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A few favorite things

Holiday parade returns downtown, bringing crowds and fun with it

By JEREMY TWITCHELL

Hundreds of spectators braved 40-degree weather and threatening storm clouds Dec. 8 to witness the return of the Winterfest Parade to the city's annual celebration.

More than 60 entries responded to the city's call, representing local businesses, schools, clubs and church groups. Soldiers from the Marine Forces Reserve's 6th Motor Transport Battalion out of Las Vegas represented the parade's grand marshal, the Toys for Tots program.

Toys for Tots is an annual drive by the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve to collect Christmas gifts for needy children. It is celebrating its 60th anniversary.

"It lets everybody know what we're actually out there doing - collecting new toys for the children who need them," Cpl. Eric Grimblot

The parade was last held in 2004, with the Foothill High School Student Council organizing the event. The parade was not held in 2005 and 2006, while construction was ongoing along Water Street and at the Downtown Events Center.

Marines in the 6th Motors said they aren't used to playing such a visible role in the toy drive, but welcomed the



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A teacher leads students from John Dooley Elementary School down Water Street for the Winterfest parade. Despite the cold weather, hundreds of people scattered themselves around the street to watch the event.

opportunity.

"It was a great experience," Sgt. Ana Juarez said. "We normally don't do parades ... we're usually just

out collecting toys." Families and children Events Center.

lined the sidewalks along the parade route, which ran along Water Street from Ocean Drive to Victory Road. Collection bins for toys were placed at the Henderson

Henderson residents Liz Messenger and Jeff Field brought their 2-year-old daughter Jazlynn to see her 17-year-old sister Amanda march with the Foothill High School Drama Team.

"It's been wonderful," Messenger said. "It's a beautiful day and it's been a great parade ... It's just a great day to get family together."

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Sculptors' can-do attitude creates works of art



STEPHEN R. SYLVANIE/SPECIAL TO THE

Rosemary Shaw adds a few cans to the top of a champagne bottle constructed out of canned food. The glass and bottle were created by a team from KGA Architecture.

By JEREMY TWITCHELL

Hope took many forms during the annual Canstruction competition at Henderson's Winterfest: a rocket ship, a champagne bottle and a football stadium, to name a few.

Each of the 10 entries in this year's eventused canned food items to create an artistic display in a friendly competition that drew building, engineering and design firms from around the Las Vegas Valley.

At the end of Winterfest, the teams donated the nearly 30,000 cans of food they used to the Henderson Salvation Army.

"It's giving back to the community," said Aida Baez, whose team from design firm Dekker Perich Sabatini built

'The main goal for us in doing this is that the canned food will go to those who need it.'

Spokeswoman for Dekker Perich Sabatini

a re-creation of the Hoover Dam. "Definitely the main goal for us in doing this is that the canned food will go to those who need it."

The teams had been working on the project for anywhere from a few weeks to two months, coming up with ideas, then using computer modeling to make sure the idea was stable and to plan how many cans they would need. Some teams did dry construction runs in the office before arriving at the Henderson Events Plaza Dec.

Canstruction is an international organization that sponsors competitions in 102 cities in the United States, Canada and Australia. The Las Vegas/Henderson competition is in its 11th

vear. "I think it's creative," said Maggie Allred, chairwoman of the local event. "It's a creative outlet without being work. (Designers) do this every day, but this is for fun."

Allred said there is a friendly competition between the competing firms, though nearly everyone wins

in the competition, which handed out awards to six of the 10 entries.

"The Gingerbread House," built by Sigma Engineering Solutions with Ninvo and Moore, won Best Meal, the award given to the entry that used a variety of canned foods that would best repre-

sent a complete meal. The Best Use of Labels Award went to JMA Architecture Studios' "Winnie the Pooh and the Honey Pot." The entry's creators used a combination of yellow, red, black and blue cans to make a colorful recreation of the

cartoon bear. YWS Architects won the Structural Ingenuity Award for its "Hand" entry, which featured a giant hand offer-

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By JEREMY TWITCHELL

The Henderson City Council unanimously approved a \$100,000 subsidy Dec. 11 to bring down ticket prices at the Da Vinci Experience exhibit and an additional \$50,000 to boost its marketing efforts.

"We wanted to offer promotional rates to Nevada residents," said Bud Pico, manager of cultural arts and tourism programs for Henderson. "In order for that to happen, (the exhibit owners) have costs that they need to make up — the tents, the heating and the exhibit's infrastructure, for example."

The Da Vinci Experience is a traveling exhibit that features more than 60 working replicas of the famed inventor's creations. Among the items Da Vinci built or sketched were a helicopter, a bicycle and a robot.

A number of Da Vinci's paintings have also been reproduced for the

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Middle school students may be rezoned

By FRANCES VANDERPLOEG

The Clark County School District's Attendance Zone Advisory Committee is considering the rezoning of more than 100 Henderson students at the middle school level, affecting Lyle Burkholder and Bob Miller middle schools. Meanwhile, it has dropped plans to rezone Coronado and Green Valley high schools.

New zone boundaries for Coronado, Green Valley and Liberty high schools had been drawn to relieve overcrowding at Coronado and better utilize Liberty, School District officials said. Those plans were withdrawn Dec. 11 after the advisory committee reviewed Coronado

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Lake Mead Marina to float back to original spot

6 for the real thing.

By CASSIE TOMLIN

After 43 years, Lake Mead Marina is returning to its

In February, the restaurant, store and more than 450 docked boats will float from their location off Lakeshore Road nearly five miles south near the Lake Mead shoreline to Hemenway Harbor, the site of the marina's construction in the 1960s, General Manager Paul Chan-

The marina parked in its current spot in 1965.

In recent years, diminishing lake levels have made the basin too shallow to house the boats and the businesses, and Chandler, a secondgeneration harbor master at the dock, is busy preparing. for the move.

The view from his office perched above the marina shop spans the entire harbor, including slip No. 1, which belonged to him as a child when his father ran the

One aerial photograph shows the marina now. Another has been altered to show what it should look like early next year at Hemenway Harbor after the move.

"It's going to be quite an interesting day," he said. Sometime around Feb. 7,

8, or 9 when the winds are low, Chandler and crew will release the "15 acres of floating fun," as he called it, from 360,000 pounds of concrete anchors in the water and 12,000 pounds on the shore and send it adrift. Chandler said about 20

strategically placed powerboats will maneuver the

mass, very slowly, out of the

small bay.

A coffer dam that protected the harbor from wind had to be knocked down to make the opening big enough for the floating island. They will orchestrate the

move with assistance of the Grippentog family, who recently celebrated their Las Vegas Boat Harbor's 50th anniversary, said Gail Kaiser, whose maiden name is Grippentog.

Kaiser, a manager at Las Vegas Boat Harbor, which floats in Hemenway Harbor, said the family is ne-

gotiating to buy Lake Mead Marina from Seven Crown Resorts.

Her company has already been through this drill: It moved a marina in 2003 from Las Vegas Bay, where it had been since 1957.

Lake Mead Marina's move made the timing right for the proposed acquisition, she said, and she hopes the deal will be done - one way or another — by the move.

She said the family owned business would be a service

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In cooperation with the Home News, area police agencies have provided information on the number of red light and stop sign violations and fatalities due to those violations in their jurisdictions during the week indicated and for the year to date.

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Year to date	15	1	0



Pet of the week

This is Naia. She is a 5-monthold spayed German Shepherd. Her ID number is 243196, and she is at the Henderson Animal Shelter, 300 E. Galleria. She and other pets can be viewed at www.cityofhenderson.com/animal.

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HENDERSON ANIMAL SHELTER

Suspects face trial

By DAVE CLARK

Two men who police say are responsible for a string of burglaries in the Las Vegas area have pleaded not guilty in District Court.

Henderson Police said Tad Maserang, 37, and Joseph Galbo, 38, were arrested July 13 during an alleged burglary at the Tuscany Grill on South Eastern Avenue. Metro Police said at the time of their arrest that they may be responsible for as many as 32 burglaries in the western part of the Las Vegas Valley.

Galbo faces seven burglary-related charges, including four felonies. He was arraigned Oct. 25 before District Judge Kevin Williams and invoked his right to a trial within 60 days. His trial is slated to begin at 1:30 p.m., Dec. 26. Maserang was indicted by a grand jury Oct. 31 and pleaded not guilty Nov. 14 to 25 charges. A jury trial in his case is expected to begin 1:30 p.m. Feb. 19.

During the alleged burglary at Tuscany Grill, police said, the front door of the restaurant had been pried open.

A cook in the kitchen heard the noise and called police. Henderson Police said they arrested the duo outside Tuscany Grill.

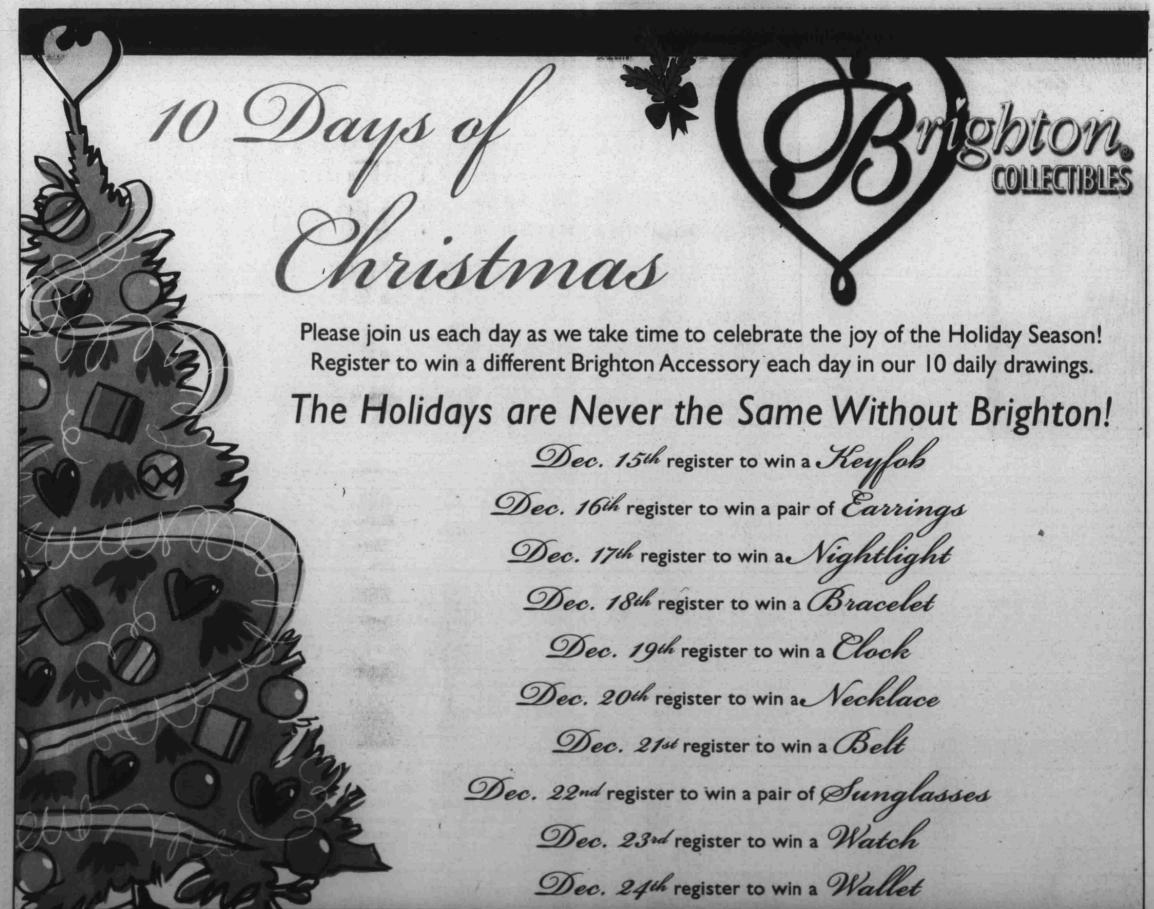
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Santa Run creates record

By the Home News

More than 7,000 people came together Dec. 1 for the Las Vegas Great Santa Run, setting a record in the Guinness Book of World Records for the largest group of Santa-clad people running.

On Dec. 9 more than 13,000 people got together in Northern Ireland, officially dashing Las Vegas' record.



The 'real' Santa giving kids year-round hope

By JEFF POPE

Terry Arentz is known by several names: Kris Kringle, St. Nick, Santa Claus. And as long he's wearing the red suit, he is whomever young children want to believe he is.

"I've done things where people say, 'You're the real Santa. You're the Coca-Cola Santa," he said. "I take it as a compliment:"

Arentz has portrayed Santa for seven years at the Las Vegas Outlet Center and for 25 years overall visiting children in hospitals and foster homes and working for Disney and Warner Brothers.

In that time, Arentz has been a part of some Christmas miracles that make the job so enjoyable.

A mother brought her 4year-old son to see him four years ago. The boy had leukemia and his mother thought he would never have a chance to meet Santa again.

"Last year, he was 8," Arentz said. "She thought that I had said something that had touched that child in a way that gave the child some spirit. I hope they come by this

Arentz has done his part to make the legend of Santa Claus last as long as possible. Most children lose their faith around 9 years old, he said.

Years ago, Arentz was



Santa, or Terry Arentz, talks to Emma Hagen, 4, about presents and reindeer before posing for a picture with her at Las Vegas Outlet Center on Dec. 7. Arentz has been bringing the magic of Santa to children for 25

working at a mall in Glendale, Calif., when two sisters, ages 8 and 9, came to see him.

The girls didn't know, but their father approached Arentz and told them how he makes bootprints leading from the chimney to the tree every year. The previous Christmas they had a hard time removing the soot. So the father asked if he could say something about the

mess, hoping it would help his oldest daughter believe for just one more year.

"I could tell which one was the nonbeliever because she didn't want to be there. She had kind of an attitude." Arentz said. "Her sister still had that fresh look."

The oldest girl seemed bored and unimpressed until he took their hands and apologized for leaving tracks of er year," he said.

The nonbeliever snapped to attention, her eyes wide staring at him in disbelief, he said. After they finished the usual routine, the girls ran to tell their father what Arentz had said. They started to walk away when the father turned around and gave him a thumbs up.

"So there was at least anoth-

When children ask if he's real, he has them tug on his beard or pat his belly and then asks them what they think. The white beard and the "bowl full of jelly" are real, which earn him some double takes throughout the year. That's fine with him.

"Having the white beard all year, I get the second looks and I just thrive on it," he

The children he meets as Santa have changed during past few decades. Girls today say their favorite school subject is math and ask for Dora the Explorer more than Barbie, he said. Boys mostly ask for video game systems.

"There's never been anything that I can say has been bizarre or out of line," Arentz said. "The one thing, sometimes a child comes up and they want mommy and daddy together. That almost always invariably catches me off guard."

When he's not trying to keep the magic alive, Arentz, 68, works part time as a loan officer for Anchor Mortgage.

But he truly loves being Santa.

"When you look into the eyes of a child, I'm telling you there's nothing like it," he said. "It's absolutely magical."

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Park plans receive revisions

By ASHLEY LIVINGSTON

The city's Parks and Recreation Board has unanimously approved a revised plan for Inspirada's new community park, Experienza.

Board members had expressed concerns that there was only one restroom and that the park, on Via Firenze and Del Terra Avenue, between the Solista and Ceramista villages and adjacent to a future elementary school site, lacked a playground.

In response, planners from Focus Property Group worked with Parks and Recreation staff on a new design that relocates one restroom to an area closer to the multiuse fields and to include an additional restroom on the west side of the park near the basketball courts, Park Planner Patricia Ayala said.

A creative play structure was also added, she said.

To make these additions, planners took out one basketball court, one tennis court and the sand volleyball court, leaving the park with four basketball courts, four tennis courts and a grass volleyball court, according to Focus Property Group's presentation to the parks board.

Experienza will also feature open play areas, group picnic areas with barbecues and multi-use paths. The paths will be part of a 19mile trail system planned for the community.

A date for groundbreaking has yet to be set, Elaine Howser, community development director for Focus Property Group, said.

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Bell ringers swinging across the valley for charity

By JEFF POPE

The holiday bell ringing season is in full swing for the Salvation Army. With about 100 red kettles set up throughout the Las Vegas Valley since Nov. 16, the Las Vegas chapter of the Christian charity's goal is to exceed the \$200,000 total from last year.

It's about \$20,000 ahead of last season's pace, coordinator Mark Bryant said.

"The sound of the bell reaches right into the pockets of people," Bryant said. "Most people are very generous but I think if they're having a bad day, they've been giving less."

The Strip is hosting additional kettles this year, which has led to the fullest kettles of any area in town. The charity has received help from an

'The sound of the bell reaches right into the pockets of people."

Mark Bryant, Kettle coordinator

unlikely source.

"You know those guys passing out the fliers with

the women on them? They've been handing out their fliers and saying, 'Hey here's the Salvation Army. Help them," Bryant said.

The Salvation Army distributed about \$19 million in valley communities last year, Bryant said. The majority of funds has gone to homeless shelters and substance abuse rehabilitation programs.

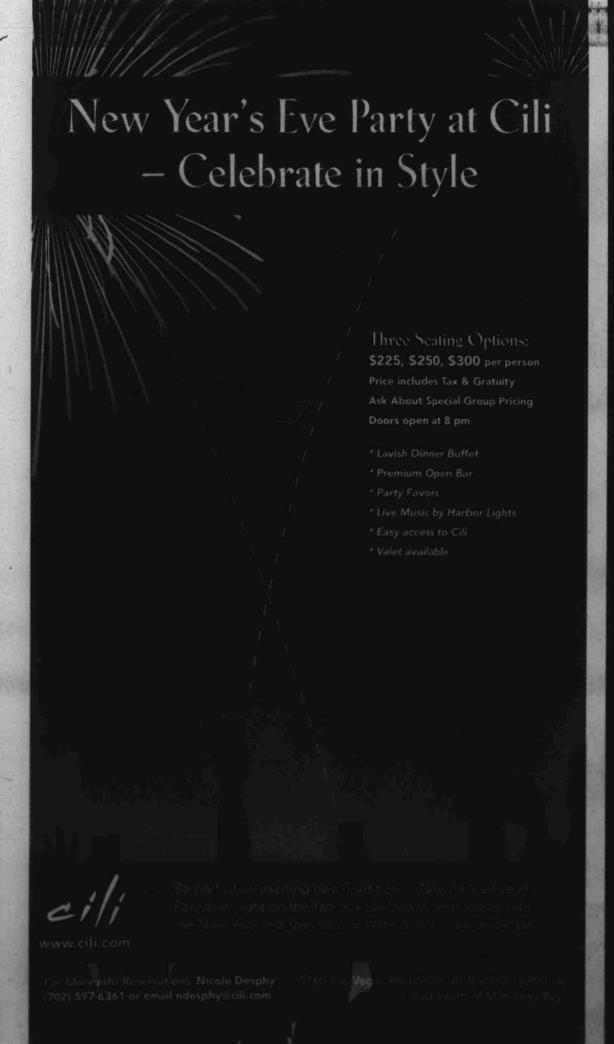
Some bell ringers are vol-

unteers and some are paid \$7 an hour. About half of the bell ringers are also living in the shelters, Bryant said.

"Giving back to the program that helped them is what they like to do," he said.

Donations to the kettles can also be made online at http:// give.salvationarmyusa.org.

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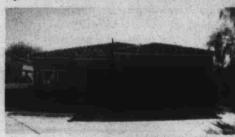
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CAUCUS '08

Caucus educators in full swing before Jan. 19

By JEREMY TWITCHELL

As Jan. 19 grows closer, a number of interest groups are getting into the caucus preparation game in an effort to get their issues to the forefront.

Groups including the AARP and Nevada State Education Association held recent caucus training events in Southern Nevada, tailoring the message to the specific needs of their members.

"We're trying to support what (the political parties) are doing," teacher and Nevada State Education Association member Peg Bean said. "But we're approaching it from (teachers') own self interest and their job."

On Dec. 5, Bean conducted a training event for about two dozen educators from south Las Vegas and Henderson at Del-Sol High School.



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Using candy, reading teacher Clara Munk, right, of Gilbert Magnet Elementary, tries to persuade English teacher Peggy O'Neill, of Valley High, to join her group in support of Raisinettes versus Skittles during a mock democratic caucus.

The day before, AARP held a effort to increase awareness caucus awareness event at the Green Valley Library as part of its Divided We Fail campaign, a multi-organizational

of health care and financial security issues.

The library event was not a mock caucus like the political

done, AARP Nevada spokeswoman Deborah Moore said, but rather an educational meeting designed to focus on what a caucus is and why it's important for voters to participate. The group has also begun airing commercials locally to encourage voters to attend the caucuses in January.

"The parties are hoping that it's the campaigns and interest groups that do most of the mobilizing, because the parties have their hands full just with the organization," said David Damore, an associate professor of political science at UNLV, who specializes in elections and campaigns.

Organizers for the interest groups say their events are not meant to fill any perceived gaps in the parties' efforts.

"Not at all," Moore said. "We think the parties are doing

parties and other groups have a great job reaching out to their members. We have had a very strong campaign to get people thinking about health care and financial security issues as they look at the candidates."

Since the interest groups are officially nonpartisan, their efforts focus on issues, not candidates. But the groups differ in their approach.

The teachers' mock caucus emphasized the party platform and how to submit proposals at the local caucus. The proposals will be refined, combined as necessary, and voted on at the county conventions.

The process allows voters and groups to exercise a bigger role in shaping policy, Bean said, using the controversial No Child Left Behind Act as an example.

"No Child Left Behind is a

huge issue for all of us and we have some ideas on that," she said. "We don't think it's working and that's something that needs to be worked out down the line, but that has to start at this level."

The Divided We Fail effort, meanwhile, makes no mention of the platform process, Moore said, rather asking voters to use their own litmus test on health care and financial security to evaluate each

'We encourage people to sign our pledge and articulate why these issues should be the top domestic issues on each candidate's agenda," she said. "Voters should really consider these issues as they examine the candidates."

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Gov. Richardson makes valley stop

By JEREMY TWITCHELL

With Nevada's caucus just six weeks away. New Mexico Gov. Bill Richardson, a candidate for the Democratic nomination, made what he called a "crunch time" visit Dec. 8 to a house party in Sun City Anthem.

Richardson addressed a group of about 100 supporters and curious residents for more than 30 minutes, touching briefly on a wide range of topics, including the hotbutton issues of Iraq, health care and oil prices; but also branching out to areas such as education and transportation funding.

With most polls showing Richardson in fourth place in the race for the Democratic nomination, the governor also addressed his viability as a candidate.

"I know that many of you are saying, deep down: 'Can he win?" Richardson said. "You see all these national polls (Hillary) Clinton, (Barack) Obama, (John Edwards), then Bill Richardson."

But Richardson pointed to a steady rise in the polls and asked those present for their continued support.

"I just want the opportunity to prove to you that this is a country with enormous potential," he said.

Steven and Felice Sacks, who hosted the event in their home, said they found out just three days beforehand that Richardson would attend their planned event.

"I had filled out the card volunteering the house for a house party some time ago, of course, not knowing that the governor would be present," Steven Sacks said.

Sacks identified himself as a lifelong Democrat, but said he was not involved in poli-

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tics until he retired. The fact that Nevada is an early caucus state helped spur him, like many of those attending, into action.

"I think it's significant that we're right on the heels of

Iowa," he said. "It's so down to the roots in the terms of how politics happen."

As he left the party, Richardson said the grass-

roots nature of a house party is ideal for creating success in a caucus.

"You've got to get out and go person to person," he said. "In a caucus, it's grass-roots You can't expect the media and the money to do it. You've got to go from house to house

and town to town." Ken Rosenberg, a Sun City Anthem resident who helped set up the meeting, credited the additional free time that came with retirement in helping him become politically active.

"There's not really anything more important that I can do with my time than support somebody who I think would be the best candidate for president of the United States," he said.

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Immigration big topic during Hunter visit

By JEREMY TWITCHELL

Republican presidential candidate Rep. Duncan Hunter, R-Calif., took part in a roundtable discussion in Henderson on Dec. 11 in which he focused on international trade, immigration and Iran.

Hunter, a 13-term congressman representing the San Diego County area, also took a number of questions from the audience of about two dozen, stretching his visit to about an hour.

Hunter opened his remarks discussing immigration, pointing out that he authored legislation requiring the federal government to build 854 miles of double fences along the U.S. Mexico border to curtail illegal traffic between the

He pledged that, if elected, he would see that the roughly 800 miles of the fence that have not been built would be up within six months.

Hunter directed a large portion of his



growing trade deficit, particularly focusing on China and accusing that country of artificially

lowering its currency value in order to sell cheaper goods in the United States, a practice forbidden by trade law.

"China is arming," he said. "They're becoming a military superpower, stepping into the shoes of the Soviet Union, cuses Jan. 19, because they

and they're doing it with American dollars."

Hunter said he would engage in "mirror trade" by assessing countervailing duties against countries that inflate the cost of American goods to "level the playing field."

Hunter is the fifth presidential candidate to visit Henderson in the past month, following Democrats John Edwards and Bill Richardson and fellow Republicans Rudy Giuliani and Mitt Romney. Rep. Ron Paul, R-Texas, was scheduled to visit the Henderson International School on Dec. 13.

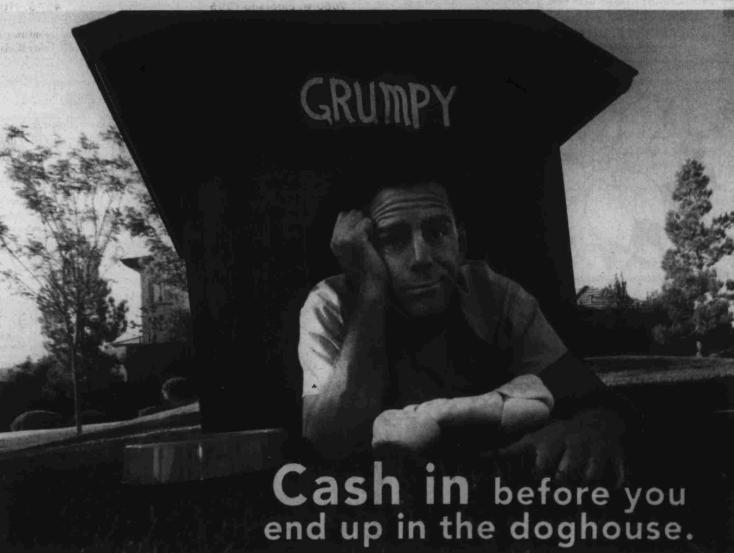
Terri Coronado-Dunn, president of the Republican Women of Henderson, said all of the visits will play a major role in the presidential caudrum up interest and support from the average voter.

"I'll do whatever I can to get any of the candidates recognized," she said.

As he left the meeting, Hunter said Nevada has become a key state for Republicans, given the big push that Democratic candidates have made in recent months.

"I think this is a time for Republicans to go to our core values of strong national de fense, enforceable borders and job security," he said. "I think that doing so will allow us to recruit more Republicans and strenghthen those that are already in the party."

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Green Valley

HIGH SCHOOL

Green Valley

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Winter jazz concert is Dec. 14. Sadie Hawkins dance begins at 7 p.m. Dec. 15.

Winter week is Dec. 17-21. **Southeast Career Technical**

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Student Organization of Latinos club serves Christmas meal to the homeless Dec. 15.

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MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Holiday Shoppe runs Dec. 13-15. Choir and instrument ensemble program begins at 6

The Madrigal Singers from Green Valley High School — from left, Dean Balan, Aubrey Colvin, Tyler Baldwin,

Abigail Tingey, Alex Baskin, Anna Hyaes, Chris Gubier and McCall Magness — pose for a photo during a World

AIDS Day event on Dec. 1. The event was hosted by AFAN, Golden Rainbow, United Healthcare and the Nevada

State Health Division to mark World AIDS Day with an interactive presentation at the DragronRidge Country

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p.m. Dec. 19. Science Fair kickoff is Dec. 20.

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South Valley

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1001 Coronado Center Drive

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MIDDLE SCHOOL

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21 in the library. Winter band concert begins at 5 p.m. Dec. 17 in the gym. Winter orchestra concert begins at 7 p.m. Dec. 18 in the

Winter choir concert begins at 7 p.m. Dec. 19 in the gym.

Del Webb

2200 Reunion Drive 799-1305

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95 S. Arroyo Grande Blvd. 263-9646

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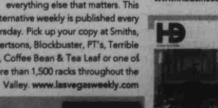


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HENDERSON SCHOOLS

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School collecting for its own Angel Tree

Basic High School is providing support to students in need this holiday season.

The school has placed an Angel Tree in the staff lounge. Employees are helping stu-dents by donating holiday gifts, including toys for students' younger siblings and cash donations.

For more information, call the school at 799-8000.

Scholarship deadline for AXA approaching

Applications for the national AXA Foundation Achievement Scholarship must be postmarked by Dec. 15.

Nationally, 52 high school seniors will be awarded \$10,000. Another 10 will receive \$15,000.

Applicants must plan to attend an accredited two-year or four-year college or university in the United Stated by fall

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Applications due soon for scholarship

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The application includes a 50-200 word essay on the person who had the greatest impact on the applicant's life and a 50-200 word essay on what the applicant hopes to achieve in his or her personal and professional life after completing

Applications are available at www.all-ink.com/scholarship.html.

Students to wrap gifts at Toys R Us

Ulis Newton Elementary School fourth graders will host a gift-wrapping fundraiser Dec. 15-16 at Toys R Us, 1425 W. Sunset Road.

The students will be at the store from 8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. raising money for their field trip to Carson City on

For more information, call the school at 799-0500.

Coronado names month's top students

Coronado High School Students of the Month for November are: Jon Berberich, Nicholas Brown, Kaitlin Busser, Chloe Dean, Jacob Goodman, Brendan Karagiozis, Christopher Ligon, Kyle McCall, Austin Owens, Neelam Phalke, Maxim Tumanov and Kevin Vernon.

Woman receives scholarship to teach

Henderson resident Barbara Tosques has been awarded the Transition to Teaching Scholarship from Western Governors University.

The scholarship is available to those who are interested in teaching at high-need schools.

The money will go to pay for Tosques to earn her teacher licensure in either elementary, mathematics or science.

Western Governors University is a fully accredited, nonprofit, online university that was created by 19 western state governors to give access to education for adult-learn-

Western Governors Uiversity's competency based programs allow non-traditional students to earn their degrees and certifications in information technology, business, teacher education or health care-more rapidly than in a traditional university setting.

Supporting our troops

Children at Nate Mack make holiday care packages for soldiers overseas

By FRANCES VANDERPLOEG

As class started Dec. 6, second graders in Theresa Hermmany's art class at Nate Mack Elementary School eagerly grabbed supplies to begin making their snowflakes, one part of an ongoing project they've been working on to benefit U.S. soldiers.

Three units stationed in Iraq have been identified to receive the packages. For gifts, the students have been making holiday decorations, writing letters of thanks and collecting food and toiletries to send to the troops.

The second graders said they didn't know a lot about the soldiers being in Iraq, but they knew their gifts would make an impact.

"We want to make the soldiers happy," Miranda Lopez, 8, said.

Assistant Principal Linnea Westwood said that the entire staff and student body have been involved with the project in one way or another.

A writing specialist came in to help the students write their letters and make sure they are as appropriate and meaningful as possible, Westwood said, and the art teacher has been making sure all of the classes make decorations to contribute.

Each student had an opportunity to write a letter to the soldiers, and they had a variety of things to talk about.

"I said thank you for your help," Bryce Gjersing, 7, said. "Thank you for giving us our freedom.

Bryce, along with other students, said he didn't know too much about Iraq and the soldiers there.

He knew his mom told him about it, but the details were fuzzy. None of the students had parents serving over-

One thing Bryce was sure of, though, was that his efforts would help the soldiers.

"It's an early present," Kohlton Crooks, 7, said.

The students are doing many projects for the holidays, but at least a couple felt

'I said thank you for you for giving us our

Bryce Gjersing, Seven-year-old supporter

the art project — decorating foam snowflakes, in the case of the second graders - was their favorite.

"I really like decorating them," Miranda said, emphasizing just how much she liked it.

Jaqueline Lopez-Ortiz, 8, explained that the students get to put stickers on the snowflakes as part of the decorations, making each one unique. She also said decorating snowflakes was her favorite activity.

Mack students aren't the only ones working to help soldiers for the holiday season. Student council members at David M. Cox Elementary recruited their peers to bring in items that could be sent to soldiers the school was spon-

The students sponsored male soldiers, Student Council Adviser Lorilea Grenstiner said, so they wanted to acquire things that men might like: jerky, card games, journals and pens marked only a few things on the council's most wanted list. The students were able to send off four boxes of items for Thanksgiving, and Grenstiner said she would like to send off another four boxes for Christmas

Beyond the collections, an Angel Tree was recently placed in the school's lobby, Grenstiner said.

She's hoping staff, students and their parents will get involved so that local children would receive Christmas presents. Within the last couple of months, they also completed a holiday food drive.

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MONA SHIELD PAYNE/SPECIAL TO THE HOME NEWS

After cutting a folded piece of paper, fourth-grader Kevin Meng is amazed at how cool looking his snowflake turned out and proudly shows his friend in Mrs. Bischsel's art class. As part of a holiday gift-giving project, students at Nate Mack Elementary School made care packages Dec. 6 full of letters, colored pictures and handmade decorations for American soldiers in Iraq.



MONA SHIELD PAYNE/SPECIAL TO THE HOME NEWS

While singing holiday songs, first graders Savannah Due and Ryan Lukur write letters and color pictures to send to American soldiers serving in Iraq for the holidays in Mrs. Abelt's English, language and art class at **Nate Mack Elementary School.**

Study determines year-round schedule here to stay

By FRANCES VANDERPLOEG

A Clark County School District study group has determined that yearround schools are here to stay as long as growth continues in the Las Vegas Valley, but it recommends improving communication with parents.

Superintendent Walt Rulffes formed the group in July. Its members met seven times beginning in September, inviting professionals, teachers and parents to provide further information on nine-month versus year-round school calendars.

Through that information, the group determined that there is no proven benefit of one calendar over the other in regard to academic achievement, attendance or operating costs per pupil.

Several recommendations were made to Rulffes, many exploring the idea of increased communication. At

an October discussion session, Lauren Kohut-Rost, deputy superintendent of instruction for the Clark County School District and a member of the study group, noted that parents are often uninformed when it comes time to make a calendar conversion.

'We never say to the parents that we're moving up to this trigger, we're going to convert," she said. "All the sudden we turn on the light, and it's time to convert them."

Many parents assume that because their child's school has portables to make up for overcrowding, the school should be allowed to continue functioning with portables rather than convert to year-round.

Their misconception comes from the fact that the School District did not explain well enough that the portables were given to help the school as it gets closer to the trigger point, Kohut-Rost said. Portables are generally

given with the understanding that the school will be converting the next year, she said, but that is not communicated.

Some parents, particularly in the Southeast Region, have offered to pay for portables for the school rather than convert to a year-round schedule. Mary Beth Scow, School Board representative for Henderson, said that idea is brought to her whenever calendar conversions come up, and she questioned the possibility of allowing parents to do so if they choose.

Each portable provides two classrooms and costs about \$75,000, Sharon Dattoli, director for the School District's demographics and zoning department, said. It costs an additional \$5,000 to get the portable set up.

Steve Garnett, a parent and member of the group, argued that allowing parents to pay to keep from converting would be unfair, because some regions are wealthier and more capable of doing so. Beyond that, lunch rooms and bathrooms only hold so many people, he said.

In the report, the group decided that the year-round policy and its function to prevent or relieve overcrowding at schools - should be introduced to parents long before a school must convert. Within 30 days of the annual student count, the principal of a school being considered for a calendar change must send written communication to parents and hold faceto-face meetings, the report said.

Rulffes will present the group's findings to the School Board Dec. 13. He will then determine what changes he wants to make to the current conversion policy, which will be voted on at a later meeting.

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A TEACHER'S VIEW René Hill

Parents need to know when to let go of their child's education



Many high school students are taking their SAT and ACT tests and sending off applications to their college choices,

and for some of them, their parents are at their sides helping with all of the work.

This is an important job, and many students do need help in navigating through the decisions and choices college provides. But it is important to understand that your child will be on his or her own soon, and it is just as important to let them make as many choices and decisions as possible on their own. This will make the transition to college life easier.

Many students are choosing to attend two-year and community colleges due to their affordability and close proximity to home. According to an article in the Journal of Higher Education, this trend is growing with many first-generation college

As a result, many colleges are providing programs for parents, because institu-

students.

tions are reporting more inquiries from students' parents and family members. Skagit Valley College in northwest Washington, for example, has had a program for parents for several years. The program includes a parent orientation, which lets parents know what they have access to as far as student

It is important to remember that your child is considered an adult by the college,

child take academic responsibility during the last years of high school. They are better able to take care of their work and study when necessary.

The sooner students understand their need to be responsible, the easier the transition to college will be.

Here in the Clark County School District, students are offered the opportunity to begin the college experience early. There are several schools with dual campuses.

As parents, we all want to see our children succeed, and we are tempted to get involved. While educational involvement is necessary, it is also a good idea to begin to cut the apron strings before the child begins college. There is a fine balance between being a supportive parent and one who tends to run everything for the child.

René Hill is a special education and former English teacher in the Clark County School District. She can be reached c/o The News, 2290 Corporate Circle, Suite 250, Henderson, NV 89074 or editor@ hbcpub.com.

and you as a parent have no This is great if your student right to your child's informais motivated and wants to begin working toward coltion. That is why it is important to start letting your lege credits.

Man accused pleads guilty to battery with deadly weapon

By DAVE CLARK

A man accused of trying to run another vehicle off the road and beating his girlfriend within sight of other motorists pleaded guilty to a charge of battery with use of a deadly weapon Nov. 27 in exchange for reduced charges.

Kyle David Jackson, 27, is scheduled to be sentenced 9 a.m. Jan. 7 before District murder and kidnapping.

and circumstances in the case, he decided that it was in his best interest," Jackson's attorney Jess Marchese said. "The kidnapping charge was a non-probationable offense. By negotiation he was offered

Deputy District Attorney probation to 10 years in pris-

Lake Mead Parkway and Boulder Highway. She had been screaming that a man was trying to kill her, witnesses told

After she jumped into the bed of a nearby pickup, police said, Jackson rammed the truck several times, causing it to overturn and eject the woman. He then picked up the woman and sped away, traveling a dirt road in the area of Sunset and Pabco roads.

Detectives located Jackson Aug. 29 in an apartment near Owens and Eastern avenues, but he initially refused to leave, police said, resulting in the evacuation of roughly 35 apartments. After firing tear gas into the dwelling, police entered and took Jackson into

ing a 4 1/2-hour standoff.

Jackson has a prior criminal record, according to court records, including a 2005 conviction on an attempted battery/domestic violence charge. He was found to have violated probation in 2006 for carrying

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County may ban alcohol in parks

By JEFF POPE

The Clark County Commission is considering a partial ban on alcohol at county parks, playgrounds and community centers.

The ban would apply to youth athletic events and general everyday use of the public facilities. Alcoholic drinks would still be allowed in designated areas, during adult athletic events or with permits. Glass containers are not allowed.

District E Commissioner Chris Giunchigliani said she was at a community center in her district and saw a few people loitering and drinking near children

The change to the ordinance would allow park and Metro Police officers to keep people who are drinking away from minors.

The county already prohibits open alcoholic containers in most areas but existing laws do not specifically address parks.

Since the municipalities in the valley already have similar laws, the partial ban also would allow consistent enforcement.

"I think what we need to do more of in the valley is constructive consolidation of our ordinances so people don't hopscotch around if they get kicked out of one park, they go to another where police can't do anything," Giunchigliani said. "If it's wrong someplace, it should be across jurisdictions."

The commission plans to hold a public hearing about the proposed changes during its scheduled meeting on Dec. 18.

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Judge Lee Gates. The original charges included attempted

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a shot at probation."

Danielle Pieper said Jackson's sentence could range from

Jackson was arrested after a chase Aug. 27, when police said a woman had escaped from Jackson's car, only to be abducted again after fleeing in a truck at the intersection of

police.

custody around 9:30 p.m, end-

a knife.

Witness states scuffle led to man's death

By DAVE CLARK

A witness to a Sept. 23 fatal stabbing in the Railroad Pass parking lot described arguments that led to the violent confrontation during a hearing Dec. 5 in Henderson Justice Court.

Jeffrey Becker, 25, died after being stabbed at Railroad Pass while trying to drive with a friend to the hospital.

Defense attorney Thomas Ericsson used the preliminary hearing testimony to paint 58year-old Colbert Nichols, who is charged with murder, as a man reluctantly engaging in self-defense against a bigger, younger foe after twice asking him to leave his vehicle.

Chief Deputy District Attorney James Sweetin argued that Nichols was gaming for a fight with Becker. He noted that Nichols stepped out of the car and grabbed a foot-long knife from his dashboard, which he called his "equalizer."

Justice of the Peace Stephen George ruled there was enough evidence to proceed with a murder charge against Nichols and referred the case

District Court. Nichols is scheduled to be arraigned 9 a.m., Dec. 18 at the Regional Justice Center. Key testimo-

ny came from

Kevin Emmert, 50, who witnessed the fight and had been living with Becker for three weeks in a vacant house. Becker was the stepson of Emmert's girlfriend, and the two had known one another for a few years, he said. Emmert described Becker as a bully and intimidating presence.

On Sept. 23, Emmert testified, Nichols had approached him, Becker and another man about resurfacing a parking lot. After the job was completed, Nichols invited Becker and Emmert to go sailing on Lake Mead, where they had beer and crackers, he said.

Things started to sour when the trio went to a pub for drinks and football. They were kicked out for being too loud, Emmert said.

Outside, Nichols and Becker began to argue about who should drive. The argument continued on other subjects, Emmert said, and Nichols pulled over and demanded Becker leave the vehicle. Becker refused.

"He said 'I'm not getting out in the middle of nowhere and walking," Emmert said.

As Emmert tried to defuse the situation, Nichols drove to an isolated end of the parking lot at Railroad Pass Casino, where they had planned to spend the night. Nichols asked Becker again to go home and gave him \$20 for a taxi ride. Becker declined, and the two continued yelling as Becker exited the vehicle and stormed his way toward the driver's side.

Emmert said Nichols got out, grabbed his knife, and he and Becker fought. Becker was

"Jeff dove into the front seat put it in drive and said 'Get me

'There is no duty in the state of Nevada to flee or disengage."

Thomas Ericsson, Defense attorney

to the hospital," Emmert said. Becker weaved in and out of traffic at high speeds before passing out at the wheel, Emmert testified. From the passenger seat, Emmert steered the car onto the shoulder.

"Thank God I didn't kill anybody," he said.

He couldn't move the muscular Becker over, Emmert said, so he sat on Becker's legs as Becker yelled at him to take him to Sunrise Hospital.

"I didn't know where the hospital was, so I stopped at a pharmacy thinking maybe they can help him there," Emmert said. An ambulance was called, but Becker died at Sunrise Hospital.

Ericsson pointed to Emmert's description of Becker

as a well-built man and fighter who was not easily pushed around. Ericsson also said Emmert thought Becker appeared as if he was preparing to beat up Nichols as he rounded the

Sweetin, however, stressed that Becker and Nichols weremaking the same kind of aggressive statements to each other before the fight, and noted Nichols drove to an isolated part of the parking lot. He pointed to Nichols' actions after Becker left the vehicle.

"He can back up the car, roll up the window, lock his door," Sweetin said. "Why didn't he do that? Because he was desirous of engaging in combat with Becker.'

Ericsson cast Nichols' actions as part of the right of self-defense.

"There is no duty in the state of Nevada to flee or disengage,' Ericsson said. "If someone is being confronted, they have a right to stand their ground."

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Undeveloped BLM land might be mined

By JEREMY TWITCHELL

A proposed mining operation in southwest Henderson near Sloan Canyon drew determined, and at times heated, objections in a pair of public hearings Dec. 6 and 7 at Henderson Executive

The site is on 640 acres of Bureau of Land Management terrain in an undeveloped area near the southwest border of Henderson. It is between Interstate 15 and the Sloan Canyon National Conservation Area.

The public meetings were the first step in the Environmental Impact Statement process, which would-be mine developers Rinker Materials and Service Rock Products must go through before the BLM can lease the land for the mining operations. Though the two companies are the most interested parties at present, if the land is leased for mining, any mining company could step in and bid.

If approved, the mines would produce dolomite, which would be turned into aggregate for use in concrete production.

Mark Chatterton, assistant field manager for nonrenewable resources in the BLM's Las Vegas office, said the impact statement

For more on mining

For more information, call Shonna Dooman at the BLM's Las Vegas Field Office, 515-5000. Comments about the Sloan Canyon mining proposal will be accepted via mail and fax until Jan. 4. Write to BLM, Las Vegas Field Office, Attn: Shonna Dooman. 4701 N. Torrey Pines Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89130 or fax 515-

must consider a wide range of potential impacts and alternatives for the proposed project, and the public meeting is an important first step in doing so.

"We see certain things, but as any kind of proposed action is analyzed, the more eyes that look at it, the more clear picture we're going to get," Chatterton

The two meetings drew a few hundred Henderson residents, many of them from the Sun City Anthem and Seven Hills communities, which are among the closest developments to the proposed mine site. Sun City Anthem is 3.5 miles northeast, according to the BLM, and Seven Hills is about 5 miles northeast.

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of their first child, Jamie Lynn, in April 1978, followed by the

birth of a son, Michael William

Jr., in 1980, and their third child,

tioned in England at RAF Lak-

enheath. Upon returning to the

United States in 1982, he was sta-

tioned at Malmstrom Air Force

Base in Great Falls, Mont., where

he attended the Community Col-

lege of the Air Force and gradu-

ated with an associate degree in

lis Air Force Base, where he lived until his discharge in 1989.

lived in Arkansas and Florida. He returned to Nevada, settling

North Carolina; sister, Linda

In 1986 he transferred to Nel-

Between 1989 and 2002 he

automotive mechanics.

in Henderson, in 2002.

From 1979 to 1982 he was sta-

Danielle Elizabeth, in 1983.

Mumps identified in county

By DAVE CLARK

Five cases of mumps have been identified in Clark County, and Southern Nevada Health District officials are urging people who have not been vaccinated to get immunized and for everyone to be alert for symptoms.

Senior Epidemiologist Brian Labus said these are the first reported cases in two years, arriving after an outbreak last year in the Midwest.

This year, cases have been reported in Canada, Maine and New Hampshire.

Labus said he did not know how the Clark County incidences originated, and so far they have not been confined to a particular age

"I think it's something that's always there on sort of a background level until it has the right conditions to get spread in the community," he said.

Officials are hoping to stop it from spreading further. Nevada law requires people to stay home from work or school for at least nine days after the onset of symptoms, Labus said.

Most people infected with

More on mumps

For more information, contact the Office of Epidemiology, 759-1300 or visit www.SouthernNevadaHealthDistrict.org.

the virus recover within two weeks, but some people can develop rare complications such as inflammation of the brain, he said. A vaccine for mumps

is typically given twice in childhood - one dose to children between 12 and 15 months of age, and a second dose between ages 4 and 6. But the vaccine is not foolproof.

Labus said most of the cases so far in Nevada have appeared in people who were vaccinated.

"The vaccine is about 95 percent effective," he said. "It doesn't work for everybody."

In Southern Nevada, infants are especially vulnerable, because the vaccination of children younger than 2 for Clark County is lower than the national average, he said.

Adults who have not been vaccinated can still be immunized, he said.

Typical symptoms, which usually arrive 14 to 18 days after exposure, include swelling of the glands along the jaw line and near the ear, as well as fever and fatigue. Other symptoms can include muscle pain, loss of appetite and head-Rare complications can

include sterility from infection of the testes or ovaries. Labus said encephalitis can occur in roughly one out of every 10,000 cases, a symptom that can sometimes lead to death and deafness. The disease can spread via

saliva, coughs or sneezes, and Labus said people can transmit infection three days before symptoms appear to about nine days after they end.

Health District officials urge anyone with symptoms to see a health-care professional, although there is no specific treatment for the

"The disease isn't something you want to get," he said. "We're encouraging people to get vaccinated to give themselves the best chance of being protected from the disease.'

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DEATHS

Michael Johnson Sr.

Michael William Johnson Sr., 51, died Nov. 30 in Las Vegas. He was born Jan. 16, 1956, in Philadelphia to Joseph F. and Evelyn Magee Johnson.

He met and married Carol in 1975 while stationed at Mather Air Force Base in Sacramento, Calif. They celebrated the birth





He was a good and loving grandfather to his seven grand-Johnson is survived by his daughters Shannon Johnson of Florida, and Jamie Lynn Penney and husband, James, and Danielle Hurte and husband, Brandon, all of Henderson; sons Michael William Johnson and wife, Crystal, of Henderson, and Jason Johnson of Arkansas; exwife, Carol Hagen of Pahrump; 464-8300 • palmmortuary.com mother, Evelyn McMenamin of

Johnson of Pennsylvania; brothers Joe Johnson of Florida, John McMenamin of South Carolina; and Frank McMenamin of North Carolina; grandchildren Kayla Michelle Wingert, Michael William Johnson III, James Lee Penney Jr., Chase Alexander Hurte, Paige Noelle Johnson, Chyanne Nicholle Hurte and Madison Virginia-Lynn Penney, all of Hen-

Memorial Services will begin at 3 p.m. Dec. 14 at First Hender-son United Methodist Church, 609 E. Horizon Drive.

Nicholas Multari

Nicholas A. Multari, 78, of Henderson, died Dec. 6.

A resident since 1986, he was born Dec. 26, 1928, in Yonkers, N.Y. He was a retired machine operator for a city government and served in the U.S. Army dur-

ing the Korean War.

Multari is survived by his aughter, Roseann Attardo of Skillman, N.J.; son, Nicholas J. Mutari of Snoqualmie, Wash.; four brothers; three sisters; four grandchildren; and one great-

There were no local services. Arrangements were handled by Palm Mortuary-Henderson.

Edward Rickard

Edward A. Rickard, 76, of Hen-

derson, died Dec. 7. A resident since 1977, he was born Aug. 11, 1931, in Kemmerer, Wyo. He was a retired mechanic for the U.S. government and served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean and Vietnam

Rickard is survived by his wife, Betty Rickard of Henderson; daughters Linda Walker and husband, Michael, of Roa-noke, Va., and Colleen Melton and husband, Robert, of Savanah, Ga.; brother, Owen Rickard and wife, Janice, of Parker, Colo.; sister, Margaret E. Beck-stead of Clovis, Calif.; and grandchildren Matthew and Mason Walker, and Christina and Robert Melton.

Services were held Dec. 12 at Palm Mortuary-Henderson. Arrangements were handled by Palm Mortuary-Henderson.

Addie Talbot

Addie Smoot Talbot, 85, died Dec. 8 at Boulder City Hospital. The 35-year resident was born Sept. 4, 1922, in Antimony, Utah, to Edna Haws and Joseph Lester

She was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latterday Saints.

She and her husband, George were married Feb. 24, 1940, and were later sealed in the St. George (Utah) Temple. She and her husband owned and operated several businesses in Pan-guitch, Utah, including the Handy. Corner Drive-in, The Bryce-Way Redi-mix, and the Bryce Way. Motel and restaurant before re-tiring to Boulder City in 1972.

Talbot is survived by grandchil-dren Sheila Stoker Rodman, Sterling LaMar Stoker, Suzette Stoker Baxter; son-in-law, Lamar Stoker;

and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 53 years, George B. Talbot; only child, Edna Beth Stoker; and brothers RL and

The family requests that dona-tions be made to the Boulder City Hospital Long Term Care Activity Unit, 901 Adams Blvd., Boulder City, NV 89005, or 293-4111. A viewing will begin at noon Dec. 15 followed by the funeral' service at 1 p.m. at the Church's Boulder City Ward, 1505 Buchan-

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VIEWPOINT

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OUR VIEW

Gift-giving more than tradition, it's human nature

In Henderson, teams of architects fashion 30,000 cans of food into extravagant structures including a football stadium, the Hoover Dam and a champagne bottle. The designs win prizes and, more importantly, participants say, the food goes to the hungry.

Across town in Summerlin, senior citizens from valley long-term care facilities are brought to Temple Beth Sholom for an afternoon of food, entertainment and kibitzing.

At malls and stores across the Las Vegas Valley — such as the Galleria at Sunset, the Las Vegas Outlet Mall, Boca Park, Albertsons in Boulder City and even on the Strip - passersby stop at the kettles of the Salvation Army to measure their holiday spirit in loose change and dollar

Acts of generosity both large and small become com-

monplace in December.

You can't get through the day at this time of year without running into a collection box for a toy drive, an appeal for a food donation or a story about giving that makes you want to say, "Ahh."

In this credit card-fueled season of consumerism, it is worthwhile to reflect on what drives us to rush from store to store for the perfect gift, whether it is for someone special or a stranger who will receive it from a social services

We give because it ninds us of the better people we want to be.

Giving is a basic human act. It is a social exchange that provides benefits for both the receiver and the giver.

Sometimes a gift is more than just a package to be opened. A small box with a ring inside carries a much different meaning than a larger box bearing the latest

technological wonder, though they may be similar in cost. Among loved ones, the right gift carries a message: I understand you and I appreciate who you are.

The wrong gift has caused many a holiday quarrel and made some cynical about the meaning of this time of year. Because we are human and prone to misunderstandings, the whole ritual of gift-giving can become a minefield, which may explain the growing popularity of gift cards.

Still we give, because we get something out of it. When it comes to the contributions to nonprofit groups that rely so heavily on this month's annual outpouring, our gifts remind us of our good fortune.

We give because we can — because we are not in line at the food pantry for bags of canned goods that we cannot afford. Because we know that there is a thin line between have and have-not.

We give in anticipation of the joy with which the gift will be received - imagining the look of surprise and gratitude on a child's face, though we may never see that

The word "generous" comes from a Latin word meaning "of noble birth." That is an important element of the spirit

Our generosity at this time of year makes us feel that nobility, to feel that we have something worthwhile to give and that we have the capacity in our hearts to do so. We give because it reminds us of the better people we

want to be.

MY VIEW Colleen Q'Callaghan-Miele

A tongue-tied holiday to all



Where did "Merry Christmas" go? There was a time when saying "Merry Christmas" just flowed out of my mouth each year.

Today, wishing someone Merry Christmas has somehow become politi-

cally incorrect and a major social no-no. In fact, I would not be surprised if there were an entire list of words,

phrases and Christmas greetings that one would be publicly flogged for using Did you also know that Santa has been

put on a diet? Yes, there is a group that now wants Santa to be skinny. Why? Because he is a role model. Well, fat is out and skinny is in, even for Santa.

Here's a tongue-in-cheek, politically correct holiday greeting passed along to me by a friend:

"Please accept with no obligation, implied or implicit, my best wishes for an environmentally conscious, socially responsible, low stress, nonaddictive, gender neutral celebration of the winter solstice holiday, practiced within the most enjoyable traditions of the religious persuasion of your choice or

Today, wishing someone Merry Christmas has become politically incorrect and a major social no-no. I would not be surprised if there were an entire list of words, phrases and Christmas greetings that one would be publicly flogged for using in years to come.

secular practices of your choice with respect for the religious/secular persuasions and/or traditions of others, or their choice not to practice religious or secular traditions at all.

"I also wish you a fiscally successful, personally fulfilling and medically uncomplicated recognition of the onset of the generally accepted calendar year 2008, but not without due respect for the calendars of choice of other cultures whose contributions to society have helped make America great (not to imply that America is necessarily greater than any other country nor the only 'America' in the western hemisphere), and without regard to the race, creed, color, age, physical ability, religious faith, or sexual preference of the wishee. By accepting this greeting, you are accepting these terms: This greeting is subject to clarification or withdrawal.

It is freely transferable with no alteration to the original greeting. It implies no promise by the wisher to actually implement any of the wishes for her/ himself or others, and is void where prohibited by law, and is revocable at the sole discretion of the wisher.

"This wish is warranted to perform as expected within the usual application of good tidings for a period of one year or until the issuance of a subsequent holiday greeting, whichever comes first, and warranty is limited to replacement of this wish or issuance of a new wish at the sole discretion of the wisher."

In any case, Merry Christmas. No, make that Happy Holidays. Oh, never

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A CITIZEN'S VIEW Linda Miller

Sports bars bring college spirit close to home



At the beginning of the football season, I saw a list of local sports bars that support fans of pro football teams.

there are also sports bars that support college teams. Some of these are named as official watch sites for various colleges and are listed as such on their Web sites. If you want to be with alumni of your former colleges, this is the place to go. It is also a even meet some of your former classmates.

Five years ago, when I first moved into the Las Vegas Valley, I received a postcard from the University of Kansas Alumni Association informing us of a basketball watch party at a local sports

I was surprised to see one of my former classmates for the first time in 35 years. We had both been in the pep club at the University of Kansas called "Frosh Hawks."

It was great fun. The alumni office sent pompoms, stickers and pens.

I had my birthday party at one of the alumni watch

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parties last year. I had a cake decorated with a basketball court on it. When you can't be home for your birthday, it is great to have your hometown friends around.

We have continued to meet at several places from Henderson to Summerlin both sides of town. When the alumni association lists a sports bar as the official watch site, people from out of town can come to that site. Last year, during the NCAA tournament, there were people who took a cab from the Strip just to watch the games with fellow alumni.

For the "showdown" between Kansas and Missouri a family drove three hours from California because Las Vegas was closer than the Los Angeles group.

Our latest spot is in Henderson. The place has a wide screen TV and accommodates large groups. The

to display our KU banner and recently purchased the "ESPN Full Court Package.

This allows the viewing of games that are out of the

Not all of the sports bars have this package.

It has been extremely excit-Kansas had been unbeaten and had not been that good since I was there 40 years ago. One week the crowd of 30 alumni jumped to their feet at once as one of our players dashed down the field in an 82-yard run.

Then, when Kansas lost to Missouri, the crowd of 35 It was as if we were back in

the KU stadium cheering our home team on to victory. To quote an ESPN commercial, "Never graduate." (No. 8 Kansas faces No. 5 Virginia Tech Jan. 3 in the FedEx Orange Bowl in Miami.)

Recently I organized a management even allowed us University of Virginia watch party at another local watering hole. I called our alumni office and it sent me cups, banners and key chains. We also had a watch party at the home of one of our alumni. We are having combined watch parties with other teams.

It is also a great place to network. It was through these meetings that I have gotten speakers for my law class at the college. You can talk to recent graduates and find out what is going on at the campus.

It is also a great way for daughters of alumni to find out about the college.

We also meet for other events like dinners at the holidays.

Last Thanksgiving, another spot organized a potluck for Kansas City Chiefs fans to

watch the Chiefs game. If you are interested in bringing your own college

spirit to Las Vegas, contact your alumni association to see if there is an official watch site for your school. If not, why not start one!

Linda Karen Miller is and adjunct professor in the Department of Edu-cation at the College of Southern Nevada. She is also a retired social

YOUR LETTERS

Kudos to Rene Hill for No Child Left Behind EDITOR:

Rene Hill's column on No Child Left Behind (Nov. 29) is one of the best articles

on the subject I have ever

seen. I particularly like her comparison of 100 percent proficiency with 100 percent employment.

As she accurately demonstrates, both are wonderful goals, but neither is possible to achieve.

Recent local additions in the areas of vocational programs and parental involvement are positive paths to increases in proficiency.

MARTHA RYAN

Gov. Gibbons is just keeping his promise EDITOR:

Since the Home News has seen fit to editorialize emotionally on Gov. Jim Gibbons' position on taxes and budgetary expenditures (Nov. 22), a response from one agreeing with the governor is perti-

Gibbons was elected by the people of Nevada on the basis of a commitment to no new taxes. Thus, we knew what he stood for, and he deserves

praise for adhering to his electoral promise.

As for the expenditures, he is proposing no cut in their actual level but only the lower increase that the decline in Nevada's economy dictates in a budgetary rise of some \$700 million.

Any resort to the state's "rainy day" fund should obviously be reserved for a time when a real recession sets in.

The governor's approach thus represents the essence of economic common sense and sound budgeting, as well as honesty in politics. JOSEPH A. MENDENHALL

Stiff penalties to stop light runners EDITOR:

Nice try regarding your article on red means stop (Copublisher Tim O'Callaghan, One Man's View, Dec. 7).

The only way to stop red light runners and speeders as well are computerdriven cameras that catch the

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perps. We do not have enough uniformed police nor equipment to catch these clowns. The occasional motorcycle stop is not a deterrent. With the low median income in Clark County - you receive a \$500 first offense from the computer cam - listen to the whining and crying.

Think about it, we could take those funds and actually pay our teachers something more than starvation wages. Phoenix and some other larger cities have cameras in

North Las Vegas is experimenting and testing one unit now and it will be two years before they "evaluate" the results. Too late, too many more fatal accidents.

The time is now, with computer technology that can work 24/7 and generate a hefty fine, only the wonderful inhabitants of Clark County would want to debate the issue. Oscar Goodman wants a world class city, forget it... Las Vegas is a cow town with neon, great cities have great

people — not a melting pot of mediocrity like this valley.
Stiff penalties for stupid people is the answer.

JOHN GLENDON



BIRTHS

St. Rose Dominican Hospitals

SIENA CAMPUS

ARNOLD - Dawn and Charles Arnold, a daughter, Cayti, Nov. 30.

ERTL - Krystal and Martin Ertl, a son, Ashton, Dec. 4.

FREEMAN/GOULD - Deborah Freeman and Ryan Gould, a son, Austin, Dec. 4.

GEBHARD - Talia Gebhard, a daughter, Kenna, Nov. 29.

HARDY/TRUMBO - Angela Hardy and Nathaniel Trumbo, a son, Marlie, Dec. 4. JONES - Jennifer and Eric Jones, a

son, Ian, Dec. 3. LANGTEN - Heather and Darrell Lang-

ten II, a son, Darrell, Dec. 4. LOPEZ/DYER - Lydia Lopez and Gary

Dyer, a son, Noah, Dec. 3.

oubin – Nicole Oudin, a daughter,

Quinn, Dec. 3. REYES/GARCIA - Jenny Reyes and Juan Garcia, a son, Nathaniel, Nov. 29.

SERRANO - Jennifer and Freddy Serrano, a son, Roman, Dec. 1. SMITH - Lacey and Curtis Smith, a

son, Ethan, Dec. 2. VICENTE - Dianne and Roderick Vi-

cente, a daughter, Ellisa, Nov. 30. WRIGHT - Thera and William Wright, a daughter, Therabella, Dec. 5.

YANEZ/LOPEZ - Elizabeth Yanez and Walter Lopez, a daughter, Mariah, Dec. 1.

ROSE DE LIMA CAMPUS

ABRAMSON - Arnelia and Bobby Abramson, a son; Zakary Angelo Batac,

BACON - Shawna Bacon, a daughter, Alijah Jean, Dec. 1. BOGDA/KINSLER - Nicole Bogda and

Jeffrey Kinsler, a son, Carter Andrew, **BORNER** - Christina and Kenneth

Borner, a daughter, Dezani GiGiAnn, BOWEN/HERNANDEZ - Maria Bowen

and Salvaldor Hernandez, a son, Josiah Moises, Dec. 1. CAMPBELL - Michelle and Clinton

Campbell, a son, Carson Clayton, Dec. 2. CENTENO - Nattalie and Casey Centeno, a daughter, Charli Melissa, Nov. 27. **CLANCY** — Jeanine and Jerrad Clancy, a son, Kellen Ryan, Dec. 2

DEWEES - Kapri and Christopher Dewees, a daughter, Kyndra Michele,



Jaymee Lee Cody was born July 19 at St. Rose Dominican Hospitals-Siena Campus to Deanna and Johnny Lee of Henderson. She is the granddaughter of Susan Cody and Cindy Maovero, and great-granddaughter of Juanita and Lee Perry.

FOSTER - Mindy and Paul Foster, a son, Greyson Mischief, Nov. 30. JOHNSON - Tiffany and Allandor Johnson, a son, Tylar Amari, Nov. 30. LEDBETTER - Joline and Eric Ledbetter, a son, Elijah McClure, Nov. 30.

SALISBURY - Krystle and Daniel Salisbury, a daughter, Ava Jean, Nov. 28. TRAMONTANAS - Ryan and Peter Tramontanas, a son, Quentin Mikos,

TRAVIESO - Sarah White and Nat Travieso, a son, Tristan Jonah, Dec. 2. WRIGHT - Trena and Marion Wright, a daughter, Laylia Marie, Nov. 26.

SAN MARTIN CAMPUS

MORA - Carley and Julian Mora, a daughter, Danica, Dec. 3.

SHAW - Virginia and Darrell Shaw, twin daughters, Apple and Daryl, Dec. 3.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Area firefighters collecting toys

Firefighters with the Southern Nevada Burn Foundation will host their sixth annual Fill the Fire Truck Toy Drive from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Dec. 15-16 at Wal-Mart, 540 Marks St.

Toy donations may also be dropped off at any local fire station.

The toys will be donated to lowincome families through local community service programs.

For more information, call Leslie Thuet at 254-5704.

Chamber to host party and breakfast

The Henderson Chamber of Commerce will host its holiday mixer Dec. 13

The event will run 5-7 p.m. at Basset Furniture Direct, 1620 W. Sunset Road.

The public is invited to attend. Then at 7 a.m. Dec. 18, Bob Loux. executive director for Nevada Agency for Nuclear Projects, will discuss the Yucca Mountain Project and the economic impact the project would have on Southern Nevada at the Henderson Chamber of Commerce network breakfast.

Sponsored by Math Monkey, the breakfast will take place at the Wildhorse Golf Club, 2100 W. Warm Springs Road.

The cost is \$20 per person.

For more information on either event, call the chamber at 565-8951 or go to www.hendersonchamber.

Toy drive to benefit kids at Child Haven

Chenin Orthodontics, 10730 S. Eastern Ave., is holding a toy drive through Dec. 21 for Child Haven. New, unwrapped toys for children ranging from infants to 12 years old are welcome from patients or non-patients.

For more information, call 735-

Community to offer free professional portraits

Inspirada, a new planned community in west Henderson, will be offering free professional holiday photos at select model homes 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Dec. 15.

The photos will be taken at KB Home, Toll Brothers and Meritage Homes neighborhoods in the Inspirada community, 1890 Via Firenze. Finished photos will be available within 30 to 45 minutes at the community center at Solista Park.

For more information, call (866) 758-5483 or visit www.inspirada.

Retail store to open at Town Square

Michael Stars, a women's luxury T-shirt designer, will host a grand opening party for its new store 6-9 p.m. Dec. 13 at 6569 Las Vegas Blvd. South.

Michael Stars is a Los Angelesbased, family run company.

For more information, visit www. michaelstars.com.

AAA to reduce carbon emissions

AAA has announced it will reduce its gasoline use by 48 percent and the automobile club will purchase carbon emissions offsets to counterbalance the amount of emissions produced by its corporate fleet.

The proceeds of offset purchases will fund projects that combat global warming.

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AAA's carbon offsets are being obtained through San Franciscobased TerraPass, which finances wind power; farm power, such as dairy farm methane digesters; and landfill methane capture. In 2008, AAAwill fully implement its hybrid fleet for its insurance employees and other workers who must travel as part of their job. The group estimates that it will use 115,000 fewer gallons of gasoline and reduce its emissions by 1,314 tons.

For more information visit www. aaa.com/greenlight or call (800) 922-8228.

Mac King's magic products available

Henderson resident and Las Vegas headliner Mac King has launched two new products in time for the holiday gift-giving season.

Trunk-O-Tricks is a magic kit including props, step-by-step manuals and an instructional DVD teaching how to do more than 50 tricks. It retails for \$24.99 at Target.com or mackingshop.com.

"Magic in a Minute Big Ol' Book-O-Magic" teaches magic tricks by a step-by-step illustrated comic book form. It is available at barnesandnoble.com.

Grill raises money for children

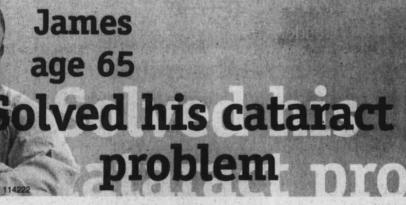
The White Chocolate Grill held its opening tasting fundraising event Nov. 30 and Dec 1.

The event raised \$6,000 for Boys & Girls Clubs of Henderson.

More than 600 guests tried the cuisine and contributed to the cause. The grill presented the Boys & Girls Clubs with a check on Dec.

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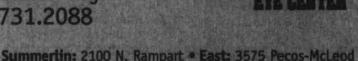


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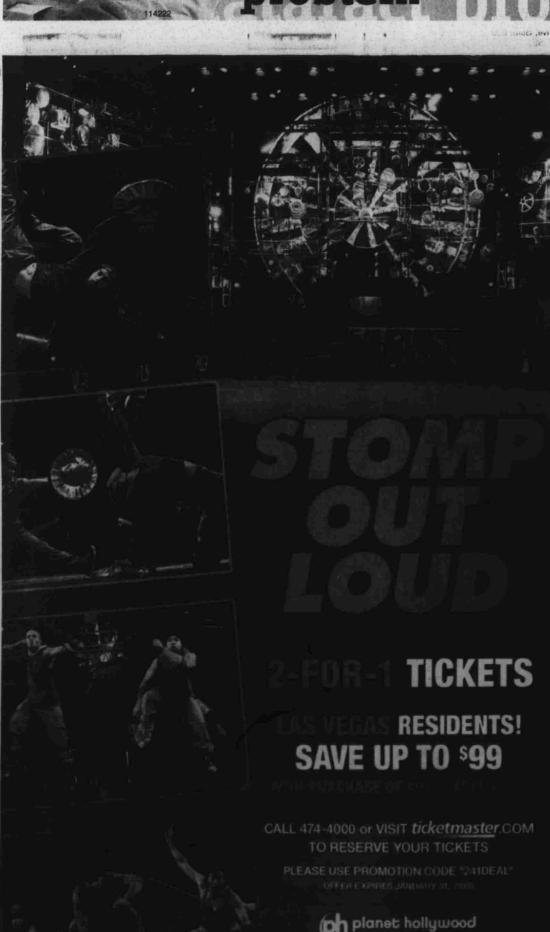
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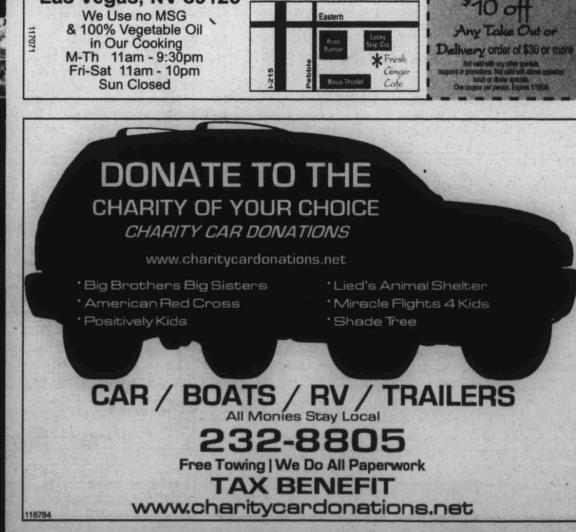
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Site authorized for palm cell tower

By JEREMY TWITCHELL

An undeveloped patch of land near the Paseo Verde Library could soon become the site of a cell phone tower after the Henderson City Council voted 3-0 to put the property up for lease specifically for that purpose.

The area in question is 1,280 square feet wedged between a city-owned water storage reservoir and a parking lot. It is near Green Valley Parkway and Paseo Verde Parkway, east of the library and south of the Multigenerational Center.

The city had been approached

by a private company about leasing the space, but is required to go through an open bidding process before awarding a lease.

Henderson employees routinely work with cell phone companies to help identify sites that suit the needs of both parties and ask the opinion of the Parks and Recreation Board before submitting any site to for council approval, Henderson Property Manager James Dale said.

The bid winner will have the right to build a stealth monopalm tower at the site, which

is a small, narrow tower designed to look like a palm tree that conceals the antennae with palm leaves.

The lease comes with a conditional use permit that the Planning Commission has already authorized to build a cell tower on the site. Depending on the location in question, monopalm towers have drawn mixed responses from the Planning Commission.

But by pre-authorizing the permit to go with the lease, any questions regarding what is appropriate have already been addressed, Dale said. "These conditions are obtained prior to offering a lease for the site so that all cellular providers will know prior to placing a bid what the conditions and development requirements are," he said.

Bids for the lease are opening at \$1,700 per month, with an additional \$600 monthly if a second company locates an antenna on the tower. Only one additional company will be permitted on the tower.

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Rock crusher to continue work

By JEREMY TWITCHELL

The controversy that broiled around a city-backed plan to use a rock crusher to expedite construction of the Southwest Water Reclamation Facility appears to have all but died down.

That's what representatives from the Henderson Department of Utility Services told the City Council Dec. 4 in a status report that council members ordered when they approved the use of the crusher in July,

The facility, being built near St. Rose Parkway and Serene Avenue, had drawn the ire of nearby residents in Serene Country Estates when it was first proposed. Residents feared that the facility would bring an influx of traffic and noise.

The city agreed to build a large dirt berm around the facility before its construction in order to shield neighbors. In order to do so, contractor Capriati Construction applied for a permit to use a rock crusher.

City ordinances require rock crushers to be located at least half a mile from

any occupied residence. The application requested a waiver to reduce that distance to 350 feet.

Based on neighbors' complaints, the Planning Commission initially rejected the request, but after Capriati met with residents and made a number of changes to the plan, including moving the crusher to 750 feet away, the City Council approved the request 4-1 on appeal.

In the Dec. 4 report, Utility Services reported that it had received no complaints since the crusher began operation. No residents asked to speak after the report was presented.

The work on the site was delayed slightly while crews pulled permits with the county, and the site is rockier than expected, according to the report, but the berm is 84 percent complete and the contractor anticipates the crusher operations will be completed by Feb. 7.

Capriati will meet with neighbors in January to plan the landscaping for the berm.

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City to sell undeveloped residential land

By JEREMY TWITCHELL

Henderson is preparing to sell almost 19 acres of undeveloped land in Green Valley next spring after the City Council voted 3-0 on Dec. 4 to authorize the move.

The city is asking \$10.2 million for the residentially zoned land on the southwest corner of Galleria Drive and Patrick Lane.

That price could conceivably increase through the open bidding process scheduled for March 4.

The land represents one of the few remaining undeveloped residential parcels in Green Val-

'The city has never identified a public use for this site.'

James Dale, Henderson property manager

ley. The city received inquiries about the property from two parties, one of which is a major home builder in the Las Vegas Valley, Henderson Property Manager James Dale said.

The city has no plans for the land, he said.

"The city has never identified a public use for this site,"

Dale said in an e-mail message. "These parcels have been in our surplus property inventory for the past 12 years that I know of."

The land is zoned for up to six residential units per acre, the same zoning in existing neighborhoods to the lands east and south.

Dale said the land would be sold with a deed restriction that would prohibit any rezoning requests.

Though the housing slowdown had shifted the focus of most developers from residential projects to commercial undertakings, Dale said the city was not surprised by the inter-

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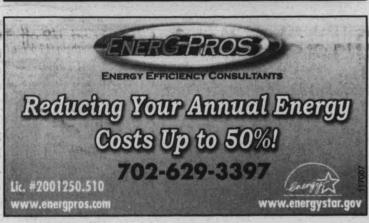
"Most developers are only interested in commercial properties at this time, but not all," he said.

Following state law, the city set the \$10.2 million asking price by commissioning two appraisals and using the higher of the two.

On March 4, the city will open the sealed bids it has received and declare the highest certified bid. Then it will open up the process for a brief oral bidding process.

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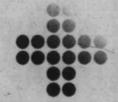
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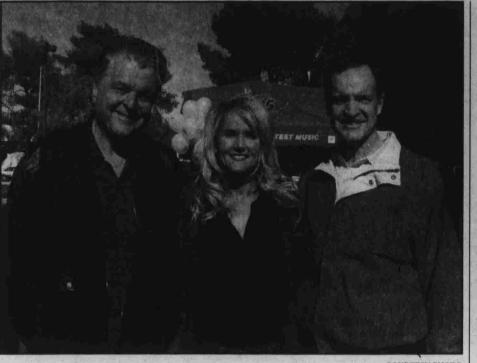
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Pups and art

Marianne Maes Button, left, looks on as gallery co-owner Debra Blitzer, right, talks to Moxie, 3, a Rat Terrier, during an artist meet and greet at the Gallery at Summerlin, 9330 W. Sahara.

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Valley fundraisers

Regent Steve Sisolak joined Kathleen Boutin, executive director for the Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth, UNLY Men's Basketball Coach Lon Kruger and others in a gift card drive hosted by Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth Nov. 21. Meant to raise as many \$5 gift cards as possible in order to benefit Nevada's homeless youth in need yearround, the drive raised a total of \$6,232 (\$3,565 in \$5 gift cards and an additional \$2,667 in monetary donations).



Da Vinci and the mayor

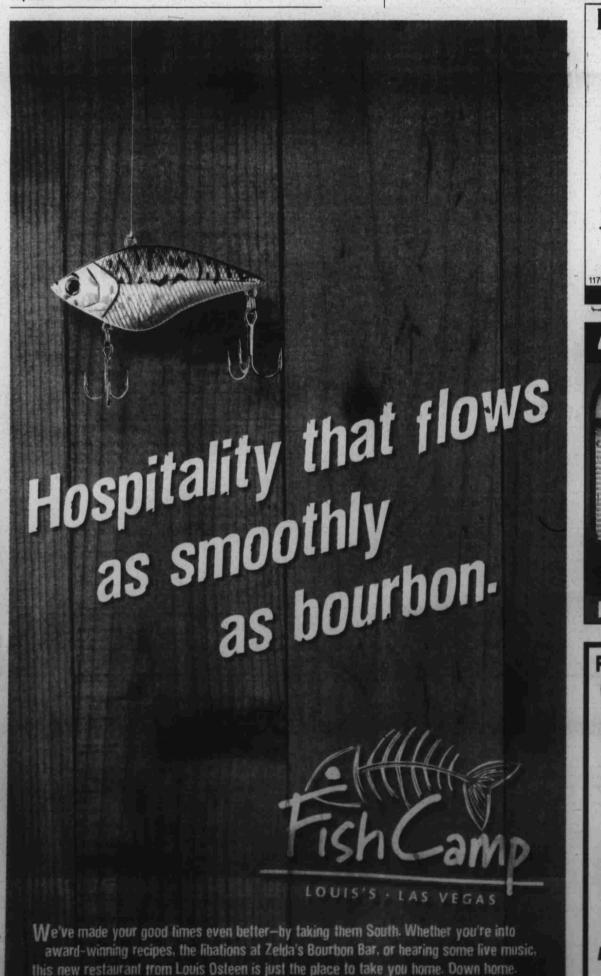
Henderson Mayor James B. Gibson and the Da Vinci Experience's own Leonardo check out all that the exhibit has to offer at the grand opening event on Nov. 1. The Da Vinci Experience is at the Henderson **Events Plaza in the Water Street District.**



COURTESY PHOTO

Crafts donation

The Las Vegas Crafters Guild held its Harvest Boutique Oct. 12 and 13 at the Henderson Convention Center. The Guild presented Whitney **Elementary School with a check** Dec. 3 for \$200, which represents a portion of sales from the craft show. The school will use this donation to help fund its after-school art program. From left, Crystal Martin, vice president of Las Vegas Crafters Guild; Sherrie Gahn, principal of Whitney Elementary School; Laura Malecki, art teacher at Whitney Elementary School; Steve Buchan, vice principal at Whitney Elementary School, and Vicki Bustos, guidance counselor at Whitney Elementary School.



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Exhibit attendance ahead of projections

exhibit.

The exhibit has been at the Events Plaza outside City Hall since October and is scheduled to remain through March 3.

With the subsidy, the exhibit owners agreed to reduce ticket prices for Nevada residents, from \$17 to \$8.50 for general admission and from \$12 to \$5 for students visiting with a school group. Children under 6 will still be admitted for free.

Henderson secured the right to seek private and corporate sponsors to pay for school groups to visit the exhibit.

Pico said the city offered the additional financial help to make the exhibit more accessible, not because it was in danger of leaving. Attendance has been slightly better than projected, he said.

"The underlying goal here is to provide a low-cost educational experience to Nevada residents in general, and the people of Henderson in particular," he said.

Attempts to reach the Da Vinci Experience owners were unsuccessful.

The Las Vegas Convention and Visitor's Bureau gave Henderson a \$25,000 grant to help cover its expenses associated with the Da Vinci Experience, and the city is receiving a portion of the ticket sales to help cover its investment.

"We see the possibility of breaking even, but we are losing a little bit," Pico said. "We weren't expecting to make a ton of money off our residents by doing this."

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CANS from Page 1A

Cans from sculptures helping feed hungry

ing a giant can of food, using tuna and pineapple cans.

The Juror's Favorite Award—given by the three-member jury of a food critic, art expert and construction professional—went to the "Toasting the End of Hunger" entry from KGA Architects. The group made a champagne bottle, glasses and crackers to convey its theme.

Two other entries — the Hoover Dam and a football stadium from KGA Architects — took home Honorable Mention Awards.

Though the awards add a

PARADE from Page 1A

competitive edge to the competition, Allred said everyone who participates has their focus on the bigger picture — feeding the hungry.

"The firm are very generous," she said. "Our biggest entry this year used 7,400 cans. That's a lot of groceries, and the firms buy it all."

Patrick Chan of Flack and Kurtz, a consulting and engineering firm, was part of a team building the football stadium with the theme, "Intercepting hunger, one can at a time."

"It's something that kind of

brings the group together for a cause," he said.

And while many of the participants acknowledged that bragging rights and a little exposure for their respective companies are on the line, those benefits were secondary, they said.

"The end result is that over the holidays, people will have the food they need, and we feel good about playing a part in that," Baez said.

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Winterfest included concert, tree-lighting

Though thick storm clouds hung over the parade all morning, light drops of rain did not begin to fall until the last entries filed past.

"Their timing was perfect," Field said. "Got (the parade) in just before the rain."

Two winning entries were announced afterward. The Aunt Polly Norton Rainbow Girls won the Best Costume Award and \$1,000. Girl Scout Troop 239 won the Best

Theme Award and \$3,000.

The parade was one of several events that were part of the four-day Winterfest. The Henderson Symphony Orchestra opened the festival with a Christmas Concert Dec. 6, and the city held a ceremony to light its Christmas tree on Dec. 7.

A handful of design and engineering firms also competed in the annual Canstruction competition, building sculptures out of canned food for a friendly competition, then donating the cans to the Henderson Salvation Army.

Food vendors and craft makers also set up shop at the Henderson Events Plaza to entertain festival attendees and provide some holiday shopping ideas.

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MARINA from Page 1A

Family looking into buying Lake Mead Marina

to the landmark marina, which would keep its name.

"We're here on board every day," she said. "There's somebody in the family you can talk to if you have a problem, or if you want to say hi. We're here all the time."

Kaiser said if the family takes over the marina operations, she would be open to moving it back to where it is now in the future if lake levels rise.

Beverly Burke, a former general manager at Lake Mead Marina, said she is a little sad to see the marina move.

"It has a tremendous history and is a very important part of Boulder City," she said. "It's iconoclastic."

Nevada Yacht Club's incoming Commodore David Hoch said most group members keep their boats at Lake Mead Marina, and the group often holds pre-race meetings at the dock.

He said he will miss the marina, though he anticipates the new spot will accommodate the club.

Chandler said he will al-

ways be nostalgic for the marina's location right now, but is excited that it is moving.

"We're not being uprooted; we came from Hemenway Harbor," he said.

As for the beloved carp that gobble down popcorn fed to them from the bridge into the marina, Chandler is not worried.

"They'll follow us," he

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SCHOOLS from Page 1A

Zoning committee not opting to alter Coronado boundary

enrollment numbers and found they had been falling.

The new zone boundaries for Lyle Burkholder and Bob Miller middle schools are being considered to align them with their feeder schools.

The committee has been holding public meetings for the past month to gauge how parents feel about the changes. It will meet at 6 p.m. Jan. 14 at Coronado's gym for a final public input meeting on all of the proposed changes in Henderson schools, after which it will make a recommendation to Superintendent Walt Rulffes. His recommendation will then go to the School Board March 4 for a vote.

Justover 100 middle school students are expected to be affected in the Burkholder-Miller change, 35 of whom are fifth graders now. The students living between Interstate 215 and Paseo Verde Parkway, east of Stephanie Street and west of Gibson Road, are zoned for Miller, but the committee is considering moving those students to Burkholder.

The change would come only if a similar boundary is approved for Lorna Kesterson Elementary School, Rick Baldwin, coordinator of demographics and zoning for the School District, said.

The change at Kesterson is part of a larger plan to relieve crowding at Frank Lamping Elementary. About 175 students from John C. Vanderburg and Neil Twitchell elementary, which share an attendance zone, would move to Kesterson to make room for Glen Taylor students to move to Vanderburg and Twitchell. Lamping students would then move to Taylor.

"(It's an) if-then situation," Baldwin said. "If that change were to take place, then we are recommending this change for the middle

school.

Baldwin said if the elementary change is not approved, the middle school change would not be recommended.

The committee is considering the change to ensure fifth graders in that area know other students when they move into sixth grade, Baldwin said.

At the high school level, about 300 students could leave Liberty to attend the new Desert Oasis High School. When the students were first assigned to Liberty, they were given the option to stay all four years, Carolyn Edwards, School Board representative for southwest Las Vegas, said. She expects most of them will choose to move to Desert Oasis, because it is closer to where they live. School District officials noted that those students will not be offered transportation next

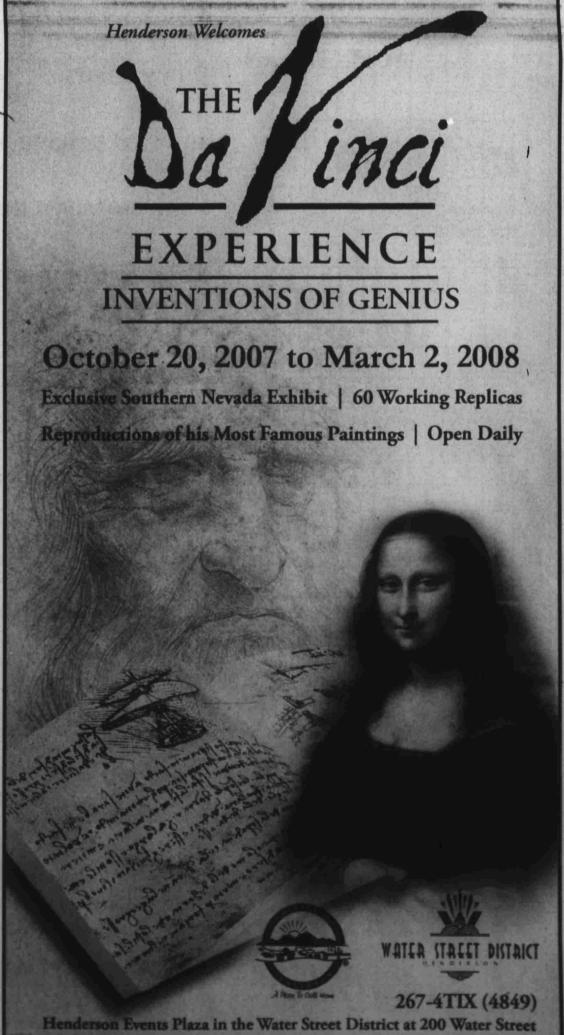
The zoning committee was looking at moving students into Liberty from Coronado, which is 13 percent, or 358 students, over capacity. However, at a Dec. 11 meeting, they noted that Coronado's student population has been decreasing.

Sharon Dattoli, director of demographics and zoning for the School District, said that Liberty's population will soon be growing because of the Inspirada development, so it may be in everyone's best interest to keep the seats at Liberty open.

The proposal will be changed to rezone only those students living in Sandy Valley and attending Liberty. They will be rezoned to attend Sandy Valley High School. That proposal will be discussed at the Jan. 14 public input meeting.

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Wolverines coach joins minor league hall of fame

By JARED HARMON

After six years at the helm of the Henderson Wolverines semi-pro football team, Mike Kelly received the sport's top honor when he was inducted into the Minor League Football Hall of Fame Dec. 6 at the Oasis Resort and Casino in Mesquite.

The long-time Henderson resident was surprised when he received a letter from the hall saying he was selected.

'I was honored and hum-



bled. I've never sought out any recognition like this," Kelly said.

"I just do it for the love of the game. I do it because I love coaching

football."

Established in 2004, the hall is located in the sports bar at the Oasis and has roughly 180 members. Each member is listed on a commemorative

plaque which hangs inside the bar.

"It's a big honor because I feel like the team has accomplished some great things but I know there's more to come for us," Kelly said.

"We've been blessed and fortunate but we have more in us."

Kelly coached the Wolverines to a 27-7 record the past three years, including capturing the Wildwest Football League title in 2006.

Kelly, a Basic graduate,

played running back and defensive back for UNLV from 1973 to '77. During his time at UNLV, Kelly began his coaching career as an assistant at Basic.

"I knew I liked coaching right away," Kelly said. "Iknew it was something I wanted to do for the rest of my life. I just enjoy everything about it, being a part of the game and watching talent develop."

The Wolverines are a perennial powerhouse on the minor league circuit and have competed in six of the last seven championship games. Wolverines defensive back Javon Mingo has played for Kelly for all seven of those seasons and said he feels Kelly is the reason the team has remained successful.

"(Kelly) can be a very, very strict guy but he keeps the team running smooth and in tip top shape," Mingo said.

"He's very knowledgeable about the game and he takes every game seriously and every practice seriously.

He loosens up a bit when he wants to but like every great coach he knows what needs to be done.'

Mingo recently had a tryout for the Calgary Stampede of the Canadian Football League and Kelly said that was one of the things that motivates him as a coach — seeing his players get closer to the next

"Keeping the team running can get difficult and there

See KELLY on Page 5B



JUMMEL HIDROSOLLO/SPECIAL TO THE HOME NEWS Local baseball youth get autographs from baseball pros during a free clinic sponsored by the Major League Baseball Players Alumni Association.

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Baseball clinic gives kids chance to get tips from big leaguers

By TIM MULLIN

Former Major League Baseball player Manny Abeyta wanted to keep his lessons

During one drill, he had the 5-to-7 year olds form a line between first and second base as each pretended to tag up at first. During another drill, the children formed a line at second base as Abeyta, also a former UNLV pitcher, stood in the third base coaching box, giving them, base running signs as they headed to home plate.

"This clinic is all about learning some basic fundamentals," said Abeyta, who spent eight seasons in the big leagues with the Oakland A's and California Angels. "All I want is to teach them some things they need that are going to help them learn how to be better base runners."

Abeyta's base running station was one of seven stations setup at Burkholder Field, on West Victory Road, by the Ma-jor League Baseball Players Alumni Association on Dec. 2 for its Legends for Youth base-



JUMMEL HIDROSOLLO/SPECIAL TO THE HOME NEWS Nicholas Sylvester, 10, had his ball autographed by major league baseball players during the clinic.

ball clinic, free for children 14 and under.

"It is our mission to promote the game," said Ryan Bevans, the association's youth baseball coordinator, who directed the event. "This is just one way we are able to, not only do that, but help kids. To get them out here to learn some fundamentals from former major leaguers. Sometimes that is enough for this stuff to really stick with them."

The event drew close to 200 children as they broke into

groups of 20 to 25 by age. Each group was assigned to one of seven stations run by a former players. After 10 minutes the groups rotated until they had been to all seven stations.

Henderson resident and four-time National League batting champ Bill Madlock taught bunting along with former Tiger pitcher Jon Warden; former Reds pitcher Ron Robinson and three-time All-Star pitcher Gary Bell taught pitching mechanics; former Tigers third baseman Darrell Evans taught hitting; former Pirates pitcher Jason Christiansen taught the basics of throwing; former Milwaukee Braves outfielder Ethan Blackaby outfield fielding drills and six-time All-Star shortstop Bert Campaneris instructed worked on infield drills..

"I think this is great for the kids," Madlock said. "They can get a little bit of everything."

Henderson Little Leaguer Jake Bishop, 12, said his favorite stop was the hitting station.

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Four courts earmarked for repair

City approves \$796,257 to rebuild tennis courts at O'Callaghan Park

By TIM MULLIN

Susan Carr walks her white Labrador retriever at O'Callaghan Park, on Horizon and Skyline drives, almost every day at 4 p.m.

On several occasions, she has seen residents try to get onto the park's locked tennis courts.

"It is kind of sad," Carr

said. "There is a lot of demand for those courts from what I see. I used to use them myself and would like to again."

The courts have been locked since 2004 as cracks and weeds have all but rendered them useless. Henderson officials hope to change

The Henderson City Council on Nov. 20 approved \$796,257 to rebuild all four courts and construction is scheduled to start on Jan.

"That is kind of an estimation as long as we get our long lead items in on time, which are things that take a

longer time to manufacture like electrical poles and fixtures," said Crystal Majors, an assistant project manager for CG&B Enterprises, the Henderson-based firm who was awarded the bid from the council.

The project will consist of tearing up the old courts and replacing them with four new post-tensioned concrete courts, new lights, new water fountains and new fencing. Majors said the project will take 90 work days to complete.

"It is great for the neighborhood," said Mary Ellen Donner, the city's parks and recreation director. "Tennis is a popular sport in this community and those are probably some of the most popular courts. I'm glad we are getting them taken care

It was a long process to get the courts on the city agenda. When Donner was hired in April, she said O'Callaghan

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FROM THE PRESS BOX Ray Brewer

Midnight hockey a holiday tradition



A holiday tradition worth supporting is making its return. The Las Vegas

Wranglers

will host their 5th Annual Midnight Holiday Roundup on Dec. 17 at the Orleans Arena with the puck dropping against the Phoenix Roadrunners at 11:59 p.m.

It's always a fun-filled night that features more than fast paced action on the ice - holiday cheer and entertaining promotions during the intermissions make it a can't-miss event. About 5,000 fans annually attend the game, which was

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Falcons wrestlers set sights on division

By SEAN AMMERMAN

Foothill has always had a solid wrestling squad during Bill Smales' six-year tenure as

However, being in a division with tough counterparts such as Green Valley High and Basic has kept the Falcons from taking higher than third in the Southeast Division.

"That's a goal for this year," Smales said. "We've never had a losing season since I've been here, but we have never fin-ished first either."

The Falcons, led by nine returners, have 10-3 record as of

Leading the surge is junior Joel Olivas, who pinned seven of his first eight opponents at 119 pounds.

Olivas, who took third in the Sunrise Region last season at 112 pounds, is the kind of competitor who gets disappointed with a win, even if comes from a pin in the first

"I like everything to go real smooth," he said. "I don't like it sloppy, even if it works. I don't feel like I push it enough."

Smales has called Olivas one of the hardest workers he has seen on the mat.

"When I step on to the mat, the first thing I think of is pinning the kid and putting him on his back," Olivas said.

Also having a strong season is senior Peter Struzik, who is now wrestling at 189 pounds, but expects to drop to 160 later in the season.

Struzik has won his first eight matches, even though his 170 pound build is nearly 20 pounds lighter than his op-

The trick to that is you have to out-condition them because they are really strong and can overpower you," he said. "I take them to the second period and get them winded so they're taking bad shots."
Struzik is coming off a sea-

son that was cut in half by a back injury.

After injuring his back by weight lifting and reaggravat-ing it by playing football, he was forced to watch from the

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SEAN AMMERMAN/STAFF PHOTO rankle Roman, top, grappies with Joel Olivas in the wrestling room at

Long driver ready for return to professional ranks

By SEAN AMMERMAN

When Mike Jaime moved to Henderson in 2006 for a teaching job at Sister Robert Joseph Bailey Elementary School, he figured his long driving days were over.

His one-year stint on the professional long drivers tour in 2002 proved too difficult to manage with his position as principal at a New Mexico high

Jaime, 54, wasn't getting any younger. The constant weight training needed to hit a golf ball 300-plus yards was

enough to make Jaime think twice about serious competition again.

"I didn't know if I wanted to get back in shape but I knew that I could still do it," he said. "As you get older, you really start to feel it in your toes and knees. Just the little things that can aggravate you."

But after bumping up from the senior (ages 45 to 53) to the super senior division (54 to 60) and his recent success of winning the regional Long Drivers of America tournament in Phoenix in August, Jaime was inspired.

He was invited to join the local long drive team, House of Forged, and will join the professional ranks again for 2008 in the super senior division.

Friend and professional long driver David Gourno from Phoenix commended Jaime for coming back after his ab-

"By the way he moves, I'd have to say he's double-jointed," Gourno said. "He's so loose and he moves so good that he can generate a lot of club speed. That's the secret his flexibility."

Long driving, an off-shoot of

golf that rewards the farthest and most accurate drivers, was always something Jaime had a knack for.

When he played professional baseball in Northern Mexico at the rookie league level, he was always the big hitter who batted clean-up.

He was not introduced to golf until his 40s, but when he finally picked up a club, hitting the ball far was like second nature.

"I would hit the ball with an old three wood and it would go farther than anyone with a regular driver," Jaime said. "I had no interest in the sport of golf, I just liked to hit the ball

With encouragement from friends, he entered and won his first tournament in Albuquerque, N.M., after borrowing a club. He took second in a Long Drivers of America regional tournament, which qualified him for the 1998 World Long Drive Championship in just his third time competing.

Jaime's finest performance came in 2001 when he took fifth in the seniors division at the RE/MAX World Long Drive Championship with a drive of 346 yards. The performance was strong enough get him on the professional tour.

His longest drive was mea-

sured at 424 yards, but Jaime said the ball was aided by hitting a sprinkler. He considers his farthest drive to be a 396

yard blast he made in 2002. Jaime competed in the RE/ MAX World Long Drive Championship in Mesquite in October but did not make the finals, something he plans to

"I pretty much have an obsession for it," he said. "You're not on a team, It's just you and your club. You're playing against yourself."

reverse next season.

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of America August, and was inspired to join the local long drive team, House of Forged. He will rejoin the professional

Mike Jaime won the **Long Drivers**

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Exber earns player of the year



Division. Exber recorded 332 points during the season to easily outdistance runner-up Craig Junio who came in second at 212. Former Green Valley High standout Adam Tebbs finished third and Matt Edwards came in fourth. Tebbs plays at BYU, while Edwards competes for New Mexico State.

It was the eighth time Exber has won the top award.

He recorded victories at the Southern Nevada Amateur, Pro Golf Team Amateur II, Nevada State Match Play Championship and the

Ruth's Chris Golf Classic. He also finished tied for 41st at the United States Senior Open and tied for 5th at the Pacific Coast Amateur.

Jimmy Bradley won the Player of the Year in the Net Division, while Frank Acker won the Senior Gross Player of the Year. Acker still remains one of the top amateurs in the area and is one of only a handful of players who have claimed three association major championships. Gregory Ladner won Senior Net Player of the Year.

The association kicks off the 2008 season Jan. 26 to 27 with the Nevada Eye Care Amateur at Revere Golf Club. For more information, visit www.snga.org.

Around the Green

Las Vegas based Golden

Gaming, Inc. and Tom Watson Design recently announced an agreement for the design of an 18-hole championship golf course at Golden Gaming's proposed Wyandotte County Casino Resort outside Kansas City.

The course will be Golden Gaming's first golf related project and it will be the centerpiece of the casino-resort which will feature gaming,

Golden Gaming, Inc., along with its affiliate Golden Mardi Gras, Inc., operates three divisions: Golden Casino Group, Golden Tavern Group (Sierra Gold and PT's) and Golden Route Operations which is Nevada's third largest slot route operator.

Jensen's golf column appears weekly in the News. He can he reached at jjensen72@cox.net.





COURTESY PHOTO

Motorcycle racer Sam Jones has had five finishes in the top three since moving to the 30-and-over expert division of the six-race Best in the Desert dirt racing series, enough to capture the Best in the Desert Series Championship and the All-Aeries Grand Championship.

Speed demon

Consistent desert terrain motorcycle rider captures series

By TIM MULLIN

Henderson motorcycle racer Sam Jones finally bought some new racing clothes in August. He got a new helmet, a new jacket, new gloves and a pair of new pants to help with the long rides through the dust of the Nevada desert.

The first thing he did after the purchase, however, was taking a rock and scratching every piece.

"When I first started racing very time I got a new piece of clothing I would crash," said Jones, 30, who lives near Mission Drive and Horizon Ridge Parkway. "Now I don't. The clothes are never exactly new when I race."

Even though Jones admits his approach is a loophole around fate, it doesn't seem to fail. In his next race, the 580mile TSCO Vegas to Reno best in the Desert series race on Aug. 23 to 25, Jones never hit the ground en route to a second-place finish.

The race was just one of five top-three finishes for Jones in his first full season in the over-30 expert division of the six-race Best in the Desert dirt racing series. With his consistent finishes, along with a pair of wins, Jones went on to win the Best in the Desert Series Championship and the All-Aeries Grand Championship with 460 points.

"It is just a great feeling of accomplishment," he said. "It takes a lot of hard work a lot of time."



COURTESY PHOTO

Jones tore the anterior cruciate ligament in his left knee twice in the

Jones will be honored along with the other Best in the Desert champions at a banquet at Sunset Station on Dec. 15 where he will receive a trophy and a champions jacket.

course of motorcycle racing.

The win didn't come easy. During the last race of the season, at the Terrible's 400 near the dry lake bed on the way to Laughlin, Jones had to play catch-up. Coming out of the first of five 22-plus mile loops, Jones got a rear flat

"But the gears didn't match up so we had to swap those too, by the time we were done, we were down 15 to 20 minutes," he said.

But that didn't stop Jones, who averages anywhere from 38 to 92 miles per hour depending on the terrain, from

passing Dave Dunn in the last lap for the win.

"He is a very fast guy," Dunn said. "I was out there for five plus hours only to lose by 55 seconds, but he was pretty amazing.'

The 6-foot-6, 255 pound Jones said he loves racing, but it comes at a price. The winners get no prize money and he pays anywhere between \$500 to \$1,000 every race week for entry fees and routine maintenance on his 2007 Honda CRF 450r motocross dirt bike.

"It definitely makes it tough," he said. "You are always looking for sponsors and people to help you out."

With a young wife, Robyn, 24, and a 10-month old daughter, Ariella, finding time to spend at home and out practicing can also be a strain. But Jones said he always finds a way to do both.

"Once (racing) is in you blood, it is hard to get it out," he said. "It is for the fun and the glory of it. I love competing and racing. It is a great feeling to be able to catch someone and pass them, but at the same time I love my family."

Jones also worries about his health. Three year's ago, during a practice jump in the rain near Caliente, Jones tried to stop himself by extending his left leg. But his knee got caught and he tore his anterior cruciate ligament.

"It is one of the most painful things I have ever he said. experienced," After a six month recovery, Jones did it again. He tore the same ligament while trying to make a left turn during a

"Now I can turn right much better than I can turn left," he said. "Because you have to baby your wounds, you are always tentative to do stuff with an injured leg."

Fellow racer and friend Todd Abratowski, 36, said Jones is one of the toughest guys he

"Being out in the desert with the rocks, bumps and turns it is very demanding, but he makes it look so easy," Abratowski said. "The tougher the race gets, the better he is.'

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Flag football squad wins national title

By TIM MULLIN

Paul McKay had the National Flag Football championship game in his hands and he felt it.

Coaches weren't allowed to call plays at the championships in Orlando, Fla., leaving the Green Valley High freshman quarterback the Western Athletic Sports Unified Program Cardinals' only signal caller.

"There is a lot of pressure on you out there, with the cameras on and the crowd focused on every play you call," McKay said. "But you can't let all that distract you. You should only be thinking about how you are going to help your team win the game."

And that is what exactly what the 15-year-old did.

With a mixture of zone passes, crossing patterns and a few deeps balls down the 50-yard field, McKay led the Cardinals to 19-0 victory against the Miamibased MoSteel for the title at Boomer Esiason Stadium in the Wide World of Sports Complex at Disney World Resort on Nov. 17.

"(McKay) knows the system, knows the kids, trust the kids, and knows what plays to call," Cardinals coach Mike Charlton said. "That was an amazing opportunity for them and it is nice to bring the championship back to Las Vegas."

McKay said the hardest part was knowing who to give the ball to.

"You have to know who is having a good game and which receiver is having a bad day," McKay said

This isn't the first time a Southern Nevada based team has won the national title. FLeague president Bill Cheverino, along with wife Joyce, have won three

times, two in 2005 and another in 2004.

"It is good for the kids," Cheverino said. "They re-

ally worked hard for this." The Cardinals formed a dogpile following the victory to celebrate

"It feels like we have lifted a weight off of our shoulders," lineman Dylan Freiling, 14. "We've been playing together for this for close to seven years and it is just an amazing experience for all of us."

The 10-man squad had to play in a four-team round robin and three playoff matches to get into the championship game. The Cardinals only loss came at the hands of MoSteel - who have won five of the last six national championships in the round robin.

"I think we learned a lot from that loss," McKay said. "We found the plays that worked and mixed them into our game plan for the finals.

"We used a lot of isolation plays, and got one-on-one matchups for our receivers. As we developed our short game they had to suck their defense in and we went over the top."

McKay threw touchdown passes from 25 and 30 yards.

But the team credits most of their success to their attitude.

"We never give up on each other," said Mikie Charlton, the coach's son and starting running back. "When we drop a pass or make a stupid play no one gets mad, we just use that to motivate them to play better the next time. We always find a way to come together."

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SPORTS BRIEFS

Youth basketball team has tryouts

The Las Vegas Toros club basketball team will hold tryouts for third and fourth grade boys on Dec. 17 at 6 p.m. at Cimarron-Memorial. The school is located on Lake Mead Boulevard and Tenya Way.

The Toros are coached by Cimarron varsity coach Steve Boyack and veteran high school coach Leon Evans.

The coaches are looking for kids who are serious about learning good skills and parents who understand what it means to be part of a club program.

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Submit your registration information to the Home News at sports@hbcpub.com

yahoo.com with questions.

Henderson LL to host signups

Henderson Little League is holdings registration for boys and girls ages 5 to 15 for its spring season on Dec. 15 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. inside Dick's Sporting Goods at the Galleria at Sunset.

The fee is \$80 for t-ball and \$100 for all other divisions. More signups will be held in January. Contact Ken Newman at 565-7823.

Department of Wildlife successful in sheep relocation

By SEAN AMMERMAN

Strong winds in the River Mountains delayed the Nevada Department of Wildlife's desert bighorn sheep capture and release project on Dec. 10, but the department succeeded in a second try on Dec. 11.

A helicopter plucked out 24 ewes, a boy lamb and two rams by capturing them with nets from the rocky terrain near River Mountain Water Treatment Facility in west Henderson. They were released hours ater in the Delamar Mountains in southern Lincoln County.

"Everything went just textbook and all the sheep were in good shape," said Martin Olson, conservation educator with the department. "We were a little concerned about the weather at first but the pilot decided it was a lot calmer than the day before."

The project was part of the

department's effort to restore the population of desert bighorn sheep, Nevada's state animal, to its historic ranges.

The once abundant animal numbered fewer than 2,000 in 1960, but has since increased to more than 6,000 because of the relocation projects.

Conservation groups such as the Fraternity of the Desert Bighorn, Nevada Bighorns Unlimited and the Foundation for North American Wild Sheep provided much of the funding for the project, which was estimated at \$62,000.

On Dec. 9 the department successfully captured 24 ewes and a boy lamb from the Muddy Mountains for release in the in the Delamar range, which has enough food and water to support a growing population.

Volunteers from the conservation groups, many of whom are hunters, were on site to

help round up the sheep and prepare them for transfer by trailer to their new home.

For Bill Vasconi, member of Nevada Bighorns Unlimited and former president of the Fraternity of the Desert Bighorn, it took only one desert bighorn hunting trip 10 years ago to turn him into a conservationist.

"When you are involved with the desert bighorn, you see what a majestic animal they are," Vasconi said. "The conservation then just comes naturally. The satisfaction is there when you know it's going to last for future generations."

Drawing a desert bighorn tag is extremely rare for a hunter. Most draw only one in a lifetime, yet the conservation groups are mostly made up of

This year the groups raised \$161,000 for the department's



Desert bighorn sheep, such as the ones in this herd feeding at Hemen way Park in Boulder City Dec. 8, were scheduled for the Nevada Departent of Wildlife's capture and release project, but strong winds delayed the relocation.

conservation efforts, which include sheep transfer and water development in dry areas of the state.

also a means of population control for the River Mountains, where the increasing number of sheep will eventually be in danger from overus-Olson said the project was

ing its resources.

The River Mountains, a range that divides Boulder City and Henderson, can sustain a population of 250 to 300 sheep. The department estimates around 250 live in

'This area is stressed for the number of sheep," Olson said "With overpopulation, there can not be enough food and water for the sheep and, with the lack of rain, that's exactly, what is happening.

Olson said the department expects to transport sheep out of the River Mountains again next year.

Before this year, 1,539 sheep had been transplanted into ranges across Southern Nevada, 607 of which have come from the River Mountains.

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PREP SPORTS

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14

Boys basketball

Basic at Liberty, 6:30 Tech at Foothill, 6:30 p.m.

Girls basketball

Basic at Liberty, 5 p.m. Foothill at Tech, 5 p.m.

Tech at Basic, 5 p.m. Foothill at Silverado, 3:30

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17

Girls soccer

Silverado at Basic, 5 p.m. Green Valley High at Foothill, 5 p.m.

Boys and girls bowling

Tech vs. Basic at Sunset Sta-Foothill vs. Coronado at

Sunset Station, 3 p.m. TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18

Boys and girls bowling

Basic vs. Silverado at Sunset Station, 3 p.m.

Foothill vs. Tech at Sunset Station, 3 p.m.

Boys basketball

Green Valley High at Basic Foothill at Coronado, 6:30

Girls basketball

Green Valley High at Basic,

Foothill at Coronado, 5 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19

Girls soccer

Basic at Liberty, 5 p.m. Foothill at Tech, 5 p.m.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20

Girls basketball

Basic at Foothill, 5 p.m.

Boys and girls bowling

Liberty vs. Basic at Sunset Station, 3 p.m. Foothill vs. Green Valley High, 3 p.m.

Wrestling

Foothill at Basic, 7 p.m.

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Lake Mead boys roll to eighth straight

By SEAN AMMERMAN

Lake Mead Christian Academy's boys basketball team has won eight consecutive games to open the season, winning by an average of nearly 28 points.

The victories include the 1A school's first ever win over Basic, in what Eagles coach Jeff Newton dubbed "the battle of Burkholder Boulevard."

"We have definitely come a long way," Newton said. "About six to seven years ago Basic's junior varsity team was beating our varsity by 30 points."

The Eagles have been winning with a fast-paced offensive game, which scored a school record 37 points in the first quarter against Pahrump Valley in a 98-64 season open-

The Eagles' Landon Littlefield, Jared Dean, De'quann Thompson, Jeffery Newton Jr., and Demetrius Turner are all averaging 10 points or more a

"As far as depth, we have more than we've ever had," Newton said. "Having five kids averaging in double digits is a nice luxury to have.'

On Dec. 10 Lake Mead beat defending 3A state champions Faith Lutheran 89-69.

Wolves wrestling earns split

The Basic wrestling team went 3-3 at the Sierra Vista Duals on Dec. 7 and 8 and took sixth place in the Division I bracket.

AssistantcoachJimDuschen said the Wolves' wins over Shadow Ridge, Cheyenne and Bonanza were helped along by strong performances from Abraham Gonzales at 140 pounds, Kelly Kofford at 152

135 pounds.

The duals put Basic's at 6-6 overall, a record that does not satisfy the Wolves, who went

20-2 last year. "I think there's starting to

be some progress," he said. "We have to get a little better every day at practice, so at the end of the season we can hit our peak."

Foothill nearly upsets Gorman

Foothill boys basketball coach Kevin Soares said his team needs to improve on protecting the ball if it wants to succeed in its conference schedule, which began Dec.

The Falcons blew a six-point halftime lead against Bishop Gorman on Dec. 6 to lose 62-55 a loss Soares said stemmed

pounds, and Mark Bleuce at from his team's 20-plus turn-

overs. "Bishop Gorman was a lot scrappier on defensive side of the ball," Soares said. "The two games we have lost so far have been to Canyon Springs

beat us by turnovers." Earl Jones had 23 points and five assists and Ben Green added 17 points and nine rebounds on Dec. 4 in a 77-65 victory against Durango.

and Bishop Gorman and both

Green leads the team with 16 points per game.

The Falcons hope to carry the momentum from the Durango game into the more competitive league schedule.

"Ever game we play now, we play for a playoff spot," Soares said. "We expect a dog fight every night."

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'Hawks boys hoops look to turn it around

By JARED HARMON

Silverado's boys basketball team lost its first three games this winter and coach Ron Childress is looking for ways to return his team to its win-

The Skyhawks went 26-4 last year and advanced to the regional semifinals, but have struggled trying to find a new identity after the graduation of the school's most decorated scorer.

The loss of Henderson's alltime leading scorer, Heiden Ratner, has left a leadership hole to be filled, but Childress said he has seen juniors Ali Sabra and Wade Collie start to pick up that slack. Ratner led the 'Hawks in scoring the past three years.

"I think the strength of our team right now is leadership," Childress said. "Ali and Wade, together, have taken that role and they've led by example and have tried to get this team

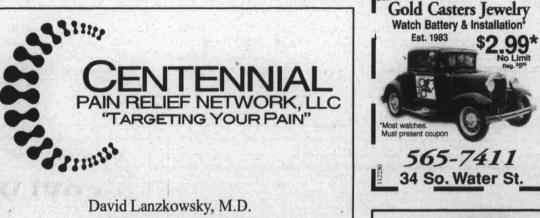
where it needs to be." Sabra had 40 points in the

season opener against Eldorado on Nov. 27, but the 'Hawks fell 89-82. They followed with an 88-60 loss to Cheyenne on Nov. 30 and 80-78 defeat to Bonanza on Dec. 5.

Collie, who Childress said hit the weight room hard this offseason, said the team needs to be more focused in practices.

"We're not always working as hard as we should at all times," Collie said. "I think after the Eldorado game we realized we can't play like we have been and we're starting to get better. It's just going to take a group effort if we want to be serious about this sea-

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Wolverines coach honored by minor league hall of fame

can be a lot of pressure or stress," Kelly said. "But I am passionate about football and I'm passionate about helping these young men the ones who are dedicated. I want to see them make the arena league, or the CFL

or even the NFL. That's why I come back each season. That's where the passion is for me."

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COURTS from Page 1B

City will replace tennis courts at O'Callaghan Park

was the first park she visited and immediately made sure the courts were on the asset replacement list — a list of land and equipment the department needs to replace.

The park, named after former Home News Publisher Mike O'Callaghan, opened in 1988. The 24 acre park also has one lit baseball field, two basketball courts, a playground and volleyball

"It has been a priority

for us for a long time now," Donner said. "But we have so many other projects to work on as well.'

CG&B Enterprises was the lowest bidder at \$796,257, nearly \$13,000 lower than the others.

"It will be nice to have them up and running again," Carr

Tim Mullin can be reached at 990-2659 or at timothy.mullin@ hbcpub.com.

FALCONS from Page 1B

Foothill wrestling squad starts season strong at 10-3

side lines for much of the

Struzik stayed away from football this season to focus on wrestling.

"I feel like I'm getting back what I lost and what I could have had last year," he said.

The Falcons have opened the season with non-conference wins against Durango, Shadow Ridge and Sierra

Vista and took third in the Boulder City Duals - the school's best ever finish in the competition.

The strong start is impressive, but Smales knows it's too early to tell if his team will claw over the hump.

Sean Ammerman can be reached at 990-2661 or sean.ammerman@hbcbub.com.

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Young ballplayers get pitching, hitting tips from big leaguers



JUMMEL HIDROSOLLO/SPECIAL TO THE HOME NEWS

Ryan Bevans of the Major League Baseball Players Alumni Association speaks during a baseball clinic with coaching from former major league

"(Evans) told us to keep our elbow loose, not so tense, and to bring it in," he said. "It was just a lot of fun all around and really cool to see former major leaguers."

Colton Schultz, a 14-yearold shortstop and pitcher, said he learned a few things he can take with him to the mound.

"They showed me a bunch of different grips and the importance of balance, stuff like," he said.

Many of the pros said they attended the event because they enjoy working with children, even though sometimes they had to fight for their attention.

For most of his session with the 7 and 8 year old group Bell had to snaps his fingers and

'They don't think they know it all and that is what makes the whole thing for me..'

George Bell, Former All-Star pitcher

shout to keep the kid's eyes on

him. "But in the end they listen to you," Bell said. "They don't think they know it all and that is what makes the whole thing for me."

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Henderson area will be big factor in girls hoops tourney

created for casino workers whose shifts end after the Wranglers traditional 7:05 p.m. start time.

The Wranglers (16-2), who compete in the Double-A East Coast Hockey League, have a loyal fan base in Southern Nevada that continues to gain popularity each year. That's what happens to winners in Las Vegas as the Pacific Division-leading Wranglers have the best record in the 25-team

Maybe, if all the stars align, locals will be cheering for a National Hockey League team in a few years. While the Wranglers - and their annual midnight game are extremely popular, it's a no-brainer that rooting for an NHL team would be an upgrade several would call a perfect gift under the Christmas tree.

Rebels help make playoff argument

UNLV's football team struggled in winning two games for the third straight season, but one of the victories, a comfortable 27-0 victory against Utah on Sept. 22, perfectly illustrates the parity this fall.

The triumph was the most impressive win in Mike Sanford's three years at the helm of the Rebels' program, but far from a victory that puts the Rebels in any postseason discussions.

But it is fun to mention them among the game's elite.

A week before the Rebels handled Utah, the Utes cruised past UCLA 44-6. UCLA topped Oregon 16-0 in late November, while Oregon beat USC 24-17 on Oct. 27.

The Rose Bowl bound Trojans are one of the hottest teams in the nation, and if

they get past Illinois on New Years Day, will surely argue they were cheated out of the national championship. The same can be said about a Hawaii team that didn't lose a game.

The easiest solution would be to have a 16-team playoff and take advantage of the layoff - Ohio State will wait more than 40 days before it plays for the national title

 from the end of the regular season. That way everyone, including UNLV when Sanford turns the program around, can compete for national bragging rights.

Area team will reach state basketball

The Sunset Regional girls basketball tournament will turn into an all-Henderson area battle this February.

The region is divided into

two leagues, the Hendersonbased Southeast and the Northeast, with each sending four teams to the playoffs.

All seven Northeast teams having losing records three weeks into the season, including Chaparral, Desert Pines, Rancho and Canyon Springs combining for a 0-19 mark.

This means undefeated Southeast Technical Center, formerly Vo-Tech, Green Val: ley High and Silverado - the Southeast's top three teams will see a lot of each other in 2008. In addition to a pair of league games, it should be

the regional event. I'll take defending region : champion Silverado and sophomore sensation point; guard Shea Collins to walk

an all-Southeast semifinal in

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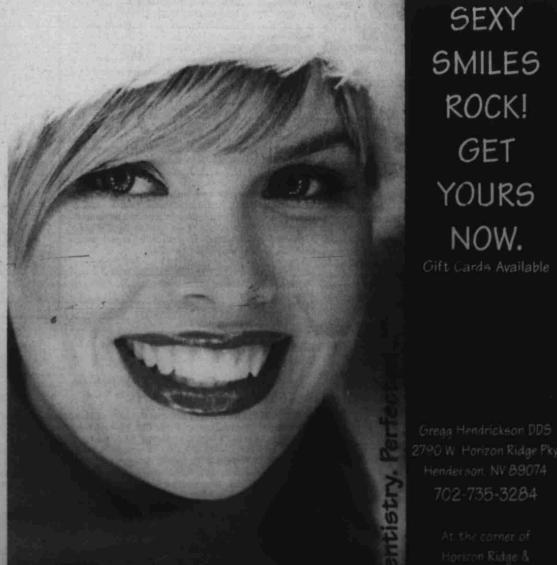
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CITY OF HENDERSON **PUBLIC MEETINGS** City Council, Redevelopment Agency, and Planning Commission

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Henderson City Oouncil meets the first and third Tuesday of each month at Henderson City Hall, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Committee meetings are held just prior to the Council meeting, and the Redevelopment Agency meetings are regularly scheduled for the third Tuesday of each month prior to the Committee meeting.

Henderson Planning Commission meets the second Thursday following the Council meeting at 7:00 p.m.

For additional information regarding City Council and Redevelopment Agency meetings, please contact the City Clerk at (702) 267-1400.

For additional information regarding the Planning Commission meetings, please contact the Community Development Department at (702) 267-1500.

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NOTICE TO CONSULTANTS REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Nevada Department of Transportation I soliciting proposals for a qualified Consultant to provide Engineering and Design-Build Administration Services for I-15 South from Blue Diamond Road to Tropicana Avenue, Phase I, Clark County, Nevada

Consultants not currently prequalified (or desiring to prequalify) in the Roadway Design/Freeway discipline will first be reviewed to determine prequalification status. Any proposals submitted that do not meet the prequalification requirements will be returned to the Consultant without further review.

The Request for Proposal may be obtained and examined at the Nevada Department of Transportation, Agreement Services, Room 101, 1263 South Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada 89712, (775) 888-7070. Contact with NDOT personnel, other than Agreement Services, regarding these services will not be allowed during the advertisement period of this request for proposal. Any questions raised by Consultants must be in writing to Agreement Services, at 1263 South Stewart Street, Room 101, Carson City, Nevada 89712 or faxed to (775) 888-7101 and received by 5:00 p.m., on December 17, 2007. Written responses will be distributed by the NDOT on or before December 21,

All proposals will be accepted until 5:00 p.m., on January 7, 2008 at the Nevada Department of Transportation, Agreement Services, Room 101, 1263 South Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada 89712. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals or to accept the proposal best suited for the interests of the State of Nevada.

SUSAN MARTINOVICH, P.E., DIRECTOR Nevada Department of Transportation H- Dec 6, 13, 2007; PV 800 162831

NOTICE TO INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS ELECTRICAL SERVICE BIDS WANTED

Sealed proposals will be received by the Nevada Depart Sealed proposals will be received by the Nevada Department of Transportation, Carson City, Nevada, 89712 until and opened at 1:30 p.m., local time, on Thursday, December 27, 2007 for District Contract No. D1-116-07, Electrical Ste Inspection, Troubleshooting and New Installation of Electrical Equipment Including Security Alarm, Fire Alarm, and Local Area Network New Installation of Electrical Equipment Including (LAN) Installations at Various Department Locations in District I, Clark, Esmeralda, Eureka, Lincoln and Nye Counties, Nevada. Tasks will be assigned on an as-needed basis. However, this notice does not guarantée or imply the promise of work. Such sealed bids as received will be publicly opened and read at the above hour and date. Independent Contractors Agreement, Services to be Preformed and related documents may be examined and obtained at the Carson City Head-quarters, 1263 South Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada or by calling Chris Dornberger, Project Coordinator at (775) 888-7576 if you have any questions. All proposals shall be made on the Bid Proposal form furnished by the Department. Said agreement consists of furnishing all labor, materials, services, equipment, tools, supervision and personal expenses necessary to perform the work in a manner satisfactory to the Director of Transportation. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, or to accept the bid deemed best for the interest of the State of Nevada.

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cense of a class corresponding to the work to be done. Requests for license may be directed to the Secretary of the State Contractor's Board, 2310 Corporate Circle #200, Henderson, Nevada 89074

SUSAN MARTINOVICH, P.E., DIRECTOR **Nevada Department of Transportation** Carson City, Nevada 89712 H- Dec 6, 13, 2007; PV 800 186724

NOTICE TO INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS PAINTING SERVICE BIDS WANTED

Sealed proposals will be received by the Nevada Department of Transportation, Carson City Headquarters, 1263 South Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada, 89712 until and opened at 1:30 p.m., local time, on Thursday, December 20, 2007 for District Contract No. D1-113-07, Painting, Finishing, Surface Prepara-tion, Site Investigation and Related Work at Various NDOT Locations in District I. Tasks will be assigned on an as-needed basis. However, this notice does not bids as received will be publicly opened and read at the above hour and date. Independent Contractors Agreement, Services to be Performed, and related documents may be examined and obtained at the Carson City Headquagette. City Headquarters, 1263 South Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada or by calling DJ Chandler, Project Manager at (775) 888-7487, if you have any questions. All proposals shall be made on the Bid Proposal form furnished by the Department. Said agreement consists of furnishing all labor, materials, services, equipment, tools, supervision and personal expenses necessary to perform the work in a manner satisfactory to the Director of Transportation. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, or to accept the bid deemed best for the interest of the State of Nevada.

Contractors desiring to bid on this work, if not already qualified under the State Law, shall file with the Department of Transportation at Carson City, Nevada, not later than five (5) days prior to the date for opening of bids, a complete application for qualification on forms furnished by the Department.

The attention of bidders is directed to the State Contractor's License Law requirement (NRS 624 as amended to date), that a contractor hold a valid license of a class corresponding to the work to be done. Requests for license may be directed to the Secretary of the State Contractor's Board, 2310 Corporate Circle #200 Monderen Newsde 80074 cle #200, Henderson, Nevada 89074

SUSAN MARTINOVICH, P.E., DIRECTOR Nevada Department of Transportation Carson City, Nevada 89712 H- Nov 29, Dec 6, 13, 2007; PV 800 186704

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CITY OF HENDERSON NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Henderson, Nevada, a municipal corporation, intends to notice for sale that certain real property consisting of approximately 18.71 acres of vacant land, being Assessor Parcel Nos. 161-33-302-001 and 161-33-302-003, (the "Property"), located in the Southwest Quarter of Section 33 Township 21 South, Range 62 East, M.D.M., Henderson, Nevada, zoned RS-6 (Low Density Residential), to the highest qualified bidder, subject to zoning regulations, reservations for public purposes, easements, restrictions of record, and further subject to the following:

TIME, DATE, PLACE AND REQUIREMENTS FOR SUBMISSION OF BIDS TO PURCHASE

Bid packages consisting of an Offer to Purchase letter, the Affidavit for Oral Bids and Affidavit for Written/Oral Bids agreeing to comply with the conditions of the land sale will be available beginning December 6, 2007 in the office of the Property Manager located at 240 Water Street - Community Development, First

Floor, Henderson, Nevada, Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. The bid package is also available on the City's website: www.cityofhenderson.com.

All bids must be accompanied by a deposit equal to five (5) percent of the highest appraised value of the Property; said deposit is Five Hundred Nine Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$509,250.00). All deposits must be in the form of a certified check or cashier's check made out to the "City of Henderson or Name of Bidder". The bidder's name must be included on the check.

Written bids to purchase the subject Property will be accepted only at the office of the City Clerk located at 240 Water Street, Henderson, Nevada, during regular business hours commencing 7:30 a.m., December 6, 2007, and continuing thereafter until 5:00 p.m., February 27, 2008. All written bids must be in writing, sealed, accompanied by the signed Offer to Purchase letter, the signed Affidavit for Written/Oral Bids and the required deposit. Envelope shall reference the name and address of bidder, resolution number, and name of land sale. Submittal of a written bid will automatically register bidder for the oral bidding process.

Other persons wishing to participate in the oral bidding process must submit the signed Affidavit for Oral Bids and the required deposit to the City Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on the day of the auction.

Bids that do not comply with these requirements will not be considered and will be returned to the bidder. Deposits will be returned to the unsuccessful bidders.

Bid placards will be distributed in the City Clerk's Office between 5:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. the night of the meeting.

At City Council meeting, after the written bids are opened, examined and declared to be in conformance with the resolution and conditions of sale, oral bids will be called for. The first oral bid must exceed the highest written bid by

All bids shall be considered on the basis of achieving maximum benefit for the City of Henderson.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY FOR SALE

Approximately 18.71 acres, more or less, of vacant land, consisting of Assessor Parcel Nos. 161-33-302-001 and 161-33-302-003, located in the Southwest Quarter of Section 33, Township 21 South, Range 62 East, M.D.M. Henderson, Nevada, generally located at the Southeast corner of Patrick Lane and Galleria Drive. This property is graphically depicted on Attachment 1.

CONDITIONS OF SALE

- 1. Buyer shall execute Land Purchase and Sale Agreement.
- 2. The minimum acceptable bid is Ten Million One Hundred Eighty Five Thousand Dollars (\$10,185,000.00) payable all cash at closing or other terms acceptable by the Henderson City Council.
- 3. The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all Bids.
- 4. Buyer shall pay all escrow and closing costs.
- 5. Buyer may obtain title insurance at own expense.
- 6. A Five Hundred Nine Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$509,250.00) deposit is required with bid. The deposit will be applied to the purchase price. If, after the acceptance of bid for the sale by the City Council, the City refuses or is unable to consummate the sale, the deposit will be refunded to the Buyer. If, after the acceptance of bid for the sale by the City Council, the Buyer refuses or is unable to consummate the sale, the City will retain the deposit. The Buyer acknowledges, that the deposit shall constitute the liquidated damages to the City in the event of default by the Buyer.
- 7. Bid shall be for the entire 18.71 acres, more or less.
- 8. Buyer shall reimburse City for costs of appraisals, preliminary title reports, and publication.

9. This property shall be subject to a deed restriction requiring conformance with the current zoning of RS-6 (Low Density Residential).

10. The initial escrow period shall be for a maximum period of 90 days and shall be deemed to have commenced the next business day following the date of City Council approval and acceptance of bid of the land sale and may be extended for three (3) consecutive 30-day periods by mutual agreement. For each 30-day extension, the Buyer shall pay to the City an amount equal to 1% of the original sales price. Funds received by the City for extensions of time will be applied to the purchase price. Further, funds received for extensions of time are not refundable should the Buyer allow the escrow to expire or the Buyer cause the cancellation of the escrow. Funds received for extensions of time will be refunded should the City allow the escrow to expire or cause the cancellation of the escrow. In the event of cancellation or the expiration of the original term of the escrow or any extension thereof, the escrow shall terminate without further action.

11. The sale of City-owned property does not constitute an endorsement or approval of any development plans or a commitment or guarantee for water or sanitary sewer service. Provision of these services is administered pursuant to Title 14 and 19 of the Henderson Municipal Code. Buyer understands the Property will be subject to requirements for development per the Henderson Municipal Code.

12. Buyer acknowledges that the City, its employees, agents and representatives have made no representations or warranties, written or oral, express or implied, with respect to the Property. Buyer is relying upon his own expertise and upon his own investigation of the Property with respect to its suitability for Buyer's intended use. Buyer shall acquire the Property AS IS and WITH ALL FAULTS.

INSPECTION

To arrange inspection of the Property, contact the Property Management Division at 267-1500 Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

DATE, TIME AND PLACE FOR OPENING AND ACTION UPON BID OFFERS

The written bids shall be opened, examined and declared by the City Council at 7 p.m., or as soon thereafter as practical, on March 4, 2008 in a public session of the City Council. The City Council shall then call for oral bids, the first of which shall be at least 5% more than the highest written bid. The City Council may then accept the highest oral Bid, continue acceptance to Bid to the next City Council meeting, or reject all Bids and withdraw the property from sale.

THIS NOTICE IS GIVEN pursuant to and subject to Section 2.320 of the Charter of the City of Henderson, Nevada and NRS 268.061 and 268.062.

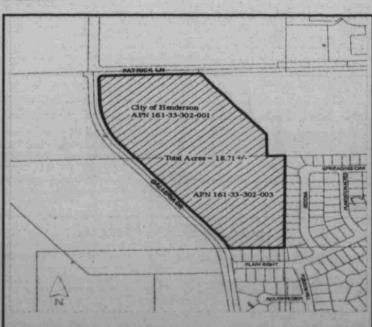
Resolution No. 3712 and this Notice of Sale shall be posted at the Henderson Multigenerational Center, 250 S. Green Valley Parkway; City Hall, 240 Water Street, 1st Floor Lobbies; Whitney Ranch Recreation Center, 1575 Galleria Drive; and Fire Station No. 86, 96 Via Anticendio. Any interested party may obtain copies of the resolution and notice in the Office of the City Clerk, 240 Water Street, Henderson, Nevada.

For further information, contact the City Clerk's Office at 240 Water Street, P.O. Box 95050, Henderson, Nevada, 89009-5050.

DATED this 5TH day of December 2007, and published in the Henderson Home News on December 13, December 20, and December 27, 2007.

MONICA MARTINEZ SIMMONS, CMC CITY CLERK

Attachment 1



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> CITY OF HENDERSON OF CITY OWNED PROPERTY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Henderson, Nevada, a municipal corporation, intends to notice for lease 1,280 square feet, (the "Lease Area"), together with a 20' wide non-exclusive access easement and a 12' x 22' parktogether with a 20' wide non-exclusive access easement and a 12' x 22' parking space, for a multi-user telecommunications facility, generally located in the southeast quadrant of Green Valley Parkway and Paseo Verde Parkway, being a portion of that certain real property consisting of approximately 6.46 acres, being Assessor Parcel Number 178-20-301-001, (the "Property") located in the North Half (N 1/2) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section 20, Township 22 South, Range 62 East, M.D.M., City of Henderson, Clark County, Nevada, zoned PS Public/Semipublic District, to the highest qualified bidder, subject to zoning regulations, reservations for public purposes, easements, restrictions of record, and further subject to the following:

TIME, DATE, PLACE AND REQUIREMENTS FOR SUBMISSION OF BIDS TO PURCHASE

Bid packages consisting of an Offer to Lease letter, the Affidavit for Oral Bids and Affidavit for Written/Oral Bids agreeing to comply with the conditions of the lease and a copy of the associated lease agreement will be available beginning December 6, 2007, from the Community Development Department - Property Management Division located at 240 Water Street - First Floor, Henderson, Nevada, Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. The bid package is also available on the City's website: www.cityofhenderson.com.

All bids must be accompanied by a deposit equal to the highest appraised value of the Lease Area; said deposit is One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$1,700.00). All deposits must be in the form of a certified check or cashier's check made out to the "City of Henderson or Name of Bidder". The bidder's name must be included

Written bids to lease the subject Lease Area will be accepted only at the office of the City Clerk located at 240 Water Street, Henderson, Nevada, during regular business hours commencing 7:30 a.m., December 6, 2007, and continuing thereafter until 5:00 p.m., January 3, 2008. All written bids must be in writing, sealed, and accompanied by the signed Offer to Lease letter, signed Affidavit for Written/Oral Bids and the required deposit. Envelope shall reference the name and address of bidder, resolution number, and name of lease. Submittal of a written bid will automatically register bidder for the oral bidding process.

Other persons wishing to participate in the oral bidding process must submit the signed Affidavit for Oral Bids and the required deposit to the City Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on the day of the auction.

Bid placards will be distributed in the City Clerk's Office between 5:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. the night of the meeting.

At City Council meeting, after the written bids are opened, examined and declared to be in conformance with the resolution and conditions of lease, oral

Bids that do not comply with these requirements will not be considered and THIS NOTICE IS GIVEN pursuant to and subject to Section 2.320 of the Charter returned to the bidder. Deposits will be returned to the unsuccessful bidders.

Resolution No. 3711 and this Notice of Lease shall be posted at the Multigenerational Center, 250 S. Green Valley Parkway; City Hall, 240 Water Street, 1st Floor Lobbies; Whitney Ranch Recreation Center, 1575 Galleria Drive; and Fire Station No. 86, 96 Via Anticendio. Any interested party may obtain copies of the resolution and notice in the Office of the City Clerk, 240 Water Street, Henderson, Nevada.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY FOR LEASE

Approximately 1,280 square feet of real property, together with a 20' wide non-exclusive access easement and a 12' x 22' parking space, located in the southeast quadrant of Green Valley Parkway and Paseo Verde Parkway being a portion of Assessor's Parcel Number 178-20-301-001 for a multi-user telecommunications facility. This Lease Area is graphically depicted on Attachment 1.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE

- 1. Lessee shall execute a Lease Agreement.
- 2. The initial Lease term is five (5) years with five 5-year options renewable at the mutual agreement of the City and the Lessee.
- 3. The lease offering shall be for the entire 1,280 square feet, together with a 20' wide non-exclusive access easement, 12' x 22' parking space and the right to construct a multi-user stealth mono-palm cell tower at a minimum bid price of One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$1,700.00) per month.
- 4. A deposit of One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$1,700.00) is required with bid. The deposit will be applied to the first month's rent. If, after the acceptance of bid for the lease by the City Council, the City (the "Lessor") refuses or is unable to consummate the lease, the deposit will be refunded to the Lessee. If, after the acceptance of bid for the lease by the City Council, the Lessee refuses or is unable to consummate the lease, the City will retain the deposit. The Lessee acknowledges that the deposit shall constitute the liquidated damages to the City in the event of default by the Lessee.
- 5. Commencing upon approval of an additional user by the City, the rental payment shall automatically increase by Six Hundred Dollars (\$600.00) per month.
- 6. Lessee shall reimburse the City for the costs of appraisals, preliminary title reports, and publication.
- 7. The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
- 8. The initial lease term shall commence on the first day of the month following the date of the City Council's Acceptance of Bid for Lease and Approval of Lease
- The lease of City-owned property does not constitute an endorsement or approval of any development plans or a commitment or guarantee for water or sanitary sewer service. Provision of these services is administered pursuant to Title 14 and 19 of the Henderson Municipal Code. Lessee understands the Lease Area will be subject to requirements for development per the Henderson
- 10. Lessee acknowledges that the City, its employees, agents and representatives have made no representations or warranties, written or oral, express or implied, with respect to the Lease Area. Lessee is relying upon his own expertise and upon his own investigation of the Lease Area with respect to its suitability for ee's intended use. Lessee shall acquire the Lease Area AS IS and WITH ALL
- 11. If the City approves a lease for this site, the successful bidder must construct those improvements as submitted and approved in the Conditional Use Permit CUP-07-540050 approved by the Henderson Planning Commission on May 24, 2007 and comply with the conditions of approval subject to the conditions required as a result of the Land Use Entitlements or as required by the City of Mandagers Public Works Department. Henderson Public Works Department.
- 12. The Lease Area must be for a use permitted by zoning and is limited to PS Public/Semipublic District.

PUBLIC WORKS CONDITION

1. The acceptance or approval of the Conditional Use Permit CUP-07-540050 does not authorize or entitle the applicant to construct the project or to receive further development approvals, grading permits or building permits.

DEPARTMENT OF UTILITY SERVICES CONDITIONS

- 1. Lessee shall verify that cell tower does not interfere with the line of sight transssion of the City's HEN-NET System.
- 2. Lessee shall provide a metered connection for proposed landscaping.
- 3. Lessee to locate all underground utilities in the area and identify them on the construction plans.
- The design and construction of the improvements must allow adequate areas or maintenance of the underground utilities in relationship to their magnitude.
- 5. No construction or maintenance thereof is allowed from inside the reservoir

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT CONDITIONS

- 1. Lessee shall comply with all Code requirements not specifically listed as a condition of approval but required by Title 19 of the Henderson Municipal Code, compliance with all plans and exhibits presented and amended as part of the final approval, and compliance with all additional items required to fulfill conditions
- 2. Lessee shall plant three (3) 50-foot-tall live palm trees in locations approved by staff.
 - PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT CONDITION

1. Lessee shall meet with Parks and Recreation Department, Parks Planning, prior to construction of the cell tower site.

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT DIVISION CONDITIONS

- 1. Lessee shall obtain a Revocable Permit for Occupancy of City Owned Land from the Community Development Department Property Management Division for grading, construction of facilities, installation of live palm trees and irriga-
- 2. The cell tower is to be constructed to accommodate one (1) additional user. Additional antennas shall be concealed within the pole.
- 3. The pole is to be textured with 3-dimensional full bark cladding to simulate a natural palm trunk, or as approved by the Property Management Division.
- 4. The antennas are to be concealed by the branches, which shall extend beyond the antennas and from between the antenna supports. A minimum of 68 branches shall be installed. The antennas shall not extend beyond the top of the pole. All antennas, antenna mounts and mounted equipment and cables shall be painted to match. The antennas and branch color, size and texture are to be approved by the Property Management Division prior to installation.
- 5. The Lease Area is to be completely fenced with ten-foot (10') high block walls to match the abutting reservoir's existing block fence.
- 6. No shelter or equipment other than the tower shall extend above the fence.
- 7. The non-exclusive access easement and parking space are to be paved in accordance with approved construction plans. Removable bollards or a means acceptable to the Parks and Recreation Department to prevent public access shall be installed at the entrance to the non-exclusive access easement.
- 8. Lessee shall be responsible for connecting to power and phone service at their own expense and agrees to establish separate billing and metering. Lessee shall be responsible for all utilities charges for electricity, telephone service or any other utility used or consumed by Lessee on the Lease Area.

INSPECTION

To arrange inspection of the Lease Area, contact the Community Development Department - Property Management Division at 267-1500 Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

DATE, TIME AND PLACE FOR OPENING AND ACTION UPON LEASE OFFERS (BIDS)

The written bids shall be opened, examined and declared by the City Council at 7 p.m., or as soon thereafter as practical, on January 8, 2008 in a public session of the City Council. The City Council shall then call for oral bids, the first of which shall be at least 5% more than the highest written bid. The City Council may then accept the highest oral Bid, continue acceptance to Bid to the next City Council meeting, or reject all Bids and withdraw the property from sale.

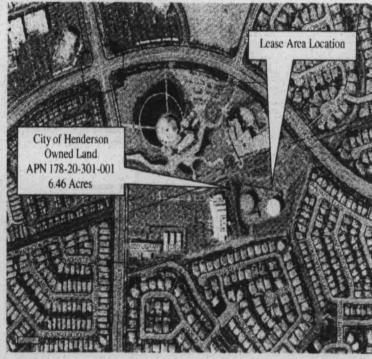
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of the City of Henderson, Nevada and NRS 268.061 and 268.062.

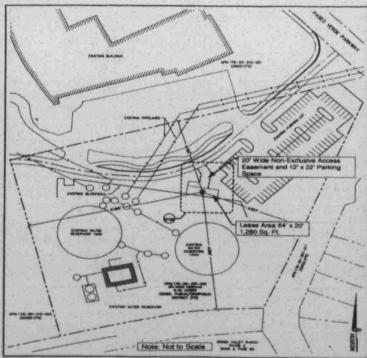
For further information, contact the City Clerk at 240 Water Street, P.O. Box 95050, Henderson, Nevada, 89009-5050.

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MONICA MARTINEZ SIMMONS, CMC CITY CLERK



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NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS CONCERNED

Pursuant to Chapter 408, Nevada Revised Statues, notice is hereby given that on December 12, 2007, Contract No. 3282 between Frehner Construction Co., Inc. and the State of Nevada, for construction of a portion of the Interstate Highway System on I-515, from Sahara Avenue to the Las Vegas Boulevard, Clark County, Project No. SPI-515-1 (032)

All creditors having claims against this contract must file their claims within thirty (30) days after acceptance of said contract. Information relative to the manner of filing claims may be obtained from the Administrative Services Officer, telephone number (775) 882-8070

SUSAN MARTINOVICH, P.E., DIRECTOR Nevada Department of Transportational Carson City, Nevada 89712

H- DEC 13, 20, 2007; PV 800 184612

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE IS HEREBY

TAG: 2370-B

PUBLISH: December

GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Henderson proposed by reading in title the following Ordinance at its Regular Meeting, held December 11, 2007,

entitled:

BILL NO. 2370 ZCA-07-660035 - Vegas Water Sports Complex

AN ORDINANCE OF

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HENDERSON, NEVADA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1972, THE ZONING MAP, TO RECLASSIFY CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY, **DESCRIBED AS A** PORTION OF SECTION 13, TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 62 EAST, M.D.B. & M., CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA, LOCATED AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF VAN WAGENEN STREET AND ARTHUR AVENUE, IN THE TOWNSITE PLANNING AREA AND DOWNTOWN REDEVELOPMENT AREA, FROM RS-6-RD (LOW-DENSITY RESIDENTIAL WITH REDEVELOPMENT **OVERLAY) ON 4.0** ACRES AND CH-RD (HIGHWAY

COMMERCIAL WITH REDEVELOPMENT **OVERLAY) ON 3.2** ACRES TO CH-RD-**PUD (HIGHWAY** COMMERCIAL WITH REDEVELOPMENT AND PLANNED UNIT

DEVELOPMENT OVERLAYS), AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.

> which has been referred to a Committee of the Council as a Whole for study and recommendation and a copy of said Ordinance has been filed with the City Clerk for general public scrutiny. The Committee Meeting will be held January 8, 2008, at 6:45 p.m. The Council will consider this Ordinance for adoption at the Regular Meeting of the City Council on January 8, 2008; and in any case will adopt or

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reject this Ordinance

within 30 days.

Monica M. Simmons, CMC City Clerk H-DEC 13, 2007

PUBLISH: December 13, 2007 TAG: 2371-B

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Henderson proposed by lowing Ordinance at its Regular Meeting, held December 11, 2007,

ZCA-05-660010-A1 -Horizon Ridge Center

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HENDERSON NEVADA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1972, THE ZONING MAP, TO RECLASSIFY CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY, DESCRIBED AS A PORTION OF SECTION 30. TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 62 EAST, M.D.B. & M., CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA, ON 2 ACRES, LOCATED NORTH OF HORIZON RIDGE PARKWAY AND EAST WAY FROM CN NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL) TO

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Monica M. Simmons, CMC City Clerk H-DEC 13, 2007

13, 2007 TAG: 2372-B PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLISH: December

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Henderson proposed by reading in title the following Ordinance at its Regular Meeting, held December 11, 2007,

BILL NO. 2372 ZCA-07-660039 - Seven

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HENDERSON. NEVADA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1972, THE ZONING MAP, TO RECLASSIFY CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY, DESCRIBED AS A PORTION OF SECTION 1, TOWNSHIP 23 **SOUTH, RANGE 61** EAST, M.D.B. & M., CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA, ON .3 ACRE, LOCATED SOUTH OF THE INTERSECTION OF SEVEN HILLS DRIVE AND SOUTHERN WIND **AVENUE FROM PS-MP** (PUBLIC/SEMIPUBLIC WITH MASTER DEVELOPMENT PLAN OVERLAY) TO RS-6-MP (LOW-DENSITY RESIDENTIAL WITH MASTER DEVELOPMENT PLAN OVERLAY) AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.

which has been referred to a Committee of the Council as a Whole for study and recommendation and a copy of said Ordinance has been filed with the City Clerk for general public scrutiny. The Committee Meeting will be held January 8, 2008, at 6:45 p.m. The City Clerk Council will consider this H-DEC 13, 2007 Ordinance for adoption at the Regular Meeting of the City Council on January 8, 2008; and in any case will adopt or reject this Ordinance within 30 days.

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PUBLISH: December 13, 2007 TAG: 2373-B

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Henderson proposed by reading in title the following Ordinance at its Regular Meeting, held December 11, 2007,

BILL NO. 2373 Amend HMC Title 14 -Water Conservation and Water Fees and Charges

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HENDERSON, NEVADA, TO AMEND TITLE 14 OF THE HENDERSON MUNICIPAL CODE AND DEPARTMENT SERVICE RULES TO ENHANCE WATER CONSERVATION. INCORPORATE ADJUSTMENTS TO WATER FEES AND CHARGES, AND ADDRESS MINOR HOUSEKEEPING

which has been referred to a Committee of the Council as a Whole for study and recommen study and recommenda-tion and a copy of said Ordinance has been filed with the City Clerk for general public scrutiny. The Committee Meeting will be held January 8, 2008, at 6:45 p.m. The Council will consider this Council will consider this Ordinance for adoption at the Regular Meeting of the City Council on January 8, 2008; and in any case will adopt or reject this Ordinance within 30 days.

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City Clerk H-DEC 13, 2007

PUBLISH: December TAG: 2374-B

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Henderson proposed by reading in title the following Ordinance at its Regular Meeting, held. December 11, 2007, entitled:

BILL NO. 2374 Creation of Department of Utility Services **Community Advisory** Committee

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HENDERSON, NEVADA, ESTABLISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF UTILITY SERVICES : COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE SETTING FORTH THE DUTIES, PURPOSE AND MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF UTILITY SERVICES COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE, AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.

which has been referred to a Committee of the Council as a Whole for study and recommenda tion and a copy of said Ordinance has been filed with the City Clerk for general public scrutiny. The Committee Meeting will be held January 8, 2008, at 6:45 p.m. The Council will consider this Ordinance for adoption at the Regular Meeting of the City Council on January 8, 2008; and in any case will adopt or reject this Ordinance within 30 days.

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Monica M. Simmons, CMC

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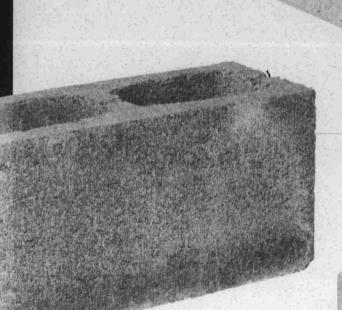
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MONA SHIELD PAYNE/SPECIAL TO THE HOME NEWS Alste Cechaviciute, 12, rehearses her perfor mance of Clara in The Nutcracker at the Nevada

Ballet Theatre. By KIRK BAIRD

iranda Jackson was 2 when she first saw "The Nutcracker." The annual holiday classic made an impression on her almost immediately.

"I really loved it," she said. "I really wanted to be in it, even when I was 2."

Jackson, now 12, was granted her wish seven years ago, when she was cast as a dancer in the party scene that opens the ballet.

Even then, she had her eye on a bigger role: Clara, a little girl who is given a nutcracker for Christmas by her uncle. The Nutcracker comes to life, rescues Clara from the evil Mouse King and whisks her to the Land of the Sugar Plum Fairy.

"My sister was Clara and that made me want to be Clara even more," Jackson said.

The Henderson resident and seventh grader at K.O. Knudson Middle School is one of three girls who alternate performances as Clara, along with Aiste Cechaviciute and Carson Findley, in the Nevada Ballet Theatre's annual production of "The Nutcracker," which runs Friday through Dec. 27 at the Judy Bayley

Theatre at UNLV. Show times and dates vary, so call 895-2787 or visit nevadaballet.com.

This production of "The Nutcracker" marks the 36th year Nevada Ballet Theatre has performed the ballet. The production has grown to include nearly 100 dancers, including students in the Nevada Ballet Theatre's Youth Company and the Academy of Nevada Ballet Theatre, as well as performers from its own dance company.

This year's "Nutcracker" also promises a few surprises for the audience, including a flying sleigh and snow falling from the sky.

Cechaviciute, 12, a West Valley resident and seventh grader at Faith Lutheran Junior High School, said she's dreamed of playing the role since she started dancing at 4.

"When I was little, I wanted to be Clara as soon as I saw ('The Nutcracker')," she said. "I liked getting all the attention. I liked all the parts in it, but they always seemed to go by so fast, so I wanted a part that would be nice

out for Clara earlier this year, she HEATHER CORY/STAFF PHOTO wasn't expecting to

be cast in the role.

"So I was really surprised and happy for myself and so were my friends," Cechaviciute said. "I felt really proud that I accomplished my dreams and that I got it."

and long."

Still, when Ce-

chaviciute tried

For Jackson and Cechaviciute, Clara represents their biggest role yet. It's also the most

"I'm on stage almost the whole time," Jackson said. "You get tired sometimes and you have to keep acting."

Added Cechaviciute: "Sometimes I forget to start acting. I keep watching (the dancers) and I get in trouble.

Nevada Ballet Theatre's Ballet Mistress Clarice Rathers has been involved with "The Nutcracker" for more than three decades, as a dancer and staging the ballet. She's impressed with the three girls playing Clara this year.

"Working with our Academy students, spe-



MONA SHIELD PAYNE/SPECIAL TO THE HOME NEWS Miranda Jackson, 12, rehearses her performance of Clara in The Nutcracker at the Nevada Ballet

Holiday chestnut

Theatre.

WHAT: Nevada Ballet Theatre's "The Nutcracker" WHEN: 17 performances beginning Friday, Dec. 14-Thursday, Dec. 27. Show times and dates vary. WHERE: Judy Bayley Theatre at UNLV COST: \$39, \$49 and \$72 INFO: 895-2787 or nevadaballet.com

cifically Miranda, Aiste and Carson, has been a pleasure," she said. "They are very bright and eager to learn ... and will bring a lot to the role of Clara.

"It is so fulfilling to watch the students and the company work together."

The three Claras have been in rehearsals every Saturday since September. With the ballet only days away, the girls are rehearsing most of the weekdays, too.

The rehearsals have even helped get them in the holiday spirit.

"Even in September, I was in the mood for Christmas already," Jackson said.

Kirk Baird can be reached at 990-8931 or kirk.baird@

Museum exhibit puts gifts of Christmas past on display

By KIRK BAIRD

Have an old plastic Santa Claus you're ready to toss in the trash?

You might want to reconsider.

If the "Celebrate the Season: 1960-1980" is any indication, what's old is new again.

The Christmas exhibit at the Anna Roberts Parks Exhibit Hall at the Clark County Museum, 1830 S. Boulder Highway in Henderson, features several popular items from decades past that are in vogue again, from reissues of lighted plastic Nativity scene figures and Santas to large-bulb Christmas lights that flash independent-

"I was in Wal-Mart and noticed they've brought (the lights) back again," said Dawna Jolliff, curator of exhibits at the museum. "I think people are trying to find the innocence of

Holiday exhibit

WHAT: "Celebrate the Season: 1960-1980 WHEN: 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. weekly through Jan. 14 WHERE: Anna Roberts Parks Exhibit Hall at Clark County Museum, 1830 S. Boulder Highway

COST: \$1.50 adults, \$1 seniors, INFO: 455-7955

childhood" from Christmases

The Clark County Museum is open 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. daily. As part of the exhibit, which runs through Jan. 14, the interiors of many historic homes on Heritage Street will be decorated for Christmas as well.

For those who grew up in the 1960s and '70s, "Celebrate the Season" is a nostalgic return to holidays past. The exhibit features several dioramas, perfect in period detail, including

an aluminum Christmas tree that was all the rage in the '60s, as well as a hot electric tray from the '70s in avocado green (its box states the model is also available in harvest gold or walnut).

There are also popular toys of the period, from Barbie and G.I. Joe figures in the '60s to model rocket kits and a Pong video game system in the '70s.

Jolliff, who assembled the exhibit, said everything in Celebrate the Season" was either donated to the museum. personal items on loan from the staff or items she found at thrift stores.

She has previously featured exhibits from the 1900-1920, 1920-1940 and 1940-1960, with 1960-1980 representing the conclusion of the series. The intent of the exhibits, she said, is to visually explore the evolution of the holiday.

"There's a theme of how com-



MONA SHIELD PAYNE/SPECIAL TO THE HOME NEWS

Christmas gifts of the past, including a fondue pot, ice crusher and Veg-O-Matic, are on display at the Clark County Muse "Celebrate the Season 1960-1980" through Jan. 14.

mercialization has changed orate and there weren't many how we think of Christmas,' high-ticket items. You'd proba-Jolliff said. "If people had caught the one from 1900 to 1920, it was very different. The presents tended to be less elab-The decorations were sim-

bly be getting a lot of clothing, and for children, maybe one toy instead of several toys."

"Electric lighting did make an appearance during that period, but they were so ex-

pler in the early 20th century,

pensive people couldn't afford them," she said. And what does Jolliff think

about the evolution of the holiday?

"The only thing I don't like about the ultra-commercialization is that I think people are pressured into thinking that they have to give all these elaborate presents, instead of just buying things when they need them," she said. "I think that's why people get so stressed at Christmas.

"People need to get all these high-tech expensive things all year long. That's what my husband and I do. We'll be lucky if we give each other anything at Christmas time.

Kirk Baird can be reached at 990-8931 or kirk.baird@hbcpub.com.

THE SCENE

Music

Headliners

DECEMBER 14-15

Phil Vassar

7 p.m. Ovation at Green Valley Ranch Resort, 2300 Paseo Verde Parkway. Country music. \$31, \$39.50 and \$53. 547-5300

Small Stage

DECEMBER 14

Brian Culbertson's "A Soulful Christmas"

8 p.m. Railhead at Boulder Station, 4111 Boulder Highway. Holiday music featuring Gerald Albright, Howard Hewett and Nick Colionne. Younger than 21 must be accompanied by an adult. \$31.75, \$36.35, \$41.75 and \$47.25. 547-5300.

DECEMBER 14-15

Flynneville Train

10 p.m. Ovation at Green Val-

List your event

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ley Ranch Resort, 2300 Paseo Verde Parkway. Country. Ages 21 and older. Free. 547-5300.

DECEMBER 16

"Live at the Lobby"

2 p.m. Boulder Dam Hotel lobby, 1305 Arizona St. Holiday favorites. \$15. Proceeds benefit the Boulder City Museum and Historical Association. 293-

DECEMBER 20-24

"A Hawaiian Christmas"

7:30 p.m. South Point Showroom, 9777 Las Vegas Blvd. South. Holiday favorites. \$20, \$25, and \$30. 797-8055.

Stage

DECEMBER 13-16

Bill Engvall

8 p.m. Orleans Showroom, 4500 W. Tropicana Ave. Comedy. \$44, \$55 and \$66. 365-7075.

DECEMBER 15

Holiday performances

9 a.m.-3 p.m. Galleria at Sun-set, 1300 Sunset Road, Lower Level Macy's Court. 9 a.m. The Las Vegas Music Teachers Association will perform; 2 p.m. Shine Dance Studio students; 3 p.m. Desert Dynamite dance students; and 5 p.m. Henderson Dance Center students. Free. 434-0202

"They Came From the Underground"

9 p.m. Matteo's Underground Lounge at Boulder Dam Hotel, 1305 Arizona St. Standup comedy. Ages 21 and older. \$5. 293-0098

Larry the Cable Guy

9 p.m. Orleans Arena, 4500 W.

Tropicana Ave. Comedy. \$49.75, \$61.75 and \$79.75. 284-7777.

DECEMBER 15-16

"I'll Be Home For Christmas"

4 p.m. and 7 p.m. Dec. 15; 7 p.m. Dec. 16. Warm Springs Baptist Church, 2075 E. Warm Springs Road. Musical. Free.

DECEMBER 16

Dance performances

1-2 p.m. and 5-6 p.m. Galleria at Sunset, 1300 Sunset Road, Lower Level Macy's Court. 1 p.m. Kehilat Ben David Messianic Dance; 5 p.m. Viva Pastor's Academy of Dance performance students. Free. 434-0202.

Arts

DECEMBER 13-28

"Memories" gallery exhibit

5 a.m.-9 p.m. Mondays-Fridays; 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturdays; 1-5 p.m. Sundays Gallery at Liberty Point at the Henderson Multigenerational Center, 250 S. Green Valley Parkway. Leona Whitney's paintings. Free. 267-

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DECEMBER 14

The Underground Art Experience

9 p.m. Matteo's Underground Lounge at Boulder Dam Hotel, 1305 Arizona St. Rock. Music during an art show. Ages 18 and older. \$4, 293-0098.

Museums

ONGOING

"Celebrate the Season: 1960-1980"

9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. daily through Jan. 14; Clark County Museum, 1830 S. Boulder Highway. Holiday artifacts and toys from the past. \$1 for children and seniors and \$1.50 for adults. 455-7955.

Literary

DECEMBER 15

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PUZZLE SOLUTIONS

Christmas Book Signing 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Book Boutique, 19 W. Pacific Ave. Meet local authors. Special appearance by Lawrence Montaigne of the origi-

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nal Star Trek. Free. 697-0001.

Community

DECEMBER 13

"How the Grinch Stole **Christmas**

4 p.m. Lydia Malcolm Library, 2960 Sunridge Heights Parkway, Suite 100. Holiday movie. All ages. Free. 263-7522.

DECEMBER 14

7 p.m. The Green at The District at Green Valley Ranch, 2240 Village Walk Drive. Part of the Outdoor Picture Show series. Rated PG. Free. 564-8595.

DECEMBER 15

Mommy & Me Holiday Tea

1 p.m. Silver Springs Recreation Center, 1951 Silver Springs Parkway. Moms and daughters invited to a semiformal tea and fashion show. Ages 3-8 with a parent. \$10 per pair. 267-5720.

"National Lampoon's **Christmas Vacation**"

7 p.m. The Green at The District at Green Valley Ranch, 2240 Village Walk Drive. Part of the Outdoor Picture Show series. Rated PG-13. Free. 564-8595.

DECEMBER 16 AND 22-23

Santa's Workshop

11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Ritz-Carlton at Lake Las Vegas Resort. Holiday activities, food and more. \$38 for children ages 12 and younger and \$45 for adults.

DECEMBER 21

Dr. Seuss' "How the **Grinch Stole Christmas**"

7 p.m. The Green at The District at Green Valley Ranch, 2240 Village Walk Drive. Part of the Outdoor Picture Show series. Rated PG. Free. 564-8595.

DECEMBER 22

"It's a Wonderful Life"

7 p.m. The Green at The District at Green Valley Ranch, 2240 Village Walk Drive. Part of the Outdoor Picture Show series. Not rated. Free. 564-8595.

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GENEALOGY Stefani Evans

history over from old country



Elssy Acherman is far from home.

The Las Vegas resident and U.S. citizen was born in Buga, Valle del Cauca,

Colombia, the eighth out of ten children; civil registration of her birth was filed in Buga, but the Catholic parish record of her birth was recorded in nearby San Pedro. Elssy, her husband, and their two young sons left Colombia permanently in 1988. Except for a sister in Venezuela, all of Elssy's brothers and sisters remain in Colombia.

Elssy and her family arrived in Las Vegas in 2002.

Fellow genealogist Marian Pierre-Louis, Metropolitan Boston Area, recently brought up the topic of recent immigrants and genealogy on the Association of Professional Genealogists public discussion group. "Traditionally, researching our immigrant ancestor has been one of the most challenging aspects of genealogy. The records we find or don't find about them impact whether we are able to trace our ancestors back to the 'old country."

Pierre-Louis continued, "Immigrants, whether today or a hundred years ago .. often struggle to assimilate, make ends meet and learn a new language. For that reason, capturing or saving their own family history is not their first priority ... They have all the information that their descendants will need regarding the hometown they came from and their ancestors. Yet within a short generation, as the ties with the old country pass away, all this information can be lost.'

In raising the topic Pierre-Louis addressed a segment of our population often overlooked by genealogists. In most families we take our history for granted, thinking that if we ever have questions we can always ask Aunt Ellie or Grandpa. Immigrants have a more acute problem when they leave their native country for a new one, adopt a new culture and learn a new language. They lose their history as children, grandchildren and great grandchildren assimilate, mature and die as citizens of the "new" country.

Pierre-Louis concluded, "I envision someone making a presentation at an immigrant church or community group and discussing the importance of retaining the family history. I envision an 'immigrant family history tool kit' in their own language that contains family group sheets and questions to ask the family members still in the old country to help them capture their own history. It would then become their family history treasure box to be passed down to the next generation."

Elssy's parents are deceased. She knows her mother was born in San Pedro in 1927 and her father was born in Tulua in 1900; both villages are in Valle del Cauca. She and her descendants may find the parish registrations of Elssy's birth and those of her siblings

and her parents in Registros parroquiales: parroquia San Pedro de Buga, 1657-2004, on microfilm at the Family History Library, Salt Lake City. In the meantime, Elssy can make sure her sons know the particulars of their family history. Then Elssy's American great-grandchildren will need only to look in their "family history treasure box" to recapture the knowledge lovingly placed there by their Colombian-born great-grandmother, Elssy.

Those interested in preserving their family stories and heritage by interviewing living relatives may find suggested interview questions through Cyndi's List (www. cyndislist.com) at

 http://www.rootsweb. com/~flgso/intvwqus.htm

 http://genealogy.about. com/cs/oralhistory/a/interview.htm

The questions can be adapted to serve the needs of immigrant families until more genealogists follow Pierre-Louis's lead.

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DESERT GARDENER Angela O'Callaghan

Immigrants can bring family Mulch is a plant's life saver



Mulch is widely recognized as an important element in any garden, or it should be.

A multipurpose addition, it serves both aesthetic and practical purposes. It is one way to connect the varied plantings in a landscape, covering bare soil with a consistent layer that can create a unified theme. In any climate, and certainly in a desert, mulch is an ecologically important way to conserve soil moisture and control weeds. Almost any mulch - straw, wood chips, bark, gravel or even shredded newspaper - will work. Each has its most appropriate use, but they have similar roles.

During the summer, mulch is a very simple way to protect the bottom of a plant — roots and the stem base. Its shade shields the soil from the high heat of our blazing sun. Because of this cooling action, plants from more temperate areas can be grown successfully here in the Mojave.

Not only is it a summer lifesaver; mulch can benefit plants in the wintertime, as well. This might be less obvious. Weeds tend to be less of a problem in the dead of winter,

and cooler, shorter days mean that many plants are growing more slowly, so they tend to need less water. Why would mulch be such an important consideration in this season?

People who live in Southern Nevada know that desert winters, particularly nights, can be chilly, even freezing at times. Plants can suffer from something called "chilling injury." This is very different from frost damage! Cool-tender plants might be damaged when the temperatures have fallen only into the 40s. Many horticultural specimens that originated in hot dry climates have not needed to evolve the capacity to tolerate those moderate temperatures, much less when they drop down lower than the mid 20s that we often experience. Despite that, adventurous desert gardeners frequently want to

In this situation, mulch can be viewed as a kind of protective insulation, something like a thermal blanket. This is certainly no less important than it would be during hot weather. When their roots are protected by an additional layer of insulation, cold-intolerant plants are less wilnerable to extremely cool temperatures. Plants generally benefit when they experience a narrower range of heat and cold.

Over the course of a year, mulch moderates soil temperatures - keeping them warmer in the winter and cooler in summer, a similar role as the insulation in a ceiling.

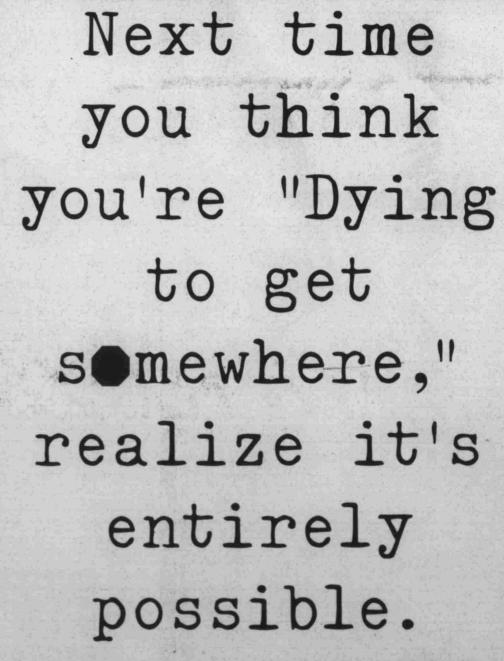
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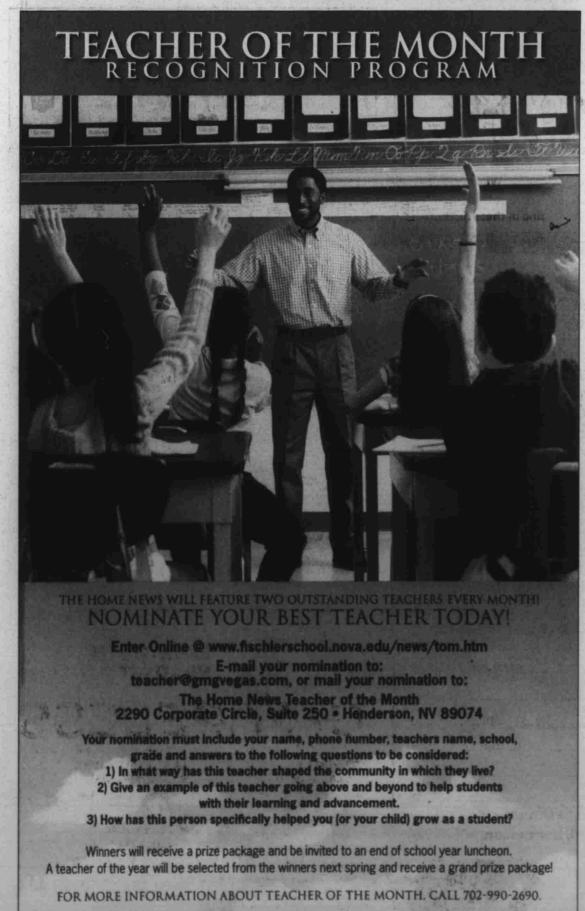




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7. Clerical vestment

9. Small seabird

10. Craftsperson

12. Verne captain

19. Instant greenery

21. Friend's address

25. Enlists oneself

32. _ the piper 33. Fr. holy woman 36. Mediocre

38. Trucker's perch

41. Icelandic saga

52. Kevin of "SNL"

58. Use acid for art

60. Somali supermodel

62. Come down to earth

45. Least slack

50. Fidelities

54. Expunges

56. Sister's sib

42. Most remote, briefly

53. Improvised musically

59. Portuguese Timor's capital

48. Pequod's captain

28. Post-grad pursuit

26. Brit's indignant comment

31. Intelligence test figures

13. Idyllic place

11. Eye part

•29. Pale

39. Litigate

8. Caustic substance

THE ACES ON BRIDGE Bobby Wolff

Don't ignore partner

"Neither cast ye your pearls before - St. Matthew



Most of the deals that I relay to you from the **Dyspeptics** Club feature declarer doing something less than optimal.

However, in today's deal East made a good play on defense, which his partner totally ignored.

East followed the principle that sometimes the most important piece of information you can convey to partner is the count in the suit led particularly when you can't or don't beat the card played from dummy.

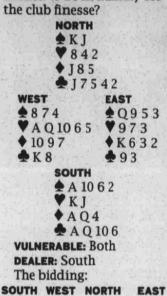
West led the heart six against three no-trump, and South, seeing the danger in hearts and more than usually awake, made the good play of inserting dummy's eight, hoping to muddy the waters for the defenders' signals.

But East, not inclined to help his opponents, steadfastly followed with the three. South won with the jack and could see that if the club king was onside, he had nine tricks.

So he crossed to the spade king and passed the club jack to West, playing the 10 from his hand. That worthy, still feeling the effects of the second postprandial brandy, shifted to a diamond, and South gloatingly claimed his nine tricks, making sure that West saw that he had missed the opportunity to cash out the setting tricks.

West should have appreciated that his partner's three — the lowest missing heart - was either a singleton, or the lowest of a three-card suit. If it was a singleton, then there was little hope for the defense. Additionally,

why would South have overtaken with the jack when he needed to be in dummy for



BID WITH THE ACES

2 NT Pass 3 NT All pass

South holds:

Dbl.

♠ A 10 6 2 **▼**KJ ♦AQ4 AQ106

OPENING LEAD: \$\ 6

SOUTH WEST NORTH

Pass

ANSWER: It is very tempting to jump to two no-trump now, but you can get your values across by bidding just

EAST

10

Pass

one no-trump. This shows more than a one-no-trump overcall, about 18-20, and perfectly describes what you have. **NOTE:** You CANNOT show a balanced 12-14 on this auc-

tion. If you have that hand, you pass initially or, after doubling, pass partner's response.

If you would like to contact Bobby

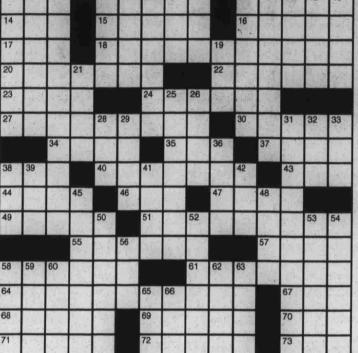
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ACROSS

- 1. West of Hollywood 4. Of the Vatican
- 9. "Common Sense" author
- 14. Container with a tap





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SAGITTARIUS (NOV. 23-DEC. 21)

- Friends disagree concerning invitations, social activities or group priorities. Planned events may be quickly changed or rescheduled.

CAPRICORN (DEC. 22-JAN. 20) Unexpected debt or missed payments will this week require careful planning.

AQUARIUS (JAN. 21-FEB. 19)

- Minor romantic or social comments may this week trigger unnecessary resentment. Choose words carefully and clearly explain all private intentions.

PISCES (FEB. 20-MARCH 20) Mistaken facts and cancelled invitations will this week be emotionally draining.

ARIES (MARCH 21-APRIL 20) - Early this week, a close friend or lover may reveal private ideas or hidden aspirations.

TAURUS (APRIL 21-MAY 20) - Romantic timing and social privacy are vital to the success of new relationships.

GEMINI (MAY 21-JUNE 21)

- Messages from old friends and/or yesterday's social expectations will demand a quick response this week. Someone

close may now need to clarify their past words, ideals or intentions.

CANCER (JUNE 22-JULY 22)

- Property managers or bank officials will this week ask for detailed financial documents. If so, expect proof of legal commitments to also be required.

LEO (JULY 23-AUG. 22) - Over the next few days, co-workers may purposely reveal mistaken facts or private information about a colleague.

VIRGO (AUG. 23-SEPT. 22) - Quotas, team accomplishment

and successful contracts are now a top priority for authority figures.

LIBRA (SEPT. 23-OCT. 23)

- Family divisions or minor romantic disagreements are now

SCORPIO (OCT. 24-NOV. 22) -News from potential employers or business partners may this week arrive without warning.

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WEEK - The coming few months will usher in complex social and family changes. After mid-January, expect long-term friends and relatives to need extra approval.

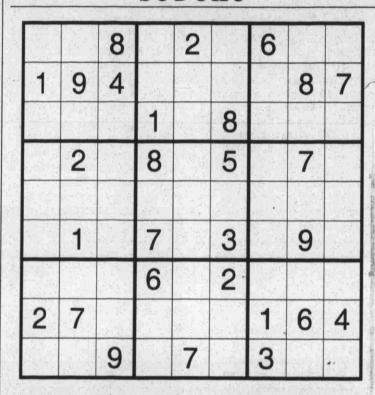
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- 24. Stage whispers
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- 34. Meadowlands
- 35. Pump fuel
- 37. Fastidious "__: Miami'
- 40. Part 3 of quip
 43. "Bill __, the Science Guy"
 44. Female relative
- 46. Gridiron meas.
- 47. Thin strip of wood 49. Sired
- 51. Part 4 of quip 55. Gracious with ease
- 57. Having wings
- 58. Newspaper bigwig
- 61. Mobile home?
- 64. End of quip
- 67. Docs
- 68. Butt heads
- 69. Lying face down
- 70. Shoe size
- 71. Pointers
- 72. Repairs
- 73. '60s radical group

DOWN

- 1. Oman's capital 2. Dry gulch
- 3. Tangling
- 4. Rose or Sampras
- 5. Exclamations of satisfaction
- 6. Sort of earnings
- 63. Chopping tools 65. Record time? 66. Afore

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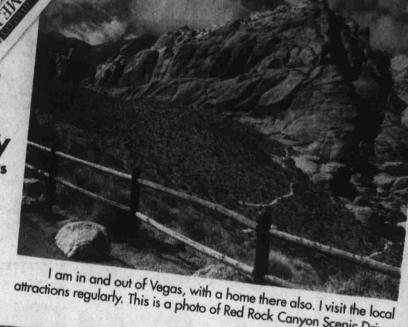
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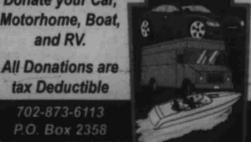
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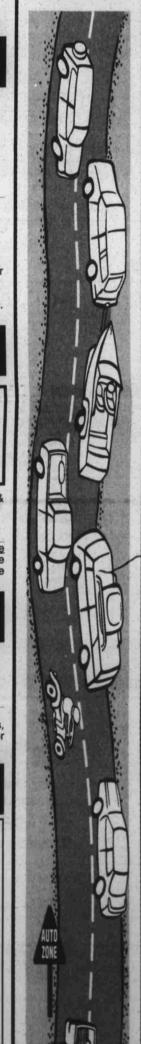
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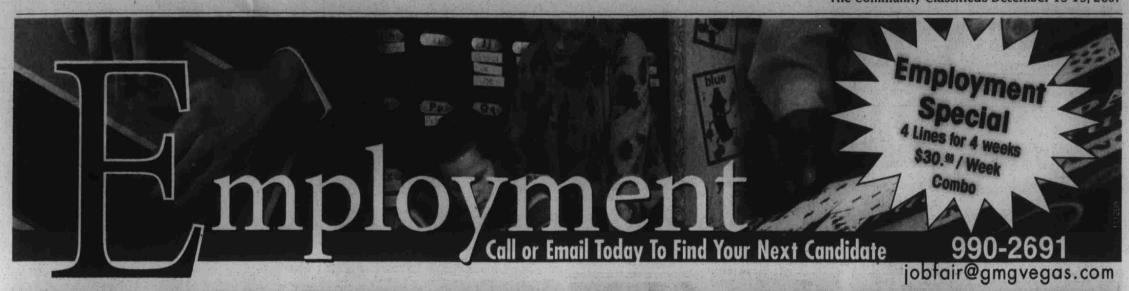
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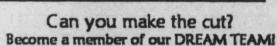
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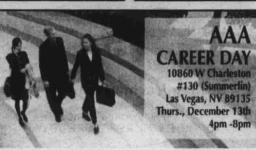
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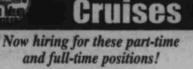
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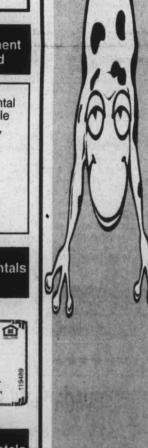
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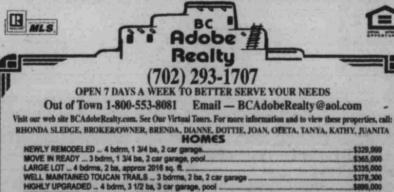
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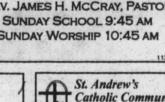
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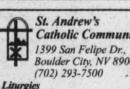
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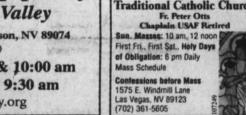
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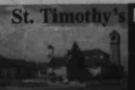
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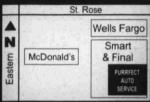
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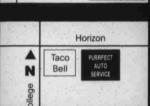
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- This year, there are 32 shopping days between Thanksgiving and Christmas ... but only 21 shipping days.
- . Monday is the busiest shipping day of the week.
- The busiest shipping week of the 2007 season is expected to be December 17-22.
- Because Christmas falls on a Tuesday this year, ship packages for arrival by Monday, December 24.*
- You can ship as late as December 22 for delivery on December 24.*

Key Dates For Holiday Shipping

Check with the experts for delivery dates if you're shipping UPS' Ground service. Most ground packages require five days or less to reach their destination, but if you're shipping coast-to-coast, it may take longer.

Wednesday, December 19
Ship UPS Select* for delivery Monday, December 24*

Thursday, December 20
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Friday, December 21
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Saturday, December 22
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Holiday Packing Tips

- DO check with The UPS Store* experts before shipping fragile items.
- DO use materials the professionals use—packaging "peanuts" and bubble cushioning—to protect your gifts.
- DO include a label on the inside of the package with both the destination address and your package's return address.
- DO use a shipping option, like UPS*, which provides a package-tracking number.
- DO take batteries out of toys, electronics, etc., before shipping.
- DO ship wrapped presents ahead to your destination, especially if traveling by air.
- DON'T wrap boxes in brown paper or tie with string.
- DON'T use materials like newspaper or real popcorn to pack items.
- DON'T use old boxes or gift boxes for shipping gifts.
- DON'T use duct tape, masking tape or cellophane tape to seal your boxes for shipping.
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The UPS Store*
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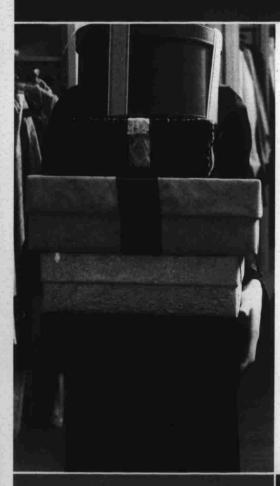
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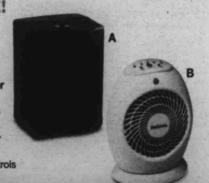
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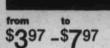


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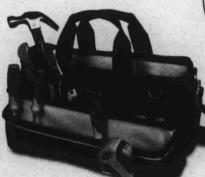
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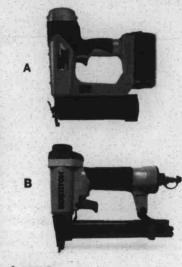
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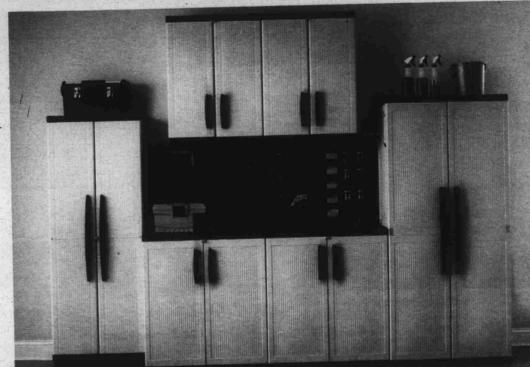
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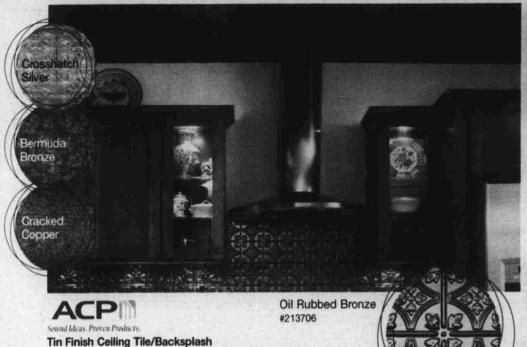
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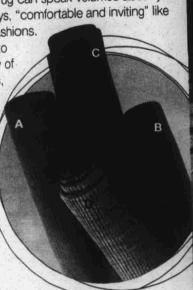
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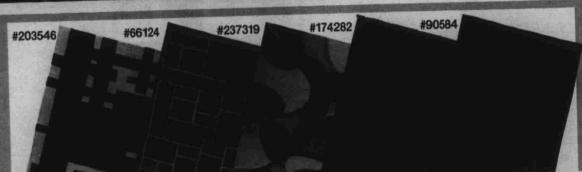
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A. Spiderman Novelty Lamp

C. Princess Table Lamp D. Harley Davidson Table Lamp Your light rock station

Complete with a universal iPod docking station, 5-watt speakers and a bass booster, this sleek lamp lets you play and charge your iPod from the convenience of your desk or nightstand.

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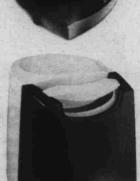
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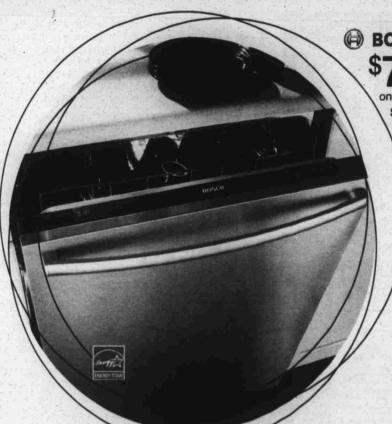
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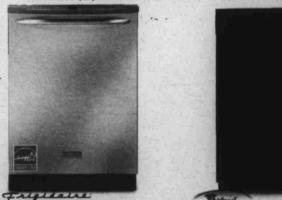
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(MDBTT60AWB) #45640 \$398



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•1/2 load wash option •Electronic knob control •5-level wash system (FDB1050REM) #226379

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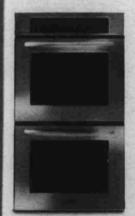
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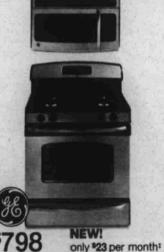


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A. 36" Deep-Recessed Gas Stainless Steel Cooktop

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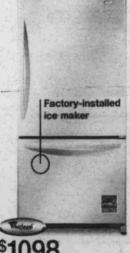


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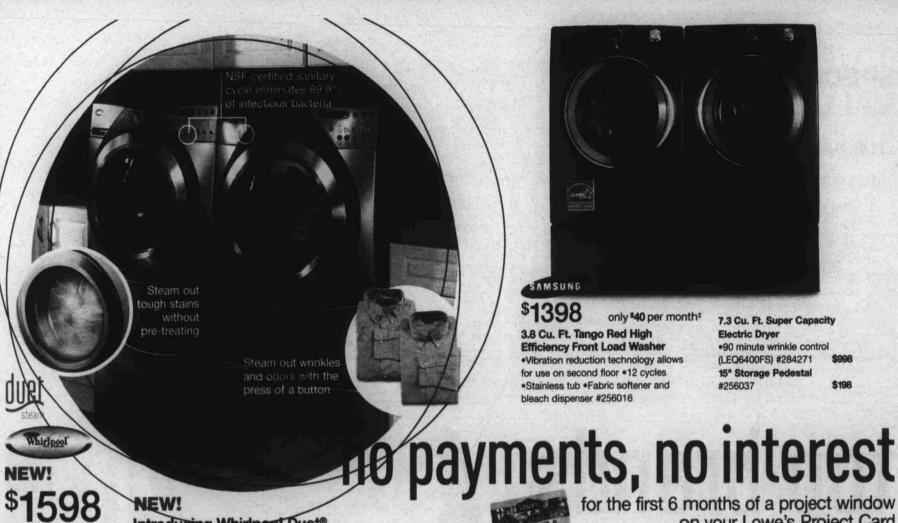
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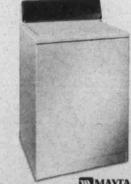
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Electric Dryer

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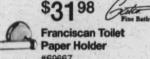


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ODELTA 18" Victorian Towel Bar





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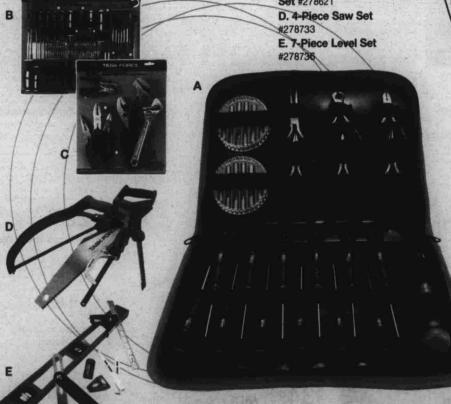
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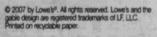




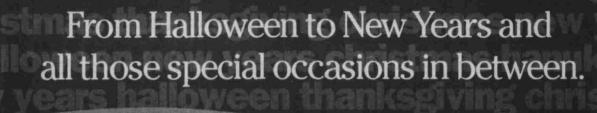








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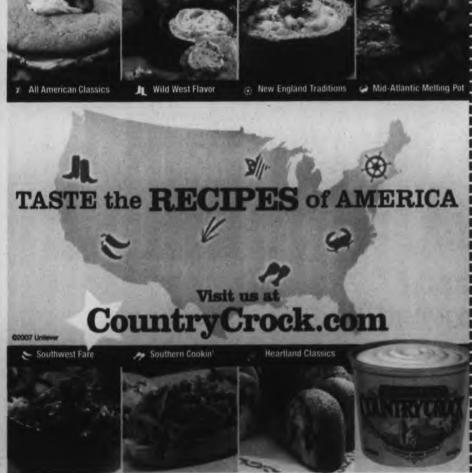
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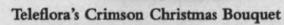
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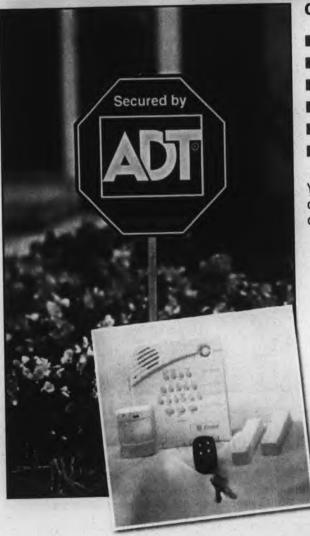
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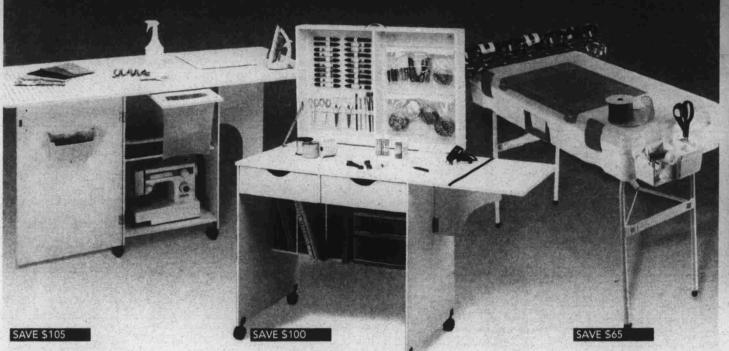
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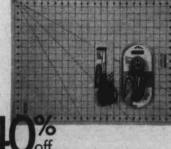


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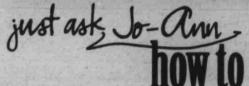
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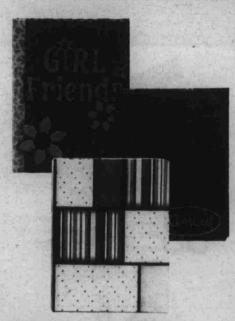


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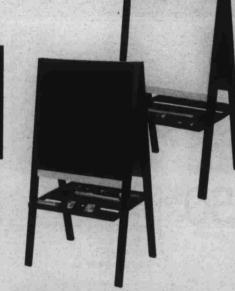
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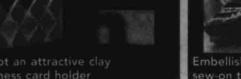
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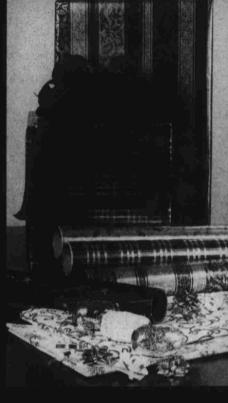


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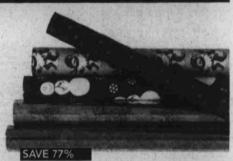






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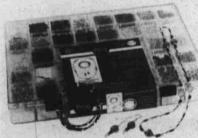


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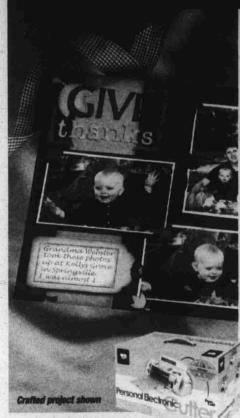
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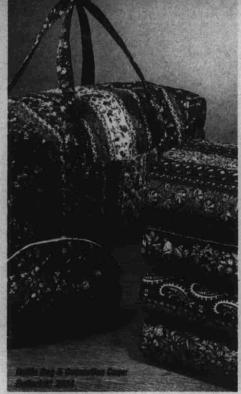
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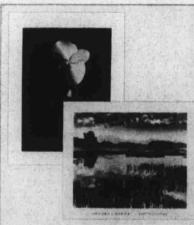
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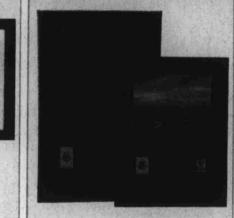
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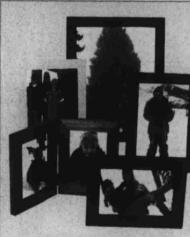


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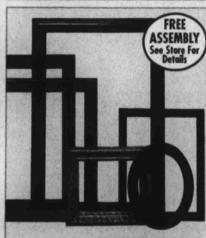


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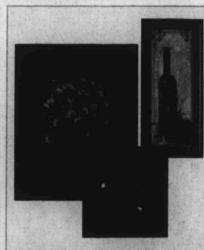




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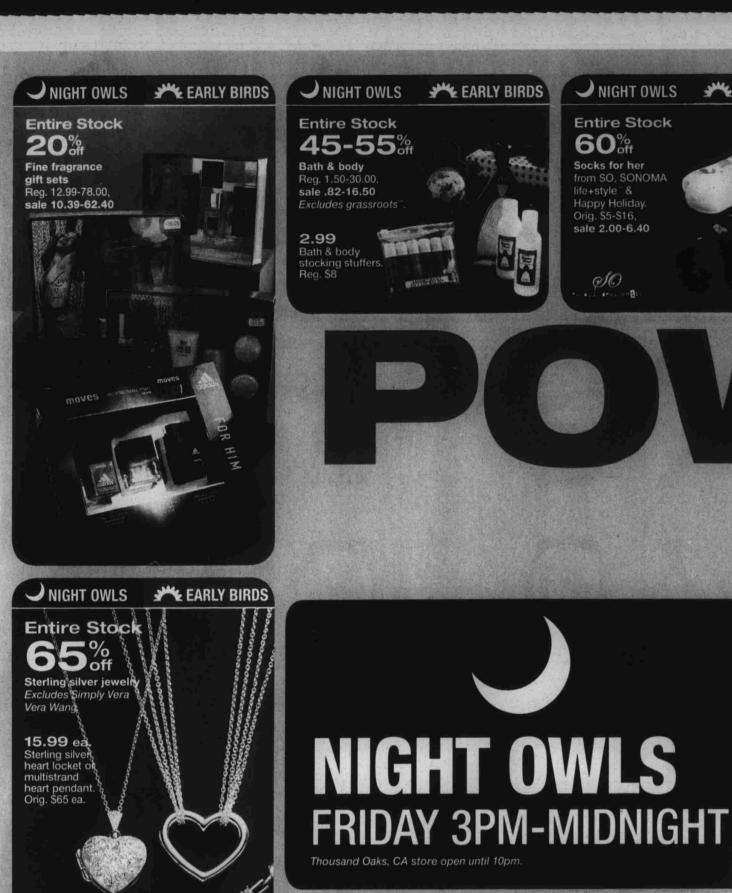
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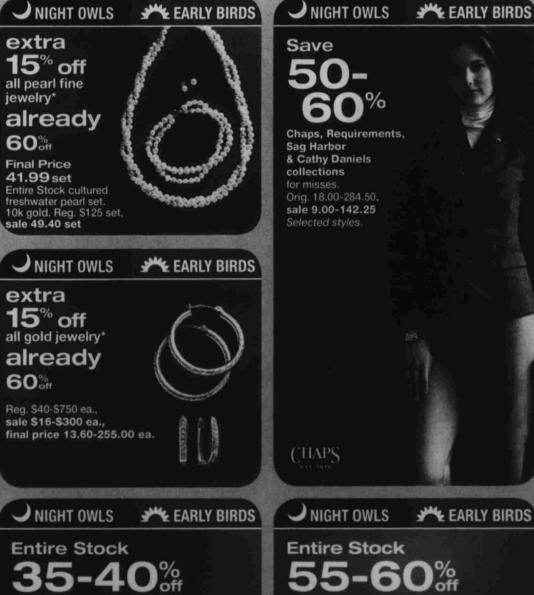
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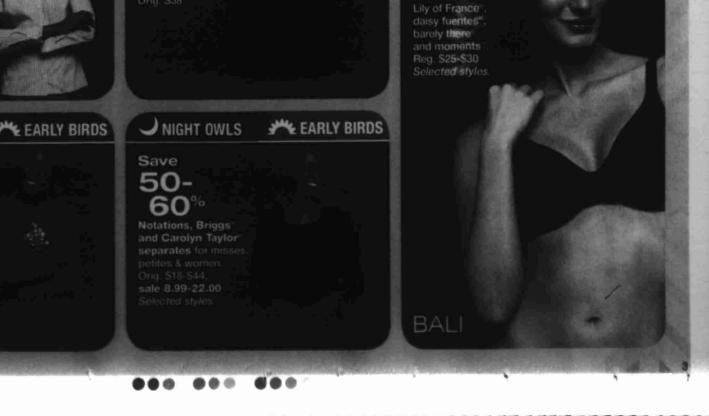
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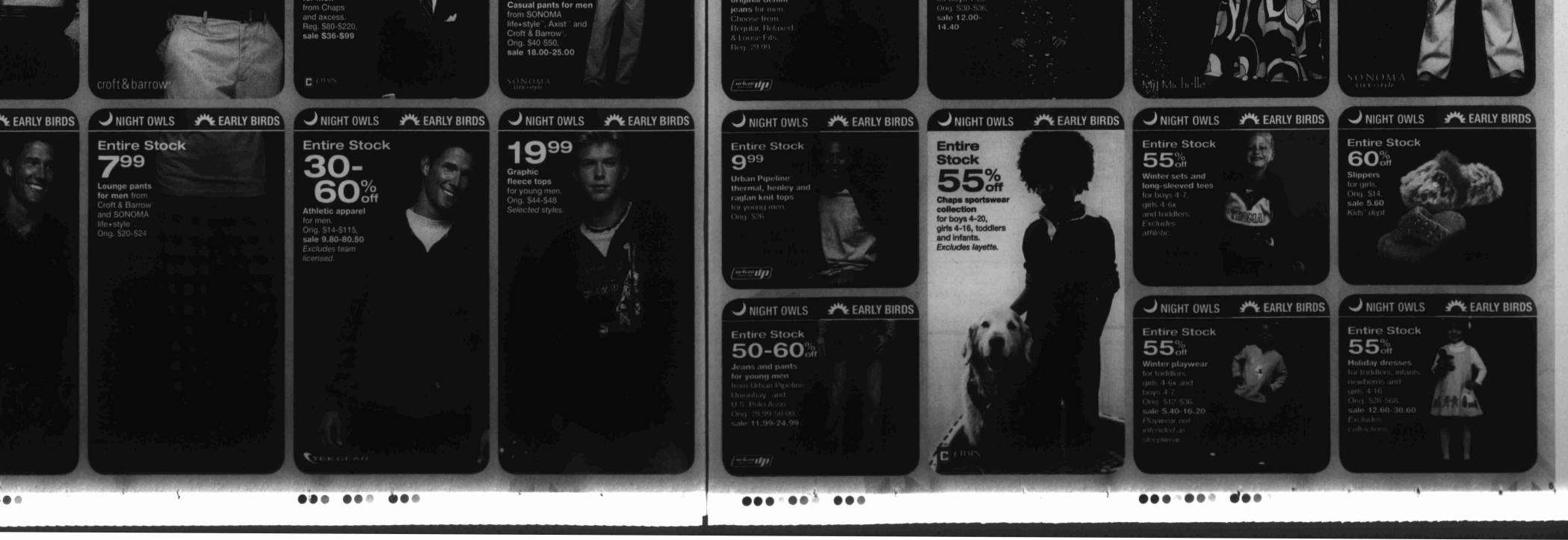
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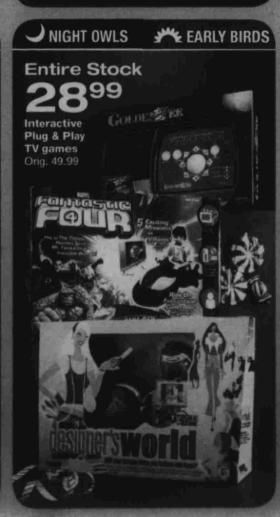
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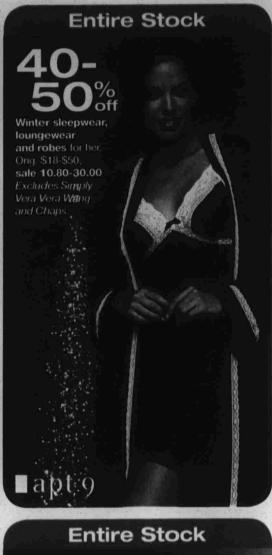
















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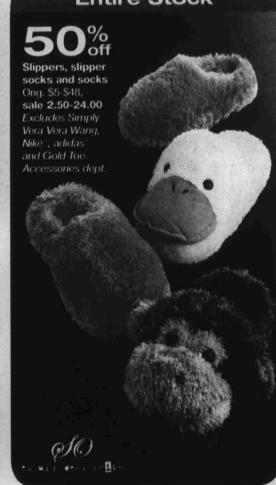
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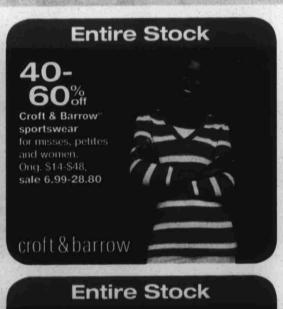
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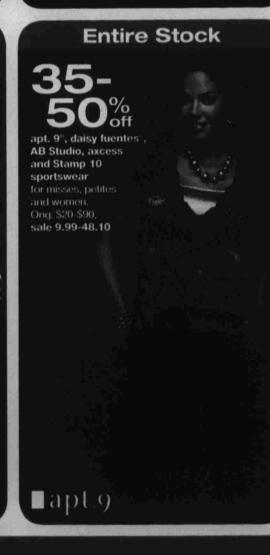




















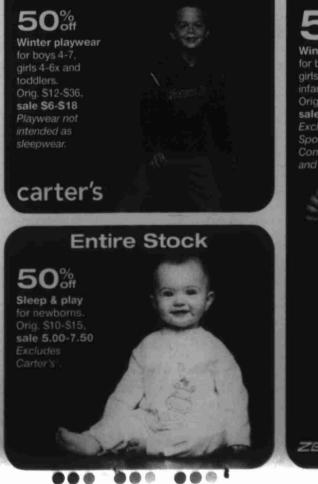
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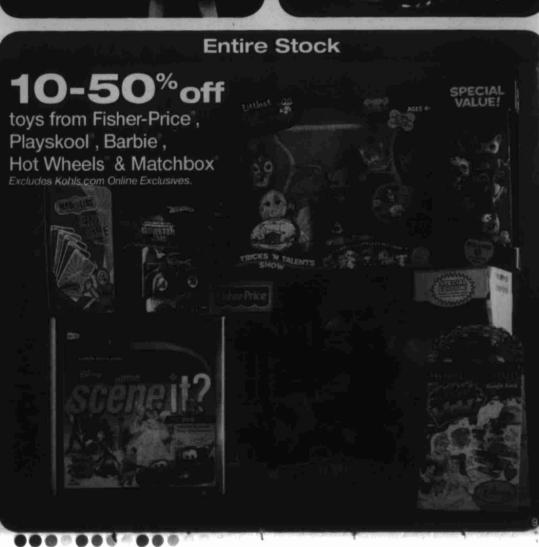




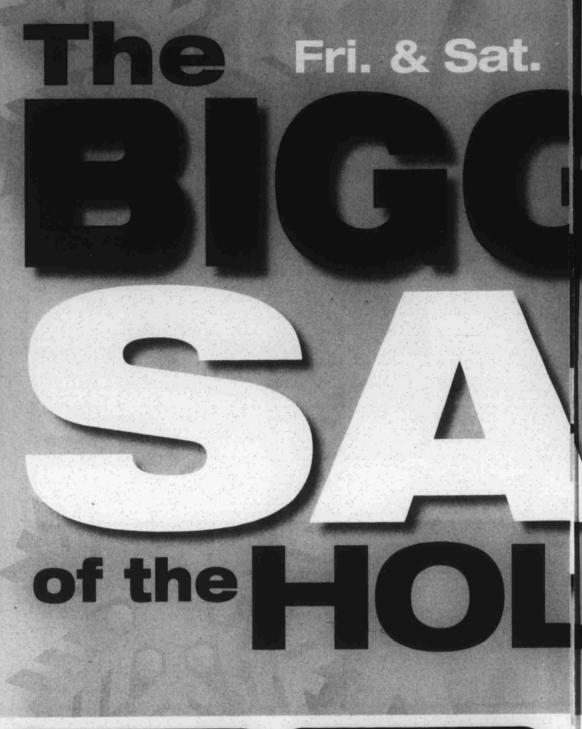








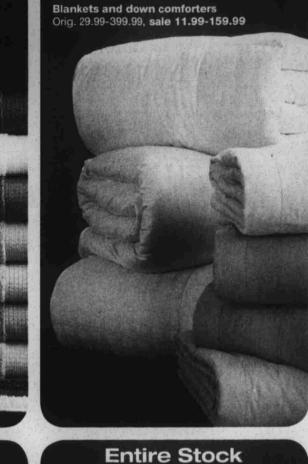






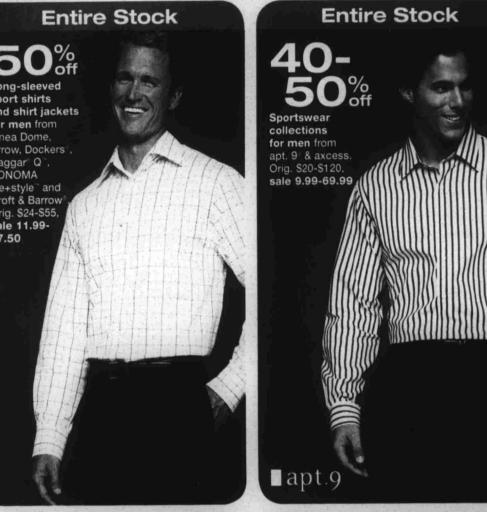


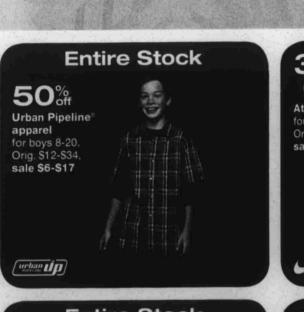
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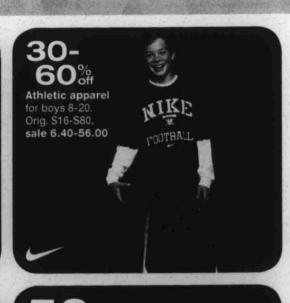


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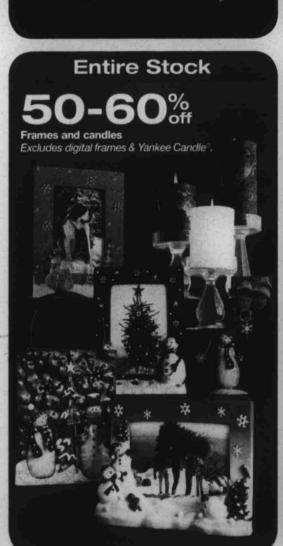
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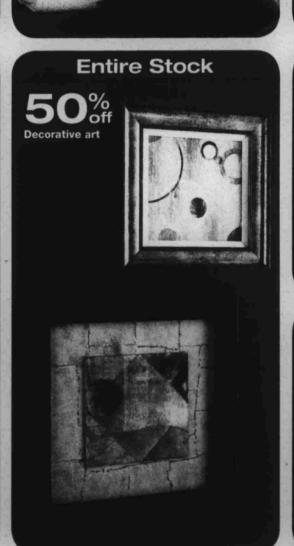
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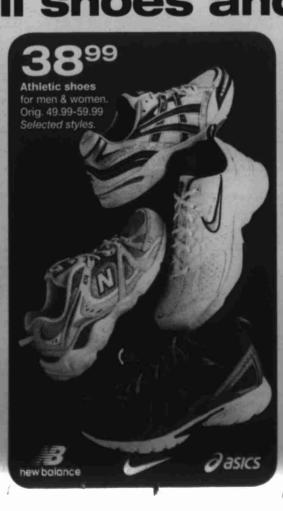


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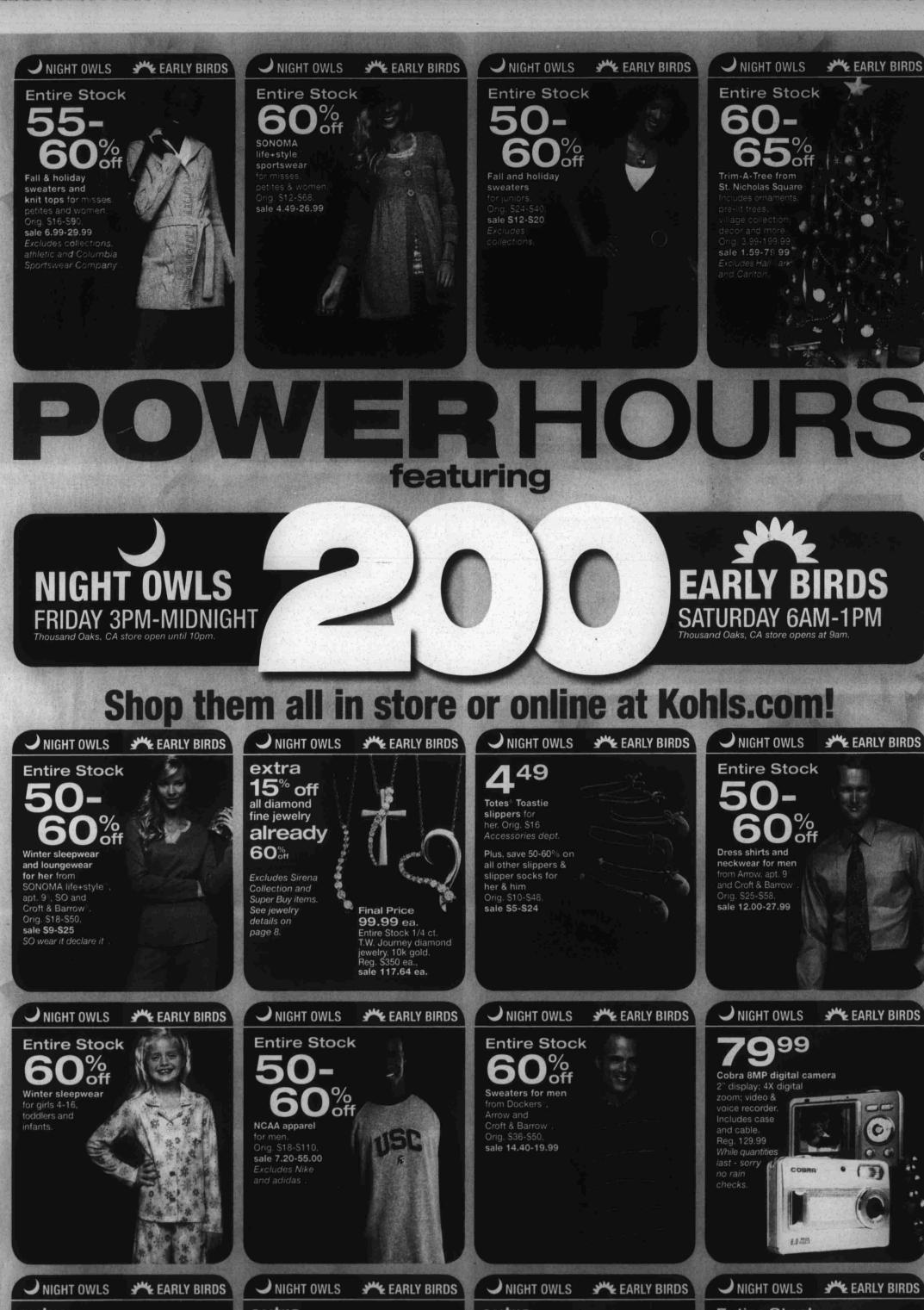
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