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County supes oppose Measure O, but CRA endorses it

■ Felton resident says Cal Am takeover in her town was a mistake

By KELLY NIX

CALIFORNIA AMERICAN Water is using the power of regret in a new TV commercial aimed at defeating a June ballot measure that seeks to turn the water company into a government operation.

In the TV testimonial, Felton resident Beth Hollenbeck urges Peninsula water customers to vote No on Measure O, saying she voted for a similar acquisition of Cal Am there in 2005 and her rates are now higher than

"If I knew then what I know now," Hollenbeck says in the ad, taking her water bill from a mailbox, "I wouldn't have voted for it."

Hollenbeck goes on to say in the 30-second ad that

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Loving life 'Out of the Box'



Life out of the Box founders Jonathon Button (left) and Quinn Vandenberg (right) worked with kids in San Juan Del Sur, Nicaragua, giving them school supplies. The children who attend the after-school program learn how to speak English. See story Page 8A

Council to PG&E: Why'd it take so long to stop gas leak?

By MARY SCHLEY

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m G\&E}$ CAME under sharp criticism from the city council Tuesday for the company's slow response to the March 3 gas leak that caused a house at Guadalupe and Third to blow up. The explosion happened almost 40 minutes after the leak occurred, and gas continued to flow for an hour before the utility managed to cut it off.

One council member also said PG&E still hadn't learned its lesson. At her family's downtown hotel, the company took five hours to respond after being called about a gas leak, Carrie Theis said, and then shut down the inn's north wing for the weekend.

At Tuesday night's council meeting, a consulting company, Exponent, said the cause of the March 3 leak was lack of knowledge of the condition of the pipeline at the time workers tapped into it, in part due to old, outdated maps of the lines.

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COPS NAB SUSPECTS IN HOME BURGLARY SPREE

By MARY SCHLEY

A THREE-MONTH investigation into an outbreak of residential burglaries in the city culminated Tuesday afternoon when Carmel P.D. detective Greg Johnson and Monterey County Sheriff's deputy Fernando White arrested 27-year-old Ryan Scully on suspicion of breaking into numerous homes in the city and elsewhere in the county. Scully, who lives on Fisher Place in Mission Fields, was also found in possession of hero-

The arrest came after sheriff's deputies were dispatched to a report of a possible prowler in the area of Fisher Place, White reported, when a passerby saw a man jumping a fence and entering the rear area of a home, which turned out to be his. Officers contacted Scully at the house and found "numerous stolen items inside the residence, along with illegal narcotics and narcotic paraphernalia," according to White.

"When they contacted him, he was in possession of stolen property from a burglary he committed on Monday on Junipero Street, and from a case that just occurred in the county," CPD Cmdr. Paul Tomasi said. "During the interview, he revealed he was responsible for at least eight of our burglaries that have happened since Feb. 5."

As Johnson investigated about a dozen

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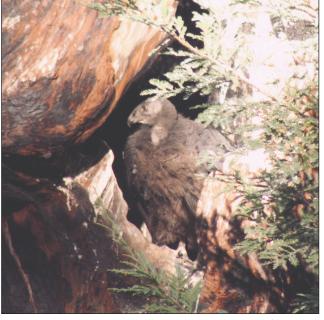


Ryan Scully

Wild condor being treated for lead at Oakland Zoo

By CHRIS COUNTS

SEVEN YEARS ago, a female condor named Ventana became of the first of her species to be raised in the wilds of Big Sur since the endangered birds were reintroduced to the



A 7-year-old condor, shown as a juvenile in a Big Sur redwood, is

receiving treatment for lead poisoning at the Oakland Zoo.

area 17 years ago. Last week, she became the first condor to be treated for lead poisoning in a new recovery center at the Oakland Zoo.

Luckily, researchers caught Ventana in the early stages of lead poisoning, and her prognosis looks good. The condor and five others were recently captured at Pinnacles National Park and tested for lead poisoning, which is the leading cause of death for the condors. While the others tested fine, Ventana showed high levels of lead in her body, and an X-ray revealed what appeared to be a small metallic object inside

Ventana was taken to the Oakland Zoo, which recently opened its Steve and Jackie Kane Condor Recovery Center. She became the center's first patient.

To remove the lead from her body, Ventana is receiving daily treatments of chelation therapy, which was first used to treat soldiers suffering from poison gas attacks during World War I. Those treating her are keeping an eye on the object, which they hope she will soon pass or regurgitate. She is expected to be hospitalized for a week or two.

"While we never like to see sick or lead-poisoned birds, today is really a fantastic day for Oakland Zoo because the zoo's condor care team is now able to put their skills and special training into helping save this magnificent bird," veterinarian Dr. Andrea Goodnight of the Oakland Zoo said May 1, when Ventana arrived.

Condor researchers are pulling for Ventana who, in many ways, symbolizes the success of the condor recovery effort. "She represents the future of the recovery program and the

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Forest Theater to get quick fix

By MARY SCHLEY

SHOULD THE abrupt closure of the historic Forest Theater a couple of weeks ago serve as an opportunity to overhaul the venue, or should the immediate problems particularly, electrical and structural issues — be repaired as soon as possible so the theater can be reopened, with other improvements made in the off season?

The general consensus at a city council workshop Monday night was in favor of a quick fix.

"What can we do instantly to get that place reopened?" councilman Ken Talmage asked. "Is that possible?"

Council members and the public still don't know the specifics of what caused city officials to shut down the theater April 23, when they chained the gates and asked PG&E to cut off the theater's electricity after inspectors found "serious structural and electrical issues." The inspection was part of a review of all city-owned properties, and according to

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Farmers market moving to Devendorf

By MARY SCHLEY

THE FARMERS market held in the north lot of Sunset Center since last June can relocate to Mission Street and Devendorf Park for a test period running through early July, the Carmel City Council decided Tuesday night. The vote came after impassioned testimony from merchants and residents for and against the move, lengthy discussion and a pair of failed motions.

The market's for-profit organizer, the West Coast Farmers Market Association, requested the change following the success of the March 27 market, when the farmers and other vendors were displaced by GourmetFest at Sunset Center and therefore used Mission Street between Ocean and Sixth and part of the

"The farmers market was very successful that day. According to executive director Jerry Lami, the market saw 10 times its normal foot traffic, and market vendors

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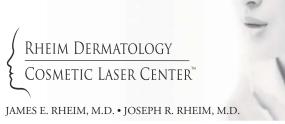
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The little white West Highland terrier, now 10, actually began her life in the care of her person's granddaughter. But when the young woman left for college four years ago, the pup went to live with her father. Proving too much for him to weave into the demands of his day, the little Westie went to live with Grandma. Now Grandma can't imagine giving her back.

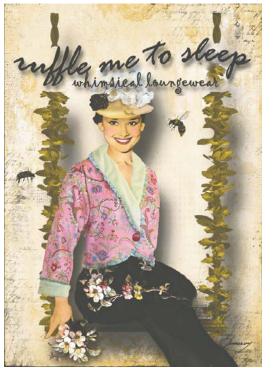
"Jasmine is a gorgeous white Westie," she says. "The transition to our home was so easy. We just love her, and she loves us. Actually, she seems to love everyone. She's a people person."

Jasmine particularly likes meeting the people she encounters while walking in Carmel and along the long stretch of sand at Carmel Beach.

"This is such a dog town," says Grandma, "and people are so warm and welcoming to our little Westie. When we take Jasmine to the beach, we have to make sure we have time to talk to everyone, and then take her directly to the groomer to have a bath."

Jasmine's family recently adopted a second dog, and she's not happy about it. "Westies are definitely Alpha dogs," Grandma says. "Both dogs want my attention

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By Lisa Crawford Watson



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With Sudden Oak Death threatening trees, aggressive plan offers hope

By CHRIS COUNTS

AFTER WATCHING Sudden Oak Death ravage tanbark oaks along the coast from central California to southern Oregon, park officials and experts are worried the funguslike micro organism could kill a significant number of the species known as coast live oak (quercus agrifolia) — a far more common tree, and actually the most common oak seen along the Monterey County coast.

The disease spreads to oaks from bay laurel trees, and to counter the threat, officials and residents will cut down at least some infected bays so they can't spread sudden oak death to oaks, which are one of the state's most important trees. While bays don't get sick from the pathogen, they can easily pass it along.

According to UC Davis researcher Kerri Frangioso, the threat to oaks is serious. At various sites in Big Sur where she and her colleagues study sudden oak death, "we have observed more than a 30 percent mortality of mid-sized live oaks," Frangioso said.

Frangioso, who has been studying sudden oak death since 2000, mostly in Big Sur.

Frangioso is strong advocate of the strategy to remove at least some bays. "Bay trees are by far main driver of disease," she told The Pine Cone.

But the researcher echoed Kronlund's sentiments, insisting there will be no widespread clearing of mature bays. "Nobody wants to take out big trees," she said.

By removing the branches of larger bays, though, she said oaks could stand a greater chance of survival by opening up the understory to more sun. "The pathogen doesn't do well with direct sunlight," she observed.

An environmental scientist who works for the Monterey district of California state parks, Jeff Frey endorsed the idea of removing some bays to save a greater number of oaks. He said many animals, including "woodpeckers, gray squirrels and deer, just to name a few," depend on the tree's acorns for food.

And the oak woodland supports many plants as well. "It's

definitely a plant community we don't want to lose," he offered.

But Frey said it's important not to remove too many bays because too much sunlight on the forest floor could encourage the spread of invasive plants and grasses.

"It will be a balance" he said of the decision on how many bays will be removed. "It's not something that should be done on a large scale, but in some instances it can be a viable tool" to help reduce the threat of sudden oak death.

Frey said after bays are cut down, herbicide will be applied to a portion of their stump.

"If we don't do it, they'll resprout," he said. "It's one of the trade-offs if we want to reduce the amount of oak death in this plant community. It's something we need to do."

Sudden Oak Death in Garland Park

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Knee jerk reaction?

In Coastlands, a residential community in Big Sur, homeowners are prepared to take out smaller bays if they pose a risk to larger "specimen" oaks. "We're taking samples of bay trees and having them tested," reported Butch Kronlund, who lives in the Coastlands.

But Kronlund was clear there are no plans for a wholesale destruction of bays. Removal will be considered on a case-by-case basis, and bay saplings are more likely to be taken out than mature trees, which could have their branches limbed so their leaves don't come into direct contact with oaks. "We're going to think long and hard before we crank up a chainsaw," said Kronlund, who serves as president of the Coast Owners Property Association.

But Kronlund said he believes the threat to oaks is very real. "This is not a knee-jerk reaction," he added.

'Big first step'

At Pfeiffer Big Sur State Park, Frangioso said she is working with park officials to establish a test plot along the park's Oak Grove Trail to study the impacts of removing bays to save oaks. "It's a huge first step," said

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Children locked in car with no food or water

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, APRIL 22

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Citizen reported finding an unattended vehicle with the passenger side door open and papers strewn about on the ground below and around the vehicle. The vehicle was later determined to have been ransacked in a burglary attempt.

Pacific Grove: Ransford resident wanted to fly to the East Coast with his toddler. His wife did not want him to leave the state with their child at all. In speaking with the man, it was apparent that he had been drinking and was intoxicated. He advised that he was willing to provide a breath sample to ensure that he was able to safely care for his child. His blood alcohol level was .320. He was advised that because of his extremely high level of BAC, he could not care for the child. He stated that he understood and opted not to continue the argument.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Sometime during the evening hours, a locked vehicle on Camino Real was entered, and several items were taken. No suspect information.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Medical emergency on Dolores Street. Carmel-by-the-Sea: Woman called to make a report about her losing her gold bracelet yesterday at Carmel Beach. A brief description of the bracelet was provided. Woman said it is most likely the bracelet clasp came loose and fell off her wrist.

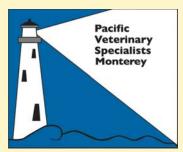
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Superior Court candidates square off at judicial forum

By KELLY NIX

From the media's presence in the courtroom, to whether judges should endorse those they want to succeed them, to which of the candidates already has "judicial experience," the four candidates vying for two seats in Monterey County Superior Court had a lot to say during an election forum Wednesday night.

At the Monterey College of Law, candidates Heidi Whilden and Luma Serrano Williams, who are vying for Office 10, and Andrew Liu and Steve Somers, who are squaring off for Office 3, talked to a group of more than 50 people.

The candidates were allowed to give opening statements before they were asked questions from the League of Women Voters of Monterey County, which, along with the college and Monterey County Bar Association, organized the event.

The first question asked the candidates to "explain the difference, if any, between an administrative law judge and Superior Court judge" — an issue that surfaced last week in which several judges and attorneys backing Whilden challenged Williams' claims in a campaign mailer that she is the "only candidate with judicial experience."

Williams answered by first reading the definition of administrative law judge from the Black's Law Dictionary before saying the role of the administrative court helps ease the burden of the trial courts.

"It's a very specialized area," Williams said of her job. "The Superior Court is definitely much broader in the scope that it covers, and we are a little more relaxed in the administrative courts in terms of the evidence. A lot more relaxed."

Whilden's backers told The Pine Cone last week that while she doesn't have the title of judge, Whilden has more judicial experience than Williams because the work she does is the same as, and just as varied as, a Superior Court judge.

The candidates were also asked to share their perspectives on the manner in which judicial retirements and endorsements are announced, a timely question considering Williams and others have criticized the way in which judges offered their endorsements of Whilden and Somers. Monterey County Assistant District Attorney Stephanie Hulsey, who is running unopposed, was endorsed by Superior Court Judge Susan Dauphine.

Williams has said she thought it was unfair that Whilden and Somers filed their election paperwork early in the process, knowing they were getting endorsements, before the judges announced their retirements, leaving her behind to organize her own campaign.

"It's wonderful that people support other people," Williams said. "We all want support, we all want endorsements, we all want friends to encourage us and recommend us to others." But she also said that the "democratic process should be followed and respected" so "everyone else can have an opportunity on an equal level."

Some have suggested the law be changed so that judicial endorsements are made after candidates have entered a race.

But Whilden, who has the endorsement of Superior Court Judge Kay Kingsley, and Somers, who is endorsed by Superior Court Judge Russell Scott, said that it was well known that three judges were about to retire, and that anyone who wanted to enter the race could have done so.

Media in the courts?

When asked to disclose their thoughts about the presence of the media in the courtroom, the judges had similar sentiments, saying the press should have access to the courts, but that certain witnesses should also be protected.

"Under the appropriate circumstances,"

Somers said, "I think it's fantastic. I believe that the courtroom belongs to the people of the community. The judges work for them."

However, there are some victims, including children, whose lives can be put in danger if their names and photos are published. "We should protect those witnesses, those victims, so they feel safe coming into the

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Dogs rescued from squalid P.G. home

By KELLY NIX

EIGHTEEN DOGS living in a squalid Pacific Grove house filled with excrement, urine and junk were rescued by humane officers with the SPCA for Monterey County Wednesday. The homeowner faces criminal

The animals, 14 adults dogs and four puppies, were found locked in three small back rooms among trash, personal items and animal waste of a home in the 400 block of Fountain Avenue. The mostly Chihuahua and terrier mixes were underweight and suffering from flea infestations, eye problems, ear infections, hair loss, dental disease, eye trauma, overgrown toenails and other issues.

'It's shocking that any pet or person could possibly live there," SPCA spokeswoman Beth Brookhouser told The Pine Cone.

The SPCA found out about the animals when passersby smelled the stench from the home and felt something wasn't right, Brookhouser said.

Though the homeowner wasn't at the house, which has been designated historic by the Heritage Society of Pacific Grove, P.G. police, firefighters and a building code inspector went to the house and gained access, discovering the filthy and uninhabitable conditions. Officers eyes burned because of the smell of ammonia, Brookhouser said.

"During the search of the home some doors had to be forced open by rescuers because they were blocked by deep piles of feces and garbage," Brookhouser said.

The SPCA forwarded its case to the district attorney's office Thursday, hoping the Monterey County District Attorney's Office will file animal cruelty related charges against the woman, who is in her 50s. Her identity won't be revealed until prosecutors file charges.



This pathetic looking dog – one of 18 – was found living among trash, animal waste and debris in a Pacific Grove house on Fountain Avenue home. The SPCA rescued the animals and the owner faces crim-





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break-ins reported throughout the city during the past three months, he identified Scully, who has a history of breaking into houses, as a suspect, according to Tomasi.

"He has been committing burglaries for several years and is believed to be responsible for older burglaries as well," Tomasi said.

He didn't say which of the break-ins police believe Scully committed, but he would look for houses with unlocked windows or doors, and he stole small items like jewelry.

The most common items taken were coins, cash and jewelry, though some electronics, silverware and other goods were stolen in the roughly dozen burglaries since Feb. 5, too.

A Feb. 14 break-in on Mission Street included an Apple laptop, an iPad Mini, and a silver flask and six shot glasses, while a March 10 burglary on Guadalupe included watches, pendants, necklaces, rings, bracelets and a Makita drill, according to Tomasi.

Many of the other burglaries saw similar items taken, and two of the greatest losses occurred March 27, when a resident at Rio Road and Atherton had 15 antique silver coins valued at \$6,000, a Swiss watch worth \$450, silver flatware valued at \$3,200 and a spoon collection worth \$2,100 stolen, and a person living at Lincoln and 10th had electronics, luggage, clothing and \$16,385 worth of jewelry taken.

Many of the burglaries happened during the daytime — a growing trend throughout the state, according to Tomasi.

"Suspects are walking neighborhoods and knocking on front doors. If no one answers, they start poking around in the yard until they can gain access," he explained. Since people walking around in the daytime are common, they're less likely to raise suspicion than someone lurking at night.

"When they only take small items, they can conceal them in a backpack and not draw attention to themselves," he said. "Additionally, it is easier to see during the daytime, as there is no need for flashlights," and construction, traffic, garbage hauling and other noises and distractions divert attention from the burglars.

'When a suspect breaks a window, it doesn't draw the attention that it would in the middle of the night," Tomasi

Monterey Sheriff's Cmdr. Bill Kaye said investigators suspect Scully in at least three of the dozen-and-a-half break-ins that have occurred in the Carmel and Pebble Beach areas since the start of the year.

"We've had a few window breaks, but a lot of people in this area don't lock their windows or doors," he said. "The method of operation is how we tie them together — how they do it, whether they go in and take something and fill it and leave, or take a bag in with them, whether they wear gloves

Since the investigation is ongoing, Kaye declined to say how Scully allegedly operated.

Deputies are still inventorying the "several hundred

pieces" of jewelry and other stolen items they found in the home where he has been living on Fisher Place.

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"His MO was to take jewelry—things he can easily carry," Kaye said, though officers also found a guitar stolen from a home on Rio Road. Investigators are photographing the pieces and cataloging them, and then matching them to crime reports in order to identify the owners. When that work is done, detectives will begin contacting victims to see if the items are theirs. Johnson will have the photos as well.

"Most of the jewelry we recovered won't be able to be returned until after the cases are adjudicated," Kaye said.

Scully was also found with narcotics and paraphernalia. "He admittedly has a heroin addiction that is driving this," Kaye said. "That's what he's saying, anyway."

Tomasi said the arrest came a little over a week after another man, 26-year-old Prunedale resident Mathew Parker, was taken into custody in Seaside by Monterey P.D. and Johnson after being discovered with stolen property from a Monterey case.

"And during that investigation, it was discovered he was involved in two burglaries in Carmel," he said.

Tomasi and Kaye said having their officers share information and efforts was key in helping to solve some of the cases and catch Scully.

"This is a great job of collaboration with Peninsula agencies to solve what became a rash of burglaries being caused by these two, and most likely a few others," Tomasi said. "But it's definitely put a dent in the crime spree that's been taking place in Carmel.'

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A long but worthwhile journey from the Concours to the hills of Nicaragua

■ Young couple takes philanthropic effort around the world

By MARY SCHLEY

OUINN VANDENBERG and Jonathon Button embody the philosophy of living life outside the box — which is why, of course, they named their business "Life out of the Box." The duo travels and lives in the poorest areas of the globe, selling artisan products to raise money for the school supplies they donate to their host countries' children. And when their tourist visas expire after 90 days, they move to another country or return home to Carmel, where they speak to service clubs, college classes and other groups, encouraging them to find their own lives out-

'We emphasize social entrepreneurship - going out and creating something on your own," Vandenberg told The Pine Cone last week. "In our generation, people want to make a difference, they just don't know how. There are so many ways to give back, and based on your own passion and skills, you can use that."

Vandenberg and Button's own international adventure began in spring 2012. They began dating in late 2011, while she was working in Carmel for the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance and he was handling imports and exports of cars in San Francisco, and soon began contemplating their futures. They were both 25.

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"It all sparked from the basic question, about how finding success is more than making money — it's leaving an impact on the world and leaving something after you're gone," Button said. "Our path wasn't going to lead us there, so what should our path be, and how do we get there?'

They decided to start a company that would allow them to live frugally while helping the poor, developed a business plan, and chose their first destination: Nicaragua.

We basically took a map of the world and looked at all the countries we were interested in living in," Button said. "We knew if we could get our social venture going there, we could make a difference."

Vandenberg, a Carmel High School graduate, had studied Spanish while in college at UC Davis, so that helped, and the couple took up residence with a family in San Juan del Sur, a small beach town in the south.

"They taught us a lot of local Spanish, because the dialect is different, and they introduced us to some artisans," Vandenberg said. They worked with the first lending library in Central America, and their story also got picked up by a cable TV show,

Jonathon Button and Quinn Vandenberg were living in Guatemala when they asked this small Mayan girl what she wants to be when she grows up - "just like we ask each child before we give them school supplies!" Vandenberg



"House Hunters International."

"We were the youngest and cheapest," Button explained. "The apartment we found only cost us \$300 per month." They remained there for about seven months and then moved to Masaya, also in Nicaragua. "It was really impoverished," he said.

There, they launched the website, www.lifeoutofthebox.com, which allows people anywhere to purchase goods made by various artisans in impoverished countries, and to see the children they are helping. The endeavor puts the artists to work, benefits the kids, and allows Button and Vandenberg to maintain their voluntarily meager lifestyles.

"When someone buys a bracelet, a portion of that goes toward school supplies, and then the other money coming in is how we're staying alive," Button explained.

"We tried to live off of \$2 a day in Nicaragua, because that's average," Vandenberg said.

"That was really tough," Button said. "It was lots of rice and beans.

Vandenberg said the fact they are both frugal by nature has made their efforts possible. They both worked through college and continued saving in the years after, though they didn't know what they were saving for. As a result, they were able to avoid borrowing money from friends or family to start their social venture.

Riding the chicken bus

In Nicaragua, they worked with different

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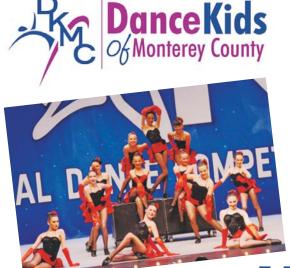
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after-school programs and schools, helping thousands of children before moving to Guatemala, which they reached by riding on an overnight "chicken bus."

They call them that, Button explained, because you often don't have a human sitting next to you. Instead, on the old U.S. school buses with rickety seats, "we sat next to pigs, next to chickens."

In Panajachel, on Lake Atitlan in Guatemala, they worked with Mayans, the area's poorest inhabitants.

"The Mayan people have been doing handcraft items for centuries — they have passed down their skills and do a lot of weaving, so that's where we got a lot of our products," Vandenberg said. They collaborated with a nonprofit called Mayan Families to get school supplies to preschools there.

They moved to Mexico for a month and then flew back to the United States to begin their speaking engagements while deciding where to go next. They addressed students at CSU Monterey Bay, UC Berkeley, UC Davis, UC Santa Cruz, Arizona State and Sacramento State. "We let them know what you could do and how to get yourself out there," Vandenberg said. Locally, they spoke before Rotary and the Monterey Institute of International Studies.

"We got so much support — they've all asked us to come back," she said. "It was a really awesome experience talking to university students, because they're at that time when they're trying to figure out what to do in the world."

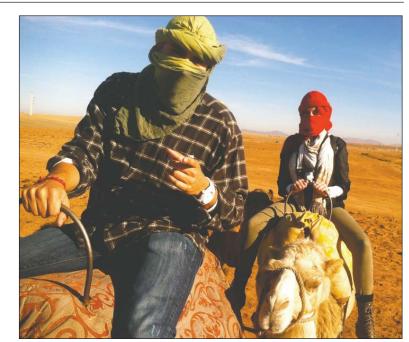
Then they hit the road again, first back to Mexico to hand out materials for school kids, and then to Morocco, where they worked with a women's refugee organization and another that helps get kids off the

"They all needed school supplies — it seems like a simple solution to a big problem," Vandenberg said. Meanwhile, Button worked alongside artisans there creating leather goods, which they also sell on the website.

"They work extremely hard," Button said. "It's nice we can go to these different countries to see what they create and find out what appeals to the people in the

At the end of their 90-day visa, they returned home to Carmel a few weeks ago and have been hitting the speaking circuit again.

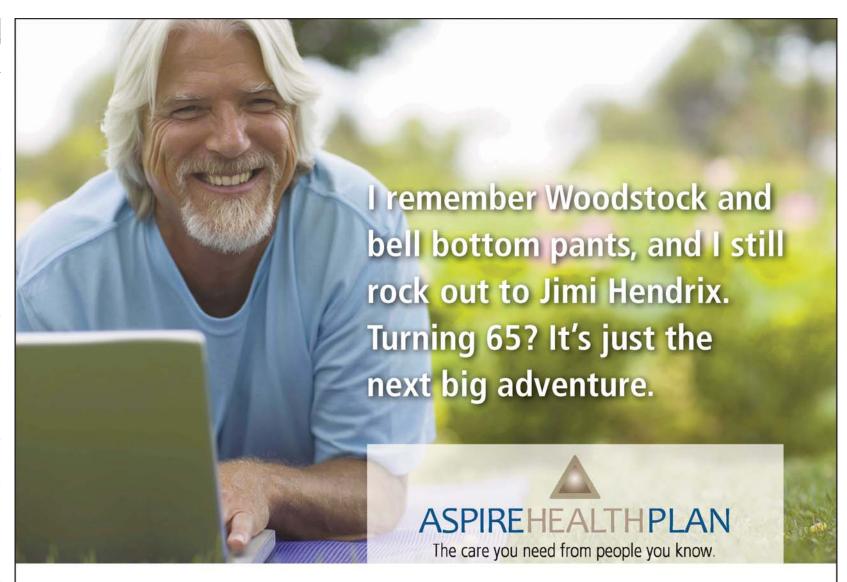
We're trying to build a team of students," Vandenberg said. "We've reached out to Kenya and Nepal and Peru and El Salvador. We want to go to those places and expand Life out of the Box."



Jonathon Button and Quinn Vandenberg rode camels on the edge of Marrakech, Morocco, to visit a Berber village "to get a better understanding of the living situations for those living in the rural desert."

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Protect our lifestyle Dear Editor,

Lawson Little, in his May 2 letter concerning public ownership of our water utility, asks the question, "Doesn't (the) public already control water?" The simple answer is no. There are two questions to be asked. First, why does my friend Lawson want to perpetuate ownership, not of water, but the private, highly profitable monopoly that controls the delivery system? That can be answered with this question, "Does Lawson Little have the interests of the residential ratepayer, or the business community in

He, as a successful businessman with a long and prosperous career in the real estate and tourism industry, is solidly supportive of business and its need for a reliable supply of low cost water. However, as important as tourism is to our economy, it is not more important than the lifestyle we've chosen to live here. When we are forced to pay punitive, tiered rates to ensure an industry's guaranteed low rate, it not only affects our lifestyle, it plays havoc with our residential real estate values. Try to sell a house with

smelly toilets and a parched yard. The issue is not who controls our water; it is who has the monopoly to deliver it. Like it or not, it is a fact that public utilities deliver water at much lower rates than private utilities; that is the reason why nationally 89 percent of water utilities are owned by the public. Lower water rates will benefit both business and our lifestyle — vote Yes on O.

Roland Martin, Carmel Valley

O-Yes! Dear Editor,

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I for one, am amazed at how many ways the big money interests (read: Cal Am, cities, hospitality industry, career politicians) are invading my life with their fear tactics. Four large, slick ads mailed to us, TV ads everywhere, and pop-up ads every time I open an app. All very expensive ways to scare us into believing we dare not change the status quo.

When a campaign (funded largely by Cal Am) invests millions of dollars in a local election, one has to wonder why. Who exactly will benefit if Cal Am maintains control of our water rates and charges us to keep their profits high? They want us to believe they are the good guys. Really? Cal Am? It's their over-pumping and mismanagement that got us here.

Follow the logic, friends. A water solution that doesn't have to drive up profits for the corporate heads and investors, has to be more economical than what we have now. A Yes win mandates a feasibility study as to whether it will be economically viable for the public to acquire the water system. If it isn't, end of story. If it is, then we buy out Cal

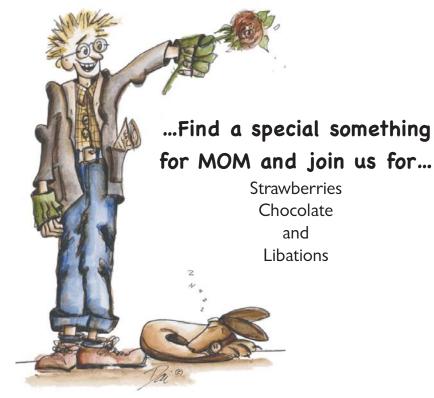
Christine Williams, Carmel Valley

Why judges endorse Dear Editor,

Thank you for your article of May 2 regarding Luma Serrano Williams. I believe Williams does an injustice to the electoral process by continuing to focus on what she

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calls the "anointment issue." It is a non-issue. When it became evident that my retirement would coincide with this year's judicial elections, I personally asked our commissioner, Heidi Whilden, to seek election to my seat and offered her my endorsement. The ethical canons permit judges to recruit and endorse judicial candidates seeking election or appointment, because of the unique position we hold in knowing what qualifications are desirable, and our obligation to uphold the integrity of the judiciary.

In 2011, by unanimous vote of the sitting judges, Heidi Whilden was appointed commissioner, which is a judicial office. Prior to that, she had a distinguished career as a civil litigator, and a Superior Court research attorney in the areas of criminal and family law. Commissioner Whilden has received overwhelming support from Superior Court judges, the legal community, law enforcement, elected officials and many citizens. She is highly respected for her integrity, her calm judicial demeanor in handling some of our most contentious cases and her effective courtroom management. Heidi Whilden has demonstrated her qualifications to be a

judge; it is now time to elect her to Superior Court Seat 10. Judge Kay Kingsley, Monterey

Spanish in court Dear Editor,

Commissioner Heidi Whilden is a strong and effective advocate for the non-English speaking litigant in the Monterey court system. For the last three years, she and I have worked with court administration to marshal resources for the hiring of certified interpreters for the self-represented family law and domestic violence calendars. We continue to seek funding for interpreters in other family law departments. In contrast, Luma Serrano Williams's public comments, that she will speak Spanish in the court room and correct interpreters, runs afoul of California Code of Procedure 185 that requires all judicial proceedings to be in English. A well qualified corps of certified interpreters for the many language groups in Monterey County is critical. An individual judge who inserts the issue of her own language expertise in a proceeding risks reversal. Please join me in support of an effective advocate for court services for the non-English speaking litigant. Help elect Commissioner Heidi Whilden to the

Monterey County Superior Court.

Judge Susan J. Matcham, Monterey

Oil not needed?

Dear Editor, When The Pine Cone asked (editorial, May 2), "Where is the oil supposed to come from?" he missed the big picture.

Germany has increased its percent of renewable energy (mostly solar and wind) from 6 percent in 2000 to 25 percent in 2012, and is planning for 35 percent of electric generation by 2020. And Volkswagen has a new small production car that runs 300 miles per gallon in test conditions.

With some intention, we could do the same. Renewables create high paying jobs and a clean environment. Once we start to invest in renewables and real high-mileage cars, the price of oil will plummet, and oil producing countries will beg us to buy their oil. With declining demand and prices for oil, we can also cut our war machine in half.

Fracking creates high profits for big oil and an environmental mess for the rest of us. Once again, it's special interests vs. the common good.

Torrey Waag, Big Sur

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"This initiative is a clear threat to the progress made toward a desalination plant - the long awaited, best solution, and vital element in the effort to restore the Carmel River. All of us are stewards of the Carmel River watershed and we cannot ignore the consequences of Measure O. Please join the Carmel River Steelhead Association in voting No on Measure O." – Carmel River Steelhead Association



"On the Monterey Peninsula there is no more important an issue than solving our water supply crisis. Measure O puts our water supply project in jeopardy and risks throwing us into economically harmful water rationing. Vote No on Measure O."

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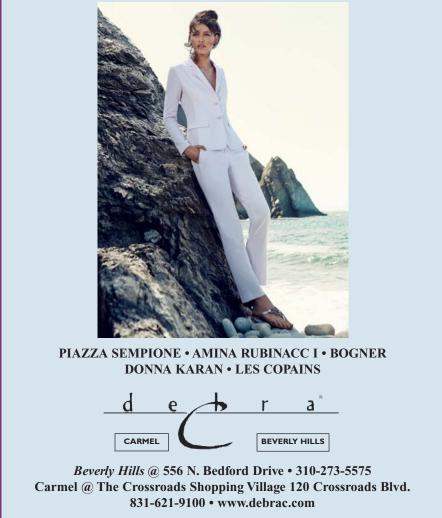
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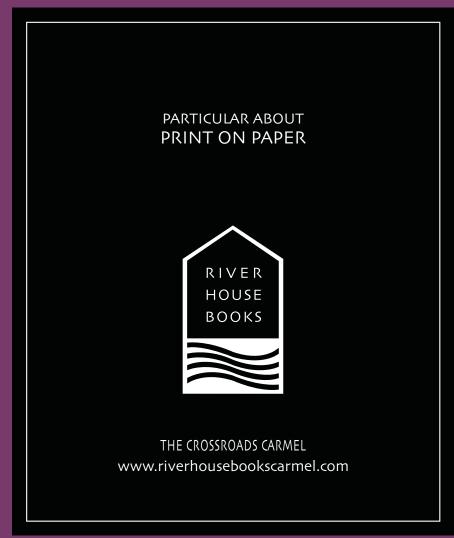


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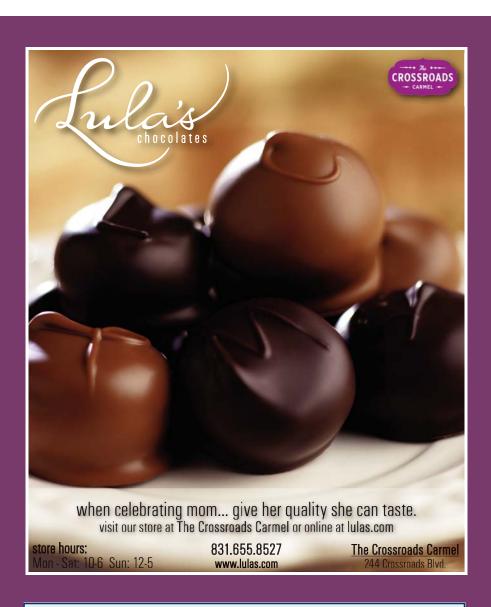


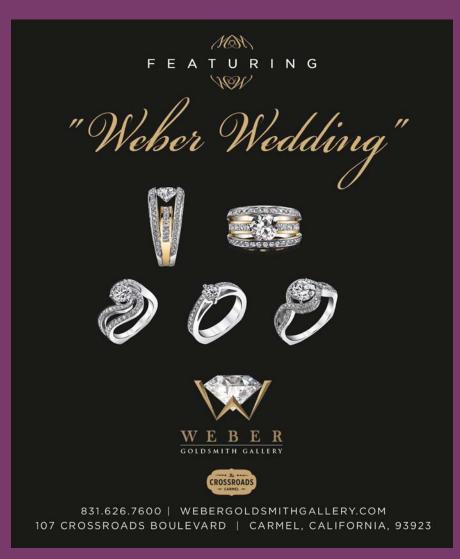


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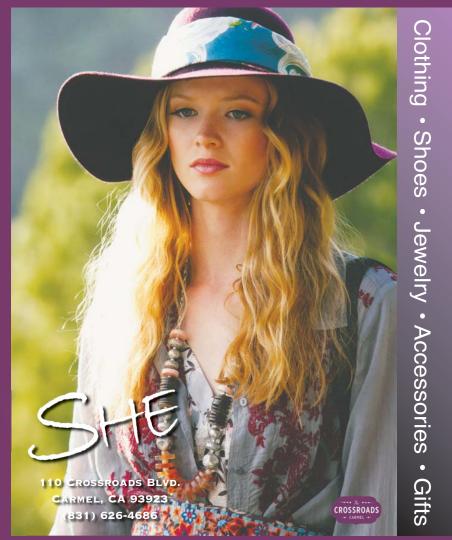
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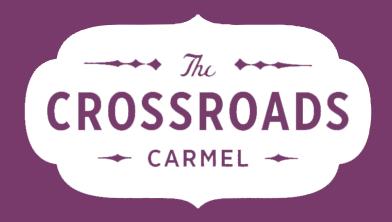
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MARKET

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sold out," library director Janet Cubbage, who oversees events like the market, told the council in her May 6 report. "In addition, Mr. Lami and market vendors received many positive comments from the public regarding the new location."

As a result, Lami and other proponents asked for a permanent move to the park and Mission Street, arguing that if the

market has to stay at Sunset, it will die.

"The market as it now exists is on life support. If it does not move, it will not make it," Lami said. "We have many vendors who are barely hanging on."

Cubbage, who recommended the council approve the relocation, said Lami has plans for minimizing impacts on parking around the park during market hours and would also ensure the grass in Devendorf — most of which would be unoccupied, since the produce vendors and food stalls would be on Mission Street — is protected.

Councilman Ken Talmage asked if Cubbage had contacted

merchants on Ocean Avenue and nearby to get their feedback, and she said she hadn't.

"My feeling was because it's a side street closure, it didn't really affect any entrances, but I would be more than happy to have that conversation," she said.

Many of those store owners saved her the trouble, including gallery owner Jim Miller, who warned he was going to be "an ogre."

"I think this is a terrible idea; it does impact the businesses in Carmel," he said. "The city has been really good about not letting McDonalds, Wendy's and Col. Sanders come in, and the farmers market kind of falls into that category." (That comment drew boos from some of the crowd, followed by Mayor Jason Burnett's admonition that every speaker should be allowed to express his views.)

A salesman at Khaki's in Carmel Plaza, as well as the store's owners, Connie and Jim Ockert, said having the market across the street every week would negatively affect their sales.

"Independent people like Jim and me — this is our livelihood," she said, noting they pay taxes and spend money on inventory to keep their business running — and therefore generating revenues for the city.

"There's no way that somebody who's going to buy produce is going to cross-shop," Jim Ockert said.

Todd Tice, owner of The Club, a clothing store on Ocean Avenue, said locals avoid downtown because of parking congestion, so having the market — which is aimed at locals and would tie up more parking — at the center of the commercial district seemed illogical.

"It's definitely not going to help my business, and many of the other businesses as well," he said.

Michelle Sapon, who owns AW Shucks oyster bar with her husband, said moving the market to "the gateway of Carmel" would cause parking problems and hurt brick-and-mortar businesses. "We do pay incredibly high rents," she said. "I don't think it's fair to bring it right at the entrance of Carmel."

'An amazing energy'

Countering their negative comments were residents, farmers and others who said holding the market downtown would add charm and draw more people who might end up shopping and dining, too.

Monte Verde Street resident Colleen Logan, who also helps run the market, observed the ordinance posted behind the mayor's seat that identifies Carmel as "primarily, essentially and predominantly a residential city," and said the market thrived during its March 27 stint at the park.

"Having so many more people there — it was such an amazing energy, and I heard so many people say it was exactly like Europe," she said. "You talk about being Carmel-bythe-Sea being a romantic city — I think people felt that that day."

Basil Restaurant chef/owner Soerke Peters, who also sells food at the market, said his business did very well, and former councilwoman and Carmel Residents Association President Barbara Livingston said the market is vibrant.

"It brings people downtown during the daytime, and I think it's just a wonderful idea," she said.

Caroline Hardy said she's more likely to attend if it's downtown and called the setting "beautiful."

Carolina Bayne observed that the difference between having the market at Sunset and in the park was "night and day." "At Sunset, it's depressing, because the farmers have all this beautiful produce, and no one's there to buy it," she said.

Richard Kreitman, who owns a gallery downtown and for a while sold prepared foods at the market, suggested afternoon hours so people who work could shop there — an idea that did not gain traction. "There's this balance between the needs of business and the well being of residents," he observed. "This market will probably die if it's kept at Sunset, and we just have to face that."

Cubbage also recommended Lami not be charged the \$365 for closing the street, \$600 for taking up three additional parking stalls, and \$400-plus for using Devendorf Park. "The city does not charge fees for the use of Sunset Center north parking lot; therefore, the West Coast Farmers Market Association does not currently pay event fees to the city," she said. She recommended waiving the fees, because, she said, "The farmers market has indicated they would not be able to afford that, and I do feel it brings a lot of vibrancy."

Former Mayor Sue McCloud objected to giving freebies to a for-profit venture.

"I think everyone should be treated equally," she said, adding that nonprofits holding occasional events downtown still have to pay at least some of their fees.

Burnett said Carmel is moving up in the culinary world — including being named the seventh best food city by readers of Conde Nast Traveler — and the market would help draw "the next generation of visitor."

"And as a resident, I'm really excited about this," he said. "I felt the energy March 27 — it was really exciting, and I saw a lot of other residents there. Creating spaces where we can come together and congregate really is essential to building a sense of community."

Councilwoman Victoria Beach wanted the market to be held in the park for six months, in order to collect data on its success and the impacts on other businesses, but that motion did not gain support, nor did one from new councilman Steve Dallas, who wanted to limit the market to only produce and downtown restaurants, and to restrict it to Mission Street.

Ultimately, the council voted to allow the market to operate on Mission Street and in the park on Thursdays from May 22 until July 1. It will maintain its hours of 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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Sylvester and Dante rock Monterey Rock and Rod Festival

By CHRIS COUNTS

Providing the soundtrack to a colorful gathering of classic cars and their enthusiasts Saturday, May 10, at Custom House Plaza in Monterey are two names few people remember but two voices few could

Terry Sylvester and Ron Dante headline an eclectic musical lineup at the Monterey Rock and Rod Festival that spans the musical sub genres from the old school Latin rock of The Chicano All-Stars to the surfabilly of Los High Tops.

Sylvester is best known for his contributions to the Hollies. After he replaced

Graham Nash in the band, his vocals and guitar were featured on three of the Hollies' biggest hits, "He Ain't Heavy, He's My Brother," "Long Cool Woman in a Black Dress," "The Air That I Breathe."

Dante is best known as the lead singer of the Archies, whose hit single "Sugar Sugar" literally defined the genre "bubblegum rock" and somehow outsold every other record in 1969, the year of Woodstock.

The event, which is free, starts at 10 a.m. Dante performs at 3 p.m., and Sylvester follows at 4:20 p.m.

The previous evening, Friday, May 9, the

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Singer-songwriter Odi (top left) plays May 10 at Chateau Julien. The latest installment in the winery's "Tunes at Two" series, the music starts at 2 p.m. Jeremy Pearce (top right) brings his Elvis act to the Monterey Fairgrounds May 9, while Los High Tops (above) perform May 10 at Custom House Plaza.

Readers taken on wild spin through C.V.

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

MYSTERY AND suspense come to Carmel Valley in author Lannie Wright's latest novel, "Connections — The Devil's Door." The author signs copies of the book Sunday, May 11, from 3 to 4 p.m., at River House Books.

"It's about how a young Monterey County deputy sheriff, Tristan Badger, is thrown into a deadly battle with two killers," explained Wright, who lives in Carmel Valley. "With the help of the ghost of an Esselen shaman, Tristan looks for ways to stop the killings,

save a young girl's life and forever close the Devil's Door. The book contains an abundance of colorful, historic details about the region and attempts to stay true to the area's way of life."

River House Books is located in the Crossroads shopping center. For more information, call (831) 626-2665.

■ 'Living Life in Full Bloom'

Author, photographer, master gardener

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Plein aire artists unite at Point Lobos, studio artists get cozy at home

By CHRIS COUNTS

IT WOULD not be a stretch to call plein aire painting — which is essentially the art of painting outdoors — Carmel's official pastime. Paying tribute to the countless artists who set up their easels along the local shoreline even when it's windy and foggy, the Carmel Art Association unveils an exhibit dedicated to the genre, "The CAA goes Plein Aire," Saturday, May 10.

One of the Monterey Peninsula's most talented and prolific plein aire painters, Mark Farina came up with the idea for the group show. To get things rolling, he invited CAA artists to join him on a series of excursions to Point Lobos State Reserve. "I wanted to get members involved instead of just asking them to be in a show," Farina explained.

Also participating in the exhibit are Alicia Meheen, Jeff Daniel Smith, Andy Williams, Roianne Hart, Mary FitzGerald Beach, Patty Biederman, Cornelia Emery, Christine Crozier, Peggy Jelmini, Howard Perkins, Tim Sloan and Anne Downs.

While plein aire painting is particularly popular in these parts, it's not for everybody. In response to the show, a number of CAA members who prefer to paint inside the friendly confines of their studios decided to stage their own exhibit. Jokingly titled, "En Studio Aire," the show also opens Saturday. The studio artists include Richard Tette, Miguel Dominguez, Jan Wagstaff, Andrea Johnson, Wilda Northrop, Will Bullas and Pamela Carroll. "Studio painters wouldn't think of taking a brush outside," explained Tette, who prefers the proximity of his refrigerator and other comforts of home to the unpredictable elements of nature.

The gallery hosts a reception from 5 to 7 p.m. The exhibits continue through June 3. The CAA is located on Dolores between Fifth and Sixth. Call (831) 624-6176.

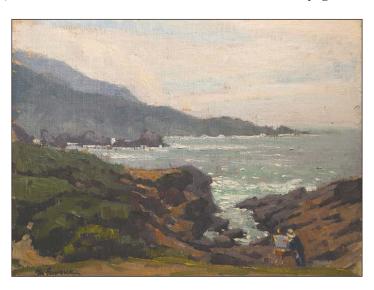
■ More plein aire

The 21st annual Carmel Art Festival kicks off Thursday, May 15, when plein aire painters begin setting up their easels at scenic vistas along the coast.

One of the highlights of the yearly celebration is a juried competition between 60 plein air painters, who compete for the

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"Painter's Paradise" (right), by Mark Farina, is featured in a group exhibit of plein aire paintings opening May 10 at the Carmel Art Association. The scene captures another artist creating a plein air painting at Point Lobos State Reserve.



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Hot bagels, cool beers, and trendy Santa Lucia wines

By MARY SCHLEY

IN A week's time, Ramsey Elmachtoub will have brought more daytime business to Mundaka cafe on San Carlos Street than it experienced in the previous six weeks — all because he makes a mean bagel. Elmachtoub, who has years of experience in culinary fields, runs his own catering company and also works as a server and sometimes bartender at Mundaka, launched his Monterey Bagel Company last Thursday and is already enjoying success.

"I always wanted to have my own thing that I'm proud of - a business — and I had so many ideas," he said. "And this just seemed to work really well for the area. And who doesn't like bagels?"

He worked on his recipes for plain, seeded, sweet (flavors change regularly) and gluten-free bagels, as well as madefrom-scratch cream cheeses, for about a year.

"It's unique, because the only other bagel shop around here doesn't make its own cream cheese or anything," he pointed out. He makes the dough, and boils and bakes the bagels in small batches.

"I kettle boil, and instead of malt syrup, I use honey, because it's gluten free and has a little bit of a different flavor," he said.

He makes the cream cheese from whole milk and half and half, to which he adds culture and rennet, and then strains. His spreads are plain, sweet (blueberry and candied walnut at the moment), zatar (a Middle Eastern herb blend) and lox, which includes salmon he cures himself, dill and green onion. He's been offering a breakfast sandwich with a fried egg, chorizo and cheese, as well as a couple of other sandwiches, and is thinking of adding soup.

Elmachtoub said his overall goal is to offer "a nice place where you can sit down and not feel rushed." The café is open 7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. except Mondays, though if he sells out of bagels in the early afternoon, he'll only be serving Ritual coffee drinks until closing. The Mundaka Café is located next to Mundaka restaurant on the east side of San Carlos Street Seventh

Avenue.

Barnyard Food & Wine

Barnyard shopping center will host a celebration of food and wine Saturday, May 17, from noon to 4 p.m. as a fundraiser for the Carmel Valley Rotary Foundation and its affiliated organizations.

Some 30 wineries and one store are set to pour, including BevMo, Blair Estates,

Ramsey Elmachtoub known to many for his warmth and energy as a server at Mundaka launched his Monterey Bagel Co. in the Mundaka Café last week. He makes them fresh each morning and creates his own cream cheese spreads from scratch, too.

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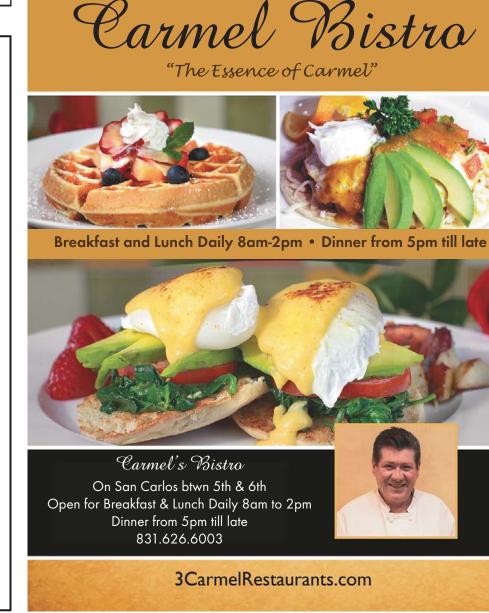
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Other entertainment includes face painting, a clown, pony rides, live music from Victory Lane and Delaney Ann. Maddox Haberdasher will emcee.

The cost is \$25 for food and wine, \$15 for food only, and kids under 6 are free. Pay at the door or at www.TheBarn-yard.com. For more information, call (831) 624-8886.

■ Carmel ranks high

Readers of Condé Nast Traveler picked Carmel as the seventh best city for food in the nation.

"Travelers love to eat. That's why, every year in our Readers' Choice Survey, we ask our readers to rate the U.S. cities that have the best restaurants," according to the magazine. "This year, we were surprised by some of the winners in our Top 20. We think you will be too."

With a Readers' Choice Rating of 85.0, Carmel came in seventh. Staffer Stacy Adimando wrote:

"This coast city's quaint downtown area is a perfectly walkable size, which means you can cover a lot of ground (and some notable restaurant newcomers) in just one weekend. Mundaka, a Spanish tapas bar, has a rotating paella of the day and a new, next-door café pouring Ritual coffee. The attentive staff at Akaoni serves top-quality, traditional sushi, and La Bicyclette spins out inventive thin crust pizzas with combos like butternut squash and speck. Some say the three are among the best spots to dine in all of Monterey County."

■ Last chance for SLH Gala

The Santa Lucia Highlands Gala is set for Saturday, May 17, from 1 to 4 p.m. at Mer Soleil Winery, 1290 River Road in Salinas. More than 30 SLH wineries will participate: August West, Belle Glos, Bernardus, Black Kite, Boekenoogen, Cattleya, Hahn/Lucienne, Hallcrest, Hawks View, J. Lohr Highlands Bench, Joyce, Kori, La Rochelle, Loring, Mansfield-Dunne, Manzoni, McFarland, McIntyre, Mer Soleil, Miura, Mooney, Morgan, Paraiso, Pelerin, Pessagno, Pisoni/Lucia, Puma Road, Roar, Scheid, Siduri/Novy, Sarah's Vineyard, Testarossa, Tondre, Tudor and Wenth

A silent auction will benefit Rancho Cielo youth campus and the Drummond Culinary Academy. Chef Jon Kasky of Paradise Catering in Carmel Valley and Dyon Foster with Hahn Estates will provide great food, and musician Mario Flores Sontet will perform live. Tickets are \$85, and more information can be found at www.santaluciahighlands.com

■ The occasional chef

During the nearly three decades they've owned Fifi's Bistro Café in Pacific Grove, Calvin and Michele Wilkes have met all sorts of interesting folks who have become their regulars. Those experiences have inspired the restaurant's Occasional Chef Series, and the first to venture into the kitchen will be Pebble Beach resident and former Kodak and Red Cross executive Sharon Crino.

"We are lucky, in our business, to meet very interesting people. We sincerely feel we have the best customers. Having had the restaurant for 28 years, we have built lovely friendships that have had a chance to mature," they said. "But when a customer mentions she has traveled to 95 different countries — and has taken cooking classes in over 20 — you pay attention."

On Sunday, May 18, starting at 6 p.m., Crino will present grilled avocado-pineapple salad over watercress paired with Louis Latour Montagny 1er Cru 2011, followed by her "legendary Beef Wellington" paired with Fossacolle Brunello di Montalcino 2009.

Chef Fernando Rodriguez will contribute oven-baked leek-wrapped prawns with lemon risotto, Dijon aïoli and caviar paired with Schramsberg Brut Rosé 2010 as an appetizer. Dessert paired with a Sauterne will conclude the dinner.

The cost is \$75 per person, not including tax and gratuity, and reservations can be made by calling (831) 372-5325. Fifi's Bistro Cafe is located at 1188 Forest Ave. in Pacific Grove.

■ CHS Foundation brunch

The Carmel High School Foundation will benefit from a special brunch at a private residence on Spindrift Road Sunday, June 1, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., for \$60 per person.

Ocean-view tables are available, and lunch will be held on the garden lawn, with catering by Michael's.

For tickets or information, call (831) 625-6363, or mail a check to PO Box 223288, Carmel, CA 93922.

To learn more about the foundation, go to www.CarmelHighSchoolFoundation.org.

■ HGK parklet campaign

The City of Pacific Grove gave Happy Girl Kitchen permission to build a parklet — a tiny patio in a couple of parking spaces in front of its cafe on Central Avenue — and owners Todd and Jordan Champagne have the architect, designer and construction crew ready to go. All they need is the cash to make it happen, so they've launched a Kickstarter campaign.

"The deadline for the campaign is May 27, because we want to get the parklet built before summer!" Todd Champagne said, adding that the little seating area in front of the café will "slow down traffic and give pedestrians a place to convene."

"As you may know, we only have three weeks to raise the

full \$9,000, or else we get nothing, so the stakes are high," he said. "We really want to build this public park along Central Avenue, the gateway to P.G."

All money collected will go toward the cost of building the

park. Visit www.kickstarter.com/projects/happygirlkitchen/happy-girl-kitchen-co-parklet to donate.

Happy Girl Kitchen will also launch its summer dinner

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"Mayor's Choice" award and other prizes. The painters have two days to complete their creations, which they need to turn in by sundown Friday.

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The paintings will be displayed along Mission Street adjacent to Devendorf Park. A silent auction continues through Saturday at 6 p.m., and a live auction immediately follows.

"It really is a unique experience to come and see these wonderful paintings, and meet the artists who just painted them hours ago," said Tammi Tharp, one of the festival's organizers.

In addition to the plein aire contest, the festival features a celebration of art and music Saturday and Sunday, May 17-18, in the park. Proceeds from the festival benefit the Youth Arts Collective, which mentors young artists.

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Featured in the show are paintings of Elkhorn Slough, Toro Park, Garrapata State Beach, Cannery Row and Fisherman's Wharf.

The gallery, which hosts a reception Saturday, May 10, from 5:30 to 7 p.m., is located at 1 Portola Plaza. The exhibit will be on display through Aug. 4.

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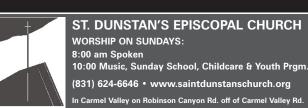
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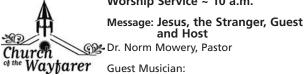
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Saturday, May 10, from 1 to 5 p.m., at the Carmel Valley Art Association.

A retired teacher who spent much of her adult life in Arizona, she recently moved to Carmel Valley, not far from where she grew up in Monterey. As an artist, she finds herself drawn to water, and it's reflected in her work.

'My images come from hikes along Garzas Creek, the Carmel River and the ocean's edge," explained Greenwald, who volunteers as a docent at the Monterey Museum of Art. "I work with the effects of light and shadow, both defining and abstracting rocks, water, foliage and figure."

Home to nearly 40 artists whose creations include oils, watercolors, acrylics, photography, mixed media, mosaic and glass, the gallery is located at 2 Chambers Lane in Carmel Valley Village. Call (831) 659-2441.

FOOD

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series with its first popup Wednesday, May 28, for \$55 per person. The feast is BYOB and will be served family style. The guest chef is TBA.

Happy Girl Kitchen Co. is located at 173 Central Ave. in Pacific Grove. Call (831) 373-4475 or visit www.happygirlkitchen.com for more information.

■ Bistro breakfasts

Carmel's Bistro Giovanni recently started offering breakfast, with combos, several iterations of Eggs Benedict and Beaujolais Specialties available from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the San Carlos Street restaurant in Carmel.

"We have decided to start serving breakfast at our restaurant on San Carlos for several reasons. First, we have hired a new executive chef who oversees all three restaurants now," said Jennifer Mendoza. Francisco Almaraz owned an operated two restaurants of his own in Marina and Monterey, and is "all about 'flavor."

"Needless, to say we are thrilled to have him on our team," she said. "He is as kind as he is talented."

In addition to Breakfast Combos, the restaurant serves Beaujolais Specialties like huevos rancheros, Belgian waffles, cinnamon-raisin French toast, bagels and lox, and Francisco's vegetarian and all-meat frittatas. Soft scrambles, omelets and Eggs Benedict are on the menu, too.

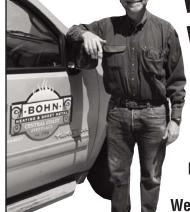
Bistro Giovanni is located on San Carlos Street south of Fifth Avenue and can be reached by calling (831) 626-6003.

■ Craft Beer Week

Peter B's Brewpub is offering daily specials in honor of American Craft Beer Week, May 12-18, with the release of Alvarado Street Raspberry Wheat Ale Monday, May 12, and \$2 pints all night. Tuesday is the Mug Club Appreciation Mixer, when members receive one free pint of Alvarado Street Raspberry Wheat Ale.

On Wednesday, KRML's Pub Talk will be broadcast live from the brewery at 5 p.m., and Firkin Wednesday will feature half-off refills of a collaboration brew with the new Alvarado Street Brewery & Grill, which celebrated its grand opening this week with a fundraiser for the Carol Hatton Breast Care Center. Thursday through Sunday will include celebrity cask tappings, with one for Cooking for Solutions at the Monterey Bay Aquarium Friday and the Giants Brewfest Road-trip Saturday. For more information about Peter B's Brewpub and the Portola Hotel & Spa, located at the foot of Alvarado Street in Monterey, visit www.portolahotel.com.

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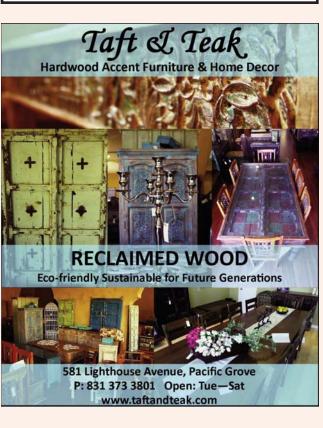






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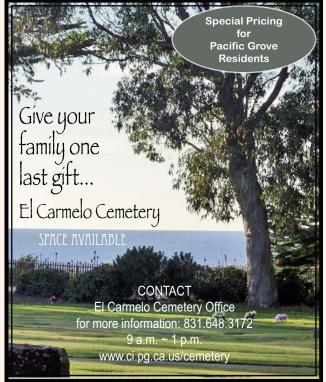
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Monterey County Fairgrounds will be the site of a fundraising Sock Hop. Headlining the event is Jeremy Pearce, who has made a name for himself impersonating Elvis

The festivities, which include live and silent auctions, and a dance contest, begin at 5 p.m. in the fairgrounds' Monterey Room. Tickets are \$20. The festival showcases hundreds of pre-1975 hot rods, street rods, muscle cars and trucks. All proceeds benefit the Gateway Center of Monterey County, which provides life skills to adults with intellectual disabilities. Call (831) 809-6252.

■ Youth orchestras play Sunset

Two orchestras of student-musicians perform Sunday, May 11, at Sunset Center when Youth Music Monterey County offers a special Mother's Day concert.

Conducted by Farkhad Khudyev, the Junior Youth and Honors orchestras present a program that includes music by composers Antonín Dvorák, Alexander Borodin, Edward B. Jurey and Johann Sebastian Bach.

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The 2014 winner of the Junior Youth Orchestra Concerto Competition, violinist Nicholas Brady will be featured as a soloist.

The concert begins at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$20 for general admission, \$10 for seniors and \$5 for students. Sunset Center is located at San Carlos and Ninth. Call (831) 375-

■ Choral group stages gala

To help raise money for a program that benefits local high school students, The Camerata Singers present their annual Spring Gala Sunday, May 11, at Hidden Valley Music Seminars in the valley.

Sharing a love of music, the Camerata Singers come from all walks of life. Their membership includes teachers, doctors, lawyers and even a blacksmith. Together, they present a varied mix of songs Sunday. While much of afternoon they will perform a cappella, they also be accompanied by a piano and a cello.

"It's an 'Americana' program with arrangements of folk music like 'She'll Be Coming 'Round The Mountain' and 'I Hear The Harps Eternal," said John Koza, the artistic director and conductor of the choral group. "We'll also sing a couple spirituals like 'Soon I Will Be Done With The Troubles Of This World,' and we do a beautiful version of 'The Water Is Wide."

In addition to music, the gala will feature food, wine and live and silent auctions. Jeffrey's will cater the event, and proceeds will aid the Camerata Futures program, which offers high school students scholarships and a chance to train and perform with the choral group. "We invite everyone to come and celebrate Mothers' Day with us,"

The event starts at 3 p.m. Hidden Valley is located at 88 Carmel Valley Road. Tickets are \$50. Call (831) 642-2701.

■ Live Music May 9-15

Terry's Lounge at Cypress Inn pianist Gennady Loktionov and singer Debbie Davis (cabaret, Friday and Saturday at 7 p.m.); singer Andrea Carter ("folky jazz and jazzy folk," Sunday at 11 a.m.); guitarist Richard Devinck (classical, Sunday at 5 p.m.); pianist Dick Whittington, bassist Robb Fisher (songs from the Great American Songbook, 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)

Jack London's Bar and Grill - singersongwriter Casey Frazier ("eclectic Americana with roots in country and '70s rock," Friday and Saturday at 7 p.m.). Dolores between Fifth and Sixth, (831) 624-

Pacific Grove Art Center — Houston Jones ("high octane Americana," 7 p.m.). 568 Lighthouse Ave., (831) 375-2208.

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Bernardus Lodge — pianist Martin Headman (jazz, Saturday at 7 p.m.). 415 W. Carmel Valley Road, (831) 658-3400.

Courtside Bistro at Chamisal Tennis and Fitness Club in Corral de Tierra — singersongwriter Bryan Diamond (Sunday at 6 p.m.). 185 Robley Road, (831) 484-6000.

Big Sur River Inn — Tom Faia and the Juice (rock, Sunday at 2 p.m.). Hwy. 1, 24 miles south of Carmel, call (831) 667-2700.

BOOKS

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and motivational speaker, Elizabeth Murray signs copies of her new book, "Living Life in Full Bloom," Friday, May 9, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., in the Secret Garden.

A Monterey resident, Murray is best known for dedicating much of her life to restoring and photographing impressionist painter Claude Monet's famous garden in Giverny, France. In "Living Life in Full Bloom," she offers readers "small but powerful action steps to define the purposes of busy lives and help them remember who they really are."

An extension of Pilgrim's Way, the Secret Garden is a garden shop located behind the book store. An adjacent alley leads to it. Pilgrim's Way is located on Dolores between Fifth and Sixth. Call (831) 624-4955.



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JUDGES From page 5A

courtroom, and balance that against the public's right to know."

Liu said the right of people to know what's going on in the courthouse is the same as the right of the public to know who they're voting for. "The right of the media to be in the courtroom is a sacred right, and it needs to be respected," he said. "But that also needs to be balanced against the rights of those who are in the courtroom."

Williams said that while transparency is important, allowing the media in the courtroom should be on a case-by-case basis.

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"It's a balancing act," Williams said. "You do have witnesses who fear for their lives. You have children who need to be protected."

Whilden, whose parents were killed in a car accident when she was a young girl, said

that except for "a limited set of circumstances ... the media does have the right to be in the courtroom, and the courts are open to public scrutiny."

However, "Sometimes children do need to come in the courtroom and testify, and they do need to be protected," she said.

The candidates also talked about their legal experience.

Liu, the son of Chinese immigrants, focused on his 20-year work in criminal law, as a prosecutor in New York City and Monterey County, and in private practice as a defense attorney. Working as a defense attorney to help those he once tried to jail, Liu said he's seen the other side of the justice system, which he said would help him as judge.

Somers noted that he's prosecuted nearly every type of criminal case, including major fraud cases, political corruption cases and "numerous gang cases, from the fairly mundane gang-crimes cases all the way up to double murders."

In the same campaign mailer Williams made the judicial experience claim, she also she worked as a "prosecutor," a title Whilden's supporters said was misleading, since Williams hadn't yet passed the bar exam and only worked in the Los Angeles district attorney's office for less than a year.

While Williams stopped short Wednesday of saying she'd been a prosecutor, she said the full-time certified law clerk position she held with the L.A. DA's Office right out of law school allowed her to fulfill a role similar to deputy district attorneys — managing a calendar and handling a caseload. "You act in court as a full fledged DA," she said of the position.

Williams, whose brother was a homicide victim several years ago, also noted her experience in the Monterey County Public Defender's Office, a job with a private attorney, and work she's done in the areas of family law, corporate and securities and workers' compensation.

Whilden said that when she was appointed as a Superior Court commissioner in 2011 with sweeping support, she received "extensive judicial training" that is only available to appointed superior court judges and commissioners.

"And that training was in every single case type that appears on the superior court bench," Whilden said.





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THEATER

"talking points" prepared for the May 5 council workshop, the theater's foundation, towers and electrical systems need to be replaced. Depending on how extensive that work is, other requirements could be triggered, such as ADA access, additional evacuation routes and a full-blown EIR.

City administrator Jason Stilwell provided copies of various proposals, studies and assessments of the Forest Theater compiled over the past 15 years, including architect Richard McCann's comprehensive overhaul and architect Brian Congleton's Forest Theater Master Plan. At Monday's meeting, McCann went over all of the potential problems at the theater, from the steep parking lot and pathways, to the inadequate electrical and sound systems, seating, structures, plumbing and too few bathrooms. He suggested a comprehensive approach that would preserve the theater while addressing all its deficiencies.

Congleton, on the other hand, took the more minimalist perspective that resonated with most people in the audience. "If you listen to Mr. McCann's assessment, you're not

going to open next season, either," he observed.

Congleton said he "was as surprised as everyone else" that the theater was shut, and that "maybe it was shut to get everyone's attention."

"How do we solve the problems? How do we make it work? How do we move forward?" he asked. "With the exception of the restrooms and some of the ADA issues, these fixes could be done in a few weeks."

'Declare an emergency'

Stephen Moorer, executive director of Pacific Repertory Theatre — which uses the outdoor theater for some of its productions and holds its youth-driven School of Dramatic Arts in the indoor theater — encouraged the city to declare the theater project an emergency and get started on fixing it. His company stands to lose about \$40,000 in ticket sales for its upcoming production of "Shrek," because it will have to stage it at the Golden Bough theater, which is smaller.

'How do we deal with emergencies that require immediate funds? I think that is exactly why we have reserve funds," he said. The council has already budgeted \$1.1 million for improvements at the theater.

He also urged the council to keep it simple, rather than "trying to expand the immediate work into a major propertywide renovation," which would create uncertainty and could have a negative economic impact if the theater were closed for years of construction.

Moorer recommended a phased approach to deal with the immediate electrical and access issues first, and he suggested separating the outdoor and indoor theaters.

"I was present at every major inspection, and all the engineers agreed that there were no serious structural issues downstairs," but the indoor theater was closed as a precaution because of electrical issues. "I supported that decision children and electricity: not a good combination.'

But Moorer said PG&E advised him separate service could be provided to the indoor theater for \$800 to \$1,200, offering a quick remedy that would allow the kids' theater program to continue.

As for the outdoor theater, he said, even though he attended all the inspections, "I still can't tell you precisely what is wrong with the electricity."

"When will we know what the actual problem is?" he asked. Moorer also questioned the alleged structural problems, noting the theater has no load-bearing walls, no heavy roof or suspended equipment, and the concrete foundation is sound, though the stage "has some 'squishy' spots and needs a new plywood top." He said the lighting towers need new guy wires and pads, but they aren't structural, since they don't hold anything other than a dozen lights.

"My point is that we shouldn't allow the problems to be overblown," he said.

Representatives from the Forest Theater Guild and the Forest Theater Foundation, as well as those who work with kids in the School of Dramatic Arts, supported the idea of getting the youth program back at the indoor theater as soon as possible and tackling the other necessary issues at the outdoor theater in phases, so some of the construction could be

done in the off-season.

Forest Theater Guild President Steve Retsky observed that he was "in the odd position of agreeing with Stephen Moorer for a change," since the groups tend to clash when it comes to use of the Forest Theater and other matters.

In response to the closure, the guild will hold its production of "Swiss Family Robinson" at Pacific Grove High School and is looking for venues for its Films in the Forest series. It has canceled its second production for the upcoming

"We realized the situation was dire — we don't want members of our audience to be in danger," he said.

Longtime residents emphasized the need to maintain the theater's charm and history, and Katherine Gualtieri, who sits on the city's historic resources board, suggested the city look into using the historic building codes available to designated

"The rusticity of it is the key to its charm," former Mayor Sue McCloud said, including the bench seats on which spectators lay out their picnics and blankets, and former councilwoman Barbara Livingston agreed.

"We want it safe, we want it sound, and we want it very, very Carmel," she said. "Get it open as quickly as possible." Mayor Jason Burnett observed the clear direction from

theater users and others that they "want to do what has to be done to get it reopened," and new councilman Steve Dallas said he'd like to know exactly what closed the theater and what has to be done.

"If we all work together as a team in a quick matter, I think we can get this solved and save this season," he said. "I know it's a big goal."

Burnett has also said the city will make efforts to make sure the Forest Theater maintains its "funky" feel.

McCloud suggested private citizens might even help defray the costs.

"If you package it the right way, someone might come with a checkbook," she said.

Big Sur field station opens its doors

OFFERING THE public a rare glimpse of a 3,800-acre biological field station, the Landels-Hill Big Creek Reserve in Big Sur hosts its annual open house Saturday, May 10, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Used mostly by researchers and college students, the reserve is closed to the public 364 days a year.

With a topography that ranges in elevation from sea level to about 3,500 feet, the reserve is home to a wide diversity of flora and fauna, including groves of towering redwoods. More than 40 percent of all native plants in California can be found within its boundaries.

Guests, who are invited to join in on guided hikes, are encouraged to bring hiking shoes, snacks and water.

Big Creek is located on Highway 1 about 45 miles south of Carmel. Parking is limited to a pullout just south of the reserve's entrance. Call (831) 667-2543.







PG&E From page 1A

While the consultant's report focused on the causes of the explosion — including the migration of the gas into the home, where it was ignited by an oven pilot light — council members emphasized the fact that no one called 911 when the gas leak was first discovered at 10:38 a.m., instead not dialing the emergency number until after the 11:15 a.m. explosion, and that it wasn't until 11:45 a.m. that the gas was stopped by PG&E workers.

The safety problems "cannot be solved with a map protocol — only by a quick response time," councilwoman Victoria Beach observed. "That's what I would like to see improved."

Theis relayed her experience with PG&E on April 4, when she discovered a gas leak at her family business, the Hofsas House Hotel on San Carlos Street.

"It took five hours for PG&E to arrive. Considering what went on a month before, I would have thought your emergency response people would have been a little more reactive to that," she said at the May 6 meeting. "And you had people in town, because I saw your trucks running around. It would have been nice to have someone assess the situation.'

Instead, a PG&E crew arrived Friday afternoon and closed the north wing of her hotel for the weekend — a tough blow to a business that relies heavily on weekend visitors.

"Absolutely, Victoria is on the right track in terms of what is the response to anybody who calls, and what are the procedures to prevent something like this from happening again?" Theis said. "After an incident like this, there's still not a readiness to help."

Resident Lucas Austin remarked about the worker's call to the field supervisor.

"Is that common practice to call your boss before you call 911?" he asked.

Left to fend

Several residents wondered why they hadn't been evacuated after the leak was detected. They also commented on the poor conditions of streets the utility company has trenched.

Councilman Ken Talmage remarked, "PG&E has to understand people in Carmel are concerned, if not scared, when they see a PG&E truck on their block."

"There is work still to be done," but it shouldn't be done based on century-old maps of sewer and gas lines, he said, 'so residents will have confidence that PG&E knows what it's doing when it goes to dig up the streets."

Councilman Steve Dallas asked for a report of all gasrelated calls and response times in the city, and he also wanted to know how many crews carry the large "squeezers" that allow them to crimp live gas lines.

"We've talked about getting a set and putting them out at our police department, so they could be within five minutes of any emergency in town," Talmage said.

"I've been told by several residents that they walked by the area and smelled gas, so that tells me there was enough gas in the air that a layperson could detect it," Mayor Jason Burnett commented. "Which further begs the question why 911 was not called."

PG&E Vice President Kevin Knapp didn't answer ques-

tions about the slow response time to the gas leak, or explain why 911 wasn't called more quickly.

Instead, he said his company wants "to be as transparent as possible around all aspects of what we're doing."

He also mentioned the pavement work that needs to be done throughout the city where crew were trenching to replace and install new gas lines before all the work was haltand which has generated a lot of complaints from residents. He said the city will do the work, but PG&E will pay for it, and Burnett and the rest of the council agreed that's the best way to go.

"Rather than asking PG&E to do the work, the proposal is the city would do the work in the normal ways we do, with a normal competitive bid following our specs and guidelines, and PG&E would reimburse us," Burnett explained.

Resumption of work delayed

Given the feedback the council members provided to representatives of the utility, they decided not to act on the other proposed business at the meeting — namely, to receive PG&E's report on "proposed safety mitigation" and to consider approving PG&E's resumption of work on replacing

After the meeting, PG&E spokeswoman Monica Tell provided a statement:

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To commemorate Mother's Day, Carmel Plaza is donating potted flowering plants to about 50 local mothers whose families live far away. Attendees of the performance are invited to write messages to the mothers on note cards provided by Carmel Plaza. The mothers will receive their cards the same day. "I just think about all these mothers," said Martha Torres of Carmel Plaza. "We wanted to do something special for them."

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since the public buyout of Cal Am, water rates in Felton are up 60 percent and that her family will be paying nearly \$14,000 more in property taxes to repay the bonds used to finance the Cal Am takeover.

"Don't make the same mistake we did," Hollenbeck, a Scotts Valley High School music teacher, says in the TV ad, which also runs on YouTube. "Vote No on Measure O."

A flier also featuring Hollenbeck was mailed to Monterey Peninsula water customers this week. In it, she warns Peninsula ratepayers that the public takeover backers in Felton promised it would cost only about \$2 million to buy out the much smaller Cal Am water system there.

"But almost a decade later, when the lawyers had been paid and the court determined the value of seizing Cal Am's property by eminent domain," according to Hollenbeck, "the final cost [to buy out Cal Am] was \$13.4 million — 574 percent more than they claimed it would be.'

She adds that because of the Cal Am takeover, water rates in Felton are slated to skyrocket by 96 percent by 2016.

"I have not seen a public takeover benefit us as promised," she said. "In fact, we are now facing the very issues that they said Cal Am would impose on us: high water rates and water supply problems."

About 75 percent of residents voted for the Felton takeover. Cal Am first refused to sell the system, which it purchased in 2002, but came to an agreement with the San Lorenzo Valley Water District, which bought the company's operating assets. At the time, the Felton system had only about 1,300 water customers. Cal Am's Monterey customers number more than 40,000.

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Public Water Now and Measure O founder Ron Cohen dismissed the No on O TV ad featuring Hollenbeck as "deceptive."

"It implies property tax has gone up \$14,000 when in fact that is the loan amount plus interest paid back over 30 years," he told The Pine Cone. "They also fail to mention that rate increases are about half of what we've experienced here on the Peninsula during the same time period."

Cohen, who provided names of several Felton residents he said were happy with their water arrangement, also said that the advertisement doesn't say that Felton residents' water bills are \$450 lower per year than if Cal Am had remained the city's water provider. That figure has been disputed by opponents of Measure O.

'Quite an omission, wouldn't you say?" Cohen said.

Endorsements, opposition

Meanwhile, endorsements for and against Measure O continue to be tallied.

On Tuesday, the Monterey County Board of Supervisors voted 4-1 — with 4th District Supervisor Jane Parker dissenting — to oppose the Cal Am takeover initiative.

Fifth District Supervisor Dave Potter, who made the motion to oppose the ballot measure, said that its passage threatened to derail progress that's been made toward the Monterey Peninsula Water Supply Project, a sentiment repeatedly made by the mayors of all six Peninsula cities.

The water project includes a desalination plant in North Marina, water storage facilities and a recycled water project now called "Pure Water Monterey," which will be created by partnership of Cal Am, the Monterey Regional Water Pollution Control Agency and the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District.

Parker, who has endorsed Measure O, cited what she said was Cal Am's poor track record and higher water rates as the reason

Besides the six Peninsula mayors, groups and individuals who say, "No," on Measure O include the Carmel River Steelhead Association, Monterey County Association of Realtors, Monterey County Hospitality Association, Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce, Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce and the Monterey Peninsula Taxpayers Association.

Other elected officials backing the No on O campaign include former Carmel Mayor Sue McCloud, Carmel City Councilman Ken Talmage, former Monterey Mayor Dan Albert, Del Rey Oaks City Councilwoman Kristin Clark and Salinas city Councilwoman Kimbley Craig.

Cohen provided to The Pine Cone a list of organizations and individuals he said supports Measure O. Among them are the Carmel Residents Association, League of Women Voters Monterey County, Carmel Valley Association, Green Party Monterey County, Sustainable Monterey County, and Sustainable Pacific Grove.

Elected officials endorsing Measure O include former county supervisor Karin Strausser Kaufman, Monterey City Councilwoman Nancy Selfridge, Monterey City Councilman Alan Haffa, Seaside City Councilmen Alvin Edwards and David Pacheco, and Pacific Grove Councilmen Ken Cuneo and Dan Miller.

Public Water Now and Measure O also have the financial backing of longtime Peninsula water activist George Riley and developer Nader Agha, each donating \$10,000 to the Yes on Measure O campaign.

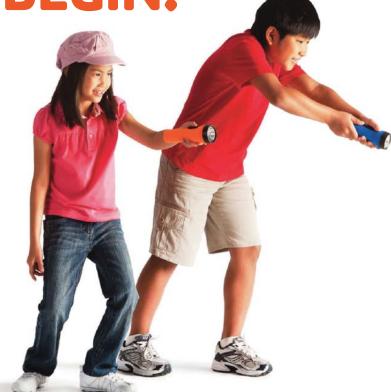
While Cohen had initially wanted The Pine Cone to downplay the financial support from Agha — who has long criticized Cal Am in hopes a Peninsula city would sign up for his own desal project in Moss Landing -Public Water Now in April publicized Agha's support in a press release, lauding his contri-



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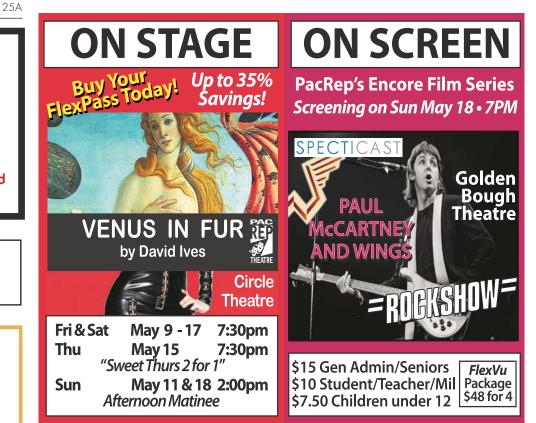
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May 16 - Join Monterey Peninsula College for the 2014 President's Address to the **Community,** Featuring MPC's Superintendent/President, Dr. Walter Tribley at the Monterey Conference Center on Friday, May 16, 2014 at 11:30 a.m. The 2014 President's Address Honoree is

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cials haven't yet made plans to create a test plot to examine the impact of removing bays, Tim Jensen, the park district's planning and conservation manager, called it "an area of study sorely lacking."

Jensen called sudden oak death "a real environmental game-changer."

"It has wreaked alarming tanbark oak dieoff at the district's Mill Creek Redwood Preserve and large areas in southern Palo Corona Regional Park," Jensen said. "It is now established in Garland Park."

Frangioso said she believes Garland Park has the perfect conditions to study how effectively the removal of bays can reduce the spread of sudden oak death. The park's hill-sides are densely covered with oaks.

"It's an ideal situation," Frangioso said. "It has lots of live oaks and very few bays. It's a great place to do a study."

Sudden oak death thrives in wet weather, but doesn't fare as well during droughts. Because the rainfall has been below average for the past three years, Frangioso said it's possible that much of the pathogen in the park is concentrated in a limited number of

"hot spots," making it easier to eradicate.

But she said the time to go after it is now, before the next cycle of wet weather arrives, which some forecasters are predicting will be soon

Worth the risk

The idea of culling bay trees and using herbicides inside the boundaries of parks might seem shocking to some, but the plan has the support of one local advocate for the environment. The former president of the Monterey chapter of the California Native Plant Society, Brian LeNeve is willing to take a chance the experts are right.

"It's a real tough call, but I think it's worth the gamble," LeNeve told The Pine Cone. "There's nothing else on the horizon. We've got to control it some way."

LeNeve said the CNPS "has not been asked to take a position on the plan," but the group "supports the judicial use of herbicides when needed."

While some might argue park officials should let nature do its course, Frangioso disagreed. By supressing fire in places like Big Sur and Carmel Valley, humans have already interfered with nature — and possibly contributed to the spread of sudden oak death.

"We live in a fire dominated landscape," she added. "In the absence of fire, we need to manage the landscape."

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She is survived by John, her husband of 43 years; her son John Jr; her daughter Ashley and three grandchildren, JT, Zoe and Wyatt. Stephanie was a devoted wife, a loving mother, grandmother and friend.

A funeral mass will be held on May 16th at the Carmel Mission at 10:30 am. In lieu of flowers, the family requests gifts be made in Stephanie's name to the Point Lobos Foundation, on line at pointlobos.org or by mail to PO Box 221789, Carmel, CA 93922.

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When she was old enough to say "no" — a teenager, probably — Jean told her shocked parents that she no longer wished to go with them to the seaside. It wasn't that she didn't like the sea — in fact, before she died on Dec. 24, 2013, at the age of 92, she cursed having legs too weak to wade into the surf

at Carmel, where she'd spent the last 25 years of her life.

No, "Granny," as her family called her, didn't want to tiptoe at the safe edges of life — she wanted to wade in up to her neck. It meant that she left England for America as a young woman and traveled to the Middle East alone, after Angus Murray — the love of her life — died in the mid-1980s. At dinner parties, she was famous for performing handstands in long, flowing dresses. But mostly, it meant that she did and said exactly what she pleased all of her life.

Granny was born in England. She didn't stay there, but it shaped her — particularly during World War II, when, at any moment, a German bomb might have landed on her house.

"She said that every time she got a boyfriend, he got shot down or killed," recalled her daughter, Heather Campbell. "Even though it was a frightening time, it was also very thrilling because people were living for the moment."

With wavy, hazelnut hair and a beautiful figure, she turned lots of heads. One of those belonged to Calvin Campbell, an American Army captain from a tiny Midwestern farming town. When she was first introduced to her future husband, she said: "Who is that irri-

Irritation turned to infatuation. They married in 1945. When his duties separated them, she wrote him a letter every day. For the next twenty years, she had a mostly wonderful life. During the war, a single egg was a luxury. As an officer's wife stationed in Japan, Granny remembered a party in which the centerpiece was a scale model of the Emperor's palace made entirely of sugar cubes. Two children — Heather and Graham — came during those giddy post-war years.

Her marriage lasted a long time, but it didn't last. She fell for another American in uniform, Angus Norman Murray. They married and lived together in a home she helped design in Fair Oaks, Calif.

"She adored Angus," her daughter said. She felt that way about him still, when he died of leukemia in 1985. Just seven months later, she lost her only son, Graham, who drowned during a camping trip in central California.

But Granny did not retreat from life. "I'm a survivor," she often said.

She traveled to Petra, the ancient ruined city in Jordan. She'd always wanted to live near the ocean. So she moved into a home at Del Mesa Carmel. She understood better than most the interplay of light, texture and color. Her home was small but beautiful.

All of her life, she loved the color red. Red bougainvillea blossoms engulfed her back fence. She planted red geraniums. She had a red front door. To her, red wasn't just a color, it was a statement — the difference between success and failure. When one of her grandsons was writing his first novel, she said, "It must have a red cover, if you want it to sell."

She made no such judgments about skin color — something she passed on to her daughter.

"Had I been afraid of different skin colors, religions age and origins, I would have missed out on so many wonderful experiences and friendships," her daughter said.

Granny could be stubborn. She once went into a shoe shop in Carmel, spent two hours trying on countless pairs of shoes, only to tell the salesman none of them would do. She was stubborn about her belief in God too. When an ambulance tore past, sirens wailing, she'd stop on the sidewalk to pray. Whether speaking to a complete stranger or her daughter, she always ended the conversation with, "God bless you." To her, a belief in God was as natural as breathing in and out, as wonderful as an ocean wave breaking on the shore.

Besides her daughter, survivors include: two grandsons, Stefano Esposito of Chicago, Il., James Myrvang of Tulsa, Okla.; a great-grandson, Lucca Esposito of Chicago; a step-son, Robert Murray, and a step-grandson, Dylan Murray, both California residents; and a daughter-in-law, Elaine Campbell, of Beverly Hills, Fla.

A memorial service is planned for Saturday, May 17 at 2 p.m. at All Saints' Episcopal Church, at Dolores Street and Ninth Avenue in Carmel.

Editorial

No on O

THE IDEA of a public takeover of Cal Am has been debated so thoroughly and rejected so frequently on the Monterey Peninsula, only a newcomer could take the idea seriously now.

May 9, 2014

Still, the threat Measure O on the June ballot poses to the health, safety and welfare of the people of the Monterey Peninsula is so real, it's important for everybody to take the time to vote it down.

As far back as 1935, Peninsula voters were asked to approve a government takeover of their water company. That year, after a heated debate over water rates that went on for months, they rejected the takeover idea by a 2-1 margin.

The next time they were asked, in 1965, local voters said an even louder, "No," voting 3 to 1 against a takeover initiative. The studies and arguments leading up to that vote, including extensive hearings before the PUC on the water company's probable value, along with endless back-and-forth about the virtues of private enterprise vs. government control, lasted a full seven years.

In 2005, the idea was raised again, generating yet more debate in public meetings and on the editorial pages of local newspapers. Inevitably, the public rejected the takeover again, this time by 63 percent to 37 percent.

At least the activists who demanded government ownership of the water system in those earlier eras had the decency to wait a few decades before bringing it up again.

But today, a mere nine years after Monterey Peninsula voters soundly rejected the notion of public ownership of Cal Am, they are once again faced with the necessity of saying an emphatic, "No."

It's possible the vote will be closer this time — something on the order of 55 percent to 45 percent — mainly because of the Monterey Herald's endless efforts over the last five years to vilify the water company. The newspaper's previous editor now shows up in campaign literature as a supporter of Measure O, which comes as little surprise, since he did everything he could while he was in charge at the newspaper, including make things up, to try to convince people Cal Am was evil.

But while some people may have been fooled by the newspaper's tactics, or are just in love with the idea of more big government, most Monterey Peninsula voters are too well informed and too intelligent to be distracted from the basic facts:

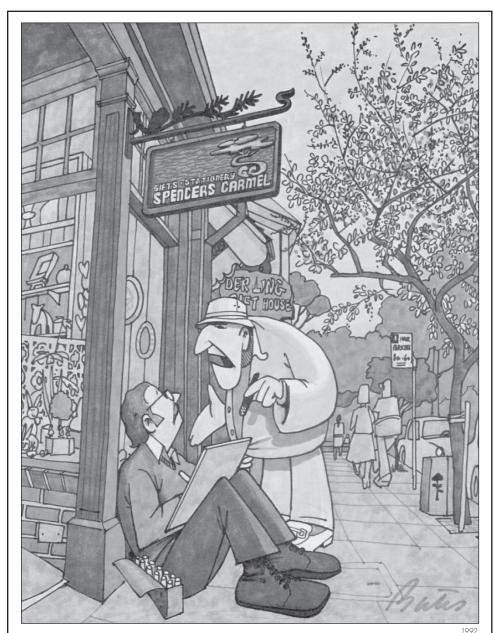
- This community has a dire water shortage, which we are now closer to solving than any time in the last 30 years.
- The shortage is not Cal Am's fault, but is due to government-imposed environmental restrictions on pumping from our long term source, the Carmel River.
- The high price of water is also not Cal Am's fault. It has been caused by those same environmental restrictions and the cost of complying with them.
- Taking over Cal Am now will do nothing to lower the price of water and will actually be a major impediment to alleviating the shortage.

In short, even putting Measure O on the ballot was an insult to this community's intelligence.

If it passes, the result will be a major setback toward solving our water shortage. Meanwhile, solving that shortage is this community's most urgent necessity, whereas public ownership is something we could surely live without for another 15 or 20 years, if we ever need it at all.

The list of community leaders and groups opposed to Measure O is long and impressive, while the names of groups in favor wouldn't take up the fingers of one hand, and there's a good reason for that: Measure O is a truly terrible idea.

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CRA endorses O Dear Editor,

The Carmel Residents Association Board of Directors has endorsed a Yes vote on Measure O, the public water initiative, based on the following findings:

- The state's cease and desist order, pertaining to the Carmel River, will not be impacted in any way by the passage of Measure O.
- Measure O will have no effect on the construction and completion of the planned desal plant.
- Measure O will have no effect on any other aspect of the Monterey Regional Water Project as presently proposed.
- The ratepayers need and deserve a study so they can make an informed decision about how to provide our community with the least expensive and most efficient way to

deliver water.

Additionally, the CRA Board of Directors acknowledges and supports all efforts by all parties involved in pursuing more water.

"It is always the right time to do the right thing."

Barbara Livingston, CRA president

Why trust the water board? Dear Editor,

If putting the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District in charge of operating a water business is such a good idea, why is the main leader of WaterPlus and Yes on Measure O, Ron Weitzman, suing the same government agency for malfeasance? Why reward a bad bureaucracy with more power? Why let the fox guard the water henhouse?

Several years ago, I attended a number of WaterPlus meetings, and they seemed disgusted with the MPWMD and its expensive failures to provide a new water source after 35 years. These people had such a low opinion of MPWMD that one WaterPlus leader encouraged me to mount a campaign to finally abolish it. Of course, years earlier, voters had already done that with an overwhelming vote of no confidence.

So the question becomes this: Why would anyone want a hated, failed and malfeasant bureaucracy to take control of our water? It makes no sense. Maybe it has something to do with a WaterPlus businessman who believes he can finally sell his oceanfront Moss Landing property if the government takes over Cal Am.

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An officer's decision and its life-or-death consequences

First of two parts.

THE INCIDENT could have been a slam dunk for police
— a clear assault resulting in an easy felony conviction.

A man in his mid-30s attacked a Carmel police officer on May 2, 2013. It took three officers to subdue and cuff the man.

Officer Chris Johnson was among the three officers at the scene. Johnson had become familiar with Jeremy Lenowitz after responding to previous calls about him in the past. He knew the man was possibly suffering from a mental illness.

Lenowitz had encountered other cops from various agencies for at least three years. He had been Tasered by Monterey County Sheriff's deputies. He was sent to a state mental hospital near Portland after another incident in Oregon.

"There were multiple incidents," said Lenowitz' father, Erwin. "He was not on his medications; and he would have paranoid-schizophrenic episodes that turned into major crises. He was never really threatening, per se, but you never knew"

As a parent, Erwin Lenowitz had been through hell. "You want to help your child, but I was literally on the brink of washing my hands of it," he said. "We had tried everything. You realize after a while that there is nothing you can do."

And when Jeremy Lenowitz was wandering the streets early one morning last May and screaming at nobody, Johnson and another Carmel officer responded to the call from a concerned neighbor. Agitated, the man charged the officers, knocking one of them to the ground before he could be subdued.

Now Johnson had a choice. He could book the man into Monterey County Jail, from where he could face criminal charges, or he could take him to Natividad Medical Center.

Johnson had been through a Crisis Intervention Training program offered by the Monterey County Behavioral Health Department about six years before. During the CIT program,

he learned that a harsh response to potentially explosive scenarios often makes matters worse.

Sometimes the protect-and-serve ideal of good police work requires patience and compassion. Sometimes the subjects they encounter aren't criminals, despite their behavior.

"Sometimes, they're someone who just needs help," Johnson said.

People with mental illnesses can do irrational, abhorrent and erratic things that can spark an angry response from peace officers. For too many years, the police simply charged in and eliminated the problem. Delusional people have been killed, seriously injured or simply thrown into prison.

It happened in Monterey County, in 1998, when a Seaside man with a schizophrenia diagnosis was shot and killed during a police action while he stood on the roof of an apartment building and brandished a corkscrew. Charles Vaughan was at least the fourth person with a mental-health diagnosis to die at the hands of police during a 10-year period.

Community activists reacted, demanding that a successful crisis-training program established in Memphis, Tenn., in 1988 be available in Monterey County.

Despite some initial skepticism, police agencies were eventually convinced that officer participation in the programs would eliminate a lot of unnecessary family heartache, incendiary headlines and expensive lawsuits — not to mention the emotional toll officers suffer after they have needlessly injured or killed someone because they had been deprived of training.

By now, most officers on police forces throughout the Monterey Peninsula have received crisis intervention training

Devon Corpus, the crisis team coordinator for the Monterey County Behavioral Health Department, said that more than 1,000 peace officers have taken the training since the program was established 14 years ago in Monterey County. About 30 officers graduate from each training, a 40-hour course held twice a year.

Corpus is also available to officers who seek her assistance when they encounter situations that might involve people with a mental-health diagnosis.

Officers who take the course are not expected to be social

beyond the realm

By JOE LIVERNOIS

workers or psychiatrists, Corpus said, but it does provide them with "additional tools."

"Traditional police methods, misinformation and lack of sensitivity can cause frustration for the mentally ill and their families, as well as police," she said. The training reduces the number of incidents involving use of force with people with mental illness, resulting in fewer injuries to police and citizens, she added.

For too many years, officers responding to calls of people acting irrationally simply charged in, guns drawn, escalating the suspect's irrational behavior until officers believed they had no choice but to take the suspect down. The stigma of mental illness dictated their reactions.

Those reactions created a negative image for police. The

public assumed that they had been trained to shoot first and ask questions later, that their hard-boiled attitudes made them insensitive to human frailties.

Bad cops still certainly patrol our streets, but it's foolish

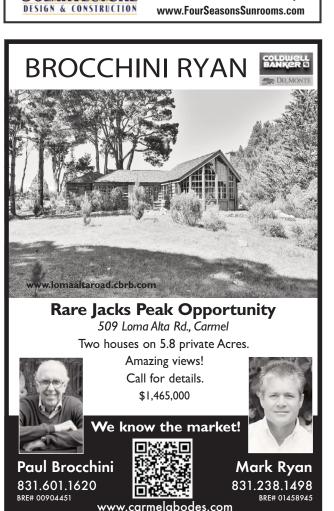
to base judgments of all police officers by the behavior of the occasional bad apple.

As a reporter in Monterey County for several decades,

I've seen the lives that have been destroyed in the aftermath of police shootings, the devastation to the families and loved

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Somewhere the angels are having a helluva laugh

By LARRY WILDE

THE OLD show-biz adage says, "Always leave 'em laughing." Carmel's consummate cartoonist, Bill Bates, did just that. This month marks the fifth anniversary since Bill left us, yet the legacy of laughter he left behind continues to brighten our days. His masterful cartoons about life in our quirky little corner of paradise are as fresh and funny today as when they first appeared in The Pine Cone.

I had the pleasure of knowing Bill. We shared more than a few laughs over the years. From the minute we met, he made me smile.

I was standing in line at Staples awaiting a copy of my manuscript for "The Official Cat Lovers/Dog Lovers Joke Book" when somebody tapped me on my shoulder. I turned to see a full grown elf — white haired, merry eyes, a countenance full of mischief and humor.

He said, "Say, could you be Larry Wilde, the joke book author?" He had me from that moment on. What author can resist the thrill of being recognized?

"Guilty, " I replied."

"I'm Bill Bates. I do cartoons. Maybe you've seen them in The Pine Cone?'

We were instant friends. I loved his work, and he loved mine. It was a match made in heaven, in a Seaside office sup-

"I belong to a cartoonists' roundtable," Bill said. "We meet for coffee every Tuesday. Why don't you join us? The guys would love to meet you. We're always looking for new

Thus began a weekly ritual, and my entrée into the rarified world of some of the most talented laugh-makers on the planet: cartoonists. Art, wit and pithiness all rolled into one.

The "Toonsday" group included Bob Blaisdell who, with Gus Arriola, creator of the "Gordo" comic strip, brought everyone together: Hank Ketchum of "Dennis the Menace" fame, Eldon Dedini, whose Playboy cartoons made him a national treasure, Dennis Renault of the Sacramento Bee, local poet laureate Ric Masten and, of course, Bill. For a few golden years I was honored to be seated around the table sipping coffee with a pantheon of Carmel's humor greats.

The "Toonsday" group's comedy and camaraderie resembled a similar gathering of funny men at the Los Angeles Hillcrest Country Club Comedians Round Table. On any given day at lunch, you'd find Milton Berle, Jack Benny, Danny Kaye, George Burns, George Jessel, Al Jolson, Eddie Cantor, Danny Thomas and the Ritz Brothers.

The Hillcrest gathering was an offshoot of the famed 1930's amalgam of wits known as the Algonquin Round Table. A group that included some of the most accomplished New York writers, critics and humorists of the day who regularly congregated at the Algonquin Hotel.

Among them were humorist Robert Benchley, playwright Marc Connelly, critic Alexander Woolcott, playwright, Robert E. Sherwood, actress Tallulah Bankhead, writer Dorothy Parker, comedian Harpo Marx and The New Yorker editor Harold Ross.

What's to conclude, except that funny people seem to have need to hang out together? Maybe it's the need to have an audience guaranteed to "get" the joke.

George Jessel was among the legends I interviewed for my book, "The Great Comedians Talk About Comedy."

Extremely erudite, Jessel was widely known for his frequent role as master of ceremonies at political and entertainment gatherings. President Harry Truman dubbed him "America's Toastmaster General." Jessel believed that "All comedians have a kinship, like women in childbirth.'

In a downtown Carmel coffee house I discovered that cartoonists also share that unique bond.

Back in 2009, when Bill was called up to that great big humor festival in the sky, a memorial service was held at the Community Church of the Monterey Peninsula. SRO, of

Knowing how much Bill loved to laugh, I wanted to send him off with a smile. Here's what I recited, corny rhymes and

Today I wish to honor a man who really **rates** One of the finest humorists in all 50 states Creating cartoons that causes laughter and educates To assemble his many works you'd need 1,000 crates.

A brilliant lampoonist whose satire **illuminates** Whose sharp-witted style always exhilarates He gave us the kind of whimsy that invigorates The joyful humor he produced also fascinates Radiates and **motivates**.

As our beloved Bill surely stands and waits To make his trumpeted entrance through the pearly gates Waving to angels while dancing on roller skates St. Peter is already laughing as he **contemplates** How to team Bill up with other talented greats In that saintly section reserved for one who creates.

The comical, rib-tickling picture that exaggerates But always titillates and communicates That extra special corner that already accommodates Ketcham and Arriola among the heavyweights Masten & Dedini and probably the poet W.B. Yeats.

Lest I be thought of as one who **pontificates** Or just a comedian who unashamedly adulates By rhyming words that clearly **accentuates** Expressing feelings for someone who illustrates.

Yes, I'm just a silly rhymer who merely articulates His love for a man who's character captivates I am but one of many supremely admiring **mates** And these truths will certainly cause no debates.

So now I will end this commentary in memory of: An illustrious illustrator, an accomplished artist,

A consummate cartoonist, A creative caricaturist,

A superb satirist,

A skillful sketcher,

A super spirit-lifter.

A wise and witty animator.

Surely someone blessed with all these Titanic traits Could only be my dear friend ... the one and only:

William R. Bates

Keep 'em laughing, Bill!

Larry Wilde, a Carmel resident, is the author of 53 books of humor. With sales of more than 12 million copies, The New York Times has dubbed him, "America's Best-Selling Humorist."

LIVERNOIS

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ones of suspects killed because they were acting bizarrely, and the intense psychological toll among officers who are haunted by their handling of the situations.

For the last three years, I have been a participant in the nominating committee for an Officer of the Year award presented annually to an officer who successfully uses his crisisintervention skills while on the job.

The award, sponsored by the county's Mental Health Commission and the Monterey County chapter of the National Alliance on Mental Illness, was presented May 8 at the annual Fiesta of Hope dinner held by the commission.

Officer Chris Johnson was this year's winner. Next week: The choice Chris Johnson made.

CONDOR

many years of hard work that went in to saving this species," said Kelly Sorensen, the executive director of the Ventana Wildlife Society, the group that reintroduced condors to Big

In 2007, Ventana made headlines when she was hatched from an egg in a nest in a redwood canyon along the Big Sur coast. Since then, she has taken up residence in the Pinnacles area, where she has a mate, but hasn't laid any eggs yet.

If you would like to follow Ventana's progress, you can see her live on the Oakland Zoo's Condor Cam. Visit www.oaklandzoo.org.

LETTERS

I think the 11 mayors in Monterey County who oppose Measure O know a bad deal when they see one.

Lawrence Samuels, Carmel Valley

Why won't Cal Am debate?

The Pine Cone editor recently asked for a "civil debate" regarding public ownership of our water supply system. I wish he would direct that challenge to Cal Am. To date, Cal Am has entered into a grand total of one debate with Public Water Now representatives, which was held at a League of Women Voters luncheon several weeks ago. Needless to say, Cal Am was thoroughly embarrassed, the league quickly endorsed Measure O, and Cal Am hasn't been heard from since. (Except to submit another 16 percent rate increase request to the CPUC.)

It's little wonder they won't debate — they simply can't deal with their own reality - namely, their own financial records, and their dismal history of "managed mismanagement." And so, they send out their shills and abettors to do their bidding for them. People like political idealogue Scott Dick, who once claimed he supported publicly owned water, but now — when the opportunity is before us — he's mysteriously flip-flopped his position into Cal-Am submission. And people like ever-ambitious, brass-ring-seeking Jason Burnett, the de facto mastermind of the self-serving circus calling itself the "Water Authority."

Obviously, Cal Am can't fight its own battles (except in a courtroom) so they parade out their underlings in ultra-distressed hopes of rescuing them from exposing the truth about their management practices, their financial statements, and how they really make their money — all of which would be revealed by a feasibility study.

Alas, the best they can come up with is a series of phony, misleading arguments (sadly repeated over and over by their subjects) and jingoistic slogans like "the risk we cannot afford." (The "risk" in this case simply meaning the truth.)

Friends and Neighbors, there's only one way to achieve any sense of fairness, equity, and efficiency with our water system, and that's through public ownership. Now is the time, and the path is clear. Vote Yes on Measure O.

Laurence Randolph, Carmel Valley

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Candid talk about a famous father, a TV show and a green kid

SMILE, YOU'RE on 'Candid Camera!'" is a phrase that's been uttered for over half a century, since the late Allen Funt moved his radio show, "Candid Microphone," to a newfangled medium called "television" in August

The show has had many different incarnations, but its essence remains the same: good-natured pranks played on unsuspecting people in front of hidden cameras.

Now produced and hosted by son Peter, it's coming back for another run starting this August, this time on TV Land. Funt said the show will stay true to its roots: "There's an audience for harsher, cruder, mean-spirited stuff," Funt said. "But I am firmly persuaded there's a bigger audience for our approach."

"Candid Camera" will have

a cosmetically updated look and feel, with a new co-host whose identity remains a secret. Funt said he also likes to go with "the zeitgeist," in terms of topics.

By way of example, he mentioned a recent taping in Arizona, where the state Legislature had attempted to pass a law that would have allowed businesses to refuse service to gay patrons based on business owners' religious beliefs.

Accordingly, Funt set up a phony, "gay only" tire shop that refused service to straight people, then recorded what happened. He also set a well dressed actor with a British accent on an Arizona street corner and instructed him to tell people he was an illegal alien, then solicit a character reference to help him gain his citizenship. He ran the same setup with an actor portraying a Mexican laborer and said the results were all too predictable.

Funt noted that being topical for variety's sake didn't mean he was on a mission: "The bulk of what we do is for comedic entertainment, but I don't like to be a one-note musi-

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Peter Funt

Nevertheless, witnessing and fighting discrimination is a thread that runs consistently through Funt's career. While majoring in journalism at the University of Denver in

1967, he interviewed the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. on his radio show — an experience he recalled as "a magical moment, miraculous."

After graduation, he worked for ABC News and the New York Times. In 1970 he received an award for his coverage of racial unrest in Asbury Park, N.J. And what Funt is proudest of — other than "Candid Camera" — is a project that grew out of a segment he recorded for the show at La Mesa Elementary School in 2003.

After consulting with the principal and seriously weighing the ethics of fibbing to some second graders, he sat down with individual youngsters and told them a new kid would be coming to school, and by the way, he had green skin. He asked if the children would be OK with that, and whether they thought other children would be welcoming.

After the four-minute segment aired, he said, "We received an unexpected flood of inquiries from educators." In response, he created a longer recording, adding unaired footage, and made it available to schools on request. Then he learned it was being used in college teaching programs. He and his crew traveled around, recording responses and interactions with both school children and college students, and the project continued to grow.

He said that 2,500 schools in the United States now use "The Green Kid" to help teach tolerance, and an entire set of curriculum has been developed to accompany it.

But getting back to "Candid Camera" — because Funt certainly would — he re-joined

the family business in the 1980s from his home in Connecticut.

"My father said everything east of the Hollywood Freeway was my responsibility," in terms of producing the

And then, in 1993, the

elder Funt, who lived in Pebble Beach and owned a large ranch in Big Sur, had a debilitating stroke. "I thought I was going for

"I thought I was going for an extended weekend visit in the hospital," Funt said. He cared for his father until his death in 1999; Peter and his family still make their home in Pebble Beach.

In 1996, Funt persuaded CBS to do a trib-

ute to his father's career for "Candid Camera's" 50th anniversary, which led to another run of the show. It never seems to go out of style — and why should it?

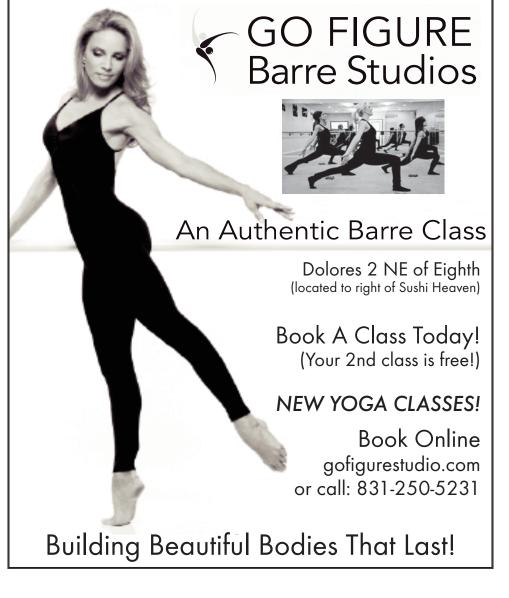
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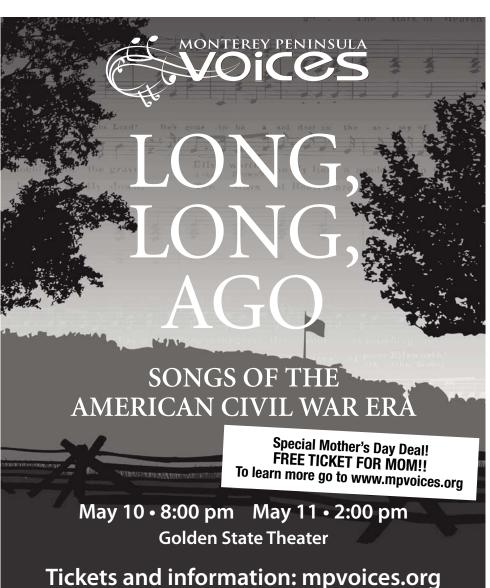
As Funt put it, "Laughter is universal, and smiling is healthy no matter where on the globe you happen to live."

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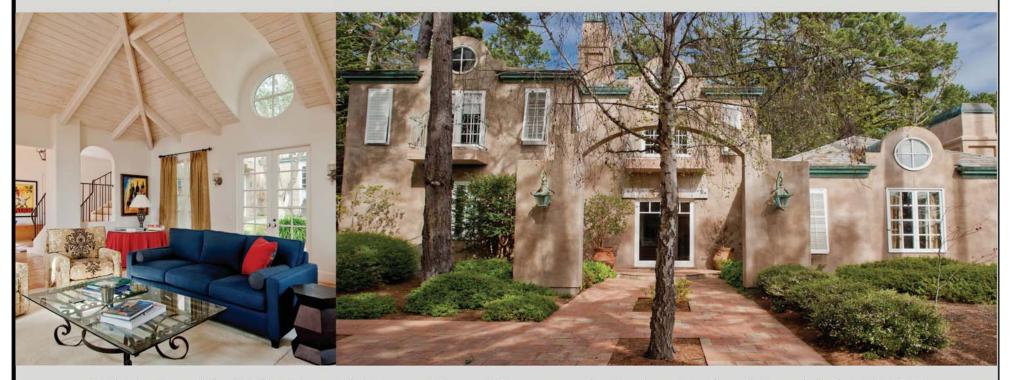
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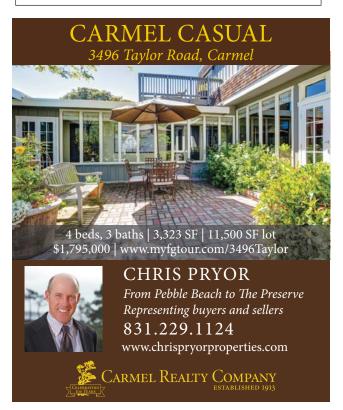
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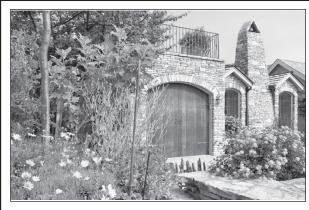
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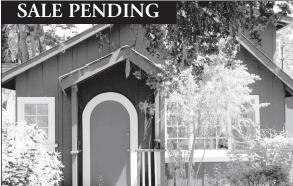
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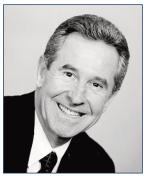
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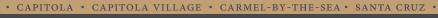
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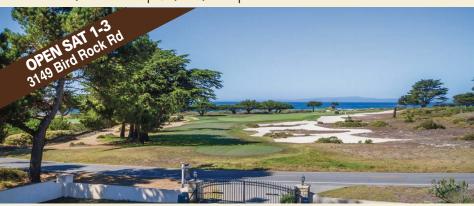
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Happy Mother's Day to the best mom in heaven or on earth

WHEN I met her she was a skinny teenager wearing a long Pendleton skirt, rolled up bobby sox, and penny loafers. Her cooking skills fell somewhere between making PB&J sandwiches and unwrapping packages of Twinkies. She thought a checkbook was about life in a Slavic country. To her, a

Scenic Views

By JERRY GERVASE

thimble and a flat iron were game pieces on a Monopoly Board. I often wondered where her mothering skills came from since her own mother was so busy raising seven children she had little time to mentor her daughters.

She dropped out of college after a couple of semesters in order to go to work. She went to her interview at General Motors wearing a beige suit with matching hat and gloves. A savvy employment manager recognized something special in her, and put her to work on a computer that was big enough to fill the

infield at Briggs Stadium. She learned programming, and soon became an instructor teaching others how to program, while she wrote script in a language called COBAL, as foreign to me as Urdu.

She was Ginger Rogers on the dance floor, but I was Fred Despair, who could trip

over the painted white lines on a parking lot surface. One day she dragged me onto the dance floor. She was as light and feathery as an apparition. She knew where I was going before I knew where I was going. Consequently, we glid-

ed through life with her making me believe I was leading. She thought I was the funniest person she had ever met, so when we married in 1958, I set out to make her laugh as often as I could.

We hadn't heard of feng shui, but without much more than a broom, she turned our upper flat into heaven on earth. Then I proceeded to drag her all over the country for the next four decades. No matter where we ended up, in a matter of weeks she had the place looking like we were the original owners. Twice I bought homes she had never

seen until we met the moving van there. She swept the front walk, talking to passers-by until she befriended the entire neighborhood. She made curtains and drapes and made clothes for the kids and for herself. If she put her mind to it, I swear she could weave straw into gold.

Once I plunked her down on 10 rural acres in the middle of nowhere, with a house half the size of the one we left. She bought a huge freezer, planned meals for a month, and then shopped so efficiently that I only had to bring home milk and bread once in a while — and then just milk because she began baking bread.

On Mother's Day in 1975 I bought her a 10 horsepower gas-operated rototiller. You would have thought I had emptied out Tiffany's for her. I can still hear her laughing when I showed her how to operate it and almost knocked down a tree. But she mastered it and tilled the land into a garden overflowing with enough healthy food to make a heart specialist smile.

She learned to cook, too. She became so good that she created a cookbook she gave to close friends as Christmas gifts. It remains the one book that keeps me from slipping into fast-food purgatory.

She never gave up on her education, and during the same week our youngest daughter



Helen Gervase, née Durbin, in Detroit, 1957

graduated from high school, and our son graduated from college, she earned her AA degree from a community college — with

At her memorial service, a cousin confided in me that my wife told him I made her

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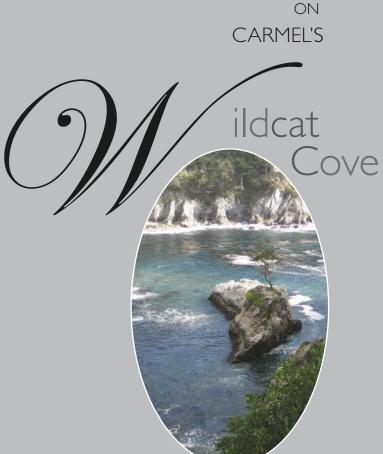


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Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a theft from an unlocked vehicle on Camino Real. No sus-

Carmel area: Woman reported that after her mother passed away, she discovered several rings missing from her residence on Outlook Drive.

Pacific Grove: Dispatched to possible child neglect on Forest Avenue. In the most recent incident, children were left in a vehicle with no food or water, and with the windows up and doors locked. The children said this occurred for several hours. Perpetrator not able to be reached on multiple attempts. Ongoing.

Pacific Grove: Report of vehicle vandalism on Grand Avenue. No suspect leads.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Woman on Second Avenue called to make a report about her lost iPhone. A brief description of the phone was provided.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Man came to station to turn in an unattended cell phone he found near the restrooms at First Murphy Park. Person notified the emergency contact person listed in the phone, and they told the finder they would notify the owner that the phone was at the police department.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Theft of property from a residence on Ocean Avenue.

Carmel area: An elderly female didn't want

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GERVASE From page 6RE

laugh every day. I doubt that's true. The philosopher Plato said: "In everyone's life no matter how good their intent there are people they made suffer." If I unintentionally made her suffer, she suffered silently — remaining at my side, but like the dancing, always a step ahead of me.

She set the bar incredibly high for our two daughters, giving them her best so that they could be their best. It is no surprise they are jerry@jerrygervase.com

loving mothers. And I never have to wonder where their mothering skills come from.

This weekend Team Helen, composed of all three of our children and some of their friends, will be honoring her memory by participating in the Revlon Run/Walk against Cancer, in Los Angeles. If you've lost a mom or any woman who was important in your life to breast cancer, consider making a contribution to fight this dreaded disease.

Happy Mother's day to all the best moms in heaven and on earth.

Jerry Gervase can be contacted at

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From page 8RE

her friend/caregiver to live at her house any longer. The situation was referred to adult protective services. Case closed.

Pacific Grove: Dispatched to a non-injury vehicle accident on Crocker Avenue. Driver 1 rear ended Driver 2.

Pacific Grove: An unknown person stole women's clothing out of the trunk of a vehicle which might have been left open while the vehicle was parked on David Avenue.

Pacific Grove: Burglary at a residence on Ninth Street.

THURSDAY, APRIL 24

Carmel-by-the-Sea: CPD units responded to a verbal domestic at a hotel on Junipero Street at 0007 hours. The husband advised he had an argument with his wife, and his wife took his keys, wallet and cell phone and wouldn't return them. Contacted the wife, who advised he kept the items because she was afraid her husband would leave the area, leaving her here with no way to get back home. Verbal only. Both parties counseled and agreed to be civil for the rest of the night.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Non-injury collision in the downtown business district.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Workplace harassment on Junipero Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Person brought a found bag of clothing and miscellaneous items to the station. There was no customer name to attempt to locate the owner. Items found on

Lincoln Street.

Pacific Grove: Officers were dispatched to a Glen Lake residence to check the welfare of a woman who sent relatives text messages claiming her husband assaulted her and that she was suicidal. The woman was not present at the home, but was at work in Monterey. Officers from Monterey PD made contact with her and determined she should be evaluated for 5150.

Pacific Grove: City workers located an abandoned bike on the rocks along Ocean View Boulevard. The bike was thrown over the retaining wall and into the ocean. Bike was tagged and secured at city yard.

Pacific Grove: An individual reported that someone had obtained a ticket for a flight to Atlanta and routed the tickets to his email utilizing his name and address. The last four numbers of the credit card did not belong to the man, and he has since contacted the three major crediting bureaus to report this incident.

Pacific Grove: Man reported that someone struck his vehicle while it was parked in the 600 block of Forest Avenue while he was attending a meeting. The vehicle sustained minor damage. The left mirror was broken, and there were green paint transfers on the housing unit. There were no witnesses, according to the victim.

FRIDAY, APRIL 25

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of identity theft and fraudulently obtaining services on Dolores Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Person found an unattended wallet lying on the sidewalk near the beach on Scenic Road. The person brought the

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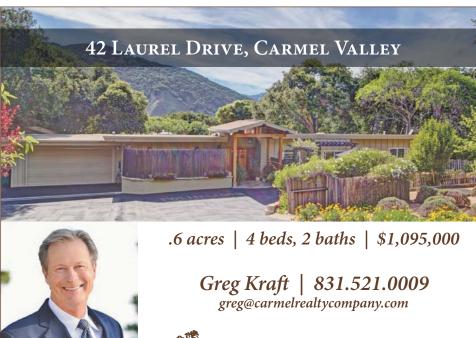
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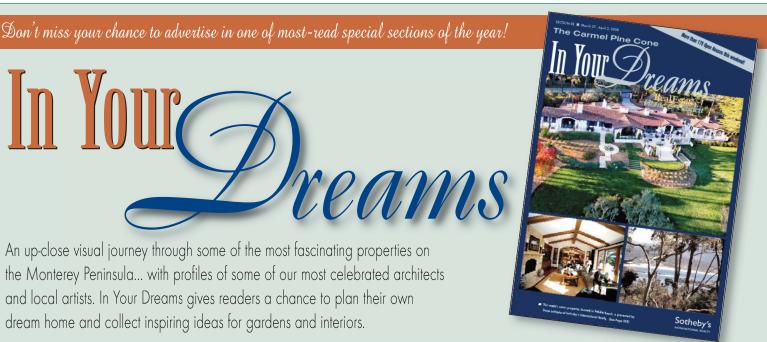
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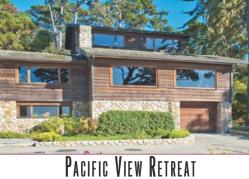
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- "I would like to express my appreciation for the consistently scrupulous and noteworthy editorial standards I have been privileged to enjoy while reading The Pine Cone for the past several years. Succinct, ethical, and straightforward journalism at the local level is a thing to be celebrated in an age wherein a responsible and effective editorial hand seems to have been dismissed as an encumbrance in countless newspapers (online and otherwise) across the multimedia spectrum. One often gets the sense that editors no longer care about the quality of their copy, and are almost cavalier about offering us articles rife with poor spelling, grammar, and outright unethical reportage. It is indeed a sad and condescending state of affairs. Therefore, how refreshing it is to see the reliable excellence of The Pine Cone stand as a superior, small-town counterpoint to such disturbing decline as evidenced by the blatant ineptitude of so many subpar contributors in our national news outlets. Again, I would like to thank you and the entire Pine Cone staff for such perennially diligent work and attention to detail. It is a pleasure to behold, a most valuable contribution to our community, and I am only too happy to actively seek-out and support your advertisers with my business whenever possible. Keep up the fine work!"
- "I want to thank you for providing our community with a real local newspaper. While I may not always agree with all of the content, I do always enjoy reading The Pine Cone. Thanks again for keeping our 'news' small town."
- "I have nothing to offer as far as advice except to tell you I can't wait until Friday to read The Pine Cone, and I can't wait to read your editorials! The Pine Cone is 'must read.' I especially enjoy the food/wine section, but virtually every thing you report is greatly valued by me, a life long Carmel/Carmel Valley resident! Great work! Please keep doing what you are doing."
- "As a former editor of many years, with a few as a publisher/editor, I always like to let a colleague know how much I enjoy their publication, if it is worthy of such enjoyment. Yours is."
- "I appreciate your paper and the online format you have that let's me browse Carmel from Sonoma where I live. I always enjoy reading The Pine Cone with my morning coffee when I'm in Carmel, and you've done such a great job with the online format that I can smell the ocean from the Sonoma town square on Friday mornings when I open my email from The Pine Cone."

They love us ...

they really, really love us!'

- "Just a note to tell you how much I enjoy The Pine Cone. Carmel is fortunate to have such a fine paper serving the community. We spend a couple of months in Carmel each year. Of course, we always pick up a copy of the paper. But we read it cover to cover throughout the year. It is so wonderful to be able to keep up with the community we love so much. Please keep up the good work."
- "You have the best paper on the Monterey Peninsula. I read the 'real' news in The Pine Cone and your Real Estate Section is No. 1. You have a true local paper."
- "I just wanted to say thank you for sending me The Pine Cone every week! I am returning to Carmel soon and can't wait to actually have the actual paper in my hands. The Pine Cone has been such a welcome gift every week while I have been away these past few years."
- "I love your newspaper and await it eagerly weekly! It is the highlight of my week Thursdays at 9 p.m. when The Pine Cone 'ding' hits my iPad."
- "Thank you for your devotion to your community. You will never know how much The Pine Cone has meant to me. Oh, how I look forward to it every week."
- "I always look forward to Fridays when The Pine Cone comes out. The articles are so well written, you are not afraid of controversy, and the calendar items give enough time to make plans. But my new favorite item is the Police Log cartoon. I laugh out loud pretty much every time I see it and go back for one last laugh before I recycle. Words can't describe what the art can do — it's remarkable."
- "When I turn on the computer on Friday mornings or the weekend and see The Pine Cone, I smile."
- "I get The Pine Cone every week and enjoy it more than you can know. What a wonderful paper you have. I read every word!"
- "I just wanted to let you know how truly outstanding The Pine Cone is. The writing equals, if not exceeds, top-notch national papers. You and your staff should be proud. I know I've told you before how great I think The Pine Cone is, but it really is a terrific paper."
- "Thank you for providing balanced and researched reporting and upbeat articles. I hope we have The Pine Cone around for many years to come. If it gets down to it, I would pay for the subscription to keep the paper viable."
- "We poll our ticket-buyers as to where they hear about our concerts. You might be surprised to learn how many of them mention The Pine Cone. Thanks!"
- "Thanks for the consistently great job you do with your newspaper. I regularly read several newspapers from around the country and yours has the best editorial integrity — bar none. Keep up the good work!"

SHERIFF

wallet to CPD for safekeeping. There was a phone number listed for the owner inside the wallet. Officer attempted to call the owner, which was met with negative results. Left a message for the owner to contact the department upon receiving the message. At 1600 hours, the owner of the wallet called the station to inquire about the wallet. The owner was later reunited with her wallet.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle towed from Del Mar per section 22651(1) CVC.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Driver, a 40-year-old female, was stopped at 2341 hours for having a headlight out and found to be on DUI probation with a suspended license. Driver found to have been drinking but not DUI. Subject cited for violation of DUI probation and driving while her license was suspended, and her vehicle was impounded for 30 days.

Carmel Valley: Nason Road resident transported to CHOMP via AMR for 72-hour detention and evaluation.

Pebble Beach: Two subjects tried to leave a restaurant at the Inn at Spanish Bay without paying their bill.

Carmel Valley: An attempted entry into a residence. Five screens were removed, and visible prints were located on the windows. No entry was made into the residence.

Pacific Grove: Carmel Avenue resident said he has received several calls from a collection agency. He told the officer he already paid the past-due amounts two years prior. Resident said he has not and will not send any additional money per their request. Officer contacted the number associated and was met with an automated message. Information only.

Pacific Grove: Person on Spruce reported a hose attached to the exhaust of a vehicle. The hose led to what appeared to be a gopher hole. The person was not home at the time of dispatch. The vehicle was turned off, and the water hose was removed from the exhaust

pipe and ground. A card requesting contact was left on scene.

Pacific Grove: At 2330 hours, officer observed a male juvenile walking on Congress. Subject advised that he had a disagreement and went for a walk. Due to the time, weather and location, the officer gave the subject a courtesy transport to his residence. Information only.

SATURDAY, APRIL 26

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Assisted sheriff's office with a burglary at an address on Bay View at 0420 hours. Two suspects, a 46-yearold male and a 50-year-old female, were located hiding nearby and arrested.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A citizen on Torres Street reported a dog barking for several hours. During the officer's attempts to locate the owners of the dog, they returned home, and a warning was given.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vandalism to a business on Fifth Avenue. No suspects.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Person reported the loss of an engagement ring enclosed in a black box to the police department in the event the item is turned in for safekeeping.

Carmel area: An unknown taxi driver drove away with the person's laptop still in the car.

Carmel area: Deputies responded to an audible alarm at a Bay View residence and discovered it had been burglarized. Two-and-a-half hours later, deputies located a male and female in the area that had possessions from the residence. Both were arrested and transported to Monterey County Jail.

Pacific Grove: Stolen vehicle from Ricketts Row with no suspect information.

Pacific Grove: Person reported road rage incident with an unknown subject. Person said after passing the other driver while entering town from Highway 68, the other driver began "flipping off" the person, tailgating the vehicle and attempting to force the driver off the roadway. The other party was not located.

Pacific Grove: Resident on Benito had her wallet stolen, and the thief then attempted to withdraw a large amount of money from the

Pacific Grove: Anonymous person located a white poodle on Surf. The dog was housed at the kennel at the Pacific Grove city yard. The dog was later released to the owner.

SUNDAY, APRIL 27

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicles towed from Ocean, Monte Verde and Torres streets, all for expired registration.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Assisted CHP with non-injury accident on Martin Way. Involved parties exchanged information.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Carmel police and Monterey Fire Station 5 units responded to the downtown business district on a report of a medical emergency on San Carlos Street.

Pacific Grove: Victim's mother hit him, out of anger, with a closed fist, about five times in the arms and chest.

Pacific Grove: Diver turned in a gun slide

that he found in the water while diving. Location was 20 feet east of the stage at Lovers

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Pacific Grove: Employee reported that a 32-year-old male became violent and loud inside a business at Country Club Gate after he was asked to leave. Suspect was arrested, transported to the station and released on a citation.

Pacific Grove: Subject observed shoplifting magazines on Forest Avenue. Items returned to the store; no criminal charges wanted. No-trespassing admonishment given to suspect.

Pacific Grove: A 13-year-old made a suicide threat to mother while holding a knife. Officer observed the subject make the threat as

Pacific Grove: Locust resident found a window to his residence broken when he returned

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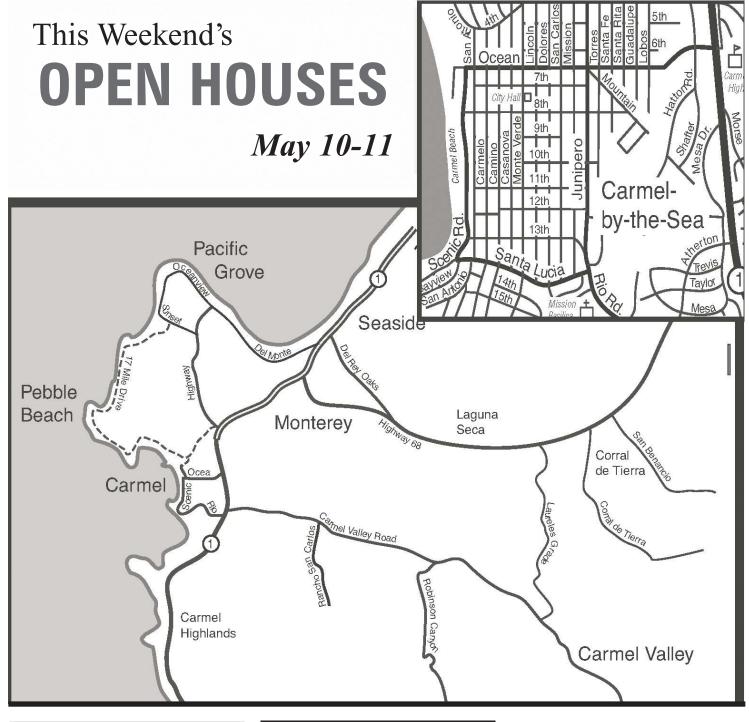
Judy Tollner, originally from Michigan and Texas, began selling residential real estate successfully in 2008. Combining her passion for volunteer work since her youth, where Tollner's chaired several fundraisers and events for her children's schools. A self-proclaimed 'Old Fashioned Realtor', Tollner provides her clients the absolute best in her unique way.





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\$530,000 2bd 2ba	Sa Su 1-4
69 Del Mesa Carmel	Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors \$635,000 3bd 2ba	622-1040 Sa Su 2-4
24520 Outlook Drive #22	Carmel
Keller Williams Realty \$719,000 2bd 2ba	596-1949 / 717-7555 Sa 11-1
3850 Rio Road #89	Carmel
Sotheby's Int'l RE	915-8989
\$785,000 2bd 1ba 3219 Serra Avenue	Sa 2-4 Carmel
The Jones Group	917-4534
\$885,000 2bd 1ba 24793 Santa Rita Street	Sa Su 1-4 Carmel
Sotheby's Int'l RE	622-4808
\$929,000 2bd 2ba 25229 Ward Place	Sa 12-3 Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040
\$1,195,000 2bd 2ba Dolores 3NE of 1st	Fr 2-4 Carmel
Sotheby's Int'l RE	236-4513
\$1,195,000 2bd 2ba Dolores 3NE of 1st	Sa 2-4
Sotheby's Int'l RE	Carmel 236-4513
\$1,199,000 2bd 2ba	Sa 1-4
Santa Fe 5 NW of 5th Sotheby's Int'l RE	Carmel 214-2545
\$1,275,000 3bd 2.5ba	Sa 11-1
3445 Edgefield Place Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Carmel 626-2221
\$1,295,000 2bd 1ba	Sa 2-4
0 9th Avenue x Monte Verde Keller Williams Realty	Carmel 277-2617
\$1,295,000 3bd 2ba	Sa 1-3
24824 Carpenter Road Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Carmel 626-2222
\$1,350,000 3bd 2ba 0 SW Mission & 13th	Su 12-3 Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040
\$1,375,000 3bd 3ba Monte Verde 2 SE of 7th	Su 1-3 Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
\$1,450,000 2bd 2ba Lincoln & 11th SW Corner Street	Sa 3-5 Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
\$1,495,000 4bd 3ba 24953 Outlook Lane	Sa 1-3 Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2223
\$1,595,000 4bd 3.5ba 3538 Greenfield Place	Sa 2-4 Carmel
Sotheby's Int'l RE	320-3174
\$1,595,000 3bd 2.5ba Torres 2 SE of 4th	Sa 1-4 Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
\$1,595,000 3bd 3ba 24651 Cabrillo Street	Su 2-4 Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
\$1,675,000 3bd 4ba 2927 Hillcrest Circle	Fri Sa 2-4 Su 12-4 Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040
\$1,699,000 3bd 2ba 2nd Ave and Lincoln, NE Corner	Sa 2-5 Carmel
Sotheby's Int'l RE	238-5331
\$1,795,000 4bd 3ba 24587 Castro Lane	Su 12:30-3 Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040
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Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
\$1,798,000 3bd 2.5ba 24576 Portola Ave	Sa 1-4 Su 10-5 Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040



\$2,529,000 3bd 2ba	Sa 1-3
San Antonio 4 SW OF 10th Ave	Carmel
Sotheby's Int'l RE	601-2040
\$2,595,000 3bd 3.5ba	Sa 1-3
Monte Verde 4 SW of 13th Street	Carmel
Carmel Realty Company	595-4999
\$2,595,000 3bd 2.5ba	Sa 12-3
26259 Hilltop Place	Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
\$2,649,000 4bd 3ba	Fr 12-3 Sa 1-3 Su 1-4
San Carlos 2NW of 13th	Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040

Sa 1-4 Carmel 622-1040

Sa 1-3

Carmel 297-2388

\$295,000 10,170 Sq.Ft. Lot	Sa 11-12
Oak Way	Carmel Highlands
Carmel Realty Company	236-8572
\$1,585,000 3bd 3.5ba	Sa 2-4
199 Van Ess Way	Carmel Highlands
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2221
\$2,198,000 5bd 5ba	Sa 2-4
8 Mentone Road	Carmel Highlands

\$865,000 2bd 2ba	Su 2-4
7026 Valley Greens Circle #18	Carmel Valley
Carmel Realty Company	809-1 <i>5</i> 42
5895,000 3bd 2.5ba	Sa 2-4
90 Valle Vista	Carmel Valley
Sotheby's Int'l RE	905-5158
5995,000 3bd 3ba	Sa 1-3
10472 Fairway Lane	Carmel Valley
Carmel Realty Company	595-0535
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26520 Val Verde Drive	Carme
David Lyng Real Estate	915-6879
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24936 Valley Way Alain Pinel Realtors	Carme 622-1040
\$1,895,000 4bd 4.5ba 24993 Hatton Road	Sa 1-3 Carme
Carmel Realty Company	915-8010
\$1,995,000 3bd 2.5ba	Sa 12-2
NW Corner San Carlos & 2nd Avenue	Carme
Carmel Realty Company	224-6353
\$1,999,000 4bd 3.5ba	Sa 2-4
3508 Lazarro Drive	Carme
Sotheby's Int'l RE	596-4647
\$1,999,000 4bd 3.5ba	Su 2-4
3508 Lazarro Drive	Carme
Sotheby's Int'l RE	236-5389
\$2,098,000 3bd 2ba	Sa 12-2:30
Casanova 2 SE of 4th Street	Carme
Carmel Realty Company	650-380-9827
\$2,150,000 4bd 3.5ba	Sa 11-1 Su 12-2
26157 Atherton Drive	Carme 277-2617
Keller Williams Realty	
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2486 17th Avenue David Lyng Real Estate	Carme 277-0640
\$2,495,000 3bd 2ba	Fr 3-5
26271 Isabella Avenue Sotheby's Int'l RE	Carme 297-2388
	277-2300

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\$2,795,000 4bd 4ba Dolores 3 SE of 9th Carmel Realty Company	Sa 2-4 Carmel 224-6353
\$2,950,000 3bd 2.5ba	Sa 10-12:30
Lincoln 4 NE of Santa Lucia	Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040
\$2,985,000 3bd 3ba	Sa 2-4
Casanova 2 SE of 10th	Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2221
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Casanova 2 SE of 10th	Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2221
\$3,300,000 3bd 3ba	Sa 2-4
26280 Inspiration Avenue	Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
\$3,300,000 3bd 3ba	Su 1-3
26280 Inspiration Avenue	Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
\$3,550,000 4bd 3.5ba	Sa 1:30-3:30
26294 Carmelo Street	Carmel
Carmel Realty Company	601-5483
\$4,995,000 4bd 4ba	Sa 1-4
Monte Verde & Santa Lucia NE Corner	Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2221
\$7,850,000 5bd 6.5ba	Sa 1-3
26264 Ocean View Avenue	Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2221

\$2,995,000 4bd 3.5ba 246 Hwy 1 The Jones Group	Sa 2-4 Carmel Highlands 236-7780
\$3,600,000 2bd 2ba 244 Highway One Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Sa 1-3 Carmel Highlands 626-2222
\$3,600,000 2bd 2ba 244 Highway One Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Su 1-3 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
CARMEL VALLEY	

\$250,000 10 Acre Lot	Sa 9-10
35046 Sky Ranch Road	Carmel Valley
Carmel Really Company	236-8572
\$385,000 2bd 2ba	Su 1-4
144 Hacienda Carmel	Carmel Valley
Sotheby's Int'l RE	277-6020
\$429,000 2bd 2ba	Sa 1-4
89 Hacienda Carmel	Carmel Valley
Sotheby's Int'l RE	277-6020
\$429,000 2bd 2ba	Su 1-4
89 Hacienda Carmel	Carmel Valley
Sotheby's Int'l RE	277-6020
\$765,000 2bd 2ba	Sa 12-2
234 Del Mesa Carmel	Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
\$779,000 3bd 2ba	Sa 1-3
212 Punta Del Monte	Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222

\$1,275,000 4bd 3.5ba	Sa 2-4
25375 Tierra Grande Drive	Carmel Valley
Sotheby's Int'l RE	601-5313
\$1,479,000 3bd 2.5ba	Sa 2-4
320 El Caminito Road	Carmel Valley
Sotheby's Int'l RE	601-4934
\$1,595,000 3bd 3ba	Sa 1-3
27884 Mercurio Road	Carmel Valley
Sotheby's Int'l RE	383-8050
\$1,799,000 3bd 2.5ba	Su 1:30-4
26179 Rinconada Drive	Carmel Valley
Sotheby's Int'l RE	915-2639
\$2,995,000 6bd 4 Full 2 Halfba	Su 1:30-4:30
9301 Holt Rd	Carmel Valley
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040

DEL REY OAKS	
\$459,000 4bd 2ba 801 Adair Sotheby's Int'l RE	Sa 2-4 Del Rey Oaks 91 <i>5-</i> 7814
MARINA	
\$395,000 3bd 2ba 3023 Gloria Circle	Sa 1-4 Marina

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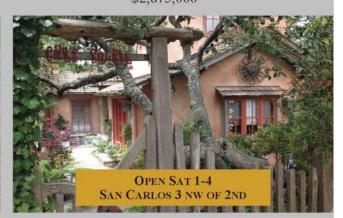
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\$1,268,000



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business name listed above on N/A (s) Lance G. Holt, President. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 10, 2014. Publication dates: April 18, 25, May 2, 9, 2014. (PC 419).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140800. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:

1.PAPERGLUEBAMBOO
2. BLUE AND WHITE,
3 Oaks Lodge, Ocean Avenue, 3 S. E. of Forest, Carme-by-the-Sea, CA 93921. Monterey County, LISA BERNADETTE GEORGE, 3 Oaks Lodge, Ocean Avenue, 3 S. E. of Forest, Carme-by-the-Sea, CA 93921. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on April 10, 2014 (s) Lisa George. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 10, 2014. Publication dates: April 18, 25, May 2, 9, 2014. (PC 420).

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name listed above on Jan. 1, 1986 (s) Edmond A. Benech. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 11, 2014. Publication dates: April 18, 25, May 2, 9, 2014. (PC 421).

SUPERIOR COURT

OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

petitioner, MARIA DEL ROSARIO VIORATO, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as

follows:

A.Present name:
ERIC VALLADARES VIORATO
Proposed name:
ERIC VALLADARES-VIORATO
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

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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: June 13, 2014 TIME: 9:00 a.m. DEPT: 15

DEPT: 15
The address of the court is 1200
Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.
A copy of this *Order to Show*Cause shall be published at least once
each week for four successive weeks
prior to the date set for hearing on the
petition in the following newspaper of
general circulation, printed in this
county: The Carmel Pine Cone,
Carmel

(s) Thomas W. Wills
Judge of the Superior Court

Date filed: April 14, 2014 Clerk: Ken Torre Deputy: Carmel B. Orozco Publication dates: April 18, 25, May 2, 9, 2014. (PC422)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140807. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: GOIN' MOBILE SALON SERV-ICES, 9609 Buckeye Court, Carmel, CA 93923. Monterey County. KRISTI JAMES, 9609 Buckeye Court, Carmel, CA 93923. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on April 11, 2014 (s) Kristi James. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 11, 2014. Publication dates: April 18, 25, May 2, 9, 2014. (PC 423).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140650. The

Case No. M127309.
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: tioner, MARIA DEL ROSARIO

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APN: 243-194-024-000 Property; 30772 San Remo Road, Carmel, Carmel, Cas93923 Title Order No.: 1542/322 Trustee Sale No.: 8787-010453-F00 NOTICE OF TRUSTE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST. DATED JUP 28, 2010. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROFECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST OVU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On May 16, 2014, 389e Point Lender Services, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION. TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH. CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT drawn on a state or national bank, cashier's check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (Payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The undersigned Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust in the rost of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. All right, title and interest conceyed to and now held by it undersaid Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN BELOW MENTIONED EDED OF TRUST Executed by: LANCE M. PATIGIAN, TRUSTE OF THE LIMP 2005 LIVING TRUST, DATED JUNE 20, 2005 Recorded on August 03, 2010, as Instrument No. 2010042466, of Official at 104 at 10:00 AM Place of Sale: at the main entrance to the County Administration Building at 168 W. Alisal Street, Salinas, CA 93901 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 30772 SAN 2481 Excenses and extenses and extense of the Mortagage's Act

OWNER: The sale date shown on this

CARMEL HIGHLANDS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

PRELIMINARY BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 2014-15

station at 73 Fern Canyon Road, Carmel to consider adoption of the Preliminary

tion at the District's fire station located at 73 Fern Canyon Road, Carmel, between

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 21, 2014 at 12:30 p.m. the Carmel Highlands Fire Protection District, Board of Directors will meet at the District fire

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Preliminary Budget is available for inspec-

The Carmel Highlands Fire Protection District, Board of Directors will meet on

September 17, 2014 at 12:30 p.m. at the District's fire station to adopt the Final

6845 or visit this Internet Web site WWW.NATIONWIDEPOSTING.COM, using the file number assigned to this case 8787-010453-F00. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: April 14, 2014 Sage Point Lender Services, LLC 400 Exchange, Suite 110 Irvine, CA 92602 949-265-9940 Iuliia Calloway, Default Specialist FOR TRUSTEE'S SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 855-880-6845 or visit WWW.NATION-WIDEPOSTING.COM SAGE POINT LENDER SERVICES, LLC MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NPP0229602 To: CARMEL PINE CONE PUB: 04/25/2014, 05/02/2014, 05/09/2014

Publication dates: April 25, May 2, 9, 2014. (PC 425).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140820. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: SALT/A DESIGN STUDIO E/S Lincoln Between 5th & 6th, Carmel, CA 93921. Monterey County. CARIS-SA DUNCAN, 25160 Flanders Drive, Carmel, CA 93923. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on April 14, 2014. (s) Carissa Duncan This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 14, 2014, 2014. Publication dates: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2014. (PC 427).

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TITLE Order No.: 5820007 Trustee Sale No.: 80354 Loan No.: 399057234 APN: 010-162-030 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 11/20/2012 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 5/16/2014 at 10:00 AM CALIFORNIA TO SPECIALISTS as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 11/30/2012 as Instrument No. 2012073762 in book N/A, page N/A of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Monterey County, California, executed by: CHERYL RUTH MITCHELL, TRUSTEE OF THE CHERYL RUTH MITCHELL 2001 REVOCABLE TRUST, as Trustor , PRIVATE MORTGAGE FUND, LLC as Beneficiary WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Title association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: Outside the main entrance of the County Administration Building locat-ed at 168 W. Alisal Street, Salinas, CA all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: LOT 1 IN BLOCK 142, AS SHOWN AND SO DESIGNATED ON THE "MAP OF ADDITION NUMBER TWO TO CARMEL BY THE SEA, MONTEREY COUNTY, CALIFORNIA", FILED APIRL 5" 1906, IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF MONTEREY COUNTY, CALIFORNIA AND NOW ON FILE AND OF RECORD IN SAID OFFICE IN MAP BOOK ONE, CITIES AND TOWNS, AT PAGE 44 ½ THEREIN The property, heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: SW MISSION & 13TH AVENUE, Carmel CA 93921 "VACANT LAND. DIRECTRIONS MAY BE OBTAINED BY WRITTEN REQUEST SUBMITTED TO THE BENEFICIARY WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE AT THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS: BENEFICIARY, C/O CALIFORNIA TD SPECIALISTS, ATTN: PATRICIO S. INCE", 8190 EAST KAISER BLVD., ANAHEIM HILLS, CA 92808". The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown heein. Said sale will be made, but , all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed common designation, if any, shown herein. Said 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 said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated for charge and compared. mated fees, charges and expenses of the Irustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: \$1,048,246.66 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. 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. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 4/16/2014 California TD Specialists, as Trustee 8190 East Kaiser Blvd., Anaheim Hills, CA 92808 Phone: 714-283-2180 For Trustee Sale Information log on to: www.usa-foreclosure.com CALL: 714-277-4845. FATRICIO S. INCE*, VICE PRESIDENT California TD Specialists is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. "NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDERS: if you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding 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 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 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 of California Civil Code. The law requires that be enough and if application to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale ale 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 wheth the sale of this property, you may call 714-277-4845, or visit this internet 714-277-4845, or visit this internet Web site www.usa-foreclosure.com, using the file number assigned to this case T.S.# 80354. 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." FEI # 1077.0034 04/25/2014, 05/02/2014, 05/09/2014 Publication dates: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2014. (PC 426).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140816. The following person(s) is(are) doing busi-ness as: YOUR POSITIVE SOLUTIONS, following person(s) islare) doing uusiness as: YOUR POSITIVE SOLUTIONS, 400 Garden Ave., Monterey, CA. Monterey County, ROSEANNE FISCH-ER, 400 Garden Ave., Monterey, CA. 93940. This business is conducted by 93940. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on Feb. 2009. (s) Roseann Fischer. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 14, 2014. Publication dates: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2014. (PC 428).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140877. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: PAWSITIVE PET MOBILE VET, 3097 Hermitage Rd., Pebble Beach, CA 93953. Monterey County. VME, INC. (CA), 3097 Hermitage Rd., Pebble Beach, CA 93953. This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on April 1, 2014. (s) business under the lictuous business name listed above on April 1, 2014. (s) Danielle Hettler, DVM, President. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 22, 2014. Publication dates: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2014. (PC 431).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140730. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:

ness as: 1. EAST END CREATIVE 1. EAST END CREATIVE
2. ASILOMAR ADVISORY
3. EAST END FINANCIAL
135 Mar Vista Drive, Monterey, CA
93940. Monterey County. BRUCE
SPEARS, 135 Mar Vista Drive,
Monterey, CA 93940. This business is

conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business

name listed above on March 1994. (s) Bruce Spears. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 1, 2014. Publication dates: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2014. (PC 432).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140893. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: D.A.M.N. GOODS, 1551 San Lucas St., Seaside, CA 93955. Monterey County, ANN CARIN NILAND, 1551 San Lucas St., Seaside, CA 93955. DANIEL JOHN NILAND, 1551 San Lucas St., Seaside, CA 93955. This business is conducted by a general partnership. Registrant a general partnership. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on April 24, 2014. (s) Ann Niland. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 24, 2014. Publication dates: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2014. (PC 504).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140744. The following person(s) is(are) doing busi-

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

1. DEATH & TAXES
2. THE MATTOX GROUP
3. DEATH AND TAXES
330 Carmel Ave., Marina, CA 93933. Monterey County, JASON ALAN FAGAN, 330 Carmel Ave., Marina, CA 93933. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on Feb. 15, 2008. (s) Jason Fagan. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 2, 2014. Publication dates: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2014. (PC 505).

SUMMONS (FAMILY LAW) CASE NUMBER: DR 55246 NOTICE TO RESPONDENT: RYAN PATRICK McGILLOWAY You have been sued.

PETITIONER'S NAME IS:
JULIE BELINDA McGILLOWAY
You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS
after this Summons and Petition are
served on you to file a Response
(form FL-120 or FL-123) at the court
and have a copy served on the petitioner. A letter, phone or court appearance call will not protect you.

If you do not file your Response
on time, the court may make orders
affecting your marriage or domestic
partnership, your property, and custody of your children. You may be
ordered to pay support and attorney
fees and costs.

For legal advice, contact a lawyer
immediately. Get help finding a lawyer
at the California Courts Online Selfhelp Center (www.cours.ca.gov/selfhelp), at the California Legal Services
website (www.lawhelpca.org), or by
contacting your local county bar association.

NOTICE - RESTRAINING ORDERS
ARE ON PAGE 2: These restraining
orders are effective against both
spouses or domestic partners until
the petition is dismissed, a judgement
is entered, or the court makes further
orders. They are enforceable anywhere in California by any law
enforcement officer who has received
or seen a copy of them.

FEE WAIVER: If you cannot pay
the filling fee, ask the clerk for a fee
waiver form. The court may order you
to pay back all or part of the fees and
costs that the court waived for you or
the other party.

The name and address of the
court is:
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY MONTEREY
1200 Aguajito Road
Monterey, CA 93940

The name, address and telephone
number of the petitioner's attorney, or
petitioner without an attorney, are:
JULIE BELINDA McGILLOWAY
116 2nd Street, #4
Pacific Grove, CA 94950
(831) 920-8346
Prepared by:
Michael J. Mendenhall
69B Soledad Drive
Monterey, CA 93940
(831) 375-8600
Monterey County Reg. No. LDA 3 Exp. 1/26/16
County: Monterey
NOTICE TO THE PERSON
SERVED: You are served as an individual.

Date: Oct. 20, 2010
(s) Ken Torre, Clerk
by Sonia Gomez, Deputy
Publication Dates: May 2, 9, 16,
23, 2014. (PC 506)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140917. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: LOVE FREQUENCY CONNECTION, 5 La Pradera, Carmel, CA 93923. Monterey County. FRANCES COLLINS, 5 La Pradera, Carmel, CA 93923. This business is conducted by

an individual. Hegistrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on April 28, 2014. (s) Frances Collins. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 15, 2014. Publication dates: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2014. (PC 509).

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. M127506.
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
petitioner, MAXIMINO MARTINEZ, filed
a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A.Present name: MAXIMINO MARTINEZ DE JESUS Proposed name: MAXIMINO DE JESUS MARTINEZ

B.Present name: MAXIMO MARTINEZ

Proposed name: MAXIMO DE JESUS MARTINEZ

MAXIMO DE JESUS MARTINEZ
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 phiection that includes the reasons for 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 treat the netition without a beginning the state of the second may be a second ma grant the petition without a hearing. NOTICE OF HEARING:

DATE: June 13, 2014
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
DEPT: 15
The address of the court is 1200

Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.

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

(s) Thomas W. Wills
Judge of the Superior Court
Date filed: April 16, 2014 Clerk: Ken Torre Deputy: L. Cummings Publication dates: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2014. (PC510)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140906. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: PINNACLE EDUCATORS, 58 Skyline Crest, Monterey, CA 93940. Monterey County, SHUMAN-SHEPHERD INC. CALIFORNIA, 58 Skyline Crest, Monterey, CA 93940. This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on April 25, 2014. name listed above on April 25, 2014. (s) Lee Shepherd, Secretary/Treasurer, Shuman-Shepherd Inc. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 25, 2014. Publication dates: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2014. (PC 511).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140897. The following person(s) is(are) doing business are set of the state of the state

BRILLIANT CANDLELIGHT

1. BRILLIANT CANDLELIGHT
2. BRILLIANT
1605 Sonado Drive, Pebble Beach, CA
93953. Monterey County. SHELLY
RIGISICH, 1605 Sonado Drive, Pebble
Beach, CA 93953. This business is
conducted by an individual.
Registrant commenced to transact
business under the fictitious business
name listed above on Jan. 1, 2014. (s)
Shelly Rigisich. This statement was
filed with the County Clerk of
Monterey County on April 24, 2014.
Publication dates: May 9, 16, 23, 30,
2014. (PC 512).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20140786. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: LM DIGITAL MARKETING, 1083 Trappers Trail, Pebble BNeach, CA 93953. Monterey County. LISA MCCORMICK, 1083 Trappers Trail, Pebble BNeach, CA 93953. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on April 9, 2014. (s) Lisa McCormick. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 9, 2014. Publication dates: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2014. (PC 513).

LEGALS DEADLINE: TUESDAY 4:30 PM

irma@carmelpinecone.com

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 15, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. the Cypress Fire Protection District, Board of Directors will meet at the District's fire station located at 3775 Rio Road. Carmel to consider adoption of the Preliminary Budget for fiscal

CYPRESS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

PRELIMINARY BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 2014-15

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Preliminary Budget is available for inspection at the District's fire station located at 3775 Rio Road, Carmel, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. after May 15, 2014.

The Cypress Fire Protection District, Board of Directors will meet on September 18, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. at the District's fire station to adopt the Final Budget for fiscal

> Theresa Volland Secretary of the Board

Publication dates: May 2, 9, 2014 (PC 503)

Publication date: May 9, 16, 2014

Budget for fiscal year ending June 30, 2015.

Budget for fiscal year ending on June 30, 2015.

the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. after May 21, 2014.

Secretary of the Board

Publication dates: May 9, 16, 2014 (PC 507)

DATED: April 18, 2014

Theresa Volland

Publication date: May 2, 9, 2014

year ending June 30, 2015.

year ending on June 30, 2014. DATED: April 18, 2014

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\$472,000 3bd 2ba 477 Ferris Avenue	Su 2-4 Marina
Sotheby's Int'l RE	601-5355

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\$559,000 2bd 1ba	Sa 1-3
1280 8th St Monterey	Monterey
Sotheby's Int'l RE	277-0971
\$659,000 1bd 1ba	Sa 2-4
1 Surf Way #220	Monterey
Keller Williams Realty	91 <i>5-</i> 5585
\$699,000 5bd 4ba	Sa 2-4
695 Lobos St.	Monterey
Sotheby's Int'l RE	91 <i>5</i> -8989
\$725,000 4bd 3ba	Su 2-4
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The Jones Group	236-7780
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1520 Salinas Hwy	Monterey
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
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1336 Castro Ct	Monterey
Sotheby's Int'l RE	601-5355
\$799,000 3bd 2ba	Fr 2-5
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Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2223
\$847,500 3bd 2ba	Sa Su 1-3
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David Lyng Real Estate	901-7272
\$895,000 3bd 3ba	Sa 2-4
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Keller Williams Realty	236-7976
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Carmel Realty Company

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1326 Miles Avenue	Pacific Grove
The Jones Group	915-1185
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Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222

PACIFIC GROVE	
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Sotheby's Int'l RE	917-6080
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409 Wood Street	Pacific Grove
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Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
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Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2224
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1072 Egan Avenue	Pacific Grove
Sotheby's Int'l RE	402-201 <i>7</i>
\$1,949,000 3bd 2ba	Su 1-3
1209 Surf Avenue	Pacific Grove
Sotheby's Int'l RE	601-5800
\$2,695,000 3bd 3ba	Sa SU 1-4
1715 SUNSET DR	Pacific Grove
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040
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837 Oceanview Blvd	Pacific Grove
The Jones Group	91 <i>7-</i> 4534

PASADERA	
\$2,249,000 4bd 5ba	Sa 1-4
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Sotheby's Int'l RE	277-3838

PEBBLE BEACH	
\$689,000 2bd 2ba	Su 12-3
4114 Pine Meadows Way	Pebble Beach
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
\$727,800 2bd 2ba	Su 1-4
4180 Sunridge Road	Pebble Beach
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2222
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\$1,095,000 4bd 3ba	Sa Su 1-4
1131 Mestres Drive	Pebble Beach
David Lyng Real Estate	809-0158
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2930 Lupin Lane	Pebble Beach
Coldwell Banker Del Monte	626-2221
\$1,495,000 3bd 3ba	Sa 1-4
2923 Old 1 <i>7</i> Mile Dr	Pebble Beach
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040
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Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040
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19507 CREEKSIDE CT	Mtry/Slns Hwy	
Alain Pinel Realtors	622-1040	
\$585,000 3bd 3ba	Sa 1-3	
777 Monterey Salinas Hwy	Mtry/Slns Hwy	
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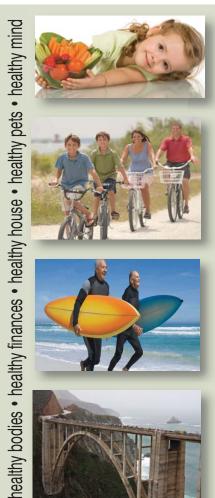
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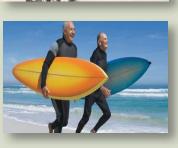


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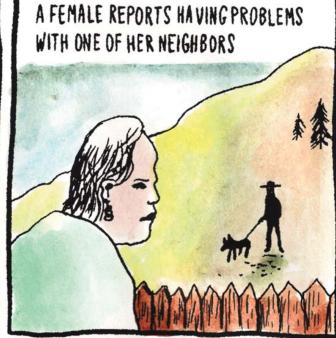
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Coldwell Banker added another star to its constellation of Sterling Club members: Heidi Linkenbach-Short of the company's Carmel Rancho branch. The honor is awarded to top residential brokers worldwide.

Linkenbach-Short sure does keep busy! An avid runner, she's served on the Big Sur International Marathon Board of Directors for the past 14 years.

Somehow she's also found time to serve on the boards of the Carmel Middle School Parent-Teacher Organization and Carmel Unified Youth Baseball.

The Cal Poly alum has a checkered past, though — before becoming a realtor, she was a journalist.

After majoring in broadcast journalism, she became a reporter for Fox's KCBA News-35 team, based in Salinas.

(She must have been good, because the man who hired her at KCBA was none other than Paul Miller, now taskmaster here at The Pine Cone.)

Later, she also worked for KION. She lives in Carmel



Heidi Linkenbach-Short



Maha Malek

with her husband, Mike, and their two children.

In other news, Coldwell Banker's rolling up its sleeves for the 16th annual "Homes and Hope" Habitat for Humanity fundraising campaign. Its Residential Brokerage Community Foundation is the philanthropic arm of the busi-

The major event of this year's fundraising effort will once again be a month-long raffle, which runs through May 31 in

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all 57 Northern California Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage offices.

Organizers hope to raise \$373,200 and all donations collected will go to local Habitat for Humanity chapters for homes to be built in 2015. Raffle tickets are \$2 each and prizes include \$5,000 donated by Princeton Capital, gift certificates, hotel stays and more.

"We're excited to celebrate our 16th year of working with Habitat for Humanity," said Mike James, president of Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage. "The organization makes it possible for low-income families to achieve the American Dream of home ownership. We're proud to be playing a role in that."

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From page 15RE

Pacific Grove: Bicycle reported missing on Funston Ave.

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Carmel-by-the-Sea: NYPD was assisted in the investigation of counterfeit checks and identity theft.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Woman called to report losing her purse somewhere on Carmel Beach. The woman wished to make a report in case the purse was found and turned over to the police department. A brief description of the purse was provided.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Woman reported the loss of her purse and personal items at Devendorf Park. This report is for insurance purposes and in the event the item is turned in for safekeep-

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Multiple vehicle accident in a residential area of Carmel on Scenic Road.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Unattended wallet found on a sidewalk in the commercial district. Turned over to police department for safekeeping pending return to owner. The property was returned to its rightful owner.

Pebble Beach: A Ferguson Lane resident and his ex-wife were involved in an physical altercation. Both parties and witness were extremely intoxicated, and it was not clear who the primary aggressor was. Case forwarded to the district attorney's office for review. Case Continues.

Carmel Valley: Cañada Way resident reported possible fraudulent listing on Craigslist.

Carmel Valley: Center Street resident reported possible threats made by her estranged husband.

Pacific Grove: Man came into the lobby and brought in a wheelchair he found on Sinex. The right wheel arm sticks and appears to be broken. Attempts to locate the owner were unsuccessful. The wheelchair was placed into storage for safekeeping. Nothing further.

Pacific Grove: Funston Avenue resident reported a past acquaintance was located at his residence. He believed the suspect entered the residence without permission.

Pacific Grove: Neighbor of an elderly woman on Funston wanted to report fraud made by individuals representing themselves as the IRS. Victim did not provide money in scam and refused to answer phone calls of scammers. Nothing further.

Pacific Grove: Female on Fountain received email stating she won a cash prize but would have to pay \$1,500 for "insurance" to claim her prize. The email came from somebody claiming to be from Publisher's Clearinghouse. Resident stated she did not send any money, just wanted to pass on the information. Nothing further.

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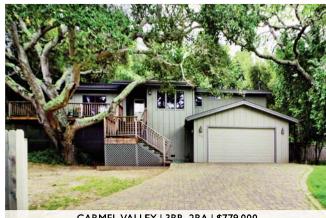
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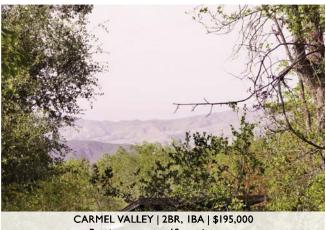
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