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## ■ A HELPING HAND



PHOTO/COURTESY PARALYZED VETERANS OF AMERICA

Mel Silva, president of Paralyzed Veterans of America, had to be manually loaded onto The Mariner at Breakwater Cove during last year's Wheelchair Salmon Derby. The boat has since been retrofitted with a ramp to make it easier for wheelchairs to move on and off the deck.

## Making the ocean wheelchair accessible

By KIMBERLY WHITE

THEY'LL WAKE up at daybreak and wheel themselves through the parking lot at Monterey's Breakwater Cove. At the boat-launch ramp near the Coast Guard pier, hundreds of wheelchair-bound fishermen will line up, awaiting their turn to board boats that will whisk them out for a day at sea.

Meanwhile a construction crew is hard at work on the ramp, which is being retrofitted — thanks to grants from California Boating and Waterways and The California Coastal Conservancy — to

make it more accessible to the physically challenged.

Though the retrofit will not be completed in time for the 17th Annual Wheelchair Salmon Derby April 23-24, plans include the installation of a floating platform that incorporates a lift from the dock to the waterline, allowing easier access for people in wheelchairs to fishing boats, kayaks and other watercraft.

"Right now, they have to be lifted out of their wheelchairs, which is very precarious," said John Whitacre, executive

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## Sparks fly at council

By MARY BROWNFIELD

THE FINAL meeting of the current Carmel City Council — which will lose two of its members after Tuesday's election — featured a landmark unanimous approval as well as some last-minute political bickering.

Moving ever closer toward realizing its long overdue Local Coastal Program, which will finally give the city authority over its own development after more than 20 years, the council voted to adopt the final version of the city's 500-page Coastal Implementation Plan.

The council did not follow Carmel Residents Association member Monte Miller's suggestions to add laws banning smoking on the beach, prohibiting mailboxes and street numbers, imposing a deadline on construction projects and requiring more enforcement of landscape plans.

"We'd like to see those included now," Miller said on behalf of the CRA board. "I know they could be added later, but I think

the chances are slim."

Council members did not respond to Scenic Road resident Jim Gunn, who said the CIP violates the Coastal Act because it prohibits vacation rental of homes for periods shorter than 30 days.

"There are exactly zero visitor-serving facilities on the beach and exactly zero homes in the Beach Overlay District that are available for low- and moderate-income individuals and families," Gunn argued. "Carmel claims that it does not discriminate against handicapped or disabled people. This ignores the fact that handicapped or disabled individuals would have an impossible task to walk back up the hill to the commercial zone of Carmel."

Resident Linda Anderson asked the council to preserve the law limiting short-term rentals.

Principal planner Brian Roseth responded that the coastal commission already decided

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PHOTO/PAUL MILLER

City administrator Rich Guillen was flanked by a mayor and a would-be mayor at Tuesday's city council meeting. After the April 13 election, either Dick Ely or Sue McCloud will be out of office.

## AVALANCHE OF COMMENTS DELAYS HEARING ON P.B. PLAN

By PAUL MILLER

THE COUNTY'S subdivision committee put off consideration Thursday of the Pebble Beach Company's latest development and open space plan to give its staff more time to consider a large volume of comments submitted in response to the project's environmental impact report, which was released Feb. 4.

"There are potential issues in these letters that need resolution," said planner Thom McCue. The key points in nearly 1,000 pages of comments from citizens, community and environmental groups, and government agencies include questions about the project's water supply, impacts on Monterey pines and other plants, and changes to the road network in Del Monte Forest and surrounding areas, he said.

The P.B. plan, announced in the summer of 2000 by two of the company's owners, Clint Eastwood and Peter Ueberroth, includes a new golf course, equestrian center, 170 hotel rooms, 33 homes and almost 500 acres of dedicated open space. About 100 acres of forest would be removed to make way for the golf course and other development.

The plan replaced the previous ownership's proposal for more than 350 new homesites; the land was zoned in the 1980s by Monterey County and the California Coastal Commission for nearly 1,000 homes.

Subdivision committee chair Laura Lawrence said she hadn't even "gotten through" all the material the group was sup-

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## POLITICAL NEWCOMER AIMS TO OUST FARR

By KIMBERLY WHITE

IN HIS bid to win a seat in Congress representing the Monterey Peninsula, political newcomer Mark Risley plans to campaign the old-fashioned way: by pounding the pavement.

"Every single day, I will be shaking hands, holding fundraisers and meeting people in their homes," said Risley, a Republican, who will face the Democratic incumbent Sam Farr on Nov. 2. "It will be a truly grassroots campaign where you don't buy the vote, you earn it."

Although he is being backed by Central Coast Republicans, this is the first foray into the political arena for the president and CEO of Peninsula Sports Inc. The Pacific Grove-based company helps schools in Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz counties with their after-school sports programs.

Brandon Gesicki, the political director for the Monterey County Republican Party, said that although the party is supporting Risley's efforts, "he's running as more of an independent."

"He put together a very aggressive plan to try to win the race," Gesicki said, accusing Farr of being ineffective on social security, healthcare and education. And Farr has never authored or co-authored a major piece of legislation, he said.

Also, Risley maintains he is tired of "partisan bickering" and says he'll vote his constituents' wishes rather than along party lines. For example, although he holds conservative views on issues such as government intrusion into private business, among his top priorities is the continued assistance from the federal government for the poor and unemployed.

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# Caviezel at Pebble Beach 'First Tee' fundraiser

By PAUL MILLER

"TONIGHT, YOU get to see Jesus play golf."

With that, Clint Eastwood welcomed the crowd at Robert Louis Stevenson School in

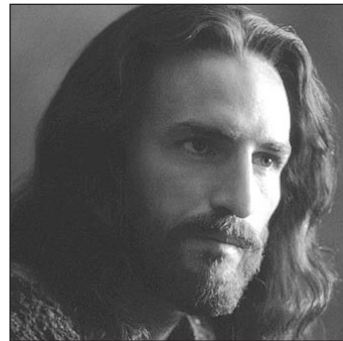
Pebble Beach April 2 to a benefit screening of actor James Caviezel's latest film, "Bobby Jones — Stroke of Genius."

Caviezel, star of the controversial blockbuster, "The Passion of the Christ," was also on hand to help raise money for First Tee of

Monterey County, part of a national program to encourage young people, especially minorities, to play golf.

"I've gone from the King of Kings to the King of Swings," Caviezel told the crowd of about 200 before an advance screening of "Bobby Jones," which tells the story of the greatest amateur golfer of all time. In 1930, at the age of 28, Jones won the British Amateur, the British Open, the U.S. Open and the U.S. Amateur — a feat known as the Grand Slam which no golfer has managed to repeat.

The film, which has been touring charity events across the country without its final musical score, is as much about Jones' life off the course as his golf triumphs. Never turning pro, he played not for money but for the love of the game, and supported his fam-



Actor Jim Caviezel (right) has become a superstar after portraying Jesus in the Mel Gibson film.



ily with a variety of jobs, including real estate sales.

His career cut short by a neurological illness, Jones founded the acclaimed Augusta National Golf Club and The Masters tournament. It's the kind of story that Caviezel is proud to tell.

"Before I got my start, I was working as a waiter with a Hollywood caterer. There was this big event, and I was told, 'If we see you talking to any of the celebrities, you're fired.' Well Jimmy Stewart was there and I figured, he's worth getting fired over," Caviezel said on the stage at RLS' Keck Auditorium. "So I introduced myself and he said, 'Son, make good movies.' And that's what I think I've done."

The film's director, Rowdy Herrington, also said "Bobby Jones — Stroke of Genius" is the kind of movie that should also make Hollywood proud. "Especially with the way we're promoting it, by helping raise money for charity," Herrington said. The movie opens nationwide April 30.

Earlier, at a reception at the new RLS student center, Caviezel was asked about tabloid reports that he was struck by lightning while filming "The Passion."

"We were filming the Sermon on the Mount when I got the feeling you get in the midwest when a big storm is coming. It's like a great silence. My hair stood on end and then I felt this massive pressure forcibly pushing in on my ears. For eight seconds I couldn't see . . . everything was blood red and shimmering." He said he was not burned by the strike. And, when asked if it was a spiritual experi-

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### MY PLEDGE TO YOU

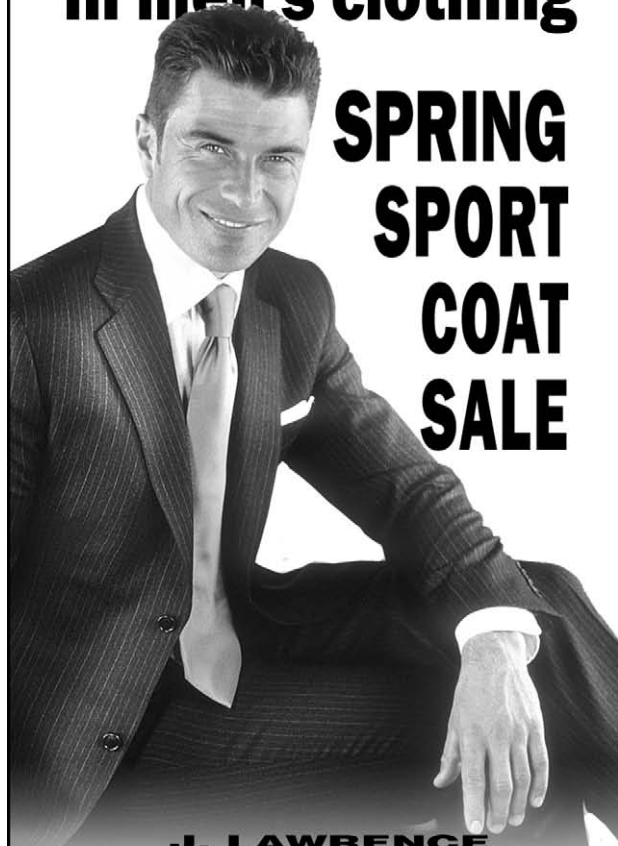
I am committed to improving results through integration of ideas. I will put in the time to attend meetings, to understand suggestions, to answer questions, to address concerns from all interest groups (residential, business, and visitor). Carmel-by-the-Sea depends on all of them and has a responsibility to make decisions that balance their perspectives. I will listen carefully and decide fairly.

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- 36 year career at Hewlett-Packard in technical and management positions, retiring in 1998
- Planning Commissioner for Carmel-by-the-Sea
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# NO LATE HOURS AT POINT LOBOS THIS SUMMER

By KIMBERLY WHITE

MORE HOURS of day usually translate to more hours of play at Point Lobos State Park, but the reserve's closing hour of 5 p.m. will remain until at least July due to budget cuts, according to spokesman Dave Schaechtele.

*'Three years ago, we had a \$20 million cut to state parks, then last year, there was an additional \$15 million cut.'*

— Dave Schaechtele

Seasonal staff normally are on duty in the kiosk at the front of the park, he said, but those positions have been cut and the rangers who are now filling in can not take away more time from their regularly scheduled duties.

The decision on whether to reinstate the 7 p.m. closing time on July 1 — the beginning of the new fiscal year — will probably be made in mid-June. Schaechtele said they need to determine how much money the park will receive and budget accordingly, while at the same time ensuring that a contingency fund is maintained for

emergency purposes.

If the park reinstates the later hour, it will come during the Point Lobos' most-visited month, according to last year's visitation figures that showed 7,700 vehicles entering in June and 11,000 entering in July.

Hours at many of the other parks, including Monterey State Beach, Monterey Historical Park, Zmudowski State Beach and Fremont Peak, also may change depending on their normal operating schedules and amount of anticipated traffic. For example, Carmel River State Beach is closed between 10 p.m. and sunrise daily, except on July 4, when it closes at 9 p.m.

July 1 also marks the first day of rate hikes at parks across the state. For example, the parking fee at Point Lobos will rise from \$5 to \$8, Schaechtele said. On that date, annual parks passes will raise from the current rate of \$67 to \$125.

A hike from \$67 to \$110 is scheduled to take place on Thursday, April 15.

"Three years ago, we had a \$20 million cut to state parks, then last year, there was an additional \$15 million cut," Schaechtele said. "We've had budget problems for the past three years, but it was this last year's additional cut that resulted in the fee increase on July 1."

The day-use fees at the parks will depend on how much each is used, he said, but the department is considering raising the fees at some of the more popular parks to nudge the public toward some of the lesser-known facilities.

## Erik Bethel for City Council



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— Glenn and Marian Leidig

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— Chuck and Stella Poland

"I'm giving him this endorsement because he promised he'd take me to the beach all week. Woof woof!"  
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# Police, Fire & Sheriff's Log

## Busy signal meant 'leave me alone'

HERE'S A look at some of the significant calls logged by the Carmel-by-the-Sea Police and Fire Departments and the Monterey County Sheriff's Office last week. This week's police log was compiled by Mary Brownfield and Paul Miller

### SATURDAY, MARCH 27

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** While assisting another officer on an unrelated call at 2350 hours, an officer noticed two vehicles parked across from each other on Vizcaino that were obstructing traffic. Noticed a juvenile in a house and attempted to contact him to see if it was his car. Unfortunately, he hid when the officer approached the door, knocked several times and announced herself. She said the car was going to be towed if someone did not acknowledge her. Male came to the door and said the house belonged to him. Alcohol could be smelled on his breath and the officer asked if his parents were home. He said the house was for sale and vacant and his real address was on Atherton. He was asked how old he was and if his mother knew he was throwing a party. He said he was 15 and had permission to stay at the house with a couple of friends. His mother

was contacted and said she did not authorize a party. She was also upset to hear alcohol was present. The party was shut down and she made arrangements to bring her son home.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Caller from an inn at Ocean and Monte Verde reported several intoxicated males causing a peace disturbance outside in the courtyard. Upon arrival, voices were heard and two subjects were seen talking loudly to two other male adults who were leaving as officers approached. Male was intoxicated and unable to say where he was staying. The other males returned and said they were all staying at a nearby motel and would take responsibility for the subject.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Parents of a 6-month-old girl brought her to the fire station stating she had a burn on her arm from spilled coffee. She was examined and found to have a first-degree burn on her right forearm. Provided the mother with burn cream, which she applied, and then placed a loose bandage over the area for protection. Parents advised to take their daughter to the hospital or a doctor. They declined transport by ambulance.

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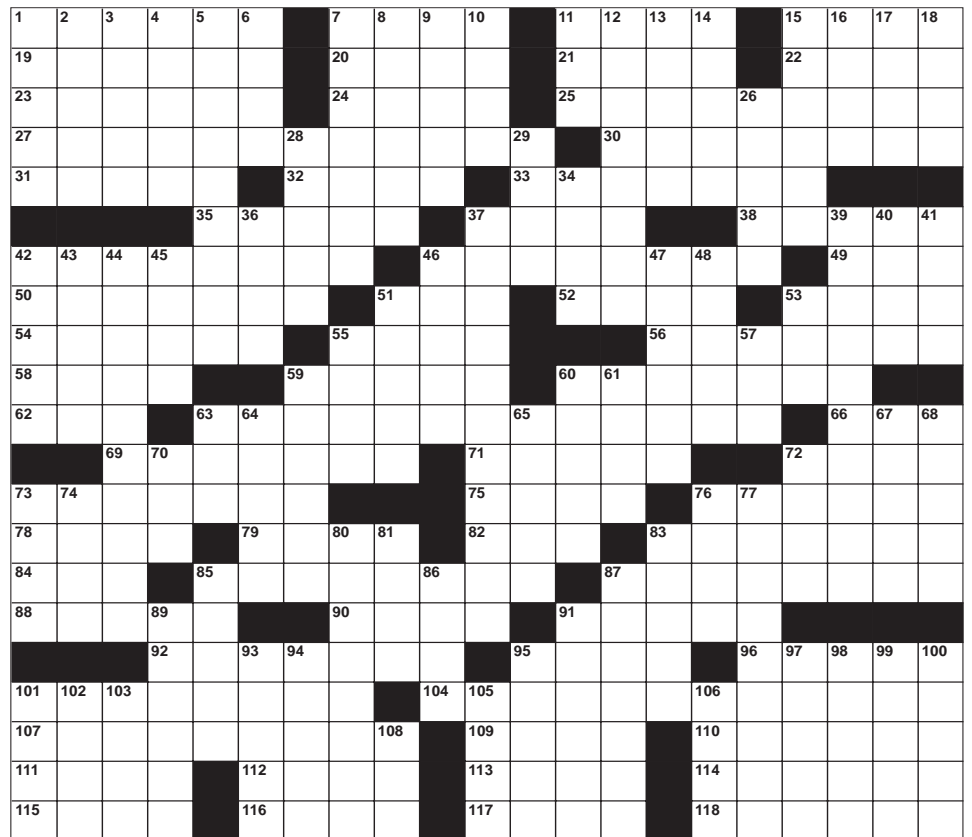
IT TAKES ALL KINDS BY MANNY NOSOWSKY / EDITED BY WILL SHORTZ

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- 1 "Help!"
- 7 Cry of relief
- 11 Top spot
- 15 Time period
- 19 First
- 20 Costa follower
- 21 Sen. Cochran of Mississippi
- 22 "What can \_\_\_ to help?"
- 23 Blazing
- 24 Garden figure
- 25 Dan attacks while ...
- 27 Polly punishes while ...
- 30 One way to wait
- 31 Dilly-dally
- 32 Bona fide
- 33 Like some Mideast conferences
- 35 Morals man
- 37 All-day sch. events
- 38 Girl's name that means "sorceress"
- 42 Occasionally
- 46 Faye rides while ...
- 49 Bear: Sp.
- 50 Fictional rubber
- 51 Cause of many an accident
- 52 Doppelgänger
- 53 Lincoln and others
- 54 Having the most reason
- 55 Building regulations
- 56 Greatest chance
- 58 Halfway houses
- 59 West Indies native
- 60 A fighting force
- 62 Wild blue yonder
- 63 Lester bats while ...
- 66 Old protest org.
- 69 Outcasts
- 71 Coaxes
- 72 What's left at sea
- 73 Certain nuts
- 75 Pip or pit
- 76 Chewing gum ingredient
- 78 Daft
- 79 Give a hand
- 82 This girl
- 83 Tutor of the Beatles
- 84 Question
- 85 Chad rows while ...
- 87 Takes hold of quickly
- 88 Operatic villains, often
- 90 March time
- 91 Certain print
- 92 Ear problem
- 95 As found, after "in"
- 96 Hanukkah serving
- 101 Some salad items

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- 104 Lenny makes buys while ...
- 107 Vic doesn't finger anyone while ...
- 109 Bull: Prefix
- 110 Battlement
- 111 Bit of infirmity
- 112 1950's TV's "The Martha \_\_\_ Show"
- 113 South American monkey
- 114 "The Tatler" writer
- 115 Try
- 116 Had down cold
- 117 "Smart" one
- 118 Judge
- 12 What a feller needs?
- 13 Food in Exodus 16
- 14 First name in mystery
- 15 Gob
- 16 El Misti's locale
- 17 Sums (up)
- 18 Twinkies or cookies, e.g.
- 26 Amherst campus, briefly
- 28 Bean of Hollywood
- 29 Neuter
- 34 Periodic table abbr.
- 36 Rework
- 37 Paige tangles the hair while ...
- 39 Robbie takes punches while ...
- 40 "Gotcha"
- 41 Deep in thought
- 42 Sanctuary
- 43 Wing
- 44 Manny leaves guns at home while ...
- 45 Cool drinks
- 46 Foster in the movies
- 47 Sullies
- 48 Work, in a way
- 51 Western settings
- 53 Money source, for short
- 55 Checkout clerk's question
- 57 Class group: Abbr.
- 59 Quit



- 60 Fierce one
- 61 Listen to
- 63 \_\_\_ de coeur
- 64 Imagist poet Doolittle
- 65 Lets go
- 67 1964 title role for Tony Randall
- 68 Demanding
- 70 Prefix with benzene
- 72 Languish
- 73 Not hold it in
- 74 Spanish flower
- 76 Voucher
- 77 Basil picks fruit while ...
- 80 Never, after "in"
- 81 New Jersey city near Hackensack
- 83 Layout
- 85 Giant
- 86 Act of faith?
- 87 Like a lecher
- 89 Hole in the wall?
- 91 Tiny
- 93 "It was \_\_\_ and stormy night"
- 94 Fictional salesman
- 95 Antenna holder?
- 97 A large spread
- 98 Florida ZIP code starter
- 99 Naval bases?
- 100 Opera singer Simon \_\_\_
- 101 Body structure: Abbr.
- 102 Rehab target
- 103 Baron in "Der Rosenkavalier"
- 105 Blues singer James
- 106 "\_\_\_ deal!"
- 108 Darn

Answer to puzzle on page 10A

# Only night owls will catch a glimpse of new cop

By MARY BROWNFIELD

CARMEL'S NEWEST cop, 22-year-old Jason Rogers, is an avid outdoorsman who received his training at the California Department of Fish and Game's academy, the city council learned Tuesday when he was introduced.



PHOTO/PAUL MILLER

New Carmel Police Officer Jason Rogers met some of his employers Tuesday afternoon, when Sgt. Mike Calhoun introduced him to the city council.

He enrolled in the department of fish and game's academy and graduated last August. Since fish and game wardens are sworn officers, their program is accepted by the same agency which certifies other law enforcement academies.

Rogers did "really well" in his testing for the job, Sgt. Mike Calhoun told the council April 6. "His community policing style is what we're looking for."

"The city has welcomed me with open arms, and I look forward to serving the city and the community for many years to come," Rogers said.

Hailing from Menlo Park and later living in Northern California near Redding, Rogers worked as a park ranger and a wildlife biologist before deciding to fulfill his

Fresh out of school, Rogers applied to fill one of CPD's several vacancies, and the fit seemed natural, according to Calhoun.

### The philosophy fits

During his oral board, "what came out was his policing philosophy," Calhoun said. Carmel P.D., with a force of 15 sworn officers when fully staffed, prides itself on providing community service. Officers regularly patrol the city on foot and are known for helping tourists find their lost vehicles and spouses as often as fighting crime.

"It showed in his demeanor and the way he answered the questions," Calhoun said. "He's young, but he has a lot of maturity, and you could see he would fit in with our organi-

zation. He's also very community-oriented, and a lot of his answers were really based on helping people with problems."

Rogers has another 10 weeks of training ahead and is currently working with officer Chris Johnson from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m., perhaps leaving him some time to pursue his hobbies of fly fishing and hiking.

"So far, he's fitting in nicely," Calhoun said.

## FEELING STUCK?

If you feel stuck or are struggling with change, if your life is not working in some way, if you feel like something different needs to happen in your life but you don't know what, it could mean you are stuck. It often appears in the disguise of anxiety, depression, frustration, anger, irritability, confusion, indecision, discontent, or fear.

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## Today's Real Estate

by MAUREEN MASON  
Certified Residential Specialist

### Residential Sales and Due Diligence



Assume that you've found the ideal home and you're ready to make an offer. It's safe to also assume that in today's market you will not be the only offer. Does this mean that you should forget about inspections when you write your offer? NO!

By all means plan on doing your due diligence. Try to keep the time frame for this contingency as short as possible. Hire a professional inspector who'll give you a written report that you'll pass along to the seller.

In a seller's market it's highly unlikely that the seller is going to be interested in correcting a lot of defects. Generally, you'll be buying a home here on the Monterey Peninsula that is far from new. It is not the seller's job to rebuild the home to today's code for you. In fact, the purchase contract states that the seller does not even need to respond to your repair requests.

Nonetheless, if you're going to undertake repairs during your ownership of the home, you need to be comfortable with what those repairs might be. It is also possible that the inspector discovers problems that you're not willing to accept and the seller is not willing to mitigate.

A prudent buyer is one who accepts the responsibility of investigating any aspects of the home that might be of concern — even in a seller's market.

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By KIMBERLY WHITE

**RAISE YOUR** hand if you know the symptoms of anthrax poisoning. Ever been trained to care for someone with radiation sickness?

Until recently, few people would have given these situations more than a passing thought. But now, with daily reminders in the media of terrorist activity around the world, the idea of a chemical, biological or nuclear attack does not seem far-fetched.

"Advance knowledge and preparation are always the key to keeping an emergency situation from becoming a disaster," said Rob Stern, who last year founded Marina-based Defense Research LLC. "I think people have started to become complacent again. As long as there are things that fuel extremism, there'll be things that are dangerous."

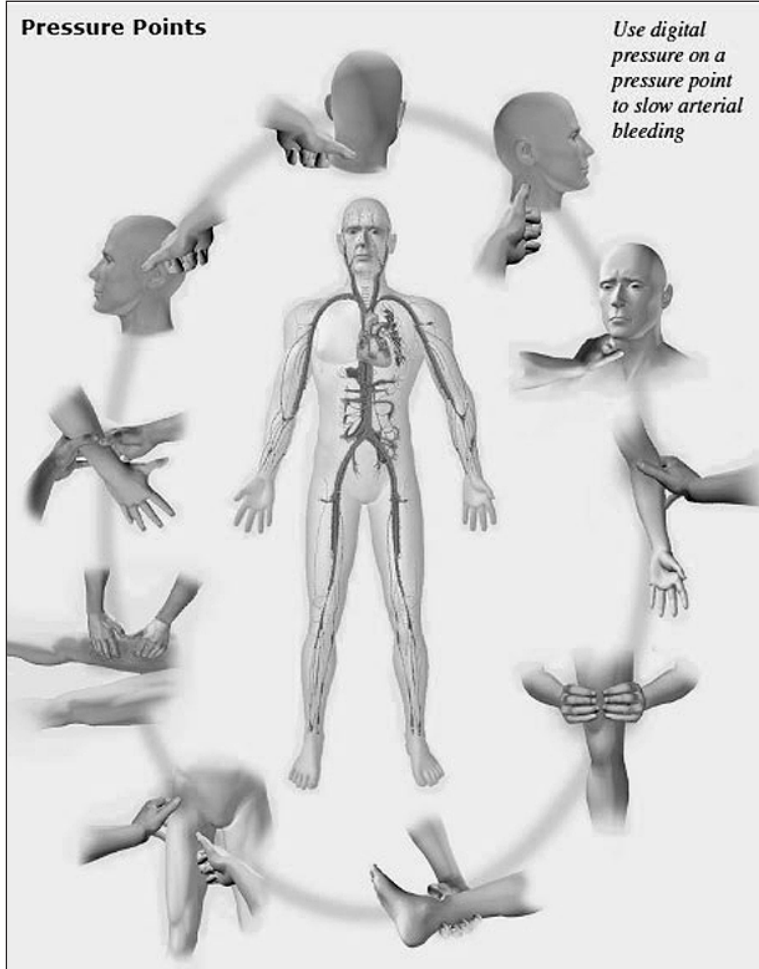
Stern, who formerly worked as the senior advisor of technology and design at IBM's West Coast Research Center, recently released "Terrorism Preparedness: The Citizens' Emergency Response e-Guide." Written in a layperson's terms, the CD-ROM

is a reference for the general population on how to respond to disaster situations related to nuclear, biological and chemical attacks. It also contains information on basic first aid.

According to Stern, the information contained in the guide is "a compilation of accepted standard procedures and practices in use by [emergency medical services] and other first responders, and the U.S. military."

He spent about a year developing the e-guide, which consists of approximately 400 pages. Those were whittled down from almost 30,000 pages of government documents, including military field manuals, Israeli defense courses and the guidelines from the Centers for Disease Control, most of which are geared toward people who already are experienced in the medical or emergency-response fields.

"They don't cover the kind of emergency first aid that somebody might need in the 'golden hour,'" said Stern, whose own credits in the emergency-response field include volunteering with the Alaska Mountain Rescue Council and certifications in CPR,



The CD-ROM e-guide covers topics such as how to stop arterial bleeding by applying pressure (right), how to report a bomb threat and how to recognize the signs of a bacterial agent such as the plague.

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"Even if you live in a small, rural community, you could still be affected if a biological product were released in a big city," Stern said. "If someone who was traveling through the area had been exposed to a biological agent and then coughed or sneezed on a door handle at a truck stop, the biological agent could then spread to that entire truck-stop community."

However, not all the information is aimed at situations on the scale of the Black Death in 14th century Europe, the World Trade Center attacks, or even the recent train bombings in Madrid.

For example, the emergency first aid section, which includes instructions on how to dress a wound, control bleeding or recognize

the symptoms of shock, could be used by parents and teachers in the home or classroom. Instructions on more dramatic situations — such how to handle a severed limb or a person impaled with an object — are aimed at keeping the victim alive until trained personnel arrive.

"It gives people a foundation so they can make an informed decision, but it isn't meant to be used to qualify someone as a first responder," said Stern, who recently gave a presentation to the Monterey Bay International Trade Association. "It certainly isn't the kind of thing that takes the place of emergency surgery or blood transfusions, but it gives people less of a sense of helplessness if they have an idea of what to do and what to expect before an emergency situation happens."

■ "Terrorism Preparedness: The Citizen's Emergency Response e-Guide," is available on amazon.com and may soon be for sale at local bookstores and discount centers.

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# P.B. Fire's new ladder truck may be the envy of Carmel

By MARY BROWNFIELD

PEBBLE BEACH has what Carmel wants.

While the ladder on Carmel Fire Department's 29-year-old truck has broken repeatedly and been out of commission since last fall, P.B. Fire took delivery of a brand new, \$550,631 American LaFrance ladder truck March 29, even though its older truck is working fine.

"We have a replacement cycle for all of our equipment, and it was at its time to be replaced," explained Captain Richard Lopez, a member of the committee headed by Chief Sam Mazza that ordered it.

Once the crews have been trained on the new rig, all the accompanying equipment is in place, and the policies and procedures relating to it are written, the 52,500-pound, 500-horsepower machine will enter service early next month, according to Lopez.

At that point, the older ladder truck, which cost \$351,097 when it was purchased from Emergency One, Inc. in 1986, will be appraised and then put up for sale.

"It would be nice for a smaller agency," he said, but probably not for Carmel. "I don't think it would fit in their station."

See **NEW RIG** page 10A

Pebble Beach firefighters have quickly learned to operate their brand new, \$550,631 ladder truck, which arrived from the Pennsylvania manufacturer March 29.



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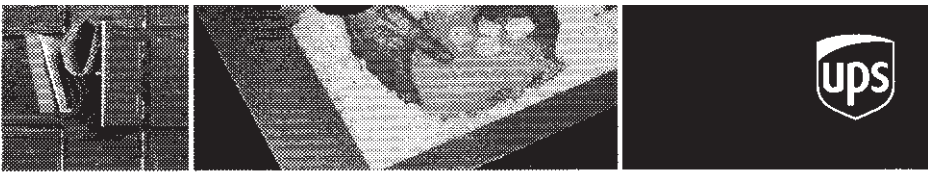
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# As final Sunset donations roll in, fundraising group finally rests

By MARY BROWNFIELD

THE NONPROFIT created a decade ago to raise money for the renovation of Sunset Center closed its offices in February and filed dissolution papers with the state this week, according to Campaign for Sunset President Nancy Doolittle. With all but a few of the \$13.4 million in pledges paid in full to the city, the group's work is done.

"Isn't that impressive?" she asked, referring to the 1,186 donors who gave to the \$21.65 million renovation project. "It shows such broad-based community consensus and support."

The 15-member board, which grew out of a Carmel Cultural Commission task force and held its first meeting in 1994, initially set out to raise \$11.65 million. After meeting that goal, members agreed to help the city accept a higher-than-expected construction bid by raising another \$1 million — a target donations exceeded by \$750,000, according to Doolittle.

The city has already received all of the initial donations and most of the pledges made during the second effort, she said. The board, which included presidents of the Carmel Bach Festival, Monterey Symphony and Friends of Sunset, as well as a representative of the Carmel business community, was accompanied by a 15-member campaign council of volunteers who helped raise the funds.

"We've just had a wonderful board to work with, and it couldn't have been done without a joint public-private partnership," she said. "The city is to be commended for stepping up to the plate," even when the costs of the job unexpectedly rose.

The partnership was recognized with an award from the Monterey County Business Council, which Carmel Mayor Sue McCloud asked Bill and Nancy Doolittle to accept on behalf of the campaign at Tuesday's city council meeting.

"It's fitting that we have the other half of

the team here," McCloud said as she held an armload of awards. In addition to the business council's recognition of the partnership that resulted in economic benefit to the community and retained the building's character while improving its appearance and function, the city also netted the 2004 Distinguished Project Award from the Western Council of Construction Consumers for excellence in engineering, design and construction of a public building. The Monterey Bay Chapter of the American Public Works Association selected it as the project of the year for 2004.

Doolittle said the project yielded a stellar center with a strong future.

"Everyone enjoys going there. The performers are giving us the most positive feedback possible," she said. "They want to come back after performing on that stage and in that theater."

Bill Doolittle agreed.

"It's nice to see that the community really has

warmed up to Sunset Center and it's being well used," he said, adding that new performances, such as the Monterey Jazz Festival series, are attracting new audiences. "People are really pleased and proud of it."

And while the Doolittles and other campaign board members will probably occupy some of those seats in the audience on a regular basis, it's unlikely many of them will otherwise be involved in Sunset's future after the nonprofit's dissolution becomes final this summer.

Another group will handle the sticky questions of who will manage it and how.

"We were asked if we were interested in moving into that phase, and our board was unanimous that an 11-and-a-half-year commitment was enough," she said. "We've done our share, and it's someone else's turn."

However it's handled, Doolittle remains confident the center's future is solid.

"It's not possible for it not to be a real shining star," she said.

*'Isn't that impressive?'*

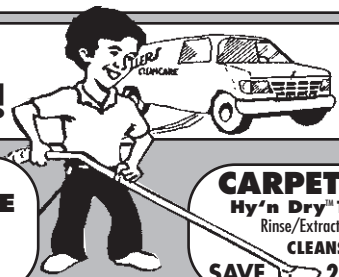
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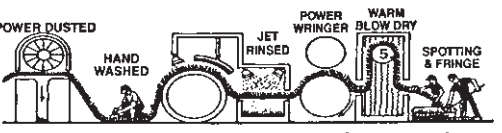
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With Cara Wilson

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# Carmel Valley

## RISLEY

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To increase the water supply in Carmel Valley, he proposes removing all the silt that has accumulated in the San Clemente reservoir since the 1920s. Taxpayers have spent approximately \$75 million to fund a water management district, he pointed out, but the agency has yet to fulfill its promise of finding a new water source.

Risley recently took a leave of absence from Peninsula Sports Inc., where he has worked since 1996, to work full time on the campaign. He previously was the human-resources manager of Macys in Monterey and is currently president of the Central California Chapter of the National Football Foundation/College Hall of Fame.

But for now, Risley, a 46-year-old Salinas native, is focusing all of his energy on offering "a viable alternative" to Congressman Farr.

From now until Nov. 2, he plans to talk to as many constituents in the district as he can regarding everything from reforming the education system to providing affordable healthcare to the evil of "career politicians."

"What the founding fathers had in mind was for citizens to go out and serve for a

while, then come back to their districts and continue working," not spend their entire lives in the political arena, he said.

Unlike his opponent, Risley said, he has not accepted any "special-interest" money, and he'll run an underfunded campaign over the next seven months if he has to. In fact, he plans to make an issue of the special-interest money he said is flowing into politicians' pockets, as well as deride what the campaign process has evolved into — namely, that whoever has the most money wins. TV ads, which can cost millions, are the easiest way to gain name recognition.

"In November, the most important vote you will cast on the ballot will not be for your president or for your senator but for your congressman," Risley added. "He's your voice in Washington, and you'd better be able to speak with him."

Risley had been thinking about running against Farr for about a year and ended up entering the ring on Dec. 5, 2003 — the filing deadline — because he felt Farr is ineffective and out of touch with the needs of the constituency.

And while the government spends too much money, it doesn't spend enough in California, Risley said.

"We're getting the short end of the stick," he said.

## COUNCIL

From page 1A

the one-square-mile city provides plenty of hotel rooms within walking distance to the beach for vacationers.

### Review in six months?

Councilwoman Barbara Livingston, whose term ends when the newly elected council members are sworn in April 20, wanted the council to require staff to review the LCP six months after it takes effect.

Councilman and mayoral candidate Dick Ely, who will lose his seat on the council if he does not beat Carmel Mayor Sue McCloud at the polls April 13, agreed.

"We should make certain we have a magnifying glass focused on what we're doing here," he said, so the laws can be systematically reviewed and amended as needed.

McCloud, Gerard Rose and Paula Hazdovac disagreed, and approved an alternate motion to pass the LCP and let future councils decide when to consider amendments.

"I don't think it's appropriate for us to bind the hands of a future council," Rose said.

When the vote to approve the CIP passed 3-2 with Ely and Livingston dissenting, Ely asked the council to vote on the matter again to show unanimous solidarity. Rose complied, and the tally was 5-0. The CIP will return for its second reading next month, then return to the California Coastal

Commission for certification. And, finally, it will become the law in Carmel.

### Livingston's swan song

"This is a cleanup item of great interest to me before I leave office," Livingston said of her proposal to permanently ban street addresses and mailboxes in the public right of way. "I think this is important to the village."

When the U.S. Postal Service considered installing "gang mailboxes" on each street corner for home mail delivery, the council passed a temporary emergency ordinance in November 2000 prohibiting street addresses and mailboxes.

"This ordinance was intended to go forward in year 2000 but got sidetracked and overlooked by the rush to complete the Local Coastal Program and Sunset Center," Livingston said.

"We went through several agonizing months when we were talking about mail delivery in town," Ely concurred. He said the council should make sure they never have to revisit the home mail delivery controversy.

Miller said the prohibition would protect Carmel's charm while preventing it from losing its central meeting place, the post office.

Resident Carla Ramsey suggested mailboxes and street numbers could be inconspicuous and suggested the council confer with the fire and police departments before passing a permanent ban.

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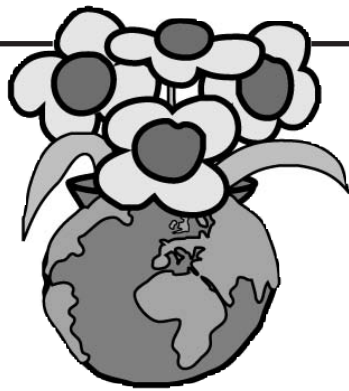
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## NEW RIG

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PBFD's new truck, which was specifically designed by the seven-member committee of engineers, captains and fire-fighters, will complement the engine and wildland patrol vehicle that make up the department's fleet.

Compared with its predecessor, it has a 5-foot shorter ladder of 75 feet, is slightly smaller even though it weighs more, carries 175 gallons more water in its 475-gallon tank, pumps water up the ladder at 500 gallons more per minute than the older truck's 1,000 gpm rate, and is easier to operate, according to Lopez.

While the truck's main purpose is for fighting conflagrations in buildings with more than one floor, it's equipped for everything.

"It will go to any and all types of emergencies that our engine would go to," he said. "But its special application

would be multistory fires."

**FEMA grant for Carmel truck?**

Meanwhile, the Carmel City Council decided Tuesday that the fire department could apply for a Federal Emergency Management Agency grant of \$531,487 for a new ladder truck, including taxes, delivery and grant writer fees. The city would contribute \$58,988 toward the total, which would cover the cost of replacing the city's semi-functional truck.

The city lacks the estimated \$7,200 to repair the old ladder, but acting CFD Chief Sidney Reade said Carmel stands a good chance of obtaining the federal tax dollars for a completely new truck.

"We have many older structures without sprinkler systems and buildings with more than three stories," including hotels often packed with tourists, she said in her report to the council. "This represents a challenge for fire protection. The Sunset Center is a perfect example that would [require] an aerial ladder truck for fire suppression."

While Reade has maintained that CFD's ability to respond to structure fires has not been compromised by the broken ladder because several nearby agencies with ladder trucks will respond within minutes, she said the city should take advantage of the opportunity to grab grant funds.

"We can get it [a ladder truck on scene at a fire] with mutual aid — that works really well — but the benefits of having our own are that it helps our insurance rating and allows us to be much more versatile with what we can do," she said.

The new truck became a possibility when FEMA announced ladder trucks would be among the equipment most likely to be funded in this year's Fire Act grants.

"So we have an excellent chance of getting an aerial ladder truck which we haven't had in the past," she told the council.

Although the cash-strapped city would have to find \$58,988 in matching funds, Reade said, "it would be a good bang for the buck, in my opinion."

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# ACCESS

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director of Monterey Bay Veterans, Inc. Sports Rehabilitation Center, which hosts the derby. In the past, participants from as far away as Michigan have converged on Breakwater Cove for the two-day event and competed for prizes donated by members of the community. This year's first prize, a vacation package, is worth more than \$3,000.

"Not only do they get out on the sea and see our beautiful marine sanctuary, but everyone also leaves with a welcoming gift," Whitacre said. Approximately 420 participants and volunteers have already signed up for the event, and he hopes community members who own boats will come forward between now and then to offer their use.

Jaimen Galindo, who has participated in the derby nearly since its inception, said at least 20 boats ranging from 18 to 40 feet volunteer for the event each year. Typically, wheelchairs are placed on deck and secured with straps. Depending on the conditions, the trips last from four to 11 hours as participants try to reel in the day's biggest salmon.

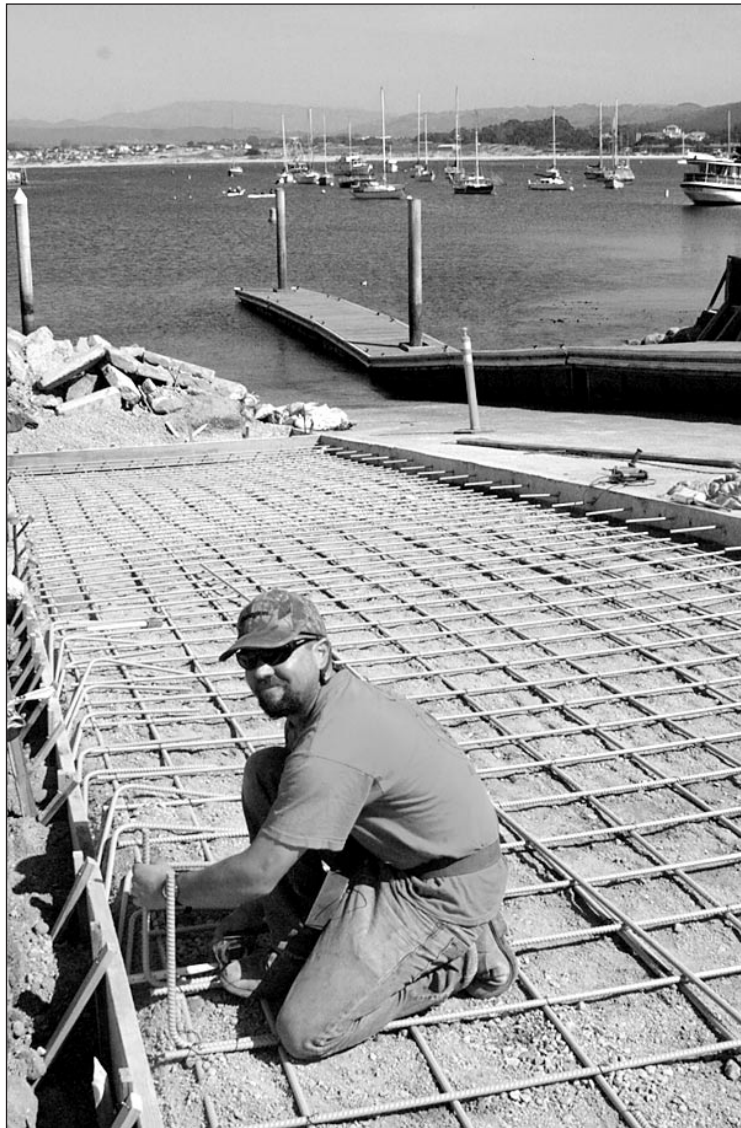
"It amazes me how, every year, the numbers keep growing and growing," he said. "And it's not just for veterans, it's for all people who have physical disabilities. People with disabilities can live a functional life — yeah, it's a pain in the butt, but we can do it."

Galindo, who works at the Naval Postgraduate School, has been in a wheelchair since 1985, when he lost the use of his legs after a motorcycle accident. He said the Salmon Derby gives him more confidence and pride, and the organization as a whole allows him to participate in activities that he otherwise never would be able to.

Among the boats that will launch that weekend is the Mariner, a 28-footer donated last year to the Monterey Bay Veterans by Carmel resident Yoshi Higashi, an 88-year-old retired U.S. Army lieutenant colonel who served in both World War II and the Korean War. The boat has been retrofitted with a side hatch and ramp, allowing wheelchairs to easily move on and off the deck, and special tie downs along the side to provide stability.

"I was getting kind of old for fishing, so I felt a donation to a veterans organization was a good thing to do," said Higashi, who had owned the boat since 1955.

Despite its name, Monterey Bay Veterans, Inc. is not solely for veterans, nor are its resources restricted for use only by



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Jason Graham of Associated Pacific Construction works on the steel reinforcement for the new ramp at Monterey Harbor.

those who fought in wars.

"It's open to all persons with disabilities, even quadriplegics," Whitacre said.

The organization was founded in 1987 by a wheelchair patient who was undergoing spinal-cord rehabilitation at a veteran's hospital in Palo Alto. After noticing depression among some of the other patients, he organized a day of salmon fishing in Monterey. Soon after, a volunteer commit-

tee was organized to make the Wheelchair Salmon Derby an annual event. Participation grew so much over the next year or two, Galindo said, that Monterey Bay Veterans, Inc. was formed to handle funding for the event.

Whitacre oversees the all-volunteer staff of the organization, which has received recognition through both the Disabled American Veterans national organization and a 30-minute special televised on the Bravo channel.

The rehab center also provides services to the physically challenged at major events, including all races at Laguna Seca, the California International Air Show, Spirit West Coast, the AT&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am and the Pebble Beach Concours d' Elegance.

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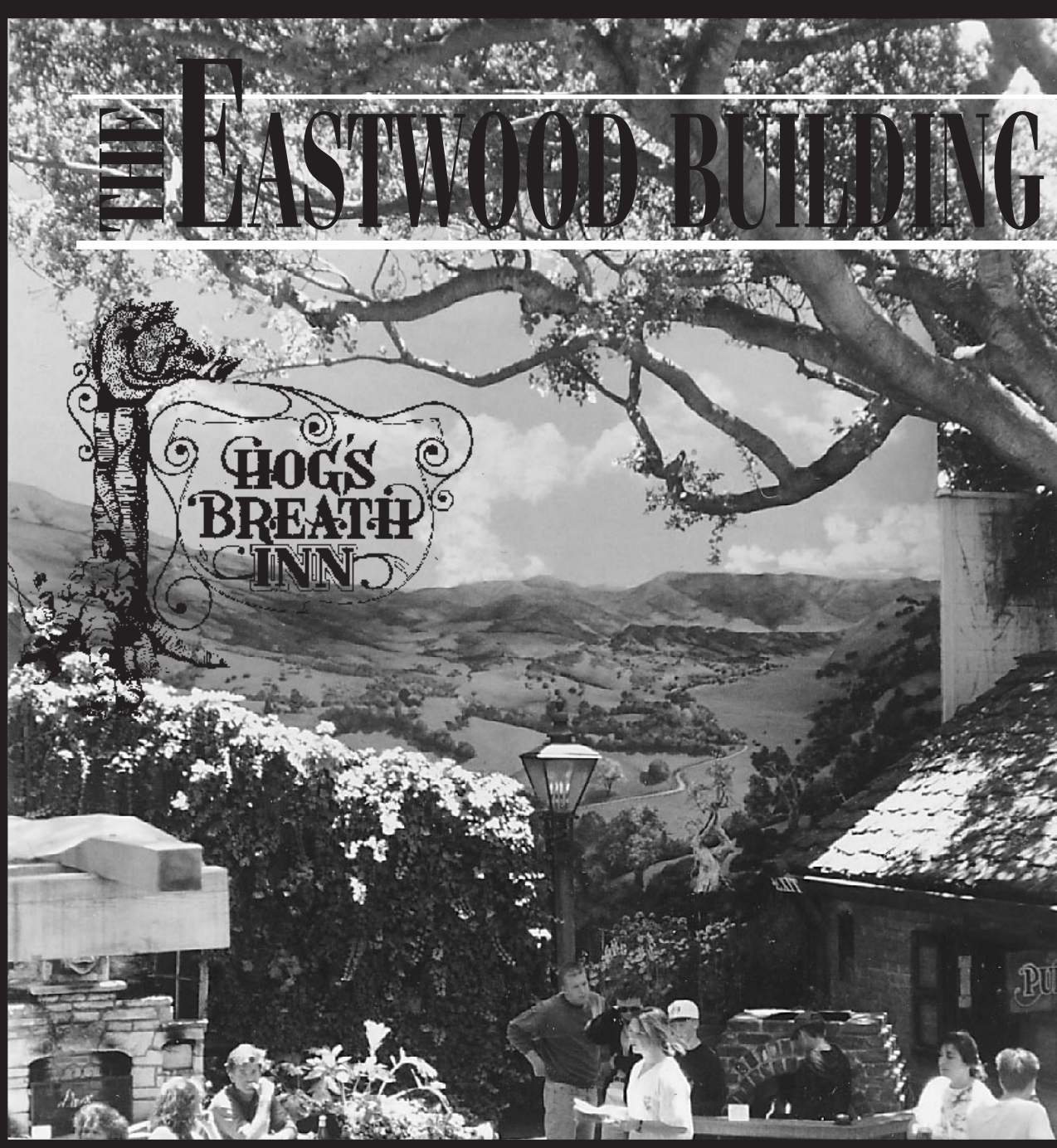
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# Sandy Claws

By Margot Petit Nichols

**N**ELLIE CHENEY, 1-1/2, a smooth collie, looks back accusingly, from the Scenic walking path, at the sea that has just betrayed her. A few minutes before on the beach, spying sandpipers on a sandbar, Nellie dashed into the receding surf on what she thought was solid sand, only to drop off a shelf into a 3-foot-deep ditch of briny blue. Imagine her shock as she was introduced to the ocean for the first time in such a rude

manner.

Not only was she soaked, but when she was able to scramble back to *sanda firma*, her beautiful tricolor coat was full of that gritty white stuff for which Carmel Beach is so justly renowned.

Nellie is visiting the Carmel home of grandparents Maureen and Robert Alameda from her home in Salt Lake City, accompanied by Mom Mary, Dad Scott, brother Sam, 14, and sisters

Grace, 10, and Maura, who will be six in May.

A stranger on the beach until a few days ago, Nellie has already met and been welcomed by many local beach dogs, and is feeling right at home.

Usually not one to get in trouble, Nellie found herself in a pickle back home not too long ago — through no

fault of her own. After all, the six pork chops cooling in a pan on the kitchen counter had no Keep Off sign, and were left unguarded. It was a find almost too good to be true, as that sort of discovery often is, and if the rest of the family had to have a makeshift dinner, well, c'est la vie.

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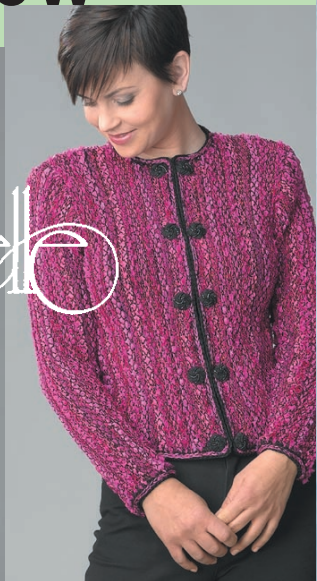
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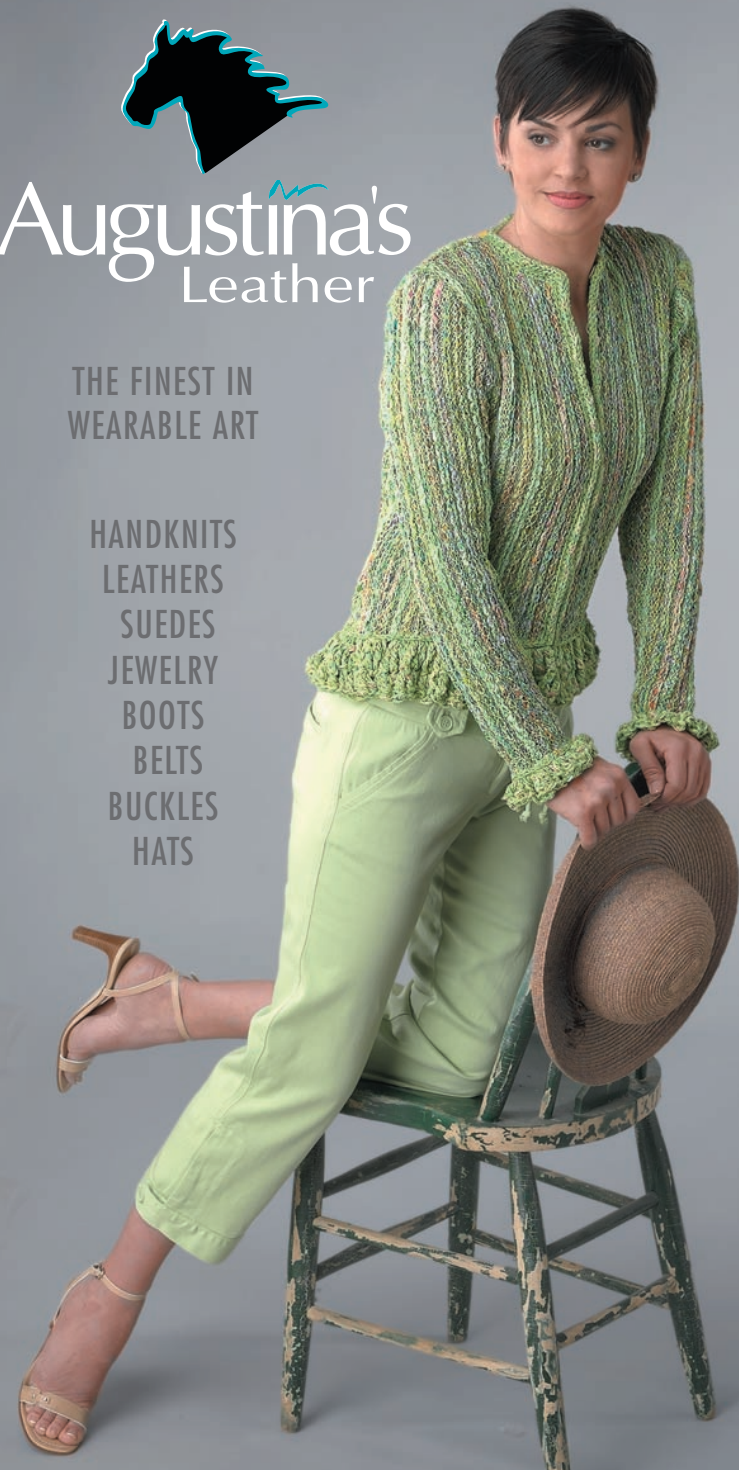
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# DELAY

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posed to consider and suggested a postponement to April 29. But she said members of the public who attended the hearing would still be allowed to offer their opinions on the Pebble Beach plan. And they did.

"We support the new proposal because it caps development in Pebble Beach," said Paul Woudenberg, president of the Del Monte Forest Foundation, which would gain control of hundreds of acres of Monterey pine forest owned by the P.B. Co. "I don't like to see trees cut. But this will end development in Pebble Beach, so we can preserve everything we have."

Ted Hunter, a 20-year resident of Del Monte Forest who has spearheaded opposition to the P.B. Co. plan, said he would let others object to its particulars. "What I object to is the scheduling of the hearings," Hunter said. "How can you make informed decisions without a final EIR, and without the neces-

# CAVIEZEL

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ence, said, "For me, it was huge."

Also in the crowd was film star Malcolm MacDowell, who plays Atlanta Journal sportswriter O.B. Keeler — a key Jones advisor, especially during the golfer's struggle to overcome his illness and his explosive temper.

First Tee will host its inaugural Open this fall, pairing top pros with amateur boys and girls from around the country at Bayonet Golf Course and the Pebble Beach Golf Links. So far, Tom Watson, Hale Irwin, Ben Crenshaw, Peter Jacobsen and other top pros have agreed to play.

Amateurs will begin qualifying rounds in Sacramento, Chicago, Austin, Philadelphia and Atlanta in June. The First Tee Open, which officials hope will raise \$1 million a year for the charity, will take place Sept. 3-5.

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sary changes to the county's general plan?"

In November 2000, voters approved Measure A, sponsored by the P.B. Co., which rezoned property in Del Monte Forest to make the company's development plan possible. But Measure A won't take effect unless the California Coastal Commission accepts it. The commission's staff has already moved to stop the new golf course, and Hunter doesn't want the county to process a permit for the course until the commission has had more time to review Measure A, something coastal commission officials have also asked for — presumably to try to stop the project in its tracks.

"This entire proposal is based on Measure A, which the coastal commission can chop up and grind up and do whatever they want," said committee member Jim McPharlin.

"I and many other taxpaying property owners join [the coastal commission staff] in calling for the county to take action on Measure A now," Hunter said.

But senior planner Jeff Main said it was standard procedure to process zoning changes and projects relying on them simultaneously. Also, the county has no further action to take on Measure A, which was OK'd by 64 percent of voters countywide, and almost 70 percent in Pebble Beach.

"As far as the county is concerned, Measure A has already been approved," Main said.

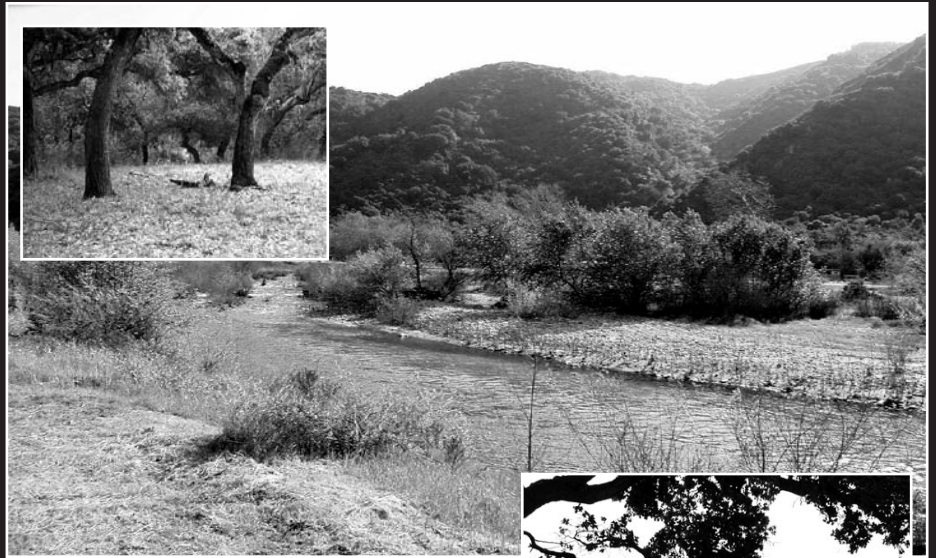
At the end of the public hearing, Alan Williams, retained by the P.B. Co. to see its proposal through the permit process, noted that seven people spoke in favor and three against.

"That's about the same proportion we had approving Measure A," he said.

He also noted that, while the comments on the EIR were voluminous — a single letter from activist David Dilworth ran more than 500,000 words — the number of letters was down to 80 for this EIR from more than 300 for the EIR on the previous development plan.

"I think that shows that we're doing what the public wants us to — reducing development and preserving open space," Williams said.

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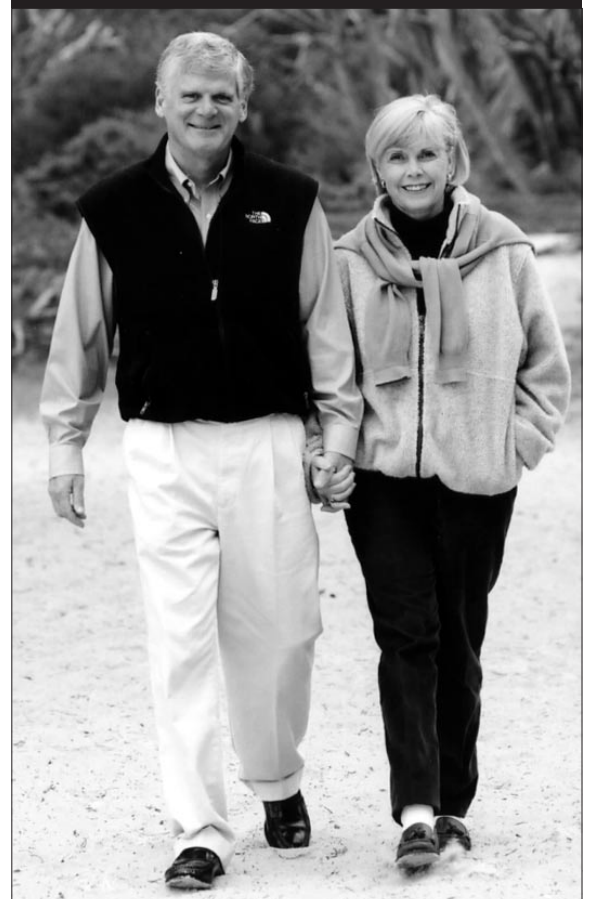
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**CHEF MARK AYERS**, who has come, by an unusual route, to be executive chef of **Pacific's Edge** restaurant at the

**Park Hyatt Carmel Highlands Inn**, took over on an emergency basis after former Chef de Cuisine **Rick Edge** departed for Club XIX at The Lodge at Pebble Beach just weeks before The Masters of Food & Wine extravaganza at Highlands. Ayers, before that, reigned as executive chef for the entire hotel — including the California Market restaurant, off-site catering and banquets, and food events in the Fireside Lounge, Lobos Lounge and of course Pacific's Edge. Now Ayers has decided not to replace Edge, but to take on that responsibility himself — along with all of his previous duties. The view restaurant to end all view restaurants, it's not for nothing it's called Pacific's Edge.

**MAX'S GRILL**, 209 Forest Ave., Pacific Grove, is having a **First Anniversary Party** at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 20. Guests will enjoy menu samplings and will be eligible for prize drawings, such as free dinners. RSVP for this celebratory event by April 16 by calling Kate at 422-2788 or e-mail [kate@maxgrill.com](mailto:kate@maxgrill.com). Max, as you might know, was chef of Maxim's of Paris in Tokyo for 15 years, was first place winner of the 1984 International Les Toques Blanches in Tokyo,

and has received many other high honors.

**BAUM & BLUME**, that tiny but oh-so-creative catering biz and restaurant run by the talented members of the **Wenzler family** in Carmel Valley Village, will be creating not only an **Easter breakfast** from 8 a.m. until noon, but an **Easter brunch**, as well, from noon until 3 p.m. Both will take place in the country garden pavilion at 4 El Caminito Road. Call 659-0400 for reservations.

FROM A fine vantage point at the sliding windows of **Café Ariana** in Pacific Grove's Holman Building on Lighthouse we watched the passing scene Sunday afternoon, the final day of The Good Old Days event. And you thought Carmel had a plethora of dogs! Dozens of canines and their moms and dads passed by, all delighted to be in on the outing and among the passing throng. We're going to give a plug here for Ariana's — the most **authentically Italian coffee house around**. Their espressos are so good, no cream or sugar are needed. Real Italian *panini* (sandwiches) are toasted in an Italian *macchina da panini* with highest quality ingredients. Italian sodas and Torani fruit syrups are all here. And lots of local Italians.

HERE'S A HEADS-UP for a May 21 event at **La Playa Hotel**: **Six women in the wine industry** will be feted with a six course dinner paired to six wines (from their respective wineries) at a \$100 *prix fixe* evening affair beginning at 5:30 p.m. The **Terrace Grill's** executive chef, **Bunyan Fortune**, has planned the six course repast beginning with a *mélange à trois* of wild strawberry *gelée* and ending with an apricot-chèvre tart. The wine women are **Louisa Sawyer Lindquist** of Verdad Wineries; **Karen Work**, Work Vineyards; **Lane Tanner** of Lane Tanner Winery; **Delia Viader**, Viader Winery; **Carissa Chappellet** of Chappellet Winery, and **Genevieve Janssens** from Robert Mondavi winery. Reservations: 624-6476. La Playa Hotel is located at Camino Real and Eighth, Carmel-by-the-Sea.

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# Food & Fine

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THIS COMES under the heading of OOPS. We erroneously wrote that the **Pasta Palate** at San Carlos and Eighth, Carmel-by-the-Sea, is giving a free second package of pasta or ravioli with the initial purchase of same through March 31. **That should have read MAY 31.**

**BILLY QUON OF BAHAMA BILLY'S** has taken over the space adjacent to the Thunderbird Bookshop in the Barnyard Shopping Village — the very space that was formerly the bookshop café and patio atrium — and will be opening a restaurant there late in October. It will be remodeled by architect **Wayne Iverson**. The restaurant will be named **Bixby-Martini Bistro** with a retro ambiance. Bill is still defining the menu, which will be a lighter style than that of Bahama Billy's, such as Oysters Rockefeller, fresh items from the display ovens, eight gourmet pizzas, salads, pastas and specialty items such as prime rib and planked salmon — all at "popular prices," according to Bill. The atrium will be the main dining area. A double-door entrance will be created from a balcony to the left of the Thunderbird front door. A bar and lounge area will be added. Interior designer **Tracy Manning**, responsible for Bahama Billy's decor, will create a whole new feeling for Bixby with glass, metal, rock and wood suitable for a restaurant at the gateway to Big Sur.

PUT THIS ON YOUR CALENDAR: The **Entre Nous Society** of Salinas will hold its annual **Culinary Classic** from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, April 24 at the Salinas Community Center, 940 N. Main St., with tickets going for \$10. It will be a day long event of cooking demos by local celeb chefs and a marketplace of exotic foods and culinary instruments. The preceding evening from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday, April 23, a **gala preview dinner party** will be held. Tickets are \$50 per person. Call 678-3164 for reservations. Both events benefit local charities.

**CHRISTOPHER'S ON LINCOLN** will have a soft opening sometime around the middle of next week, and definitely before that weekend. **Chef/Owner Chris Caul** says to look for favorites he used to prepare when he was chef of the Corkscrew Cafe in Carmel Valley Village and Giulliano's in Carmel-by-the-Sea. Christopher's is on Lincoln between Fifth and Sixth and was, in other incarnations, Sans Souci, Lincoln Court, and more recently, Wagner's. Call 626-8000.

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**PARAISO VINEYARDS** of Soledad, will participate in the second annual **Relay for Life fundraiser** by donating 10 percent of its tasting room and home and garden boutique proceeds through the month of June. The actual relay will be held at Hartnell College overnight from Saturday to Sunday June 5 and 6 with teams of walkers and runners raising money and celebrating survivorship of those with cancer and in remembrance of those who have lost their lives to that disease.

**CHEF ROY YAMAGUCHI** of **Roy's at Pebble Beach** is planning a spring festival **cooking demo and four-course al fresco spring luncheon** in the herb garden in front of The Inn at Spanish Bay Thursday, April 15 — *weather permitting*. The luncheon and demo will be limited to 30 people and will cost \$100 per person plus tip and tax. A signed copy of Chef Roy's cook book, "**Hawaii Cooks**," and a fresh flower lei will be included.

Also at Roy's on Thursday, April 15, a **dinner featuring Georis Winery**, and Friday, April 16, a **dinner showcasing Morgan Winery**. These two dinners are \$55 each plus tax and gratuity and \$90 with wine. Reservations: 625-8557.

**MOTHER'S DAY TEA** at the kitchens of **Eddison and Melrose** will take place from 2 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, May 8. Bring your mom or best friend to enjoy dainty tea sandwiches and sweets with a selection of fine English teas. Chef/owner **Karen Anne Murray** says to come and "learn about this calming ritual and incorporate it into your afternoons." Cost is \$25 per person. RSVP at 393-9479 or 373-3953. Location: 354 Orange Ave., off Contra Costa, in Sand City.

**THE THREE FLAGS Restaurant** at the Monterey Marriott, 350 Calle Principal, has a new luncheon menu with 20th

anniversary specials, according to **Jay Ibarolle**, director of sales and marketing. **Chef Juan Bautis** says a **complimentary slice of birthday cake** will be given to all those lunching at the Three Flags who ask for it. The restaurant is open for breakfast and lunch only, from 6:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. daily.

**LOTS OF EASTER BRUNCHES** at local restaurants, are in the offing, some with special pricing: **Fandango** in Pacific Grove; **Casa Munras** in Monterey; **Pacific's Edge at Park Hyatt Carmel Highlands Inn**; **La Playa Hotel's Terrace Grill**, Carmel-by-the-Sea; **Baum & Blume**, Carmel Valley Village; **DoubleTree Hotel**, Monterey; **Rancho Cañada**, Carmel Valley; **Monterey Plaza Hotel**, Cannery Row, Monterey; **Anton & Michel**, Carmel-by-the-Sea; and ever so many more. Call your favorite restaurant to ask if it's open on Easter Sunday — and be sure to make reservations.

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# SPARKS

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“What we need for police and fire is a good working GPS system which would allow daytime and nighttime location of residences in time of need,” Ely said. He sup-

ported Livingston.

Hazdovac said street addresses could be necessary if the city can no longer afford its own ambulance service.

“I’m concerned with public safety,” she said. “I don’t think this is a good idea.”

McCloud wondered if people would be prohibited from placing signs noting their

addresses, such as “Six southwest of Seventh” outside their homes, but Livingston accused her of trying to cloud the issue and other council members of making a “vanilla” proposal controversial.

“This is a defining moment. Does this council want to keep Carmel a unique village or lose that and become like any other place?” she asked. “It’s time for this council to stand up for Carmel-by-the-Sea. It’s not a controversial issue, and you’re trying hard to deny this because you are politically opposed to me and are making personal and political statements.”

City attorney Don Freeman advised the council members that whatever local law they pass, federal law would outweigh it.

“If the postal service decides it wants to provide mail delivery, there’s nothing we can do to stop them,” he said.

Ultimately, the proposal to ban mailboxes and street addresses failed, with the council voting 2-3 on a pair of motions to either hold a public forum — proposed by McCloud but opposed by Ely and Livingston, who said it was going to be “discussed to death” — or move the matter forward.

### Water bill debate

Livingston also asked the council to weigh in on State Senator Bruce McPherson’s proposed legislation to replace the members of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District board of directors with the mayors of six Peninsula cities and a county supervisor. SB 149, which died in committee last year but has been resurrected, would also end the requirement that voters approve any water project and would supply a weighted vote — based on population — on a matter if requested by a board member.

Livingston called for a public hearing. “Council should receive comments from the public in open session and then vote whether they approve or disapprove of the changes,” she said.

McCloud said McPherson plans to meet with members of the water district board and some of the mayors next week and asked the council to delay any discussion about a pub-

*‘It’s not a controversial issue, and you’re trying hard to deny this because you are politically opposed to me and are making personal and political statements.’*

— Barbara Livingston

lic hearing until then.

“We need to be sure of what target we’re shooting at,” she said.

Larry Rodocker of the CRA urged the council to oppose McPherson’s bill.

“Disenfranchising the people who live and work in the district can have nothing but bad results,” he said. And with a weighted vote, the small city of Carmel would have “little or no influence.”

Water board director Judi Lehman said the board’s majority opposes the bill.

The council voted 4-1 to discuss the matter at a later date, with Rose dissenting.

### Election Day details

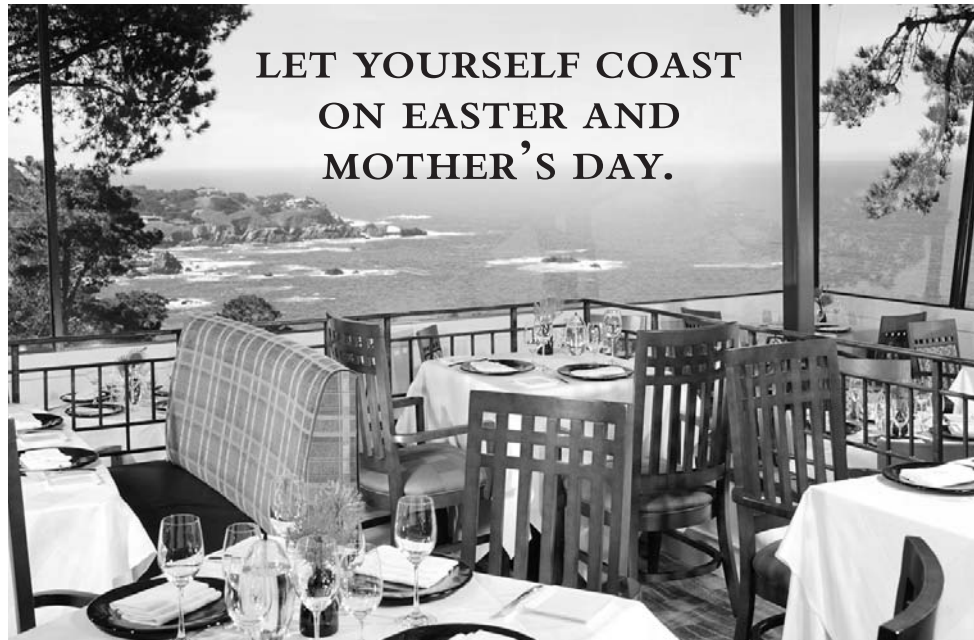
The April 6 meeting marked the last for Livingston, who after 12 years opted not to run again. Following the April 13 election, either Ely or McCloud will also be out of office.

The polls will be open Tuesday from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the park branch of the library and Sunset Center.

City hall’s traditional election night festivities begin at 7:30 p.m. with absentee ballot results announced at 8 p.m. So far, of the 1,270 absentee ballots mailed out to Carmel voters, 785 have been returned, according to the Monterey County Elections Department. The results will be televised live on KMST cable channel 26 at 8 p.m. and 45 seconds.

The two new council members and mayor will be sworn in at a ceremony April 20 at 3 p.m. in city council chambers, and Livingston will receive her official thanks from the city that afternoon as well.

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Yellow Yukon and Baked Yam Salad with  
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To give credit where it is due, both mayoral candidates have mentioned this problem, without offering suggestions, and an “Ad Hoc” committee was organized in November of 2003 to study the potential ways to increase revenues. However, here we are six months later with no recommendations to either discuss or act upon!

Regardless who is elected to the posts of Mayor and City Council (and we have, without exception a bevy of highly qualified people in the race) it is my sincere hope that they will, once the election is over, address this issue with the same single-mindedness that was exhibited in the rebuilding of Sunset Center and the Costal plan. Make no mistake; this can become a huge problem unless it is fixed and NOW.

Thank you for taking the time to listen to me at various forums. My purpose in entering this race was to put problems and potential solutions on the table and indicate that I was willing to contribute my skills in helping Carmel work it’s way through these challenges. I have made that commitment and on April 13 it’s time to go about the peoples’ business!

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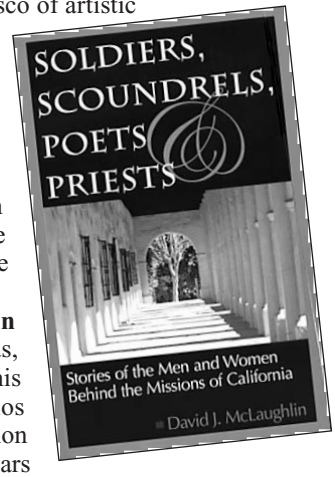
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The boy was **Henry John Downie**, Harry to his friends, who grew up to dedicate his life to restoring San Carlos Borromeo de Carmelo Mission — a project that took 50 years — while leading the drive to save nine other of Father



Junipero Serra's California mission treasures.

The soon-to-be-released book, *"Soldiers, Scoundrels, Poets and Priests"* by **David J. McLaughlin** contains stories of the men and women who developed the missions — the Spanish, the Mexicans and the Americans — who each have 10 chapters devoted to them. Each is concisely written over five of six pages, which allows the reader a quick overview of the key players in the mission drama as a major part of California history from 1542 to 1980, the year Downie died. Included in these notables are **Cabrillo, Portola, Serra, Estanislao, Vallejo, Hartnell, Pio Pico and Fremont, Lummis, Helen Hunt Jackson and William Randolph Hearst.**

## The Bookshelf

By **MARGOT PETIT NICHOLS**



Downie's chapter is one of 30, each devoted to men and women in some way connected to the missions. But Downie is given the honor of being presented in the last chapter — *the pièce de résistance*. **Jo Mora** — our own Carmel artist who created the sculptured sarcophagus of Junipero Serra at Mission Carmel — precedes Downie in Chapter 29.

This is a highly readable book, well researched and written by author **David J. McLaughlin** who gives credit to Monterey's **Pat Hathaway** and his extensive collection of historic photos, many of which appear in the book.

A California Missions timeline/map is also included. The 255-page softcover is published by Pentacle Press, P.O. Box 9400, Scottsdale, Ariz. 85252. It will be released about June 1 in Borders, Barnes & Noble and other chains and most of the independents. In the interim the book is available for \$17.95 online at [www.missionscalifornia.com](http://www.missionscalifornia.com). The author will be signing books on the Peninsula this summer. Dates and bookstores will be announced in this column.

**FRANCES PAYNE ADLER** and **Tilly Shaw**, both poets, will read from their respective works at 7 tonight, Friday, April 9 at the Thunderbird Bookshop's new location for readings: Directly opposite From Scratch restaurant, which is down the steps to the right of the Thunderbird. Adler is the author of two poetry collections and won a National Endowment for the Arts Regional Award. She is founder and director of the creative writing and social action program of CSUMB. Tilly Shaw helped found the Santa Cruz campus of the University of California in the '60s, and earned a doctorate in comparative literature at Yale University. She has pub-

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# 'Pirates' offers rollicking good time at Wharf Theater

By K. K. ROBINSON

**FIRST**, A disclaimer: When one was raised on Gilbert & Sullivan, expectations run high. Second, a clarification: Although shows at The Wharf Theater are billed as "community theater," this production belies the term. The superb voices, solid staging and experienced performances result in a rollicking good time for actors and audience alike.

## theater review

The energy and enthusiasm of this company of pirates, policemen and Victorian maidens pour across the footlights. Strong, lyrical voices project one fondly remembered musical number after another with clarity, and without any need for amplification.

The difficulty of performing Gilbert and Sullivan is well known. Their "comic operas" were the bridge between opera and musical comedy. The sheer musicality of this well-rehearsed ensemble is impressive. And, how very delightful to be able to hear every word without the whine of microphones gone awry.

Nancy Williams (Mabel), Tony Brunke (the Pirate King) and Jeff Wahl (Frederic) electrify the stage with their presence. Their performances are replete with vocal prowess, acting ability and graceful movement. The duets and trios sparkle with wit as these well-defined personalities joust for position.

Gina Welch-Hagen ably directed the large cast using every inch of the stage and parts of the house as well. Tracey Salbacka designed (and made) the wonderful costumes, doubling as stage manager during the show. In fact, many of the roles are double-cast to expose audiences to the plethora of talent in this theater troupe.

In the performance we attended Kathy Cusson (Ruth), Bleu Copas (the Police Sergeant), Michael Maisonneave (Samuel), Jonathon Hayden (George), Hillary Salbacka (Kate) and Jen Hunsaker (Edith) gave strong

support in their roles. Both the men's and women's chorus members contribute substantially to the fine renditions of musical numbers. Their presumed hours of rehearsal pay off handsomely, especially during the difficult a capella song. The lusty pirates strut around brandishing their swords, while the twittering maidens do their best to appear interested in talking about the weather while Mabel and Frederic are carrying on behind a giant, movable rock.

Musical Director Desma Johnsen should be given fullsome credit for the terrific articulation of Gilbert's famously difficult lyrics and the beautiful vocalizations of Sullivan's operatic range of music. She also provides the excellent keyboard accompaniment, driving the large group numbers forward while sensitively responding to the varied needs of the soloists. She is ably assisted by Kristen Cusson on trumpet and Erin Wahl on flute.

This production is a family affair with multiple family members appearing on stage, back stage, and on the production crew. The program's list of credits evidences the enormous wealth of experience enjoyed by this company. It is special, also, to discover the extent of the local military community's involvement with this theater. Kudos to producer Angelo DiGiralamo for mounting this show.

Fisherman's Wharf is not just a place for tourists. This month, do yourself a favor. Take yourself to dinner and the theater. More than 125 years old, this "comic opera" uproariously lives on. It's not high art; it's just a lot of fun. Bring the family.

**WHAT:** "The Pirates of Penzance" by Gilbert and Sullivan

**WHEN:** 8:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays; 3:30 p.m. Sundays through May 9

**WHERE:** Wharf Theater, Fisherman's Wharf No. 1, Monterey

**COST:** \$20 adults; \$10 children 12 and under

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be provided at the church on Monte Verde between Fifth and Sixth, Carmel. Information: 624-3631.

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2004. Publication dates: March 26, April 2, 9, 16, 2004. (PC 321)

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.** To Whom It May Concern: The Name of the Applicant is: **SOUTHERN LATITUDES WINES LLC**. The applicants listed above are applying to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to sell alcoholic beverages at: **Lincoln btwn Sixth & Ocean WS Carmel, CA 93921**. Type of license: **20 - Off-Sale Beer and Wine 42 - On-Sale Beer and Wine-Public Premises**. Date of Filing Application: March 19, 2004. Publication dates: March 26, April 2, 9, 2004. (PC322).

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE** of **ANDREW DANIEL** Case Number MP 17056. To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of **ANDREW DANIEL**. A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by **LINDA HOLOVITS** and **ZOLTAN SPAITS** in the Superior Court of California, County of **MONTEREY**. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that **LINDA HOLOVITS** and **ZOLTAN SPAITS** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates

Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on April 30, 2004 at 10:30 a.m., Dept.: Probate, in the Superior Court of California, County of Monterey, 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Attorney for petitioner **JOHN R.**

**JOYCE, ATTORNEY AT LAW**, 2600 Garden Road, Suite 360, Monterey, CA 93940. (831) 373-2722. (s) Linda Holovits and Zoltan Spait, Petitioners. Publication dates: March 26, April 2, 9, 2004. (PC323)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT** File No. 20040695. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **AP MORTGAGE**, 26050 Mureau Road, Suite 101, Calabasas, CA 91302. **COUNTRYWIDE MORTGAGE VENTURES, LLC**, Organized in the State of Delaware, 26050 Mureau Road, Suite 101, Calabasas, CA 91302. This business is conducted by a limited liability company. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: n/a. (s) Tanya Schneider, Assistant Secretary of Countrywide Mortgage Ventures, LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 22, 2004. Publication dates: April 2, 9, 16, 23, 2004. (PC 402)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT** File No. 20040725. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **KIMBERLY PLACE APARTMENTS**, 300 Glenwood Circle, Monterey, CA 93940. Full name of Registrant: **KIMBERLY PLACE 212, LLC**, CALIFORNIA, 8320 E. Hartford Dr., Ste. 101, Scottsdale, AZ 85155. **LYON KIMBERLY PLACE, LLC**, CALIFORNIA, 4901 Birch Street, Newport Beach, CA 52660. **WOLFF KIMBERLY PLACE, LLC**, CALIFORNIA, 8320 E. Hartford Dr. Ste. 101, Scottsdale, AZ 85255. **WOLFF KIMBERLY PLACE 11, LLC**, CALIFORNIA, 8320 E. Hartford Dr. Ste. 101, Scottsdale, AZ 85255. This business is conducted by co-tenants, a limited liability company.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: Feb. 26, 2004. (s) Frank T. Suryan, Jr., First Authorized Agent. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 24, 2004. Publication dates: April 2, 9, 16, 23, 2004. (PC 403)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE** of **PAULA LEE MULLEN** Case Number MP 17070. To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of **PAULA LEE MULLEN, PAULA L. MULLEN**. A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by **PAULA R. MAC ALPINE** in the Superior Court of California, County of **MONTEREY**. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that **PAULA R. MAC ALPINE** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an

interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on April 30, 2004 at 10:30 a.m., Dept.: Probate, in the Superior Court of California, County of Monterey, 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Petitioner **THOMAS HART HAWLEY, P.O. Box 805, Carmel, CA 93921. (831) 624-5339. (s) THOMAS HART HAWLEY, Attorney for Petitioner.** This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 1, 2004. Publication dates: April 9, 16, 23, 2004. (PC404)

# BOOKSHELF

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lished two books, "Family" and "Swimming to Shore."

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**WHAT:** Performance Carmel presents The Reduced Shakespeare Company's "All the Great Books (Abridged)."  
**WHEN:** 8 p.m. Saturday, April 10  
**WHERE:** Sunset Theater, San Carlos at Ninth, Carmel-by-the-Sea  
**COST:** \$27  
**INFO/RESERVATIONS:** 620-2040

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# WHAT'S HAPPENING

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April 16. Pre-sale tickets are \$5 at the door or in advance at the church office. Details: 624-3550.

**BREAKFAST WITH THE BUNNY and EGGSTRAVAGANZA** return for the eighth year to Devendorf Park, Ocean and

Junipero, Carmel-by-the-Sea. This is not an Easter egg hunt, but rather a pancake breakfast with all the trimmings followed by children's visits to "Eggland," where they will enjoy cookie decorating, carnival games, face painting, music and pictures with the Bunny. Hours are 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday, April 10. The event is co-sponsored by the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea Community Activities and Recreation Division and the Carmel Host Lions Club. Join the Lions and Mr. Bunny for breakfast, which will include a prize drawing for a

bicycle. Cost is \$3 for children 12 and under, \$6 for adults and \$15 for a family of four with each additional person \$3. A "Passport to Eggland" may be purchased for \$5. Details: 620-2020.

**HELP ABUSED CHILDREN. CASA OF MONTEREY COUNTY** will host information sessions and volunteer advocacy for abused and neglected children. Meet 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 14 at Starbucks, Del Rey Oaks, or Wednesday, April 28 at Starbucks on Alvarado Street,

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**THE ORIENTAL ART SOCIETY OF THE MONTEREY PENINSULA** will meet Tuesday, April 13 at the community room of The Crossroads, Rio Road off Highway 1, Carmel. The Monterey Bay Chapter of Ikebana International will present a program on traditional Oriental flower arranging. Attendees are encouraged to bring an Oriental container (bowl, teapot, basket, etc.) plus a few flowers and some greenery

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# How to 'better manage Highway 1 in a community-sensitive manner'

By AILEEN LOE, Caltrans CHMP  
DAVE POTTER, District 5 Supervisor

QUESTIONS ARISING over the Coast Highway Management Plan's (CHMP) regulatory nature in a recent Carmel Pine Cone

article need to remain in context of the plan's purpose and origins.

In the aftermath of the severe storms of 1998 and crisis-driven decisions on recurring events, Caltrans sought an avenue to improve decision making in support of re-

opening the highway expeditiously and responsibly.

In administering the Scenic Byways program, the Federal Highway Administration acknowledges the need to update and revise Corridor Management Plans (CMPs) in response to local needs and changing conditions. The Scenic Byways program is not a regulatory program, nor is the CHMP a regulatory document.

Caltrans took the opportunity to launch the innovative planning effort as a revision to the 1996 CMP. The CMP is not a mandated plan; it responds to local needs. Early in the planning process, the public raised many issues related to the highway: storm damage response and repair, maintenance, scenic and habitat conservation and public access and recreation. Considering all of these issues demanded a broad review of the corridor.

The term "corridor" has also brought wide debate. Establishing a beginning and end point along the length of the highway is easy — the Carmel River in Monterey County and San Carpofo Creek in San Luis Obispo County correspond to where the highway transitions onto the slopes of the Santa Lucia Mountains. From a standpoint of width, the highway right-of-way generally occupies an 80-foot-wide strip of coastal territory. Nevertheless, the highway both influences and is influenced by activities and conditions above and below the roadway.

From the standpoint of landslides and debris flows, coastal watersheds provide a logical geographic reference point. This reference point has no relation to the jurisdiction exercised by regulatory agencies and Caltrans has no authority outside the highway right-of-way.

The width of the corridor is considered at best to be elastic when it comes to how features along the highway are managed. The CHMP places an emphasis on reducing visual clutter, such as unnecessary signs and additional roadside features. Caltrans has stepped up to the plate to identify means through which it can help reduce clutter in the right-of-way. It's up to the community to identify ways to do the same.

Given that the CHMP was intended to respond to local needs, it was important that the process to develop the plan was inclusive. The 18-member steering committee was formed by volunteers from a large group of stakeholders. Six represent local interests; four are locally elected officials, and the

remaining eight represent local, state and federal agencies.

The efforts to engage input didn't stop with the steering committee. A series of working groups open to stakeholders convened on the issue-based themes. Public meetings were held at four major milestones during the planning process and regular updates were provided at the quarterly meetings of the Big Sur Multi-Agency Advisory Council. In all, nine public meetings and over 30 working group sessions were held. The steering committee met on over 20 occasions to review results of the working groups and provide input and direction to the overall development of the plan.

Private property rights has been another concern. The CHMP has no influence over private property. The CHMP reflects the community's sensitivity to the conversion of private land into public holdings. However, the broader trend is beyond the purview of the CHMP and is more aptly governed by the county's general plan.

The bottom line is that Caltrans' primary objective is maintaining and operating the priceless Highway 1 corridor in a community-sensitive manner. The CHMP will allow us and our partners to do just that.

## Commentary

### Maria Murray to lead Chamber of Commerce

MARIA MURRAY has plenty of time to prepare for her leadership role at the Carmel Chamber of Commerce. She has been named its next president, but she won't take over from Tom Williams until 2005.

Murray runs Buon Giorno Bakery and Café on Junipero and 6th Avenue. She brings that experience to the chamber, as well as 23 years in retail management, eight of those as an executive with Saks Fifth Avenue.

Other board members who will lead the chamber next year are Michael Adamson of Monterey County Bank, Billy DiMonaco of Pitzer's of Carmel, Judy Higgerson of Country Home Care and David Bernahl of Pacific Tweed.

The Carmel Chamber enrolled a record membership in 2004, under the leadership of Williams, co-owner of Hale-Williams Interiors. All are invited to the next chamber mixer April 14 at Pacific Tweed in the Crossroads Shopping Village from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Call 624-2522 for details.

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# SPCA ADVISES AGAINST LIVE EASTER PETS

By KIMBERLY WHITE

THE SPCA of Monterey County is asking people to refrain from giving rabbits, chicks, ducks and other popular pets as presents this Easter, saying that recipients often are not able to provide the animals with good homes.

In the days and weeks following Easter each year, humane societies and animal shelters across the country find themselves taking in thousands of unwanted pets.

"The year that really stands out is the year we received 97 ducklings," said Lisa

Hoefler, community outreach director of the SPCA of Monterey County. "Some people purchased 100 ducklings prior to Easter and planned to sell them for a profit. Well, they only sold three."

The nonprofit housed them for several weeks at its wildlife center while trying to find them homes. Fortunately, a couple of landowners in Paso Robles with ponds on their properties agreed to take them all in.

Unfortunately, this is not always the case. "People will bring in an animal that's been injured as the result of being in a home where a child unintentionally hurt it," Hoefler said, explaining that these baby animals are extremely fragile and can easily be injured. "In those cases, the animals have to be euthanized."

The organization, which won't allow any of its rabbits to be adopted out through the end of this week, suggests a stuffed animal is a better choice than a live animal when giving Easter presents.

"It happens every year without fail," Hoefler added. "If the recipient isn't prepared to take care of the animal, invariably it becomes a problem, and invariably it ends up at the SPCA."

For more information, call the SPCA at 373-2631 or 422-4721.

## Red Cross requests items for upcoming sale

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# Carmel Bach Festival launches search for new chief

By PAUL MILLER

THE BOARD of directors of the Carmel Bach Festival will meet Thursday to begin the process of choosing a successor for Willem Wijnbergen, the executive director for the past two and a half years who announced last week he will quit when his contract expires Sept. 1.

"After this summer's festival, Willem will return to Amsterdam," said Jack Buffington, president of the Bach Fest board. "He's helped guide the festival through some tough times, and I don't think we would have managed as well without him."

Wijnbergen, a former managing director of the Los Angeles Philharmonic who was credited with raising much of the funding for the impressive new Disney Concert Hall,

joined the Bach Fest in September 2001, when the festival was full of optimism.

"In those days, we were in a visionary, expansion mode and thought we'd be adding extra concerts and raising the festival to a whole new level," Buffington said.

When Wijnbergen was hired, the remodeling of Sunset Center was well underway and the Bach Fest had a comfortable, temporary home at the old Hotel Del Monte on the grounds of the Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey.

But security crackdowns after the Sept. 11 attacks put the Navy



Jack Buffington



Willem Wijnbergen

Amsterdam Muziektheater, includes supervising a staff of more than 100. The Carmel Bach Festival, with the opening night of this year's three-week festival set for July 17, has just four full-time employees.

Besides the executive director, artistic director Nana Faridany, finance manager and volunteer coordinator Elizabeth Pasquinelli, and ticket manager Karma Simons run the show.

"The three of them do a wonderful job and they're very key to the future of the organization," Buffington said.

The festival's top musicians, conductor Bruno Weill and violinist Elizabeth Wallfisch, are under contract through 2009.

The first step in choosing a new executive director for the Bach Fest will be to create a search committee at Thursday's meeting of the board of directors. The search committee will draw up a list of qualifications and begin "asking through the grapevine and advertising that the position is open," Buffington said. "As applications come in, we'll start interviewing applicants."

Buffington, chair of the Randell Equipment Company based in Woodlake, has been active in the Bach Fest since first volunteering in 1975. He became president of the festival board of directors Oct. 1, 2003.

property off limits — leaving Wijnbergen to deal with a host of unexpected challenges as soon as he arrived.

"We had no venue where we could sell as many tickets as we were used to, while costs were much higher, and that created some significant budget problems," Buffington recalled. Suddenly, Wijnbergen and the board were forced to undertake major belt-tightening and their plans to expand the Bach Fest, now in its 67th year, were put on hold.

"The job didn't turn out to be as big as anticipated when he was hired," Buffington said.

Wijnbergen's new position, managing director of the Dutch National Ballet and the



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## Esther Uhl Josí

Esther Uhl Josí, a former teacher, died March 9th in Marin County. She was preceded in death by her husband of 55 years, Byron Josí who died in 1992. Mrs. Josí was born in Logansport, Indiana. She attended Goucher College, Baltimore, and the Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley. She graduated from the University of Illinois and was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta and Mortar Board. She had a career in Washington, D.C. before settling in Berkeley, where she and her husband resided for thirty-eight years. She was co-founder and a teacher at the Early Childhood Center, a member of the Town & Gown Club, and council member of Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Josí lived in Carmel from 1968 to 1993 and then in Monterey until 2003. She was a long time committee chairman at Casa Amesti for the Monterey History & Art Association, past Docent Council chairman at the Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art. She was a member of Community Hospital Volunteers Auxiliary, Commodore Sloat Chapter of the D.A.R., the National Trust, Monterey Alumnae Panhellenic, the Carmel Foundation and Gentrain Society.

Mrs. Josí is survived by her daughter Catherine Josí Langer of Hartsdale, NY, her son Elliott Josí of Kentfield, seven grandchildren, three great grandchildren, and her sister Harriett Sutherland of London, Ontario. A family memorial service will be held this summer followed by interment in Logansport, Indiana. The family suggests that memorial contributions be made to:

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commissions from seven to five. I personally feel this was a slap in the face to public volunteerism.

Commissions are a pathway for the average non-elected citizen to participate in the city government process and give back to the community. Previous commissions participated in the interviewing process for city department heads and commission chairpersons were consulted on new appointments. Now all the authority of the city lies within the mayor and city administrator's office. I think it is time for a change. I hope you will join me in voting for Dick Ely.

Antonia Verleye, Carmel

## Selling wasn't policy

Dear Editor,

Mayor McCloud's continuing insistence that selling Flanders Mansion was intended by the City of Carmel from the moment it bought the Flanders property implies that this was city policy. That was not the case. Various individuals expressed, as a matter of opinion, the desire to sell the mansion. But the city council, of which I was a member, did not support the idea. In fact, as I recall, the proposal was rejected some time later when it came before the council formally.

Olof Dahlstrand, Carmel

## 'Class and dignity'

Dear Editor,

While I live in the county section of Carmel and am unable to vote, I very much consider Carmel my town and I am there to worship, shop, and enjoy the restaurants and galleries, library and lectures and our beautiful Sunset Center.

I watch and keep track of what goes on and have been and continue to be convinced that Sue McCloud deeply cares about Carmel and is always respectfully open to the concerns and input of the people, getting back to them on issues and open even to the point of allowing her home phone number published for access. That is dedication. Her

run for a third term is typically handled with class and dignity.

I would like to see her able to complete the projects on which she has already tirelessly worked. We are aware she is on a first-name basis with the Coastal Commission continuing that work. I happen to know Dick Ely has never even attended a coastal commission meeting.

I hope you will cast your votes for Sue McCloud (and Michael Cunningham and Erik Bethel).

Arlene Lucier, Carmel

## 'Lucky he wants to serve'

Dear Editor,

Mike Cunningham is a friend of 40 years so we know him well. And to know him is to like him and respect him. He is honest and decent in every way. Mike is an intelligent person who looks at the whole picture fairly and patiently and who takes problems to their conclusions carefully.

We are so lucky he wants to serve our village. Therefore, we urge you to vote for Mike Cunningham for city council on April 13.

Connie and Bob Spencer, Carmel

## 'Quick learning skills'

Dear Editor,

It's great to see a young man agreeing to bring new ideas, approaches and enthusiasm to work on the needs of his community. Erik Bethel is that young man and I'm voting for him for city council April 13. In just the few years of his residency here, he has come to appreciate Carmel's heritage and style.

Carmel would be blessed to have such a person who has had a successful career with a major employer such as Granite Construction — so successful that he started his own venture capital company. Moreover, the CEO of that company, Bill Dorey, is giving his full endorsement for Bethel's council race.

When the CEO of a major company can recognize the quick learning skills of an employee, voters can be assured we would

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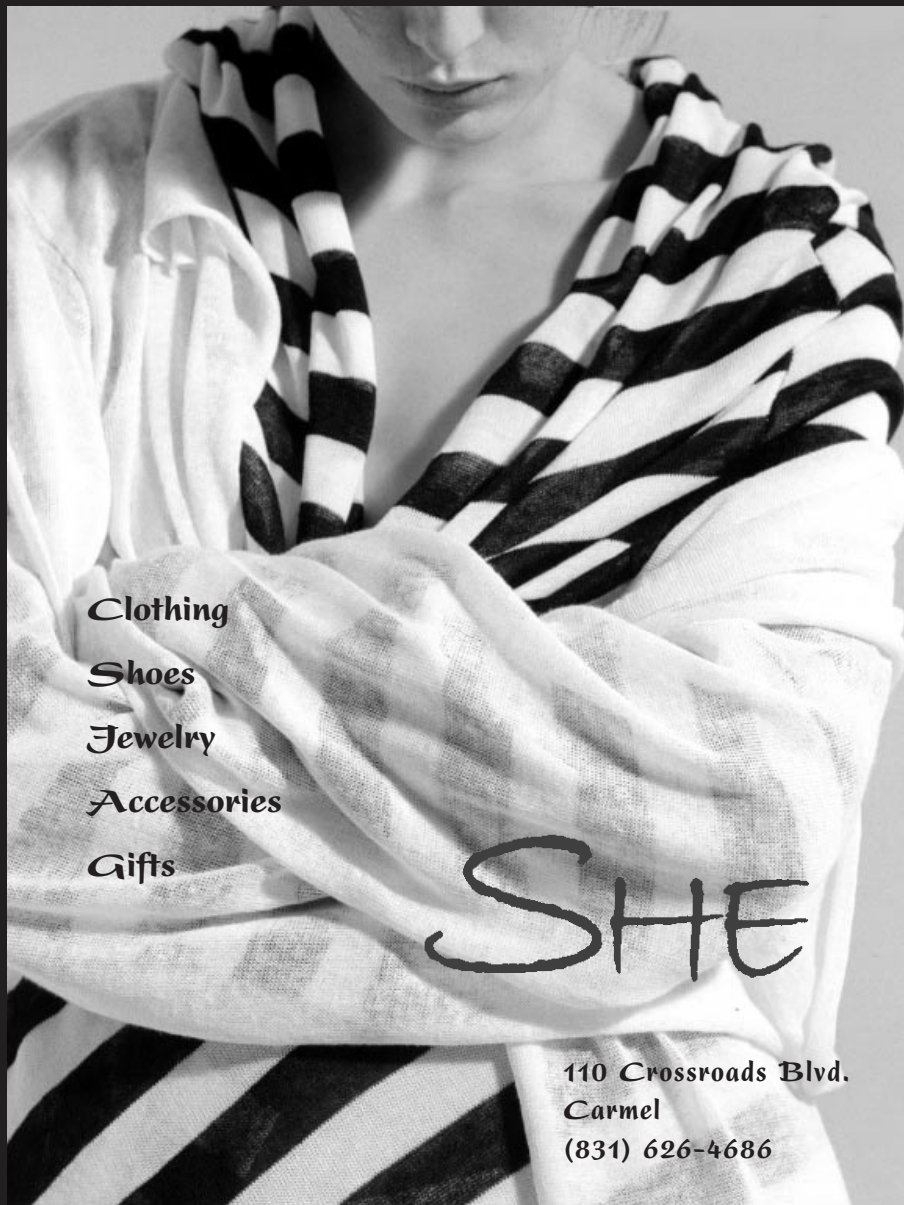
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be adding a new dimension to the council for the next four years. A vote for Bethel is a vote for intelligent discussion of the issues.

Clay Berling, Carmel

## 'Forested nature will be lost'

Dear Editor,

Residents and visitors to Carmel should share my alarm and concern over the neglect and abuse the present city administration has shown the urban forest. Contrary to the policies of the forest and beach commission and to the forest management plan, this city government has not been replacing lost trees. It has facilitated removals but not followed through with the required replacements. The one-for-one replacement is not regularly happening. I can count more than 50 trees that have been removed by the city and on private property and have never been replaced. If this keeps up, the forested nature of Carmel will be lost.

Roy Thomas, DDS, Carmel

## Maradei and Sales?

Dear Editor,

In assessing a candidate, I believe that actions speak louder than words. In the case of David Maradei, Enid Sales and he have worked closely over the years to further the minority agenda of an organization formerly headed by Mr. Maradei, the so-called Carmel 'Preservation' Foundation. That organization embroiled the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea in time-consuming lawsuits that accomplished nothing substantial for our village, but caused the city to incur large sums in attorneys' fees and forced several of our citizens to suffer substantial financial losses.

If that was where Mr. Maradei was coming from in the past, I am troubled about his vision for the future!

Robert Ballard, Carmel

## 'Proven record of achievement'

Dear Editor,


We elect our mayor and city council to lead and manage our city government, with input from our citizens. Sue McCloud and the majority of the council have a proven record of achievement despite occasional obstructionist behavior by two members.

Do we want to return to the inaction, study to death, we-want-no-change policies of past administrations? Do we believe vague, unfounded accusations of secrecy and lack of openness by the same group we rejected in the past?

I think not. The voters of Carmel-by-the-Sea are more intelligent than that. Keep Sue McCloud in office.

Nancy Campbell, Carmel

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- Coastal Commission adopted both sections of Local Coastal Program.
- Completed satellite location of fire truck and contracted for design of seismic retrofit of firehouse.
- Submitted update of Housing Element of General Plan.
- Established Traffic Safety Commission & completed city-wide traffic survey.
- Celebrated 100th anniversary of founding of Carmel-by-the-Sea.
- Launched 4th of July celebration & sponsored weekend of Sunset open houses.

### CHALLENGES AHEAD:

- Certification of Implementation Plan.
- Certification of completed Local Coastal Program (LCP).
- Adopt management plan for Sunset.
- Act on design options to seismically retrofit firehouse.
- Develop new sources of revenue.
- Address master plans for Forest Theater & Scout House.



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**'Protect Sunset Center'**

**Dear Editor,**

I have 29 years of experience in the defense industry, both in the Air Force and in industry. I participated in the procurement of contractual services ranging from preparing technical specifications in preparing requests for proposals, in contractor source selection, and in the technical management of the resulting contracts.

The SCC Sunset Center contractual process by Carmel, if done at the federal level, would be illegal. SCC was solicited by the city for an "unsolicited proposal" to manage our \$120 million Sunset Center. The city had no specifications for a contract, no source selection criteria, and did no advertising to obtain a contractor with the best technical skills at the lowest costs.

The head of the mayor's ad hoc Sunset Center management committee is now head of the SCC. The management committee's briefing to the city council showed a \$73,700 subsidy for a nonprofit company to run Sunset Center. The associated financial ad hoc team showed this subsidy to be \$429,200? Later the actual subsidy was found to be \$715,000 (by SCC). Is this a company you want managing our center?

SCC was allowed approximately one-and-one-half hours to give a proposal briefing at several city council meetings and another proposal briefing at the public forum. I asked Mayor McCloud for just 15 minutes to present an alternate solution in which the city continued to manage Sunset Center. I was turned down by the mayor.

My analysis showed that it would cost \$500,000 less for the city to manage Sunset Center instead of SCC. The city would also maintain complete control of our valuable resource. I later presented a summary of this solution in three minutes during the appearance section at the next city council meeting. It was a very rushed briefing without time to properly illustrate my solution.

The whole SCC procurement process has been built on a "House of Sand and Fog." The contractual foundation is very shaky (sandy) with a lack of public visibility (foggy) on what transpired.

We need a change in Carmel's leadership to protect our Sunset Center.

**Monte Miller, Carmel**

**'Sit down and be quiet'**

**Dear Editor,**

Regarding Ken White's diatribe against Sue McCloud: All of those problems were present when he was mayor and he was there for four terms. Why didn't he fix them?

White needs to sit down and be quiet.

**Lydia Hemphill, Carmel**

**Short-term rentals**

**Dear Editor,**

During the recent planning commission meeting on the Local Coastal Program, Brian Roseth misled the commissioners.

Roseth was present at both presentations — the La Jolla coastal commission meeting Feb. 20 and the planning commission meeting March 24 — when I objected to Carmel's ordinance prohibiting short-term rentals. He has listened to my consistent and specific objections to the LCP — that the prohibition against transient use of private homes in the Beach Overlay District (that affects approximately 60 homes) is in direct conflict with the Coastal Act. Despite hearing my specific objections, Roseth chose to skirt them and advised the planning commission to "hold any substantive issues aside" and approve the LCP as is. In his explanation for doing so, he misled them on two very significant points:

1) The coastal commission rubber-stamped the LCP approval for political reasons and did not properly consider our objection. Thank goodness for written transcripts! We were only allowed to speak after many of the commissioners had departed, and others were preparing to leave. Peter

Douglas, the executive director, told Mike Reilly, the commission chairman, that "we basically deferred to the city on this, and looking at the rest of the rentals in the city, didn't make an issue of this. It is up to you as to whether or not you feel that this is something that we ought to recommend changes to." There was no substantive discussion among commissioners as Roseth would have the planning commission believe.

2) Roseth told the planning commission that Carmel provides 950 hotel rooms "within walking distance" of the beach. That Carmel offers hotels within walking distance of the beach neither fulfills the spirit nor the written requirements of the Coastal Act. What accommodation does this make for handicapped or disabled visitors?

The commissioners look to Roseth for information, recommendations and advice. It is tragic that he chooses not to provide them with all of the facts.

**Jim Gunn, Carmel**

**Shame on Pine Cone**

**Dear Editor,**

Shame on you, Carmel Pine Cone, for continuing to publish Bill Bates' offensive cartoons filled with racial stereotypes and his "fun-filled" bigotry. This past week's cartoon showing a white person carrying a sign stating "Jesus is Coming" in the foreground with an Asian (inked in a World War II drawing style often called "slanty-eyed devil") with a grammatically incorrect sign reading

"Buddha Here Now" should be the impetus for finding a new cartoonist for the paper.

In a time when Carmel is striving to define itself and attract people from around the world to visit, offering an image of the town as an enclave of insensitive white people ready to find humor at the expense of other cultures and continuing long-dismissed racial stereotypes should be a cause for concern for this community.

Bigotry and racism should have no forum here.

**Scott Bogen, Big Sur**

**Why not a series?**

**Dear Editor,**

I was feeling a little glum until I picked up The Pine Cone and read some of the excerpts from David Dilworth's "comment letter." It cheered me up immediately. I found the excerpts educational and fascinating.

Perhaps The Pine Cone will consider publishing weekly installments for the next 20 years. Mr. Dilworth would probably appreciate the publicity. Many local architects and others who deal with the design review process on a regular basis would probably enjoy it. Thanks. It will make reading the egress requirements from the California Building Code (which I was doing earlier today) seem more fun, just thinking what David Dilworth might do with it.

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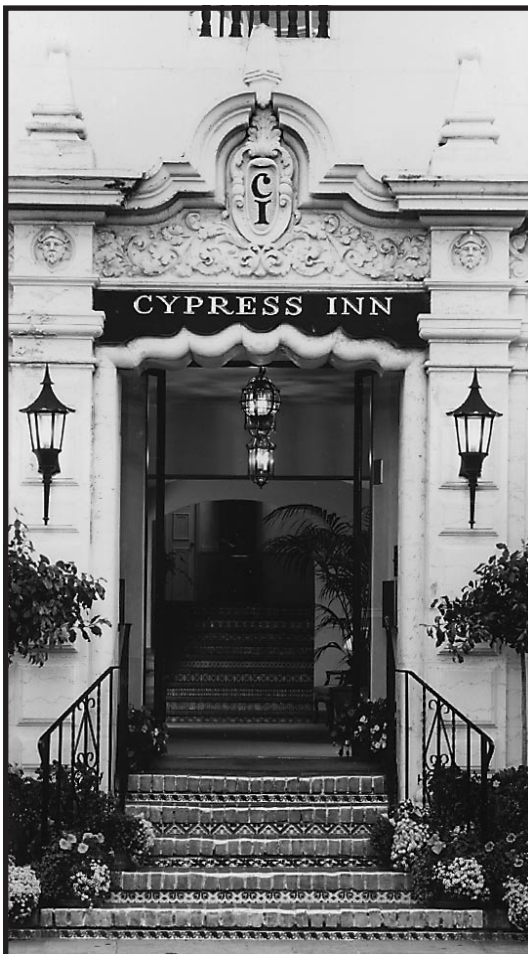


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**Editorial**

# Time for coastal czar to be deposed

IN THE long, controversial history of the California Coastal Commission, seldom have the actions of its staff risen to the ridiculous levels seen the last two months. So bizarre have been the documents produced by the “experts” who advise the state’s most powerful planning agency that no less than a change at the top is warranted. Peter Douglas, the commission’s executive director since 1985, has got to go.

The coastal commission has often overstepped its bounds during its 28-year history — so much so that even the U.S. Supreme Court has intervened to stop the commission from abusing the rights of the citizens it is supposed to serve. Lately, the commissioners themselves, under the leadership of chairman and Sonoma County Supervisor Mike Reilly, have shown very encouraging signs of fairness. But the abuses at the staff level have only gotten worse:

■ Feb. 20 in San Diego, Douglas and his aides pushed the coastal commission to adopt a report that contained a fabricated prediction that 85 percent of Monterey pines would succumb to the pitch canker disease. This “fact” wasn’t mere hyperbole; it was part of an orchestrated campaign, apparently controlled by Douglas, to make it impossible for the Pebble Beach Company to build a new golf course in Del Monte Forest. Even if Douglas had his facts straight, it was a gross abuse of his authority to attempt to circumvent the normal permit review process — denying the P.B. Co.’s owners a fair hearing — in this callous way. To use outrageous exaggerations to try to pull it off makes it a fireable offense.

■ Even now, Douglas and his staff persist in the laughable recommendation that property owners in Big Sur — which already has the strictest zoning laws in the nation — be required to screen or otherwise hide their homes so they don’t disrupt the views from boats!

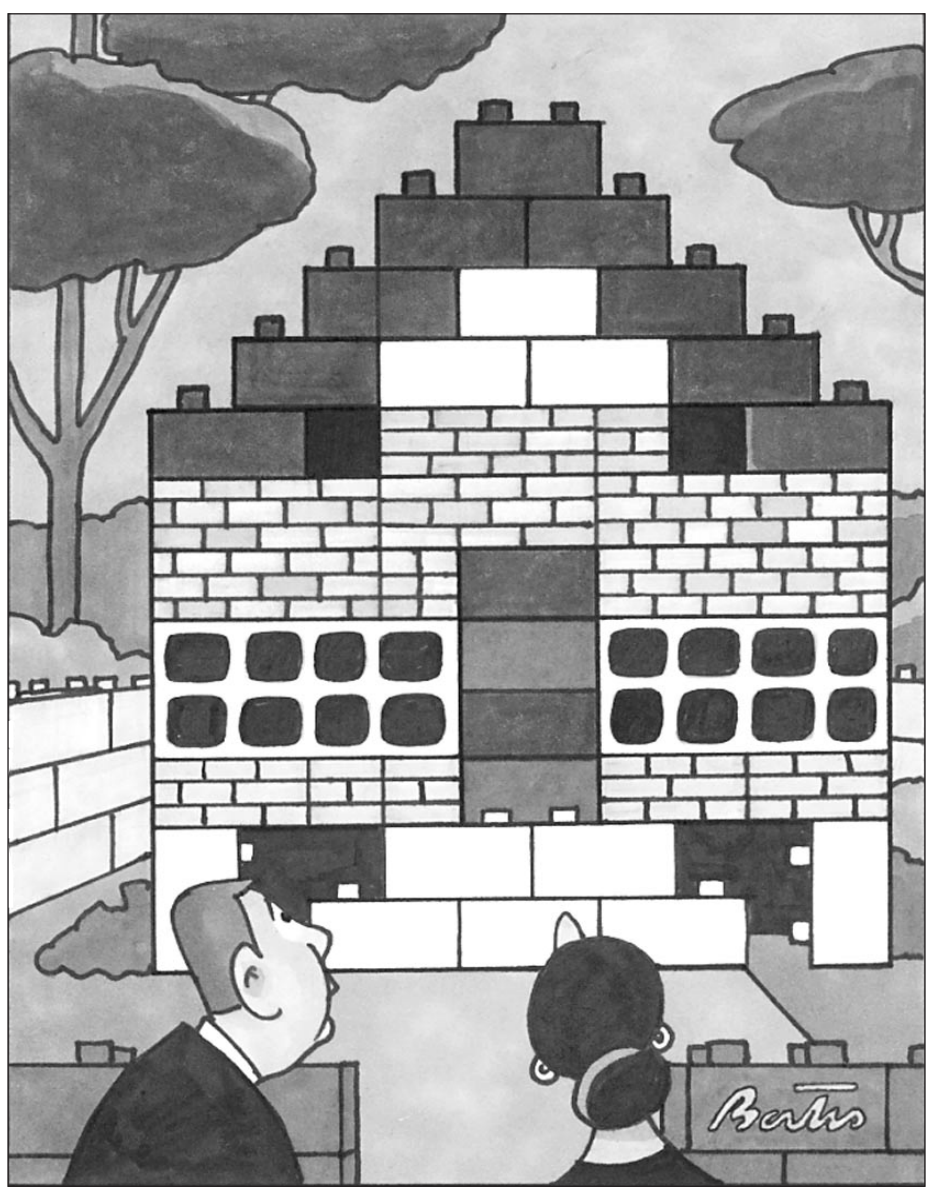
Even if pleasure craft, fishermen and cargo ships frequented the Big Sur coast — which they don’t — such a rule would be an outrageous expansion of Coastal Act authority. The fact that the coast from Pt. Lobos to San Simeon has almost no safe anchorages and is, therefore, hardly visited by boats that come closer than a mile or two offshore makes the Kafkaesque proposal truly frightening. But at a meeting last week in Big Sur, during which local residents made crystal clear their disdain for the views-from-the-ocean plan, one of Douglas’ assistants refused to back down. “We are biased in favor of the environment,” he explained — meaning, apparently, “regardless of the facts.”

Who can rescue the people of California from such gross abuses of power? Don’t count on the big city newspapers to help. They hardly ever cover coastal commission meetings, and when they do it is usually to regurgitate the commission’s own self-serving propaganda, leaving the public (except the readers of this newspaper) with no idea what goes on there. The adoring coverage of the coastal commission in the L.A. Times, San Francisco Chronicle and San Jose Mercury News, rooted in big-city prejudices and a complete lack of understanding of small-town and rural development issues, has rubbed off on Douglas and given him a powerful following among environmental activists who will bitterly and self-righteously resist any attempt to remove him.

But, as he has shown with the state budget and workers compensation crises, Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger isn’t bound by the usual rules of California politics. His vast public support, personal charisma, political acumen and strong connections within the Democratic Party — where Douglas has almost all of his backing — give Schwarzenegger the ability to put somebody new in charge at the coastal commission’s headquarters.

The new executive director should be someone with a lifelong devotion to protecting the state’s precious coastline, but without the disdain for local government, private property owners and the truth.

# BATES



“I hear they used a Danish architect.”

## Letters to the Editor

### Why Ely’s running Dear Editor,

I strongly disagree with the premise that the reason I am opposing Sue McCloud for mayor boils down to style not substance. It is a matter of both style and substance.

It has been reported that I generally vote with the mayor. That’s true, but when I do disagree with her it is about issues of law, integrity, the will of the people and the democratic process — differences of both style and substance. Why has she repeatedly declined to defend her record and discuss these issues in a public debate?

The upcoming election is about Carmel’s future. The real issue is who can provide the strong, decisive leadership and enlightened vision to preserve and protect our community?

I will bring 40 years experience in managing large organizations, complex programs and multimillion-dollar budgets. I have a proven record as a successful small business owner, an engineer and an elected official.

Differences of substance: As mayor, I will:

■ Develop a new revenue source for the November ballot, avoiding the loss of more staff, reduced services and the sale of city assets.

■ Hire a fire chief, retain our independent fire department and renovate our firehouse.

■ Hire a marketing director for Sunset Center NOW and finalize, in open meetings, an appropriate management structure.

■ Reinstate: the Unsung Hero program, town hall meetings, seven-member commissions and the city volunteer appreciation event

The past four years have been about what McCloud wants, not what is best for Carmel. Together, with your support, we can return to an era of mutual respect, openness and inclusiveness where all citizens are valued and all views are heard.

Dick Ely, Carmel

### Why there wasn’t a debate Dear Editor:

In a letter to the Monterey County Herald of April 6, Dick Ely states that I have “repeatedly declined to defend my record in a public debate.” At the Pine Cone public forum on March 9, I stated that I would go anywhere to talk with anyone on any subject. At no time have either Dick or his surrogates been in contact with me directly or indirectly with a specific proposal for a debate

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Sue McCloud, Carmel

## 'Unfulfilled pledges'

Dear Editor,

We recently found an April 2002 CRA editorial congratulating Mayor Sue McCloud and council members Paula Hazdovac and Gerard Rose for their victory in that year's election. All council members received a copy in 2002 and none disputed its accuracy. It said:

"Now we must watch to see if the promises made during the campaign will be carried out. Among these promises:

■ To deal immediately with the seismic safety and location of the fire house . . . to take action on the Forest Theater and Scout House master plans . . . to take steps to balance the business community through a) looking into the proliferation of art galleries and b) proactively trying to attract good business to Carmel; and

■ to stabilize our fiscal situation, which means dealing with the city's increasing budget deficit and finding new revenue sources.

These promises have not been met.

Here are the facts:

■ The council waited two years before signing a contract with a Portland architectural firm to look at seismic safety of the fire house. One fire engine has been moved to the public works building.

■ The Forest Theater and Scout House master plans have not been implemented. The Scout House is closed.

■ A planning commission subcommittee wrote an ordinance to curtail the proliferation of art galleries. Our newsletter states that it was not allowed to come before the council. (Apparently, with little public awareness, some parts of this ordinance were adopted in the zoning/implementation plan but without a numeric cap on galleries.) There have been no visible attempts to attract desirable businesses to Carmel.

■ City finances continue to deteriorate. This year's budget will be balanced by using approximately \$1.7 million out of reserves. Next year's will deplete reserves by approximately \$1.1 million. Three proposed revenue sources were handled badly and defeated. There has been no concerted effort since to secure new revenue and a discussion on raising the hotel tax or a restaurant tax has not been allowed.

Carmel would be far better off with these pledges fulfilled.

Larry Rodocker, Carmel

## Cunningham and Bethel for council

Dear Editor,

During the current election campaign, we have read of the council candidates' qualifications. All four of them appear to be qualified for the two available city council seats. However, only Mike Cunningham and Erik Bethel have expressed the enthusiasm and eagerness to serve that I find essential to hold city council seats.

They will be my choice when I vote April 13. Both offer impressive and varied qualifications and backgrounds. Mike's expertise is in working with various entities, bringing about consensus to obtain optimum results. Erik's extensive financial experience would greatly benefit the city in these difficult economic times. Both offer an optimistic, can-do approach that is very refreshing.

Let us not look back, but look forward to a positive future for Carmel-by-the-Sea. Please join me in voting for Mike Cunningham and Erik Bethel on Tuesday.

Paula Hazdovac, Carmel

## 'Could not take it anymore'

Dear Editor,

For 12 years I served on the community and cultural commission. I finally stepped down because I just could not take it anymore. With the election of the current mayor, the commission's role was eroded to such a degree that we became figureheads. It was the commission that orchestrated all of the work and sponsored over 100 public meetings.

We not only were part of the decision-making process, we were the force behind it. We created the Sunset Renovation Task Force which began the process with a feasibility study and ultimately led into the final design. After this mayor was

elected, the commission was bypassed on most decisions regarding the renovation project. She virtually eliminated 10 years of history and experience. In keeping with limiting the authority of citizens, the mayor reduced the size of most

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## Endorsements\*

**Editorial** April 2, 2004 • The Carmel Pine Cone

The three former mayors who endorsed Dick Ely, can barely bring themselves to say something polite about Sue McCloud. Can it be, even in their view, that her four years of work as Mayor of Carmel have produced nothing of value? Or maybe it's because she managed to do something vital for the city's future that none of them could: finish the Local Coastal Program and take back control of Carmel's destiny from the state regulators.

Dave Potter's legacy, for example, is guaranteed because he managed to get the climbing lane built on Highway 1, ending decades of traffic jams without paving over Hatton Canyon. McCloud's is, too, because she finished the LCP.

The voices of the three former mayors are important. Even Eastwood's star power and proven political acumen don't outweigh them, but McCloud's record in office does.



## Eastwood supports Sue McCloud

by PAUL MILLER

The Carmel Pine Cone March 26-April 1, 2004

Former Carmel Mayor Clint Eastwood this week backed Mayor Sue McCloud for reelection in the April 13 election.

"Sue has done an outstanding job and her accomplishments have been very impressive," Eastwood said. . . . completion of the city's long overdue Local Coastal Program was something McCloud could be especially proud of.

"I just don't know where Dick Ely's coming from," Eastwood said. "He should have waited at least two more years to run, because Sue certainly deserves another term."

Eastwood said the allegation that McCloud's administration hasn't been "open and inclusive" was just a "political catch phrase" brought up by a candidate who doesn't have strong issues to run on.

"Because McCloud was in the CIA, they're trying to make it sound like she's Barbara Stanwyck in a spy movie," Eastwood said. "It's just politics."



April 1, 2004 The Monterey County Post

## Viewpont

Dan Hudson, Publisher

The current City Council, led by Mayor Sue McCloud, has finally gotten things done.

There are allegations of secrecy in Carmel fired at Sue McCloud. Because of her background and distinguished career with the CIA, that is to be expected. The allegations are nonsense. Sue has remained focused on getting things done, and she has. At what point are there enough meetings and studies? At some point in time, a decision has to be made. Call the vote.

We support McCloud for reelection, in part because of the smear campaign against her.

Carmel needs strong leadership. We endorse Sue McCloud.

\*excerpts

## Monterey County Herald

March 30, 2004

Sue McCloud, who has done an able job as mayor for the last four years, deserves another two-year term to help see the city through. She's up for re-election on April 13, challenged by City Councilman Richard Ely.

McCloud has shown strong leadership nursing the coastal plan along and helping see that the \$21 million renovation of the Sunset Center was finished last year.

Because she was born and raised in Carmel, her allegiance to preserving its special character runs deep. She recognizes that spending by tourists pays more than half the city's bills, making their interests—and those of the business community that serves them—critical to the community's health.

He accuses McCloud of secretive dealings, of running Carmel-by-the-Sea like Carmel-by-the-CIA. (She formerly worked for the CIA). With its small size—one square mile—regular council meetings, web site, widely distributed agenda and popular gathering spots, like the post office, it's hard to imagine that anyone in Carmel who wants to know what's going on can't find out.

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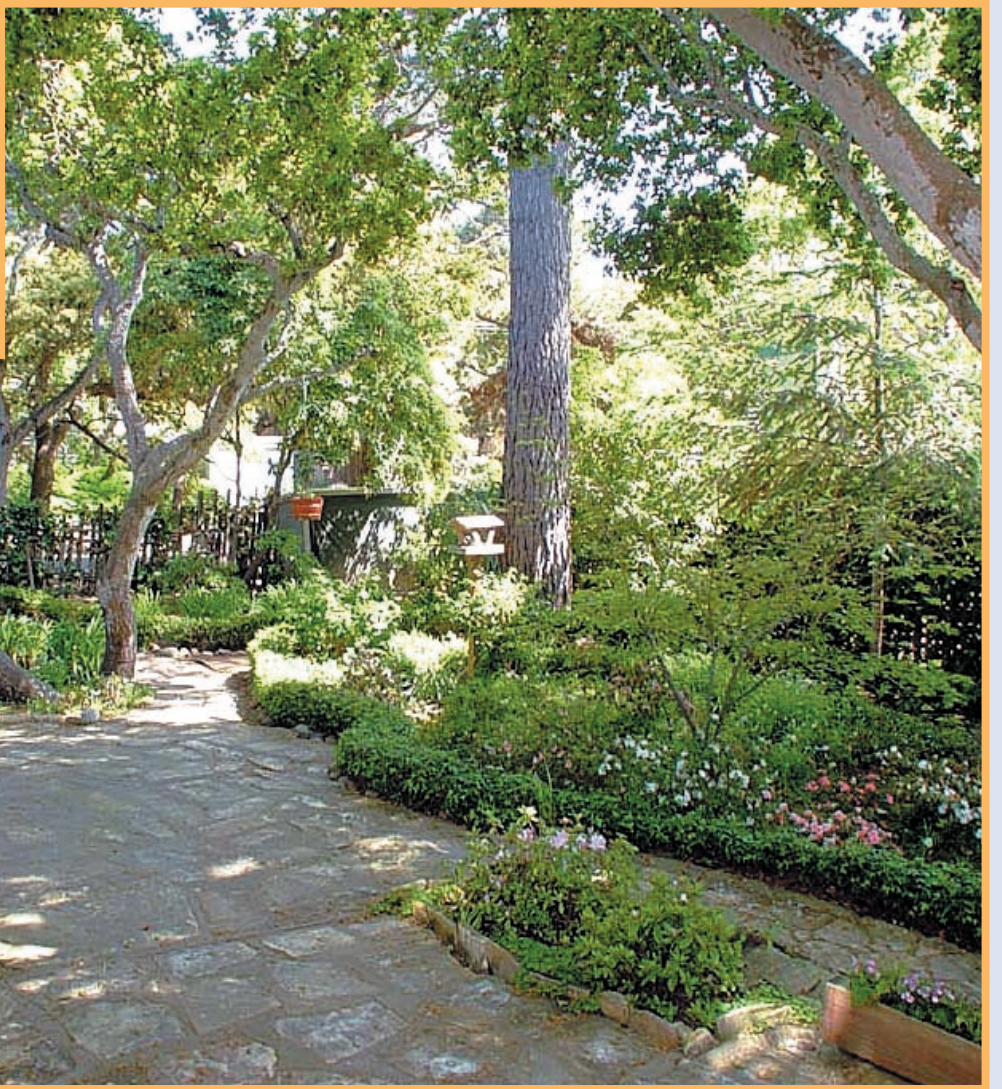
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- Library gets garden club landscaping plan



- This week's cover home, located in Carmel is presented by Hallie Mitchell Dow & Team of The Mitchell Group (see page 2B)

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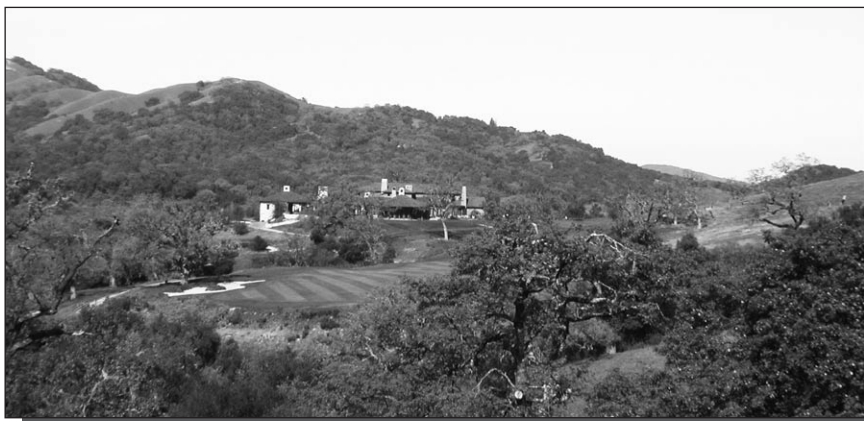
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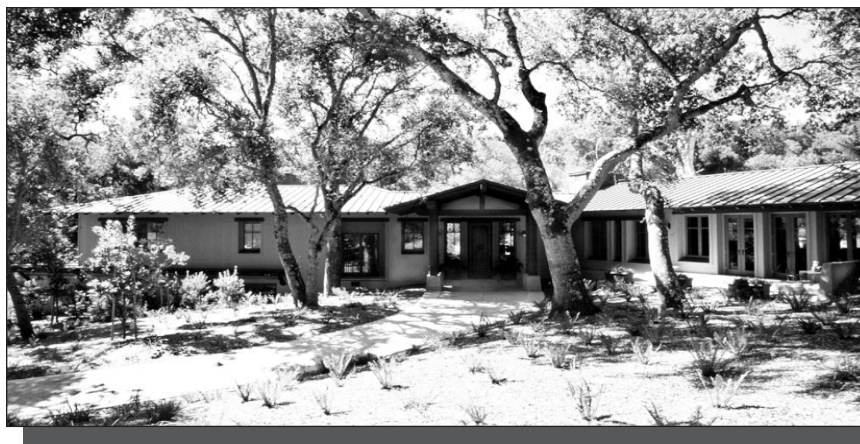
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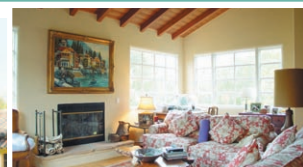


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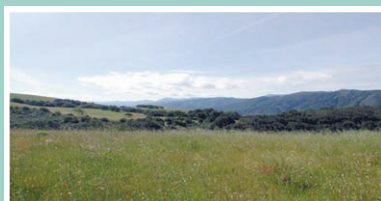


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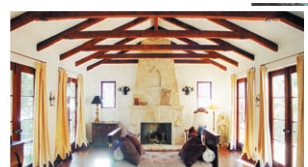


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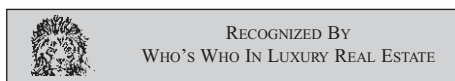
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## Council blesses club's plan for Harrison Library garden

By MARY BROWNFIELD

THE CITY council embraced a plan proposed by the Carmel-by-the-Sea Garden Club Tuesday to reconstruct the garden in

front of Harrison Memorial Library. Although the project will still have to be reviewed by various city commissions, com-

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# LIBRARY

From page 4B

mittees and boards, the club sought an overall OK from the council before undertaking the fundraising necessary to pay for the work.

"This would be a great effort, a worthwhile plan and a great asset to the library and the community as well," city forester Mike Branson told the council April 6.

The garden club, which raised the money to remodel and maintain Piccadilly Park on Dolores Street, hopes to restore the library garden by removing the elevated planter boxes along the pathways and planting with native, drought-toler-

ant species. The walls along the perimeter would be retained, and benches would be placed throughout the garden.

The club plans to improve handicapped access and is considering moving the newspaper racks farther north on Lincoln Street, adding steps on the path from Ocean Avenue and leading to the main entrance, relocating the flagpole, removing the holly tree and removing the second pathway from Ocean Avenue.

"The reason we were anxious to get this on the agenda is we're having a major flower show at the end of May which will be our main fundraising effort," club member Lee von Hasseln said. "But we know it will be some time before we acquire the funds for the project, and we won't start it until we know we can complete it."

She said the new garden would require less maintenance and be more natural looking.

"I'm looking forward to it becoming almost like a town plaza," councilwoman Barbara Livingston said. "And because it will be so visible, I would like to see it be an example of what the city likes to see in our village."

"It's a wonderful idea and initiative on the part of the garden club," councilman Dick Ely said.

Library director Margaret Pelikan said the library board received a presentation from the garden club on the concept. She assured everyone the library would remain accessible while the gardens are under construction.

With the council's blessing, the garden club can begin raising funds for the project, which will be reviewed in detail by the historic preservation committee, the design review board and the forest and beach commission.

# POLICE LOG

From page 4A

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Fire engine and ambulance responded to a medical emergency at San Carlos and Seventh. In room 304 found a 39-year-old female lying in bed complaining of nausea and said she had been vomiting. Loaded patient for transport to CHOMP.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Fire engine and ambulance responded to medical emergency at Mission and 13th. Found an 83-year-old female sitting in a chair complaining of right-side weakness and difficulty speaking. Patient loaded and transported to CHOMP.

**Carmel area:** Past-tense battery at Highway 1 and Ocean Avenue. Suspect information provided.

**Carmel Valley:** Suspicious circumstances at an Esquiline Road residence.

**Pebble Beach:** Restraining order violated at Sloat Road and Forest Lodge Road.

**Carmel area:** Theft from a Crossroads business.

**Carmel Valley:** Harassing telephone calls with threats received at a West Carmel Valley Road residence.

**Carmel area:** Information taken at Monte Verde Street and 15th Avenue.

**Carmel Valley:** Corporal injury at a Tierra Grande Road residence.

SUNDAY, MARCH 28

Carmel-by-the-Sea:

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<b>\$619,000</b>	<b>2bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
143 Del Mesa Carmel Carmel 624-0136 The Mitchell Group		
<b>\$998,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
26015 Atherton Carmel 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$1,049,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 12-3</b>
6th Carpenter NE Cor Carmel 626-2224 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$1,325,000</b>	<b>2bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 12-3</b>
Santa Rita 2SE of Ocean Carmel 648-7271 Century 21 Scenic Bay Prop.		
<b>\$1,325,000</b>	<b>2bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa12-3</b>
Santa Rita 2SE of Ocean Carmel 648-7271 Century 21 Scenic Bay Prop.		
<b>\$1,450,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa Su 2-4</b>
25975 Mission Street Carmel 625-0500 John Saar Properties		
<b>\$1,525,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
SanCarlos2NEofCaminoDelMnt. Carmel 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$1,595,000</b>	<b>2bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
Vizcaino 5SW of Mt. View Carmel 626-2224 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$1,650,000</b>	<b>4bd 4ba</b>	<b>Su 1-4</b>
4SW of Mountain View on Torres Carmel 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$1,890,000</b>	<b>3bd 3.5ba</b>	<b>Su 2-4</b>
Monte Verde 3 SW 13th Carmel 624-0136 The Mitchell Group		
<b>\$1,899,000</b>	<b>3bd 2.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
Lincoln 2SW of 12th Carmel 626-2222 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$1,910,000</b>	<b>4bd 4ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
3382 Lazzaro Carmel 224-3882 Prudential CA Realty		
<b>\$1,990,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
4 SW Santa Fe & 3rd Carmel 594-5523 Coldwell Banker Gay Dales, Inc.		
<b>\$2,295,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4 Su 12-2</b>
SE Corner Lopez & Third Carmel 624-0136 The Mitchell Group		
<b>\$2,695,000</b>	<b>2 or 3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 10-4 Su 1-4</b>
Forest 4SW of 7th Avenue Carmel 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$2,695,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa Su 2-4</b>
26416 Carmelo Carmel 625-0500 John Saar Properties		
<b>\$2,950,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-5 Su 2-4</b>
NE Cor Monte Verde&Snta Lucia Carmel 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$2,975,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 11-1</b>
Carmelo & 14th NW Cor Carmel 626-2222 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$3,950,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
Scenic Rd at Santa Lucia Carmel 624-6461 Burchell House Properties		
<b>\$3,990,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
26373 Monte Verde Carmel 624-0136 The Mitchell Group		
<b>\$5,950,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Su 1-3</b>
SE Cor of Scenic and 10th Carmel 601-0330 Mid Coast Investments		

**CARMEL HIGHLANDS**

<b>\$995,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
125 Cypress Way Crml Highland 601-0330 Mid Coast Investments		
<b>\$3,495,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba+gst hs</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
104 Yankee Point Dr Crml Highland 626-2221 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		

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<b>\$2,250,000</b>	<b>4bd 4ba</b>	<b>Sa Su 2-4</b>
129 Carmel Riviera Crml Highlands 624-0136 The Mitchell Group		
<b>\$2,995,000</b>	<b>4bd 4.5ba</b>	<b>Su 2:30-4:30</b>
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**CARMEL VALLEY**

<b>\$795,000</b>	<b>2bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
9582 Redwood Ct Carmel Valley 626-2222 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$875,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa Su 2-4</b>
13429 Middle Canyon Carmel Valley 625-0500 John Saar Properties		
<b>\$889,000</b>	<b>4bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
134 Country Club Carmel Valley 625-0500 John Saar Properties		
<b>\$1,175,000</b>	<b>3bd3ba</b>	<b>Sa Su 2-4</b>
13399 Middle Canyon Carmel Valley 625-0500 John Saar Properties		
<b>\$1,250,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
25275 Pine Hills Dr. Carmel Valley 625-0500 John Saar Properties		
<b>\$1,375,000</b>	<b>3bd 2.5ba</b>	<b>Su 1-5</b>
25350 Tierra Grande Carmel Valley 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$1,395,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
7076 Valley Greens Circle Carmel Valley 625-0500 John Saar Properties		
<b>\$1,575,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
25410 Via Cicindela Carmel Valley 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$1,790,000</b>	<b>2bd 3.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
7060 Fairway Place Carmel Valley 626-2226 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		

**MONTEREY**

<b>\$1,995,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
7094 Valley Green Cir Carmel Valley 626-2223 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$2,350,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
7036 Valley Green Cir Carmel Valley 626-2223 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		

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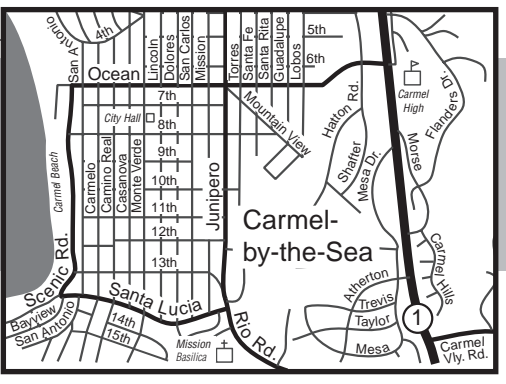
<b>\$499,888</b>	<b>1bd 1ba</b>	<b>Sa Su 1-4</b>
125 Surf Way #333 Monterey 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$725,000</b>	<b>3bd 2.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 12-2</b>
431 Del Rosa Monterey 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$799,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
767 Madison Monterey 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$1,045,000</b>	<b>4bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa Su 1-4</b>
932 Monterey Circle Monterey 646-2120 The Mitchell Group		
<b>\$1,295,000</b>	<b>5bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
771 Dry Creek Monterey 646-2120 The Mitchell Group		
<b>\$1,295,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
1189 Alta Mesa Road Monterey 646-2120 The Mitchell Group		

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<b>\$1,525,000</b>	<b>4bd 2.5ba+gst hs</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
27785 Mesa del Toro Mtry/Slns Hwy 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$1,995,000</b>	<b>3bd 2.5ba+Guest</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
284 Corral de Tierra Mtry/Slns Hwy 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$1,995,000</b>	<b>3bd 2.5ba+8.8acres</b>	<b>Sa Su 1-4</b>
25800 Paseo Estribo Mtry/Slns Hwy 625-0500 John Saar Properties		
<b>\$2,495,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa 12-3</b>
25600 Boots Rd Mtry/Slns Hwy 626-2226 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		

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<b>\$599,000</b>	<b>2bd 1ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
1126 Presidio Pacific Grove 626-2222 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$695,000</b>	<b>4bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
1108 Lincoln Pacific Grove 626-2222 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$779,000</b>	<b>2bd 1ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
702 Congress Pacific Grove 626-2222 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		



<b>\$850,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
3018 Ransford Cir Pacific Grove 626-2222 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$997,500</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
214 3rd Street Pacific Grove 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		

**PEBBLE BEACH**

<b>\$1,475,000</b>	<b>3bd 2.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4 Su 11-1</b>
1046 Vaquero Pebble Beach 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$1,795,000</b>	<b>3bd 2.5ba</b>	<b>Sa Su 11-1</b>
3063 Forest Way Pebble Beach 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$2,150,000</b>	<b>4bd 2.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
1096 Lariat Pebble Beach 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$2,150,000</b>	<b>4bd 2.5ba</b>	<b>Su 1:30-4:30</b>
1096 Lariat Pebble Beach 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$2,175,000</b>	<b>4bd 3.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
3067 Forest Way Pebble Beach 626-2221 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$2,195,000</b>	<b>3bd 3.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
2913 17-Mile Dr Pebble Beach 626-2224 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$2,750,000</b>	<b>3bd 3.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 11:30-1:30</b>
77 Spanish Bay Cir Pebble Beach 626-2221 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$2,995,000</b>	<b>4bd 4.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-3</b>
64 Spanish Bay Cir Pebble Beach 626-2221 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
<b>\$3,495,000</b>	<b>4bd 3.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 1:30-4:30</b>
1205 Benbow Pebble Beach 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$3,995,000</b>	<b>4bd 3.5ba</b>	<b>Sa 11-2</b>
1452 Susan Way Pebble Beach 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		
<b>\$6,295,000</b>	<b>4bd 3+ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
1475 Padre Lane Pebble Beach 624-0136 The Mitchell Group		
<b>\$6,450,000</b>	<b>5bd 5.5ba+gst hs</b>	<b>Sa 1-4</b>
3930 Ronda Rd Pebble Beach 626-2223 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		

**SALINAS**

<b>\$485,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 1-4 Su 1-3</b>
841 Archer Salinas 622-1040 Alain Pinel Realtors		

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182 Lang St San Juan Bautista 626-2222 Coldwell Banker Del Monte		

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# POLICE LOG

From page 5B

Subject lost a red wallet somewhere in the area of San Carlos between Fourth and Fifth avenues on or about 03-26-04.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Subject found a pink wallet on the beach at Scenic and Eighth. Owner, a Monterey resident, was contacted via phone and retrieved the wallet.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Community services officer found a black wallet at San Carlos and Ocean. She left a note on a vehicle advising to contact CPD regarding the wallet. The wallet was retrieved by the owner.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Found a set of keys on the beach. Keys retrieved by owner.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Subject requested close patrol of the Vista Lobos parking area as he had parked his trailer and race car there for the evening.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Wallet containing two expired driver licenses and one Merced Community College I.D. found at Del Mar.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A 1999 Carson flatbed trailer was parked at 13th and San Antonio for weeks displaying expired registration as of 06/01. Vehicle was towed and stored by Carmel Chevron.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Yelling coming from room at an inn on Junipero. The room's occupant had a verbal dispute with a friend. A third person left the room when the argument ensued. Parties counseled.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Smoldering fire in a fire pit reported in the backyard of a residence on Carpenter.

See **POLICE LOG** next page

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**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Units responded to a verbal domestic on Mission. The argument was over a trivial event that had occurred earlier in the day. Parties were separated and it was determined no physical altercation had taken place. Both said they were done arguing and promised to keep it down.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Fire Engine 7111 responded to smoke investigation at Carpenter and Second. Outdoor fireplace smoking. Nobody at home. Fire extinguished.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Engine 7111 and Ambulance 7166 responded to a coastal incident at Scenic and Santa Lucia. Swimmer about 300 yards out on a boogie board. State Parks lifeguard in water brought swimmer back in. A-7166 checked out swimmer and he declined further medical attention.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Engine 7111 and Ambulance 7166 responded to a medical emergency on Camino del Monte. Female, 61, with low blood sugar. A-7166 treated the patient, and she refused transport to CHOMP.

**Carmel Valley:** Vehicle towed from a Carmel Valley Road residence.

**Carmel Valley:** Past-tense malicious mischief to a Middle Canyon Road residence.

**Carmel Valley:** Past-tense malicious mischief to a vending machine at Mid Valley Center.

**Big Sur:** Information taken at Highway 1 and Palo Colorado Canyon Road.

**Carmel area:** Lost/found/missing property on Via Nona Marie.

**Pebble Beach:** Theft from a 17 Mile Drive address occurred on Thursday, Oct. 21, 2003.

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**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Man was unable to contact woman on Rio Road by phone and became concerned due to her past history. Units made contact with woman who said she had her phone off the hook to keep the man from bothering her. She appeared fine and did not wish further contact with officers or the subject. Dispatch notified.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** At Mission and Seventh, alarm detected movement in a stockroom. Exterior was checked and appeared secure.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Resident reported suspicious pest control truck on Ladera. Contacted worker who had an order for this location.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Resident reported seeing a person attempting to open an exterior wooden gate to a residence on Scenic. A check was made but person was not found at the location. Further search revealed no suspicious activity.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Engine 7111 and Ambulance 7166 dispatched on report of an unresponsive male at Lincoln and Fifth. Male, 80, found deceased.

**Carmel Valley:** Information taken at a Flight Road residence.

**Carmel Valley:** Suspicious circumstances at a Cachagua Road residence.

**Carmel Valley:** Information taken at a Cachagua Road residence.

**Big Sur:** Public assistance rendered on Highway 1 46.4 miles north of the San Luis Obispo County Line.

**Pebble Beach:** Candidate for a 5150 W&I 72-hour hold at a Sloat Road residence.

**Carmel area:** Suspicious circumstances at a Highway 1 residence.

**Carmel area:** Health and Safety Code violation at Highway 1 and Ocean Avenue.

**Carmel Valley:** Civil problem at Via los Zorros and La Rancheria.

**Carmel Valley:** Information taken at a Valley Greens Circle residence.

**Big Sur:** Suspicious circumstances at Cone Peak Road and Nacimiento-Fergusson Road.

**Carmel area:** Verbal disturbance of the peace at a Carmel Center Place address.

TUESDAY, MARCH 30

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Engine 7111 and Ambulance 7166 responded to a medical emergency at a Santa Lucia residence. A 70-year-old female with difficulty breathing was transported to CHOMP.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Fire alarm activation at the Boy Scout House. Engine 7111 responded. Firefighters found

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**Carmel area:** Medical call at Highway 1 and Rio Road. Patient not transferred.

**Carmel Valley:** Civil problem at a Cachagua Road residence.

**Carmel Valley:** Harassing phone calls received at a Buckeye Court residence.

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31**

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Engine 7111 and Ambulance 7166 responded to a medical emergency on Guadalupe. Possible stroke. Patient, 70, was transported to CHOMP.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** At Carmel Youth Center, an angry teenager reportedly mentioned "bringing a gun to school." Contacted teen, who said he was upset because his friends think he is stupid and don't take his music abilities seriously. He said he never meant anything by the comment about a gun and just wanted his friends to leave him alone. It was very apparent he was remorseful for his comment. Mother said she would keep him home from school the next day and see a third party for help.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Units responded to Dolores and 13th after report of a parked vehicle with its windows shattered out. Officers arrived at location and found the vehicle reported. The windows were not shattered but an unknown glass object was smashed on the roadway directly under a window. It appeared the glass came from an ashtray or vase. The vehicle did not have any damage. Unfounded.

**Carmel area:** Abandoned vehicle at Morse Drive and Flanders Mansion.

**Carmel Valley:** Past-tense malicious mischief to a vehicle

parked at a West Carmel Valley Road location.

**Pebble Beach:** Past-tense grand theft of jewelry from a Broncho Road residence.

**Carmel Valley:** Past-tense theft at Carmel Valley Ranch.

**Carmel area:** Bicycle found at a North Carmel Hills Drive residence.

**Carmel Valley:** Welfare check conducted on an adult at a Paso Cresta residence.

**Carmel Valley:** Peace disturbance at a Grey Goose Gulch residence.

**THURSDAY, APRIL 1**

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Five subjects trespassing on grounds of

Junipero Serra School and causing a disturbance. Officer contacted subjects at Rio Park behind the school. They were identified and advised not to trespass on school grounds. There were no prior contacts for similar offenses with any of these juveniles. They were advised further action will be taken if they are contacted again on school grounds or disturbing the students.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Resident on Guadalupe reported arriving home and finding the window screen to his bedroom leaning against the exterior wall of the residence and the window to his bedroom partially open. Upon entering the residence, he found that the window drapes showed signs of someone entering through the window and a particle wood furnishing, located just below the bedroom window, was partially broken where some-

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one had placed weight and pressure against the top of the furnishing. Nothing else inside the residence was disturbed and nothing appeared to have been taken or stolen.

He advised that a family relation had unlawfully entered the premises two days earlier in a search for alcoholic beverages and was successful in taking a bottle of spirits at that time. Based on the fact that nothing was taken during this incident, it appeared the same family member may have unsuccessfully attempted to locate more alcoholic beverages and left empty handed.

A close family member contacted subject and found him intoxicated. He denied being responsible for entering residence.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Police, fire and ambulance units responded to Scenic and Eighth after report that a man had fallen off a roof. He was found to have fallen approximately 10 to 15 feet from a terra cotta, clay, shingled roof of the private residence while conducting maintenance. He appeared to have sustained a compound fracture to his right arm and may have sustained further injury to his back, hips and

legs. Patient transported to CHOMP by Ambulance 7166.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Woman reported she had become separated from his husband after eating dinner on San Carlos near Fourth. She was worried because he had been drinking. Man observed walking northbound on the west side of San Carlos. Man given a courtesy transport back to his hotel and reunited with his wife.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Collision between two vehicles in bank parking lot on San Carlos. Minor damage only.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Engine 7111 responded to a reported hazardous materials spill at San Antonio and 13th. Firefighters discovered a liquid fuel leak from an underground fuel storage tank that was discovered by a construction crew while excavating the west end of the property. The spill was contained by catching it with plastic trash cans and plugging the hole with a makeshift wooden stop. Absorbent was applied to the soil to secure any seepage and a rig was dispatched to offload the product. Environmental health official responded to advise and supervise. Product offloaded without incident.

**Carmel Valley:** Past-tense burglary of a West Carmel Valley Road residence.

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**Big Sur:** Miscellaneous patrol of the dirt turnout on Highway 1 at Otter Cove.

**Big Sur:** Theft of mail from a Highway 1 residence.

**Carmel Valley:** Civil problem at a Carmel Valley Road location.

**Big Sur:** Harassing phone calls received at a Highway 1 residence.

**Big Sur:** Past-tense burglary of a vehicle parked on Highway 1 46.4 miles north of the San Luis Obispo County Line.

**Pebble Beach:** Information taken at a Customs Road residence.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 2**

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Woman stopped on Carpenter driving a vehicle with expired tags since November 2003. Driver identified herself with a California driver license. A warrants check revealed a \$2,000 warrant issued in October 2002 for vehicle code violations. She was issued a citation for the warrant and a separate one for expired registration. Her father was notified and came to the station. Woman given court appearance in May.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Woman flagged down officer while on her way to a residence on

Dolores. She and her daughter were on their way to check on a man they had been unable to contact. Officer contacted man who was sleeping and everything appeared to be fine.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** On Carmelo, woman accidentally locked herself out of residence and called for assistance. Officer checked for an alternative way into the residence but was unsuccessful. A locksmith was called and was able to open the building.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A concerned citizen reported that a subject appeared to be disoriented in the area of Monte Verde and Ninth. Contacted the woman, who has a medical condition that prevents her from being able to communicate verbally, which gave the appearance of needing assistance to the concerned citizen. She advised she was fine.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Ambulance 7166 and Engine 7111 responded to report of a medical emergency on Dolores Street. Assessed a 93-year-old female patient with general weakness and prepared her for transport to CHOMP.

**Carmel Valley:** Malicious mischief at a Pilot Road residence.

**Carmel area:** Lost/found/missing property at a Carmel Rancho Center business.

**Carmel Valley:** Past-tense theft of mail

from a Loma Alta Road residence.

**Carmel Valley:** Traffic stop at Boronda Road and West Carmel Valley Road.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 3**

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Man on Dolores reported his wife was overdue. They were walking back to their hotel from Del Mar beach with their dogs when the woman decided to take a different route. She was last seen northbound on San Antonio with one of the their German shepherds. Officer located woman on Junipero and gave her a courtesy ride to the hotel where she was reunited with her husband.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A citizen reported two females taking mail from mailboxes in the area of Santa Lucia and Carmelo. While checking mailboxes, officer located several business cards advertising a house cleaning business. Telephoned woman, who admitted putting

business cards in mailboxes. She was admonished, said she understood and apologized.

**Pebble Beach:** Lost/found/missing person at a Rancho Road residence.

**Carmel area:** Suspicious circumstances at High Meadow Drive and Highway 1.

**Carmel Valley:** Civil problem at a Pilot Road residence.

**Carmel area:** Verbal domestic dispute at a residence.

**Big Sur:** Lost property at Granite Canyon and Highway 1.

**Carmel area:** Information taken at a Rio Road residence.

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## CARMEL

**QUIET CARMEL COTTAGE!** This single-level 2+ bedroom home boasts an open-beamed ceiling and fireplace in the living room. The roomy kitchen has its own private garden area with a brick patio. All this just blocks from town, don't miss this delightful home! \$795,000.



**HIGH MEADOW!** In a great complex on well maintained grounds is this 2-bedroom, 1-1/2 bath unit. Skylights and a clerestory window keep it light and bright. Large entry with hardwood floors and vaulted wood ceilings in the living room. \$499,000.

**SUNNY JEWEL!** A pristinely maintained, inviting 3-bedroom, 3-bath Carmel Knolls home on a beautifully landscaped lot. French doors in the family room & master suite access garden patio areas. The kitchen with skylight-garden window overlooks the park-like yard. \$1,150,000.



**"MY ADOBE HACIENDA!"** Very appealing hacienda-style home in Carmel's only gated community. Three bedrooms, 2 baths plus delightful adobe patio with peaceful valley views. Oversized master suite with a balcony, formal dining room and four fireplaces. \$1,600,000.

**SEVEN GABLES!** Large refurbished Carmel Woods home with 100+ foot frontage, decks, patios, private gardens & giant oaks. High ceilings, formal dining room, large family room, wood floors, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths. Master suite has peek of the ocean. \$1,285,000.

**ABIDING GRACE!** Notable Mediterranean in coveted Carmel Point... bits of the 1930's original - carved beams, curving stairs, wrought iron balustrade - complemented by subtle, exquisite now choices... All enveloped in mesmerizing white-water view of Stewart Cove. Three bedrooms, 3-1/2 baths. \$5,950,000.



**YOU WILL FALL IN LOVE...** with this newly completed Hansen Hall designed 3-bedroom, 2-1/2-bath home. Just steps to shopping and the beach, with amenities that include stone fireplaces, limestone countertops, sound system and outdoor Carmel stone fireplace. \$1,799,000.

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*Ocean View  
Mediterranean*

Point Lobos and forest views greet you from the main living areas of this open and airy 4-bedroom, 3-bath Mediterranean hideaway located high on a hill in a forest setting. High ceiling, open floor plan, hardwood floors, guest apartment with kitchenette and master bedroom with ocean view balcony are just a few of the special amenities of this desirable 4-bedroom, 3-bath residence. \$1,595,000.



## CARMEL VALLEY



**MAGNIFICENT + VALLEY VIEWS!** Stunning interior design and contemporary architecture in this recently renovated home. Offering 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, exquisite kitchen, two offices, open-beam ceilings. Decks with BBQ-kitchen, spa, guesthouse (500 sq. ft.) and Garland Park views. \$2,350,000.

**FABULOUS ON THE FAIRWAY!** A sparkling remodeled custom-designed home facing the 6th fairway at Quail Lodge. With 3 bedrooms, 3 baths plus family room and a living room with music alcove. Ceilings throughout are vaulted, skylit and angled to catch the light. \$1,995,000

**CASA CIELO!** Handsomely gated, this 14-acre estate has unsurpassed ocean, mountain and valley views - coveted privacy, set in a world all its own. Master suite, solarium with swim-spa and sauna, 3 bedrooms, guest suite, and an atrium with 18-foot ceilings. \$2,750,000.

## CORRAL DE TIERRA

**COUNTRY AIRS...** Country farmhouse mingles both contemporary and whimsical... year

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## MONTEREY

**ABOVE IT ALL!** Bring together panoramic vistas of city lights and Monterey Bay, add convenient location and over 4800 sq. ft. of living space. This 4-bedroom, 4-bath with loft shines as one of the best values on the Monterey Peninsula. Office exclusive. \$1,475,000.



**OLD MONTEREY APPEAL!** Beautifully remodeled 3-bedroom, 3-bath home nestled in the trees. Cozy den/studio with floor-to-ceiling windows overlooks the park-like setting. The kitchen is fabulous state-of-the-art gourmet. High ceilings throughout plus a 450 sq. ft. wine cellar. \$1,100,000.

## PACIFIC GROVE

**HOME IS WHERE THE HEART IS!** Filled with light, a 2-bedroom, 1-bath home with a bright sunny, private patio, yard and garden. It has high, vaulted ceilings and large picture windows. New furnace and carpet, & exterior paint only two years old. \$599,000.



**CRYSTAL WINDOW COTTAGE!** Charming historic cottage lovingly remodeled. Aptly named for beautiful diamond-cut designs atop of the windows. On a corner, level oversized lot, it offers 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, den, a loft, wrap-around deck and peek of the sea. \$779,000.

**ARTISTIC, SERENE PIED-A-TERRE!** A unique, totally renovated multi-level 2-bedroom, 2-bath cottage. With highlights of river rock, stone and wood, custom lighting, a fabulous kitchen plus peeks of the sea and mountains. Deck & landscaped terraced gardens. \$725,500.

## PEBBLE BEACH



**BEST OF SPANISH BAY!** Superbly located with commanding tee-to-green views of the 12th hole and ocean vistas, this largest Phase III Model offers an oversized garden courtyard, 4 bedrooms, 4-1/2 baths, 2 bonus rooms and an incomparable cook's kitchen. \$2,995,000.

**ALONG SPYGLASS GOLF COURSE!** Framed on three sides by Spyglass with superb views of the fifteenth hole, this is truly one of the best locations available. On just under .5 acre on a cul-de-sac with a long curving driveway, and a deck overlooking the course. \$2,500,000.



**GRAND OCEAN VIEWS!** The Work family (large landowners of old) built their grand estate home on 1.5 acres with one of the most beautiful views of Point Lobos and the ocean! Remodeled with a ballroom-size ocean view living room, 5 bedrooms, 5-1/2 baths, and guest apartment. \$6,450,000.

**ENGLISH COUNTRY MANOR!** Enjoy seclusion behind Pebble Beach's gates in this wonderful 4-bedroom, 4-1/2-bath country manor with its classic lines and elegant flair. Gleaming hardwood floors, 3 fireplaces, a sauna, and offering luxury throughout. \$4,425,000.



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