

What's your super power?

**Asked in
downtown Chico**

David Hines
Kitchen
manager



Being a little bit too logical. It helps me with recipes and things like that—explaining things, making sure it's understood by everybody on every wavelength so it's overly clear.

Mikayla Edwards
farmers'
market admin



Recommending things that people will like. I used to work at a book store, so if you tell me a book you like, I can tell you another book you'll like. I've had people call me at, like, 3 in the morning to be like, "What was that one book?"

Muhammad Afsharzadeh
fire crew



I have superhuman jumping [ability]. I play a lot of sports, [like] basketball. I jump pretty f' in high. I dunk and can do tricks and all that.

Evan Schuman
agricultural
consultant



Compassion. [Interrupted by niece Isabella: He always is super intuitive about other people's needs. If you want evidence of it being a super power: One time I got in a car with him ... and I was about to ask him if he could turn the music down and he just did it, and then I wanted him to close the window and he just did it without me asking again!]

evacuation from Kabul International Airport in Afghanistan. What I saw was a mostly orderly withdrawal of thousands who were trying to escape. I remember chaos when we were trying to get people out of Saigon at the end of the Vietnam War.

They didn't call it "chaos" when the valiant British evacuated the British and French troops at Dunkirk in World War II. They enlisted all available boats, large and small, to get the troops across the English Channel to safety. In perspective, I believe the U.S. military did an amazing job in evacuating Kabul.

Robert Woods
Forest Ranch

Corrections

In last month's Best of Chico issue (Oct. 7):

We misidentified the owner of Bacio Catering, Takeout & Eatery. Erika Montañez owns the business, which took first place for Best Caterer.

In category of Best Bank/Credit Union, the number for third-place finisher, Members 1st Credit Union, should have been (530) 222-6060.

The correct year for the opening of Concours Elite Collision Center, winner of Best Auto Paint/Body Shop, is 1981.

And finally, we omitted a whole category! Here's the how the missing entry should have appeared:

Massage Therapist

FIRST Place: Bodywork by Nikki
341 Broadway, Ste. 309, 570-6311

On the Bodywork by Nikki website, owner/CMT Nikki Vargas explains the approach that has garnered the community's vote of confidence: "Massage is a perfect therapy that combines conscience kindness and technical understand to provide lasting results. Every massage is customized to each individual client, every single session."

SECOND Place: Babette Maiss
13 Williamsburg Lane, 321- 5668

THIRD Place: Candi Williamson
811 E. Fifth Ave., 521-7328

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