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Calcagno says he won't seek a fifth term

■ John Phillips will try to replace him

By KELLY NIX

LONGTIME MONTEREY County Supervisor Lou Calcagno announced Tuesday that he has decided to retire after his fourth term ends in November 2014. The next day, a former Superior Court judge said he would run to fill his seat.

Calcagno, 77, who has been a supervisor in North Monterey County for almost 16 years, said he won't seek a fifth term so he and his wife, Carol, can spend time with their family and their business, a dairy farm that backs up to the Elkhorn Slough.

"When you look back, we did a lot of good things," Calcagno told The Pine Cone Wednesday. "I'm proud to have served the county for the last 15 years."

Citing accomplishments of his first term representing the 3rd District, Calcagno said he is most proud of helping to establish a Monterey-Salinas Transit bus route from Salinas to South Monterey County and stopping mining on the Arroyo Seco River.

After redistricting following the 2000 census, Calcagno served three additional terms representing the 2nd District,

See **CALCAGNO** page 18A

Fired building official files claim against city

By MARY SCHLEY

LESS THAN two weeks after IT manager Steve McInchak filed a claim against the City of Carmel for taking him off the job and searching his house for evidence that he broke the law while he administered the city's computer network, former building official John Hanson, who was fired in August, also submitted a complaint against the city this week, alleging that officials at city hall violated his contract, defamed him, discriminated against him for being disabled and for serving in the military, and prevented him from getting a new job elsewhere.

A 25-year city employee who was also a member of the U.S. Army National Guard until he retired last summer, Hanson said things went sour in March, shortly after the hir-

See **CLAIM** page 16A

Remembering Joan Fontaine

By JERRY GERVAISE

YUMMY. CAN you believe that Joan Fontaine said I was "yummy"?

I'll never forget the night three years ago. My anticipation was almost trumped by my nervousness.



Joan Fontaine in perhaps her most famous role, opposite Cary Grant, in Alfred Hitchcock's "Suspicion" (1941). The story was set in England but was actually filmed in California, including several memorable scenes along Highway 1 in Big Sur.

Big Sur blaze destroys at least 12 homes

By CHRIS COUNTS

THE RESIDENTS of Big Sur's Pfeiffer Ridge had long braced themselves for the day a wildfire would sweep through their isolated community. But countless hours of preparation were no match for the blaze that destroyed more than a dozen homes this week.

The fire started Sunday shortly before midnight. Many residents were sound asleep when flames suddenly appeared at their doorsteps. In the frantic moments that followed, some

tried to save their homes, while others could only flee with the clothes on their backs.

"I've been here 40 years," said Ray Sanborn, who lost his home. "I had water, I had clearance and I've done everything to prepare for this. But there was no time. I've never seen anything like this. I walked out the door and it was raining embers."

The cause of the fire is still under investigation, but it

See **FIRE** page 23A



Clockwise from left: Kodiak Greenwood sits among the ruins of his Big Sur home. A huge column of smoke rises from Pfeiffer Ridge Monday. Stephen Kresge with his car, which had its tail lamps melt as the fire approached. And flames creep toward Highway 1 in Big Sur Valley Wednesday morning.



PHOTOS/CLAYTON SCICLUNA (TOP LEFT), CHRIS COUNTS



Blue dogs lose their master



Carmel is world famous as a paradise for dogs – including the iconic Blue Dogs of painter George Rodrigue, who died this week at the age of 69. See page 25A.

See **FONTAINE** page 11A

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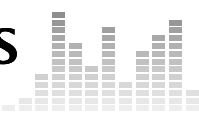
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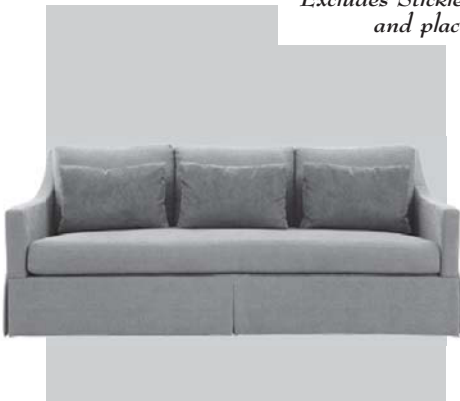
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Sandy Claws

By Lisa Crawford Watson

Inside her Heart



SHE HAD always had outside dogs. Now she was getting an inside dog. For her first foray into a more personal pet, the self-proclaimed "bit of a neat freak" wanted one with an easy disposition, who would bond with her, and who wouldn't shed.

Specifically, she wanted a Labradoodle. The Labrador line would contribute to a calm, relaxed personality, she imagined, while the poodle part would be smart. The pairing of a standard white poodle and an apricot-colored, multi-generational Labradoodle resulted in Rosie. And her person got everything she wanted.

"Rosie is lovable, playful, curious, smart. She also can be ornery," her person says. "She'll come up and start licking me, and when I say, 'No, Rosie,' she just comes back to try again. When I start laughing, her tail wags, and she's thrilled. She wants so much to please and be loved."

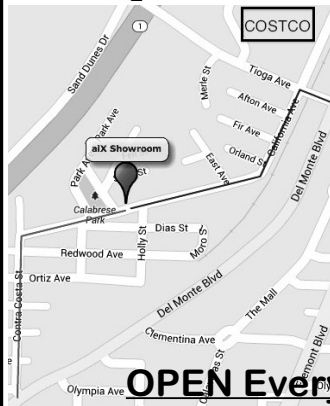
She's also a pretty pampered pooch. When Rosie goes to the groomer, she places her paws on the counter as if to say, "I'm here for my spa treatment."

"And she's pretty particular," her person says. "When I was trying to house-train Rosie, I took her outside, and she inadvertently stepped in her own stuff. She picked up her paw and looked at me as if to say, 'What do I do, now?' Then she walked into the house on three legs, holding up that paw until I took care of it. I got my own neat-freak dog."

Rosie does like the beach, but it's all still new to her, so she explores it on a leash. More stimulating than the sand is the sidewalk along Ocean Avenue, where she meets an endless parade of people who reach out to pet her soft fur.

"Rosie, says her person, "is my saving grace, my source of comfort. She's definitely an inside dog, inside my heart."

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Incumbents, two newcomers pull paperwork for April 2014 city election

■ Still no challengers for mayor

By MARY SCHLEY

ALL THREE incumbents have retrieved the papers they need to run in the April 2014 Carmel city election, as have two council challengers: planning commissioner Steve Dallas and Lucas Austin, owner of Mail Mart.

No one has yet indicated plans to run against Mayor Jason Burnett.

Just because they have picked up the necessary paperwork from city hall does not mean their names will appear on the ballot, but it's the first crucial step in the municipal election for two city council spots and the mayor's seat. The candidates must file financial and other forms, and collect the signatures of 20 registered voters in Carmel, in order to run.

Incumbent Steve Hillyard, who was appointed to replace Burnett on the council when he was elected mayor in April 2012, said this week he still does not know if he'll run for a full four-year term.

Incumbent Carrie Theis, who was appointed to replace councilwoman Paula Hazdovac when she resigned from the council in August 2012 after more than 18 years in office, has already announced she is planning to run for a full term.

And Mayor Jason Burnett said he'll run for another two-year term.

Poised to face the council incumbents are Dallas, who was appointed to the planning commission by former Mayor Sue McCloud in 2010 and reappointed to a full term by Burnett in 2012, and Austin, a 30-year-old Army veteran who bought Mail Mart on Dolores Street with his wife, Li, three years ago.

Dallas, who lives at Santa Fe and Third with his wife, Madeline, and daughter, Alexandra, is a lifelong Carmel resident who attended Junipero Serra and Carmel High schools before obtaining a BA from Golden Gate University. He worked for decades in the family real-estate-development business with his mother, Mitzi Dallas, and has spent time attending and participating in hearings before the forest and beach commission, the historic resources board, the (now defunct) design review board, the planning commission, the city council and the California Coastal Commission. He is set to chair the planning commission starting in January.

"I feel it is time to expand and to share what I have learned from my experience. I am running in the hope my voice will be a part of the protection and preservation of the unique character and beauty of my home," Dallas said. "My philosophy on public service is based on the belief that all voices must be heard and their concerns received with respect and understanding."

Dallas said his time on the planning commission has made him very aware of the needs of residents, merchants and visitors, and he wants to take part in setting the policies that govern the city.

"As a third generation citizen of Carmel, I have knowledge and passion for maintaining what has made Carmel a desirable place to live," he said. "I wish to serve on the council to continue to protect our village character while serving our citizens."

Austin and his wife, Li, live at Dolores and Fifth, not far from Mail Mart, which they bought three years ago and have worked to rejuvenate. Although Austin said he has voted absentee in Monterey County races, he has not participated in past city elections, nor has he held a position on any city board or commission.

"I wasn't planning on running until the next election [in 2016], but having gotten to know business owners and others in town, and hearing about improvements needed in city hall, I decided to run," he said, though he wouldn't elaborate on

what those improvements or issues are.

Austin said he and his wife have been all over the world and decided Carmel was the place they wanted to be. He also said he's always made a point of knowing the issues affecting wherever he was living at the time, and here, he's observed a couple of city council meetings to get a feeling for the members and their decision-making practices and policies.

"I was very involved pretty much everywhere I've been, in the local government, just to know what's going on in my town," said Austin, who is from Chicago and speaks Japanese. "I know I'm a newcomer to this race, but I'm very passionate about this town, and I'm hoping people will come to see my perspective on things."

Potential candidates have until Jan. 10, 2014, to return their forms and the required number of signatures.

After that deadline, only write-in candidates can be added to the ballot during a special filing period from Feb. 10 to March 25, 2014, which is also the last day a resident can register to vote in the election, which will be held April 8, 2014.

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Police, Fire & Sheriff's Log

Squabble mars recycling effort

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, DECEMBER 3

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A citizen reported a loose dog in the residential area on Lincoln Street. The dog was contained while units arrived. A nearby residence was checked, and the dog was secured for the owner. A warning was given.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Unknown suspect(s) stole a Lincoln Street resident's iPod.

Pacific Grove: Person came to the police department to advise of a civil restraining order filed on Oct. 8. She left a copy of the order for PGPD records. Information only at this time; nothing further.

Carmel area: A Camino del Monte resident was transported to Natividad Medical Center for 5150 evaluation [danger to self and others].

Carmel Valley: Female on Dorris Drive reported receiving obscene and harassing emails and texts at her business.

Carmel Valley: Carmel Valley Road resi-

dent stated she and her neighbor were involved in a heated argument Nov. 27. The reporting party only decided to report this incident to the sheriff's office after being encouraged to do so by her property manager.

Carmel area: Employee at Carmel High School notified the sheriff's office of a depressed juvenile who was contemplating suicide. The juvenile subsequently agreed to go to the hospital with his parent.

Carmel Valley: Laureles Grade resident reported her car alarm had been activated by unknown causes.

Carmel area: An anonymous caller reported possible elder abuse in Carmel.

Carmel Valley: Resident received second-hand information that his ex-stepson has been making threats toward the him.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Non-injury accident on Junipero Street.

Pacific Grove: Report of unreasonable noise. Mother and daughter dispute at a

Crocker residence. Not physical, only verbal.

Pacific Grove: Domestic dispute occurred between mother-in-law and daughter-in-law on Evergreen. Daughter-in-law pushed mother-in-law, because she was invading her space. No arrest was made.

Pacific Grove: Person reported a suspicious subject in the laundromat on Lighthouse Avenue who was bothering her and another customer. Subject was contacted and admitted to being in a verbal altercation with the customer and another woman. All parties advised to stay away from each other.

Pacific Grove: Resident on 17th Street discovered that her disabled person placard holder was taken from the inside of her vehicle. She left the vehicle open. No suspect information.

Pacific Grove: While a resident was away for a holiday, someone attempted to burglarized her apartment on Junipero. No suspect information.

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Stuart Elder sued by family of women who died in Pebble Beach crash

By KELLY NIX

THE FAMILY of two women who died in a head-on collision in Pebble Beach when alleged drunken driver Stuart Elder slammed into their car after attending a food and wine event in Pebble Beach has filed a wrongful death lawsuit against the driver.

On April 7, Sharon Daly, 72, and Linda Larone, 65, were killed when Elder, 30, of Pacific Grove, crashed his Cadillac Escalade into their much smaller Ford Freestyle while they were driving on Sloat Road near Bird Rock Road.

The lawsuit against Elder was filed Dec. 11 in Monterey County Superior Court by Anne Margaret Larone, Larone's mother; Melanie Robinson, Daly's niece; and Rhonda Dodge, trustee of the two women's trust, according to the suit. The claim alleges Elder was negligent when he crossed over into Daly's lane and struck her vehicle.

"Stuart Elder was negligently, carelessly, recklessly or in some other actionable manner driving the Cadillac Escalade under the influence of alcohol after spending the afternoon at the Pebble Beach Food & Wine festival," the suit contends.

Charges long time in coming

After a lengthy investigation, the Monterey County District Attorney's Office charged Elder in November with two counts of gross vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated and one count of causing great bodily injury to his passenger, Selvia Gattas, 20.

The civil lawsuit, filed on behalf of the plaintiffs by San

Diego attorney Philip C. Aman, offers some insight into Elder's whereabouts before the fatal accident. It also alleges Elder was driving more than twice the posted speed limit.

Elder and Gattas met with friends for dinner at an undisclosed restaurant "where alcoholic beverages were consumed by Stuart Elder," according to the lawsuit.

The two then left the restaurant and went to the Inn at Spanish Bay, the suit contends, where more alcohol was consumed. Just prior to 7 p.m., Elder, "while intoxicated," left Spanish Bay with Selvia Gattas and drove off in his Escalade, heading to a home in Pebble Beach. The suit alleges Elder and Gattas attended PBF&W from April 5-7 but doesn't say whether they were at Spanish Bay for that event.

'70 in a 25 mph zone'

According to the lawsuit, Elder was driving 70 miles per hour, much faster than the posted 25 mph, and crossed the double yellow lines into the northbound lane of Sloat Road.

"Elder continued to travel in the northbound lane at this excessive speed when his Cadillac Escalade struck the Ford Freestyle driven by Sharon Daly head on," causing fatal injuries to Daly and Larone.

Apart from alleging Elder was driving drunk, the lawsuit targets the speed at which he was driving the day of the accident. Elder had a "conscious disregard of the rights and safety of others" and his conduct was "despicable" and "constitutes malice," according to the claim.

Michael Lukehart, a Bakersfield attorney representing Elder in his criminal case, said Elder is insured and that his

insurance company's attorneys will handle the civil matter.

While all three defendants, the suit says, have been deprived of the love, comfort, companionship and moral support that Larone and Daly provided them, Dodge, who is listed as the trustee for the women's trust, has also incurred funeral, burial, medical and other expenses.

The claim also seeks punitive damages, which can be awarded in cases where a defendant has caused "malice and oppression."

Elder owns ECI Building, Inc., a company that builds "custom homes to large commercial projects," and did work on actress and Carmel Valley resident Doris Day's house, according to its website.

Daly's brother, Michael Daly, is also listed as a defendant in the lawsuit "because he is unable to be joined as a plaintiff in this action, given that his consent to be joined was sought and unable to be obtained," according to the lawsuit.

Daly and Larone were the former owners of Stone's Pet Shop of Forest Avenue in Pacific Grove.



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SAND CITY PAYS WORKERS MORE \$ THAN ALL BUT TWO CITIES, STATE SAYS

■ Carmel well down the list

By KELLY NIX

THE COASTAL hamlet of Sand City pays its employees higher wages than nearly every city in California, and comes in second in the amount of health and retirement benefits provided to workers, according to figures released this week by the state controller.

Sand City has just 338 residents, but its 26 employees are paid an average of \$90,909 per year, making it the third most generous municipality in the state after Vernon, which pays its 287 workers an average of \$98,332, and the much larger Hayward, at \$96,122, according to 2012 figures released Monday by state Controller John Chiang.

The City of Bell, which infamously paid its city manager nearly \$800,000 per year, now has an average salary of just \$43,115, according to the state.

The statistics were based on wage data reported from 476 California cities. There are 284,295 municipal employees in California, and the average annual wage for city workers is \$62,285, while health and benefits costs average \$17,373. Only three cities failed to report their data.

Sand City Mayor Dave Pendergrass said the city has long contracted out services for fire, legal, building inspection and car maintenance, which allows the city to pay its full-time staff more. The state's figures do not include contracted services.

"We have saved a lot of money that way," Pendergrass told The Pine Cone. "We were the first to contract with Monterey for fire services."

The tiny enclave next to Seaside also provides excellent health and retirement benefits, paying an average of \$40,728 for each employee. Sand City came in second of the 476 cities in the state after City of Industry in Los Angeles County — which has 437 residents and 28 employees — at \$50,279.

"We are able to do that with the offset of contract employees," Pendergrass said.

In all, Sand City paid \$2,363,635 in wages and \$1,058,915 in total retirement and health costs in 2012.

According to the figures, Sand City's city administrator was paid wages amounting to \$218,231, which included \$187,245 in "regular pay," \$26,666 in "lump sum pay," and \$4,320 in "other pay." Its director of administrative services was paid a total of \$183,385, which included \$157,161 in regular pay, \$21,904 in a lump sum and \$4,320 in other pay.

Sand City's six full-time police officers were paid from \$92,327 to \$134,710 in 2012. Its sergeant earned \$156,969, and its chief was paid \$139,995. Sand City was fourth on the list of highest paying cities in 2010 and 2011, but in 2009, it was way down at 15th, paying an average of \$79,459 in wages and \$17,371 in health and retirement costs.

Pendergrass said the city's police force not only has the responsibility of protecting its citizens, but also the 40,000 people who visit Sand City every day to shop at Costco, Target, OSH and numerous other stores.

Other cities

Carmel-by-the-Sea paid an average of \$47,098 in wages in 2012 to its 108 employees, the controller said. Carmel paid each worker an average of \$15,005 in health and retirement costs, making it below the average of other cities. Carmel paid a total of \$5,086,537 in wages and \$1,620,502 in health and retirement costs.

Carmel's city administrator in 2012 was paid a total of \$180,492, including \$158,536 in regular pay and \$21,956 in other pay, the state said. He was also paid \$56,597 in health and retirement benefits. The assistant city administrator was paid \$131,606 while the city's police commander was paid \$131,198, including \$90,742 in regular pay, \$23,255 in overtime and \$17,201 in other pay.

Del Rey Oaks has nearly the same number of city employees as Sand City but has nearly five times as many residents, at 1,648. Average wages for the city's 24 workers was \$41,808 and the city averaged \$11,371 in health and retirement costs.

Pacific Grove, which had 203 employees in 2012, trailed compared to the other Peninsula cities, paying an average of \$35,111 in wages and compensating workers only \$5,123 in health and retirement costs, according to the controller's office.

City manager Tom Frutche was paid \$184,700 in total wages, including \$169,600 in regular pay and \$14,850 in other pay. In addition, he was given \$20,997 in health and pension benefits.

One of the city's police sergeants was the top money maker, earning \$218,310 in total wages, including \$109,034 in regular pay, \$7,146 in a lump sum, \$24,021 in other pay and a staggering \$78,109 in overtime pay. The sergeant also received \$37,327 in pension and health benefits.

Pacific Grove police Chief Vicki Myers told The Pine Cone the OT was necessary because the department was down two sergeants last year.

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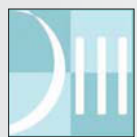


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Jose Enriquez, a deli clerk, was reported to be in possession of a SigSauer P230 9mm handgun when Rodriguez contacted him at the Barnyard restaurant around 10:45 a.m. Nov. 26. A convicted felon on probation in Monterey County, the Kimball Avenue resident was also found to have other stolen property with him, including medals from sporting events, and marijuana packaged for sale.

The gun and a spare magazine had been reported stolen following a residential burglary in early March, when the wall safe containing them was ripped out and taken after the burglar tried but failed to break into it there.



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There was a delicacy to her that had little to do with her age. I remember her lavender Belgian shoes. They looked as delicate as she was. I felt certain that they had been fitted for her by some European prince.

What amazed me most upon meeting her was that she knew who I was. Naturally, I was a fan. I almost named my oldest daughter Christobel, after Joan's character in "The Constant Nymph." Compliments came from her to you, when they should have been going in the other direction. But then, how do you compliment a legend without sounding obsequious?

Jimmy Durham and Clay Couri were Joan's neighbors in the Carmel Highlands for more than 15 years. Couri was a long time director of music for St. John's Chapel, where Joan had been married decades earlier to actor Brian Aherne. Clay and Joan were often co-conspirators in highjinx, usually instigated by Joan.

Clay Couri: "Gardening was one of her passions. She was extremely proud of her roses. She also had a 1989 Jaguar that she loved. In 2004, the Jaguar was one wounded cat. It was going to be so expensive to repair that she decided to buy a new one.

Joan had no patience for sales pitches, so she asked me to help her buy a new Jaguar. I called a friend at the dealership, asking him to line up all his X-type Jags, because I would be there in 20 minutes with Joan Fontaine. She went back and forth among the cars for a few minutes. Finally, she picked a black one. She asked that the back seat and trunk be lined with plastic. When that was accomplished she handed the salesman ten thousand dollars, saying she would be back the next day with the rest of the money.

She peeled out of the lot, heading in the opposite direction from where she lived. Fifteen minutes later she passed by the lot going exceedingly fast in the other direction. The Jag's trunk was wide open, stuffed with plants, as was the back seat. She drove like the Red Baron."

Jimmy Durham: "We went to the movies often, usually downtown to the Golden State or Osio. Once after a movie, she wanted to go to Rosine's and get a chocolate soda. We were told that we couldn't get a chocolate soda there. Joan says, 'You have milk, right? And ice cream and chocolate syrup, right? And a glass to put them in, right?' She was hilarious and she got her chocolate soda."

Joan was an active correspondent. Layne Littlepage, who admired Joan and vice versa, saved a number of Joan's notes.

Layne Littlepage: "When I think of Joan, these adjectives immediately come to mind: Beautiful, fragile, indomitable, witty, charming, brilliant. And when you met Joan, you were one degree of separation from the famous and accomplished of the 20th Century — people like Cary Grant, George Gershwin, The Duke of Windsor, Noel Coward, Evelyn Waugh, Cole Porter, Fred Astaire, Marilyn Monroe, Alfred Hitchcock, Katharine Hepburn, Joan Crawford, David O. Selznick, Vivian Leigh, Lawrence Olivier, Adlai Stevenson, John Kennedy, Jackie Kennedy and Bobby Kennedy, and Lyndon Johnson. Her career began when she was a teenager. At the time of her death, she may have been the only living person to have known George Gershwin."

Cliff Bagwell, a neighbor, was friends with Joan for more than 30 years.

Cliff Bagwell: "Joan was so kind and generous, and, oh my, she was so courteous. And what a gardener! Her roses were the most beautiful in the area. She talked to her roses and knew all of them by name. She shared them, too. Joan took bunches of roses to her neighbors. Always to the shut-ins first. You know, she was very intelligent with an extremely high IQ. I would ask her why she was hanging out with a poor old country boy like me. She would say "Cliff, you're just loaded with common sense."

Morley Brown and Joan Fontaine go back more than 25 years. Joan told me she thought Morley and her husband, Ron Weitzman, were such a wonderful couple — the combination and contrast of their different personalities made them special.

Morley Brown: "I met Joan at a charity event many years ago. I asked her if she would serve on the board of the Salvation Army. She accepted and jumped in immediately with all her vibrancy and enthusiasm. I loved and admired her because she did so many kind deeds quietly, without any recognition. She was a movie star but didn't want to be one here. She wanted to be an ordinary person."

Jimmy Durham: Joan liked to eat at fine restaurants, but every so often, she wanted to go somewhere she hadn't tried. We were going to see 'Down with Love' at the Golden State. She decided on Taco Bell. 'Let's go in there. It looks like good food,' she said. She wanted to try everything, so she ordered a plate with samples of 10 different items. She loved it and we ate like pigs. Then she got a cup of coffee to go. We went inside the theater and sat under the balcony, a place she never liked to be.

Every once in a while, she would crouch down with her head almost on the floor. "Don't mind me. I'm sipping my coffee. I don't want anyone to know I broke the rules by sneaking food into the theater."

Clay Couri: "Joan was not only true to her word, she was very punctual. She would come to dinner at our house at precisely 6 p.m. She'd have a glass of sherry. At 6:15 she would announce, "Time to eat!" And we would go in to dinner. Then while she was on her last bite of dessert, she would wordlessly pass her car keys to Jimmy. He would turn her car

around in our driveway, and she'd blast off so she could drive home before dark."

Cliff Bagwell: "When they were living in Saratoga, Joan's mother would visit friends in Carmel. That's when Joan fell in love with this area. Later on, when she was making movies, she would come here and rent a place where she would read scripts. And she loved golf."

Yes, Joan did, indeed, love golf. She got a hole-in-one on the par-3 15th Hole at Cypress Point. In her autobiography, she described the incident. She writes that her husband, Brian Aherne, had a frugal nature.

After the 18th hole, he bundled her into their car while she was still in her golf shoes. He told her to keep her head down under the dashboard, while he sped away to avoid buying the traditional round of drinks by the lucky golfer.

Whenever she was asked, "What's your handicap?" The same reply always came to mind: "Men."

Noel Beutel was Joan's friend, as well as her caregiver. She was with her when she died.

Noel Beutel: "Joan was such a kind woman, and so very thoughtful. When she asked, 'How are you doing?' she really meant it and listened intently while you told her how you were.

Vee R. Mariano

March 8, 1926 - November 30, 2013



Vee R. Mariano, a loving mother, grandmother and aunt passed away peacefully on November 30th after spending her last days and hours with her family and friends. When it was time, she shared her last passing moment with her devoted son to go to her place of everlasting peace. She was a 45-year resident of Carmel and native Californian born in Los Angeles to Dorothy Gloria Caldwell and James Pierce Russell and was the third of three daughters. She holds the honor of being the first baby to be "foot-printed" at birth for identification at a Los Angeles county hospital. She was known affectionately as "Rusty" to friends and family in her younger days and then later as Vee, but never by her given name. Vee was a self-described tomboy with striking good looks and gusto who loved life, acting, entertaining, singing, cooking, traveling, reading, playing bridge and Scrabble and always enjoyed a good joke.

She graduated from high school when she was 16 and then shortly after her 18th birthday she left Texas where the family was living for San Francisco in 1944 where she became enamored with acting and the stage with the Bush

Street Players...a passion that continued for the next 50 years. Capt. George G. Dewey came into her life there also. He was a P-38 pilot who went off to fight in the Pacific and Vee found herself working in a sheet metal shop making parts for the war effort and later with Standard Oil as a clerk while he was overseas. Returning as a 26-year old Lt. Colonel, they were married in 1947 before going off to Tehran, Iran where he was assigned as the Military Liaison to the US Mission there. She had many rare and privileged experiences attending diplomatic and royal parties, polo matches, acting and directing small theater productions and frequent bridge matches. She often shared fond memories of the exotic charms of the Middle East including Beirut and Damascus although she endured a nearly fatal case of hepatitis abroad. After their return to the states, she was seriously injured in a private plane crash near Los Angeles and although her injuries were not life-threatening, they remained a source of discomfort during her entire life. Their marriage ended not long afterwards in 1953.

After recovering from those traumas, her travel lust took hold again and she joined the American Red Cross and went to South Korea in 1954. She worked as a recreation services aid worker helping wounded troops at a MASH unit. While in Seoul, she met Lt. Frank Mariano, an Army artillery officer. They were both assigned stateside to Fort Ord, CA, their relationship blossomed and they were married in Carmel at the Church of the Wayfarer on Valentine's Day 1956. Two months later they were off to Gary AFB in San Marcos, TX where their son Frank Anthony (Tony), Jr. was born. Over the next several years she made homes in Alabama, Colorado, the Panama Canal Zone and then back up to Camp Wolters, TX when Capt. Mariano was ordered to South Vietnam in 1964 as a helicopter pilot. Vee had had major back surgery a week before he left and when their young son learned how to care and cook for her during her recovery. In 1966, they moved back to Fort Rucker, AL at the height of the civil rights movement and her husband was ordered back to Vietnam in 1967. Vee then insisted that the family including her beloved poodle Tux be able to return to California to be close to the ocean while he was away. So the family uprooted and landed in La Jolla and a year later Vee's travels came full circle when the Mariano family returned to Ft. Ord. Maj. Mariano decided to leave the Army and return to Vietnam as a radio and TV reporter for ABC News.

Vee and Frank made an excellent pair on the dance floor, singing and shared a love of the theater, acting and directing productions wherever they were living. After their divorce in 1972, her son left Carmel in 1973 to be with his father in Saigon and finish school. This was a difficult time for her, but she stayed active in theater and became a locally acclaimed actress at The Studio Dinner Theatre, Forest Theater, MPC and the Western Stage. Her many talents allowed her to perform in several lively musicals, comedic Shakespeare and intense dramas. She was most notable as the lead Martha in "Who's Afraid of Virginia Wolf" and as Queen Olivia in "Twelfth Night" at the Forest Theater.



She became actively involved as a volunteer with the Aquarian House, Suicide Prevention and the Carmel Chapter of the American Red Cross Monterey Bay as well as delving into dream analysis groups and the women's liberation movement. Vee retired in 1995 after serving 17 years in the Civil Service at the Presidio of Monterey and Ft. Ord with the Tour and Travel Office. She took joy spending many hours playing games of Scrabble and poker with her grandchildren whom she helped her son raise over several years. She will be missed terribly and remembered fondly by all who loved her.

Vee is survived by her sister Barbara, son Tony (Susan Elwood), grandchildren Kaly Nicole, William Alexander and many beloved nieces, nephews and cousins. The family wishes to extend a special thank you to the nursing and medical staff at Garden East, Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula for their compassionate care during her illness.

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Marina came in second on the Peninsula, paying an average of \$66,336 in wages to its 132 employees and \$21,972 in health and retirement costs. Seaside paid an average of \$52,478 to workers and \$22,134 in health and retirement costs in 2012, while Monterey paid an average of \$46,233 for its 909 workers in 2012 and paid \$14,179 in health and retirement costs.

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Employees who work for Monterey County are among the highest paid in the state's 57 counties.


On average, employees for Monterey County earn \$62,271 in wages per year, the seventh highest in the state. The average wages for county workers throughout the state is \$59,913. Monterey County pays \$318,640,988 in wages annually to its 5,117 workers.

Santa Clara County topped the list at \$72,995 in average wages; Los Angeles County is in second place at \$69,905, and Alameda County was third at \$69,424. Marin, Sonoma and Napa followed those counties. Monterey County, however, pays less to workers in retirement and health costs. The average for the 57 counties was \$21,749, while Monterey County paid \$19,242.



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When I was growing up, my Mother would always tell me "You are what you eat." When I was REALLY young, I took that to mean that if I ate a frog I would turn into a frog. As I grew older and wiser it made more sense. My Mother was a simple cook: fresh vegetables, broiled fish or chicken or beef, salad and sometimes rice or potatoes. Snacks were always fresh fruit. Portions were small. Desserts were on special occasions only. I thought everyone ate like that. I've come to realize that society has changed and fast foods, pre-packaged foods and huge portions are more the norm.

I've never really had a weight problem (thanks, Mom!) but I have had the usual 5-10 extra pounds that a lot of us struggle to keep off as our metabolism slows down. My daughter got me a "Fitbit" that calculates the number of steps and miles you walk or run during the day. It also calculates the corresponding number of calories you burn. Of course these numbers are not exact, but they have certainly educated me on the correlation between exercise and the rate at which calories are burned. Here are 2 examples: DAY 1- I took 3,859 steps (1.64 miles) and burned 1,382 calories. DAY 2- I took 10,225 steps (4.4 miles) and burned 1,741 calories. I only burned about 400 calories more and I exercised more than TWICE as much! I find that shocking. There have been many days I have REWARDED myself with a milkshake or a candy bar because of that walk on Carmel Beach or a walk into town.

So what I have learned is this: Exercise is VERY IMPORTANT and cannot be underestimated. The more walking (even with a walker!), running, golfing, or general exercise you do the better. You will burn calories, keep those joints moving, circulation flowing, and mind active. But - WHAT you eat is just as important. If I only burned 1,741 calories on a day that I covered 4.4 miles, I cannot drink that 1800 calorie milkshake or eat that extra slice of pie unless I want to gain weight. So think about how much exercise you get AND ALSO think about what you eat. They are equally important. When you eat at home, eat like my Mom taught me. When you eat out, try eating only a half of the huge portions they serve. After all, YOU ARE WHAT YOU EAT!

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Second resort approved for Sand City beach

By KELLY NIX

A SECOND oceanfront resort slated for the dunes of Sand City was given the go ahead by council members Tuesday night, despite objections to the project by neighboring Seaside.

The Sand City City Council voted to approve a final environmental document and a coastal development permit for The Collection at Monterey Bay, a 26-acre, 340-room resort proposed by San Luis Obispo-based developers King Ventures.

"We are very happy," Mayor Dave Pendergrass told The Pine Cone Wednesday.

The resort, to be built on the west side of Highway 1 just north of Tioga Avenue (opposite Costco), includes a 16,800-square-foot conference and wellness center, a 14,100-square-foot spa, three restaurants and more than 700 parking spaces. The development would create more than 200 jobs and about \$1.2 million in tax revenue to Sand City, Sand City contends.

However, a letter submitted to city administrator Steve Matarazzo Tuesday from Seaside community and economic development services manager Lisa Brinton objected to the certification of the final environmental report for the resort because it failed to "adequately analyze project impacts," including visual concerns, traffic impacts and greenhouse gas issues.

Sand City "wholly ignores Seaside's repeated concerns in these and other areas," wrote Brinton, who urged Sand City to refrain from taking further action on the project until it "complies" with the California Environmental Quality Act.

Apart from Seaside, nobody else spoke against the resort Tuesday night.

"I was surprised that nobody else showed up" to oppose the project, Pendergrass said Wednesday.

In November, the California Coastal Commission submitted a letter to Sand City stating it was concerned about water and viewshed impacts of the resort. Since then, commission officials met with those from Sand City, a meeting Pendergrass said went well.

The coastal agency could still take issue with Sand City's issuance of a development permit for the project if the permit is appealed by the public or two coastal commissioners, Matarazzo told The Pine Cone.

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Don lived a simple life and loved the outdoors. He was known and loved by those who met him at Del Monte Christmas Tree Lot where he worked for many years.

Don will be greatly missed by his son and daughter, Cameron and Daisy Hearne; his sister, Maurine Martin; his niece, Kenisha Martin; his father, Maurice Hearne and all the friends he made over the years in Carmel.

Private services will be held. Arrangements under the direction of The Paul Mortuary.

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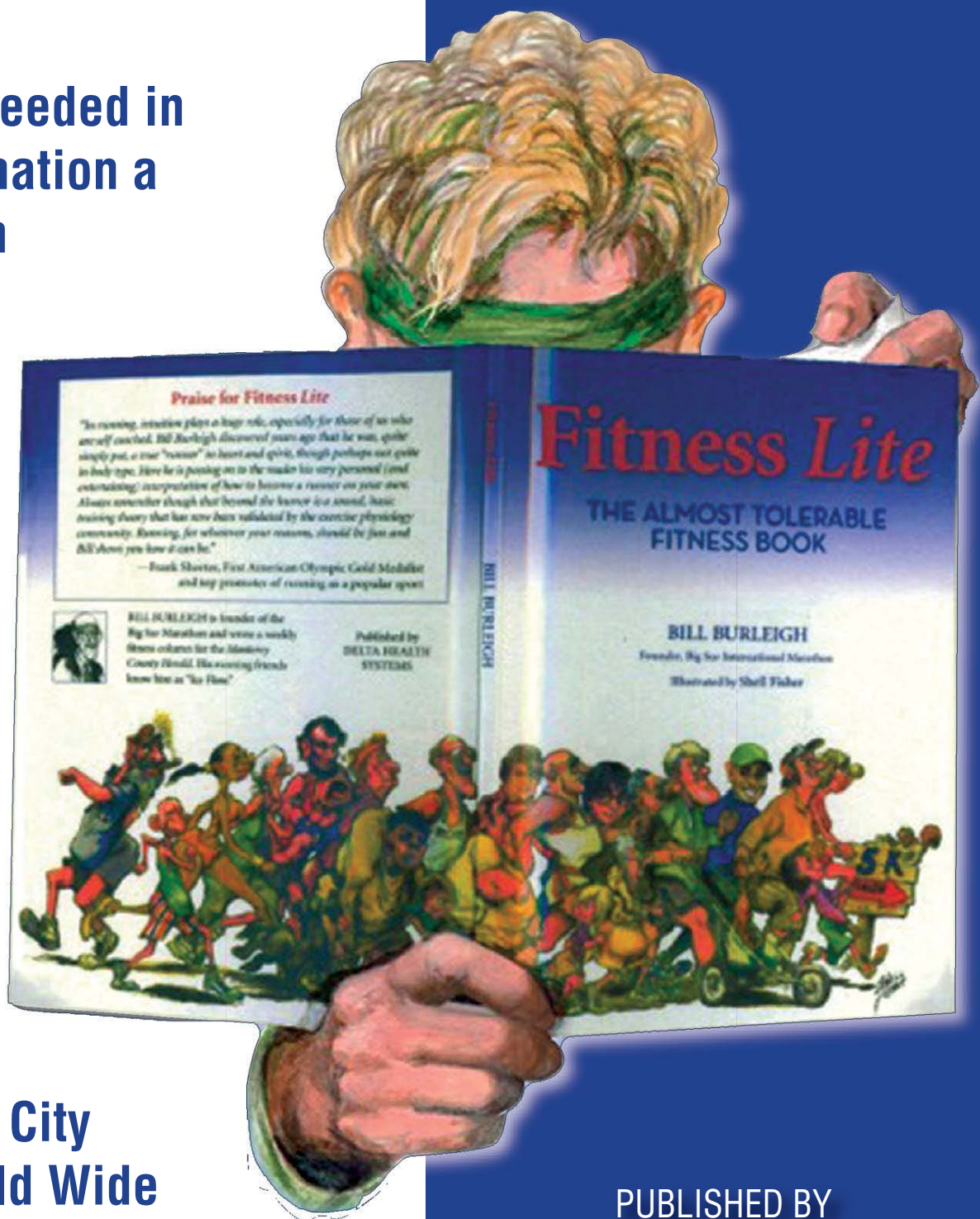
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CLAIM

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ing of administrative services director Susan Paul by city administrator Jason Stilwell.

During the months leading up to his firing, according to his claim, "the city undercut Mr. Hanson, interfered with his performance of his duties and misrepresented his work." He said top city administrators, namely Stilwell and Paul, interfered with his duties, "sometimes without conferring with, or even informing" him, unduly criticized him about his job performance, took contradictory and inconsistent positions, and discriminated against him "based on age, medical condition/disability and status as an active duty member of the military."

In short, he said, they "generally created a hostile work environment" that led to his termination without basis or due process when, on Aug. 5, he was summoned to the Carmel Police Department to meet with Chief Mike Calhoun and Stilwell. In that meeting, Hanson was fired, effective immediately, and was subsequently denied severance.

"City officials, including one or more elected officials, then began an effort to vilify and discredit Mr. Hanson, describing him in ways that the average listener knew his identity, and then declaring him unfit for his employment, all the while leaking confidential personnel information," according to his claim.

Administrators violated his rights under



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John Hanson retired from the U.S. Army National Guard this summer with the rank of First Sergeant.

the California and U.S. constitutions, and state and federal laws, as well as local law, by putting him on leave without cause or notice, preventing him from doing his job, not allowing him to be heard and unfairly interrogating him, Hanson said.

"The City of Carmel-by-the-Sea's actions constituted wrongful termination," the docu-

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ment he filed at city hall Tuesday states.

Further, city officials violated his privacy rights and exposed him to hatred, contempt and ridicule by publishing "defamatory and slanderous statements" indicating Hanson was guilty of misconduct and lacked proper credentials for the job. Those actions, he said, damaged him professionally and have caused "irreparable loss of his reputation in the community." They also stigmatized and branded him by impugning his reputation and his standing, and their words and actions caused him severe emotional distress.

"In the alternative, the city breached the written contract with Hanson by terminating him, forcing him out and failing to deal with Mr. Hanson in good faith," the claim said.

And then, when he sought work elsewhere, city officials "improperly and unlawfully interfered" with his attempts to get gainful employment, preventing him from getting hired.

Hanson, 53, a U.S. Army veteran who has served with the National Guard in Iraq and Afghanistan, accused the city of age discrimination and said officials fired him because he suffers from post traumatic stress disorder, and because he continued to serve as a military reservist.

He also claimed that numerous firings and other disciplinary actions at city hall show a pattern of age discrimination.

"The actions of the city to arbitrarily suspend or fire employees during the past year had a disparate impact upon older workers, and the city's tactics were intended to, and did, abuse the processes of involuntary leave and summary terminations in order to scare and intimidate employees of the

city, prevent them from testifying about what they have seen and learned, and force them from their employment for money-saving reasons that cause harm to the employees," according to his claim. Those suspensions include McInchak, IT assistant Rose Franzen, and administrative coordinators Leslie Fenton and Margi Perotti.

He also said his termination was retaliation for his being a whistleblower, participating as a witness in Jane Miller's sexual harassment lawsuit against the city, and complaining to management about "unlawful discrimination."

Hanson is seeking compensation for damage to his livelihood, reputation, professional career, and personal integrity and health in excess of \$25,000, and his claim states his damages continue to accrue.

"The city received the claim and is reviewing it," Stilwell said. "No action has been taken, but the city will take required action as with any other claim."

The city has 45 days to respond to the claim, and if it is denied, Hanson and his attorney, Michael Stamp, can sue the city in Monterey County Superior Court.

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which covers Aromas, Boronda, Castroville, Las Lomas, Moss Landing, North Salinas, Pajaro, Prunedale, and Royal Oaks.

He cites his major achievements as improvements to public transportation in North County, building the Pajaro Park and the Andy Ausonio Library in Castroville, and keeping Monterey County "in a sound, stable financial position during the worst economic period since the Great Depression."

Calcagno, a dairy farmer, said he initially ran for supervisor, in part, because he wanted to give back to the community where he was born and raised. "I felt I owed the county at least a payback for being able to be born and raised here and live under the type of environment we have in this county," said Calcagno, a Republican.

Calcagno also cited the lack of business leaders in local political roles as a reason he was driven to become a supervisor and has kept the seat for so many years.

"The business community is shying away from running for political offices," he said, "and their leadership is desperately needed in city and Monterey County government."

On Wednesday, at the courthouse in Salinas where he presided as a Monterey County Superior Court judge for more than two decades, John Phillips announced he would run for Calcagno's seat in 2014.

At the press conference, Phillips, 71, said that public safety would be "at the core" of his campaign.

"Peaceful communities and gang prevention are vital for all our residents, both in the 2nd District and throughout Monterey County," Phillips said. "Given my background and experience, I feel that I am

uniquely qualified to bring these issues to the forefront of the discussion for 2nd District Supervisor and, if I'm elected, to take the needed steps to address them."

Phillips said his ties with the 2nd District are deep since he and his wife, Patti, have lived in North County for 40 years and raised their three children there. He cited his familiarity with the county's budget issues, the key economic role that agriculture plays, and the "importance of the need to balance growth with the beauty of our area."

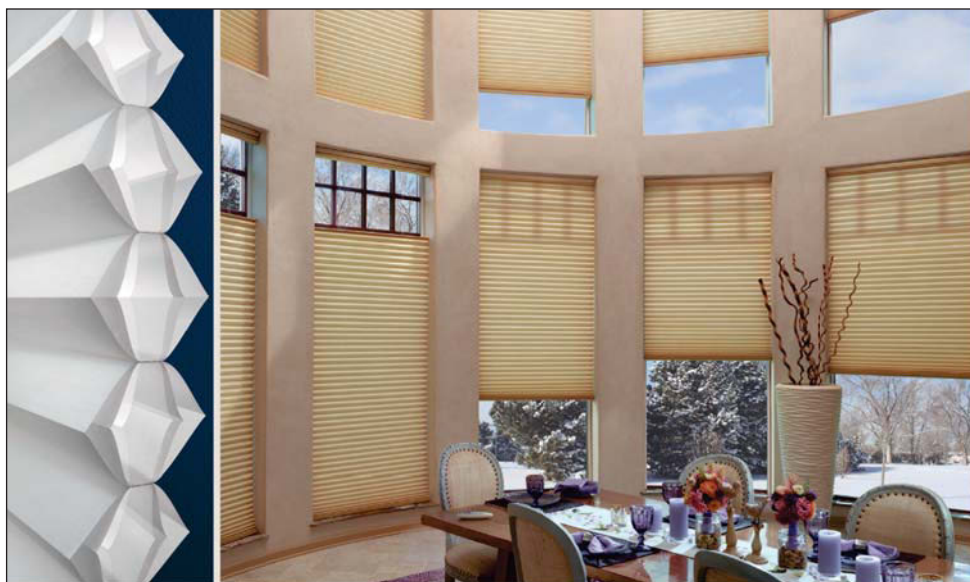
"And I can assure you that I will be fair and bring an open mind to all issues, just as I did when I sat as a judge in this county's courtroom," he said.

Phillips began working at the Monterey County District Attorney's Office in 1971, first serving as a deputy district attorney before quickly being appointed to assistant district attorney in 1975. In 1984, he was appointed to the bench and served until his retirement in 2004.

While he was a judge, Phillips created the Domestic Violence Court and was the first chairman of the Domestic Violence Council. He was also responsible for the development of the county's Mental Health Court. He served as presiding judge in 1989, 1996 and from 1998 to 2000. In 2000, Phillips cofounded Rancho Cielo, an innovative program to help troubled youths stay away from gangs and other criminal activities.

Phillips is endorsed by Salinas Mayor Joe Gunter, former Salinas Mayor Dennis Donohue and numerous Salinas and North Monterey County elected officials.

North County resident Ed Mitchell tried to unseat Calcagno in 2010 with the backing of many of the county's environmentalists. His wife, activist Jan Mitchell, died in January, and Mitchell hasn't announced yet whether he'll run in the 2014 election.



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Editorial

Will the real Jason Stilwell please stand up?

AT THE city council meeting earlier this month, city administrator Jason Stilwell was praised so fulsomely, you'd think he'd cured cancer, perfected cold fusion, and even learned not to ask for help with his computer without restarting it first.

The council not only approved a big raise for Stilwell and gave him a "retention bonus" of \$5,000, the members of the council heaped compliments on him, and Mayor Jason Burnett went so far as to call for a round of applause for the city administrator, whose "overall performance," the mayor said, has been "excellent and impressive." Not a hint of criticism was uttered.

Regular readers of The Pine Cone must have been pretty confused by the meeting, because our pages have been full of stories about a different Jason Stilwell these many months: A Jason Stilwell who hides from the public what's going on at city hall, intimidates, fires or lays off employees who aren't on his team, puts a bully in charge of human resources, and hires expensive out-of-town lawyers, consultants and public relations specialists to handle simple tasks that should easily be considered part of his own job description.

Here at The Pine Cone, we became so frustrated with his stonewalling of our simple requests for answers to routine questions about events at city hall, we filed suit to get him to quit hiding so much. After the council promised to give us what we were looking for in that instance — the curriculum vitae of the new planning director — and to instruct Stilwell to make public access (including access for the media) a priority at city hall, we dropped the suit. And then Stilwell promptly slammed the door on our very next request for significant public records. So the adulation heaped upon Stilwell, without the slightest reservation or suggestion of anything he could do better, came as quite a surprise to us, too.

The canonization of Stilwell by the city council must also have been shocking to the numerous employees who have been fired or put on leave by him, or decided to quit because they don't like the way he runs things. The ink was hardly dry on Stilwell's new contract when legal complaints were filed against the city for his official conduct, alleging the most serious violations of employee rights you can imagine.

The words of former city clerk Heidi Burch — a fine employee and an outstanding human being, as far as anyone whose been paying attention at city hall the past eight years could tell — also seem impossible to reconcile with the effusive compliments spoken about Stilwell by the members of the council.

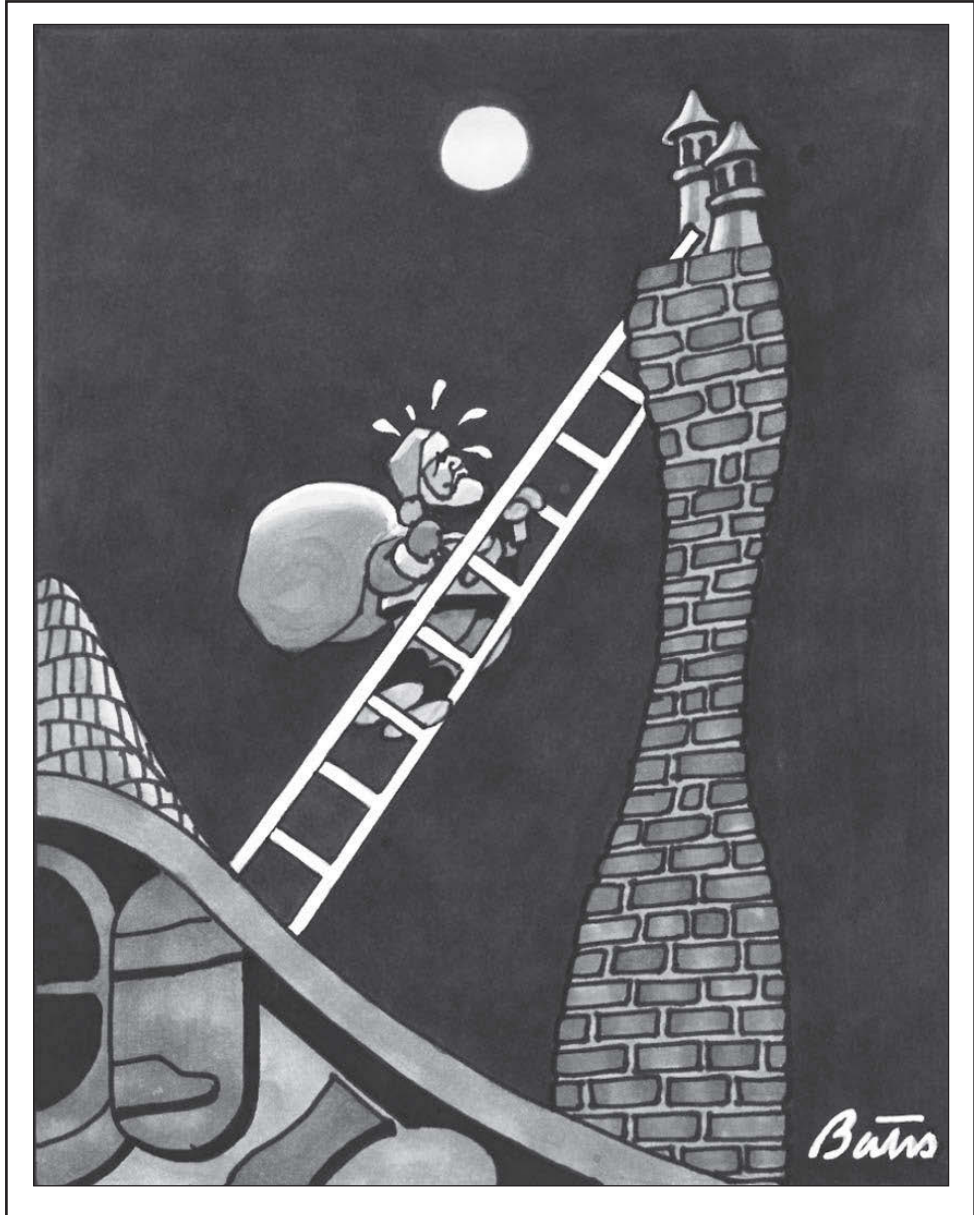
"My resignation from the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea comes as the result of my extreme discomfort with current management practices," Burch said in her Oct. 28 letter to the city. "I can no longer ethically or in good conscience remain part of the city administration."

Likewise the comments of planning commissioner Janet Reimers, who expressed her strong displeasure at a commission meeting in November over the "brutal" way Stilwell had dismissed two longtime employees of the city planning office.

Numerous respected residents have expressed similar concerns in very strong terms.

Perhaps the city council is right, and Jason Stilwell is one of the finest city administrators who ever lived. But if he is, somebody needs to start explaining why that is so — and it has to be more than just a bunch of elaborate compliments. The actions so many people are complaining about aren't just hallucinations. They all happened, and are continuing to happen. Anyone in a very powerful government position, such as the city administrator of Carmel-by-the-Sea, needs to have strict scrutiny of his conduct in office. And when serious questions arise about him, those need to be publicly examined and corrected or explained, not simply glossed over.

BEST of BATES



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Objections to canine center

Dear Editor,

We are opposed to the Carmel Canine Sports Center project, which is part dog training facilities and part special events venue. It will have lawns for exercising, 50 sheep for herding, parking for 210-plus cars and 70 RVs, bathrooms, showers, an office building and member clubhouse, and host more than 24 days of special events.

We believe Quail Lodge is not the correct site for a large facility such as this, and we have many concerns:

- Water —
 - Cal Am water is not available. Existing on-site well in alluvial aquifer (the groundwater under the valley floor along the river). Applicant has not obtained a water rights permit for this use. Legal restrictions unknown.
 - Proposed state water board restriction would prohibit pumping from the onsite well during dry season. Unknown how applicant would supply potable water when pumping is prohibited. Not described in application.

- Applicant sought exemption from MPWMD permit. MPWMD rejected request, is requiring water distribution system permit at Level 4, which requires environmental review and MPWMD Board approval.

Traffic —

- Impacts unknown. Applicant's draft traffic report looks only at Valley Greens Drive, not Rancho San Carlos Road. County has not approved.

- C.V. Road Committee policy against new stoplights on C.V. Road.

- Rancho San Carlos and Valley Greens too close for stoplights.

- 200 new vehicle trips every day (100 members/day).

Events —

- 70 RVs plus towed cars, 210+ cars, plus vendors/exhibitors.

We are also very concerned regarding:

- Original project included covered events center with deli. New project description does not include covered events center, but applicant has refused to limit future expansion including more structures and uses.

- RV overnight parking is not consistent with LDR (low-density residential) zoning or with neighborhood in close proximity.

- Special events bring traffic, parking, noise, more. Additional events not described by applicant. No proposed limitation on types or size of events. Could be weddings, renaissance fairs, food and wine festivals, etc.

We are also concerned because of the noise, impacts on scenic views, and the effect on the environment.

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Inspiring stories behind distressing headlines

IT'S THE wrong time of the year to read so many troubling headlines:

- Big Sur is ablaze and more than a dozen families have lost their homes.
- The rich get richer and the poor stand in line at the food pantries.

beyond the realm

By JOE LIVERNOIS

■ The new president at Monterey Peninsula College suggests a gutting of the storied MPC Theatre program.

The distressing events of the past week could rightfully trigger a thudding Christmas-season depression. Instead, the acts of heroism and the community-wide reaction to each of these calamities are nothing short of inspirational.

Certainly, Monterey County plods along through the years with its share of nagging problems and leadership vacuums, but it doesn't lack for good-hearted souls.

Down south, the hearty residents of a blue-collar neighborhood in Big Sur woke up in the dead of night early Monday to the nightmare scenario. Among the first homes to go up in flames was that of Big Sur Volunteer Fire Chief Martha Karstens.

After seeing her home engulfed — and knowing that her future had instantly and certainly undergone a seismic change — Karstens did what few of us would imagine doing: She went to work. Unfortunately, the wrath of the fire swept through the canyon to destroy her entire neighborhood before much could be done to save more than a dozen other homes. Good people lost everything but their lives.

"Too much fire, too fast," Karstens said.

Big Sur is no stranger to calamity, and many of those who lost their possessions this week were deeply involved in recovery and relief efforts for victims of past disasters.

Big Sur inns and restaurants opened their businesses to the newly homeless. Relief accounts were established for the victims; the Coast Property Owners Association launched its own, promising that 100 percent of donations will go directly to those who lost homes and possessions. See <http://big-surfire2013.org>.

By Wednesday afternoon, at least a dozen fundraisers were scheduled in various locations on the Monterey Peninsula this weekend. Many more will certainly follow.

At the same time, the campaign to save the MPC Theatre moved swiftly as word spread that Walter Tribley is proposing funding reductions of almost 80 percent to the theater program, within a year after MPC opened its taxpayer-sup-

ported multimillion-dollar theater on campus.

The epicenter of outrage and action has come from the balance of Monterey County's theater community, including Stephen Moorers Pacific Repertory Theatre and Koly McBride's Paper Wing Theatre Company, both of whom could presumably benefit from the elimination of dates from a competing stage. But both have stepped up on behalf of the MPC drama department. Moorers is busily promoting a petition drive, while McBride opened her theater this week to volunteers who gathered to organize the campaign to fight Tribley's proposition.

Through it all, residents of Monterey County rarely fail to give heroically to its neediest citizens throughout the year, but especially during the holiday season.

The folks who manage wealth for the wealthy are saying that the economy is on the rise. It's improved so much, in fact, that the Federal Reserve announced earlier this week that it would start scaling back its bond-buying stimulus.

Those who work in the trenches of charity might beg to differ — certainly the Scroogey reductions Congress imposed on the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, once known as Food Stamps, haven't helped — and most of us know better. So we continue to give to The Salvation Army, the food banks and countless other nonprofits with the hope that the stars might shine a bit brighter for those in need.

Those of us who live in Monterey County like to boast that we live in the most alluring spot on earth, and we mean it in the physical sense. But a community's real beauty can be found in the open hearts and the heroism of its people.

And behind the distressing headlines of the week, the spirit of a giving community is an inspiration.

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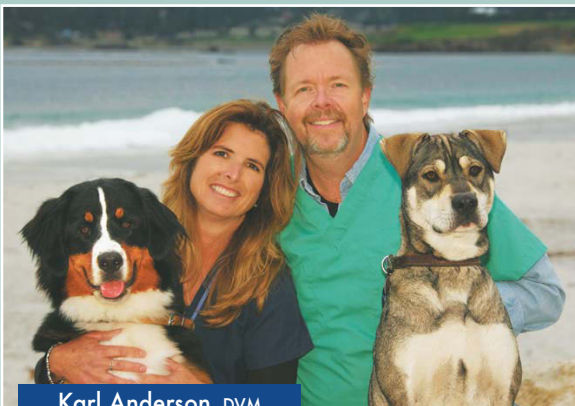
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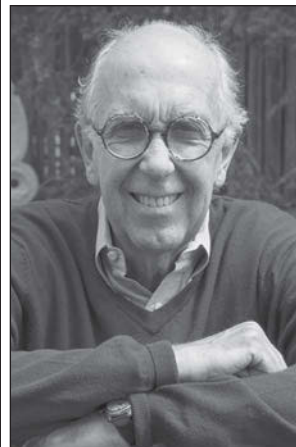
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CARDIOLOGIST: 'WHEN I STARTED OUT, ALL WE COULD DO WAS GIVE PAIN KILLERS'

FIT, TAN and relaxed, Terry Moran still has the aura of a surfer from his days growing up in Southern California. But today he is one of our most eminent cardiologists, who also helps other doctors prevent heart attacks.

He grew up in the San Fernando Valley and then in Newport Beach, "back in the days when nobody lived in Newport Beach

specialize in the diseases of the lungs. Through a strange twist of fate, he ended up in a cardiology fellowship. He'd found his niche. He wound up running the Coronary Care Unit at UCLA-Harbor General in Torrance for three years.

The world of cardiology has changed dramatically since Terry was young. "We would have somebody come in with a heart attack, but we didn't know what caused it. The only therapy we had was pain control with morphine and nitroglycerin, and that was it. There were no coronary angiograms, no angioplasties, and no bypass surgery. In fact, when coronary bypass surgery was developed, we mistakenly thought that it might be a cure for coronary disease. Now we're at a point where we not only know what causes a heart attack — a blood clot developing on ruptured cholesterol plaque in one of the heart arteries — but we also have the medicines and procedures to treat the heart attack, and also the knowledge to prevent them."

Nowadays, if prevention fails and someone has a heart attack, doctors can take him into the catheterization laboratory, where they can remove the clot, reopen the artery and save the heart muscle. "We've gone from not knowing anything, to becoming active interventionalists in treating and preventing heart disease," he says.

Typically, cardiology has been about dealing with heart problems as they come up. Terry's focus is preventing those problems from arising. It started some 18 years ago when Terry had Thursday afternoons free,

and started seeing patients who had cholesterol problems that their doctors were having trouble managing.

His "Lipid Clinic" steadily grew and now plays a major role as part of the prevention arm of the Tyler Heart Center at Community Hospital. In addition, he is running the cardiac wellness program at CHOMP. It's been good for both the patients and the doctor. "I no longer have on-call nights or emergency room calls," Terry says. "Plus I am able to go out and teach, which is something I really love."

Terry regularly sends out The Lipid Letter to some 1,600 health care professionals, culling the important information from the flood of new reports, reporting not only the good, but the bad data. Poorly designed studies and badly chosen cohorts can make headlines and send doctors and patients in the wrong direction.

"One of the biggest problems we have is that patients are reading the Internet. It's good that they get knowledge about heart problems, but there is a lot of misinformation online," he says. "We try to let patients know what's really true and what's not true."

Another issue is that science gets smarter and past verities conflict with new discoveries.

For example, he says, "Aspirin probably wouldn't even be released if someone tried to

bring it out now, with all the side effects it's got. In fact, now, the recommendation is pretty much unless you're at very high risk to have heart problems or you have heart problems, aspirin is not recommended."

On a different heart-healthy note, back in 1980, Terry returned to the Virgin Islands for his own honeymoon with Lydia, whom he'd met when she was nursing at St. Mary's Medical Center in Long Beach. At dinner in a small restaurant, they sat next to two couples from Carmel. Terry was thinking of

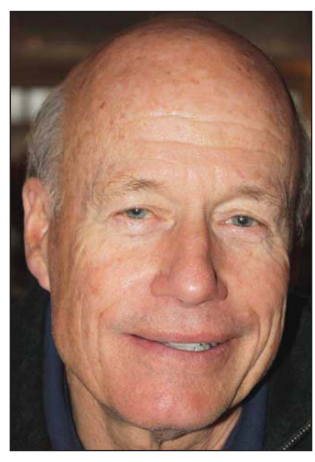
going into private practice, and their new friends suggested he consider Carmel.

Bang-zoom, "We moved up here on Jan. 1, 1982. We drove up in our old cars on New Year's Eve, and met the moving guys up here a couple of days later."

But how did he survive with the weather? After all, Carmel is even foggier and cooler than Berkeley.

"We barely made it through the first year. That August we never saw the sun," Terry says. "But by the second year, I understood the weather patterns, and now we couldn't even imagine leaving this area."

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Terry Moran

Great Lives

By TONY SETON

and it was just a quiet beach town. By the time I got out of medical school, it was too crazy to move back there."

For college, Terry started out at UC Berkeley but lasted only two years. Even though the San Francisco Bay Area has what many people consider an ideal climate, for a Southern California boy, it was too foggy and damp. So he transferred back to the sunshine and UCLA, where he also went to medical school. After graduation, Terry took a vacation on the beaches of the Virgin Islands. He met a couple on their honeymoon who invited him to sail around with them for the day. It was heaven. More about that later.

Back in Los Angeles, Terry practiced internal medicine for two years, didn't like it, and went into emergency medicine. It was exciting, but also not what he was looking for. After two years in the ER, Terry went back to being an internist, thinking he would

RESORT

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And though slow-growth group LandWatch Monterey County earlier had concerns about the resort, including impacts to animal species and traffic conditions, representatives from the group did not speak against the project Tuesday.

The developer has offered to mitigate traffic impacts by paying the Transportation Agency of Monterey County so it can fund road improvement projects to help alleviate congestion.

The resort would be built in two phases. The first phase would entail 105 timeshare units in buildings of three and four stories.

Most of the parking would be underground.

Phase two includes a 235-room resort hotel with restaurant and banquet facilities, a tapas bar, bakery, wine center, deli and juice bar, conference and meeting facilities, and a health and wellness center. The buildings for that phase would be two- to five-stories high.

According to the project's environmental review document, the architecture for the buildings would be done in the Craftman style. Most of the parking would be underground.

The first oceanfront hotel project approved by Sand City has been tied up in court for more than 20 years.

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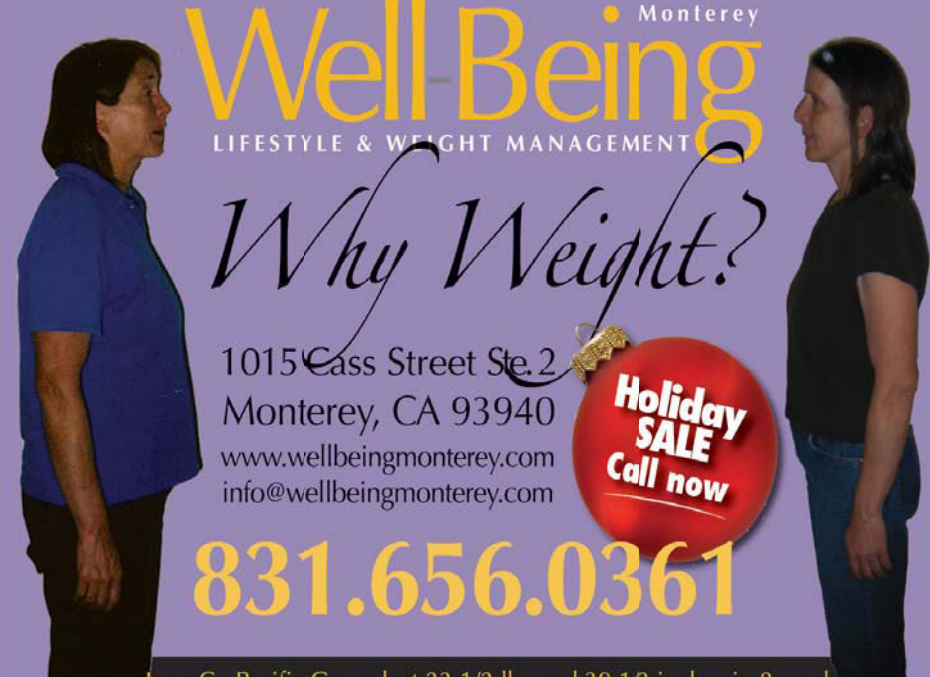
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FIRE

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appears to have started somewhere between Pfeiffer Big Sur State Park and Pfeiffer Ridge, which is located along the coast about 25 miles south of Carmel. Fueled by off-shore winds, the fire raced up the ridge. Among those who lost their homes in the blaze were Martha Karstens, the chief of the Big Sur Volunteer Fire Brigade, and Myra and Drew Goodman, the founders of Earthbound Farm. Officials declined to name others whose homes were lost, but some talked about their experiences and others shared their stories on Facebook.

While many people lost everything they owned, everybody survived. “The fact that nobody died — even though this happened at night when everybody was sleeping — was a miracle,” said Erin Gafill.

A dream becomes a nightmare

Asleep when the fire swept across the ridge, Torrey Waag thought he was dreaming when he heard his neighbor Tara Morgenrath’s voice.

“She was yelling, ‘Get out! Don’t take anything!’” recalled Waag, the general manager of Deetjen’s Big Sur Inn. “I was groggy and looked outside. Everything was bright orange.”

Waag and his wife, Brita Ostrom, joined a convoy of vehicles driving off the ridge. But it proved too dangerous to follow the direct route down to Highway 1, so everybody took an alternate route over the top of the ridge and eventually made it to safety.

Like many of his neighbors, Waag figured his home was lost.

“I watched Ray and Celia Sanborn’s house burn,” Waag said. “I thought for sure our place was gone.”

He credited Jali and Tevye Morgenrath and Aengus Wagner with saving her home by spraying it with water.

Aiding the effort to save the house was an extensive firebreak, constructed in recent

years, circling the five properties, Waag explained.

While Waag has lived through quite few Big Sur fires, this week’s is permanently etched in his memory. “This was the scariest, fastest moving fire I’ve ever seen,” he added.

Waking up just in time

While Drew and Myra Goodman were sleeping in their Carmel Valley home, Myra said their daughter, Marea, was sleeping and alone in her family’s Pfeiffer Ridge home when the fire struck.

“Thank goodness she woke up from hearing men’s shouts outside, looked out her window and saw flames coming very close,” Myra Goodman told The Pine Cone. “She knew to leave the house immediately. All the firemen were shocked to see her. They thought the house was empty. She called us from the road at 2:50 a.m. to let us know she was on her way, and our house would probably burn down.”

The house finally succumbed to the blaze the following morning.

“Sadly, the house caught fire a little after 7 a.m. and burned to the ground,” Myra Goodman added. “We will miss it terribly, and feel so awful for all our neighbors on the ridge that lost their homes and all their possessions. We are counting our blessings and are incredibly grateful that no one was injured.”

Rising from the ashes

Stephen Kresge tried to save his home, but he found himself surrounded by flames and pinned down for hours. He ultimately survived his ordeal, but his house didn’t.

Kresge smelled smoke just before midnight Sunday and looked outside. He could see flames near Karstens’ driveway about a half mile away.

“It was moving very fast,” Kresge told The Pine Cone. “My caretaker said, ‘Let’s get the hoses,’ but before we did, sparks were landing nearby.”

Soon fire was swirling around Kresge and his caretaker, Jack. “We were putting out

brushfires as fast as we could,” he said.

Kresge had installed sprinklers on his roof, but later conceded they “gave me a false sense of security.”

A neighbor came by and urged the two men to give up the fight.

“He said, ‘You have to leave now,’” Kresge recalled. “‘The access routes are closing off.’”

Jack decided to leave, but Kresge was still confident he could beat back the flames. But soon fire was approaching from too many directions.

“And then the water pressure went dead,” he explained. “I was trapped.”

Kresge went back inside his house, “but it was quickly filling up with smoke.” So he found a place on his property “where I could breathe” and hunkered down. At some time over the next hour or so, the flames consumed his home.

By dawn, the fire had settled down, he said, and “I realized it was plausible to get out.”

But it was clear that driving his truck was not an option. “It looked like something you see in newsreels of suicide bombers,” he explained.

While it didn’t look quite as bad, Kresge figured his Audi sedan had seen its better days as well. The car was covered with ash and its taillights looked like melted strawberry ice cream. “I assumed it had sustained internal damage,” he said.

Yet the Audi did start. Kresge slowly made his way down Pfeiffer Ridge Road before a fallen power pole blocked his exit. So he turned the car around and took an alternate route off the mountain to Highway 1.

Once he reached the scenic route, Kresge drove about a mile south to the Roadhouse restaurant, where many of his displaced neighbors were gathering — and were thrilled to know he was OK.

Firefighters pour into Big Sur

As the fire advanced, word quickly spread that Pfeiffer Ridge was ablaze, and a massive emergency response swung into action Monday morning as firefighters and equipment poured into Big Sur. But steep and difficult-to-reach terrain, drought conditions, warm temperatures, low humidity, erratic winds and dense chaparral that hadn’t burned in a century came together to make firefighting a difficult task.

By 10 a.m. Thursday, the fire had scorched 917 acres. Twenty-two structures were reported burned, including 15 residences. More than 1,000 firefighters had converged on Big Sur from nearly every corner of the state, including United States Forest Service and Cal Fire personnel, inmates from the California Department of Corrections, and of course, members of the Big Sur and Mid-Coast volunteer fire brigades.

A base camp and command center resembling a small town sprung up overnight Tuesday on the Big Sur softball field.

Firefighters continue to build a containment line around the fire and set back burns to reduce the fuel that is feeding it.

Containment increased from 20 to 74 percent Wednesday, and — barring an unex-

pected change in the weather — full containment was expected soon.

What went right

Also aiding the firefighting effort was an increase in cooperation between residents, law enforcement and firefighting agencies. That synergy stood in stark contrast to the Basin Complex Fire of 2008, when one resident was arrested for starting what would prove to be a successful backfire, and others were admonished for their efforts or escorted out of Big Sur against their will.

Locals and officials attributed the boost in good will to the formation of the Big Sur Community Emergency Response Team, which has worked to “educate, train and prepare local residents to effectively respond to disasters.”

Residents also praised Monterey County Sheriff Scott Miller, who was elected two years after the Basin Complex Fire.

“There’s been a big evolution of support from the sheriff’s office,” said Frank Pinney, a former chief of the Big Sur fire brigade. “The cooperation has been amazing.”

Butch Kronlund, president of the Coast Property Owners Association, agreed. “The sheriff has done a fantastic job in helping communication be a two-way street.”

‘We’re here if people need us’

The Red Cross set up a station in the dining room of Fernwood Resort this week but found few takers for services.

“The community here is pretty stoic,” volunteer Liz Ford said. “They’re kind of taking care of themselves.”

Most of those left homeless by fire are staying with friends, neighbors or at local resorts, which generously offered rooms. But the Red Cross is ready to help anybody with challenges finding long-term housing. For starters, the organization is willing to pay for the first month’s rent.

In addition to making sure displaced residents have roofs over their heads, the Red Cross offers counseling services, and it can also help fill prescriptions. Ford encouraged people who need help to call (831) 320-9989.

‘My home is still here’

While some lost nearly everything they owned, they remained in surprisingly good spirits.

Christian Van Allen was upbeat despite knowing his house was lost. “This is not so much a tragedy as it is an opportunity to take a new step forward,” he posted on Facebook.

Dale Diesel, who learned his home was destroyed, was philosophical about his plight.

“I can see now how my daily practice of acceptance has prepared me for this kick in the butt,” he posted on Facebook. “I am at peace.”

Last summer, Diesel opened the Darn Glad To Be Here Gallery in Big Sur. “I’m still darn glad to be here,” he told The Pine Cone Wednesday.

Kodiak Greenwood, whose house was destroyed in the fire, echoed Diesel’s sentiments. “My house may have burned down, but my home is still here,” he posted on Facebook.

Fundraising efforts offer Big Sur fire victims a helping hand

By CHRIS COUNTS

WHILE DOZENS of displaced Big Sur residents are facing hardships in the aftermath of the Pfeiffer Fire, assistance is on the way. A multitude of fundraising efforts have been launched on the Internet and in the real world, offering fire victims a big boost and the public an opportunity to lend a hand.

Here is just a sample of the fundraising efforts under way:

Support is just a click away

The generous spirit of the holiday season — as well as the power of the Internet — was on display this week when an effort to raise \$10,000 for her family after their house burned was closing in on its goal.

While the Pfeiffer Ridge area is famous for its multimillion-dollar houses, many who lost their homes — like Selena Nevarez Perez’s family — were renters or caretakers. After the fire, Perez posted a personal donation campaign at www.gofundme.com. “I am hoping to help my family, who lost everything but the clothes on their back,” she wrote. Within two days, the campaign had nearly reached its goal.

“Everyone’s support just takes my breath away,” Perez wrote. “We are so blessed to be part of such an amazing community.”

Other beneficiaries of campaigns on www.gofundme.com include longtime residents Kodiak Greenwood, Dale Diesel, Christian Van Allen, Jessica Pinney and a young couple identified only as Nathan and Arianna. A fundraising effort at www.rally.org is aiding Deborah Anne Medow.

Greenwood — whose striking photographs of the 2008 Basin Complex Fire were published in The Pine Cone — not only lost the home he lived in during the fire, but the flames destroyed more than \$50,000 of photography equipment.

“Kodi lost virtually everything he owned in the inferno,” wrote the anonymous creator of the campaign.

Less than two days later, more than \$20,000 had been raised for Greenwood.

‘Benefit for Big Sur’

Serving up its trademark mix of swinging jazz, rockin’ blues and ballads, Andrea’s Fault kicks off a fundraising “Benefit for Big Sur” Friday, Dec. 20, from 6 to 9 p.m. at Cibo restaurant in Monterey.

Andrea’s Fault will be followed by Jason Fann and Friends, Ancestree and Dewey and the Peoples, who plan to perform until 1:30 a.m. The musical acts are donating their time, while the restaurant will give 20 percent of its food and bar sales to aid Big Sur residents who were left homeless by the fire.

“Donations will be accepted at the door, and attendees are encouraged to bring canned food, clean clothing, toiletries and toys,” publicist Wendy Brickman announced. “The community is invited to stop by anytime between 4 p.m. and 1:30 a.m. with donations to support our neighbors in Big Sur.”

Cibo is located on the corner of Alvarado and Del Monte. Call (831) 649-8151.

Funds offer support

The Coast Property Owners Association is also collecting money for people who lost homes and property.

“If you have lost your housing, please come see us,” CPOA President Butch Kronlund said. “We’d love to help you.” Their campaign can be found at www.big-surfire2013.org.

The Community Foundation has created a Big Sur Fire Fund to help those impacted by the blaze. “This is one of the most significant events to impact Monterey County in recent years,” said the foundation’s president, Dan Baldwin. To donate to this effort, call (831) 375-9712 or visit www.cfmco.org.

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Painter who turned Blue Dog into pop icon dies

By CHRIS COUNTS

FAMOUS FOR his Blue Dog paintings, Louisiana artist and Carmel gallery owner George Rodrigue passed away Dec. 14 in Houston of cancer. He was 69.

“George was one of a kind,” said Neil Shapiro of Monterey, a longtime friend. “He had artistic ability and he was brilliant. He was also a great storyteller. And he was one of the sweetest people I ever met.”

Taking up painting at the tender age of 3 when he was bedridden with polio, Rodrigue gained recognition for the scenes of Cajun country life he painted in the 1960s and 1970s.

“That was his history,” said Shapiro of Rodrigue’s affection for the Cajun culture in his early work, which is also notable for its inclusion of dark, brooding oak trees. “[His early paintings] offer a combination of hope and despair.” Rodrigue’s commercial breakthrough as an artist came in the early 1990s, nearly a decade after he transformed a Cajun werewolf into Blue Dog.

In 1984, Rodrigue painted his first Blue Dog for inclusion

in a book of Cajun ghost stories, “Bayou.” As a boy, Rodrigue heard tales of a werewolf, or *loup-garou* as the locals called it. The creature was said to lurk in nearby sugar cane fields and haunt children who were bad.

Rodrigue once had a dog named Tiffany. While the dog bore little resemblance to a werewolf, its quizzical look inspired his first Blue Dog painting. He also imagined the blue-black sky of night reflecting off her coat. As Blue Dog evolved on his canvas, he lightened both its demeanor and its coat.

After hearing people refer to the creature in his *loup-garou* paintings as “a blue dog,” Rodrigue embraced the name. He also began painting Blue Dog with backgrounds other than oak trees.

After Blue Dog made a cameo in an Absolut Vodka advertising campaign, demand for paintings of the colorful canine increased dramatically. At one point in the mid-1990s, Rodrigue was painting 20 hours a day. His wife, Wendy

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George Rodrigue at his easel creating one of the Blue Dog paintings that catapulted him to international fame. His downtown gallery on Dolores Street, and at an earlier location on Sixth Avenue, became local landmarks. The painter died Saturday.

Live music aplenty as holiday approaches

By CHRIS COUNTS

WITH CHRISTMAS just over the horizon, there are still a few days to hit the local shops for last-minute gifts. And when your wallet is almost empty, or you’re tired from carrying shopping bags around, why not hit one of the local restaurants or clubs for some live music? Here’s the week’s calendar:

Terry’s Lounge at Cypress Inn — pianist **Gennady Loktionov** and singer **Debbie Davis** (cabaret, Friday at 7 p.m.); pianist **Dick Whittington** and bassist **Dan Robbins** (“jazzy Christmas standards,” Saturday at 7 p.m.); singer **Andrea Carter** (jazz and blues, Sunday at 11 a.m.); classical guitarist **Richard Devinck** (Sunday at 5 p.m.); and Whittington and Robbins (Thursday at 6 p.m.). Lincoln and Seventh, (831) 624-3871.

Mission Ranch — singer and pianist **Maddaline Edstrom** (pop and jazz, Friday, Saturday and Sunday at 7 p.m.); and pianist **Gennady Loktionov** (jazz, Monday through Thursday at 7 p.m.). 26270 Dolores St., (831) 625-9040.

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CHEF IRVINE LIVE, NUTCRACKER HOLIDAY TEA, AND DINNER WITH MCINTYRE

‘FOOD IS supposed to be fun, and you can create anything from anything,’ said chef Robert Irvine, who will prove those points when he brings his show “RI Live,” to Sunset Center Saturday, Jan. 18, 2014. Irvine will host a two-hour spectacle that’s not a sit-down performance or a straight cooking demo, but one that involves the audience and is 100 percent improv.

As the creator and star of the Food Network’s “Dinner: Impossible” and “Restaurant: Impossible” shows, which require him to develop full menus in complicated settings on the fly, and to fix floundering restaurants, he’s accustomed to meeting unknown challenges and conquering them.

Onstage, the same dynamic exists. At the start of the program, he explained, audience

members choose ingredients from a list Irvine hasn’t seen, and he prepares (edible) dishes with them onstage. His production team buys all the ingredients locally and has been known to trip him up with some obscure items, like shrimp paste and red tea.

“My crew loves it — they get to pull one over on me all the time to see what I’m going to do,” he told The Pine Cone. “Each show is so different, you can’t script it. I wait for inspiration. Cooking techniques always stay the same — we poach it, we boil it, we sauté it — we just don’t know what ‘it’ is.”

The lack of a script and the unpredictable nature of the program allow Irvine to be in his element, and for others to take part.

“I want people to see me as I really am and get to know me,” he said. “It’s a great

show for kids and adults, for people to get up close and personal, have a lot of fun, get two hours of laughter and education, and to do some good.”

Born in Wiltshire, England, Irvine was 15 when he joined the British Royal Navy, in which he served for a decade, traveling the world and discovering his passion for cooking. Afterward, he honed his skills in professional kitchen, and his resume includes serving as head chef for the 2006 Academy Awards and working as a consultant for the U.S. Navy.

Now an accomplished celebrity chef, Irvine has produced hundreds of television shows and spends 345 days a year on the

road with his live show, which he described as “really goofballish.” He’s passionate about food, health, fitness, cooking, and supporting the military and kids through charitable

soup to nuts

By MARY SCHLEY

work.

“I want people to have fun, so I have fun at the same time,” he said, including selecting audience members to assist him onstage.

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PHOTOS/DAN MCLEAN (LEFT), MIRABEL (CENTER), MARY SCHLEY (RIGHT)

Chef Robert Irvine (left) always gets his audience involved, Aubergine executive chef Justin Cogley (above) is named a Grand Chef by Relais & Chateaux, and Rich Pepe purchases the building housing his Carmel Bakery (right).

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Sale close for Bernardus Lodge

Ben Pon to keep winery, Will's Fargo

By MARY SCHLEY

AFTER MORE than a year on the market and the vetting of more than a dozen potential buyers, Bernardus Lodge in Carmel Valley is set to be sold at the end of the month for an undisclosed sum, according to general manager Mike Oprish.

A half-dozen managers, including him, will lose their jobs in the deal, he said.

A partnership involving a Southern California investment company and a Washington-based hotel operator will take over the hotel, while owner and founder Ben Pon, for whom Bernardus is named, will retain the winery in Cachagua and his restaurant, Will's Fargo, in Carmel Valley Village.

"The property is going to close escrow on the 30th of December, but it's the lodge only," Oprish said. "Mr. Pon is keeping the winery and the restaurant, in addition to his private residence here, so the long and short of it is, he's not going away."

The deal is a joint venture between Ensemble

Investments, which is based in Long Beach and owns several hotels along with many other businesses, and the upscale Noble House Hotels and Resorts, headquartered in Seattle, Wash., and operator of 16 properties throughout the United States. Ensemble will focus on the financial aspects of owning and operating Bernardus, while Noble House will be in charge of its management, according to Oprish.

Hotels in Ensemble's portfolio include the Hilton and The Maya in Long Beach, The Dream Inn in Santa Cruz, the Holiday Inn Bayview Plaza in Santa Monica, the Hollywood Roosevelt Hotel and the Ramada Renaissance Hotel in Agoura Hills.

"It's not done until it's done, but I certainly have reason to believe it's going to happen," Oprish said of the sale, which has been in negotiations for several months.

The buyers agreed to "retain a minimum of 75 percent of the staff," he said. "They've kept all but six people."

He described those who were fired as "managers," himself included. "I expected it — I wasn't surprised," said Oprish, who will help run the winery until he finds his next job.

"Because of my relationship with Mr. Pon of almost 15 years, now, he's been very kind and gracious and told me to

take my time and find the best next opportunity," he said.

The new owners are keeping executive chef Cal Stamenov in charge of Marinus and Wickets restaurants at the lodge, and Sue Dreyer will remain on staff, too.

The new owners have said they'll strive preserve the high-quality image of the hotel and will work closely with the winery, since it's so intertwined with the lodge, where it serves as the house wine, is poured for guests in the lobby and is included in gift baskets in the rooms.

The small Ingrid's Vineyard in front of the lodge produces Chardonnay and Pinot Noir for the winery, and while the land is included in the purchase, Pon will lease the vineyards from the hotel owners, and vineyard manager Matt Shea will continue to oversee the vines' cultivation and harvest.

"We wanted to make sure there was forward-going col-

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maintaining the history and legacy of Bernardus."

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"The reason they bought the place is really because of the wine-country experience, with Monterey County and Carmel Valley wines," he said. "They get that."



Bernardus Lodge in Carmel Valley is set to be sold at the end of December to a partnership involving a Southern California investment company and a Seattle-based hotel and resort operator.

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Dec. 21 - Breakfast with Santa - Please join the Mission Trail Lions of Carmel for the **6th Annual Breakfast with Santa** on Saturday, Dec. 21 at the Carmel Youth Center (located on the southwest corner of Fourth and Torres) from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Breakfast includes pancakes, sausage, fruit and beverage. Tickets: \$6 Adults, \$3 Children under 12. Opportunity drawing tickets are available for toys, games, a scooter and a bike! Also, please bring a canned food donation for our food drive! (408) 391-8905.

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Dec. 21 - Fjorn-by-the-Sea, located in the courtyard of the Pine Inn Hotel, invites the holiday shoppers to visit their Scandinavian boutique on Saturday, Dec. 21, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. for Swedish cookies, Finnish chocolate, and refreshments. www.fjorn.com, (831) 620-0123.

Dec. 22 - Love's Divine Adventure, a one hour Christian Science talk by Nate Frederick, CS, December 22, 3 p.m. First Church of Christ, Scientist, 780 Abrego Street, Monterey. Join us at 2:30 p.m. for a short concert of original Christian music and sing-along Christmas hymns. Child care provided. (831) 372-5076.

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Helen Patricia Sippel



Pat Sippel, loving wife of Richard, son Steven, daughter-in-law Zoe, grandchildren Ethan and Emmi Sippel and brother and sister-in-law, Mike and Trulee Ricketts, died unexpectedly on December 10 at Community Hospital.

Pat was the granddaughter of Harry and Isabelle Turner of Carmel, daughter of Gene and Helen Ricketts of Carmel and was born on December 4, 1937 in Carmel.

She graduated from Sunset grammar school, Carmel High School and Fresno State College. Pat taught business classes at Carmel High School and Santa Catalina School. She also managed the Ricketts buildings in Carmel.

Pat was active in the American Field Service, traveling to Germany as an exchange student when she attended Carmel high school. Pat and Sip hosted Andreas Barz from Switzerland and during another year, Phillippe Masquelier from Belgium while their son, Steven was at Carmel high school. Andreas and Phillippe are still a part of their extended family.

Pat served as a board member of the Carmel Library and was a present board member of the Alzheimer's Association in Mountain View. After retirement, Pat worked for the local chapter of the Alzheimer's Association and administered the annual Treasures and Pleasures fundraising auction. Recently she helped to make the annual Walk for Alzheimer's a successful event. Other contributions were Recreation Commissioner of Carmel and the Carmel High School Scholarship Fund.

Like her Mother Helen, who played softball for the Carmel Abalone League, Pat played softball for the local Coasters and she was a fierce S.F. Giant fan, traveling to Tucson for spring training, taking her nieces to Candlestick Park and her grandchildren to the AT&T park in San Francisco.

Like her parents, Pat was an active member of the local 20-40 club, whose members are friends she has known since her earliest years in Carmel. She was also an active member of Yes for Carmel and the Monday Afternoon Club. She played weekly bridge and corresponded with lifetime friends scattered throughout Europe and the United States.

Her best friend Sarah McCloud Berling said "Patty was a part of the fabric of Carmel". Looking through her many notes, her daughter in law, Zoe found this: "I would like this in my obituary;" the work of her hands was the voice of her heart." One of her works was The Alzheimer's Association, 21 Lower Ragsdale Dr., Monterey 93940. Services will be held January 5, 2013 from 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at The Sunset Center, San Carlos St. at Ninth Ave. Carmel-by-the-Sea, CA. In lieu of flowers the family has requested donations to the Alzheimer's Association.

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By CHRIS COUNTS

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From impressionist landscapes and photo-realistic still-lives, to imaginative abstracts and fine art photography, the exhibit shines a spotlight on the diverse mix of artists who belong to the nonprofit art group.

The exhibit will be on display through Dec. 31 at the gallery on Dolores Street. Call (831) 624-6176.

The Monterey Museum of Art is also hosting its annual holiday Miniatures display. More than 300 artists — all members of the museum — have donated artwork, which will be raffled off Jan. 2. Proceeds from the show support the gallery's exhibits and programs. Tickets can be purchased through

Dec. 31. The museum is located at 559 Pacific Street. Call (831) 372.5477.

■ The art of jewelry

While the Carmel Valley Art Association is best known for its roster of painters, the gallery will showcase the talents of four local jewelers — **Jules Brandt, Ron Rice, Kay Walters** and **Carlaine Willis** — Saturday, Dec. 21, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

All four jewelers will greet visitors throughout the day and talk about their work.

"The jewelers work in other mediums as well," gallery owner Shelley Allioti said. "Jules and Carlaine are painters, while Ron and Kay are sculptors. It's interesting to see how each the artists' creativity translates from medium to medium."

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FOOD

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"I go out and talk to people and pick them randomly. I pick kids sometimes, and married couples."

In one appearance, Irvine said, an 8-year-old girl decked out in miniature Chef Irvine gear reprimanded a heckler by saying, "Don't you talk to my chef like that!" In response, Irvine invited her onstage, where she proceeded to give play by play for the next two hours. "She completely stole the show," he said. "And that was great."

Next month's visit will mark Irvine's first time in Carmel, one of six stops he's making in California. "I've never been, and it seemed like a good place to go," he said, adding that his crew and hosts will suggest where to eat during his brief stay.

His travels also involve overseas stops to visit troops, and he was recently in Afghanistan. "We took 5 tons of food, gifts, the show, a hypnotist and a U2 tribute band, and had a lot of fun," he said. "Last week, I was at the Pentagon talking about how we can do greater things for our men and women in uniform. We forget about what these men and women do every day so we can have freedom."

Further, the books, knives and other merchandise he sells benefit the Gary Sinise Foundation, which creates and supports "unique programs designed to entertain, educate, inspire, strengthen and build communities," and other select charities.

Irvine recognizes his live shows are an escape for people, and he is loathe to disappoint them.

"We give hope on the show, and dreams," he said. "People dream of meeting me and cooking with me, and sometimes I'll be there until 3 or 4 a.m. signing books and meeting peo-

ple. We watch TV to get away from our lives sometimes; these two hours take you away to a different planet."

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■ Nutcracker Holiday Tea

Carmel Valley Ranch will host its 2nd Annual Nutcracker Holiday Tea Saturday, Dec. 21, from 2 to 3:30 p.m., when Dance Kids Monterey's cast from "Nutcracker" will perform scenes from the ballet, guests will "learn to fence like a soldier or dance like Clara," Herr Drosselmeyer will tell stories, and adults and kids will savor a holiday-themed high tea.

The 2nd Annual Nutcracker Holiday Tea will take place in the Redwood Room in the Main Lodge, and the cost is \$50 per adult and \$35 for kids age 12 and under. Reservations are required by calling the concierge at (831) 620-6427. Carmel Valley Ranch is located at 1 Old Ranch Road.

■ No Carmel market Dec. 26

While the market might have seen more traffic from people taking Christmas week off, organizers of the Carmel-by-the-Sea Certified Farmers Market decided not to hold the weekly event Thursday, Dec. 26, so the farmers can spend time with their families on Christmas Day instead of working to prepare their produce and goods for sale the following day.

It will reopen for business as usual Thursday, Jan. 2, 2014, in the north lot of Sunset Center at San Carlos and Eighth. The market is run by the West Coast Farmers Markets Association.

■ R&C new Grand Chef

Justin Cogley, executive chef of L'Auberge Carmel and recently named one of Food & Wine's Best New Chefs, was made a 2014 Grand Chef by Relais & Chateaux, the international group of fine hotels and restaurants, at the annual luncheon held at Daniel restaurant in New York City. The distinction puts him alongside legendary Grands Chefs Daniel Boulud, Mark Ladner, Thomas Keller, Jean-Georges Vongerichten, Michael White and others.

Next year, Relais & Châteaux will celebrate its 60th

anniversary with a series of events throughout the world, starting with the inaugural four-day GourmetFest at Sunset Center in Carmel March 27-30. David Fink, owner of L'Auberge Carmel and Cogley's boss, is organizing the fest, which received approval from the Carmel City Council earlier this month.

■ McIntyre wine dinner menu

The Hyatt Carmel Highlands will hold its first Winemaker Dinner of the year in the wine room in Pacific's Edge restaurant Thursday, Jan. 16, at 6 p.m., and organizers announced the menu for the evening, which will showcase the wines of McIntyre Vineyards.

Owner and winemaker Steve McIntyre, who was named Grower of the Year by the California Association of Winegrowers, will be on hand at the dinner to discuss the wines and the pairings selected by executive chef Matt Bolton.

The evening's lineup is set to include hors d'oeuvres of dungeness crab with persimmon and Meyer lemon, and parmesan gougeres, served with McIntyre's sparkling wine, L'Homme Qui Ris; a first course of wild sea bass with celery root, hazelnut, butternut squash and truffle jus, served with 2012 McIntyre Estate Chardonnay, Santa Lucia Highlands; a second course of Kurabuta pork with parsnip, chanterelle,

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<div style="text-align: center;"> <h3 style="font-family: cursive;">Carmel</h3> <h2>PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH</h2> <p>For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16</p> <p>9:30 am - Traditional Vibrant Chancel Choir State of the Art Organ</p> <p>11:00 am - Contemporary The CPC Band</p> <p>Children, Youth & Adult Groups Corner of Ocean & Junipero, Carmel (831) 624-3878 • www.carmelpres.org</p> </div>	<div style="text-align: center;"> <h3>First United Methodist Church</h3> <p>of Pacific Grove <i>found at www.butterflychurch.org</i> Worship celebration at 10:00 a.m.</p> <p>Celebration of Carols with our Sanctuary Choir & Monarch Handbell Choir Linda Reinertsen, Organ</p> <p>Loving Child Care, Children's Sunday School, Chrysalis Youth Program 915 Sunset Dr. @ 17-Mile Dr., Pacific Grove, (831) 372-5875</p> </div>
<div style="text-align: center;"> <h3>Church in the Forest</h3> <p><i>Multi-denominational</i></p> <p>9:30 am Service "The Gift of Uncertainty" The Rev. Ken Feske</p> <p>9:15 am Pre-service Concert Wildcoast Brass Quintet and Melinda Coffey Armstead, organ Valet Parking Available</p> <p>Erdman Chapel at Stevenson School • 3152 Forest Lake Rd • Pebble Beach 831-624-1374 • citf@mbay.net • www.churchintheforest.org</p> </div>	<div style="text-align: center;"> <h3>All Saints' Episcopal Church</h3> <p>Dolores & 9th, Carmel-by-the-Sea</p> <p>8:00 AM Traditional • 10:30 AM* Choral 5:30PM Candlelit (Evensong - 1st Sun., 5:30 PM) *Childcare provided at 9 AM - 12 NOON (831) 624-3883 www.allsaintscarmel.org</p> </div>
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cracklins, thyme jus, paired with 2006 McIntyre Estate Pinot Noir, Santa Lucia Highlands; an entrée of alder-smoked Sonoma duck with porcini, wheat berries and huckleberry jus, served with 2012 McIntyre Estate Pinot Noir, Santa Lucia Highlands; and a fromage course featuring Boucheron, Istara, Old Amsterdam, house-made pecan fig bread, honeycomb and Seckle pear, with 2012 McIntyre Estate Block K-1 Chardonnay, Santa Lucia Highlands. The feast will wrap up with a sweet selection of mignardises made by pastry chef Gina Hudson.

McIntyre is also planning on bringing a mystery wine for guests to sample.

The cost to attend is \$95 per person, including tax and tip, and reservations are required by calling (831) 622-5445. The restaurant is located in the inn at 120 Highlands Drive.

■ Pepe buys bakery building

Restaurateur Rich Pepe, owner of Carmel Bakery, has purchased the Ocean Avenue building that houses the business for \$2.4 million. He said he plans to remodel its second-floor apartment and use it as his primary residence "someday."

Pepe has owned the bakery, where every product is made fresh, since 1988.

"We actually make and bake everything onsite, rather than most stores, which really are resellers of goods purchased from far away," he said. "Carmel Bakery is the oldest retail store in Carmel, dating back to 1906. Only the Pine Inn predates Carmel Bakery as a business still operating."

(Carmel Realty Co. and The Carmel Pine Cone are close behind, founded in 1913 and 1915, respectively.)

Pepe is the fifth owner of Carmel Bakery in its century-plus in operation. He also owns Little Napoli restaurant and Vino Napoli on Dolores Street at Eighth Avenue, and Vesuvio on Sixth Avenue.

■ Vivino answers questions

Vivino, claimed as the world's No. 1 wine app, has been completely redesigned to be "more powerful, intuitive and eye pleasing," according to its creators. Launched in 2009, the app helps consumers and professionals research wines and share notes on their favorites (and not) with other enthusiasts.

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request.

Vivino can be downloaded from iTunes and the Play Store. For more information, go to www.vivino.com.

■ Symphony mystery dinner

The Friends of the Monterey Symphony's Mystery Players present their Fifth Annual Mystery Dinner Saturday, Feb. 1, 2014, starting at 5 p.m. at the Portola Hotel and Spa at the foot of Alvarado Street in Monterey.

This year's story features "The Next-to-the-Last Poker Game of Wild Bill Hickok." The year is 1876, and the tale is set in a Saloon in the Black Hills gold-rush boomtown, Deadwood, in the Dakota Territory.

The Mystery Players painted the scene: "Wild Bill Hickok, gunfighter, lawman and expert poker player, is in town for a serious game of poker. Is there another reason why he is in Deadwood? Then murder interrupts the game, and who knows how things will end?"

The author is longtime Monterey Peninsula resident, doctor, author and mystery devotee Stancil Johnson, whom organizers said "has created a wonderful evening of mystery, murder, music and magic — based on historic fact but including great fiction."

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RODRIGUE

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Rodrigue, recalled that she sold 26 Blue Dog paintings in one month in the Carmel gallery, leaving its walls empty.

"I even sold a painting early one morning to a jogger on his way down to the beach," she wrote on her blog. "We looked like we'd gone out of business."

Carmel served as a second home for the artist, who opened his first gallery here in 1991. A decade later, he built a studio in Carmel Valley. The gallery is now located on Dolores between Ocean and Seventh.

Three presidents

Rodrigue's work was admired from both sides of the political aisle. The Republican Party commissioned Rodrigue to paint President Ronald Reagan's portrait in 1986. Two years later, he painted then-Vice President George H.W. Bush. And in 1996, the Democratic Party commissioned him to paint President Bill Clinton.

When Hurricane Katrina devastated New Orleans in 2005, Rodrigue used Blue Dog's likeness to help raise millions of dollars for relief efforts.

In 2009, Rodrigue started a foundation in his name to fund arts scholarships and education programs.

The St. Louis Cathedral in New Orleans hosted a public mass for Rodrigue Dec. 19, and the artist will be buried Friday, Dec. 20, in his hometown of New Iberia. Shapiro and many others from Carmel plan to attend the funeral.

Although Rodrigue's popularity was widespread, he was particularly beloved in Louisiana. Many dignitaries from the Bayou State have offered testimonials to the artist, including

Gov. Bobby Jindal.

"His work made him an ambassador for our state and a renowned artist, but he never forgot his Louisiana roots," Jindal said. "Indeed, there are countless stories and examples of his charity work to help the people of Louisiana. Without question, his paintings will live on, but his legacy will be much more than paint on a canvas."

Last chance for CHS raffle extravaganza

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

TICKETS TO Super Bowl XLVIII Feb. 2 and \$2,000 for travel expenses are the top prize in a raffle being held to raise money for Carmel High School scholarships, and the drawing is set to take place Friday, Dec. 20, between 5:30 and 6:30 p.m. in the Il Fornaio Rotunda Room.

Tickets are still available and will be sold up to the moment of the drawing Friday evening.

Organized by the Carmel High School Padre Parents group and the Carmel High School Foundation, the raffle also includes tickets to Pebble Beach Food & Wine, the AT&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am, the Pebble Beach

Concours d'Elegance, Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca events, San Francisco Giants games, San Francisco 49ers games and Oakland Raiders games; wine tasting at Joyce Vineyards; golf at Quail Lodge and Rancho Cañada Golf Club; and lodging and dinner at the Post Ranch Inn.

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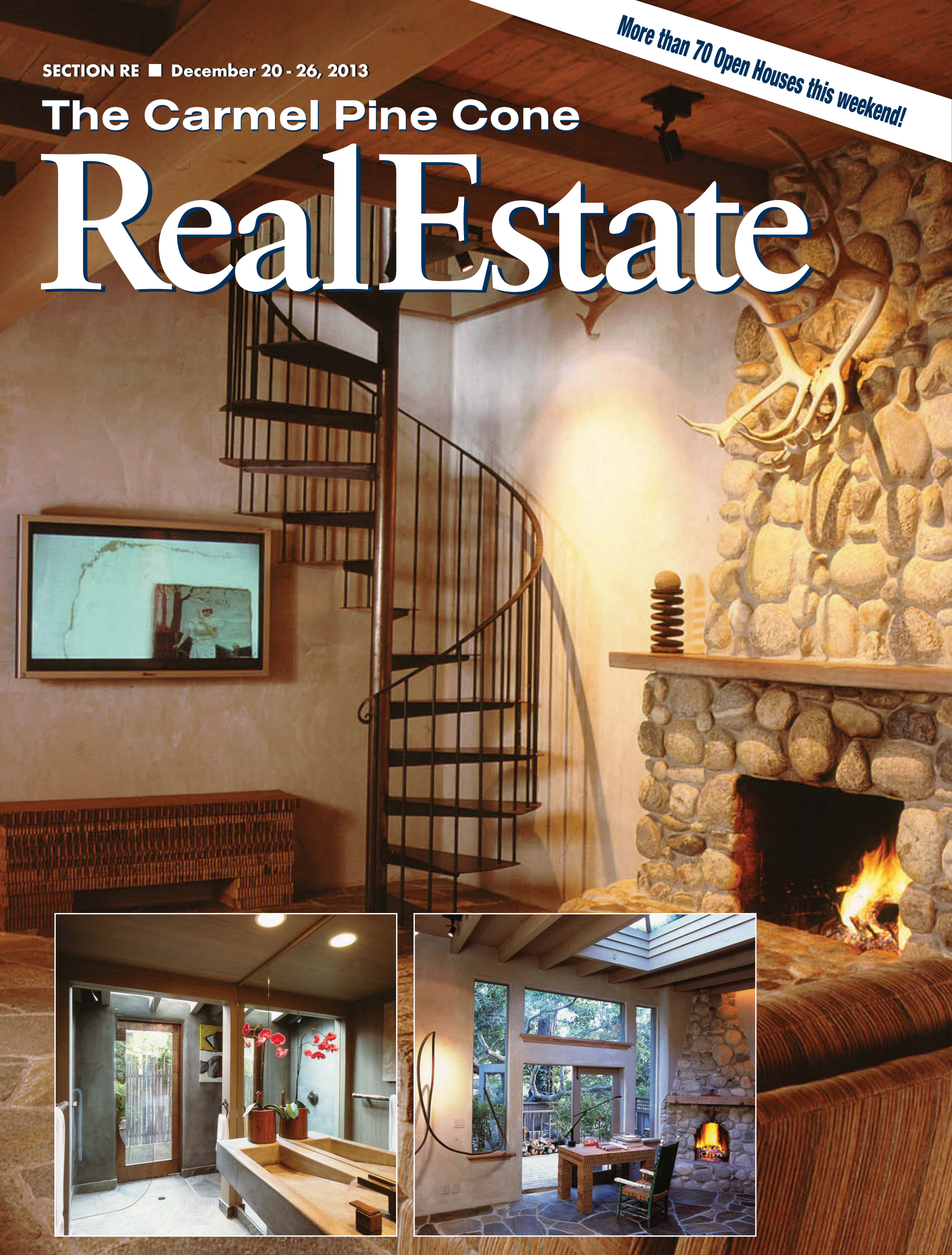
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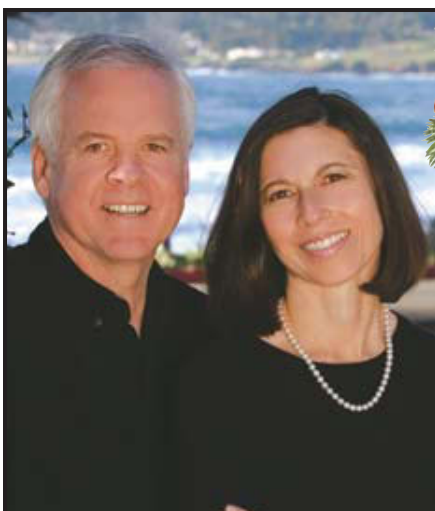
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Stopping in for a (non-alcoholic) belt on Ocean Avenue

I BECOME a tourist when walking up and down Ocean Avenue. I look in all the shop windows at things I don't need, and often cannot afford, in some of the tonier stores. Window shopping is so low-cost that it remains one of my favorite pastimes. One shop always baffled me, though. The sign outside simply reads "Pat Areias." I look in the window and all I see is belts and belt buckles.

With what I know about rents on Ocean Avenue, "How," I ask myself, "can anyone make a living selling belts there?"

That is exactly the question I put to Pat when I finally stopped in to look around. She laughed and told me the story of when she opened her store at 966 Madison Avenue in New York.

"We rented an apartment and our landlord came by the store to check us out," she said, "he couldn't believe we would be able to afford the apartment by selling belts."

It is upon crossing the threshold that one becomes aware that Pat carries more than belts and buckles in her narrow store. How narrow is it? At its narrowest point, former NBA great Wilt Chamberlain, with a wingspan of seven feet, four inches, would have been able to touch both walls.

"Most of the store is nine feet wide," Paul Lee, the store's manager, told me. Lee has been working there for eight years, and his affability is so well suited for dealing with the public that, if I were starting my own business, I would steal him away from Pat to run it for me. Pat, herself, isn't exactly a wallflower. She loves talking to everyone who walks into the shop and it is easy to see why her customers become her friends, too.

Lee told me that Pat is one of the foremost silversmiths and designers of silver jewelry in the country. And why not? She spent more than 15 years honing her skills.

Pat has been in Carmel for more than 25 years. She originally hails from the San Joaquin Valley, a daughter of third-generation Portuguese dairy farmers. She pursued her interest in the traditions of her Latin lineage by studying Portuguese and Spanish cultures, arts, and languages at the

"The essence of hand fabrication," she says, "is that every piece is an original."

Areias' designs are a true reflection of her love and appreciation for both Latin and Scandinavian aesthetics, dating back to an era of silver designers from the 1930s and 1940s, which originated in Denmark. To this day, the designs of one of Copenhagen's most famous silversmiths, Georg Jensen, are among the best known in the world. The rich silver veins of Mexico lured silversmiths to that country when silver became scarce in Europe during World War II. The European craftsmen shared their pure designs and silversmithing finesse with their native counterparts.

"The Danish designers," Pat says, "have both a sincere affinity for the arts and an eye for contemporary lines which bring out the best of the silver. I have a great love and respect for this style of silversmithing. It is the inspiration for my own creativity which, when forged with the Latin influence of my heritage, emerges in my signature designs."

Still, the sale of belts and buckles more than narrowly beats out silver sales in this narrow Ocean Avenue store. Fine buckles and leather belts account for about 70 percent of the business.

"An expensive buckle needs a quality strap to go with it," Paul Lee said, "alligator is the most popular."

Pat Areias' shop is another example of a Carmel business that gives the village international recognition. Customers contact her from all over the world. Just as importantly, she supports and participates in a large number of events that contribute to numerous local charities. So drop in. Don't be like me and narrowly miss this little jewel on Ocean Avenue.

Jerry Gervase can be contacted at jerry@gerrygervase.com.

Scenic Views

By JERRY GERVASE


University of California at Santa Barbara.

A stint in the Peace Corps took her throughout Central and South America where she first became aware of the gifted artisans who were skilled in working in both silver and leather. Something inside her beckoned her to pursue this artistry. Subsequently she apprenticed with master craftsman in Ecuador and Mexico before venturing out on her own.

"Pat Areias Sterling" began in 1987 in Cuernavaca, Mexico, with the introduction of a three-piece buckle set which became the foundation of her business as a designer. Two years later, she added silver jewelry to her collection. Her designs are marked by a contemporary style reminiscent of the Art Deco era.


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Police, Fire & Sheriff's Log

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Pacific Grove: One of the residents of a facility on Congress Avenue unintentionally hit another resident. No arrest was made.

Pacific Grove: Resident requested a report be made about a man who works at a recycling center on Lighthouse Avenue business. The resident has had problems in the past with the man. She wanted to take her recyclables to that particular location because it is convenient for her, but the man told her he has had problems with her and refused to help her. She wanted him to accept her recyclables, but he refused and went on a lunch break instead. Man walked away and made hand motions on the side of his head and told her she was crazy. She got upset when informed she could not press charges on him for calling her crazy.

Pacific Grove: Public works found a safe by a dumpster at the rear of a business on 16th

Street. Public works took the safe to the city yard for safekeeping.

Pacific Grove: Woman left her purse inside her locked vehicle on Sunset Drive while she went for a walk. When victim returned, she discovered the window on her vehicle had been smashed with a rock and her purse taken. No suspect information.

Pacific Grove: Man who lives on Syda reported his wife missing. Wife was contacted, said they are not married and that she left him. She purposely has not contacted him.

Pacific Grove: Officer was dispatched to reported fraud on Ocean View Boulevard. Man calling from out of town advised his credit card number was taken and it was being used at a local hotel. He advised he was alerted by his bank that someone was fraudulently using his

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credit card. He advised he physically had his card and no one had permission to use it.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Elderly male on Mission Street appeared to be overwhelmed by the care needed to accommodate his wife's medical condition. A referral to Adult Protective Services was made.

Pacific Grove: Dispatched to a disturbance between a boyfriend and girlfriend on Pine Avenue. Dispatch advised the male half arrived

at the residence unannounced. Caller stated he was the ex-boyfriend and he was attempting to gain entry by stating he was going to break down the door. Spoke to the male half, and he advised he was there because the resident was cheating.

Pacific Grove: Dispatched to report of a verbal argument on Laurel Avenue, with threats. The woman stated she was at a church meeting the night before, when another member started an argument with her and threatened her.

Pacific Grove: Manager reported a customer at a Country Club Gate business was using racial slurs against his employees.

Manager gave the customer a no-trespass admonishment. Customer said he would return to be arrested.

Pacific Grove: Person reported finding a large metal cylinder in the middle of the roadway on Laurel Avenue. Item taken and showed to public works, and it belonged to them. It was returned.

Pacific Grove: Employee was discovered stealing from a company on Lighthouse Avenue for financial reasons. Suspect was gone on arrival.

Carmel area: Suspect test drove a Flanders Drive resident's vehicle and did not return it.

Carmel Valley: Man called to report someone stole his daughter's Apple iPod touch from a location on Carmel Valley Road.

Carmel Valley: Property owner reported unknown people walking around his property.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle towed from a temporary no-parking zone on Junipero Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Two pressurized gas bottles were recovered on Ocean Avenue after they fell from a utility truck.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Man reported finding a wallet in the street on Santa Fe. Contact made with the owner of the wallet, and the wallet was returned later in the evening.

Pacific Grove: Officer observed a medium-sized boat about 50 to 100 yards offshore, just beyond the waves, at 0100 hours. Officer observed two dim lights on the boat, like headlamps. Observed for about 10 minutes as the boat went up and down along the beach. Officer then radioed another officer to bring night vision and binoculars. Simultaneously, the boat stopped moving and then rapidly sped southbound around the point along the coast. The officer arrived and observed the boat just before it made it around the point. Pebble Beach security confirmed observing a medium boat with "work lights" traveling north just past the rocks along their shore toward P.G. one hour prior. Coast Guard was notified, and helo and boat launched. Unknown disposition by Coast Guard, but they confirmed that a drug

smuggling boat was probably seen.

Pacific Grove: Attempted burglary on Spruce Avenue.

Pacific Grove: Officer was dispatched to investigate a report from a resident of Pacific Avenue that his neighbor was feeding peanuts to wildlife. Resident stated she did not see her neighbor throw the peanuts but knows it is him because she has had ongoing problems with him in the past. Pictures were taken of the five peanut shells located on the road near resident's driveway.

Pacific Grove: At an unknown time, someone took a planter from a location on Grand Avenue.

Carmel area: Verbal argument between two parents at a Carmel school.

Big Sur: Subject contacted on Coast Road in Big Sur for a welfare check requested by family members.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A vehicle was stopped in the middle of the roadway at Fourth and Torres at 0327 hours with the engine running. A vehicle check was conducted, and the 32-year-old male driver was found to be intoxicated. Driver was arrested for DUI.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a citizen losing a scarf during the tree lighting ceremony on Dec. 6. Report taken in case the item is turned in at the department.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A 29-year-old male was cited for driving on a suspended license after being stopped on Casanova Street at 2234 hours for a vehicle equipment violation.

Pacific Grove: Officer was dispatched to investigate report of a reckless vehicle at the rear of the middle school on Fountain Avenue. The caller said a truck drove onto the football field and possibly damaged it. The driver was located and contacted. Information was obtained from him and his passenger. There does not seem to be any damage to the field.

Pacific Grove: Resident on Ransford has been called twice by a suspect who identifies himself as IRS. Calls are a scam wishing to obtain money.




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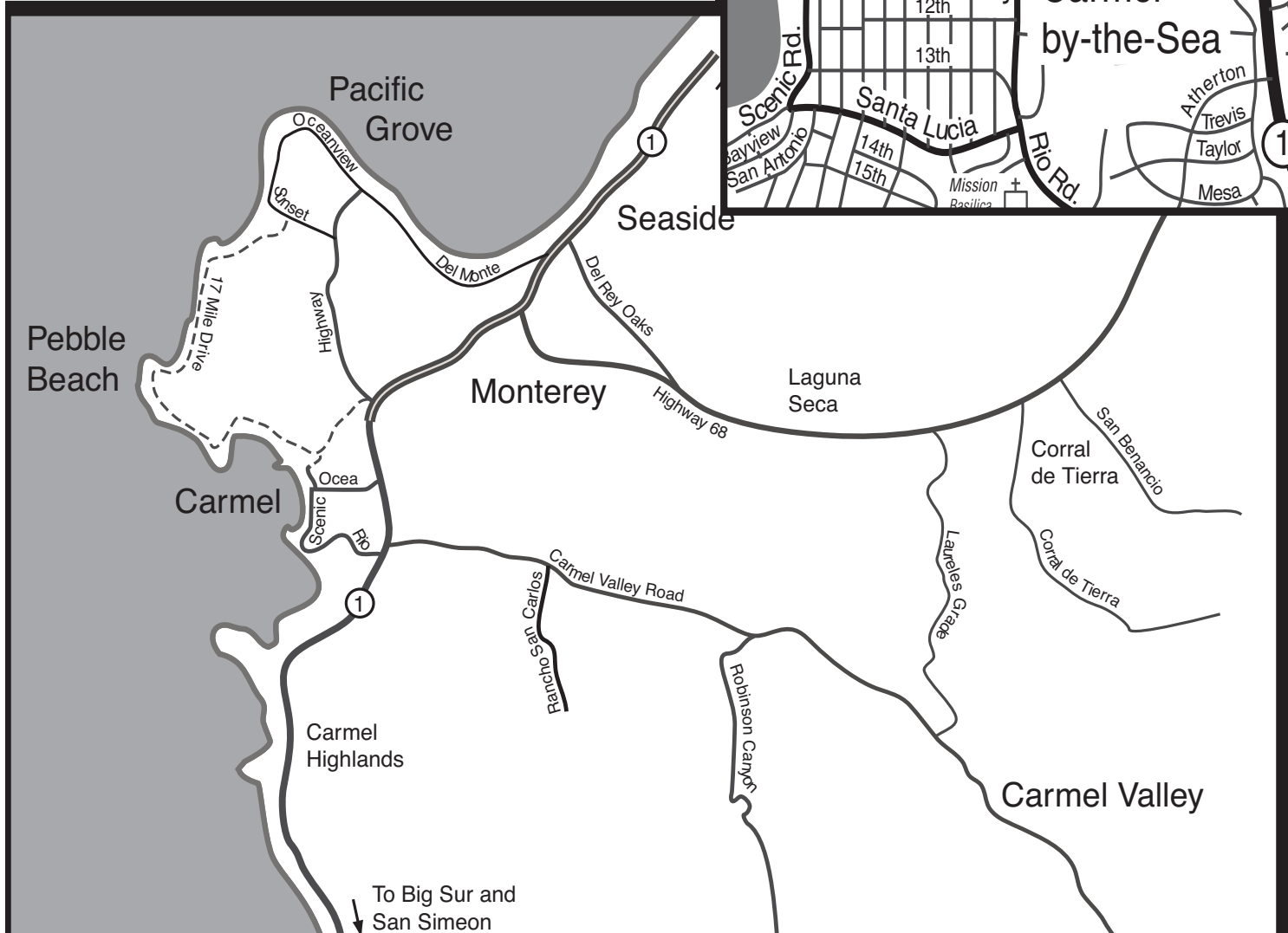
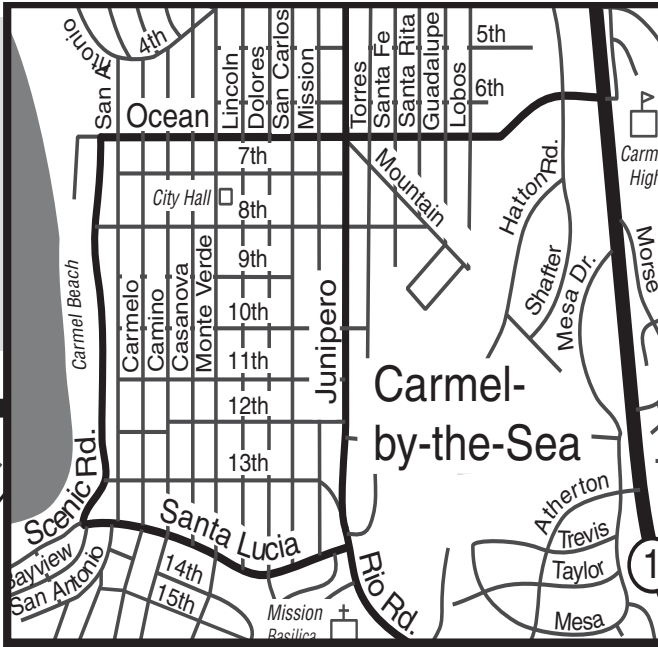
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\$318,800 1bd 1ba 14 Hacienda Carmel Alain Pinel Realtors	Su 1:30-4 Carmel 622-1040
\$575,000 2bd 2ba 3850 Rio Road, Unit 82 San Carlos Agency, Inc.	Su 1-3 Carmel 624-3846
\$580,000 1bd 2ba 24331 San Pedro Ln. Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 2-3:30 Carmel 224-3370
\$658,000 3bd 2ba 24520 Outlook Drive #5 Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 12-2 Carmel 297-2388
\$658,000 3bd 2ba 24520 Outlook Drive #5 Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 12-2 Carmel 297-2388
\$799,000 2bd 1ba 24805 Valley Way Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 1-3 Carmel 596-1777
\$815,000 2bd 2ba Carpenter Street SW of 4th Sotheby's Int'l RE	Su 1-4 Carmel 601-9071
\$839,000 2bd 2ba 24641 Guadalupe St Alain Pinel Realtors	Su 12:30-3 Carmel 622-1040
\$849,000 2bd 2ba Torres 3 SW of 2nd Alain Pinel Realtors	Sa 12-2 Carmel 622-1040
\$895,000 3bd 3ba 25246 Arriba del Mundo Drive Carmel Realty Co.	Sa 1:30-3:30 Carmel 236-8571
\$925,000 2bd 1ba 24793 Santa Rita Street Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Sa 1-3 Carmel 626-2222
\$949,000 3bd 2ba 3212 San Lucas Road Keller Williams Realty	Sa 2-4 Su 11:30-1:30 Carmel
\$979,000 3bd 2ba Dolores 3 NW of 4th Alain Pinel Realtors	Sa 1-4 Carmel 622-1040
\$995,000 2bd 2ba 24671 Dolores Street Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Su 1-3 Carmel 626-2222
\$995,000 3bd 3ba 88 Via Milpitas Throgmorton & Company	Sa 1-4 Carmel 402-6406
\$1,195,000 4bd 4.5a 24800 Outlook Drive Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Sa 1-4 Carmel 626-2222
\$1,199,000 3bd 1.5ba 24681 Guadalupe Street Carmel Realty Co.	Sa 12-2 Carmel 920-7023
\$1,395,000 5bd 4ba 24725 Lower Trail Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 1-3 Carmel 915-6929
\$1,695,000 3bd 2ba San Carlos 2 SW of 11th Street Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Sa 2-4 Carmel 626-2221
\$1,850,000 3bd 4ba 2927 Hillcrest Circle Alain Pinel Realtors	Su 12-2 Carmel 622-1040
\$1,995,000 3bd 2ba 12th Av between Monte Verde & Lincoln Alain Pinel Realtors	Sa 11-5 Su 1-4 Carmel 622-1040
\$1,995,000 4bd 3ba 24587 Castro Lane Alain Pinel Realtors	Sa 1-4 Carmel 622-1040
\$2,145,000 3bd 2ba Monte Verde 2 NE of 13th Alain Pinel Realtors	Sa 1:30-4 Carmel 622-1040
\$2,350,000 4bd 4ba 26157 Atherton Drive Keller Williams Realty	Sa Su 1-4 Carmel 334-8523
\$2,449,000 4bd 4ba 26219 Atherton Pl. Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 1-3 Carmel 595-9291
\$2,495,000 4bd 4ba 3382 Lazaro Dr. Sotheby's Int'l RE	Su 2-4 Carmel 236-5389
\$2,529,000 3bd 2ba San Antonio 4 SW of 10th Ave Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 12-4 Carmel 588-2154
\$2,529,000 3bd 2ba San Antonio 4 SW of 10th Ave Sotheby's Int'l RE	Su 1-4 Carmel 236-4513
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\$5,495,000 4bd 3.5ba 106 Yankee Point Drive Carmel Realty Co.	Su 2-4 Carmel Highlands 224-6353
\$6,995,000 4bd 4.5ba 98 Yankee Point Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Su 1-4 Carmel Highlands 626-2222
\$7,249,000 3bd 3.5ba 56 Yankee Point David Lyng Real Estate	Su 1:30-4 Carmel Highlands 277-0640
\$299,000 10 acres 35046 Sky Ranch Road Carmel Realty Co.	Sa 9-10 Carmel Valley 236-8572

\$92,000 2bd 2ba 304 Carmel Avenue #24 Keller Williams Realty	Su 1-3 Marina 383-9991
\$389,000 3bd 2ba 3075 Zanetta Drive Alain Pinel Realtors	Su 12-2 Marina 622-1040

\$419,000 1bd 1ba 125 Surf Way #318 Keller Williams Realty	Sa 1-4 Monterey 229-5778
\$549,000 413 Alcalde Avenue The Jones Group	Su 1-3 Monterey 277-8217
\$649,000 3bd 2ba 647 Grace Street Sotheby's Int'l RE	Su 2-3:30 Monterey 224-3370
\$799,000 3bd 2ba 25405 Hidden Mesa Road Sotheby's Int'l RE	Su 2-4 Monterey 238-1247
\$994,000 2bd 3ba 955 Mesa Road Keller Williams Realty	Sa 11:30-1:30 Su 2-4 Monterey 277-3066
\$1,795,000 3bd 4ba 857 Alameda Avenue Sotheby's Int'l RE	Su 2-4 Monterey 594-4752

\$465,000 3bd 2ba 700 Briggs #88 The Jones Group	Sa 1-3 Pacific Grove 236-7780
\$759,000 4bd 2ba(2houses) 513 Park Street The Jones Group	Sa Su 1-3 Pacific Grove 917-8290

\$889,000 3bd 3ba 360 Melrose Ave. Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 1-3 Pacific Grove 595-7633
\$895,000 4bd 2ba 112 Forest Avenue Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Sa 1-3 Pacific Grove 626-2226
\$925,000 3bd 2.5ba 304 Locust Street Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 1-4 Pacific Grove 372-8634

\$1,145,000 3bd 3ba 121 Las Brisas Dr. Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 1-4 Pasadena 277-3838
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\$1,795,000 5bd 5ba 910 La Terraza Ct Keller Williams Realty	Su 11-1 Pasadena 236-7976

\$1,395,000 3bd 2.5ba 1004 Elk Run Road Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 1-3 Pebble Beach 233-2834
\$1,650,000 4bd 4ba 1093 Presidio Road Sotheby's Int'l RE	Su 12-2 Pebble Beach 915-1535
\$2,595,000 5bd 4ba 2930 Bird Rock Road Carmel Realty Co.	Sa 2-4 Pebble Beach 917-6081
\$2,690,000 3bd 3ba 3136 Stevenson Drive Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 1-3 Pebble Beach 214-2545
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\$2,950,000 4bd 3ba Camino Real 4 NE 8th Alain Pinel Realtors	Fri Sa Su 11-4 Carmel 622-1040
\$2,950,000 3bd 3ba Lincoln 4 NE of Santa Lucia Alain Pinel Realtors	Sa 12-3 Su 10-4 Carmel 622-1040
\$3,695,000 4bd 2.5ba Scenic 7 SW of Ocean Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Su 11-1 Carmel 626-2221
\$3,850,000 2bd 2ba 2401 Bay View Avenue Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Sa 1-4 Carmel 626-2221
\$3,950,000 3bd 3.5ba NW Corner Santa Lucia & San Carlos St Carmel Realty Co.	Sa 1:30-3:30 Carmel 236-8572
\$6,299,000 5bd 4ba 2705 Ribera Road Alain Pinel Realtors	Su 2:30-4:30 Carmel 622-1040

\$629,000 2bd 2ba 288 Del Mesa Carmel Keller Williams Realty	Su 1-3 Carmel Valley 277-4917
\$710,000 2bd 2ba 242 Del Mesa Carmel Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Su 12-2 Carmel Valley 626-2222
\$799,000 3bd 2ba 16 Laurel Dr Alain Pinel Realtors	Sa Su 1-4 Carmel Valley 622-1040
\$875,000 4bd 4ba 2 Marquard R. Sotheby's Int'l RE	Su 12-2 Carmel Valley 917-2892
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\$1,875,000 5bd 5ba 28000 Selfridge Lane Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 1-4 Carmel Valley 238-5725
\$1,997,000 5bd 4ba 21 Boronda Road Alain Pinel Realtors	Sa 12-3 Carmel Valley 622-1040

\$2,200,000 4bd 3ba 120 Yankee Pt. Drive Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 1:30-3:30 Carmel Highlands 320-1109
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20132025. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **1. BLINK OPTOMETRY CARMEL 2. BLINK OPTOMETRY 3. BLINK** 217 Crossroads Blvd., Ste. D217, Carmel, CA 93923. Monterey County. BARSEGHIAN AND FOGG OPTOMETRISTS, A PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION, California, 634 Spruce Ave., Pacific Grove, CA 93950. This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on N/A. (s) Trevor Fogg, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Oct. 30, 2013. Publication dates: Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 20, 2013. (PC 1126)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF BARCLAY JAMES ERICKSON
Case Number MP 21277
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of BARCLAY JAMES ERICKSON.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by JON BRADLEY ERICKSON in the Superior Court of California, County of MONTEREY. The Petition for Probate requests that JON BRADLEY ERICKSON 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 in this court as follows:
Date: Jan. 8, 2014
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Dept.: 16
Address: Superior Court of California, County of Monterey, 1200 Agujaito 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 the **later** of either (1) **four months** from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) **60 days** from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. **Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.**

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: MARK L. KELLY, Post Office Box 4450, Sonoma, CA 95370 (415) 937-1001 (s) Mark L. Kelly. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Sept. 23, 2013. Publication dates: Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 2013. (PC1127)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. M125791.
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: petitioner, DAVID TALCOTT BATES, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
A. Present name: DAVID TALCOTT BATES
Proposed name: DAVID TALCOTT FOSTER-BATES
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: Jan. 24, 2014
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
DEPT: 15
The address of the court is 1200 Agujaito 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: Nov. 27, 2013
Clerk: Connie Mazzei
Deputy: L. Cummings
Publication dates: Dec. 6, 13, 20, 27, 2013. (PC1202)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. M125790.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: petitioner, JULIA ANN FOSTER, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
A. Present name: JULIA ANN FOSTER
Proposed name: JULIA ANN FOSTER-BATES
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.
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Trustee Sale No. 236348CA Loan No. 0615838661 Title Order No. 602132712
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 11-14-2002. 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 PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 12-31-2013 at 9:00 AM, CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded 11-26-2002, Book N/A, Page N/A, Instrument 2002113519, of official records in the Office of the Recorder of MONTEREY County, California, executed by: ALLYSON A. MALEK, A MARRIED WOMAN, AS HER SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, as Trustor, WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA, as Beneficiary, will sell at public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Sale 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 the Deed of Trust. 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, interest thereon, estimated 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. Place of Sale: Fox Theater, 241 Main Street, Salinas, CA 93901 Legal Description: PARCEL 2, AS SAID PARCEL IS SHOWN AND SO DESIGNATED ON THAT CERTAIN PARCEL MAP FILED IN VOLUME 6 OF 'PARCEL MAPS', AT PAGE 126, MONTEREY COUNTY RECORDS. Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$2,260,360.42 (estimated) Street address and other common designation of the real property: 21 MENTONE DRIVE CARMEL, CA 93923 APN Number: 243-192-011-000 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". In compliance with California Civil Code 2923.5(c) the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent declares: that it has contacted the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure; or that it has made efforts to contact the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure by one of the following methods: by telephone; by United States mail; either 1st class or certified; by overnight delivery; by personal delivery; by e-mail; by face to face meeting. DATE: 12-02-2013 CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY, as Trustee BRENDA BATTEN, ASSISTANT SECRETARY California Reconveyance Company 9200

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20132259. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **HOLMES BY THE SEA REAL ESTATE**, 2100 Garden Rd., Bldg. 2, Monterey, CA 93940. Monterey County. WENDY HOLMES, 41 Crandall Rd., Monterey, CA 93940. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on May, 1994. (s) Wendy Holmes. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 4, 2013. Publication dates: Dec. 6, 13, 20, 27, 2013. (PC 1209)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. 1339747-31 APN: 012-622-034-000 TRA: 010003 LOAN NO: Xxxxx3345 REF: Albarran, Maria R IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED April 20, 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. On **January 09, 2014**, at 10:00am, Cal-western Reconveyance Llc, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded April 26, 2007, as Inst. No. 2007033570 in book XX, page XX of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Monterey County, State of California, executed by Maria R Albarran, An Unmarried Woman, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the financial code and authorized to do business in this state: At the main entrance to the county administration building, 168 W. Alisal Street Salinas, California, 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: **Completely described in said deed of trust** The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1844 Lincoln St Seaside CA 93955-4126 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured 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: \$472,184.61. 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.

Oakdale Avenue Mail Stop: CA2-4379 Chatsworth, CA 91311 800-892-6902 CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. For Sales Information: www.ppsasap.com or 1 - 7 1 4 - 7 3 0 - 2 7 2 7 www.priorityposting.com or 1-714-573-1965 www.auction.com or 1-800-280-2832 **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 (619)590-1221 or visit the internet website www.dlppc.com, using the file number assigned to this case **1339747-31**. 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. For sales information: (619)590-1221. **Cal-Western Reconveyance LLC, 525 East Main Street, P.O. Box 22004, El Cajon, CA 92022-9004** Dated: December 09, 2013. (DLPP-435297 12/20/13, 12/27/13, 01/03/14) Publication dates: Dec. 20, 27, 2013; Jan. 3, 2014. (PC 1211)

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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 (619)590-1221 or visit the internet website www.dlppc.com, using the file number assigned to this case **1339747-31**. 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. For sales information: (619)590-1221. **Cal-Western Reconveyance LLC, 525 East Main Street, P.O. Box 22004, El Cajon, CA 92022-9004** Dated: December 09, 2013. (DLPP-435297 12/20/13, 12/27/13, 01/03/14) Publication dates: Dec. 20, 27, 2013; Jan. 3, 2014. (PC 1211)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20132203. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **FORGET ME NOT RESALE SHOP**, 1287 N. Main St., Salinas, CA 93906. Monterey County. DOLORES MURRAY, 1529 Sepulveda Dr., Salinas, 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) Dolores Murray. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 25, 2013. Publication dates: Dec. 13, 20, 27, 2013, Jan. 3, 2014. (PC 1212)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. M125805.
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: petitioner, JENNIFER MARIE MILLER, born JENNIFER MARIE STRUCK, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
A. Present name: JENNIFER MARIE MILLER, born STRUCK
Proposed name: GENEVIEVE JOY MILLER
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: Jan. 31, 2014
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
DEPT: 15
The address of the court is 1200 Agujaito 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: Dec. 2, 2013
Clerk: Connie Mazzei
Deputy: L. Cummings
Publication dates: Dec. 20, 27, 2013. Jan. 3, 10, 2014. (PC1213)

RECORDING REQUESTED BY First American Title Insurance Company AND WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO First American Title Insurance Company 400 S. Rampart Blvd., Ste 290 Las Vegas, NV 89145 Batch ID: Foreclosure DOT27925-HVC39-DOT APN: See Exhibit "A" **NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE WARNING! YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED <SEE EXHIBIT 'A'>. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR TIMESHARE ESTATE, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.** Exhibit "A" is attached hereto and made a part hereof. Exhibit "A" Contract No: 8-4195 T.S. No.: 2991981 Interval: 03 / Week 45 / Annual Timeshare Interest APN: 703-003-045-000 Trustor(s): KELLY JAY BURBANK and JENNIFER ANNE BURBANK Deed of Trust Dated: Deed of Trust Date Recorded and Instrument No.: Notice of Default Trust Recorded and Instrument No. Note Balance: Default Amount: Estimated Cost: 07/18/08 10/09/2008; 2008065506 08/29/2013; 2013054677 \$17,709.37 \$18,534.37 \$600.00 Date of Sale: 01/10/14 Time of Sale: 10:00 A.M. Place of Sale: At the main entrance to the County Administrator Building, Located at: 168 W. Alisal Street, Salinas CA, 93901 First American Title Insurance Company, a California Corporation, as the duly appointed Trustee, Successor Trustee, or Substituted Trustee of Deed(s) of Trust executed by Trustor(s) and recorded among the Official Records of Monterey County, CALIFORNIA, and pursuant to that certain Notice of Default thereunder recorded, all as shown on Exhibit "A" which is attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof, will sell at public auction for cash, lawful money of the United States of America, (a cashier's check payable to said Trustee drawn on a state or national bank, a state or federal credit union, or a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings bank as specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state) all that 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 to wit: Those certain Timeshare Interval as shown on Exhibit "A", within the timeshare project located at 120 Highlands Drive, Suite A, Carmel, CA 93923. The legal descriptions on the recorded Deed(s) of Trust shown on Exhibit "A", are incorporated by this reference. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, as to title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the unpaid

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balance due on the note or notes secured by said Deed(s) of Trust, as shown on Exhibit "A", plus accrued interest thereon, the estimated costs, expenses and advances if any at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale, as shown on Exhibit "A". Accrued Interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to 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 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 www.priorityposting.com, using the file number assigned to this case **1339747-31**. 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. PUBLISH: 12/10/13, 12/27/13, 01/03/14 First American Title Insurance Company, a California Corporation 400 S. Rampart Blvd., Ste 290 Las Vegas, NV 89145 Phone: (702) 792-6863 Date: 12/10/2013 By: J. R. Albrecht, Trustee Sale Officer STATE OF NEVADA) COUNTY OF CLARK) This instrument was acknowledged before me, the undersigned Notary Public on 12/10/2013 by: J. R. Albrecht, Trustee Sale Officer of First American Title Insurance Company, known or proved to me to be the person executing the foregoing instrument. S. Wright Appt. No. 11-5662-1 My Appt. Expires: 09/14/2015 P1074425 12/20, 12/27, 01/03/2014 Publication dates: Dec. 20, 27, 2013, Jan. 3, 2014. (PC 1214)

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for Dec. 27, 2013 issue


Thursday, Dec. 19

4:00PM

for Jan. 3, 2014 issue

Friday, Dec. 27

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*Wishing you a Merry Christmas
and Happy New Year!*

— Doug & Susan

The McKenzie-Carlisle Team



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Seaside

1759 Luzern Street — \$307,000

Jamke to Matthew Hernandez
APN: 012-771-012

932 Trinity Avenue — \$435,000

Keiko Ward to George and Thana Tawdrouse
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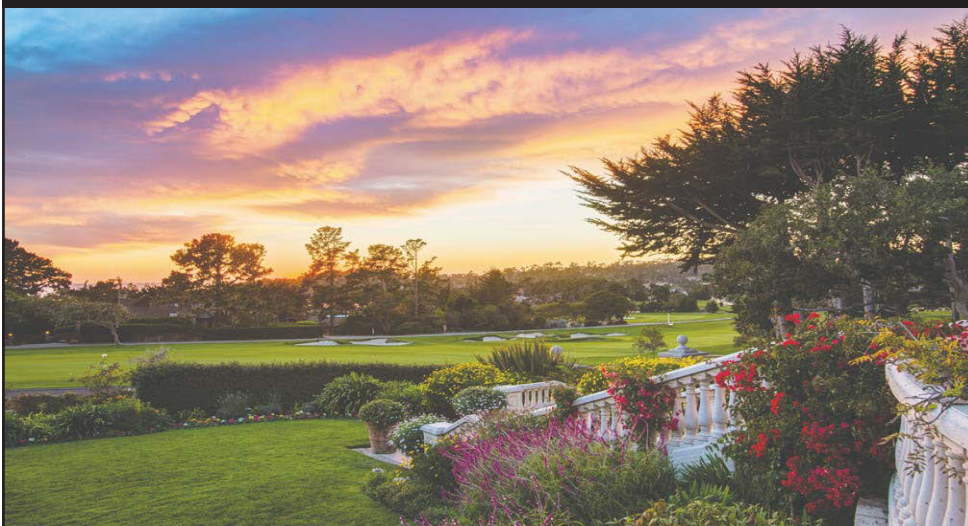
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HOUSE OF THE WEEK



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Wishing You Joy & Peace this Holiday Season!

By The Carmel Pine Cone

Chris Counts, Jung Yi-Crabbe, Sharron Smith, Kelly Nix, Meena Lewellen, Jackie Edwards, Mary Schley, Irma Garcia, Vanessa Jimenez, Hannah Miller and Paul Miller. (Joann Kiehn and Scott MacDonald not pictured.)

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THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME (ESPECIALLY IN DAD'S OFFICE)

LOCAL REAL estate superstar Tim Allen of Coldwell Banker Del Monte has a new colleague. His son, Logan, a freshly minted graduate of Virginia's Washington

— but the deal wasn't sealed until after graduation this past summer.

Logan spoke fondly of growing up around his dad's business and then showed a bit of familial bias: "What I really hope to accomplish is to gain valuable experience working with the best team in the area," he said.

There was another motivation, too. "After going back East for the past four years, I also learned to appreciate where I'm from. There's really no place like it." We couldn't agree more.

For his part, Tim's taking full advantage of Logan's adept use of technology and thoroughly enjoying working with his son, adding with delight, "Did I mention how

much fun I'm having?"

The Allens aren't the only ones having fun this holiday season. The photo from the 2014 Installation of Officers for The Women's Council of Realtors Monterey Peninsula Chapter at the Monterey Marriott looked pretty festive! The Officers elected were Danette Roberts (Alain Pinel), president; Kimberly Kornazewich (Sotheby's International), president elect; Liz Williams (Keller Williams), secretary; Courtney Garneri (Mortgage California), treasurer, and Kelly Ann Foy (Alain Pinel), vice president, membership.

The Monterey Peninsula Chapter currently has about 60 members, and welcomes all members of the real estate and business communities to join. Upcoming events include a panel discussion with local politi-

cal leaders in January. For more information, visit their website at www.wrcmonterey.org.

Finally, our thoughts and prayers are with those who have lost their homes in Big Sur. We know that the community is already pulling together as it does so well. Fundraisers have been proposed on social media and folks are already volunteering to help out.

From Happy Girl Kitchen to Carmel Belle and Carmel Valley Roasting Company, neighbors are being utterly neighborly. If you can, we hope you'll help find a way to make holidays a little brighter for those who've lost so much.

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Real Estate Insider

By ELAINE HESSER

and Lee University decided he wants to work for his father. According to the elder Allen, the choice was by no means a foregone conclusion.

Logan was a business major and took some real estate courses — he even did an internship at Coldwell Banker in San Ramon



(Right) Tim Allen and his son, Logan, outside the Coldwell Banker Del Monte office where they both now work. (Left) A new slate of officers has been proudly installed at the Women's Council of Realtors Monterey Peninsula chapter, including Molly McGee, president, Courtney Garneri, treasurer, Liz Williams, secretary, Kelley Ann Foy, vice president for membership, Danette Roberts, president, Kimberly Kornazewich, president elect and Cammie Jones, board member.



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