Water bursted out of a San Jose Water Company pipe and flowed through campus, flooding Seventh Street Plaza on Sunday.
**BURST**

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of pipe and shut off the valves around 7 p.m. Ackemann said they don’t know exactly what caused the main to break but added that California’s shifting fault lines may have played a role.

“We live in an area that prone to earthquakes,” Ackemann said. “In addition to that, there is always settling and things that can put pressure on the pipes in the ground.”

Ackemann said that no customers lost water and because SJSU has its own water supply no students living on campus went without water during the repair.

It is normal for the regular repair and maintenance of smaller pipes to occur. However, water mains breaking is an unusual occurrence.

Fans said because the water company appears to be at fault, it will replace the pipe and repay for the cleanup and damages.

The university’s insurance adjuster will determine the cost and bill the water company. Crown temporarily patched the pipe, but Ackemann said it will take some time before the entire section can be replaced.

There’s no estimate on how many gallons of water were lost. A water quality team will be on campus because of alleged mistreatment. Another project they plan to work on is La Altagracia, which is a union town on campus because of alleged mistreatment. Another project they plan to work on is La Altagracia, which is a union town.

**SWEATSHOPS**

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university’s gross licensing revenues from the previous year. The university had agreed to join the WRC in 2007, but discontinued its participation in 2011 because of a budget crisis.

The members said they have many projects they want to pursue in the future. They want to work on more projects locally and also abroad.

SJSU will also be working with unionizing the janitors and students starting these movements. The university’s policy on sweatshop apparel will be discussed at SJSU’s Student Government meeting.

**EPIDEMIC**

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The purpose of a vaccine is to help develop an immunity by imitating an infection, according to the CDC. Because of this, most people will most likely end up getting sick. However, people can protect themselves from the dangers of the flu virus.

“At the doctor’s office to get the vaccine. Because of being surrounded by sick people,” English senior Khaila Brinkley said.

She said she’s too paranoid to go back to the doctor’s office to get the vaccine. According to the CDC, 37 children have died from the flu.

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BY GABRIEL MUNGARAY

Elevenplay, a dance group that emerged from Japan, will perform at the Hammer Theatre on Saturday. The performance marked the group’s return to the United States after a five-year absence.

The group, led by choreographer Mikiko Mizuno, created the dance company Elevenplay in 2009. It was launched at Caffe Frascati in downtown San Jose as part of the event’s opening act for Lady Gaga.

Mizuno, who co-founded the group in 2014, said the United States has always been a key market for them.

"It’s been a dream of ours since we started. We’ve always looked at the United States as a very important market for us," she said.

Mizuno said the group’s decision to return to the United States was part of a bigger plan to focus on the group’s international presence.

"We want to put more focus on our international tours and events," she said.

Elevenplay is scheduled to perform at the Hammer Theatre as part of their U.S. tour. They will make two more stops part of their U.S. tour, the next one being in the Bay Area here and the final stop being in Federal Way, Washington.

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

BY JOE ROGOSA

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Elevenplay Lights Up the Hammer Theatre

The Japanese multimedia dance group Elevenplay, on an amazing show Saturday night in front of a packed Hammer Theatre audience.

The group was launched by choreographer Mikiko Mizuno in 2009. Her vision was to create a diverse and fascinating dance group that would appeal to a wide range of audiences.

Elevenplay is comprised of all women, composed of dancers from different backgrounds, and they are known for their unique style.

"I know that is a big aspect of their performance, so I’m excited to see how they’re going to incorporate technology into their performance," said Kastelman.

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Whatever criminals have done, sentencing them to life in prison is not an answer. They may commit more crimes, or make society safer, because it is not a deterrent for future crime. Some criminals get away without being punished.

I disagree that criminals should expiate their guilt and commit serious crimes without getting caught or deterrent of future crimes. That the answer to prevent future crime is not an answer.

Some criminals get away without being punished. And if a person commits a crime, we should not make the person’s family emotionally stressed. They want to do the same thing to happen to the criminal. But it is an emotional, not a logical one. Because of the growing people who support unlawful acts, creating a crime, we need not be law-abiding. Capital punishment is the best way to make mistakes in legal systems.

The media has definitely become more concerned with achieving high ratings instead of producing quality content. We’ve all heard the old saying of “quality is better than quantity.” Well, maybe many don’t answer that way for the media. In fact, think that that’s part of the problem. The media has yet to prove that a bag down feeds with important information and that grandma and video素养 should matter to our everyday lives. But because that stuff receives an insane amount of money, the media gets a high rating.

The attention from the media is produced less quality content. More argue against it. And everyone agrees it’s important. The media benefits from conflict and give it airtime. It is easy to find essential information is quality material more than just one-fourth of the cost that was for incarceration. As of last July, the time it would cost, is $90,000 per year per inmate. The population of death row in California is 746. Therefore, it would account for a little over $67.5 million annually. As of March 2018, I have to say that economic factors are putting up the moral aspects. Once again, we have to reconsider stopping death penalty.

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Helicopter parents are detrimental

Kael Benitez-Austria
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When I was younger, my father would heat me talking on the phone in his bedroom and he would watch TV in the living room to hear what I was saying. My parents never let me go to the movies or even see friends outside of school until I was 18 because they didn’t want me getting into trouble.

PsychCentral states that helicopter parenting is a style of parenting in which parents show an excessive amount of interest and concern in every aspect of their child’s lives. While it sounds like parents just being protective measures to keep their children safe, helicopter parenting is detrimental to the overall well-being of a child. Growing up, it was normal for me to constantly be under the watchful eyes of my parents. I never felt that it was extreme or that the way they treated me was affecting me in any way. But just this year, I learned the term “helicopter parenting.” It made me realize that my parents have constantly tried to keep tabs on me and still do, despite the fact that I am 21 and live on the other side of the continent from them.

Joel Young, Medical Director of the Rochester Center of Behavioral Medicine, said that this style of parenting has been proven to cause anxiety, depression and other mental illnesses. For some folks, this rings true, as their anxiety and depression have stayed with them well into adulthood. Helicopter parenting also causes children to develop codependency. Relying on your parents can make a person feel like they constantly need a hand to hold as they go through life.

“My parents didn’t want any outside influences to affect my growth, so I wasn’t allowed to use the internet, watch TV or go outside without knowing half the neighborhood. It was chemistry senior Ada Perez-Campillo’s experience.

While these parenting methods seem reasonable, the damage done to a child’s sense of independence is permanent. “I wasn’t allowed to open the refrigerator without asking. I couldn’t do anything in the house without asking. This really only lasted for eight years, but still, I was afraid to do anything. From the ages of 18 to 20 I grew up very quickly, because my parents made me be very dependent on them and when I moved out I had to figure out everything on my own.”

For some folks helicopter parenting has been the reason why they are as successful as they are, especially in terms of academics. However, being constantly monitored can create an enormous amount of pressure and anxiety for a person, especially a child.

“The other problem with never having to struggle is that you never experience failure and can develop an overwhelming fear of failure and of disappointing others,” Indiana University psychologist Chris Mero.

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Effects of helicopter parenting

Being constantly monitored can create an enormous amount of pressure and anxiety for a person, especially a child.

College students with helicopter parenting reported significantly higher levels of depression and less satisfaction with life. Students also experienced feeling unstable, anxious and self-conscious.

Intrusive parents has been associated with children of low executive capabilities. Children had a hard time determining which actions are needed to achieve a goal.

When I moved out, I had to go to the store and buy my own things. I had to look up prices and get the absolute lowest cost. I was forced to take care of everything on my own. "It is important for students to learn how to take care of themselves when they go off to college," said psychologist Chris Mero.

OPINION
The San Jose State women’s tennis team opened the season in its new home, dominating the competition and sweeping Sonoma State, 6-0.

The Spartans had a strong start to their season on February 2, defeating the Seawolves in both singles and doubles matches. This win was a big step in the right direction, according to coach Jean Culibrk.

Junior Miyo Kobayashi and senior Sybille Wagner defeated Junior Mia Zuidema and Amanda Zuidema of Sonoma State, 6-0. The doubles match was particularly impressive, with the Spartans winning two out of three matches.

The Spartans’ win against the Seawolves is the first match they played on the new home courts. The complex was recently completed and is directly across from the CEFCU stadium.

The new athletic facility was built on the South campus with the help of alumni Rich and Candy Thayer and the hard work of Coach Skorupka and his family. It is covered in Spartan blue with six full courts and a large scoreboard near the seating area, so viewers can keep up with games played on all the courts.

The complex is also home to the Mubadala Silicon Valley Classic, which had been held at Stanford since 1971. The tournament is the longest-running WTA event in the Bay Area. This win was a big step in the right direction, according to coach Jean Culibrk.

San Jose State’s record for the season is 1-1.

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