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HANDCUFFS

SJSU student arrested near Tower Lawn

BY WILLIAM YAP
NEWS EDITOR

University Police arrested a San Jose State student on suspicion of public intoxication near the loading ramp of Washington Square Hall Wednesday afternoon, according to UPD Lt. Michael Santos.

An official from the Santa Clara County Main Jail confirmed that Henry Chuan was booked around 4:40 p.m. The official said Chuan was expected to be released Wednesday night, and that Chuan will receive a citation for the reason he was brought in.

Phylis West-Johnson, director for SJSU's School of Journalism and Mass

Communications, said Chuan enrolled in three courses through Open University, but he is not a journalism student.

According to SJSU's Open University website, the program allows students from outside the university to enroll in university courses on a space-available basis and gain college credit.

Multiple students from journalism lecturer Dona Nichols's Mass Communications and Society (MCOM 72) class told the lecturer Chuan had poured an unknown liquid into another bottle during class and began drinking.

A teaching assistant said

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Community observes Ash Wednesday



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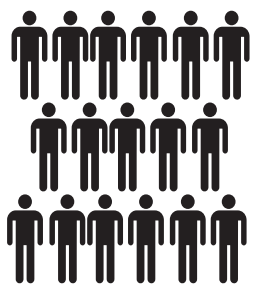
Ernest Cockrell (right), assistant priest of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, blesses business junior Stacy Hernandez (left) in Spartan Memorial Chapel on Wednesday. Several priests marked attendees' foreheads with ash as a sign of penitence. The San Jose Canterbury Foundation holds this service annually on Ash Wednesday to mark the first day of Lent.

7 weeks, 8 shootings at United States schools

On Wednesday, a former student shot and killed 17 people at a high school in Marjory Stoneman Douglas High in Parkland, Florida. The Broward County Sheriff's Department said in a press release the shooter was 19-year-old Nikolas Cruz. The Sheriff's Department said Cruz was expelled last year for disciplinary reasons.



According to NBC News, the weapon used in Wednesday's shooting was an AR-15. That's the same weapon that was used in several mass shootings - including Aurora, Newtown, San Bernardino, Sutherland Springs, Las Vegas and now Parkland.



17 people died in Wednesday's shooting.



According to Everytown for Gun Safety, this is the eighth mass shooting at a school in 2018. Everytown defines a mass shooting as "an incident in which four or more people, not including the shooter, are killed with a firearm."



Everytown reports that there have been 291 school shootings since Sandy Hook in 2013. That breaks down to about one per week.



On Feb. 1, two students were shot at a middle school in Southern California when a gun concealed in a student's backpack went off. One student was shot in the head, and the other in the arm.

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SERVICES

New resource centers open in Student Union

BY WILLIAM DELA CRUZ
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Three resource centers were officially announced at a presentation at the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Library.

The centers are the Chicana/Latina Student Success Center, African American/Black Student Success Center and the UndocuSpartan Center.

There were 32 people total in attendance and the whole presentation was only about 20 minutes and started with a 13-minute speech by San Jose State President Mary Papazian.

"We haven't always been as good as translating into action the values that we have long represented around social justice, equity and inclusion," Papazian said. "We need to make sure the campus is truly inclusive, welcoming, and that it is a climate where every student who comes here is able to succeed and that there should be no difference in the levels of success in the level of success no matter their background."

Each program coordinator also gave a quick two-minute speech following Papazian's. After their speeches about the importance about each of the centers and the services they will provide to students, each coordinator mingled with everyone in attendance.

The UndocuSpartan Center is located in Student Union room 2450 and program coordinator Ana Navarrete said that her biggest concern is getting the word out that the resources are here. She said the center also plans to collaborate with campus partners to create additional resources.

Navarrete says that the center is geared more toward

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San Jose State students were given the opportunity to learn tips and tricks in looking debonair, thanks to Associated Students (A.S.).

Members of A.S. came up with the idea to host a life skill series for SJSU students. Dapper Day is the first installment in this three-part series.

“The idea is for SJSU students to feel confident and increase their skills in looking even more dapper than they already look and feel,” Bradyn Miller, A.S. marketing and events manager, said. “For instance, one of the activities that they can do is learn how to tie a tie. Students will definitely need that skill if they are going to an interview in the future or maybe a date.”

There were several booths

available for students to learn about personal care: Skin Care 101 with Kylie, How to Tie a Tie, Step in Style with Zuri and Makeup Mania with Kira. The stations provided students with more information about how to be business ready, shoe cleanliness, affordable skin care routines and applying flawless makeup.

Kylie Haff, an aesthetician with Metamorphosis Salon in San Jose, hosted the Skin Care 101 booth. Haff’s specialty is skin care. She was extremely proud to offer her knowledge.

“It means a lot to me because this is me and my business,” Haff said. “This is kind of bringing it to other people, and I really enjoy bringing good skin to everyone.”

At her booth, Haff taught students how to make face masks at home without having to purchase

additional products.

“Skin care is easy,” Haff said. “A lot of people think that it is really tough. That you have to do a lot of stuff for it but our bodies are actually made to basically treat itself and help itself. What’s nice about it is a lot of this stuff you don’t have to go out and necessarily spend a lot of money for. It’s a lot of stuff you can do at home and you can treat yourself, and it’s not that hard.”

For students, juggling finances can be difficult. Forcing them to cut back on amenities with self-care, so knowing these tips and tricks helps the process.

Political science freshman Brenda Jimenez enjoyed the booths at Dapper Day.

“There are a bunch of different booths with a bunch of simple things that everybody should know, but nobody does,” Jimenez said. “I think it’s for both genders,



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Resident adviser Kira Nguyen does sociology senior Monica Sanchez’s makeup at her booth during the Dapper Day event Wednesday afternoon.

males and females. Both a male and a female can learn how to tie a tie, everybody needs to take care of their skin, everybody needs to make sure that their shoes look good. Both males and females can wear makeup. It’s just for everybody.”

The two other installments in this life skill

series are coming soon. The second event is titled #Adulting. It will go over laundry, ironing and basic car mechanics. The third will be centered around eating healthy.

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offering resources that help students build opportunities to do research and take on internships without being discriminated against because of their undocumented status.

“We want to make sure that we are supporting students and making sure they understand what their rights are,” Navarrete said. “We also want to make sure that their parents know that this is safe and that their

children are in good hands and that we are going to protect them.”

Julia Curry, associate professor of Mexican American studies, has been working towards having university services for undocumented students since 2001.

“I think [the UndocuSpartan center] is a very important service,” Curry said. “It’s very important for us at SJSU to be informed about the needs of undocumented students.”

The African American/Black Student Success Center

also opened in room 1360 of the Student Union. Program coordinator Paula Powell says the center is there to help students connect their majors with their jobs and network with other campus partners.

“We help provide sources for internships and help them set up appointments and tutoring,” Powell said. “We want students to be able to crack the code to be successful and also help them close their achievement gap.”

Lilly Piñedo, program coordinator for the Chicanx/Latinx Student

Success Center, says the center provides a variety of programming and activity throughout the entire semester, as well as an electronic newsletter titled “Ojo!” where students can learn what’s going on in regards to the various activities that are going on.

Piñedo says that the center is not specifically for Chicano and Latino students.

“We are a very inclusive and open space,” Piñedo said. “Although we have a targeted contingency, we understand the intersecting identities of our students. So

we do promote our center as open to all students.”

The center is located in Student Union room 1340. It has five success interns responsible for mentoring the students about navigating SJSU and its resources.

Students are also able to meet with Mexican American Studies professor Marcos Pizzaro or Spanish professor Vanessa Fernández during their faculty office hours for additional help.

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the class was discussing current events. Wednesday’s mass shooting in Florida was brought up and the teaching assistant said Chuan became more active in the conversation. That shooting at a high school in Parkland, Florida resulted in the deaths of 17 people as of Wednesday night.

“I noticed it was a little odd that he was a bit more vocal than usual,” the teaching assistant said. “But then again, he could have just been energetic for the class.”

Nichols began the discussion saying she had no intention of carrying a gun, but felt that having a dialogue about the issue would be more effective than carrying a gun. Nichols then asked students if professors should start carrying firearms in class, which she said Chuan approved.

the student seemed disoriented. Rucker said a talk between the two became argumentative after the student said something Rucker considered to be racist.

Nichols said she heard from Rucker that Chuan mentioned the far-right conservative website Breitbart News during the conversation.

Rucker asked the student to leave his office and then called UPD. Santos said officers originally responded to a disturbance at Dwight Bentel Hall, but Chuan left the building before they arrived.

Rucker said a student later found an empty bottle in the building and that bottle was later turned into officers. Santos confirmed the student was booked into county jail.

“When all the pieces came together and I heard he’d been drinking,” Nichols said. “I heard Breitbart and I heard, ‘yes, you should arm yourself’... It really scared me and scares my students too.”

West-Johnson said in an email, “This matter was reported to college administrators as well as the UPD, in efforts to ensure the emotional and physical safety of our students and instructors across campus, whatever their majors. I would like to add, we hope that this student had a lapse of judgment, and this unacceptable behavior is out of character for him - and that if he needs help, that he will reach out for it in constructive ways.”

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FOOD REVIEW



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(Left) An order of half Hero and Dhoom pizza served at Tasty Indian Pizza. (Right) An order of six tandoori chicken wings also known as “don” topped with diced cilantro. Tasty Indian Pizza is a new San Jose restaurant that serves traditional Indian entrees with unique fusions.

Tandoori may be the new pepperoni

BY BRIANNA SHEATS
STAFF WRITER

If you are looking for a new cultural restaurant that makes mouth-watering entrees, Tasty Indian Pizza should be your next stop!

The restaurant is the home of the original Indian pizza and is located in San Jose on Quimby Road. It opened two months ago so it is still fairly new.

“We’ve been doing this for over 10 years,” Tasty Indian Pizza employee Sukhjot Sandhu said. “We have three branches located in Sunnyvale, Fairfield and now San Jose.”

Sandhu is also a SJSU alumnus who majored in business. He co-owns the locations in Sunnyvale

and Fairfield with his brother Inder. For the San Jose location he co-owns with also Sandeet Gidda and Raman Takhar.

The restaurant itself is a fusion. There are flat screen televisions all on the walls that play sports channels and Indian pop music. It is the perfect place to take your friends and family.

Not only does it offer Indian pizza but it also has classic Italian pizzas. I highly suggest trying its unique Indian pizzas. There is a special for two large pizzas where you pay \$22.99 and have the option to order your pizzas with two different toppings. Basically, you can try up to four different kinds of pizzas.

If you enjoy spicy food,

the Agneepath pizza is the best option for you. It’s a garlic tandoori pizza with white sauce, pineapple, jalapeno, red onion, tomato, tandoori chicken and is topped with cilantro. Tandoori chicken is a popular dish in India that is marinated in yoghurt and spices in a tandoor, which is a clay oven.

The Agneepath pizza was definitely my top choice, but the Dhoom pizza was a close second. It was another tandoori pizza but instead was topped with tandoori sauce, red onions, bell peppers, sweet corn, chicken and cilantro. At first I was not too sure about corn being on a pizza but it was actually a key component.

Indian cuisine is

known for its popular butter chicken so it was only right to try the “3 Idiots,” which is a spicy butter chicken pizza. This is the restaurant’s most popular pizza and consists of red chillies, jalapenos, butter chicken and topped with cilantro.

“We make everything from scratch and it’s fresh,” Sandhu said. “All the recipes are thought of in our house. My wife creates it and we try it as a family to see if it works.”

A cool thing about this restaurant is the owners name their Indian pizzas after well-known movies like “Dhoom” and “Sholay.”

Not only does the restaurant have pizzas but it also has appetizers like buffalo wings, garlic

cheese bread and cheesy sticks. There are also Indian appetizers like Don which are tandoori chicken wings that are mouth-wateringly good.

The service was great and made the experience even more enjoyable.

“Being Indian, I was a little skeptical about it,” customer Gagandeep Sidhu said. “I never thought pizza and Indian food would go well together but it was some of the best food I’ve had. I’ll for sure recommend this to my friends.”

After trying Tasty Indian Pizza, I do not think I could go back to eating regular pizza.

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GOOD EATS

“Tasty Indian Pizza”

Cuisine: Indian fusion

Location: 2850 Quimby Road Suite 140, San Jose, CA 95148

Price: \$\$

Rating:



MOVIE REVIEW

“Fifty Shades Freed” has more than just sex

BY DOMINOE IBARRA
STAFF WRITER

If you are thinking anything related to the Fifty Shades movies is just about sex then “Fifty Shades Freed” is going to make you think otherwise. Yes, there are clearly sex scenes in this film but there was a lot of focus on the actual story line rather than the physical attraction between Anastasia Steele and Christian Grey.

There was violence used throughout the entire movie, and no I am not talking about in the bedroom—since we all know how rough they get. From kidnappings to stalkings to throwing guns in the mix with just a smidge of sex, you have the last movie of the Fifty Shades series.

We left off with “Fifty Shades Darker” with Christian doing something we never thought he was capable of doing. Proposing to Anastasia, who goes by Ana. Now, here we are straight into the wedding scene for the beginning of the movie, which was actually quite romantic.

The first 20 minutes of the film is filled with bliss and the enjoyment of being a married couple. Then it all comes crumbling down when something terrible happens in one

of the Grey Enterprise buildings, causing the pair to fly home.

The honeymoon phase is officially over and Ana tries to adjust to the lifestyle that initially included Christian, but finds she is now on her own.

In the beginning of the series she was a quiet submissive partner who was only supposed to follow orders from her dominant figure Christian.

You see more of Ana’s rebellious side in this movie, which we all know is not Christian’s favorite thing in the world since she is his submissive. From being the boss lady in her workspace to becoming more of a boss lady at home, she now states how she feels during certain situations.

The violence has no end and honestly, I wasn’t mad about it. It drifts away from what the movie is known for. If people gave the films a chance, they’d realize it’s not just about sex.

The ending was by far my favorite part of the film and no it wasn’t because the movie was finally over. It was cute and happy and something you wouldn’t expect the film to show because it was something beyond what the relationship between Ana and Christian may have portrayed in the previews.

I highly recommend watching the first two

films before seeing this last one in theaters. “Fifty Shades Freed” was a nice end to the sex dramas and really showed the progression between Ana and Christian as a couple and as separate characters by showing their love beyond how they normally show it in the bedroom.

I also recommend sitting a little longer in the movie because after the credits start rolling you’re going to think it is over but then another scene will show right after that and trust me you’re going to want to see this one. Like I said earlier, the ending was my favorite part.

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IN THEATERS

“Fifty Shades Freed”

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DISPENSARY REVIEW

Buddy's Cannabis dispensary stays lit

BY BEN STEIN
STAFF WRITER

Going to Buddy's Cannabis dispensary is the perfect mix between being a kid in a candy store and standing in the prize line at Chuck E. Cheese, so many options with something for everyone.

Located just two miles from campus on North 10th Street, Buddy's Cannabis became the first dispensary in California to receive licensing by the state to sell recreational marijuana.

"I got an email from the bureau of cannabis control, the state agency that governs Cannabis business' [that said] the online application was available," Buddy's Cannabis owner Matt Lucero said.

"I submitted my application within two hours. Later, we found out Buddy's Cannabis was in fact the first business in California to receive permission from the state to engage in retail sales of cannabis."

As soon as you step foot inside, the culture takes over.

Classic rock music and stoner comedies like Pineapple Express or Harold and Kumar, provide customers with a comfortable setting while they wait for help.

After waiting no more than 10 minutes, a trained budtender takes you aside and walks you through the menu to help you decide what's the perfect match for you.

While it may be overwhelming for someone new to marijuana, the budtenders are highly knowledgeable, having each personally tried all of the Buddy's products, and are able to answer any questions you may have in thorough detail.

For regulars who know what they want, picking up your weed is quick and doesn't take longer than five minutes.

Buddy's has six stations, each with an arsenal of different flowers, concentrates and edibles available to look at and purchase. Each desk also has a large microscope so you can thoroughly inspect the weed before you purchase it.

Not only is the service quick and easy, the Buddy's product is equally impressive.

"Our business model has always focused on the high end," Lucero said. "Between what we grow in-house and bring in from the farmers we work with, we end up offering a fairly wide selection of high-end cannabis flowers."

At all times they have at least 30 different strains to choose from, including their own twist on popular strains like Blue Dream.

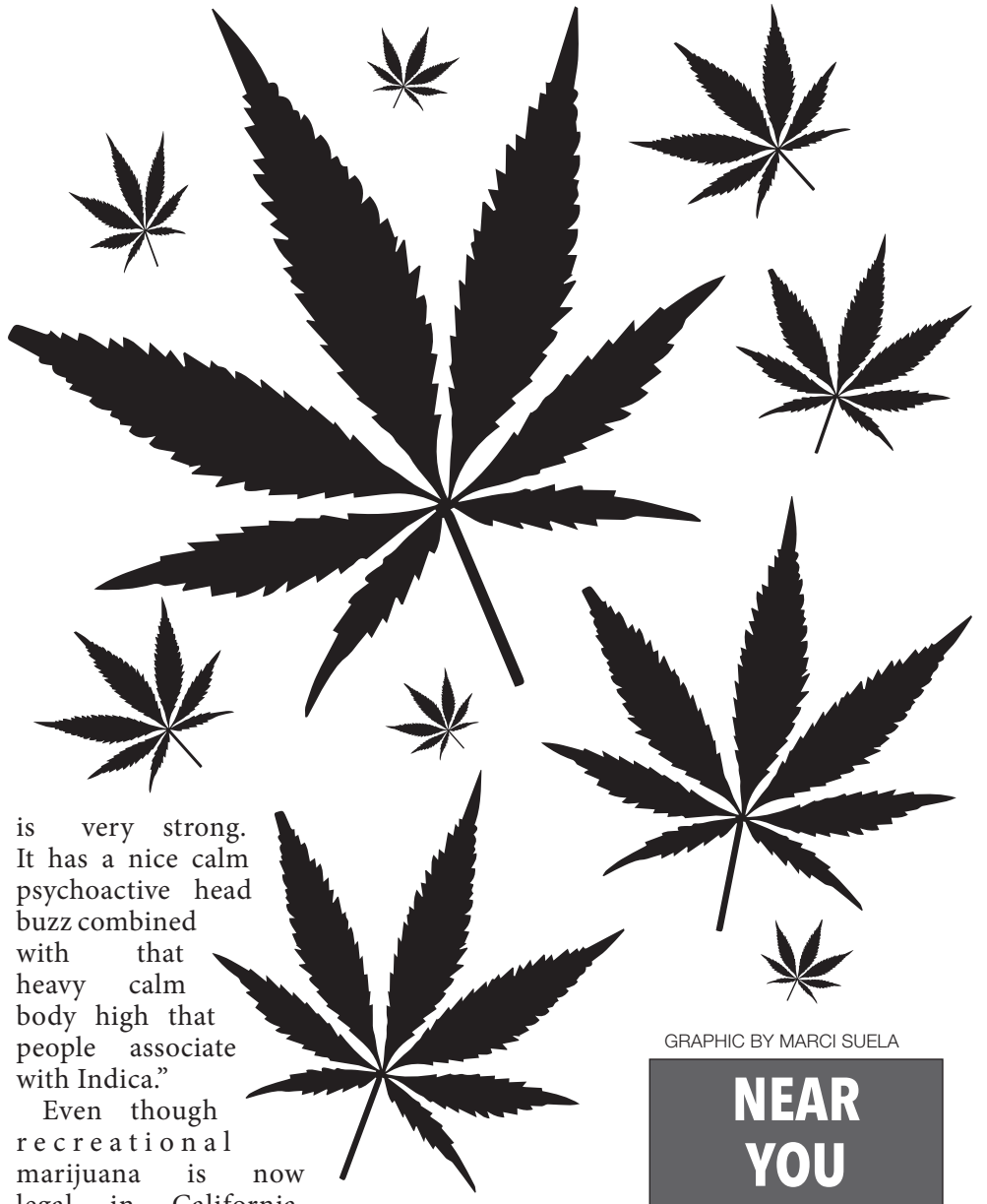
The dense nuggets are noticeable by their classic orange hairs and sparkly crystals.

Buddy's does a good job of having a wide range of top-shelf marijuana.

"The most common size of dried flower that we sell is 3.5 grams, an eighth of an ounce," Lucero said. "That goes from anywhere from \$30 to \$65."

Budtender Emmett Schade described a strain named Death Star OG, one of their top-shelf Indica strains as a personal favorite.

"Our death star OG is an Indica-dominant hybrid," Schade said. "It



GRAPHIC BY MARCI SUELA

is very strong. It has a nice calm psychoactive head buzz combined with that heavy calm body high that people associate with Indica."

Even though recreational marijuana is now legal in California, dispensaries cannot just sell to whoever shows up.

There are rules and regulations that Buddy's must abide by.

"We have had to turn down some people for being under the age of 21," dispensary security guard Jose Torres said. "We have also had people get angry when we turned them away for not bringing their drivers license."

Whether you want

more weed, are looking to smoke for the first time or are just interested in finding out more information, Buddy's Cannabis has a chill vibe that is inviting to anyone who is interested in checking them out.

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Rating:



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ALBUM REVIEW

"Black Panther" album roars with multiple stars

BY BRIANNA SHEATS
STAFF WRITER

If you thought "Black Panther" couldn't get anymore exciting, the soundtrack is the icing on the cake.

The one and only Kendrick Lamar was the conductor of the soundtrack for the new superhero movie "Black Panther." The soundtrack has an all-star cast of artists such as SZA, The Weeknd, Khalid, Future, ScHoolboy Q and SOB X RBE.

The soundtrack revolves around the story of T'Challa, the king of Wakanda who is also the Black Panther.

If you thought the album "DAMN." by Lamar was full of creativity, you can expect to be even more amazed with this album.

The first track is "Black Panther" which has Lamar's signature abstract jazzy beat. The song starts out with a slow tempoed piano as Lamar raps in character of T'Challa to start the storyline.

"All The Stars" is the second track featuring the talented SZA. It is a beautiful pop song that questions what love is. It brings in creative sounds consisting of deep bass drums and angelic violins.

"X" is the third

track and features ScHoolboy Q, 2 Chainz and Saudi. In this heavy trash-talking track, ScHoolboy Q's verse catches my attention most with the line, "Not even Kendrick can Humble me." This is shocking since he is a part of TDE but hey, it made on the track so it works.

The song that stole the show is the collaboration with Bay Area's very own SOB X RBE and Mozzy. "Paramedic!" takes the viewpoint of the character Killmonger who is the antagonist in the storyline. It brings in the SOB classic beat but had a TDE upgrade with a powerful bass. In my opinion, this is the song that will be the savior of the NorCal versus SoCal feud.

In "King's Dead," Future shocks everyone with his high pitched voice change up in the bridge "La di da di da, slob on me knob." I couldn't help myself but laugh because it was unexpected yet it worked!

Zacari comes in with an interlude "Redemption Interlude," which later leads into "Redemption" featuring Babes Wodumo. This song brings in African culture music with a variety of percussions being used and even has Zulu language saying "Ung'bambe, ungdedele. Ung'bhaso bhe, ungdudluke."

It translates to "hold me, let me go. Watch out for me and move out of the way for me."

The soundtrack ends with "Pray for Me," featuring The Weeknd. This song is very catchy but I am not too impressed because it sounds just like Starboy by The Weeknd.

Overall the "Black Panther" Soundtrack lived up to my expectations. The creativity of all the artists distinguishes each song. I feel like this album will complement the movie very well and I look forward to seeing it even more. The movie, directed by Ryan Coogler, opens tonight.

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IN STORES

"Black Panther"

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Various artists

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Lovetta Jackson
STAFF WRITER

Money can buy happiness for certain people. Some may find happiness in specific activities, but without money, it may not be possible to experience them.

According to CNN Money, people generally get more happiness spending their money on experiences than stuff. Experiences are temporary, like having dinner with a friend or going on a vacation. Stuff includes items like a TV, computer and smartphone.

Some experiences life has to offer require one to have money. It's hard to experience a lot of things if you are not wealthy. Exotic vacations and even a simple dinner with family cost money. In order for these things to happen, one would have to be able to afford it.

If I wanted to go on vacation to a different country, I would have to have money to pay for a flight, a hotel room, food and the activities I want to experience while there.

When I go on vacation, the experience is always relaxing and rewarding. It feels good to take a break from the fast-paced American culture. It is always nice to slow down and visit another

country to de-stress.

According to Your Health by NPR, "In countries like Germany, the United Kingdom and the Netherlands, employers are required to provide up to 20 days of paid leave." Your health will also decline if a break from life is not taken.

Vacations don't always have to be exotic. Someone can go on a ski trip and still call it a vacation. A short little getaway or a long stay will require money.

Having money gives people a chance to experience a break from work which may lead to healthier living and a longer life.

"When you have a lot of money, you can take care of your family and that could bring you happiness," health science freshman Hamilton Kidd said. "When you're financially stable and don't have to worry about the extra bills it can bring you a certain security in life."

I appreciate money when I have enough because I work hard to earn my income.

My family has never been financially stable so having money would make me happy in life.

Having to grow up in a family that was not financially stable

really takes a toll on ones well-being. You're constantly worrying about money, what bills to pay or uncertainty if you will have any food.

These are thoughts my parents had, so as a kid it could be hard because there is nothing you can do to help. Money makes me happy because I am able to pay for things I need.

I think that this view would be a lot different if you were born rich, because everything is handed to you.

"It can bring happiness for a certain amount of time. Happiness is an emotion and not an object. You can be really rich and still be a miserable person. It can feel good for the moment, but your issues are still going to be there," justice studies junior Katerina Wilson said.

Being miserable and wealthy is a common thing, but I think it happens to people that lose themselves in the process of becoming wealthy or after the wealth is achieved. It's important to remember where you come from in order to not end up unhappy.

Money can buy people happiness in many ways. It is nice to know you have the financial ability to provide for yourself or even others, which would cause me happiness.

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Chioma Lewis
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Of all the things money can buy, happiness is not one of them. In 2018, it is practically impossible to survive without money. While we may need money for everyday wants and needs, can it actually make us happy?

"If money makes you happy by spending what you want then yeah," undeclared sophomore Brian Joel said.

I do agree that if you buy yourself food or a new outfit it will make you happy in the moment, but true happiness cannot be determined by what you can buy.

I think of happiness as something we create ourselves, and it can't be changed if we have \$300 or \$50,000 in our bank accounts.

According to Sarah Gervais, an associate professor of psychology at University of Nebraska, buying things might make us happy for a short time, but we will eventually need to buy something to make us happy again.

"Buying things does make us happy, at least in the short-term," Gervais said. "In the long-term, however, we habituate to new things and even though they may have made us excited and happy at first, eventually the

item becomes the new normal and fades into the background."

It seems nowadays people are more concerned with the

Not all wealthy people are happy with their lives just because they are wealthy.

materialistic things they can buy and show off.

I've seen people flash their cash all around social media to make people believe they have it all, but in reality, these people were unhappy with their situations.

Not all wealthy people are happy with their lives just because they are wealthy. You need much more than that. Sometimes wanting to have a lot of money can make people distance themselves from others which can lead to loneliness.

According to the Harvard Business review, "Wealth is isolating for both psychological and physical reasons. Psychologically, the acquisition of wealth

– and more generally, possessions that signal high status – makes us want to distance ourselves from others."

I've always been the kind of person to go to a thrift store rather than the mall. I have never been interested in designer clothes or well-known brands.

There is nothing wrong with buying those things, it's just not for me. As a student I understand what it's like to need money for books or food. I've been at the point where I desperately needed money and had none. No one wants to be broke when it's time to buy groceries or pay bills.

"Money doesn't buy you happiness but it does buy you peace of mind, and it is a whole lot easier to be happy when you are not constantly worrying about paying your bills tomorrow," materials science and engineering sophomore Jesus Mendoza-Gutierrez said.

People who are poor or homeless probably wish they had more money to put them in a better situation, but that doesn't mean they aren't happy people. I'm not arguing money isn't necessary for people to live day to day, I'm arguing it can't make you a happy person.

If your joy is based on what is in your pocket or your bank, it can be taken away just as quickly as your money can be spent.

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The Winter Olympics don't matter for NHL fans



Alex Martinet
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The 1980 Olympic Games marked the second time Lake Placid, a small town in upstate New York, hosted the Winter Olympics.

It was the platform on which Team USA hockey took on the Soviet Union at the peak of the Cold War, creating the moment when Al Michaels shouted into the microphone saying, "Do you believe in miracles?"

It was a moment when sports and politics meshed perfectly together, cementing an element that's currently missing from the 2018 Olympics in Pyeongchang, South Korea.

Before the start of the 2018 Winter Olympics, I knew I was going to be disappointed by the absence of the National Hockey League (NHL). For the first time since 1998, The NHL isn't taking a two-week break to allow players to participate in the Olympics.

One of the main reasons the NHL is skipping out on the Olympics is the cost for player insurance, which

cost the International Olympic Committee \$7 million to allow players to participate when it was held in Sochi, Russia.

In 2010, The United States and Canada faced off for the gold medal. It was a thrilling match up where Team USA tied the game after being down by two goals in the final seconds.

Team Canada ended up winning in the end 3-2, but the display was watched by an estimated 27.6 million U.S. households.

It was the most-watched hockey game in America since the 1980 "Miracle on Ice" game, according to the New York Times.

One of the main reasons why fútbol (soccer) is the world's most popular sport is because it's tied into celebrating national pride. Soccer doesn't have much of a spotlight in the United States, but any time Team USA makes it to the World Cup, everyone becomes a soccer aficionado.

When it comes to rooting NHL all-star breaks, I've

always preferred the international tournament format. In late January, the NHL held its three versus three division competition series, and I nearly fell asleep watching it. The games are meaningless. The NHL All-Star game is nothing but a Broadway show without the spectacle or flare and the results show.

Only two million people watched the game, down 10 percent in viewership from last year, according to Sports Media Watch.

During these past two weeks I've been conflicted about who I should support. An Olympic season only lasts for two weeks compared to the 28 weeks of a NHL regular season. My time is important to me, and I don't intend to waste it on storylines that are going to be shoved to the back pages.

I see the intrigue, but in my opinion, Pyeongchang has been an underwhelming storyline to follow so far.

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Time's Up for women who make money off of abuse



Kristel Rodriguez
STAFF WRITER

It's "Time's Up" for Hollywood.

Time's Up is a movement that was formed by a group of celebrity women in Hollywood as a response to the wave of sexual misconduct allegations made against top filmmakers.

According to its website, "Time's Up is a unified call for change from women in entertainment for women everywhere. From movie sets to farm fields to boardrooms alike, we envision nationwide leadership that reflects the world we live in."

Shonda Rhimes, Reese Witherspoon and Taylor Swift (among others) have pledged their support for the Time's Up movement. While I find it very admirable, there's one little problem.

Take a look at Shonda Rhimes. She's the undisputed queen of TGIT (Thank God it's Thursday) on ABC which features "Grey's Anatomy," "Scandal" and "How to Get Away with Murder" in its television lineup.

"Grey's Anatomy" is Rhimes' baby. It's a show she created more than

ten years ago that follows the lives of a group of fictional student surgeons as they start their careers.

Grey's popularity is thanks in part to the show's main relationship between married neurosurgeon Dr. Derek Shepherd and single intern Meredith Grey.

Now, before I continue, let's think about this. Time's Up is meant to raise awareness about sexual misconduct, and to provide women who are in vulnerable positions help in reporting abuse.

Correct me if I am wrong, but many of Harvey Weinstein's victims were adamant that "power dynamics" were one of the main reasons many of them didn't report the abuse to begin with.

Weinstein's position as the head of a major film studio gave him leverage over the future careers of the actresses that auditioned for him because he had the power to make them or break them.

Some will argue Derek is a far cry from Weinstein. That's only because the actor that plays him, Patrick

Dempsey, is considered conventionally attractive.

But I would argue they're more alike than meets the eye.

There are moments in the show throughout Derek and Meredith's relationship he definitely abuses his power. Like not letting her put her name on an award-winning Alzheimer's study they both worked on equally because he didn't want to be ridiculed for crediting an intern.

I don't know about you, but "Grey's Anatomy" sounds like it could

charm him, as it is in most rooms like that."

Interesting. Auditioning is just like interviewing for a job, right? So why would you need to bat the shit out of your eyelashes if you're right for the part? And more importantly, where do we draw the line between charming and outright flirting?

It's hard to say right now, given all the mixed signals Rhimes is sending through the characters in her shows. I mean, how can she fight workplace harassment but write a show that's sole premise is showing

victim, and is actively protesting award shows to keep the dialogue going in public spaces.

But it's not enough, because the root of the problem remains untouched. It's what author Chrys Ingraham calls, "Romancing heterosexuality in popular culture."

Basically, we need these gender expectations in order to believably consume any type of fictionalized media. We have to believe in the "happily ever after." Without it, most movie and television plots are just dramatizations of shoddy workplace and living environments.

And it starts with Disney, a company that prides itself on commodifying the "true love" myth by pandering to a younger, more impressionable audience.

The message of gender-related expression is more likely to stick, further developing the problem.

Take "Sleeping Beauty" for instance. I mean, have you stopped to think about the main plot of that movie?

Princess Aurora is put into a coma, most likely for being a woman, and left on a tree stump "sleeping" until her prince charming comes along to wake her with a kiss.

Interesting. Can a sleeping person consent? Thankfully, Disney

opted for this version and not the more explicit, Italian version that was written as a poem about a King who impregnates a woman in order to break her of the same sleeping curse.

While Disney can't be blamed for the story itself, it can be blamed for bringing it to a mainstream audience and for creating the rigid gender-roles needed in order for this type of fairytale to flourish.

I highly recommend falling into the internet black-hole of Disney-inspired studies on gender stereotypes. You'll never be the same again.

Is it a coincidence Disney owns ABC (and by default, Rhimes)? Maybe. Is it a coincidence we live in a society where aggressive sexual pursuit is rewarded? Not so much.

So, here it goes.

How can the women of Hollywood start a movement to fight the very thing they are responsible for creating? How can they ask for equal pay but not demand equal visibility and respectable character development? How can the women of Time's Up chastise the very culture on which their livelihood is predicated?

How can the women of Hollywood start a movement to fight the very thing they are responsible for creating?

double as a "what not to do" in the workplace video. So could "Scandal" and "How to Get Away with Murder."

To make matters worse, this is what Ellen Pompeo, the actress who plays Meredith, said to USA Today when she was asked about her encounter with Weinstein a few years ago.

"I walked into that room batting the shit out of my eyelashes," Pompeo said. "My goal in that room was to

sexual misconduct as an acceptable interlude to love?"

Don't get me wrong, Time's Up has wonderful intentions.

It has set up a legal defense fund to help underprivileged women fight against sexual misconduct in the far forgotten spheres of society.

Time's Up is advocating for legislative changes to make reporting and prosecuting crimes of assault and harassment less invasive for the

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CLASSIFIEDS

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



ACROSS

- 1. Goulash
- 5. Look at with fixed eyes
- 10. Constellation bear
- 14. Apiary
- 15. Cassettes
- 16. Principal
- 17. Jungle
- 19. Elevator (British)
- 20. Website address
- 21. Got up
- 22. Desires
- 23. A medieval steel helmet
- 25. A watery discharge
- 27. One or more
- 28. Pass
- 31. Dirty
- 34. Dwarf
- 35. Barbie's beau
- 36. Arm or leg
- 37. Foundation
- 38. Noxious plant
- 39. Shade tree
- 40. A thorny stem
- 41. Deservedly receives
- 42. Silver-tongued
- 44. A Buddhist temple
- 45. Governs
- 46. Dry sharp-tasting ales

DOWN

- 1. Bush
- 2. Crown
- 3. Iniquities
- 4. A common cyst
- 5. A level in a building
- 6. Fortuneteller's card
- 7. Mimics
- 8. Man-made lake
- 9. Eastern Standard Time
- 10. Dieresis
- 11. American Indian medicine man
- 12. Sieve
- 13. Picnic insects
- 18. Backside
- 22. Used to be
- 24. Poetic foot
- 26. Skirt lines

- 28. Beginning
- 29. Avid
- 30. Terminates
- 31. Delight
- 32. Small brook
- 33. Supernatural beings
- 34. A person who denies
- 37. Broth (Scottish)
- 38. Light bulb unit
- 40. Volume
- 41. Consumed
- 43. Acid-tasting pear-shaped fruit
- 44. Hotdog
- 46. Courageous
- 47. Master of ceremonies
- 48. Prepared
- 49. Grain storage buildings
- 50. Mend (archaic)
- 51. "Oh my!"
- 53. Alumnus
- 56. Pair
- 57. Bother

SUDOKU PUZZLE

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What do you call a deer with no eyes?

(No idea :-)

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Buying photo filters is a waste of money



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But first, let me take a selfie. Then add a filter. But wait, that filter does not match my current Instagram theme and this one does. The only problem is that it is \$3.99. Oh well! Anything for the 'gram.

People are spending too much money on photo filters just to create a theme for their Instagram. I know we all want to get the most likes on our photos, but buying filters is a waste of money. That money could be spent on more useful things as opposed to making your pictures look a certain way on social media.

We never know when Instagram may be the next app to disappear (R.I.P. Vine), and if that goes away then those who buy filters are not going to have much use for them anymore. Unless you edit your photos for Facebook, but that is even more of a waste of time. Who goes on Facebook anymore?

"I've bought filters over the years," public health junior Charisse Mandecote said. "I usually bought them in packs because it's

cheaper. I used to love playing with the filters and posting a cool looking one. I literally have every VSCO filter which is probably \$50."

VSCO is an app used by some Instagram users to edit photos and buy additional filters.

"I think it's funny because I only gravitate to one now," Mandecote said. "I like how it makes my feed just look clean and put together."

People have either purchased all these different filters just to follow a theme they may end up changing in the future, or like Mandecote, resort to only one filter.

An Instagram theme may be important if you want to gain more followers and get more likes on your pictures.

According to a blog post from Plann, an all inclusive Instagram planning app, "It's just all about getting that casual user to click the 'follow' button, and the path for getting them

there is, interestingly, based on an interplay of shapes and colors and how they work together to deliver your content."



5 facts about Instagram

1. Instagram has more than **800 million** monthly active users.
2. **59 percent** of Instagrammers in the U.S. are **under 30**.
3. Users under 25 years old spend **more than 32 minutes a day** on the platform, while those over 25 spend **more than 24 minutes a day**.
4. According to a 2016 Instagram announcement, **users like a combined total of 4.2 billion posts daily**—and that was when its user base was "only" 500 million.
5. Users share a combined average of **95 million** photos and videos per day. With the steady increase in users, that number is sure to grow in coming years.

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I do not care about them and think they are a waste of time.

The chances of a random person clicking on your profile may be high when they are on the explore page, but that is only if you are

OK with some robot Instagrams or even creepy people following your social media just for a couple likes.

Also, those who have

their profiles on private aren't going to be on the explore page, so if you are still keeping an Instagram feed with filters you had to buy, then what is it even for?

I do admit I have photo editing apps on my phone, including VSCO, but I can say that I haven't ever bought a filter for my Instagram, because my Instagram doesn't

have a theme and it never will.

I do not care about them and think they are a waste of time. The reason I post photos on Instagram is because I think the picture is cute and want to share it. Not because it "matches my Instagram theme."

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After Valentine's Day, It's Lunar New Year!

Chinese New Year (or Lunar New Year) is a traditional and very important Chinese holiday. It was originally a festival to honor ancestors as well as holy or sacred beings. It is also known as the Spring Festival, which is the literal translation from the Chinese name. It is also referred to as the Lunar New Year because the Chinese calendar is lunisolar. A lunisolar calendar uses both the moon phase and the solar year. Chinese New Year is the longest festival in the Chinese calendar.

1. The date varies!

The date for Chinese New Year changes each year. It always falls between Jan. 21 and Feb. 20, determined by the Chinese lunar calendar. Chinese New Year 2018 is on Friday, Feb. 16.

2. The holiday is oddly called "Spring Festival."

Though in winter, Chinese call their New Year holidays 'Spring Festival' because 'Start of Spring' (Feb. 4-18) is the first of the terms in the traditional solar calendar. While wintry weather prevails, 'Start of Spring' marks the end of the coldest part of winter, when the Chinese traditionally could look forward to the beginning of spring.

3. Every Chinese New Year starts a new animal's zodiac year.

Chinese zodiac years: A very old custom is to name the years by one of 12 animals in their zodiac cycle. For example, 2018 is a year of the Dog. Many Chinese still believe in astrology and other New Year superstitions.

People focus on priorities: making amends, reconciling with people, avoiding offence, and re-establishing old ties. They buy and wear new clothes, give gifts, and clean house.

4. It is a festival for 1/4 of the world's population.

Countries that celebrate this festival include Hong Kong, China, Indonesia, Philippines, South Korea, Malaysia, North Korea, Taiwan, Brunei, Singapore, and Macau.

5. Billions of red envelopes are exchanged.

These red envelopes with cash are given out from older to younger, from bosses to employees, and from leaders to underlings. It is a special New Year's bonus.

8. There is the world's biggest annual fireworks usage.

Most people believe that the flash and bang of firecrackers and fireworks scare away demons and evil ghosts.

It's a big festival! Let's celebrate with our friends, and ask them for the red envelope ! :-)





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San Jose State forward Ryan Welage drives into Fresno State forward Bryson Williams while trying to create space for an open shot on Wednesday.

Men's basketball drops 13th consecutive game

BY BEN STEIN
STAFF WRITER

In the 171st men's basketball matchup of all time between San Jose State and

BULLDOGS

77

SPARTANS

57

Fresno State, the Spartans early offensive explosion was not enough as Fresno State dominated the second half on its

way to a 77-57 victory. "Their momentum kept going, we could not stop their momentum," head coach Jean Prioleau said.

In the first half, the two teams grinded their way to what had the makings of a classic rivalry game. Fresno State started the game on an 11 to three run. The Spartans countered with a 10 to 0 run of their own.

A fast break one-handed dunk by redshirt freshman Keith Fisher jump-started the Spartans' offense to a 10-point lead with

six minutes remaining in the first half. Fresno State was relentless and crawled back to take a 32-31 lead at the half.

While the Spartans were able to stick with the fourth-place Bulldogs for the first 20 minutes, the second half was a completely different story. Fresno State guard Deshon Taylor, the third leading scorer in the Mountain West Conference this year, hit three 3-pointers and scored 19 points. At its peak Fresno State led by as many as 24 points.

SJSU leads the nation in

turnovers per game, averaging over 17 turnovers. Fresno State leads the Mountain West in steals at six per game.

"We were not able to execute in the second half," junior forward Ryan Welage said. "We had more turnovers, we out-rebounded them in the first half, but they out-rebounded us in the second half so we did not win there, we let them get in the paint a few more and they hit a few more threes. Ultimately they were able to pull ahead."

There were some positives to come out of the

game. Fisher grabbed a career-high 13 rebounds and scored a team high 17 points. He has come on strong during the second halves of the season.

"He's been great, he has been very consistent for us. I am playing him a lot more minutes," Prioleau said.

Fisher recorded his second consecutive double-double and played a game-high 37 minutes.

"My guards are getting me the ball in the right spots which is giving me the opportunity to put the ball in the basket," Fisher said.

Welage is now 14 points away from becoming the seventh-leading scorer in SJSU history.

"We are just trying to stay positive and taking it one game at a time and trying to win each game that comes up," Welage said. "We are at Wyoming next week, we will gameplan for them and try and get a win."

SJSU is now 3-21 and 0-13 in conference play. The Cowboys will host the Spartans Saturday at 1 p.m.

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SPORTS COLUMN

What it takes to create the ultimate sports dynasty team

BY GABRIEL MUNGARAY
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The qualifications for what makes a team a "dynasty" has been discussed for years. Teams in different sports consistently making the postseason and going all the way to the championship game numerous times in a row has begged the question, "Should this team be considered a dynasty?"

According to a Bleacher Report article by Giancarlo Ferrari-King a sports dynasty can be defined as a team that wins multiple championship titles.

"Whenever a team can push forth and win a handful of titles in a short period of time, it is immediately stamped with a dynasty seal of approval," Ferrari-King said.

Justice studies junior Eddie Nunez had similar thoughts on teams needing to win multiple championships in order to be considered a dynasty.

"A dynasty is all about the banners and championship rings" Nunez said. "For me, if a team reaches the finals five years in a row, it's a great accomplishment, but it's not something that we will remember in the history books."

If you're just going by the number of championships a team has won in a short period of time, teams like the 1991-1998 Chicago Bulls, 1996-2000 New York Yankees, 1957-1966 Boston Celtics, 2000-2002 Los Angeles Lakers and the 1975-1979 Montreal Canadiens would be considered dynasty teams.

One common similarity between these five teams is each team had at least one polarizing or superstar player (i.e. Michael Jordan, Kobe Bryant, Derek Jeter and Guy Lafleur) leading the team to multiple championships.

Health science sophomore Cassidy Clark considers having a superstar player or face of the franchise to be key in creating a dynasty.

"It definitely helps out to have a face of the team that is well liked, such as Steph Curry and Buster Posey and LeBron [James]," Clark said.

When creating the core foundation of a dynasty team, there are certain characteristics the team needs from its players and coaches.

"[Creating a dynasty] requires good coaching, a lot of competitiveness, and commitment and dedication from each and every player and coach," Nunez said.

A good general manager

and owner of a team are also crucial pieces that are needed to create a dynasty-caliber team.

"Most important is the GM and the people in the front office," child development senior Ivan Szeto said. "They make all these arrangements and move all these pieces around and have to be smart and think ahead for the foreseeable future of the team."

Among the teams that have been worthy enough to be considered by San Jose State students to be in the conversation of being a dynasty were the Michael Jordan-led Chicago Bulls in the 1990s, the Magic Johnson-led "Showtime" Los Angeles Lakers in the 1980s, and the Bill Russell led-Boston Celtics in the late 1950s and early 1960s.

"Of all time, I would personally say the Los Angeles Lakers and the Boston Celtics," Nunez said in regard to the top dynasties of all time. "They have the most NBA Finals trophies of all time like 10-15 trophies each, so for me these two teams define what it means to be considered dynasty teams."

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Gabriel's top four sports dynasties of all time

Whenever a sports team wins a handful of championships for an extended period of time, the team can be labeled as a dynasty.

Chicago Bulls, 1991-1998

The Chicago Bulls won six NBA titles from 1991-1998 and were led by Michael Jordan.

Boston Celtics, 1957-1966

The Boston Celtics won nine NBA titles from 1957-1966 and were led by Bill Russell.

New York Yankees, 1996-2000

The New York Yankees won four World Series titles from 1996-2000 and were led by Derek Jeter.

Los Angeles Lakers, 2000-2002

The Los Angeles Lakers won three consecutive NBA titles from 2000-2002 and were led by Kobe Bryant and Shaquille O'Neal.

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Ladies: Want to play slow-pitch softball?

The San Jose Women's Softball League is holding five "Game On" days to invite women (18 and over) to play in our Spring Season! Come to the field to meet league reps and have a fun practice on one or all of these dates:

- Saturday, Feb. 17
- Sunday, Feb. 18
- Saturday, Mar. 10
- Sunday, Mar. 11
- Saturday, Mar. 17

12 to 2pm @
Marijane Hamann Park
2747 Westfield Ave
San Jose, CA 95128

- Spring Season starts April 2.
- Monday nights @ Twin Creeks Sports Complex, Sunnyvale
- Game times 6:40, 7:50, 9pm

Beginners and experienced players welcome!

To register for a "Game On" day, go to www.sjwssoftball.com and click in the menu on "Looking for a team? Join here."

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