaii, a golf course was

"The Senior Tour has changed my life ... I can fly first class now and sleep in nice hotels ..."
— WALTER MORGAN

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directly behind the baseball diamond. One day, he borrowed a 7-iron and gave it a whirl, shooting a 79 in his maiden round. Six months later, he was hooked.

"I had hit balls before, but I never thought about playing golf," said Morgan, who will compete in the Toshiba Senior Classic Friday through Sunday at Newport Beach Country Club, a total purse of \$1 million, of which the winner receives \$150,000.

Perhaps more than any of his peers, for a guy who witnessed the most gruesome of moments in the Southeast Asian combat trenches 30 years ago, golf has

been very, very good to Walter Morgan.

"The Senior Tour has changed my life," said Morgan, who beat Gary Player in a playoff to win at the Tour's Ojai stop earlier this month, launching Morgan to fifth place on this year's money list (\$163,548).

"It was tough when I first came out here, because the military competition and here is much different. I can fly first class now and sleep in nice hotels."

Morgan, whose trademark

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HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL

Tars get a scare at Laguna

■ Sailors rally for 8-4 nonleague victory, but it's an injury to Chad Coluccio which is the concern.

By Barry Faulkner, Daily Pilot

LAGUNA BEACH — It took 27 hours, two bus trips and enough mud stains to make any kindergartener's day, but the Newport Harbor High baseball team got what it wanted out of Wednesday's nonleague road date at Laguna Beach High — with one scary exception.

Oh sure, the Sailors rallied for an 8-4 victory, giving them four wins in five decisions heading into Friday's Sea View League opener at El Toro. But, according to first-year coach Jim Kiefer, that wasn't as important as another dress rehearsal before stepping in with the big boys.

"This game was necessary," said Kiefer, who sat in the



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Newport Harbor's Garrett Nuzum

daily pilot high school athlete of the week

CHANGE FOR THE BETTER

Garrett Nuzum finds life on the west side to his liking.

By Barry Faulkner, Daily Pilot

Garrett Nuzum already had the fastball and the curve. In order to pursue the kind of success he'd become accustomed to on the mound, however, the junior left-hander decided to go with a "change" following his sophomore season on the Corona del Mar High varsity baseball team.

So, last summer, Nuzum took his pinpoint control — as well as his rapidly developing off-speed pitch

— and transferred across the Back Bay to Newport Harbor.

"It was a whole bunch of things," Nuzum said of the reasons behind the move, which has paid immediate dividends for first-year Sailors Coach Jim Kiefer.

The Daily Pilot Athlete of the Week led his former arch-rival Tars to the championship of the Costa Mesa Tournament — Saturday, striking out 12 in a complete-game, 2-1 victory over Bolsa Grande in the title game. He also drove in both Harbor



Nuzum

runs with a fifth-inning single.

In three tournament games last week, the former Sea King drove in five runs and fanned 13 in eight innings.

Heading into Friday's starting assignment at El Toro in the Sea View League opener, Nuzum has 24 Ks in 15 innings. He has allowed just 11 hits, walked two and yielded two earned runs (0.93 ERA). At the plate, he is hitting .357 (5 for 14) with two

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HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL



Newport Harbor High center fielder Chad Coluccio (above, right) did not walk away from this play after tangling with teammate Nick Lewis in a collision in the outfield as the two went for the ball. Coluccio was treated for a mild concussion and a separated right shoulder. The severity of the shoulder injury is not expected to be determined until today.

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TARS

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Laguna Beach dugout with his team in a downpour Tuesday, before relighting the rain gods and opting for a return visit Wednesday. "It was another chance to tune up for Friday and it gave us a chance to get another look against live competition.

"And, pitching wise, it gave our sophomore left-hander (Grant Miller) who started and got the win, as well as get Joe (Urban, who notched the save) another chance to throw."

It was not without its price, however, as senior center fielder and cleanup hitter Chad Coluccio sustained a mild concussion and a separated right shoulder, when colliding with left fielder Nick Lewis trying to flag down Aaron Whitfield's first-inning double.

Coluccio, who along with Lewis dived into one another on the play, made it to his feet, hold-

ing his head, but quickly went to a seated position. Coluccio was later taken on a stretcher by paramedics to South Coast Medical Center after being treated for 20 minutes on the field.

Coluccio, reached at home Wednesday night, said he would know more about the duration of his absence after a visit to the orthopedist today.

Miller survived a rocky first inning to even his record at 1-1, allowing two earned runs, four hits, and retiring five of the last six hitters he faced.

Miller also jacked a two-run, second-inning home run to keep the Tars close, and senior Gavin Tomalas muscled a three-run blast over the left field fence in the third to put the Tars ahead for good, 5-4.

Singles by Lewis, Paul Jones

and Garrett Nuzum, the latter driving in a run, as well as a Jason Szolomayer double and an Artist error, led to three runs in the sixth.

Urban, who fanned a career-high 11 in a complete-game five-hitter against Laguna Beach last week, fanned five in three hitless innings to close it out, before the umpire concluded the game one inning early due to darkness.

Donner Walters added a double to the Tars' eight-hit attack and Urban walked twice and scored a pair of runs.

"We had some timely hitting," said Kiefer, who is pleased about the 4-1 start, but still concerned about what he termed "struggling with the details," including four errors.

NONLEAGUE

Newport Harbor 8, Laguna Beach 4
Newport Harbor 023 003 - 8 8 4
Laguna Beach 310 000 - 4 4 2
Miller, Urban and Jones; McKibban, Howe (4), Grant (6), O'Keefe (6) and Weenig, Moore (5). W-Miller, 1-1. L-McKibban. 5v-Urban (1). 2B-Walters (NH), Whitfield (LB), Szolomayer (NH), HR-Miller (NH), Amador (LB), Tomalas (NH).

Grand slammer tops Corona del Mar, 8-4

CORONA DEL MAR

Junior Royal McMackin belted his second home run of the season, a two-run blast to give the Sea Kings a 4-1 lead over visiting Trabuco Hills after five innings of their nonleague contest Wednesday.

But the Mustangs tied it in the sixth, then went home victorious, by virtue of catcher Josh Gause's no-out opposite-field



McMackin

grand slam on an 0-2 pitch in the seventh.

The Sea Kings (3-2) brought the tying run to the plate in the seventh, but a flyout ended the contest, improving Trabuco Hills to 4-1.

McMackin went 2 for 4 to lead the Sea Kings' five-hit attack, which appeared good enough to back starter Chris Wills, who fanned five and walked just one in six innings

of work.

Senior catcher Bryan Bear and senior outfielder Reuben Gullede drove in the other CDM runs in the Sea Kings' final tuneup for Friday's Sea View League opener against visiting Woodbridge.

NONLEAGUE

Trabuco Hills 8, Corona del Mar 4
Trabuco Hills 000 103 4 - 8 11 0
Corona del Mar 100 120 0 - 4 5 1
Poe, Patterson (4), Ruppel (6) and Gause, Poe (6); Wills, MacMillan (7) and Bear. W-Pupple. L-McMillan, 0-1. 2B-Thatcher (TH), Johnson (CDM), HR-Gause (TH), McMackin (CDM).

CdM's Coleman, Klink named to first team on coaches' All-Sea View boys basketball team

Corona del Mar High senior forwards Brian Coleman and Adam Klink, who led the Sea Kings to third place in the Sea View League, were named to first-team all-league by the circuit's coaches.

CdM senior Darren MacDonald and Newport Harbor junior Peter Cunningham were named to the second team, while Woodbridge High's 6-foot-11 junior blue-chip center Chris Burgess was tabbed Most Valuable Player.

BOYS BASKETBALL HONORS

Coaches' All-Sea View League boys basketball - 1996

Most Valuable Player

Player, school

Chris Burgess, Woodbridge

ht. yr. avg.

6-10 Jr. 26.9

First Team

Allen Krist, Santa Margarita

6-8 Sr. 19.0

Dennis Keane, Santa Margarita

6-4 Sr. 18.0

Brian Coleman, Corona del Mar

6-4 Sr. 14.2

Travis Senik, El Toro

6-3 Sr. 15.3

Amir Rahimi, Irvine

6-2 Sr. 15.0

Adam Klink, Corona del Mar

6-4 Sr. 13.3

William Stovall, Woodbridge

6-1 Jr. 11.3

Second Team

Fabrizio Mendiola, El Toro

6-0 Jr. 10.3

Peter Cunningham, Newport Harbor

6-2 Jr. 9.8

Brandon Beeson, Woodbridge

6-5 Jr. 6.5

Darren MacDonald, Corona del Mar

6-4 Sr. 6.0

Bryan Krill, Irvine

6-3 Sr. 5.9

Matt Nickels, Santa Margarita

6-2 Sr. 3.4

Matt Pohlson, Santa Margarita

5-10 Sr. 1.8

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Unbeaten Newport Elementary No. 1 caps it, 20-4

NEWPORT BEACH - Newport Elementary No. 1, which sewed up the C Division title last week, finished the regular season with a 20-4 win over Heights in City of Newport Beach Youth Basketball League play.

Tommy Holbrook led the way with eight points while Tyler Cornwell scored six, Josh White had four and Dillan Griffin added two as Newport capped an undefeated 8-0 season.

Heights got two points from Michael Kuzara and one point each from Nolan Hooper and Michael King.

Newport Elementary joins Harbor View (4-0), the B Division winner, and Lincoln (3-1), the winner in the A Division, in representing the city in the Orange

County Municipal Athletic Association Youth Basketball Tournament in Cypress, starting March 22.

In other C Division games: Harbor View (No. 1) 43, Lincoln (No. 1) 12.

Harbor View No. 1 finished the regular season with a 43-12 win over Lincoln No. 1.

Harbor View (7-1) got 21 points from Marcus Hoffman to post a 32-point win. Jon Steinberg was also in double figures with 10 points. Other scorers: Scott Caput, 6; Eric Aakhus, 4; and Kristine Keene, 2.

Philip Okura led Lincoln with six points while Kate Heeschen had four and Sara Stern put in two.

Harbor View (No. 3) 20,

Mariners 15

Second-place Harbor View (6-2) used a balanced scoring attack behind Neal Rafferty's 10 points to clinch the win. Other scorers: Casey Flynn, 4; Sean Amoroso, 2; Jordan Corso, 2; Aaron Harper, 1; Austin Brawner, 1.

The Mariners' Alex Afrasiabi led all scorers with 12 points. Don Hunt added two points and Megan Dias, 1.

Newport Elementary (No. 2) 20, Lincoln (No. 2) 4.

Russell Andoff scored six points while Nicholas Gilligan, Brandon Shull and Raelyn Drury scored four each and Joey Teckenoff added two for Newport.

Colleen Witt scored all four points for Lincoln.

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Red Sox, Cardinals win Pony openers

NEWPORT BEACH - The Newport East Pony League Opening Day doubleheader Saturday provided some offensive fireworks with the Red Sox defeating the A's, 13-12, and the Cardinals beating the Yankees, 14-4.

The A's jumped out to a 3-0 lead after one which the Red Sox cut to 3-2 through twq. The A's then exploded for seven runs in the third only to see the Red Sox come back with eight runs in the sixth to tie the game, 10-10.

The A's went ahead once more, scoring two more runs in the top of the seventh to retake the lead, but the Red Sox came back with three of their own for the win.

Wyatt Strateman scored the game-winner on a close play at the plate.

Mike Coopersmith caught all seven innings for the Red Sox and added a key double.

The Red Sox are managed by Steve Bottom while Tom Vogeles is the head man for the A's.

The second game was called after 5 1/2 innings due to the mercy rule.

David Knecht was the catalyst for the Cardinals. He pitched four

NEWPORT EAST

innings, striking out four and not allowing an earned run. He also went 2 for 3 with doubles and scored three runs.

The other half of the Cardinal battery, catcher Carlo Perea, went for 4 for 4 and scored three runs.

Centerfielder David Mittman was 2 for 2 with two walks while shortstop Jonathan Schrank was 2 for 3 with a walk and two runs scored.

The Cardinals scored three runs in the first, two in the third and three in the fourth to take an 8-1 lead.

The Yankees cut the lead to 8-2 in the fourth and 10-4 after five on hits by Garrett Bowlus and Ryan Jetton.

However, the Cardinals scored four runs on consecutive hits by Knecht, Perea, Tim Northup and Mike Ferketic in the top of the sixth inning to put the 10-run mercy rule into effect.

The Cardinals are managed by Richard Knecht and the Yankee pilot is Ted Snell.

CMAL

Six Tigers pitchers two-hit Yankees, 9-1

COSTA MESA - The Tigers pulled away to a 9-1 win over the Yankees in the Opening Day game in Major Division play of the Costa Mesa Little League.

Five Tiger pitchers, Renny Jackson, Andrew Carich, Matt Bourguardez, Michael McGuire and Bryce Sheridan, combined to two-hit the Yankees while striking out 12.

Lead-off batter Jon Borland got aboard twice and scored three runs for the Tigers.

Sheridan's double and triple accounted for 3 RBI. Jacob Slaughter joined Borland with two hits.

Yankee relief pitcher Billy Halverson struck out five of the six batters he faced in two innings of work to slow down the Tiger attack.

Giants win 18-4 opener over the Cubs

NEWPORT BEACH - The Giants put together a total team effort to defeat the Cubs, 18-4, Saturday in its Newport Beach Little League Majors Division opener.

Ben Forrest allowed only four base hits in his pitching stint for the Giants. Third baseman Paul Samson made a nice play and throw to first baseman Brandon Lewis for a putout that slowed down a Cub rally.

Charles Halladay and Jeff Reed shared duties behind the

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plate and Reed picked off a runner at third base on a strong throw.

Andy Clapp, Kyle Schwartz, Aaron Danks, Michael Manning and Seitaro Ochiai all scored runs for the Cardinals. In other games:

Cardinals 9, Reds 4

The Cardinals went ahead to stay in the third inning on a bases-loaded triple by Andy Almqvist. They got offensive help from Beau Stockstill, Blake Dillion and Buck

Maggard. Dillion and Courtney Conwell also had excellent defensive games.

Colby Hackett, pitching in his first Major League game, went four innings to pick up the win. He didn't allow an earned while giving up only one hit and striking out eight.

The Reds got some offensive punch from Jonathan Hubbard, who also started a nice double play. Elsewhere:

Dodgers 7, Braves 3
Mets, Phillies, rained out

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Knicks take Division 3 title with 44-42 win

■ Newport-Mesa team slips past Fullerton Storm to claim crown; Joyce leads the way with 21 points, 18 rebounds.

The Knicks, representing the Newport/Mesa Junior Basketball league, held on for a 44-42 victory over the Fullerton Storm to win the Division 3 championship.

The Knicks led 16-8 after one period, but trailed by nine at the half.

Jose Valonos played good defense, shutting down the Storm's No. 1 scorer, as the Knicks battled their way back into the game.

Patrick Joyce led the Knicks with 21 points and 18 rebounds. Alex Orth added nine points and 10 steals.

In the consolation game, the Magic defeated the Aliso Niguel Bulls, 39-31, to take third place.

Clayton Lean led all scorers with 15 points while he and Kyle Woody each hauled down 17 rebounds.

In other games:

Boys Division 2

Heat 58

North Huntington Beach 39

The Heat exploded to a 19-point win and the Division 2 title behind Michael Fitzhugh's 19 points. Danny Krikorian scored 11 points and had seven rebounds and seven assists for the Heat. Matt Casserly added nine points and six rebounds.

Devon Stephens put in a nice defensive effort, shutting out the Storm's point guard.

Lakers 59, Garden Grove 47

Justin Rowe scored 18 points and Tony Melum added 12 to lead the Lakers to a third-place finish.

Strong defensive play by Chasen Cameron, Andy Krikorian, Jason Davis and Eric Williams helped the Lakers to victory. The Lakers finished the regular season 10-3.

Trailblazers 49

La Habra Lakers 36

Greg Perrine and Evan Cooper each scored 15 points to lead the Trailblazers. Chris Gonzalez had nine points and Joey Molina eight.

Eighth Grade All-Net

Hornets 88, Monterey Park 50
Hornets 69, El Toro 65, ot
Hornets 47, Diamond Bar, 40

It was a busy week for the eighth-graders who swarmed Monterey Park Saturday for a 38-point win. Alex Hanson led the way with 19 points while Matt Hietbrink and Dustin Illingworth added 17 apiece.

In Sunday games, the Hornets avenged an earlier loss to El Toro by winning in overtime. Illingworth had 20 points in the win while Michael Williams scored 18.

Illingworth came back with 21 points as the Hornets beat Diamond Bar. Ronnie Prettyman added 11.

Sixth Grade All-Net

Lakers 61, Fountain Valley 39

Garden Grove 57, Lakers 53, ot
The Lakers went 1-1 and this past weekend to end their season 7-7.

Chad Vakili scored a season-high 19 points in the Lakers' win over Fountain Valley. Joe Foley had 10 points and Bryan Bohlinger added nine.

In the overtime loss to Garden Grove, Mica Young led the way with 15 points.

SCHEDULE

TODAY

TRACK AND FIELD

High school boys and girls - Newport Harbor at Edison, 3:15 p.m.; Corona del Mar at San Clemente, 3 p.m.

BASEBALL

College - Southern California College at Whittier College, 3 p.m.; Riverside CC at Orange Coast, 2 p.m.

TENNIS

Community college men - Orange Coast at Cypress, 2 p.m.

Community college women - Cypress at Orange Coast, 2 p.m.

High school boys - Corona del Mar at Century Tournament, 1:30 p.m.; San Clemente at Estancia, 3:15.

SOFTBALL

College - Southern California College at Azusa Pacific, 2 p.m.

High school - Costa Mesa at Savanna, 3:15; Newport Harbor at CIF Relays Prelims at Belmont Plaza, 3 p.m.

GOLF

High school - Newport Harbor vs. Edison at Seaciff CC, 2 p.m.; Santa Margarita vs. Estancia at Mesa Verde CC, 2:15 p.m.

BADMINTON

High school - Santiago at Corona del Mar, 3 p.m.

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NOTICE OF MARSHAL'S SALE

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By virtue of a writ issued on SEPTEMBER 5, 1995, in the above designated Court, upon a judgment entered 1-20-89 in favor of judgment creditor(s), BOSE CORPORATION and against judgment debtor(s), JACK E. AMOROSO JR. IN AND DBA FIRST SERVICE INSURANCE REPLACEMENT COMPANY showing a net balance of \$6677.48 actually due on said judgment on the date of the issuance of said writ, I have levied upon and sold the interest of said judgment debtor(s) in the property in the County of Orange, State of California, described as follows:

THE PROPERTY IS A DWELLING COMMONLY KNOWN AS 2687 ORANGE AVE #D, COSTA MESA, CA.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: ALL THAT CERTAIN LOT SITUATED IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE, CITY OF COSTA MESA DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

A CONDOMINIUM, COMMONLY KNOWN AS 2687 ORANGE AVENUE #D, COSTA MESA, CALIFORNIA, COMPRISED OF:

- AN UNDIVIDED ONE-HALF INTEREST IN AND TO THE FOLLOWING:

PARCEL A: AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH (1/5TH) INTEREST IN LOT 1 OF TRACT NO. 11960, AS PER MAP RECORDED IN BOOK 523, PAGES 43 AND 44 OF MISCELLANEOUS MAPS, IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM UNITS 1 THROUGH 5 INCLUSIVE, AS SHOWN AND DESCRIBED ON THE CONDOMINIUM PLAN RECORDED NOVEMBER 20, 1984 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 84-488966 OF OFFICIAL RECORDS OF SAID ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA.

PARCEL B: UNIT 4, AS SHOWN AND DEFINED ON THE ABOVE MENTIONED CONDOMINIUM PLAN.

THIS PROPERTY IS A DWELLING. THE ADDRESS OF CO-OWNER, MARY WOODMAN, IS 24221 BRIONES, LAGUNA NIGUEL, CALIFORNIA 92656.

If the subject of this sale is real property, it has no street address or other common designation, directions to its location may be obtained from the Marshal's Office upon request.

Prospective bidders are to appear at the above described property or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution, with accrued interest and costs.

PROXIMATE MINIMUM BID TO BE MADE: \$10,000.00

Dated 3-5-1996

Division: HARBOR

MICHAEL S. CORONA, Marshal, Orange County

By: B. BYERS, Deputy

*NOTE: Do not take down or deface a posted notice before the sale or satisfaction of judgment. (Penal Code Section 616 (misdeamnor).)

*Published Newport Beach-Costa Mesa Daily Pilot March 14, 21, 28, 1996.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

BSC 4871

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:

ARTHUR BENTON

WEST aka

ARTHUR B. WEST aka ARTHUR WEST aka ART WEST

CASE NO. A181665

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: ARTHUR BENTON WEST aka ARTHUR B. WEST aka ARTHUR WEST aka ART WEST

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ested person files an objection to the petition and show good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING ON THE petition will be held on APRIL 18, 1996, at 1:45 P.M. in the Courtroom of the City of Orange, 341 The City Drive South, Orange, CA 92668.

IF YOU OBJECT TO the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of the letters as provided in section 9100 of the California Probate Code. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in section 1250 of the California Probate Code. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for the Petitioner:

BARRETT E. WESTOVER,

ESQ. (CSB #133637)

HARRY E. WESTOVER & ASSOCIATES, 901 DOVER DR., STE. 100, NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

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PUBLIC NOTICE

SUMMONS (CITACION JUDICIAL)

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT:

NALD G. LUCE, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS TRUSTEE FOR THE KATHERINE L. LUCE TRUST, AND DOES 1 THROUGH 50, INCLUSIVE, ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: (A Ud. le esta demandando) SOILS SOUTHWEST, INC. A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION

You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons is served on you to file a typewritten response at this court.

A letter or phone call will not protect you; your typewritten response must be in proper legal form if you further the court to hear your case.

If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case, and your wages, money and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may call 30 DIAS CALENDARIOS para presentar su respuesta escrita a maquina en esta corte.

Una carta o una llamada telefonica no le ofrecera proteccion; su respuesta escrita a maquina tiene que cumplir con las condiciones legales apropiadas si usted quiere que la corte escuche su caso.

Si usted no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso, y se le quitará su salario, su dinero y otras cosas de su propiedad sin aviso adicional por parte de la corte.

Existen otros requisitos legales. Puede que usted necesite llamar a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado puede llamar a un servicio de referencia de abogados o a una oficina de ayuda legal (vea el directorio telefonico).

CASE NUMBER (Numero del Caso)

SCV 20035

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y direccion de la corte es)

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY TRIAL COURTS, 351 North Arrowhead Avenue, San Bernardino, CA 92415

The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la direccion y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es)

LAW OFFICES OF BRYANT C. MACDONALD, 2048 Orange Tree Lane, Suite 220, Redlands, CA 92374, 909/793-7995

DATE: APR 10, 1995

by PEGGY L. HAWKINS, Deputy

Published Newport Beach-Costa Mesa Daily Pilot March 14, 21, 28, April 4, 1996.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Coast Community College District of Orange County, California, will receive sealed bids up to but not later than 11:30 A.M. Thursday, March 28, 1996, at the Purchasing Department of the District located at 1370 Adams Avenue Bldg. D, Costa Mesa, California, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read.

PURCHASE OF MICROCOMPUTERS: ORANGE COAST COLLEGE LAB

All bids are to be in accordance with the Bid Documents which are now on file and may be secured in the office of the Director of Purchasing of the District.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of six (6) days after the date set for the opening thereof.

The Board of Trustees reserves the privilege of rejecting any and all bids or to waive any irregularities or informalities in any bid or in the bidding.

Signed: /s/ ROGER W. DAVIS, Director of Purchasing, Coast Community District

Open: March 28, 1996, 11:00 A.M. Bid Due: 11:12 A.M.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at Public Auction on 04/01/96 at 11:30 a.m. at ALLSPACE, 2064 HAMILTON AVE, HUNTINGTON

MEET someone special through classified

PUBLIC NOTICES

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The names, Social Security Numbers and addresses of the Buyer/Transferee are: DUNG VIET DOAN, 2804 W. PENDELTON APT. A, SANTA ANA, CA 92704

AS listed by the Seller/Licensee and other business names and addresses used by the Seller/Licensee within three years before the date said lists was sent or delivered to the Buyer/Transferee are:

NONE.

The assets to be sold are described in general as: furniture, fixtures, equipment and stock in trade of a DAIRY and are located at: 1085 BAKER STREET, COSTA MESA, CA 92626

The kind of license to be transferred is: OFF-SALE BEER AND WINE LICENSE

The amount of the purchase price or consideration in connection with the transfer of the license and business, \$65,000.00 which includes the estimated inventory of \$25,000.00, payable as follows:

DESCRIPTION AMOUNT

1 cash \$1,000.00

1 demand note to be replaced in cash \$3,000.00

It has been agreed between the Seller/Licensee and the intended Buyer/Transferee, as required by Sec. 24073 of the Business and Professions Code, that the consideration for the transfer of the business and license is to be paid only after the transfer has been approved by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control.

SELLER: PAO SHANG LU BUYER: DUNG VIET DOAN

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF REAL PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE

Case No. A166225

In the Superior Court of the State of California, for the County of Orange, in and to the Matter of the Estate of DOLORES PEREZ ALVARO, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at Private Sale, to the highest bidder, best bid, subject to confirmation of said Superior Court, on or after the 18th day of March, 1996, at the office of:

ROSE M. GATES, ESQ., 433 Civic Center Drive, West, Suite 250, Santa Ana, CA 92701, Telex (714) 541-2400, FAX # (714) 543-1524

all the right, title, and interest of said decedent at time of death and all right, title, and interest the estate has acquired in addition to that of said decedent in and to all the certain Real property, situated in the County of Orange, State of California, particularly described as follows:

MORE COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 21 KAMALI BEACH, CALIFORNIA

The amount of sale is cash in lawful money of the United States on confirmation of sale, or upon such terms and conditions as are acceptable to the personal representative. Ten percent of the amount bid to be deposited with bid. Bids or offers to be in writing and will be received at the aforesaid office at any time after the first publication hereof and before date of sale.

Dated: March 1, 1996

JUAN PEREZ, Personal Representative of the Estate

Attorney(s) at Law: ROSE M. GATES

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 330 W. BAY ST., COSTA MESA, CA 92627



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This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertisement for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis. To complain of discrimination, call HUD Toll-free at 1-800-424-6500. For the Washington, DC area please call HUD at 426-3500.

HOUSES/CONDO'S FOR SALE

COSTA MESA 1024

Lovely Mesa del Mar home 4BR 3BA, turn-key cond. - \$259,000. Agt. 1-800-892-7158. Coldwell Banker.

OPEN SUN 12:30-4:30 2873 Alanzo (off El Camino or Mission). Come visit this truly btl 3BR 2BA, FR & pool home. \$249,500. By owner. 545-2103.

NEWPORT BEACH 1069

HISTORIC SITE 4 units on 2 lots, \$425K. 1 hse to bch. Ocn vu. Bkr. 642-3850.

By Owner 3BR 2 1/2 BA Newport Terrace condo. End unit on cul-de-sac adjoins 7 acre park. Pool, sec guard, etc. \$159K. For more info 646-9435.

HRBR VIEW HOMES Phase 3, 4BR, stunning view, xtra lrg lot. Portofino model. Bkr 640-5664 or 729-7248.

CEMETERY LOT/CRYPT 1225

\$900 Burial space for two. Westminster Memorial Park. Call 208-736-9102.

Companion Crypt Pac View. (2 caskets + 2 urns) Value \$9,713; sell \$6,500. 240-1262.

Pacific View Memorial Park, Magnolia Court, companion crypt \$8000 536-1184.

LOTS FOR SALE 1400

EASTSIDE CM C-2 Lot 50x200 with 2 Bedroom, 1 Bath house with hardwood floors. Needs TLC. \$245,000 with owner financing. Contact owner, P.O. Box 2404, Newport Beach, CA 92663.

HOUSES/CONDO'S FOR RENT

GENERAL 2102

GOVERNMENT FORECLOSED HOMES For pennies on \$1. Delinquent Tax. Repo's, REO's. Your area. Toll free 1-800-898-9778 Ext. H-5139 for current listings.

CORONA DEL MAR 2122

2Bd 1Ba front hse, gar, w/d, hkuys. Storage. Cottage-style, lots of windows & hrdwd flrs. \$1395/mo. 644-8634.

COSTA MESA 2124

\$690 Lease/Sale. Completely remodeled mobile home 2Bd 1Ba. 714-646-5100.

***E'side Lg 3Br 2Ba**, w/d, 4-car gar, court-yd, ofc, Indry rm. 193-C Magnolia. \$1400 Avl 4/1. No pets. 645-1020.

1BR 1BA, 2-car gar, frlg, frplc, big yd, very pvt. Nu pntypcs. \$850 No pets. 647-1961.

****3Bd 2Ba Condo** Avl 4/1. Lg Pool. Nice unit on greenbelt. Close to Triangle Sq. \$1050/mo. 642-2649. Or call 641-0593 M-F.

Attractive 5Br 2-sty hse, Inc'd yd w/deck, nice neighborhd. Avl 4/1. \$1995. 646-7020.

COSTA MESA 2124

HOUSES FOR RENT Both 3Br 2Ba w/2-car gar, frplc. One w/RV storage. Both \$1395/mo. Agt. Jim 850-1220.

LAGUNA BEACH 2148

Exclusive No. Laguna Lg 2Bd 1.5Ba. Sleeping to barking seals! Garden/gar. 376-9042.

NEWPORT BEACH 2169

BIG CANYON McClain Townhome 3bd 2.5ba, 2 decks, wetbar, tpice. Secure pkg/storage. View of golf course. Pool/tenn \$1900/mo. 640-5274.

2 Br, range, encl gar, x-lg yard, 985. Npl Hghts. See Owner 437 Princeton Dr., CM.

211 Colton Duplex 3 blocks to beach, 3Br 2Ba, 1-car. \$1195 Landlord 826-6888.

Npt Shores 1Br 1Ba doll house. Lrg encl yd. \$875/mo. Property House Rltts 642-3850.

NEWPORT ISLAND Single family 3Br 1Ba w/boat dock, frplc, nice patio + sunporch. Part furn incl w/d, refrlg, TV, new crpt. \$1675/mo. Yrly. Avl now. 675-4912 Agt.

Harbor View Homes 4Br 3Ba Portofino model. \$3000/mo. Agt. 1-800-892-7158. Coldwell Banker.

Lido Isle 3Br 2 1/2Ba, frplc, 2-car gar, patios, 111 Via Eboil. \$2300/mo. 310-277-1583.

LUXURY LIVING FOR LESS Live in Newport's finest homes at a fraction of normal rent. If you have quality furnishings call 723-1151.

*****LUXURY Waterfront Condo** 2BR 2.75 BA. Highly upgraded. With boat slip. \$2800/mo. Agt. 640-7000 Ext 306.

Npt North 2Br 2Ba condo, 2-car gar, AC, w/d, pool. Avl 4/1. \$1395/mo. 640-1529.

The best of Orange Co's fabulous homes! **Visions Properties on Display** is looking for people with quality furniture to live in these properties while they are on the market for sale at a fraction of the normal cost. CALL: 714-280-8080.

Versailles Spectacular ocean views, 2Bd 2Ba beautifully furnished, mbrl spa tub + upgrds. \$1500. Agt 631-8097.

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NEWPORT COAST 2170

Brand New 3Br 2 1/2Ba Detach, view, lite/brite. Upgraded. Gorgeous Quiet 1996. 786-9347.

Prof'l Decorated 2 mstr stes, 2-car gar, Italian tile entry, formal DR, sculptured frpl, w/d. \$1850. 640-1795.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

BALBOA ISLAND 2606

3BR 2 1/2BA Upper, gar space, W/D, Little Island, yearly \$1850. Agt. 673-4062.

Deluxe 2Br 2Ba, A/C, w/d, bit-ins, deck, gar, mini bay view. Avl 4/1. \$1500. 723-5008.

BALBOA PENINSULA 2607 \$650 Inc. util small 1 br & studio, \$500. kitch, dining area, appl, Indry, behind library 106 E. Bay (714) 673-4802 (310) 596-0819.

1BR \$600/mo util pd. 1 house to sand, sundk, w/d. Avl 3/12. 301 E. Balboa #1. 644-7946.

***Lg 2Br 1Ba \$1050** New pnt/crpt, frplc, gar. No pets. Yrly. 760-1713 or 857-1776.

STUDIO \$550 New pnt/crpt, refrlg & util incl. Yrly. No pets. 760-1713 or 857-1776.

CORONA DEL MAR 2622 CM newly dec, light, sunny. 2 BR, 2 BA, gar, deck, no smoke/pets. \$1225 673-4177.

***WALK TO BEACH!** Studio, Quiet. \$585 348-9424.

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COSTA MESA 2624

Clean Studio. Lg bath & closet, sep kitch. No pet. Quiet. \$525 incl util/cable. 722-9882.

E-Side Cottage, w/ vaulted ceilings, close to shopping/freeway. \$585 & up. Call for apt. 642-1390.

FURNISHED STUDIO APTS All New Interiors. \$517/mo. Incl util. Pool, Indry fac, gated. Nr Triangle Square.

Park Place Village 714/646-7804

Large Studio behind Triangle Sq. \$575 incl util, w/d, patio, off-street parking. 642-1311.

****TOWNHOMES**** 2 BR, 1 1/2 BA, patios, \$795; 2 Master, patio, garage, w/d hku, up \$950; 1 BR, patio, gar, \$650. 548-7367; 548-7460.

GREAT LOCATION 1-2-3 bds. \$630-\$900.

Gated/Cov'd prkng Elevators, Pool Rec/Weight Room On-site Mgmt. Gas & Water Paid.

Casa Victoria Apts. 525 Victoria St., CM 714-646-9966.

NEWPORT BEACH 2669

PROMONTORY POINT 2Br 2Ba w/tpicl New crpt/paint, mirrored wardrobe closet. \$1335. Avail immed. 675-8003.

1BR \$625 2BR 2BA \$725/Up Refrig & dishwasher incl. 60x30 pool. No pets. No fees. No lease. 545-4855.

BAYRIDGE It, bright, upper unit. 2 Br, 2 Ba, 2 car gar. Avl Immed. \$1250. 487-9408 279 Haversham NB.

***BLUFFS CONDO** Newer 3Bd, 3Ba, den. On the pool. 2-car. \$2050/mo. 759-0342.

Large upstairs 3Br 2Ba, encl gar, frplc, near beach. \$1200/mo. 851-1141 Ext. 302.

SOUTH COAST METRO 2686

Near SCP 3BR 2BA encl garage, laundry rm. Quiet, xint area. \$950/mo 546-6883.

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23 Most gentle
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35 Owned
36 Sounds of hesitation
37 Style of a room
38 Oval
41 Trace
43 All
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45 Convent
46 Rides a bike
48 Remove knots
51 "When I Laugh"
53 Climbing vine
54 Early show
56 Leisurely walk
62 Fashion designer
63 Stair clear of
66 Frolic
67 Type of tide
68 Send as payment
69 to the throne
70 Great multitude
71 Sordid
72 Confident

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5 Fabric samples
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10 Potato
11 Songwriter
12 Porter
13 Beattie and Reinking
14 Mutton or pork
15 Pouch
16 Main roles
17 "A Wonderful Life"
18 Fledgling's cry
19 Split
20 Left the car engine on
21 "We having fun yet?"
22 Allow
23 out: defeating completely
24 Ski slope bump
25 "Good night"
26 Talking bird
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29 Early Cosby show
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