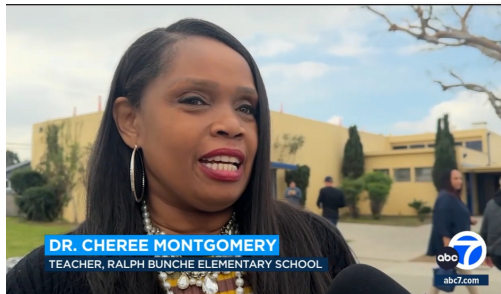




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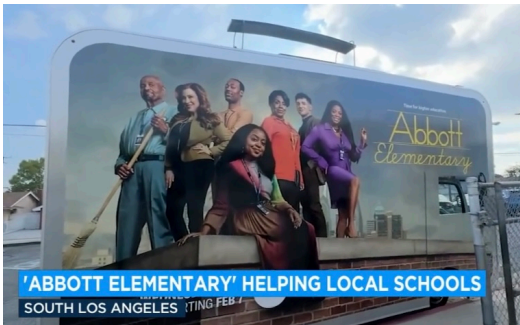
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What's Happening Around Town

Pickleball is one of the fastest growing sports in the nation. Join the fun at Hemingway Park's new pickleball courts! Leagues and tournaments are coming soon for ages 18 and over. Learn more by contacting our Adult Sports Section at (310) 847-3576.

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Join the Southbay Pavilion mall for a FREE Black History Month event on Saturday, February 24th from 1 -5 pm in the center court! Be sure to register for this FREE event at southbaypavilion.com/events to experience live music by Seville, trivia, prizes, and more!!

Government & Business

Mayor Lula Davis-Holmes Homeownership Fair



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Mayor Lula Davis Holmes, in collaboration with the Carson Citizens Cultural Arts Foundation and Face LA, are excited to announce the upcoming Homeownership Fair, a transformative event aimed at making homeownership dreams a reality for residents.

Scheduled for March 23 at Carson Event Center, 801 E. Carson St. from 9 a.m.- 1 p.m. This unique fair is set to empower citizens with the necessary tools and knowledge to step into the realm of homeownership. The event is a testament to Mayor Lula Davis Holmes' commitment to fostering community

development and creating opportunities for residents to build a stable future.

In partnership with the Carson Citizens Cultural Arts Foundation and Face LA, the Homeownership Fair will offer attendees the chance to explore various pathways towards owning a home. One of the key highlights of the event is the opportunity to access up to \$200,000 in downpayment assistance, making the dream of homeownership more achievable than ever before.

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ASSEMBLY MEMBER
Mike A. Gipson
ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 65

Contact: John Schaeffer, john.schaeffer@asm.ca.gov, 916-319-2065

Asm. Gipson Addresses Explosion in Wilmington

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (February 15, 2024) – In response to the compressed natural gas truck explosion that occurred in Wilmington today, **Assemblymember Mike A. Gipson (D-Carson)** released the following statement:

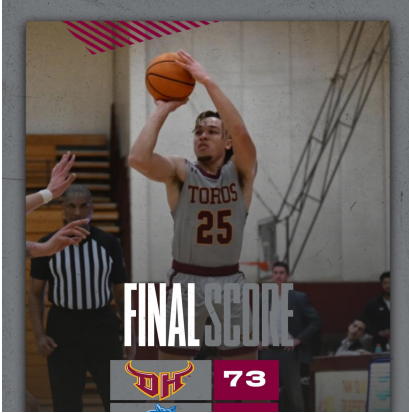
"I applaud the twelve firefighters that responded to a truck fire early this morning in Wilmington, CA, and my heart goes out to the nine that were injured in the ensuing explosion. I commend the swift action of the first responders for aiding the injured firefighters and transporting them to nearby medical facilities, and I pray for their full recovery. Given this morning's tragedy, I am again reminded how courageous and selfless first responders are as they race toward danger to keep our communities safe. Although residents are encouraged to stay inside, according to LAFD, no homes are in the immediate danger zone, and no evacuations have been ordered. My staff and I will continue monitoring the situation and keep the community apprised as additional updates are made available."

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Assemblymember Mike A. Gipson proudly represents the 65th Assembly District which includes the cities and communities of Watts, Willowbrook, Compton, Carson, North Long Beach, Harbor Gateway North & South, Harbor City, Wilmington, and San Pedro

Education & Sports

Cal State Dominguez Hills Athletics



Jeremy Dent-Smith hit last second 3 pointer forcing OT for @csudhmbb where the Toros won the game against Sonoma State 73-64 on senior night!

Tiger Woods withdraws from Genesis Invitational in second round because of illness



Tiger Woods debuting his new clothing brand Sun Day Red at The Genesis Invitational. 🐶🚩



El Camino College Black History Month Events

Here's a recap of our first week of Black History Month events.

1. Today we welcomed Senator Steven Bradford for a conversation on Black Reparations. Senator Bradford shared his perspective and updates from the state's Black Reparations Task Force and Legislative Black Caucus.
2. On Wednesday, R. Steven Lewis of ZGF Architects discussed the history of Black architects in Southern California and across the United States.
3. On Tuesday, Djeliba Baba the Storyteller presented the wondrous art of griot oral tradition.

Campus will be closed on Monday, Feb. 19, but we'll be back with more BHM events including the opening reception of the El Camino College Library exhibit "Legacy of Black Architects," West African Dance Meditation, Taste of Soul and Mini Black Market Flea!

For full event info, please visit www.elcamino.edu/bhm.



Arts & Entertainment

Mike Epps coming to Kia LA Forum



Presented by BMN Entertainment, the comedy scene is set to explode with the "We Them One's Comedy Tour." Experience electrifying performances from the comedy realm's best.

Headliners:

Mike Epps: The legend and host, known for epic stand-up comedy specials and "Next Friday," will use his comedy to seal the night.

DeRay Davis: From Netflix and "21 Jump Street," a genuine comedy gem.

DC Young Fly: Digital sensation turned "Wild 'N Out" star.

Chico Bean: MTV's "Wild 'N Out" standout with global appeal.

Karlous Miller: MTV's "Wild 'N Out" original with southern humor.

Lil Duval: Famed for "Smile (Living My Best Life)" and comic excellence.

Mojo Brookzz: The refreshing new face of comedy.



The Kinsey Collection at SoFi Stadium Black History Month Celebration - February 22



The Kinsey Collection at SoFi Stadium will host a Black History Month celebration on February 22nd in partnership with the Los Angeles Sentinel Newspaper, 102.3 RadioFree KJLH, and First AME Church of Los Angeles.

Guests will be able to tour the Kinsey African American Art and History Collection, purchase the 6th edition of The Kinsey Collection book, with music provided by DJ R-Tistic.

RSVP here: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScqzPvimGnT88ittNt3UQOEirZ1vzYH6xHpOHwf4wtD8n4vUg/viewform>



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South Bay Community News

Church News

Antioch Church Long Beach

Pastor Wayne Chaney Jr.
350 Pine Ave. Long Beach, CA 90802



Meet pastor Wayne!

We love the way he unifies people from diverse, cultural backgrounds with relevancy and truth, cultivating a powerful worship environment for anyone to step into.

Pastor Wayne was born into a three generation-long spiritual lineage left by his grandfather, Joe Chaney Jr., and he continues the legacy as pastor of Antioch Church of Long Beach.

Outside of the church walls, Pastor Wayne is passionate about influencing culture with Christ's Kingdom, and extends his ministry beyond the congregation in many ways. Pastor Wayne's love for the people of God is evident through his work both inside and outside of the Antioch Church family, and we are so thankful for all that he does!

Website: <https://www.antiochlb.com>

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Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/antiochlb?mibextid=dGKdO6>



Brother Steve Harris and Mother Willie Mae Rivers

Celebrating Mother Willie Mae Rivers 98th Birthday. Conversation with the Rivers Family & Friends

All-Star Line Up of Musical Guests

Check out the preview on The Church Channel!



House & Garden

Make Your St. Patrick's Day Spread Green with Envy



(Culinary.net) Freshen up your St. Patrick's Day menu with easy, light sandwiches inspired by the traditional color of the festivities. These open-faced noshes can be perfect for lunch, snack time or even as an appetizer for get-togethers with friends and family.

Layered with a smooth cream cheese and mozzarella mixture then topped with crisp cucumber and a stem of green bell pepper, these St. Patrick's Day Sandwiches are easy and cute, which makes them a fan favorite at nearly any green gathering. They're also sprinkled with lemon juice to add a little acidity and create a nice, light bite.

Plus, this recipe is quick to make. When you're in a rush to get everything on the table for the party, it's easy to throw together and get on the platter in next to no time.

The sandwiches pop off the plate with their bright, seasonal garnishes. While sure to attract attention and have your loved ones asking "Where did you get this idea?" they're also an easy way to sneak a few vegetables into your kids' diets.

For more festive recipes and ideas at Culinary.net.

St. Patrick's Day Sandwiches

Yield: 8 sandwiches

8 ounces plain cream cheese spread, softened

1 cup finely shredded mozzarella cheese

salt

4 English muffins

24 slices cucumber

8 thin slices green pepper

fresh cilantro leaves

lemon juice

lemon slices, for garnish (optional)

In bowl, mix cream cheese spread, mozzarella cheese and salt well.

Split English muffins in half. Cut each muffin half into shamrock shape.

Spread cheese mixture over each muffin half.

Place three cucumbers on each "shamrock," one on each "leaf." Use green pepper slice as stem. Place cilantro leaf on top of each sandwich.

Sprinkle sandwiches with lemon juice and add lemon slices, for garnish, if desired.




10 Things to disinfect in your home after someone was SICK.

1. Door knobs
2. Light switches
3. Remote controls
4. Phones/Tablets
5. Faucet handles

6. Cabinet pulls
7. Water bottles
8. Tops of chairs
9. Nightstands
10. Toilet

Just For Fun

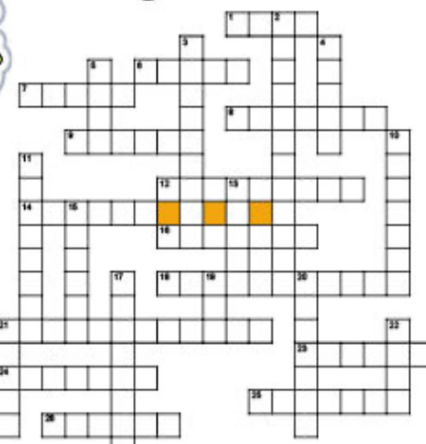
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Fast Food Crossword

Across

1. Fizzy drink.
6. ____ rings.
7. Tube used to drink with.
8. Knot shaped bread.
9. Cakes with a hole.
12. Beef patty on a bun.
14. Small towel for your face and fingers.
16. Condiment made with tomatoes.
18. Fried potato strips.
21. Beef patty on a bun with cheese.
23. Sausage in a roll.
24. Yellow condiment.
25. Flour tortilla folder around a filling.
26. Red slice on a burger.



Down

2. Order from your car.
3. Cold, frothy, dairy drink.
4. Italian pie with toppings.
5. Food in an edible shell.
10. Small chicken pieces.
11. Two pieces of bread and filling.
13. Sizzling strips.
15. Preserved cucumber.
17. Frozen milk dessert.
19. Breakfast muffin topping.
20. Eat in restaurant order.
21. Package deal.
22. Take away order.

Word Bank

Bacon	Hamburger	Pickle
Burrito	Hot dog	Pizza
Cheeseburger	Ice Cream	Pretzel
Combo	Ketchup	Sandwich
Donuts	Milkshake	Soda
Drive-through	Mustard	Straw
Egg	Napkin	Taco
For here	Nuggets	To go
French Fries	Onion	Tomato

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Events

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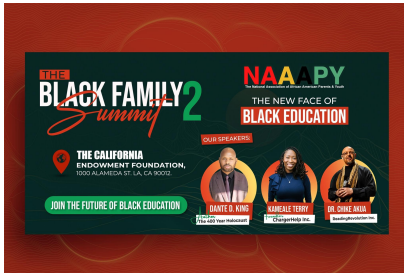
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March 3, 2024, 7:30 pm To 9:30 pm

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Marc Anthony

Yaamava' Theater
Feb 27 at 8:00PM
777 San Manuel Blvd, Highland, CA 92346

Marc Anthony (@marcanthony) has sold over 12 million albums worldwide, making him one of the most influential artists of his time and a true ambassador of Latin music and culture. He has been awarded countless standard gold and platinum certifications from the Recording Industry Association of America (RIAA).



“Leave the game better than you found it. And when it comes time for you to leave, leave a legend.”
- Kobe Bryant