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## Three Bees Boutique Honored by Grand Terrace Area Chamber as Business of the Month!

PC: Elci Fernandez

A crowd of local business owners along with Mayor Bill Hussey, Mayor Pro Tem Doug Wilson, Councilman Ken Henderson and Councilman Jeff Allen were on hand to honor Three Bees Boutique as the Grand Terrace Area Chamber of Commerce Business of the Month for April. Lisa Pankulics-Green expressed her heartfelt gratitude stating, "I'm truly overwhelmed by the support from both the community and my fellow business owners."

Three years ago, Lisa turned the location into Three Bees Boutique. Every time I come into her store I'm amazed at the decorating and rearranging she has done! ***Her store has almost anything you might need***, from antiques and collectibles to clothing, furniture, toys, books, and much more. She has local small business owners rent booths and share their goods. The boutique also serves as a hub for crafting activities like painting - and if you like the distressed yet creatively painted furniture - you need to talk to her!

Lisa has helped improve the quality of life in Grand Terrace and deserves this honor. Tonight I returned from a chamber mixer and a lovely resident (you probably know!) was wearing a one of a kind dress that I loved. When I complimented her on it, she said she got it from Three Bees!

I am planning my next shopping visit soon - list in hand! Hope to see you there, saving \$\$ with me!

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## Highgrove Elementary's Mr. Curtis Earns Riverside Unified School District Teacher of the Year!

Mr. Keenan Curtis teaches 5th grade at Highgrove Elementary and was chosen from the District's 20,000 educators for this award! The district said Mr. Curtis is always looking for new ways to help students learn better - easier. His attitude was also a factor in his being chosen according to Dan Deaver, Principal at Highgrove Elementary... "he inspires by leading..."



## Keenan Curtis, District Elementary Teacher of the Year

"He is all-in... he makes it a great day, every day!"

- Dan Deaver, Principal at Highgrove Elementary

When I called, Mr. Curtis answered in an up-beat voice that made me feel cheerful before we even spoke - and before he knew who was calling. We are looking forward to publishing an interview with Mr. Curtis about ***why he is motivated to help shape young lives*** in the June Highgrove Happenings Newspaper.

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L to R: Toni Epps Chamber Vice President, Tara Cesena Planning Commissioner, Councilman Ken Henderson, Councilman Jeff Allen, Mayor Bill Hussey, Store Manager Doug Inaba, Regional Manager Manny Moore, Councilman Doug Williams, Chamber President Claudia Cooley, Dale Cooley at Advance Auto Parts Store after Ribbon-cutting. **Advance Auto Story See P. 4**



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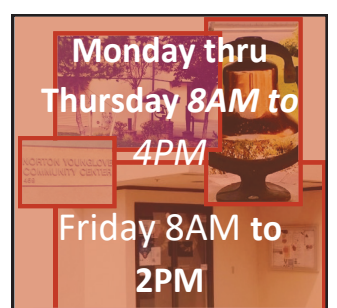
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Temperatures at 97 degrees and above officially activates Norton Younglove Community Center as a "Cool Center" from June 1, 2024 thru October 15, 2024 for vulnerable individuals, seniors, the disabled, and others in need of temporary relief from the heat. Visit [capriverside.org](http://capriverside.org) or call 951-955-4900 for a list of Cool Center sites.



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**May 11th Saturday 3 PM to 8 PM - The 951 Night Market** Free event (Every 2nd Saturday of the month): Food, Art, Fashion, Music, Performances, and games.



**May 19th Sunday 3 PM to 8 PM - FOODIES** Play Ground Event: Food, Games, Giveaways, Entertainment, Music, Contests, and MUCH More!



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## HIGHGROVE HAPPENINGS

### City Celebrates Grand Opening of Advance Auto Parts with Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

By Matt Brown, March 13, 2024

Grand Terrace Mayor Bill Hussey, accompanied by Mayor Pro Tem Wilson and Councilmembers Henderson and Allen, led the celebration of the Advance Auto Parts' newest store in Grand Terrace.

The event, marked by a traditional ribbon cutting ceremony, welcomed Doug Inaba, Store Manager, and Manny Moore, the Regional Manager, along with local dignitaries and community members.

Inaba expressed his heartfelt appreciation to the community for its warm reception of the new store. He proudly announced that they had achieved their first month's sales goals within a remarkable four days of opening. Moore, a long-time resident himself, expressed his joy in becoming part of the Grand Terrace business community. Mayor Bill Hussey extended his congratulations to the Advance Auto Parts team and expressed gratitude for their decision to locate the business in Grand Terrace. The relocation of Advance Auto Parts from Riverside to Grand Terrace marks a significant gain for the city. Following the expiration of their lease in Riverside, the search for a new location led them to Grand Terrace. This move brings with it a substantial existing customer base, eliciting enthusiasm among local auto enthusiasts for the accessibility of a full-service auto



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Elysia ( Elci ) Fernandez  
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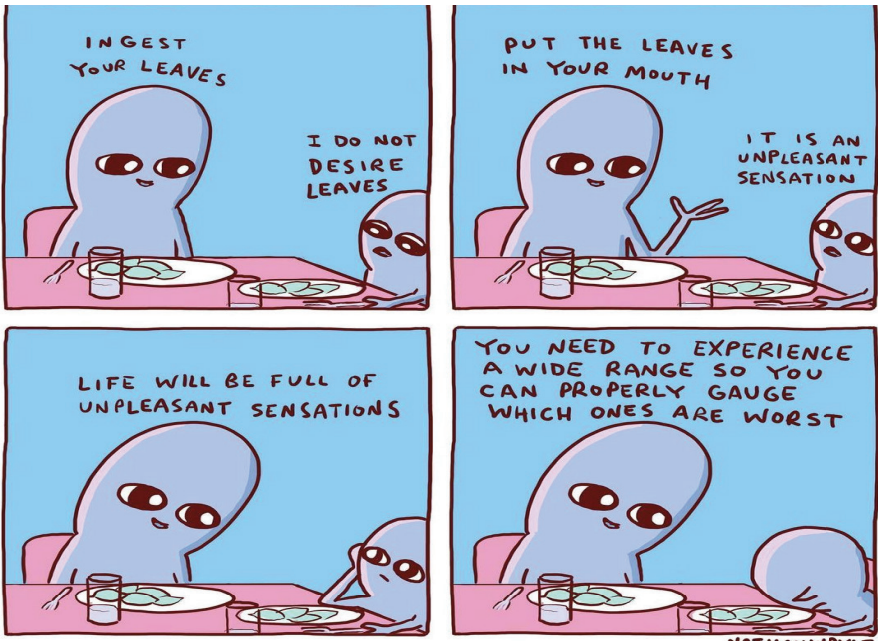


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## The Great American Eclipse of 2024

by Sabrina Brooks

While the eclipse last month may not have been a big deal for many, it was spectacular for those in the path of totality. I was one of the 31 million Americans living in the path of totality for the solar eclipse on April 8, 2024. Another 4 million traveled from all over the country to witness the complete solar eclipse. Having never experienced a total eclipse before, I had no idea what to expect, but it ended up being an experience which I will remember for the rest of my life.

The day of the eclipse was clear, warm, and sunny. A little after noon, my husband and I headed to our backyard with a lawn chair, picnic blanket, and our eclipse glasses to watch the skies.

Once the sun was about 90% covered, the lighting became noticeably different. The light around us was dim, but unlike at dawn or dusk. It was eerie, like the light before a storm. It was almost like a spotlight was illuminating our entire town, a spotlight which progressively became dimmer over time.

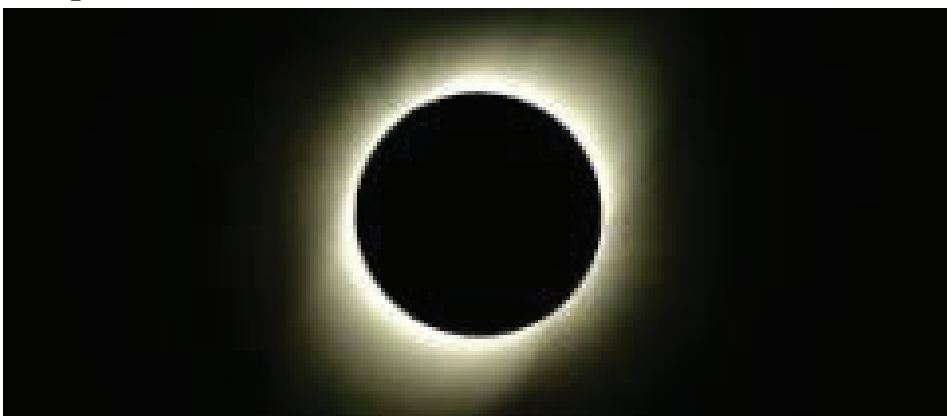
At 2:04pm, the eclipse reached totality. For a few minutes, we had complete darkness in the middle of the day. When we looked up at the sun, we could see a bright ring surrounding the dark moon. Our streetlights turned on. The birds continued chirping, sounding very confused. And then, very slowly, the light came back.

The next solar eclipse will not be visible from the United States until August 23, 2044. Only three states will be in the path of totality: Montana, North Dakota, and South Dakota. You can also mark your calendars for August 12, 2045, when a total solar eclipse will be visible from California.

My current home in southeastern Illinois will not experience another total solar eclipse for 374 years, so I feel immensely blessed that I was able to witness such a wonder in my lifetime. I hope that, when the next total solar eclipse comes back to the States, you are able to do the same.

Sabrina Brooks was raised in Highgrove and taught elementary school for three years before leaving her career to stay home with her son, Freeman. She works from home as a personal assistant to her brother, RobertAnthony Cruz (aka "Coach RAC")

<https://homeschoolroots.wixsite.com/homeschoolroots>



Total Solar Eclipse as seen on April 8, 2024

## A body's ability to heal

Our beloved dog, Maisie is usually very healthy. We feed her the best, freeze- dried food with organ meats and bones plus some meat from our table. She never gets junk food, just freeze dried beef liver treats.

Last night she had Hubby take her outside to bark at the foxes making a home between our home and the next door neighbors. She came back in the house

"He who has never learned to obey cannot be a good commander." Aristotle

and stood above me on the bed as she does when she wants to go outside. I said, "I'm not letting you back out to bark in the middle of the night!" but I soon regretted that decision as she really did have to go and ended up with the runs all over the house - yukk!

She was mortified, of course but she was obviously still sick as she proceeded to throw up on the small blanket as I carried her and it outside quickly.

Lots of floor cleaning, laundry and baths later, she was sitting outside in the sun and made her way to eat some grass.

A little later Hubby made her some grass-fed hamburger and she kept it down, but she still seemed weak.

The big problem was we were about to leave for vacation and had no dog sitter so we planned to bring her with us - she had to get better fast!

By the evening she had eaten an egg and more meat and had caught a gopher, so she seemed back to her usual self, but it took a few more days and a dose of herbs to help so we wouldn't have issues at the hotel!

A few things helped (oregon grape root, plain, full fat yogurt and a tiny bit of psyllium husks) but she only allowed me to give it to her once - when she saw me eat it first!

The other thing I noticed was that she always sniffed a particular plant as we walked around Arizona. I suspected it was a form of sage as this herb helps

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### Obituary

Henry (Hank) Diaz passed away on January 27, 2024, at the age of 88 at Heritage Gardens in Loma Linda, Ca. Henry was born in Placentia, Ca. to Jesus and Hepolita Diaz on July 18, 1935. He was raised in Highgrove, along with his 4 brothers and 8 sisters. He attended Highgrove Elementary and graduated from Riverside Poly High School. He served in the National Guard and the United States Army. He married Sarah Raya on Veterans Day 1961. He worked and retired from Alcan - Luxfer USA, after 42 years. He was proud to have served his country. He loved baseball, guns and western movies.



Henry is survived by his loving wife, Sarah; 3 children Mary Tamayo (Johnny), Sylvia Leon (Jim Gutierrez) and Enrique. He also leaves behind his six grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren, whom he adored dearly.

He was laid to rest at Riverside National Cemetery, 22495 Van Buren Blvd, Riverside, Ca 92518 on February 27, 2024.

“Never tell people how to do things. Tell them what to do and they will surprise you with their ingenuity.” - George S Patton

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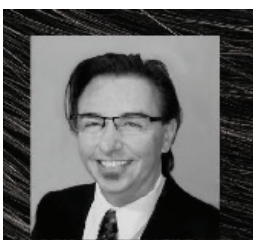


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# HIGHGROVE HAPPENINGS

## Beluga Whale wants to be Part of the Party!

First of all, props to this couple for choosing one of the most creative settings to officiate their wedding. They seem to be getting married in some sort of aquarium, and it looks absolutely magical, which probably says a lot about their characters.



twofirstnamez

Here we see that one big guy wasn't willing to miss on the action, so it made its way right next to the happy couple.



Northside Association  
Meets May 13th, 6:30 pm  
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Community Center

## A Body's Ability to Heal (Cont. from P. 9)

balance fluids in the body.

I have used sage to slow a runny nose, to dry up breast milk and to help dry up diarrhea.



## Sage plant Maisie sniffed / Resting after trip

We walked a lot on the trip and Maisie seemed to sniff every sage bush she saw! How did she know? The body's ability to heal when left to its own wisdom continually amazes me! As a human, I want to intervene more, but I doubt that would have helped.

It is always helpful to find a cause, but we can only guess. She was fine before barking at the foxes, so we are guessing she ate something outside she shouldn't have. Praise God for our dog's amazing design!

## Momma Rac's Column

*Fight lies / Protect family!*

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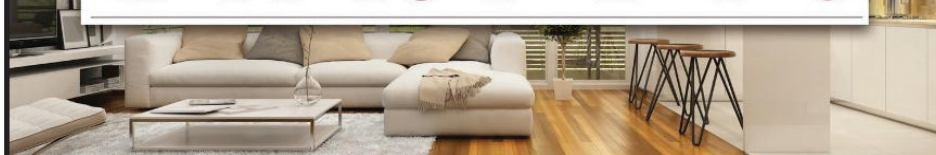
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