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# Up Markets still seeking theater tenant

Landlord in talks with potential operators for playhouse, closed since 2004

By Jan Sjostrom Daily News Staff Writer

It's been four months since landlord Up Markets has updated the Town Council on its progress in finding an operator to re-open the longshuttered, Royal Poinciana Playhouse.

Alexandra Patterson's report Tuesday to the council wasn't much different from what she said back in January.

Since her last update, Up



tioned before and beenintroduced to three new prospects who are taking tours of

Markets has

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the playhouse, said Patterson, Up Markets' senior director of development. The company has eliminated two operators but kept them on its list of potential partners, she said.

"We will continue to pursue the conversations we're having until one of them turns into a lease, and if they don't we will turn over every single rock and not stop until there are none left," she said.

The 61-year-old landmarked theater, once a hub of Palm Beach social life, has been closed since April 2004. Up Markets head Samantha

See THEATER, A3

### Reflecting on high-school goodbyes



A group of seniors from Santaluces High School in Lantana gathers near the pool at Town Square to take photos Monday, in advance of their graduation Wednesday at the South Florida Fairgrounds. The students said they have to turn in their gowns immediately following graduation, so they decided to come out while the weather was nice. Natalie Bruno (far left) said, "We all wanted to take photos, but I suggested this spot." [DAMON HIGGINS/PALMBEACHDAILYNEWS.COM]

# Civic group putting more palms on island

By William Kelly Daily News Staff Writer

Palm Beach's Midtown neighborhood is about to become decidedly more lush and tropical.

The Town Council accepted on Tuesday a gift of 75 coconut palm trees from the Palm



Corey

man of the association's beautification committee, said it has scoped out locations in Midtown, where

the palms were historically located. The committee will work with town staff on a plan before residents return for the

fall, he said. The association gave the town a check for \$112,500, enough to pay for the trees and an endowment to cover their maintenance over the first five years.

"It shows a lot of love for this community," Corey said of the donors who

See PALMS, A5

# Artists crack the mysteries of Sherlock Holmes in exhibition

Works on display at Ann Norton tie into Holmesthemed short stories

By Jan Sjostrom Daily News Staff Writer

More than 130 years after

the first Sherlock Holmes

story was published the master sleuth remains an icon of popular culture.

In addition to inspiring movies and television shows, Holmes lives on in tales spun by writers such as West Palm Beach resident Phil Growick.

He's not only written two

novels plus short stories about Holmes' adventures, he's also curated an exhibition featuring artworks inspired by short stories by writers who have followed in Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's footsteps.

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Phil Growick, who curated "The Art of Sherlock Holmes" at the Ann Norton Sculpture Gardens in West Palm Beach, stands next to Vicki Siegel's painting "The Mystery," which accompanies his story "Two Plus Two." [MELANIE BELL/PALMBEACHDAILYNEWS.COM]

## Serena Williams' former trainer faces charges in hit-and-run

He is accused of fleeing scene near The Breakers

**By Wendy Rhodes** Daily News Staff Writer

A 34-year-old West Palm Beach man and former hitting partner for tennis star Serena Williams has been arrested after Palm Beach police say he took off after injuring another driver in a crash last month in front of The Breakers.

Police say Sylvester Robert Poole, who is also known as "Robbeye" and "Robbye"



Poole, crashed his white Range Rover into another car at Breakers Row a n d South County Road on April

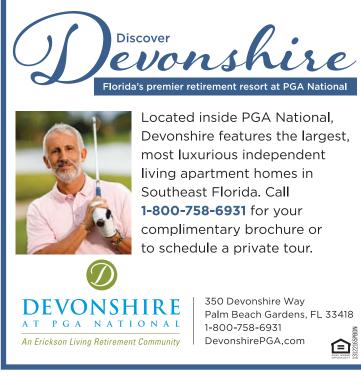
26, sending a 53-year-old man to Good Samaritan Medical Center. Few other details about the late-evening crash were released.

Poole, a tennis coach and former All-American player, faces one felony count of leaving the scene of a traffic

crash with injury, one misdemeanor count of failure to render aid or give information of a traffic crash and one misdemeanor count of resisting arrest without violence/ obstruction in violation.

Poole also has an active restraining order against him that was filed by a West Palm Beach woman who cites years of physical abuse and stalking, according to a separate

For three years, Poole See POOLE, A5



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Classified......A10 Crossword......A4

**TODAY** Mostly sunny 81º/74º

**FRIDAY** Mostly sunny 83°/74°

SATURDAY T'storms 82°/74°



52 Socially aware,

53 Yellowish color

modernly

57 Bend over

58 Some

59 Member

60 Pick up

62 Let go

backward

of an early

French art

movement

61 [Been there,

done that]

DOWN

1 A word before

3 "I'm trying to

4 Vegan source of

gospel singer

work here

protein

**5** Four-time

Adams

trick

6 Mischievous

7 Modern locale

Interstates H-1,

H-2 and H-3

of ancient

Sumer

8 Home to

9 Takes a

refresher

course in

elephants

general at

Abbr.

the Battle of

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2 \_\_\_ milk

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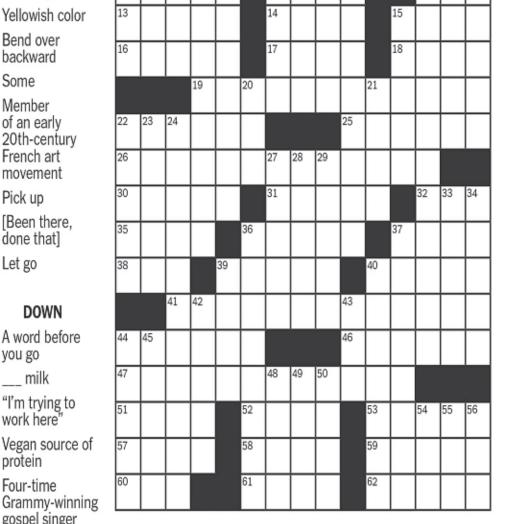
#### ACROSS

- 1 Demanding
- 6 Who said "A woman's perfume tells more about her than her handwriting"
- 10 Croque-monsieur ingredient
- 13 View (streaming site)
- 14 "Dies "
- 15 Beer purchase
- 16 Kind of alcohol
- 17 "The Twits" author
- 18 Nike rival
- 19 Ornately decorated money?
- 22 Perfervid
- 25 Snowcapped, say
- 26 March meant to end a drought?
- 30 Oven handle?
- 31 Adamant refusal

- 32 Mistake indicator
- 35 Yellow card displayers
- 36 Lists of commands
- 37 Building site code?
- 38 AC/DC single with the lyric "Watch me explode"
- 39 Israeli president who was the author of 11 books
- 40 Commotion
- 41 Bumper version of a cart?
- 44 Fireplace receptacle
- 46 Beginnings
- 47 What the trees by Walden Pond provided?
- 51 Frequently cosplaved scifi character

#### ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE





PUZZLE BY BRENDAN EMMETT QUIGLEY

- 22 Not with the group
- 23 Noodle soup
- 24 New addition to the team
- 27 Guy in a restaurant
- 28 Didn't just rent
- 29 Galvanize
- 33 "Could you turn on the A.C.?"
- 34 Weapons for the X-Man Wolverine
- 36 Dissolve

- 37 It was once drawn on the street
- 39 Ballet move
- 40 Quarterback's option
- 42 She played Mrs. Which in 2018's "A Wrinkle in Time"
- 43 What might have a crush on you?
- 44 America's first **ICBM**

- Khan, tiger in "The Jungle Book"
- 48 Tucson school, informally
- 49 Twist
- **50** Cut
- 54 Strawberry or
- peach
- 55 She was tempted
- 56 Visibly ashamed

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### EXHIBIT

From Page A1

"The Art of Sherlock Holmes," on view at the Ann Norton Sculpture Gardens in West Palm Beach, includes 14 pieces of art created by Palm Beach County artists based on stories from the catalog of Growick's British publisher, MX Publishing. The firm is the largest publisher of Holmes books, according to its website.

The exhibition comes with a book featuring the art and the short stories. Yet to come are new anthologies with art by artists from across the United States and around the world.

Growick, who is chairman of West Palm Beach's Art in Public Places committee, conceived the series and is selecting the artists for it.

He aims to match artists' styles with the short stories they're assigned, he said. "The idea is they would envision the entire story in a piece of art." A former advertising executive and headhunter for top advertising agencies, he's dealt with creative talents throughout his working life.

He chose Vicki Siegel for his story "Two Plus Two," in which one of the main characters is a mysterious woman, because "her art envisions women beautifully," he said.

Siegel's artwork, which combines painting and photography and uses intense colors, is dominated by a woman's face. It also features an ancient Egyptian Eye of Horus and a figure in a boat on the

"This story really gave me the opportunity to combine all the elements of the story but to be true to my

#### If you go

**What:** "The Art of Sherlock Holmes"

When: Through June 3 Where: Ann Norton Sculpture Gardens, 253 Barcelona Road, West Palm Beach

For information: Call 832-5328 or visit ansg.org. The Art of Sherlock Holmes West Palm Beach edition book is available at the Ann Norton Sculpture Gardens and Classic Bookshop at 310 S. County Road and online through Amazon, Barnes & Noble and MX Publishing.

own art form," the Delray Beach-based artist said.

Greenacres artist Tracv Guiteau's take on Mike Hogan's story "The Tranquility of the Morning" portrays Holmes seated in front of a fireplace smoking a cigar and holding a drink. A vase, which figures in the story, stands on the mantelpiece.

The five words of the title are embedded in the painting. She often hides words in her art, which was perfect for this assignment, she said. "I wanted viewers to be Sherlock and find the words."

West Palm Beach artist Terre Rybovich's piece complements David Marcum's "The Stolen Relic." In the story, a priest asks Holmes to recover a thumb bone from the left hand of St. Nicholas that was stolen from an Italian church.

Rybovich, who typically imprints parts of her body on her charcoal sketches, covered the background of her mixed media artwork with images of her left hand. A figure derived from a photograph of herself as a child references a girl at the

crux of the story. "When Phil called me to do this I immediately said



**Artist Tracy Guiteau hid** the words in the title to Mike Hogan's short story, "The Tranquility of the Morning," within her painting. Her piece is one of 14 works on view in "The Art of Sherlock Holmes" at the Ann Norton Sculpture **Gardens in West Palm** 

Beach. [COURTESY OF THE ARTIST AND MX PUBLISHING]

yes," she said. "After I hung up the phone, I said, 'What if it's some Jack the Ripper story?""

Instead, the story is about the debate between faith and reason and right up her alley, she said.

West Palm Beach artist Bruce Helander drew on his large collection of vintage materials to create his collage with embellishments responding to Nick Cardillo's "The Adventure of The Parisian Butcher."

The story calls on Holmes to crack a mystery involving time and place and a severed hand.

In creating an artwork about a story "you can't spell out every word, but you can use images that have an aesthetic contact," said Helander, who was an illustrator earlier in his career.

His collage features a severed hand, envelopes, postcards, images of the Eiffel Tower and Big Ben, a pocket watch, a pipe with smoke rings and a picture of Holmes standing over a corpse.

Most of the works in the show are for sale.

In addition, the artists and authors of "The Art of Sherlock Holmes" series will share royalties from book sales, Growick said. Artists will receive royalties from sales of merchandise featuring their images authorized by Doyle's estate and offered on its website, he said.

A share of net proceeds from book sales will benefit the Mandel Public Library in West Palm Beach, Happy Life Children's Home in Kenya and Stepping Stones School, a special needs school based in Undershaw, Doyle's former home in Hindhead, Britain.

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Avengers: Endgame (PG-13)

Thu. 1:45, 3, 3:45, 5, 5:40, 6:50,

**Avengers:** Endgame -- The

IMAX 2D Experience (PG-13)

Avengers: Endgame 3D (PG-

Breakthrough (PG) Thu. 1:30,

Captain Marvel (PG-13) Thu.

The Curse of La Llorona (R)

A Dog's Journey (PG) Thu. 6, 9

Dumbo (PG) Thu. 12:50, 3:30,

The Hustle (PG-13) Thu. 2:10,

The Intruder (PG-13) Thu.

2:05, 4:40, 7:20, 9:55

John Wick: Chapter 3 --

Parabellum -- The IMAX 2D

Experience (R) Thu. 7, 10:05

Little (PG-13) Thu. 1:50, 4:30,

Long Shot (R) Thu. 1:25, 4:30,

Pet Sematary (R) Thu. 2:25,

Pokémon Detective Pikachu

(PG) Thu. 1:05, 2, 3:50, 6:35,

Pokémon Detective Pikachu

The Sun Is Also a Star (PG-13)

3D (PG) Thu. 4:45, 10:10

Poms (PG-13) Thu. 12:40,

Tolkien (PG-13) Thu. 1:35,

UglyDolls (PG) Thu. 1, 3:20

3:05, 5:25, 7:50, 10:10

Red Joan (R) Thu, 1:40

Thu. 12:50, 2:55, 5:20, 7:55,

13) Thu. 12:50, 4:40, 8:40

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7:45, 9:35, 10

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10:10

6:15

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7:25, 10:10

7:30, 9:20

Thu. 7, 9:40

4:25, 10:05

LAKE WORTH

Stonzek Theatre

5:05, 7:40, 10:10

Thu. 1:15

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