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Man dies after being struck by car while riding his skateboard in Fontana on Oct. 31

Mike Myers, Fontana Herald News

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This car was involved in a collision which killed a man who was riding a skateboard in Fontana on Oct. 31. (Contributed photo by Mike Myers)

A man died after being struck by a car while riding his skateboard in western Fontana on Halloween night, Oct. 31.

At about 10:31 p.m., the California Highway Patrol and **San Bernardino County Fire** Department responded to the incident, which took place in the 13400 block of Arrow Boulevard.

According to a CHP officer, a man was riding his skateboard in the middle of the road and was struck by the driver of a blue Volkswagen Jetta. The driver was traveling eastbound on Arrow and the skateboard rider was traveling westbound.

CHP officials said that at least three motorists stopped in the very dark area to see if they could help the injured man, but he was pronounced deceased at the scene.

The driver of the Volkswagen stayed at the scene and was fully cooperating with the investigation, the CHP said. Drugs and alcohol do not appear to be factors in the collision.

The car was towed away for evidence.

The man has not yet been identified by the San Bernardino County Sheriff Coroner's Division.

The CHP is handling the investigation.

https://www.fontanaheraldnews.com/news/man-dies-after-being-struck-by-car-while-riding-his/article 319e191e-dde5-11e8-9942-0fe6c963750c.html

COUNTY DECLARES MORONGO BASIN AREA STORM DAMAGE A LOCAL EMERGENCY

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Last weekend's effort by the county Office of Emergency Services, with help from dozens of local CERT volunteers, to better assess damage from the storm event that began October 12, has placed the event in a whole new category. With nearly \$5.5 million dollars already spent on road repairs, and the number of homes damaged figured to be 100, county supervisors yesterday ratified an emergency declaration. Managing editor Tami Roleff has more on what that means for local communities...

For residents in and around Flamingo Heights, Joshua Tree, Landers, Twentynine Palms, and Yucca Valley the declaration opens the door for assistance from Governor Jerry Brown's Office of Emergency Services as well the Federal Highway Administration's Emergency Relief Program.

According to a statement released yesterday by county administrators, storm damaged roads are "clear and passable" thanks to the efforts of County Public Works, Special Districts, Caltrans and others. However, the county will now look to Sacramento and D.C. for funds to continue repairs and restoration of roads to their previous condition. Landers was singled out because Special Districts has stopped work there due to depletion of reserves. County Emergency Services personnel and local volunteers will be out on Saturday canvassing neighborhoods assessing damage and offering assistance.

If you've suffered storm-related property damage and have questions about assistance call Shanna Jensen with the county Office of Emergency Services at 909-356-3998 Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

http://z1077fm.com/county-declares-morongo-basin-area-storm-damage-a-local-emergency/

SBD Fest will provide spectacular air show on Nov. 3, 4; Gin Blossoms, Tierra will perform

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The Patriots Jet Team can be seen at the SBD Fest in San Bernardino

The Fourth Annual SBD Fest will provide area residents with a chance to see an exciting air show -- and much more.

The festival will take place on the weekend of Nov. 3 and 4 at San Bernardino International Airport, 190 Victoria Avenue in San Bernardino.

Spectators will be able to witness the USAF A-10C "Warthog" Thunderbolt II Demonstration Team as well as the breathtaking Patriots Jet Team, Rob Harrison "The Tumbling Bear," John Collver with "War Dog," and Gregory "Wired" Colyer with "Ace Maker," to name a few.

SBD Fest, a modern style festival, will also include a car show featuring the Batmobile, Lucha Libre wrestlers from Empire Wrestling Federation, motorcycle demos by Quaid Harley Davidson, the Red Bull Motorcycle Stunt Team, and a live concert series. There will also be fireworks on Saturday night.

Music will be performed by 1990s favorite Gin Blossoms and Latin soul legends Tierra. Opening for the Gin Blossoms on Saturday will be country singer Sheyna Gee.

Tierra will take the concert stage on Sunday afternoon.

Both days of the event will feature the SB Strong Public Safety Rivalry, sponsored by the San Manuel Band of Mission Indians, continuing the "Battle of the Badges" with a highly competitive tug-o-war.

San Bernardino City Police will challenge the San Bernardino County Sheriffs on Saturday for an opportunity to compete against last year's SB Strong Champions, the **San Bernardino County Fire** Department.

The final round of the 2018 SB Strong Battle of the Badges will take place on Sunday afternoon.

SBD Fest will be held on Saturday, Nov. 3 from 11:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 4 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

General admission tickets include the air show, car show, and concert and are \$20 apiece. A Kids Zone is available for a nominal fee. Senior citizens (65 and over) and military veterans with proper ID can buy \$10 discount tickets at the gate on event days. Active duty military members get free admission with ID.

For a complete schedule of events and tickets, visit www.sbdfest.com.

https://www.fontanaheraldnews.com/entertainment/sbd-fest-will-provide-spectacular-air-show-on-nov-gin/article_65661f34-dde6-11e8-a7b5-8b09e288a2db.html

SBD Fest to offer concerts on award-winning stage, Nov. 3-4

Staff Writer, Highland Community News

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SBD Fest will again feature a full schedule of musical acts performing from its award-winning stage cut out of a Boeing 737 on Nov. 3-4. (Courtesy photo)

The fourth annual SBD Fest will feature music by '90s favorite Gin Blossoms, and Latin soul legends, Tierra, performing on the air show's award-winning Boeing 737 Concert Stage, sponsored by Southern California Toyota Dealers.

Opening for Gin Blossoms is Sheyna Gee with her special brand of unapologetic California Country anthems. Gin Blossom performs Saturday night, Nov. 3, with such favorites as "Hey Jealousy" and "Follow You Down." Sunday afternoon, you can slow jam to old school favorites, "Together" and "Make It with You," performed by Tierra as they take the concert stage.

SBD Fest, a modern style festival, is not only an air show. The festival includes a car show featuring the Bat-Mobile, Lucha Libre Wrestlers from Empire Wrestling Federation, motorcycle demos by Quaid Harley

Davidson, the exciting Red Bull Motorcycle Stunt Team, and a live concert series sponsored by Southern California Toyota Dealers.

And, don't forget, you will want to stick around for the Saturday night fireworks sponsored by Kingsford and Clorox.

Spectators will not only see the U.S. Air Force A-10C "Warthog" Thunderbolt II Demonstration Team, but many aerobatic performers including the breathtaking Patriots Jet Team; Rob Harrison "The Tumbling Bear," John Collver with "War Dog," Gregory "Wired" Colyer with "Ace Maker" to name a few.

Both days of the event will feature the SB Strong Public Safety Rivalry, sponsored by the San Manuel Band of Mission Indians, continuing the "Battle of the Badges" with a highly competitive tug of war.

San Bernardino City Police will challenge the San Bernardino County sheriff's deputies on Saturday for an opportunity to compete against last year's SB Strong Champions, the **San Bernardino County Fire** Department.

The final round of the 2018 SB Strong Battle of the Badges will take place on Sunday afternoon. SBD Fest would not be possible without the support of our sponsors, which include Stater Bros. Markets, Unical, Southern California Toyota Dealers, San Manuel Band of Mission Indians, city of San Bernardino Parks and Recreation, Quaid Harley-Davidson and Southern California Harley Dealers, and many more. An event this size needs the entire community to come together and volunteer.

SBD Fest is scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 3-4. General admission tickets include the air show, car show, and concert. A Kids Zone is available for a nominal fee. Children 12 and younger are admitted free. General admission tickets are \$20. Senior (65+) and Military Veterans with proper ID can buy \$10 discount tickets at the gate on event days. Active Duty Military, free admission with ID. Event hours are 11:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday. For a complete schedule of events and tickets, visit sbdfest.com.

https://www.highlandnews.net/entertainment/sbd-fest-to-offer-concerts-on-award-winning-stage-nov/article_1f2bcb1c-dd51-11e8-8392-0752becde62b.html

2 people injured after van and semi crash on highway 138

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Traffic Flare (VVNG.com file photo)

PINON HILLS, Calif. (VVNG.com) — A crash involving a semi and a van on Highway 138 left two people injured on Halloween night.

It happened on October 31, 2018, at 9:05 pm, on SR-138 near Mountain Road in the community of Pinon Hills.

Two people inside of a white work van were injured after they crashed with a semi.

According to the California Highway Patrol incident logs, the big rig jack-knifed into the eastbound lanes near the Chevron.

San Bernardino County Fire responded to the scene and located two patients, one of them described as having critical injuries. Due to his injuries, firefighter-paramedics requested helicopter H325. The second patient was transported by ground ambulance to a local hospital.

Officials at the scene briefly shut down the roadway to allow the helicopter to land at the scene and airlift the patient to Arrowhead Regional Medical Center.

The no. 2 lane will remain closed for an unknown duration as officials work on clearing the jack knifed semi that's blocking.

The California Highway Patrol is investigating the crash. Additional information will be updated as it becomes available.

https://www.vvng.com/2-people-injured-after-van-and-semi-crash-on-highway-138/

Coroner's office identifies man who died in fire as 69-year-old Lytle Creek community resident

Robert Gundran, San Bernardino Sun

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A man who died in a Lytle Creek fire on Monday night was identified by the San Bernardino County Coroner's Office as a 69-year-old man.

Bruce Jackson, a resident of Lytle Creek, was discovered unresponsive in his residence on the 13900 block of Pollard Drive when the **San Bernardino County Fire** Department arrived.

Officials said Jackson was taken out of the house and life-saving measures were given, but he died at the scene.

Eric Sherwin, spokesman for the fire department, on Wednesday said no cause for the fire has been established.

The San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department's Bomb and Arson Detail is investigating the cause of the fire alongside the Office of the Fire Marshal.

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