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Recreation Department keeps residents moving

JAMIE STEWART
The Shafter Press

In a time when families are facing challenges when it comes to keeping active, the Shafter Recreation Department has been helping keep residents fit and healthy.

With the department having to shelve the majority of their sports programs due

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to the pandemic, District Manager Philip Jimenez and his staff have come up with a variety of programs.

In addition to having virtual exercise classes for seniors, the department is now holding three different clinics throughout

the month, inviting residents to register for a time of fun, exercise and virtual fellowship.

They are holding a Walking Club, Cycling Club and Running Club for those interested in some competition and activity.

Each club has three different divisions,

Individual, Family and Team. It is all a friendly competition.

“These clubs are a great way to stay motivated and active. We are also giving out monthly prizes,” Jimenez said.

The clubs are designed for participants to go at one’s own pace, time and distance.

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The 5,000 workers is almost ready to turn to 5,001 workers.

HSR celebrates employee numbers, city concerned

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

The High Speed Rail recognized a total number of 5,000 workers on the project to date and celebrated that number by placing a banner in Wasco at Jackson and Highway 43.

In August 2008, the California Assembly approved the measure known as 1A to create a High Speed Rail system to run from San Francisco to San Diego. However, in February 2019, Gov. Gavin Newsom scaled back the project to run from Merced to Bakersfield.

Meanwhile, the HSR continues to hire workers and request additional funding in the amount of \$4.1 billion in appropriation to complete construction in the Central Valley because costs and schedules continue to grow.

That money should complete Newsom’s starter system from Mer-

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ced to Bakersfield. This rail link would not connect to Los Angeles.

The line from Merced to Bakersfield is Phase 1 while Phase 2 will run from Merced north.

The City of Wasco has had several meetings and correspondence with the HSR Authority regarding the blight and danger of the former farm labor camp housing complex and the demolition of that area.

The HSR provided a copy of the letter it sent to former Mayor Tilo Cortez dated Sept. 3, 2020 regarding the demolition of the former farm labor camp housing.

The HSR replied to the city that the original agreement was for the HSR to provide an amount up to \$10 million, which was to include the demolition of the former farm labor camp and not to exceed that



Project Manager II Toni Tinoco.

amount; however, the city is requesting an additional \$5.1 million to demolish the former camp.

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Sports return with cross country meets

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

Wasco High School is the first school in the area to hold an athletic event.

On Thursday, Feb. 11 the school hosted its first cross country meet against Bakersfield Christian High School and again on Friday, Feb. 12, it hosted Garces High School.

Wasco Coach Omar Garcia was happy to be out on the field with his athletes. He shares coaching duties with coaches Leo Sanchez and Rafael Gonzalez.

Twenty-five athletes competed on Thursday. Everyone wore a mask for protection against the virus, even the runners were included in masking up and distancing.

While the course was not on the school’s track, it wound

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Manuel Hernandez and Crhystian Marquez.

Annual Rose Queen pageant promising

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune


It’s been almost a year since the country closed down due to the pandemic and with it, events like the Rose Queen pageant, Wasco Festival, Christmas parade and other events were canceled or operated virtually.

The Rose Queen pageant for 2021 is still on.

[There is] “still no update on Rose Queen. I will get back to you as soon as we have everything finalized,” said Activities Coordinator Hailey Coyle. “We know we will be able to do it, we are still just working out the details.”

Traditionally, the pageant takes place the Thursday before Labor Day in September. The pageant could be as early as Thursday, Sept. 2.

While no pageant activities have begun, things will begin by the end of March or beginning of April when the girls prepare the necessary paperwork.



Wasco Rose Queen Isabella Garcia was crowned in September 2020.

City honors DYW ladies

JAMIE STEWART
The Shafter Press

The City Council presented the Key to the City to reigning Distinguished Young Woman of Shafter Shelbee Ramos.

Ramos recently competed in the state level competition and won a special award at the event. Ramos won a \$2,000 scholarship for her title of Shafter’s DYW, along with an

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additional scholarship for winning a phase during the event.

Also recognized by the council were First Runner-up Alicia Pompa, Second Runner-up Santana DelaRosa, Lilian Jaime, who won the Talent portion of the event, and Cathy Garcia, who won the Spirit Award.

Police Chief Kevin Zimmermann also presented a report to the council on progress the department made in 2020.

Zimmermann said that all phases of crime in Shafter were down in 2020, compared to the past five years, excluding property theft. In a previous interview, Zimmermann mentioned that they are facing a

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Community Calendar

As activities restart and businesses reopen, we will try to update readers on the status of events and activities throughout the area. Please contact Erica Soriano with additions and changes at esoriano@TheShafterPress.com or call 661-292-5100 by Monday at 4 p.m. for that week's paper.

ONGOING

Bengals Tryouts- Bengals Football Tryouts will be Week 1: March 10, 11 and 12 from 5:30-7 p.m. and Week 2: March 17, 18 and 19 at Westside Park (across from the skate park). Athletes must live in the Wasco School District and turn 7 years old/cannot turn 15 years old on or before Nov. 15, 2021. Athletes must attend at least two tryout dates to be considered for selection. Athletes should come dressed in sports attire and bring a water bottle. Cleats preferred, but not mandatory. Only participating athletes are allowed inside training areas.

Bengals Cheer Tryouts - Bengals Cheer tryouts will be Tuesday, March 10 and Thursday, March 12 from 6-8 p.m. at the Palm Middle School Gymnasium, and Saturday, March 14 at Grace Community Church on 7th Street. Ages 7-10 years 9 a.m.-noon, Ages 11-14 years. Athletes must live in the Wasco School District and must turn 7 years old/cannot turn 15 years old before Nov. 15, 2021. Athletes must attend at least one tryout date prior to final evaluations. Athletes should come dressed in sports attire and bring a water bottle. Only participating athletes will be allowed inside training areas.

Utility bills — The City of Wasco reminds residents that the city's official website is the only authorized avenue to pay your utility bill online.

Covid-19 testing — There will be free covid-19 testing Wednesdays and Sundays at the Wasco Library, 1102 7th St., Wasco. If you have insurance, they will be billed. Appointments can be made at lhi.care/covidtesting or call 888-634-1123. Donde? Biblioteca de Wasco 1102 7th St, Wasco. Si no tiene acceso de internet llame al (888)634-1123.

Reopened — Shafter City Hall has reopened to the public from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Hours for the finance department are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call 661-746-5000.

Food2Door — The program delivers 70 pounds of food once a month to seniors 65 and older, sponsored by the City of Shafter CAPK and Kern County. Call 661- 498-7831 ext. 1310 to find out if you're eligible for the program.

CAPK y el Condado de Kern "Programa FOOD2DOOR" atienden a personas mayores de 65 años. Una caja de comida de 70 libra cada mes se entrega directamente en la puerta. El programa no se basa en los ingresos, está diseñado para mantener a las personas en sus hogares y mantenerse saludables para que podamos vencer al COVID-19. Llame al 661-498-7831 ext. 1310 Para averiguar si es elegible para el programa e inscribirse hoy mismo.

TUESDAY

Senior lunch program — The senior sack program gives out lunches to seniors every first and third Tuesday of the month at 11 a.m., sponsored by the Golden Gleaners. Griffith Avenue Baptist Church, 408 Griffith St., Wasco.

THURSDAY

Wasco Recreation & Park Board — Meetings are on every 3rd Thursday of the month at 6 p.m. at the Hall at Barker Park, Wasco.

Truth ministries — Truth Ministries: A Faith Based 12-Step Program providing fellowship recovery will be held on Thursday nights from 7 to 8 p.m. at the Shafter Menonite Brethren Church, 400 Kern St. The program begins on Feb. 25. Call 661-746-4969 for more information.

FRIDAY

Food giveaway — The Impact Program is a weekly food giveaway provided to anyone in need, Fridays beginning at 7 a.m., first come, first serve. Griffith Avenue Baptist Church, 408 Griffith St., Wasco.

ARREST REPORT

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As reported by the Shafter Police Department

Feb. 7

Traon Jamel Jones, 37, of Shafter, was arrested for obstruction of a public officer.

James Edward Gonzalez, 22, of Shafter, was arrested for disorderly conduct: alcohol.

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Alejandra Yasenia Astorga, 26, of Shafter, was arrested possession controlled substance, obstruction public officer, disorderly conduct: under the influence, on a misdemeanor bench warrant and for prohibited in park/curfew.

Feb. 10

Nathan Quinonez, 24, of Shafter, was arrested under the influence of a controlled substance.

Feb. 11

Zane Alan Billings, 34, of Shafter, was arrested for obstruction of a public officer, domestic violence, possession of controlled substance and on a misdemeanor bench warrant.

Feb. 13

James Edward Gonzalez, 22, of Shafter, was arrested for theft and extortion of vehicle, possession of bur-

glary tools and grand theft in a state of emergency.

Luis Enrique Ortiz, 36, of Shafter, was arrested for evading a public officer against traffic, and possession of controlled substance.

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As reported by the Kern County Sheriff's Office, Wasco Substation

Feb. 8

Sebastian Jaime, 31, of Wasco, was arrested in the 2300 block of 9th Place in Wasco for vehicle theft, being in possession of a stolen vehicle, obstructing an officer, on a felony warrant and on a misdemeanor warrant. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Abraham Fajardo-Munoz, 34, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1000 block of Iris Street in Wasco for domestic violence, criminal threats and child cruelty. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Feb. 9

Anthony Flores, 28, of Wasco, was arrested in the 700 block of H Street in Wasco for trespassing and on a felony warrant. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Oscar Dominguez, 27, of Wasco, was arrested in the

1100 block of Highway 46 in Wasco on a felony Ramey Warrant. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Mindy Moreno, 32, of Wasco, was arrested in the 700 block of H Street in Wasco on a misdemeanor warrant and trespassing. She was cited and released at the scene.

Feb. 10

Alejandro Dominguez, 35, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1300 block of Palm Avenue in Wasco for being in possession of drug paraphernalia, transportation of a controlled substance and being in possession of a controlled substance for sale. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Molly Perez, 72, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1300 block of Palm Avenue in Wasco for being in possession of drug paraphernalia. She was cited and released at the scene.

Feb. 11

Cuberto Cabezas, 28, of Wasco, was arrested in the 2700 block of Yosemite Court in Wasco on two misdemeanor warrants. He

Mystery history

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Here's this week's challenge, courtesy of the Shafter Historical Society. If you know the location, circumstances, exact or rough date and/or people in the photo, send your educated (or semieducated) guess to ThePress, 406 Central Ave., Shafter 93263, or e-mail it to mysteryphoto@TheShafterPress.com. Winners will be revealed here next week. **LAST WEEK:** Pat Cates, Linda Shoemakers, Anne Jacobus, Marty Laverty, Lee Page, and Glenna Schroeter cheer from a bus in 1966-67.

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was cited and released at the scene.

Aron Diaz, 32, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of 7th Street and D Street in Wasco for driving without a license. He was cited and released at the scene.

Jan Abel Palmer, 43, of Riverside, was arrested in the 1300 block of Filburn Avenue in Wasco for felony violation of parole. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Alvaro Perez, 36, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1000 block of 7th Street in Wasco for possession of a controlled substance and destroy or conceal evidence. He was cited and released at the scene.

Lori Marie Ramirez, 36,

of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of 5th Street and Beckes Street in Wasco on a felony warrant, misdemeanor warrant, and possession of drug paraphernalia. She was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Feb. 12

Milton Ramirez, 36, of Wasco, was arrested in the 700 block of G Street in Wasco on two misdemeanor warrants. He was cited and released at the scene.

Keon Tyler, 37, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1200 block of Iris Street in Wasco for infliction of corporal injury on spouse or cohabitant, false imprisonment with violence, and damage wireless communication device. He was booked into

the Kern County Jail.

Feb. 14

Omar Baldovinos, 41, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1700 block of San Jose Avenue in Wasco for battery on a spouse. He was cited and released at the scene.

Ivan Armenta Godinez, 30, of Wasco, was arrested in the 600 block of North Maple Avenue in Wasco for possession of a controlled substance and on a felony warrant. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Oscar Severino Hernandez, 21, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1900 block of 5th Street in Wasco for infliction of corporal injury on a spouse or cohabitant. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

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HSR celebrates employee numbers as city’s concern is health and safety

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CEO Brian Kelly from the California High Speed Rail Authority stated in a letter to former Mayor Tilo Cortez, “For months,



Workers descend the stairs and scaffolding.

our staff has been working with the City on finding solutions and potential funding opportunities for the abatement and demolition of the former Wasco Farm Labor housing. In addition, CEO Brian Kelly has visited Wasco and met with the mayor and city manager. The City and the HSR will be continuing discussions on this matter.”

City Manager Daniel Ortiz-Hernandez said that “The City of Wasco cannot afford the cost to demolish the former farm labor housing complex, but it also cannot afford to let the complex further deteriorate and continue to be a burden on city resources. “

Ortiz-Hernandez added that should the California HSR Authority fail to address the condition it created, the city would be forced

Estimate Wasco Farm Labor Complex Demolition 2/3/2021					
ITEM NO.	ITEM CODE	UNIT OF MEASURE	ESTIMATED QUANTITY	PRICE PER UNIT	TOTAL PRICE
1	Demolition of Stick Frame Stucco Buildings	SF	103000	\$ 7.00	\$ 721,000.00
2	Demolition of Cinderblock Buildings	SF	130000	\$ 9.50	\$ 1,235,000.00
3	Asbestos Abatement (Acoustic Ceiling)	LS	1	\$450,000.00	\$ 450,000.00
4	Asbestos Abatement (Flooring)	SF	232000	\$ 6.00	\$ 1,392,000.00
5	Concrete Demolition	SF	300000	\$ 4.00	\$ 1,200,000.00
6	Utility Capping	LS	1	\$100,000.00	\$ 100,000.00
7	Carport Demolition	EA	2	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 4,800.00
8	Site Grubbing & General Trash Cleanup	LS	1	\$550,000.00	\$ 550,000.00
9	Tree Removal	LS	1	\$ 75,000.00	\$ 75,000.00
10	Site rough grade/level	LS	1	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 30,000.00
11	Asphalt Removal	SF	145000	\$ 5.00	\$ 725,000.00
12	Playground Demolition	EA	5	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 17,500.00
				Construction Items:	\$ 6,500,300.00
				Contingency (20%):	\$ 1,300,060.00
				Subtotal	\$ 7,800,360.00
				Construction Engineering (20%):	\$ 1,560,072.00
				TOTAL:	\$ 9,360,432.00

to find the funds to demolish it itself.

“The significant cost would be an insurmountable burden for years to come and cause irreparable harm to the residents in Wasco,” Ortiz-Hernandez said. “City services would be negatively impacted either through cuts that may have to be imposed or the inability to expand or add new services required of our growing community.”

Mayor Alex Garcia has also been vocal about the city’s position that it is the

HSR’s position to help alleviate the eye-sore and dangerous site from the city’s landscape.

According to HSR Project Manager II Toni Tinoco, “The project has had trouble along the way, but, it’s here,” she said. “Wasco should be done in the next 12-15 months.”

There are 798 workers from Kern County working on the project out of the 5,000 total.

Grimmway students studying in-person 2 days a week

JAMIE STEWART

The Shafter Press

Grimmway Academy of Shafter has been conducting classes for over 100 days now, with a mix of in-person instruction in cohorts, and distance learning.

According to Grimmway Academies’ CEO Casey Yeazel, it is important for the students to be able to be together at school, with safety precautions in place, a plan that was approved by the board and implemented by their staff.

Grimmway Academy of Shafter has had its doors open to students since last fall, with complete grade levels attending in-person sessions two days a week. The other three days, they are taught by distance learning. With over 90 students in each grade level, they are split into two cohorts that alternate attending in-person.

According to Yeazel, about 20% of the parents at the academy have elected to have their children taught using distance learning on a full-time basis. The school has adhered to the recommendations of the CDC and the Kern County Public Health Depart-

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ment, with several hand-washing stations on site, health checks, and face coverings worn at all times while at the school.

Yeazel said that they invested in the fall, with federal money, in a couple of temperature sensors. Students enter the school and are scanned. If a student registers above 100.3 degrees, protocol is followed, according to county and state guidelines. Yeazel said that before they leave for school, parents do a home health check, which the staff considers a child’s admission ticket for campus. In it, they make sure that the child has no symptoms of the virus and is in good health.

Once in class, desks are separated by plexiglass and are spaced out according to guidelines.

Another highlight of the school for students, parents and staff is the Edible Garden at the academy. Yeazel said that the garden is still producing vegetables and are used extensively in the students’ meals on a daily basis.

“We practice social distancing and safety measures and continue to utilize the edible

garden. It is a valuable asset as a source of nutrition and also a very valuable teaching tool,” Yeazel said.

He also said that the garden is helping the community.

“With the amount of food that we are growing, and with a certain percentage electing to use distance learning, we often have a surplus of products,” Yeazel said. “We send a message and we give the food away on a first come, first served basis.”

With numerous district having to distance learn full time, Yeazel said that a big reason for their success in operating the school during this time is the bond and co-operation that exists between the students, staff, and teachers.

“It would not be as successful as it has been without the amazing relationship that exists between our scholars, their parents, and our teachers,” he said.

Grimmway opened when Kern County



Grimmway recently celebrated their 100th day in session.

was placed in the red tier. They also had signed waivers for in-person learning for all of their students. Yeazel said that since they were already open when Kern went purple again, they are allowed to stay open.

“We are doing quite well with our students and staff’ health. We have had no cases that have originated at the school,” said Yeazel.

He also announced that they are now in their Open Enrollment period for the 2021-22 school year. Those interested can visit them on their website or contact their office.

City Hall remains closed, infection rates slow

TONI DEROSA

Wasco Tribune

The rate of infection of covid-19 has slowed compared to a week ago.

In the last week, 140 new covid-19 cases were confirmed for a total of 5,189 cases since the beginning of the pandemic.

The number of recovered cases on Feb. 16 is 1,480 up from 1,447 from the week

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of Feb. 11, which means that there were 33 newly recovered cases within the past week.

The number of presumed recovered has increased from 1,553 to 1,878 or 325 presumed recovered since Feb. 11.

In Shafter, the city had 77 new cases this

past week, bringing the total number of covid-19 infections to 3,345. Shafter’s recovered cases for the week are 1,265 cases.

The number of presumed recovered in Shafter for the week of Feb. 11 was 1,439 compared to Feb. 18 numbers of 1,553.

Restaurants are still closed to indoor dining. Hair salons and barbershops are open as are stores in both cities.

Wasco’s City Hall remains closed.

Wasco held the first athletic event of the year when its cross country team competed against Bakersfield Christian High School on Thursday, Feb. 11 and again against Garces High School on Friday, Feb. 12.

Meetings are still being conducted by Zoom in order to prevent large gatherings.

Infection rate slows, city begins to reopen

JAMIE STEWART

The Shafter Press

For two weeks, the city saw its rate of new cases of the coronavirus decrease.

Shafter had 130 new cases last week, bringing the total cases for Shafter to 3,305. Of those, there have been 1,223 cases confirmed as recovered.

Churches in town have returned to indoor worship services after a ruling by the courts said the restrictions put on churches in California are unconstitutional, giving the places of worship the right to conduct indoor services for those parishioners wanting to attend services. They are taking safety precautions, including social distancing and wearing face coverings during the services.

City Hall buildings also opened Feb. 8, giving residents the opportunity to conduct business in person, in addition to the online options for utility customers.

Residents have begun receiving the co-

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vid-19 vaccine, as health care workers and residents 65 and over receive the vaccine.

Kern County is still in the purple tier, the most restrictive of the colored tiers, with schools back to distance learning and restaurants offering take-out and delivery options.

Restaurants who have outdoor capabilities can also have diners eat outdoors, adhering to the social distancing protocol. This was also made easier with the waiving of permit fees by the city for those businesses who are doing modifications and improvements to allow them to serve the community during these restrictions.

“I have really enjoyed dining alfresco,” said local resident Paula Vettors, who dined with her family recently at Don Pepe’s, enjoying a meal outside in their patio area. “It is great just being able to sit down and eat out for dinner again.”



Restaurants are offering outside dining along with take out.

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Pecos League planning on Wasco team for summer

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

The Reserve will be back in Wasco for a summer team, Director of the Pecos Baseball League Andrew said, but not under Coach Bill Moore.

"We will return to Wasco for the 2021 season assuming California will allow spectators at games," Dunn said. "We'll name a manager in April and the season is scheduled to start June 1."

Long-time manager and coach, Moore said that he is retiring for health reasons. He hopes to be able to coach a summer college team closer to his home in Arizona. During last summer while the Reserves were off due to the pandemic, Moore coached a collegiate baseball team from Tempe, Arizona.

Moore was welcomed to the Wasco community in 2019 by a number of residents who volunteered to take his players into their homes.

Resident Danny Rueda was able to place several Reserve players at the VFW hall where cots were set up and food was donated to keep the hungry players going. Several local families were able to keep more than one player in their homes for the season.

"Bill was a great coach and he will be missed," Rueda said. "I spent a lot of time with him talking baseball and the both of us being in the military."

Rueda added that Moore was great even with the little help he received from the

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League, "but he did his best with what he had. I was in Arizona about a year ago visiting him and he looked real tired, but I'm so glad he retired due to health, but he's going to be missed. I'll keep in touch with him."

Wasco Reserve player Alex Cruz Hernandez complimented Moore on a Facebook post and said that he learned a lot from the coach, thanking him for providing him with an opportunity to continue playing ball after college. Hernandez is now a deputy sheriff for Maricopa County.

Moore doesn't remember his exact age when his father and grandfather took him to the backyard to practice baseball, but he has fond memories of being very young. He was also involved in amateur baseball.

After playing baseball for Tempe Union High School, Moore was in the very first Army draft call in 1969 and served 38 months in Vietnam.

Moore began his career with the Pecos League by managing the inaugural Santa Fe Fuego team in 2012. During his second year with the Santa Fe team he turned them into contenders with a season 36-31.

Moore was in Santa Fe for four years and in 2014, the team won the Pacific League Championship 46-24. He was named Manager of the Year that year.

The Pecos League allows young ballplayers to be able to continue with their

dream by playing semi-professional baseball as a young adult.

In 2016 Moore coached the Garden City Wind when the Wind won the Northern Division Regular Season Title 38-26.

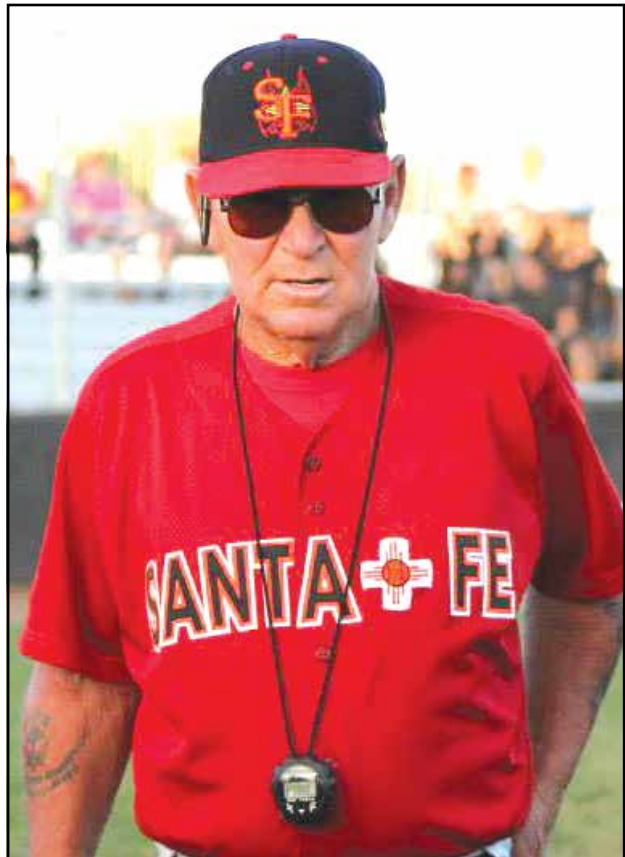
The Pecos League reported that Moore had over 251 players play for him throughout his years with the league.

Moore came to Wasco for the inaugural season of the Wasco Reserve in 2019 and was looking forward to returning for the 2020 season. The pandemic struck and no sporting events occurred that summer. All of the parks were closed and all team sports were canceled for the entire season in Wasco.

Reserve player Alex Hernández's mother, Lori Ybarra Hernandez sent in a note to the Tribune.

"My son Alex Hernandez played for Coach Bill in Tucson, Ariz. and Wasco," she said. "Alex learned a lot from Coach Bill, not just baseball, but life lessons, which to me are very important that he wanted his players to carry themselves a certain way with good character and maturity."

Hernandez also said that she could see



Retired Reserve Coach Bill Moore.

Moore's love of the game the moment you met him and just knew how serious he took every game.

"I believe Bill was not only a mentor to my son but an inspiration just because of the person he is," she added. "As a parent, you always want your children to be around people who will push them to be better and exceed their own expectations and learn that if you fall, get back up and keep going."

Moore wanted to return to Wasco for the 2021 season, but for health reasons decided to stay closer to home.

Tournament helps Wasco woman get dream wig

SARAH VELARDE
Special to Wasco Tribune

When a Wasco native was in need of her dream wig for her wedding, the community stepped up with a basketball tournament to

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help raise the money.

Alopecia areata, better known as "alopecia" is an autoimmune condition causing hair loss on the head, face, body and scalp. The severity of cases varies from person to person and as of today there is no cure. It affects as many as 6.8 million people in the United States. One of those people is Wasco native Alexis Sabala.

When family friends of Sabala, engaged couple Eddie Velasquez and Erica Alvarado, heard of Sabala's bravery while dealing with losing her hair, they wanted to support her in any way they could.

"After talking to Alexis' mom, she updated me on Alexis' battle with alopecia, I suggested to my fiancé Eddie if a basketball tournament would be a good idea," Alvarado said. Velasquez agreed.



Two children support the tournament.

Eddie Velasquez and his brothers Jorge, Leo and Gerardo Velasquez, all of Wasco, play and run the 2nd to None basketball league.

"We reached out to TKO facilities/organization, to see if they would be willing to make an Alopecia Awareness basketball tournament possible. With no hesitation they agreed," Alvarado said.

Located on E. Belle Terrace in Bakersfield, the TKO is a sports and recreation facility. The TKO team included Jorge Cruz, Lalo Garcia, Marty Rodriguez, and Edward Moreno, the owners of the TKO organization.

Alvarado, Velasquez and his brothers, and the TKO organization were able to pull off a successful event in honor of their friend.

There were four divisions total in the tournament with four youth teams and six men's teams playing in each division. The league 2nd to None had a total of six teams competing in the tournament as well.

"There were some really great games. Even some nail biters but of course TKO went home with the all the trophies," Alvarado said, who witnessed and helped organize weekend-long event. "Alexis Sabala is an amazing soul. We grew up with her

here in Wasco, we hold her very close to our hearts."

"It was also a great way to bring awareness to alopecia and let others know they are not alone in this," added Eddie Velasquez. "The fact that we were able to provide her with a little support for her dream wig for her upcoming wedding, makes the tournament a major success. It would not have been possible without TKO helping us."

"Our schedule for the month of February is to continue playing in the league for the TKO facility in both our men's and high school divisions," Eddie Velasquez said of 2nd to None. "We also have an upcoming tournament in Laughlin, Nevada, called the Mariachi Madness. We will be taking home trophies in all divisions."

He and Alvarado agree that the best part of being from Wasco is that everyone knows each other.

"We always have the support of others to make things happen," Eddie Velasquez said. "Supporters we can never thank enough for helping us out are the Orange Heart foundation, Joe De La Rosa, Gladys Gonzalez from Wonderful, Pizza Factory, and Joan and Bruce Handel and now TKO Facility. We are very grateful."

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Bakersfield girl missing

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

The Kern County Sheriff's Office is asking for the public's assistance in locating a missing 14 year old from Bakersfield.

Caidance Williams was born Oct. 15, 2006. She is 5'4" and weighs 150 pounds. She is white, has hazel eyes and scars on her left cheek and right index finger.

Williams was last seen on Jan. 20. It is unknown what she was wearing.

If anyone has any information regarding her whereabouts, they are asked to contact deputies at 661- 861-3110 or the Secret Witness Line at 661-322-4040. Reference case 2021-00008573.



Recreation Department keeps residents moving

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There is no set time, mileage or speed required.

The registration will cover the program, a t-shirt and a mask for every participant.

The Recreation Department is also holding a Virtual Zumba Class and a program called 746 Sports. In this program, children can choose from eight different sports. Each sport will have a daily lesson. Each day your child learns and practices three new drills using their signature

teaching method, talk, teach and play. The instructor will explain the purpose of each drill, teach your child how to perform the drill, and then your child will pause the video to play.

Jimenez said that the need to exercise and stay fit does not stop because of the virus, forcing residents to create their own activities and ways to keep busy.

"We care about our community and enjoy helping each member of our community to keep healthy," said Jimenez.

Wasco proposed to become vaccination site

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

City Manager Daniel Ortiz-Hernandez told the City Council that the city has been proposed to be a vaccination site.

The site would be at the Veteran's Hall at Barker Park. More information will be coming soon, Ortiz-Hernandez said.

Ortiz-Hernandez said the reopening of the city depends on the availability of vaccinations.

"It's been challenging following and adjusting to the changes the state makes or

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the fluctuation of availability of vaccines," he said.

Tina Newman, who serves disabled adults at Community Support Options, addressed the council and asked when the city was planning on reopening Dial-A-Ride because seniors and disabled residents are in need of transportation.

Mayor Alex Garcia told Newman he would call her to discuss why there has been a closure of the program due to covid-19 restrictions.

Sgt. Peter Martinez, from the Wasco Substation, reported some statistics comparing 2020 with the two months of 2021.

In December 2020 there were 793 calls for service and in January, there were 801. In December there were 44 misdemeanors and January there were 47 misdemeanors. In December there were 3 driving under the influences and in January there were 3 DUI's. In addition, in December 2020 there were a total of 22 assaults while in January there was a total of 28 assaults and for December there was a total of 31 grand theft

auto while in January there was a total of 37 grand theft auto.

"As of today, Feb. 16, 2021, 26 residents and businesses have registered their surveillance cameras with the Kern County Sheriff's Office," Martinez said.

Martinez also brought up an incident that occurred Dec. 7, 2020 when someone in a vehicle on Palm and Poso fired a shot out of a window. It took the deputies over two months to capture all four persons in the vehicle and currently, all four are in police custody.

OBITUARIES

Janet Grimes Reed 1933 – 2021

Janet Grimes Reed, 88, of Bakersfield, passed away on Feb. 5, 2021. She was dedicated to her family and helping the family business be successful.

Born in Taft to Dawson Grimes and Stella Sparks, she lived her entire life in Kern County, residing in the communities of Taft, Arvin and Bakersfield.

Early in life, Jan met and fell in love with the love of her life, Frank Wallace "Wally" Reed. They were married for 72 years until his passing in 2020.

Jan joined the Reed family business shortly after their marriage. Over the years, Jan managed the business office, did book-keeping and bindery work, and worked in advertising sales. Together, Wally and Jan worked hard to make



the newspaper a success. The business was started by Frank D. Reed in 1941 as the Arvin Tiller, a local community newspaper. Through the years additional community newspapers were added to the company, including The Shafter Press and Wasco Tribune.

In 1985, the expanded company moved the headquarters to Bakersfield and became Reed Print, Inc., a newspaper and commercial

printing company. Jan was co-owner, director and treasurer of Reed Print. She worked at the business for 70 years until it closed in 2018.

Jan was also active in the Arvin community. In 1955, the Arvin Chamber of Commerce named her Mrs. Arvin, and she served on the Arvin City Council in the years 1976-1980.

She was an avid traveler, loved fishing, shopping, visiting with family and spending time at Pismo Beach during her last few years. Both she and Wally loved touring the United States in their 42-foot Monaco RV. Cruising was a favorite activity, and she enjoyed sitting on the ship's balcony drinking a frozen margarita and playing Farkel with her traveling companions. When cruising she was always vying to be the passenger

with the most cruise days and on one cruise, she and Wally won the "Couple Married the Longest" award.

Her travels took her to many interesting destinations including Russia, Germany, England, Denmark, Finland, Hawaii, Alaska, Greece, France, Montenegro, Estonia, Rome and Venice.

Jan was a loving daughter, sister, wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother. She will be greatly missed by her children, Bill Reed and wife

Vicky of Windermere, Fla.; Marta Reed and husband Curtis Harms of Bakersfield; Robert Reed of Bakersfield; her six grandchildren, Noelle Reed Marion and husband Todd of South Hadley, Mass.; Stefani Reed Baker and husband Robert of France; Jason Reed of California; Tamarra Harms and husband Josh Beaulieu of Bakersfield; Addison Reed of Ohio; and Tanner Reed Cervantes and husband Michael of Texas; and also her 9 great grandchildren. Jan will be missed by her siblings,

Jim Grimes and wife Dot-tie of Long Beach, Patricia Grimes Ropes of Visalia, and Larry Grimes and wife Berniece of Klamath Falls, Ore.

She was predeceased by her parents, her husband and a son, Donald Reed.

Services will be held at Greenlawn Southwest Memorial Park, Southwest Chapel (Building A) 2739 Panama Lane, Bakersfield, on Wednesday, Feb. 17. Visitation will be at 1 p.m., chapel services at 2 p.m. and graveside services following.

Billy Dean Woolly April 4, 1937 – Feb. 13, 2021

Billy Dean Woolly, 83 of Bakersfield, died Feb. 13, 2021. He was born the son of Johnie and Eula Mae Woolly in Erick, Oklahoma, on April 4, 1937. He was preceded in death by his parents and brothers, Vernon and Lonnie Woolly. He graduated Wasco High School and attended Pasadena Nazarene College.

Bill was a devoted son, husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. Above all things, he loved and supported his family. Bill married the love of his life, Earlynne Frances Miller on Friday, May 13, 1960. Their enduring devotion lasted over 60 years. Together they raised 3 daughters, Terri (Jack) Hooe of Delray Beach, Florida, Lori (John) Abrams of Zephyr Cove, Nevada and Traci (Brian) Robinson of Bakersfield. They have 8 grandchildren, Jason, Jeffrey, Jeremy & Mitchell Hooe, Natalie Jensen & Kiki Robinson, and Haley and John Abrams, Jr. In addition, they have 8 great-grandchildren.

Bill was a lifelong resident and businessman of Wasco. Bill and Earlynne owned McCafferty's Cleaners from 1969 to 1988. Together they started and operated Bill Woolly Electric between 1990 and 2004. Bill was a charter member of the Wasco Elks Club and the Lions Club. In 1972, Bill and Earlynne purchased a historical farmhouse and made it into the home of their dreams. They became walnut farmers after acquiring the land adja-



cent to their home in 1999. As a 15-year long project of true love, Bill restored a classic 58' Chevy Impala. This very model was the same used for Bill's honeymoon travels with Earlynne. They also became members of "The Wasco Old Farts Car Club" and loved to attend car shows and parades. In 2006, they started touring the U.S. with their travel trailer and made many wonderful memories. In 2018, they

moved to Bakersfield to be closer to family.

Bill was the highest caliber of a man. Bill will always be admired for his work ethic, integrity, honesty, generosity and infectious laugh. Bill will always be remembered as a wonderful husband, deeply devoted family man and dearest of friend. For all, Bill will always be forever loved and very much missed.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: Wasco Historical Society, 918 6th Street, Wasco, CA, 93280 or Hoffman Hospice, 4401 Buena Vista Road, Bakersfield, CA, 93311.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, Feb. 18 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Peters Funeral Home in Wasco. Graveside services will be Friday, Feb. 19 at the Wasco Memorial Park at 10:30 a.m.



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Mailing address of business:
1030 Main Street
Delano, CA 93215
Mohammed Ali Mohsen
1924 Brown Way
Dinuba, CA 93618
State of Incorporation or Organization:
CA
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced:
12/18/2020

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2021-B0226**

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County: Kern
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Wasco, CA 93280
Juan Jose Castrejon Genel
5630 Olympic Ct
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State of Incorporation or Organization:
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2021-B0096**

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Mailing address of business:
127 S Shafter Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
Big Stop Market Inc
127 S Shafter Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
State of Incorporation or Organization:
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The business is conducted by: Corporation
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Ocampo BNS
2021-B0031**

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Mailing address of business:
975 Redwood Ave
Wasco, CA 93280
Rosa I. Ocampo
975 Redwood Ave
Wasco, CA 93280
Ernesto Ocampo
975 Redwood Ave
Wasco, CA 93280
The business is conducted by: Married Couple
Date the business commenced:
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2021-B0248**

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Bakersfield, CA 93312
County: Kern
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10111 Rosedale Hwy, Suite 100
Bakersfield, CA Kern
Hicks Holding Corporation
14334 Searspoint
Bakersfield, CA 93312
State of Incorporation or Organization:
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The business is conducted by: Corporation
Date the business commenced:

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12/04/2000
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Brimhall Pediatrics
2021-B0327**

9840 Brimhall Road
Bakersfield, CA 93312
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
9840 Brimhall Road
Bakersfield, CA 93312
Lyndon & Belinda Senar MD's Inc.
9840 Brimhall Road
Bakersfield, CA 93312
State of Incorporation or Organization:
CA
The business is conducted by: Corporation
Date the business commenced:
01/13/2009
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2021-B0355**

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County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
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Shafter, CA 93263
Matthew Cain Maldonado
694 Acacia Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced: N/A
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Name Statement
Kern ENT Clinic
2021-B0485**

2701 16th St Suite A
Bakersfield, CA 93301
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
2701 16th St Suite A
Bakersfield, CA 93301
Victor V. Kitt MD
7601 Calle Cerca
Bakersfield, CA 93309
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced: N/A
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**PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice of Petition to
Administer Estate of:
Dana Wenell Isaac, aka
Dana W. Isaac, aka Dana Isaac
Case Number: BPB-18-002806**

1. To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: **Dana Wenell Isaac, aka Dana W. Isaac, aka Dana Isaac**
2. A Petition for Probate has been filed by: **Jeremy Haworth** in the Superior Court of California, County of: **Kern**
3. The Petition for Probate requests that: **Jeremy Haworth** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
5. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.)
The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
6. A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:
a. Date: **March 12, 2021** Time: **8:30 a.m.** Dept.: **P**
b. Address of court: **Superior Court of California, County of Kern, 1215 Truxtun Ave, Bakersfield, 93301, Metro**

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This matter is submitted as "Proper to be Submitted on the Pleadings (PSP)." All matters approved as PSP will be granted unless you appear at the hearing and object when the PSP calendar is called.

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8. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
9. You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a *Request for Special Notice* (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A *Request for Special Notice* form is available from the court clerk.
10. Attorney for petitioner: Joshua G. Wilson, Esq.
Darling & Wilson PC
1626 19th Street, Suite 23/
PO Box 2411
Bakersfield, CA 93303
(661) 325-5075
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**PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice of Petition to
Administer Estate of:
Maria D. Rodriguez, aka
Maria De Jesus Rodriguez
CASE NUMBER: BPB-21-002118**

1. To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: **Maria D. Rodriguez, aka Maria De Jesus Rodriguez**
2. A Petition for Probate has been filed by: **Francisco Rodriguez, III** in the Superior Court of California, County of: **Kern**
3. The Petition for Probate requests that: **Francisco Rodriguez, III** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
4. The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.
5. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.)
The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
6. A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:
a. Date: **3/25/2021** Time: **10:30A.M.** Dept.: **DIV. "P"**
b. Address of court: **Superior Court of California, County of Kern, 1215 Truxtun Ave, Bakersfield, CA 93301, Metropolitan Division**
7. If you object to the granting of the petition you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
8. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
9. You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a *Request for Special Notice* (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A *Request for Special Notice* form is available from the court clerk.
10. Attorney for petitioner: Nancy L. Oehler, Esq.
Klein, Denatale, Goldner, et al.
4550 California Avenue, 2nd Floor
Bakersfield, CA 93309
(661) 395-1000
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**PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
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2021-B0403**

419 Santa Maria Way
Shafter, CA 93263
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
419 Santa Maria Way
Shafter, CA 93263
Brenda Rocio Silva-Ramos
419 Santa Maria Way
Shafter, CA 93263
State of Incorporation or Organization:
CA
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced:
12/14/2020
A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.)
/s/Brenda Rocio Silva-Ramos

Date Statement Filed: 01/29/2021
Date Statement Expires: 01/29/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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**PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
Gutierrez House Cleaning
2021-B0493**

18478 Poplar Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
18478 Poplar Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
Elida Romero De Gutierrez
18478 Poplar Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced: N/A
A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.)
/s/Elida Romero De Gutierrez
Date Statement Filed: 02/02/2021
Date Statement Expires: 02/02/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/N Franco
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**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING
ON ANNEXATION OF PROPERTY TO
LANDSCAPE AND LIGHTING ASSESSMENT DISTRICT NO. LL001-2015 OF
THE CITY OF SHAFTER (ANNEXATION NO. 5) AND ASSESSMENTS PROPOSED TO BE LEVIED ON THAT PROPERTY FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at 6:00 p.m. on March 2, 2021, the City Council of the City of Shafter ("City") will conduct a public hearing regarding the annexation of certain residential properties within Tract Map No. 7346 Phase I-III, generally located near the northwest corner of Seventh Standard Road and Community Drive, in the City of Shafter, County of Kern, to Landscape and Lighting Assessment District No. LL001-2015 ("District") as Annexation No. 5, and the assessments which are proposed to be levied on existing and annexed parcels of property within the District for fiscal year 2021-2022. The total amount of the assessments which are proposed to be levied for fiscal year 2021-2022 on all existing and annexed parcels within the District is \$748,133.28. The amount of the assessment which is proposed to be levied on each existing and annexed parcel is \$537.20 per unit of benefit (*i.e.*, a residential lot). The assessments are proposed to be levied to pay the annual cost of the installation, operation, maintenance and servicing of landscaping, public lighting facilities and any other appurtenant improvements ("Improvements") in the District.

Consistent with Executive Order N-29-20, in person participation by the public will not be permitted and no physical location from which the public may observe the meeting will be available. You are strongly encouraged to observe the City Council meetings live via YouTube Consistent with Executive Order N-29-20, in person participation by the public will not be permitted and no physical location from which the public may observe the meeting will be available. You are strongly encouraged to observe the City Council meetings live via YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/user/CityofShafter/> If you wish to make a comment on a specific agenda item or public comment, please submit your comment via email by 5:00 P.M. on Tuesday, March 2nd, 2021 to the City Clerk at CityClerk@shafter.com. If you wish to make a written comment to the City Clerk, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, CA 93263. If you wish to make a comment during the live meeting, callers must first register with the City Clerk at 661-746-5012 before the meeting begins to receive instructions and the call in number and code. Please call by 5:00 pm on the Monday prior to the Council meeting to allow ample time for sign up. You will need to provide your name, phone number and the item number you wish to address. All public comments are provided to the City Council and applicable Staff, for review and consideration by the Board prior to taking action on any matters listed on the agenda and are incorporated into the official record of the Council meeting.

The total amount of the assessments which are proposed to be levied on existing and annexed parcels within the District is equal to the amount of the estimated annual cost of the installation, operation, maintenance and servicing of the Improvements within the District for fiscal year 2021-2022. The amount of the assessment which is proposed to be levied on each existing and annexed parcel in the District was calculated on the basis of the proportionate special benefit derived by the parcel in relationship to the entirety of the costs that are related to the installation, operation, maintenance and servicing of the Improvements for said fiscal year and was determined by dividing the estimated annual cost by the number of units of benefit within the District. The assessments will be levied on all existing and annexed parcels within the District so long as such assessments are necessary to pay the annual cost of the installation, operation, maintenance and servicing of the Improvements in the District.

The City Council has determined that the amount of the assessment which will be levied per parcel for each existing and annexed parcel within the District in future fiscal years may be increased by the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index - All Urban Consumers for the Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA Area provided that the amount of the assessment is not increased by more than four percent (4%) in any fiscal year and provided that the amount of the assessment to be levied on any parcel in any fiscal year shall not in any event exceed the reasonable costs of the proportional special benefit conferred on the parcel. Property owners who vote Assessment Ballots in support of the levy of the proposed assessment will also be voting in support of such an increase in the annual amount of assessments to be levied in future fiscal years.

At the conclusion of the public hearing, the City Clerk will tabulate the assessment ballots submitted, and not withdrawn, in support of or opposition to the levy of the proposed assessments. A majority protest will exist if the assessment ballots submitted, and not withdrawn, in opposition to the levy of the proposed assessments exceed the assessment ballots submitted, and not withdrawn, in favor of the levy of the proposed assessments, weighted

ing those assessment ballots by the amount of the proposed assessment to be imposed upon the identified parcel for which each assessment ballot is submitted. If there is a majority protest against the levy of the proposed assessments, the property will not be annexed to the District and the City Council will not levy the proposed assessments on existing and annexed parcels of property within the District.
Date: February 11, 2021
Yazmina Pallares, City Clerk
Publish *Shafter Press* February 18, 2021

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION ON
March 15, 2021 to
March 17, 2021 OF TAX
DEFAULTED PROPERTY FOR
DELINQUENT TAXES**

On November 10, 2020, Kern County Treasurer-Tax Collector, Jordan Kaufman, was directed by Kern County Board of Supervisors' Resolution #2020-312 to conduct a public auction sale in accordance with the provisions of Division 1, Part 6, Chapter 7 of the California Revenue and Taxation Code. The tax-defaulted properties listed below are subject to the Treasurer-Tax Collector's power of sale.

This is a public notice that I will sell the properties beginning at 8:00 A.M. P.S.T. on March 15, 2021 at www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us.

The sale will be conducted as a public auction to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States or negotiable paper, for not less than the minimum bid as shown in this notice. Bidders must submit a refundable deposit of \$5,000.00 electronically to www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us no later than 5:00 P.M. P.S.T. on Friday March 05, 2021. The deposit will be applied to the successful bidder's purchase price. Any parcel remaining unsold at the conclusion of the auction may be resold within a 90-day period. If necessary, the subsequent sale will begin at 8:00 A.M. P.S.T. on May 24, 2021 at www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us.

Properties that are redeemed (paid) in full by 5:00 P.M. P.S.T., Friday March 12, 2021, will not be sold. The right of redemption will cease at that time. Properties not redeemed will be sold.

If the properties are sold, parties of interest (as defined in California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 4675) have a right to file a claim with the county for any excess proceeds from the sale. Excess proceeds are the amount of the highest bid in excess of the liens and costs of the sale that are paid from the sale price. Notice will be given to parties of interest, pursuant to law, if excess proceeds result from the sale.

The following is a partial list; a complete list may be obtained by calling our internet advertiser, Grant Street Group toll-free at 1-877-274-9320 or by viewing the list at www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us. You may access public computers at all Kern County Libraries.

The Assessor's parcel number, when used to describe the property in this list, refers to the Assessor's map book, the map page, the block on the map (if applicable) and the individual parcel on the map page or in the block. The Assessor's maps and further explanation of the parcel numbering system are available in the Assessor's office.

I declare under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Jordan Kaufman
Kern County Treasurer-Tax Collector
Executed at Bakersfield, Kern County on February 05, 2021.

The properties that are the subject of this notice are situated in Kern County, California and are described as follows:

099-040-17-00-2 \$1,000.00
FAMILY NURSERY CO INC
099-061-06-00-3 \$800.00
MILLS WM W DR
099-061-18-00-8 \$800.00
CARLSON GORDON H
099-062-27-00-1 \$800.00
RUSSELL CHARLES C & GEORGE Y
099-071-10-00-7 \$800.00
SPINELLI JOYCE
099-071-15-00-2 \$800.00
HUNDLEY E E
099-071-29-00-3 \$800.00
BARBER WESLEY R
099-072-04-00-7 \$800.00
GUTTMAN PAUL N
099-072-11-00-7 \$800.00
MORE F NADINE P & PROOTHERS L T
099-081-11-00-3 \$800.00
BARKER CHARLES E DR
099-081-14-00-2 \$800.00
MORE F NADINE P & PROOTHERS L T
099-081-16-00-8 \$800.00
WRIGHT DOROTHY B
099-082-08-00-2 \$800.00
WILLIAMS LAURENCE
099-082-17-00-8 \$900.00
LEWIS ODETTA
099-110-06-00-0 \$1,100.00
KELLER R K & SOARES M J
099-110-23-00-9 \$800.00
JENKINS ALBERT C
099-150-08-00-8 \$800.00
RICE DEBORAH J
099-160-14-00-8 \$800.00
CABRAL ANNETTE MARIE
099-180-26-00-9 \$800.00
WILLIAMS KATHERINE D
099-200-07-00-9 \$800.00
CAMPBELL JANE E
099-200-11-00-0 \$800.00
WALTHER FRED H
099-250-25-00-6 \$800.00
MOHR RUBEN
099-272-19-00-9 \$700.00
PRUDHOMME RONALD E
099-280-05-00-7 \$800.00
ROBERTS MADIE & JESSIE
099-340-24-00-9 \$1,300.00
GUSTER DOROTHY DEAN
102-160-05-00-5 \$900.00
GOEBEL OSCAR
103-090-07-00-8 \$1,700.00
MITCHEL MILO TR
099-040-03-00-1 \$800.00
KNAGGS ALBERT F
099-040-12-00-7 \$800.00
FOWLER ILA C
099-050-11-00-7 \$800.00
PARSONS WILLARD & LUCILLE REV TRUST
099-061-12-00-0 \$900.00
FAMILY NURSERY CO INC
099-071-05-00-3 \$800.00
CLAYWORTH AUDREY & CUMMINGS B
099-071-28-00-0 \$800.00
LAHANIER W A
099-072-05-00-0 \$800.00
CHURCHILL PAUL K
099-072-12-00-0 \$800.00
FINESILVER BLANCHE
099-072-19-00-1 \$800.00
RICE DEBORAH J
099-081-13-00-9 \$800.00

PAULSEN S
099-081-15-00-5 \$800.00
HOLLAND FRANCES M
099-082-10-00-7 \$800.00
FINESILVER BLANCHE
099-090-28-00-9 \$800.00
RUMAH INC
099-110-11-00-4 \$800.00
ESTEL FRED C & HARRIS ESTEL A
099-110-22-00-6 \$800.00
JENKINS ALBERT C
099-130-08-00-2 \$800.00
KELLER A KENNETH
099-150-30-00-1 \$700.00
CARRERA CAROL L
099-170-03-00-9 \$800.00
WHITE KATHERINE M
099-170-14-00-1 \$700.00
GOTTSCH JOHN W
099-200-09-00-5 \$800.00
CAMPBELL JANE E
099-220-17-00-4 \$800.00
FAMILY NURSERY CO INC
099-220-24-00-4 \$800.00
MORSE ADELAIDE B
099-240-26-00-6 \$700.00
ROEDER SADIE G
103-090-08-00-1 \$800.00
MITCHEL MILO TR
086-120-08-00-5 \$2,200.00
FAMILY NURSERY CO INC
086-280-06-00-6 \$1,300.00
FAMILY NURSERY CO INC
086-271-05-00-7 \$800.00
SCHULTZ LOUIS & YOUNG D M
086-280-20-00-6 \$700.00
ARMSTRONG AMELIA ANN ET AL
099-040-20-00-0 \$800.00
REED WALTER E & CASEY AGNES
099-062-11-00-4 \$800.00
TATUM ROGER
099-071-09-00-5 \$800.00
NICKLE SUSAN
099-071-14-00-9 \$800.00
SAGER PAULINE D EST
099-071-19-00-4 \$800.00
CARLSON GORDON H
099-072-01-00-8 \$700.00
THOMAS HENRY W
099-082-02-00-4 \$800.00
COON JOHN W
099-082-15-00-2 \$800.00
REED WALTER E & CASEY AGNES
099-100-01-00-2 \$1,100.00
CAMPBELL AMY LINNEA
099-120-10-00-4 \$800.00
WHITE KATHERINE M
099-140-05-00-6 \$800.00
MAY OPAL ET AL
099-160-09-00-4 \$800.00
BRANDT HELENE M
099-180-07-00-4 \$800.00
FORDERER FAMILY TR
099-190-03-00-5 \$800.00
DOW VERGE I
099-220-48-00-4 \$800.00
LINDELEF GARTH ERIC II ET AL
099-271-13-00-4 \$800.00
ANDERSON CAROLINE R
099-272-15-00-7 \$800.00
CATHCART R G & NODDER G C TRS
099-280-04-00-4 \$800.00
HOGAN G M
099-280-17-00-2 \$1,600.00
JOHAL BALDEV SINGH
099-321-16-00-7 \$1,000.00
FAMILY NURSERY CO INC
100-200-10-00-6 \$3,600.00
ELLENBERGER LILLIE M TRS ET AL
102-140-10-00-3 \$900.00
FAMILY NURSERY CO INC
102-180-41-00-5 \$700.00
FAMILY NURSERY CO INC
026-064-16-00-1 \$4,400.00
TRAN ANH
099-040-05-00-7 \$1,500.00
HOLLINGER NELL F TR
099-040-22-00-6 \$800.00
PFLUEGER LYNNE
099-071-07-00-9 \$800.00
PIKE EDWARD D JR
099-071-22-00-2 \$800.00
JENKINS ALBERT C
099-072-14-00-6 \$800.00
ANDERSON CAROLINE R
099-082-14-00-9 \$800.00
MACE ALMA V
099-090-30-00-4 \$800.00
COLLEY LAND TRUST
099-110-21-00-3 \$800.00
MORRISON CHARLES E
099-130-04-00-0 \$800.00
SAUER KURT C ET AL
099-130-16-00-5 \$800.00
GIROUARD LEONEL J
099-160-05-00-2 \$800.00
BOLTON IVY & JAMES H
099-170-05-00-5 \$800.00
BERK MAUD M ET AL
099-180-05-00-8 \$800.00
MAY C D ET AL
099-220-23-00-1 \$800.00
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099-220-49-00-7 \$800.00
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099-271-24-00-6 \$800.00
SNYDER WILLIAM E & MARGARET TR
099-280-27-00-1 \$800.00
HAG JULIUS ET AL
101-043-10-00-8 \$6,800.00
JUAREZ FELIPE H REV LIV TR
102-140-05-00-9 \$900.00
FAMILY NURSERY CO INC
103-170-25-00-3 \$2,400.00
ESTILL NINA
086-271-25-00-5 \$800.00
BINKLEY ROBERT W TRUST
086-280-31-00-8 \$800.00
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF DANEEL ANDREA CONGRER CASE NO. 8PB-20-003101

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Daneel Andrea Congrer

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Alyssa Gutierrez in the Superior Court of California, County of KERN.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Alyssa Gutierrez be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act with full authority. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take any actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on 02/18/2021 at 10:30 AM in Dept. P located at 1215 TRUXTON AVENUE BAKERSFIELD CA 93301 METROPOLITAN DIVISION.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance

may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Attorney for Petitioner: Theodore M. Hankin SBN 076673 Messina & Hankin, LLP 1400 Quail Street, Ste. 200 Newport Beach, Ca. 92660 Telephone: (949) 383-4656 2/4, 2/11, 2/18/21 CNS-3436188# WASCO TRIBUNE

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION ON March 15, 2021 to March 17, 2021 OF TAX DEFAULTED PROPERTY FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

On November 10, 2020, Kern County Treasurer-Tax Collector, Jordan

Kaufman, was directed by Kern County Board of Supervisors' Resolution #2020-312 to conduct a public auction sale in accordance with the provisions of Division 1, Part 6, Chapter 7 of the California Revenue and Taxation Code. The tax-defaulted properties listed below are subject to the Treasurer-Tax Collector's power of sale.

This is a public notice that I will sell the properties beginning at 8:00 A.M. P.S.T. on March 15, 2021 at **www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us**.

The sale will be conducted as a public auction to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States or negotiable paper, for not less than the minimum bid as shown in this notice. Bidders must submit a refundable deposit of \$5,000.00 electronically to **www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us** no later than 5:00 P.M. P.S.T. on Friday March 05, 2021. The deposit will be applied to the successful bidder's purchase price. Any parcel remaining unsold at the conclusion of the auction may be resold within a 90-day period. If necessary, the subsequent sale will begin at 8:00 A.M. P.S.T. on May 24, 2021 at **www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us**. Properties that are redeemed (paid) in full by 5:00 P.M. P.S.T., Friday March 12, 2021, will not be sold. The right of redemption will cease at that time. Properties not redeemed will be sold.

If the properties are sold, parties of interest (as defined in California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 4675) have a right to file a claim with the county for any excess proceeds from the sale. Excess proceeds are the amount of the highest bid

in excess of the liens and costs of the sale that are paid from the sale price. Notice will be given to parties of interest, pursuant to law, if excess proceeds result from the sale.

The following is a partial list; a complete list may be obtained by calling our internet advertiser, Grant Street Group toll-free at 1-877-274-9320 or by viewing the list at **www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us**. You may access public computers at all Kern County Libraries.

The Assessor's parcel number, when used to describe the property in this list, refers to the Assessor's map book, the map page, the block on the map (if applicable) and the individual parcel on the map page or in the block. The Assessor's maps and further explanation of the parcel numbering system are available in the Assessor's office.

I declare under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and correct. Jordan Kaufman

Kern County Treasurer-Tax Collector Executed at Bakersfield, Kern County on February 05, 2021.

The properties that are the subject of this notice are situated in Kern County, California and are described as follows:

058-300-04-00-0 \$900.00
MULLIKIN KEVIN
487-115-08-00-0 \$1,400.00
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487-132-06-00-9 \$800.00
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058-321-09-01-7 \$1,700.00
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487-122-17-00-8 \$800.00
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490-121-24-00-5 \$1,600.00
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SHIVOK MICHAEL P & PRISCILLA A
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Garcia Towing and Transport
2021-B0379

620 Central Avenue Apt. A
Wasco, CA 93280
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
620 Central Avenue Apt. A
Wasco, CA 93280

Luis Garcia
620 Central Avenue Apt. A
Wasco, CA 93280

State of Incorporation or Organization: CA

Ariana Arambula
620 Central Avenue Apt. A
Wasco, CA 93280

State of Incorporation or Organization: CA

The business is conducted by: Married Couple

Date the business commenced: NA

A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.)

/s/Luis Garcia

Date Statement Filed: 01/28/2021
Date Statement Expires: 01/28/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/N Franco
Publish Wasco Tribune February 4, 11, 18, 25, 2021

PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Fix It All
2021-B0532

411 Goldspire Ct
Wasco, CA 93280
County: Kern

Mailing address of business:
411 Goldspire Ct
Wasco, CA 93280

Oscar Gonzalez
411 Goldspire Ct
Wasco, CA 93280

State of Incorporation or Organization: CA

The business is conducted by: Individual

Date the business commenced: N/A

A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.)

/s/Oscar Gonzalez
Date Statement Filed: 02/04/2021
Date Statement Expires: 02/04/2026

Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
Publish Wasco Tribune February 18, 25, March 4, 11, 2021

PUBLIC NOTICES

Shafter Donuts has been a staple in city for over 20 years

JAMIE STEWART
The Shafter Press

When residents are hungry for a couple of donuts, many flock to Shafter Donut who has been in the city for over two decades.

Owner Kim Ten has owned the business for over 20 years and is proud to call Shafter home. Manager Yinhkann Yen said that they love the people of Shafter and have so many regulars that make the trip to Shafter Donuts a “daily ritual.”

With their wide selection of donuts, from glazed and cake donuts, to jelly filled donuts, maple bars and twists,

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the shop is not just a place for a donut. Their breakfast sandwiches are growing in popularity, with the business offering several varieties, including ham and cheese croissants, with an array of croissants that contain sausage, bacon, egg, and much more.

“Our hot food is getting popular, with a lot of people wanting something more than just a donut,” said Yen.

The service is very personal as they treat every customer as family, with the list of regulars growing daily.

“I have been coming here for over 10 years,” said Ted Matthews, who gets his maple bar with bacon and a coffee every morning. “I love this place and you can’t ask for a more friendly place.”

Yen said that they begin preparing for the next day at around 11 p.m. They open at 4 a.m. and are the stop for many workers as they load up on the treats as they start their work-day.

They also serve a variety of sandwiches for lunch including tuna, ham and cheese,



Shafter Donuts has been a go-to in Shafter for over two decades.

roast beef and turkey. They serve smoothies as well.

The pandemic has not kept the shop from thriving.

“We love the city of Shafter and the people are very special,” said Yen. “We love this community and are proud to serve them.”

City honors DYW ladies

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challenge with the release of thousands of inmates from prisons, signed off by Gov. Gavin Newsom in July.

“That action put a different type of criminal on the street,” Zimmermann said. “They are a more sophisticated type of criminal who have been in the system and pose a different challenge for our officers.”

Zimmermann also told the council of the challenge of arresting the same criminal multiple times.

“We might arrest the same individual more than once or twice in the same week,” he said. “The punishment and the arrest

procedures and policies make this possible. They are out on the street after an arrest, with us not being able to hold them for any length of time.”

At its meeting, the council also approved the application for Proposition 68 funds for the new park in northern Shafter at the intersection of Highway 43 and Fresno Avenue.

“We held helpful workshops, both virtual and in-person, gaining input from the residents, on what they would like to see in their new park,” said City Manager Gabriel Gonzales. “We took several of these suggestions and prepared an application.



The young women of the DYW of Shafter were honored at the meeting.

Among the proposed features of the new park are a spray pad, multi-purpose fields, exercise equipment, and shaded picnic areas.” Gonzales said that the project will come with a price tag of around \$3 million dollars.

Sports return with cross country meets

From Page 1

through the campus and nearby Westside Park. The field was filled with cheerleaders with bright orange poms cheering on their

team.

Wasco, Bakersfield Christian and Garcias outside the Kern High School District, so the three became the first ones to host a sports event.

For the Wasco Boys, 1st Place Gerardo Limon ran the course in 11:30.13; and Emiliano Ibarra from BCHS ran it in 12:24.8.

Other runners for Wasco included 4th place Jesus Salgado who ran it in 13:04.72 and 6th place Manuel Hernandez who ran



Cheerleader and an observer on the field during the meet.

it in 13:36.13.

In addition, other Wasco Boy runners included 7th Place Elijah Guitron who ran it in 14:00.63 and in 9th Place Enrique Carrillo who ran it in 16:53.39.

The Wasco Girls runners, 1st Place Crystal Raya ran the course in 14:10.18 while 2nd Place Ixchel Sanchez ran the course in 14:58.26 and in 4th Place Brianna Moreno ran it in 15:48.66.



Coach Omar Garcia.



The starting line for WHS vs BCHS.



Ixchel Sanchez and Enevy Lopez.

Minter Field Air Museum open for tours

JAMIE STEWART
The Shafter Press

The Minter Field Air Museum has been putting the history of Shafter aviation on display for decades and the facility continues to expand.

The museum houses a collection of artifacts and photographs of the men and women who were stationed at the base, in addition to the history of other conflicts including the United States military.

The museum is one of the few facili-

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ties in the nation that has a working Link Trainer. This machine recreates the experience of flying a plane and was used on the base decades ago when training new pilots.

Two of the museum’s main attractions that they bring to various events in the county are the yellow Follow Me Jeep and the LOACH helicopter. The helicopter attracts hundreds of people interested in sitting in the cockpit as well as getting their

picture taken with it.

With the museum having to suspend a lot of its activities due to the pandemic, the museum is still able to give residents tours adhering to social distancing and face coverings.

During non-pandemic times, the museum hosts dozens of groups throughout the year including schools, nonprofit organizations and clubs throughout Kern County.

The museum is open every Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. You can

also call the museum to set up a tour for a group, school, or club. The museum also has a history of appearances at the Kern County Fair.

The museum had to cancel the annual Wings ‘n Wheels event in 2020 because of the pandemic.

The event has a James Dean display, along with over 100 aircraft from different eras, including World War I and World War II warbirds. The museum is hopeful the event will return this year.



The museum played host to Santa Claus at Christmas time.



The LOACH helicopter remains a draw for residents.

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