



JOIN THE FOOD BANK AND FARM AT THREE UP-COMING EVENTS

Thanks to a generous \$250,000 grant from Republic Services and Rebuilding Together Sacramento, join us to participate in and experience an exciting transformation at the Orangevale-Fair Oaks Food Bank and Farm!

The grant will provide a new farmstand, picnic benches, a covered area for the freezer and an awning for shade, children's educational displays, and two new vibrant murals to better serve our community.

"Republic Services and Rebuilding Together



Sacramento were looking for a big outside project that they could really put a quarter million dollars of money into, some sort of outdoor space. They were looking for a park initially, learned about our farm at the food bank, and came out and visited. Loved it. So now we're in this project and just wrapping it up now," says Brad Squires, CEO of the Orangevale-Fair Oaks Community Foundation.

Learn how to get involved and celebrate at three upcoming events.

September 28: National Neighborhood Promise Day

Join us on Saturday, September 28 from 8 AM to 12:30 PM as we complete the final renovations

funded by the grant! We need 60-70 dedicated volunteers to tackle a variety of impactful projects at the Food Bank and Farm.

This is a hands-on event with plenty of laborintensive tasks and tool work, so volunteers must be 16 or older. Lunch will be provided. Learn more and sign up at ovfocf.org/falldaysofservice.

September 29: Open House

Enjoy an evening of fun at the Food Bank and Farm on Sunday, September 29 from 4 to 7 PM! This family-friendly event features food, including chili from our friends at O'Connors, drinks, and community.

Join us to celebrate all the amazing work accomplished in 2024! Explore the incredible upgrades and renovations the grant made possible. RSVP at ovfocf.org/calendar.

October 5: Farm-to-Fork Dinner Our 4th Annual Food Bank Farm-to-Fork Dinner returns on Saturday, October 5 at 6 PM! Enjoy a one-of-a-kind evening of locally sourced plated dinner, unique wines, handcrafted signature cocktails, and live music. We proudly welcome Chef Randall, who will showcase seasonally and locally sourced meats and produce.

Tickets are \$175. All proceeds go to the Food Bank and Farm. Tickets will sell out, so head to food bank farm to buy yours to-day!

Article Credit: Orangevale-Fair Oaks Food Bank and Farm

CASA ROBLE TRIUMPHS IN THE COWBELL CLASSIC



Casa Roble Triumphs in the Cowbell Classic Amidst Scorching September Heat By Tim Engle

On the evening of September 6, Casa Roble and Bella Vista faced off once again in the third annual Cowbell Classic, a rivalry that always brings high energy and excitement to the field. This year, after a five-year hiatus, the two teams battled under the intense conditions of an early September heatwave, with temperatures much higher than usual for this time of year.

Bella Vista came out strong, taking an early lead with a quick score, but Casa Roble held their ground. Despite being plagued by injuries, which left many key players sidelined, Casa Roble's younger and less experienced athletes seized their opportunity to step up. They showed impressive grit and determination, sticking to the game plan and refusing to get rattled by the intense atmosphere or the adversity they faced on the field.

The game saw turnovers on both sides, keeping fans on edge throughout. However, Casa

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Roble's offensive and defensive lines dominated the latter half of the game. Their ground game, which had been grinding away at Bella Vista's defense, ultimately wore them down. By the end of the fourth quarter, Casa Roble had firmly taken control, securing a hard-fought 22-14 victory.

This year's Bella Vista squad proved to be one of the strongest in recent memory, making it a closely contested game. But Casa Roble's ability to stay composed and execute, even in the face of a heatwave and missing players, was the deciding factor. The Cowbell Classic lived up to its reputation, once again delivering a thrilling chapter in the rivalry between these two schools.

Casa Roble's season record is 1 - 1, which includes a first game loss to Placer. Next up, Casa plays at home vs Twelve Bridges on September 13. JV Starts at 5 pm and Varsity kicks off at 7 pm. Tickets must be purchased at gofan.co The game will also be streamed on Orangevale Live Facebook and YouTube. Go Rams!

Photo by Tim Engle

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BSA Troop 144 is hosting a Pancake Breakfast on September 15th from 8am-11:30am at Christ the King Church. Enjoy a delicious breakfast of pancakes, sausage, fruit, orange juice and coffee prepared and served by the scouts. Donations of \$10 per person are suggested and go to support monthly camping trips and scouting activities.

2024 Orangevale Poultry & Small Animal Exchange Free Humane Event – Open to Anyone Buy, sell, re-home or trade healthy small animals such as Chickens, ducks, birds, rabbits, etc. (no dogs/cats or hooves) Please bring in your own clean safe cages, and shade when needed. Third Saturday, Sept. 21, 9:00 – 12:00 New location: 7560 Larkspur Ln. (off of Oak Ave.) Information: call or text Sharon (916) 432-3286 It is advised to pre-register and to show before 9am on the date.

COME ONE COME ALL! VETERANS of FOREIGN WARS (VFW) POST 6158 COMMEMORATES NATIONAL POW/MIA (PRISONERS of WAR/MISSING in AC-TION) RECOGNITION DAY On Sunday, September 22, 2024, VFW POST 6158 is welcoming the public to join us in commemorating National POW/MIA Recognition Day at 8990 Kruitof Way (off Hazel Ave), Fair Oaks, between 1 PM and 6 PM. JOIN US in honoring and recognizing those who have sacrificed so much for our freedom and American way of life. There will be presentations, live music, and food banks.





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ANDREW F. EFFINGER JR. 1924-2024

It is with great sorrow that we announce the passing of a longtime Orangevale resident, Andrew F. Effinger Jr. age 99, who died peacefully on June 5, 2024 at his home on Walnut Ave with family by his side. Andrew was bom December 16, 1924 in Manayunk, Pennsylvania to Andrew & Dorothy Effinger. He was the second oldest of seven children and is survived only by his youngest brother, John. At the age of 16 his life would change in a way he would never have imagined. At that time he worked delivering fruit to the homes of people in the Philadelphia area. One day in

place and at the age of 17 with the permission of his parents, he enlisted in the US Coast Guard where he served in convoy duty in the Atlantic and Caribbean as a Gunners Mate Third Class. Throughout WWII he carried a picture of Naida in his wallet and they continued to write to one another without ever meeting until his transfer to the Alameda Station and then the Pacific Theater of Operations in 1943. Upon his Honorable Discharge in 1946, he said goodbye to his family in Pennsylvania and moved to Orangevale.

On April 3rd 1948 Andrew & Naida were mar-



ANDREW AND NAIDA 1948

August 1941 while opening a box of Plums, he noticed that someone named Naida Stevenson from Orangevale, California had written her name and address on the box divider of those plums seeking a pen pal. Naida grew up in Orangevale after moving there as a child and worked packing fruit for Sol Warhaftig, whose packing shed and home were on the comer of Chestnut and Central Avenues. Andrew responded to her letter starting a seven year courtship between them. In less than a year later, the attack on Pearl Harbor took ried at the historic St. John's Catholic Church in Folsom. The newlyweds lived in Ukiah for a year or two while Andrew worked for the State of California as a surveyor for the new Hwy 101. However, to be closer to Naida's parents, Andrew took a job with Sacramento County, Dept of Public Works in 1949, where through self education he advanced to be a Supervising Construction Inspector for roads and bridges for 36 years that included the Hazel Ave Bridge and the Greenback Lane overcrossing of Hwy 80. He and Naida built their home next door to Naida's parents where they lived for 76 years, raising three sons, Lawrence and Paul, (deceased) and Michael. In April 2023 they celebrated their 75th Wedding Anniversary. Sadly, Naida passed away in December 2023 at the age of 98.

Andrew was a 58 year member of the Elks Lodge, a member of the American Legion and was very active in the Scouting Program, seeing his three sons achieve Eagle Scout. He was a longtime parishioner of St John's and Divine Savior Catholic Church. He loved the outdoors, fishing and reading to better educate himself on all kinds of topics. Andrew is survived by his son Michael, daughter-in-law Kathryn and step-grandson Cole Mayjoffo.

A Mass will be held at 10:30 AM Wednesday September 18, 2024 at Divine Savior Catholic Church, 9079 Greenback Lane, Orangevale followed by a celebration of life at the church hall, concluding with interment at the Sylvan Cemetery in Citrus Heights, CA. Relatives, friends and family are welcome to attend.



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WILLIAM "BILL" MARK TANNER June 16, 1954 – August 29, 2024

Bill went to be with the Lord after a short battle with cancer on August 29, 2024 with his family and pastor by his side. He was born in Lexington, Kentucky to James Oroville Tanner and Anna Juanita May. He grew up in Lexington before joining the Army for ten years. Bill made his way to California where he met the love of his life, Debbie. The two were married in 1996 and lived a life together in Orangevale, CA. To the very end, Bill's life was defined by loving God and serving others.

He is survived by his wife, Debbie; his children Daniel, Tammy, and Laurie (Doug); his brother, Jim; his grandchildren, Lucas, Audriana, Liam, Jackson, and Mackenzie; and his in laws, Judy, Raulin, Linda, Linda, and Rick. He was preceded in death by his father, mother, his two brothers, Danny and Bob, and his sisterin-law Linda.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 2:00 PM on September 28, 2024 at Redeemer Covenant Church in Orangevale.



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6952 Drywood Way	3	3	1623	\$ 500,000
8465 N Star Way	4	3	1545	\$ 513,000
8824 Pershing Ave	4	2	1453	\$ 530,000
6627 Carrwood St	4	2	1504	\$ 555,000
9758 Beachwood Dr	4	2	1408	\$ 570,000
8732 Sherry Dr	3	2	1176	\$ 570,000
5806 Oak Garden Ct	4	3	2276	\$ 640,000
9121 Elm Ave	3	3	1466	\$ 641,000
6544 Arcade Creek Way	4	2	2073	\$ 650,000
6501 Almond Ave	3	2	1730	\$ 662,000
6504 Young Oak Ct	4	2	2073	\$ 664,222
6450 Oak Cove Ct	4	3	2355	\$ 739,000
8618 Gaines Ave	4-5	3	2138	\$ 800,000
8132 Wachtel Way	4	3	1838	\$ 803,000
7017 Santa Juanita Ave	3	2	1931	\$ 1,000,000
9587 Sprow Ranch Ln	3-4	3	3002	\$ 1,130,000
8250 Country Lake Dr	4	4	3075	\$ 1,300,000
7539 Telegraph Ave	4	4	3691	\$ 1,399,000

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his younger years living for

a time in the tented logging

camps of northern California

where his father logged, his

mother lived and his grand-

mother cooked for the crews

on wood burning stoves. The

family moved to Land Park

in the City of Sacramento

during World War 2. He was

a Navy veteran that served

on the aircraft carrier Mid-

way in the early 1950's as

an air traffic controller as

it patrolled the seas of the

world. He married shortly

after coming home and be-

gan a family. Ken as many in

our family and others worked

for Aerojet in the 1960's and

70's. They participated and

earned their livings in the in-

dustry of the 'Race for Space'.



KEN SULLIVAN JR 1932-2024

The Sullivan Family would like to announce the passing of their patriarch Kenneth E. Sullivan Jr. on August 18th 2024 at the age of 92 in Galt CA. Ken was born in Yreka Ca. and spent

Darin Neil Mayo breezed into this world October 13, 1973. He was the youngest of four sons born to his parents, Neil and Joan Mayo in Roseville. His brothers Dale, David, and Daryl helped shape him into the person we all knew. Darin loved baseball, dogs (especially Andy), camping, and spending time with friends. Darin was known as a social butterfly: he made friends everywhere he went. Life with Darin has never been boring. Everyone who knew him has interesting stories to tell.

Darin's son, Tyler, was born in 1992, and in 1996 Darin realized he needed to do something different to make a better life for him and his son. He joined the U.S. Army as a Multiple Launch Rocket Systems Specialist. This is where I, Amanda, met Darin. In 1998, Darin and I got married in Lawton, Oklahoma. In April 2000, we welcomed our daughter, Tanna, into the world. He later graduated from Mc George School of Law, became an accomplished trial attorney and opened a law of-

DARIN NEIL

1973-2024

In 2001, we moved from Okla-

homa to California, and that

fall Darin began working for

the U.S. Postal Service in Orangevale. While Darin appre-

ciated his job, he did not live to work. He enjoyed softball,

bowling, golfing, and fishing

with his many friends and

brother David. Darin loved his

friends and extended family

and was always happy to offer

a word of advice or let people borrow his tools, movies, or a fice for a time in Orangevale with his wife Diana where he lived for 45 years. He had a special connection to Orangevale with its rural roots as his great grandfather Daniel Webster Sullivan owned orange orchards when the town was Orange Vale Colony.

Ken is preceded in death by his wife Diana and is survived by many children, grandchildren and great grandchildren who will greatly miss him. As a student of literature and a great orator, he was happy to engage in conversation about everything from history and the constitution to old school hot rods and motorcycles. He loved large family gatherings and bbg's and would want all who knew him to honor him with fond memories.... Farewell Dad!

bit of cash. He was very generous. Even if he hadn't seen you in years, Darin would interact with you like he saw you last week. Darin was a wonderful friend.

In September 2022, Darin was diagnosed with renal cell carcinoma which had metastasized to his spine. He endured four spine surgeries. several rounds of radiation, a procedure to correct damage to his vocal cord, and numerous changes in medications. He worked rigorously to regain use of his hands after the second surgery. Darin kept a positive attitude and fought every day to defeat this cancer, even though he knew the odds were stacked against him. He fought with every ounce of his being until he simply couldn't do any more on the night of August 21, 2024.

Darin was preceded in death by his father, Neil Frederick Mayo and his brother, Dale Scott Mayo.



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Candy (A866756), 1 year old. "I'm dog social, sweet, and playful."



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I haven't lived with dogs before, and may do well with yours with a slow introduction. Bring your furry friend down to see if we're a match!

I find cats a little TOO interesting, so best to keep them away. I haven't lived with kids before, and would be a better fit for homes with older children/teens/adults due to my size and personality!

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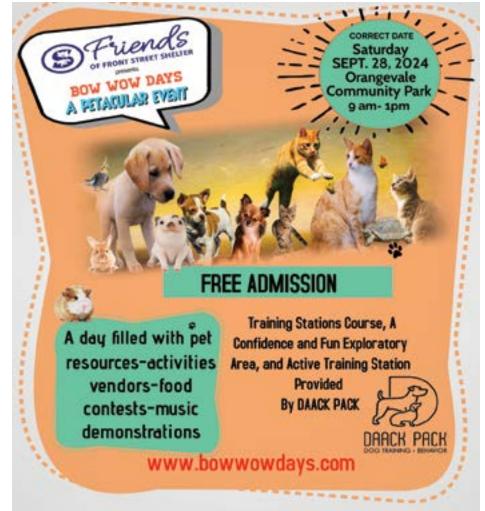
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MEET OUR NEW ORANGEVALE-FAIR OAKS FOOD BANK FARM MANAGER

The Orangevale-Fair Oaks Food Bank Farm proudly welcomes its new Farm Manager, Lacey Yuke!

Lacey has been growing vegetables her whole life, but around 15 years ago, she developed a love of bees. She planted flowers, created pollinator gardens, and started a Save the Bees initiative.

Lacey was studying biology in college and decided to transition to agriculture as her passion grew. She learned about internship opportunities in teaching facilities where she could combine caring for the land with making communities healthier and stronger.

Lacey has worked at farms as small as a oneacre production to as large as 1,000 acres. She had been in for-profit agriculture production, which involved a lot of technical aspects.

While Lacey looks back fondly on those experiences and all she learned, she was looking for a new place to call home at the community level.

"Many cities are disconnected from where food comes from because farms are outside the cities," said Lacey. "Farming began as small spaces that would serve the surrounding community. I would like to see a shift back towards that like the Orangevale-Fair Oaks Food Bank Farm is doing."

Ninety percent of the farm's produce goes to the Food Bank, which served more than 30,000 people in 2023. The farm's produce also goes to the veggie box subscription program from May through November.



In her new role, Lacey manages the farm's day-to-day operations, volunteers, farm camp program, events, and more. One of her favorite things is sharing her farming knowledge and teaching!

Meet Lacey at one of the Food Bank Farm's upcoming events! Sign up to be one of 70 volunteers at our Fall Day of Service on Saturday, September 28 from 8 AM – 12:30 PM. Or join us at an Open House on Sunday, September 29 from 4 - 7 PM for an evening of food, drinks, and community.

Visit foodbank.farm or follow us on Facebook and Instagram at ovfoodbankfarm to learn more and sign up.

Article Credit: Orangevale Food Bank





Ground Pork Vindaloo

My husband was looking for a recipe using ground pork and he found a recipe using the Instant Pot. This recipe is the perfect weeknight recipe! It is a dish that was brought to India by the Portuguese, and the recipe was adapted using local ingredients and spices. It is very delicious!

We would love some new recipes, so if you have any recipes, please send them to Suzanne Feblowitz at the Orangevale View (editor@ovview.com). Be sure to include your phone number or email address in case we need to contact you. If you wish to remain anonymous, just let us know and we will omit vour name

with Mini Potatoes 2 TBSP oil $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp cumin seeds ¹/₂ tsp mustard seeds 1 onion, diced $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 serrano pepper 1 lb. ground pork 1 TBSP garlic, minced 2 tsp ginger, minced 2 tsp paprika 1 tsp salt 1 tsp coriander ¹/₄ tsp black pepper, ground ¹/₄ tsp cayenne pepper 2 TBSP vinegar, white or apple cider

- ¹/₂ cup water 8 small gold potatoes, ap-
- prox. 1 pound Or 15 little potatoes, approx.
- 1 pound Fresh Cilantro garnish, optional

Directions with Instant Pot: 1. Press the sauté button. add oil and allow it a minute to heat up. Add the cumin and mustard seeds. Once the cumin seeds brown, add the onions and Serrano pepper. Stir-fry for 5-6 minutes, or until the onions begin to brown.

2. Add the ground meat, garlic and ginger and cook until the meat is mostly browned. 3. Add the spices, give everything a good mix, then add the vinegar, water and potatoes.

4. Secure the lid, close the pressure valve and cook for 10 minutes at high pressure.

5. Quick release pressure. 6. Garnish with cilantro if desired and serve. (It is great with a green salad.)

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Magnifying Glass

A magnifying glass that can heat and melt things into lava should be identified as a magmafying glass. That's a pun (burning to be shared, for those who might ask)...

-Z.F. Thrimej

ORANGEVALE FARM & GARDEN CLUB STARTS NEW GARDEN YEAR

Attention all gardeners and aspiring gardeners! The Orangevale Farm & Garden Club has started a new gardening year. We meet September through June on the first Saturday of the month at 9:00 am, at the Orangevale Grange Hall located at 5807 Walnut Avenue in Orangevale. Gardeners from all areas are invited to join us as members or guests for informative speakers, field trips, and sharing a love of gardening with each other and the community.

On September 7th, Orangevale Farm & Garden Club meeting attendees learned from Lacey Yuke, Manager of the Orangevale-Fair Oaks Food Bank Farm. how to transition our summer gardens to

get ready for the fall and winter. She also discussed what to plant and gave an update on the latest news from the Farm. In addition, we did a seed starting activity for our upcoming Plant Sale Fundraiser.

On October 5th, instead of a meeting, from 8am to 12pm we will have our Fall Plant Sale Fundraiser at the Orangevale Grange - 5807 Walnut Avenue, Orangevale. Come pick up starts for your fall vegetable garden, perennials, succulents, and boutique items all at great prices for a great cause! Mark vour calendar and bring a friend! Follow our Facebook Page ("Orangevale Farm & Garden Club), our Instagram Feed (@orangevalefarmandgarden), or become a member to stay updated on all the latest information! Submitted by Judy Herrmann



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Horsemanship F 10/4-10/25 Fee: \$195/\$198 NR Ages: 8-15

Soccer M 10/7-10/28 Fee: \$91/\$94 NR Ages: 6-12

Middle School Boys Basketball Season starts late Oct. Fee: \$160 Grades: 6th, 7th, 8th

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Collette Trovel Presentation

Tu 10/29 Fee: Free! Ages: 18+

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M 10/7-10/28 Fee: \$91/\$94 NR Ages: 2-5

Pickleball Clinic Tu 10/8-10/29 Fee: \$91/\$94 NR Ages: 6-13

Flag Football

Club W 10/16-11/20 Fee: \$125/\$128 NR Ages: 7-13

Chen Tai-Chi

Chaum Tu/Th 10/1-10/29 Fee: \$53/\$56 NR Ages: 17+

Zumbini

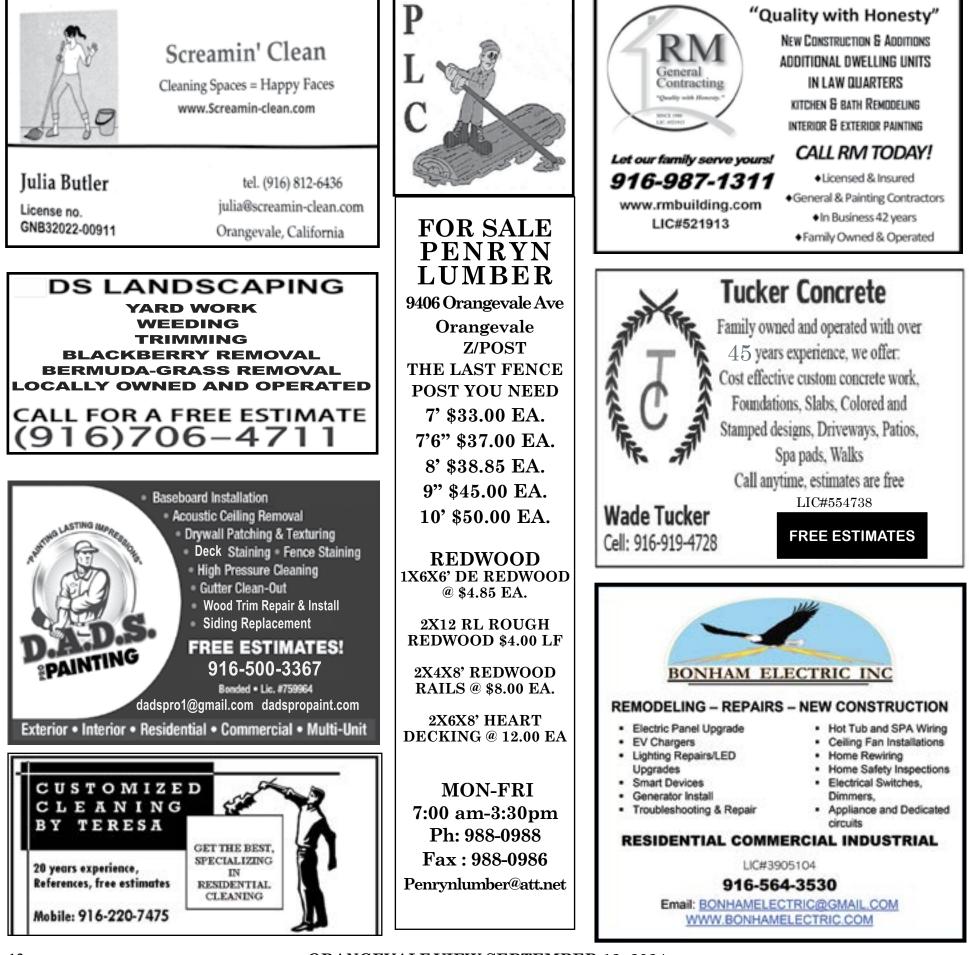
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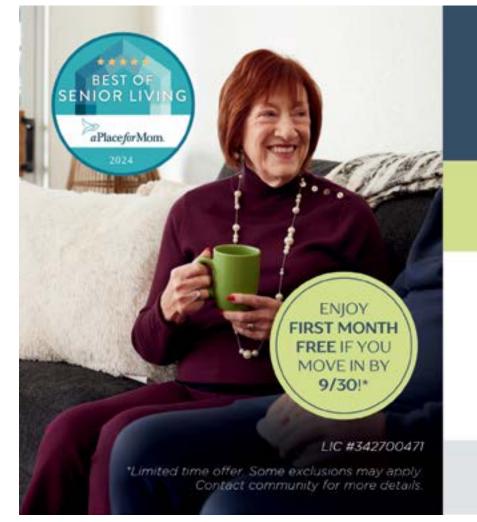
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MOESZINGER FAMILY By Kay Barnes and Teri Schuessler

I am going to California, William "Will" Moeszinger

Jr shouted to his workmates in Delaware, Pennsylvania. His parents William Sr and Elizaeth B

(Weckerly) Moeszinger sent a letter asking him to

join them in Orangevale after their cousin, Phillip,

gave them a Tract of land in the Orangevale Col-

ony approximately 1910. He had two tracts and

wanted to share. The address of the tract is 8834

Central Avenue. It was at the corner of Beech Av-

At the time of obtaining the property William Frantz

and Elizabeth had two minor children with them in

the Sacramento area. Their ancestors came from

Austria and registered as Moeszinger but for some

reason later the family changed their name for two

generations to Massinger before going back to

their original name. Their three older daughters

stayed in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. No family

member knows where they were living at the time.

They planned to build a home on the property, but

it had not been built when William Sr died in 1915

The farm had orange groves, grapes, olive trees,

cattle, pigs, and a dairy cow. Will worked at on the

According to the family around 1918, the home ar-

rived as a package and had a difficult time getting

through the Lincoln Cut from Folsom because of

the length of the boards. It had come on a wagon.

It was thought it might have been a Sears home,

The house has a basement with one wall of river

rock which serves as a partial wall above ground on the west side, making unique. It is a two story with

but no Sears stamps can be found on the wood.

enue and Central Avenue

gold dredger at Negro Bar.

three bedrooms on the upper story with a sleeping porch the full length at each end. This would allow for the evening breeze to come through either side

of the house. The bottom story is the kitchen and living area with the bath-room added later.

Will married Aris Mabel (Gibbons) approximately 1921and had seven children. Four daughters and three sons. All the children settled in the area. The sons Phillip, at 18 years of age, owned a hardware store in Folsom, Robert became a firefighter and retired aa a Chief in Citrus Heights and Eugene had his family home on Beech about two blocks from his childhood home. The Gibbon Family, a prominent Carmichael family known for their successful dairy farming, referred to the Moeszingers as the "poor folks." The Gibbons' roots trace back to Plymouth Rock.

In the side yard is a hole where the wa-

ter pump was. It is suspected if dug up, antiques might be found among the garbage that filled it in . The house now sits on one acre with a huge yard, grape arbors, vegetable garden, many trees (one with one of the largest trunks ever seen), and a swimming pool. Originally, the pool was dug by the teenage boys and their friends, filled with irrigation ditch water, and enjoyed. It was later upgraded to a beautiful pool.

The boys were also active in the Boy Scout program. In reviewing the Folsom Telegraph, they names appear with many of the activities,

The grandchildren recall wonderful memories of Christmas in their grandparents' home and all being together. Grandmother Moeszinger would take the grandchildren to the Methodist Church on Central Avenue before it moved across the street and then they attended Christ the King Church on Walnut Avenue. Robet's children had a gate to go back and forth to grandparents, but as young children were often scared at the gate by the large cattle in the yard.

In addition to working the farm successfully, they provided a volunteer fire department garage. It is a cement block building which still exists today. The engine was parked there from 1942 – 1952. Their grandson Lance shared the story that a line was built from the garage to a station in Citrus Heights. Wilma Gum shared in her biography that when their family needed a telephone, she was sent to use the one at Moeszinger which was just down CONTINUE ON PAGE 18

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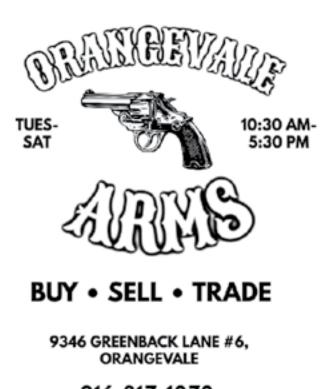


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AN EPIC NIGHT AT THE CASA RAMS 3RD ANNUAL HOMETOWN RALLY! By MaryAnne Povey

The Casa Rams Hometown Rally was nothing short of epic! The community showed up in full force to support the Rams as they geared up for the first home game of the season. The turnout was bigger and better than ever, with a sea of people stretching from the back of the Dairy Queen parking lot all the way to the sidewalk. It was an awesome sight to see, and it's clear that our hometown spirit is alive and well.

A big thank you to Dairy Queen Grill & Chill for hosting another fantastic community event, and a special shout-out to our top sponsor, Tonno's Sports Bar & Grill. We also want to acknowledge Easy Stumps for proudly displaying the giant American flag, creating a truly patriotic moment for all. The Casa Jr ROTC cadets presented the colors with pride, while Casa Team mom Candace Dickey moved the crowd with her beautiful rendition of the National Anthem.

Emcee's for the night MaryAnne Povey and Brian Rasler of OV Live helped rally the crowd by introducing the cheer and football coaches who recognized the cheerleaders and football team. The cheer captains tossed footballs, bracelets, glow sticks to the excited crowd. The evening wrapped up a spirited performance of the Haka by the Casa Varsity Team before everyone headed home to rest before the big game on Friday against Placer.

A huge thank you goes out to event coordinator Jenn Gustafson for another fantastic season kickoff rally and to all the other sponsors for their support including: Pappas Pools, Dez Corwin, Lyon Realty, OV Copy and Print, All Events Management Group, OV Ponyball, Professional Property Management, Jan's Lounge, Poidmore Orthodontics, BzB Fencing, Matter Realty Group, Moore's Garage, JD Rodli Construction, Orangevale Team Council, OV Live, and Palmer Real Estate, for their generous support.

Stay tuned for what's to be another exciting season of football! Go Rams!

Photo by Jayden Velasquez



Casa Girl's Flag Football Off to a Great Start!

A new wave of excitement is sweeping across high school athletics as girl's flag football rapidly gains popularity and enthusiasm. What was once a rare sight on the field is now becoming a movement, with more and more girls eagerly joining the sport. "The passion and energy surrounding these games are undeniable," said Head Coach Horner, "It's a blast to see the girls learn and improve each week. It's not just addicting to the players but to the fans too."

Girl's flag football is drawing

in fans and creating a new chapter in local athletics. The Casa Rams are at the forefront of this surge, with their team showing incredible momentum as they make their mark on the field.

Under the leadership of Coaches Chris Horner and Mike Jones, the Casa Rams girl's flag football team kicked off their season in spectacular fashion, securing a 13 - 12 victory in their season opener against Placer. The excitement was felt both on and off the field, with fans rallying behind the team. While the second game was canceled due to extreme heat, it will be rescheduled, so stay tuned for more action. Congratulations to the Casa Rams girls' flag football team for their outstanding start! Go Rams!

Submitted by Maryanne Povey



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Remembering 9/11, Connect and Serve on the National Day of Service

*Author's note: The following is a near reprint of the first submission I made to a local newspaper. Published around September 11, 2021, it was a reflective call to unity, forgiveness and compassion following the long months of 2020 and 2021. The same message applies almost as keenly today, as national sentiments come full circle from one presidential election the next. There are changes in the final paragraphs, adding a 2024 perspective.

Remembering September 11, 2001. A day that could be remembered solely for the tragedy and disbelief we experienced together as a nation, yet so individually through our television screens, over and over again as the images replayed. Yet, there were also helpers that day, those who brought unity, love and even song on the Capital steps in the wake of the billowing dust, ash and loss. There were the helpers.

Born out of the tragedy of Sept. 11, David Paine and others made a decision. A decision on what they would remember and what they would do. They decided who they would be and who they would become because of that day.

"We wanted to make sure the terrorists didn't have the last word in forever defining for generations how America would remember and observe 9/11," said Paine, co-founder of MyGoodDeed and the 9/11 National Day of Service and Remembrance. "We wanted instead to honor the victims and those who rose in service by keeping alive the spirit of unity and service that arose in the immediate aftermath of the September 11 attacks."

Upon the 10th anniversary of the attacks, MyGoodDeed joined with other national service organizations to organize what was then considered to be the largest day of charitable service in U.S. history, with more than 30 million Americans participating.

In 2021 that initiative to do good in the face of tragedy continues in our own communities in various forms of charitable service, including volunteering,

donations to charities, and simple good deeds. A hero is the one who sees a need, and fills it for their neighbor. Just because it needed to be done. Just to serve.

Nelson Mandela stated ""Sometimes, it falls upon a generation to be great. You can be that great generation. Let your greatness blossom." This generation, this one right now, right here in Orangevale, Fair Oaks, Citrus Heights, Folsom, Antelope, Sacramento. This is the generation that can bloom right out of the challenges wrought in 2020 and into 2021. That can bloom even through political discourse and differences. As we unite, build, rebuild and rebuild again to heal, lift and serve – together.

There are many ways to remember the firefighters lost in the rescue efforts when the South Tower of the Trade Center collapsed. There are many ways to remember the national discourse and experiences of the last four years. For Jay Winuk, he remembers his younger brother Glenn, who lost his life under the rubble of the South Tower, by how he answered the call to help. Each one of us. in own communities can answer a similar call, committing again to respond softly and consistently until collectively hearts are softened, needs are filled, and what has been divided is reconciled. Even if it's inconvenient. Even if it requires forgiveness. Especially if it requires forgiveness. To bring unity and healing by seeing and serving one another.

Let us be those who remember and see the collective difficulties of the past four years with an eye of understanding. Let remembrance of the times we have been lifted inspire us to lift another.

This September, in honor of those first responders on 9/11 and in remembrance of those first responders in our personal lives, find someone or some organizations to serve, to love or to forgive. Now is the time.

¬-Do you run a holiday drive? This column wants to highlight winter holiday giving opportunities all in one place the first weeks of November. Organizers of holiday drives or service opportunities can send details to PatsyMcGavock. JustServe@gmail.com by October 11th.

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the road and could afford one.

William Frantz Moezsinger Jr died on July 12, 1964 (74) and Aris Mabel [passed away September 30, 1969 (79). They are buried in Sylvan Cemetery. Upon their deaths no family member was able to purchase the full acreage. Robert purchased 5 acres at the corner of Beech Avenue and Central Avenue, two granddaughters purchased a third of an acre on Central Avenue and on the south side of Robert's property. The house and the balance of the property was purchased Joe Russo and his wife. They totally remodeled the interior of the home except for the sleeping porches/ He subdivides his land into large lots in front of the house (two large homes face Central Avenue and the balance behind the house off private road. He has passed away and his wife moved to France taking many of the original photographs the Moesigzers had shared with them. The current owner is Patick Embree.

Thanks to Lance Moeszinger who we interviewed and coordinated information with other family members.

The Orangevale History Project is open to all and meets monthly at 6930 Hazel Ave Bldg B at 6pm. The speaker on Wednesday, October 2nd will be Mark Aring on "The Wandering Bamboo Temple." All presentations are on the Orangevale History Project YouTube channel



LIBRARY NEWS & PROGRAMS

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HEIRLOOM SEEDS Available at the Orangevale Library The Orangevale Library has heirloom seeds to start your own garden and our cool weather seeds are now available! Grow a variety of herbs, ornamentals, and edible plants. Save money and reduce your carbon footprint by growing nutritious food at home. The seed library is completely free of charge and available to anyone. The seed library is available daily. Live Strong and Safe Thursday, September 26, 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.Jane Wise Community Room Live Strong & Safe Fall Prevention Program is a one-hour session that provides a comprehensive overview of fall prevention, including home safety and medication management. Representatives from Agency on Aging Area 4 will lead this program for older adults and discuss fall prevention topics that include: •Fear of falling

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•Environmental safety and home modifications COOK THE BOOK: OTTOLENGHI SIMPLE Wednesday, Oct 2, 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Jane Wise Community Room Join us for a cooking demonstration and learn how to learn how to make Tofu and Haricots Verts (green beans) with Chraimeh Sauce from "Simple: A Cookbook," by Yotam Ottolenghi.

KIDS

FAMILY STORYTIME EVERY Thursday, 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Jane Wise Community Room Families with young children (0-5) are invited to join us for songs, rhymes, and stories designed to build early literacy skills. Older siblings are welcome to attend. After the storytime we will put out toys and activities for a stay and play session where children can play and communicate with each other.

READ TO A DOG FRIDAY, Sept 13, 3:30 p.m. -4:30 p.m. Jane Wise Community Room Come read to some PAW-some pooches! School-age readers are invited to read to fury and friendly canine volunteers and their trainers. This is a great program for struggling and reluctant readers or for those who enjoy practice. The dogs are wonderful listeners. Woof!

STEAM LEGO® Robotics Saturday, Sept 21, 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Jane Wise Community Room Design, build and program a robot using

the LEGO® SPIKE[™] Prime kit. Led by a team of student instructors, kids ages 9 to 14 will work in groups to create a robot and learn STEAM skills with this fun, hands-on project.

FAMILY ART LAB Saturday, Sept 28, 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Jane Wise Community Room We bring the art supplies, you bring the creativity! Families, kids and teens are welcome to join us as the library puts out a variety of art supplies and let everyone make whatever art they want! Paints, modelling clay, markers, air brushing, and more are available for us to make pictures, sculptures, and mixed media projects!

MINECRAFT GAMING Thursday, Oct 3, 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Jane Wise Community Room Enjoy this computer game filled with mining, crafting and exploring! Play with new friends on our own library server at the Orangevale Library! We will do two 45-minute shifts if there are more participant than PC laptops. This program is for students aged 6 – 17; registration is encouraged at www.saclibrary.org/events

ADULTS

MIXED MEDIA ART Journaling Saturday, Sept 14, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Jane Wise Community Room Use your imagination and all kinds of mixed media to create a free-style art journal. Both inexperienced and lack of talent are welcome! The Friends of the Orangevale Library have graciously provided art journals and supplies to create a place for creativity to unfold. Please note, supplies are limited so feel free to bring your own too.

ORÂNGEVALE ADULT BOOK GROUP – Bright Young Women Saturday, Sept 21, 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Jane Wise Community Room Join us in-person for a lively and engaging discussion and make new friends! This month we will be reading Bright Young Women by Jessica Knoll. Starting one month before the meeting you can pick up a copy of the book from the front desk of the Orangevale Library or check our library catalog for available copies of the books and ebooks.

GENEALOGY: GETTING To Know You Saturday, Oct 5, 1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Jane Wise Community Room Do you need help researching your family history? Learn the basics, try new resources, and share discoveries with a group of Time Detectives. There's always something new to learn on a genealogy adventure! This program is for adults.

GENEALOGY: BOOK A GENEALOGIST SATURDAY, Oct 5, 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Jane Wise Community Room Need help with your family history? Not sure how to begin? Want to know where to look next? Root Cellar volunteers are ready to help you discover your roots! Free individual 30 minute help sessions are available at the Orangevale Library. Reserve your session online at www.saclibrary.org/events Sacramento Public Library's Adult Literacy program celebrates 40 years during National Adult Education and Family Literacy Week

Celebration culminates with Career Online High School Graduation on September 19

This year marks the 40th anniversary of Sacramento Public Library's Adult Literacy program. Since 1984, the library has offered free literacy tutoring for adults helping more than 5,000 learners.

"The library is here to support you in building a strong foundation for continued growth, at any age—there's no upper limit," said Adult Learning and Literacy Supervisor Casandra Keitges. "We'll meet you where you're at and learn about your personal goals. What's important to you is important to us."

According to the National Coalition for Literacy, adults who participate in adult education programs have higher incomes, resulting in more spending and higher tax revenue for their community. They have better health outcomes and have higher participation in civic activities like voting.

Last year, 153 literacy volunteers tutored 214 adults. The library's free program offers oneon-one personalized tutoring for Sacramento County residents at least 18 years old. The program is flexible, with sessions scheduled on days and times best for each learner, including evenings and weekends.

"I started with the [library's] literacy program five years ago. My goal was to read my mail, read a newspaper, and read books. I didn't even know how to use a computer, but I know now," said adult learner Patricia Davis. "The literacy program helped and encouraged me to get my high school diploma. My goals have changed because I have more confidence in myself."

During Adult Education and Family Literacy Week, the library will celebrate another milestone—the tenth anniversary of its Career Online High School (COHS) program. Over the past year, 40 adults completed their studies earning their high school diplomas. Fifteen adults will participate in this year's graduation ceremony on September 21 at the Tsakopoulos Library Galleria.

Since 2014, the library has provided free access to the program through a partnership with Smart Horizons and California State Library. COHS has helped 290 graduates prepare for the workforce. More than 80% of graduates continue to higher education. Students can earn an accredited high school diploma and an entry-level career certificate in ten career paths including Child Care and Education, Food and Hospitality, Home Care Professional, Manufacturing, Office Management, and Security Professional



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