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## New Bus Shelters Installed

The City of Vallejo has a long history of providing public transportation to residents and visitors. The City is currently upgrading bus shelters at various bus stops throughout the city. The existing bus shelters and associated benches had surpassed their useful life and were in need of replacement. 30 bus shelters and benches have been replaced and the remaining 13 bus shelters will be completed by the end of September.

Solano County Transit (Soltrans) serves the residents of Vallejo through 10 operating bus routes. Each route has several bus shelters which provide seating and shelter for waiting passengers. The 43 locations were chosen by Soltrans



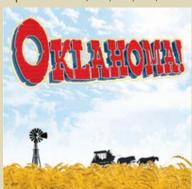
based on shelter condition and number of riders.

The project is funded entirely through transportation and transit oriented grants. The new shelters were purchased through the California Association for Coordinated Transportation (Cal ACT) Cooperative Bus Shelter Purchase Contract. The former bus shelters are being recycled.

The new shelters complement other transit infrastructure improvements including the new bus transfer facility downtown and the soon to open Vallejo Station ferry parking structure. Ferry service to San Francisco is operated by <a href="San Francisco Bay Ferry">San Francisco Bay Ferry</a>.

## Bay Terrace Theater Features "Oklahoma!" Musical

Live music and theatre performances are becoming easier to come by on weekends in Vallejo. Bay Area Stage Productions is currently presenting the classic American musical "Oklahoma!" at the <a href="Bay Terrace Theater">Bay Terrace Theater</a> this fall. Performances will take place Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. on September 14, 15, 16, 21, 22 and 23.



Based on the stage play, "Green Grow the Lilacs," Oklahoma is set in a Western Indian territory just after the turn of the century. Laurey, a spunky girl who runs her aunt's farm, is courted by two young men: Curly, a handsome cowboy, and Jud, a surly farmhand. Rodgers and Hammerstein celebrate the pioneer spirit in this musical with independent, warm-hearted

women and bemused, hard-headed men in one of the last American frontiers as it approaches statehood.

Tickets for this production are \$18 for general admission and \$15 for seniors and students. You can purchase your tickets at the <a href="Bay Area Stage">Bay Area Stage</a> website and watch the high-spirited rivalry between local farmers and cowboys in this classic American love story. The Bay Terrace Theater is located at 51 Daniels Avenue and is home to the Mira Theatre Guild.

## Touro University Expands Student Health Clinic

Touro University California's partnership with Solano County Public Health is expanding to Vacaville. The Student Run Free Clinic (SRFC) is a free clinic organized and staffed by students from Touro University and though students practice their clinical skill through the SRFC, a licensed clinician provides direct, onsite supervision. The initial clinic opened in South Vallejo.

The William J. Carroll Government Center in Vacaville will be the host location for the new Student Run Free Clinic, located at Monte Vista Avenue and Brown Street. Construction on the

building has been ongoing on since August 2011 and is in the final stages of construction.

The SRFC is one of many examples of Mare Island based Touro University's contribution to the region. Clinic services will



include screening physical exams, osteopathic manipulative medicine, health education, medicine review, blood pressure checks and immunizations.

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Sutter Solano Cancer Center recently announced the installment of a dynamic targeting image-guided radiotherapy (IGRT) with Real-Time Position Management (RPM). The installation will make it possible for physicians to use an extremely precise form of treatment that utilizes multiple imaging and motion management techniques for ultraaccurate tumor targeting.

"This advanced technology will enable us to treat patients with the latest radiotherapy techniques, using the most clinically efficient process in the world," said Patricia Seid, M.D. board-certified radiation oncologist and medical director of cancer services at the center. "It provides us with tremendous versatility and precision for customizing treatments according to the specifics of each patient's case."

Sutter Health is one of Vallejo's largest employers and among the nation's leading notfor-profit networks of community-based health care providers. Sutter Solano is located at 300 Hospital Drive off of Tuolumne Street.

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