



This Group Saved the Day

-The Friends of the Frazier Park Library-

By Gunnar J Kuepper



Board of the Friends of the Frazier Park Library at their Meeting on Saturday, June 14, 2014
Sitting from Right to Left: Judith Brunk (President), Mel Weinstein, Cliff Brunk, Pat Wulffen, Nicole Rand, Eric Rand
Standing from Right to Left: Bill Hopper, Joy Le Baron, Elizabethg Ritzi, Bethel Billesbach

As GBU Mountain News reported exclusively on June 9, 2014, the Kern County Administration had proposed to close the Frazier Park Library for at least one day a week. Fortunately, and thanks to a group called the “Friends of the Frazier Park Library” this closure has been averted.

On Saturday, June 14, 2014, *Gunnar J Kuepper*, the publisher of the GBU Mountain News was given an opportunity to speak to the Board of the Friends of the Frazier Park Library. *Gunnar* explained the Kern County budget situation for the Fiscal year 2014-15 and the impact on the library system.

The Kern County 2014-15 budget is about \$2 billion with the Library system (with ~ 130,000 library card holders) accounting for about 0.04% (~\$8 million) of the budget. The Board of Supervisors has asked all departments to cut 5% of their respective budget to meet the financial situation.

Subsequently, this would have translated into the Frazier Park Library being closed on Fridays. *Gunnar* had already talked to District IV Supervisor *David Couch* about a public/private partnership which would allow the Frazier Park Library to remain open on Fridays. He had emphasized its unique rural location –there is no other library within a 35+ miles radius- the increasing importance as a Community Center for the Frazier Mountain Communities.

Gunnar explained to the Board of Friends of the Frazier Park Library that at least \$ 3,576.94 is required to finance the salaries needed to keep the Frazier Park Library open for the remainder of the 201-15 fiscal year (until the end of June 2015).

Following the presentation, Board member *Cliff Brunk* moved to have the Friends of Frazier Park Library underwrite the \$ 3,576 required to keep our Library on Fridays for the remainder of the 2014-15 fiscal year.

The group also recommended that funds for this purpose be solicited from local businesses and organizations as well as the community at large. The motion was seconded by *Mel Weinstein* and passed unanimously.

The Friends of the Frazier Park Library will in the near future start a fundraising to support our library and to build a reserve in case another challenge arises in the future.

The following numbers from the Fiscal Year 2012-13 underscore the value of the Kern County Library System at large and the Frazier Park Library in particular:

During the fiscal year (FY) 2012-13

- more than 825,000 people visited on of the 22 Kern County Libraries

- 36,868 people, or about 150 people per open day, visited the Frazier Park Library.
- 157,427 people have library cards
- 3,630 library cards were issued at the Frazier Park library

The Frazier Park Library hosted

- FY 2011-12: 92 programs with 2,248 in attendance
- FY 2012-13: 242 programs with 3,433 in attendance
- FY 2013-14: 335+ programs with 4,493 in attendance



Bethel Billesbach, Staff Member & Board Member of the Friends of the Frazier Park Library advertising the Family Fire Safety Program with the gorgeous library interior in the background

Libraries, serving as a repository of knowledge and central meeting points, exist much longer than any county bureaucracy. Thousands of years ago, a library in Mesopotamia held 30,000 clay tablets. The Great Library of Alexandria in ancient Egypt housed about 750,000 scrolls made of papyrus or leather. The Roman Empire had libraries that were available to teachers and scholars. Public Libraries are community service at its best. They welcome the public, and create an environment that allows for learning and for the sharing of knowledge, and provide access to computers and the Internet.

The Kern County Library System serves a population of about 850,000. Nevertheless, the Library with its more than 100 employees and many more volunteers operates on a shoestring budget of just \$8 million.

Without the tremendous support from individuals, businesses and organizations, and groups like the Friends of the Frazier Park Library those essential services would not be sufficient to meet the need of the people, children, teens, adults, and seniors as well.

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All Things Local

Tragic Plane Crash killed a Child from Cuddy Valley

On Monday, June 9, 2014 around 11:30 a.m. a single-engine plane crashed at El Mirage Dry Lake, located about 40 miles east of Palmdale.



On board were 8-year-old *Sebastian Joshua Grewal* of Frazier Park / Cuddy Valley and 47-year-old pilot *Brian Lee*. Brian Lee, a Los Angeles Fire Department helicopter pilot and firefighter/paramedic was fatally injured when the aircraft struck the ground and flipped several times and died shortly after the crash. *Sebastian Grewal* sustained trauma to the head and upper body and was airlifted to Loma Linda University Medical Center. Unfortunately he died from his injuries on Friday, June 13, 2014.

Sebastian lived with his mother in Cuddy Valley. He was a 2nd grader at Frazier Park Elementary School and attended the Boys & Girls Club after-school program. *Kristina Graves*, the Site Coordinator for the Frazier Park Boys & Girls Club, is still shaken by the loss a few days later. She described Sebastian a "very funny little boy, the class clown and a joy to be around with. Sebastian

wanted to be a pilot when he grew up, so at least the last thing he did in life was really great for him."

Visitation is scheduled for June 19 and funeral services will be on June 20 in the San Fernando Valley. For more information please contact *Kristina Graves* at 661-245-3139. *Our hearts and prayers go out to all those affected by this tragedy.*

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"How would you use Your tax dollars" Town Hall Meeting in PMC

On Thursday, June 12, Supervisor David Couch and his staff (*Ryan Shultz*, *Mark Salvaggio*, *Brandon Martin*) came to Pine Mountain Club (PMC) to conduct a Town Hall Meeting in Pine Mountain Club (PMC). This event, titled "How would you use YOUR tax dollars" was attended by nearly fifty people, many of them representing the age group of 55+. Seen in the audience were *Rachel Unell* (Chamber of Commerce), *Rory Worster* (PMCPOA), *Carole Trudeau* (Kern County Sheriff's Volunteer), *Juan Ricoy* (Peak-to-Peak Charter School), *Bill Hopper*, A.J. & *Frances Durocher*, *Mel Weinstein*, *Edie & Lynn Stafford*, and others.



The meeting was designed to be very interactive and to get feedback from the community on the upcoming 2014-15 budget. Each resident received a bag with 20 pennies and was asked to distribute the pennies into five jars representing major sectors in Kern County (Public Safety-Health & Social Services-Culture, Education & Recreation-Finance and Administration-Planning & Public Works).

Initially the 33 participants put

- 223 pennies toward Public Safety (No. 1),
- 140 towards Health & Social Services (No. 2), closely followed by

- 133 pennies for Culture, Education & Recreation (No. 3), then
- 86 for Planning & Public Works (No. 4) and
- 78 for Finance & Administration (No. 5).

In the following exercise each of the participants had to take 3 pennies out of the jars, simulating a budget reduction.

The ranking for the five sectors was still the same, but Public Safety was very much a first with 209 pennies, followed by Health & Social Services with 118 pennies and Culture, Education & Recreation with 106 pennies.

A similar outcome was noted during a meeting in Kern City on March 27, 2014. The participants, all representing the age group 55+, gave the highest priority to Public Safety (No.1 with 295 pennies), followed by Health & Social Services (No. 2 with 254 pennies). The third highest priority -different from PMC- was Planning & Public Works (223 pennies). Culture, Education & Recreation (Rank 4 with 123 pennies) and Finance & Administration (Rank 5 with 105 pennies) ended up at the bottom of the list. The ranking stayed the same after the budget reduction.

A very similar event to be held in Frazier Park by Supervisor Couch is scheduled for July 10, 2014 at the Community Hall across the street from the library.

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On June 12, 13, and 14, 2014 the In the Wings Studio of Dance presented the 4th Annual Dance Recital “Blame it on the Boogie”. About 37 dances, from classic to hip-hop, were performed by small and large groups of all ages, in the auditorium of the El Tejon Middle School. Nearly all dance moves were choreographed by *Dana Dever* and *Crystal Adams*.

Hundreds of parents, grandparents, family members and friends enjoyed seeing nearly 150 little children, teens and even a few adults in beautiful costumes dancing to a wide variety of themes and music.



4th Annual Dance Recital

**Frazier Park Elementary School –
Principal's Report to the Board of
Trustees on June 12, 2014 by Keri St. Jeor**



*Frazier Park
Elementary School*

1. The Frazier Park **PTSO** has been such a big help to us this year helping to make field trips happen, computers for our teachers, classroom supplies, rolls for our laminator. The list goes on and on. Their last purchase for our school has been rubber mats to place under the swings at our school. This will help keep the wood chips from being kicked out from under the swings and add an extra margin of safety to our playground. **We are so proud of our PTSO!**
 2. The **Boys & Girls Club** was a big help to our students by providing funding for an after school reading intervention program being run by Mary Hon and Susan Bates and for Monica Darling to provide technology enrichment activities. We hope to be able to continue providing these same services next year as well. Thank you Boys and Girls Club!
 3. Mr. Jeff Lee came to do his **Animal Show** on June 2nd. It was a great show for the students who learned a lot about the different animals he had with him.
 4. We had a very good orientation for the **4th grade class at El Tejon** on Monday, June 2nd. They first met with the Principal then got to meet with students and teachers from the 5th grade. They were able to get a lot of their questions and concerns answered and will be ready to make the transition in the fall.
 5. **Field Trips** – Since the last board meeting the Kindergarten attended the L.A. Zoo on May 16th. May 22 the 1st Grade will did a walking trip to some of the local businesses. On May 30th the 3rd grade classes visited the Wind Wolves Preserve and on June 3rd the third and fourth grade classes visited the Long Beach Aquarium.
 6. **Character Counts Program** – For the month of May we were focusing on the character trait of “Trustworthiness.”
 7. The **transition into the CCSS** continues. We have scheduled PLC time each week at the conclusion of our weekly staff meetings to discuss successes and difficulties encountered while working through the transition into the CCSS. We plan to continue the PLC time this next school year while we are implementing.
 8. **Farm Day** at FMHS was a lot of fun for our K-3 students on May 21st. Many are looking forward to participating in the FAA program when they get to FMHS.
 9. **Smoke Trailer** – On May 22 the Fire Department brought their Smoke Trailer to Frazier Park School for students to experience evacuation techniques in a smoke filled room. This was a good experience for the all of our students.
 10. **First Grade Play** – On June 3rd Mrs. Hon's class presented the play “Jack and the Bean Stock” in Mrs. Hon's room at 6:00 pm. Mrs. Bates also had her Spring Performance that evening. The students did a great job and had fun. So did the parents!
 11. **Home & School Connection** – I intend to use this service again next year and have already signed up to receive their flyers. This has been very good information for the parents and a good way to help get them involved with their students and with what we are doing at F.P. School.
 12. **Transitional Kindergarten** – We have sent out and posted informational flyers around the community and put them in the paper, about our TK Program. It is our hope that we can get our TK numbers up to where we can run a TK class on its own.
 13. **“Gold Dust or Bust”** – A play put on by the 4th grade classes in the cafeteria on May 30 for the Parents and Public. This was well attended and the students did a great job.
 14. Lee Bizzini's class has been placing the **flower pots** they have made around the school to help beautify our campus.
 15. **Hungry Valley State Parks** – On May 16th to 3rd Grade for their wildflower and owl pellet presentation. The students had a blast digging through the owl pellets looking for and identifying the different types of bones they were finding. They also received a packet with books to help them identify the different wild flowers in our area, and also included a baggie of California Poppy seeds for them to plant.
- Overall, this has been a very good year for the students and staff here at Frazier Park School. I look forward to building on the successes we had and to getting better and better every year. I am not content to just ride on

those successes. I intend to keep moving forward and have great plans for Frazier Park School. I look forward to working with you as we push ahead.

Thank you, members of the School Board, for all your support.

Keri St. Jeor
Principal, Frazier Park School

Free Summer Lunches for teens and children under 18 are served at the Frazier Park School from June 9 to August 1, 2014

El Tejon Middle School – Principal's Report to the Board of Trustees on June 12, 2014 by Rosalie G. Jimenez

Year Ending Enrollment - 218

Graduation was a spectacular event at Frazier Mountain High School gym on June 5th with approximately 300 parents and students in attendance. We had the honor of awarding 62 students with an 8th grade diploma. It was a special culminating event with student speakers, a special guest speaker, Mr. Robert Dorsey, Academic Awards, and music presented by two of our graduates (Moriah Callan and Kayla Perry). After the graduation students were transported to El Tejon School and enjoyed a wonderful party in the cafeteria. The theme for this special party was a Hawaiian Luau. Thanks to our Graduation Committee parents we had a lovely evening with lots of food and extra treats to add to this magical and memorable evening.

During the last days of school, many students participated in multiple activities, such as; End of Year awards assemblies, graduation breakfast, honor roll, principal's list, and perfect attendance celebrations (ice-cream socials, nacho parties, pizza parties, movie and popcorn). Principal's List students (all time total of 40 students) had lunch at La Sierra. This year was the first year that we had a Staff versus Students softball game. On our last day of school at El Tejon we have a tradition of turning on the water sprinklers for a short while and allow students to run through them. They "playfully" enjoy this cool event. It never fails, once they are pretty soaked, they come around hugging staff members in appreciation and or simply to bid them a "wet" farewell.

On June 6th teachers met with me for a final staff meeting to discuss any last minute details. Consequently ETS staff responded to two prompts, "What was learned" and "what would you like to see happen next year?" Reflection and appreciation rose to the top of our discussion. Many staff members felt a sense of accomplishment for this successful academic year. Looking ahead the staff is interested in expanding current academic and extra-curricular programs. They are also excited about a possible mentoring program to help us further assist struggling students, and specifically for 8th graders that may be at-risk academically and socially.

Academic Program 2014-2015

In an effort to ensure that all students receive instruction by a highly qualified teacher El Tejon School is moving towards the goal of becoming departmentalized in 6th-8th grades. Consequently we recently took a proactive approach and telephoned all incoming 6th grade parents to get their feedback on departmentalizing 6th-8th grades. More specifically only one of the two 6th grades would be departmentalized and scheduled accordingly. Using a generic script (attached document) and a telephone list me and four colleagues attempted to contact 50 parents. The results of this survey are as follows;

- Response Rate: 33 or 66%
- Yes: 26 or 79% in favor of departmentalized program for 6th grade
- No: 4 or 12%
- Unsure: 3 or 9%

Summary: The evidence indicates that over 50% of the 6th grade parents are in favor of departmentalized instruction in the 6th grade. Many comments (attached) in favor or against are listed for your personal review.

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The Leadership of the Frazier Mountain High School (FMHS) did not provide any info or report to the GBU Mountain News.

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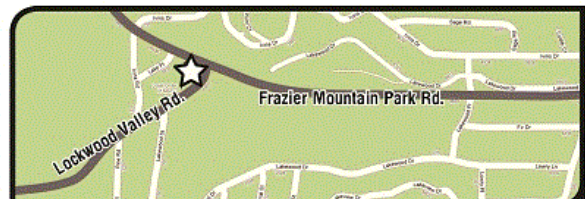
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All Things Regional

Court Ruling deemed tenure and other job protections for California's public school teachers unconstitutional

By Gunnar J Kuepper

On Tuesday, June 10, 2014 Los Angeles County Superior Court Judge *Rolf M. Treu* in Los Angeles ruled that California's tenure rules discriminate against poor and minority students by leaving "bad" public school teachers in the classroom.

The plaintiffs in this case (*Beatriz Vergara, et al* (Plaintiffs) vs. *State of California, et al*, (Defendants); and *California Teachers Association, et al* (Intervenors)) were nine California public students who, through their respective guardians, challenged five statutes of the California Education Code.

They claimed that the statutes 44929.21(b) ("Permanent Employment Statute"); 44934, 44938(b)(1) and (2) and 44944 (collectively "Dismissal Statutes"); and 44955 ("Last-In-First Out (LIFO)") violate the equal protection clause of the California Constitution.

The decision ends the process of laying off teachers based solely on the date of their hiring. It also strips teachers of extra job safeguards not enjoyed by other school or state employees. Last, but not least, it eliminates the current tenure process, under which teachers are either dismissed or win strong job security after a 18 month probation period.

Judge Treu wrote: "Substantial evidence presented makes it clear to this Court that the Challenged Statutes disproportionately affect poor and/or minority students."

He quoted the 64-page document "Evaluating Progress Toward Equitable Distribution of Effective Educators," published in July 2007 by the California Department of Education which stated:

"Unfortunately, the most vulnerable students, those attending high-poverty, low-performing schools, are far more likely than their wealthier peers to attend schools having a disproportionate number of underqualified, inexperienced, out-of-field, and ineffective teachers and administrators.

"Because minority children disproportionately attend such schools, minority students bear the brunt of staffing inequalities."

The Judge ruled further that "the evidence was also clear that the churning (a.k.a. "Dance of the Lemons") of teachers caused by the lack of effective dismissal statutes

and LIFO affect high-poverty and minority students disproportionately.

"This in turn greatly affects the stability of the learning process to the detriment of such students."

Subsequently, Judge Treu came to the conclusion that "all challenged statutes are found unconstitutional"

The lawsuit was backed by Silicon Valley tech entrepreneur *David Welch* who had assembled a high-profile legal team. The state was represented by the attorney general's office and joined by lawyers for the California Teachers Association and the California Federation of Teachers.

Chuck Mullen, President of the El Tejon Teachers Association (ETTA) provided the following statement regarding the ruling:

"Traditionally, teachers have a two-year probationary period whereby they can be fired without being given a reason. After that, there has to be a hearing and some kind of attempt at remediation. As taxpayers, citizens should want this step in public schools. Historically, how many strong teachers wound up on the bad side of a weak administrator? In districts where the administrators don't always demonstrate outstanding judgment, this precaution is necessary. I don't suppose anyone would buy it if I said parochial or corporate schools without tenure have no abuse of any kind.

"Some administrators are open-minded, diligent, intelligent, and perceptive. Like Sara Haflich, they came from the teaching ranks so that shouldn't be a huge surprise. Others took the first opportunity they had to get the heck out of the classroom and get a better paying gig in a childless office. In either case, both strong principals and weak principals have no tenure and therefore no voice when their bosses go rogue.

"Weak teachers just create more work and increase the stress on their peers. Who's got time for that? The legislative process is working to pass AB 215. It has just passed the Senate and will soon pass the Assembly and then on to the Governor's desk for his signature. This bill expedites the teacher dismissal process, while ensuring the safety of students and the due process rights of educators. If the legislature can do this, why then is the judiciary legislating from the bench? Isn't that exactly what the liberal side of the Supreme Court and Chief Justice Roberts did to bring us Obamacare?

"Where our local district is concerned, we just emerged from a very dark period when our inattentive elected trustees unleashed inexperienced and vindictive administrative officials on our staff with a blank check. This episode nearly tore apart our little district. Without

tenure, FMHS would have nixed its sports program, El Tejon would have closed down and sent its 7th-8th graders to a declining high school, and Frazier Park School would have been bursting at the seams with overcrowding until every parent of means from throughout the district found an alternative. The staff inspired, community based, Work Together coalition of parents and staff pressed hard to speak out against the abuses and inform the community of the need for new trustees and a better deal for students. We were there in force angrily confronting the status quo and making re-election ambitions an unpleasant thought. That better deal came in the form of a new board majority with their new regime of transparency and checks and balances. None of this would have happened if our last leaders would have been successful in canning their tenured opposition early on."



Rodney Wallace, the Superintendent for the El Tejon Unified School District stated: "we will have to wait for the appeal process to actually see if there are any changes to the statutes. I will comment on one aspect as I would like to see a longer time frame for new teachers to gain permanent status.

Sometimes having to make the decision actually prior to the "two year" period can be unfair to the administrator who is making that decision as well as the teacher.

"Since notification needs to be given to the probationary teacher by March 15th the decision usually needs to go to the Board by the February Board meeting. Therefore the administrator has really only been able to evaluate the new teacher for closer to 1.5 years rather than 2 years.

"This quick evaluation is too short. On the teacher's behalf this period is also too short as many administrator's are quick to write off a teacher's ability based on such a short evaluation period. The teacher does not get enough time to improve their skills."

If you would like to receive a copy of the 16-page decision, please send a friendly e-mail to GBUmountainNews@gmail.com

Salas Sludge Bill Clears Key Senate Committee Hurdle

By Office of Assemblymember *Rudy Salas*

Assemblymember Rudy Salas (D-Bakersfield) announced on Wednesday, June 18, 2014 that his Assembly Bill (AB) 371 that looks to increase testing on sewage sludge applied to local land passed the Senate Environmental Quality Committee with bipartisan support. The bill has been a top priority for Assemblymember Salas all year.

"For the last fourteen or so years, nearly 1,500 truckloads of Los Angeles sewage sludge have been applied to land in Kern County. People in our communities deserve answers about what metals, pathogens, pharmaceuticals, hormones, and steroids pose a threat to human health and what threats there are to our groundwater basin," said Assemblymember Salas.

Due to concerns that the contaminants in biosolids could pollute air and water near the farm where it is applied, adversely affecting human health, Kern County residents approved Measure E in 2006 with an 83% majority to stop the application of biosolids on county farmland. The City of Los Angeles sued Kern County and was granted an injunction against enforcement of Measure E.

The bill has recently been amended to require the State Water Resources Control Board to conduct at least 18 specific tests for pathogens, endotoxins, and other hazards in sludge being imported and applied in Kern County.

"In order to make a compelling case to halt the application of sludge, we need to know what exactly it contains," continued Assemblymember Salas. "Once we have the scientific proof that this stuff is harmful, it will remove all doubt that no one should be exposed to it."

The bill is supported by Western Growers, the California Farm Bureau, The Center on Race, Poverty & the Environment, the California Rural Legal Assistance Foundation, the Community Water Center, Clean Water Action, Kern County Water Agency, and the Cities of Bakersfield, Wasco, Shafter, Delano and Arvin, among others.

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Assemblymember Salas represents part of the City of Bakersfield, the cities of Arvin, Avenal, Corcoran, Delano, Hanford, Lemoore, McFarland, Shafter, Wasco, and the communities of Armona, Buttonwillow, Home Garden, Kettleman City, Lamont, Lost Hills, Stratford and Weedpatch.

People

Brandon Martin - the new Chief of Staff for Supervisor David Couch's Office

In April 2014, *Brandon Martin* was appointed the new Chief of Staff for Supervisor David Couch's Office. *Brandon* was born and raised in Kern County and went to Stockdale High School. Afterwards, he went to University of California, Los Angeles and graduated in Communication Studies with a Bachelor of Arts.



During that time, *Brandon* moderated weekly outreach symposia with community leaders on behalf of the Plato Society and hosted "Law Talk," a weekly interview format radio show on American General Media radio stations in Bakersfield. *Brandon* attended UC Berkeley School of Law and received his Juris Doctor (JD) in 2003.

Brandon has been licensed to practice law in California since 2004 and has worked in a variety of law firms, including the Bakersfield Office of Borton Petrini, LLP. *Brandon* has also served as a member of the Kern County Planning Commission and worked with the local business community while serving as the Director of the CSU Bakersfield Small Business Development Center.

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Governor Brown Appoints Ralph W. Wyatt to Kern County Superior Court

On Wednesday, June 18, 2014, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. announced the appointment of *Ralph W. Wyatt* to a judgeship in the Kern County Superior Court.

Wyatt, 64, of Bakersfield, has served as a commissioner at the Kern County Superior Court since 2008. He was a partner at Ganong and Wyatt LLP from 2001 to 2008 and a sole practitioner from 2000 to 2001. Wyatt was a partner at Wyatt and Baker from 1993 to 2000, at Fallgatter Wyatt and Baker in 1993, at Fallgatter and Wyatt from 1991 to 1992 and at Mitchell and Wyatt from 1991 to 1992. Wyatt was an associate at the Law Offices of Young and Woodridge from 1989 to 1991 and a partner at Vega and Wyatt from 1989 to 1990. He was a partner at the Law Offices of Kuhs and Parker from 1984 to 1989, where he was an associate from 1981 to 1984. Wyatt served in several positions at the Kern County Public Defender's Office from 1975 to 1981, including senior felony trial attorney and associate attorney. He

was a staff attorney for the Legal Aid Society of San Diego Inc. in 1975. Wyatt earned a Juris Doctor degree from the California Western School of Law and a Bachelor of Arts degree from California State University, Northridge. He fills the vacancy created by the retirement of Judge *Jon E. Stuebbe*. Wyatt is registered without party preference.

The compensation for this position is \$181, 292.

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Governor Brown appoints Kern Council of Governments' Chair Harold Hanson to State Partnership for the San Joaquin Valley

by Kern Council of Governments

On Tuesday, June 17, 2014, Governor Jerry Brown today appointed Bakersfield City Councilmember and Kern Council of Governments (COG) Chairman *Harold Hanson* to the California Partnership for the San Joaquin Valley, a public-private partnership focused on improving economic vitality and the quality of life for the 3.9 million residents who call the San Joaquin Valley home.

Kern COG's Board of Directors nominated *Hanson* for the gubernatorial appointment. The next Partnership meeting is scheduled for Friday in Tulare.

Founded in June 2005 by Governor *Arnold Schwarzenegger* through executive order, the Partnership provides an organizational framework for collaboration as a way to improve quality of life in the San Joaquin Valley, focusing on creating a prosperous economy, quality environment, and social equity through eight regional work groups: Advanced Communications Services, Air Quality, Economic Development, Energy, Health & Human Services, Higher Education & Workforce Development, Housing, PreK-12 Education, Sustainable Communities, and Water Quality, Supply & Reliability.

Fresno, Kern, Kings, Madera, Merced, San Joaquin, Stanislaus and Tulare counties – with 62 cities and more than 3.9 million residents – make up the San Joaquin Valley, one of California's most challenged areas in comparison to the rest of the state: average per capita incomes are 32 percent lower; college graduate rates are 50 percent below the average; access to health care is 51 percent lower; and air quality is among the worst in the nation.

Hanson, representing Ward 5 in Bakersfield, was first elected to the city council in 2000 and is serving his third term as Kern COG's chairman. He also serves as a Board member for the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District.

A vice-president with Citizens Business Bank, *Hanson* was president and chief executive officer of Community First Bank prior to its sale to WestAmerica Bank. His 40 years of banking experience have included assignments in lending, bank management, credit, and branch administration. He and his wife Lana own the Cruise and Land Holidays Vacation Store in Bakersfield.

"The San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District, Kern COG and the California Partnership for the San Joaquin Valley are all concerned with issues that don't stop at boundaries on a map," *Hanson* said. "I appreciate the opportunity to represent Kern County on those issues that touch every person in the San Joaquin Valley."

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People doing what's right

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HbuZgujm6cM>

Most influential Persons in Human History

- Jesus Christ - c. 6BC-c. 30 Prophet; Spiritual leader; Founder of Christianity
- Buddha - 563BC-483BC: Spiritual leader, Founder of Buddhism
- Confucius - 551BC-479BC: Philosopher; Teacher; Created Confucianism
- St. Paul - c. 4-c. 64: Christian apostle; His writings in the New Testament of the Bible
- Muhammad - 570-632: Secular and religious leader; Prophet; Founder of Islam; Wrote the Koran
- Isaac Newton 1642-1727 Scientist Many scientific and mathem
- mathematical inventions/theories
- Jesus Christ - c. 6BC-c. 30 Prophet; Spiritual leader; Founder of Christianity
- Buddha - 563BC-483BC: Spiritual leader, Founder of Buddhism
- Confucius - 551BC-479BC: Philosopher; Teacher; Created Confucianism
- St. Paul - c. 4-c. 64: Christian apostle; His writings in the New Testament of the Bible
- Ts'ai Lun - c. 105: Political official in imperial China; Invented paper
- Johann Gutenberg -1400-1468: Inventor of printing (printing press)
- Christopher Columbus - 1451-1506: Explorer; Discovery of the Am
- of the Americas led to world-wide exploration
- Albert Einstein - 1879-1955: Scientist; Theory of relativity
- Louis Pasteur - 1822-1895: Chemist and biologist; Germ theory and preventive inoculation
- Galileo Galilei - 1564-1642: Scientist; Developed the scientific method; Invented the telescope
- Aristotle - 384BC-322BC: Philosopher and scientist; Wrote over 170 books on astronomy, zoology, geography, etc; Originated the study of formal logic
- Euclid - c. 300 BC: Teacher; Wrote Elements, greatest textbook on geometry
- Moses - 13th c. BC: Prophet; Political figure who led the Hebrews in the Exodus from Egypt; Wrote five books of the Bible (the Jewish Torah); Encouraged the belief of monotheism (belief in one god)monotheism (belief in one god)monotheism (belief in one god)monotheism (belief in one god)
- Charles Darwin - 1809-1882 Biologists; Originated the theory of organic evolution by means of natural selection
- Shih Huang Ti - 259BC-210BC: Chinese Emperor; United China by force of arms and instituted a set of sweeping reforms
- Augustus Caesar - 63BC-14: Political leader; Founder of the Roman Empire
- Nicolaus Copernicus - 1473-1543: Lawyer; Astronomer; Copernican Theory (First to assert the Earth revolves around the sun)
- Antoine Laurent Lavoisier - 1743-1794: Scientist; Organized the system of chemical theory
- Constantine the Great - c. 280-337: Political leader; First Christian emperor of the Roman Empire
- James Watt - 1736-1819: Inventor of the first practical steam engine and key figure in the Industrial Revolution
- Michael Faraday - 1791-1867: Invented the first electric motor; Discovered electromagnetic induction
- James Clerk Maxwell - 1831-1879: Physicist; Developed a set of four equations that best express the basic laws of electricity and magnetism

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pork sausage & scrambled eggs

Huevos con Machaca \$ 7.95Shredded beef, bell pepper, onions,
tomato w/scrambled eggs**Huevos ala Mexicana** \$ 7.95Scrambled eggs, tomato, onions, bell
pepper**Huevos Rancheros** \$ 7.953 eggs over easy, rice, beans,
w/ranchero sauce**Omelette ala Mexicana** \$ 7.95

Denver omelette

Omelette de Jamon \$ 7.95

Ham and cheese omelette

Breakfast Burrito \$ 6.95

Choice of bacon, ham, chorizo,
machaca**Appetizers**

Frijoles con Chorizo \$ 5.95

Nacho Supreme \$ 8.95

Guacamole \$ 6.95

Chicken buffalo wings \$ 9.95

Seafood Nachos \$ 13.50

La Sierra Platter \$ 10.95

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cream

Cheese \$ 8.95

Chicken or Beef \$ 8.95

Bacon and Mushroom \$ 9.50

Fajita – Chicken or Beef \$ 10.95

Fajita - Carnitas \$ 10.95

Quesadilla a la Diabla (spicy sauce)
\$ 12.95**Sandwiches/Tortas**

served with French Fries

Torta de filete Empanisado \$ 8.95

(grilled Tilapia in buttered French
roll, mayonnaise, lettuce, tomatoes)

Torta Asada (Steak) \$ 8.95

Torta Jamon (Ham) \$ 7.95

Torta Pollo (Chicken) \$ 7.95

Double Cheese Burger \$ 7.95

A La Carta

1. Burrito de Asada (steak) \$ 6.95

2. Taco de Camaron (Shrimp)
\$ 4.503. Taco de Pescado (fish)
\$ 3.75

4. Chile Relleno \$ 3.75

5. Enchilada \$ 3.00

6. French Fries (papas fritas)
\$ 3.007. Tostada de Pollo (chicken)
\$ 3.95

8. Taco Asada (steak) \$ 2.50

9. Taco – hard shell \$ 2.25

10. Taco – Carnitas (pork) \$ 2.25

Burrito – Carnitas \$ 6.95

Salads/Ensaladas**Chicken Salad** \$ 5.95(grilled chicken, lettuce, tomato,
cheese)**Avocado Salad** \$ 8.95**Shrimp Salad** \$ 11.95(grilled shrimp, lettuce, tomato,
cheese)**Tostada Deluxe** (chicken or beef)
\$ 9.75**Dinner Salad** \$ 3.50

(lettuce, tomato, cheese)

choice of dressing (Ranch, Italian,
Pico de gallo)**Soup/La Sopa**

Caldo de Pescado (fish) \$ 13.95

Caldo de Camaron (shrimp) \$ 13.95

Caldo de Pescado y camaron \$ 14.50

Chicken Tortilla Soup \$ 6.95

Tortilla Soup \$ 5.95

Caldo de Verduras (vegetable)
\$ 4.95**Sides**

Sour Cream \$ 0.95

Cheese \$ 0.75

Chile Toreodos \$ 0.75

Tortilla (flour, corn) \$ 0.95

Rice \$ 2.50

Beans \$ 2.50

Rice & Beans \$ 3.50

Guacamole \$ 3.50

Senior Menu**Breakfast:****Ham & Cheese Omelette** \$ 5.95**Breakfast Burrito** \$ 5.95**Lunch:****Taco** (cheese, chicken shredded
beef or ground beef) served with
rice & beans \$ 6.50**Enchilada** (cheese, chicken,
shredded beef or ground beef)
served with rice & beans \$ 6.50**Burrito Chile Verde** with rice &
beans \$ 7.50**Burrito Ground Beef** with rice &
beans \$ 7.50

Enchiladas

served with rice and beans

Enchiladas de Chile Verde \$ 8.95

Two tortillas filled with diced pork, simmered in salsa verde and sour cream

Enchilada Suiza \$ 8.95

Two corn tortillas stuffed with shredded chicken, topped with green sauce, melted cheese. Includes sour cream and guacamole

Enchiladas Verde y Colorado

\$ 9.50

Two corn tortillas, one stuffed with chile verde, other with chile colorado, each topped with it's own sauce, cheese and sour cream

Enchilada de Chile Colorado

\$ 9.50

Two corn tortillas stuffed with cubes of beef cooked in red chile sauce, topped with melted cheese, sour cream

Enchiladas Rancheras \$ 8.95

Two corn tortillas filled with cheese, hint of onions, topped with Spanish sauce and melted cheese, sour cream and guacamole

Enchiladas Texanas \$ 8.95

Two corn tortillas filled with ground beef, hint of onions, topped with enchilada sauce melted cheese, and sour cream

Tres Amigos Enchiladas \$ 10.50

(one of each cheese, chicken, beef)

Enchilada Carnita (Pork) \$ 9.95**Fajitas**

served with rice & beans

Tender strips of grilled steak, chicken or shrimp, sautéed with bell peppers, onions, tomatoes, spices. Presented sizzling to your table. Served with pico de gallo and guacamole, and flour or corn tortillas.

Steak or Chicken \$ 13.95**Shrimp** \$ 14.50

Supreme/Supremas combo

\$ 14.50

Burritos

served with rice and beans

Burrito de Chile Verde \$ 8.95

Diced pork cooked in chile verde sauce, rolled in large flour tortilla w/refried beans, smothered in chile verde sauce, melted cheese

Burrito de Steak Picado \$ 9.50

Marinated strips of grilled steak, vegetables, cheese, beans, rolled in large flour tortilla, topped with Spanish sauce and cheese.

Burrito de Pollo (chicken) \$ 8.95

Large flour tortilla, filled with shredded chicken, beans & cheese, topped with green chile sauce and melted cheese.

Burrito de Chile Colorado \$ 9.50

Cubes of beef cooked in red chile sauce, rolled in large flour tortilla, with refried beans, smothered in red chile sauce and melted cheese.

Burrito Vegetarian \$ 8.95**Burrito de Carne Asada** \$ 9.50

Large flour tortilla filled with carne asada, rice, cilantro, onions and sauce

Burrito Ground Beef \$ 8.95

Large flour tortilla filled with ground beef, served with sour cream

Burrito Chile Relleno \$ 8.95

Large poblano chile stuffed with cheese

Seafood**Rellenos del Mar** \$ 14.25

2 poblano chiles stuffed with shrimp, fish and crab-topped with sour cream sauce and melted cheese, garnished with avocado slices

Enchilada del Mar \$ 14.25

Flour tortillas filled with combination of shrimp, fish and crab, sautéed in our sour cream sauce

Fresh Fish Tacos \$ 13.95

Two fish soft tacos w/shredded lettuce

Fresh Shrimp Tacos \$ 14.50**Fish Filet/Filetes****Filete Empanisado** \$ 13.50

Tilapia filet breaded, grilled

Filete a la Veracruzana \$ 13.50

Tilapia filet sautéed and topped with variety of vegetables

Filete a la Diabla \$ 13.50

Tilapia sautéed in a very spicy sauce

Filete y Camaron a la Plancha

\$ 14.50

Garlic grilled Tilapia on bed of rice, grilled garlic shrimp in shell, with cucumber, tomatoes and avocado slices

Combination/Combinaciones

served with rice & beans

1. One Taco \$ 7.95

2. One Enchilada \$ 7.95

3. One Chile Relleno \$ 7.95

4. Taco & Enchilada \$ 8.95

5. Two Enchiladas \$ 8.95

6. Two Tacos \$ 8.95

7. Enchilada & Chile Relleno

\$ 8.95

8. Enchilada & Flauta \$ 8.95

9. Two Taquitos & Enchilada

\$ 8.95

10. Taco & Chile Relleno \$ 8.95

11. Taco, Enchilada & Burrito

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Add \$ 1.00 change any item to Chile Relleno

extra Chips & Salsa \$ 1.50

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Law Enforcement Corner



Kern County Sheriff's Office (KCSO) – Frazier Park Substation

Sergeant Mark Brown from the Kern County Sheriff's Substation in Frazier Park released the following information about law enforcement related incidents and activities between **June 4 and 11: ***

- 1) On June 4, 2014, at about 8:30 AM, a deputy was dispatched to a house on the 1600 block of Ridge Route Drive to investigate a burglary. Unknown person(s) entered the garage and stole a 2000 watt Honda generator, nine mobile home tires and wheels, four BF Goodrich car tires, four car batteries, and copper wire.
- 2) On June 4, 2014, at about 8:05 PM, a deputy conducted a probation search at a trailer on the 800 block of Louise Way in Lebec. The deputy located a glass pipe with white residue and a hypodermic syringe. *David Wolfe* was cited for suspicion of possessing drug paraphernalia.
- 3) On June 5, 2014, at about 2:00 AM, a deputy was dispatched to a store on the 100 block of Frazier Mountain Park Road in Lebec to investigate a theft. An unknown man left the store with a 10 pack of beer without paying for it, and fled in a blue vehicle.
- 4) On June 5, 2014, at about 4:45 PM, a deputy was dispatched to a house on the 6500 block of Fir Drive in
- 5) LOW to investigate a theft. Unknown person(s) stole about 1/4 of a tank of gas from a vehicle.
- 6) On June 6, 2014, at about 12:50 AM, a deputy contacted CN on Temescal Drive, near Canyon Drive in Lebec, and cited her on a misdemeanor drug warrant.
- 7) On June 6, 2014, at about 5:40 PM, a deputy was dispatched to a motel on the 3200 block of Mt. Pinos Way in Frazier Park to investigate a theft. An unknown man and woman stole a GE refrigerator, a GE microwave oven, and an oak dresser from a room.
- 8) On June 7, 2014, at about 2:30 PM, a deputy was dispatched to a store on the 200 block of Frazier Mountain Park Road to investigate an assault. An
- 9) unknown man, possibly named Michael, entered the store and struck the clerk one time after an argument.
- 9) On June 8, 2014, at about 11:50 PM, a deputy came across a vehicle that had not been registered in over two years on the 3500 block of Mt. Pinos Way in Frazier Park. The vehicle was towed.
- 10) On June 10, 2014, at about 10:15 AM, a deputy was dispatched to a house on the 600 block of Karr Drive in Lebec to investigate an identity theft. Unknown person(s) used another person's bank account information to make a fraudulent \$513.00 purchase.
- 11) On June 10, 2014, at about 1:40 PM, deputies conducted a probation search at a house on the 900 block of Lancer Way in Lebec, and located about 12 grams of suspected methamphetamine. *David Hyatt* was arrested for suspicion of possessing a methamphetamine for sale. *James Stearns* was arrested for suspicion of possessing methamphetamine and being under the influence of a controlled substance.
- 12) On June 10, 2014, at about 9:45 PM, a deputy came across a small motorcycle abandoned on Lebec Road near Circle Drive. The Vehicle Identification Number had been tampered with and the registration sticker had been removed. The motorcycle was towed.
- 13) On June 11, 2014, at about 4:20 PM, a deputy was dispatched to the area of Lebec Road and Ridge Route Drive in Lebec to investigate a theft. Unknown person(s) stole three batteries and a power cord from a motor home being stored in the area.

Anyone having information about any of the above incidents is asked to contact the Kern County Sheriff's Office at (661) 861-3110, contact Secret Witness at (661) 322-4040 or send an anonymous text to TIP411 (847411). Type the key word, "KCSO," prior to the message.

You will notice that the names of arrestees and suspects are not always published here. The presumption of innocence means that one is to be considered innocent until proven guilty in a fair and open court of law. Individuals that have been arrested, but not convicted and that do not pose a risk for others should not be subject to public humiliation. However, if you have been arrested and convicted before, and you have a considerable criminal record, your full name AND your criminal record will be published. If you are a repeated offender you will be considered a threat to our Youth and risk to the community.

California Highway Police (CHP)

DUI Arrest in Frazier Park

On Saturday, June 14, 2014 at approximately 7:30 p.m. a solo vehicle collision occurred in the 4100 block of Grant Trail, about 0.1 miles east of Pearl Trail. Four CHP Units responded to the site. The vehicle involved was a 1995 green BMW 318i. The cause of the collision was determined to be Driving Under the Influence (DUI) with and associated cause of unsafe speed. Subsequently, a 32-year-old male from Frazier Park was arrested, cited, and released.



Roving DUI Task Force

Over the weekend, June 14 & 15, the CHP Fort Tejon Area conducted a roving DUI Task Force, consisting of four officers and one Sergeant. The DUI Task Force was activated due to the hazard of drunk drivers resulting from a variety of public and private festivities. A variety of pull-overs were observed on Saturday along Cuddy Valley Road. The CHP effort to keep our streets safe resulted in 40 verbal warnings, 5 citations and 2 arrests. The arrests included the one at Grant Trail in Frazier Park and a 28-year-old female from Lebec.

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Animals Matter

Pet of the Week: Izzy

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Izzy a.k.a. Isabel is a beautiful lab-chi mix, approximately 3 years old. She is spayed and current of her shots. She has good house manners, is housebroken. She weighs 56 lbs. Izzy wants to be an "only dog". She is affectionate and even disposition with adults/children. She does not really like cats or other dogs.



If you are interested to visit Izzy, or any other of the beautiful dogs and cats at the Shelter on the Hill in Lebec, please contact

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Good News: Molly, the white miniature poodle featured in the last GBU Mountain News has been adopted.

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Video(s) of the week

... <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zLZiQBzMWi4>

... <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pz2umfSMIuM>

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Trivia about Dogs (and people)

- A dog's ear is very sensitive, full of sensory nerves that help to preserve hearing. Never, blow into a dog's ear, even gently can hurt a dog. It's not the actual act of wind, but the frequency at which you blow. It's like running your fingers on a blackboard, amplified hundreds of times.
- If never spayed or neutered, a female dog, her mate, and their puppies could produce over 66,000 dogs in 6 years.
- More than 1 in 3 American families own a dog.
- Eighty percent of dog owners buy their dog a present for holidays and birthdays. More than half of them sign letters and cards from themselves and their pets.
- The U.S. has the highest dog population in the world.
- Most pet owners (94 percent) say their pet makes them smile more than once a day.
- Dogs are mentioned 14 times in the Bible.

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Frazier Park Library (کتابخانه)

Frazier Park Library Hours & Calendar

Sunday: closed
Monday: closed
Tuesday: 11am – 7pm
Wednesday: 11am – 7pm
Thursday: 11am – 7pm
Friday: 9am – 5pm
Saturday: 9am – 5pm

Tuesdays: 11:30 a.m. Family Storytime

Wednesdays: 3:30 p.m. **Chess** Everyone is welcome.
Chess Coach, *Bill Hopper* available to
teach beginners.

June 18 at 11:00 a.m. Windwolves Preserve
Show & Tell - come see animals

Thursdays: 11:30 a.m. **Personal Computer Coach.**
3:30 p.m. **Barks & Books** with *Donna*
Marie Kuehn; children build their

reading skills by sharing stories with
therapy dog *Ginger Snap*.

3:30 p.m. **Sign Language Class** by
Anita Anderson. All ages welcome!

June 19 at 3:00 p.m. Teen Cosplay-Learn to Draw
Fantasy! Refreshments!

Fridays: 3:30 p.m. Chess by the Fireplace
June 20 at 3:30 p.m. "The Hey-You! Storytellers"
Interactive Family Theatre Presents
"Nothing's Im-paws-able!"

Saturdays: 9-9:30 a.m. **Free Beginning Piano**
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Incidents & Accidents

Throughout Kern County

Kern River Valley - Assistance to stranded Rafters

by Kern County Sheriff's Office (KCSO)

On Wednesday, June 18, 2014 at about 3:45pm, Kern County Search and Rescue was notified of four subjects stranded on the Kern River near Powerhouse #3 in Kernville. Two adult females, Brittany Lang and Kelli Watkins along with their children ages five and four, were rafting down the river on several rafts that were tied together. Lang and Watkins reported that the children had life vests on and that they were knocked off their rafts by the current.

They lost their rafts, which also had their shoes and other items attached. Lang and Watkins were able to make it to the shore of the river with the children, but were stranded in an area they could not safely get out of with the small children.

The women called for help and were able to get the attention of a worker at Powerhouse #3, who called the Sheriff's Office. Volunteers from the Kern Valley Search and Rescue responded and were able to reach the stranded rafters on foot from the north side of the river. Search and rescue members brought all four subjects back to safety.

None of the individuals required medical attention.

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Tehachapi – Child Endangerment Arrest

by Kern County Sheriff's Office (KCSO)

On Sunday, June 15, 2014, at about 9:45 AM, Tehachapi Substation Deputies were dispatched to an incident involving a found two year old child. Deputies made contact with an Officer from the Tehachapi Police Department who received information, concerning this incident, from the initial reporting party.

During the investigation it was determined a citizen, who was passing by in the area, found the two year old child, seated in a stroller that was tipped over and left unattended. The child was found in a vacant field, near the north side of the roadway of Cherry Lane, near Sage Lane. It is believed the child was alone in the stroller from about 10:30 PM on 6/14/14 until found at about 9:00 AM on 6/15/14.

The child was physically unharmed and was taken into protective custody then transported the Jamison Center.

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Bakersfield – Man fatally shot by Sheriff's Deputies

by Kern County Sheriff's Office (KCSO)

On Sunday, June 15th, 2014 at about 8:04 pm Kern County Sheriff's deputies responded to the Center Street Board and Care residential facility at 2451 Center St. in east Bakersfield. A resident, 67-year-old Gregory Johnson was standing in front of the facility armed with a knife.

Two deputies arrived on scene and located the man. The deputies exited their patrol vehicles and approached the *Johnson*. *Johnson* turned away from them and began walking away. *Johnson* then suddenly turned toward the deputies and began running toward them with the knife. Both deputies discharged their firearms, striking *Johnson* at least one time.

An ambulance transported *Johnson* to Kern Medical Center (KMC) where he was pronounced dead. Detectives responded to the scene and initiated an investigation into the shooting. The switchblade knife was recovered at the scene. The deputies involved have been identified as *James Perry* (Seven year veteran of the Sheriff's Office) and *Daniel Garcia* (Three year veteran of the Sheriff's Office). Both deputies will be placed on paid administrative leave pending a review of the shooting.

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Kern River Canyon – Missing Person

by Kern County Sheriff's Office

On Sunday, June 15, 2014 at about 7:45 p.m., Sheriff's office personnel were notified of a missing person last seen swimming in the Kern River Canyon. The Bakersfield Volunteer Search and Rescue Unit along with the Kern County Sheriff's Air Support Unit were notified and responded to the area. A strenuous search was performed and the subject was not located. The search was later suspended due to darkness. The Search resumed on Monday morning.

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Maricopa - Assault with a car and narcotics arrest

by Kern County Sheriff's Office

On Friday, June 13, 2014 at approximately 1:16 pm Taft Deputies conducted an assault with a deadly weapon investigation where a female had attempted to run over the victim with her car in the city of Maricopa. After further investigation it was determined there was Probable Cause to arrest the suspect, *Rebecca Lynn Travis*, for the charge of assault with a deadly weapon. Deputies located Travis at the K-Mart in Taft and after she was positively identified as the suspect she was arrested. A search pursuant to her arrest resulted in the

discovery of approximately 10 grams of methamphetamine hidden in her bra. *Rebecca Lynn Travis* (DOB 1-25-74) was booked into Taft Jail on various narcotics charges and one count of assault with a deadly weapon. Taft Deputies later served a search warrant on Travis' home at 804 Tejon Street in Maricopa. A useable amount of methamphetamine was located in the residence.

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Bakersfield - Narcotics Arrests

by *Kern County Sheriff's Office*

On Friday, June 13, 2014 at approximately 6:30 p.m., deputies from the Kern County Sheriff's Office Gang Suppression Section executed a search warrant at 827 30th St apartment C. At the residence, deputies contacted 31 year old *Felipe Hernandez* and 34 year old *Alexis Gutierrez*. During a search of the residence, deputies located approximately 10 grams of methamphetamine, scales, US Currency and other narcotics paraphernalia indicative of the sale of controlled substances. *Hernandez* and *Gutierrez* were arrested for possession of a controlled substance for the purpose of sale, conspiracy and possession of drug paraphernalia. *Hernandez* was also in violation of the terms and conditions of the Electronic Monitoring Program. Both subjects were booked into the Central Receiving Facility.

River Fire – Bakersfield

Info provide by *Kern County Fire Department (KCFD)*

On Monday, June 17, 2014 at 5:30 p.m. Kern County Firefighters responded to the call of a small grass fire in the river bottom under the bridge at North Chester and East Beardsley in Bakersfield. Upon arrival crews were faced with gusty winds which caused the fire to jump the Kern River and start several spot fires. Crews quickly evacuated multiple people living in the area and extinguished the fire.

Personnel remained on scene for some time to mop up several fallen trees and extinguish all hot spots. Seven engines, four patrols, three additional units, one fire crew, and one bulldozer with a total of 47 personnel were assigned to the incident. One lane of Chester Ave while crews are on scene

Participating agencies include the Bakersfield Fire Department, Bakersfield Police Department, and the Bureau of Land Management (BLM).

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Shirley Fire

On Friday June 13th, 2014, the Kern County Fire Department, US Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management responded to a developing vegetation fire in the area south of Hwy. 155 and west of the community of Alta Sierra, about 45 minutes northeast of Bakersfield.

Upon arrival firefighters were faced with fire in a remote area off of maintained roads that was initially 15 acres in size. High winds in the area started spot fires, throwing embers up to 300 ft. away.

As of Friday afternoon, the fire was estimated at 200 acres in size, with 5% containment, and about 275 personnel currently assigned to the incident. The crews will be engaging in a direct attack on the fire today with the public and firefighter safety remaining a top priority. Some of the challenges will be shifting winds, high temperatures, and very dry conditions. As of Friday, June 13, no injuries have been reported, no structures threatened, and no evacuations have been ordered.

The cause of the fire is still under investigation. Heavy smoke is drifting all around the Kern River Valley and residents with health problems are advised to stay indoors and out of the smoke. Residents of Kern County are advised to sign up for ReadyKern.com or call 211 for updates.

On Saturday, June 14, around 10:44 p.m. the Kern County Sheriff's Office announced that they had started evacuating over 500 homes in the Wofford Heights area of the Kern Valley area due to the Shirley Fire. The areas of mandatory evacuation are Pala Ranches, Juniper Highlands, Old State Road, all residences between Old State Road and Evans Road on State Highway 155 and advisory evacuation in the Alta Sierra area.

As of Tuesday morning, June 17, the fire has burned nearly 1,700 acres and is 75% contained. More than 1,600 fire personnel were assigned to the incident at this point in time.

The cause of the fire is still under investigation. During the first days heavy smoke was drifting all around the Kern River Valley and residents with health problems were advised to stay indoors and out of the smoke. Residents of Kern County are advised to sign up for ReadyKern.com or call 211 for updates.

Fire Photographer *Jeff Zimmermann* stated about the Fire Behavior at the Shirley Wildfire: "The timber was torching on the Sequoia Forest from 6-10 pm at night on with very continuous and impressive runs of fire. We saw lots of fire whirls spinning wildly out of control, sending ember showers a good hundred yards which started numerous large spot fires. This fuel type is similar to

Frazier Park CA and the North West side of the Angeles Forest, timber and brush mixture with urban interface problem”.

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Taft - House Fire

Info provide by *Kern County Fire Department (KCFD)*

On Friday, June 13, 2014 at 11:20 a.m. Kern County Fire Department received reports of a house on fire in the 1000 Block of Stevens Street in Taft. En route to the fire, crews noticed heavy smoke and immediately started a second alarm. A total of six engines, one truck, five additional units with 26 fire personnel were assigned to the incident. n arrival crews had one home fully engulfed in fire and an adjoining house and trailer approximately 40% involved and fire threatening a third home. Crews made an aggressive attack on the fire to contain its spread and keep it from moving into adjoining homes. Other arriving crews started a search and rescue of the properties and confirmed that they had no victims or injuries. Crews also had to contend with high temperatures and downed power lines around the structures.

Cause of the fire is under investigation and residents of the homes are being assisted by the Red Cross and family. Other responding agencies include the Taft Police Department, the Kern County Sheriff's Office, CHP, PG&E, as well as Hall Ambulance.

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Ventura County, Sespe Wilderness Area - Off-Duty Firefighter went missing

On Friday, June 13, 2014, *Mike Herdman*, a firefighter from Arcadia, went missing in the Sespe Wilderness Area of the Los Padres National Forest half-way between Fillmore and Frazier Park and about 20 miles west of Pyramid Lake.

When his dog took off from the camp, the 36-year-old followed him barefoot and wearing only shorts and a T-Shirt. It took a friend and co-worker at the Arcadia Fire Department two days to hike out of the rough and steep mountain area and alert the authorities. A Search & Rescue effort started with an aerial survey on Sunday

night, June 15. On Tuesday, a 45-member search & rescue team was airlifted into the wilderness area.

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Safety First during the 2014 Summer Swimming Season

By Kern County Sheriff's Office



The summer swimming season is upon us and many people in Kern County will be using their backyard pool or visiting a lake or the Kern River to cool off this summer. Unfortunately, statistics tell us that injuries and possibly deaths will occur as a result of people enjoying a summer swim and accidentally drowning. In 2013 there were a total of eleven accidental drowning deaths in Kern County.

On average, it is estimated that nine people drown each day in the United States. According to the Center for Disease Control, drowning is also the leading cause of death for infants and young children between the ages of 1-4. In Kern County over the past five years, 68 people have died as a result of drowning.

The Kern County Sheriff's Office is asking citizens to think safety first and follow these tips to help minimize the incidents of accidental drowning deaths and injuries this year.

Swimming Pools:

- Swimming pools are the leading cause of death by drowning in Kern County.

- Avoid swimming alone.
- Designate adults to watch children when having a swimming party.
- Never leave children alone or unattended near a swimming pool, even for a second.
- When supervising a child who is swimming, adults need to always maintain "touch supervision swimming" – meaning the adult can reach out and touch or assist that child at any moment if needed.
- When supervising a child who is swimming, an adult should never be distracted or engaged in any other activity.
- Of all preschoolers who drown, 70% are in the care of one or both parents at the time of drowning and 75% are missing for five minutes or less.
- Install a fence around your pool, and lock the gate to the pool when not in use.
- Remove all toys from the swimming pool when not in use, toys attract children.
- Consider installing a pool alarm, which will sound if a person enters the pool area.
- Teach children to swim at an early age.
- Take the time to learn CPR.
- Install a phone outside near the pool.
- If you have an above ground pool, remove the ladder when not in use.
- If a child is missing, always check the pool first. Time is important. The majority of children who survive non-fatal submersions are discovered within two minutes.

Around the house:

- Children under one year of age most often drown in buckets, bathtubs or toilets.
- Do not leave water standing in buckets.
- Never leave water standing in the bathtub.
- Never leave a child unattended in a bathtub, and always maintain touch supervision with a child in the bath. If you have to leave the room, even for a second, take the child out of the bath and take the child with you.
- Always close the lid to the toilet. Consider installing safety locks on toilet lids.
- Empty wading pools immediately after use.

- Outdoor spas should have protective barriers, such as fencing or covers.
- Cover outdoor ponds with a fixed grill.

Outdoors:

- Most drowning deaths over the age of 15 occur in natural water settings such as rivers and lakes.
- The Kern River is the second leading cause of drowning deaths in Kern County.
- A large percentage of fatal boating accidents involve either alcohol or participants without boat safety training.
- Use the buddy system when swimming in lakes or rivers.
- Adults need to maintain “touch supervision” with children near water or in campground areas with access to water.
- Never swim in a lake or river after you have been drinking alcohol.
- When around recreational water or watersports everyone should wear a U.S. Coastguard approved life vest.
- Make sure all life vests are fitted properly. A life vest that is too small may not properly support weight to float, and a loose life vest can slide up and pose suffocation or choking hazard.
- Do not make the assumption because water looks calm or inviting a life vest is not needed. The Kern River can look deceptively calm on the surface, yet dangerous underwater currents and debris can cause even a strong adult swimmer to be pulled under.
- Never operate a boat after drinking alcohol or under the influence of drugs, and do not allow passengers on the boat if they are under the influence.
- Learn to recognize when a person is in trouble in the water. People often do not yell for help, and it may appear as if they are splashing or waving when they are actually trying to keep their head above water.

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Six P’s for immediate evacuation

If you have to leave / evacuate your home immediately, remember the six “P’s”:

1. People & Pets
2. Purse: ID, driver’s license, credit cards, cash, keys

3. Personal Computer (laptop): critical information
4. Pills: medication, eye-glasses
5. Papers: important insurance, financial, and other documents (can also be scanned and stored on PC)
6. Pictures: irreplaceable memorabilia (can also be scanned and stored on PC)

Media Affairs

Freedom of the Press Index

The Press Freedom Index is an annual ranking of countries compiled and published by Reporters Without Borders based upon the organization's assessment of the countries' press freedom records in the previous year. It reflects the degree of freedom that journalists, news organizations, and netizens enjoy in each country, and the efforts made by the authorities to respect and ensure respect for this freedom.

Finland (#1), the Netherlands (#2), Norway (#3), Luxembourg (#4), Andorra (#5), Liechtenstein (#6), Denmark (#7), Iceland (#8), New Zealand (#9), and Sweden (#10) lead the list;

Germany is #14, followed by Switzerland #15, and Canada #18; Australia (#28) and the United Kingdom (#33) are even placed behind Namibia (#22) and Ghana (#27);

truly shameful is the ranking of France (#39) and of the United States (#46), next to Haiti (#47).

Not surprisingly, the countries ranked worst are Iran (#173), China (#175), and North Korea (179).

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What is an Electronic Newspaper?

An electronic Newspaper is a self-contained, reusable, and refreshable version of a traditional newspaper that acquires and holds information electronically. (The electronic newspaper should not be confused with newspapers that offer an online version at a Web site.)

What is the difference between a Newsletter and a Newspaper?

A newspaper publishes stories and information for and about a city/region/state/country and covers a variety of topics, events, and developments.

A Newsletter is published by a specific organization (school, club, business) and informs mainly about the organization's activities.

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Legislative Affairs

Where to Go – What to Do

Open Editorial (Op Ed)

An op-ed, abbreviated from opposite the editorial page, is a newspaper article that expresses the opinions of a named writer who is usually unaffiliated with the newspaper's editorial board. These are different from editorials (which are usually unsigned and written by editorial board members) and letters to the editor (which are submitted by readers of the newspaper).

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- DunnRight, 3811 Mount Pinos Way, Frazier Park, Tel 661-245-3866
- Martin's Garage Auto Repair, 1441 Frazier Mountain Road, Lebec, Tel 661-248-6000

Computer Repairs

- Computer & Games, 633 San Gabriel Trail, Frazier Park, Tel 661-242-1214

Day Spas

- LeBeau Organic Day Spa and Wellness Center, 23460 Cinema Drive, Suite E, Valencia, CA 91355, Tel 661-287-5828 - www.lebeauspa.com
- The Ivy Day Spa, 24320 Town Center Drive, Valencia, CA, Tel 661-260-1244
- La Ti Da Salon & Boutique, 2025 18TH Street, Bakersfield, CA 93301, Tel 661-631-1112

Grocery Stores

- Trader Joe's Bakersfield, 8200 Stockdale Highway, Tel 661-837-8863
- Trader Joe's Santa Clarita, 26517 Bouquet Canyon Road, Tel 661-263-3796
- Ralphs Grocery Store, 29675 The Old Road (at Hasley Canyon Rd), Castaic, CA 91384

Hotel

- Holiday Inn Express, 612 Wainright Ct, Lebec, CA 93243, Tel 661-248-1600

Insurance

- State Farm, Mitch Wood, 3015 Mt Pinos Way, Frazier Park, Tel 661-245-3728

Pet Food & Supplies

- Petco Animal Supplies, 26501 Bouquet Canyon Road, Saugus, Tel 661-297-6936
- Petco Animal Supplies, 8220 Rosedale Hwy, Bakersfield, CA 93312, 661-587-1097

Pet Services

- Blue Rose Pet Salon, 3429 Los Padres Drive, Frazier Park, for appointments call 661-245-3635

Pharmacy

- Walgreens Castaic, 27983 Sloan Canyon Road, Tel 661-775-0840
- Rite Aid Castaic, 31910 Castaic Road, Tel 661-295-0966

Photographer

- GBU Photography, Frazier Park, Tel 661-402-2717, see https://www.facebook.com/pages/GBU-Photography/109453262410990?sk=photos_albums

Realtors

- The Gorman Real Estate Co., Ron & Karen Blevins, Gorman, Tel 661-248-6196 - www.gormanrealestate.com/
- Carol Swanston, All Seasons Realty, Pine Mountain Club, Tel 661-242-3752

Restaurants

- Outback Steakhouse Valencia, 25261 The Old Road, Newhall, CA 91321, Tel 661- 287-9630
- Outback Steakhouse Bakersfield, 5051 Stockdale Hwy., Bakersfield, CA 93309, Tel 661-834-7850
- Elephant Bar Restaurant, 27063 McBean Parkway, Valencia, CA 91355, 661- 799-8640

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- Your T-Shirt Man, Jerold Parker, 3441 Mt Pinos Way, Frazier Park, Tel 661-245-2350

Toys & Games

- Computer & Games, Scott Parson, 633 San Gabriel Trail, Frazier Park, Tel 661-242-1214

Veterinarian

- Valencia Veterinary Center, open 24/7, 23928 Summerhill Lane, Santa Clarita, CA 91354 Tel 661-263-4770

Classifieds:



Cars for Sale

Under \$6,000

- 1) **1997 Mercury Cougar** -5- 125,000 miles, only 40,000 on rebuilt engine. New tires in front. In good condition. Asking \$2,200.00. Call Barbara 661-245-0812
- 2) **1994 Isuzu Trooper** -5- 4x4, V6, A/C, power steering, new clutch, new tires, 5 speed, \$2,000 OBO, 661-979-5756
- 3) **1990 Mazda B2200** -5- 4cylinder, rebuilt motor, new radiator, new alternator, gas saver, many new parts, se habla espanol, \$2,600, 661-397-6630
- 4) **1977 Chevrolet El Camino** -5- 350 strong motor, lots of new parts, shop rebuilt transmission, runs good, asking \$3,000 OBO, 661-376-
- 5) **1998 Ford F150** -5- V6 4.2 liter motor, 4837 automatic, clean title, AC, CD, tow hitch, runs great, new tires, 146,000 miles, \$3,300 OBO, Hablo Espanol, Tel. 661-342-7892
- 6) **1994 Jeep Cherokee XJ** -5- 4.0l - 4x4, auto trans, A/C, 141,000 miles, \$3,500 OBO, 559-310-2710
- 7) **1998 Dodge Durango** -5- 4x4, AC, runs and looks great, V8 motor, all power, \$4,000 OBO, Jesus, Tel. 661-301-0531
- 8) **1993 Ford F150 XLT** -5- 4x4, Rancho suspension, Flowmaster, runs great, title in hand, 153,000 miles, \$5,800 OBO, call for more details, 661-742-0807
- 9) **1997 Chevrolet 1500** -5- pickup, 4WD, excellent condition, 137,000 miles, \$6,200, 661-599-7651
- 10) **1997 Ford F150 XLT** -5- 4x4, X-cab, shortbed, 5.4 l, very clean, 2nd owner, bedliner, like new condition, \$6,250, 661-706-3795
- 11) **1993 Chevrolet Blazer** -5- 4x4, hard to find model, runs great, tags good until August 2014, 350 engine, new tires, 22 inch rims, 185,000 miles, daddy-ace@yahoo.com, 661-343-4845

Pickup-Trucks

- 1) **2012 Ford F250 Lariat FX4** -6- great condition, gray stock, 11,600 miles, \$48,000 OBO, no trades, Tel. 661-599-5507
- 2) **2006 Chevrolet 2500HD Duramax** -5- diesel, 4x4, crew cab, short bed, excellent condition, 1 owner, must see, 180,000 miles, \$23,500 OBO, 661-978-9991

- 3) **2003 Ford F250** -6- 7.3 liter diesel, loaded, CD, DVD, rear airbags, just serviced by dealer, 107,000 miles, \$22,000 OBO, Tel. 661-623-3553
- 4) **2012 Ford F150** -5- XLT Eco Boost, Super Crew Cab, 2WD, V6, new tires and brakes, tagged 2015, A/P, sync., keyless entry, tow package, great condition, 70,000 miles \$22,000, 661-747-3307
- 5) **2006 Ford F150 XLT** -5- rhinoliner, roll & lock lid, 6'' lift, black 20'' rims, 4WD, nerf bars, 54,000 miles, \$18,500, mi-lawre@hotmail.com, 661-364-1332
- 6) **2008 Chevrolet Silverado** -6- extended cab, great condition, leather interior, 66,000 miles, \$18,000 OBO, Tel. 661-312-0179
- 7) **2004 Ford F150** -5- V8, 6 inch lift, 2WD, power everything, tow package, needs nothing, perfect condition inside and out, 51,000 miles, \$16,000, 661-599-5176
- 8) **2006 Ford F350** -5- Lariat, Super Duty, 4x4, C-cab, Powerstroke, turbo diesel, V8, custom wheels, steps, loaded, 124,000 miles \$16,000 OBO, Bakersfield, 928-201-4624
- 9) **2008 Ford F150 Super Crew Cab** -5- loaded, 5.4 Triton, 6 disc changer, running board, tow package, tool box, bedliner, extra clean, 100,000 miles, \$15,000, 661-747-1728
- 10) **2007 Ford Ranger** -6- full cage, 5point harnesses, 4.0 liter V6 engine, new rebuilt transmission, long travel, runs strong, 49,000 miles, \$15,000, Tel. 661-979-9459
- 11) **2004 Ford F350 Lariat** -5- Super Duty, V10, new tires and fuel pump, runs excellent, 113,000 miles \$15,000 OBO, 661-565-4470
- 12) **2006 Toyota Tundra** -5- V 8, 4.7 l, automatic, alarm system, tinted windows, clean, good condition, 1 owner, 102,000 miles, \$14,000 OBO, 661-281-5849
- 13) **2004 Chevrolet 2500 HD** -5- P/U, diesel, Duramax, 146,000 miles, \$14,000, 661-301-2436
- 14) **2007 Ford F550** -6- diesel, power stroke, power steering & brajes, A/C, stake bed, excellent condition, tool boxes, new tires, 165,000 miles, \$13,800 OBO, Tel. 661-865-7465
- 15) **2007 Chevrolet Silverado 2500 HD** -5- 6.0 Vortec, 2WD, gas engine, automatic, power windows, 3 locks, AC, CD player, excellent condition, 91,000 miles, \$13,700, 661-972-1035
- 16) **2006 Toyota Tundra SR5** -6- V8, double cab, very good & clean condition, 106,580 miles, \$13,500, Tel. 661-805-5388

- 17) **2002 Chevrolet Silverado LS** -6- 2500 HD, 6.0 liter, automatic, 6'' lift, new 35'' tires, stereo system, 91,000 miles, \$12,000, Tel 661-808-3904
 - 18) **2005 Ford F150 XLT** - 5.4 liter, single cab, very good condition, 47,600 miles, \$11,000, red1_79@hotmail.com, Tel 661-332-2396
 - 19) **2004 Ford F250 Lariat** -5- Crew Cab, V10, clean, Lariat Edition, tool box, 143,000 miles, \$10,950, oh2be-marie@aol.com, 661-859-4876
 - 20) **2005 GMC Sierra** -6- Crew Cab, good condition, 20'' rims, 5.3 l engine, 105,000 miles, \$9,500 OBO, se habla Espanol, Tel. 661-302-0773
 - 21) **2006 Ford F250** -6- Powerstroke, 6.0 liter, diesel, extended cab, leather seats, longbed, \$9,500, Tel. 661-333-4115
 - 22) **2002 Ford F150** -5- 5.4l, V*, new brakes, good tires, clean body and interior, keyless entry, USD/AUX deck, 94,500 miles, \$9,200, 661-340-9183
 - 23) **2006 Chevrolet Z71** -6- 4x4, P/W. P/S, CD, crew cab, bed spray, tow package, service records, tires 50%, 198,000 miles, \$9,000 OBO, Tel. 661-979-6242
 - 24) **2004 Chevrolet Silverado** -5- 4.6l, V8, tow package, bedliner, new brakes, Flowmaster exhaust, 119,000 miles, \$8,500 OBO, call Jen at 661-703-5089
 - 25) **2003 Dodge Ram** -5- 1500, clean, good condition, smog passes, \$8,500, 661-378-1643
 - 26) **2005 Toyota Tundra** -6- powerful 4.7 liter V8 engine, low miles, great condition, CD, tinted/power windows, tow package, clean title, 49,930 miles, \$7,900 OBO, Tel. 661-303-2221
 - 27) **2003 Chevrolet Silverado 1500HD** -6- automatic, 6.0 liter V8 engine, all power, CD, A/C, tow package, tonneau cover, good condition, 156,000 miles, \$7,900 OBO, Lake Isabella, Tel. 760-417-1073
 - 28) **1996 Chevrolet Silverado Dually** -5- super clean, runs great, clean title, 139,000 miles, \$7,500 OBO, 661-301-2623
 - 29) **2001 Nissan Frontier** -6- 4 cylinder, stereo, alarm, good condition, A/C, brown, \$5,000, se habla Espanol, Tel. 661-205-5246
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- 1) **1968 Chevrolet Caprice** -5- new paint, new upholstery, all original, new stereo system, \$13,900 OBO, 661-549-0772
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 - 3) **1950 Pontiac Straight 8** -5- \$10,000 OBO, 661-832-5504
 - 4) **1951 Buick Roadmaster** -5- 70 series, all stock, new upholstery, 4-dr., straight 8, Dynaflo transmission, \$8,500 OBO, call for details 661-205-8345
 - 5) **1968 Chevrolet Impala SS** -5- clean body, runs great, A/C and heater works great, \$8,000 OBO, 661-304-1457
 - 6) **1963 Ford F100** -5- Custom Cab, 5.0l V8 motor, excellent condition, great looking truck, \$7,500, McFarland, no text, 661-342-5687
 - 7) **1979 Chevrolet El Camino** -5- restored, must sell, \$7,000 OBO, 661-747-6116
 - 8) **1963 Ford Falcon** -5- white with red interior, inline straight 6, automatic, new brakes, gas tank, alum radiator, stereo \$6,700, 661-809-6476
 - 9) **1971 Chevrolet C30** -6- dually, 4x4, 4speed, 350, posi, A/C, P/B, P/S, made for work, stake sides, HEI, elect fuel pump, \$5,500 OBO, tel. 661-304-2092
 - 10) **1977 Ford T-Bird** -5- very clean, runs and looks great, V8, 428 big block, new vinyl top, \$5,000 OBO, 661-536-8922 or 661-978-2155
 - 11) **1950 Chevrolet Flatebed** -6- as is condition, fixer upper, new upholstery & parts, windows included, \$3,000 OBO, reneepimental@yahoo.com, Tel. 661-972-5425
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- 13) **1976 Ford Bronco** -6- 4WD, 4 on floor trans, needs 302 engine, good body, glass, inside, low miles, Taft, \$650, Tel.661-623-2509 or 661-805-8613

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- **Garage Sale: Saturday, June 28, 2014**, beginning at 8:00 a.m. at 3836 Laurel Ave. in Frazier Park - on the corner of Laurel Ave. and Manita, off of Los Padres Drive; Items for sale: Nice men's dress shirts, business attire, Women's clothing (like new), household items, dvd's/vcr tapes, bookshelf stereo.
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- Do you need certain item (i.e., car parts, electronics) from or to Santa Clarita or Bakersfield?
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- **SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS** Kern High School District is accepting applications for School Bus Drivers, \$15.75 hourly. Must submit an H-6 (ten year driving record) with application. Contact Kern High School District, Transportation Department at 3701

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Southern California Edison 800-655-4555

Southern California Gas 800-427-2200

Pacific Gas & Electric (PGE) 800-743-5000

El Tejon Unified School District 661-248-6247

Frazier Mountain High School 661-248-0310

Frazier Park Library 661-245-1267

Pine Mountain Club Patrol 661-242-3857

Supervisor David Couch 661-868-3680

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