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You better not shout, you better not cry, because we're back with the second edition of our holiday guide! Whether you were naughty or nice this year, we've put together a list of the best holiday events to get you in a merry spirit, and the best gifts to shower the ones you love.

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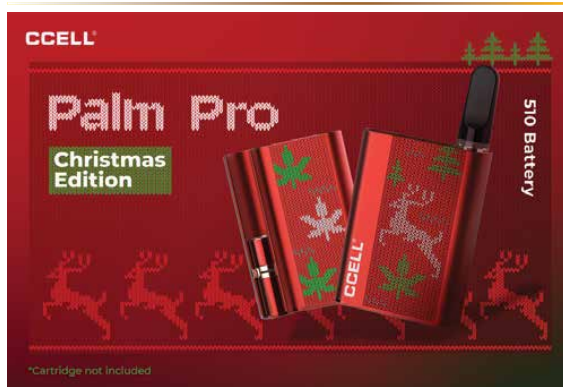
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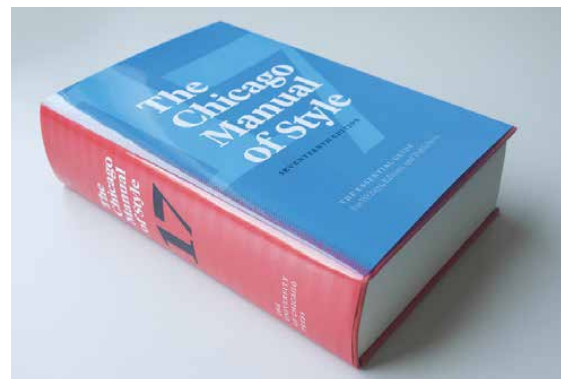
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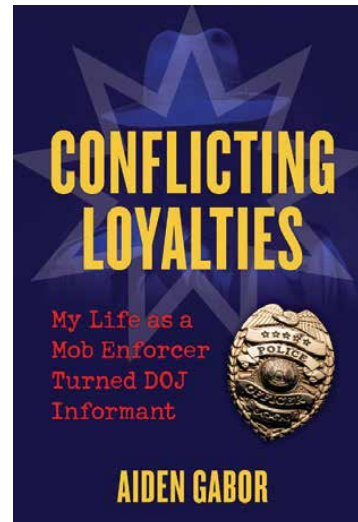
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Conflicting Loyalties by Aiden Gabor

The perfect gift for true crime lovers this holiday season, *Conflicting Loyalties* is a sharp, honest memoir in three parts: the bloody life of a mob soldier from outside la familia; the death-defying, paranoid existence of an informant bringing down corrupt politicians and police departments from the inside; and unexpectedly finding peace late in life through the Baha'i faith while coping with an ALS diagnosis.

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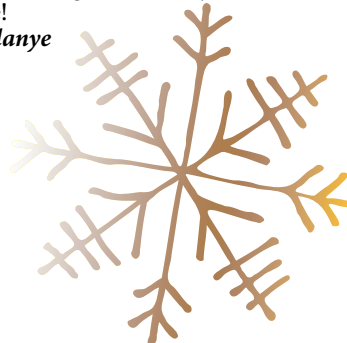


Tao Group Hospitality Los Angeles



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Pete Lee at Irvine Improv

Join us for a New Year's Eve Extravaganza featuring hilarious comedian *Pete Lee*, December 29-31 at the Irvine Improv! Pete is a cast member of TruTV's *Greatest Ever* and he hosts his own segment on Nickelodeon's *Nick Toons*, in coordination with the NFL, called *NFL Rush*. He's also a regular on TruTV's *Comedy Knockout* and *Comedy Central's Roast Battle*.

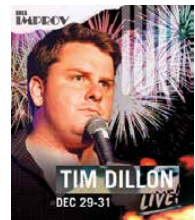
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Tim Dillon at Brea Improv

Join us for a New Year's Eve Extravaganza featuring hilarious comedian, *Tim Dillon*, December 29-31 at the Brea Improv! Tim Dillon is the host of the world-famous podcast, *The Tim Dillon Show*, and was named one of the top ten comics you need to know by *Rolling Stone* magazine.

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Our Shared Future Family Day
December 17

Enjoy free admission and cultural activities for all ages at three downtown museums: the *Chinese American Museum, Japanese American National Museum, and LA Plaza de Cultura y Artes*! Explore the rich history of Los Angeles and celebrate the city's diversity. Visit all three museums for multicultural art-making workshops, storytelling, music and dance performances, and more. 12 p.m. - 4 p.m. Part of the Smithsonian's initiative, *Our Shared Future: Reckoning with Our Racial Past*.

Details at janm.org/OurSharedFutureLA.



ART / GIFT GUIDE

GIFTS FOR THE ARTSY ONES

From the handmade to the heartfelt, ephemeral and functional, one of a kind and coveted—here are the *LA Weekly* Arts Editor's picks for last-minute gifts gifting.

BY SHANA NYS DAMBROT

Handmade with Heart

Tierra del Sol's new West Hollywood location has a gift shop. An early champion for inclusion of people with disabilities in the contemporary arts discourse, based on the important work of its parent foundation's studio arts programs, the gallery recently relocated from its beloved Chinatown space to a permanent home in a gallery-rich West Hollywood neighborhood. Among the many charms of the new gallery is a dedicated gift shop featuring one-of-a-kind handmade goods from the program artists. Bright and quirky tote bags, obviously, but there's so much more. Prices start at \$10 for an artist-made zine, hand woven bags starting at \$100, and ceramics from \$100 up to \$1,200. Also, for their inaugural exhibition (through December 23) they invited every program artist to contribute a single small work—and that show is also quite affordable (\$250-\$750) and, helpfully, cash and carry. tierradelsolgallery.org

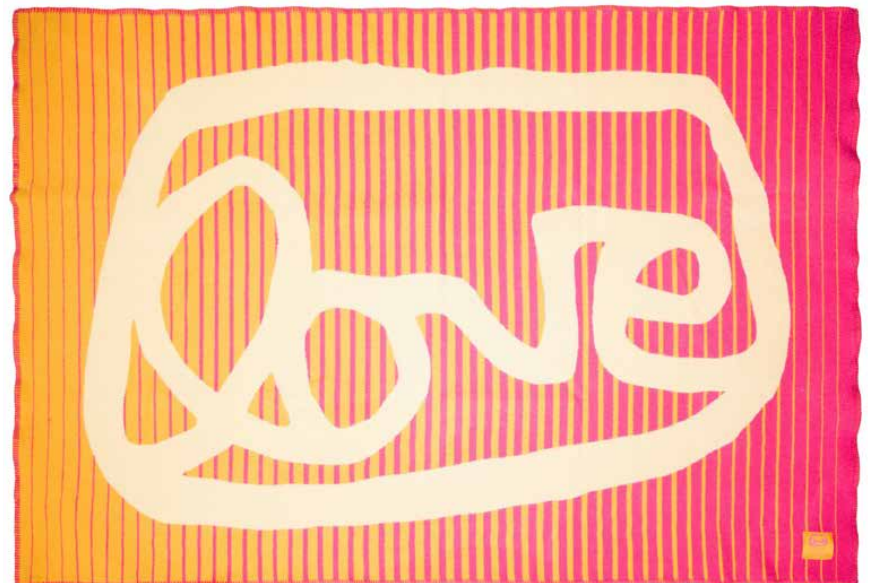
A Popup with Love:

The grantLOVE project has a popup shop at Fred Segal Sunset through January. Artist Alexandra Grant founded the initiative in 2008 to help raise awareness and money through collaborative art and design objects. What started out as a public art beacon, soon became the art world's must-have adornment—and has since grown into a full-fledged line of jewelry, home goods, apparel, editioned art works, and more inventive, quirky, luxe, and sustainably produced goodies. Always available online, for the holiday season, grantLOVE set up shop at Fred Segal Sunset as part of the iconic store's charitable program, which benefits nonprofits that support arts education and youth experiencing homelessness—that's in addition to the philanthropic core of the project itself, growing the love. fredsegal.com/collections/grantlove

One Stop Shops

You literally cannot go wrong with a visit to Artbook at Hauser & Wirth Los Angeles. Art books, yes, of course, it's right there in the name—some of the world's most gorgeous and eccentric catalogs, monographs, artists books, and curiosities, as well as space for local authors—but also every kind of imaginative gift from the cheap but super cute to the finer and fancier for the self-professed art lover.

You can, similarly, visit literally any museum store, large or small—all of whom also have online versions of their shops, though a quick art trip and giddy browsing on the way out is part of the fun, and not all the unlikely treasures make it to the web store. The Craft Con-



temporary and Fowler Museum are into global handmade goods; the Autry is a gem (their Native American arts department is incredible, and they also host the Los Feliz Flea this weekend); the Huntington has a legendary gift shop (and sometimes a plant sale) that spans every kind of decorative confection and flourish you could ask for, at a range of price points. The Hammer, MOCA, Getty Center, and LACMA (who also has a super cute line of Artist Totes online now), are all famously gifting-friendly, with offerings tied to their exhibitions and beyond. Think puzzles, scarves, sculpture editions, ceramics, jewelry, notebooks, ornaments, boxes, bags, toys, decor, sometimes clothing, magnets, and things we can't imagine until

we see it and decide we need it.

Everyone Loves a Trashy Pun:

The landmark *John Waters: Pope of Trash* exhibition at the Academy Museum has spawned a legion of new fans, a spate of related programs and events, and, inevitably, a gift shop and online store packed with crazy merch. Cockroach dress fabrics, Divine rolling trays, ornaments, clothes, books, decor, keepsakes, memorabilia and in the most meta of merchandising puns—an adorable garbage can dedicated to the Pope of Trash.

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THE HYPERPOP EVOLUTION

The growth of an anti-genre

BY BRETT CALLWOOD

The origins of hyperpop, as is the case with every other genre, are tough to nail down. It's generally accepted that it was born in the UK, sometime during the 2010s. But the precise moment that the perfect ingredients combined to form this subgenre that appears to be adored and maligned in equal measure is much harder to deduce.

Ultimately, it doesn't matter. Hyperpop is here now, and it's getting bigger all the time. Defined by exaggerated pop characteristics and often autotuned, sped up vocals, hyperpop is often criticized by a perceived lack of authenticity. What the critics often miss, however, is the fact that there's a genuine scene going on.

Hyperpop is queer-friendly. It attracts the shy and introverted, and offers them

a healthy outlet. It lives largely online, but there's a very visual aspect based on gaming and anime/manga.

"It's a big gamer genre, and anime," says artist Sophie Shredz. "Crazy visuals for sure. I feel like the branding is geared to gamers. It's a very online genre."

"I am very much into anime," adds fellow hyperpop artist Sophie Powers. "I'm also a fashion designer and design all my own outfits. So that visual aspect is very important to me and my community. They're wholesome. They're sweet. It's not, it's not a tough space. And yeah, the anime really does make me feel more comfortable."

Shredz grew up playing guitar from the age of 7, playing in bands for most of her life.

"I moved to Nashville for college, and I was in a band throughout college," she says. "Then during COVID, I dropped out and broke off, and did my own thing. That's when I really started to get into hyperpop and production, and electronic music and stuff. Once I started to

do that, I knew that this was going to be my thing."

Meanwhile, Powers wrote her first song when she was 8 years old.

"I was a theater kid," she says. "So I did that very intensively from age 8 until 15. And then

I actually started to pursue music full-time at the age of 15. I moved to L.A. at the age of 16, to continue music full time. So I'd say around that time, it was getting very serious."

Both Sophies admit that hyperpop isn't the easiest genre to define.

"I love this question," Shredz says. "It's crazy because I feel like when I tell people that my genre is hyperpop, they are like, 'What does that mean?' My initial question is always, 'Do you know 100 gees?' Because that's the main one that everybody knows. The way I describe it is, it's just like really heavy bass and the vocals sound like you're Alvin & the Chipmunks. They're like, 'What are you talking about?' But the first band I always introduce to people is 100 gees

Sophie Powers



because they kind of like started a bigger movement of hyperpop, I feel. It's weird, I always tell people it's heavy bass with pitched vocals, and it's just a more ADHD version of pop music."

An "ADHD version of pop" is an interesting take. Powers believes that hyperpop is avant-garde.

"I grew up listening to Lady Gaga, and I was a teenager in the L.A. club scene, attending events like Subculture party," she says. "It's just music that I can feel comfortable listening to in any setting like that L.A. party with a bunch of queers, or I can listen to it with my very straight normcore friends, and they might also be like, 'Whoa, this is dope.' You know, it's really for everyone. And that's why it's so special to me."

Hyperpop evolved out of and into more sub genres and micro genres than we can list, but some of the main ones are glitchcore, digicore, hyperfunky and dariacore.

"Sometimes I feel like I can't even describe it because there are so many different subgenres of the actual genre,"

says Shredz. "But obviously, PC Music was the big starter of that. So it's cool to see where the genre is going. I feel like it's always evolving."

The through-line that journeys between gaming and anime and general online culture is long but fuzzy. Hyperpop culture isn't one thing, so it's not easily definable. It's not even entirely forward-thinking because there are nostalgic elements when it comes to pop culture and tech.

"It's crazy because I've literally found some of the craziest hyperpop songs only on Soundcloud," says Shredz. "I feel like it's a super online genre. There are a lot of Discord chats and stuff where that's where people are meeting their collaborators. I feel like it's a lot of shy introverts. The way the music is does not always match up with the person behind it. The music is super out there and in your face, and then you meet the person behind the song and you're like, 'Wow, such a shy person.'"

Other artists that sit in or have sat in the hyperpop space include Slayyyter

and Charli XCX. But jump on TikTok and YouTube, and the pool of talent is endless.

"Oh, there's so many," says Powers. "One of my good friends is Syko. I really admire him as a hyperpop artist. 100 geecs of course. I also really like Bladee and Drain Gang."

Both Shredz and Powers have new music out. In the case of the former, the latest single is "Eyez On Me."

"I wrote Eyez On Me with King John, who's one of my main producers, and Amava, who's also another amazing artist," Shredz says. "We recorded it in Nashville. It was one of the first singles that I ever wrote. It was a time where I was going through this situation where I felt like I was getting a lot of negative attention and I wanted to reclaim that idea and turn it into a bad bitch anthem pop song. Going back to what I said before about people in this genre being super introverted and shy, I feel like this song for me was hope I wanted to react in the situation, and I didn't want to hide behind

– Sophie Shredz is my persona of what I wish I would say."

Meanwhile, Powers released the "Better On Mute" single in November.

"Better On Mute" was recorded in my producer's place in L.A. in response to, I had a little bit of viral exposure from my song 'Nosebleed' and was overwhelmed with hate comments like I'd never seen before," she says. "So it was my response. Like, those hate comments will never affect me as much as I can affect myself because at the end of the day, I'm an artist who's going to be hardest on myself."

Shredz has an album coming in 2024, and a tour. Powers will be releasing an EP next year. Neither artist is going anyway, and neither is hyperpop. It will continue to grow, and fragment into even more sub-sub-genres. Like a snowball, it will gather up more cultural and technological elements as it rolls.

Haters will only drive them on.

Sophie Shredz's "Eyez On Me" and Sophie Powers' "Better On Mute" are out now. **LA**



Sophie Shredz

THE GASTRONOME GIFT GUIDE FOR DECEMBER

BY MICHELE STUEVEN



Kicking off the December gift guide, celebrity Chef Curtis Stone, in partnership with Gathar, is launching a new culinary experience called Restaurant at Home. The Saturday, Dec. 9, and Saturday, Dec. 16 events will tease the upcoming series that begins in February 2024.

Stone and his team of five-star chefs will create curated menus in Los Angeles for groups of six or more. The in-home culinary experience includes a fully catered three-course dinner, along with a dedicated chef/waitperson who will serve and clean up for around \$98 per person, plus tax and tip.

RAH is offering a complimentary bottle of wine to the first 20 people who book the December dates through a partnership with The Hidden Sea, an eco-conscious wine company that removes plastic from the ocean. Guests within 25 miles of Stone's restaurant Gwen in Hollywood must select a date at least two days in advance of the December events to reserve.

The December menu begins with a charcuterie platter selected from the butchery at Stone's Michelin Star-rated Gwen, followed by slow-roasted heritage chicken breast with vermouth jus, along with Jospier roasted carrots with carrot Leaf chimichurri, braised collard greens and truffled mashed potato. Car-

amel pastry cream topped with salted caramel whipped crème fraiche, crispy rice pearls and espresso powder created by Gwen executive pastry chef Tamber Weiersheuser is for dessert. The plant-based and gluten-free menu features sweet potato and radicchio salad with roasted shallot dressing and candied pumpkin seeds and a glazed vegan loaf with a pumpkin coconut panna cotta for dessert. Ongoing new menus will kick off with the February series.

It's time to unleash your inner Elf. In celebration of Elf's 20th anniversary, HelloFresh is bringing back the fan-favorite Buddy the Elf spaghetti meal kits. Staying true to the over-the-top dish made famous in the film starring Will Ferrell, the HelloFresh kit features Colavita spaghetti along with sweet toppings like maple syrup, marshmallows, and more.

After selling out in minutes last year, HelloFresh is re-releasing the limited-edition kits with the addition of special collectible items, including two festive Buddy the Elf green suit aprons, two plates designating the four main elf food groups and one plastic storage bag to pack your spaghetti for lunch. The kits will be available starting on Monday, Dec. 4 at www.HelloFreshElfSpaghetti.com, no subscription is required. HelloFresh is also helping home cooks so-



liday their spot on the nice list with the debut of the new "Buddy the Elf's Jolly Eats" recipe series, inspired by scenes from the holiday movie.

Levain Bakery is bringing back its signature holiday flavor, dark chocolate peppermint, made with extra dark French cocoa, semisweet chocolate chunks and melty peppermint chips, crispy on the outside and gooey on the inside with a cool minty tingle. They've also launched a new limited-edition holiday tin for their decadent cookies as well as custom-made felt ornaments, featuring a hand-made felt Levain cookie inside its blue bag. The hand-embroidered ornament is made in partnership with Craftspring. Other Levain's signature cookies included chocolate chip walnut, dark chocolate chocolate chip, dark chocolate peanut butter chip, coconut caramel chocolate chip, plus vegan and gluten-free versions.

Looking for a gift for a whiskey lover? Tam O'Shanter is offering decanter gift boxes that come with a branded 100th-anniversary Tam O'Shanter whiskey decanter, coasters and a limited-edition 100-year bottle of Benromach. They also have a Robbie Burns cocktail shaker kit with whiskey cocktail instructions, plus solo bottles of whiskey from their expansive collection. All gift sets and bottles are available for purchase at the restaurant.

If you want to give a satisfying and sustainable gift, The Chef's Garden Holiday Box is a delightful mix of regeneratively farmed vegetables and treats designed for the holiday season. Famous and revered by chefs across the country, Farmer

Jones Farm is part of *The Chef's Garden*, which was started by the Jones family in northern Ohio along the shores of Lake Erie.

Today, under the guidance of farmers Lee Jones and brother Bob Jones, Jr., they continue their father's legacy of growing vegetables, herbs, microgreens, and edible flowers. They use regenerative farming techniques for healthy soil, healthy crops, healthy people, and a healthy planet. The holiday box includes seasonal vegetables like carrots, radishes, beets, mixed greens, kale, parsnips, and sunchokes and bonus treats like Dario's focaccia bread mix and carrot marmalade. There's also a *Plant-Based Charcuterie Box* that includes:

- *Petite Crudité Sampler*
- *Cuke with Bloom*
- *Petite Potatoes*
- *Edible Mixed Flowers*
- *Beets (for Beet Hummus Recipe)*
- *Root Vegetable Slices*
- *Dario's Bread Mix*
- *Marmalade*

And a *Honey Bee Experience Box* that has cut honeycomb, creamed honey, flowerhouse tea and fresh edible flowers.

Candified in Long Beach is the one-stop shop for all that is sweet in life and goes above and beyond just personalized gift boxes. They also offer seasonal crafty activities like holiday ornament making, holiday cookie decorating, DIY holiday totes and hats, candy sushi bentos, festive cookie candy pizzas and all the slime you can imagine. Gingerbread house building is \$39 per creator with unlimited icings, toppings, candy and edible glitters. Bookings for 2024 creation station parties make a sweet stocking stuffer. 🍪

THE HOLIDAY CANNABIS ACCESSORY GUIDE 2023

Here are some of the best gifts for people that love cannabis

BY JIMI DEVINE



Oh Hi

Lavinia's oh.hi

Who doesn't love weed-infused orgasms? Well the team over at Lavinia certainly does. We can't even imagine what the R&D phase looked like for their THC- and CBD-infused lubricant that "stimulates blood flow in the applied areas to increase sensitivity and intensify orgasms." We've seen a lot of cannabis sex therapy products come and go over the years, but the real lubes always seem to have a better shot over the more tincture looking stuff. A bottle of oh.hi should run you \$48 plus taxes at CA dispensaries that have it in stock.

Stundenglass X The Grateful Dead

The team at Stundenglass describes their creation as the world's first gravity-powered, contactless infusers. In the years since it first dropped, it's certainly found its way into pop culture. One of the things that assisted in making that happen was their collaborations with people like B-Real and Wiz Khalifa. Their latest collaboration with The Grateful Dead is one of their coolest to date. We're positive that deadheads around the world will be lining up to get their hands on one this holiday season.

Puffco Plus

Many moons ago during the peak of the hydrocarbon hash era, the Puffco Plus burst onto the scene as a top-of-the-line dab pen. You were just as likely to see the owner of a hash company traveling with one as you were to see them with socks or a glass of water. That's how common they were. While many would move on to Puffco's next generation Peak a few years later, the Plus has never stopped providing value to those who needed to be a bit more discreet when enjoying their concentrates. The hardware on the Plus was completely upgraded this year. One of the best improvements was you can now push down the mouthpiece to expose the piece you load the hash on — it was a simple but great upgrade. []



Stundenglass dead collab

The Christmas season has arrived and just like every year, we have the perfect cannabis accessories to please the cannabis enthusiast in your life.

It was a great year for cannabis accessories. That was whether you were talking about all the cool new stuff or standard bearers getting upgrades. There were plenty of both. So that means we're really able to go all over the place with this list to cover a variety of products.

And for all the good out there, there is a bunch of garbage. Anything on this list

we can totally vet. Just because something isn't on this list doesn't mean it's not awesome. We just promise you can have faith in these products and they are all available now.

Storz and Bickel Venty

I've personally been using Storz and Bickel products for 18 years. I imagine that first analog Volcano I hit in the dorm before the digital upgrade still works to this day. But we're not talking about coffee table vaporizers, we're talking about Storz and Bickel's new portable offering, the

Venty. The Venty came out the gate as one of the best flower vaporizers on the market after years of development. I packed some Zushi in it at the U.S. launch party and it tasted awesome.

Moose Labs MouthPeace Line

The MouthPeace lineup from Moose Labs has expanded from two to three with the addition of the micro. The MouthPeace Micro fits on top of small glass bowls and hand pipes. Moose Labs noted it's about half the size of the Original MouthPeace.

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME Case No. 23STCP04114 Superior Court of California County of Los Angeles located at: Central District Central Courthouse 111 North Hill Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012. Filed On 11/08/2023 - in the matter

of petitioner MIGUEL MONTECINO. It is hereby ordered that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter of change of name appear before the above-entitled court as follows to show cause why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Notice of Hearing: 12/18/2023, 9:30AM, Dept: 26 Room 316 Located at Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, Stanley Mosk Courthouse, 111 North Hill Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012. And a petition for change of name having been duly filed with the clerk of this Court, and it appearing from said petition that said petitioner(s) desire(s) to have her name changed from: Miguel Montecino to Michael Montecino. Now therefore, it is hereby ordered that all persons interested in the said matter of change of name appear as indicated herein above then and there to show cause why the petition for change of name should not be granted. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the LA Weekly, a newspaper of general circulation for the County of Los Angeles, once a week for four (4) successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing of said petition. Set to publish 11.24.23, 12.1.23, 12.8.23, 12.15.23. Dated: 11.08.23



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