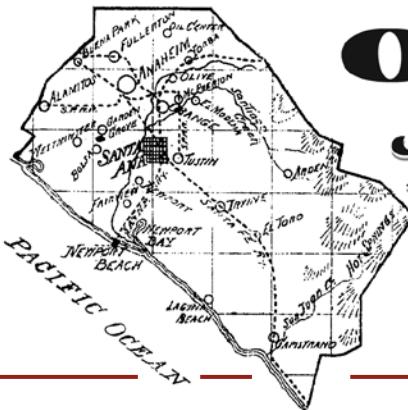


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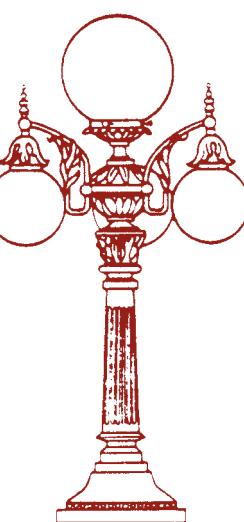


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Historical Windmill to be Erected at New La Habra Old Settler's Museum

Robbie True, an Orange County Boy Scout, is working with members of the La Habra Old Settler's Historical Society, designing and assembling a historical windmill at the entrance of the La Habra History Museum. As part of the requirements to earn his Eagle Scout Badge, Robbie has put together a plan for his monument and is now working with the City of La Habra to implement his design. His grandparents, Kitty and Ernie Zoeter, and other members of the Old Settler's Historical Society, Dorothy and John Knoz, and Robert Dale, have helped him contact businesses and organizations to raise money for his project. The windmill has been chosen to be the symbol used in the logo for the new museum.



STANLEY CUP CELEBRITY TOUR STOPS AT THE OLD COUNTY COURTHOUSE

Marlene Brajdic, Administrative Manager, Harbors, Beaches and Parks

The Anaheim Ducks won the Stanley Cup. Every Ducks' team player has earned the right to spend a day with the famous trophy. In the past, winning players have chosen unusual ways to celebrate with the Cup, including eating or drinking a favorite beverage or food from the Cup, or taking it along for a hike or a ride to a special place. The Stanley Cup has been to many hometowns as well as championship venues. Now, the Old Orange County Courthouse will be included in that list of memorable places visited by the Stanley Cup.



Carrie Robles of the County Executive Office.

On July 11, 2007, the Cup traveled to the Old Orange County Courthouse for a 45-minute stop on its tour of Orange County landmarks that included John Wayne Airport, the Orange County Performing Arts and the Mission San Juan Capistrano. The Stanley Cup got its name from Fredrick Arthur Stanley who first presented the trophy in 1893.

This makes it older than the Old Courthouse (1900), and younger than the Mission San Juan Capistrano (1776).



During the visits, the Cup was escorted by the official, "Keeper of the Cup," Michael Bolt, curator of the National Hockey League Hall of Fame Musuem. Bolt keeps the Cup in his sight at all times, maintaining the proper handling of the 35-lbs. trophy by fans. The public is allowed to touch the Stanley Cup and have a picture taken with the Cup, but never to lift it above their heads as the

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WELCOME BRADLEY!

Key Ranch Historical Park, managed by County of Orange Harbors, Beaches and Parks (HBP), has Bradley Flynt as its new site supervisor. Flynt previously served as Education & Special Event Coordinator at the Old Orange County Courthouse in Santa Ana. Key Ranch is an historic house, museum, garden and orange grove, located in the City of Placentia.

Located within the 2.2 acre park is the George Key home, built in 1898 and listed on the National Register of Historic Landmarks, a collection of farm equipment and hand tools used in the late 1800's, 3/4-acre rose garden and one-acre orange grove. There is also a collection of blacksmiths and carpenters tools, as well as artifacts relating to Placentia and north Orange County history. Key Ranch was one of the original Sunkist orange groves in Orange County, and the park remains a working citrus ranch to help preserve some of the county's important agricultural past. Park hours are 12:15pm to 4:30pm Tuesday through Friday, and the first Saturday of each month. For more information, please call (714) 973-3190 or visit our website, www.ocparks.com/keyranch

OC FARMERS' MARKETS

Each week farmers from all over Southern California truck in their prime produce -- fruits and vegetables -- to outdoor farmers markets, most certified by the Orange County Farm Bureau. Everything is field-fresh.

Vegetable growing in this county has been cut drastically by urbanization since 1970, in addition to the loss of once extensive fruit orchards. So farmers from outlying, but still active, growing grounds are encouraged to bring their crops to these outdoor marketplaces within our cities. Sometimes they are sold along with other home-grown or home-made products, such as honey, eggs, flowers, plants, baked goods -- even hand-made crafts. Some markets are seasonal; some offer entertainment; some benefit non-profit causes. Today, nursery stock -- ornamental trees, landscape and flowering plants -- makes up more than half of Orange County's total income from agriculture.



Please visit the farmers' market at the Historic Irvine Ranch Headquarters on Tuesdays from 9:00 a.m. to 12 p.m.

"Stanley Cup" continued

champions do. Bolt unloaded the Cup from the van and placed it in front of the historic, Arizona-red sandstone courthouse to be photographed by media representatives. KOCE and the Register documented the visit. The public was able to pose with the trophy for souvenir photographs. Many of those attending the event were County employees that work in the Civic Center.

A closed session in the historic courtroom followed for media photographers and Old Courthouse staff. When the photographs were all taken, Michael Bolt loaded the trophy back into the van and drove off to the next stop on the trophy's tour. The photographs will be compiled in a book called "Travels with Stanley," capturing life on the road with the Stanley Cup, a life that Michael Bolt has lived for eight years, traveling up to 250 days a year with the trophy around the world.



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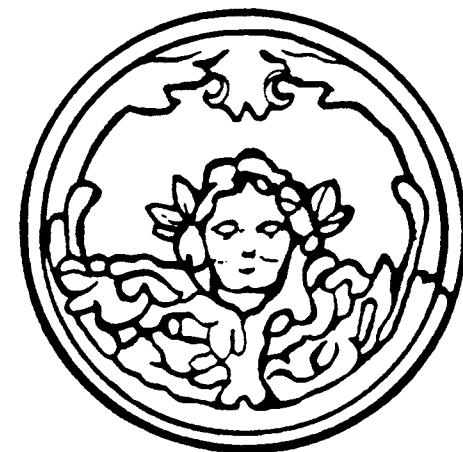
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**Archival Workshop
Technology, Preservation and Access
Saturday, October 6, 2007**

**Old County Courthouse Museum,
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Please contact Carey Baughman
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PHOTO EXHIBIT

Postwar History Photo Exhibit At the Old Courthouse Museum.

Photography of Newspaper Reporter Robert Geivet Reveals Orange County at a Critical Era in its History.

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