Bosse, Mirisch and Wunderlich Stump City Manager

By Victoria Talbot

The Beverly Hills City Council voted 3-2 on Tuesday (Mayor Lili Bosse and Councilmember John Mirisch against) to go forward with a plan for “maintenance” of Parcels 12 & 13 that will include grinding of the stumps of 195 trees illegally cut down on Nov. 21-22, 2015.

In that vote, new Councilmember Robert Wunderlich voted to remove the stumps.” I did not want to pose an impediment that would delay the Santa Monica Boulevard reconstruction,” he said.

But Thursday morning, in a surprise move that residents are embracing, Wunderlich sent the following e-mail to City Manager Mahdi Aluzri and Bosse on his way out of the country. “New information has been presented to me regarding the stumps. Given that and the lack of need for immediate action, I have changed my direction. For now, I favor removing only the 13 stumps. Down the road and with more time, we can revisit the rest.”

Only 13 trees were recommended for removal in a 2015 report by City consultant Gruen Associates.

Aluzri responded: “Thank you Bob, I have discussed this with [City Attorney] Larry [Wiener] and we will rescind the order and ask [Beverly Hills Land Company] BHLC not to start phase 2 of the maintenance including the tree stump removal (which was scheduled for tomorrow) until the Council revisit the matter at a future meeting.”

The stump removal – which was scheduled for today – has become a flashpoint in the community, elevating concern among residents (see ‘TREE CUTTING’ page 22).

Beloved Southland Philanthropist Marion Anderson Dead At 86

By John L. Seitz

Philanthropist Marion Anderson died last Sunday at age 86.

The fact that the longtime Bel-Air resident passed on Mother’s Day is only appropriate inasmuch as she and her late husband of 44 years, John E. Anderson, spent their lifetimes giving of themselves and their largesse.

Marion, in particular, has been heavily involved with the Children’s Hospital Los Angeles, co-chairing both its board of trustees and board of regents for many years. She has been a CHLA trustee since 1989, receiving the hospital’s “Living Proof Visionary Award” and the lifetime title of chair emerita.

In 2011, the Anderson’s made the largest individual gift (see ‘MARION ANDERSON’ page 31).

Concours d’Elegance Returns To Rodeo Drive On Father’s Day

By Matt Lopez

Father’s Day can mean only one thing in Beverly Hills – the return of the Rodeo Drive Concours d’Elegance.

The annual Beverly Hills Father’s Day favorite returns on Sunday, June 18 as the 24th annual Rodeo Drive Concours celebrates the “Road To Rodeo.” The Rodeo Drive Concours d’Elegance annually brings around 30,000 visitors to Rodeo Drive, and a big crowd is once again expected this year.

“The Rodeo Drive Concours d’Elegance is the ideal Father’s Day tradition for our community,” says Mayor Lili Bosse. “It highlights the history of luxury automobiles, and showcases the latest designs and advances in automotive technology. However, most importantly, it celebrates our wonderful Beverly Hills fathers.”

The Rodeo Drive Concours (see ‘RODEO DRIVE CONCOURS’ page 19)

Florence Ajamian, Soul Of ‘Stop Cancer’, Turns 100

By Laura Coleman

At 4-foot-10 inches, Florence Ajamian’s diminutive frame houses an incredibly kind soul with an indefatigable zest for life. Tomorrow, she will celebrate her 100th birthday in Beverly Hills – a milestone she credits both to her ability to smile throughout her life as well as her lifetime employment with Stop Cancer.

“Stop Cancer is one of the reasons I’m alive, probably,” she said of the organization where she has worked full time since Dr. Armand Hammer co-founded it in 1988 with Sherry Lansing. “It’s one of the reasons I’m still active” (see FLORENCE AJAMIAN page 31).
NOTICE OF COMMISSION VACANCY

PLANNING COMMISSION –
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The Beverly Hills City Council is seeking qualified candidates to fill one upcoming vacancy on the Planning Commission.

For more information on this Commission position, please visit the City’s website at www.beverlyhills.org or call the City Clerk’s Office at (310) 285-2400.

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WALK WITH THE MAYOR

Join Mayor Lili Bosse on a series of Weekly #BHHealthyCity walks. Share your thoughts and discuss issues affecting the community. Everyone is welcome; all you need is a pair of walking shoes, a water bottle and an enthusiasm for all things Beverly Hills.

Schedule (Walks begin on Mondays at 8:30am):

- May 22
- May 29, Holiday (No Walk)
- June 5

Weekly walks depart from City Hall on Crescent Drive. Access the route by visiting www.beverlyhills.org/mayorwalk

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Beverly Hills Schools Welcome New PTA Leaders

By Laura Coleman

Ask any principal about the secret to a successful school and chances are he or she will tell you it’s the PTA. Indeed, Beverly Hills Unified Superintendent Michael Bregy underscored how the PTAs are foundational to the success of the school district to kick-off Wednesday’s annual PTA installation program at the Montage Beverly Hills.

“My favorite event of the year is always the PTA installation lunch,” extolled Mayor Lili Bosse. “There is nothing more energizing and exciting than being surrounded by these truly dynamic visionaries who are the foundation of what makes our schools soar to amazing heights.”

At Wednesday’s very special luncheon, parent leaders, school principals, administrators and city officials joined together to witness the swearing in of a new crop of PTA leaders.

LEADING THE WAY—Incoming PTA Presidents, (top row, from left): Laurie Okum, Jodi Galen, Lorraine Eastman, Rose Kaiserman, Jamie Halmi, and Jill Egreman; (front row, from left): Molly Corey, Emily Wolf, Cynthia Park, Kim Hartley, Maria Bennett, and Miryam Cohen.

The long-time PTA leader Jennifer Terrell received this year’s Capta Golden Oak Service Award.

“This woman is a force of nature, a dynamo. This woman knows what is needed and how to get it done,” said Susie Roberts.

All of the parent leaders who volunteer their time—many indeed spend considerable portions of their day working to help strengthen the schools—are intrinsic to the ability of Beverly Hills students to be successful.

“We are excited about working with our newly installed presidents and executive board and look forward to having an amazing year together,” said PTA Council co-president Rose Kaiserman, who was sworn in for her third term Wednesday.

SHARE To Honor Beverly Hills Resident Glorya Kaufman On Saturday

By Laura Coleman

Beverly Hills-based SHARE, Inc. would be hard pressed to find a 2017 honoree who better embodies the power of dance than local philanthropist Glorya Kaufman, who will be feted at tomorrow evening’s 64th annual Boomtown gala, “Let’s Dance,” at The Beverly Hilton.

Founded 64 years ago by seven women friends, SHARE (Share Happily and Reap Endlessly) is today recognized as one of the most successful children’s charitable organizations in Los Angeles, having raised more than $56 million since its inception. The organization is dedicated to raising funds for developmentally disabled, abused and neglected children as well as medical research and is well known for its dynamic gala fundraisers, which over the years has seen many Beverly Hills ladies take to the stage and dance in costume for this incredible cause.

“I would love everybody in the world to dance. It would give us a healthy country if everyone danced,” said Kaufman, whose eponymous USC Glorya Kaufman International Center of Dance opened last October. “Children that learn to dance early are better students, they’re happier, they have less stress and they’re more focused.”

Legendary recording artists The 5th Dimension, featuring original member and lead vocalist Florence LaRue, will headline the evening’s entertainment with actor/ventriloquist Jay Johnson serving as emcee.

“We could not think of a more perfect individual to honor at this year’s ‘Let’s Dance’ celebration than the incomparable Glorya Kaufman,” said Ellen Feder, SHARE president. “Not only is Glorya a lover of all things dance, but her passion for and commitment and generosity to the arts have afforded countless young people and audiences of all ages the opportunity to explore the transformational experience of music and dance.”

Kaufman said she founded (see GLORYA KAUFMAN page 19)
Beverly Hills ‘Piesta’ Returns June 11
By Victoria Talbot
The City of Beverly Hills Community Service Department is calling all bakers to prepare their entries for the annual Pie Bake A’la Beverly Hills and children’s “Piesta,” coming June 11, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Beverly Hills Farmers’ Market.

The application deadline for the annual pie-baking contest is May 28 and applications are available at www.beverlyhills.org/piesta.

All entries must be made with California-grown fruit. Judging is based on appearance, creativity, crust, consistency and flavor. The panel of judges will include distinguished chefs and food-celebrities.

Winners will receive gift certificates from the supporting sponsor Clementine of Beverly Hills, including $200 for first place; $100 for second place; and $50 for third place. A $50 gift certificate will be awarded to the pie judged “Most Piesiful.” The free event features a pie-eating contest for kids and for adults, pie-themed entertainment and activities, pie-making a decorating, and pie-activities for kids.

For more information, visit www.beverlyhills.org/FarmersMarket or call 310-285-6830.

Beverly Hills Fire Chief Ralph Mundell Retiring After 30 Years
By Matt Lopez
Beverly Hills Fire Chief Ralph Mundell is set to retire after more than 30 years of service, the City announced this week.

Mundell will retire on June 23 and will be honored next month at the 25th anniversary of the Beverly Hills firefighters Backdraft Ball at The Beverly Hilton.

Mundell began as an entry-level firefighter in 1986, working his way through the ranks and rising to various leadership positions including Fire Inspector, Fire Engineer, Fire Captain, Fire Marshal, Safety and Training Officer, Shift Battalion Chief, Deputy Fire Chief before eventually replacing Tim Scantton as Fire Chief in 2013.

An active participant in numerous community events and organizations, Mundell has lent his time to the Rotary Club,

Consul General Of Israel In Los Angeles Reflects On First Year On The Job
By Laura Coleman
Since assuming the role of Consul General of Israel in Los Angeles in late August, Sam Grundwerg has been non-stop busy working to represent the interests of the Middle East’s only democracy and promoting business and trade throughout the Southwestern U.S.

In the middle of back-to-back meetings, Grundwerg took time from his hectic schedule to meet with the Courier recently to share a little about his experience thus far.

Below is the exclusive interview: The Beverly Hills Courier: How has your reception been?
Sam Grundwerg: The communities Israel, people want to be connected. And I’ve found that all the people I’ve talked to, inside the Jewish community, outside the Jewish community, they all want to have something to do with us, something to do with me, and want to help be supportive in any way that they can.

(see ‘SAM GRUNDWEG’ page 17)

Public Works Day
The City of Beverly Hills will celebrate Public Works Day on Sunday at the Beverly Hills Farmers’ Market. The City’s Public Works team will be on hand and the event will include face painting, pony rides, a petting zoo, music and games. The event runs from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., at Civic Center Drive and Third Street.

TEA TIME—Horace Mann moms came out in full force to Baby Bea’s Bakeshop to support the launch of Teaaz, a creative line of stylish, functional and colorful teapots made by one of their own, Azi Vojdani. “My vision is to bring back the simplicity of drinking tea one colorful teapot at a time,” Vojdani said. Pictured (from left): Janet Hasson, Kimberly Combs, Tina Wiener, Gabrielle Levy, Moran Loya, Davina Penhaskashi, Jena Frankel, Romi Azevedo, Magdalena Mirisch-Krueger, Tannaz Anisi Odenthal, Azi Vojdani, Jenn Pedersen, Raquelle Vivanco, Ellie Gabayan, Jill Egerman and Ali Delijani.

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Designer Leonard Stanley knows his way around the great houses of the world. His discerning eye has created deluxe comfort in residences hither and yon. He remains in disbelief, as do we, with what follows...

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| Hosts Paul Swerdlove and Elgart Asher welcomed Shari Belafonte to their dinner at Il Pastaio, preceding their attendance for the S.T.A.G.E. musicale at the Saban Theatre | David Galligan, the director. Elgart and Paolo’s dinner for 34 last weekend was served in the new dining room at Il Pastaio on North Canon Drive. An area becoming a hot restaurant scene what with the acclaimed e, baldi, Porta Via, etc. | Jeremiah Goodman’s A Romantic Vision features 50 renderings of noteworthy interiors of the high and mighty | Designer Leonard Stanley knows his way around the great houses of the world. His discerning eye has created deluxe comfort in residences hither and yon. He remains in disbelief, as do we, with what follows... Leonard reports that mud-splattered jeans are selling online and in leading stores for $450 and upward. And that sneakers, shredded and in tatters, are up for grabs at $1,500 a pair at Neiman-Marcus. “Are buyers indicating that they’re just plain folks,” wonders Leonard. Curiously downplaying their wealth – in other words. Ashamed for being rich? Masquerading as gardeners? Sacre bleu! A classy gent, Leonard suggests we visit Therien and Company at 716 La Cienega (near Melrose) for the exhibition of Jeremiah Goodman’s elegant renderings of rooms lived in by Greta Garbo, Diana Vreeland, Edward Albee, and others.

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Inside Kylie Jenner’s $35 Million Beverly Hills Rental, Just Off Coldwater Canyon

By Matt Lopez

Reality TV star Kylie Jenner is sparing no expense on a luxurious Beverly Hills rental while her $12 million Hidden Hills home undergoes renovations.

TMZ is reporting that Jenner, star of Keeping Up With The Kardashians, is renting a five-bedroom, seven-bath-room home which is currently on the market for $35 million.

The home – which is listed by The Agency – is being rented to Jenner for $125,000 per month. It is on Heather Road, just off Coldwater Canyon Drive.

Jenner’s French contemporary rental, designed by renowned architect Richard Landry, sits on nearly four acres and includes a library with bar, professional chef’s kitchen, a big-screen movie theatre and a climate-controlled wine cellar.

All in all, there is nearly 10,000 square feet of living space.

The property also includes a mini golf course, a swimming pool, a tennis court and a private vineyard with views of both the city and the mountains.

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GOLDSMITH GETS HIS STAR—Oscar-winning film composer Jerry Goldsmith was

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Becky Goldsmith gets her star in front of the Musicians Institute. The Walkers were joined by old friends who have been inspired by her work. The star was placed in front of the Musicians Institute, a school that has been a home for many of the city's most talented musicians.

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Herb Alpert Foundation, CalArts Announce Five ‘Award In The Arts’ Recipients

At a ceremony this morning in Santa Monica, the Herb Alpert Foundation and California Institute of the Arts (CalArts), announced five $75,0000 prizes, award-ed annually for the “Herb Alpert Award in the Arts” in dance, film/video, music, theatre and visual Arts.

“We are delighted to celebrate the awards 23rd anniversary,” says Rona Sebastian, president of the Herb Alpert Foundation. “Each year the award recognizes five visionary mid-career artists who expand their fields as well as our horizons. We believe that championing the arts, individual artists, and arts educa-tion—from early childhood through professional development—has profound social, cultural, and personal impact.”

This year’s recipients include:

• Dance—Choreographer and per-former Luciana Achugar is a CalArts graduate born in Uruguay, now based in New York. She is the recipient of the Guggenheim Fellowship in Choreography and multiple Bessie Awards.

• Film/Video—L.A.-based film-maker and artist Kerry Tribe explores complex subjects through time-based media (multi-channel videos, 16mm films, installations) as well as sculp-ture, performance and photography. Her work has been shown at MOMA, Tate Modern, Centre Pompi-dou, in the Whitney Biennial, and at the Hammer Museum. Her upcoming New Works exhibition opens at the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art this fall.

• Music—Eve Beglarian’s latest work, Lighten Up, an evening-length multi-media event made with people who have been struck in mid-life by visions, premieres in spring 2018.

Beglarian lives in New York.

Eve Beglarian

Amy Franceschini

Daniel Fish

Kerry Tribe

Luciana Achugar

Never Surrender—A jam-packed crowd made the trek from Beverly Hills to the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library/Museum in Simi Valley for a showing of the acclaimed documentary Never Surrender, the true story of Lt. Col. Edwin P. Ramsey who led the last cavalry charge in U.S. Army history. Producer Steven C. Barber (center) hosted the event. The film’s director Matthew Hausle is behind him. Joining them were a number of decorated war veterans.
How do you feel?

CIRCLE OF MAJESTY TURNS 10—Last week the Beit T’shuvah Circle of Majesty celebrated a decade of service at its annual luncheon at the Four Seasons on Doheny Drive. Ten years ago, founding co-chairs Lois Bloom, Dina Leeds, Nancy Mishkin, Harriet Rossetto, Annette Shapiro, and Ronnie Stabler created the support group so local philanthropic women could join to support Beit T’shuvah’s mission of helping all those who seek addiction treatment, regardless of their ability to pay. The event has raised more than $1 for Beit T’shuvah over the past 10 years. From left are: Pat Gage, Meryl Kern, Dina Leeds, Annette Shapiro, Nancy Mishkin, Harriet Rossetto, Janice Kamenir-Reznik, Heidi Bendelson and Lise Applebaum.

Photo by Apples & Honey Photography

TCRF HONOREES—At the Tower Cancer Research Foundation’s Tower of Hope gala earlier this month were (from left): honorees Jan and Shelley Rosen, Board Chair Nancy Mishkin, honoree Dr. Robert Figlin, Sally Magaram (gala chair) and honorees Meryl and Russell Kern (See story right).

ABCs Mother’s Day Luncheon Honors Sharon Stone And Chaz Dean

By Joan Mangum

The Associates For Breast and Prostate Cancer Studies (the ABCs), hosted its star-studded Mother’s Day Luncheon at the Four Seasons on Doheny Drive benefiting breast and prostate cancer research at the John Wayne Cancer Institute at Providence Saint John’s Health Center. The afternoon honored actress Sharon Stone with the “Mother of the Year Award” and Chaz Dean, creator of WEN Hair & Body Care, with the “Humanitarian Award.”

Actress Karnataka Whitley was the emcee of the event which Beverly Cohen and Sheri Rosenblum co-chaired. Before the luncheon, there was a luxury boutique featuring a fashionable array of select vendors donating a portion of proceeds from their sales to the organization.

“Every year, Gloria Gebbia and the ABCs create an amazing luncheon that raises much needed funds to support our breast and prostate research,” said Patrick Wayne, JWCI chairman.

Sharon Stone received her honor from her three sons, Roan Bronstein, Laird and Quinn Stone. She has served as the amfAR Global Fundraising chairperson for more than 20 years, raising millions to find a cure for AIDS.

His long-time client Lisa Rinna presented the “Humanitarian Award” to celebrity stylist Chaz Dean, who has launched some 500 products in multiple categories including hair care, body care and fragrance. He has appeared on The Doctors and Life Changers, and supports Stand Up To Cancer, Habitat for Humanity, APLA, Best Friends Animal Society, and a host of others.

The ABCs was formed 27 years ago by a group of dedicated philanthropists who had originally been associated with the Eddie Cantor Charitable Foundation, an organization that supported a variety of causes. These individuals wanted to devote all their charitable efforts and resources to eradicating cancer and unanimously chose to support progressive and innovative breast cancer and prostate cancer research at the John Wayne Cancer Institute.
**The FLATS Offers Tasty Flatbread Pizza Behind Metro’s Construction Walls**

By Matt Lopez

It might take a little work finding it, but new Beverly Hills eatery The FLATS offers tasty flatbread pizza options that are well worth the effort.

The brainchild of Executive Chef Kyle Schutte, The FLATS opened last month at 8400 Wilshire Blvd. – at the corner of Wilshire and South Gail Drive. It’s hard to see from the street. The newly-opened restaurant is hidden behind fencing and staging for Metro’s Purple Line Extension construction, and that doesn’t look to be changing for the foreseeable future.

If you know what you’re looking for, however, delicious flatbread awaits you behind all the construction work.

The FLATS offers a wide array of shareable starters and unique flatbreads, such as the Duck Confit and Spanish Chorizo. A favorite we tried was the Apple flatbread, with smoked bacon, powdered thyme and melted robiola, topped with an apple.

As far as starters go, the meatballs with soubise sauce, baby herbs and bread crumbs is a can’t miss.

An eclectic menu of handcrafted cocktails offers several Scotch (They Call Me Mr. Bitterness), whiskey (You Wanna Buy A Duck?) and bourbon (Wilshire Boulevardier) centric drinks.

**THE FLATS at 8400 Wilshire Blvd.**

Valet parking is available behind the restaurant and is best accessed via South Gail Drive, near La Cienega Park.

For more information, visit: [http://www.theflatsrestaurant.com/](http://www.theflatsrestaurant.com/).
I AM JANE DOE — Aviva Family and Children’s Services will host an exclusive screening and discussion of I am Jane Doe on Tuesday, May 23 at the Creative Artists Agency (CAA) Screening Room in Century City. Narrated by Jessica Chastain, directed by Mary Mazzio and produced by Alex Sokolow, this film chronicles the battles that several American mothers waged on behalf of their under-age daughters who were victims of sex-trafficking on Backpage.com, the adult classifieds section that for years was part of the adult entertainment industry. "Sex trafficking transcends socioeconomic ethnicity, geography, and gender," said Yeakel. "In fact, the reach of sexual exploitation can touch virtually any girl, boy, or young woman anywhere and particularly in Southern California, so awareness is critical." Tickets can be purchased for $25 by visiting https://impact.avivacenter.org/movie. For more information, call 323-876-0550, ext. 1105 or visit www.avivacenter.org. Not recommended for youth under 15 years of age.

ANGEL AWARD — Nearly 400 guests gathered at the historic Jonathan Club in downtown L.A. to celebrate Beverly Hills resident and ConferenceDirect CEO Brian D. Stevens as he accepted the Angel Award from St. Anne’s Evening of Angels, the nonprofit’s annual gala. Opened in 1908 as a safe refuge for unwed mothers, St. Anne’s has evolved into one of the most highly regarded nonprofits in Los Angeles. Pictured: Stevens (center) together with Beverly Hills resident and St. Anne’s board member Ava O’Brien and husband Deryck.

LEGENDARY ESTATES — Beverly Hills is without a doubt the place to be Saturday thanks to the annual Friends of Robinson Gardens Benefit Tour. This year, the Friends will be celebrating its 29th Benefit Tour, Legendary Beverly Hills — Garden City of the World. In addition to visiting four exquisite estates in Beverly Hills — five if you opt for the VIP experience — attendees will enjoy a gorgeous showcase at Beverly Hills’ first estate, Virginia Robinson Gardens, with displays by many of L.A.’s top designers and florists, a fashion show by Theory, and wonderful boutiques and shopping, all to benefit this jewel of a garden in the heart of Beverly Hills. During the event attendees can chow down for lunch on the Great Lawn of the Robinson Estate with famous dishes once featured at the glamorous restaurants of the 40’s and 50’s, all recreated in exacting detail by The Kitchen for Exploring Foods. Such delicacies include: Elizabeth Taylor’s favorite, Chasen’s Chili; Marilyn Monroe’s favorite, the Minsky Salad; and Strawberries Romanoff from the famed Romanoff’s on Rodeo Drive. Purchase tickets online at www.robinsongardens.org. - Laura Coleman

BROOKLYN IN BEVERLY HILLS — Avant-garde string quartet Brooklyn Rider offered a riveting performance Saturday evening for guests lucky enough to be in attendance at the Wallis Annenberg Center for the Performing Arts in Beverly Hills. A dark, yet concise program well suited to their talents and collective penchant for stylizing the classic string quartet to a more contemporary dimension, which began with Philip Glass and ended with Ludwig Van Beethoven, also included an original, and very experimental, composition by group member violinist Colin Jacobsen as well as Leos Janacek’s moving Kreutzer Sonata. Now in its 10th year, the Brooklyn-based quartet has received consistent praise for its eclectic repertoire. “I think where we try to live is a feeling of blends between tradition and innovation, with a strong dose of individuality within that. It’s also walking that line of composition and improvisation,” said Colby. Tickets can be purchased for $25 by visiting www.brooklynrider.org. For more information, call 323-876-0550, ext. 1105 or visit www.brooklynrider.org. Not recommended for youth under 15 years of age.

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The Jacaranda music series ends its season with *Dram Summit* at 8 p.m., Saturday, May 20 at First Presbyterian Church of Santa Monica, 1220 Second St. M.C. Gordy will lead the Jacaranda Percussion Ensemble in Jacaranda's tribute to Steve Reich at 8 p.m. The group will perform their four-part “minimalism masterpiece” *Drumming* (1972) requiring at least nine percussionists, three female voices, whistler and piccolo.

Also on the program will be Reich's Music For Mallet Instruments Voices And Organ (1973)

Tickets are $45; $20 for students. To purchase and for more information, visit jacarandamusico.org.

The Pet Care Foundation is sponsoring a Cat-a-palooza at all six L.A. City Animal Shelters, Saturday and Sunday, May 20 and 21 to promote cat and kitten adoptions with reduced adoption fees.

For more information, visit www.petcarefoundation.org or www.laanimalservices.com for shelter locations.

Ten emerging opera singers from a nation-wide search will perform the music of Verdi, Puccini, Mozart, Tchaikovsky and others with the Los Angeles Performing Arts Orchestra, Frank Felicza, conducting, at the 45th annual Loren L. Zachary National Vocal Competition Concert at 2 p.m., Sunday, May 21 at the Wilshire Ebell Theatre, 4401 W. 8th St.

Required free tickets are available by calling 310-276-2731. For more information, visit www.zacharycompetition.org.

On Monday and Tuesday, May 22 and 23, California Pizza Kitchen locations in the greater L.A. area, including Beverly Hills, 207 S. Beverly Dr. (open from 10 a.m.-11 p.m.) will hold a fundraiser for Children's Hospital Los Angeles (CHLA).

On these two dates, guests can mention the CHLA support effort to their server and 20 percent of their check will be donated to CHLA (purchases include dine in, take out, catering and all beverages). CPK has a longstanding relationship with CHLA. Last year, one in every 25 L.A. families brought a child to the hospital for treatment.

L.A. Theatre Works (LATW) emerged science and saving nature, will be the featured speaker at the Beverly Hills' Women's Club Open House, from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, May 27 at the clubhouse, 1700 Chevy Chase Dr.

Halter's latest books are *The Incomparable HoneyBee* and *The Economics of Pollination and The Insatiable Bark Beetle and Shepherding The Sea: The Race To Save Our Oceans.*

The day will also include tours of the clubhouse showcasing the continuing restoration of the historical property.

The free event is open to the public. For information on the event, log onto www.bhwc.org or call 310-276-5804.
BHV: What does Israel mean to you?
Grundwerg: It means my homeland and my tradition. It means a multicultural mosaic of different folks of different backgrounds where you can say what you believe. And to be able to express yourself and be free.

BHV: What is the greatest challenge? Grundwerg: The biggest challenge, even without anybody telling me, is being connected and keeping the younger generation connected. I think it’s a challenge in general, not only for the State of Israel, but for the Jewish community. With respect to Jewish education, Jewish identity... people relate to Judaism and the state of Israel today in a different way than previous generations did. So I think the biggest challenge is keeping Israel and Judaism relevant in the lives of young people.

BHV: What strategy are you using to connect to the younger generation? Grundwerg: I always say, there’s no one size fits all approach. Israel has so much to offer in so many areas, whether it’s art, culture, technology, medical innovation, so depending on who we’re trying to reach out, we try to identify where there’s need in the community to bring Israeli expertise and knowledge to address a real need. It’s the same thing for young people. The idea is to bring the different aspects of true Israel in a way that people can relate to and connect to.

For the full interview, visit www.bhcourier.com.

BUSINESS HOURS (continued from page 4)

Street art, or “stamps” chalked onto the sidewalk at the businesses, will be collected on social media, according to the promoters, Agent.

Only one speaker, Beverly Hills Municipal League President Thomas White, opposed the proposal. “It’s a lot of sizzle and no steak,” he said.

Several business leaders were present to provide support for the initiative, including Beverly Hilton General Manager Sandy Murphy, Managing Director of the Peninsula Offer Nissenbaum, CBRE Director Two Rodeo Bill Wiley, former City Treasurer Eliot Finkel and Geyser’s CEO Tom Blumenthal, with a letter read by Mark Tronstein, outgoing director of the Rodeo Drive Committee.

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Added Murphy: “We have struggled to keep guests in the City during the evening hours.”

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Academic Achievers To Provide Inside Look At College Admissions

Academic Achievers, a leading provider of private tutoring for pre-K-12 students, will hold a special event: “Inside View of the College Admissions Process” at 9:30 a.m., Saturday, June 17, at its headquarters, 2500 Broadway, Santa Monica.

The event is open to area high school students and their parents, and will provide tips on how to successfully navigate the admissions process to get students into their first-choice school.

Guest speaker Jane Gutman, former associate dean of admissions, University of Pennsylvania, will give parents and students an inside look into what really goes on in the admissions office of top universities when they decide who to accept, reject or wait-list.

Students will also be able to take a free ACT or SAT practice test, which includes a free 10-page diagnostic analysis.

“We’re so happy to have Jane, a former admissions director at a top Ivy League school, shed some light onto what can be a stressful and opaque process,” said Janis Adams, founder/CEO of Academic Achievers.

“Former UPenn Admissions Director Jane Gutman will tell students what the top universities are really looking for at the Saturday, June 17 event.

“Our mission at Academic Achievers is to best prepare students for college, and the admissions process is clearly a key element of that.”

The event is free, but attendees must RSVP. For more information, and to register, visit https://academicachiever.wufoo.com/forms/x35481c03f6bb/.

Gutman has been the director of the Western Regional Office for the University of Pennsylvania. She has been working with Westside students as a college counselor for more than 20 years. She holds master’s degrees in both American Studies and clinical psychology.

About Academic Achievers
Academic Achievers Educational Services provides academic enrichment and remediation for pre-K through 12, including ACT, SAT, ISEE test prep, home school, and college and private-school consulting.

Academic Achievers received the “Best Private Tutoring LA Award” 2013, 2014, and 2015; “2014 California Excellence in Education Award” by the US Commerce and Trade Institute, “Best Test Prep Tutors in Los Angeles 2015” by CBS Local, and “Best Test Prep Orange County” by CBS Local.
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RODEO DRIVE CONCOURS
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always features one of the most spectacular lineups of classic and high-performance vehicles seen anywhere, and this year’s installment promises to be no different. Featured cars will be announced as the event date approaches.

This year’s Concours d’Elegance will benefit the Beverly Hills Police Foundation, a non-profit charity created in 1987 to provide financial grants for all members of the police family – both sworn officers and civilian professionals, their spouses, widows/widowers or dependent children.

“Through this annual Rodeo Drive Concours d’Elegance we will continue the trend of elevating the annual Father’s Day tradition by featuring a world class selection of fine automobiles that will amaze our loyal attendees,” said the show’s chairman, Bruce Meyer.

The Courier is proud to be a sponsor for this year’s Rodeo Drive Concours, along with companies like The Auto Gallery, Beverly Hills Ferrari, Mercedes Benz of Beverly Hills, Barret Jackson, URB-É, Tesla, RM Sotheby’s, Steinway, Sprinkles Cupcakes and more.

TEEN HERO
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until it was too late. Both Beverly Vista and El Rodeo have made use of the Foundation’s anti-bullying program to help curb a very real on-campus problem. BHHS has also worked with the foundation, bringing its “Send Silence Packing” program to the campus where a powerful installation of backpacks on the front lawn reminded students how tenuous the path to suicide can be.

Foder underscored how important “local heroes” are given that suicide is the second leading cause of death among young people ages 15-24. “It’s people who are doing things in the community that could have potentially saved [my nephew’s] life if he were around,” she said. “As soon as we can change the culture on campus and let them know it’s okay to talk about mental health, that’s when we’re really able to prevent suicide.”

The number one key for suicide prevention is definitely breaking the stigma of asking for help,” she added.

In collaboration with the foundation, this week Rebecca spearheaded the BHHS Stress Less Laugh More Campaign. Fully funded by the foundation, every day this week students have taken part during lunch in a variety of activities all geared to minimize stress, including yoga, meditation and even a photo booth.

Rebecca said she founded the mental health club to cultivate a stigma-free environment after experiencing her own struggles transitioning to high school.

“Going through middle school (at El Rodeo) and high school I realized that a lot of kids were suffering in silence,” she recalled of the dynamic period that included incredible stress from puberty, change in school and a heavy academic load. “Everyone was going through it, but everyone was suffering alone.”

She said about 15 to 20 students attend the club meetings every other Tuesday at lunch where they discuss a variety of mental health topics and stress management tools, as well as engage in healthful practices such as meditation.

“It’s a great reminder to care about yourself, to love yourself and to remind your peers to care about themselves,” said Rebecca, who is headed to Santa Monica College in the fall. “School is stressful and having a place where you can de-stress with other students is really beneficial.”

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WE’RE HEADED WEST.

Metro has launched a 1-hour parking validation program in Beverly Hills to provide replacement parking for metered spots on Wilshire Bl between San Vicente Bl and La Cienega Bl. The parking program is a part of the mitigation program during the construction of Metro’s Purple Line Extension.

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Lakers Secure Second Pick In NBA Draft, Likely Will Select Lonzo Ball

By Matt Lopez

The Lakers fans worldwide breathed a sigh of relief Tuesday evening when the ping-pong balls went their way once again at the NBA Draft Lottery, and the Lakers received the second pick in next month’s NBA draft. The NBA Draft Lottery works much like a state lottery – the 14 teams with the worst record during the season are all assigned odds at getting the top pick, with the team with the worst record having the best odds.

Ping-pong balls for each team are assigned based on those odds, and then drawn.

The Lakers finished with the third worst record in the league, and drew the second pick in the draft. The Boston Celtics will pick first. Based on a previous trade, the Lakers would have lost the pick if it had fallen outside the top three.

Washington guard Markelle Fultz is believed to be the Celtics’ target with the top pick, and it is widely-believed that the Lakers will select UCLA star Lonzo Ball with the second pick.

Ball, something of a hometown hero, starred at Chino Hills High before playing one season at UCLA. He’s been at the center of controversy recently – mostly because of his braggadocios dad Lavar Ball – who has exclaimed that his son will be better than two-time NBA MVP Steph Curry, and that he himself could have defeated Michael Jordan in a game of 1-on-1.

Lavar and Lonzo have spurned deals with traditional sneaker powerhouses like Nike, Adidas and Reebok to start their own company – Big Baller Brand – which is currently selling shoes for $495 a pair.

Ball is a gifted shooter and passer, who has drawn comparisons to NBA legend Jason Kidd. Critics have questioned his unorthodox shot release and whether his athleticism will translate to the NBA level.

BHHS Track Athletes Set For Saturday’s CIF-SS Division 3 Finals

Beverly Hills High will have a few athletes on the track this weekend at the CIF Southern Section Division 3 finals at Cerritos College.

Front and center will be BHHS’ girls 4x400 meter relay team, comprised of Julianne Araullo, Danna Rosman, Leticia Valle and Sarah Smith, who qualified in their heat in the CIF-SS Division 3 prelims in April.

The girls relay team has already qualified with a time of 4:05.87, good for 22nd overall on the all-time BHHS list.

Also participating in Saturday’s CIF-SS Division 3 finals will be BHHS’ Julie Park, who cleared a personal record 9-9 in the pole vault to qualify for the finals.

Park tied for fifth place in the prelims.

The Division 3 finals are Saturday at Cerritos College. Field events begin at 10:30 a.m. and track events begin at 1 p.m.

Baseball

The Beverly Hills High baseball team ended its season with a winning record, but missed out on a playoff spot in CIF Southern Section pairings that were released over the weekend.

BHHS (31-10, 6-6) ended its season with a 3-0 loss to rival Culver City on May 11. A day earlier, the Normans defeated Lawndale 4-0.

The Normans finished the season in fourth place in the Ocean League.

Basketball

Former BHHS standout Chance Comanche, who last week announced that he will forego his final two seasons of eligibility at Arizona and enter the NBA draft, worked out Thursday for the Los Angeles Lakers.

Comanche was among a group of draft hopefuls who worked out for the team Thursday at its headquarters in El Segundo.

The Lakers own both the No. 2 overall pick and the No. 28 overall pick in the draft.

Comanche, a 6-foott-11, 215-pound sophomore, led Beverly Hills High to its title.

He earned a scholarship to Arizona, but hasn’t had a big role in his two seasons under Coach Sean Miller. Last season, coming off the bench, Comanche averaged 6.3 points and 3.6 rebounds in 18.1 minutes per game.

On May 5, Comanche announced in a tweet that he was officially headed to the NBA.

“It’s been a lifelong dream of mine to play in the NBA and I am looking forward to showcasing my talent during the draft process,” Comanche wrote.

Comanche was not one of the 67 draft-eligible players invited to the NBA Draft Combine and is not currently listed on many mock drafts.

The NBA draft is set for June 22, 2017.

WEEKLY UPDATE (Subject to schedule changes)

Traffic Alert – Two lanes open each direction on N. Santa Monica Blvd. Intermittent lane closures. Expect traffic delays.

Construction Activity – Removal and replacement of curbs and gutters, and installation of traffic signal poles, on N. Santa Monica Blvd. between Wilshire Blvd. and Rodeo Dr.

Work Hours: Mon.-Sat. from 8am-6pm. Night work is May 18-24 from 8pm-6am.

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<td>USDA Choice Ribeye Steak</td>
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## Wines & Spirits

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<td>Joel Gott</td>
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<td>Red Tree</td>
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## Grocery

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<td>Basmati Rice</td>
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## Fun Facts about Grapples

Crunches like an apple, tastes like a grape. The fruit is made by taking Fuji or Gala apples and dunking them in a bath of Concorde grape flavor. They take on no extra sugars or calories. Just like a regular apple, Grapples have about 95 calories per medium sized piece of fruit.

## Sale Prices Effective May 19 to May 25, 2017

Sales are limited to stock on hand.

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY SALE**

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<td>Sweet Strawberries</td>
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<td>Persian Cucumbers</td>
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<td>Mini Watermelon</td>
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Sale prices valid 5/19/17 and 5/20/17.
that City staff, who are largely responsible for the cutting of the trees, especially Aluzri, and the developers, Lyn Konheim, Bob Barth and Stanley Black of the BHLC, are using this opportunity to remove evidence that they might have worked together to cut down the trees, and are doing so again with the stumps.

"Why," asked resident Marilyn Gallup, "did the majority of the City Council members continue to act in the interest of the BHLC and against the wishes of the residents?"

Following the 2015 incident, Public Information Manager Therese Kosterman wrote: "The Community Development Department issued a right-of-way permit for a lane closure this past weekend for the work on lots 12 and 13. No permit was needed for cutting the trees; we have no control over them as they are on private property. Our understanding is that the owner contacted the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) on his own to learn the correct procedure for removal of the trees.

In fact, no permit was ever issued to close the street; 195 of the 196 tree cuts down were, either wholly or partially, on City-owned land. None of the work- ers were "authorized to be in a hazardous waste site," said Sayareh Amir, Branch Chief in Clean Up Operations at the DTSC, which has authority over the property that is heavily contaminated with arsenic.

Now, it appears that the City is working again with Konheim, Black and Barth. The City and the third department of the Santa Monica Boulevard reconstruction project — no matter what toll it takes on the relationship between the City administration and its residents, who have lost faith in the City staff.

An e-mail sent on May 12 to Konheim and his attorney Bob Howard shows that Aluzri, Deputy Building Official David Yelton, Assistant City Manager George Chavez, Director of Community Development Susan Healy Keene and Wiener were among those informed of a plan to push the stump removal through City Council.

The e-mail reads: "This serves to confirm our telephone conference call today. Due to our neighboring community members... stump removal will be placed on next week's City Council Study Session agenda... stump removal is not included in the deal. Land Company is directed not to initiate any scheduled stump removal work on Parcels 12 and 13, which BHLC voluntarily agreed to comply pending further notice by the City. Accordingly, the scope of work... will be part of the public process, and staff expects to receive direction from the Council at the May 16 meeting."

This communication, like those found in the City Council's "map" of the 195 tree stumps, was obtained in a Public Records Act — that of the City's own to remove evidence that they might have worked together to cut down the trees, and are doing so again with the stumps.

Yelton minimized the opposition to the removal of the tree stumps to City Council members, which has caused a firestorm of new controversy.

"Thank you for your understanding and patience regarding this interruption by placing your schedule on hold to remove the stumps..."

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

Signed:
Muriel Boris
Judge of the Superior Court

Gerald Rosenberg, Executive Officer/Clerk
Dated: April 26, 2017

The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name:

Gustavo Lamanna, Owner: Statement is filed with the County of Los Angeles: April 26, 2017; Published: May 05, 12, 19, 26, 2017; LACN NC

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2017107154
The following in/said doing business as: the Latigo Grill Office/Dr. 138 N. Hamilton Dr. #5, Beverly Hills, CA 90211;  Wilson+Steinmetz 138 N. Hamilton Dr. #5, Beverly Hills, CA 90211;  Brandeis Brothers: 138 Main St., Beverly Hills, CA 90212;  The following in/said doing business as: an INDIVIDUAL, registrant(s) has been conducted by a CORPORATION, registrant(s) has been filed under the name(s) April 26, 2017; Published: May 05, 12, 19, 26, 2017; LACN NC

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Governing Board of the Beverly Hills Unified School District, hereafter referred to as “District”, will receive prior to 10:00 a.m. on the 9th day of June 2017 sealed bids for the award of a Contract for the following.

Bid # 16-17005 Copper Cabling Infrastructure Enhancement Project

All bids shall be made and presented on the forms presented by the owner. Bids will be received in the Purchasing Office of the Beverly Hills Unified School District at 255 S. Lasky Drive, Beverly Hills, California 90212, Attention: Dianne Richard. Any bids received after the timespecified above will be returned unopened.


A mandatory job walk is scheduled to start at 11:00 am May 30, 2017. Any contractor bidding on the Project who fails to attend the entire mandatory job walk and conference will be deemed a non-responsive bidder and will have its bid returned unopened.

El Rodeo School, 605 Whittier Drive, Beverly Hills, CA 90210 at 11:00am; followed by Hawthorne School, 624 North Rexford Drive, Beverly Hills, CA 90210; followed by Beverly Vista School, 200 South Elm Drive, Beverly Hills, CA 90212; and will conclude at Horace Mann School, 8701 Charleville Blvd, Beverly Hills, CA 90211.

The District reserves the right to reject any or all bids or parts of any bid and to waive any irregularities or informalities in any bid.

Each Bid Proposal shall be accompanied by Bid Security in an amount not less than 10% (10%) of the maximum amount of the Bid Proposal, in the form of a certified check, cashier’s check or a bidder’s bond executed by a California admitted surety as defined in California Code of Civil Procedure Section 10164 or 20103.5 of the Public Contract Code, provided the contractor is registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 10164 or 20103.5 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract to that non responsive Bidder.

Separate payment and performance bonds, each in an amount equal to 100% of the total contract amount issued by a California admitted surety as defined in California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1584, shall be furnished, and shall be provided prior to execution of the Contract and shall be in the form set forth in the Contract Documents.

The Contractor shall maintain insurance adequate to protect him from claims under Worker’s Compensation Acts, and from claims from damages for personal injury, including death, and damage to property, which may arise from operations under the contract. Each proposer shall provide with its proposal proof of Commercial General Liability Insurance, Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance, and Workers’ Compensation Insurance. The selected contractor will be asked to furnish a certificate of liability insurance endorsed naming the District as an additional insured. Failure to furnish such evidence, if required, may be considered default by the Contractor.

Each bidder shall possess at the time this contract is awarded a C-10 General Building contractor’s license. All subcontractors shall furnish certified payroll forms and proof of workers’ compensation insurance. Each proposer shall also provide with its proposal proof of Commercial General Liability Insurance, Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance, and Workers’ Compensation Insurance. The selected contractor will be asked to furnish a certificate of liability insurance endorsed naming the District as an additional insured. Failure to furnish such evidence, if required, may be considered default by the Contractor.

Pursuant to California Labor Code §1773, the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations of the State of California has determined the generally prevailing rates of wages in the locality in which the Work is to be performed. The Contractor and all Subcontractors performing any portion of the Work shall pay not less than the applicable prevailing wage rate for each class of labor provide by their respective workers in prosecution and execution of the Work.

A contractor or subcontractor shall not be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, or be selected to the requirements of Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, as defined in the Labor Code, unless currently licensed and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5. It is not a violation of this section for an unregistered contractor to submit a bid that is authorized by Section 4104 of the Business and Professions Code or by Section 10164 or 20103.5 of the Public Contract Code, provided the contractor is registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5 at the time the contract is awarded.

The contractor and all subcontractors shall furnish certified payroll records and shall not be liable for any work performed under the contract to the Labor Commissioner in accordance with Labor Code section 1771.4 on at least a monthly basis (or more frequently if required by the District). The District will be provided a certified copy of any payroll records submitted to Labor Commissioner. Monitoring and enforcement of the prevailing wage laws and related requirements will be performed by the Labor Commissioner/Department of Labor Standards Enforcement (DLSE).

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in the hospital's history and the new pavilion which ensued from this document is another story. After them. As Paul S. Vivano, CHLA president/CEO, stated: "Every infant, child and young adult who visits CHLA is a legacy to her grace and humanity."

Their commitment to UCLA and the Anderson Graduate School of Management is well known. Two years after the foundation giftation another $100 million to the school and a new building in the complex will soon be named in her honor.

The foundation has also had a long history supporting the Venice Chanoy Room and the Music Center.

Up to the time of her death, she served on the Board of Directors of Certified City-based Tapa Equities, Ltd., a company founded by her husband. Among its 30 holdings are insurance, auto and real estate businesses plus beer distributors for such brands as Heineken and Guinness.

Marion Anderson was born in New York City. After moving to Los Angeles with her family, and why my memory is still very good.

"Growing up in New Jersey, the only child of Armenian immigrants who’d lost the bulk of their family in the 1915 Armenian Genocide, Florence learned early on the importance and power of communication. After majoring in English at New Jersey State University, she moved to Manhattan, where she worked first as an editor for Maj. Alexander De Seversky, author of Victory Through Air Power, before later working as a PR director for Caribbean Airlines owner O. Roy Chalk.

In 1969 Florence moved to California for her mother’s health. She lives now on Ocean Avenue in Santa Monica, where she still lives today.

"It was beautiful," she recalled. "You could park anywhere. There were more flowers everywhere. There were roses everywhere."

In Los Angeles she initially started doing publicity for Max Factor. Eventually, she was working late-night television and landed a job with Dr. William in 1979 when her personnel department director for Caribbean Airways before later working as a PR Director for Victory Through Air Power. Florence is the oldest child of Alexander De Seversky, author of Victory Through Air Power.

"I’ve always been too busy," she said.

Today, Florence has no plans to work or drive a car for that matter. She is 100 years old, and for her, the energy of conflict will be ignited. This isn’t necessary!

"I haven’t really thought about each decade until recently ... I’ve always been too busy to think about the past," she said.

Florence has no plans to slow down, or stop working and driving a car for that matter. And she is firm on one key thing: that is to keep smiling.

"You know what fun is to you. Stick with that and the smiles keep coming, whereas subscribing to other people’s idea of fun might actually make you feel irritated, uncomfortable or worse."

"When I was a little girl in school, they called me smiles," Florence said. "Evidently I was always smiling."
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