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U.S. Supreme Court to Hear Case Impacting Pork Prices

The U.S. Supreme Court has agreed to hear a challenge of California's Proposition 12, which bans the sale of pork from hogs born or raised in pens that provide little room for the animals to move. Unfortunately, the expected rise in price of pork comes at a time when prices for meat, produce and other supplies have already risen dramatically because of inflation.



California unemployment rate falls to 5.4% in February

Jobs gains were led by the leisure and hospitality sector, which brought back thousands of employees in February, as the impacts of the most recent COVID wave began to ease.

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Walnut Creek restaurants may have to begin paying a fee for use of outdoor spaces

Restaurants in Walnut Creek say using outdoor spaces to welcome diners has helped them survive the pandemic. The city is continuing to allow these “parklets” and other outdoor spaces to be used for dining, but may soon charge restaurants a fee.

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Webinar: US Supreme Court Deciding Important PAGA Case – Key Takeaways for CA Employers

This webinar will review the basics under PAGA, summarize the Supreme Court oral arguments, the potential impact of the Viking River Cruises Inc. v. Angie Moriana case on California employers, and what employers should do pending the Supreme Court’s decision.

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Why Russia's invasion of Ukraine is likely to raise costs for restaurants and food manufacturers

The rising price of stainless steel is just one impact of Russia's invasion of Ukraine that is expected to be felt by restaurants.

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How Long John Silver's Flipped Tight Budgets Into Record Sales

Long John Silver's CEO used the pandemic as a time to update the stores' look, improve speed at drive-thrus, and make other operational changes that have helped turn the company around.

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Scholarship Opportunity

Scholarships of up to \$4,000 are available for students of all ages studying culinary arts or hospitality management. If you have staff in college, spread the word. Applications must be submitted online and are due by May 1.

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2022 Annual OC Chapter Golf Tournament

Join the CRA Orange County Chapter for a day out on the golf course. The annual golf tournament supports the chapter's efforts in raising funds for the California Restaurant Foundation and the advocacy efforts of the CRA Political Action Committee.

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2022 LA Chapter Elizabeth Burns Lifetime Achievement Award Gala

Each year, the Elizabeth Burns Lifetime Achievement Award recognizes an industry leader who has achieved notable success while also helping advocate for fellow restaurateurs.

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BUILDING BACK BETTER

The panel will focus on not slipping back into old habits and identifying opportunities we have coming out of the pandemic to build our businesses back stronger.

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