Union brings battle over the Shore Hotel to the City Council

BY KATE CAGLE
Daily Press Staff Writer

A Hollywood agent trying to open a new restaurant inside the Shore Hotel has become wrapped up in a years-long conflict between the hotel worker’s union and the hotel’s owners. The latest battlefront is an alcohol permit for the restaurant called Avery.

On Tuesday, the City Council will decide whether to deny a conditional use permit for Avery after Unite Here Local 11 filed an appeal citing ongoing litigation between the Shore Hotel and the Coastal Commission. The Shore and the Coastal Commission are scheduled to go to trial this summer over concerns the hotel did not provide adequate information during the permitting process and is thus operating illegally. Without a valid permit, the Shore could face millions of dollars in fines or be completely shutdown until meeting certain conditions.

In February, the Shore agreed to pay $100,000 in back pay to three workers as part of a separate settlement with Unite Here. Workers complained they were disciplined and then fired after testifying at the Coastal Commission that the hotel was violating its permits.

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Helicopter service takes Santa Monica festival-goers to Coachella from SMO

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A tech start-up known as the “Uber for helicopters” has launched a new service at the Santa Monica Airport, beginning last weekend with quick trips to the Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival.

The New York based on-demand helicopter service, Blade, is also brokering trips to Palm Springs, Ojai, Santa Barbara and San Diego in under an hour.

“There is no such thing as rush hour in the sky,” is Blade’s official tagline.

A seat on a helicopter to Thermal or Palm Springs ran for about $700 this weekend each way. Outside of the two weekends when they are providing regular service to Coachella, Blade will not schedule regular flights out of SMO. Instead, flights are booked on demand through the Blade app. The app allows you to “crowd source” a flight on your own schedule and see if anyone wants to join you. Blade’s marking and communications officer Caitlin Deering explained customers buy and sell extra seats for credit toward future flights.

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WOODLAWN

22 Santa Monica College students in a Photo 5 class created an exhibition — “Second Day Shoot” — out of a class exercise on photography and Adobe Lightroom software, typically held on the second day of the semester at the Woodlawn Cemetery and Mausoleum (1847 14th St.). The photo exhibit, sponsored by Woodlawn, is currently on view in the mausoleum, and will be highlighted in a Memorial Day event on May 29.

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OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA

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**Monday, April 17**

**ESL Classes**
Santa Monica Public Library hosts a new series of English as a Second Language (ESL) classes taught by Adult Education Center instructors. Classes are free and students must be 18 years or older to attend. Enrollment is through the SMMUSD Adult Education Center. For more information you can contact Olga Saucedo at (310)664-6222. ESL takes place Monday at 9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., from Jan. through June 5 at the Ocean Park Branch, 2601 Main St.

**Grant class**
The library will be offering a 90-minute introduction class to finding grants for non-profits. Seating is first come first served and requires familiarity with using a mouse and keyboard. For more information please visit the reference desk or call (310) 434-2608. This will be located at the Main Library on the 2nd floor in the computer classroom.

**Main Library Book Group**
This book group, which is open to all, features an eclectic selection of literary fiction and nonfiction. The April 2017 book is *Just Kids* by Patti Smith. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd., 7 – 8:30 p.m.

**Architectural Review Board Meeting**
The ARB generally meets on the first and third Mondays of each month unless there is a holiday. Meetings are held in the City Council Chambers at City Hall, 1685 Main St., unless otherwise noted. 7 p.m.

**Arts Commission Meeting**
Regular meeting of the Santa Monica Arts Commission. Ken Edwards Center, 1527 4th St., 6:30 p.m.

**Introduction to Finding Grants (for Nonprofits)**
Introduction to the Foundation Center’s database of U.S. foundations, corporate giving programs, and public charities. Length of class is 1/2 hours. Seating is first come, first served. Requires familiarity with using a mouse & keyboard. For more information, please visit the Reference Desk or call (310) 434-2608. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd. 1:30 – 3 p.m.

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**Tuesday, April 18**

**Ocean Park Mystery Book Group**
Join us as we discuss the latest authors in the mystery genre. Meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month. Emphasis on international authors and locations. All are welcome. No registration required. Discussion Title: “Dead Water” by Ann Cleeves. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St., 7 – 8:30 p.m.

**Beach Volleyball-Adult**
Ages 16+ (co-ed); Introductory and Intermediate options; in a semi-private setting. Annenberg Community Beach House. $62 per 4-week session for Introductory. $77 per 4-week session for Intermediate. Parking included. Drop-in to any single class for $25. 6 – 7:30 p.m.

**City Council Meeting**
Special Meeting. Closed session begins at 4:30 p.m. City Hall, 1685 Main St.

**Teen Crafternoon: No-sew Emoji Plush**
Craft your own emoji pillow plush. Materials will be provided. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave., 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

**Mini Makers: Seed Balls at Ocean Park**
Create a seed ball mixture that can be used to brighten up bare land. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St., 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

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**Driver Safety Program**
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COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Malibu

Jen Oh Honored by Pepperdine Graziaio School

Santa Monica resident Jen Oh was recently awarded a prestigious George Award from Pepperdine University Grazio School of Business and Management. The George Awards, named for George L. Grazio, Pepperdine University benefactor and Imperial Bancorp founder, recognize a select number of students, alumni, faculty, and corporate partners who exemplify integrity, stewardship, courage, and compassion, while enriching the business world through their superior skills and entrepreneurial spirit.

Officially, Jen Oh is an exceptional full-time MBA candidate with a dual concentration in Organizational Change and Dispute Resolution through Pepperdine’s Straus Institute as well as President of the Grazio Vetarians Business Society

The Pepperdine University Grazio School of Business and Management focuses on the real-world application of MBA-level business concepts.

— SUBMITTED BY LISA PERRY DIRECTOR, MARKETING AND COMMUNICATIONS, PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY GRAZIO SCHO

Pico Blvd.

38th Annual SMC Student Photo Show April 18-29

Santa Monica College (SMC) will present the 38th Annual SMC Student Photography Exhibit April 18-29 in two locations: the SMC Photography Gallery and SMC’s Pete & Susan Barrett Art Gallery. The free exhibition showcases outstanding imagery by students in the SMC Photography Department.

Gallery receptions will be held in both locations from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday, April 22.

On display will be 167 prints created by 92 SMC student photographers. The high-caliber works range from fine art to portraiture to still life and beyond. A 67-image looping slide show highlighting work from 44 students in the Photo 1 class will also be featured.

“This annual exhibition is an exciting time for us,” said SMC Photography and Fashion Department Chair Ford Lowcock. “We had 13 photo faculty members come in on Saturday, March 18, to jury this year’s submitted work – approximately 1,200 print and 450 Photo 1 entries – which took 7 hours! And our gallery reception is always a fun event, with about 500 people coming through both galleries.”

Selected images have been awarded special recognition by SMC Superintendent/President Dr. Kathy Jeffery and a variety of other jurors, including the full-time faculty of the SMC Photography Department. Each year, the award recipients are honored for their accomplishments at the June meeting of the SMC Board of Trustees.

The SMC Photography Gallery is located on the second floor of Drescher Hall on the SMC main campus at 1900 Pico Blvd., Santa Monica. Photo gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

SMC’s Pete & Susan Barrett Art Gallery is located at the SMC Performing Arts Center on Santa Monica Boulevard at 11th Street, Santa Monica. Art gallery hours are noon to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

For additional information, call (310) 434-4289.

Citywide

Santa Monica Soft Pedalers Tour de Libraries: A Bike Ride Excursion for Seniors

Santa Monica seniors, here’s your chance to get fit, learn some handy safety tips, and get to the know the library system better. On Wednesday, April 19, Santa Monica Bike Center, Santa Monica Public Library, Santa Monica Commission for the Senior Community, and local non-profit Sustainable Streets team up to host the Santa Monica Soft Pedalers Tour de Libraries, a bicycle tour of Santa Monica Public Library’s five locations. The reality-packed “tour” begins at 10 a.m. and continues until noon.

Senior citizens are disproportionately affected by traffic-related injuries and deaths in Santa Monica. In a landscape that can be terrifying at any age, strength in numbers will pave the way for a safer and healthier streetscape. This Soft Pedalers bicycle ride empowers our senior community to engage in safe and smart active transportation. Along the route, we’ll share the dos and don’ts of bike riding, and at each destination we’ll share some of the great programs and benefits the library system has to offer.

The tour includes a “tri-shaw” for two disabled seniors to join the ride. To register for the “tri-shaw” use contact information above. Bring your own bike and helmet. Santa Monica Bike Center will also provide bikes for registered participants who don’t own a bike of their own. To register for the tour, email tours@smmbikecenter.com or call (310) 656-8500.

Downtown

Santa Monica Public Library presents Soundwaves: Bonnie Barnett

The Santa Monica Public Library will present vocal improviser Bonnie Barnett and her band on April 19, at 7:30 p.m. in the Main Library’s Martin Luther King Jr. Auditorium at 601 Santa Monica Blvd.

Barnett is a longtime participant in the Los Angeles new music community who has performed at the REDCAT and the Eagle Rock Center for the Arts, among other venues, and co-hosts live broadcast Wednesday nights 9-10PM on KXLU 88.9. For this concert she will interpret texts by Gertrude Stein and Dottie Grossman, accompanied by Dan Clucas (cornet), Richard Wood (alto saxophone), Hal Onserud (bass), and Garth Powell (drums).

Soundwaves is a monthly concert series presenting artists who appear on the DRAM (Database of Recorded American Music) streaming service. The Santa Monica Public Library is the first public library to offer this service to its cardholders. Listings of past and upcoming Soundwaves shows as well as sound and video recordings are at soundwavesnewmusic.com

This event is free and open to the public. Seating is limited and on a first-arrival basis. The Santa Monica Public Library is wheelchair accessible. For special disabled services, call Library Administration at (310) 458-8606 at least one week prior to event. For more information, visit smpl.org or contact the Santa Monica Public Library at (310) 458-8600.

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Dear EarthTalk:

Who are some of the greener movie stars out there today and what are they doing to fight for the planet?

Stacey DiGiorno, 
Chevy Chase, MD

WHILE A HANDFUL OF HOLLYWOOD
A-listers — Robert Redford, Meryl Streep and Ed Begley Jr. — have been actively campaigning for the environment for decades, a new wave of green celebrities is using star power to help convince millions of fans around the world to live greener lifestyles and speak up for environmental protections and climate mitigation.

Leonardo DiCaprio continues to distinguish himself as one of the greener stars out there. He started the Leonardo DiCaprio Foundation in 1998 with the mission of protecting the world’s last wild places, and has since then channeled millions of dollars in grants toward various direct action initiatives and awareness-raising campaigns all over the world. His 2007 documentary, The 11th Hour, features interviews with a variety of leaders and luminaries in documenting the grave environmental problems facing the planet’s life systems, while his 2016 film, Before The Flood, focuses on the environmental impacts of global warming on different locales around the world. Last December, DiCaprio met with then-President-Elect Trump to discuss the importance of the U.S. remaining committed to reducing greenhouse gas emissions and honoring its commitments as part of 2015’s Paris climate agreement.

Another big star that’s gone green is Arnold Schwarzenegger. The Terminator earned his environmental cred during his six years as California’s governor when he shepherded legislation through the state legislature establishing the most stringent emissions reduction mandates in the nation, and issued executive orders to up the energy efficiency requirements for existing and new state government buildings. He also helped pave the way for the introduction of automobile powered by emissions-free fuel cells by building the beginnings of a hydrogen refueling network across California. Schwarzenegger has been outspoken about the need for state and local governments to take the lead in the battle against global warming — a message that never resonated more clearly than now with climate-denier Donald Trump in the White House.

Mark Ruffalo may have played The Hulk in Marvel Comics’ Avengers movies for good reason: He’s pretty green — and resource extractors don’t like him when he’s angry. The A-list actor is outspoken against the environmental and health ills of fracking, a technique that recovers gas and oil from shale rock by drilling down into the Earth to direct a high-pressure water mixture at the rock to release the gas inside. He founded the non-profit Water Defense in 2009, and later went on to join engineering professor Mark Jacobson, banker and solar executive Marco Krapels and filmmaker/activist Josh Fox to launch The Solutions Project, which aims to help move the U.S. to 100 percent renewable energy. He has also been active alongside the Standing Rock Sioux in fighting the Dakota Access Pipeline in North Dakota.

Some other movie stars for the environment include Edward Norton, Brad Pitt, Cate Blanchett, Daryl Hannah, Pierce Brosnan, Charlize Theron, Matt Dillon, Matt Damon, Julia Roberts, Will Ferrell, Tom Hanks and George Clooney. At least you can feel better about going to the movies now that you know the stars on the screen are using some of the money they are making at your expense to help the planet.

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New Medicare help for people with chronic illness

IF YOU HAVE MEDICARE, THERE’S A good chance you have two or more chronic conditions such as arthritis, cancer, diabetes, heart disease, or dementia.

Two-thirds of the 57 million Americans with Medicare have two or more chronic illnesses. Having multiple chronic conditions increases the risk of death and functional limitations, decreases quality of life, and leads to higher health care spending.

Managing chronic diseases can be difficult, to say the least. You often face multiple visits to one or more doctors; you must take multiple drugs at different times on different days; you have to make extra trips for tests. It can all be a bit overwhelming.

At Medicare, we recognize the challenges you have in managing your conditions, working with your health care providers, and trying to stay healthy. Two years ago, we added a new benefit called Chronic Care Management, or CCM. This program provides additional payments to doctors and other providers to help you live with chronic disease.

For example, through the CCM benefit your primary-care doctor will help you keep track of your medical history, medications, and all the different health care providers you see. You’ll receive a comprehensive care plan that outlines your treatments and goals. Additionally, you’ll have 24-hour-a-day, 7-day-a-week access to health care professionals for urgent needs from the comfort of your home.

To be eligible for CCM services, you must be enrolled in Medicare or in both Medicare and Medicaid. And you must have two or more chronic diseases that are expected to last at least 12 months and place you at significant risk of death, acute exacerbation/decompensation, or functional decline.

Other examples of chronic conditions include, but are not limited to, asthma, atrial fibrillation, attention deficit/hyperactivity disorder, chronic kidney disease, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, depression, heart failure, hepatitis, hypertension (high blood pressure), infectious diseases such as HIV/AIDS, ischemic heart disease, osteoporosis, schizophrenia and other psychotic disorders, and stroke.

SPECIFIC CCM SERVICES MAY INCLUDE:
• At least 20 minutes a month of chronic care management services;
• Personalized assistance from a dedicated health care professional who will work with you to create your care plan;
• Coordination of care between your pharmacy, specialists, teachers, hospitals, and more;
• Phone check-ins between visits to keep you on track;
• 24/7 emergency access to a health care professional;
• Expert assistance with setting and meeting your health goals.

How much do CCM services cost? You’ll be responsible for the usual Medicare Part B cost-sharing and may have a deductible or coinsurance/co-pay. However, many people with Medicare have Medigap supplemental insurance that provides wraparound coverage of CCM cost-sharing.

Chronic Care Management means having a continuous relationship with a dedicated health care professional who knows you and your history, gives personal attention, and helps you make the best choices for your health. CCM gives you and your loved ones the assistance you need to manage your chronic conditions so you can spend more time doing the things you enjoy.

Ask your doctor about Chronic Care Management and get the connected care you need.

For more information, call 1-800-MEDICARE or visit: go.cms.gov/ccm.

GREG DILL is Medicare’s regional administrator for Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada, and the Pacific Territories. You can always get answers to your Medicare questions by calling 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227).

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**NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF PROPOSED FY 2017-18 ONE-YEAR ACTION PLAN**

Notice is hereby given that the City of Santa Monica has developed the Proposed FY 2017-18 One-Year Action Plan. The One-Year Action Plan is submitted annually to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). It delineates the City’s specific projects and activities for one-year use of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME funds in order to meet the City’s overall housing and community development needs as specified in the 2015-19 Consolidated Plan adopted by City Council and submitted to HUD in May 2015. The City is seeking community comments on the Proposed One-Year Action Plan.

Copies of the Proposed FY 2017-18 One-Year Action Plan are now available to the public for a 30-day community review period ending April 24, 2017. Copies are available at City Hall and on the web at http://www.smgov.net/hsd or you may contact the Human Services Division, 1685 Main Street, Room 212, Santa Monica, CA 90401, telephone (310) 458-8701; TDD (310) 458-8696. Please send your written comments to humanservices@smgov.net or to the above address by April 24, 2017. You may also present your comments verbally at the City Council meeting on May 9, 2017.

City Council Meeting
Tuesday, May 9, 2017 at 6:30 p.m.
City Hall Council Chambers
1685 Main Street, Santa Monica

The Council Chambers are wheelchair accessible. If you have any special disability-related needs/accommodations please contact the Human Services Division.
“Essentially, you can open your app - it takes 3 minutes - put all your information in and the helicopter will arrive within 20 minutes of booking,” Deering said. “You don’t even have to talk to anybody.”

While Deering declined to describe their target clientele, Blade advertises itself as a premium service. Over the weekend, the company set up a lounge for customers heading to Coachella sponsored by the tequila company Casa Dragones. Passengers received a glass of tequila with a single hand-cut cloudless spherical ice cube (yes, artisan ice is now a thing) when they arrived. A team of flight attendants takes care of the traveler’s bag – which has a maximum weight of 25 pounds.

“The experience starts as soon as you get to the lounge, it’s not just the helicopter flight,” Deering said.

It’s not clear what impact this new service may have on airport traffic. Year over year, helicopter operations are down 36 percent at the airport, with 149 flights in February 2017, according to the most recent monthly operations report. Helicopters accounted for just three percent of total operations.

Anti-airport activists fear the new service flies in the face of the City’s short-term goal of reducing airport traffic by shortening the runway and long term goal of shutting down SMO for good.

As for the City, leaders were caught off guard by the news of the service on Good Friday. City Manager Rick Cole told the Daily Press Friday afternoon he was trying to get Blade’s president on the phone to learn more about their business. Cole believes Blade at a minimum needs a business license to operate in Santa Monica and may need a commercial operating permit.

“You would absolutely think that would be worked out before they took off, but on the other hand they are operating like Lyft and Uber,” Cole said. “These are new companies operating in the grey area of the law.”

Cole says the company is pushing the envelope on charter operations. Blade serves as a liaison between commercial pilots who presumably have permission to fly out of SMO and passengers. When it comes to current law, the fact Blade does not usually schedule flights – but merely facilitates them – may be an important distinction. Cole declined to comment on how the service fits into the City’s overall goals for the airport.

“It’s not really a question about our feelings, the question is what are the rules.”

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Wastewater Main Replacement Project

For the week of April 17, the Contractor will continue removal and replacement of the sewer main on 9th Court between Marguerita Ave and Georgina Ave. The Contractor will also continue cleaning, video inspection and lining of the sewer main on Ocean Front Walk from Bay Street to the Santa Monica Pier. During these operations, traffic control will be set up. During these operations, traffic control will be set up. Should you have any questions, please contact Carlos Rosales, Project Manager (310) 458-8721 ext. 2620 or Tim Scheffer, Construction Manager (909) 376-0275.

Water Main Replacement Project

For the week of April 17, the contractor will continue with installation of the water main on Olympic Place South from Ocean Ave to 200 feet west of Ocean Avenue. The contractor will also be performing testing of the newly installed water main and services on Ocean Avenue between Colorado Avenue and Pico Boulevard Street. Please expect temporary lane closures on Ocean Avenue in the southbound direction, one lane will be maintained at all times. Should you have any questions, please contact Carlos Rosales, Project Manager (310) 458-8721 ext. 2620 or Mike Masengale, Berg & Assoc, Construction Manager, (424) 536-7030.

Los Amigos Park Stormwater Harvesting And Direct Use Demonstration Project

For the week of April 17, the contractor will continue work with the installation of the storm water treatment equipment and instrumentation. Construction for the first phase was completed and traffic control on 5th Street was removed. Hollister Ave. between 5th and 6th Streets has been reopened to through traffic. Should you have any questions, please contact Carlos Rosales, Project Manager (310) 458-8721 ext. 2620 or Scott Neumann, Construction Manager (310) 525-0683.

Citywide Sidewalk Repair Project

For the week of April 17, removal and replacement of sidewalks will occur in the area bound by 14th Street to the east, Colorado Avenue to the south, Ocean Avenue to the west, and Wilshire Boulevard to the north. Work will also be performed along Montana Avenue. Should you have any questions, please contact Jamie Atkinson, City of Santa Monica, Project Manager (310)458-8721 ext. 5081 or Craig Wheeler, Assistant Construction Manager, (951) 522-4505.

4th Street Pedestrian Improvements

For the week of March 27, through April 21, the City’s contractor will be installing decorative tree grates with underground lighting along the east side of 4th Street between Broadway and Colorado Avenue. In addition, new landscaping and sandblasting of historic text will be installed. During these operations the easternmost northbound lane of 4th Street will be closed on this block. If you have any questions, please contact the City’s Construction Manager, Zach Pollard, at (310)458-8726.

Street Lighting Modernization Program

For the week of April 17, the contractor will be mobilizing into the project area, which is bound by 16th Street to the east, Ocean Park Boulevard to the south, Lincoln Boulevard to the west, and Pico Boulevard to the north. There may be sidewalk closures and temporary no parking posted within this area. Should you have any questions, please contact Jamie Atkinson, City of Santa Monica, Project Manager (310)458-8721 ext. 5081.

Montana Avenue Traffic Signal Replacement

For the week of April 24 through September 5, due to an emergency necessity, four traffic signals along the Montana Avenue corridor (Intersections along Montana Avenue at 4th, 7th, 11th, and 14th Streets) must be replaced immediately. The entire intersection hardware will be replaced, including poles, signal and pedestrian heads, computer controllers and underground conduit. Work includes underground utilities, curb ramp construction, traffic signal installation, and all activities necessary to implement the traffic signal improvements. Work areas will be contained; crews will make practical efforts to minimize sound, dust, and disturbance to the neighboring community. If you have any questions, please contact the City’s Project Manager, Andrew Maximous, at (310) 458-8291.
ON APRIL 4, AT ABOUT 8:47 P.M.

While patrolling the 2000 block of Main Street officers saw a bicyclist riding his bicycle with no light in violation of a vehicle code. Officers attempted to stop the bicyclist but the bicyclist did not comply and ignored the officer’s commands. The suspect fled from the officers and recklessly not obeying traffic laws. Officers were able catch up with the suspect at Pico Blvd and Ocean Avenue where the suspect was placed under arrest. A search of the subject led to the recovery of narcotics paraphernalia.

The suspect also had an active arrest warrant for narcotics possession. Roy James Lambert, 26, from Los Angeles was arrested for resisting/delaying an officer, possession of narcotics paraphernalia and Santa Monica. The suspect was placed under arrest. A search of the vehicle code. Officers attempted to stop the bicyclist but the bicyclist did not comply and ignored the officer’s commands. The suspect fled from the officers and rode recklessly not obeying traffic laws. Officers were able catch up with the suspect at Pico Blvd and Ocean Avenue where the suspect was placed under arrest. A search of the subject led to the recovery of narcotics paraphernalia. The suspect also had an active arrest warrant for narcotics possession. Roy James Lambert, 26, from Los Angeles was arrested for resisting/delaying an officer, possession of narcotics paraphernalia and Santa Monica warrant. Bail was set at $20,000.

UNION
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Unite Here’s research analyst Danielle Wilson is hoping the City Council will step in and make a statement about the Shore Hotel’s past actions by denying the alcohol permit for the restaurant.

“I think the bottom line for them is that they originally approved a limited amenity hotel and the Shore is trying to disobey that,” Wilson said. While the Shore did at one point list the new restaurant as an upcoming amenity, it has since taken the advertisement off its website.

There is limited information available about the restaurant called Avery that will be opening inside the hotel, except the owner is Peter Trinh, a Hollywood agent who also owns the Craftsman Bar and Kitchen in downtown Santa Monica.

“The Landlord has zero say in our operation and business,” Trinh said in a letter addressed to the City Planning Division. Trinh did not return the Daily Press’s phone calls asking for comment. In the letter, Trinh says his company, Full of Flavor LLC, is simply a tenant in a lease agreement and not involved in the legal dispute surrounding the Shore.

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Today’s Birthday (April 17)

You’ve wished for a work life that’s colorful and exciting, and that’s what you’ll get this year. The next 10 weeks will be healing for family ties. Love and friendship will be the outcropping of a May project. An investment will pay off in June. You’ll profit from a series of sales, beginning with a big one in September. Libra and Scorpio adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 3, 44, 49, 21 and 15.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
The warrior learns to fight but also to defend, starting with defending the self. You know better than to leave yourself open and vulnerable. If you decide to do this, let it be a strategy, not an oversight.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
The truth can be treated like some amorphous mystical thing you have to quest after, or it can be as simple as getting the facts straight about reality. Opt for the second treatment today, if only in the interest of saving time.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21)
On a winning team, not everyone in the group has to be a superstar. In fact, the unit is better off for the less-skilled individuals involved. They make everyone watch closer and double-check the work.

CANCER (June 22-July 22)
There’s money in finding your niche. You don’t have to create it. This is a process of discovery, the key to which lies in becoming extremely clear about what you’d like to see and what you want to happen.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
You sometimes wonder, as you pursue your curiosities, if all of this is adding up to anything. Rest assured, learning is not wasted or lost on you. You’ll convert today’s information to insight.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
Honesty includes what you know and what you don’t know. Claiming you deserve to feel healthy, safe and loved? If that’s not the norm lately, the position of the sun to Saturn today will help you find ways to turn the trend around.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)
The principle of inclusion will be manifest in today’s happenings. Of course, this is just how you are generally, making sure not to leave anyone out. You will casually but carefully maintain social balance.

SAGITARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
You have many interests. One of them is strengthening into something beyond a mere pastime or pursuit. It’s becoming a belief and a lifestyle.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
If you find today’s happenings bemusing, this is nothing to keep to yourself. Speak up and similarly confounded people around you will, too. The confusion only proves that you are paying close attention.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
You have friends in high places, low places and a lot of places in between. You’ll use those contacts in interesting ways in the weeks to come. Some of them could stand to be refreshed. Reach out.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
Knowing that you’re included in a circle of people is comforting, but this is not your only or even your primary source of solace. The feeling that you belong to yourself as well—that’s more than comfort. That’s serenity.
Neurologists have gathered more robust evidence that one’s sense of smell is linked to one’s chances of developing dementia.

They looked at medical records of nearly 2,500 adults between the ages of 70 and 79. At age 70, they were asked to identify a dozen different smells. None of the participants were diagnosed with dementia at the time. Nine years later, those who had performed poorly on the initial test were two to three times more likely to have developed dementia than those who had performed well. Moderate early scores indicated a 1.8 times greater risk.

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NAME CHANGES

ORDER TO CHANGE FOR NAME OF MINOR
Case No. SS029999
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petitioner: NATALIE ROBERTS

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
You are notified that a petition has been presented to the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, for the purpose of changing the name of NATALIE ROBERTS herein named, to NAME NOT TO BE DISCLOSED. If you are interested in this matter and desire to be heard in regard thereto, you are requested to meet at the courthouse of this county, at the time and place hereinafter mentioned, to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

Notice of Hearing: June 10, 2017 Time: 8:00 AM, Dept. 4K, Room A202
The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN ST., SANTA MONICA, CA 90401.

ORDER TO CHANGE FOR NAME OF MINOR
Case No. SS030399
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petitioner: KRYSTAL KROHA, KROHA FAMILY TRUST DTD 1995

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
You are notified that a petition has been presented to the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, for the purpose of changing the name of KRYSTAL KROHA, herein named, to NAME NOT TO BE DISCLOSED. If you are interested in this matter and desire to be heard in regard thereto, you are requested to meet at the courthouse of this county, at the time and place hereinafter mentioned, to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

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ORDER TO CHANGE FOR NAME
Case No. SS028999
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petitioner: LYDIA MORGAN

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ORDER TO CHANGE FOR NAME
Case No. SS029998
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petitioner: KATHY S. McFADDEN

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ORDER TO CHANGE FOR NAME
Case No. SS028998
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petitioner: JASON LYNDON CARTER

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