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For people who have cars on the brain, this week has been bountiful, offering glimpses of Ed and Kay Dina's 1913 Fiat Type 56 touring car at the P.B. Concours Tour d'Elegance Thursday (above), Fandango Restaurant's diminutive Citroen in P.G. Wednesday (lower left) and a gorgeous Ford at Concours on the Avenue (lower right), where Mayor Jason Burnett presented a proclamation to Concours chairman Sandra Button (left). For complete coverage of all the can't-miss events, see our special section inside.



Hazdovac resigns after 18 years on city council

Carrie Theis picked to succeed her

By MARY SCHLEY

THE CITY council unanimously voted Wednesday night to appoint Carrie Theis, owner of the Hofsas House hotel and recent appointee to the Carmel Activities & Cultural Commission, to replace Paula Hazdovac on the council. Hazdovac, who served an unprecedented 18 years in office, tendered her resignation in a letter to Mayor Jason Burnett Friday. Her departure from the council takes effect Sept. 7, but she did not attend the Aug. 15 meeting regarding her

See HAZDOVAC page 9A

Commission OKs 9/11 memorial design, location

By MARY SCHLEY

AFTER REDESIGNING a proposed memorial honoring the victims of the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks to reflect the wishes of the planning commission, a group led by resident CarrieAnn received support last week for plans to mount a piece of World Trade Center steel on a granite boulder and place it in Devendorf Park. The Carmel City Council will have final say over the proposal.

In June, CarrieAnn (her full name) presented drawings of a pedestal of Carmel stone shaped like the Twin Towers that would hold the steel, which she obtained from officials in New York City and had transported by firefighters via fire stations and police departments across the country. The steel arrived in April and is being kept at the firehouse.

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P.G. City Council weighs repealing pension plan for cops, firefighters

By KELLY NIX

THE PACIFIC Grove City Council voted Wednesday night to look into the possibility of repealing a big pension increase that was awarded to the city's police officers and firefighters a decade ago — an increase that has been blamed, in part, for the city's crushing debt.

The council's decision was based on a report released this week indicating that the 2002 pension hike for police and firefighters may have been granted "illegally," because a public hearing wasn't held and crucial financial information on how much the boost would cost the city was not disclosed.

The council voted unanimously to consult with its attorneys and officials with the California Public Employees Retirement System to find out what steps it should take — which could include trying to nix the 2002 CalPERS contract.

"We're asking CalPERS, 'OK, we found [the pension increase] was done illegally, so what are the ramifications [of repealing the increase], and what are our options?'" city

See PENSIONS page 12A

Mission to get shrink-wrapped during retrofit

By MARY SCHLEY

HAVING RAISED \$5 million in donations and grants — including the final \$2 million in just eight months — a nonprofit announced this week that seismic retrofitting of the Carmel Mission Basilica will begin in late August and will take about six months.

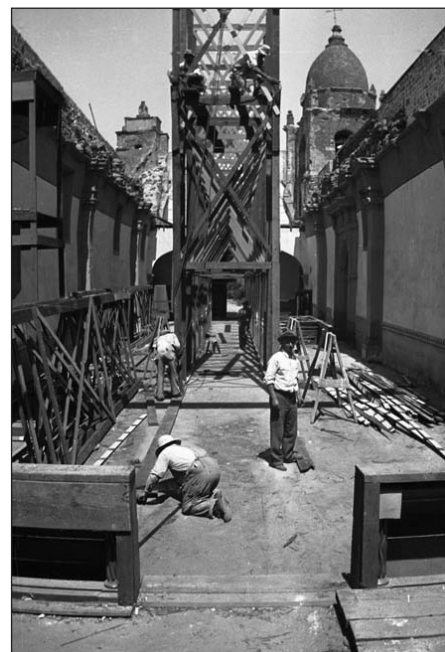
The work will include an innovative means of keeping the fog and rain out of the exposed roof: The contractor will erect a shrink-wrapped structure above it, according to Vic Grabrian, president and CEO of the Carmel Mission Foundation.

The church belongs to the Diocese of Monterey, which is letting the foundation undertake the work to protect what is perhaps the most historic building in California.

Deacon Warren Hoy, a Mission parishioner and spokesman for the diocese, said the group made the restoration possible, and without its help, the Basilica would have had to close when a new state law requiring unreinforced masonry buildings be retrofitted takes effect.

The foundation undertook the fundraising effort and retrofit "for the sole purpose of keeping the Basilica standing," he said. "We really would be unable to go on without the help of the foundation."

Shoring up the unreinforced masonry building calls for removing the clay-barrel tiles that were installed during the Mission's second re-roofing in 1936. (The Mission was founded in 1771, and the Basilica was completed in 1793 but fell into disrepair in the late 1800s.) Crews will take off the wood planks underlying the tile — but not the ceiling over the Basilica — and will drill holes down



PHOTO/COURTESY CARMEL MISSION FOUNDATION

To ensure the Mission Basilica never again looks like it did in 1936, a foundation has raised \$5 million to retrofit it.

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Sandy Claws

By Lisa Crawford Watson

Basically beagle

KIRBY IS an 11-year-old mixed breed, what with, his family doesn't know. The closest they can tell by looking at him is that he's a beagle, but there's definitely more to him. Aside from all appearances, his beagle confirmation comes in his tendency to talk and howl at the slightest provocation.

They've had Kirby since he was a puppy, adopted from a family with an accidental litter, who were giving puppies away. What they remember most about little Kirby is that he was a "rotten puppy," chewing up a fortune in fancy footwear and just about anything else he could reach.

"We just kept buying Kirby more chew toys to turn him away from chewing shoes," says his person, "and eventually he stopped. The result is that he has always loved toys and still walks around with one in his mouth. His favorite is a big, soft, fluffy dog with a squeaker inside. We always know where Kirby is. He squeaks that toy obsessively 'til we take it away."

Kirby also loves the beach, where he gets to go on rare warm evenings. He loves to swim but isn't very good at it, so his family bought him a wetsuit to help him stay afloat. He takes a little encouragement to get



in the water, usually waiting and watching other dogs go in first. But he can't resist the chew toy his family throws in, so he dashes in after it, leaving his fear on the shore.

In the evening, Kirby likes to lounge on the couch and watch television with his family. His favorite channel is Animal Planet, but someone quickly changes it if stories of injury or abuse surface. Kirby can't take the sadness and is likely to let out a howl of primal pathos.

Carolla at Sunset

COMEDIAN, ACTOR, radio personality, television host and best-selling author Adam Carolla performs Friday, Aug. 17, at Sunset Center — one day before he races at the Rolex Monterey Motorsports Reunion at the Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca.

Carolla is the host of his own syndicated radio program and the former host of the radio call-in show, Loveline. He is also the author of "In Fifty Years We'll All Be Chicks ... And Other Complaints from an Angry Middle-Aged White Guy."

He was awarded a Rolex Trophy for his performance in last year's Motorsports Reunion race. Carolla is bringing two of his favorite cars to this year's event — a 1970 Datsun 510 and 1974 Datsun 260Z. Friday's show starts at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$75. Sunset Center is located at San Carlos and Ninth. Call (831) 620-2048 or visit www.sunsetcenter.org.

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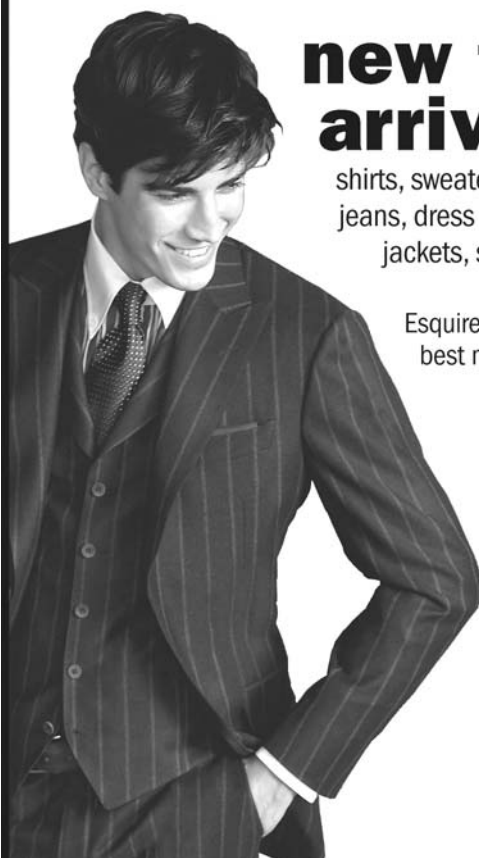
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**This week, the Service Directory is on pages
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Don't miss it!

Mayors choose consultant to review water proposals

By KELLY NIX

A CARLSBAD consulting firm has been selected to analyze three desalination projects to determine which one is the best water-supply solution for the Monterey Peninsula.

The six mayors that make up the Monterey Peninsula Regional Water Authority voted Aug. 9 to pay Separation Processes, Inc., to provide an unbiased assessment of proposals by California American Water, developer Nader Agha and businessman Brent Constantz.

SPI will include in its analysis cost comparisons, identification of project differences, financing options and scheduling. The firm will analyze the data supplied by each desal proponent to try to achieve an “apples-to-apples” examination.

“The comparison of projects will document key differences in approach, including the use of state-of-the-art versus novel or unproven technologies,” according to a letter from the firm’s president, Gerry Filteau, to Monterey Peninsula Water Management District general manager Dave Stoldt, who is also chair of the mayors’ group’s technical advisory committee.

While SPI said its strengths include planning, engineering and cost analysis of desal plants, Filteau acknowledged the company doesn’t have the capability to perform some “non-engineering disciplines” such as permitting and environmental assessments. Instead, the firm offered to hire sub-consultants for those services.

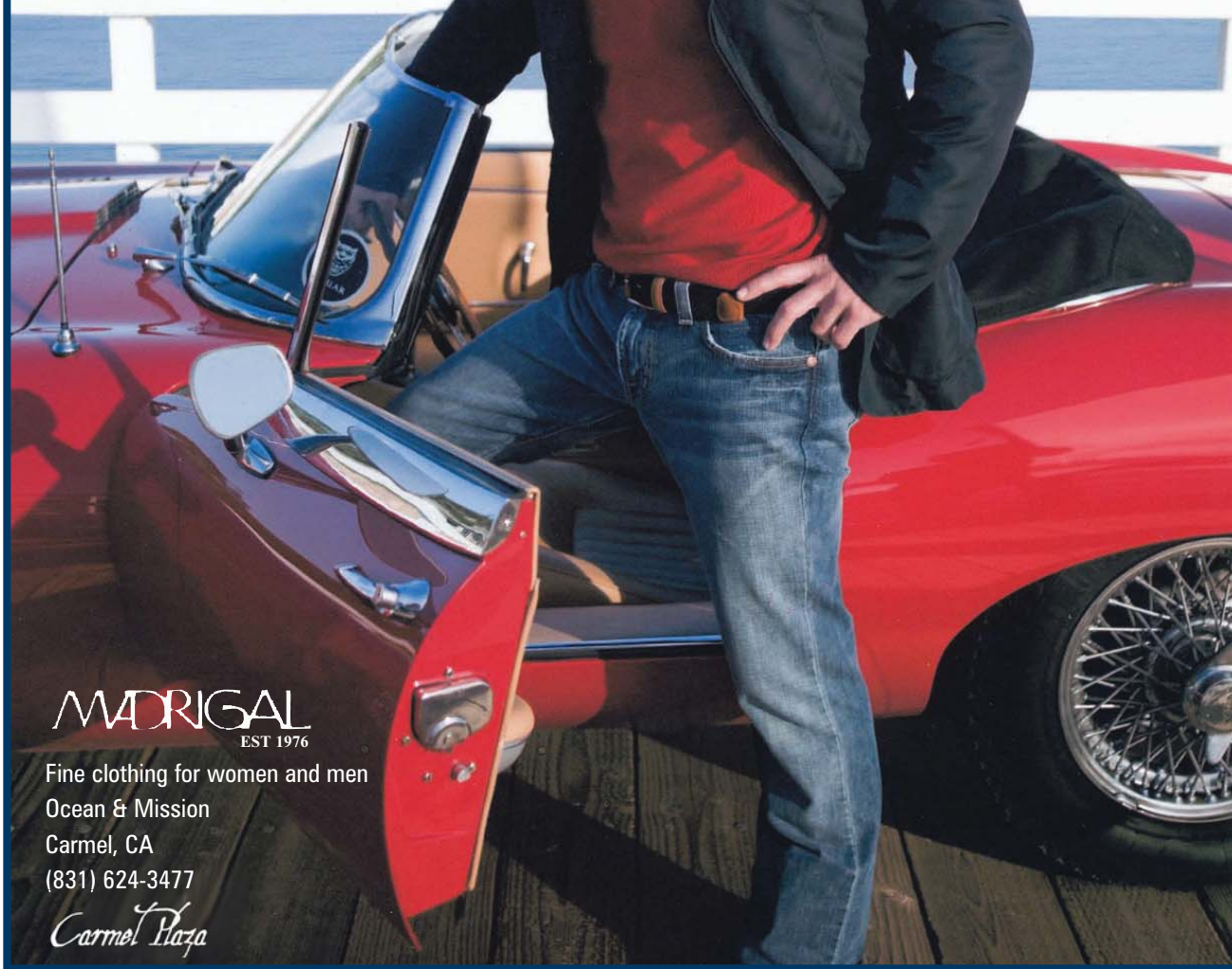
The review will consist of about 400 hours of work and will be completed in about four weeks. SPI, which also has an office in Tempe, Ariz., has requested \$2,000 for travel costs for three meetings on top of the \$60,000 for its work. The results will be presented to the mayors for their consideration.

On Aug. 1, the mayors rejected a \$58,000 bid from BASE Water Resources Consulting & Management because of CEO Ken Ortega’s alleged involvement in a corruption scandal while he was employed with the City of Oxnard.

Cal Am has proposed a \$370 million water project that includes a desal plant in Marina, water storage facilities and a treated wastewater project. Agha has promised that his plan

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Police, Fire & Sheriff's Log

Man doesn't like mother-in-law

HERE'S A look at some of the significant calls logged by the Carmel-by-the-Sea Police Department and the Monterey County Sheriff's Office last week. This week's log was compiled by Mary Schley.

TUESDAY, JULY 31

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Carmel police units responded to Monte Verde Street because of a reported vehicle burglary and a report of the theft of another vehicle.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a broken tree limb on Fourth Avenue. Forestry was notified for cleanup/removal.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Two subjects were contacted on private property on Lincoln Street and given a lawful order that they could not be present on the property or remove any personal items from the property. If the subjects were to return to the property, they could be arrested for trespassing. Both subjects acknowledged the admonishment and stated they would not return to the property.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A tourist from out of the country reported the theft of personal property from the beach.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Traffic collision on Lincoln Street. Property damage only.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a theft from a vehicle on Casanova Street. Personal articles were stolen. No investigative leads.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject reported the loss of a wallet possibly while in the commercial district. Exact location of loss is unknown.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle burglary

reported on Dolores Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subsequent to a traffic stop on Rio Road, a 17-year-old was found to be in possession of marijuana for sales. He was arrested and later released to his mother with a citation.

Pacific Grove: Report of a subject stabbed outside his residence on Forest Avenue.

Pacific Grove: Report of vandalism on Lincoln Avenue. No suspect information.

Carmel Valley: Subject on Calle de los Agrinensors reported a suspicious circumstance over real estate located in another country.

Carmel Valley: A Carmel Valley resident was stopped at Carmel Valley Road and Boronda Road for vehicle code violations and found to be driving without a license. Also found a juvenile in the vehicle not wearing a seatbelt. Driver was cited; vehicle towed.

Carmel Valley: A Carmel Valley man violated a criminal protective order.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle towed from San Carlos Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle towed from Carmelo Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Wallet found in the beach area.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Traffic collision on Mission Street.

Pacific Grove: Report of loud neighbors upstairs at a Lighthouse Avenue residence. Advised the resident to call for officer assistance

tance at the time of occurrence. Resident said they would also contact the property management. Information only.

Pacific Grove: Officer was contacted by a woman who stated that she was walking in front of a Crocker residence when a large German shepherd-type dog charged the fence. She was worried that the dog could break through the fence and reach the street. Officer informed her that a note would be left at the residence with the concerns regarding the dog. On arrival to the residence, there was no dog in the yard, and the gate was locked with a chain and lock. Left note for the dog owner to contact the officer in order to advise them of the neighbor's concerns.

Pacific Grove: Vandalism on Fifth Street with suspect information.

Pacific Grove: Report of possible prowling on 18th Street. No suspect information.

Carmel area: School official reported that several storage containers at the rear of Carmel High School had been burglarized sometime during the night or early morning hours.

Carmel Valley: A female Carmel Valley resident was stopped at Carmel Valley Road and Schulte Road for vehicle code violations. The driver was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol. The driver's vehicle was stored.

Carmel Valley: Starlite Road resident reported that during the last year several items have been missing from her home.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subsequent to a vehicle check on Scenic Road, a 57-year-old male

driver was arrested for public intoxication and failure to provide identification.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Viscaino resident reported losing a wallet within the last few days.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Bracelet found in the commercial area on Dolores Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle towed from Scenic Road for false tabs, and when the registered owner, a 61-year-old male, came to retrieve the vehicle, he showed a title that he changed the dates to and had two CDLs with different DOBs.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Tourist reported the attempted fraudulent use of her credit card at business on Ocean Avenue. After a purchase, card holder was contacted by card services and advised that two failed attempts had been made but flagged as fraudulent to out of country businesses. Card holder reported no loss but was forced to cancel her current card.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Hit-and-run on Torres Street with suspect information.


Pacific Grove: Victim on Second Street reported an unknown subject had opened multiple store credit accounts with her personal information.

Pacific Grove: Dispatched to call a subject on Second Street regarding harassment. Man reported he is in a current dispute over property. Since then, the subject believes one of the off-duty employees has been driving by his house multiple times a day to intimidate or harass him. Officer contacted the other party, who stated they do not have any employees that

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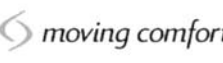


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COUNCIL HAS RESERVATIONS BUT OKS HIGHER GARBAGE BILLS

By MARY SCHLEY

THE TRASH collection company that serves residents and businesses in town finally received approval of a rate increase from the Carmel City Council last week — the first since 2008 — but its request for a cost-of-living raise fell flat.

Council members did not argue about the proposed 0.77 percent increase resulting from higher fees at the Marina landfill, considering the city's contract with Waste Management stipulates, "The collector shall receive periodic pass-through rate adjustments to cover the increased cost of dump fees at the Monterey Regional Waste Management District site."

According to city administrator Jason Stilwell's report to the council Aug. 7, the 0.77 percent rate increase resulted from disposal fees rising from \$46.25 to \$47 per ton as of Jan. 1, 2011, and from \$47 to \$48.25 per ton as of Jan. 1 of this year. The waste hauler last received pay hike from the city in 2008, and the typical residential bill for garbage collection is \$76.35 per quarter.

"It should be retroactive for 2011, and we should pay for 2012, according to the terms of the contract," councilman Ken Talmage said. "We need to make up what we did not pay."

Mayor Jason Burnett agreed the city should keep its word

and approve the rate increase for dumping fees, retroactive to Jan. 1, 2011.

The rest of the council unanimously voted in favor of the adjustment, which will bump the typical residential quarterly garbage bill to just over \$77, according to assistant city administrator Heidi Burch.

Compliance checklist, no COLA

In his report, Stilwell had recommended the council OK a rate increase of 5.85 percent, which included the 0.77 percent for dumping fees and a 5.08 percent hike based on a percentage of the Consumer Price Index, which tracks inflation. He reported the company had originally requested an overall rate hike of 10.48 percent, "but through negotiations acknowledges the amount recommended by staff."

But council members balked at giving the waste hauler a raise based on inflation, and they questioned the company's performance on a scorecard that included 32 contract issues, such as picking up and returning residential carts to and from off-street enclosures, emptying the trash bins along Scenic Road, replacing garbage cans, recycling trees, and providing and servicing porta-potties.

Talmage suggested anyone with points to make on the checklist submit them to Stilwell in writing for discussion at a future meeting, rather than undertake the time-consuming process of listing them orally that night.

At Burnett's prompting, Talmage briefly mentioned a few of his concerns, such as overflowing trash cans on Scenic Road on a Sunday morning in June while the city was hosting the Run in the Name of Love.

Councilwoman Victoria Beach wondered how much the city is paying for the premium service of having residential trash bins taken from their off-street storage spaces, rather than having garbage collected by the side of the road, as occurs in most cities.

"I would like to know how much it costs, and how to fix it or get rid of it," she said, since many renters and homeowners don't know they don't have to roll their bins out to the curb for pickup on garbage days. Beach also had issues with "the nuances of the way the contract is currently stated."

Burnett agreed with a point made by planning commissioner Steve Dallas, who wondered how the city knows when the garbage company fields complaints.

"Do we know how many complaints are being received and how they are being addressed?" Burnett asked.

Talmage also suggested querying members of the chamber of commerce, the Carmel Innkeepers Association and the Carmel Residents Association for their opinions on Waste Management's services. He called the checklist "fabulous," but said, "This is the beginning, not the end, of this process."

Dallas also commented that it seemed wrong to grant a COLA increase to a large company when the city's own employees are not receiving similar raises, and Talmage said he disagrees in principle with COLA increases, considering the CPI is based on data from Silicon Valley and not the Monterey Peninsula.

"I find it very difficult to vote for a cost-of-living increase," he said. "But if we want a whole lot more [in services], we should be willing to pay more."

The council unanimously agreed not to give a COLA raise and to discuss contract compliance sometime in the future.

Do most Carmel residents know they don't have to put their cans at the curb?



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Husband and wife plead guilty to contractor fraud, other charges

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

A MONTEREY couple who prosecutors said operated a home-improvement, paint and window-installation business pleaded guilty to a host of criminal charges, including working without contractor's licenses.

Daniel Kenneth Furness, 60, pleaded guilty Aug. 3 to six felony charges and three misdemeanors, while his wife, Collen Ann Gsell, 57, pleaded guilty to nine misdemeanor charges, according to Monterey County Deputy District Attorney Robert J. Lauchlan, Jr.

Between 2002 and 2011, Furness and Gsell operated Window Design and Fresh

Paint, furnishing and installing windows and doors, painting houses and advertising for home improvement work without licenses, in violation of the California Business and Professions Code.

"Documents which Furness or Gsell signed, and which were filed with public offices," according to Lauchlan, "were false because they alleged that Furness had no criminal record and had not received citations from the Contractors State License Board."

Furness and Gsell used contractor license numbers issued to other people and charged their customers excessive down payments, according to the district attorney's office.

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Coastal commission approves restricted parking near Aquarium

By KELLY NIX

TO STOP employees and volunteers from taking up most of the parking spaces near the Monterey Bay Aquarium, the California Coastal Commission last week approved a proposal from the City of Pacific Grove to designate 31 parking spaces near the Aquarium for two-hour parking only.

At the Aug. 10 meeting in Santa Cruz, the commission agreed to set the two-hour limit on Sloat Avenue and Ocean View Boulevard between First Street and Dewey Avenue from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Residential permit holders, however, will be allowed to park in those areas all day, every day.

A survey conducted by the city indicating that parking on Ocean View is "disproportionately" used by Cannery Row employees, "and most specifically by Monterey Bay Aquarium staff, volunteers, and docents,"

which "affects the public's ability to visit the coastal zone by inappropriately tying up the parking spaces," according to a coastal commission report.

Fifteen spaces on Sloat Avenue and 16 on Ocean View would be affected by the new restrictions. Currently, those parking areas have no time restrictions.

Time-restricting parking will protect residents from "parking conflicts" and allow the public to visit P.G.'s shoreline or local attractions "while deterring the longterm use of the spaces by employees of the Aquarium," according to the commission's report.

After the meeting in Santa Cruz, P.G. City Manager Tom Frutchey wrote in his weekly summary that coastal commissioner Mark Stone "pointed out that P.G. is a poster city for coastal access in the state, that the city's

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Sylvia Stone (Edelstein) Cushing

1913 – 2012

Sylvia passed away at her home in Pebble Beach, Calif. at the age of 99 on August 4, 2012. Born in Leningrad (at that time named St.



Petersburg), Russia on April 24, 1913. She escaped with her mother and father during the Russian Revolution. Enroute to England to join her grandparents, her father (who had been a mathematics professor at St. Petersburg University) died in Paris of wounds suffered in the Revolution. Sylvia spent much of her growing up years in Berlin, Germany, where her mother studied to become a medical doctor. They later fled to Israel. Sylvia studied languages, design and dance. During

World War II she joined the British Women's Army and was stationed in Egypt as an interpreter, and for a short time, a truck driver. After the war she worked in Switzerland. On a holiday visit to her mother in Israel, she met her beloved Allen (deceased) of Boston, Massachusetts and Phoenix, Arizona. They married in Switzerland in 1953 and lived in Phoenix until 1958, at which time they moved to the Monterey Peninsula. She briefly taught Russian at the Army Language School at the Presidio, Monterey, and later taught dance in her home studio.



She was a familiar sight in Carmel in her stylish fashions walking her standard black poodle. She will be greatly missed.

Private graveside services were held. To sign the guest book for Sylvia and leave messages for her family, please visit www.thepaulmortuary.com.

HIGHWAY 1 CLIMBING LANE TO BE EXTENDED TO RIO ROAD

By CHRIS COUNTS

THE MONTEREY County Department of Public Works applied for a permit July 25 to extend the Highway 1 climbing lane from the Carmel Valley Road intersection to about 600 yards south of Rio Road.

Completed in 2001, the climbing lane alleviated the congestion that plagued roads around the mouth of Carmel Valley every afternoon.

"The climbing lane works beautifully for eliminating the bottleneck that once existed," Fifth District Supervisor Dave Potter told The Pine Cone.

The climbing lane was so successful, it eliminated public demand for a new road and led to the final demise of the Hatton Canyon freeway. The canyon is now part of the state parks system and has been improved with a paved hiking and biking trail.

According to Potter, the advantages of extending it to Rio Road are two fold. First, the lane will do even more to ease traffic congestion, in particular coming out of Big Sur.

"If you take a look at the way traffic circulates in the Carmel area, it's really packed in the two-lane sections," explained Potter, who said extending the climbing lane will

enable "twice as many people to get through the Rio Road and Highway 1 intersection on the same signal change."

Also, the climbing lane will make it easier for emergency personnel to get through traffic.

"We have concerns about the ability of fire and ambulance vehicles" to reach their destinations without delay, Potter said.

The cost of the project is \$3.8 million, which Potter considers a bargain. "It's a very affordable fix," he added. "It's a big bang for the buck."

County spokesperson Maia Carroll told The Pine Cone that the money — which will come from state transportation improvement funds and developer fees, won't be available until 2014. As a result, construction won't begin until then.

The project would require 3,400 cubic yards of cut and 2,600 cubic yards of fill, and removing one double-trunked coast live oak and five cottonwoods.

The item is on the agenda for the next Carmel Valley Land Use Advisory Committee meeting, which is scheduled for Monday, Aug. 20, at St. Phillips Lutheran Church at 8065 Carmel Valley Road. The meeting starts at 6:30 p.m.

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Sandy is celebrated by her husband of 34 years, Danny, her mother Mary Lou and "Sisters and brothers" too numerous to list.

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Friends are encouraged to set aside a few minutes on September 2nd at 2 pm to celebrate Sandy.



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HAZDOVAC

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replacement.

After deciding not to hold a special election in March 2013 to select a candidate to finish the term, which expires in April 2014, council members debated whether to appoint her replacement that night or open the position to the public, interview applicants and vote on an appointment at a future meeting, as they did when they chose Steve Hillyard to fill Burnett's council seat.

During that process, Burnett and Hazdovac interviewed 10 candidates and ultimately recommended two: Hillyard and Theis. Councilman Ken Talmage also suggested a third contender, Michael LePage, who ended up being appointed to the planning commission.

Talmage said LePage sent an email to the council this week saying he was no longer interested in being appointed to it. "We need to make it look more fun up here," councilwoman Victoria Beach responded. "We're getting rejection letters."

Carmel Chamber of Commerce CEO Monta Potter suggested the council move ahead with appointing Theis, though she did not refer to her by name.

"I think it would be great to replace Paula, a female business owner, with a female business owner, and replace her with someone who is up to speed and has been coming to council meetings," she said.

Former Mayor Jean Grace said, "I think I know who Monta is talking about, and I agree."

Citing the time and effort so recently spent on fielding council candidates, Talmage wanted to move forward with Theis' appointment, too.

"We had two extraordinarily good candidates," he said, referring to Hillyard and Theis. "I don't see that anything has changed, and I would go ahead and take action tonight."

Burnett also praised Theis for being "up to speed on the issues," being willing to sit through often long council meetings, and being able to provide a Carmel-by-the-Sea business owner's perspective.

"I think that Carrie, in all those respects, is going to be very hard to beat," Burnett said, though he was also open to the idea of reviewing applications and recommending a candidate for appointment at a future meeting.

But Hillyard wanted the process reopened to all applicants. "If there's someone out there who thinks they can add to this council, we should give them the option," he said.

That stymied Burnett.

"I don't think we should do something where one of the four of us thinks this is not being handled correctly," he said.

But Grace stood up and told the council it's OK to disagree.

"I always had to remember that we live in a democratic republic, and sometimes there is dissension," she said. "Over the years, you're going to have to deal with something on which you don't agree ... I realize this is a terribly important issue, but it's not a crime if you don't get consensus."

Ultimately, the council unanimously voted to accept Hazdovac's resignation and appoint Theis, who will take her

seat at the dais at the Sept. 11 council meeting.

After the meeting, Hazdovac, who also thought the position should be open to all applicants, said, "Carrie is an excellent choice, even though I may not agree with the process. Her credentials are outstanding, and I am very happy for her and the city."

■ New chapter for Hazdovac

Citing increasing demands on her time due to family and the thriving business she owns with her sister, Pat, Hazdovac sent a short letter to Burnett Aug. 10 stating her plans to step down.

"This decision was not made lightly, and I have enjoyed the opportunity to serve the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea for the last 18 years," she wrote. "It is with deep gratitude that I thank the voters for electing me. I also wish to thank our dedicated and hardworking city staff for their professional sup-

port over the years."

Burnett told The Pine Cone he tried to talk Hazdovac out of resigning, to no avail. He said he'll miss her institutional knowledge, her history, her directness and her perspective, even though they didn't always agree on the issues.

"Paula was a very good council member," he observed. "She has a sense of what has worked in the past and what hasn't, and she helped us avoid the mistakes of the past. I really valued her insights and advice."

Hazdovac said she's been considering resigning for a while, given increasing demands of caring for her disabled aunt and tending to her growing business, which moved from a tiny alcove of a shop to a larger and more prominent location at Ocean and Monte Verde three years ago.

"If there were five of me, I still don't think I could get it

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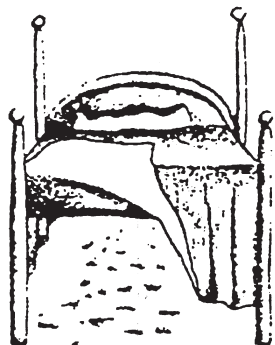
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Monterey, CA - After a brave two-year battle with breast cancer, Laurie passed away peacefully surrounded by friends and family. Her Christian faith brought her strength throughout her life and especially during her illness.



She was preceded in death by her parents, Gilbert Souza and Betty Klug Souza.

Born in Oakland, her family relocated to Monterey in 1964 when her parents purchased Rapid Blue Print from artist Danny Garcia. She graduated from Monterey High School in 1967. The following year she met and married her best friend Frank John Melicia. Together they raised three children; spending most of their time with great friends at Larsen Baseball Field in Carmel.

Laurie was a very passionate and caring person, known for her beautiful spirit and smile. She was an avid Giants fan. She also loved to camp, golf and spend time with her friends.

Laurie was overwhelmed by the support she and Frank received from the community, friends and family over the last year. We thank you! Special recognition to Dr. Jerry Rubin for his compassion and the amazing care she received from the Terrace West nurses at Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula, especially Christine Russo and Caroline Pierson.

Laurie leaves behind her husband of 43 years, Frank John Melicia. She also is survived by her three children, Michele Melicia Young (Donald Young), Cristie Nino, and Frank Melicia (Alison Melicia); her eight grandchildren, Gina Crivello, Lauren Nino, Tiffany Nino, Cole Young, Lillian Young, Rocco Melicia, Dario Melicia, and Xandro Melicia; her sister Debra Federico and brother Gilbert Souza, Jr.

A memorial service will be held on Thursday, August 23 at 11:00 a.m. at Shoreline Community Church on Garden Road in Monterey.

In Lieu of flowers, Laurie wanted donations to support Carmel Youth Baseball at Post Office Box 222895, Carmel, CA 93922.

Visit www.missionmortuary.com for condolences.

SIERRA CLUB LOSES ANOTHER LAWSUIT OVER SAND CITY 'ECORESORT'

■ Environmental group says it won't appeal any more

By KELLY NIX

THREE APPELLATE court judges this week ruled against the Sierra Club and in favor of a developer who has long sought to build a \$300 million oceanfront resort in Sand City.

In a 43-page decision released Wednesday, justices with the 6th District Court of Appeal in San Jose ruled against the Sierra Club, which filed suit over a water permit the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District granted to National Security Guaranty, the developer behind the proposed Monterey Bay Shores Ecoresort.

The Sierra Club claimed the water district failed to examine the environmental impacts the permit would have on the Carmel River and its steelhead fish population. The permit would allow the resort to use up to 90 acre-feet of water per year for its 161 hotel rooms, condominiums, restaurant, spa and conference facilities.

The resort would be located across Highway 1 from Seaside High School. Stopping it from being built has

been a priority for local environmentalists, but the judges said their latest claim had no merit.

"As we have already explained," according to the ruling by justices Franklin Elia and Eugene Premo and presiding justice Conrad Rushing, "the parties and the district acted to insure that there would be no potential adverse environmental impacts on the river associated with this permit application."

Sierra Club attorney Larry Silver told The Pine Cone the group would not appeal the case to the Supreme Court. SNG President Ed Ghandour, who has tried for nearly 20 years to build the resort, was pleased with the decision.

"I would say that this, thankfully, is the final attempt to undermine SNG's water rights and the water distribution permit for Monterey Bay Shores Resort," he told The Pine Cone after the judges issued their decision.

While the Sierra Club also argued that the water district failed to take into account the findings of the 2009 cease and desist order imposed on Cal Am that limits the company from pumping from the Carmel River, the judges said "the record reflects the contrary," since the district relied on the cease and desist order as evidence in support of its findings.

"We hold that the district did not abuse its discretion and that the trial court properly denied the writ petition," accord-

ing to the ruling.

In April 2011, Monterey County Superior Court Judge Roger Randall rejected the Sierra Club lawsuit, prompting the organization to take the case to the appeals court.

Ghandour has a long-established legal right to 149 acre-feet of water for the resort but would only use about 90 acre-feet, equivalent to roughly 29 million gallons per year. He said the ecoresort would use state-of-the-art technology, including wind and solar power, to conserve resources. The project would also involve a sand-dune restoration project.

The hotel was approved by Sand City in 1998. After agreeing in 1986 that the property could be used for development, the California Coastal Commission refused to grant a permit for the hotel several times — decisions Ghandour also successfully challenged in court.

In February 2010, Ghandour filed a \$200 million lawsuit against the coastal commission. In June, a San Francisco Superior Court judge heard arguments in the case and is expected to issue a ruling by the middle of October.

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through the 5-foot-thick walls to insert steel bars and grout in order to reinforce them. Workers will then tie the roof trusses and update the electrical components before replacing the roof timbers and tiles.

The total project will cost \$5 million, and so far, about \$1 million has been spent on studies, plans and drawings, permits and other "soft costs," according to Grabrian.

That the work is beginning this month is a testament to the foundation's fortitude and people's desire to keep the historic Mission intact, according to Grabrian. By last December, the group had just hit the \$3 million-mark, so proponents had to raise another \$2 million quickly, or put the work off another year.

But waiting until 2013 meant construction costs could rise, and the foundation might lose some of its grant money that was set to expire. Grabrian said he also disliked the idea of sustaining the unsafeness of unreinforced masonry any longer than necessary.

"The sooner we get the seismic retrofit completed, the better," he said. "The question is not if there will be another earthquake, but when."

The board decided to go for it, and Grabrian asked the contractor, Blach Construction Co. of Santa Clara, for the latest date the construction could begin this year. With an innovative means of keeping moisture out of the roof, early August was the answer.

"They came up with a different scheme of protecting the tile and the roof when the roof is off," Grabrian explained. "Instead of using the tarps they were going to put on and take off every day, they are going to put a temporary structure above the basilica and shrink-wrap it. This will keep the moisture from the rain and fog out of it."

And by the end of July, the foundation had raised the remaining \$2 million.

"Now we've got the contract basically

signed with the contractor to take the roof off," he said Monday.

Blach crews were moving into one of the buildings on the Mission property this week and later this month will begin putting up scaffolding, according to Grabrian.

"The first tiles should be coming off the Basilica around the middle of September," he said. "They are going to stack them on platforms built even with the roof instead of taking them all the way to the ground," which will also save time and reduce breakage, so as many as possible can be reused.

Then the temporary protective structure will be built and wrapped in plastic, and crews will begin working on the trusses and braces, and drilling the holes for the reinforcements.

Grabrian also reported 3D laser scanning technology typically used to document and preserve World Heritage sites is assisting in the planning and execution of the retrofit. In the hands of the contractor, the same technology is used to obtain exact measurements.

"They pre-cut a lot of the pieces, because they can use the lasers in places they couldn't get to, otherwise" he explained. "It has millimeter accuracy and can generate actual dimensions for the parts."

The work should be done by late January or early February, if all goes according to plan.

But wait, there's more

While Grabrian is proud of the foundation's fundraising accomplishments, its work is far from done, as the final phase of the Mission Basilica restoration will cost another \$2.2 million.

And if proponents can collect those funds soon, the remaining work — including plumbing and mechanical upgrades — "could be completed while the scaffolding is up and the contractor is still here," he said. "So we're still here with our hand out."

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PENSIONS

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councilman Dan Miller told The Pine Cone.

The predicament stems from an April 2002 city council decision to raise the CalPERS plan for Pacific Grove's public safety employees to "3 percent at 50" — meaning workers at least 50 years old can retire with pay equal to 3 percent of their highest year's compensation for every year they worked, to a maximum of 90 percent of their highest pay level. The plan had been at 2 percent at 50.

But the 2002 council approved the increase via the consent agenda, which is usually reserved for non-controversial and routine items and that do not require a public hearing. Furthermore, the city's staff at the time — led by city manager Ross Hubbard — did not reveal the fiscal impacts of pension increase, which current estimates put at tens of millions of dollars.

"Of course, none of these costs were shown or known to the public in 2002, although they were known to the city manager," according to a report released this week by a council subcommittee composed of Miller, Mayor Carmelita

Garcia and councilman Ken Cuneo that was tasked with looking into the 10-year-old CalPERS deal.

The 2002 staff report for the consent item made available to the city council and the public stated the fiscal impact to the city would be about \$51,500, which was only the cost of amending the contract, not the cost of the pension increase itself, which is said to cost the city at least \$800,000 per year.

The subcommittee report references a 2009 opinion by city attorney David Laredo on the 2002 CalPERS contract, in which Laredo said it's possible the ordinance that set forth the pension increase could be voided on grounds the council did not comply with the law when it approved it.

"The reality of the situation is everybody would like to get out of [CalPERS]," Miller told The Pine Cone. "We might be one of the few cities that may be able to."

The CalPERS subcommittee was formed following complaints by P.G. residents John Moore and Dan Davis who have long argued that the 2002 deal for police officers and firefighters was approved illegally and should be repealed.

Looking back at the 2002 meeting, Miller, who was not on the council then but was a regular gadfly at council meetings and has long been critical of how the city spends its money, said there were no indications the CalPERS contract would

cost the city so much money.

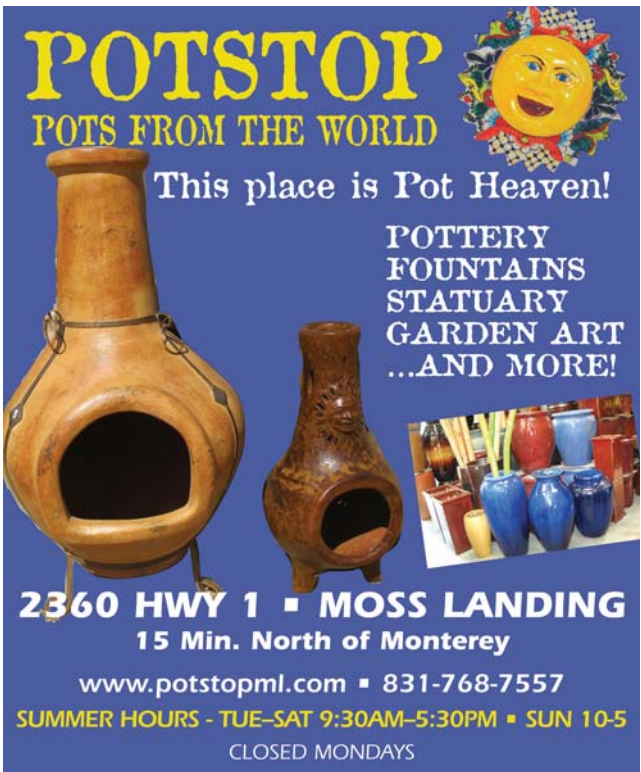
"If the agenda report had said exactly how much it was going to cost," Miller told The Pine Cone Wednesday before the meeting, "I would obviously have stepped up and said 'excuse me, how are we going to pay for this?'"

Councilman Robert Huitt, who was also on the council in 2002 and voted for the pension increase, took responsibility for his part — even though few blame the council itself for the decision, contending city's staff simply did not give the council the fiscal details of the amended contract.

"You could easily argue it was council's failure to pay attention to what the [legal] requirements were," Huitt said.

However, Huitt said even if he knew in 2002 how much the revised CalPERS contract would cost the city, he's not sure he would have voted against it. It was a different economic climate in California then and many cities were giving cops and firefighters sweetheart pension deals.

"It wasn't a particularly controversial decision at that time because [most cities were] doing it," Huitt said of retirement increases. "And the stock market was great and the city's obligations were zero. Looking back on it, it's easy to say that the only reason we did that is because we didn't have all the information. The simple truth is I don't know."



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Rio Road Starbucks meets with water agency, seeks baristas

STARBUCKS PLANS to open a coffee shop where the Black Bear Diner once existed at 3650 Rio Road. But first, the Monterey County Water Resources Agency needs to approve plans for a remodel because the building lies in a 100-year flood plain.

According to Monterey County spokesperson Maia Carroll, the MCWRA needs to determine if the remodeling work Starbucks plans to undertake constitutes a "substantial improvement" of the 4,000-square-foot building that might contribute to flood risk.

"The agency is currently working with the applicant to make that determination. It's too early to say what [Starbucks] will have to do. The water resources agency hasn't seen the project yet."

Starbucks submitted an application in February to remodel the former Black Bear Diner. The project includes reconstructing part of the building's roof.

In May, Starbucks submitted an application for the design approval of two non-illuminated signs — a 5-foot-in-diameter circular sign and a 1-foot-by-16-foot rectangular sign.

According to Starbucks' website, the Rio Road Starbucks is accepting applications for baristas and shift supervisors.

The building, which is owned by Carmel Property Co., was constructed in 1971. The Black Bear diner closed in 2008 after five years at the location.

Book signing for novel based on cross-dressing cowgirl

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An actress who lives in Los Angeles, Karen Kondazian examines the life Charley Parkhurst (1812-1879), who came to California during the Gold Rush to work as a stagecoach driver. Despite losing an eye to a kick from a horse, Parkhurst earned a reputation as one of the finest stagecoach drivers on the west coast.

In addition to driving a stage coach, Parkhurst worked as a lumberjack, a stable hand, a cattle rancher, and a chicken farmer. She spend her final years in Watsonville, and it was only after she died that it was discovered she was a woman.


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Local music scene heats up as classic car fans pour into town

By CHRIS COUNTS

WITH THOUSANDS of visitors descending upon the Monterey Peninsula this weekend, the local music scene will be sizzling. And, from cool jazz, to head-banging hard rock, there's a little something for everybody.

■ Victory Lane back at the Fuse

Paying tribute to the timeless rock and soul hits from the 1960s, '70s and '80s, Victory Lane returns Friday, Aug. 17, to the Fuse Lounge. The Monterey-based quartet features **Troy O' Shann** on vocals, "**Guitar Bob**" **Ohsiek** on guitar, **Jeff Covell** on bass and **Rod Wilson** on drums.

The following night — Saturday, Aug. 18 — **The Dino Vera Band** plays blues, soul and jazz in the lounge.

Both shows start at 9 p.m. and there's no cover. The Fuse Lounge is located inside the Carmel Mission Inn at 3665 Rio Road. Call (831) 624-1841 or visit www.carmelmissioninn.com.

■ Red Beans, Paraiso wines in Carmel

One of the Monterey Peninsula's hardest working bands, **Red Beans and Rice**, will be featured Friday, Aug. 17, in the second installment of Carmel Plaza's "Concerts in Carmel" music series.

Led by co-founder, guitarist and producer **Gil Rubio**, the

band features **Jon Gorman** on vocals, **John Tindel** on keyboards, **Brian Shaw** on bass, **Karl Stearns** on drums and **Tamas Marius** on saxophone. Together, they play a sizzling gumbo of Chicago blues, Texas swing and Louisiana zydeco.

Paraiso Vineyards will pour wine at the event. The music is free, while food and drink packages are \$15 per person. Carmel Plaza is located at the southwest corner of Ocean and Junipero. Call (831) 624-1385.



Amy Obenski

■ Shapeshifting at Plaza Linda

Santa Cruz singer-songwriter **Amy Obenski** performs Friday, Aug. 17, at Plaza Linda restaurant in Carmel Valley Village.

"Her music glides seamlessly between folk, jazz and rock, with her vocals shape-shifting to fit the mood," said **Kiki Wow**, local music promoter and singer-songwriter.

Obenski's career received a boost when one of her songs,

"Carousel," was featured in the television series, "Gray's Anatomy."

A youthful homegrown act, **Valley Soul**, plays Saturday, Aug. 18, at Plaza Linda. The band features **James Collard** on bass, **Joe Scardina** on vocals and guitar, **Tomas Howbert** on vocals and lead guitar, **Adam Ingram** on vocals, piano, and guitar, and **Richard Tripps** and **Steve Belleci** on percussion.

Like Obenski, Valley Soul travels far and wide across the map of musical influences. "Their sound ranges anywhere from folk to jazz, with a strong rock influence, funky vamps, and soulful vocals," Wow explained.

Wow shares the stage with **Guitar Bob** Sunday, Aug. 19, at Plaza Linda. The former is a talented performer who works tirelessly to bring live music to Carmel Valley Village, while the latter Wow added, is the "most stylin' player I could hope to jam with."

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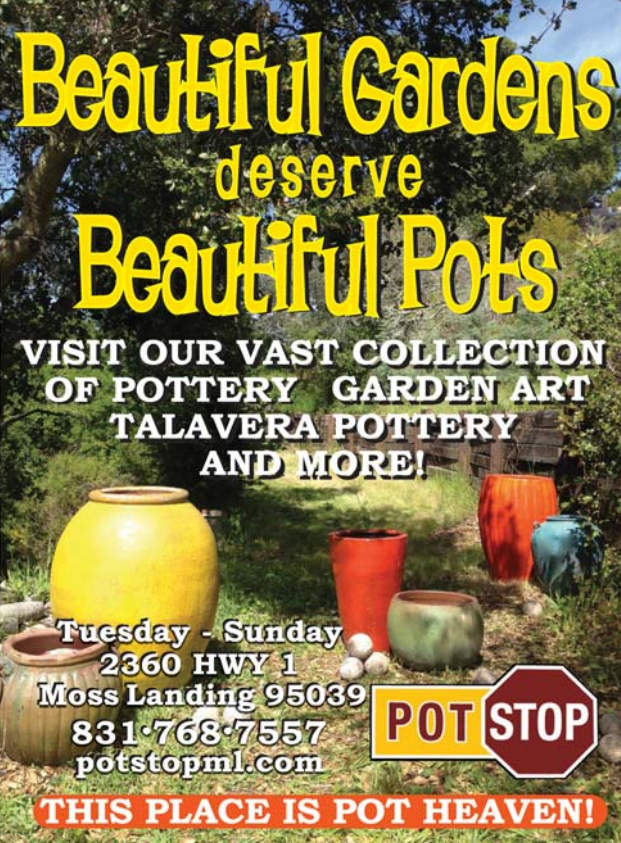
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Outlaws win 17th Big Sur softball crown

By CHRIS COUNTS

ABOUT 100 spectators and an undetermined number of ground squirrels were treated to a classic matchup Aug. 15 at Pfeiffer Big Sur State Park, when the Outlaws defeated the Deli 5-3 to win the 2012 Big Sur softball championship.

For the Outlaws — who are sponsored by Nepenthe restaurant — the title is their 17th since 1976.

To reach the championship game, the Outlaws had to win three games in three days. The task was a big challenge for a team with no reserves, a long commute and three players in its lineup who are just a decade away from collecting Social Security checks.

But the Outlaws — led by hobbled cap-

tain Aengus Wagner and a cast of cagey veterans — won all three games to capture the trophy, which will be displayed at Nepenthe for another year.

After the Outlaws took a 5-3 lead in the seventh, the Deli — with a youthful lineup featuring an impressive mix of power, defense and speed — valiantly attempted to battle back from the deficit. Trying to take advantage of the softball field's inviting 150-foot right field porch, the Deli batters kept trying to push the ball to right field, but the ageless Mark Marron played flawless defense to help keep the youngsters at bay.

Not only did this week's title game prove that old guys can beat young guys in softball,

See **SOFTBALL** page 31A

(Right) Three members of The Deli softball team can't reach a blooper hit down the right field line. (Below) After the winning the Big Sur championship, several generations of Outlaws pose before heading off to Nepenthe restaurant for a post-game victory party.

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By LEWIS ABRAHAM LEADER

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It was a silver four-door sedan with a big trunk and cloth-covered seats that still looked new. The body was virtually intact with a few minor scrapes and scratches. It had classic styling and attractive looks.

It was a basic, unpretentious way of getting from here to there and back. And (almost) always reliable. The water pump broke one night as I was driving on Highway 1 near Marina, and it used to overheat on a winding and hilly road at the mouth of Carmel Valley — so I stopped visiting the friends who lived at the top.

We never gave it a name, which some people do for their cars. It wouldn't have come if we had called, anyway.

My wife and I bought it in 2000 in Perrysburg, Ohio, a suburb of Toledo. I had already moved back to California to start a new job, and my family remained behind to finish the school year. But we needed a car. While I was back on a brief visit, my wife and I went to a dealer recommended by a co-

worker. We spotted the Taurus almost immediately and drove it a couple of times. We liked it, and we needed to buy something quickly. It had about 58,000 miles, and we paid a bit over \$8,000. My new employer shipped it west. The car ended up lasting far longer than my new job.

We liked the Taurus so much, we even bought a sibling for it, an older Taurus station wagon, which it outlived.

The sedan seemed immune to time and events. We got it late in Bill Clinton's presidency, drove it through George W. Bush's two terms, and kept in on the road over the first three years of Barack Obama's White House stay.

Like the hero of the classic children's story, "The Little Engine That Could," the Taurus sedan just kept on chugging. It ignored earthquakes, swine flu, floods, fires, global warming, nuclear contamination, tropical storms and tsunamis.

It wasn't even fazed when numerous other makes and models were recalled for repairs.

And still it looked great, like The Picture of Dorian Gray without indulgences or a veiled portrait.

I taught my daughter to drive in it, mostly on quiet weekend mornings in the deserted parking lots or on the almost-always-empty streets at Fort Ord after the Army had departed.

As the years passed, we drove it less, its prime role supplanted by a couple of other vehicles we bought.

I would occasionally see the same make and model around the Peninsula. I felt a kinship with those drivers. A

number of years ago, in a gas station, a man driving a nearly identical version asked me if I was going for the "Taurus Moonshot."

Huh? He explained that if your Taurus reaches 240,000 miles, the distance between the earth and its moon, it qualifies for a "Taurus Moonshot." Strictly unofficial. I was bemused, and as the car had about 215,000 miles on it, the achievement appeared unlikely.

Three years ago, while heading north on U.S. 101 after I had umpired a junior varsity baseball game in Soledad, the car passed the milestone and earned the honor.

I was ready to get rid of the Taurus a couple of years ago, certain that it would fail the smog test and would be too costly to repair. But it passed, virtually pleading with us to keep it. So we did.

We still drove it occasionally until a few months ago, when the "service engine" light became a permanent feature, and, sadly, I no longer considered it trustworthy.

My mechanic gave me the grim news. It would doubtless need a new and expensive catalytic converter if it failed the next smog test, which, based on his expert advice, was likely. He didn't know even if one for that make and model would be available. Clearly, our Taurus had come to the end of the road.

We canceled the insurance, didn't renew the registration, and parked it in the front yard, where it became a catch-all for the detritus of the pine tree under which it rested. The battery died.

I called a charity that collects cars. The appointment was set for two days later.

On the day inbetween, my wife and I spent the better part of an hour washing it and cleaning it out, sort of like some cultures do to a body before burial.

When the flatbed truck dispatched by the charity pulled up, we weren't anxious to let it go. Cleaned of twigs and leaves, it looked great again, for the first time in months.

The tow-truck driver must have sensed our reluctance. We talked for quite a bit. And then it was time.

He charged the battery, gently drove the Taurus onto the back of his truck, and secured it with chains for a trip to somewhere in the Bay Area. That hurt. As my wife and I wistfully watched, our Taurus disappeared.

The charity said that we could take a \$500 tax exemption. It could even end up back on the road. I hope that happens. Perhaps, one day, I will spot our Taurus sedan again.

And if I do, I hope it recognizes me.

Lewis Abraham Leader was a newspaper reporter and editor for 27 years, working at the Monterey Herald and as a regional editor for the Los Angeles Times. He and his wife reside in Carmel Valley.



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Aug. 17 - Carmel Plaza's premier summer concert series will feature the music of Red Beans & Rice, tastings from Paraiso Vineyards and Plaza Restaurant Medley. Featured local nonprofit: Monterey Peninsula Foundation. Concerts free, food & beverage tasting package: \$15. (831) 624-1385, www.carmelplaza.com/concertsincarmel.

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Aug. 18 - Zantman Art Galleries in Carmel will host an **Exhibition and Gala Reception** for **Master Impressionist Duane Alt**. The gallery and Mr. Alt are celebrating their 30-year association by unveiling more than 30 paintings from his private collection. Please visit the gallery's website to preview the paintings. Enjoy fine wine by Talbot Vineyards and appetizers by PortaBella. The reception will take place on Saturday, Aug. 18, from 4 - 7 p.m. Zantman Art Galleries is located at Sixth & Mission in Carmel. Call (831) 624-8314 or visit www.zantmangalleries.com.

Aug. 24, 25, 26 - Now That She's Gone, written & performed by Ellen Snortland. Aug. 24, 25, 26 - 7:30 p.m. Aug. 26, 2 p.m. Carl Cherry Center, Fourth & Guadalupe, Carmel. "With a name like Snortland, she'd better be good." (831) 624-7491, www.carlcherrycenter.org. Ken Gruberman, Grammy award winner says, "I liked Ellen's play so much that I married her!"

Aug. 26 - Come celebrate the 25th Anniversary Jewish Food Festival, Sunday, Aug. 26, from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Expect to indulge in comfort foods for the soul, ethnic dance and music, craft booths and other inclusive cultural activities for all ages. **Free admission and parking.** Park at Carmel Middle School and take the frequent shuttles.

Aug. 29 - Dr. Kalle Varav, American Board of Anesthesiology and Interventional Pain Physicians, a specialist in Anesthesiology and Pain Management will present a free lecture, "New Techniques in Pain Management," at The Cottages of Carmel, 3 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 29. The public is welcome. Space is limited; please call The Cottages for reservations and directions at, (831) 620-1800.

Sept. 6 - Bridge Center of Monterey. Come join us for a 10-week series learning our favorite pastime - Bridge! Meet new friends and exercise the mind. First lesson free and its Easybridge! \$5 a lesson for the remaining 9 weeks. Thursday, Sept. 6, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Reservations please. Jill, (831) 625-4421, or Lyde, (831) 626-4796, for directions and information.

Sept. 9 & 16 and 23 & 30 - "Holistic Canine Therapy" training course. Sundays 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., @ The Row Connection, Carmel Barnyard. First time offered in Carmel! Open to lay persons and professionals, alike. And essential to those working with Rescue and/or Rehab Dogs. Addressing injuries, stress, phobias and more without side effects. \$250 2days/ \$450 all 4 days. For more info, call Barb Ahern (831) 250-8800 or visit us at www.AnimalPractitioner.com.

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Photo exhibit at CAA offers window to the group's past

By CHRIS COUNTS

WHEN VISITORS walk inside the Carmel Art Association over the next two weeks, they'll be greeted by a series of black and white portraits that pay tribute to the people who created one of the Monterey Peninsula's most enduring — and dynamic — nonprofit groups.

"We call it our 'History and Legacy Wall,'" explained Sally Aberg of the CAA.

The display features about 40 striking photographs captured between the turn of the 20th century and the late 1960s.

"Most of the photos were taken in the 1920s and 1930s," Aberg noted.

The CAA was formed Aug. 8, 1927, when 19 Carmel artists met at the home of painters **Josephine Culbertson** and **Ida Johnson** with the aim of creating a group "for the advancement of art and cooperation among artists, and to maintain a permanent art gallery to advance the knowledge of and interest in art as well as fellowship between local artists and the public at large."

"No one in the room that day could have foreseen the influence that this informal alliance would have — nor the

dramatic impact this organization's members would have — on the whole of American art," Aberg said.

Included in the exhibit are some of Carmel's most accomplished and influential early artists, such as **Armin Hansen**, **Eugenia Charlton Fortune**, **Paul Dougherty**, **August Gay**, **Percy Gray**, **Henrietta Shore**, **Francis McComas** and **John O'Shea**. These local artists — as well as many others — made important contributions to a variety of mid-century movements in the art world, including the California Decorative Style, California Impressionism, the Early California Colorists, California Plein Air, Tonalism, academic portraiture, and Modernism. "Since the Carmel Art Association's birth, it has attracted many of the most influential names in California's art history," Aberg explained.

Coming from a variety of public and private collections, the original photographs were scanned — and in some cases — restored through the magic of Photoshop by Aberg's husband and CAA member, Jeffrey Becom.

The exhibit of historical photographs is part of a month-long celebration of the CAA's 85th anniversary.

Located on the west side of Dolores between Fifth and Sixth, the CAA is open every day from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call (831) 624-6176 or visit www.carmelart.org.

BEAUTY IS ONLY SKIN DEEP IN CLASSIC FAIRY TALE

By CHRIS COUNTS

APPEARANCES ARE deceiving in "Beauty and the Beast," which opens Saturday, Aug. 17, at the Forest Theater.

Presented by PacRep Theatre, the play is based on the classic French fairy tale of a beautiful young woman who befriends a tormented beast.

Starring in the PacRep production is a real-life couple, actors **Lara Fern** and **Tim Rice**. Fern plays Belle, while Rice takes on the role of the beast. The cast also includes **Kenneth Cusson** as Cogsworth, **Nancy Williams** as Mrs. Potts, **Keith Decker** as D'arque, **Lynette Graves** as Babette, and **J.T. Holmstrom** as Gaston.

Directed by **Walt DeFaria**, the play features a cast of nearly 70 actors, including 20 children, who will play knives, forks and spoons. Another 30 people, meanwhile, will be working behind the scenes to help create a dazzling visual spectacle.

"This is truly a family show," DeFaria said. "It has great charm, a wonderful story, and it's a lot of fun."

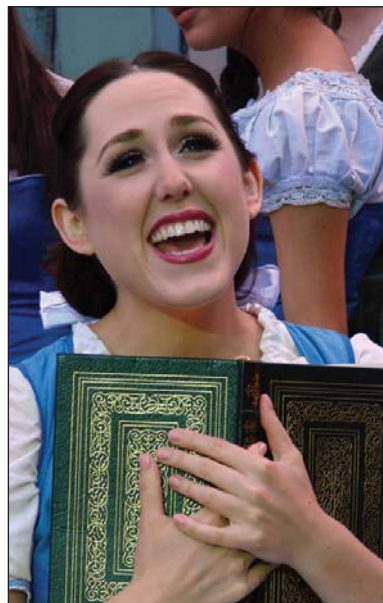
Based on Walt Disney's 1991 film version of the story, "Beauty and the Beast," will be staged Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays through Sept. 23. Thursday performances will be offered Aug. 23 and Sept. 20. All shows start at 7:30 p.m. except Sundays', which begin at 2 p.m.

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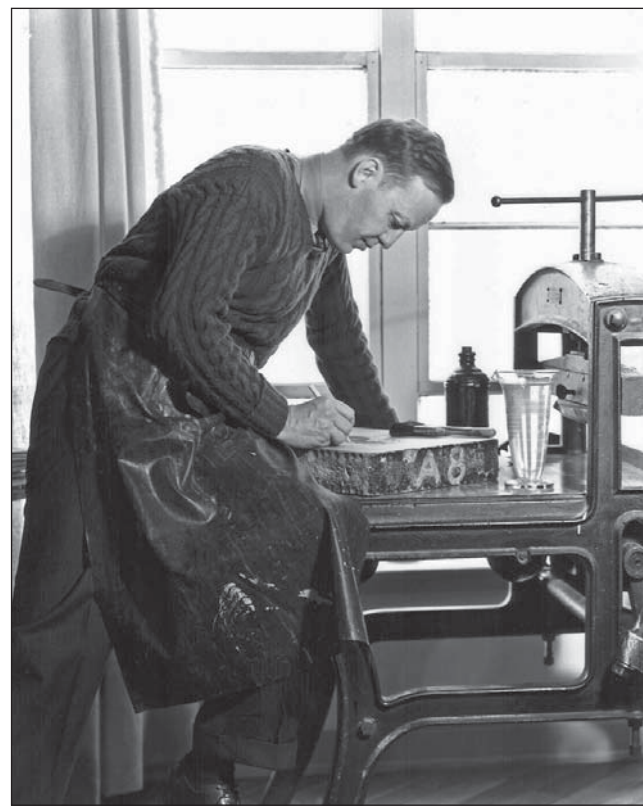
■ Making a good impression

Zantman Art Galleries hosts a reception Saturday, Aug.

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Rob Devlin plays The Beast, while Lara Fern portrays Belle in a PacRep production of the Disney classic that opens Aug. 17 at Forest Theater.



Early Carmel Art Association member Paul Whitman is featured in this vintage photograph, which is included in an exhibit at the Carmel Art Association.

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A composer's wines, a market's lessons, and a fair's feast

THE ONGOING quest for delicious dry rosé yielded another find last week at the Silvestri Vineyards tasting room in Carmel Valley Village. Located in the row of new tasting venues that includes Holman Ranch, Dawn's Dream, Parsonage, Chesebro and Cima Collina, the venue showcases wines made from film composer Alan Silvestri's small estate east of the Village. A few of them, including the juicy, well balanced and nicely acidic rosé, a 50/50 blend of Syrah and Barbera, can only be found for sale there.

Silvestri, who lives in the Carmel Highlands and is a two-time Oscar nominee, composed musical scores for "Forrest Gump," "The Avengers," "Captain America," "Cast Away," and dozens of other major productions. His first television score was for "CHiPs," and director Robert Zemeckis gave him his break in film by hiring him to write the music for "Romancing the Stone."

Winemaking is a much more recent venture, with his small vineyard producing its first vintage in 2003. While most of the vines are Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Syrah, Silvestri also grows a little bit of Pinot Blanc and Barbera. The tasting room carries the winery's inaugural 2010 Pinot Blanc — another wine that can only be purchased there — and will soon offer the first vintage of Barbera, too. All the wines are estate grown and produced, meaning Silvestri does not purchase grapes from any other growers.

Winemaker Mark Chesebro (who also makes a lovely rosé under his own namesake label) deftly capitalizes on the rich, fruity characters of the Barbera and Syrah to create a wine with a crisp acidity and character that make it easy to match with many different dishes. It sells for \$20 per bottle.

Silvestri's tasting room is located at 19 E. Carmel Valley Road in the Village and is open Thursday through Sunday from noon to 6 p.m.

Market lessons

Farmers markets in Marina Sunday and Pacific Grove Monday will offer cooking demonstrations to encourage healthy eating.

The schedule for Aug. 19 includes Savory Summer Rolls with Delicious Dipping Sauces at 10:30 a.m., followed by Tunisian Vegetable Stew over Couscous at 12:30 p.m. Kari Bernardi will lead the class on summer rolls, while Valerie Kazanski will demonstrate the stew. The Marina market is located at 215 Reservation Road and is open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

On Aug. 20 at the market on Central Avenue in P.G. that runs from 4 to 7 p.m., Happy Girl Kitchen Co. will present a 4 p.m. workshop on preserving summertime's delicious tomatoes, followed by Bernardi's summer-roll demonstration at 5:30.

Both markets are organized by Everyone's Harvest, a nonprofit that also holds them in Salinas on East Alisal and at Natividad Medical Center.

Volunteers needed

A meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Monday, Aug. 20, for anyone and everyone interested in volunteering for the Salinas Valley Food & Wine Festival taking place in October. The meeting will be located at 1032 South Main St. in Salinas, and food and drink will be provided.

While the main festival is set to run throughout the afternoon of Oct. 20 in Oldtown Salinas and to feature 50 wineries, 30 breweries and 150 vendors selling

crafts and food, winemaker dinners are set for Oct. 6 and 13, and the kickoff event, called "Uncorked," will be held Friday, Oct. 12. The proceeds benefit charity, including the Rotary Club of Salinas' foundation.

For information, contact event chair Steve McShane at (831) 970-4141.

Latkes for everyone

Congregation Beth Israel will present its 25th Anniversary Jewish Food Festival Sunday, Aug. 26, from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., when the temple grounds at 5716 Carmel Valley Road will come alive with "soulful, ethnic dance and music," traditional comfort foods and other activities that celebrate Jewish culture and faith.

Congregation members will cook and serve a wide array of traditional foods to "soothe and satisfy one's desire to nosh," like potato latkes, kugel, challah, rugelach, blintzes, corned beef and pastrami sandwiches, kosher hot dogs and matzoh ball soup.

Acclaimed folk artists Alisa Fineman and Kimball Hurd; Hoo-Tza-Tza, a Santa Cruz-based band that specializes in Klezmer and Gypsy music; Klezmer by the Sea; and Zambra, a women's vocal group singing Jewish Diaspora, will perform. A Jewish wedding, with all its celebratory excitement,

will be reenacted.

A silent auction, storytelling by Susan Newton, sanctuary tours and handmade crafts will be on offer, too, and MY Museum will bring its popular Wheelie Mobilee to entertain the kids.

Festival admission is free, and free parking is available at Carmel Middle School, where shuttles will pick up and drop off festival attendees, and pets are not allowed. For more information, visit www.carmelbethisrael.org or call (831) 624-2015.

Party in the garden, love tomatoes

Bernardus' 4th Annual Bernardus Garden Party will take place on the Carmel Valley resort's beautiful grounds Sunday, Aug. 26, from 2 to 5 p.m. Live music, new Bernardus wines and hors d'oeuvres crafted by executive chef Cal Stamenov will be presented in the summery setting of the lodge's rose garden and vineyard.

The accompanying Best of Carmel Valley raffle will benefit the nonprofit Carmel Valley Village Improvement Committee, which is "dedicated to preserving the rural

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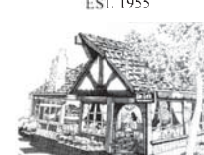
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lifestyle of the Village” and also supports the Monterey County Sheriff’s Community Field Office there. Auction proceeds will help cover the CFO’s \$700 monthly rent.

Tickets are \$65 per person, including tax and tip. Then, on Saturday, Sept. 1, the lodge will host its annual Heirloom Tomato Lunch, when Stamenov will showcase the beautiful summer and fall fruit grown by Swank Farms in Hollister in an heirloom tomato Bloody Mary bar, fried green tomatoes, garden salad with roasted tomato vinaigrette, chilled corn soup with heirloom tomato salsa and cherry tomato gratin.

Those dishes will be complemented by warm herb butter-milk biscuits, potato salad, watermelon with mint vinaigrette, Cal’s “picnic” chicken, whole roasted salmon with water-cress aioli, grilled Caggiano artisan sausages, zucchini cupcakes with lemon frosting, carrot cake cookies, dark chocolate pudding and plum tarts.

The cost of the lunch is \$95 per person, inclusive of tax and gratuity. Bernardus Lodge is located at 415 Carmel Valley Road and Los Laureles Grade. For reservations, call (831) 658-3515. www.bernardus.com

■ **Dog days of wine**

Holman Ranch’s Carmel Valley Village tasting room will

honor National Dog Day Sunday, Aug. 26, by holding a special tasting from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. that will benefit the Animal Friends Rescue Project.

Tickets are \$20 per person and include a professional human-and-canine portrait by Ensemble Productions, wine tasting and small bites from Wild Thyme Deli in Marina.

For the dogs, Mundaka chef Brandon Miller will demonstrate how to bake dog biscuits and will even provide the recipe and a sample for guests to take home. The demo will begin at 11:45 a.m.

Next door, Taqueria Del Valle will also offer a deal benefiting AFRP, with half of the proceeds of the \$10 meal, which includes two tacos and a salad, going to the Pacific Grove-based animal welfare group.

And two days later, Holman Ranch will host a popup dinner in its vineyard to benefit the Food Bank for Monterey County. The historic ranch is the ideal spot for an al fresco feast among the vines, and its wines will be poured alongside delicious dishes. The event will begin at 6 p.m. Aug. 28 and costs \$95 per person, inclusive.

To learn more about both events, visit www.holman-ranch.com.

■ **Fare at the fair**

The Adult Home Arts Building at the Monterey County Fair will offer lots of tasty treats throughout the Aug. 29-

Sept. 1 event, beginning with home-baked pies, cakes and cookies at an Opening Day reception, “A Very Berry Extraordinary Dessert,” reflecting this year’s theme.

“Kick Some Bundt” will follow on Thursday, and “Shall We Salsa” will be presented on Aug. 31. “The Family Connection” will be Sept. 1. The traditional favorite, “Let Them Eat Cake,” will be held Sept. 2, and the fair will conclude with “Who Stole the Cookie from the Cookie Jar?” Sept. 3. Each event begins at 7 p.m.

Meanwhile, the “Commodity of the Day” will be showcased in the Ag Building, as will produce available for purchase at the Country Store. Cal Strawberry will offer samples Wednesday, Ocean Mist will serve fried artichoke hearts Aug. 31, and on Sept. 1, Naturipe will provide berries and Reddi-wip.

During the “Wine Challenge at the Fair,” on Thursday from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Ag Building, attendees can taste Gold Medal winners and other highly regarded wines from Central California. The next day, the “Beer Stamped Beer Tasting” will take place in the garden adjacent to the Payton Garden Stage and will benefit the Monterey County Fair Heritage Foundation.

Tickets for the wine tasting and the beer tasting are each \$20 in advance (including fair admission) or \$20 at the door. For more information, visit www.montereycountyfair.org.

■ **A British breakfast**

Through the end of August, native Englander Karen Murray, chef and owner of Eddison & Melrose, is offering a special British Breakfast, by reservation only between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, in her boutique and tearoom at 25 Soledad Drive in Monterey.

For \$13, the British Breakfast Menu features traditional bacon and eggs, grilled tomatoes, baked beans and scones, along with a pot of tea. Guests with breakfast reservations at the tearoom will also receive a free bag of Murray’s house-made granola when they go in to dine.

Call (831) 393-9479 or email eddisonmelrose@hotmail.com to reserve.

■ **Fall at Peter B’s**

Peter B’s Brewpub in the Portola Hotel at the foot of Alvarado Street in Monterey is debuting a new fall beer lineup that includes Pumpkin Beer, Scotch Ale and Coffee Stout.

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It was 1909 when San Francisco’s Bohemian writers, poets and artists journeyed to Carmel-by-the-Sea to find their artist’s paradise. They formed the Forest Theater Society and their dream of an artist colony. It began with Herbert Heron, Jack London, Mary Austin, George Sterling and many other artists who envisioned a community outdoor theater set in a forested natural amphitheater. With the help of their community, they made their dream come true and throughout the years, many artists and community members have contributed and performed on this stage, continuing it’s traditions and live performances for our community’s benefit and enjoyment. The Forest Theater still follows in the footsteps of it’s founding organization and has continued today as our local Bohemian community theater troupe of Carmel providing quality theatrical productions for your enjoyment.

We have come a long way since 1909, however, the challenges of ‘Community Theater’ are every present today with our current economic conditions and competition for funding and grants at a peak. Our commitment to present quality productions while mentoring our community youth has remained our mission, however costs have increased, from rights to quality plays and to our production expenses and staffing, to produce our shows. Our two main stage productions and much-loved “Films in the Forest” are reaching over \$100,000 per season in costs, with only 20% of these costs supported by tickets sales. We must raise the remaining funds from our community fund drives, grants and donations from you – our friends, neighbors and visitors to the Forest Theater. We cannot exist without YOU.

We are urgently asking for your help to raise the necessary funds to purchase our rights for next season’s live plays and fund our film series so that we can present the very best entertainment in theater arts to you – our community. Please donate to us now so we may meet a matching grant for our upcoming season. Become a donor for \$100 and receive two tickets to “Opening Night 2013”, or become a Bohemian member for only \$150 and receive benefits of tickets to our season ahead. And if you want to make sure your donation will continue year after year, please think about offering an endowment or monthly amount that will help the Forest Theater Guild continue it’s long history well into the future. Donations can be made online at www.foresttheaterguild.org or you can mail your check to; Forest Theater Guild, P.O. Box 2325, Carmel, California 93921. As a bonus, our biggest donation will “WIN TWO FRONT ROW SEATS” for the ENTIRE 2013 Season of live plays and “Films in the Forest”. Any donation of \$100 or more will receive two free tickets to our Opening Night performance in May 2013 and will be entered to “Win a backstage party for ten of your friends”!!! Every donation counts so please give generously.

Thank you for supporting the Historic Bohemian Community Theater of Carmel.
Rebecca Barrymore, Executive Director of the Forest Theater Guild

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ART

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18, for painter **Duane Alt**.

"He's the most-collected artist to come out of our gallery in 53 years," gallery owner **William Zantman** explained. "We've had an association with him for over 30 years. He's a master impressionist."

Before establishing himself as a painter, Alt worked as an art director and production designer for MGM, 20th Century Fox and Warner Bros. Studios. He was also part of the creative team that came up with rides at Disneyland like the Pirates of the Caribbean, the Haunted Mansion and the Jungle Boat Cruise.

While he was working on a film in Paris, Alt discovered the French Impressionists of the 19th century. A short time later, he retired from the film industry to pursue his love of painting. He returned to France many times to further his study of Impressionism.

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pieces of work from his private collection, many of which have never been publicly displayed.

The reception — which features wines from Talbot Vineyards and appetizers from Portobello's — starts at 4 p.m. The gallery is located at Sixth and Mission, next to the Carmel Fire Station. Call (831) 624-8314 or visit www.zantmangalleries.com.

■ Dueling views of automotive art

Winfield Gallery hosts receptions Saturday, Aug. 18, for two artists — **Karen Shapiro** and **Mark Furman** — whose work pays homage to the fine art of the automobile.

Taking Andy Warhol's concept that most commercial art has creative merit, ceramic artist Karen Shapiro has created a series of "sculptures" depicting seemingly ordinary automotive objects, such as an oil can, a brake fluid container and a spark plug box. For Shapiro, half the fun of her work is meticulously decorating the objects with colorful mid-20th century graphics.

"She's done a whole series of different vintage car products," gallery owner **Chris Winfield** said. "They're wonderful pieces that are a lot of fun."

A resident of Mendocino County and a former pastry chef, Shapiro has used ceramics to create a wide variety of common household consumer goods. Her pieces are frequently confused with the real-life objects they seek to emulate.

Furman, meanwhile, is a master studio photographer with a great affection for classic cars. To create studio space for this year's Concours d'Elegance, he rented out a hanger at

Monterey Airport.

"Michael takes cars and presents them in a different way," Winfield explained. "His eye is incredible."

The reception starts at noon. Winfield Gallery is located on the east side of Dolores between Ocean and Seventh. Call (831) 624-3369 or visit www.winfieldgallery.com.

■ Photo contest deadline coming soon

If you would like to submit one or more of your photographs for consideration in the juried exhibit, "The Magic of Point Lobos," the deadline is Monday, Aug. 20.

The show, which will be hosted by the Carmel Art Institute, opens Sept. 28 at its gallery in The Barnyard shopping center. The contest, which will be judged by photographers **Richard Cannon**, **Doug Steakley** and **Robin Robinson**, will feature cash prizes of \$1,000, \$500 and \$250. A \$35 registration fee is required. Call (831) 309-0126 or visit www.carmelartinstitute.com.

■ Up on the roof

The Cayen Collection — a Carmel jewelry shop — is hosting an exhibit of artwork this weekend on the rooftop of its next door neighbor, Grasing's Coastal Cuisine. The display will showcase a variety of artists from Winfield Gallery, including painters **Willard Dixon**, **Peter Loftus** and **Robert Santos**.

The exhibit will be on display Friday, Saturday and Sunday from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

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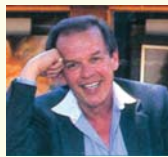
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BEAUTY

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Forest Theater is located at Santa Rita and Mountain View. Tickets range from \$34 to \$38 with discounts available for seniors over 65, students, children, teachers and active military. Call (831) 622-0100.

■ Guild needs help

For the past four decades, the Forest Theater Guild has staged plays and screened films at Carmel's historic outdoor theater. But the nonprofit theater group has been hit hard by the economy. As a result, executive director **Rebecca Barrymore** is asking the public for support.

"It's been a very tough year," Barrymore told The Pine Cone. "Attendance is down. We really need help right now."

The nonprofit theater company has been trading water since at least 2009, partly the result, Barrymore explained, of a fundraising effort gone haywire. "When I came aboard [that year], the guild was pretty much bankrupt," she said.

To cobble together enough funding over the past four years to stage two ambitious productions a season at a cost of \$50,000 each.

In response to the guild's financial woes, Barrymore has worked hard to secure grants to make up the shortfall. "But grants are getting harder to obtain," she noted. "It's getting more competitive."

To help match a \$5,000 grant from the Harden Foundation, the guild has launched a fundraising push this month. Barrymore is offering an enticement to the donor who makes the biggest contribution. "The winner gets two front row seats to 40 performances and 25 different films," she explained.

And even if you make just a small contribution to the guild's coffers, you still have a chance to win something big.

"Everybody who donates is entered in a raffle," Barrymore said. "The winner gets a backstage party and wine reception for themselves and 10 of their friends."

If the guild is able to raise enough money for another season, Barrymore hopes to bring two productions — "The Mikado" and "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" — to the Forest Theater in 2013.

For information about how you can help, call (831) 626-1681 or visit www.foresttheaterguild.org.

■ One more fling?

"The Last Romance" continues Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays at the Magic Circle Theatre in Carmel Valley through Sept. 9.

Written by Tony Award-winning playwright Joe DiPietro, the play tells the story of 80-year-old widower, Ralph, who tries to woo the elegant but distant Carol. But the road to romance, he rediscovers as an octo-

genarian, is paved with many challenges. Featuring a cast of **Aaron Arias**, **Virginia Bell**, **Teresa del Piero** and **Rollie Dick**, the play is directed by **Elsa Con**. Friday and Saturday performances start at 7:30 p.m., while Sunday matinees begin at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$22, with discounts available for seniors and students on Sundays. The theater is located at 8 El Caminito. Call (831) 659-7500 or visit magiccircletheatre.net.

FOOD

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The ale marks a collaboration with Campbell Brewing, while the stout was made with the help of Acme Coffee, which is roasted in Seaside.

The new beers will begin appearing next month in the recently renovated brewery, where master brewer Kevin Clark can now create an additional 18,000 gallons onsite, thanks to the expansion. With so many resources at his disposal, he will continue exploring seasonal options to offer guests throughout the year. Clark joined Peter B's in late 2010, and his talent helped net the brewery a silver medal for its Amber Ale and a bronze for its Ford Ord Wheat at the 2011 World Beer Championships. The Fort Ord Wheat Ale took another bronze at this year's championships.

To learn more, visit www.portolahotel.com or call (831) 649-1699. For reservations, call (831) 647-4805.

■ September = California Wine Month

Next month, wineries and restaurants all

over the state will promote home-grown grapes and local wines for California Wine Month, and Tarp's Roadhouse at Highway 68 and Canyon del Rey in Monterey is already set to host a six-course wine dinner in collaboration with Bernardus, Paraiso and Pessagno wineries Thursday, Sept. 13.

Beginning at 6 p.m. in the Library Room, winemakers Dean De Korth from Bernardus, David Fleming from Paraiso and Steve Passagno from Passagno will be on hand to chat with guests and share stories about their creations.

Chef Michael Kimmel has already created the menu, including oven-roasted prawns wrapped with bacon and prosciutto-wrapped dates stuffed with Gorgonzola for the reception, a first course of wood-fired Atlantic salmon on baby lettuces, filet of sole turbans stuffed with shrimp and baby spinach for the second course, lamb tenderloin with Gruyere scalloped potatoes for the third, grilled pork tenderloin in a bourbon molasses glaze and rice for the fourth, short ribs in a BBQ demi-glace with whipped potatoes for the fifth, and warm chocolate molten lava cake with vanilla ice cream for dessert.

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P.G. museum screens trio of short films

THREE SHORT films showcasing the flora and fauna of the Monterey Peninsula's shoreline will be presented Tuesday, Aug. 21, at the Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History.

The three 15-minute films include "The Sanderlings of Asilomar Beach," "The Blue Banded Hermit Crab" and "The Arch of Pacific Grove." All three have won awards at

the International Wildlife Film Festival in Missoula, Montana. Filmmakers Steven and Mary Albert will be on hand at the screening to talk about their work.

Showtime is 7 p.m. The cost is free for museum members and \$5 for non-members. The museum is located at 165 Forest Ave. Call (831) 648-5718 or visit www.pgmuseum.org.



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Case Number MP 20808
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of JOSE R. MARQUEZ-LUNA, JOSE ROSARIO MARQUEZ-LUNA, JOSE R. MARQUEZ.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by GUADALUPE MACIAS MARQUEZ in the Superior Court of California, County of MONTEREY.

The Petition for Probate requests that GUADALUPE MACIAS MARQUEZ 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 in this court as follows:
Date: Friday, Aug. 17, 2012
Time: 10:00 a.m.

Dept.: 16
Address: Superior Court of California, County of Monterey, 1200 Agujito 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:
Kathleen A. Brewington
555 soquel Avenue, Ste. 320
Santa Cruz, CA 95062
(831) 459-8498
(s) Kathleen A. Brewington,
Attorney for Petitioner.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 11, 2012.

Publication dates: July 27, Aug. 3, 10, 2012. (PC732)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20121413. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **TECHCONCIERGE**, 26384 Carmel Rancho Ln. Ste 102, Carmel, CA 93923. Monterey County. VANJA TRISTANNE THOMPSON, 3 Camino del Monte, Carmel, CA 93921. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: N/A. (s) Vanja Thompson. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 13, 2012. Publication dates: July 27, Aug. 3, 10, 17, 2012. (PC 724)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20121433. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **Laurel Meadows Dialysis, 3 Rossi Cir., Ste. B, Salinas, CA 93907**. Registrant(s) name and address: Conconully Dialysis, LLC, 1551 Wewatta Street, Denver CO 80202. This business is conducted by A Limited Liability Company. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 7/17/2012.

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Steven I. Grieger

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File No. 20121414. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **South Bay Structural Iron, 1010 N. Sanborn Rd., Apt. #27, Salinas, CA 93095**; County of Monterey. Rosendo Serrano Lara, 1010 N. Sanborn Rd., Apt. #27, Salinas, CA 93095.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

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S/ Gregory Bryant

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey on July 16, 2012.

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CARMEL PINE CONE
Publication dates: July 27, Aug. 3, 10, 17, 2012. (PC 729)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20121483. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **1. MY OWN BOOKS**
2. CREATED JUST FOR YOU
26785 Paseo Robles, Carmel, CA 93923. Monterey County. PAMELA S. NOTO, 26785 Paseo Robles, Carmel, CA 93923-9543. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: N/A. (s) Pamela S. Noto. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 23, 2012. Publication dates: July 27, Aug. 3, 10, 17, 2012. (PC 733)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20121442. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **SMART COMPUTER REPAIR**, 10 Filice St. #5, Salinas, CA 93906. Monterey County. ISAIAS VASQUEZ MORA, 1583 Devonshire Way, Calinas, CA 93906. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: N/A. (s) Isaias Vasquez Mora. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 17, 2012. Publication dates: July 27, Aug. 3, 10, 17, 2012. (PC 734)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20121402. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **1. VISIONS**
2. DOGGIE GAZETTE
3. PAIG RIDER
Lincoln between 7th & 8th 2 SE, Carmel, CA 93921. Monterey County. ROBERT MELVIN GREENE, Lincoln between 7th & 8th, Carmel, CA 93921. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: 1991. (s) Robert M. Greene, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 11, 2012. Publication dates: July 27, Aug. 3, 10, 17, 2012. (PC 734)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. M118779.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: petitioner, ISABELLE RACUSIN, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A. Present name:
ISABELLE RACUSIN
Proposed name:
ISABELLE MAGANA

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING:
DATE: August 31, 2012
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
DEPT.: 14

The address of the court is 1200 Agujito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: The Carmel Pine Cone, Carmel.

(s) Kay T. Kingsley
Judge of the Superior Court
Date filed: July 16, 2012
Clerk: Connie Mazzei
Deputy: Carmen B. Orozco
Publication dates: July 27, Aug. 3, 10, 17, 2012. (PC731)

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. CA-12-505848-VF

Order No.: **120123198-CA-BFI YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 11/16/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.**
A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 to the Financial code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. **BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE.** Trustor(s): **MARY E. ROOT, A SINGLE WOMAN AND JENNEFER A. ROOT, A SINGLE WOMAN** Recorded: **11/30/2006** as Instrument No. **2006105279** of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of **MONTEREY** County, California; Date of Sale: **9/7/2012 at 10:00:00 AM** Place of Sale: **At the main entrance to the County Administration Building, 168 W. Alisal Street, Salinas, CA 93901** Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: **\$688,114.96** The purported property address is: **25 VIA CONTENTA, CARMEL VALLEY, CA 93924** Assessor's Parcel No. **187-521-011-000** **NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS:** If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

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The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Karin D. Morrell

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey on July 19, 2012.
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at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. **NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER:** The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call **714-573-1965** for information regarding the trustee's sale or visit this Internet Web site <http://www.qualityloan.com>, using the file number assigned to this foreclosure by the Trustee: **CA-12-505848-VF**. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. **If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagee, the Mortgagee's Attorney, Date: Quality Loan Service Corporation 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 714-573-1965 Or Login to: <http://www.qualityloan.com> Reinstatement Line: (866) 645-7711 Ext 5318** Quality Loan Service Corp. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. **THIS NOTICE IS SENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING A DEBT. THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ON BEHALF OF THE HOLDER AND OWNER OF THE NOTE. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED BY OR PROVIDED TO THIS FIRM OR THE CREDITOR WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.** As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. TS No.: **CA-12-505848-VF** IDSPub #0033630 8/17/2012 8/24/2012 8/31/2012 Publication dates: Aug. 17, 24, 31, 2012. (PC 801)

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20121358. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **RIGHT SOLUTION 4 U**, 121 Hitchcock Cyn. Carmel Valley, CA 93924. Monterey County. TRAWICK GROUP CONSULTING LLC, CA, 121 Hitchcock Cyn, Carmel Valley, CA 93924. 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) Jonathan Trawick, Manager. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 6, 2012. Publication dates: Aug. 3, 10, 17, 24, 2012. (PC 803)

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The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Karin D. Morrell

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CARMEL PINE CONE
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20121488

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

What the Heck Veggies, 35046 Sky Ranch Rd., Carmel Valley, CA 93924, County of Monterey

Flickit, LLC, 35046 Sky Ranch Rd., Carmel Valley, CA 93924. This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)

S/ Michelle Katherine Barnett, Managing Member
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CARMEL PINE CONE
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20121452. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **TIGER LILLY FLORIST & GIFTS**, 7th Ave & San Carlos St., P.O. Box 7254, Carmel, CA 93921. Monterey County. TBL & HKK CORPORATION, CALIFORNIA, 7th Ave & San Carlos St., P.O. Box 7254, Carmel CA 93921. This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: July 19, 2005. (s) Tae Bok Kim, President & Hong Kuk Kim, Treasurer/Secretary. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 18, 2012. Publication dates: Aug. 3, 10, 17, 24, 2012. (PC 806)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20121435. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **FUNCTIONAL INTEGRATED TRAINING**, 1109 Austin Ave., Pacific Grove, CA 93950. Monterey County. DONALD IMAMURA, 1109 Austin Ave., Pacific Grove, CA 93950. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: August 2007. (s) Donald Imamura. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 17, 2012. Publication dates: Aug. 3, 10,

LETTERS

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a glimpse of hatred and bigotry in its ugliest and most vindictive form. It is very hard to understand why this frightened couple would ever choose to live in such a dangerous environment with the off chance that a tree may fall and the audacity of this "thug tree" lifting their driveway and causing them bodily harm and crushing water pipes, not to mention

the possibility of (I'm quoting from the article) "catastrophic loss of life" if the tree does decide to get revenge and fall down. If this tree was a human it would undoubtedly get life without parole considering all of the alleged damage it has caused and could continue to cause. Actually the thought of the "Hansel and Gretel" cottages being crushed might not be such a bad idea, Comstock is overrated. This particular tree is healthy and free of pitch canker which makes it even more sad that it should lose its life at the whim of "tree bigots."

What is the point of having a city forester and forest and

beach commission if their expertise can be over ruled and intimidated by bullies? As for agreeing to replace the tree, well we all know that old line, mysteriously the new tree disappears and is soon forgotten. Shame on the city council for being intimidated by people who obviously don't have a clue about the essence of Carmel and would be better off living in an asphalt jungle rather than an urban forest. Thank you Mayor Burnett for supporting the city forester and beach and forestry commission.

Randell Kent Bishop, Carmel

PUBLIC NOTICES • PUBLIC NOTICES • PUBLIC NOTICES

T.S. No.: 1205508CA Loan No.: 140639 A.P.N.: 418-261-047 **NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 7/3/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.** A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the notes(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: JOSE OSEGUERA, A MARRIED MAN Duly Appointed Trustee: Seaside Trustee, Inc. Recorded 7/9/2007 as Instrument No. 2007053992 in book , page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Monterey County, California. Date of Sale: 8/31/2012 at 10:00 AM Place of Sale: At the Main Entrance to the County Administration Building, 168 W. Alisal Street, Salinas, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$435,979.61 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 37200 NASON ROAD #55 , CARMEL VALLEY, CA 93924 A.P.N.: 418-261-047 As required by California Civil Code Section 2923.54, the current beneficiary, loan servicer or authorized agent has declared one of the following: 1. The timeframe for giving this notice of sale as specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2923.52 or 2923.55 2. The mortgage loan servicer has obtained a final or temporary order of exemption from the commissioner pursuant to Section 2923.53 and it is current and valid as of the date this Notice of Sale is filed. 3. The requirements of California Civil Code Section 2923.52 have been met. As required by California Civil Code Section 2923.5, the current beneficiary has declared to Seaside Trustee Inc, the original trustee, the duly appointed substituted trustee, or acting as agent for the trustee, that the requirements of said section have been met by one or more of the following: 1. Borrower was contacted to assess their financial situation and to explore the options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure 2. The borrower has surrendered the property to the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary or authorized agent 3. Due diligence to contact the borrower was made as required by said Section 2923.5. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. 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If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 800-50-SALES Sale line or visit this Internet Web site www.prioritposting.com using the file number assigned to this case 1205508CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may

not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: 8/6/2012 Seaside Trustee, Inc. Trustee Sales Information: 800-50-SALES www.prioritposting.com Seaside Trustee Inc. P.O. Box 2676, Ventura, Ca. 93014 Jessica M. Weber, Vice President P973444 8/10, 8/17, 08/24/2012 Publication dates: Aug. 10, 17, 24, 2012. (PC 816)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TTD No.: 20111080564179 Loan No.: 3062731603 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 06-13-2006 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 09-04-2012 at 10:00 A.M., TITLE TRUST DEED SERVICE COMPANY, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 07-10-2006, as Instrument No. 2006060587, in book III, page III, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of MONTEREY County, State of CALIFORNIA, executed by CATHERINE L DANNELS, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, WILLIAM RAY DANNELS, AN UNMARRIED MAN, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) at AT THE FRONT OF THE MAIN ENTRANCE OF THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING LOCATED AT 168 W. ALISAL STREET, SALINAS, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, and State described as: APN No.: 007-531-017-000 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1148 ARROYO DRIVE PEBBLE BEACH CA 93953 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale of property will be made in "as is" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$1,212,965.21 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 714-730-2727 for information regarding the trustee's sale, or visit this Internet Web site www.ipsasap.com for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case 20111080564179. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: 08-09-2012 TITLE TRUST DEED SERVICE COMPANY EDDIE TLASECA, AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE Sale Line: 714-730-2727 or Login to:

www.ipsasap.com If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. We are assisting the Beneficiary to collect a debt and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose whether received orally or in writing. A-4284025 08/10/2012, 08/17/2012, 08/24/2012 Publication dates: Aug. 10, 17, 24, 2012. (PC 817)

T.S. No. 292718 Order No. 7742-445418 Loan No. 292718 **NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 3/11/2009. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.** A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (800) 720-7827 or visit this Internet Web site (WWW.PRIORITPOSTING.COM), using the file number assigned to this case (TS#292718). Information about postponement that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Trustor: Naft Petroleum, Inc., a California Corporation Deed of Trust recorded: 04/10/2009 as Instrument Number 2009021475 of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Monterey County, California Date of Sale: 8/31/2012 at 10:00 AM Place of Sale: At the Main Entrance to the County Administration Building, 168 W. Alisal Street, Salinas, CA 93901 Amount of unpaid balance and other reasonable estimated charges: \$998,911.87 Street Address or other common designation of purported real property: 27800 Dorris Drive, Carmel, CA 93923 APN: 169-235-019 SEE EXHIBIT "A" (LEGAL DESCRIPTION) ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF EXHIBIT "A" Parcel I: Lot numbered 1 in Block Numbered 1, as said Lot and Block are shown on that certain map entitled Map of "Tract no. 310, Berwick Manor" filed in Volume 6 of Maps, "Cities and Towns", at page 114, Monterey County Records. Excepting therefrom all that portion of said Lot 1 conveyed in the Deed to the County of Monterey State of California, a body politic and corporate, of the State of California, record January 12, 1970 in Reel 635 of Official Records of Monterey County, at Page 388. Parcel II: All that portion of Lot 2 in Block 1, as said Lot and Block are shown on the map referred to in Parcel I above, lying within the following described Parcel of land; Beginning at a concrete monu-

ment standing at the Northerly corner of Lot 1, Block 1, as said Lot and Block are shown on that certain map entitled, "Berwick Manor", filed in Volume 6 of Maps, "Cities and Towns", at Page 114, Monterey County Records and running thence along the Northwesterly line of said Lot 1, Block 1, South 27 degrees 38 feet West, 20.00 feet to the true point of beginning; and running thence from said true point of beginning, 1) South 62 degrees 18 feet East, 148.31 feet to the Easterly or Southeasterly boundary of said Lot; thence along said boundary 2) 10.16 feet along the arc of a circular curve concave to the Southwest having a radius of 30 feet through a central angle of 19 degrees 24 feet 16 inches (long chord bears North 18 degrees 15 feet 52 inches East, 10.11 feet) to the point of curvature on said boundary; thence continuing along said boundary and along the Southeasterly boundary of Lot 2 in said Block 3) South 27 degrees 38 feet West 129.86 feet; thence leaving said boundary of Lot 2 4) North 62 degrees 22 feet West, 150.00 feet to the Northwesterly boundary of said Lot 2; thence along said boundary and the Northwesterly line of said Lot 1 5) North 27 degrees 38 feet East, 140.00 feet to the true point of beginning. Parcel III: Beginning at the most Easterly corner of Lot 2, Block 1, as said lot and block are shown on that certain map entitled, "Berwick Manor" etc., filed for record in Volume 6 of Cities and Towns, at Page 114, Records of Monterey County, said point of beginning being also the most Southerly corner of Lot 1 and running South 27 degrees 38 feet West 10.00 feet along the Southeasterly line of said Lot to the true point of beginning; thence leaving said true point of beginning and running along the Southeast line of 1) South 27 degrees 38 feet West, 25.00 feet, thence leaving said Southeast line of said Lot 2 and running 2) North 35 degrees 48 feet West, 55.90 feet; thence 3) South 62 degrees 22 feet East 50.00 feet to the true point of beginning. APN: 169-235-019 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT, AND ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE FOR SALES INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL (714) 573-1965 OR LOG ONTO WWW.PRIORITPOSTING.COM Date: 8/1/2012 Allstar Financial Services Inc. As Trustee, 20700 Ventura Blvd., Suite 222 Woodland Hills, CA 91364 800.720.7827 URSULA HABERSTROH, TRUSTEE SALE OFFICER P972816 8/10, 8/17, 08/24/2012 Publication dates: Aug. 10, 17, 24, 2012. (PC 818)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20121506. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **PARTY IN THE VILLAGE**, 20 De El Rio Rd., Carmel Valley, CA 93924. Monterey County, CARMEL VALLEY VILLAGE IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE, 20 De El Rio Rd., Carmel Valley, CA 93924. This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: N/A. (s) K. I. Stone, Treasurer. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 25, 2012. Publication dates: Aug. 10, 17, 24, 31, 2012. (PC 819)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20121591. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **CARMEL VALLEY AUTO SERVICE**, 501 Mid Valley Center, Carmel, CA 93923. Monterey County, HARMET SINGH KHAMBHA, 281A Noice Dr., Salinas, CA 93906. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: July 5, 2012. (s) Harmet Singh Khamba. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 6, 2012. Publication dates: Aug. 17, 24, 31, Sept. 7, 2012. (PC 822)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20121516 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: **JR'L Construction, 13728 Montebello, Castroville, California 95012:** County of Monterey Jose Ricardo Leonor Silva, 13728 Montebello, Castroville, Ca 95023 This business is conducted by an individual The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) S/ Jose Ricardo Leonor Silva This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey on August 6, 2012 NOTICE-In accordance with Section 17920(a), a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires five years from the date it was filed with the County Clerk,

except as provided in Section 17920(b), where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Original Filing 8/17, 8/24, 8/31, 9/7/12 **CNS-2355776# CARMEL PINE CONE** Publication dates: Aug. 17, 24, 31, Sept. 7, 2012. (PC 823)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF SHIRLEY A. MORRIS Case Number MP 20822

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of SHIRLEY A. MORRIS.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by DAVID S. MORRIS in the Superior Court of California, County of MONTEREY.

The Petition for Probate requests that DAVID S. MORRIS be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

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 in this court as follows:

Date: Sept. 14, 2012
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Dept.: Probate

Address: 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:
Peggy A. Schmidt
413 Forest Avenue
Pacific Grove, CA 93950
(831) 373-1993
(s) Peggy A. Schmidt,
Attorney for Petitioner.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 26, 2012.
Publication dates: Aug. 17, 24, 31, 2012. (PC824)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JEANNE ACHTERBERG aka JEANNE LAWLIS Case Number MP 20767 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of JEANNE ACHTERBERG aka JEANNE LAWLIS. **A PETITION FOR PROBATE** has been filed by MARK D. HARRIS in the Superior Court of California, County of MONTEREY. The Petition for Probate requests that MARK D. HARRIS 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. **A hearing on the petition will be held on in this court as follows:** Date: **SEPT. 28, 2012** Time: 10:00 a.m. Dept.: 16 Address: 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:
MARK D. HARRIS
1134 Teakwood Place
Salinas, CA 93901
(831) 420-8740
(s) Mark D. Harris,
Petitioner.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on June 7, 2012.

Publication dates: Aug. 17, 24, 31, 2012. (PC825)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20121618. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **VISTA ROBLES DENTAL GROUP**, 85 Via Robles, Monterey, CA 93940. Monterey County, MARTIN and MUNOZ DDS, INC, 85 Via Robles, Monterey, CA 93940. This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: Aug. 6, 2012. (s) Linda C. Martin, DDS, Secretary and Chief Financial Officer of Martin and Munoz, DDS, Inc. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 10, 2012. Publication dates: Aug. 17, 24, 31, Sept. 7, 2012. (PC 826)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JAIME ZEPEDA Case Number MP 20767

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of JAIME ZEPEDA.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by GUADLUPE LEDESMA DE MORALES in the Superior Court of California, County of MONTEREY.

The Petition for Probate requests that GUADLUPE LEDESMA DE MORALES 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.

A hearing on the petition will be held on in this court as follows:

Date: **SEPT. 14, 2012**
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Dept: AM
Room: 16

Address: 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:
GUADLUPE LEDESMA DE MORALES

733 Burke Street
Salinas, CA 93905
(s) Guadalupe Ledesma De Morales, Petitioner.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 27, 2012.

Publication dates: Aug. 17, 24, 31, 2012. (PC827)




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There's a \$10 cover for all shows. Plaza Linda is located at 27 E. Carmel Valley Road. Call (831) 659-4229 or visit www.plazalinda.com.

■ Funky grooves at Fernwood

Serving up a mix of super funky grooves and head-banging hard rock, **7 Come 11** returns Saturday, Aug. 18, to Fernwood Resort. The Santa Cruz-based trio features **Gianni Staiano** on Hammond organ, **Kris DoNoto** on drums and **Danny Mayer** on guitar. The show begins at 9 p.m. and there's no cover. Fernwood is located on Highway 1 about 25 miles south of Carmel. Call (831) 667-2422.

The following afternoon — Sunday, Aug. 19 — **Along Came Betty** pays tribute to the hard bop jazz of the 1950s and 1960s at the Big Sur River Inn, which is one mile north of Fernwood. The Monterey-based quintet includes **Biff Smith** on piano, **Paul Tarantino** on saxophone, **Brian Stock** on trumpet and flugelhorn, **Patrick Tregenza** on drums, and **Heath Proskin** on bass. The music begins at 1 p.m. and there's no cover.

■ 'Viva the Divas' closes at Cherry Center

Layne Littlepage's "Viva the Divas" plays for one more weekend at the Cherry Center for the Arts.


A singing instructor at Santa Catalina School, Littlepage pays tribute to Broadway's leading ladies Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 17-19. She'll be accompanied by pianist **Rick Yramategui**.

Tickets are \$25. Friday and Saturday performances start at 7:30 p.m., while Sunday's matinee begin at 3 p.m. Cherry Center is located at Guadalupe and Fourth. Call (831) 238-0092 or visit www.ticketguys.com.

■ Pop and folk at Will's Fargo

Local singer-songwriter **Rose Merrill** performs Tuesday, Aug. 21, at Will's Fargo Steakhouse & Saloon in Carmel Valley Village. Accompanied by her guitar, Merrill serves up an original blend of pop and folk. The music starts at 6 p.m. and there's no cover. The restaurant is located at 16 E. Carmel Valley Road. Call (831) 659-2774.

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The couple also understated the number of employees and the amount of payroll of their corporation in order to avoid disability and unemployment insurance and taxes that employers are required to pay for workers.

The two, conspired to file false corporate and personal income tax returns, did not report their cash income and credit card payments, and deducted payments from workers who were not provided W-2 or 1099 tax forms.

"In addition, Furness and Gsell conspired to aid and abet two workers in filing false

personal income tax returns," according to Lauchlan. "Rather than paying them raises, the workers were issued false Forms 1099-MISC for less than the amounts they were paid, resulting in false personal income tax returns for the workers."

Furness faces more than 11 years in prison, while Gsell faces nine years, when they are sentenced. Monterey County Superior Court Judge Pamela L. Butler will set the couple's sentencing Sept. 26 in a Salinas courtroom.

Investigator David Leary with the Contractors State License Board, a special agent with the Franchise Tax Board, and Anne M. Yusim, a former Monterey County District Attorney Investigator helped Lauchlan with the case.

PARKING

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proposal is balanced and well supported by parking survey data."

In two years, the commission will check to confirm the parking program is working as it's intended.

The city will work out the parking details with coastal commission staff members over the next couple of weeks before installing new parking signs in the designated spaces, according to Frutchey.

Currently, there are about 900 unrestricted parking spaces in Pacific Grove along Ocean View Boulevard and Sunset Drive.

■ ADA upgrades approved

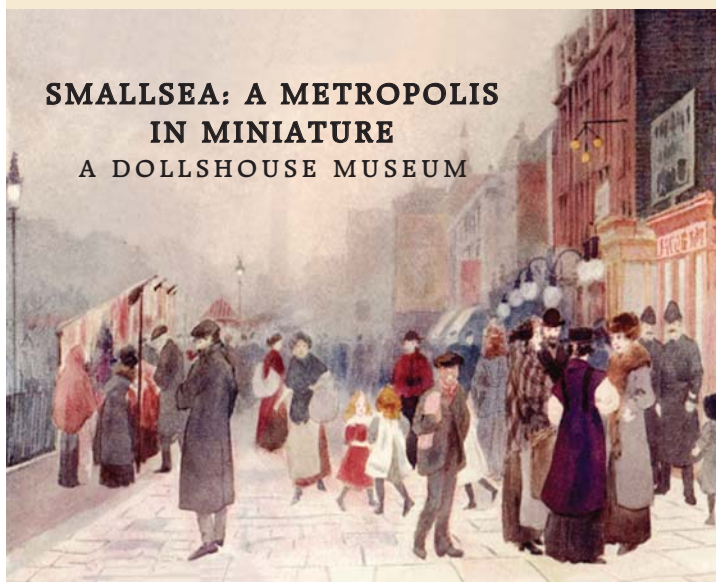
Also approved by the commission last week was a \$15 million project by the California Department of Parks and Recreation to modify the pathways at Asilomar Conference Grounds in P.G. so they are easier to access for people with disabilities.

The renovation at the Pacific Grove facility, which is managed by state parks, would involve a complete redo of the park's extensive pathways to make it easier for those in wheelchairs and those unable to traverse uneven footpaths.

The work is expected to be done in several phases and should be completed by 2016.

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PAULA

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all done," she told The Pine Cone.

Hazdovac recalled some of the highlights of her tenure, beginning with former Mayor Clint Eastwood's endorsement of her the first time she ran, and former Oakland Raiders coach John Madden's ordering her to stand up for herself following some nasty Letters to the Editor in the newspaper.

Then an owner of Em Le's, Madden "came to the store and yelled at me, 'Are you the one running for council? You need to defend yourself!'" she recalled. Later, he would bring restaurant guests next door to her shop and tell them he had voted for her.

"He did not!" she laughed. "He wasn't even registered to vote here then."

With so many years in office, Hazdovac said she must have worked with 17 or 18 different council members. She felt the group that occupied the dais from 2000 to 2010, with

Sue McCloud as mayor, was the most efficient and effective.

"That was when we would pick one or two things a year and get them done," she said, such as the Local Coastal Program that was finally adopted in 2004 and returned control over development to the city, and the bonds to fund the renovation of Sunset Center.

"And when [former city administrator] Rich Guillen was hired, we charged him with reorganizing staff, and he did," she said. "It wasn't popular move, but it really saved us," during the recession that followed.

She enjoyed having a hand in creating more events, such as the 4th of July celebration in Devendorf Park, and "the small things," like keeping the twinkly lights sparkling in the Ocean Avenue median all year.

"Other cities are edgy and a little exciting," she said. "We have a lot of competition, and we need to keep up with it."

She wishes the council had been able to finally resolve parking congestion downtown and put the issue of Flanders Mansion to rest.

"I'm sorry that couldn't have come to a head, one way or another," she said.

A particularly surreal moment occurred when Hazdovac learned after a tour of inspection that her father, Paul, had died. She had heard the sirens earlier, while standing on the stairs at city hall, and remembered the peculiar feeling that washed over her. Later, then-city administrator Jere Kersnar delivered the sad news. The experience is indelibly imprinted on her mind.

But the largest milestone of her council career happened on election night in 2002.

"I met my husband, Terry," she said. "So that's the best thing, and the luckiest thing."

They first talked at the post-election party at the Cypress Inn, to which then-councilman Gerard Rose had invited him.

"I was introduced to Terry, but it was so crazy that we didn't talk much," she said. But they did later, "and the rest is history."



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Paula Hazdovac and her husband, Terry Russey, on their wedding day. They met on election day in 2002.

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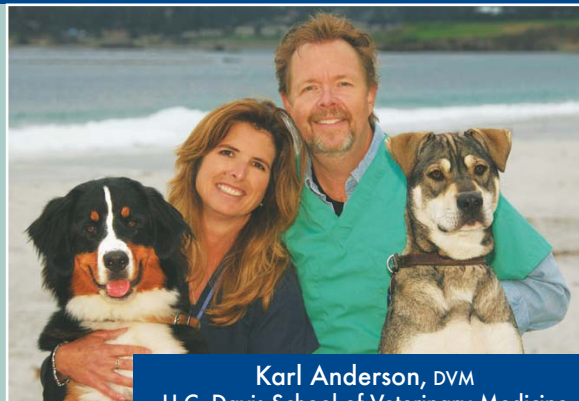
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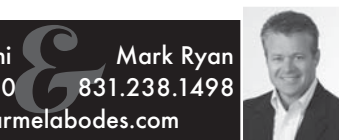
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Editorial

A monopoly on sympathy?

EVERYBODY KNOWS that the U.S. unemployment rate has been above 8 percent for the last three years, which translates to about 12 million officially unemployed — and that only includes people eligible to work who are trying to find jobs. Millions more have simply given up looking or figured out a way to go on disability.

Imagine the shock those people must have felt when they saw the legions of illegal immigrants lining up Wednesday in various cities, thanks to President Obama's decision to grant them legal status, to start the process of taking jobs in this country. As we have said before, the problem with illegal immigration from Mexico is that there's way too much of it. And while estimates of the number of people affected by Obama's order has ranged from 1 million to 2 million, it was still a shock to see the crowds.

In Chicago, for example, according to the Chicago Tribune, the line to start applying for legal status "filled the Navy Pier boardwalk, stretched out in a line along Illinois Street that turned onto the lakefront bike path and continued all the way to Wacker Drive" — a distance of nearly a mile.

It was a scene that was repeated in many cities, from Los Angeles, to Elizabeth, N.J. Also drawing crowds were Mexican consulates, where the young illegal immigrants, most of them citizens of Mexico, could get the passports and other forms of I.D. they would need to get permission to work here.

"In Houston, lines for the Mexican consulate stretched into downtown streets, causing traffic jams," the Los Angeles Times reported.

For these multitudes, the opportunity to get a job in this country is something to be celebrated, of course, and the news media coverage of their liberation day has been uniformly upbeat.

But what about unemployed citizens? For them, the sudden expansion of the workforce by as many as 2 million is terrible news. And the effect is bound to be worst for people in lower-income brackets who work in blue-collar jobs. Already the unemployment rate for people without a college education is one-third higher than for those who have one. The flood of newly minted legal workers from Mexico is bound to make things even worse.

So behind all those happy faces you saw on the news this week, there were millions more whose frustration must have been immense. Don't they deserve our concern, too?

BEST of BATES



"Have you lived here all your life?"

"Not yet."

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Workers should be rehired

Dear Editor,

"What's the beef?" That's the question, not "Where's the beef?" (which was a question asked of my father by chefs at La Playa in past years.) My father, Sam Karas, managed Luce Meats, then Luce-Carmel Meats, and finally Carmel Meats, wholesale meat companies doing business with La Playa over the years, though not recently.

The "beef" now is the concern about the rehiring of employees at the refurbished La Playa. Employees who have worked at La Playa before the closing and remodeling were not given worker security and the promise of rehiring when the property was sold. These workers were dedicated and valued employees.

The recent article in The Pine Cone about La Playa stated that the personnel records had been sealed by the previous

owners. However, the new owners, Classic Hotels and Resorts, were able to get the names of the workers who had been employed there before the hotel sold, as they sent them applications. That they hired so few of the ex-workers, many who had been there for a number of years, doesn't speak well for the new owners.

As a resident of the Peninsula who has dined at La Playa numerous times over the years with family members, I ask that the union be reinstated and that ex-workers be given priority in the additional hirings to be done. It's hard to know what to do about those positions already filled.

I attended a Making Cities Liveable Conference at La Playa in October 2003, organized by locals Henry and Suzanne Lennard. The concept of a liveable city includes the working conditions of people in the cities, as well as the diverse mix of people living in the cities. When one considers Carmel, it's hard to imagine many of the hotel workers being able to afford to live in Carmel. The workers would like to have a liveable wage and benefits — and rightly so. With the current union-bashing atmosphere in the country, wages are going down and benefits eliminated. There's a lot of "beef" to go around these days.

Judy Karas, Monterey

'Tree bigots'

Dear Editor,

If there is such a thing as bigotry against pine trees, then the front page article in the Aug. 10 issue of the Pine Cone certainly is

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A columnist's brush with death leads to revelations about local health care

I'VE NEVER been one for hospitals. But then, I'm also bored by the mechanic's shop, preferring to engage with automobiles only when they are fully operable.

The primary mission of a hospital is to care for the ailing, a mission that often suffers under the weight of corporate greed, nightmare bureaucracies, turf wars and petty politics.

If you've lived in Monterey County long enough, as I have, you likely have your own war stories about the care you've received at the Big Three.

So when I was unable to find relief under the excruciating pressure of chest pain Sunday morning, the choice of hospital was a significant question mark. We quickly settled on Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital, despite its very public public-relations problems of late.

In recent years, SVMH has become the poster child for administrative abuses in health care, developing a statewide reputation for executives who feathered their own nests and arranged sweetheart deals with cronies, who dabbled regularly in nepotism and who fostered wretched relations with their employees.

Along the way and despite itself, the hospital has developed a sterling reputation for cardiac care. It was because of that reputation — but mostly due to Salinas Valley's proximity to my house and my desperation to get help, both stat and

ASAP — that we decided to enter its ER Sunday morning.

Digressing momentarily, I confess that I am able to write this despite my own foolishness. Like the car owner who blithely drives past the mechanic's shop despite the nagging clang under the hood, I ignored the warning signs of my own pending breakdown for at least a week: the crushing pressure to my chest, exacerbated horribly during my morning runs.

And it was only until the warnings became absolutely intolerable that I finally determined I might not get through the day without medical intervention.

The term "serious as a heart attack" applies here.

My LAD coronary artery — also known as the "widow maker" — was 90 percent blocked.

My heart stopped functioning briefly on the gurney, but I made it out alive, due to Dr. Wendell Yee's quick action, an angioplasty and a stent.

Fortunately for me, luck, fate, prayers, love, divine intervention and medical competence trumped my stupidity.

It is the blessing of medical competence I prefer to focus on today. I owe the SVMH staff and its labor unions that much.

Because when administrators can embarrass their institu-

beyond the realm

By JOE LIVERNOIS

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A word from the mayor —

How the decision to pick Theis was made

By JASON BURNETT

WHEN COUNCIL MEMBER Paula Hazdovac called me on Friday to share her decision to step down from the city council, I tried to talk her out of it. She has served for 18 years with three different mayors and is among the longest serving public servants in Carmel's history. Paula brought a good sense of that history, of what has worked and what hasn't, and an institutional memory that was particularly valuable to me as a new mayor. She is a small-business owner in town and so has insights into the pulse of our downtown that can only come from talking with customers every day. Unfortunately I couldn't talk Paula out of her decision. Her last day on the council will be Sept. 7.



Jason Burnett

Stepping down from the council was something Paula had considered for some time and reflects her need to spend more time with her family. I respect her decision, thank her for her many years of service, and wish her the best.

We immediately went to work to fill the vacancy, calling a special council meeting for Wednesday. The council has a packed agenda calendar over the coming months, and we can't afford to be firing on anything less than all cylinders.

The first question was whether we call a special election for March 5, 2013. Doing so would mean we wouldn't have a full council for more than half a year and would ask voters to elect someone to a term with just over a year left. This option was quickly rejected by the city council.

Instead, we focused on whether we should repeat the search process we had run just a couple of months ago when we filled the seat I vacated when you elected me as your mayor. In that process, we received 10 outstanding applications. Paula Hazdovac and I interviewed everyone and recommended both Carrie Theis and Steve Hillyard for the full council's consideration. We ultimately appointed Hillyard.

Rather than go through another search, we recognized our recent search had, in fact, produced two excellent candidates. The city council was unanimous in appointing Theis to Hazdovac's seat.

Why did the council take such decisive action?

First, and most importantly, we had the ideal candidate in Carrie Theis. She, like Paula Hazdovac, is both a resident and a Carmel-by-the-Sea business owner, and has long family ties to the community. She has attended city council meetings and so is up to speed on the issues. She has shown leadership in town and across the county as president of the Carmel Innkeepers Association and as a recent board member of the Monterey County Hospitality Association. Carrie recently led the effort to create the Hospitality Improvement District, convincing almost 90 percent of the inns to help promote Carmel-by-the-Sea. She has always comported herself with professionalism and respect for the diversity of views in the community.

Second, we knew the likely outcome of any process would be Carrie Theis. Why take the time away from other work, raise expectations of other candidates and risk creating unnecessary controversy? Carrie is the right person with the right experience and perspective to complement the rest of the council.

I hope you will join the city council in thanking Paula Hazdovac for her 18 years of public service and join us in welcoming our newest council member, Carrie Theis.

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A charming man's charmed life

CASBA AJAN — the successful hotelier and restaurateur — got a rough start. He was born in Transylvania (which was then part of Hungary) in 1942. When he was born, the country was occupied by the Nazis, and as a boy of 3, he remembers his family seeking to escape the advance of Soviet troops. They finally made their way to Ontario, where he received his early education and his Canadian citizenship.

When he was ready for college, Csaba traveled by Greyhound bus through the southwestern United States, checking out colleges. He selected San Diego State, in part because of all the beautiful girls. He earned a masters in business and went into restaurant and hotel management. On the way, he also tried to become a Navy flyer but was told, "No," because he was Canadian. "It was a crushing rejection," he dead-panned. "Years of psychoanalysis and therapy followed."

Csaba's specialty was marketing. He was very good at it and applied his talents most ably at several world-class hotels in the San Diego area. On a wandering vacation through the Monterey Peninsula, he met with Tom Oliver at the Pebble Beach Co. and expressed an interest in relocating to our area. A few months later, Oliver advised Csaba that Ed Haber was starting a new resort in Carmel Valley. Csaba was hired to run Quail Lodge, which earned a five-star rating in its second year. Then there was a stint managing the Peabody Hotel near Beale Street in Memphis, and some shuffling around top

properties in California and Arizona before he was back at Quail.

In 1995, "I went from being crazy to totally insane, from the hotel business to the restaurant business." With his friend and partner, Tony Salameh, Csaba opened PortaBella and Merlot Bistro, at Ocean and Lincoln, two restaurants that have earned national acclaim. There are 45 employees on the payroll who are of 13 different ethnicities, speaking close to that many languages, including Tagalog, Spanish, Russian and French.

That's the quickie professional wrapup, but the man is so much larger. A cross of Rossano Brazzi and Maurice Chevalier, Csaba Ajan exudes class in an effortless manner that immediately warms you with friendship, appreciation, and esteem. His style is a marriage of intellect, wit, humility, and grace. My goodness, they should teach that starting in the early grades.

We sat at a table toward the back of PortaBella, after the lunch hour, for a 45-minute interview that pushed two hours. No complaints. He is a marvelous raconteur, and with all of his experience, he could tell stories forever. His European savoir-faire is miles deep, but he was also quietly aware of the reservations for that evening, and how the back dining room was being arranged.

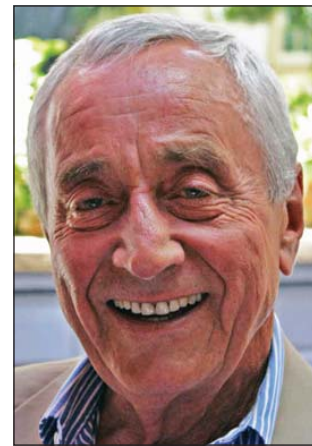
He spoke of living through the horror of the World War II with a light air — dropping such phrases as "the Nazi glamour days" with only a soupçon of wryness — that didn't

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Great Lives

By TONY SETON



Csaba Ajan

make light of the circumstances. He went on to reference the political forces that moved European borders as the result of wars, and to discuss the various cultures with their histories and the languages. An unhurried lunch with this man would infuse one with more knowledge of Europe than a year of college studies.

We met on the day of the historic Supreme Court's decision on Obamacare, and in discussing the ruling, Csaba first mentioned for Chief Justice Earl Warren, noting that he had been appointed by Eisenhower as a conservative choice but became a liberal favorite. Could this be happening with John Roberts? Or, as Csaba put it, "not to be a poodle to George W's appointment legacy." Then the conversation reprised the great minds of our Founding Fathers. The scope of this man's knowledge is daunting.

So, no, he is not the conservative you might have thought from his profession and his record of achievement. In fact, he opines freely about such issues as marijuana — which he never smoked but he would legalize in a snap of the fingers.

"It ought to be sold in the same circumstances as a six-pack of beer," he said.

Despite his rejection by the Navy, Csaba never actually had to seek psychiatric therapy — a psychological triumph he attributes to his hobby of monkeying around with "motorcycles and English bad cars." Today he still has a couple of Triumphs; a 1956 TR3, and a TR6 that he bought new, which has all of 50,000 miles on it.

And what is this charming man's current living situation? He said he resides in Monterey, and added, "Basically, I'm a private person, except when I talk nonsense."

LIVERNOIS

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tion as thoroughly as they did at SVMH, competent and passionate employees are unfairly tarnished with the broad brush.

To be honest, I had unfair doubts about Salinas Valley, what with its bad PR and the messes hatched by its leadership in recent years.

I had forgotten that, like most big institutions, the idiocies of management can be overcome by the passions, the skill and the care of its rank-and-file employees.

I am reminded that Salinas Valley's own employees blew the whistle on Sam Downing, its former administrator, and his entourage.

Those employees sustained the slings and arrows of management's snotty innuendo. They endured the sort of cynical disparagement typical of fat-cat executives who want the world to believe their employees can't possibly know what they're talking about.

As it turns out — as it usually turns out — the employees were right and management was wrong. Downing and his cronies soaked district ratepayers and undercut a terrific staff with their outrageous spending and salaries.

Because hospital employees cared enough to press the issue, it was revealed that Downing received nearly \$4 million in supplemental benefits on top of a regular annual pension of \$150,000 when he retired last year — even as he pushed for reductions in the hospital's staff.

That information spurred a state audit and uncovered other atrocious retirement packages for public officials around the state. And the Fair Political Practices Commission is investigating other shenanigans involving Downing and the Salinas Valley board.

Employees with passion — those focused on a hospital's life-saving mission and not its money-grubbing expedience — will do the right thing.

They stepped forward because they understood the importance of the institution outweighs the dread of their minders.

SOFTBALL

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but it also showcased a great rivalry. With most of its players living from Big Sur, the Deli — which is sponsored by the Big Sur Deli and Tap House — was clearly the crowd favorite. But with a bevy of wives, girlfriends and kids in tow, the Outlaws — whose members, for the most part, live in Carmel and beyond — had their own vocal cheering section.

Thankfully, the game was unhindered by two problems that have plagued previous championship games — endless arguments with umpires over the quirky rules of Big Sur softball, and attacks by angry hornets who live in a large sycamore tree that leans over left field.

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CONSULTANT

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Long time Big Sur resident, Ned Callihan, passed away on June 28. He came to Big Sur by way of visiting a fellow classmate from the school of architecture at Tulane, who had settled in San Francisco. After a brief visit to Esalen, he returned to his home in Cincinnati, where he was practicing as an architect and city planner, and began the transition to living in California. He settled in Big Sur where he continued to pursue a new path, eventually becoming a bodyworker, first in deep tissue and later practicing craniosacral therapy and, in addition, heading up Room 23, the alternative bodywork center at Esalen. He was also involved in architectural projects at Esalen, and eventually pursued a full time practice in architecture on the Coast. He was very community oriented both at Esalen and in Big Sur, where he was involved in CPOA, LUAC, the beginnings of the Chanterelle festival, the workforce housing project, a proposed plan for a recycling center, and had input on the new bridge and rock shed on the South Coast, along with his private practice. He loved Big Sur, the beauty and atmosphere fit his temperament exactly, and he was happiest just being there. Born September 8, 1945, he died after valiantly battling a rare form of leukemia. He will be missed by his wife, his family in Cincinnati, many friends and colleagues, and the community. A memorial service will be held for him in October, along the Big Sur coast.

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Sheila Hillman to Brock Bradford
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Carmel

Lobos Street, 4 NE of Third — \$698,000
Estate of Alice Frazier to
Genevieve Anderson
APN: 010-015-005

Mission Street, NW corner of First — \$975,000
Richard and Judith Jenkins to
John Dunk and Alice Costa
APN: 010-114-016

Camino Real, 2 NE of Ocean Ave. — \$1,975,000
Hugh Connerty to
Michael and Carolyn Pineau
APN: 010-251-012

Camino Real, 4 SW of Fourth — \$3,485,000
Carla Morrison to
Sulayman and Dorothea Nawas
APN: 010-252-005



27 Los Robles Drive, Carmel Valley — \$1,225,000

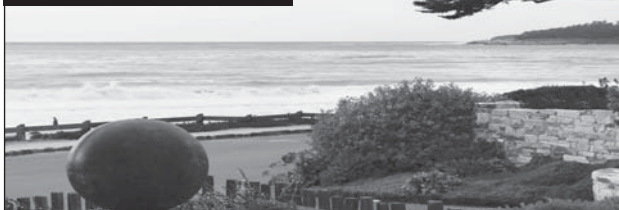
Carmel Valley

230 Hacienda Carmel — \$260,500
Michael Wallace to Janet Mueller
APN: 015-354-014

75 Hacienda Carmel — \$359,000
Sierra Asset Servicing to Roberta Meyer
APN: 015-336-015

See HOMES SALES page 4RE

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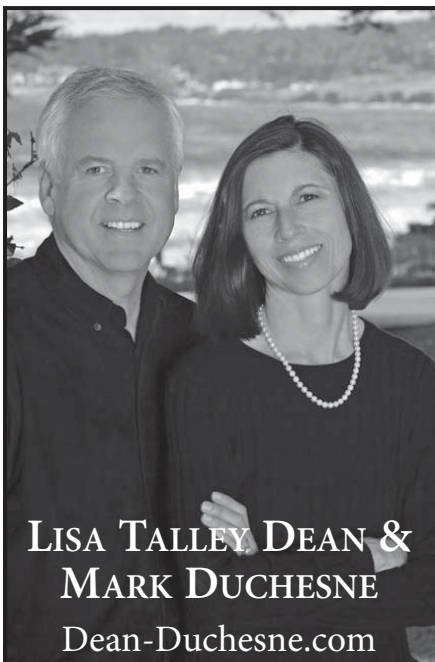
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110 San Benancio Road — \$500,000

Adriana Ellenbast Trust to Brian and Brenda Cushing
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APN: 169-041-007

14 Asoleado Drive — \$590,000

David and Joyce Bock to Joseph and Elizabeth Conron
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392 W. Carmel Valley Road — \$778,000

Allen Roderick and Leslie Mills Trust to Roland and Virginia Aldridge
APN: 189-031-017

27 Los Robles Drive — \$1,225,000

Jim and Sandra Staples to
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APN: 187-061-009

Highway 68

105 Flagghill Drive — \$350,000

Cannery Row Company to
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APN: 101-091-019

124 San Benancia Road — \$576,500

John Pichel and Enrique Paraiso to
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APN: 416-243-001

14 Paseo Segundo — \$625,000

Greg Shaw and Suzanne Andrews to Curtis and Mary Rigor
APN: 161-074-004

22341 Toro Hills Drive — \$780,000

Loren Hughes and Jane Veneman to
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25937 Colt Lane — \$845,000

John and Mary McKenna to Joyce Bock
APN: 416-122-031

1410 Manor Road — \$930,000

Chase Bank to Daniel O'Brien and An McDowell
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409 Estancia Court — \$1,315,000

Wylie and Ursula Scott to Michael and Aimee German
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585 Laine Street no. 4 — \$340,000

Robert Mendoca to Alison Coderniz
APN: 001-996-004

18 Cielo Vista Terrace — \$357,000

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APN: 001-911-028

24 Greenwood Vale — \$550,000

Roland Nagle to Mark and Shauna Diaz
APN: 014-101-024

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William and Daniene Marciano to
Michael Cappelluti and Robyn Dahlgren
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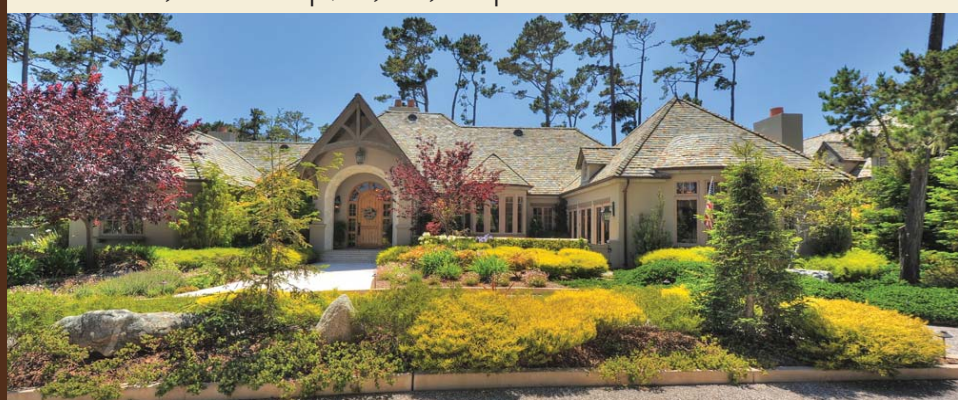
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POLICE LOG

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match the vehicle or subject description given by the man.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 3

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of female Torres Street resident not breathing and unresponsive. Carmel Fire and CPD arrived, and the female was soon after pronounced deceased.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Man reported that he was being harassed by his mother-in-law at a local grocery store on Junipero Street. Both subjects were at the store. Man stated that a while back, he was involved in a domestic dispute in Salinas. Salinas P.D. arrived and had the man leave the house. He said that since then, he has been getting harassed by his mother-in-law about the incident to the point that he felt the family might hurt him. The mother-in-law said that she works with the man and denied ever threatening him. She was upset that she can't protect her daughters and that her daughters are always complaining about him. Officer told both parties that an information report would be on file and to avoid one another as much as possible.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Man came to the station to report losing his iPhone while visiting

Carmel Plaza. He suspects he left the phone in the bathroom on the third-floor level. A brief description of the phone was provided. The man requested a report in case the phone was found and also for insurance purposes.

Pacific Grove: Pico Avenue resident, an elderly female, reported someone pushed her automatic driveway gate open sometime during the night. She heard female voices outside her residence and thought it could have been her recently deceased husband's oldest daughter and her friend, because they are trying to buy one of the resident's vehicles. The woman did not want police to contact the females because of family turmoil since her husband died. The gate was not damaged and still functions properly. Information only at this time.

Pacific Grove: PGPD officers were dispatched to a suicidal male who is active duty military. When police arrived, the man's master chief and a USN mental health personnel were already on scene. The male had gone to the civilian hospital the day prior but did not feel he received the treatment he needed. The male called a suicide hotline and made a statement about wanting to kill himself with a gun. Guns were located at his residence, and his superiors volunteered to take possession of the weapons and secure them at the armory on base. The male voluntarily left with military personnel to

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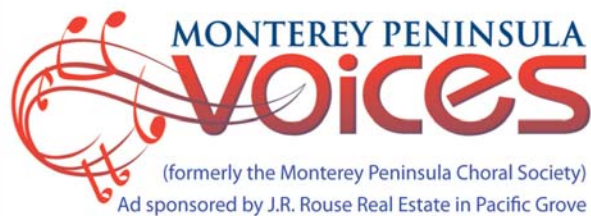
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LOG

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be committed to military mental health facility. An emergency USN DLI form had been completed by military mental health staff, and the male left his residence without incident.

Pacific Grove: Person on Sunset Drive reported an unknown suspect spray painted graffiti on an exterior wall of his business. Business was vandalized last year likely by the same unknown person(s). No cameras at rear of business. No suspect information.

Pacific Grove: Hillside resident, an adult female, reported her mother had hit her during an argument. She refused to press charges.

Pacific Grove: Subject came to the station to report a possible phone scam. She stated someone called her yesterday to report that a family member was in a Mexican jail and needed money to bail out. They told her to send the money via Western Union. Today, when the suspects called again, she told them that her family member was fine. The suspects then hung up. This is for information only.

Carmel area: Fawn Court resident reported a suspicious person outside his residence. Landscaper located and resident notified. Case closed.

Carmel Valley: Landlord and tenant dispute over rental cleanliness and 30-day move-out order at an Upper Circle residence. Tenant later accused landlord of unlawful entry.

vandalism on Jewell Avenue using eggs. No suspect information.

Pacific Grove: Officer was dispatched to the lobby of PGPD on report of found explosives on Lighthouse Avenue. Resident stated while going through items in her storage area, her daughter found a grenade along with other ammunition. The MCSO Bomb Squad responded to the scene and determined the device to be inactive. The grenade and other ammunition were turned over for destruction. Nothing further.

Pebble Beach: Child custody dispute at a Bird Rock Road residence.

Carmel area: Garrapata Ridge resident stated she saw two suspicious men on her property. She stated she felt threatened by the males' appearance. Deputies later determined her statements were unfounded.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A wallet found at a Devendorf Park was turned in to the P.D. for safekeeping.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Man indicated that his vehicle was missing from Mission Street. During the course of the investigation, it was later determined that the truck was driven by a friend to Monterey. No further action.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Person called in regards to a verbal dispute referencing two subjects whom he thought were underage and consuming alcohol at Del Mar. The person attempted to follow the parties in question, which escalated into a verbal dispute. The subject was counseled.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Man called to advise his ex-wife failed to return their juvenile son at 1800 hours as previously agreed upon. He later called back at approximately 2100 hours advising his son had been returned safely but requested the incident be documented.

Pacific Grove: A hit-and-run collision occurred in the parking area of an apartment complex on Arkwright. No suspects at this time.

Pacific Grove: Contacted two subjects walking on the hillside above an apartment complex on Piedmont to determine if they were involved in a hit-and-run. One subject, a 22-year-old male, was found to have warrants and was under the influence of alcohol in violation of probation terms.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 4

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A 57-year-old male was contacted on San Carlos Street for possession of narcotics.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A 26-year-old male was cited on Carpenter Street for driving with a suspended license.

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MEMORIAL

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But commissioners said they wanted a simpler display, perhaps just a stone on which the steel could be mounted. They also disliked the idea of any sort of plaque, instead suggesting a simple inscription with only the date of the attacks.

At the Aug. 8 meeting, they got what they wanted. CarrieAnn presented two possible boulders, and associate planner Marc Wiener suggested the smaller, which measures about 40 inches long, 34 inches wide and 32 inches high and is tan colored. The steel would be mounted slightly suspended, as if it were floating, as commissioner Don Goodhue had requested at the June meeting.

CarrieAnn proposed three locations in Devendorf Park, and commissioners gravitated toward a spot near the koi pond close to the Sixth Avenue side of the park.

She also assured commissioners she is obtaining letters verifying the steel's authenticity.

Resident Monte Miller said the memorial should be located somewhere easy for people to see, and designer John Mandurrago, representing the Kiwanis Club of Carmel-by-the-Sea, said he and all of its other members were proud to work on the memorial

with CarrieAnn.

"All of us embrace this project and are proud to contribute funds," he said. "This is a great project for Carmel to embrace and have in this beautiful park in perpetuity."

Robin Falkenberg, past president of American Legion Post 512, agreed Devendorf Park is an ideal location, calling it a "blessing" to have a spot where the victims of 9/11 can be honored.

Commissioner Keith Paterson suggested the back of the steel be etched with its origin and history so there is never any potential of people not understanding its significance.

"I know we all know that this steel comes from the Twin Towers, but in years to come, that might not be quite as evident, and I'd like to think that for future generations, we could put something in writing somewhere — behind the thing, perhaps — so that if taken apart, that would be notice where it came from," he said. "I would hate for it to be forgotten where it came from."

CarrieAnn agreed.

Commissioner Michael LePage thanked her for her efforts, and especially because she "listened to all the comments and came back with something that is in the context of what we already have in the park."

Commissioners unanimously voted to recommend the council approve the steel displayed on the smaller boulder near the koi pond at the northeast corner of the park. The council is set to consider the proposal at its

October meeting.

In the meantime, CarrieAnn is planning to have the steel moved to the Local History Room at the Harrison Memorial Library's park branch, across the street from Devendorf, where it will remain until next fall.

A ceremony on Sept. 11 at 8:30 a.m. will

mark the move to the library, she said.

"It will be a beautiful and somber moment for all to attend," she said after the planning commission meeting.

The steel will stay in the library until the Devendorf Park memorial is unveiled on Sept. 11, 2013.

CALLS

From page 8RE

Pacific Grove: Vehicle vandalism on Grand Avenue. No suspect(s) identified or located.

Pacific Grove: Vehicle failed to yield at a stop sign in front of a patrol car. Driver, a 30-year-old female, was found to be DUI.

Carmel Valley: Woman reported she was involved in an argument with one of her friends. No physical violence was reported to have occurred during the incident.

Carmel area: Landlord/tenant dispute over deposit for a room. Both agreed to settle with each other.

MONDAY, AUGUST 6

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Found camera bag and equipment on Ocean Avenue turned over to CPD for safekeeping.

Pacific Grove: Subject reported he was pushed out of a moving vehicle on Ninth Street.

Upon contact, the subject displayed several signs of alcohol intoxication, admitted to being "loaded," and didn't have any visible injuries. The subject later admitted to being dishonest about what he'd reported and blamed his alcohol consumption. The subject was transported to Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula by AMR for treatment.

Pacific Grove: Subject, a 28-year-old male, was contacted at his Grand Avenue residence for a probation compliance check. Items found led to his arrest, and he was later lodged at Monterey County Jail.

Carmel area: Person requested a welfare check on a subject on Dolores Street.


Carmel Valley: Father and son were arguing at an East Carmel Valley Road residence over the father taking away the son's new cell phone for disciplinary reasons.

Carmel Valley: A business reported that two propane tanks were stolen. Total loss estimated at \$1,050. No suspects.

Big Sur: Man reported his camper/cab was broken into in Los Padres National Forest. Property was stolen.

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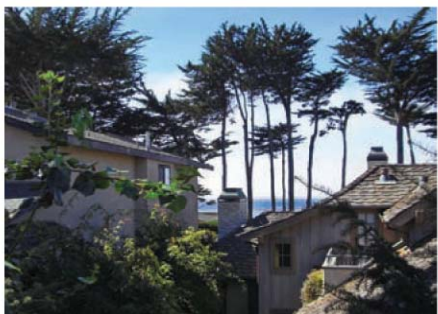


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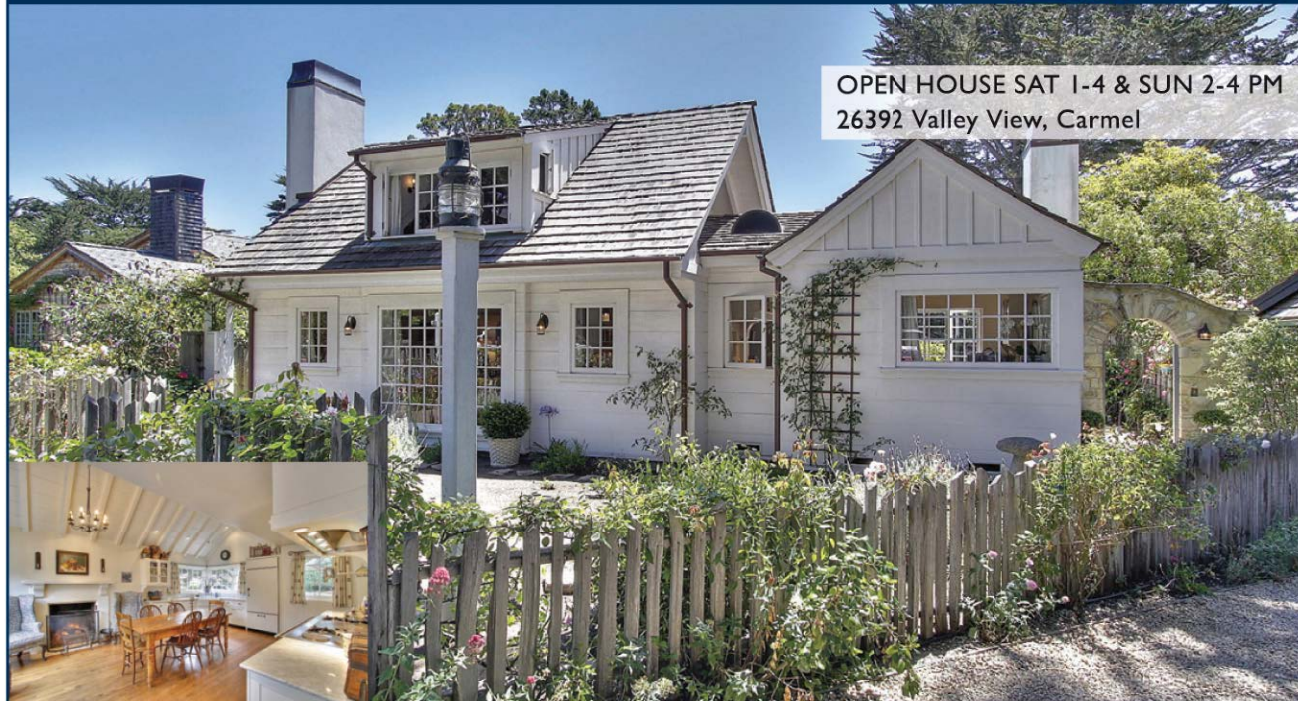
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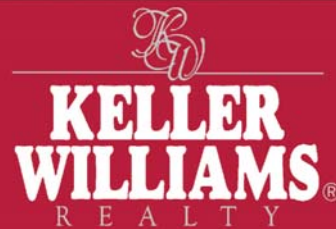


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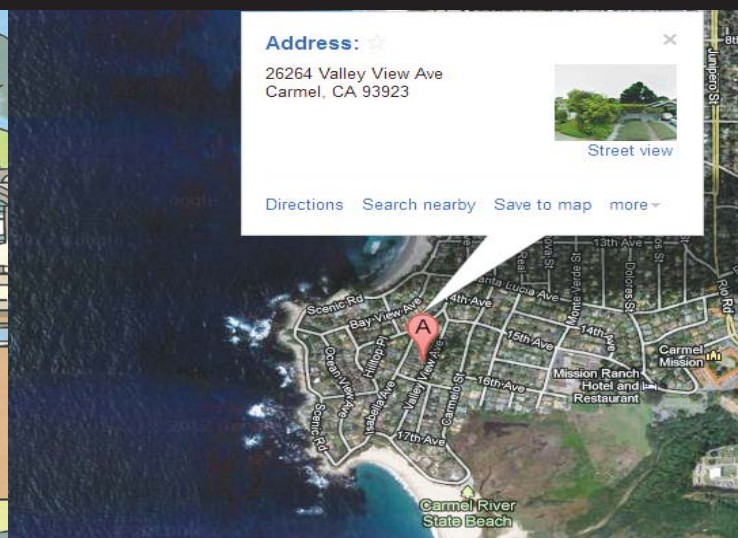
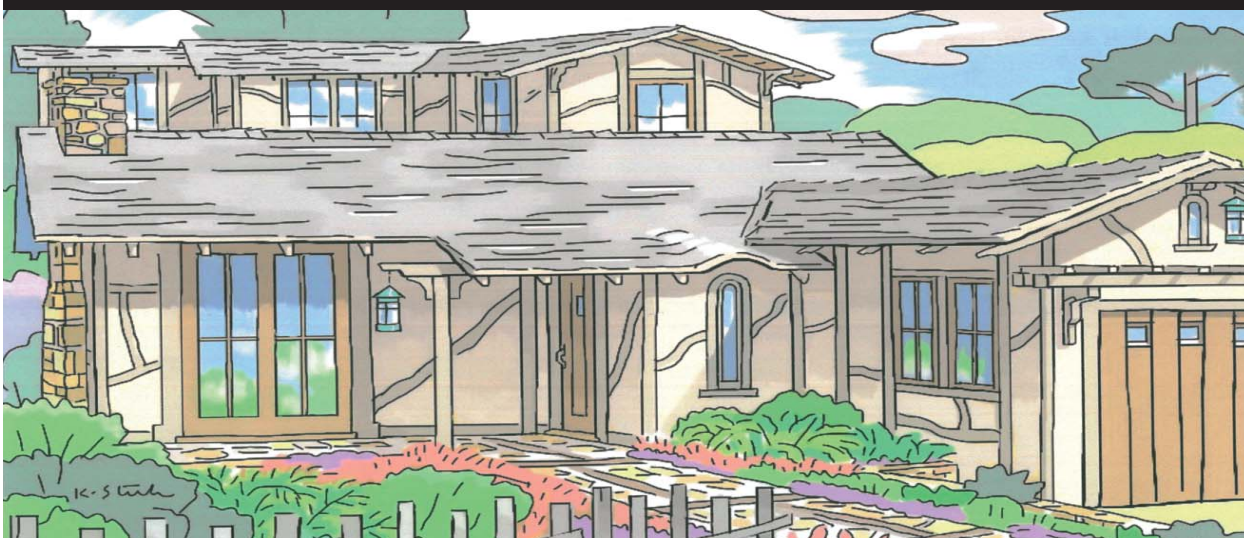
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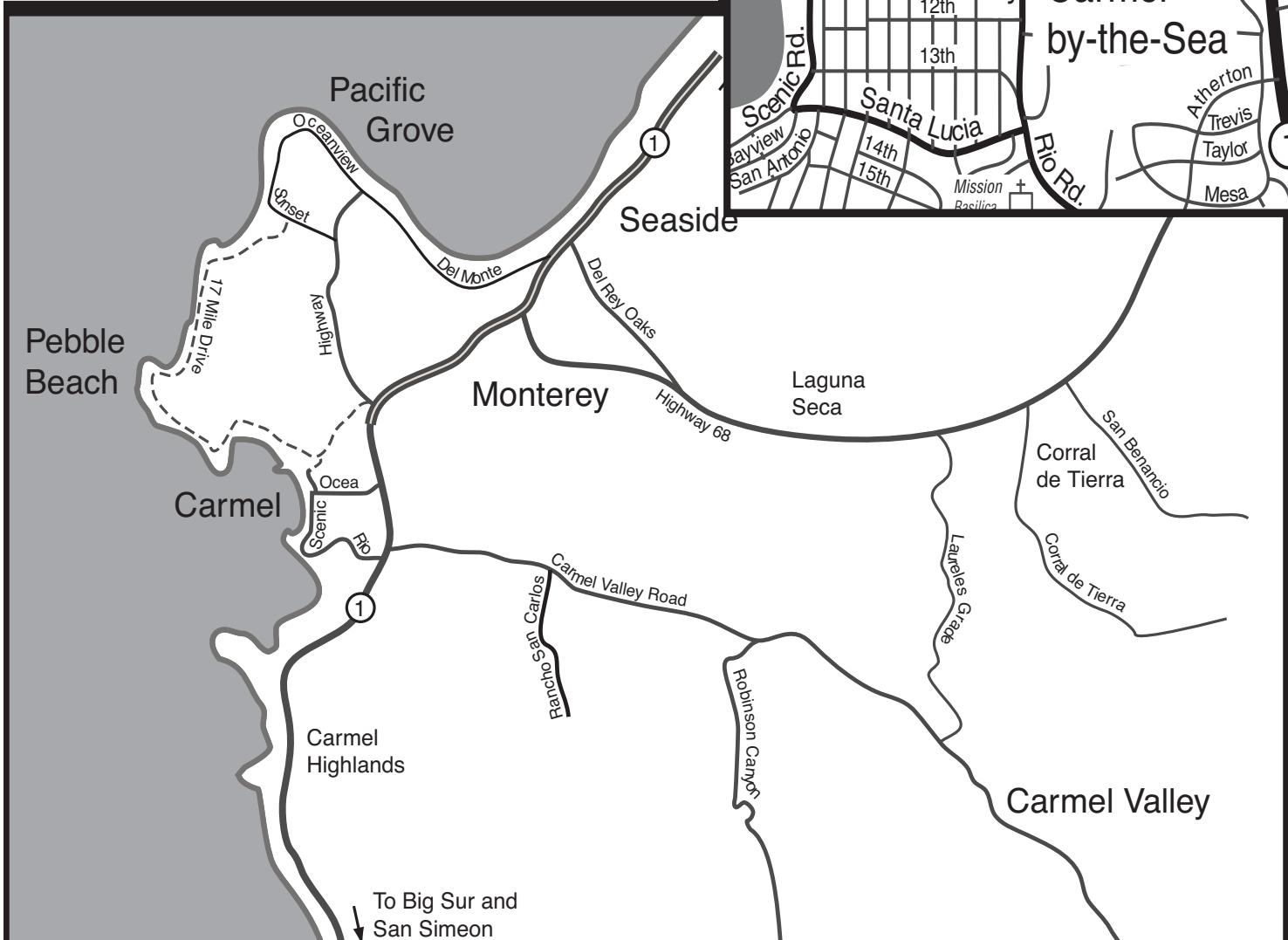
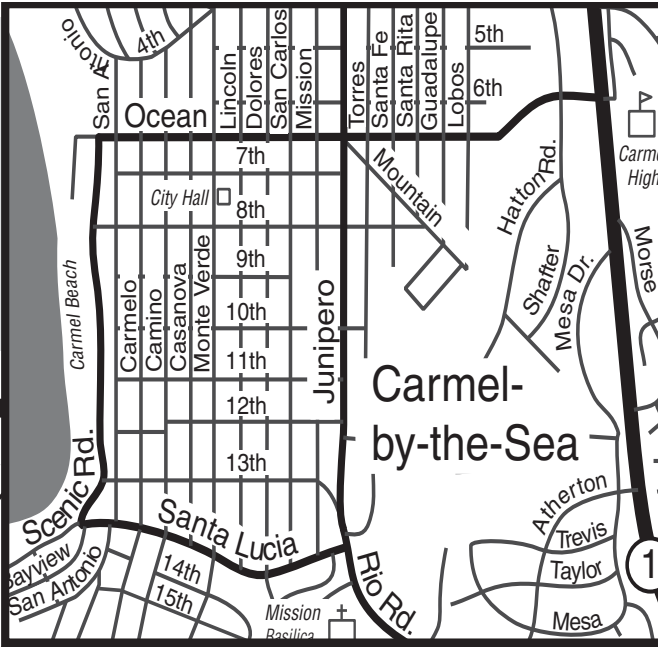
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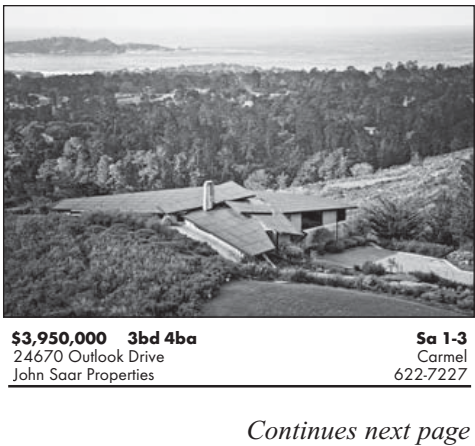
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| Casanova 2 SW of 10th Keller Williams Realty Carmel 596-1949 | | |
| \$2,450,000 | 3bd 2ba | Sa 10-1 Sa Su 1-4 |
| 2784 Pradera Road Alain Pinel Realtors Carmel 622-1040 | | |
| \$2,495,000 | 4bd 4ba | Fr Sa Su 1-4 |
| 26426 Carmelo Street Alain Pinel Realtors Carmel 622-1040 | | |
| \$2,499,000 | 4bd 3ba | Su 1:30-4 |
| 26394 Carmelo Street Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2222 | | |
| \$2,499,000 | 4bd 3ba | Sa 1-4 |
| 26394 Carmelo Street Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2222 | | |
| \$2,590,000 | 2bd 3ba | Fr 11-4 Fr 4:30-7:30 |
| San Antonio 2 NE of 4th Alain Pinel Realtors Carmel 622-1040 | | |
| \$2,590,000 | 2bd 3ba | Sa 1:30-3:30 Su 11-1 |
| San Antonio 2 NE of 4th Alain Pinel Realtors Carmel 622-1040 | | |
| \$2,595,000 | 3bd 2ba | Fri 1-4 |
| 26442 Carmelo Street Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2222 | | |
| \$2,595,000 | 3bd 2ba | Su 1-4 |
| 26442 Carmelo Street Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2222 | | |
| \$2,695,000 | 3bd 2.5ba | Su 1-4 |
| 26259 Hilltop Place Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2221 | | |
| \$2,695,000 | 3bd 2.5ba | Sa 12-3 |
| 26259 Hilltop Place Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2221 | | |

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| \$2,995,000 | 3bd 2.5ba | Su 1-3 |
| Lincoln 2 NW of 12th Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2222 | | |
| \$3,295,000 | 2bd 2ba | Fri 5-7 |
| 2892 Cuesta Way Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2222 | | |
| \$3,295,000 | 2bd 2ba | Sa 1-4 |
| 2892 Cuesta Way Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2222 | | |
| \$3,295,000 | 2bd 2ba | Su 1-4 |
| 2892 Cuesta Way Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2222 | | |
| \$3,450,000 | 4bd 3ba | Fr 12-2 Sa 1:30-4:30 |
| 6 SE Santa Rita & Ocean Alain Pinel Realtors Carmel 622-1040 | | |
| \$3,450,000 | 4bd 3ba | Su 10:30-1, 1:30-4 |
| 6 SE Santa Rita & Ocean Alain Pinel Realtors Carmel 622-1040 | | |
| \$3,450,000 | 4bd 3ba | Su 5:30-7:30 |
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\$3,995,000 4bd 4ba **Sa 2-4**
2337 Bay View Avenue Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222

\$3,995,000 3bd 2ba **Fri 1-4**
Casanova & 12th NE Corner Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222

\$3,995,000 3bd 2.5ba **Sa 1-4**
Casanova & 12th NE Corner Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222

\$4,995,000 3bd 3.5ba **Sa 1-5**
2902 Cuesta Way Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2223

\$4,995,000 3bd 3.5ba **Su 12-4**
2902 Cuesta Way Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2223

\$5,500,000 6bd 5ba **Fr 12-5 Sa 11-1**
Ocean Ave. NE Corner of San Antonio Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors 622-1040

\$5,500,000 6bd 5ba **Sa 1:30-3:30**
Ocean Ave. NE Corner of San Antonio Carmel
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\$5,500,000 6bd 5ba **Su 11-1 Su 3-6**
Ocean Ave. NE Corner of San Antonio Carmel
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\$6,195,000 4bd 3ba **Sa 1-4**
26387 ISABELLA AVENUE Carmel
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\$6,799,000 5bd 4ba **Sa 10-2 Sa 2-4**
2705 Ribera Road Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors 622-1040

\$6,799,000 5bd 4ba **Su 10-12 Su 12-3**
2705 Ribera Road Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors 622-1040

\$7,900,000 4bd 4.5ba **Su 2:30-5:30**
Scenic 5 NE of 13th Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2221

\$4,000,000 3bd 3ba + guest house **Su 1-4**
62 Yankee Point Drive Carmel Highlands
John Saar Properties **CANCELLED** 622-7227



\$4,250,000 3bd 2.5ba **Sa Su 1-4**
72 Yankee Point Drive Carmel Highlands
John Saar Properties 622-7227

\$5,950,000 4bd 3ba **Fri 1-4**
100 Yankee Point Drive Carmel Highlands
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\$1,695,000 3bd 2.5ba **Fri Sa 1:30-4:00**
191 Van Ess Carmel Highlands
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CARMEL VALLEY

\$167,000 1bd 1ba **Sa 12-2**
97 Hacienda Carmel Valley
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\$185,000 0bd 1ba **Su 1-4**
174 Hacienda Carmel Carmel Valley
Sotheby's Int'l RE 277-6020

\$359,000 2bd 2ba **Sa 2:30-4:30**
135 Hacienda Carmel Valley
Keller Williams Realty 901-9300

\$359,000 2bd 2ba **Sa 12-2 Su 1-4**
135 Hacienda Carmel Valley
Keller Williams Realty 578-3843

\$429,000 2bd 2ba **Su 1-4**
179 Del Mesa Carmel Carmel Valley
Alain Pinel Realtors 622-1040

\$550,000 2.7 Acres **Su 9-10**
31450 Via Las Rosas Carmel Valley
Carmel Realty Co. 236-8572

\$589,000 2bd 2ba **Su 12-3**
225 Del Mesa Carmel Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222

\$595,000 14 + Acres **Su 11-12**
306 Country Club Heights Carmel Valley
Carmel Realty Co. 236-8572

\$695,000 10+ Acres **Sa 1-3**
332 El Caminito Road Carmel Valley
Carmel Realty Co. 236-8572

\$695,000 10+ Acres **Su 1-3**
332 El Caminito Road Carmel Valley
Carmel Realty Co. 236-8572



\$768,000 2bd 2ba **Sa 2-4**
9905 Club Place Lane Carmel Valley
John Saar Properties 622-7227

\$786,000 2.5 Acres **Sa 9-10**
50 Encina Drive Carmel Valley
Carmel Realty Co. 236-8572

\$795,000 3bd 3.5ba **Sa 1-4**
9668 Willow Court Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222

\$795,000 3bd 3.5ba **Su 1-4**
9668 Willow Court Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222

\$799,000 5bd 2.5ba **Su 2-4**
170 EL CAMINITO ROAD Carmel Valley
Carmel Realty Co. 236-8571

\$799,570 3bd 2.5ba **Sa 1-3**
7020 Valley Greens Drive, #19 Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222

\$825,000 3bd 2ba **Su 12-2**
336 El Caminito Road Carmel Valley
Carmel Realty Co. 236-8571

\$825,000 3bd 2ba **Su 12-4**
336 EL CAMINITO ROAD Carmel Valley
Carmel Realty Co. 236-8571

\$905,000 3bd 3.5ba **Sa 1-3**
28075 BARN WAY Carmel Valley
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\$925,000 3bd 2ba **Fr 1-4**
10080 Eddy Rd Carmel Valley
Sotheby's Int'l RE 917-2892

CARMEL HIGHLANDS

\$1,195,000 4bd 3ba **Sa 1-4**
137 Carmel Riviera Drive Carmel Highlands
Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222

\$1,195,000 4bd 3ba **Su 2-4**
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Pebble Beach best buy...close to all the activity you want to enjoy and yet quiet enough to enjoy while you sit around the pool and patio in the back. Sheltered from the wind and the sun, you would never know its there in this single story four bedroom, five and one half bath home. Hardwood floors, gourmet kitchen and three Fireplaces. Very well priced at \$4,385,000.



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HEADS UP AND COMING TO THE MARKET NEXT WEEK. This single story home with guest house is in a quiet area of Pebble Beach. Fireplaces in the living room and master bedroom, and spacious decks around the home. Three bedrooms, plus artists loft, spacious decks and double car garage. Having not been occupied for some time, the house will greatly from some updating, but the basics of space and livability are all there. Watch for further details.



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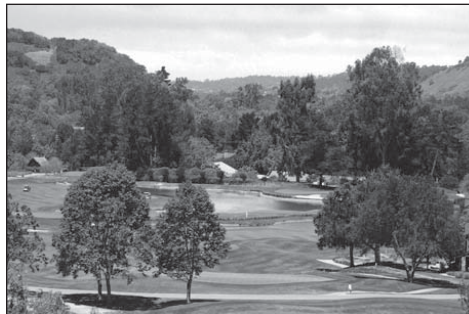
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CARMEL VALLEY

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| \$925,000 | 3bd 2ba | Sa 1-4 |
| 10080 Eddy Rd Carmel Valley Sotheby's Int'l RE 917-2892 | | |
| \$925,000 | 3bd 2ba | Su 1-4 |
| 10080 Eddy Rd Carmel Valley Sotheby's Int'l RE 917-2892 | | |
| \$1,042,000 | 4bd 3ba | Sa 2-4 |
| 7068 Fairway Place Carmel Valley Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222 | | |
| \$1,095,000 | 3bd 3.5ba | Sa 1-3 |
| 10711 Locust Court Carmel Valley Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2221 | | |
| \$1,099,000 | 3bd 1-3 | Sa 1-3 |
| 28042 DOVE COURT Carmel Valley Carmel Realty Co. 595-0535 | | |
| \$1,149,000 | 3bd 3ba | Fr 4-7 |
| 362 El Caminito Road Carmel Valley Sotheby's Int'l RE 917-2502 | | |
| \$1,149,000 | 3bd 3ba | Sa 1-4 |
| 362 El Caminito Road Carmel Valley Sotheby's Int'l RE 917-2502 | | |
| \$1,150,000 | 5bd 3.5ba | Su 1-3 |
| 17 WEST GARZAS ROAD Carmel Realty Co. 601-5483 | | |
| \$1,295,000 | 3bd 2ba | Sa 2-4 |
| 158 Chaparral Road Carmel Realty Co. 236-8572 | | |
| \$1,299,900 | 4bd 5ba | Sa 1-3 |
| 45 W Garzas Rd Carmel Valley Sotheby's Int'l RE 760-7091 | | |
| \$1,395,000 | 3bd 3ba | Sa 1-4 |
| 7010 Valley Greens Circle Carmel Valley Sotheby's Int'l RE 238-7449 | | |



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| \$1,475,000 | 3bd 3.5ba | Sa Su 1-4 |
| 10076 Oak Branch Circle Carmel Valley John Saar Properties 622-7227 | | |
| \$1,569,000 | 3bd 4ba | Su 1-4 |
| 332 West Carmel Valley Road Carmel Valley Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2221 | | |
| \$1,585,000 | 5bd 6.5ba | Sa 11-1 |
| 2 SLEEPY HOLLOW DRIVE Carmel Valley Carmel Realty Co. 236-8572 | | |
| \$1,595,000 | 4bd 2.5ba | Fr Su 12-4 Sa 12-3 |
| 7080 Valley Greens Circle Carmel Valley John Saar Properties 915-6929 | | |

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| \$1,695,000 | 3bd 3.5ba | Sa 2-4 |
| 7020 Valley Knoll Road Carmel Valley Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222 | | |
| \$1,895,000 | 4bd 3.5ba | Su 2-4 |
| 12 Oak Meadow Lane Carmel Valley Carmel Realty Co. 236-8572 | | |
| \$1,995,000 | 3bd 3ba | Sa 10-3 |
| 9965 Holt Road Carmel Valley The Jones Group 655-5050 | | |
| \$2,095,000 | 5bd 4ba | Sa 1-3:30 Su 11:30-1:30 |
| 27185 Los Arboles Drive Carmel Valley Alain Pinel Realtors 622-1040 | | |
| \$2,095,000 | 5bd 4ba | Su 1:30-3:30 |
| 27185 Los Arboles Drive Carmel Valley Alain Pinel Realtors 622-1040 | | |
| \$2,295,000 | 3bd 2.5ba | Fr 1-4 |
| 27208 Prado Del Sol Carmel Valley Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222 | | |
| \$2,295,000 | 3bd 2.5ba | Sa 1-4 |
| 27208 Prado del Sol Carmel Valley Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2221 | | |
| \$2,695,000 | 5bd 5.5ba | Sa 2-4 |
| 100 Via Milpitas Carmel Valley Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222 | | |
| \$2,795,000 | 5bd 5.5ba | Sa 1-3 |
| 8630 RIVER MEADOWS ROAD Carmel Realty Co. Carmel Realty Co. 521-4855 | | |
| \$2,985,000 | 4bd 4ba | Sa 12-4 |
| 331 El Caminito Road Carmel Valley Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2222 | | |
| \$3,100,000 | 6bd 4 Full 2 Halfba | Fr 9:30-2 Fr 2-5 |
| 9301 Holt Rd Carmel Valley Alain Pinel Realtors 622-1040 | | |
| \$3,699,000 | 4bd 4.5ba | Sa 1-4 |
| 26165 Rinconada Carmel Valley Sotheby's Int'l RE 238-0464 | | |

MARINA

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| \$350,000 | 3bd 2ba | Su 2-4 |
| 3036 Kennedy Ct Marina Keller Williams Realty 596-1214 | | |

MONTEREY

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|---|---------|------------|
| \$379,000 | 2bd 1ba | Sa 1-3 |
| 518 Cortes Street Monterey David Lyng Real Estate 901-7272 | | |
| \$475,000 | 2bd 1ba | Fr 2-4 |
| 1246 Prescott Monterey The Jones Group 277-8217 | | |
| \$499,000 | 2bd 2ba | Sa 1-3 |
| 844 Fountain Avenue Monterey David Lyng Real Estate 383-9810 | | |
| \$598,500 | 3bd 3ba | Su 1-3 |
| 28 Linda Vista Drive Monterey The Jones Group 917-4534 | | |
| \$599,000 | 3bd 2ba | Sa 2-4 |
| 1701 Hoffman Avenue Monterey Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2224 | | |
| \$650,000 | 3bd 2ba | Sa 11-2 |
| 2140 David Avenue Monterey Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2223 | | |
| \$650,000 | 3bd 2ba | Su 11-2 |
| 2140 David Avenue Monterey Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2223 | | |
| \$725,000 | 2bd 2ba | Fr Mon 2-4 |
| 1 Surf Way # 125 Monterey Keller Williams Realty 236-5923 | | |

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- \$749,000 3bd 2.5ba** **Su 1:30-4**
214 Mar Vista Drive
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Monterey 626-2222
- \$1,050,000 3bd 2ba** **Sa 1:30-4:30**
11 Cuesta Vista
Sotheby's Int'l RE Monterey 595-4591
- \$1,050,000 3bd 2ba** **Su 1:30-4:30**
11 Cuesta Vista
Sotheby's Int'l RE Monterey 595-4591
- \$1,250,000 4bd 2.5ba** **Sa 12-2**
6 White Tail Lane
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Monterey 626-2224
- \$1,285,000 4bd 3.5ba** **Su 2-4**
1123 Alta Mesa Drive
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Monterey 626-2221
- \$1,295,000 5bd 3.5ba** **Su 1-4**
574 Watson Street
Keller Williams Realty Monterey 236-5923
- \$2,145,000 4bd 3ba** **Sa 1-3:30**
887 Via Mirada
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Monterey 626-2222

MOSS LANDING

- \$905,000 3bd 2.5ba** **Sa 2-4**
186 Monterey Dunes Way
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MONTEREY SALINAS HIGHWAY

- \$649,000 4bd 3ba** **Sa 1-3**
24120 Mallard Court
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Mtry/Slns Hwy 626-2222
- \$799,000 4bd 4ba** **Sa 1-4**
77 Paseo Hermoso
Alain Pinel Realtors Mtry/Slns Hwy 622-1040
- \$1,149,000 3bd 2.5ba** **Sa 1-3**
11899 Saddle Road
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Mtry/Slns Hwy 626-2222
- \$1,625,000 4bd 3ba** **Sa 1:30-4**
26260 Toro Road
Keller Williams Realty Mtry/Slns Hwy 236-7976
- \$1,795,000 bd ba** **Sa 3-5**
25950 Colt Lane
Sotheby's Int'l RE Mtry/Slns Hwy 595-7633
- \$1,999,999 3bd 4ba** **Sa 1-3**
25944 Paseo Estribo
Sotheby's Int'l RE Mtry/Slns Hwy 241-8208
- \$3,200,000 3bd 4ba** **Fr 2-5**
24323 Monterra Woods Road
Sotheby's Int'l RE Mtry/Slns Hwy 236-3164
- \$3,695,000 7bd 7.5ba** **Sa 1-3**
25915 Enclave
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Mtry/Slns Hwy 626-2222
- \$3,698,000 5bd 6ba** **Fr 2-4**
7625 Mills Rd
Sotheby's Int'l RE Mtry/Slns Hwy 920-7868
- \$3,995,000 5bd 7ba** **Fr 2-4**
8120 Manjares
Sotheby's Int'l RE Mtry/Slns Hwy 595-9291
- \$4,495,000 6bd 9ba** **Fr 2-4**
7820 Monterra Oaks Road
Sotheby's Int'l RE Mtry/Slns Hwy 236-5389
- \$4,495,000 6bd 9ba** **Fr 4-6**
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\$4,495,000 6bd 9ba **Sa 2-4**
7820 Monterra Oaks Road
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PACIFIC GROVE

- \$394,700 3bd 1ba** **Sa 2-4**
304 Fountain Avenue
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Pacific Grove 626-2222
- \$535,000 4bd 2ba** **Su 1-3**
1234 Buena Vista Avenue
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Pacific Grove 626-2222
- \$585,000 3bd 2ba** **Sa Su 1-3**
1121 David Avenue
J.R. Rouse Real Estate Pacific Grove 920-8256 / 277-9646
- \$595,000 3bd 2ba** **Sa 1-4**
426 Bishop Avenue
Keller Williams Realty Pacific Grove 595-2060
- \$649,500 3bd 2ba** **Sa 2-4**
925 Ruth Court
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Pacific Grove 626-2222
- \$659,000 3bd 2ba** **Sa 11-1**
904 Laurie Circle
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Pacific Grove 626-2224
- \$669,000 2bd 2ba** **Sa 1-3 Su 2-4**
607 Carmel Avenue
The Jones Group Pacific Grove 655-5050
- \$699,950 2bd 2ba** **Su 2-4**
166 Lighthouses Avenue
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Pacific Grove 626-2226
- \$710,000 3bd 2ba** **Fri Sa 1-4**
717 Eardley Avenue
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- \$795,000 4bd 2.5ba** **Sa 1-3**
301 Cypress Avenue
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- \$795,000 4bd 2.5ba** **Su 1-3**
301 Cypress Avenue
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- \$799,000 4bd 2ba** **Sa 1-4**
1127 Miles Avenue
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- \$975,000 3bd 2ba** **Sa Su 1-3:30**
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- \$1,250,000 3bd 2ba** **Sa 2-4**
106 7th Street
Coldwell Banker Del Monte Pacific Grove 626-2222
- \$1,755,000 4bd 3ba** **Sa Su 1-3:30**
940 Bayview Avenue
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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE of NATHAN SIEGEL

Case Number MP 20826
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of NATHAN SIEGEL.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by REBECCA SIEGEL in the Superior Court of California, County of MONTEREY.

The Petition for Probate requests that REBECCA SIEGEL 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 in this court as follows:

Date: September 21, 2012
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Dept.: PR

Address: 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:
Yvonne A. Ascher
444 Pearl Street, Suite A-1
Monterey, CA 93940

(831) 641-9019
(s) Yvonne A. Ascher,
Attorney for Petitioner.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Aug. 2, 2012.
Publication dates: Aug. 10, 17, 24, 2012. (PC811)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. M118863.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: petitioner, SANDRA LEILANI SHELBY, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A. Present name: SANDRA LEILANI HAWORTH
Proposed name: SANDRA LEILANI SHELBY
A. Present name: SHELBY LEILANI HAWORTH
Proposed name: SHELBY LEILANI SHELBY
A. Present name: JOHN GORDON HAWORTH
Proposed name: JOHN GORDON KAI SHELBY

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is sched-

uled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING:
DATE: Sept. 14., 2012
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
DEPT: TBA

The address of the court is 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: The Carmel Pine Cone, Carmel.

(s) Thomas W. Willis
Judge of the Superior Court
Date filed: July 18, 2012
Clerk: Connie Mazzei
Deputy: Lisa Dalia
Publication dates: Aug. 10, 17, 24, 31, 2012. (PC812)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20121545. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: CARMEL VALLEY SALSA WORKS, 114 El Hemmorro, Carmel Valley, CA 93924. Monterey County.

RANDOLPH T. HARRIS, 114 El Hemmorro, Carmel Valley, CA 93924. MARTIN SCHLARMANN, 6 Ronnoco Rd., Carmel Valley, CA 93924. This business is conducted by co-partners. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: June 1, 2012. (s) Randolph T. Harris. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 31, 2012. Publication dates: Aug. 10, 17, 24, 31, 2012. (PC

813)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20121515.

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
T-Mobile, 1350 Northridge Mall, Salinas, CA 93906.

Registrant(s) name and address: T-Mobile West LLC, formed in Delaware, qualified in California, 12920 SE 38th Street, Bellevue, WA 98006. This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on n/a. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)

S/ Lauren Venezia, Executive Vice President
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 25, 2012.

NOTICE-This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before that time.

The filing of this statement does not of

itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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Publication dates: Aug. 17, 24, 31, Sept. 7, 2012. (PC 814)

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

File No. 20091483.

The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: T-Mobile, 1350 Northridge Mall, Salinas, CA 93906.

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in the County Clerk's office on 07/06/2009 under Current File No. 20091483 in Monterey County. Registered owner: T-Mobile West Corporation, 12920 SE 38th Street, Bellevue, WA 98006. Delaware. This business was conducted by a Corporation.

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)

S/ Lauren Venezia, Executive Vice President

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 25, 2012.

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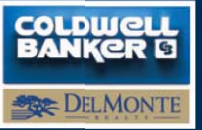
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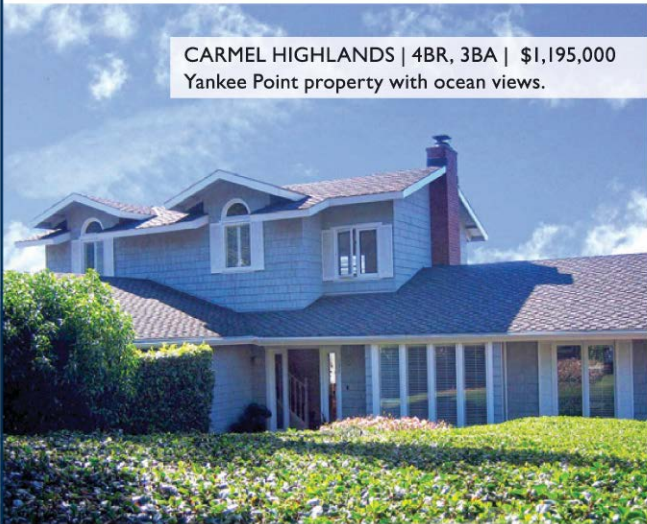
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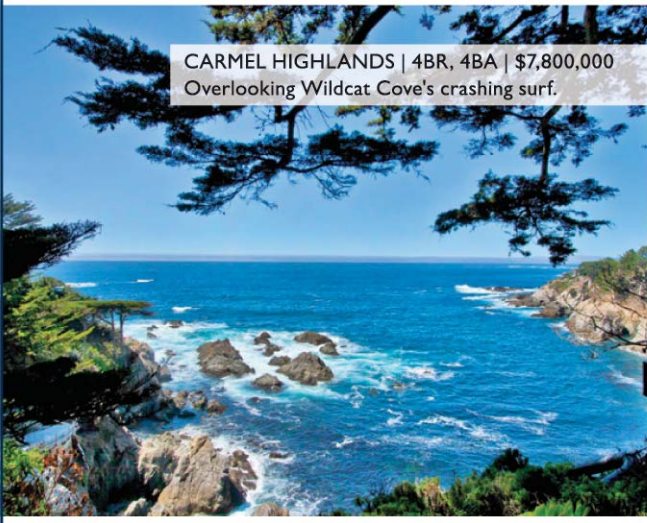
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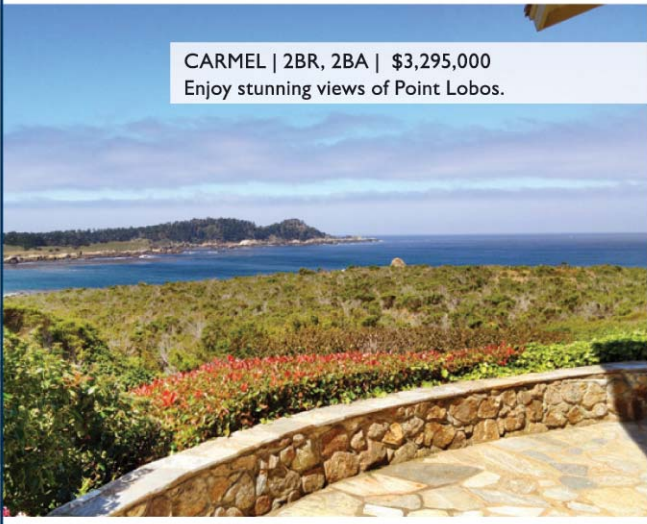
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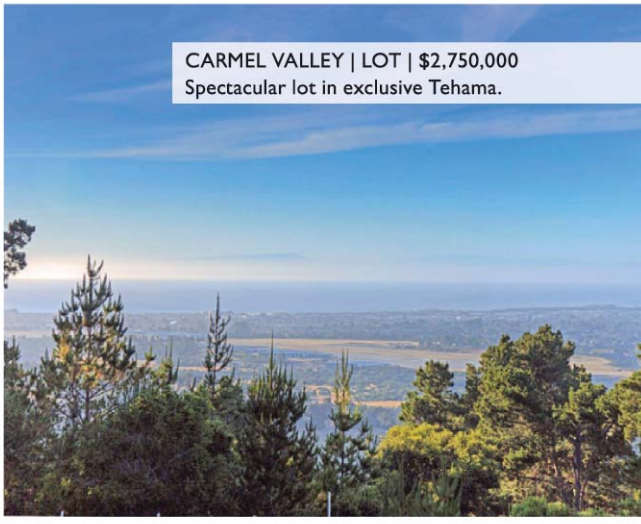
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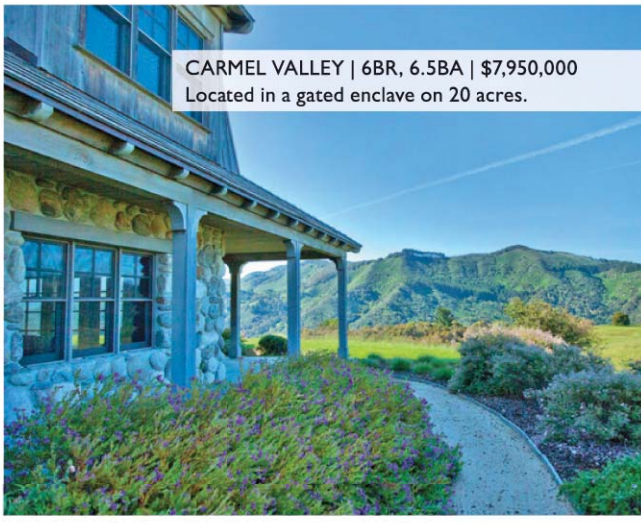
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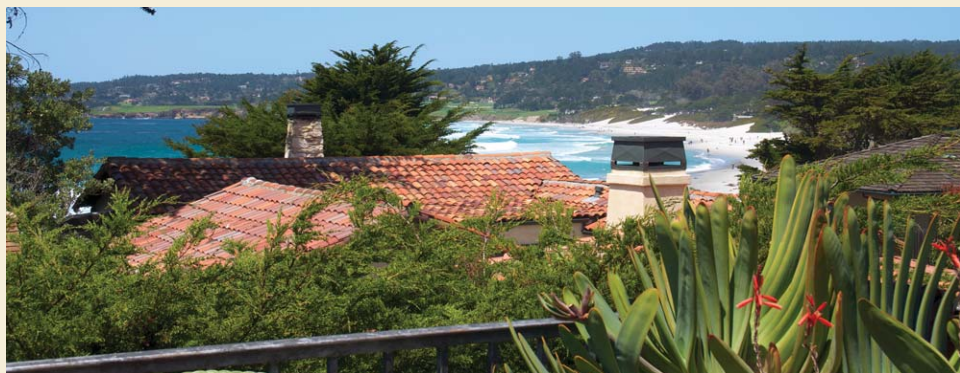
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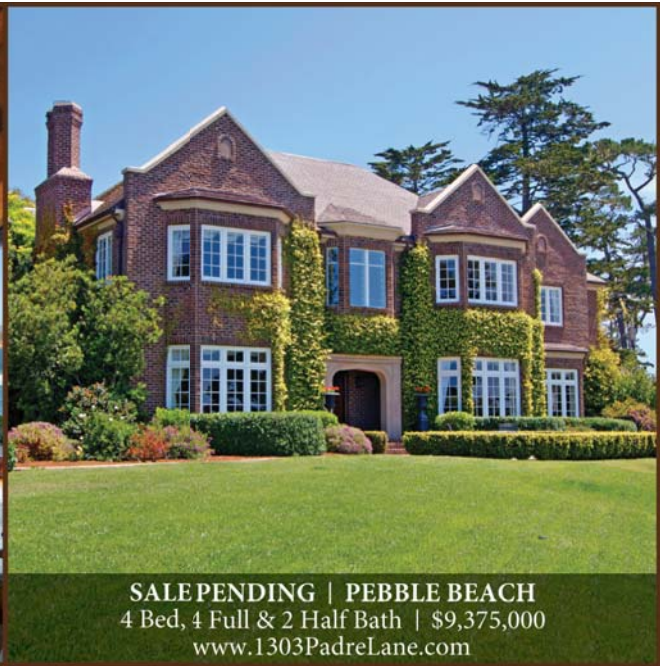
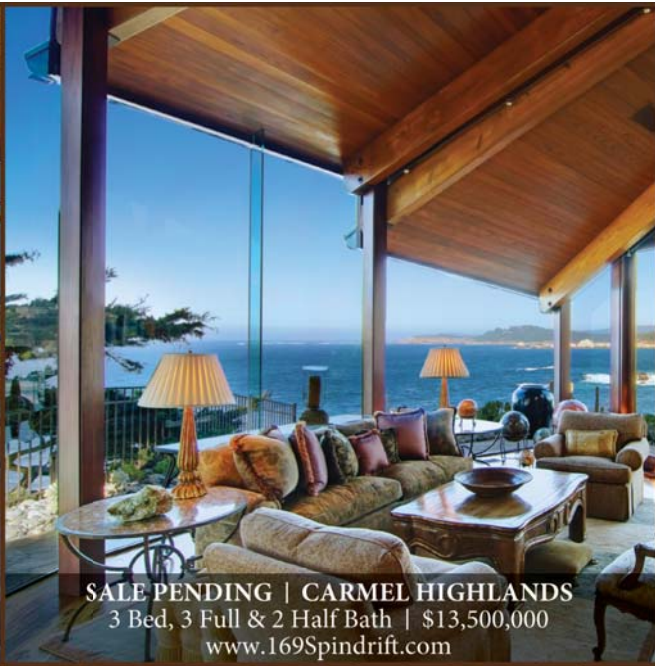
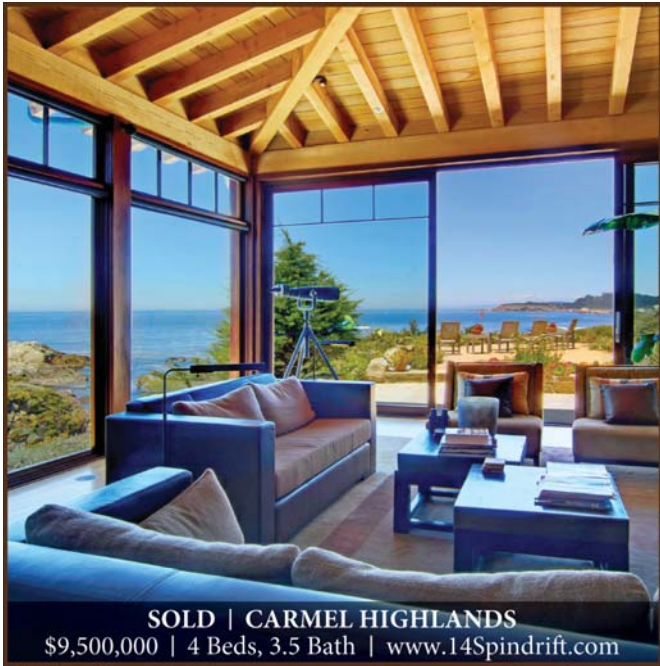
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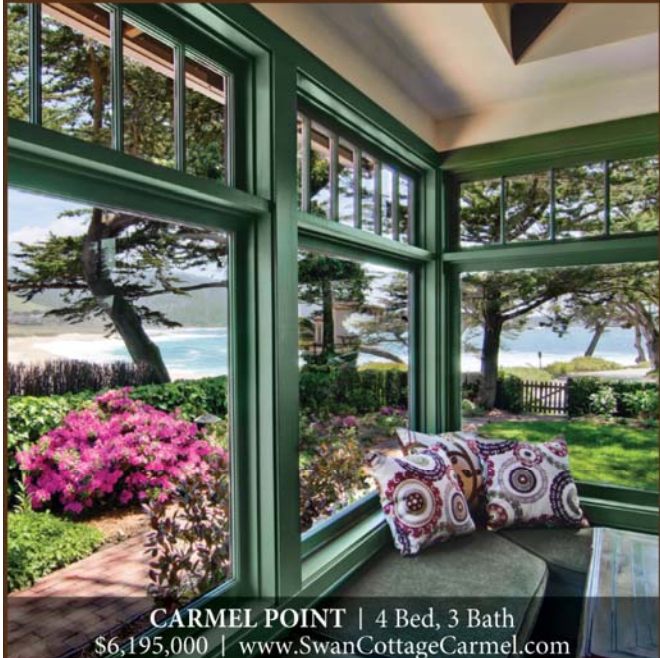
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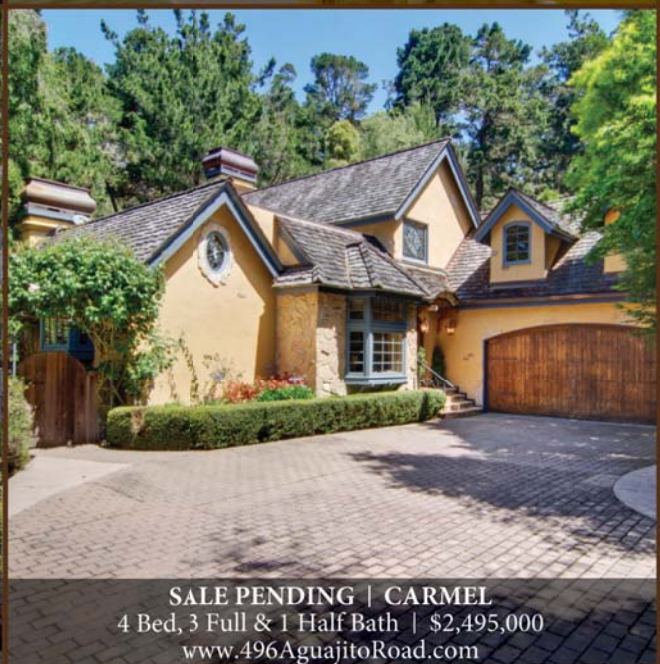
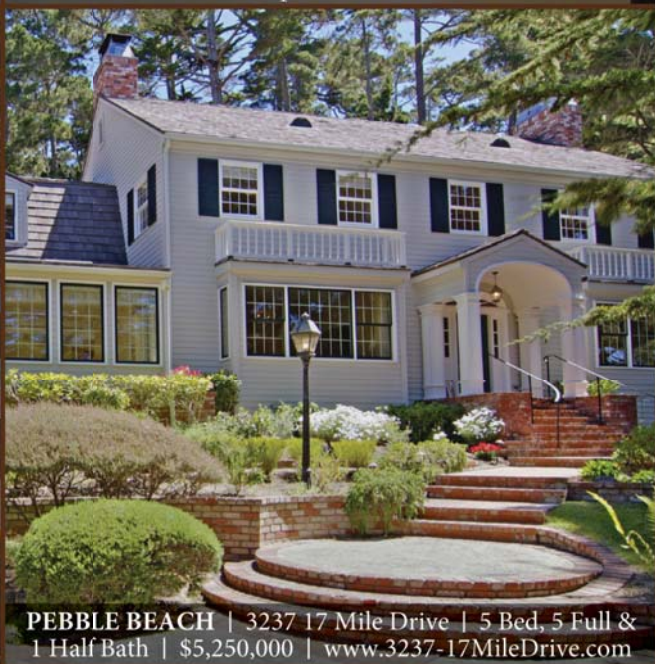
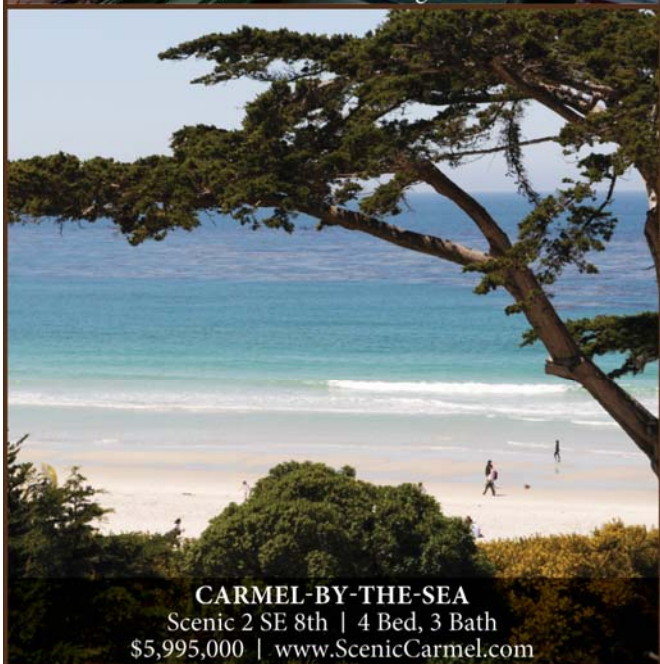
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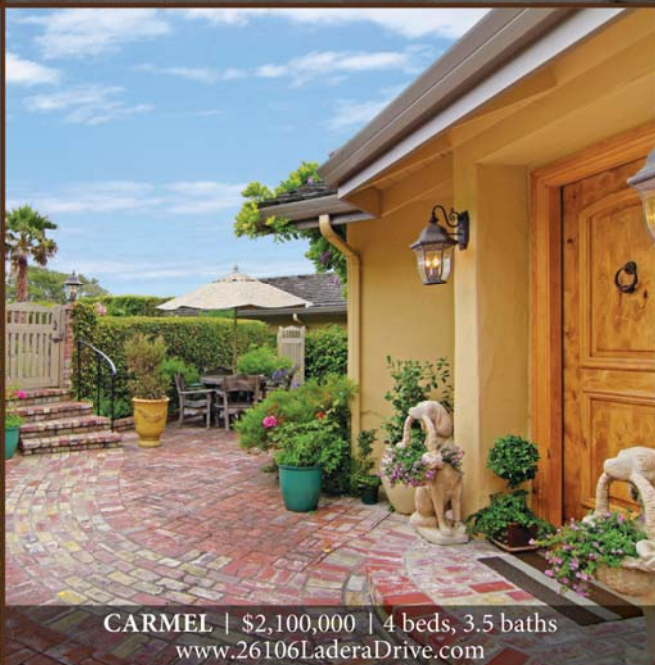
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CONCOORS WEEK

On the fairway: A display that would make Indian royalty proud

■ The Cars of the Maharajas highlight Pebble Beach event

By LISA CRAWFORD WATSON

THE PRINCELY state of Rajkot, writes automotive journalist Gautum Sen, dates back to 1612, when a branch of the Jadeja clan from the state of Nawanagar split to create the state and the city of Rajkot, in what is present day Gujarat. With an area of just 720 square kilometers, the rulers of Rajkot were essentially wealthy landowners — *taluqdars* — and not full-fledged rajas, and so were known as *thakoresahebs*.

Such stories read like episodes from online adventure games of magic and myth, unfolding in battles won and lost in the forests and jungles, canyons and mountains of some far-away land. But this is not a computer game; it is India, a place where names were long and unusual, where power was gained and lost and, along with it, wealth. Over time, clansmen became rajas and maharajas — kings and great kings — who built resplendent palaces and amassed exceptional automobile collections.

In 1934, Thakoresaheb Dharmendrasinhji Jadeja, who became the ruler of Rajkot in 1930, ordered a Rolls-Royce Phantom II, chassis 188PY, with cabriolet bodywork by Thrupp & Maberly. Known as the “Star of India,” “this saffron orange and polished aluminum car is a testament to the finest melding of prewar design and the distinctive and flamboyant tastes of Indian royalty,” notes Sen.

Once India gained independence in 1947, the magnificence of the maharajas began to disappear



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One of the most popular exhibitions at this year's Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance is sure to be a special display of cars owned by Indian royalty, including this fabulous 1934 Rolls Royce Phantom II known as the “Star of India.”

and, along with it, many of their automobiles. But not all. In testament to what remains, the excellence and extravagance of early Indian royalty has come to Pebble Beach, as several royal families escort their luxury automobiles — among them Rolls Royce, Daimler, Bugatti, Duisenberg and Minerva — to the 62nd Annual Pebble Beach

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Prince Manvendra Singh, who co-authored, “The Automobiles of the Maharajas,” published in

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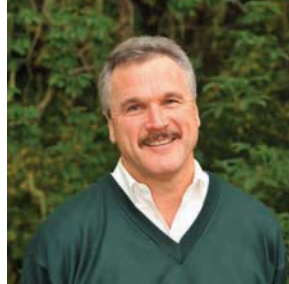


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A Mercer Raceabout gets another chance to go the distance

By LISA CRAWFORD WATSON

JOHNNY CROWELL was sitting behind the wheel of his yellow 1925 Mercer Series 6 Raceabout, appreciating a bright blue day in Seattle. The town where he bought the car was alive with summertime activity in a city that celebrates sunny days, with hydroplanes racing and other boats negotiating space on Lake Washington, while the Blue Angels scorched by overhead. What a great day for a drive, he thought.

Wearing original leather hats and goggles, Crowell and his wife, Christine, were preparing to

participate in the Pebble Beach Motoring Classic, the ultimate road trip for automobile aficionados. The tour, which began Tuesday, Aug. 7, departed Seattle and traversed the Cascade Mountains, climbed Mount Hood and rimmed Crater Lake before driving down into California to cross the Golden Gate Bridge and catch the coastal highway to reach the Peninsula in time for the 62nd annual Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance.

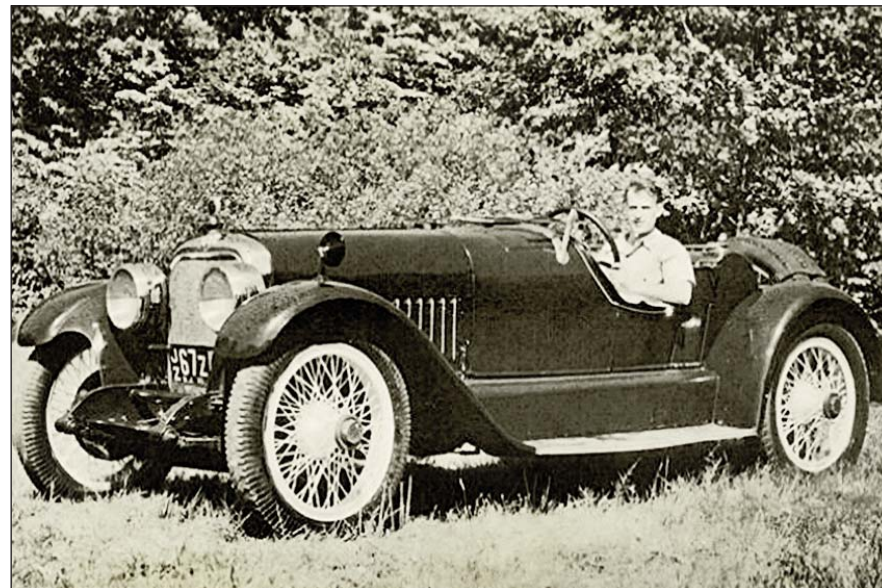
Mercedes is a featured marque in this year's classic car convivium.

"I'll be perfectly satisfied if the Mercer makes it, and the car's still running when we get there," says

Crowell. "It's noisy and goes pretty quickly but feels like it's going 10 times faster than it is. There's really no car to it. It has no doors, no windows, no top, and only a 4-inch-high windshield. It's a pretty tight fit. It won't be uncomfortable for me, because I'll be smiling so much. But it is going to be very hot and very cold. I'll have to check in with my passenger along the way."

Some would say the road to the Raceabout began in 1881, with the birth of Washington

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PHOTOS/COURTESY JOHNNY CROWELL, PEBBLE BEACH CONCOURS D'ELEGANCE

The last Mercer to exit the factory was this 1925 Series 6 Raceabout (above) which is now owned by Johnny Crowell and has been restored and spiffed up and is sure to attract a lot of attention in Pebble Beach (left).



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Reunion pays tribute to American racing's most important man

By MARY SCHLEY

INEVER intended to be a driver — I only drove 10 years, and I always knew I wanted to build my own car,” Carroll Shelby told *The Pine Cone* in a 2004 interview. “It’s a very difficult business, but I’m successful enough that I haven’t had to apply for food stamps, yet.”

So said the man who left a greater impression and did more for automobile racing in the United States than perhaps any other. Shelby, who died in May at the age of 89, created an American racing icon — the Cobra — and in an the interview about

the pending auction of the first ever built, he commented, “The Cobra has to be my favorite, because that’s what I’m known for.”

Before his death, the Cobra had already been selected as the featured marque at this weekend’s Rolex Monterey Motorsports Reunion and other Concours Week events. This year marks the Cobra’s 50th anniversary, and officials at Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca have said the Aug. 17-19 races will showcase the largest gathering of original Cobras in one location, as well as a dedicated race of 45 authentic CSX 2000/3000 competition cars.

Shelby’s career was varied — it even included a stint as a chicken farmer and the successful launch of a chili company he eventually sold to Kraft — but a unifying thread wove through much of the Texas native’s work: fast machines. He served as a flight instructor and test pilot during his five years with the Army Air Corps during World War II before going on to race cars, and then to build them.

“I got out of the Air Force and tried to go to

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Carroll Shelby designed race-winning sports cars for Ford and other American manufacturers, and is being remembered at this weekend’s Rolex Monterey Motorsports Reunion. This Shelby AC Cobra (right) was the first car he built.



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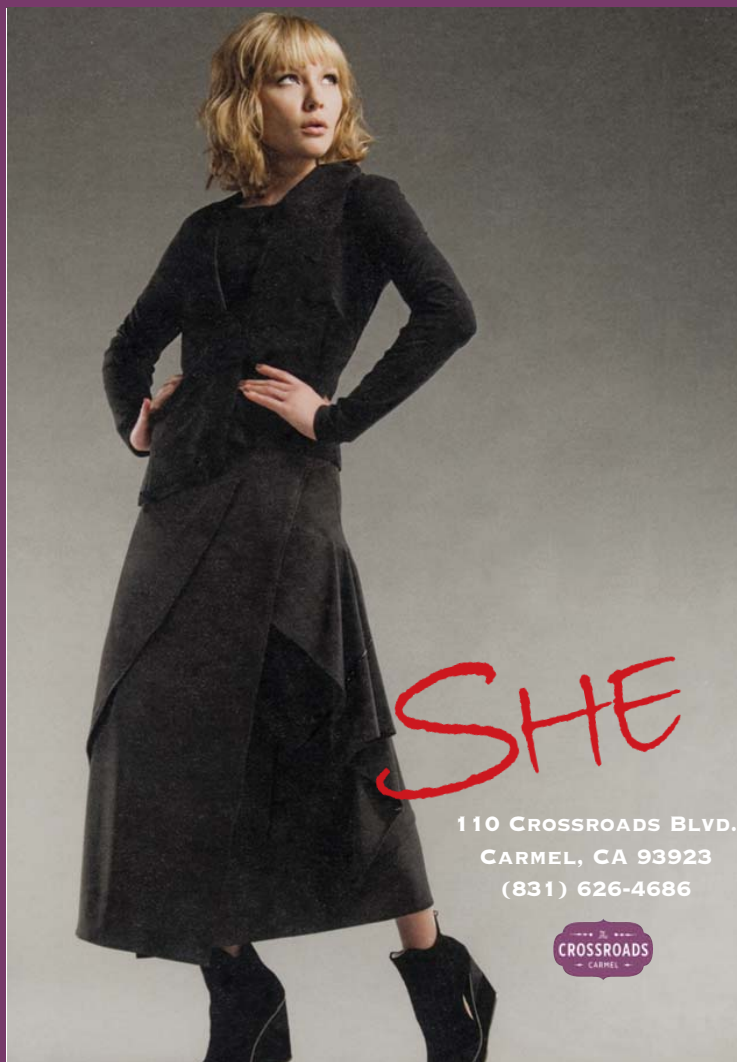
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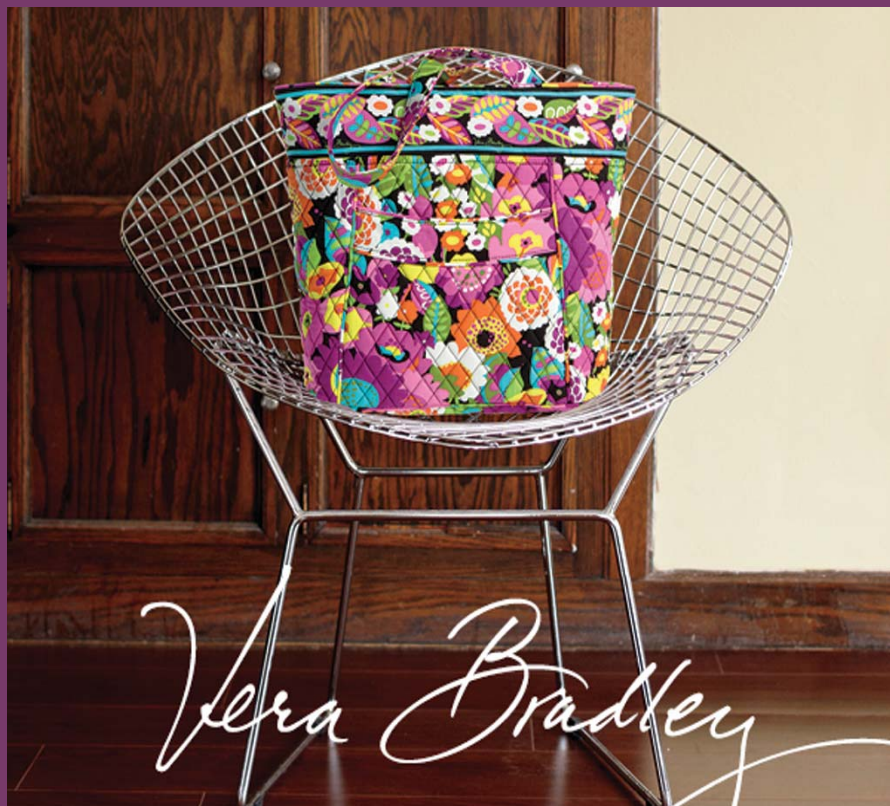
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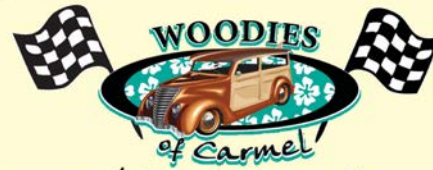


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Concours d'Elegance helps drive local charities to philanthropic success

■ Mercedes, Mini Cooper, Rolex and diamond earrings up for raffle grabs

By KELLY NIX and ELAINE HESSER

WHILE CAR enthusiasts celebrate the arrival of some of the world's most interesting and expensive automobiles to the Monterey Peninsula during the Concours d'Elegance, local

organizations that help people and animals are also celebrating.

The Concours — through its fundraising wing, the Pebble Beach Company Foundation — has raised more than \$15 million for local, national and international organizations, including 50 in Monterey County charities alone.

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Adorable Katrina (above) is a 1-year-old dilute torbie and is looking for a home. She's available for adoption at Animal Friends Rescue Project's shelter in Pacific Grove, which is one of the beneficiaries of the Concours' charity efforts. You can help by buying a raffle ticket to win a 2013 Mini John Cooper Works GP (above right) or a 2013 Mercedes Benz GLK350 (right).

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CONCOURS WEEK

Hardworking automotive artist calls it a day, but show goes on

By CHRIS COUNTS

ONE OF the most prolific of all automotive fine artists, 94-year-old Art Fitzpatrick makes his final appearance this year at the Automotive Fine Arts Society exhibit at the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance. The 27th annual one-day event will be staged Sunday, Aug. 19, on the 18th Fairway at Pebble Beach Golf Links.

"The wonderful cars, beautiful setting and interesting people have made the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance one of my favorite events," Fitzpatrick said. "While I've enjoyed exhibiting my art there, the logistics and physical challenges present problems that have become more than I can handle now."

For his swan song, Fitzpatrick presents a display of his finest work. Included will be an original gouache and acrylic study of a 1953 Studebaker Starliner, which was created for a U.S. postage stamp.

"The '53 Starliner is a wonderful example of the golden era of American automotive design," Fitzpatrick said. "Robert Bourke, chief of the Raymond Loewy studio in Indiana, created a car with perfect styling. Nothing is contrived or unnatural. It was a pleasure to honor this wonderful car."

According to AFAS President and artist Ken Eberts, the AFAS exhibit won't be the same with-

out Fitzpatrick.

"His ability to capture intricate details has given him tremendous stature with car designers and automakers," said Eberts of Fitzpatrick. "But it's the inspiring beauty of his pieces that has earned Art the respect and admiration of the general art community. Everyone will certainly miss his exhib-

it at the Concours next year."

A bridge to the past

When Eberts returns to Pebble Beach, he will be accompanied by one of his most acclaimed works,

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Barry Rowe's Concours d'Elegance poster (right) depicts Bruce McCaw's Benz and Stutz at the Lodge, while Jay Koka's Tour d'Elegance poster (far right) shows Chip Connor's 1936 Hispano-Suiza J12 in front of the Big Sur coastline.



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CONCOURS WEEK

Even on the final weekend, a bonanza of automotive elegance and power

BY MARY SCHLEY

CONCOURS WEEK on the Monterey Peninsula is well under way, but the best is yet to come, with a multitude of rallies, parties, auctions, exhibitions, races, competitions and fundraisers to choose from when figuring out how to spend the final few days of automotive heaven.

Decades ago, the car craziness was confined to a relatively low-key weekend, with auto races and an judged show in Pebble Beach, but now the fun extends more than a week and runs the gamut. Festivities began Aug. 11-12, with the formerly off-limits Pre-Reunion races at Mazda

Raceway Laguna Seca, and will still be going strong come Aug. 19, when the famed Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance, Gooding & Co. auction and an automotive art show bring the week to an end. Leading up to them are celebrations of vehicular genius; eclectic sales of old cars, new cars, rare cars, motorcycles, memorabilia and jewelry; a scenic drive through Peninsula; decadent wining and dining among notable racing and collector cars, and even a parade of the worst of the worst.

Whether you don't plan to miss a thing or just want to sample a few of your

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You may know him as a vice president with Monterey County Bank or owner of a Carmel antique store, but Michael Adamson (left) is also a classic car aficionado and participated in last year's Pacific Grove Auto Rally. The 2011 Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance featured Ferrari – and a mighty display they made (right).

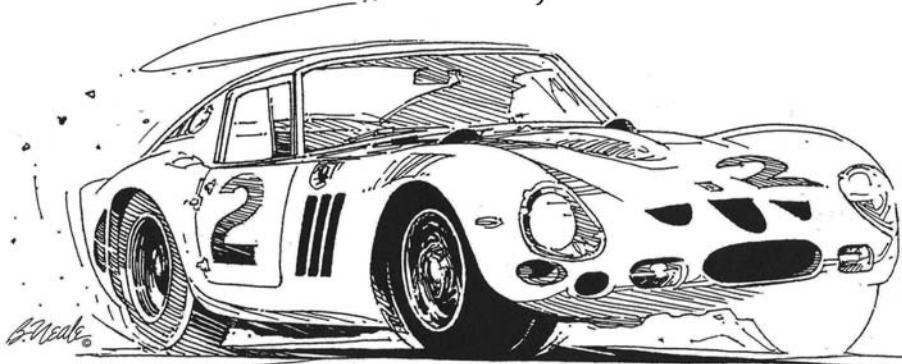
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The foundation also works with the Concours to oversee the Phil Hill Scholarships, established in 2009 in memory of the Formula 1 World Drivers Champion, who won Best of Show at the Concours on two occasions and served among its judges for a record 39 years. The scholarships benefit students in college automotive restoration programs.

And by purchasing \$100 raffle tickets this year, Pebble Beach Concours attendees have a chance to win a Rolex watch, diamond earrings, a new Mercedes SUV, a Mini Cooper and a trip to England. The proceeds benefit the charities that are holding the raffles.

■ CHOMP

Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula has been a beneficiary of the Concours d'Elegance since the 1960s, hospital spokeswoman Brenda Moore said. Several hundred thousand dollars for hospital programs have been raised since then.

"In recent years, funds raised through drawings for a new car, watches and jewelry have been used to provide stroke education and to support an initiative to bring new technology to the Carol Hatton Breast Care Center," Moore said this week.

The hospital's auxiliary — its volunteer force — spearheads the fundraising effort by selling the raffle tickets. For its annual fundraiser related to the Concours this year, the auxiliary is selling tickets to win a 2013 Mercedes-Benz GLK350 (donated by Mercedes Benz USA) valued at \$35,880, or a men's Rolex watch (donated by Rolex), valued at \$20,500.

"The auxiliary is thrilled to be part of this event every year," said Ann O'Neill, auxiliary president. "It gives us an opportunity to raise money for hospital programs and services — and last year, one of community hospital's own staff members won the car."

As luck would have it, Laura Lane-Williams, director of nursing administration at community hospital, was the winner of a Mercedes sedan in 2011.

The auxiliary uses proceeds from the Concours to support stroke education, Community Hospital's Breast Care Center, and other health services and initiatives, Moore said.

Tickets are \$100 each for a chance to win the Mercedes or Rolex. They can be purchased by calling (831) 625-4506, at the hospital at 23625 Holman Hwy. in Monterey or at the Pebble Beach Concours, where the drawing will be held Aug. 19.

■ Animal Friends Rescue Project

The furry bunch up for adoption at Animal Friends Rescue Project in Pacific Grove also benefits from the world-class car event every year. AFRP places homeless dogs and cats into permanent homes, fosters animals and provides veterinary care.

"The Concours helps AFRP with funds to rescue the most at-risk animals in our local shelters — the too young, old, injured, abused and overlooked dogs, cats and rabbits," AFRP executive director Kelly Lehrian told The Pine Cone this week.

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hotel accommodations from any major U.S. city to the Mini Cooper factory in Oxford, England to take special delivery of the \$43,000 vehicle. That drawing will also be Aug. 19.

The funds from the Concours help provide food, medical care and boarding for cats and dogs at AFRP's Pacific Grove adoption center at 560 Lighthouse Ave. in Pacific Grove. AFRP's Treasure Shop, at 160 Fountain Ave. in P.G., also helps it fulfill its mission.

"AFRP is grateful to be a part of this wonderful event and to be able to help so many animals with the funds raised," Lehrian said.

Download the raffle form at www.animalfriendrescue.org. The form must be received by Friday, Aug. 17.

■ United Way Monterey County

United Way Monterey County is one of 1,300 United Way offices in the United States that provides a host of charitable services for those in need.

From feeding the poor, to offering prescription drug discounts, the organization estimates that 1 in 3 Monterey County residents benefits from a United Way-funded agency.

The charity has also had a long relationship with the Concours d'Elegance.

"United Way has a contract with Pebble Beach Concours to handle all aspects of tickets sales and benefits from the generosity of the people who attend the event," director of marketing and communication, Mary Adams, president and CEO of United Way Monterey County, told The Pine Cone. "The Concours is important to our community."

The impact United Way Monterey County has

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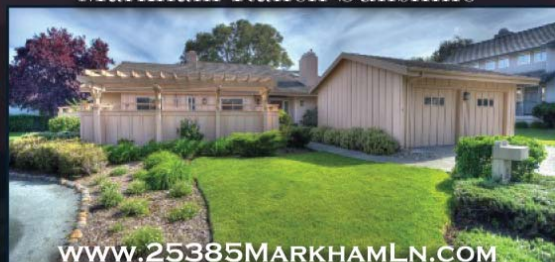
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on the community is tremendous. Through its fundraising efforts, nearly 30,000 hot meals have been served, 1,200 disabled people received support, and nearly 15,000 children participated in after school programs.

Some of the important services UWMC offers include its 211 program, which allows callers who dial the number to receive important information about health and human services; its "Earn it! Keep it! Save it!" program, which, provides free tax preparation services to low-income individuals and families throughout Monterey County; and FamilyWize, which offers free prescription drug discount cards.

Information: www.unitedwaymcca.org.

Voices for Children

Leeza's future didn't look too bright. She'd been placed in foster care by the court for reasons she'd rather forget and found herself well behind her classmates — especially in reading. In fact, when she was 6, she couldn't read a single word. But the story has a happy ending: a Court Appointed Special Advocate from Voices for Children came into her life and worked with her every week to help her catch up. Now, a few years later, she's proud to have been named Student of the Month at her school and has been able to return to live with some extended family members. "We see some pretty amazing things," said Siobhan Green, who has been Voices for Children's executive director for a decade. They are just one of the charities that benefit annually from the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance.

Green is passionate about her work. "Over the last 10 years, we've saved at least a thousand chil-

dren," she said, noting that in 2011, the group worked with 151 neglected, abused or abandoned children who were declared dependents of the court. The organization assigns each child his or her own CASA, whose job it is to advocate for the child's well-being.

According to Green, it takes a special person to do the job — someone consistent, reliable and compassionate. Each candidate must also pass a background check and complete 40 hours of training. "Last year, we had 138 active advocates," Green said, "I could use 198." Sadly, Green has seen babies as young as 7 months old, although they normally deal with children between 3 and 18 years old. She describes them as "great kids who have had lousy shakes so far. They've had painful experiences where they should have had happy, fun ones. They need someone to be consistent, nurturing and kind with them."

Green worries about what happens to the children who "age out" of the system at 18. Right now, they can voluntarily request to remain in extended foster care for a year to transition to work or college. She'd like to see the laws change so that they could receive services until they're 21 years old.

Green shared the story of a former client who now volunteers with Voices for Children: "She never would have graduated from high school, but now she's attending community college. She's hard-working and focused."

The organization is grateful for the help it has received from Concours, which has totalled more than \$80,000. "We've been one of their charities for eight years. We hope as much as people take in the beautiful cars, they also take stock in themselves and the community and think about those who are in need." Green said.

Across the Peninsula at the headquarters of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Monterey County, CEO Donna Ferraro concurred. "We really appreciate

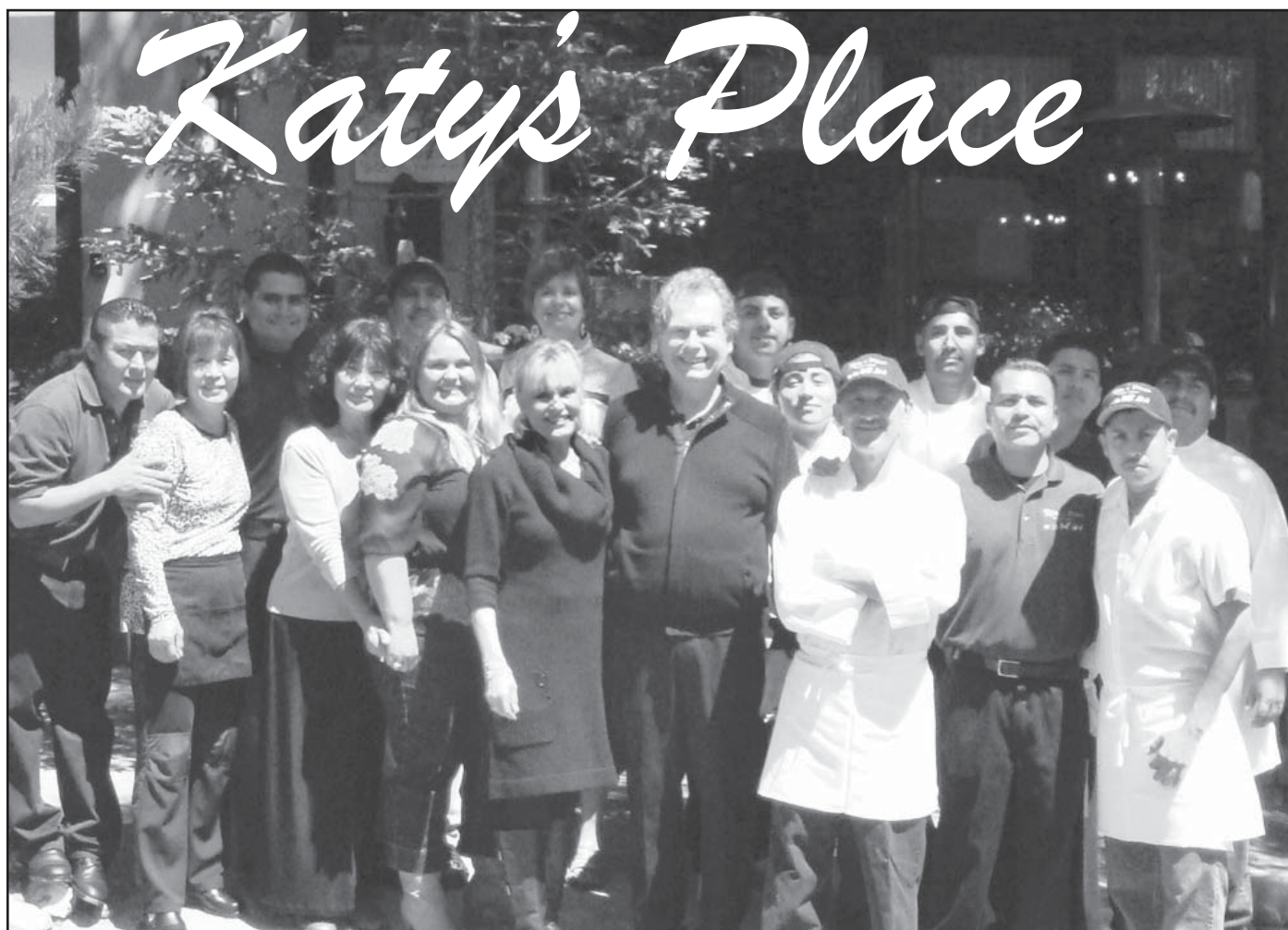
the support of the Concours. We're fortunate to work in collaboration and partnership with them," she said. The group receives about \$50,000 annually from the organization that stages the Pebble Beach concours.

With help from that money, it runs two youth centers, one in Seaside and one in Salinas, along with some satellite after-school sites, serving 800 children daily. When Ferraro first started working with the clubs in 1991 as resource development director, they had nowhere near the reach they do today. "I think we had about 35 kids a day in a little church," she said, marveling at how much the clubs and their programs have grown.

One focus of the organization is literacy, with Ferraro noting that "70 percent of third-graders in Monterey County are below grade level in reading." In addition to literacy tutoring, the Boys & Girls Clubs of Monterey County has a math program for fourth graders. "It's not just homework help anymore," Ferraro said. Her goal is to see every child graduate from high school and then go on to college or a career.

In addition to academic success, the group focuses on encouraging healthy lifestyles and good character and leadership. Of course, the kids also get to have fun, not to mention something to eat. During the recent summer program designed to give youth a place to go when school is out, Ferraro estimated they served more than 70,000 meals and snacks at four sites, including both youth centers, and El Sausal and Harden Middle Schools in Salinas. "I'm proud of the fact that we've been able to deepen our impact and broaden our reach," Ferraro proclaimed.

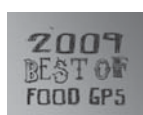
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A 1924 Rolls Royce 20HP Tourer owned by the Maharana of Udaipur (pictured above in India) and the whimsical yet stunning 1910 Brooke known as The Swan (right), along with its miniature companion known as The Cygnet, will be shown at the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance Sunday.



PHOTOS/MAKARAND BAKKAR (TOP), COURTESY OF THE LOUWMAN MUSEUM (RIGHT)

MAHARAJAS

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2003, grew up around luxury automobiles. One of the first steam cars to come into India in 1903, a Miesse Turner, belonged to his grandfather, the Maharaja of Barwani, a title succeeded by his father.

“What got me to write about the history of automobiles in India,” says Singh, “are the fairytale stories that appeared in the American and European automobile magazines in the late 1960s, about these fancy cars of the Maharajas. Many articles were written about how ridiculous the Maharajas were with their special, ordered cars. I was prompted to write by this feeling that the automotive world was misinformed about Indian culture, heritage and religious customs.”

The maharaja cars, says Singh, are classified into four main categories: ceremonial, hunting, grand touring or sports, and cars made to shield royal

Indian women from view. All were known for their exceptional coachwork, in keeping with the opulence of the maharajas. While the Star of India is widely recognized as one of the most beautiful cars of the maharajas, the Swan is equally renowned as one of the most bizarre.

“The Swan is a completely crazy car, created by a man who must have been bonkers,” says Sen, who wrote, “The Maharajas & Their Magnificent Motor Cars,” published in 2011. “Actually shaped like an enormous swan, this was one of the few cars not commissioned by a maharaja. The swan in Indian mythology is an extremely potent animal. But this was ordered by Robert Nicholl Matthewson, an eccentric Scot who lived in a part of Calcutta called Swan Park.”

The car, for all its elegance, was banned for its eccentricity on the streets of Calcutta. In addition to hand-carved feathers, silver and gold-leaf fish and foliage, and custom hardware, it had amber lights glowing in its eyes, and its beak opened to spray steam to clean the street ahead. It also

released whitewash through a valve in the back.

“The Swan car,” says Sen, “was eventually bought by a maharaja. Built in 1910 on a Brooke chassis, an English brand not well known, this type of car was not very expensive, a mid-priced car. But on this particular car, the maharaja spent as much as he would have for some six Rolls Royces. He even went on to commission a miniature version, a cygnet for his kids.”

Guests of the Concours can anticipate just over a dozen maharaja cars, ranging from strange to stunning. One of Sen’s favorites, on which he has devoted an entire book, is the Rolls-Royce Phantom I 17EX, an experimental one-off which was bought by the Maharaja of Kashmir. This car, once the pride of Spyker Cars CEO Victor Muller, is now owned by Alexander Schaufler from Vienna, Austria.

“The Phantom I 17EX,” says Sen, “was one of

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four extraordinary cars designed by Rolls-Royce in the 1920s that has a most distinguished history. It was the last of a series of lightweight experimental sports cars from the makers of the world's best motor cars."

Among the royalty en route to Pebble Beach is the Maharana of

Udaipur Arvind Singh Mewar, whose lineage dates back a millennium and a half. Mewar, says Sen, is a larger-than-life embodiment of princely India. Personifying what Sen considers the dignity, the hauteur and the mannerisms of a true maharaja, Mewar also is a quintessential car guy, having opened one of India's first classic and vintage car museums in February 2000.

"Among just 21 cars and trucks in the museum," says Sen, "all are spe-

cial. Almost all are single-owner cars that belonged to the family of the maharana, cars that were acquired by his ancestors, the preceding maharanas, and then kept in the family for subsequent decades."

While many maharajas once had hundreds of cars, Mewar still does. The automobile he brings to the Concours is a Rolls-Royce his grandfather purchased some 70 years ago, which he has meticulously restored. And this likely is why he took time to

offer a blessing over the automobile and a promise that it would return home, before it was shipped to California.

The cars of the maharajas bear witness to the automobiles built for India, and hold the history of the people for whom they were built. These opulent vehicles, many of which are making their maiden voyage out of India, will create an international gathering at the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance.

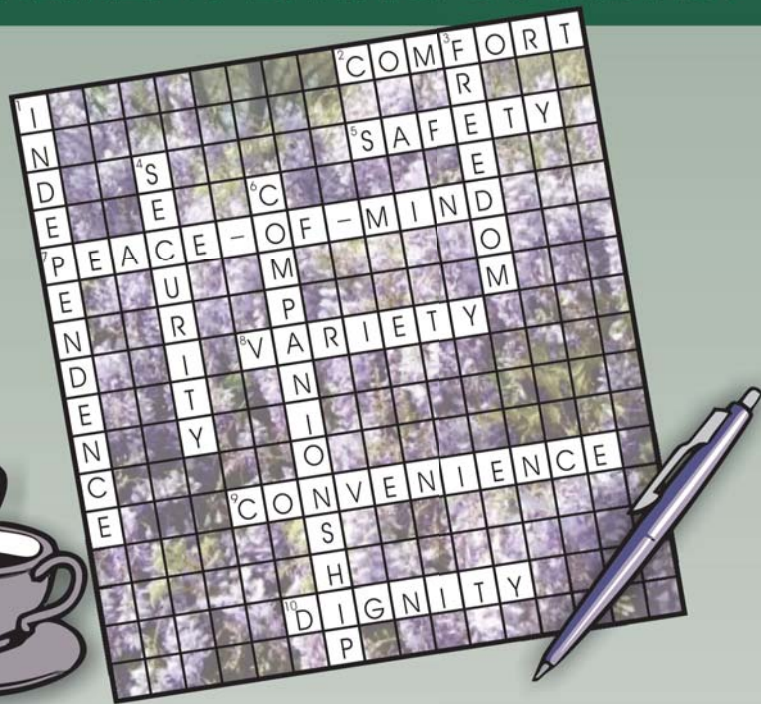


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This elegant 1930 French Delage D8 with coachwork by Figoni (right), originally ordered by the Maharaja Holkore of Indore and now owned by Dr. Ravi Prakash of Bangalore (above, with his family), will be shown in Pebble Beach at the Concours d'Elegance.



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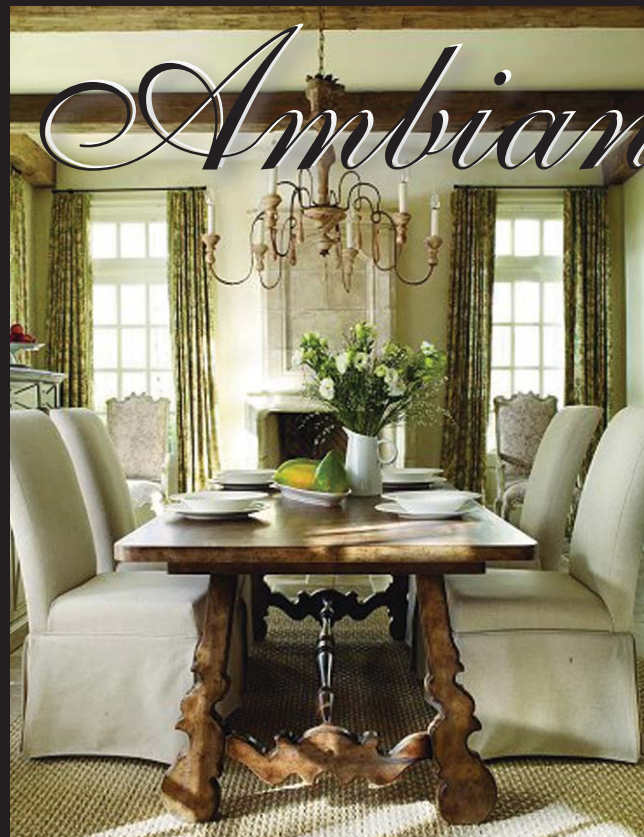
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MERCER

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Augustus Roebling II, grandson of the man who designed the Brooklyn Bridge, and son of the man who built it. A college athlete and socialite fascinated by the automotive industry, Roebling backed up his interest with a degree in engineering and went to work for the Walter Automotive Company of New York. After the company relocated to New Jersey in 1908, Roebling II teamed up with chief engineer Etienne Planche to create the Roebling-Planche racing car.

The New York Times called it the fastest automobile in the world.

When the Walter Company went into financial distress a year later, the Roebling and Kusar families, both wealthy New Jersey names, bought the company at auction and named it Mercer Automotive Company after it in which it was established. Roebling took the helm. Once Planche left to work for Louis Chevrolet, he was replaced fortuitously by Finley Robertson Porter, who was able to turn Roebling's design into a car that would work on both racetrack and road. The result was the Mercer 35-R Raceabout.

In November 1910, driving the Raceabout, Roebling won second place at the International Light Car Race, for the Savannah Challenge Trophy. Raceabout production and

success on the racing circuit continued. In April 1912, however, while returning to the United States following a European driving tour, Roebling — a first-class passenger on the RMS Titanic — helped women and children into their lifeboats and went down with the ship. He was 31.

The Mercer Automotive Company continued for a few more years, but it was never the same. More than 85 years after the last Raceabout left the factory, it surfaced in Crowell's own story of automotive fascination.

How to pay for school

Crowell, who was raised in Monterey, where he served as student body president at Monterey High School before continuing his education at Monterey Peninsula College, paid for his early education by buying and selling cars. Before transferring to California State University Hayward (now East Bay) and finishing his education with a degree at UC Hastings College of Law, he worked for a Chevron station and drove a school bus.

Crowell recently bought back a 1940 Buick convertible, the same bright yellow as his Raceabout, which he had owned as a teen. His most recent purchase, the Mercer Raceabout, was actually triggered by the Pebble Beach classic car events.

"I went on the Pebble Beach Motoring Classic last year," says Crowell. "It was a phenomenal tour, and I thought I'd get to do it once in a lifetime. But in January, I saw an ad

for a Mercer touring car for sale which mentioned Mercer would be one of the marques at the Pebble Beach Concours this year. I thought maybe I could have another try at the tour. I'd buy it, drive it down, and find someone who would want to buy it."

Before Crowell bought the touring car, he learned about a Raceabout, "America's first sports car," and the last one to leave the Mercer factory before it shut down. The car, privately acquired in 1941, had been owned by the same family for more than 70 years. Crowell, who had owned a Mercer before, knew the

Raceabout was the one he wanted.

As soon as he saw the car, Crowell also knew it had led a hard life. The car had been "rode hard and put away wet." It had received maintenance but had never been restored. With less than six months to go before the Concours d'Elegance, he bought the car in Seattle and had it shipped to Adams Custom Engines in Sparks, Nev. There they discovered the car had been constructed with various leftover parts, which they preserved to maintain the authentic-

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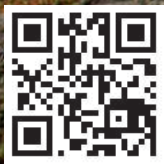


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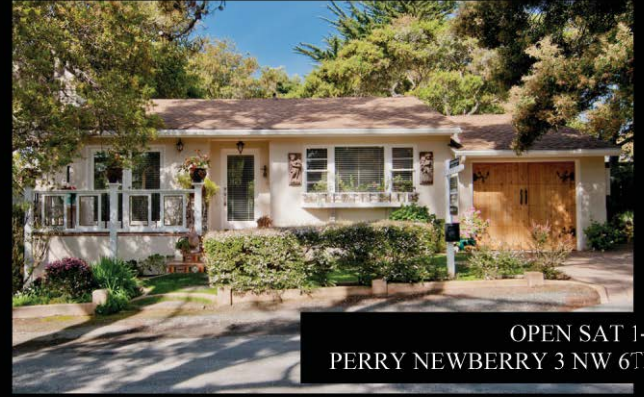
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ART

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a painting of a 1915 Mercer Raceabout with the Brooklyn Bridge in the background.

"I have a deep personal connection to this piece," Eberts said. "Growing up in New York, I admired that iconic bridge many times. And the

Mercer Raceabout has always been among my favorite cars."

In addition to his role as AFAS president, Eberts has established himself as a respected automotive fine artist. He won Best of Show at the AFAS exhibit in 1990 and 1992. In 2003, he was named Ford Motor Company's official Centennial Artist and commissioned to create 13 original paintings that were published in a commemorative calen-

dar. And in 2005, he became the first automotive artist to win Meguiar's "Treasure of the Hobby Award."

A fixture at the annual AFAS art exhibit, Eberts is happy to be back in Pebble Beach.

"It is an opportunity for AFAS members to share our passion for the automobile with others who appreciate the details and history behind the wonderful vehicles being featured in our pieces and on the greens," he added.

The art of the Ferrari

Also returning to Pebble Beach this year is Barry Rowe, who unveils a new series of acrylics on canvas that chronicle the history of Ferrari.

Rowe's display includes striking renderings of a red Ferrari 250 GT SWB Berlinetta parked on the outskirts of a quaint Italian village, and the 1934 Scuderia Ferrari Racing Team in Barcelona relaxing after practice.

A native of England and a member of the AFAS since 1997, Rowe is thrilled to be back in Pebble Beach.

"I'm quite honored to bring my latest collection of artwork to the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance," Rowe said. "I love being a part of this event and enjoy the challenge of creating new pieces each year for the visitors at Pebble Beach. This event has an incredible ability to bring together some of the most fantastic people, who all have the same passion — the automobile."

Rowe — who has created 10 Tour d'Elegance posters and five Concours d'Elegance posters — was commissioned to create this year's tour poster, which pictures two vintage race cars navigating a turn with landmark Bixby Bridge in the background.

"It's such a privilege to be selected as this year's tour poster artist," he added. "It's always exciting

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A bright red Ferrari 250 GT SWB Berlinetta is parked on the outskirts of a quaint Italian village in automotive fine artist Barry Rowe's "Mediterranean Light."

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EVENTS

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favorites, our guide, presented below, is your essential companion.

■ RM Auctions' annual Sports & Classics of Monterey

Portola Hotel & Spa and the Monterey Conference Center Monterey

Friday and Saturday, Aug. 17-18, 6:30 p.m. both days (Previews run 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Aug. 17-18)

The world's largest collector-car auction house, RM Auctions will put hundreds of high-caliber motor cars on the block. During the past quarter-century, RM facilitated the sale of more than 215 cars that exceeded the million-dollar mark. This year's lineup includes several fascinating specimens, like the 1968 Ford GT40 lightweight racer in Gulf Oil livery and the 1956 Ferrari 250 GT LWB Berlinetta Tour de France. Admission to the previews is \$50 per person. The \$300 bidder fee includes a catalog and admits two to the previews and auction. The Portola Hotel is located at 2 Portola Plaza at the foot of Alvarado Street in Monterey. www.rmauctions.com.

■ Russo & Steele's 12th annual Monterey Sports and Muscle Monterey Auction on the Waterfront Parking lot next to Wharf No. 2, Monterey

Friday and Saturday, Aug. 17-18, 5 to 10 p.m. each day

Organized "for enthusiasts by enthusiasts," Russo & Steele's uniquely casual and lively sale expanded to three nights a few years ago and has

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to find out what the subject will be because it determines which artistic approach I will use to tell the story, whatever it may be."

Capturing a moment

Making his Concoors debut this year is Austrian artist Klaus Wagger, whose work includes a painting that pays tribute to racing legend Rudolf Caracciola, who was known as the "Regenmeister" — or "Rain Master" — for his ability to drive in wet weather.

"The spray and reflections in the wet surfaces add a dimension of drama," Wagger explained. "This was an intense competitive period in racing history, and Caracciola delivered a magnificent

performance against daunting odds. It's a moment worth capturing on canvas."

Putting together the pieces

Employing equal parts realism and impressionist, painter Jay Koka designed this year's Concoors poster, which depicts William "Chip" Connor's 1936 Hispano-Suiza J12 parked in front of The Lodge at Pebble Beach.

"This painting was one of my most challenging commissions," Koka explained. "The car is undergoing major restoration and was literally in pieces when I started working on the painting. I had to consult restorer Brian Hoyt and owner Chip Connor to understand the changes that the Hispano-Suiza would undergo. In a sense, the painting existed before the car was complete."

The exhibit is open to the public Sunday from 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Concoors tickets are required. Visit www.pebblebeachconcoors.net.

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ty of the automobile.

They also learned that Crowell's car, one of possibly two remaining Series 6 Raceabouts, is the only Mercer to receive factory-installed, four-wheel brakes. "All of the other Raceabouts," says Crowell, "went like hell but wouldn't stop." This one, at tour's end, will stop on the 18th Fairway to make its post-restoration debut at the Concoors d'Elegance.

"The automobile has a great deal to do with who we are and how we got there," says Crowell. "It gave us the freedom to head down the road to get somewhere else in life. A lot of guys started building cars in their garage. Some started by building the Brooklyn Bridge. I guess I started at a Chevron station in Monterey."



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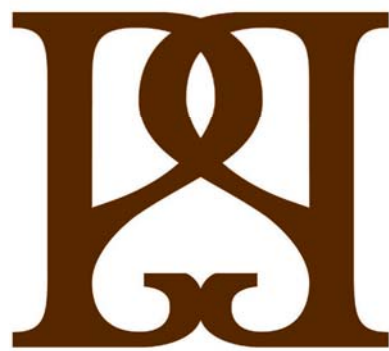
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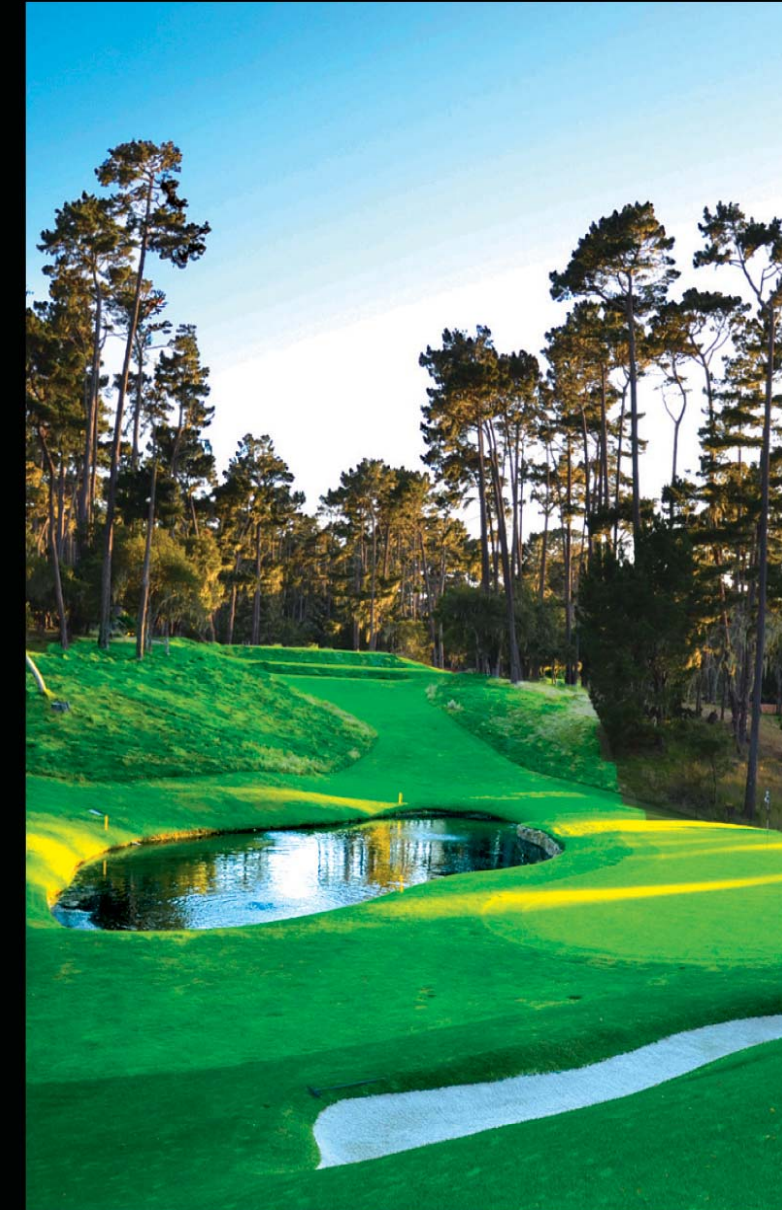
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a new location on the Monterey waterfront this year. The company holds “auctions in the round,” wherein the buyers are on the floor with the automobiles, and everything happens on a sunken stage surrounded by 360-degree seating. The organizers, Drew and Josephine Alcazar of Arizona, also began webcasting auctions — adding to their speed and liveliness — and introduced an all-reserve-all-the-time format to ensure a better offering of collector cars. “The combination of higher caliber automobiles and the intense excitement found on Russo and Steele’s auction block make this auction event an unforgettable experience; no other auction event can compare to the electric and exciting atmosphere of Russo and Steele,” they say. RS’s new location on the waterfront is on the city lot at Del Monte Avenue and Wharf No. 2. www.russoandsteele.com or (602) 252-2697.

■ **15th Bonhams & Butterfields Auction of Exceptional Motorcars, Motorcycles & Automobilia, Quail Lodge Resort and Golf Club, Carmel Valley**
Friday, Aug. 17,
Auction begins at 11 a.m.

Auction house Bonhams & Butterfields takes pride in the fact it hosts the longest-standing car auction on the Monterey Peninsula during Concorso Week, and this year, it’s enjoying a larger venue on the Quail Lodge grounds. The auction house offers automobilia and motorcycles on Thursday, and cars on Friday, and spectators and bidders are welcome, regardless of whether they possess tickets to the adjacent The Quail — A Motorsports Gathering. Among the vehicles consigned is the compelling ex-GTC Gulf Team Davidoff 1997 McLaren F1 GTR Longtail FIA GT Endurance Racing Coupe, the last GTR built and one of the final McLaren F1s. Admission is free for Q ticket holders, but Quail admission is not required to attend the auction. The sale is located at Quail Lodge on Valley Greens Drive in Carmel Valley. For more information or for separate admission, call (415) 391-4000 or visit www.bonhams.com/quail.

■ **Rolex Monterey Motorsports Reunion Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca, Monterey-Salinas Highway**
Friday through Sunday, Aug. 17-19

Shelby Cobras were selected as the featured marque before Carroll Shelby died this year, but his passing

makes the honor all that much more special. Complementing the 17 race groups featured throughout the weekend (which span decades and engine displacements) will be a host of activities honoring the 50th anniversary of the Shelby Cobra, one of the most iconic American sports cars. The weekend will host the largest gathering of original Cobras in one place, and 45 original competition Shelby Cobras will race on Saturday. Every vehicle that competes during the Reunion must be period correct, and several hundred are expected. Abundant displays and numerous vendors provide plenty of opportunity for eye candy and retail therapy, too. For ticket prices, a detailed schedule and more information, visit www.mazdaraceway.com or call (800) 327-7322.

■ **Concorso Italiano Laguna Seca Golf Ranch, Monterey**
Friday, Aug. 17
9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The 27th Concorso Italiano will characteristically celebrate “everything great from Italy, including cars, fashion, food and wine in an elegant setting on the greens at the Laguna Seca Golf Ranch.” Nearly 1,000 cars and motorcycles with Italian roots will be on display, including the latest supercars from Lamborghini, Maserati and Ferrari. Classic Ferraris will be judged, and even Italian bicy-

cles will have a place on the grass, as will a celebration of the 55th anniversary of the original Fiat Cinquecento. In addition to the spectacular cars and displays, local wine and continental cuisine will be on offer, as will Concorso’s traditional midday fashion show, which is always a huge hit. “Take everything ever made in Italy, from fashion to Ferraris, sprinkle it with some red wine, slather it in sunshine, and top it with elegance and fun, and you have Concorso Italiano,” organizers say. Admission is \$150. Laguna Seca Golf Ranch is located at 10520 York Road off of Highway 68 in Monterey. www.concorso.com.

■ **The Quail — A Motorsports Gathering Quail Lodge and Resort, Carmel Valley**
Friday, Aug. 17
10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

With a decade in the books, “The Q” is enjoying great recognition and success as one of the week’s most exclusive and highly regarded automotive events, celebrating more than 150 of the most important cars in history, and offering fine food and great wine to match. To honor its 10th year, The Q is featuring the world’s finest prewar Alfa Romeos,

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Iso Automobili's 50th anniversary, and sports and racing motorcycles. Key automobiles set for exhibit include the 1931 Alfa Romeo 8C 2300 Short Chassis Zagato Spyder driven by legendary race car drivers Enzo Ferrari and Piero Taruffi, and the 1949 Ferrari 166 MM Barchetta, the ninth Ferrari built out of 25 of its class and the first Ferrari ever shown at a concours. (It won its class at the 1949 Concours d'Elegance Lido in Venice.) For an eye-catching modern-era specimen, organizers are bringing in the 2012 McLaren MP4-12C, "a sleek custom-ordered McLaren with special interior features and carbon fibre composite frame." The Quail will also star two guest speakers this year, legendary British race car driver Sir Stirling Moss and author/motorcycle designer Piero Rivolta. Guests will enjoy daylong al fresco dining featuring "a lavish feast the transcends mere food and wine." Wine, Champagne, spirits, cocktails and beer from several local and international producers will be served. Other highlights include the Bonhams & Butterfields auctions, helicopter rides to and from Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca, fine art photography and the awards circle. The event is sold out. To register to receive ticket information, email thequail@quailodge.com. Proceeds

benefit local and national charities serving children and families. (877) 734-4628 or www.quailodgeevents.com.

■ Pacific Grove Concours Auto Rally Lighthouse Avenue, Pacific Grove

Friday, Aug. 17

1 p.m. staging, 6 p.m. tour,
7 p.m. barbecue

The Pacific Grove Concours Auto Rally has raised more than \$134,000 for youth programs on the Monterey Peninsula — including the P.G. Youth Center, DARE programs at P.G. and Carmel schools and driver training scholarships at PGHS — since then-Mayor Jeanne Byrne launched the rally fundraiser in 1995. The event organized by Pacific Grove Rotary and Pacific Grove Youth Action is geared for people who own and drive their own classic and vintage cars, and it draws more than 200 participants and thousands of spectators, who line the route. The featured marque this year is Volkswagen, and Rabobank, Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca, Union Bank and Hagerty Insurance are event sponsors. Vehicles begin lining up on Lighthouse at 1 p.m. and start their

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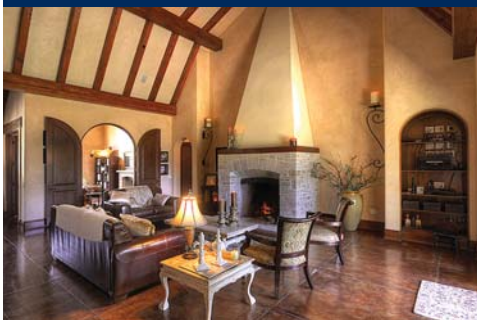
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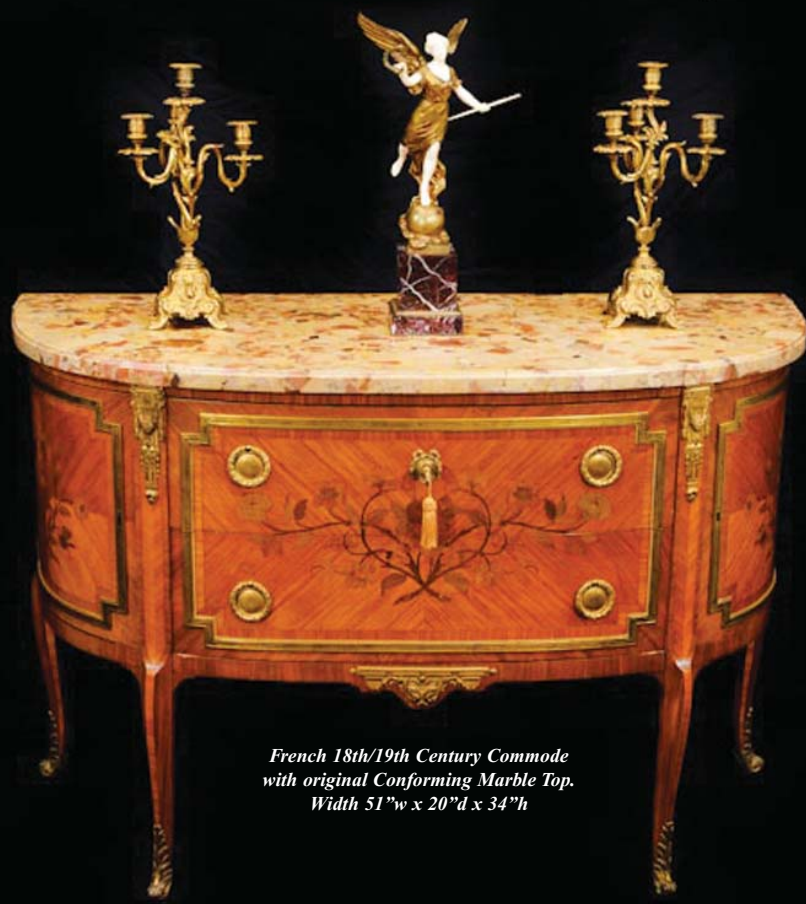
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■ Mecum

Monterey Auction

Hyatt Regency Monterey,

Monterey

Friday and Saturday,

Aug. 17-18,

Previews, 8 a.m.; auctions, 10 a.m.

Mecum's Monterey Auction this year will feature 750 vehicles of a wide range of makes and models crossing the auction block during an event that has been extended to three days. Open to buyers, sellers and spectators with free admission and convenient general parking, the Mecum sale is always eclectic. The sales feature automobiles — including a 1972 Porsche L&M 917/10 Spyder, the 1972 Can-Am Champion Driven by George Follmer; a 1954

Ferrari 750 Monza Spyder Scaglietti, the second Monza 750 built; and a 2008 Cadillac CTS-V Factory Race Car — motorcycles (including an unprecedented collection of MV Augustas) and road art. Auction attendees can be part of the action as the event broadcasts live on the company's national television show "Mecum Auto Auction: Muscle Cars & More," on Discovery Communications' HD Theater. www.Mecum.com or (815) 568-8888.

■ Eighth Annual Pebble Beach RetroAuto

Adjacent to the main pedestrian entrance of the Concours d'Elegance, Pebble Beach

Friday through Sunday,

Aug. 17-19,

Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m.

to 5 p.m., and Sunday from

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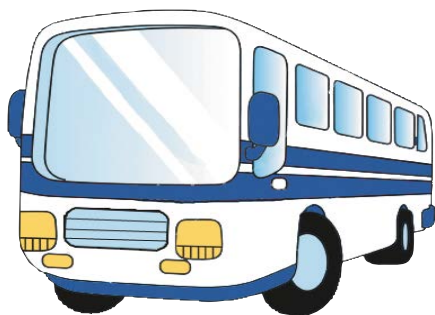
Held in conjunction with the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance, RetroAuto is an enthusiast shopper's must-visit in a pavilion that features rare collectibles and memorabilia from automotive history, "as well as the latest luxury goods and technological tools to enhance today's driving experience." Exhibitors will peddle historic automobilia, parts,

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■ The Barnyard Shopping Village Ferrari Event

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Saturday, Aug. 18,
4 to 7 p.m.

The Barnyard Shopping Village hosts the 15th annual Ferrari Event to benefit the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. During the annual Ferrari Event, the public is invited to admire more than 60 extraordinary and exotic Ferraris and other gorgeous machines while enjoying wines contributed by 11 local vintners and scrumptious food from nine Barnyard restaurants. Fortified by wine, food, music and so much beauty, attendees will also be encouraged to bid to support JRDF. The cost is \$30 per person. The cars will be exhibited in the new event space between the Barnyard and Highway 1, with food and wine available throughout the idyllic shopping center. (831) 624-8886 or www.thebarnyard.com

■ Hagerty's Tour d'LeMons

Laguna Grande Park,
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Saturday, Aug. 18, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

A celebration of the horror stories of the automotive world, the Concours d'LeMons becomes a rolling farce this year, when more than 50 oddball cars will take part in Hagerty's Tour d'LeMons. The vehicle that will lead the tour, a 1970 Subaru 360 Deluxe sedan owned by Mindy Kindelberger of Lake Havasu City, Ariz., received the most votes in Hagerty's 2nd annual Search for America's 'Sweetest LeMon' contest. "LeMons is indeed back in 2012. The fine folks at Hagerty have stepped in and refused to let this automotive debacle slip into the junkyard of history. Hagerty's Tour of LeMons will give you chance to parade your crap can in front of the automotive glitterati," Concours d'LeMons' founders reported. Hagerty Insurance is sponsoring the event. www.concoursdlemons.com.

■ Pebble Beach Auctions presented by Gooding & Company

Pebble Beach Equestrian Center
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(Previews Aug. 17, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.;
Aug. 18, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.;
Aug. 19, 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.)

Established by David Gooding in 2003, Gooding & Company conducts the collectible automobile auction that has marked the conclusion Concours Week since 1990, and the lineup is always impressive. Last year, the auction house set a record with \$78 million in sales — \$13.6 million than in 2010. Consignments this year include the rare von Krieger Special Roadster, a 1936 Mercedes-Benz 540 K kept in a garage for more than four decades before its owner passed away. The car is being billed as "the most significant Mercedes-Benz to ever come to auction." Four

motorsports legends — a 1928 Bentley 4 1/2 Litre Le Mans Sports "Bobtail" team car, the 1964 Ford GT40 Prototype 104, a 1955 Ferrari 857 Sport and a 1960 Porsche RS60 Spyder — will also be sold. Actor George Clooney will auction his Tesla Signature 100 Roadster to benefit charity. Admission is \$40, or \$100 for an auction catalogue that admits two. www.goodingco.com.

■ Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance

18th Fairway of the Pebble Beach Golf Links
Sunday, Aug. 19, 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.,
with awards beginning at 1:30 p.m.

The 62nd annual Concours d'Elegance — which began as a small collection of cars exhibited in conjunction with the Pebble Beach Road Races — is considered the premier collector-car show in one of the most scenic places on the planet. Contestants are invited to participate and must pass stringent evaluation in order to land a spot on the grass, ensuring every vehicle at the Concours is rare and special, if not unique. Stunning coastline, Champagne and cigars, parties, fine food, celebrities (Jay Leno is a fixture), and period costumes complement the cars to make the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance the top event of its kind. Judges examine specimens polished to perfection and lovingly restored or meticulously maintained in a contest of historical accuracy, technical merit and style. Featured categories this year include Cars of the Maharajas, Mercer, Fiat, Saoutchik Style and German motorcycles. This year's Concours will benefit the United Way of Monterey County, the Pebble Beach Company Foundation

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SHELBY

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because I have attention deficit disorder, I guess," he said during the 2004 interview when he was 81. "I loved autos, airplanes and steam locomotives, and I wondered which I would try to make a living out of."

He had a friend who owned a little MG-TC race car, so he decided to give that a try. Shelby discovered he was good at racing cars, achieving several victories. He broke the land-speed record at Bonneville, and Sports Illustrated named Shelby Driver of the Year in 1956 and 1957, putting him on the cover. He took the checkered flag in the 1956 Pebble Beach Road Race in a Ferrari 750 Monza. (The races ended that year, after driver Ernie McAfee crashed his Ferrari into a tree and died.)

During an in-person interview at The Quail — A Motorsports Gathering that featured Shelby and his cars two years ago, he commented on the honor of being SI's cover boy with the humility that was characteristic of him: "Ferraris were the best cars, so we won more races than anybody, and Sports Illustrated had to write about somebody, so they wrote about me."

He soon went overseas, first racing for Aston Martin, and ended up staying there for several years.

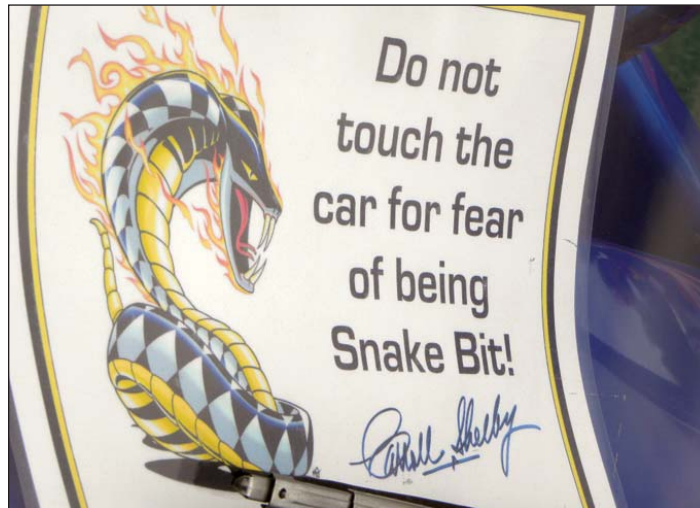
"I was in Dallas, Texas, and had three kids, and three years later, I was driving for a factory team in Europe," he said in the 2004 interview with The Pine Cone. "I knew all the time I wanted to build my own car. Driving was never my No. 1 priority, even though I enjoyed it."

He learned a lot about Maserati, Ferrari and Aston Martin, including how the companies worked and how they designed and built their cars.

In 1960, Shelby drove in his last race, piloting a Tipo 61 Maserati Birdcage at Laguna Seca — a track that was close to his heart for his entire life. Illness ended his racing career, and he began to pursue his dream of designing.

The following year, he learned AC Cars in England had lost its source for motors, and Shelby worked out a deal with the company in which he would design a sports car on an AC chassis powered by a Ford V8.

Prone to keeping a pencil and paper next to his bed to record any significant thoughts that came to him during the night, Shelby reportedly awakened one morning to discover the word, "Cobra," scribbled there. Naturally, he named the first sports car he designed accordingly, and in 1962, the first Cobra CSX 2000 was completed for the New York Auto Show. Ford committed to building the car for production, and it entered its first race in 1962 and remained in production until 1967, with small- and big-block motors as options.



Carroll Shelby was a featured guest at The Quail — A Motorsports Gathering in 2010, and he brought his very own 1962 Shelby Cobra with him. A sign warned people to look but not touch.

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"I thought it would have all gone away many, many years ago, and some way, it survived," Shelby said in 2004.

Tributes planned

According to Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca officials, Shelby — who never missed the historic races at the track — had insisted he was coming this year and he had said he was looking forward to reconnecting with old friends, engineers and others who had been involved in the Cobra project over the years.

Tributes to him and his cars include not only the special racing class, but a Shelby Cobra Heritage Display presented by Ford Motor Company, a Cobra Car Show on Pit Lane Saturday for all authentic street and race Cobras, a Cobra Car Corral with hundreds of authentic and replica cars, Carroll Shelby special tribute laps, and a Picnic Q&A with a Shelby American team member.

Another of Shelby's many designs, the GT350 Ford Mustang, will also have a dedicated race this weekend, as well as a corral.

At The Quail in 2010, Shelby recalled the beginning of the Mustang's new life as a sports car to be reckoned with. "Lee Iacocca called me one day and said, 'Shelby, the guys at Ford have struck out at turning this into a sports car,'" he said of the Mustang, which "came out with a three-speed gearbox and a six-cylinder engine and sold for \$2,395, and was known as 'a secretary's sports car.'"

Iacocca told Shelby to transform the Mustang "into a real sports car," to which Shelby responded, "You can't make a mule into a racehorse," but Iacocca was unswayed.

"He said, 'I didn't ask you that. I told you to do it,' and I said, 'Well, we'll try.'"

The first Shelby Mustang GT350

debuted in 1965, and the Mustang project continued until 1969, when sales slowed. His long-term racing agreement ended with Ford the following year, and he went on to design and build high-performance cars for Chrysler based on Dodge products, including the Charger and what would become the Viper.

In 1990, he underwent a transplant, to receive the heart of "a 38-year-old gambler from Las Vegas," and in 1991, he launched the Carroll Shelby Children's Foundation to fund heart transplants for indigent kids. He was also inducted into International MotorSports Hall of Fame and the Automotive Hall of Fame, among many other honors.

Shelby remained involved in motorsports and the automotive world until the end of his life, yielding new designs like the Shelby GT and launching a new arm of his company devoted to performance auto parts. He also broadened the mission of his foundation and started a new food company to help support it.

Nonetheless, he claimed others, not him, were the smart ones.

At The Quail, he told the audience, "I still don't know how a car works. And you know what? I don't want to know how, because there's a hell of a lot smarter people who know how to build them out there than me. I just want to spend my time trying to find those people — and I want to give credit to those people who made it happen."

To explore some of Shelby's creations — and witness their prowess on the track — head to Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca for this weekend's Rolex Monterey Motorsports Reunion. Tickets start at \$50, and children 12 and under are free with a paying adult. For more information or to purchase tickets, call (800) 327-7322 or visit www.mazdaraceway.com.

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and Boys & Girls Clubs of Monterey County and other charities. The \$200 advanced ticket (\$250 the day of the show) includes a program, parking and a shuttle ride to the main gate.

For a truly indulgent experience, consider the Club d'Elegance, a \$600 package that includes special parking, full breakfast, buffet lunch, wine, cash bar, signed Concours poster, event program, VIP shuttles, a special commemorative gift, "executive restrooms," coat and package check, and an elegant tent at the Equestrian Center to serve as home base. For more information about the club, call (831) 622-1700. Call the United Way at (877) 693-0009 or visit www.theconcoursstore.com for tickets. www.pebblebeachconcours.net.

■ **Automotive Fine Arts Society exhibit**
18th Fairway of the Pebble Beach Golf Links during the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance
Sunday, Aug. 19,
10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

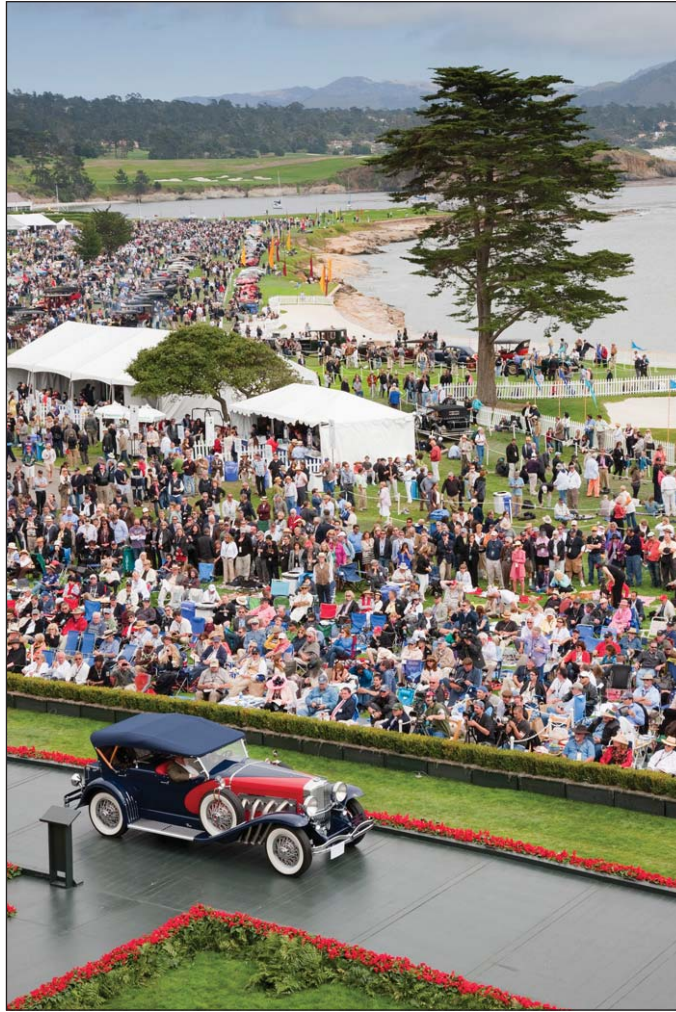
Held alongside the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance each year, the Automotive Fine Arts Society show features highly sought pieces by world-famous artists in many different mediums. According to Concours organizers, "The automobile changed the whole of our culture almost immediately upon its introduction; it was more than transportation, it served as a status symbol, it was a matter of style. But it took some time for the art world to view the automobile as an appropriate subject of fine art."

Established in 1984 by six artists dedicated to elevating the understanding and acknowledgment of automotive art, the AFAS seeks to exhibit members' works, promote and publicize them, raise the standards of automotive art to a level of acceptance as serious fine art from the point of view of collectors and critics, and provide "a practical means to form enduring friendships, exchange ideas and build fellowship among automotive fine

artists and enthusiasts."

The 26th annual display will include pieces by some of the society's 32 sculptors and painters, in watercolor, acrylic, oil, wood and various metals. The Lincoln division of Ford Motor Co. will sponsor the Pebble Beach AFAS exhibit, as it has done since 1996.

Admission to the show is free to Concours ticket holders. www.autoartgallery.com/afas.



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Celebrities are a common sight at the Pebble Beach Concours. Last year, Sheryl Crow joined Jay Leno (above) on the stage. A thrilling moment for the owner of every classic car is when it drives past the large crowd gathered at the reviewing stand (left).

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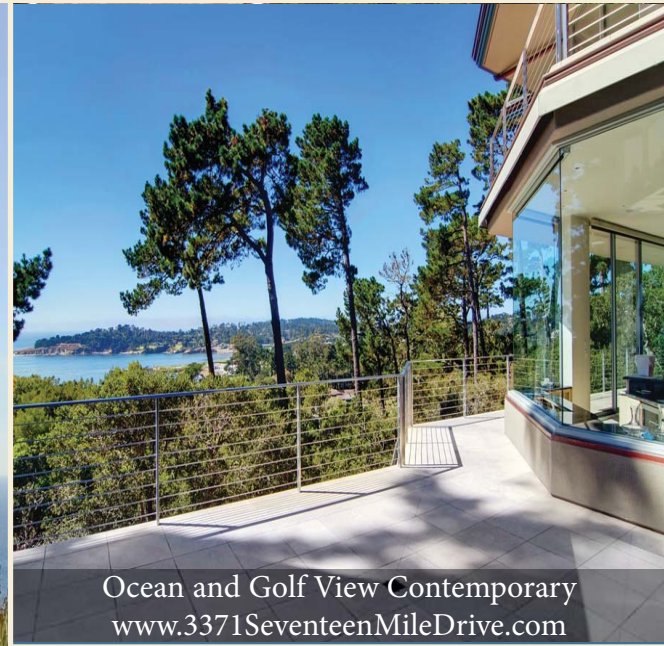
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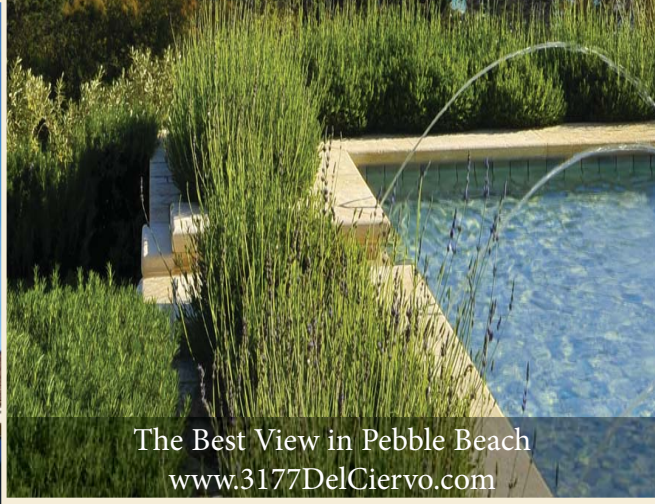
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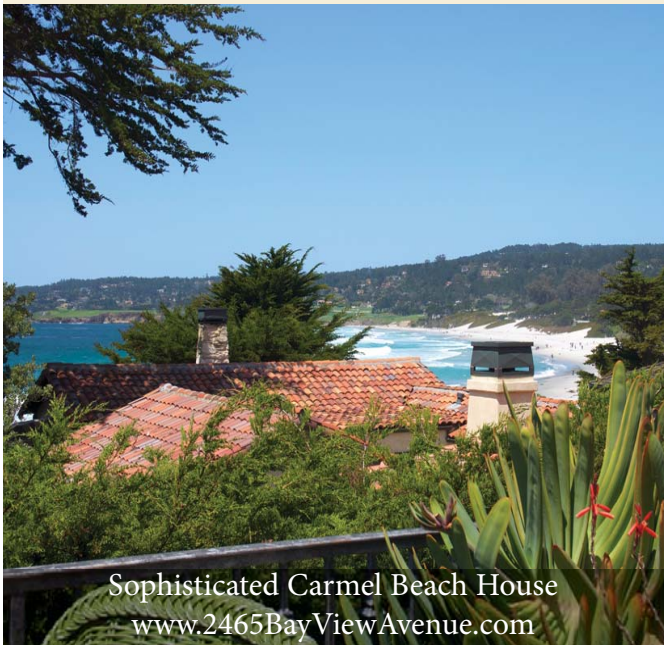
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