



National Family Night Out Returns to Olivet Court

Friday, June 29th 7:30pm

The CGNA, Councilmember Kevin McCarty and residents of Olivet Court invite you to join them Friday, June 29, 2012 for National Family Night! Come celebrate freedom in America and National Family Night Out with your friends and neighbors. Enjoy an evening socializing with your neighbors, members of our local police and fire department, and CGNA sponsors.

From 7:30pm to 8:30pm the Association will provide complimentary refreshments including the traditional "All American" hot dog, chips and dessert. Tap your toes to a blend of traditional and contemporary American music provided by Bowdian Court's own D.J. Charlie White. There will be face painting for the little kids and pets from the College Greens Pet Center.

Remember, we will be in Olivet Court off of Bennington Way between Notre Dame and Occidental Drive. The traditional TNT Fireworks Show will begin at 9:00pm. and will display a broad sample of the TNT fireworks that will be available for sale at the College-Glen Little League Booth, 8500 La Riviera Drive in the baseball field's parking lot.

There is no charge for this event, which is provided by the College-Glen Neighborhood Association, Councilmember McCarty, Neighborhood Services and our local business sponsors. Mark your calendars now for National Family Night Out! Please no animals and no smoking (Fire Marshall's Requirement).



Turn to page 3 to find out why these Rosemont High School Seniors are smiling!

Copper Thieves Hit Occidental Overpass



Like other parts of the City, the lights on the Occidental overpass recently became a victim of copper thieves. The Association suggested the City repair include energy efficient light replacement as part of the restoration work. The City liked the suggestion, researched their options, agreed that the upgrade was possible, and had the service restored with LED bulb replacements within a week. The LED lights are noticeably brighter and use less energy. CGNA sent thanks from our community to the City Utilities Department for their prompt response to our request.

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Red, Gold... and Green: St. Francis High School Completes Solar Installation

By Ingrid Niles, Director of Communications

St. Francis High School recently completed the installation of a 309.3 KW photovoltaic system on the campus. Generation of solar power from the 1,316 panels on the rooftops of seven buildings began in March and is projected to save the school \$1 million over the next 20 years. This is an exciting time in the 72-year history of the school. St. Francis High School President Marion Bishop says of the venture, "In 2007, St. Francis High School began exploring the possibility of bringing solar energy to its campus. This was in direct response to the school's overall immersion in the Social Justice Teachings of the Catholic Church. While it is important to teach the principles, it is more important—and effective—to model them in the life of the school."

On January 25, while the St. Francis solar project was still under construction, Mayor Kevin Johnson and Environment California, a research and policy center, held a press conference on the SFHS campus to tout the expansion of solar power installations in California (it

has doubled in the past 2 years) and announce Sacramento as 7th out of the top 10 cities in the state in creating solar energy.

On May 3 the school will celebrate its historic accomplishment with a dedication ceremony as the Chaplain, Fr. Joe Ternullo,



blesses the solar installation. The student body, faculty, staff, school board, members of the Solar Project Planning Committee, and community supporters will gather for this event.

Spring Means Registration at Bancroft Elementary School

It's already April - time to sign up for the 2012-2013 school year if you're not currently enrolled at Bancroft Elementary. Will your children be starting school this Fall? Have you registered them yet? Bancroft still has spaces available in kindergarten, but classes are filling up fast. Children who will be age 5 by November 2 are eligible to start the regular (one-year) kindergarten program. Registration is being done at the District's Enrollment Center, 5745 47th Avenue (call 643-2400 for more information on requirements to register).

Children who will be age 5 by December 2 may enroll for Early Kindergarten (two-year program). A limited number of spaces are available, and priority will go to those whose 5th birthday is in the November 2-December 2 window. The class may also benefit children who could use an extra year of social development or a stronger foundation for learning before they tackle the regular kindergarten curriculum. Registration is done on-site at Bancroft. Call 382-5940 for more information.

Meanwhile, we're busy as beavers as usual at the school. Teachers work very hard to prepare lessons for each day that meet the needs of all students. Along with our best resource, an excellent group of volunteers, Bancroft is able to offer an enriching, exciting and rewarding elementary experience for all those who get involved.

We are thankful to be located in a safe and quiet neighborhood surrounded by a caring community of families and businesses. If you would like to find out ways that you can help support our school, please call 382-5940.

Program for Infants and Toddlers with

Disabilities By Jackie Levy, Area 3 Trustee Sac Co Bd of Ed

Does your family have, or know of, a young child with a significant disability? The Infant Development Program sponsored by SCOE serves the needs of children ages 0-3 years who have developmental delays in the area of motor skills, language, cognitive (problem-solving) or social/emotional development. It also serves children with vision, hearing, or orthopedic impairments. Research indicates that early intervention helps these children to have a much better quality of life and develop to their full potential.

The Infant Program philosophy is that parents are the ultimate experts and decision-makers for their young child, so services are "family-focused" and often occur in the home or in the community. The staff includes teachers, vision, language, speech and hearing specialists, nurses, occupational and physical therapists and translators as needed. The professional staff works with the children and their parents, so that parents learn helpful ways to interact and teach their child. I observed an in-home session with a 2-year-old boy with significant hearing loss. It was amazing to see how he was learning to communicate in 3 languages: English, Spanish, and American Sign Language. His mother and father were learning along with him so that they could reinforce the lessons later on.

In recent years, medical students in pediatric residencies from UC Davis and Sutter Medical Group have participated in these home visits to improve their understanding of the value of early intervention for children with special needs.

If you know of a child who might benefit from this program call SCOE at 277-5900 ext 1131 or 1132 or online at www.scoe.net.

Still No Crosswalk at Mediterranean and La Riviera



The meetings and the excuses continue. It is the City's position that it is too dangerous to cross the street at Mediterranean and La Riviera. Placing a crosswalk at the corner would suggest that it is safe to cross the street and the students would have a false sense of security. The City has also stated that there is not enough foot traffic to support the cost associated with the necessary signage. The City has scheduled a meeting with Regional Transit to request that the bus stop be moved to the south side of the street to eliminate the need for the students to cross the street.

The Association has asked that the City consider installation of signs similar to those being used on "J" Street at 37th and 38th Street. The "J" Street signs are solar powered, operate only when activated, and have a built in caution sign to remind users not to be complacent when crossing the street. The Association continues to ask why our neighborhood cannot have access to these devices.

RHS Seniors Ready for Success

By RHS Student Reener Balingit

Ever wanted to be an aerospace engineer? Rosemont High School (RHS) Student Angel Echevarria is one step closer to achieving his dream by being accepted to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). Angel said his father inspired him to excel while in high school to achieve his dream to one day be an Aerospace Engineer. Two other Rosemont students, Roman Pshichenko and Joey Nicolino, are also on their way to achieving their dreams. Next fall Roman will attend the University of California Davis and Joey will attend the University of California Los Angeles. Roman is leaning toward studying aerospace engineering but is not exactly sure, while Joey is interested in Mechanical Engineering. The success of these students has been aided by self-motivation, parental support, extracurricular activities, and most importantly, an enjoyable experience at Rosemont High School.

When asked how Rosemont High School prepared them for college each said counselors and AP (advanced placement) classes were extremely helpful. "My AP teachers prepared me for college especially Mr. Velazquez. He shares a lot of knowledge about college considering he was a college professor for many years," said Roman. Joey credits counselor Pam Reeder-Esparza for helping him be accountable for his grades throughout the last four years.

Although they will be moving on, they will cherish their time at Rosemont High School. "Rosemont is a great school and I wish nothing but the best for future RHS students," Joey Nicolino.

California Montessori Project

By Bernie Evangelista, Principal

The California Montessori Project has been a hive of busy learning and activity since January. Our middle school students went on a three-day immersion trip to San Francisco. The focus of the trip was the use and utility of public transportation including Amtrak, cable cars, light rail subway and MUNI buses. On March 30th we had a science fair and all students in kindergarten through eighth grade presented a science project. Students presented their learning through the use of the scientific method. As we move into our final 3 months of school we are excited to announce our Earth Day celebration on April 30th. During this event there will be many opportunities to support the Stewardship Committee of our school, including a fundraiser that will sell starter tomato plants.

STAR testing will be on the week of May 7th and students in 2nd through 8th grade will be participating. The week of May 14th, our 4th and 5th Graders will be going on their milestone field trip to Coloma and attend the Coloma Outdoor Discovery School. Our 6th graders will be going to Mission Springs for the Outdoor Education Program as part of their milestone field trip. The middle school students will have an adventure trip before the end of the school year. The annual Talent Show will be held on June 8th.

For more information about the school, please contact the school office at 325-0910.

RHS Student Athletes Take it to the Next

Level By Bill Kapp

As an 8-year resident of College Glen and the Athletic Director of Rosemont High School it is with great pride that I announce that three of our senior student-athletes have been offered and accepted NCAA Division 1 athletic scholarships. Aleshia Ayers will continue her career playing softball at Villanova University of the Big East. Aleshia is a 4-year member of the varsity softball team. During her career, the softball team has a dominating 46-1 league record. Devlyn Jeter will continue her career playing soccer at the University of Portland of the West Coast Conference. Devlyn is also a 4-year member of the varsity soccer team. Finally, College Glen's own Cori Lemere will continue her track career at the US Military Academy at West Point.

Currently, spring sports are in full swing at Rosemont High School. Current defending league championship softball and track teams are off to fast starts with undefeated records in league play. Our baseball team and Girls Soccer team are tied on top of the league standings. Our swim team is hosting the Metro League Championships on April 27th and 28th and our boys golf and tennis teams are off to strong start to the season as well. If you have an incoming freshmen or student coming to Rosemont High School, practices for fall sports begin August 6th. Contact me at bill-kapp@sac-city.k12.ca.us or call me at 228-5844 ext. 1024 if you have any questions about the school or athletic program.

Area Early Childhood Programs On!

The parent participation toddler and pre-school programs are all currently accepting pre-registration for the Fall 2012 semester. The Sacramento City Unified School District is also accepting pre-registration for the early-kinder program. These programs all operate at Thomas Jefferson School. The toddler and pre-school programs are both extensions of the McClaskey Adult Education. The Early-Kinder program is a Bancroft satellite campus and is part of the District's comprehensive K-12 program. The toddler class for 2 and 3 year olds meets on Friday mornings from 8:30am to 11:15am with parent and child participation. The morning pre-school class for 3 and 4 year olds is a four-day a week class meeting Monday through Thursday from 8:30am to 11:15am. The afternoon pre-school class for 3 and 4 year olds is a daily class Monday through Friday meeting from 12:00 noon to 2:45pm. Both programs include lab fees and parent participation one day a week.

If you are interested in learning more about the program and enrolling your child or grandchild, please contact the teacher, Paula Lynch, at 247-3335 or 382-5963. If you have any questions about the program in general please contact Susan Lytle Gilmore, Principal, at 277-6625. For information related to the age requirement and appropriateness of the Early-Kinder program for your child contact the Bancroft office staff at 382-5940.













Why are all these kids running? At Bancroft Elementary the students run around the school twice a week as part of their physical education activities.

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Wrestling with Cuts

By Jeff Cuneo, Area 2 Trustee SCUSD

In February, the School Board, myself included, voted to close Freeport Elementary School. I also voted to close C.P. Huntington Elementary School, but a majority disagreed, and it was not closed. These decisions were not easy given their very real effects on students and families but necessary given our dire fiscal situation and years-long declining enrollment.

I voted not to close A.M. Winn Elementary School given our staff's grave concerns for student safety. Because of the lack of a nearby elementary school, these young children would have to travel great distances across busy avenues, putting their lives at risk.

In March, we held hearings to renew two charter school petitions. I voted to renew the charter of George Washington Carver School of Arts and Science. As one of the only Waldorf-inspired secondary schools in our country, there has been marked improvement in student achievement, an increasing number of students prepared for and enrolling in college, and a steady increase in attracting and retaining students.

On the other hand, I had serious reservations regarding Sacramento New Technology High School. This particular school has seen a decline in enrollment and little progress across a number of student achievement indicators, signifying a less than robust academic culture. In response, I proposed adopting district-wide standards to ensure that our charter school partners are held accountable for student results.

In upcoming meetings, I will continue to promote student achievement and examine non-classroom personnel and costs in an effort to spare cuts at the school sites. jeff4schoolboard@gmail.com.

Rosemont High School Class of 2012 & 2013 PASTA DINNER AND BINGO FUNDRAISER

Friday, April 27, 2012 \$5.00 for Dinner 5:30 – 7:00 pm BINGO Cards will be sold at the door. \$10.00 for 1 card or \$15.00 for 2 cards BINGO 7:00 – 9:00 pm

This event is a fundraiser for our graduating classes with proceeds benefiting the Senior Grad Night event at Sunsplash in Roseville. Every year our parents and students work hard to save enough money to make their Grad Night a safe, sober and affordable celebration for everyone.

Tickets may be purchased on campus the week of April 9th or by contacting:

Nancy Barfield at 384-6606

or dpevey@comcast.net.

Sacramento County History Day a Huge Success

By Greg Geeting, Area 1 Trustee Sac Co Bd of Ed

Saturday, March 3, was Sacramento County History Day. More than 200 students from throughout the county participated in the event held at Rosemont High School. The students competed in six categories: two-dimensional displays, exhibits, documentaries, performances, websites, and historical papers. Competition divisions included elementary (grades 4 & 5), junior (grades 6-8), and senior (grades 9-12). The students' efforts were evaluated by professional historians and educators. Winners moved on to the California History Day competition being held in Riverside on April 27-29. Winners from that competition will advance to the National History Day competition to be held at the University of Maryland in June.

National History Day is a year-long educational program that encourages students to explore local, state, national, and world history. The national celebration begins with the selection of a historical theme. Students then select topics related to that theme and conduct extensive research using materials from libraries, archives, museums, and oral history interviews. They investigate and interpret, reach conclusions about historical significance, and create final projects presenting their efforts. This year's National History Day theme is "Revolution, Reaction, Reform in History." Past years' themes have included "Debate & Diplomacy," "Turning Points," and "Conflict & Compromise."

The listing of Sacramento County History Day winners can be found at http://www.scoe.net/news/library/2012/march/multimedia/2012_history_day_results.pdf.

The Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) administers Sacramento County History Day in collaboration with the Center for Sacramento History and the Sacramento History Foundation. For more information, please contact SCOE's History Day Coordinator Craig Irish at 228-2660 or cirish@scoe.net.

Helping the Middle Class Afford College

From the Desk of Assemblymember Roger Dickinson

In February, I unveiled new legislation to create the Middle Class Scholarship program. The proposal is designed to keep more money in the pockets of middle-income families with students attending the state's public colleges and universities. Investing in California's students is an investment in our future educated workforce. For every \$1 we spend on higher education, the state gets a \$3 return on its investment. All Californians, including those from middle class families, deserve access to an affordable college education.

Due to the national recession and chronic budget shortfalls, fees have risen dramatically over the last decade and the middle class has been forced to bear the unfair burden of higher costs and many have been forced to turn to student loans to cover the thousands of dollars in fee hikes.

Through this proposal, all students at the CSU or UC with family incomes less than \$150,000 that do not already have fees covered will receive a Middle Class Scholarship that cuts costs by two thirds. Community Colleges will receive \$150 million to expand affordability efforts. The costs for the Middle Class Scholarship will be covered by eliminating the tax loophole that benefits out-of-state corporations and will bring in \$1 billion for the Middle Class Scholarship. It's time to close this tax loophole that only benefits out-of-state corporations so that we can make public universities and colleges affordable again.

For more information, please visit www.middleclassscholarship.com. As always, please call my office if you have any questions, community concerns or legislative ideas at 324-4676.

Diamond Notes

by Mike Roessler, College Glen Little League

April Showers brings May Flowers. So what do March Showers bring? Havoc for the College Glen Little League game scheduler. Although our Opening Day Games and BBQ were rained out for the 2nd straight year, the outlook is sunny for the rest of the season. With the fields in great shape to absorb the rain in March, only a few games were cancelled and most of those have been played.

April is a busy month for College Glen Little League. Our annual Pitch, Hit and Run will take place on Sunday, April 15th. This MLB sponsored event is open to all players from all areas. Our site is the first stage in what might take the winners to Pac Bell Park for the regional finals.

Our Crab Feed and Karaoke Night is Saturday, April 28th at the Historic Crawford's Barn. This event is open to all of our friends in the neighborhood. For information on all things College Glen Little League, please visit www.CollegeGlenLittleLeague.com.

Our Junior Field is now the proud new owner of a scoreboard. Over the past three years, the Minor, Major and Junior Fields have had scoreboards installed. This scoreboard project was one of the many projects that we pledged to get done after our snack bar break-in. Also included in this effort was the installation of an alarm in the snack bar and equipment room, motion lights throughout the baseball complex and an appreciation for the "Better Safe than Sorry" motto. A special "Thank You" to all of you that donated to the league during our time of need.

















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Consider a Design/Build Improvement

By Dave Bristol, Bristol Construction

Spring is a great time for Homeowners to start planning for home improvement, maintenance and construction projects. There are many ways used by Homeowners today to start construction projects in addition to the traditional method of competitive bidding. No one method is best for every project, however, the concept of Design/Build is gaining momentum and popularity.

The number of Design/Build projects is on the rise. In fact, Engineering News Record recently reported that by the year 2015, 55 percent of construction projects are projected to be Design/Build and 35 percent will be design-bid-build. Many Homeowners are realizing the advantages of Design/Build, including:

- Saves time in the start-up phase
- More concise project schedule
- Controls project costs
- Minimizes surprises
- Higher quality results
- Ability to design to the price, not price to the design
- Minimizes Change Orders

With Design/Build, the architect and general contractor work together as a team to provide both design and construction of the project. This team approach allows the designer to be part of the construction process which helps eliminate and address construction problems in the building phase. This process also helps insure that the Homeowner's expectations are met.

Additionally, fewer lawsuits, and a convenient one-point-of-responsibility encourage Homeowners to opt for Design/Build projects.

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Thanks again to all. Your work helps keep our postal expense manageable.

Real Estate Update

By Linda Wood, Broker-Associate, Dunnigan, Realtors

Have you heard the saying "Real Estate is Local"? This is a true statement. I often meet with clients that have a perception of the real estate market that is far different than reality. Media reports are often based on national or statewide statistics. Real Estate markets are even more localized than that. Even within a county or city you may have vastly different markets. Older, established neighborhoods often hold their value better than newer neighborhoods. When the market trends downward, those same neighborhoods often take longer to lose value and recover more quickly.

If you've been talking with local Realtors lately, you are probably hearing that the market is hot! We are experiencing a shortage of inventory, especially in the lower price ranges. This is creating a very competitive market for good homes that are well priced. First time buyers are competing with investors. It's difficult for a buyer that is competing with an investor making a cash offer. Many buyers find that they are in multiple offer situations and are making offers on several properties before they are lucky enough to have their offer accepted.

If you are a seller, it's critical that your home show well and be well priced. It's not everything that's flying off the shelves – just the good merchandise!

Whether you are a seller or a buyer, it's important that you have an experienced Realtor to help you navigate your way through the process. Real Estate Markets are ever changing and experience counts!

Are IRAs Still A Good Idea?

By Vicki Dupuis, Big Valley Federal Credit Union

With all the changes in the economy, is it still a good idea to deposit to an Individual Retirement Account? The answer is a definite Yes to both types of IRA accounts.

Traditional IRAs can provide significant tax savings and are a powerful tool in creating a balanced, long-term savings plan. Traditional IRAs offer tax-deferred earnings and the possibility for tax-deductible contributions. Contribution limits and tax deductible status are based on age, earned income, marital status, and whether you are an active participant in a qualified retirement plan.

Roth IRAs do not provide for tax-deferred contributions; but the earnings can be withdrawn tax-free as long as certain qualifications are met. Eligibility for contributions to a Roth IRA is also based on age and earned compensation. Tax-free earnings can make a big difference in your savings over the period of years until you retire.

Ask your local Credit Union what rates they offer for IRAs and if they allow contributions by direct deposit to make it easier for you to save. It's never too early to start planning for your retirement. Check with your tax advisor regarding your specific tax situation and which plan will work best for you.

EnergyHELP: SMUD Customers Assisting Other Customers in Need

By Howard Posner, SMUD Ward 3 Director

While we're all hopeful that the economy is starting to turn around, these remain challenging times for many SMUD customers. For those in financial straits, paying monthly bills for services such as electricity can be very difficult.

Thanks to the generosity of more than 13,000 customers who voluntarily support SMUD's EnergyHELP program each month, more than \$2.4 million has been distributed since 2004 to help local households keep their lights on.

Through EnergyHELP, SMUD customers can contribute automatically in their monthly bill payment to one of four charitable agencies: the Salvation Army, the Sacramento Food Bank & Family Services, Travelers Aid Emergency Assistance Agency, and the Folsom Cordova Community Partnership. EnergyHELP participants choose the agency. These organizations were chosen through a competitive bid process and meet SMUD's strict requirements for experience in efficiently serving people in need throughout the Sacramento area.

Donations are tax-deductible up to the amount allowed by law, and SMUD sends 100 percent of the proceeds directly to the charity.

The charities offer as much as \$200 in one-time bill assistance to low-income customers who have either had their electric service disconnected or are in danger of having it disconnected. Typical monthly donations range from \$1 to \$10, while some customers have contributed from \$20 to \$100 per month.

More than 15,300 needy households have benefitted from EnergyHELP contributions over the last eight years.

Anyone interested in contributing to EnergyHELP or in receiving assistance through the program may visit www. smud.org or call SMUD at 1-888-742-7683.

Father's Day Jazz In the Park Concert at Oki Park

The CGNA and Councilmember Kevin McCarty invite you to our 19th annual Jazz in the Park Concert at Oki Park on Wissemann Drive. The CGNA will be providing complimentary dessert and beverages during the concert. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets and relax with an evening of enjoyable, live jazz music with a local Jazz Band.

There is no charge for this event, which is provided by the College-Glen Neighborhood Association, Councilmember McCarty, Neighborhood Services and our local business



sponsors. Mark your calendars now for Father's Day Sunday, June 17, 2012 at Oki Park for the traditional Father's Day Jazz program from 6:00pm to 8:00pm.

Leaf Collection and Watering Schedules

From the Desk of Councilmember Kevin McCarty

You may have heard recently about the City's new proposed plan to change Sacramento's leaf collection ordinance. This proposed plan would place a measure on the November ballot to repeal 1977's Measure A, which currently prohibits the city from requiring residents to use bins to collect green waste.

I'm looking for your thoughts as we fine-tune this proposal over the next few months. Please feel free to call my office at 808-7006 or email me at kmccarty@cityofsacramento.org.

Right now, about 7 percent of city households still rely on "The Claw" for their weekly leaf pick-up. Because The Claw is a financial and environmental strain on the City, under the new plan being considered, The Claw would pick up on City streets only in November, December and January when leaf pick-up is at its peak. Residents could also schedule pick-ups the rest of the year. Another big change under consideration would scale back collection of recyclables from every week to every other week. This change would save the city about \$1 million a year.

I'm also interested in bringing back the once-a-year neighborhood clean-up appointment based service for residents who are trying to dispose of bulky items or a lot of items all at once. I believe this service was a needed service for residents and helped curb illegal dumping across the City.

With the arrival of spring I want to pass along a friendly reminder to residents and businesses to adjust their watering schedules. The City's current watering rules state that at the beginning of daylight savings time residents and businesses may water up to three days a week, based on their address. Watering of landscapes must be done before 10am or after 7pm. No watering is allowed on Mondays.

Addresses ending in odd numbers may water on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Addresses ending in even numbers may water on Wednesday, Friday and Sunday.

Health and Safety Bills Signed Into Law

From the Desk of Assemblymember Richard Pan

In recent years, cuts to California's state budget have caused many adults to lose access to many health services, including dental care. As a physician, I know oral health can have major impacts on overall health as well as family budgets. This is why I have focused the resources of the Assembly Select Committee on Healthcare Workforce and Access to Care on making sure all Californians have access to the dental care they need.

As Chair of the Select Committee, I recently held a hearing focusing on dental care for seniors at The Effort Oak Park Community Clinic, where I continue to see patients after meeting my responsibilities as Assemblymember for College Glen and other neighborhoods. At the hearing, dentists and community members came together to discuss the difficulties that come with having to pay out of pocket for basic dental care that was once provided by the state before budget cuts.

We looked at ways that we can ensure everyone receives the kind of dental care that can save money by preventing root canals, gum disease and other types of illness. I can't tell you how many conversations I have about the importance of preventative medical and dental care with my wife, who runs a dental office in our Assembly District. When it comes to future budget decisions regarding dental care and the importance of prevention, we must all make our voices heard in support of keeping our communities healthy. Together, we can build a healthier Sacramento.

Improving our Children's Academic

Success From the Desk of Darrell Steinberg,

Senate President pro Tempore

The goal is straightforward – improve our children's academic success despite a down economy.

Yes it can be done, in both our K-12 schools and at the college level. Separate measures I've introduced this year can help us take significant steps to reach this goal.

In our public colleges and universities, students and middle class families could save hundreds of dollars a year in textbook costs if we create Open Educational Resources. The concept behind SB 1052 and SB 1053 is to create digital textbooks for the 50 most common lower division college classes. Books that now can cost more than \$200 each would be available for free through a digital library, with printed copies available for around \$20.

In our K-12 schools, I propose those schools with high levels of student suspensions be required to use proven strategies of intervention to modify student behavior. Research shows that schools using these positive intervention efforts dramatically reduce suspensions, experience academic improvement and more than offset training costs by raising attendance, bringing in more funding through the Average Daily Attendance (ADA) formula.

When students bring a weapon to school, or commit another criminal or violent act, they certainly must be removed from campus. But when a student disrupts class or defies a teacher, positive behavioral intervention is critical. SB 1235 will create a more positive learning environment, and improve the safety of our campuses and our communities.

Our students of all ages deserve all the help we can give them.

Income Disparity By Scott Smith, Sacramento City

Teachers Association (SCTA), President

Hello! I am the president of the Sacramento City Teachers Association. This is my first opportunity to write for the College Glen News so I wanted to share something about the state of our schools in the Sacramento City Unified School District.

During the last six years the state has cut the education budget. The district, in turn, has been forced to cut its budget as well. This has resulted in the loss of 600 teachers, 600 classified (custodians, cafeteria workers, safety monitors, etc.), and larger class sizes. Our district is not alone in making cuts. In fact, the entire state of California has seen some pretty drastic cuts. Compared to schools nationwide California ranks dead last in almost every category having to do with education.

Here are some numbers I heard when I attended a California Budget Project meeting this month:

CA has 1 librarian for every 5000 students; the nation is 1 to every 900

CA has 1 High School teacher for every 22 students; the nation is $1\ \text{to}\ 12$

CA students spend the least amount of time in school of any state

CA teachers spend 25% less time with students due to budget cuts

CA schools are 71% less clean than they were 5 years ago

The Governor has introduced a tax initiative that will tax people making more than \$300,000.00 that will fund schools. Our teachers and I encourage you to support it this fall to help schools.

Take Light Rail to the County Admin.

Building From the Desk of County Supervisor Susan Peters

Riders on Regional Transit's light rail traveling downtown can arrive within a few steps of the side door of the County Administration Building via the Gold Line by departing at the 8th & H/County Center light rail station, located on 8th Street between H and I streets.

This new station opened in January and features a shelter design that complements the brickwork of the older County building at 7th and I streets, while also referencing the bare concrete and bronze aluminum storefront of the newer County building along 8th Street.

The 8th & H/County Center Station will also serve as one of the two light rail stations on the future Green Line to the River District, which is anticipated to open in the spring. For route, schedule and fare information, call 321-BUSS (2877) or visit sacrt.com.

For all of you that have a Facebook account please feel free to check out my Facebook fan page and I invite you to like my page so you can be notified of my postings. I put information on my fan page periodically about events, activities and constituents with respect to the Third District. The page can be found by searching for Supervisor Susan Peters within the facebook site or you can access via my website bos.saccounty.net/district 3 and click on the Facebook logo.

SCOE Students Honored for Success

By David W. Gordon, Sac Co Superintendent of Schools

The Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) is proud to announce that two SCOE students received special recognition for their accomplishments.

Rodney Hilton, a senior at North Area Community School, and Erin Newby, a senior from Elinor Lincoln Hickey High School, both received the "Every Student Succeeding Award" from the Association of California School Administrators (ACSA). Both students also received a \$250 college scholarship.

In addition, Erin was chosen from a group of 13 nominees to represent ACSA Region III at a statewide conference in San Diego in November. Region III includes Sacramento and Yolo counties.

In February, Erin Newby was one of three high school students who represented SCOE at the State Capitol during an Assembly panel discussion. The discussion centered on the positive impact Court and Community schools have on the lives of at-risk youth in California.

ACSA's Every Student Succeeding program honors students who exceed our expectations and the educators who support them along the way. The award honors students who have succeeded, against all odds, or beyond expectations to overcome obstacles, such as returning to school, leaving a gang or overcoming physical and mental barriers.

Students receiving the award must be enrolled in alternative education, at-risk, bilingual or continuation school programs and be active in after school programs, community service, student conflict resolution, tutoring and peer mediation.

Open Primaries Begin with the June 5th Election By Rebekah Cearley

Come June 5, Californians will use a new primary election process called "open primaries" in preparation for the general election in November. In 2010, voters passed Proposition 14, which created this new process affecting local, state, and federal officials. Qualified candidates of all parties will appear on a single, combined ballot, and voters may vote for any candidate regardless of their own party affiliation. The top two vote-getters, regardless of party, will advance to the November general election for a run-off. It is possible that two candidates from the same party may go up against one another in the November election.

Open primaries will be in effect for the following offices: Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer, Controller, Insurance Commissioner, Attorney General, California State Senators and Assembly Members, State Board of Equalization, U.S. Senators, and members of the U.S. House of Representatives. Open primaries will not affect the presidential race.

Additionally, new maps for various political districts go into effect this year as a result of the state's redistricting process. Our entire neighborhood is in the new AD 7 and will be represented by one member of the California State Assembly, who will be new to us; currently our neighborhood is split between two districts (AD 10 and AD 5). Despite a name change, our congressional district remains very similar (now the 6th Congressional District). The City of Sacramento also underwent its own redistricting process, but College-Glen was unaffected and continues to reside entirely within District 6.

Register to Vote for the June 5 Primary

Election By Rebekah Cearley

Now is the time to ensure that you are registered to vote and your voice is heard in the upcoming primary election, which will take place on June 5, 2012. The deadline to register to vote for this election is May 21, 2012. If you have moved since the last election, you must submit a new registration to reflect your current address. Visit the Sacramento County Voter Registration page to check if you are currently registered at the correct address: www.elections.saccounty.net.

A number of items will be up for consideration on the June 5 ballot. These include primary elections for President, U.S. State Senators and members of the U.S. House of Representatives, State Assembly Members, Mayor and City Council Members, and Sacramento County Board of Supervisors. There will also be a couple of statewide propositions on the June ballot. Both the Governor and our State Senate seat are next up for election in 2014.

Registration forms are available at public libraries, post offices, and Department of Motor Vehicle (DMV) offices. You can also download and print a form from the Secretary of State's website at www.sos.ca.gov, or you can call the Voter Registration office at 875-6451 or (800) 762-8019 to request a form. Lastly, you can go in person to Sacramento County's Voter Registration and Elections Office, located at 7000 65th Street, Suite A, in Sacramento.

What to do When You are Visited by Too Many Bees







If you come home and find a primary swarm of 15 to 20 thousand bees on your lawn chair, as a College-Greens homeowner recently did, pick-up the phone and call a beekeeper. Beekeeper Alex Young took this call, suited up and was ready to work within an hour.

With great care he used his Bee Smoker to mobilize the bees. Then, with his brush and hands, worked to herd the bees into the Nuc (Nucleus Transporter Box). Once the queen bee had been relocated to the Nuc the other bees were quick to follow. The bees (together weighing about five pounds) were then transported to a secondary location where a Hive Body set-up with comb frames was awaiting their arrival. As the bees entered the hive they

immediately began to deposit their collected pollen and nectar. After filling the comb frames they were ready to resume collecting nectar and pollen in order to generate honey, beeswax, and the royal jelly used to feed the queen, their young and the colony.

According to the beekeeper, beehives typically house 30 to 40 thousand bees. When a Queen Bee sets out to establish a new hive, she takes 25% to 40% of the hive with her. Swarming bees are not as a rule aggressive. Rather, they are more interested getting their job done. So please, call a beekeeper and not an exterminator if you find a swarm of bees on your front porch. You can reach Alex Young at 541-0833.

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Solar Power Arrives at Granite Regional Park! By Sally Freedlander

The next time you visit Granite Regional Park take a peek at the new solar array recently installed on the lower parking lot. SolarCity installed carports over approximately 800 parking spaces. The system is 904.280 DC KW and will provide enough energy to supply approximately 80% of the power for one of the buildings AND protect cars



from the elements. The idea for the project originated from an employee who parked in the hot parking lot each day. Jeffrey Payne approached his company, MWH, an engineering firm and they provided him with the time and staff to research what it would take to bring solar power to Granite Park. Jeffrey then approached the building owners. Two years and many meetings later, MWH, Granite Park Partners, SMUD and SolarCity completed the job. Look for a grand opening "Solar Celebration" early this summer and join them for a glass of SUN-tea!

Friends of Lakes Folsom & Natoma

By Stephen Green, Save the American River Assn.

Friends of Lakes Folsom & Natoma (FOLFAN) is a non-profit formed in 2009 and dedicated to supporting the Folsom Lake State Recreation Area, which includes Lake Natoma and approximately 15 miles of paved bike trails

FOLFAN is working with State Park and Recreation Department staff to install courtesy signs and stencils on the bike trails east of Hazel Avenue on both sides of Lake Natoma and up to Beal's Point. The signs and stencils were paid for by State Parks' Adopt-the-Parkway program financial sponsorships.

In the summer of 2011, FOLFAN sponsored signs for the "Kids Don't Float" program, providing free loaner life jackets at 4 beach locations – Beal's Point, Folsom Point, Negro Bar and Nimbus Flats.

Although FOLFAN is in its early growth stages, its members have big plans to improve the paved bike trail. In the summer of 2011, the group conducted a trail assessment evaluating the highest priorities for repairing asphalt, re-striping and updating signage.

Plans are being developed for FOLFAN's first Fundraiser for Bicycle Buffs on June 23, 2012. Proceeds will go to the special fund for bike trail repairs.

Although FOLFAN has a strong focus on the paved bike trail, the scope of their bylaws includes the entire park and future efforts could include:

Addressing the needs of any and all recreational user groups

Providing education programs Assisting with habitat restoration Preserving cultural resources

To join, donate or find information about FOLFAN, visit www.folfan.org.

Alliance Advocates for Local Bus Service Before

2015 By Jamie Szutowicz, Power Inn Alliance

To address the needs for public transportation in the Power Inn Area, The Alliance advocated for improvements to local transportation at a Regional Transit hearing on March 26. Program Manager Dawn Carlson testified before RT managers, its Board of Directors, City Council members and County Supervisors urging RT to reconsider returning bus service #8 and #61 sooner than the Transit Renewal 5-year plan RT proposed.

These busses carry passengers to businesses, 20 local social services and 5 nearby schools. Bus #8 route from Florin Mall, Power Inn Rd, to the 65th Street Station, was discontinued in 2010 for being 15 passengers short of the needed ridership. It is proposed to be restored in 2015.

Bus #61 currently operates from the light rail stations, south on Florin Perkins Rd, and West on Fruitridge to Land Park only once an hour. Service will increase to every 30 minutes, but not until 2017.

With little shade and high traffic, bus service is important in the Power Inn Area for those unable to drive, such as the women at St. John's Shelter and many employees of Pride Industries.

"Obtaining a bus for this area is one of the main reasons this organization was founded," said Carlson, who also chairs the Transportation Demand Management Committee for SACOG. "Employees and residents alike need safe and reliable public transportation."

The Alliance was originally formed to advocate for public transportation and the light rail overcrossing Power Inn Road. An additional accomplishment was the creation of Bus Route #8.



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Community Responds to Call for Emergency Disaster Data

The Association's effort to update its 2007 Emergency Disaster data is off to a good start. Of those returning the forms in the January newsletter, almost 99% returned their Emergency Disaster Preparedness Information Card with the other forms. The Association is currently in the process of sorting the cards by quadrant, section and unit. It is not too late to return your form. However, please note the forms are color-coded and you want to use the card consistent with your quadrant. Mail the form to CGNA, P.O. Box 276474, Sac, CA 95827. Note: The zip is 95827 because the post box is in the Post Office in Rosemont.

Station 60 Hosts Appreciation Lunch for Fire Staff



The Sacramento Fire Department's Station 60 hosted an appreciation luncheon for the Fire Department's Administrative staff at the station on Monday, March 19th. In attendance were staff members from the Department's Operations Division, Emergency Medical Services Division, Training Division, and Human Resources. Deputy Chief Lloyd Ogan, Assistant Chief Niko King and Battalion Chief Jay Glass were also in attendance.

The Fire Department's Administrative staff members were praised for their diligence in completing numerous hours of grant writing, apparatus procurement, roll call staffing, educational and purchase reimbursements, and the ongoing challenges of keeping up with changing pay codes, staff changes and program cuts. The lunch menu included freshly prepared chicken wraps with macaroni and fruit salad, all prepared by the Station 60 Fire Fighters in their own kitchen. Lunch was followed by a short inspirational speech given by Captain Ghazanfari of Engine 60 encouraging everyone to "remember who packs your parachute in your life" and the need to let that person or persons in this case know how much you appreciate them. He then asked if this was a first time visit to a fire station for any of the guests. Much to the surprise of everyone, most of the non-uniform staff indicated that this was their first fire station visit. The crew from Station 60 hopes to make this an annual event.

City Solid Waste Presents Their Trash Collection Option, CGNA Plan Approval Increases

The City Yard Waste Collection proposal has been presented to the members of the City Council. The Solid Waste Division is recommending that all residents be required to participate in the Containerized Program during the months of February through October and that the City use the loose-in-the street process only during the months of November, December and January. The City proposal calls for curbside recycling pickup to be reduced from weekly to every other week. The City is also proposing the return of neighborhood cleanup service during the non-leaf season February through October. Residents could make an appointment once a year to have household items, furniture, appliances, and large tree limb (no trash) hauled away for free. The City proposal does not address street sweeping. The Association has meet with and reviewed the Neighborhood All-in-One Proposal with Reina Schwartz, Director of General Services. She has agreed to evaluate the Neighborhood All-in-One Proposal to establish a cost base for the plan.

The major difference in the two plans is that the Neighborhood All-in-one plan provides for loose-in-the-street collection once a month with containerized pick-up during the balance of the month. The City's solid waste proposal only provided loose-in-the-street collection during the months of November, December and January. The other 9 months of the year residents would be required to use the containerized disposal process for all green waste. The Council has asked the Solid Waste Division to consider allowing residents to use their one-time-only appointment based household cleanup option for a large green waste pick-up to accommodate tree removal or major pruning.

The CGNA revised All-in-One Solid Waste proposal received support from 76% of those participating in the process. This is up 11% from the 65% support for the initial proposal. We attribute the increased support to the fact that we responded to the comments received in the first evaluation.

More specifically, of the over 280 residents responding, 76% supported the revised All-in-One solid waste proposal, 12% said "No" and 12% had no opinion. Of those supporting the proposal most residents simply acknowledged appreciation and support for the plan. The comments from most of those not supporting the proposal either considered the plan too complicated or simply wanted to retain loose-in-the street collection on a weekly basis. Some of those with no opinion also thought the plan was too complicated. However, a number of responders felt that for any plan to be a success it must have aggressive City enforcement. This point had not been made with the first evaluation. The Association thought the point was valid and indicated in their cover letter to the City representatives that residents felt that for any plan to be effective it must include an enforcement program.

Thank you for assisting the Association in developing a neighborhood proposal to present to the City as an alternative to the current operation. For the record, we were the only neighborhood presenting an alternative for consideration.

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Don't miss Doggy Dash 2012

By Lesley Kirrene

We've placed our order for a sunny spring day, so come on down and join the Sacramento SPCA for the 19th Annual Doggy Dash and Bark at the Park Festival in William Land Park on Saturday, June 9, 2012.

An estimated 5,000 animal enthusiasts will gather both with and without their canine companions to raise funds for animals sheltered at the Sacramento SPCA. Don't miss this unique Sacramento tradition that has evolved into the largest pet-friendly event of its kind in Northern California!

Plan to stay after your 2k or 5k Dash for the Bark at the Park Festival featuring the every-popular Pug Races, High Flying Disc Contest, agility, the pup show, vendors, and so much more.

For more information, or to register for Doggy Dash 2012, visit www.sspca.org or call 504-2802 today!

If you're 60 or older... Have your pet vaccinated free of charge on the FIRST Wednesday of each month at the Sacramento SPCA from 10am – noon. The SPCA is located at 6201 Florin Perkins Road in Sacramento. For more information, call 504-2845. Seniors can also adopt any SPCA animal age five years or older, and your adoption fees will be waived. Check out all of our services for seniors by visiting www.sspca.org or by calling 504-2845.







Free Juggling Workshops Fun for Everyone

The Damento Juggling Club's Annual Festival was a great opportunity for everyone to try their hand at balancing and juggling. It may look easy but looks can be deceiving. Just try balancing a ball on your head while drinking a soda. If you did not attend the workshop this year you may want to put this activity on your February 2013 calendar. In the mean time, you can come to CGNA's National Family Night Out. Some of the Damento Club members have offered to set up a table for those wanting to try their hand at ball juggling, spinning techniques, and contact juggling.

For more information about the Damento Juggling Club call Marcos Hernandez at 572-4128 or visit www.damento.org.







Guide to the Candidates - Primary Election

Editor's note: All candidates were invited to provide an individual photo and 75 word statement for inclusion in this CGNA publication. Statements exceding 75 words were truncated by removing the last sentence until the statement was no more than 75 words. The order in which contests and candidates are listed was determined by a random draw.

Candidates for **Sacramento Mayor**



Jonathan Rewers

As Mayor I will restore and strengthen what is uniquely Sacramento. Our neighborhoods need an ally in City Hall. Arena Finance versus Utility Rate Hikes deserved a balanced discussion about choices and priorities. It was my pleasure to work with you in

the past on the College/Glen Neighborhood Vision and I look forward to making the visions for your neighborhood a reality. My commitment is to be your Mayor, listen and work on your issues.



Kevin Johnson

I was born and raised in Sacramento, the grandson of a union sheet metal worker and the son of a nurse. I believe in our city and its citizens. Since serving as Mayor, I have continued to move our city forward. We have made impressive strides in jobs creation, crime

reduction, economic development, public-private partnerships, education reform and support for the arts. Please go to www. KevinJohnsonForMayor.com to find out more.



Leonard Padilla

Leonard Padilla is best known as a World Famous Bounty Hunter. He founded the Lorenzo Patino School of Law. He strongly opposes the current arena deal, which gives away hundreds of millions in parking revenues to billionaires. Simply put, the City cannot afford this giveaway.

The City has enough problems balancing its budget as it is, without such a huge gift of public monies.



Richard Jones

If elected my plan is to gather about 10 people that I think can tell me what needs to be done for this city. This will be a volunteer group as I think the city is paying too many people at this point. I need certain groups like yours to back me so I can oust Kevin Johnson.

Candidates for **Board of Supervisors, District 3**



Susan Peters

As a community volunteer, businesswoman and now supervisor, I've worked to improve our quality of life by helping to open new parks, improve libraries and keep open Effie Yeaw Nature Center by partnering with a non-profit organization. I've encouraged businesses to invest in our area to create jobs. My

public safety record has earned the support of Sheriff Scott Jones and former Sheriff John McGinness. With your support, we will continue moving Sacramento County forward.

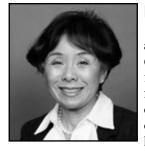


Jeff Kravitz

Jobs. Justice. Common Sense. As a civil rights attorney and constitutional law professor, I stand with the 99%. The banks were bailed out, we were sold out. When elected to the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors (District 3) I will call for a moratorium on foreclosures, government to be accountable to the 99%, not just

the wealthy, and for the supervisors' pay to be cut in half. We need change now. www.kravitzforsupervisor.com.

Candidate for US House of Representatives, Dist.6 (D)



Doris Matsui

I am honored to serve in Congress and look forward to running in the new 6th Congressional District. The priorities for our region are many: higher levels of flood protection, expanding transportation options, creating new jobs and growing our economy, and bringing our troops home from Afghanistan. I will continue to

protect Social Security and Medicare, while fighting to ensure every American has access to high quality health care.

The deadline to register to vote for this election is May 21, 2012!

Turn back to page 10 for all the details on how to register.

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Candidates for US House of Representatives, Dist.6 (R)



Joseph McCray

My campaign platform is based on the strong moral and ethical values that have governed my life (family, religion and education). My primary issues are i) jobs and the economy ii) debt reduction iii) strong defense iv) legal immigration and v) a failing education system. My website www. josephmccraysr.com details these issues and

offers solutions. I am results oriented with 36 honorable years in the US Military and over 10 years as a local small businessman.



Erik Smitt

My focus is on jobs, jobs and jobs; Keynesian stimulus spending has been tried and failed. I am a strong advocate for employers and workers. We will turn around the economy through small business growth; this requires less red tape and access to financing. My career has been focused on private manufacturing, finances and

government regulations; I have experienced regulation from the user side and have resolved differences to the satisfaction of all parties. www. ErikSmittforCongress.com

Candidates for City Council, District 6



Kevin McCarty

As your Councilmember, I've fought for College Glen and District 6—however my work is not done. I'll continue fighting for parks and community centers; target neglectful absentee landlords; work with police going after illegal guns; and partner with our schools. I created our Independent City Auditor, and I'm pushing for a Whistleblower Hotline to

report waste, fraud and abuse. I'll continue to ask the tough questions and fight for the right priorities for Sacramento.



Mitch Netto

Sacramento cannot cut or tax our way out of the problem - we need to grow our economy. Sacramento is ranked near the bottom as a place to do business -- we have to make it easier for them to grow our economy and create jobs.

Community pools, libraries & neighborhood centers have been closed or cut

- and there's still more red ink in the budget.

Candidate for **State Assembly, District 7 (D)**



Roger Dickinson

To those who expect responsible and effective government that keeps its promises, I hear you. The time is now to stop balancing the budget on the backs of hard working families. We must bring our government's focus back to

investing in people. I will fight to preserve programs like Meals on Wheels, keep families from foreclosure, and work to make healthcare and prescription drugs affordable. I would be honored to represent you in the Assembly.

Candidate for **State Assembly, District 7 (R)**



Jonathan Zachariou

The 7th Assembly District is a wonderful, diverse urban, suburban and rural, rich with resourses and human talent, amicable, filled with natural beauty and in close proximity to some of the most beautiful places on earth. Our political leadership

has lost touch with the people's needs and is squandering and mismanaging our resources. It's time to take it back, return to optimism and progress. If California can't do it right then who on Earth can?

Tuesday, June 5, 2012



Polls open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 8:00 p.m.

Registger to Vote by May 21, 2012 For voting information call: 875-6451

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