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**CELESTE JARDINE-HAUG**, senior services manager for the OASIS Senior Center, is retiring after working nearly 33 years at the facility.

## Called away by grandma-hood

BY SUSAN HOFFMAN

Becoming a grandma for the first time made 61-year-old Celeste Jardine-Haug's decision to retire a little easier.

After managing the OASIS Senior Center in Newport Beach for nearly 33 years, Jardine-Haug's last day as senior services manager is Dec. 18.

"I'm thinking positively about leaving during this time," Jardine-Haug said. "It's time to have fresh eyes and new leadership, and when my daughter [Erin Tuhtan], who lives in Austin, Texas, [called] and told me she was expecting her first baby, that's when I decided it was time to retire."

Jardine-Haug, who grew up in Newport

Beach, could become a grandmother soon. She said her daughter is expecting a girl on Jan. 12.

Jardine-Haug, who graduated from USC with a gerontologist degree, took the job at OASIS in 1988 upon moving from Redondo Beach to Laguna Niguel. She started six months after her son, Kern Haug Jr., was born.

"What kept me here so long was the support from the city and the bosses that I had who allowed me to grow the program," Jardine-Haug said.

One of her bosses, Laura Detweiler, praised Jardine-Haug.

"The OASIS Senior Center under Celeste's leadership has evolved to become a top-rated facility among the industry and has set the example for many to follow," said Detweiler, the recreation and senior services director.

Jardine-Haug was honored Tuesday night with a proclamation from the Newport Beach City Council.

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## Hospitals see new record of COVID-19 patients

The Orange County Health Care Agency reports 1,025 people are in area hospitals due to the coronavirus.

BY ANDREW TURNER

Orange County saw its hospitalizations due to the coronavirus hit a record high on Thursday, as that number reached 1,025 patients in the latest data released by the county.

From that number, there are 257 patients countywide being treated in intensive care units.

The availability of ICU beds by region was the baseline by which state officials decided when to implement the most recent stay-at-home order. Regions that fall below 15% ICU capacity availability face a minimum stay-at-home period of three weeks. Southern California had the order take effect on Dec. 7.

Michelle Steel, the chairwoman of the Orange County Board of Supervisors, spoke out against the stay-at-home order and in favor of local control in a county news conference on Thursday. She said that many county residents are frustrated with a "top-down" approach to addressing the pandemic with restrictions being based on criteria that have continued to change.

"These moves haven't stopped the spread of the virus but have severely harmed families' ability to make a living, crippled business owners, and forced too many to

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## Huntington Harbour Boat Parade a go for this weekend

BY MATT SZABO

Though the ongoing novel coronavirus pandemic has put a damper on many holiday plans, one Christmas tradition will continue this weekend in Huntington Harbour.

The 58th annual Huntington Harbour Boat Parade will go on this weekend as scheduled in Huntington Beach, though the Cruise of Lights that would typically follow has been canceled for 2020.

Huntington Harbour

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Raul Roa | Staff Photographer

"WE COME IN PEACE" was this boat's message for the Huntington Harbour Boat Parade in 2018.

## Newport woman charged with murder in crash that left 2 dead, 3 children injured

BY LILLY NGUYEN, ANDREW TURNER

A 22-year-old Newport Beach woman suspected of driving under the influence was arrested after a Santa Ana couple were killed and three children were injured in a crash Tuesday night in Newport Beach, authorities said.

Grace Elizabeth Coleman faces five felony counts from Tuesday's incident. The charges include two counts of murder and two related to

driving under the influence of alcohol, court records show. There is also a count for a hit-and-run collision.

If convicted on all charges, Coleman could face 34 years and eight months in prison.

"Three young girls are orphans because of the selfish decision of a stranger," Orange County District Atty. Todd Spitzer said in a release. "Everyone knows how dangerous drinking and driving or using drugs and driving is,

and that it is a crime. Yet over and over again people choose to get behind the wheel after drinking or using drugs, and they are killing innocent people and destroying lives. This has to stop."

Newport Beach police responded to a call at 7:46 p.m. of a crash near Newport Coast Drive and South Pelican Hill Road. Newport Beach Police Department spokeswoman Heather Rangel said that

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## O.C. Soccer Club launches virtual soccer curriculum for kids

BY MATT SZABO

Children are at home more than ever as the coronavirus pandemic rages on and a regional stay-at-home order was issued this week for Orange County.

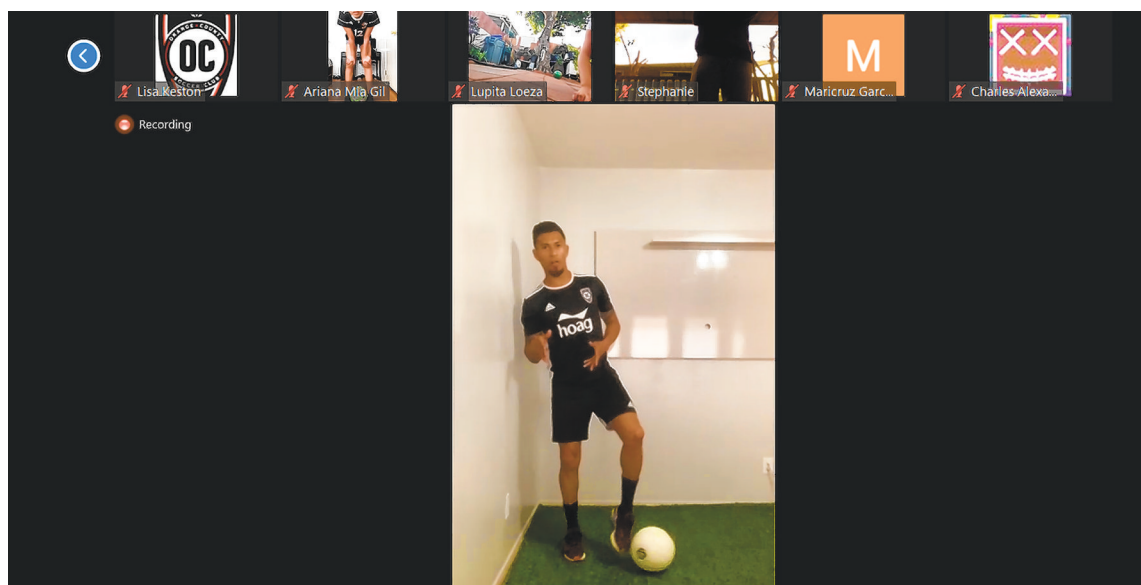
The Orange County Soccer Club wants to let kids know they can still be active.

The Irvine-based club rolled out a virtual soccer curriculum this week, where Orange County children can progress for an opportunity to level up and win prizes.

There are four age groups: kindergarten through second grade, third through fifth grade, sixth through eighth grade and high school age. Each age group has five levels of competition.

"We have five videos of our soccer players performing a skill," said Lisa Keston, Orange County Soccer Club Community Foundation CFO and vice president of community relations.

"The kids will receive a video on a Monday, for example, and they'll practice the skill on their own. They'll record themselves doing that skill and then they'll



Screenshot by Matt Szabo

**MICHAEL OROZCO** of the Orange County Soccer Club teaches during a virtual soccer clinic to middle school and high school students from Magnolia Science Academy on Wednesday.

send the video back to us. We'll review it, and we'll say either, 'You did an amazing job and you get to go to the next level,' or, 'Practice a little more and then send us another video, you're almost there.'

"We want the kids to have fun and stay motivated. Our hope is that every Monday, we'll be able to release the next level. We're giving kids a week to complete each level."

After completing all five skill

levels, students will receive a prize from Orange County Soccer Club and be entered to win large prizes like computers and tablets.

Participating teachers will receive a \$10 classroom materials

donation for each student that completes the five-level soccer curriculum for their age group.

The club is not charging for the virtual curriculum; any expenses are covered by the OCSC Community Foundation.

Orange County Soccer Club is launching the virtual curriculum in association with the Power of One Foundation, an Orange County nonprofit with a focus on fighting hunger and poverty.

The first school to latch on has been Magnolia Science Academy Santa Ana, a K-12 school that has been distance learning this school year due to COVID-19.

In order to help launch the program with Magnolia, the club is hosting virtual soccer clinics with its students this week. OCSC players Michael Orozco and Rob Kiernan held a virtual clinic with a handful of the school's middle school and high school students on Wednesday.

Kiernan, a defender, is from England. Orozco, also a defender, is from a little bit closer to home, as he is an Orange native.

"It's a great way that the kids

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# GRANDMA

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Outgoing Mayor Will O'Neill said that Jardine-Haug's departure would leave a big hole, adding that what he's learned from this year is that "folks who leave holes are the one we've loved before."

"We're going to miss you so much," O'Neill said to Jardine-Haug.

Jardine-Haug said she was grateful to have worked for Newport Beach, and that the city is a wonderful place and she cherished her time.

"I want to thank you, [Jardine-Haug]. You've just been an amazing leader to create an opportunity for seniors to have joy in their lives at this time in their life and thank you for all that you've done," Councilwoman Diane Dixon said. "We wish you well and now you're going from one age to another age group. Good luck to you."

New Mayor Brad Avery said that he was familiar with the OASIS Senior Center, both as a council member and, before that, as a resident, adding that people didn't talk about the physical building as much as they talked about what went on inside of it.



## FRIENDS OF OASIS

President Mike Zimmerman and Senior Services Manager Celeste Jardine-Haug pass out sanitized bags holding four masks each to OASIS members on Thursday.

Susan Hoffman

I've observed in OASIS members," she said. "The secret to what makes successful aging and people doing well at 90 is a positive attitude, socially engaged with people, staying active compared to those who sit and watch TV."

She also noted that those who overcome disease didn't concentrate on age, instead they continued to live the same life compared to those who focus on the negative or choose to give up. Leading an active life, both socially and productively, including continuing to do things that they did before, Jardine-Haug said, are important factors in physical and mental health.

"It's been incredible, but I'm sad to leave at a time during the pandemic when I can't say goodbye to everyone," Jardine-Haug said. "I feel that things are stable, we've set a lot of systems in place, with limited capacity and virtual programs so that seniors stay connected and do not feel isolated."

OASIS first closed in March due to the pandemic and reopened its fitness center in September. With the latest COVID-19 shutdowns, the fitness center closed last month.

During the closures, Jardine-Haug said staff has been available to members over the phone to help.

Besides being a grandma, Jardine-Haug plans on traveling, mostly to visit her grandchild, volunteering and doing things to keep her mind busy.

When OASIS opens again, members might be seeing her in the future.

"I am a member of the Friends of OASIS and will most likely take a few classes and definitely will be coming to the summer concerts," Jardine-Haug said. "Anyone can join OASIS, residency is not required, except for our social services [transportation, meals, case management], which are just for Newport Beach residents."

Newport Beach resident Scott Paulsen, who has been an active member at OASIS for more than 25 years, has high regards for Jardine-Haug, declaring her the best manager OASIS ever had.

"She knows everything about everything at OASIS," he said, "and she works daily to better the lives of our seniors."

Detweiler agreed. "If you have relied on the resources at OASIS or spent time there, you know what an important role she has played in developing all that it has to offer today," Detweiler said.

"Celeste will be dearly missed, but her legacy will remain through the very special place we know to be the OASIS."

Staff writer Lilly Nguyen contributed to this report.

**SUSAN HOFFMAN** is a contributor to Times Community News.

"It is just really something else," Avery said. "It's something you created and led and I just think of the hundreds and hundreds of seniors where their lives are so deeply impacted — ones that are lonely, ones that needed community and we all need community — that place held up so beautifully, but it was really you and your staff and volunteers making it all happen there."

"All of it derives really from your leadership, your example and your kindness toward seniors," Avery added.

The state-of the art OASIS facility has been the highlight of Jardine-Haug's life.

"Newport Beach has been a supportive community when it comes to supporting senior services," Jardine-Haug said. "Unlike other communities that give seniors a clubhouse and lets them play bingo, Newport Beach is not like that."

Her vision was to provide a center that not only served all walks of life, but

allowed older adults to thrive. There is something for everyone at OASIS, Jardine-Haug said, intellectual stimulation, arts and sing-a-longs that attract older people and individuals with dementia.

The rebuilt center, which had once occupied a former school building, offered transportation, social services and classes. Under Jardine-Haug, she wanted OASIS to improve the quality of life and become a foundation for the community.

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**CITY OF LAGUNA BEACH**  
**NOTICE INVITING BIDS**  
**FOR CONSTRUCTION OF**  
**Ramona Alley Decorative Paving Replacement**  
**(CIP No. 578)**

**N-1 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that sealed bids with online bid price submittal will be received by the City of Laguna Beach for furnishing all labor services, materials, tools, equipment, supplies, transportation, utilities, and all other items and facilities necessary therefore, as provided in the contract documents for the **Ramona Alley Decorative Paving Replacement (CIP No. 578)**, together with appurtenances thereto, in accordance with the specifications on file at the Office of the City Engineer of the City of Laguna Beach, located at 479 Ocean Avenue, Laguna Beach, California.

**N-2 DATE OF OPENING BIDS:** Bid prices for each line item of the Schedule of Work must be entered and all other required documents for the bid proposal packet (pages B-1 through B-15) must be uploaded to the PlanetBids system in accordance with the instructions beginning on page B-5 no later than **2:00 p.m. on December 23, 2020**. No late bids will be accepted. No other method of bid submittal will be accepted.

**N-3 DESCRIPTION OF THE WORK:** In general, the work comprises of the removal and disposal of existing asphalt pavers and bricks including underlying layers of bituminous and mortar beddings, respectively, and these materials will be replaced with new AC pavers and bricks in the Ramona alley in City of Laguna Beach.

**N-4 AWARD OF CONTRACT:** (a) The City reserves the right after opening bids to reject any or all bids, to waive any informality (non-responsiveness) in a bid, or to make award to the lowest responsive, responsible bidder and reject all other bids, as it may best serve the interest of the City. (b) As a condition of award, the successful bidder will be required to submit payment and performance bonds and insurance.

**N-5 COMPLETION OF WORK AND LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:** There will be two Notice to Proceed (NTP) for this project. A first NTP will allow the contractor to procure materials and all other non-field work required to initiate the project. Once AC Paver material has been delivered, the second NTP will be issued. All work is to be completed in a total of 20 working days, excluding holidays, from the date specified in the second NTP, which is anticipated to be April 5, 2021. Liquidated damages shall be \$1,000 per calendar day.

**N-6 CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE CLASSIFICATION:** The Contractor shall possess a valid **Class A, General Engineering**, Contractor License at the time of submitting bids, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 9, Division III of the California Business and Profession's Code.

**N-7 WAGE RATE REQUIREMENTS:** In accordance with the provisions of Sections 1773.2 of the California Labor Code, copies of the general prevailing rate of per diem wages as determined by the State Director of Industrial Relations are available on the Internet at the World Wide Web site of the State Department of Industrial Relations at [www.dir.ca.gov](http://www.dir.ca.gov) under Statistics and Research. It shall be mandatory upon the contractor to whom the contract is awarded and upon any subcontractor under him to pay not less than said specified rates to all workers employed by them in the execution of the contract. All parties to the contract shall be governed by all provisions of the California Labor Code relating to prevailing wage rates; Sections 1770-1781 inclusive.

**N-8 RETAINAGE FROM PAYMENTS:** The Contractor may elect to receive 100 percent of payments due under the Contract Documents from time to time, without retention of any portion of the payments by the City, by depositing securities of equivalent value with the City in accordance with the provisions of Section 22300 of the Public Contract Code.

**N-9 OBTAINING OR INSPECTING CONTRACT DOCUMENTS:** Contract Documents, in digital Adobe Acrobat (.PDF) format, are available at the City of Laguna Beach's website at <http://lagunabeachcity.net/cityhall/pw/bidinfo/default.htm>. Click on the "Click here to access the City of Laguna Beach PlanetBids portal". If you are not currently registered with the City of Laguna Beach, please click on the "New Vendor Registration" button and then complete the electronic supplier registration process, including selecting Category Code(s) describing the goods and/or services you provide, as well as entering your Contractors State License information. After registering your firm, click on the "Bid Opportunities" button to view and download the Bid Documents. Interested firms must be registered on the City's website and download the Bid Documents in order to submit a bid. Firms must also check the website periodically for addenda information as failure to download any and all addenda will result in bid disqualification.

**N-10 REGISTRATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS:** No contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project (submitted on or after March 1, 2015) unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 [with limited exceptions from this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code section 1771.1(a)]. No contractor or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project (submitted on or after April 1, 2015) unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5. This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

**N-11 ESTIMATE OF PROBABLE COST:** The estimate of probable cost for the project is \$180,000.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY OF LAGUNA BEACH  
/s/ Mark Trestik, City Engineer  
Date: December 2, 2020

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**Case #30-2019-01115354-PR-LA-CJC**

In the Superior Court of California, for the County of Orange

In the matter of the Estate of **Thomas B. Smith, decedent** Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at Private sale to the highest and best bidder, subject to confirmation of said Superior Court, on or after the 21<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2020 at the office of McGonigle & Hunsaker, LLP, 2000 E. Fourth Street, Suite 306, Santa Ana, CA 92705, all the right, title and interest of said decedent in and to all the certain real property situated in the city of Costa Mesa, County of Orange, State of California, particularly described as follows: Lot 145 and a 1/334<sup>th</sup> undivided interest in common in and to Lot 1, Tract No. 5160 in the City of Costa Mesa, County of Orange, State of California, as per map recorded in Book 181, pages 40, 41, & 42 of Miscellaneous Maps, in the Office of the County Recorder of said County.

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Terms of the sale are cash in lawful money of the United States on confirmation of sale, or part cash and balance upon such terms and conditions as are acceptable to the personal representative. \$5,000 to be deposited with bid. Bids or offers to be in writing and will be received at the aforesaid office at any time after the first publication hereof and before date of sale.

Dated: December 2, 2020  
Carolynn Egan, Personal Representative of the Estate Attorney(s) at Law: McGonigle & Hunsaker, LLP, 2000 E. Fourth Street, Suite 306, Santa Ana, CA 92705

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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE** NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to California Civil Code Section 798.78 and California Commercial Code Sections 7209 and 7210 that the following described property will be sold by Bayside MHP, LLC (Warehouseman) at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, or a cashier's check payable to Bayside MHP, LLC, payable at time of sale, on Tuesday, December 29, 2020 at 10:00 a.m., at the following location: ON THE FRONT STEPS TO THE ENTRANCE OF THE ORANGE CIVIC CENTER, 300 E. CHAPMAN AVE., ORANGE, CA 92866. Said sale is to be held without covenant or warranty as to possession, financing, encumbrances, or otherwise on an "as is," "where is" basis. The property which will be sold is described as follows: MANUFACTURER: COLUMBIA TRADE NAME: COLUMBIA YEAR: 1959 H.C.D.DECAL NO: LBA2036 SERIAL NO.: 100502C5845 The current location of the subject property is: 211 Tremont Dr., Newport Beach, CA 92660. The public auction will be made to satisfy the lien for storage of the above-described property that was deposited by The Estate of Leslie Zimmerman aka Leslie Anne Zimmerman/ Leslie Zimmerman aka Leslie Anne Zimmerman with Bayside MHP, LLC. The total amount due on this property, including estimated costs, expenses and advances as of the date of the public sale, is \$9,322.50. The auction will be made for the purpose of satisfying the lien on the property, together with the cost of the sale. Dated: December 11, 2020 HART KING By: Ryan J. Egan Authorized Agent for Bayside MHP, LLC Contact Jule Veliz (714) 432-8700 (IFS# 22428, 12/11/20, 12/18/20)

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LAGUNA BEACH PLANNING COMMISSION

**THE LAGUNA BEACH PLANNING COMMISSION will hold a virtual Public Workshop, for: The 6th Cycle Housing Element Update. State law requires cities to have a current Housing Element, a policy guide that address local, regional, and statewide housing issues. The City is updating its Housing Element in compliance with the next State Housing Element planning period from 2021 to 2029. The Planning Commission (PC) reviews, provides input, and makes recommendations to the City Council (CC). After the draft document is prepared, additional public hearings will be held beginning in April 2021. WHEN: Wednesday, January 20, 2020 at 6:00 P.M. ZOOM INFORMATION: PC, Mac, iPad, iPhone, or Android device: <https://lagunabeachcity.zoom.us/j/99405314155>, Phone: US: +1 669 900 9128 Webinar ID: 99405314155 CONTACT: So Kim, Senior Principal Planner (949) 497-0736 or [skim@lagunabeachcity.net](mailto:skim@lagunabeachcity.net). Marc Wiener, AICP, Director of Community Development.**

# PARADE

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Philharmonic Committee public relations chair Lara Anderson said that the boat parade is usually just offered as a thank you to Huntington Harbour residents for decorating their homes for the Cruise of Lights.

"Nobody's going to buy tickets to see a bunch of dark homes," she said. "Even though we can't do the Cruise of Lights because of COVID-19, the volunteers decided to go forward and continue the tradition of the parade."

There are 70 festive boats signed up for this year's boat parade, Anderson said, which runs Saturday and Sunday beginning at 5:30 p.m.

Officials said people from out of town are encouraged not to visit the parade route in person, but rather to watch a livestream on the group's Facebook page on Saturday night only. Those interested can also track the parade route.

"The Cruise of Lights is usually our fundraiser," Anderson said, adding that it raises money for the Philharmonic Society of Orange County's youth music education programs.

"That's our big public event, where we have parking, Port-a-potties, shuttle

buses. We could handle 10,000 people at that ... We strongly discourage anyone coming from outside the area [to watch the boat parade]. It's nothing we publicize, because it's really by locals, for locals. The Harbour is a very small public area and it's largely residential."

Huntington Beach Councilman Erik Peterson is the grand marshal for this year's parade. Its theme is "America Strong! Revel in the Rhythm!"

Anderson said the 70 boats is more than usual, at least partially because Huntington Harbour residents will not be hosting boat parade parties over the weekend. The event is considered safe, as social distancing can be done on boats, Anderson said.

"It's up to people to be personally responsible, but we are staying home," she said. "This is our home. It's important to keep the tradition going, even though it's just for fun."

Other cities like Dana Point and neighboring Newport Beach have canceled their boat parades for 2020. Though Newport Beach's 112th annual event was canceled, some organizers have put together an "official unofficial" parade set for Dec. 17 through 19.

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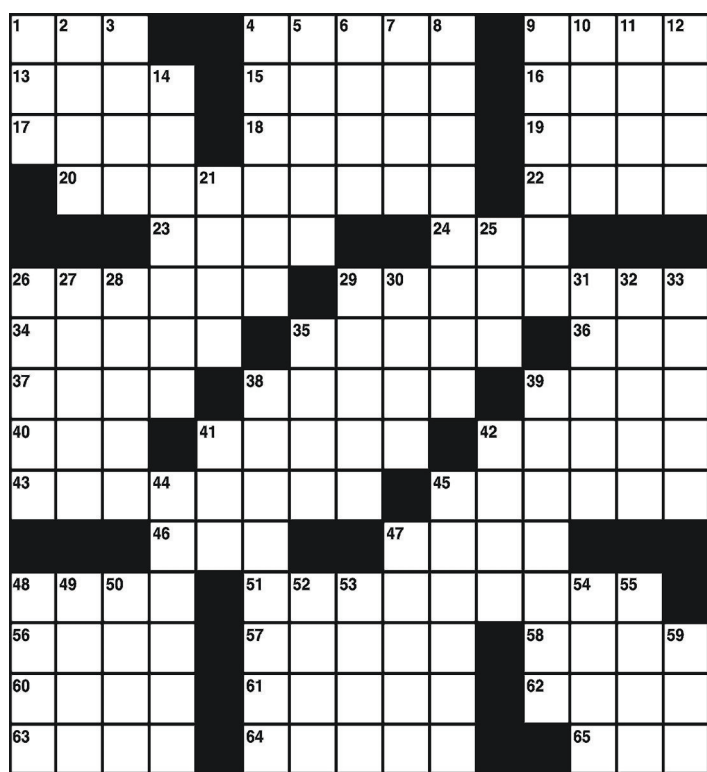


**THE DAILY COMMUTER PUZZLE**

By Jacqueline E. Mathews

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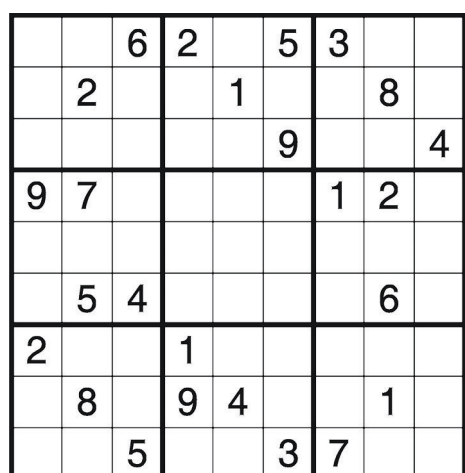
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- 9 Annual school dance
- 13 Chicago team
- 15 Greek alphabet opener
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- 17 Largest furniture retailer
- 18 Ermine
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- 20 Man-made structure
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- 24 Premium cable channel
- 26 Rose garden invaders
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- 37 Powdered drink
- 38 Bakery display
- 39 Clever remark
- 40 Suffix for long or strong
- 41 Madison, Monroe or Polk
- 42 Vital sign
- 43 Left high and dry
- 45 Owl
- 46 Third most populous nation: abbr.
- 47 Sulk
- 48 Pantyhose ding
- 51 Happening again
- 56 \_ blue; hospital emergency
- 57 Oak tree dropping
- 58 \_-do-well; loser
- 60 "Do not take \_ empty stomach"; Rx label words
- 61 Run after
- 62 Bit of bacteria
- 63 "Run \_"; Bee Gees song
- 64 Carried
- 65 Extra bedroom, perhaps



**SUDOKU**

By The Mephram Group

Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit [sudoku.org.uk](http://sudoku.org.uk).



**For answers to the crossword and Sudoku puzzles, see page A4.**

**DOWN**

- 1 Biol. or chem.
- 2 Black-and-white seabirds
- 3 Mind
- 4 Eyelid hairs
- 5 Change to make fit
- 6 Clothing stain
- 7 Asian language

- 8 Bags with shoulder straps
- 9 Scrapbook entries
- 10 Colosseum's location
- 11 Not locked
- 12 Mouthwash flavor

- 14 Smoothing a rough plank
- 21 Kennedy & Turner
- 25 Four-yr. degrees
- 26 Played a role
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- 28 Helpful tips
- 29 Jabbed
- 30 Commits perjury
- 31 Grown-up
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- 38 Cloudy eye condition
- 39 Repeating the words of
- 41 Yrbk. section
- 42 Rain hard
- 44 Playwright O'Neill
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- 50 Early man
- 52 Canyon sound
- 53 Outer garment
- 54 Requirement
- 55 Richard of the film "Chicago"
- 59 LBJ's successor

Tribune Media Services

**COVID-19**

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the unemployment lines," Steel said.

"These arbitrary actions are confusing and lead families to question the capabilities of our state officials at a time when people must have confidence in their elected representatives to make smart, informed decisions."

When asked about the surge in cases and businesses not complying with the new state order, Orange County Sheriff Don Barnes reiterated that he would seek to educate versus enforce the latest shutdown order, adding, "I do not see that as a local law enforcement responsibility."

"I do believe it's a community issue, that we should all collectively engage in best practices and do everything we can to stop the spread of the virus," Barnes said. "But criminalizing already stressful conditions within the community I don't think is something that I want to add to."

The Orange County Health Care Agency reported seven deaths due to COVID-19, the disease caused by the virus, in Thursday's data. There have been 1,640 deaths attributed to the virus countywide.

An additional 1,521 cases were also recorded, bringing the total during the pandemic to 94,647.

The county logged 22,064 tests for the virus within the last day, bringing the total number of



Kevin Chang | Staff Photographer

**A LINE OF PATIENTS** wraps around a parking lot sidewalk during a 360 Clinic COVID-19 mobile testing site at Fountain Valley Sports Park on Tuesday.

tests administered to 1,627,697. An estimated 64,054 people in the county have recovered after contracting the virus.

Orange County Health Care Agency Director and Public Health Officer Dr. Clayton Chau implored the public to avoid gathering or traveling to help prevent the spread of the virus.

"I'm begging you, do not gather," Chau said. "Do not mix households. The transmission is really high in the community right now, so if you don't live with somebody ... do not hang out with them please."

With the anticipation of the arrival of the first doses of a vaccine in the county, Barnes issued a warning to be on the lookout for fraudulent activity.

"We already know that there are with all good things that come, like the vaccine, bad actors try to take advantage of it," Barnes said. "I want to stress in no circumstance will anybody be texting,

emailing, calling or selling the vaccine to the public.

"If anybody is contacted by any source trying to solicit them to purchase or log in or give personal information about the vaccine, that is fraudulent activity."

Here are the latest cumulative coronavirus case counts and COVID-19 deaths for select cities in Orange County:

- Santa Ana: 18,452 cases; 338 deaths
- Anaheim: 15,925 cases; 354 deaths
- Huntington Beach: 3,920 cases; 93 deaths
- Costa Mesa: 3,159 cases; 47 deaths
- Irvine: 3,403 cases; 17 deaths
- Newport Beach: 1,654 cases; 26 deaths
- Fountain Valley: 1,131 cases; 21 deaths
- Laguna Beach: 369 cases; fewer than five deaths

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**CRASH**

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upon arrival, officers found a collision involving Coleman's black Range Rover and a Nissan Versa.

Police said a 27-year-old man and 28-year-old woman in the Nissan died. Their three children — ages 1, 4 and 5 — were in the backseat of the car.

The Orange County cor-

oner's office identified the man and woman as Santa Ana residents Henry Saldana-Mejia and Gabriela Andrade.

Police allege that Coleman exited her vehicle and walked away following the collision. Newport Beach officers were able to quickly locate her within the area and take her into custody, Rangel said.

The children and Coleman were taken to a hos-

pital to be treated for injuries, police said.

Coleman had previously been arrested on suspicion of DUI in Laguna Beach in August, Kimberly Edds, a spokeswoman for the Orange County district attorney's office, said.

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**WATER POLO**

# CORONA DEL MAR AQUATICS COACH KELLY RULON INDUCTED INTO USA WATER POLO HALL OF FAME

**KELLY RULON** takes a shot during the 2007 NCAA women's water polo title match. Rulon helped UCLA beat Stanford 5-4 to earn its 100th NCAA team championship.



**BY MATT SZABO**

Kelly Rulon quickly settled in as a coach after winning a gold medal with the U.S. women's water polo national team at the 2012 Summer Olympics in London.

Rulon, a Costa Mesa resident, started coaching club water polo with Corona del Mar Aquatics in 2013.

Rulon, 36, is surely happy to help the next generation achieve its goals.

"Sports is so important to these young kids," she said Thursday in a phone interview. "It keeps them off of the phone, it keeps them disciplined and it prepares them for life."

But it was Rulon's achievements that were the focus as she was inducted into the USA Water Polo Hall of Fame on Wednesday night in a virtual ceremony.

"I was very appreciative and thankful for the honor and the people that spoke about me, and it brought back some amazing memories," she said. "It was great. I mean, those were some of the best years of my life."

Rulon, originally from the San Diego area, burst onto the scene. The driver turned 19 years old during the 2004 Summer Olympics in

Costa Mesa resident, who won gold with Team USA women in 2012, was one of 5 inducted Wednesday in virtual ceremony.

Athens, helping Team USA win the bronze medal.

She was also a part of four national championships at UCLA, in 2003 and 2005-07. In her junior year, Rulon earned 2006 NCAA Tournament MVP honors after scoring 11 goals in the three matches, which included a 9-8 title match win over USC.

Rulon earned the Peter J. Cutino Award, annually awarded to the college Player of the Year, in 2007. She had 70 goals and team-best totals of 52 assists and 42 steals for the Bruins, helping UCLA become the first school to win 100 total NCAA Division I championships.

Rulon got married to Newport Beach Water Polo Club coach Stefano Ragosa in 2014 and they have two boys; John Paulo is 5 years old and Leo is 2. She made sure to thank her parents, her coaches and her teammates during her speech.

Current U.S. women's water polo national team coach Adam Krikorian was previously the head coach at

UCLA, where he won 11 national titles, eight with the women's team and three with the men's team. Rulon contributed to four of those titles, plus the 2012 Olympic crown.

"Our success obviously coincided with her journey," Krikorian said in a pre-recorded video during the ceremony. "I've been extremely fortunate to have someone like her in my life as an athlete, but honestly it's just as much of a pleasure to have her as a friend. She's someone who I still really enjoy talking to when I get the opportunity."

Rulon's former national team teammate, Elsie Windes, was also inducted into the USA Water Polo Hall of Fame on Wednesday, along with two-time Olympian and decorated coach Gavin Arroyo, veteran referee and Olympic Games administrator Gary Robinett and former USA Water Polo executive director and water polo historian Bruce Wigo.

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**ORANGE COUNTY** Soccer Club defender Rob Kiernan clears the ball in a home game against the San Diego Loyal Soccer Club in Irvine on Aug 29. Kiernan has been working with local youth soccer players during the pandemic.

**SOCCER**

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can see each other again, connect with each other, continue that community that we really strive to have," Rowell said.

"It's also a great way to get active. With face-to-face learning, they would have recess two times a day, or at the secondary level with their nutrition or PE classes. This is a great way to fill that void."

Power of One Foundation president/executive director Andre Roberson said that his organization already has teamed up with Magnolia to have food distributions there during the pandemic. The virtual soccer curriculum is also helpful, in a different way.

"The thing about it is, it's going to be fun,"

Roberson said.

"They get to level up, win prizes. And at the end of the day, they're learning. Down the line, we're hoping to provide them with soccer balls, different tools that will help them be able to advance and excel in this curriculum. That would give us the opportunity to advance it, and then also share it with other schools as we move it forward."

Keston confirmed that OCSC hopes to expand the curriculum to other schools in Orange County.

The club has been keeping its players busy and engaged with the community during the pandemic, as they have been conducting in-person soccer clinics on Tuesdays at Save Our Youth in Costa Mesa.

Keston said the online

Zoom clinics are purposely done from the player's house or apartment and not the pitch, just to show the kids that they can still practice or train in a small space.

"I'm a mother of two, and my kids have not been back to school since March," Keston said.

"We recognize that this is a challenging time for everyone, but especially kids. We just really want to help kids in the best way we can, which is through soccer."

Those who want more information on the Orange County Soccer Club virtual soccer curriculum and how to implement it in their school are asked to email Keston at [lisa@orangecountysoccer.com](mailto:lisa@orangecountysoccer.com).

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