

WORTH NOTING

CAPK seeks volunteers to read to preschoolers

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Community Action Partnership of Kern's Head Start/State Child Development program is inviting members of the community to be special guest readers to preschoolers at one of its local Head Start Child Development Centers.

Opportunities to read will take place March 2 through March 6. Those who volunteer to read will be invited to attend their Read Across America reception on March 6 from 8 to 9:30 a.m. The reception will be at the ballroom at the Sheraton Four Points hotel, located at 5101 California Ave., according to a news release.

Donations of books for children up to age 5 are appreciated by CAPK. To reserve a guest reader spot, email Carolyn Coffey, education coordinator, at reading@capk.org or call 336-5236, ext. 2526, by March 2, according to the release.

The Chain Cohn Stiles law firm has launched the Guided Partners in Safety Scholarship, which is aimed to financially support local high school students

through their driver's education training while keeping safety at the forefront.

Among the qualifications, applicants must:

- Have a GPA of at least a 2.5.
- Be enrolled in a Kern County high school.
- Write a maximum 200-word creative essay answering: "Why do you want to drive?"

Students can apply at chainlaw.com and send scholarship questions to gpcscholarship2020@gmail.com.

The deadline to apply is March 31. A full list of qualifications and other pertinent scholarship information can be found at chainlaw.com.

Auto accidents are a No. 1 killer of American teenagers, according to National Highway Traffic Safety Association. Six teenagers aged 16 to 19 die every day in the United States from motor vehicle crash injuries. Distracted driving, excessive speed and lack of seatbelt use are major dangers and causes of teen driver crashes.

The GPS Scholarship aims to support a new generation of safe teen drivers, according to a news release.

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1 14 29 39 41 8

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Daily 3

MEGA: 9 4 8 EVENING: 2 8 2

Daily 4: 8 5 6 9

Fantasy 5: 3 8 16 35 36

Daily Derby

HORSES: 12 4 10 NEXT TRIP: 1:42, 09

TODAY IN HISTORY

1848: James W. Marshall discovered a gold nugget at Sutter's Mill in Northern California, a discovery that led to the gold rush of 1849.
1935: Beer was first sold in cans in Richmond, Va., by the Gottfried Krueger Brewing Co.
1939: At least 28,000 people were killed by an earth-

quake that devastated the city of Chillan in Chile.
1943: President Franklin D. Roosevelt and British Prime Minister Winston Churchill concluded a wartime conference in Casablanca, Morocco.
1945: Associated Press war correspondent Joseph Morton was among a group of captives exe-

cuted by the Germans at the Mauthausen-Gusen concentration camp in Austria.
1965: Britten statesman Winston Churchill died in London at age 90.

1984: Apple Computer began selling its first Macintosh model, which boasted a built-in 9-inch monochrome display, a clock rate of 8 megahertz and 128 kilobytes of RAM.

1985: The space shuttle Discovery was launched from Cape Canaveral on the first secret, all-military shuttle mission.

1987: Gunmen in Lebanon kidnapped educators Alann Steen, Jesse Turner, Robert Polhill and Mithleshwar Singh. (All were eventually released.)

1989: Confessed serial killer Ted Bundy was executed in Florida's electric chair.

1993: Retired Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall died in Bethesda, Md., at age 84.

2003: Former Pennsylvania Gov. Tom Ridge was sworn in as the first secretary of homeland security.

2018: Former sports doctor Larry Nassar, who had admitted molesting some of the nation's top gymnasts for years under the guise of medical treatment, was sentenced to 40 to 175 years in prison. Singer Elton John announced that he would be retiring from the road after an upcoming three-year global tour. — The Associated Press

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