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Daring Boxing Day rescue



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It's a beautiful scene, but also a deadly one, as State Parks lifeguards rescue two fisherman caught in dangerous surf near Limekiln State Park in Big Sur Dec. 26. See page 6A.

Hospitals 'critical' with Covid patients

By KELLY NIX and MARY SCHLEY

WITH THE surge in coronavirus infections that began in October still raging, and with even more cases expected following the December holidays, Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital reported its ICU was full Thursday, and Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula's was nearly there.

"The patient load at Salinas Valley Memorial is at a critical level," SVMH President and CEO Pete Delgado said, with 65 Covid-related patients, 48 of whom are in "enhanced isolation and are classified as active Covid cases." The rest are no longer infectious but are still being treated at the hospital, with some on ventilators.

Since the start of the pandemic, SVMH has seen 764 people hospitalized due to coronavirus infections, including a half-dozen during a single night this week, according to Delgado.

SVMH has no ICU beds available, though spokeswoman Karina Rusk said the hospital has "the equipment and capability to turn almost any hospital room into an ICU environment." The problem there, as with many hospitals in the state, is finding the nurses to provide the care.

"Our staff has been caring for Covid-19 patients

for 10 months, and some of our ICU nurses who have been at our hospital for 30 years-plus have seen more deaths this past year than at any time in their careers," Delgado said. "It is heartbreaking for families, for us and for our community."

He said he fears the impact of even more people getting sick after ignoring warnings and choosing to gather with friends and family over the holidays. "It's tragic to see more illness and death as we enter a new year full of hope, with widespread vaccine distribution just months away," he said.

'Two beds available'

At CHOMP, spokeswoman Brenda Moore said the hospital was caring for 44 Covid-positive patients as of Thursday morning, a dozen of whom were in the ICU.

"We have two beds available in the ICU, but we have increased use of the area usually used for patients during their initial recovery after surgery," she said, with five people receiving ICU-level care in that unit.

She, too, worried about ongoing and increasing surges in infections, including their impacts on

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Nurse sounds alarm about vaccine priority list

By CHRIS COUNTS

A NURSE told The Pine Cone Thursday that she and many of her colleagues who are working on the front lines in the battle against the coronavirus haven't been vaccinated yet, while others facing less risk have been.

According to April Brazinsky, who works for the Central Coast Visiting Nurse Association, the Monterey County health department, Community Hospital and Salinas Valley Memorial "have denied requests to vaccinate" VNA nurses who are directly exposed to patients with the virus, while the hospitals, she said, have vaccinated employees who don't come in contact with infected people.

Brazinsky said she and other nurses who haven't been vaccinated are routinely testing people for the virus at sites throughout the county, making them vulnerable. She said some of her colleagues who haven't been vaccinated also

come into contact with Covid patients in home care.

Brazinsky said those receiving doses of the vaccine should be prioritized based on guidelines provided by the California Department of Public Health. She said some of those who have been vaccinated include information technology workers and baristas who work in hospitals.

'Nothing less than disgraceful'

Her mother, Terri Brazinsky, said she's not happy about the delay in vaccinating workers like her daughter.

"This is nothing less than disgraceful," she said. "Nurses continue to be directed by the county to the front line, all the while being exposed, yet they remain downgraded by the county to a lower tier for receiving the vaccine."

Also expressing concern about not getting the vaccine was Lindsay Best, an emergency medical services worker who frequently interacts with coronavirus patients.

"I am a first responder who works in Monterey, Santa Clara and Santa Cruz counties," Best wrote in an email. "I know many of my fellow nurses have received the vaccine in all of these counties, but so far EMS workers are not on the list. I transport coronavirus-positive patients as

See VACCINE page 20A

Tuck Box owner remains defiant

■ Faces penalties but claims 'right to make a living'

By MARY SCHLEY

MONTEREY COUNTY Health officials shut down the Tuck Box restaurant this week after owner Jeff LeTowt continued serving guests onsite despite the shelter-in-place order imposed by the county and state in an effort to slow the spread of coronavirus. Among other restrictions, the order limits restaurants to takeout and delivery only.

"I'm still open anyway," LeTowt told The Pine Cone Wednesday evening. "The lockdown order is arbitrary and not data driven. The first one worked really well, right?"

As he has argued throughout the shutdowns, LeTowt maintains he has a right to earn a living and the government cannot deprive him of that. "I wonder if any of them would like to sign their paycheck over to me?" he asked of the authorities who have served him notices of violation

See DEFIANT page 15A

Parents want Scenic closed four days a week

By MARY SCHLEY

AN INFORMAL survey of residents found that many of them would like to see Scenic Road closed to traffic for several hours four days a week so pedestrians and bicyclists could use it without having to compete with cars.

The road passes through two jurisdictions — the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea and Monterey County — and next Tuesday, the city council will take up its part of the proposal and decide whether to move forward with the idea, which would also have to be OK'd by the California Coastal Commission.

Majority said, 'Yes'

According to public works director Bob Harary, resident Josh Madris last fall conducted a survey "primarily of parents of local schoolchildren" asking whether they liked the idea of shutting down the highly scenic blufftop road from Eighth all the way around Carmel Point to Carmel River State Beach.

The majority of the 43 people who responded said they did, and 60 percent suggested closing the road to traffic Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 3 to 7 p.m. and Sundays from 8 a.m. to noon.

See SCENIC page 15A

IF ONLY HE'D BEEN WEARING A SANTA HAT

By MARY SCHLEY

A COUPLE watching a movie in their living room received a surprise guest Sunday night around 8:30, when a young mountain lion came up to their large front window and looked in.

"If I hadn't gotten video of it, I might not believe it actually happened," Bain Smith said the next day.

When the mountain lion first appeared outside their home on Santa Fe between First and Pico near the city limits, Smith initially thought it was a dog that wasn't going away, but soon realized it was a large cat pacing back and forth in front of the door, like it wanted to come in. The lion then looked through the window, and Smith said he felt "almost too shocked to have a response." Nevertheless, he grabbed his camera, "and it just looked right at me for two or three seconds."

In the eight-second video, the cougar can be seen lurking outside. Smith calls out, "Hey bud-



SCREENSHOT/COURTESY BAIN SMITH

Maybe his name is Buddy, maybe not. Either way, when a resident saw this mountain lion outside his window and called out to the big cat, it responded.

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Sandy Claws

By Lisa Crawford Watson

Lazy like a fox

AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERDS are tireless, nimble herding dogs that can turn on a dime to round up their charges while outthinking anyone on the range or in the room. When a family that lives in Carmel Valley decided to get an Aussie puppy, they knew exactly what they were in for, having already had two of the exuberant dogs.

But one of their Aussies had died, and the other had become blind, deaf and old. So, at the breeder, they picked out the laziest puppy they could find, just so she wouldn't overwhelm her elder.

They got exactly what they asked for in Bella. Now that she's 10, they can't tell if she's slowing down, since she's always been a bit sluggish.

"Bella's dad was a show dog, so she's beautiful and has lovely markings and coloring," her person said. "And she's very smart. We had her trained on voice commands within six weeks of bringing her home, so she's never needed to be controlled by a leash."

But Bella's really lazy, which might be the smartest thing about her.

She's also very sweet, seemingly sensitive, and very gentle, particularly with people who are un-



happy or unwell. Unless she gets upset. Then she steals shoes and buries them in the backyard.

"Bella always has something in her mouth, but if it's a shoe, she means business," her person said. "I recently came home to find one tennis shoe in the hall and the other outside. I knew we had something to reconcile. There's still a shoe we haven't found."

Bella's always loved the beach, particularly on cold, windy mornings, which keep a dog with a double-layer coat cool. Now that she's older, she spends more time walking around her Miramonte neighborhood at a leisurely pace that suits her languid sensibilities.

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New federal spending bill provides welcome relief for local businesses

By MARY SCHLEY

‘THE CAVALRY is on the way to help our restaurants — if they don’t run out of ammo before they arrive,’ Monterey County Bank President Charles Chrietberg said Tuesday, in light of the latest round of financial assistance for businesses provided in the \$900 billion coronavirus relief act approved by Congress and signed by the president on Sunday.

“We don’t have all the details yet,” said Chrietberg, whose bank specializes in Small Business Administration loans. “But there is going to be a second round of PPP loans for certain businesses that were most impacted by all the shutdowns.”

The SBA’s Paycheck Protection Program is designed to help small companies keep employees on the payroll, even if business is slow or they’re forced to be closed due to pandemic-related restrictions. In addition to very low interest rates and relatively easy repayment terms, most borrowers can get their loans forgiven entirely, without having to pay back a cent of the taxpayers’ money.

According to Mark Dennin, senior leg-

islative analyst for Congressman Jimmy Panetta, the bill signed by Donald Trump Sunday includes \$284 billion in PPP loans for businesses with 300 or fewer employees, as long as they can show gross revenue losses of at least 25 percent in any quarter of 2020 compared to the same period in 2019.

For restaurants and hostelry in particular, Chrietberg pointed out, owners can borrow 3.5 times their average monthly payroll. (In the earlier program, the max was set at 2.5 times the average monthly payroll.) “So, that should be a real help to the most affected industry, which is definitely the restaurant industry,” he said.

Lots of calls

Help can’t come soon enough. “We’ve had probably 100 calls from people who we did the PPP loans with before,” he told The Pine Cone. “They’re really hurting and have been waiting for this.”

Chrietberg speculated the program will open the second week in January, after the SBA gets its forms and processes

See PPP page 25A

Restaurants forced to shut down all onsite dining because of coronavirus should be able to get more financial help from federal taxpayers soon, according to the president of Monterey County Bank. He just hopes the money arrives in time.

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Police & Sheriff's Log

Maybe it's just time to bury it

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.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10

Pacific Grove: Subject on Lighthouse was placed on a mental health evaluation hold.
Carmel Valley: Deputies were dispatched to a landlord/tenant issue about electrical issues at a Canada Way residence.
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Business reported that a male carried a hatchet into the business, causing other customers to become startled. Subject was not brandishing or threatening anyone. Subject agreed to take the hatchet home. Later, numerous 911 calls came in as the subject was walking home. A caller stated the subject appeared to be swinging the hatchet and running with it. Subject was contacted again on Lincoln Street and agreed to not carry the hatchet in public although it was not illegal to.
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Hit-and-run collision at Camino Real and Eighth.
Pebble Beach: A follow-up call was requested regarding harassment at a residence on Morse Court.

partment for safekeeping.
Carmel-by-the-Sea: A 39-year-old female Aromas resident was stopped at Torres and Ocean for driving on a suspended license for DUI.
Pacific Grove: Storage shed on Lighthouse Avenue was burglarized and several thousand dollars' worth of construction tools taken.
Pacific Grove: Burglary of a business on Ocean View Boulevard.
Pacific Grove: Solo vehicle collision vs. a rock on Congress. Vehicle had to be towed away.
Pacific Grove: Suspicious circumstances on Lighthouse.
Pacific Grove: Burglary on Gibson.
Carmel area: Adult Protective Services referral on Dougherty Court.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Health order violations reported on Dolores north of Seventh.
Carmel area: A 57-year-old male was given a no-trespassing notice at the Crossroads.
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Apple watch found on Scenic.
Pacific Grove: Warrant arrest of a 60-year-old male on Congress.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A ring was found on Scenic Road and brought to the police de-

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The gavel falls

Verdicts, pleas and sentencings announced by Monterey County District Attorney Jeannine Pacioni

Nov. 4 — Prunedale resident Neil Kitchens, 53, entered a plea of no contest to one count of filing a false declaration of candidacy, a felony violation of Election Code section 18203, in the 2018 election for the 30th Assembly District for the state of California.

The state assembly is part of the California State Legislature. According to Article IV of the California Constitution, a state assembly candidate must be a United States citizen, a resident of California for three years, a resident of the legislative district for one year, and a registered voter in that district at the time nomination papers are filed. In 2018, the 30th Assembly District, which includes most of Monterey County, had an open seat. Kitchens, however, did not live in the district but instead lived in Prunedale, which is in the 29th District. Kitchens knowingly filed falsified candidacy papers and listed a Salinas address as his residence so that he would be eligible for the seat. By doing so, he perpetrated a fraud upon the approximately 460,000 voters in District 30.

Judge Carrie Panetta will sentence Kitchens to felony probation on Jan. 26, 2021. A violation of Elections Code section 18203 carries a maximum punishment of three years in jail. Kitchens will also be

sentenced on an unrelated misdemeanor DUI.

This case arose out of a citizen complaint. The integrity of the election process serves as a bedrock of democracy in the United States of America. Those who seek to undermine the legitimacy of our democracy will be held accountable under the law.

Nov. 6 — A Monterey County jury returned a verdict to extend the civil commitment of Sean Adams, 49, a resident of Salinas, to the state mental hospital for two years.

The court originally committed Adams to the Department of State Hospitals on June 18, 2003, for a crime he committed in 2000. On July 28, 2000, a man was biking home from work on the recreation trail in Monterey when Adams suddenly lunged out from the side of the trail and threw a jar full of acid all over his face. The victim suffered severe chemical burns to his face and upper torso.

When officers located Adams after the attack, they saw that he was still carrying an open glass bottle containing acid. When officers tried to detain him, Adams fought wildly and had to be pepper-sprayed before

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LIFEGUARDS DRIVE AN HOUR BEFORE RESCUING FISHERMEN FROM WAVES

By CHRIS COUNTS

CAUGHT IN heavy surf and facing the risk of drowning, two fishermen were rescued off the Big Sur coast Saturday by emergency workers who drove more than 50 miles from Monterey to reach them.

The incident began around 10 a.m. near Limekiln State Park. Local state parks superintendent Brent Marshall told The Pine Cone his agency received a report of three fishermen in kayaks in distress near the park. Two lifeguards — state parks ranger and lifeguard Erin Kothlow and state parks seasonal lifeguard Megan Brady — drove for more than an hour to get there.

“Upon arrival, Kothlow and Brady noticed a person floating on his back in the ocean with no wetsuit, and another fisherman in their kayak,” Marshall explained.

According to the state parks official, the kayakers couldn’t get back to shore safely because they were facing “10-foot waves crashing on a steep beach surrounded by a rocky shoreline.” The water temperature was in the low 50s. Despite the conditions, the two women entered the water to rescue them.

They swam about 200 yards to reach the

first victim.

“Brady and Kothlow observed he was extremely hypothermic and having trouble speaking,” said Marshall. “Brady swam the victim through cold water and strong currents while being repeatedly struck by large waves before making it safely to shore.”

Back to shore

While Brady was helping the first victim to safety, Kothlow swam out another 200 yards, where she found the kayaker, who was still floating on his back.

After helping the first man, “Brady swam out to assist Kothlow with the second victim. Kothlow, Brady, and the second victim all were struck repeatedly by large waves before making it to shore,” Marshall continued. “With the assistance of Big Sur Fire, the second victim was able to make it up onto the beach safely.”

A third fisherman, also riding in a kayak, managed to reach land on his own. One fisherman was transported to the hospital and is now in stable condition, state parks reported.

Given the water temperature and how long they were wet, the two rescued fisher-

See **RESCUE** page 20A

Road rage incident ends with assault

■ Young man thought other driver ‘wanted to talk’

By MARY SCHLEY

AN ANGRY driver who has not been identified repeatedly punched a young man in the head in a fit of road rage after the two exchanged words, according to Monterey County Sheriff’s Cmdr. Derrel Simpson. The attack occurred on Hatton Road near Highway 1 the afternoon of Dec. 26 after the two pulled over.

According to the 20-year-old victim’s mother — who requested anonymity because of the violent nature of the attack — her son was home from college for the holidays and was driving southbound on Highway 1 near Del Monte Center when he looked in his rear-view mirror and saw a dark blue SUV “weaving in and out of traffic.” The driver used the right shoulder to illegally pass him and other motorists.

When they ended up side-by-side at a stoplight, “they exchanged words,” the mother said, and the other driver yelled at her son to pull over, which he did, thinking the man “just wanted to talk.”

The young man stayed seated after he stopped his car on Hatton, but the other driver got out, rolled up his sleeves and

yelled at him to get out of his car, according to the mother. The man “then swung at his head through the window and yanked open the driver’s-side door and tried to force the young man out of his car.”

But her son was still belted in, so the man punched him in the head “several more times” while the victim yelled for help and tried to deflect the blows, she said, and he was “knocked unconscious.”

She described the man who attacked her son as white and in his 40s, unshaven, with light brown hair and wearing a long-sleeved T-shirt and holiday-themed pajama pants, and said his dark blue SUV had a Carmel River School decal and a Carmel High “C” sticker on it.

At least three blows

According to Simpson, the son told deputies the man was 6 foot 1, weighed 180 or 190 pounds, and is in his mid-30s. He was driving a Honda CR-V.

“The victim doesn’t know how many times he was hit but said it was at least three,” Simpson said. “He had redness and swelling to the left temple.”

The woman said her son was treated at the emergency room at Community Hospital and is “recovering at home.” She said anyone with information should email GutierrezJ4@co.monterey.ca.us.



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Landmark P.B. home sells for \$28M

■ Price is lower than \$34.5M assessed value

By CHRIS COUNTS

A CROWN jewel among many glittering homes, a 12,000-square-foot house in Pebble Beach closed this week for \$28 million.

Located at 3290 17 Mile Drive, the home has five bedrooms and five bathrooms, offers unparalleled views from two acres and is one of the most recognizable properties in the area.

Realtor Judie Profeta called it “an iconic house in a world class location.”

“You can see it from anywhere,” said Profeta, who represented the buyers. According to public records at the Monterey County Assessor’s Office, they are Ken and Donna Coit of Walnut Creek.

“I’ve lived all over the world, and there aren’t too many locations better than this one — I think it’s the prettiest lot in Pebble Beach,” Profeta said.

Located on Pescadero Point, the low-slung, red-tile roofed house is just a short stroll from the Pebble Beach Lodge and is part of a very familiar vista along a stretch of coast from Arrowhead Point to the 18th

Green of the Pebble Beach Golf Links.

Besides offering “stunning views from every room of the golf course, Carmel Bay, Carmel Valley and Point Lobos,” the home includes vaulted ceilings, an open floor plan, an expansive master bedroom, a detached guesthouse, a wine cellar, a hot tub and spa, and an infinity swimming pool, according to realtor Tim Allen. He co-listed the home, which was built in 1991, with Canning Properties Group of Sotheby’s.

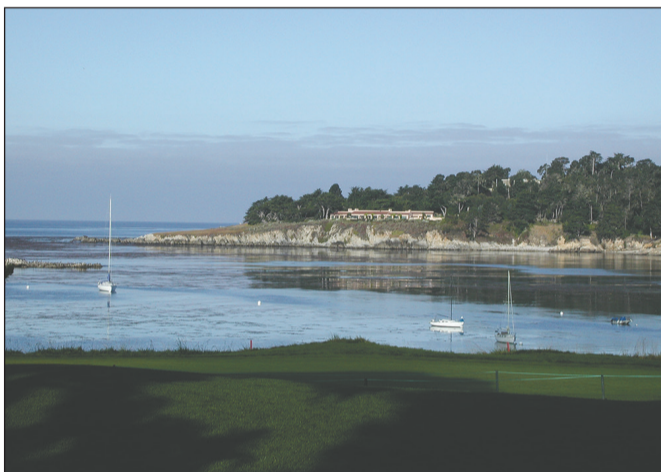
Record price

In 2000, the home was acquired for \$23.5 million by Silicon Valley businessman Greg Reyes and his wife, Penny — a price that set a record for Del Monte Forest at the time. She retained ownership over the subsequent 20 years as the home’s assessed value grew to more than \$34.5 million, along with property taxes of \$358,000 per year, according to the county assessor’s office. Under the name Seventeen Mile LLC, it was Penny Reyes, now known as Penny Bradley, who sold the home this week, according to various legal documents recorded over the years.

To help sell the home, Allen and his

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The home at 3290 17 Mile Drive sits front and center of the world-famous view from the 18th Tee of the Pebble Beach Golf Links. Tim Allen and Canning Properties Group were the listing agents for this week’s \$28 million sale of the property.



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Victim dragged by vehicle while trying to get stolen bike back

By MARY SCHLEY

A MAN who left his bicycle outside Ace Hardware at Mid-Valley shopping center to run a quick errand on Christmas Eve returned to find it gone — and had a brief encounter with the thieves when he tried to jump into their SUV as it drove away. The man suffered some scrapes and bruises after being dragged and then falling out, while the perps disappeared with his stolen bike, according to Monterey County Sheriff's Cmdr. Derrel Simpson. Thieves took three bicycles from the shopping center at around 2 p.m. Dec. 24.

A good Samaritan spotted the crooks after encountering one of the victims and learning what happened. When he drove to the far end of the shopping center's parking lot, he saw three Hispanic men taking the wheels off of bicycles so they could load them into their SUVs, which were parked next to each other, Simpson said.

He went back to tell the victim, who then ran over to try to get his bike back. But by then, one of the vehicles and two

of the thieves with two of the bikes were gone, while the third man was shoving the victim's mountain bike into a Toyota RAV4 as a woman, also described as Hispanic, waited in the driver's seat.

"By the time the victim got there, the male passenger was stuffing the bike into the back," he said.

Tried to grab the keys

After yelling at the thief to give him his bicycle back, the man tried to stop them from getting away by climbing into the SUV and grabbing the keys. But the driver stepped on the gas, dragging him until he fell.

He suffered some cuts, bruises and abrasions, and was treated by an ambulance crew at the scene. "He was beat up a little but said he would go to the hospital later if he needed to," Simpson said. By then, the woman, her accomplice and the stolen bike were gone.

Not long after, the owner of the other

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A man who tried to stop thieves from stealing his mountain bike at Mid-Valley shopping center was injured when they drove away, dragging him as he hung out of their SUV. An ambulance crew treated him at the scene.

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Plans in works for Ocean Ave. eyesore

By MARY SCHLEY

THE PROMINENT beachside home mired in a legal fight among investors and left in a partially demolished condition for almost two years was sold in September for \$4,950,000 — well short of the nearly \$7 million “as-is” asking price sought by the sellers in February. Plans to remodel the home have been submitted to the city.

A San Francisco-based company called Le Chiffre Holdings purchased the house on the northeast corner of San Antonio and Ocean in September and submitted plans to the city in early November, according to acting planning director Marnie Waffle.

The new design is “very similar” to the remodel plans the city approved in 2015, including removing a second-story bedroom and adding more square footage to the lower level.

“Differences include reconstruction of the detached garage in the same location, replacing the brick veneer on the residence with a combination of wood siding and stone, a new metal roof, and a new pergola behind the garage and a firepit at the front of the residence,” she said.

No movement in court

The plans prepared by architect Adam Jeselnick for the remodeled and expanded 3,725-square-foot house on the 8,000-square-foot corner lot also call for a new basement and could come to the planning commission for review in the next month or two, according to Waffle. In the meantime, the large home remains fenced off, with plywood covering areas that had been torn up before the project was abandoned in early 2019. The permits that had been issued for it expired.

A lawsuit between investors, meanwhile, first filed in San Francisco County

Superior Court in March 2019, appears to have stalled, with several of the defendants filing for bankruptcy and their attorney asking the court to relieve him as counsel after his clients stopped communicating with him and mail sent to their office was returned as “undeliverable.”

Investors Jeffrey Ma, Ryan Gin and Michael Luu sued the project’s four developers — Patrick Foy, Franklin Loffer, Richard Kelly and Stewart Cureton — and their many LLCs for breaches of contract, negligence, fraud and other allegations, demanding more than \$1.5 million.

A San Francisco judge subsequently placed a lien on the property, as well as on another in the Sand and Sea development a block away.

They accused the developers of taking their money to pay off other investors and enrich themselves, instead of using the funds for real estate development, as promised. Their loans totaled \$1,250,000 in 2017 and 2018, their former attorney told The Pine Cone last February, and they sued when the loans came due but were never repaid.

Nothing significant has happened in the case since a judge vacated a summer trial date due to coronavirus shutting down the lawyers’ offices and preventing them from preparing necessary documents.

The complainants no longer use an attorney and received permission from the court in August to represent themselves, and in October, the defendants’ attorney petitioned the judge to relieve him as counsel because his office was “unable to communicate with the client.”

“Counsel is unable to represent defendant/cross-complainant due to lack of communication,” Bill Blair said in the filing, and the judge granted his request in December.

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Could work start soon on September Ranch? Hong Kong owner optimistic.

By CHRIS COUNTS

TWENTY-SIX years after a plan to build 73 high-end homes and 22 affordable homes at the former September Ranch in Carmel Valley was first proposed — and 11 years after it was approved by the Monterey County Board of Supervisors with a long list of restrictions and conditions — its owner is “hopeful” that work on the new neighborhood will begin this spring.

The 891-acre former ranch, long owned by the Morgens family, is now part of the portfolio of Hong Kong developer DL Holdings. Final approval of any develop-

ment on the highly scenic property is still in the future.

Map approved, that's all

DL Holdings issued a press release two weeks ago saying that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors had recently voted 5-0 to give “the green light” to the plan — a claim that spread quickly on social media and sounded alarm bells in the valley.

In reality, the only thing that happened was that supervisors voted Dec. 8 to approve the final subdivision map for Phase 1 of the project, and approve the creation of 33 market rate lots — two small but neces-

sary steps in the building process.

Located at 676 Carmel Valley Road, the September Ranch project also has a new name, ONE Carmel, and a website, one-carmel.com.

Any work at the ranch will be done in phases, and more than 100 mitigations are in place to protect things like the viewshed and the water supply, 5th District Supervisor Mary Adams told The Pine Cone this week.

Adams also said that members of the Carmel Valley Road Committee have been meeting with the developer about how traffic along Carmel Valley Road will be impacted by the new homes — and what can be done to minimize those impacts.

“When the project was approved, it called for a stoplight at Brookdale Drive,” said Larry Bacon, a member of the road committee. “The road committee has always opposed, or tried to minimize, stop signals in the valley. We’re trying to keep it as rural as possible.”

Bacon said a roundabout was explored, but rejected, too. “We looked at a couple of sizes, but they just didn’t work.”

Instead, what came out of the talks was the idea that it makes more sense to simply put a turn lane in between the two lanes of traffic — the same as is done throughout the valley.

“The entire frontage would be three lanes, just like it is in front of Tehama,” explained Bacon, who said such a solution would be “consistent with traffic values in valley.”

Bacon also complimented the property’s owners’ representatives, describing them as “very cooperative.”

A representative of DL Holdings, Wei Huang, recently said the company is “hopeful” it can break ground in early 2021 on the first phase of the work, and “bring this long-awaited project to reality.”

Long legal history

First proposed by September Ranch owner Jim Morgens in 1995, the new homes were approved by the board of supervisors in 2006.

But that approval was overturned by a lawsuit filed by the Sierra Club and others, and two years later, Judge Susan Dauphine ruled that the environmental impact report was flawed.

The supervisors approved the development again in 2010, although the supervisor who represented Carmel Valley at the time, Dave Potter, voted against it.

In 2018, Morgens sold the land to DLC Capital Partners for \$19.25 million. It was acquired by a related company, DL Holdings, in June 2020.

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A volunteer gig that's also an alumni meeting and family reunion

By LISA CRAWFORD WATSON

LIONS CLUBS International was established in 1917 as a service organization that would give people a chance to work together to make their communities better places. On an international level, the group is best known for fighting blindness around the world, while members of the Carmel Mission Trail Lions Club, founded in 2008, were for many years a familiar sight in their distinctive yellow walking along a section of Carmel Valley Road collecting trash and maintaining the area as a clean and hospitable entrance to the valley.

Yet, over time, road traffic increased, vehicles picked up speed, and the Lions Club custodians felt the need to cling to the weeds as cars whizzed by.

Nearly three years ago, longtime local Bob Leidig suggested that they consider becoming caretakers of an area

closer to home, someplace more manageable, and a little more “near and nostalgic.” Perhaps the paved path along the upper reaches of Ocean Avenue which has taken them to and from town for decades.

The group had to go through a few meetings and some paperwork to get the necessary approvals to maintain the path, but they managed it pretty quickly. Then they grabbed their bags and brooms and heavy-duty trash bags, slipped into their vests, and got to work.

A familiar path

Turns out the members of this band of sidewalk sweepers all graduated from Carmel High School between 34 and 66 years ago, and fondly remember wearing a groove in the ground as they tumbled out of school and down that very same path into town for snacks and socializing or

simply to head home.

“Every day, I walked up and down that path, to and from my house on Carmelo,” said Denny Gerber, Class of ’54. “It was a long way up a big hill, which seems to have gotten steeper over the years.”

As a teenager, Gerber used that hill to develop leg strength, enabling him to gain a reputation as quite a jumper in high school. He also made some lifelong friends.

“I knew Bob Leidig and Clyde Klaumann in high school, but they were lower classmen, a couple of years behind me,” Gerber said. “I also knew Clyde’s dad, Clyde Sr. Everybody knew him since he was the chief of police.”

Gerber joined the Lions Club in Los Gatos in 1974 but transferred his membership to Carmel upon his return to his hometown, at the behest of the younger Klaumann.

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(From left) Mission Trail Lions Tammi Lyon, Bob Leidig, Denny Gerber, Becky Leidig and Pam Klaumann keep a special path tidy.

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One Saturday a month, Gerber gets out there with his pickup tool and bucket, and collects trash along the Ocean Avenue path between Junipero and Carpenter streets.

"This path is heavily used, and we want to show off our town at its best. A lot of people thank us for doing it, which makes me think it's worthwhile," he said.

Pam Klaumann, Class of '66, met the police chief's son at the Carmel Youth Center, where she had after-school job. One Christmas, the youth center, in need of a Santa Claus, had reached out to Clyde Klaumann, Class of '57, to play the jolly old elf. He and Pam were engaged

by February and were married that June at Church of the Wayfarer.

Pam commented, "It's really nice to groom the path, because it shows a little ownership of our town. But it's also nostalgic for us, a memory worth maintaining. Every day, we left school and walked that path to go to the library or to get a treat on the way home. So, we keep it up, sweeping and trimming a few plants; we even haul all the debris away."

'Yes, it's drinkable'

A few weeks ago, Klaumann and her crew filled 18 bags of debris, mostly leaves and twigs. They plan to scatter seeds for wildflowers to boost nature's showmanship after spring rains.

They also scrub the legendary squirrel-and-cypress-embossed trash cans, and the faucets. "Well, sure we do," she said. "People wonder about those faucets as they walk by. Yes, that water's drinkable."

Klaumann's daughter, Tammi Lyon, Class of '86, said she enjoys being a Lion because it offers her a good balance of social activities and community service.

She likes cleaning up the path because it gets her outside, engaged in an activity with her mom, while she remembers her own daughter, Hannah Lyon, Class of 2021, walking down that path to ballet classes at Carmel Academy of Performing Arts, which closed due to the coronavirus.

"Cleaning the path is a cool way to contribute to our community," she said. "It's such a beautiful place, and the path looks great when we're done. We might miss a spot, but we definitely make a difference."

Larry K. Slayton

1933 – 2020

Larry K. Slayton succumbed to heart condition on Friday December 4th, 2020 at CHOMP peacefully in his sleep. Larry was born August 12th, 1933 in St. Joseph, Missouri.



Larry graduated from the University of Houston with B.S. degree in Mathematics while raising three children at the same time. His first job after graduation was with IBM as Manager of Programming in 1962.

He moved to Monterey Peninsula in the 1980 and went to work for McGraw Hill where he ultimately retired so he could get his Life Masters in Bridge and do what he loved most ... travel and teach bridge.

Larry loved bridge and teaching bridge. He attained the rank of Ruby Life Master from the American Contract Bridge League. There is nothing he enjoyed doing more than the two bridge games he owned and directed at the Monterey Bridge Club. He had many friends and "playing partners." Larry was innovative with his games, always implementing computer advances in duplicate bridge.

He is survived by his three adult children: a daughter, Lola, and two sons, Michael and Tim; two daughters-in-law, Rikki, and Jayne; 7 grandchildren; and 9 great-grandchildren. Quite the legacy.

In lieu of flowers or notes, please send donations in his name to the Monterey Bridge Center.

W. William Hanneman, Ph.D.

1927 ❖ 2020

The end of an era came to pass on December 12, 2020, with the peaceful, yet sudden, death of W. William Hanneman, Ph.D., at his Monterey home, at the age of 93. Born Walter William Hanneman on Oct. 17, 1927, in Oak Park, IL to Walter Mooney Hanneman and Bernardine Honoria (Sweeney) Hanneman.

Bill, a.k.a. Dr. Hanneman, obtained his undergraduate degrees at the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign and his Ph.D. in Organic Chemistry at the University of Nebraska, Lincoln. He went on to work as a research analytical chemist for some of the nation's largest corporations.

As a young boy, Bill was introduced to the world of gems and minerals by his father, an avid lapidarist, thus beginning his lifelong hobby of gemology.

Rejecting the costly, yet established, pathway to a gemological degree, Dr. Hanneman decided to teach himself. He utilized iconic books, his advanced degrees in chemistry, and with 40 years of experience felt qualified to examine gemology from perspectives far different from those encountered in the "classical trade schools." Dr. Hanneman professed himself to be the world's foremost, S.O.G. (Self Ordained Gemologist) and true to form set out to present an alternative and affordable pathway to gem identification.

Ever the champion of the poor aspiring gemological student Bill took umbrage at the high cost of a gemological education. He believed that anyone with a keen interest in learning about gems should have that opportunity. Convinced he could do better, Bill utilized his insatiable curiosity, analytical mind, and chemistry background to develop and produce his own line of affordable gemological instruments under his name: Hanneman Gemological Instruments. The instruments that he invented, practical inexpensive solutions to cost prohibitive alternatives, are still in use worldwide.

Dr. Hanneman authored numerous articles and books on gemology including: *Pragmatic Spectroscopy for Gemologists*, *Diamond Cut Grading Simplified*, *Naming Gem Garnets*, and his signature book, the *Guide to Affordable Gemology*, all of which were motivated by his desire to make gemological information affordable and thereby accessible to anyone interested in furthering their education on the subject.

Dr. Hanneman was twice honored by the Accredited Gemologists Association (AGA) with the Antonio C. Bonanno Excellence in Gemology award, an internationally renowned honor conferred upon those who have made important contributions to the field of gemology and a lifetime achievement award for continuously challenging the status quo on gemological issues. Additionally, the International Society of Appraisers presented Dr. Hanneman with their Industry Service Award for contributing to the advancement of the appraisal profession.

Bill always endeavored to share his knowledge with other gemological enthusiasts graciously presenting his concepts through lectures, seminars and workshops with innovation and humor and inspired people for decades. He leaves behind a legacy that is recognized globally in the professional world of gemology.

Bill also left an incredible legacy in the field of fly fishing. As an avid fly fisherman Bill developed the "Hanneman Common Cents System." The world's first objective system for the relative measurement of rod action, power and frequency and was published in RodMaker Magazine and Tenkara Angler Magazine in addition to writing a little book called *What Trout Actually See*.

Bill was preceded in death by his loving wife of 65 years, Margaret Marie (Lynch) Hanneman, his parents, his sister Katharine Hanneman Schoenberger, a niece Susan Schoenberger Spencer, and two sons-in-law Cliff Tipton and Steve Jack. He is survived by his four children: Kathleen, Bill, Patricia, and Judith (Peter), his granddaughter Deirdre (Shane), three great-grandchildren: Shane, Kylie and Tyler, a niece Barbara and nephew Peter.

Bill will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved him though his memory lives on through the significant contributions he leaves behind.

In keeping with Bill's wishes, no service is planned. Join us in raising a glass to toast a life well lived.



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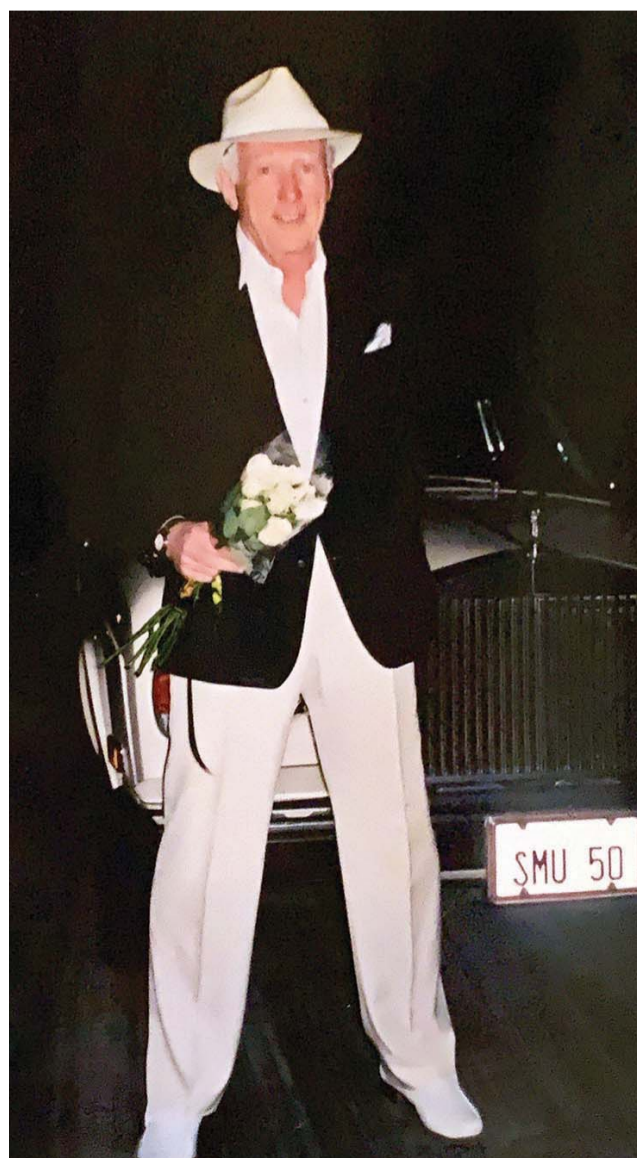
In the early morning hours of Christmas Eve, Loran List quietly passed away due to natural causes at the age of 93 years. Loran was born in Kansas City, Missouri to Eunice (Duncan) and Loran List, Sr. His family soon moved to the Dallas, Texas area, where he spent most of his childhood and young adulthood. He attended Highland Park High School and Southern Methodist University. Loran was drafted into the Navy, and served in Southern California, which whetted his appetite for living on the West Coast.

Loran returned to Texas, where he graduated from SMU in 1950 with a degree in Mechanical Engineering. It was at SMU that he met his first wife, Jeanne (Barkley) on a blind date set up by a fellow ATO fraternity brother. After they married, they moved to the Pacific Palisades, where their twins daughters were born. Not too long afterwards, the family moved to the Monterey Peninsula. He built a home in Pebble Beach in 1957, and he has had a home in Pebble Beach ever since.

He established a very successful Mechanical Engineering business in Monterey, and formed List and Fehr Engineering, with Dale Fehr, an electrical engineer. Some of his best known projects were the Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula, with its indoor fountain – which, at the time, was an engineering marvel – and Kresge College at UC Santa Cruz. Loran was active in The Rotary Club of Monterey, and was past president of the Monterey Peninsula Council of the U.S. Navy League. He was a long-time member of the Pacheco Club in Monterey, and loved to play gin rummy with his buddies there after a long lunch.

Loran was an accomplished photographer, and won numerous prizes for his work. He had several one-man photography exhibits, including a show at the Monterey Museum of Art. He specialized in silver gelatin prints and large format paper negative technique, and proudly printed his own photographs in a professionally equipped darkroom next to his home.

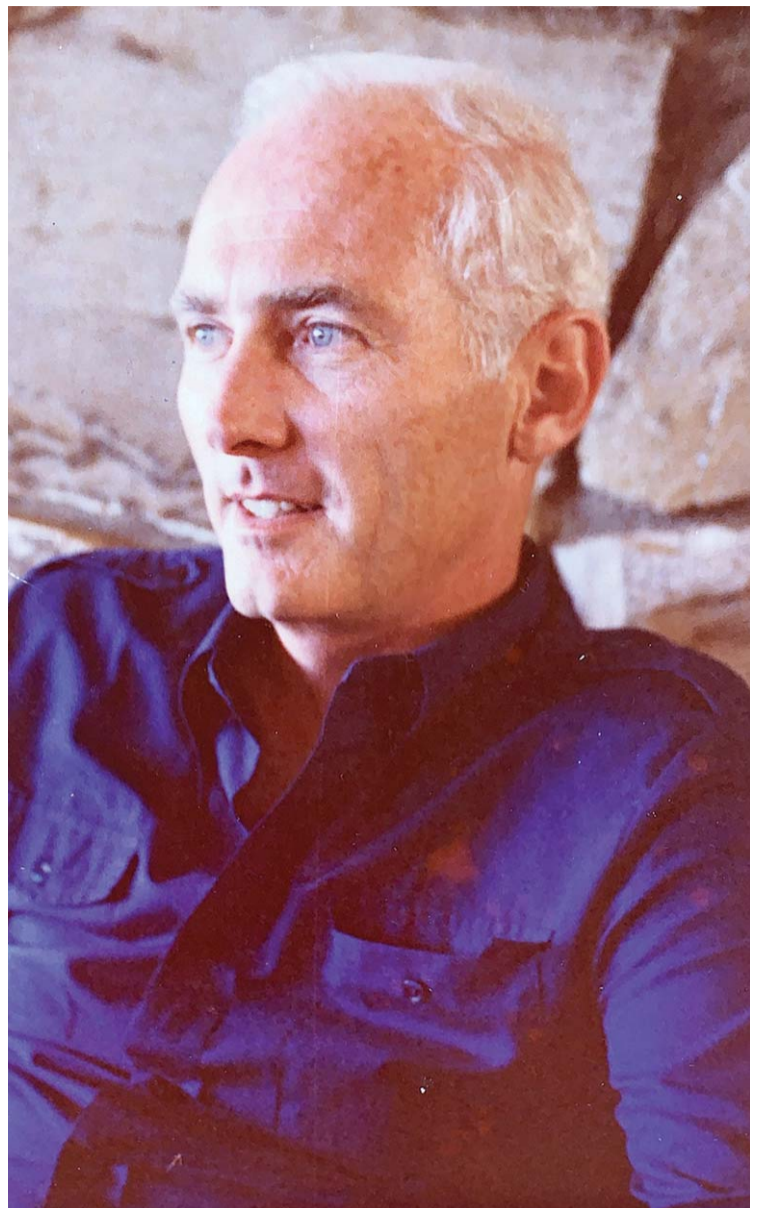
Among his other passions were classic cars, and at one time he owned an Aston-Martin DB-5 (the James Bond car), a propane powered Morgan 2+2, and a Rolls Royce Cabriolet, among others. His love of France, particularly the South of France, brought him back year after year to Juan-les-Pins in the French Riviera each Spring for a couple of months. He also traveled frequently to Houetteville in Normandy, where he maintained a second home. An avid swimmer and body surfer, he also loved Laguna Beach



and Hawaii. And wherever he was, there was sure to be a glass of his favorite rose wine in his hand, usually a Tavel from Provence!

Loran was predeceased by his parents and sister, Phyllis Ann (Pallo), first wife Jeanne (Barkley) in 1979, and by his second wife Dominique (Legrand) in 2000. He is survived by his current wife Ling (Lau), his twin daughters Kimberly Caneer (David), Karen Letendre (Lorin) and Lorin's sons Dana and Jason Letendre, granddaughter Courtney Cruzan (Jason), grandsons Keith Caneer and Gregory Caneer (Emily), and great-grandchildren Milo Caneer and Lucy May Caneer.

The family wishes to thank Ling's sister Kwan and her family, and his caregiver Nancy, for the loving care and support he received during his last few months. A special thanks also goes to the wonderful staff at Hospice of the Central Coast. A celebration of life will be announced at a later date, when it is safe to gather. Funeral arrangements are through the Trident Society of Santa Cruz.



Donations in his memory can be made to:

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Family of Loran List, 225 Crossroads Blvd.
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BRUCE BERNARD FRANK

December 15, 1946 – December 14, 2020

Bruce Bernard Frank passed away December 14, 2020, following a long illness.

Bruce was born December 15, 1946 in Boston, Massachusetts where he grew up. He graduated from Sharon High School and set out on his next adventure, driving across the country in his new Chevy Camaro to the West Coast. He fit in perfectly in California, cruising in his beautiful convertible, top down, blasting the Beach Boys!

In 1970, Bruce started his tax practice and traveled up to the Central Coast, collecting clients along the way. Every year, he would create his annual tax poster featuring his adventures, travel destinations or highlights from the previous year. He had 40 years worth of them. All Unique.

On New Year's Eve of 1992, Bruce met his true love, Vicki Kaswen. They married January 1, 1994 at 12:01 a.m. to optimize his tax deductions. Together, Bruce and Vicki built an empire purchasing mobile home parks, and mini-storage facilities. They were completely in love and committed business partners. He took pride in purchasing gifts for his bride including a cornfield, a church, a junk yard, a percolation pond and 4 full size baseball fields. This was a dream of his since he was a loyal, faithful Boston Red Sox Fan! In fact he was a staunch supporter of all New England sports teams.

Bruce loved to travel. When tax season was over, he and Vicki had their bags packed, passports in hand and were ready for their next venture. He achieved his travel dreams by setting foot on each continent. Even Antarctica!

Bruce was a committed member of the Carmel-by-the-Sea Rotary Club, and regularly volunteered at the Concours d'Elegance and the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am. He had a love for classic cars, golf and giving back to his community.

Bruce was a very loving, generous man. He was a loyal friend and maintained long-lasting friendships. He had a gift of engaging strangers in conversations without disclosing anything about himself.

We will miss his jovial personality and Boston accent. May he rest peacefully and completely feel the love of all his friends and family!

The family will hold a private memorial at a later date.

Donations can be made in his memory to the Carmel-by-the-Sea Rotary Club.



MFD to vaccinate up to 80 firefighters

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

MONTEREY FIRE Chief Gaudenz Panholzer said Thursday afternoon that his department received state and county approval to administer the coronavirus vaccine and will begin inoculating frontline staff Sunday morning, with more vaccinations set to be given the following Thursday morning.

Eighty MFD firefighters and other emergency responders who are most likely to come in contact with infected people are eligible for the shots, according to Panholzer, including all Carmel Fire Ambulance employees.

"We're still calling people to confirm if they're in or out," he said.

A Monterey County Health official will bring the vaccine — which could either be Pfizer's or Moderna's — to the station and remain onsite to keep custody of it until it's administered.

If the department ends up with more doses than needed, Panholzer said he'll invite firefighters from other agencies to come get vaccinated.



MERILYN MOORE HOBBS

Merilyn Moore Hobbs of Carmel Valley passed away peacefully on December 22, 2020. She was 93.

Merilyn was born in Oakland, CA on July 5, 1927 to Isabel and Wirth Moore and moved to the Salinas Valley as a young child. She attended Lincoln School, Salinas High School, and graduated from Katharine Branson School in Ross, CA, where she was senior class president. She attended U.C. Berkeley and was a member of Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority. While at CAL, she met her perfect match, George "Bud" Hobbs. They were married at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Salinas on August 5, 1950. Bud and Merilyn were longtime "Bear Backers" and thoroughly enjoyed gathering with friends and family for the "Big Game" every year. They were gourmet cooks who never shied away from a recipe and enjoyed a never-ending game of gin rummy. They were adventurous travelers and loved exploring the world together.

Merilyn will be remembered as a devoted wife and mother who volunteered for many philanthropic organizations. She was a leader for her daughters' Bluebirds and Campfire Girls troops, a "Pink Lady" at Natividad Hospital, and was a member of the Junior League of Monterey County, Entre Nous Society, Nitecaps, and Corral de Tierra Country Club. As a breast cancer survivor, she spent many years volunteering and supporting women in the American Cancer Society's "Reach for Recovery" program.

Merilyn was fiercely independent, loved adventure, and was the life of any party. Even after Bud passed away in 2000, Merilyn took mother-daughter trips to Europe and Asia with each of her daughters and never missed a chance to spend time with her grandchildren. She visited them in college, danced at all four of their weddings, hosted countless Rio Grill lunch dates, and flew across the country and abroad to see them and their families. Her family was her world.

As two only-children, Merilyn and Bud were extremely proud of the family they built, which now includes 22 people. She is survived by her daughters, Julie Bryan (Tom) of Carmel and Tracy Jones (Jeff) of Carmel Valley; her four grandchildren, Jim Bryan (Jessie), Brian Jones (Tawnia), Kate Sedano (Jason), and Sarah Rediske (Carl); and 10 great-grandchildren.

Merilyn's family is incredibly grateful to Sunrise of Monterey's Reminiscence Community, especially May and Oscar, as well as Bridge Hospice, especially Nancy, for the kindness, compassion, and care they provided.

Private family services and interment will be held at St. Dunstan's Episcopal Church in Carmel Valley. Merilyn was an avid dog lover and mother to several rescue dogs over the years, and so the family asks that donations made in Merilyn's honor be sent to Peace of Mind Dog Rescue (P.O. Box 51554 Pacific Grove, CA 93950) or SPCA Monterey County (P.O. Box 3058 Monterey, CA 93942).

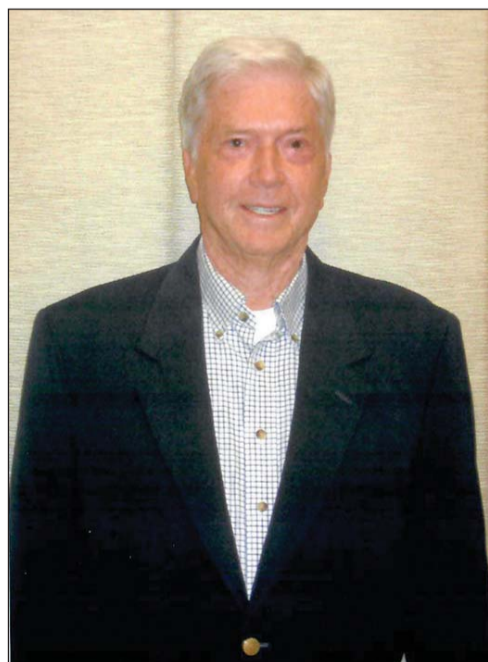
To place an obituary for your loved one, contact anne@carmelpinecone.com or (831) 274-8654

Dr. Donald Lee Donohugh

Donald Lee Donohugh died at age 96 in Pacific Grove, California. A physician, teacher and author, Donohugh was born in Los Angeles, CA, son of William Noble Donohugh and Florence Virginia (Shelton).

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Virginia Eskew McGregor, and his third wife, Beatrice Ivany Redick. Donohugh is survived by his children, Ruth Donohugh (Minnes), Laurel Donohugh Burks, Marilee McGregor, William Hugh McGregor Donohugh, eleven grandchildren, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Donohugh received many accolades throughout his medical career. He attended UCLA, and then was appointed to the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis and graduated in 1946 with distinction. He was awarded a B.S. degree and commissioned Ensign, USN. He then attended the University of Hawaii 1949-50 to complete pre-medical requirements, while on active duty. He received his Doctor of Medicine from the University of California School of Medicine, San Francisco in 1956. He was the Director of Medical Services in American Samoa under the Department of the Interior. He earned joint Master degrees in Public Health and Tropical Medicine at the Tulane University School of Medicine in 1960-1961. He became a Fellow of the American Society of Tropical Medicine and a Fellow of the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene. He became an Instructor in Medicine, Tulane University School of Medicine 1961-2, then Assistant Professor of Medicine and Preventive Medicine at Louisiana State University School of Medicine. In 1963, he was assigned to the International Center for Medical Research and Training (maintained by LSU in Costa Rica) as consulting epidemiologist. He worked with the Agency for International Development program to create the University of Costa Rica Medical School. In 1967, he became Director of Medical Services at the University of California at Irvine Medical Center. He went on to open a private practice in



Orange County, California.

Donohugh loved the ocean and enjoyed bodysurfing, spearfishing and sailing. He moved to Hawaii in 1985 and became a consultant in Internal Medicine on Kauai and lectured at the University of Hawaii Medical School.

As a distinguished veteran, he served as a line officer in the Pacific and Asiatic areas. He received various campaign medals including four combat stars in Korea. He left the service as a Lieutenant in 1952 to attend medical school. In 1966, he joined the Naval Reserve as Commander (MC) USNR and was called to active duty for periods during the Vietnam conflict. He was promoted to Captain 1976 and retired in 1984 as Captain (MC) USNR.

Donohugh was an acclaimed author of numerous books and articles in professional journals. Publications include *The Middle Years*, *Practice Management for Physicians*, *Kauai: A Paradise Guide*, *Our Ancestors*, *The Story of Koloa* and *Exploring Historic Koloa*. He was also the co-translator of the 1950 edition of *Rashomon* by Ryūnosuke Akutagawa. For his work, he was listed in *Men of Achievement* and *Who's Who in America*.

His remains are to be scattered at sea, per his request. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Food Bank for Monterey County or a personal charity.

DEFIANT

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and ordered him to close his Dolores Street restaurant.

Earlier this week, Monterey County deputy district attorney Emily Hickok said she is imposing the terms of a settlement LeTowt and her office struck last June after he was prosecuted for violating the first shelter order by serving customers at his restaurant. According to the settlement approved by Superior Court Judge Lydia Villarreal, LeTowt agreed to follow all Monterey County health orders and paid \$15,000 in fines, with another \$20,000 due if he violates the agreement.

Because LeTowt is serving customers instead of just offering takeout as the current stay-home order requires, Hickok said, she filed a declaration with the court last

week “evidencing such violations” and demanding LeTowt pay the \$20,000 civil penalty.

“Additional civil penalties may also be sought for continued violations,” she said.

Further, Hickok said, Monterey County Environmental Health could revoke LeTowt’s operating permit if he continues violating the order, and she also “referred information regarding these violations to the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control so it may take any action against The Tuck Box’s liquor license that it deems appropriate.”

Hickok said following the stay-home order is critical to help avoid overwhelming local hospitals.

LeTowt, however, said he plans to stay open “unless the county agrees to compensate me and my employees,” since serving only takeout would cost more than being closed altogether and would be “ruinous.”

“My right to acquire and possess property is being vi-

olated,” he said, arguing that “the county position lacks standing medically, scientifically, morally and legally.”

He mentioned Gov. Gavin Newsom’s dinner a couple of months ago at the posh French Laundry without masks or distancing and said the state’s health secretary conceded “there is no empirical basis for state’s ban on outdoor dining.”

“Is it still OK to destroy businesses?” he asked.

LeTowt mentioned the sheriffs who have said they won’t impose the order, the judges who have found in favor of restaurants, and the counties that are simply ignoring the shutdown orders.

SCENIC

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Madris presented his survey results and request to a group of county and city officials Nov. 20, Harary wrote in the report he plans to present at the Jan. 5 council meeting, but “the county expressed a number of concerns regarding implementing this closure, including requesting approvals from the California Coastal Commission, state parks and the county board of supervisors, mitigating neighborhood objections, performing a traffic study to determine detour traffic routing since Scenic is a collector street in the county, concerns regarding emergency response, and the lack of budget and staffing to implement this program.”

They decided it would make more sense to close Scenic from Eighth to Santa Lucia, instead, since there’s only one cross street at 13th Avenue and the coastal commission might support it, and Harary will ask the council to decide

whether to spend time and money pursuing the idea.

He developed two options. Proceeding with the approval process would require getting buy-in from Scenic Road residents and assessing impacts on emergency response, parking and traffic, as well as preparing a coastal development permit application to submit to the state, and developing cost estimates for setup, flagging, monitoring and enforcement, and breakdown, including overtime for employees working late or on weekends when they normally wouldn’t be. If the council selects this option, he’ll return with more details and a plan at a future meeting.

Option No. 2, he said, is “to forgo the project at this time and defer the initiative to a future date.”

He did not list the third option, which would be for the council to dismiss the idea, without any plans to pick it up again in the future.

The meeting is set to begin at 4:30 p.m. Jan. 5 and can be streamed online via the city’s website at ci.carmel.ca.us, where the full agenda — including information on how to call in and comment — can also be found.

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Roderick Leroy Dewar

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Monterey, CA

“ROD” DEWAR, noted lawyer, entrepreneur, and philanthropist, died at the Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula on Nov. 25, 2020, at the age of 91. He departed deeply grateful for his long life and adventures along with the love of family, friends, and community. Those who knew him best are likely to ascribe many virtues to Rod: humility, caring, generosity, steady temperament, intelligence, wit, and just plain fun. He was a riveting storyteller and loved to recount amusing incidents from his life and historical interests, particularly his Scottish heritage and his beloved Monterey Peninsula.

Rod attended Carmel public schools, first grade through high school, at a time when the Carmel High School was new and very small, and Carmel-by-the-Sea was still primarily an artist community. He and his friends enjoyed roaming the hills, swimming at the beach, picking huckleberries and fishing on the bay with his grandfather. Precocious childhood memories included founding a popular grade-school newspaper in Carmel, The Scoop, with circulation rivaling the Pine Cone and Carmel’s other two official newspapers; and selling Kool-Aid on Carmel Beach when authorities were not watching. Many of his personal recollections of the early Monterey Peninsula’s lifestyle and historical character can be found in a YouTube video (2018) – www.youtube.com/watch?v=mhENhkvdP74

Rod was a star football player, anchoring the offense as a center (never allowing a single sack) for the first Carmel High team to win the division championship. After graduation from high school as the man voted “most likely to succeed,” Rod attended Stanford University where he earned his B.A. (1952) and law degree (1954). He and his high school sweetheart, Peggy, married and lived briefly in San Francisco but returned soon thereafter to their beloved Monterey Peninsula where Rod worked at his father’s title company and established his own law firm. Rod practiced law on Hartnell Street in Monterey for over 50 years.

In 1964, Rod and Peggy divorced. Within a year he married Suzanne Mack Wiseman, an artist. They honeymooned in South America where they explored Peru and roamed Rio de Janeiro during Mardi Gras and danced the Bossa Nova, meeting interesting and connected politicians and businessmen in Brazil along the way. A chance encounter with a noted avant-garde artist led Rod into becoming an importer and distributor of Brazilian furniture in the 1960s (Brazil’s heyday) with a retail and design shop, Brazilian Interiors, where the Carmel Plaza is now located. They were fun and heady times.

Rod was highly involved in the Monterey Bay Area community for over 65 years. Rod, along with his wife, Sue, focused his energies on improving people’s lives on the Monterey Peninsula. They gave generously to many local educational and artistic institutions, most notably the Hopkins Marine Station, Pacific Repertory Theatre, Carmel Public Library Foundation, California State University Monterey Bay, Girl Scouts of Salinas, and the Monterey Museum of Art.

He was intensely involved in community activities such as the Jazz Festival and the Scottish Society of the Monterey Peninsula, where he served as chieftain and director for several years. Other organization to which he devoted his energies include: Chairperson and Director of Pebble Beach Land Use Advisory committee, President and Director of Monterey County Cultural Council, Director of Monterey Chamber of Commerce, and member of Monterey Rotary Club, Carmel Public Library Foundation and Del Monte Forest Property Owners Association. He was the longest surviving charter member of the Pacheco Club in Monterey. He also enjoyed the Monterey chapter of the International Wine and Food Society and, as a tennis player and effortless swimmer, the Beach and Tennis Club in Pebble Beach.

Rod is preceded in death by his wife Suzanne “Sue” Dewar. He is survived by his son Scott Dewar (Kathy), stepson James Wiseman (Teresa), grandson Zach Dewar, granddaughter Whitney Dewar, great-grandchildren Shiloh, Violet and Calvin Rocha as well as a little Dewar boy expected in March 2021. He also is dearly missed by Karen Hart, his loving friend and constant companion. Rod’s family and many friends will miss him with sweet sadness, yet knowing we were lucky to share with him so many wonderful experiences.

We thank Susan Tatum, the staff at CHOMP and especially Dr. Richard King for their warmth and dedicated care that made the end of his life so tender.

The timing and place for a memorial celebration for Rod Dewar has yet to be determined. An announcement will be made in the coming months. In lieu of flowers, please donate to one of his favorite organizations:

- Hopkins Marine Station, 120 Ocean View Blvd., Pacific Grove CA 93950. Please include “Rod Dewar Hopkins Marine Station Fund” on the check
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LION

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dy!” at which point the large cat peers straight at him for a few moments before turning and walking away. Smith said he was probably 5 or 6 feet away from the mountain lion, separated only by the glass.

“It came right up to the window,” he said. He doesn’t have any pets or anything else that might have attracted the animal but wondered if the fact he “had my Christmas tree in the front window with the lights on,” was a factor.

A forested canyon and Del Monte Forest are nearby, so Smith speculated the lion’s territory includes the woods, where deer and other prey can be found. He also said a nearby resident reported seeing a mountain lion a few times and thought it was attracted by the raccoons that another neighbor had been feeding.

“One of his neighbors was leaving dog food out, and he was having a raccoon problem,” Smith said. “And then all of a sudden, the raccoon problem disappeared, and he started seeing a mountain lion around.”

Don’t feed the critters

Capt. Patrick Foy, a warden with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife, said he hasn’t received any reports of cougars in the Carmel area. They have large territories and can move across ranges of 100 square miles fairly quickly, he said, and are generally wary of humans.

“The probability of being attacked is very low,” he said. “However, if you have a mountain lion on your porch, that might not really make you feel better.”

Foy agreed the cougar could be hanging around the neighborhood because someone has been feeding wildlife — which is illegal, because it facilitates the spread of disease, attracts predators and makes wild animals more comfortable with humans. Foy encouraged anyone with questions to check out keepmewild.org, which has a lot of information and tips on how to better coexist with wildlife. He also said residents should keep their pets indoors at night and be aware of their surroundings when out anytime

between dusk and dawn. “I advise people if they are confronted by a mountain lion to stand tall and be loud and blow a whistle,” he said. Whistles are light and inexpensive, and can easily be attached to a key chain, dog leash or kid’s backpack. “You’re always going to have it with you, and it’s pretty cheap insurance.”

Carmel P.D.’s animal control officer, Cindi Mitchell, said she’s seen a lot of deer in town lately and speculated they could be drawing mountain lions, too, since they are the cougars’ top choice of prey.


Though she acknowledged that some people might think they’re helping the animals and may also enjoy seeing wildlife in their yards, Mitchell reiterated that leaving food out is a bad idea and violates the municipal code.

She also cautioned residents to keep their cats in at night and to have their dogs on leash when they go out after dark, even if it’s just into the yard.

“I know it might be a little more cumbersome, but if it protects your animals, that’s a good thing,” she said.

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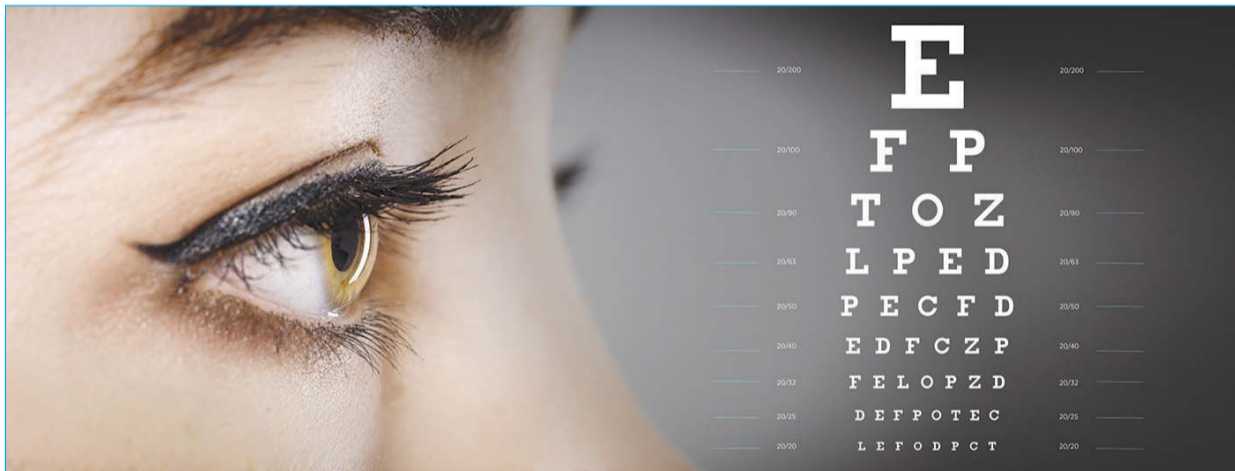


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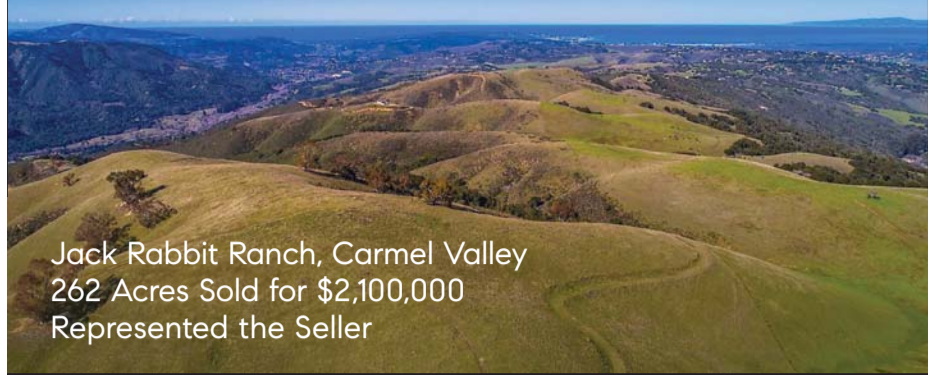
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VACCINE

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well as pick up trauma patients who have an unknown status. I am not only concerned for myself and those I am around, but also for the virus-negative patients and immunocompromised patients I transport, including pediatric patients, pregnant women and cancer patients.”

‘Unprecedented times’

Jane Russo, the chief strategic officer for the Visiting Nurse Association, responded to concerns that some front-line nurses aren’t getting vaccinated soon enough. She anticipates that day will arrive soon.

“These are unprecedented times,” Russo said. “With a limited supply of the vaccine available, there are bound to be lots of questions. It’s important for people to be patient.”

Addressing the contention that Community Hospital “denied requests to vaccinate” visiting nurses, Mary Barker of CHOMP said the county health department is in charge of the allocation of the vaccine, and the hospital is only following guidelines. Those with complaints about the way the vaccine is distributed “should be contacting the health department.”

County spokeswoman Maia Carroll said nobody at the health department was available for comment Thursday.

LANDMARK

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associates produced a music video for the house that showcased an original song, “Cafe Au Lait,” by a local duo, the Whiskey Wasps.

The duo is composed of Allen’s marketing manager, Billy Schmidt, and his wife and singer, Rachel Schmidt. The former’s sister, Joanna Schmidt, a member of the Pittsburgh Ballet, is featured as a dancer.

The video marks Allen’s latest foray into using music to help market homes.

Allen not only represented the seller but has fond memories of the property from his youth. It was part of a larger undeveloped piece of land where he played as a youngster. Later, in high school, he and his friends once had a party there, and even brought a keg, before they were chased away by the owner.

“I grew up around the corner from the property,” said Allen, whose own home today can be seen from it. “As a kid, it was vacant lot. One year, a house appeared — it was pretty controversial when it was built. But it was beautiful and took advantage of those magnificent views. It’s really blended in over the years.”

Allen described the sellers as “really kind clients,” and said “they are very pleased a wonderful family is taking over stewardship of their house.”

DRAGGED

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two stolen bikes, which were valued at nearly \$10,000 in all, reported they’d been taken out of the bed of his pickup truck after he parked it in the lot near Dorris Drive, according to Simpson.

While the thieves had quickly disappeared, an off-duty officer was able to provide private security footage showing the first victim hanging out of the moving car and two men riding the other two bicycles as they stole them, Simpson said. The video contains useful identifying information about the RAV4 and the suspected thieves.

RESCUE

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men are lucky to be alive.

“Both victims were estimated to be in the low 50-degree water for about an hour-and-a-half,” Marshall observed. “They were completely hypothermic, but thankfully, they had their lifejackets on.”

As for the conditions the kayakers faced, the state parks official suggested that no degree of expertise at their sport would have made them safe.

Marshall said the two lifeguards deserve praise for their actions. He also noted that local lifeguards have rescued about 200 people this year. “Brady and Kothlow proved their dedication to public safety by swimming a long distance in very challenging conditions,” he added. “Their bravery and dedication saved two lives.”



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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea will conduct a public hearing in the City Hall Council Chambers, located on the east side of Monte Verde between Ocean and Seventh Avenues, on Wednesday, January 13, 2021 at 4:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as possible. Immediately prior to the public hearing, the Commission will visit some or all of the project sites as part of a Tour of Inspection. Interested members of the public are invited to attend.

Governor Newsom’s Executive Order N-29-20 has allowed local legislative bodies to hold public meetings via teleconference and to make public meetings accessible telephonically or otherwise electronically to all members of the public seeking to observe and to address the local legislative body. Also, see the Order by the Monterey County Public Health Officer issued March 17, 2020. The health and well-being of our residents is the top priority for the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea. To that end, this meeting will be held via teleconference and web-streamed on the City’s website ONLY.

All interested persons are invited to attend via teleconference at the time and place specified above to give oral or written testimony concerning this matter. Written comments may be submitted to the Community Planning & Building Department at City Hall located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues, Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, 93921 or P.O. Box CC, Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, 93921 or by email mwaffle@ci.carmel.ca.us prior to the meeting. With respect to written comments, please submit them at least 2 days before the meeting in order to ensure they are provided to the legislative body and made part of the record. Comments received after that time and up to the end of the public hearing will be saved as part of the record but may not be provided to the legislative body prior to or during the public hearing.

The staff report and relevant documents will be available at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting on the City’s website at <http://www.ci.carmel.ca.us>. The Planning Commission meeting will be televised live on the City’s website and archived there after the meeting. For more information regarding Planning Commission meetings, please contact the Community Planning & Building Department at (831) 620-2010.

DS 20-305 (OSBT Investments)
OSBT Investments, Owner/Designer
SEC of 3rd & Lincoln St
Block: 33; Lot: 2
APN: 010-129-014

Consideration of a Concept Design Study (DS 20-305, OSBT Investments) and associated Coastal Development Permit for the demolition of an existing duplex and construction of a new singlefamily residence located at the southeast corner of 3rd Avenue and Lincoln Street in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) Zoning District.

DS 20-320 (Salehi)
Holdren + Lietzke Architecture, Architect
San Antonio 5 SE of 8th Ave
Block: U; Lot: 14
APN: 010-269-009

Consideration of a Concept Design Study (DS 20-320, Salehi) and associated Coastal Development Permit for the demolition of an existing singlefamily residence and construction of a new single-family residence located on San Antonio Street 5 SE of 8th Avenue in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) Zoning District.

UP 20-348 (Soulo Fit)
Sharon and Thaddeus Rachuna
San Carlos Street, 3 SE of 5th Avenue
Block: 57; Lots: 8 & 10
APN: 010-132-011

Consideration of a Use Permit (UP 20-348, Soulo Fit) for the establishment of a new exercise and yoga studio with an ancillary use of the retail sales of fitness clothing and merchandise located in a first-floor commercial space located on San Carlos St., 3 SE of 5th Ave. in the Central Commercial (CC) and Service Commercial (SC) Zoning District.

DS 20-396 (Rial)
Charles Frost, Contractor
SWC Lincoln & 4th Ave
Block: 53; Lot: SE Pt. of 1 & 3
APN: 010-211-015

Consideration of a Track 1 Design Study Referral (DS 20-396, Rial) to install a synthetic roofing material on an existing single-family residence located at the southwest corner of Lincoln Street and 4th Avenue in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) Zoning District.

APP 20-379 (PacRep)
Alex Lorca, Esq., Appellant
Monte Verde 4 SW 8th
Block: C, Lots: 11-14
APN: 010-194-016

Consideration of an Appeal (APP 20-379, PacRep) of a Design Review (DR 20-107) application for new Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) exit ramps located on the north and south sides of the exterior of the existing theater and associated improvements to accommodate the new ramps located on Monte Verde Street 4 SW of 8th Avenue in the Theatrical (A-1) Zoning District.

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HOSPITALS

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doctors and nurses who are already working mandatory overtime and have had planned time off reduced or canceled altogether due to the demand for care in the hospital. She said CHOMP has also suspended elective surgeries at least through Jan. 10 but is still performing “emergency and time-sensitive surgeries and procedures.”

“We are grateful for the work staff and medical staff members are doing and want to repeat what we have been asking the community to do for months: Wear a mask, clean your hands, maintain social distancing, and limit trips to essential needs,” she said.

Hillary Fish, speaking on behalf of Natividad Medical Center in Salinas, reported the county hospital had 63 Covid patients as of Thursday morning.

No relief soon

Gov. Gavin Newsom told reporters Monday that while the number of hospitalizations is “plateauing” in most California counties, the holiday season and travel activity associated with it would likely cause a “surge on top of a surge on top of a surge” throughout the state.

As of Thursday, 20,625 people were hospitalized for coronavirus statewide, a 30-plus-percent increase over the last 14 days, but which Newsom characterized as “more modest” than what the state has experienced over the last month or so.

On Thursday, San Joaquin and Los Angeles counties continued to fare the worst, with zero ICU capacity, while the Greater Bay Area Region, of which Monterey County is a part, had 8.5 percent ICU capacity. Since Oct. 1, Newsom said 65 percent of the state’s ICU admissions and 80 percent of the coronavirus-related deaths have been in those 61 years and older.

The state Department of Public Health is set to consider extending the Bay Area region’s stay-home order as early as Jan. 8. The order is set to expire in Monterey County Jan. 11 but will likely be extended.

Pharmacy workers to give vaccine

Meanwhile, Newsom announced a partnership with CVS and Walgreens pharmacies to provide coronavirus vaccine to residents and staff in long-term care facilities. The program began Monday and has pharmacy workers vaccinating people in nursing homes, assisted-living facilities and other residential care facilities during the coming months. They’ll administer the Pfizer vaccine in more than 850 locations throughout California.

“By leveraging CVS and Walgreens resources,” Newsom said, “we can effectively deploy vaccines to residents and staff at our long-term care facilities, which are at higher risk of Covid transmission — and do it at no cost to the state or local government.”

The state is in Phase 1a of its vaccination program, with Phase 1b set to begin this month. Those slated to be immunized in the first tier of that phase include people 75 years and older, and workers in education, childcare, emergency services and food and agriculture, Newsom said.

The second tier of Phase 1b includes those 65 and older

with underlying health conditions or disabilities, workers in transportation and logistics, critical manufacturing, industrial and residential and commercial sectors, and prison inmates and homeless people.

Abrupt closures

At least three Covid-19 testing sites in Monterey County abruptly closed last week, leaving people who had made appointments unaware until they arrived. Krista Hanni with the health department said the independently operated testing centers had “staffing issues” that prevented them from opening Dec. 24 and Dec. 26.

“It is a difficult time for them to find extra staff when staff are not able to work, and it sounds like we had that situation,” Hanni told a Pine Cone reader who inquired about the closures. “Unfortunately, it also sounds like the email or text that people are supposed to get if their appointment has to be canceled was not received or not sent or was missed by many.”

The reader said testing centers in Salinas and Seaside were closed, as was one in Soledad — where her 92-year-old mother drove for a test, only to find it wasn’t open.

To try to prevent a recurrence, Hanni said she would advise the state of last week’s issues with the testing sites.

“We’ll also start getting any unexpected closure information posted on our website and social media as soon as we know about it,” she said.

Some avoiding vaccine

There has been some hesitancy by local healthcare workers to get the vaccine. The Pine Cone contacted three of the county’s four hospitals about whether any healthcare workers — among the first group in the state to be vaccinated — have refused.

Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula said that while no employee or volunteer is required to be immunized against Covid-19, a small number have decided against it.

“People who are choosing not to be vaccinated have expressed reasons including concerns about side effects, prior reactions to vaccines, or, for those who are pregnant, the lack of data specifically on that group,” hospital spokeswoman Brenda Moore said Monday. “Most staff and physicians, however, have been eager to receive a vaccine.”

Salinas Valley Memorial Healthcare System spokeswoman Karina Rusk said some employees have opted not to get the vaccine because they have allergies to one of the ingredients or are on leave from their hospital positions.

Natividad Medical Center vaccinated 1,034 staff members with the Pfizer vaccine the first week and is immunizing more employees with the Moderna version this week.

Some workers, NMC chief medical officer Dr. Craig Walls said, have “waited” to get vaccinated.

“As the vaccines are successfully deployed to millions of people across the country, we expect folks will gain trust,” Walls told The Pine Cone. “We believe that many of the people who have waited will soon roll up their sleeves and get vaccinated.”

Wild swings continue

The fluctuation in cases numbers in Monterey County continued this week, making it difficult to extrapolate the effectiveness of the Dec. 13 stay-home order imposed by county health officer Dr. Ed Moreno.

For example, on Dec. 20, the county had no cases, while 1,099 cases were reported the next day. That number plummeted on Dec. 22 when 245 cases were reported, then rose the next day with 705 reported new infections. The day before Christmas, only six cases were logged, and none on Christmas, but 981 appeared Dec. 26.

A health department spokeswoman Monday said holidays affect lab reporting, and she pointed to the backlog of cases the week prior, which also caused a fluctuation in case data.

Last week, Moreno would not say directly if the order was working to slow the infection rate in the county, but noted it is “only effective if people follow the guidance and avoid mingling with people from other households.” County residents, he also said, were defying the order, and the high infection rates in December reflect it.

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Dogs, art co-exist in perfect harmony at downtown galleries

IN A town where just about every artist and dog want to end up, it's no surprise you can find the latter in just about any place showcasing the former — even during the epidemic.

At the Carmel Art Association, man's best friend is almost always welcome.

"We are 100 percent dog-friendly for well-behaved dogs," gallery manager **Sally Aberg** told The Pine Cone.

Hundreds of dogs of every shape and size have visited the downtown gallery on Dolores between Fifth and Sixth since it opened in 1928. "It could be thousands," Aberg suggested.

The gallery manager urged visitors to bring their dogs to the gallery, in part because she loves them. "I haven't adopted my next dog yet, so I encourage people to bring dogs so I can have my dog time," she admitted.

Aberg and company keep a water dish just outside the gallery filled, and on hot days during summer or early

fall, they add ice to it. They also generously hand out dog treats. "Thanks to Diggidy Dog, they get the best treats in town," she boasted, giving a shout-out to the pet boutique on Mission between Fifth and Sixth.

Also, if your dog wants to sit for a commissioned portrait, look no further. "At least three of our artists are well known for painting dog portraits," she explained.

At the town's oldest gallery, dogs are always made to feel special — even at the expense of their owners. "I hate to admit it, but sometimes I remember a dog's name before I remember a customer's name," Aberg conceded.

■ Sculptor loves bulldogs

After recently moving out of his studio and gallery on Dolores, sculptor **Steven Whyte** is looking for a larger space downtown, while he bides his time working in his Barnyard studio — where his latest bulldog, **Remington**,

keeps him company.

Remington, who just celebrated his 1st birthday, follows another bulldog, **Lord Wellington**, who was a fixture in Whyte's downtown studio until he passed away two years ago.

Art Roundup

By CHRIS COUNTS

Due to Covid, Remington's social skills haven't had a chance to develop quite like Lord Wellington's. "Bringing him up in a time of social distancing, he's not quite as trained as Lord Wellington, but he's coming around — he's more of a bull," Whyte said.

It's uncertain if he appreciates art, but he loves small things that move quickly.

"He's really into chasing squirrels," Whyte observed. "That's the highlight of his day."

Besides loving man's best friend, Whyte also paints portraits of them. He posted a few of his pieces on social media last week, which led to a slew of commissions. He said clients often tear up when they see a finished portrait. "That's when you know you got it right," he added.

■ Pets put people at ease

The owners of two downtown galleries, are also painting dog portraits for the holidays. It turns out that pet portraits are quite the rage these days.

Nancy Dodds, whose eponymous gallery is located on Seventh between San Carlos and Dolores, is painting pets in her spare time.

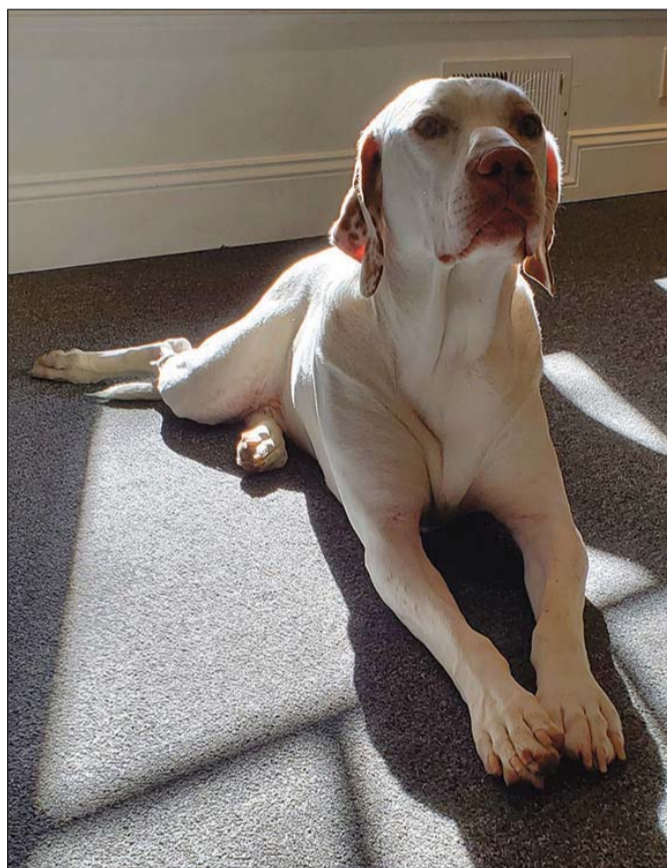
Like others, she's happy to share her gallery with her dog, which in this case, is a year-old Cavalier King Charles named **Finnegan**. The youngster has taken on the task of greeting people.

"He's been in the gallery since he was 8 weeks old," Dodds said. "He's adorable — he loves everybody. He's just a sweetheart."

Dodds suggested that a dog is a great addition to a gallery because it can make clients feel right at home. "With a dog in the gallery, it puts people at ease," she added.

A few blocks away at Galerie Plein Aire, owner and painter **Cyndra Bradford** is keeping her dogs away during Covid, but she plans to bring them back someday soon.

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Caspar (left), an English pointer mix, strikes a dignified pose at Gallery Mar, while Finnegan (above), a Cavalier King Charles, takes a break from his job of greeting people at the Nancy Dodds Gallery.

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FOOD & WINE

New dining guide offers takeaway discounts, Foragers Fest goes virtual

WITH RESTAURANTS forced into takeout-only mode by the latest shelter-in-place order, the city's tourism group created a dining guide to help people find tasty food and drinks to go. The new Take Out & Deals Guide also lists discounts and offers the chance to win gift cards.

Everyone is "sure to appreciate the guide, which highlights special takeout offers," said Amy Herzog, executive director of Visit Carmel, the nonprofit tourism group funded by hotel and restaurant customers. "I know many are also looking for ways to support restaurants over this dismal period."

The list, which is available at carmelcalifornia.com, features downtown restaurants that remain open even though they can't serve people onsite, and describes specials — such as the \$10 lunch deal at Brophy's Tavern at San Carlos and Fourth and the free dessert at Patisserie Boissiere on Mission south of Ocean. The listings contain cuisine type, meals offered, and contact information.

Many of the eateries are giving discounts, like 15 percent off anything ordered from Basil (San Carlos south of Ocean), 25 percent off all bottles of wine, sake and beer to go at the new Toro sushi restaurant on Dolores between Fifth and Sixth, and 30 percent off wine to go at Stationery on San Carlos between Fifth and Sixth.

The new Le Souffle restaurant at Dolores and Fifth didn't offer takeout during the previous shutdown but now has a "family feast takeaway menu" available Thursday through Sunday, and Il Fornaio (Monte Verde north of Ocean) is selling two pizzas or pastas for \$25. Casanova (Mission and Fifth) has a daily prix fixe special in addition to its regular menu.

The alphabetical list of 52 restaurants is clickable for expanded information on any particular place and also indicates which establishments are temporarily closed during the shutdown, which won't be lifted until the ICU capacity in hospitals throughout the county and neighboring San Francisco Bay area counties increases and stabilizes.

■ Foragers Fest virtual demo

Mushroom experts and chefs Chad Hyatt and Todd Spanier will host a virtual session on foraging and cooking since they can't do it in person at the Foragers Festival, the annual mushroom-focused food-and-wine event benefiting the Big Sur Health Center.

Hyatt wrote "The Mushroom Hunter's Kitchen" and will host the one-hour demonstration Saturday, Jan. 23, at 3 p.m. via Zoom. Todd Spanier, "noted naturalist, chef,

forager, slow food advocate, entrepreneur and mushroom expert," will make an appearance.

Guests can participate by purchasing the Foragers Festival mushroom-and-wine package that includes Hyatt's cookbook, 3 pounds of wild and exotic mushrooms foraged by Spanier — and a bottle of 2018 Pinot Noir Santa Cruz Mountains to enjoy during and/or after the work is

Soup to Nuts

By MARY SCHLEY

done in the kitchen. Hyatt will prepare a recipe from his cookbook, and Spanier will share stories about his foraging experiences.

The package costs \$175, and the deadline to purchase is Jan. 15, to allow time for shipping. Those who want only to watch the demo can pay \$50. All proceeds will benefit the health center. For more information, go to bigsurforagersfestival.org.

■ Congrats to Caraccioli

Fans of Caraccioli Cellars' sparkling wines well know the brut and brut rosé rival those of France, and now everyone else knows it, too. Last month, judges at the Champagne & Sparkling Wine World Championships bestowed the Best U.S. Sparkling Wine 2020 trophy on Caraccioli's 2014 Brut Rosé. All told, judges awarded 37 trophies to producers of sparkling wines from all over the world after analyzing more than 1,000 entries.

The Caraccioli family started making wines from grapes grown in the Santa Lucia Highlands area in 2006, using "methode champenoise" to produce exceptional sparkling wines. General manager Scott Caraccioli said the vin-

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Chef, author and mushroom expert Chad Hyatt will lead a virtual cooking demo Jan. 23 for the Foragers Fest, which raises money for the Big Sur Health Center. And if nachos topped with mac 'n' cheese sound like a match made in heaven, get thee to Nacho Bizness in downtown Monterey.



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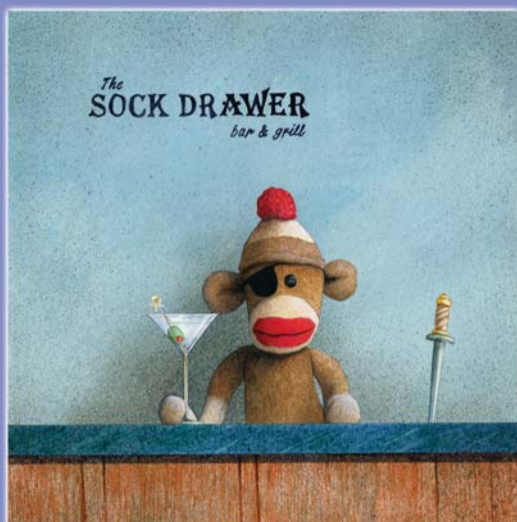
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For more information about the winner and other Caraccioli wines, visit caracciolicellars.com. The tasting room located on Dolores south of Ocean can't offer tastings during the shutdown but is open from noon to 5 p.m. daily for retail sales.

■ I Brand magnum sale

Parties are off-limits for now — unless you want to party with the people who live with you — but for those occasions when you want to share good wine with more than a few (or when you're just really thirsty), it's hard to beat a magnum. I Brand & Family Wines in Carmel Valley Village is offering special pricing on its 1.5-liter bottles, which can be picked up at the tasting room at 19 E. Carmel Valley Road Thursday through Sunday between 1 and 5 p.m. or by appointment.

Large bottles on offer include 2017 Escolle Vineyard

chardonnay for \$65, 2015 and 2016 Bayly Ranch cabernet franc for \$90, and Brosseau Vineyard grenache for \$90. Also worth noting is the fact that larger bottles age more slowly, providing ample time to save them for those days when big parties are allowed again.

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■ PigWizard charcuterie pre-sale

Carmel Valley resident Jonathan Roberts, known to many as PigWizard, opened his deli and shop on Cannery Row near the Coast Guard pier more than a year ago. Since then, he's amassed a dedicated group of customers who repeatedly visit to pick up sausage, sandwiches, pork rinds, bacon, porchetta, Scotch eggs and other piggy delights.

But what they may not know is one of Roberts' many talents is making charcuterie — seasoning and dry-curing salami and choice cuts of meat and aging them for weeks or months — and now he's hoping to bring those products to his shop sometime next summer. He just needs a little capital to make it happen and is collecting funds in the form of pre-sale orders.

"Now that Covid has made a large dining room useless as a large dining room, I decided last week to turn most of it into more kitchen space," he explained in an email to customers. Part of that space will be occupied by a large walk-in refrigerator dedicated to dry curing. And, of course, he has some logistical and regulatory hoops to jump through, too.

"Altogether, I estimate it's going to cost us roughly \$15,000 to get started, including the initial product cost," he said, adding that he's already purchased some necessary equipment and is tackling the required paperwork. "If everything goes only slightly worse than I expect, we could be selling our first salami as early as June."

Those who help fund his efforts by pre-ordering will get access to those new products first. "In addition to helping me realize a dream I've nurtured for nearly half of my

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PPP

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in order. Monterey County Bank processed dozens of applications during the first round of Paycheck Protection Program loans during the spring and subsequently helped most borrowers get their debts forgiven. "I think we're a little ahead of the other banks, with probably about 80 percent done," he said. "We'll clear the deck, and that gets us ready for the next round."

But he'll probably only take applications from businesses that have already worked with the bank. "Just because of the sheer volume and staffing, we're probably only going to do PPP loans for clients who got them with us the first time," he said. "We are already on overload handling this."

The labor is worth it, though, because when customers are doing well, so is the bank. And while Monterey County Bank has yet to see any reimbursement from the federal government for handling the loans, that will happen in good time.

"They'll pay us a fee at some point," he said. "We have to spend the money first, before we get reimbursed. Fortunately, the bank is in good shape."

Other details

The bill also calls for simplifying the forgiveness process for PPP loans of less than \$150,000, and it makes nonprofits, including chambers of commerce and destination marketing groups, eligible as long as lobbying doesn't account for more than 15 percent of their revenues or activities.

While the earliest iterations of the PPP required a certain amount of money to be spent on payroll, the new program makes a wider variety of expenses eligible, includ-

ART

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Like Finnegan, Bradford's two dogs — **Belle**, a corgi-pug mix, and **Twiggy**, a Chihuahua — work as greeters in her gallery. "Belle's particular good at it," she said.

Like Dodds, she's doing pet portrait commissions, and she has a backlog at the moment.

Bradford looks forward to meeting new four-legged friends in her gallery. "Dogs are always welcome here," she added.

Another downtown site where dogs are always welcome is Gallery Mar on Dolores between Ocean and Seventh, where an English pointer mix named **Caspar** holds court. He belongs to gallery owner **Thomas Cushman**, who is thrilled to work alongside him. While not every dog is suited to be in a room filled with beautiful and fragile things all day, this one certainly is.

"Somehow he knows not to touch any of the art," Cushman added. "He's so careful — it's kind of wonderful."

FOOD

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life, you will get first access to all new charcuterie releases through the end of 2021, even after you have used up the pre-paid gift card you will receive when we get closer to our anticipated first release," he promised. The gift cards will be good for anything sold at PigWizard, and he expects to send them out in the spring.

On Tuesday, Roberts reported he's already more than halfway to his goal. "I'm stunned and humbled at the amounts people are giving for this project, considering everything that's going on in the world," he said. "We raised more than \$8,000 the week before Christmas, during a surging pandemic. I thought it would take months to get that amount." To make sure you're in on the action, go to pigwizard.com.

■ East Village has new owner

Janet and Dean McAthie have sold their East Village Coffee Lounge in Monterey to resident Ryan Lama, who renamed it the East Village Café and has it open for "crazy good coffee," tea, authentic chai and various food items daily from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. for takeout. Go to eastvillage-cafemonterey.com for online ordering, and find more information about the café on social media.

■ Nacho Bizness party packs

Steb Montez' Nacho Bizness recently relocated from near the Bulldog on Lighthouse to 470 Alvarado St. in downtown Monterey and is offering takeout, including the popular party packs of two regular nachos and two beers for just \$30. Nachos with chips, housemade cheese sauce, protein of choice and toppings can also be had a la carte for \$10 to \$18, and the downtown spot sells burritos, burrito bowls, and other goodies, too. Go to nachobiz.biz to order. It's open from 11 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Sundays.

ing "damage due to public disturbances," PPE for workers, and software and computing needs.

Businesses that opened after Feb. 15 are not eligible for PPP loans. Seasonal employers can base their maximum loan amount on any 12-week period between Feb. 15, 2019, and Feb. 15, 2020, while farmers and ranchers can use their gross income from 2019 when calculating the highest amounts they can borrow.

According to the bill, the SBA has until Jan. 6 to establish rules and regulations and must create "a one-page simplified forgiveness form" by Jan. 20. The program runs through March 31.

The bill also carves out money specially for the performing arts. Live performance groups, theaters, cinemas, museums and other live venues that can demonstrate revenue losses of at least 25 percent between last year and this year can apply for grants, since the legislation includes \$15 billion in taxpayer-funded help just for them.

GAVEL

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he could be subdued. Adams was extremely delusional and belligerent, and screamed nonsensical statements.

In 2003, Adams was found not guilty by reason of insanity and committed to the Department of State Hospitals, where he has remained ever since. Every two years, the Department of State Hospitals makes a recommendation for either release or continued commitment of Adams.

The experts at the Department of State Hospitals recommended continued commitment of Adams. He objected to that commitment and was entitled to a jury trial to determine whether he should be released. After a three-day trial, a Monterey County jury returned a verdict that his civil commitment should be extended.

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A Pirates' life for me: A history of sailing at Stevenson School

AN AGE-OLD sailing superstition — perhaps passed down from the Phoenicians, or maybe a Popeye cartoon — is that friendly winds can be conjured up if a sailor scratches the mast while whistling.

“Take it from me — it doesn’t work,” said Jack McAleer, a lifelong mariner who has spent the past 45 years teaching kids at Stevenson School techniques that really do work when they’re trying to navigate a sailboat around the Monterey Peninsula.

He was 3 the first time he sailed with his father on Naragansett Bay in Rhode Island, where he grew up, then continued in the sport at Brown University (Class of ’70), which is when he figured out that the best sailors were on the West Coast, where you could go boating year-round.

Unsung hero

After teaching school on Santa Catalina Island and competing in a Monterey Yacht Club race to Año Nuevo Island in 1973, McAleer moved to the Monterey Peninsula to join the science faculty at Robert Louis Stevenson School. He taught physics and from 1976 to 2017, and still helps with the sailing program, which today is directed by U.S. Sailing employee Bradley Schoch, who assisted previously at Roger Williams University (a top-10 national program in Rhode Island), and was head coach at CSU

Monterey Bay.

During his first semester at Stevenson, McAleer took charge of a sailing program that had been created the previous year by Carmel insurance man and yachtsman Harvey Kilpatrick, an experienced ocean racer. Kilpatrick somehow arranged for the donation of six rickety El Toros (8-foot sailboats with transom bows), which were patched up by students in the school’s wood shop so beginning sailors could give them a beating in Stevenson’s first sailing classes in 1975.

“The Toros had been sailed briefly, but were broken by the time I arrived. They were not up to the punishment of novice high school boys,” remembered McAleer who, in September of ’76, took a small group of students on regular after-school sailing excursions on Carmel Bay aboard the Cap’n Flint, an 18-foot Mercury sloop (also donated to the school) that got its name from Robert Louis Stevenson’s adventure classic, “Treasure Island.”

When Stillwater pier was shut down for the winter at the end of September (a surprise to McAleer), Kilpatrick stepped up again, loaning the school his slip in the Monterey marina. Another philanthropist, Norm Lowe, arranged for the donation of several more Mercuries.

The generosity caught on. A Stevenson parent and longtime school benefactor, Dr. Gerry Martin, whose kids,

Gerard and Molly, were part of McAleer’s sailing group, gave the school his 25-foot sailboat, the Famous Grouse. Ray Demere, whose son Mike was a 1965 graduate, loaned the school his immaculate Ocean Queen, a 54-foot yawl, which McAleer used to take students on weekend cruises on San Francisco Bay. Kilpatrick also chartered a 68-footer, Drifter, loaning the boat to McAleer and his students to

Peninsula Sports

By DENNIS TAYLOR

sail from Monterey to Long Beach.

Over the next two decades, sailing at Stevenson was a spring and fall instructional/recreational program, but some Pirates became skilled enough to race Mercuries in the Monterey Peninsula Yacht Club’s Perry Cup series, and in the November Cup regattas against junior sailors from Newport Beach and Fort Worth, Texas. (Kilpatrick knew members of the Fort Worth Boat Club).

‘Bumper boats’

Some sailors are better than others, and novice regattas often have a bumper boats element as inexperienced mariners attempt to navigate in close quarters. There’s plenty to learn about equipment, ocean swells, and capricious winds. Boats can capsize, tossing sailors into the drink. Sailboats used in high school and college sailing today (called CFJs: Club Flying Juniors) are less complicated to use, and easier to turn upright if they capsize.

“There are a lot of moving parts on the water, so we start with the basics — how to put on a life jacket, how to get the boat upright if you flip it over, how to get on a towline,” said Schoch, who learned to sail at Huntington Beach, then sailed at CSUMB

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Betty Ng and Gage Bradford (left) race in the Stevenson Trophy Regatta in 2019. (Above) Pirates sailing team members Betty Ng, Audrey Yip, Luc DuPreez, Gage Bradford, and Ryan Marquess, just before the 2020 pandemic lockdown.

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and on the East Coast.

McAleer remembers a windy spring day, circa 1980, when a Stevenson student was skipping a Mercury called the Pieces of Eight with two less experienced crewmembers, Bahram Varjavand and Mark Notz.

"He was playing around, trying to scare them, and more and more water was splashing over the rail," McAleer recounted. "Eventually, the boat was half-full of water and he decided, 'Uh-oh, this is getting serious — we better get back to the harbor,' and turned downwind. When you do that, all of the water runs to the bow."

The extra weight in the bow caused the boat to dive into the face of the wave, and 653 pounds of lead ballast, built into the keel, took it under. The boat sank, and its skipper and crew had to be fished out of the water.

"It's still out there, on the bottom, near the mile buoy," McAleer said with a laugh.

'Down with the ship'

Experienced sailors also can encounter calamities. McAleer, himself, was skipping a Mercury one day with two student crewmen when the jib shackle (a device that keeps the sail hoisted) came loose.

"I shimmied up the mast to retrieve it, and the boat rocked just enough that my weight tipped it over," he recalled. "Water poured into the cockpit, my two sailors were draped over the high side, and the mast broke. We all ended up in the ocean, laughing at each other, next to our half-sunk Mercury."

Stevenson's fleet was replenished over the years by donations from Pebble Beach yachtsman Matt Jenkins (the First Today, a 24-footer), Stevenson trustee George Walker (the Gold Dust, 41 feet), Peninsula resident Rex Pressey (the 36-foot Hai Quai), Stevenson parent Bud Allen (the 24-foot Poco a Poco), the Inglehart family (a 20-foot day-sailer), and Pebble Beach sailor Bob McMahon (the 27-foot Ms. K). Bill Larson, another Stevenson parent, created an endowment for Stevenson sailing that today is worth \$100,000.

The arrival of a freshman boarding student changed the trajectory of the program in the fall of 1996. Alex Mehran, who had grown up racing on San Francisco Bay and the Maine Coast, learned that Northern California high schools were about to form a competitive sailing association modeled after a similar program in Southern California. The next fall, Lucinda Watson, Alex's mom, gave Stevenson's sailing program \$50,000 in IBM stocks, allowing the purchase of six Flying Juniors, a three-boat trailer, and a custom float and dollies for the boats' home in the Monterey marina.

NorCal's competitive high school sailing leagues were launched in 1998, and Stevenson began showing up at regattas from San Francisco to San Diego. In 2000 (Mehran's senior year), the Pirates placed fifth at the Pacific Coast Championship in San Diego, narrowly missing a spot at nationals.

In 2001, McAleer inaugurated the Stevenson Trophy Regatta for Monterey Peninsula sailors, grades 8-12. The Monterey Peninsula Yacht Club created a statewide event, the Sea Otter Regatta, in the fall of 2003.

On to bigger things

Hundreds of sailors have come through Stevenson's program, which now competes in varsity and junior varsity divisions, and many have gone on to bigger things in the sport.

Robin Jeffers ('78) is a pro sailor who has competed in multiple TransPacific Yacht Races. Brent Harrill ('98) competed at the University of Hawaii Manoa, coached at

Stanford, and today is sailing director of the St. Francis Yacht Club in San Francisco. Mehran (2000) sailed at Brown University, and won his class in the Singlehanded TransPacific Yacht Race to Hawaii in 2012. James Clappier ('07) sailed four years for nationally ranked Boston College, and once was sunk by a sperm whale north of Hawaii. Ben Gerber ('15) sailed for UCLA. Domenic Bove ('11) sailed at Boston College, and Stuart Henry ('17) a four-time Stevenson Trophy winner, sailed for the College of Charleston in South Carolina.

Meanwhile, Stevenson's 2019 team enjoyed the most successful fall season in school history, an accomplishment McAleer credits largely to his successor, Schoch.

"Bradley Schoch grew up sailing in Southern California, and he's very good — better than I ever was — at coaching kids in boat-handling techniques," he said. "He's been a tremendous addition to our program."

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Editorial

The need for speed

POLITICAL CONTROVERSIES come and go so quickly in this country (anybody remember Ukraine?), nothing should surprise us anymore. But some people have moved so rapidly from celebrating the vaccines to being mad they haven't already gotten theirs, it boggles even the most cynical mind.

The virus that carries the scientific name SARS-CoV-2 — which the public calls coronavirus or Covid — was unknown to scientists one year ago and didn't begin to spread rapidly in this country until March 2020. The scientists at Pfizer, Moderna, AstraZeneca and other pharmaceutical companies probably didn't even get their hands on the spiky little devil until several weeks later. That they delivered an apparently safe and effective vaccine before the end of the year astonishes the mind.

While the exact requirements vary from vaccine to vaccine, all of them have to be painstakingly manufactured and require very careful handling on their way to someone's arm. The entire world, of course, is waiting to be inoculated — which means the whole process is an undertaking that would make Sisyphus seem like a slacker. Despite everything, even our humble county was able to receive its first doses by the second week of December.

And we weren't alone. According to the CDC, a little more than 2 million Americans have already received their first dose of either the Pfizer or Moderna vaccine — that's about six-tenths of 1 percent of the population, a remarkable achievement for such a short timeframe. Yet, there's been outcry, not only nationally, but in more than a dozen emails to The Pine Cone, from people demanding to know why they weren't at the top of the list.

Whether it's residents and staff at senior care homes, doctors and nurses in private practice or who work in non-hospital settings, emergency responders, or elderly people with chronic medical conditions, quite a few people think they should be next. And then there are the "equity" advocates who think people of color should be at the front of the line.

Adding to the outcry is the misconception that decisions about who gets the vaccine are being made at the local level, and that if you make your case for a job to call your own to the county health department, somehow that will make a difference.

For our part, we think the vaccines should go first to the people most likely to catch the disease — and that's something which is not a matter of opinion but can easily be estimated, if not ascertained, by using data. Giving all of them the vaccine first will not only protect the most vulnerable, it will do the most to lower the incidence of the disease — which will help get businesses open and give everybody added protection, whether they've been vaccinated or not.

For everybody, patience is required, along with continuing vigilance against catching the virus or contributing to its spread. And one more thing: gratitude. Because no matter who you think is to blame for the pandemic, everyone can agree that the vaccines are a huge step toward ending it. So while you're waiting for your turn, do whatever you can to protect yourself, and be very glad they're there.

BEST of BATES



"They say he's the city attorney."

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Support local restaurants

Dear Editor,
On behalf of the board of directors and members of the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce, I am urging peninsula residents to support the local restaurants.

California's minimum wage will increase to \$14 per hour on January 1, 2021. Governor Gavin Newsom declined to act on requests from several business state associations to delay the increase until the pandemic is behind us. Owners of restaurants are suffering from all the lockdown orders coupled with a major increase in labor cost.

If you want to continue and enjoy your dining experience in the future, please consider ordering out. Furthermore, the chamber is offering \$10 off your next meal. Restaurants are reimbursed the \$10. Please contact the chamber to receive the coupon. Thank you for your support in advance and happy holidays.

Moe Ammar, president
Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce

'Astounding'

Dear Editor,

It is astounding for my wife and me to see how many people feel compelled to wear masks while driving cars or riding bicycles or walking the Carmel Beach, choosing to breathe a billion times the density of CO₂ as compared to the .04 percent trace in our atmosphere.

Some medical professionals have compared wearing face masks to building a chainlink fence to keep out mosquitos.

If more people would get out in the fresh air and sunshine, without lathering up with sunscreen, breathing in oxygen while absorbing healthy levels of vitamin D, few would have complications from contracting SARS-CoV-2, aka the Wuhan Flu. It's time to reengage in smiling and interacting socially. It's time to open outdoor restaurant seating. And, yes, it's time to open up our towns and state, and to enjoy exercising in the fresh air without irrational fear.

Robert Sinotte, Carmel

'No kidding'

Dear Editor,

A father wants to close Scenic Road three days a week so his daughter can ride her bicycle. I'm not kidding. The Carmel City Council will be considering this at its Jan. 5 meeting.

Scenic is the busiest residential street in town. As a Scenic Road resident, I am against closing the road for any reason (short of a gas leak).

Fellow citizens, if you agree, please email or write Mayor Dave Potter & the four councilmembers: Jeff Baron, Carrie Theis, Karen Ferlito and Bobby Richards. It

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Edward Ord gave much more to Monterey's history than his name

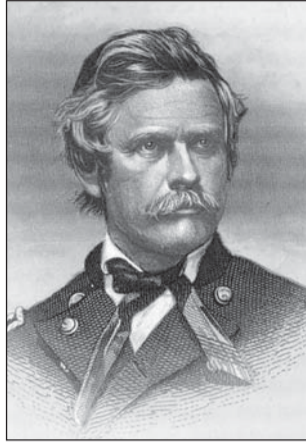
WHEN I first came to Monterey and saw Fort Ord, my mind went to the Chicago's O'Hare Airport, commonly known as ORD, terminology that was created as an abbreviation for "orchard." Before it was renamed O'Hare Airport in 1949, it had been called Orchard Field Airport, named for Orchard Place, which is what the Cook County community was called when the airport was first developed.

But there was no connection. The Ord for which Fort Ord was named was Civil War hero Maj. Gen. Edward Otho Cresap Ord. Long before the Army's Gigling Reservation was renamed Fort Ord in 1940, the base we know today as the Presidio of Monterey was once known as Ord Barracks. So, what is the local connection?

Ord graduated from West Point in 1839 at the age of 20, and saw action in several wars, beginning with the Second Seminole War in the Florida Territory. His actions there led to his promotion to first lieutenant in 1841.

In 1846, under Capt. Henry S. Burton at

five officers, sailed on the Lexington for Monterey — the third detachment sent to California after the beginning of the Mexican War. With them were Ord's younger brother James, a civilian surgeon, and engineer Lt. Henry W. Halleck, who was charged with designing and overseeing construction of forts at both Monterey and San Francisco.



Edward Ord

In charge

They sailed around Cape Horn and arrived at Monterey on Jan. 28, 1847. The ship's cargo included both military armaments and civilian supplies, such as a sawmill and a gristmill.

In Monterey, Commodore Stockton relieved Sloat in September 1846, and began building fortifications on the Presidio hill overlooking the harbor, but his resources were limited — he even had to pull guns from his ship to mount them on the hill. When the Army's Company F arrived, they took over construction.

Tompkins left Ord in charge in Monterey and sailed back East. Ord's second in command was 1st Lt. William T. Sherman, who had been Ord's roommate at West Point. Sherman soon

accepted the position of assistant adjutant general to Col. Richard Mason and Ord's field command fell to 2nd Lt. Colville Minor.

While stationed in Monterey, Ord saw much of the state. Civil affairs were maintained by Walter Colton, whom Stockton had established as the alcalde (mayor).

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History Beat

By NEAL HOTELLING

Fort McHenry, Ord helped create Company F of the 3rd Artillery. Its soldiers were mostly raw recruits who enlisted for five years, and after their initial training, the men were transferred to New York's Governors Island under the command of Capt. Christopher Tompkins. On July 14, 1846, just a week after Sloat raised the United States flag at the Custom House, the 118 members of the company, which included

accepted the position of assistant adjutant general to Col. Richard Mason and Ord's field command fell to 2nd Lt. Colville Minor.

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Maj. Gen. Edward O. C. Ord, the namesake of Monterey County's Fort Ord, poses with his staff during the early days of the Civil War. Ord is the debonair fellow with his hand on his hip.

Outward beauty from inner faith

SPIRITUALITY HAS found its way into Dale Garman's artwork since his days as a divinity student, when he fashioned wire coat hangers into crucifixes that sold briskly out of a Washington D.C. gallery.

Some five decades later, Garman's most-recent passion has been creating dreamscapes (definition: "pieces with a strangeness or mystery characteristic of dreams") for the Carmel Valley Art Association, where he and his wife, watercolorist Sharon Quinn, have shown their work since early last summer.

"I think the things I make are very spiritual and evocative, especially my dreamscape art," said the 75-year-old sculptor. "I always start drawing something before I make it, and the things I'm drawing merge into one another. Nowadays I'm creating mandalas including faces, fish, animals, and birds." Mandalas are a type of art found in both eastern and western religions, and have symbolic and meditative meaning beyond their vibrant appearance.

Singing in Europe

Among the pieces in Garman's dreamscape series are a dozen 19-by-19-inch panels, three of which are centerpieces of a wall dedicated to his work at CVAA gallery in Carmel Valley Village's Center Street Marketplace. The panels are surrounded by large, detailed carvings of a seahorse, a sea turtle, and giraffe's head, a tiger's face, an owl, and a bird of prey, among others.

His works — and Quinn's — are displayed at the Haute Enchilada Gallery in

Moss Landing.

Garman and Quinn, married 20 years, create their work in the two-room studio they built at their home in Prunedale, where he's been a full-time artist since 2014. That's the year he retired from his job as an art instructor at Greenfield High School, where he taught for 12 years.

"Greenfield High is where, I started making my 'Dreamscape' series — geographic and organic forms in very bright colors, weird faces merging into this or that ..." he said. "I did a series of 18 over a two-year period, and I think that's what influenced what I'm

doing now."

Garman grew up in Elizabethtown, Pa., 18 miles from Harrisburg, where he was a bright, curious kid who played sports and built model airplanes, which he remembers as his first foray into making 3D artwork. He was good in school, leaving Elizabethtown High a year early to attend a local college (where he simultaneously earned his high school diploma), then transferring to Wittenberg University in Springfield, Ohio, where he was a solo tenor in the choir, and earned a degree in history and political science.

While at Wittenberg, he went with the choir in 1964 on a six-week performance tour of Europe, where he became enamored with artwork he saw in museums and cathedrals.

"I was pretty turned on by what I saw," he said. "When I got back, I started painting from the photos I had taken. That was probably when the first inking surfaced that I had some art talent."

He moved on to the Lutheran Theological Seminary in Gettysburg, Pa. He left that four-year program as an ordained Lutheran minister, and was given a two-church ministry outside of Erie, Pa. He later oversaw two "tentmaking" churches — places where the pastor receives little or no pay and is expected to have another means of support. (The term derives from a biblical reference to St. Paul, who reportedly made tents for a living while he was preaching the gospel.)

Serendipity

"I went to Cleveland, to the Perkins School of Piano Tuning and Technology, to learn how to become a piano tuner so I could support myself," he said. "But piano tuning didn't work out very well for me in Erie, which was doing through a bit of a depression in 1974-75, so I took a job at a pipe-organ-making factory."

It wasn't a career path for Garman, but it was a serendipitous stopover in

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Sculptor Dale Garman of the Carmel Valley Art Association and Haute Enchilada Galley had previous stints as a pastor, piano tuner, and teacher.

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When assistance with maintaining order was needed, Ord jumped into action. For instance, just days after arriving, Ord took two soldiers and tracked down three men charged with murder. One was killed in the course of the manhunt and the other two were captured in Santa Barbara, tried and executed.

While American forces fought against Mexican forces in Southern California, the presence of troops in Monterey proved sufficient to prevent any Mexican hostilities in the capital. This left Ord to focus his men on construction of the fort.

Chasing gold

Work proceeded smoothly through 1847 but became more difficult in 1848. The war with Mexico ended in February 1848, with the signing of the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo. Days before the signing, but as yet unreported, gold was discovered American River. When word of the discovery reached Monterey in May, many of the men of the area headed for the gold fields.

While the men of Company F were under a five-year commitment, the temptation was too great, and desertions became common. It was reported that the command fell to fewer than 50 men, which seems to be borne out by the September 1850 census record.

As interest shifted from Monterey to the gold fields, Ord was dispatched to create a map of the gold districts, which he completed in July 1848. He then produced a detailed survey for the city of Sacramento. After finishing it in early 1849, Ord was sent to Southern California to create the first survey of the pueblo of Los Angeles.

Ord's older brother, Pacificus, a lawyer in New Orleans, came to California in February 1849, on the California, the same steamer that brought the Rev. Willey to Monterey (see Dec. 11 History Beat). This was the first steamer to arrive at San Francisco as part of the Gold Rush. Pacificus first came to Monterey in September 1849 as one of the delegates from Sonoma to California's constitutional convention. After signing the constitution, he stayed. Younger brother Robert also arrived about that time. The four Ord brothers all appear on Monterey's 1850 census.

On Sept. 7, 1850, Edward Ord was

promoted to captain and sent to the Pacific Northwest. Over the next five years, he completed a coastal survey, and then was put in charge of a garrison at Benicia. At the outbreak of the Civil War in 1861, Ord was at the Presidio of San Francisco. He returned to Washington D.C., and on Sept. 14, was promoted to brigadier general and charged with protecting the Capitol. In December, he led an attack against J.E.B. Stuart's regiment at Draneville, Va.

On May 2, 1862, Ord was promoted to major general and sent to lead action farther west. He was severely wounded at Hatchie, Miss., and sidelined for several months. He returned to active duty in June 1863. Gen. Ulysses S. Grant placed Ord in charge of the XIII Corps in the siege of Vicksburg, Miss., that same summer. Later, in September 1864, Ord successfully led the assault on Fort Harrison, near Richmond, Va., but was again seriously wounded and unable to return to duty until January.

After the Civil War, Ord had commands in Arkansas and Texas. Retiring in 1880 at the age of 62, he took charge of constructing a railroad in Mexico. While sailing from Vera Cruz to New York, he took ill, and died of yellow fever in Havana, Cuba, on July 22, 1883.

On July 13, 1903, soon after the Army reactivated the military base in Monterey, Secretary of War Elihu Root officially named it Ord Barracks. It was then home of the 9th Cavalry. Root's successor, Secretary William Howard Taft, citing its early colonial history, named it the Presidio of Monterey in September 1904, and in November assigned the 4th Cavalry to replace the 9th.

While the Ord name would not appear on a military base again until 1940, the name lived on in the Monterey Bay area. Pacificus had received a 70-acre ranch near Aptos in exchange for his legal services. He left the country and gave it to his brother, Robert. His parents and younger brother, John, joined him there in 1855. Robert then married and moved to Santa Barbara, leaving John in charge of the ranch at the time of the Presidio's name change. John died in Santa Cruz in 1911.

There is much more to the Ord family story. For instance, at one time Pacificus Ord was the largest stakeholder of Rancho Point Pinos, today's Pacific Grove.

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LETTERS

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only takes 3 votes for them to close Scenic. This is an outrage.

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Eating as a protest

Dear Editor,

I suggest that Jeff LeTowt erect a banner that says, "Protest Eating." We all know from recent law enforcement actions and

judicial history that burning down a business or smashing its windows to steal the assets is "A-Okay" as long as the thieves are protesters. And since there are multiple examples of this truth, why not "Protest Eat"?

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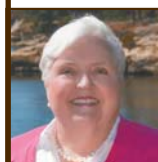
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ARTIST

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his life journey. “That’s where I met a guy from Argentina who taught me about woodworking, and how to use power tools,” Garman said of skills that became invaluable to his future as a sculptor.

In 1975, he left the ministry and moved to Houston, where the economy was healthy.

“I had an uncle there, Hap Garman, an artist who did drawings for the Houston Post, a lot like those that caricature artist Al Hirschfeld did in New York,” he said. “Hap also would sit in the front row at the Alley Theater and draw a visual representation of whatever play or symphony they had going on.”

From 1983-87, Garman did postgraduate work at Sam Houston University, where he was mentored by painter Charles Pebworth, and in 1989 he created a series of bronze sculptures in a planned community near Houston called The Woodlands for its new Cynthia Woods Mitchell Pavilion, a performing arts venue.

“I called it ‘Smoke Dance’ because the sculptures looked like smoke rising in the air,” he said. “I thought of a performance that is kind of ephemeral — once it’s gone, all that’s left is your memory, just like a column of smoke.”

“I did six monumental bronzes, and it was a big break for me,” Garman added. “It was a big commission — still the biggest I’ve ever had.”

Fearless, unpredictable

Also under construction in The Woodlands at the time was the John Cooper School, a private, college preparatory academy that invited Garman and his then-wife, Barbara Rose Garman, a painter, to become artists-in-residence and art instructors on the school’s founding faculty.

“I really think I found one of the joys of my life when I started teaching,” said the artist, who taught kindergarten through 12th grade at the John Cooper School. “I like kids, and I think I also was pretty good at it.”

Garman discovered that kids could be fearlessly creative as artists, and delightfully unpredictable as students.

“I was teaching kindergarten kids one day, and we were sitting in a close circle,” he remembered. “At some point I glanced down at a little boy who looked like he had something to say, and his question was, ‘Do you ever clip your nose hairs?’”

Almost 10 years later, in 1998, Garman — by then amicably divorced from Barbara — moved to California, where he was hired to teach art at Capitola Elementary School, a three-year position funded by a Packer grant.


He then earned a teaching degree and taught an art class at the now-defunct Bethany College in Scotts Valley, and subsequently was hired at Greenfield High, where his classrooms were heavily populated by the children of migrant fieldworkers.

“My first couple of years at Greenfield were a bit tough because they basically were trying me out: I was an Anglo teacher in the middle of this Hispanic culture,” he said. “After about two years, it was like they accepted me as part of their family. I think I had earned their respect, and once I did, everything worked out fine — I even got along with the gang kids.”


“I did a number of things that embraced their culture, including a Day of the Dead project — drawings and paintings that were exhibited at Greenfield City Hall.”


Garman’s artwork can be seen at Carmel Valley Art Association (see the virtual online tour at my.matterport.com/show/?m=3fRPot4hLiu) and the Haute Enchilada Gallery in Moss Landing.

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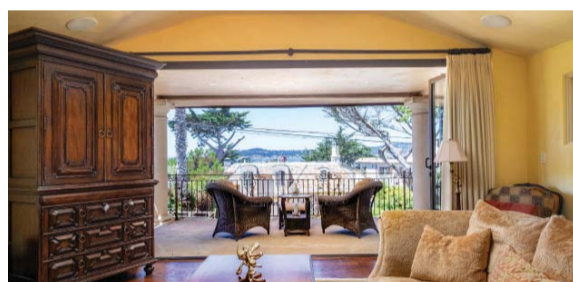
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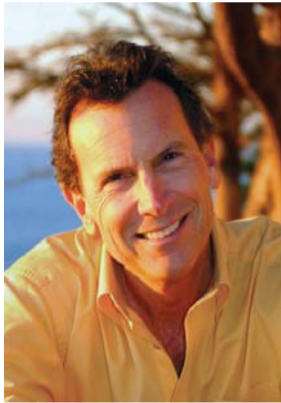
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Some familiar and unfamiliar folks who slipped away in 2020

THE LIST of folks who left us during 2020 is far too extensive to offer in detail, but here are a few I'll miss because they touched my life in some way while they were on this earth.

Al Kaline: This year baseball lost enough famous players to form a team. Among them were Joe Morgan, Tom Seaver, Bob Gibson and Lou Brock. But Kaline was my guy. He was a skinny 18-year-old kid when he broke into the big leagues with the Detroit Tigers. He patrolled right field for 21 years. Win or lose, it was always worth the price of a ticket to see this classy guy excel in all aspects of the game.

Walter Williams: His book "Race and Economics" is a must-read introduction to the subject. This economist's syndicated column was high on my reading list. He was brilliant, witty and wise.

Kenny Rogers: I can't sing a lick, but if I could, it would be Rogers' gravelly, raspy voice that I'd want blistering from my pipes. I've worn out several bars of Ivory croaking "Lady" in the shower. Fortunately, for the good of humanity, the water drowned me out.

He knew when to hold 'em and when

to fold 'em. Kenny folded them for the last time in 2020.

Carl Reiner: I go way back to "Your Show of Shows," when Reiner, Imogene Coca, Sid Caesar and Howie Morris kept us in stitches with their sketches. Reiner also wrote the weekly 90-minute TV entertainment showcase along with Mel Brooks and Neil Simon. Reiner used his experiences with "Your Show of Shows" as inspiration for his popular "Dick Van Dyke Show." His recording of "The 2000 Year Old Man" with Mel Brooks is one of the funniest comedy routines ever written.

Sean Connery: "My name is Bond, James Bond." Nuff said. He's had many credible followers, but none of them could say that line with the nonchalance of this Scotsman. And he was more than James Bond.

He won an Oscar for his role in "The Untouchables." His famous monologue — "You wanna know how to get Capone? They pull a knife, you pull a gun. He sends one of yours to the hospital, you send one of his to the morgue. That's the Chicago way!" — made it into politics when Barack Obama quoted it to illustrate how hard he was going to fight to win.

Roger Kahn: He turned baseball writing into literature. His 1972 nonfiction book, "The Boys of Summer," is a classic that belongs on every baseball junkie's bookshelf. The title is from poet Dylan Thomas' line "I see the boys of summer in their ruin," and the underlying theme of Kahn's book is fading youth. He wrote: "Yes, it is fiercely difficult for the athlete to grow old, but to age with dignity and with courage cuts close to what it is to be a man."

John le Carré: He wrote about spies with authority because he was one, having worked for the British secret services. He was outed when traitor Kim Philby gave LeCarré's name to the KGB. James Bond was glamorous, but LeCarré's people were often "short, fat, and of a quiet disposition."

Thelma Howard: Who? Thelma Howard, the real-life earthy girth of pure mirth who allowed us to pass through the portals at a certain nearby Big Box Store so we could buy a bottle of Scope big enough to sweeten an elephant's breath, or enough Oil of Olay to take the wrinkles out of the elephant's skin. She was the Force-5 bundle of joy who greeted you when you flashed your membership card going through the front door. "How you doing, baby?" Thelma gushed before wrapping you in a bear hug. Thelma was the Queen of Hugs. If she were an SUV, she would have been a Hug-mobile.

I remember people lining up to get a hug from Thelma before entering the store. Then they'd get Thelmatized.

Once she told me that her goal each day was to find the meanest person who walks

Scenic Views

By JERRY GERVAISE

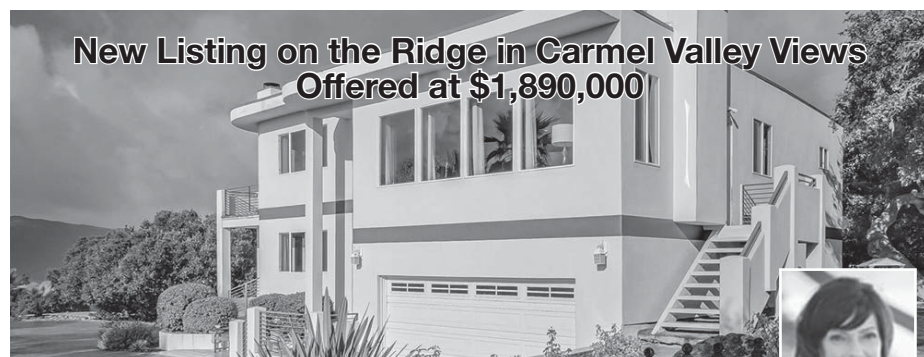
through Costco's door and change his heart, a goal I'm sure she achieved often. I have a feeling there's been a change at the Pearly Gates. Longtime resident Peter the Greeter has been replaced by Thelma. "Come on in, Sugar," she'll say, wrapping you in her arms, "we've been waiting for you."

Bill Crissy: You won't know Bill. He was my best friend in high school. "I've got just the girl for you," he said in 1954. "She's a dark-eyed Italian beauty. I'll introduce you to her at the dance on Friday night."

He did and she transcended his portrayal of her. I was dancing with her when he cut in. That's the last I saw of her until their wedding several months after later. They were married for 62 years. We kept in touch all that time, but I never let anyone cut in on me again.

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POLICE LOG

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12

Pacific Grove: Fall on public property on Ocean View Boulevard.
Pacific Grove: Report of child endangerment on Carmel Avenue.
Carmel area: Burglary reported on Center Street at 0740 hours.
Big Sur: Subject was located by the sheriff's search and rescue team after getting lost at Garrapata State Park.
Carmel Valley: Report of vandalism on Center Street at 1118 hours.
Carmel Valley: Burglary on Center Street reported at 1139 hours.
Carmel Valley: Burglary reported on Center Street at 1342 hours.
Carmel Valley: Informational report

regarding a welfare check on a subject on Schulte Road.

Carmel Valley: A 37-year-old man was arrested on Dorris Drive for public intoxication.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Three juveniles found cash at San Carlos and Seventh and brought it to the station. They would like to claim it if no owner can be found.
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Dog found and returned to its rightful owner.
Pacific Grove: Assisted in information exchange after non-injury collision with minor damage on Ocean View.
Pacific Grove: Non-injury collision on Ocean View. City property damaged
Pacific Grove: Vehicle damaged on Sea Palm.
Carmel area: Deputies responded to a verbal argument on Cabrillo and provided re-

sources to a citizen.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a suicidal subject at Scenic and Eighth at 0051 hours. Area check was conducted, but the subject was unable to be located. Subject was located during the following day and evaluated for 5150 W&I [possible danger to self or others] but did not meet the criteria.
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Phishing scam reported by a resident at Torres and Second.
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Ring lost within the last month in Carmel.
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Driver's license was found and brought to the station. The driver's license is recently expired. The owner was texted that CPD has the card.
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Cell phone found at the beach. Owner's husband was contacted and will pick it up for her.
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Property manager

reported fence posts at a property at Junipero and Eighth appeared to have been moved and stacked nearby for no apparent reason. No evidence of a vehicle collision with fencing or other criminal activity. Closer inspection showed what appeared to be freshly cut roots in the ground intertwined with the fencing. The fence posts were possibly removed during landscaping efforts — unknown responsible party.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Violation of the new shelter-in-place order reported on Mission south of Ocean at 1851 hours.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A 30-year-old male from Sacramento was arrested at Ocean and Torres at 2343 hours for providing false information and driving on a suspended driver's license. Vehicle was stored

Pacific Grove: Dispatched after complaint of a noise disturbance on Lighthouse Avenue at 0645 hours. Subject was deter-

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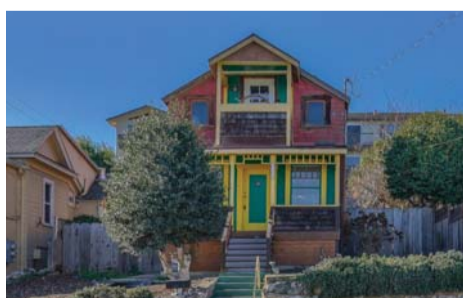
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SHERIFF

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mined to have four outstanding warrants and was arrested.

Pacific Grove: A wallet was found on Jewell Avenue and turned in to PGPD. An attempt was made to contact the owner. Wallet was returned to the owner on Dec. 16.

Carmel Valley: Adult Protective Services referral on East Carmel Valley Road.

Carmel Valley: Deputies dispatched after complaint of a peace disturbance between neighbors on Hidden Valley Road.

Carmel area: A 30-year-old male was arrested at the Crossroads for probation violation, being drunk in public, and possessing drug paraphernalia

Carmel area: Deputies responded to a report of a disturbance on Mission Fields Road. The 60-year-old female was arrested for violating a restraining order.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a health order violation on Dolores north of Seventh.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Male reported losing his wallet while visiting Carmel Beach.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Unfounded report of violation of the health order on Mission south of Ocean.

Pacific Grove: Subject on Mermaid reported a sexual assault.

Carmel area: Deputies responded to a DBF [dead body found] on Palo Colorado Road.

Carmel Valley: A male was transported from Cachagua Road for a mental health evaluation. Case closed.

Carmel Valley: Victim on Ford Road reported possible mail theft. Case continues.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of fraud via fictitious check in the victims' names.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: County health order violation at a restaurant on Dolores Street for prohibited outdoor dining.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A 46-year-old male was cited on Carpenter at 2033 hours for driving with a license suspended for DUI.

Pacific Grove: Barking dog on Monterey Avenue.

Pacific Grove: Report of a stolen bicycle on Pacific Grove Lane.

Carmel Valley: Burglary of a carport locker at an apartment complex on Center Street.

Pebble Beach: Unknown subject(s) ripped several golf yardage markers out of the ground of a golf course on 17 Mile Drive and listed them for sale online.

Carmel area: Deputies responded to report of theft on Segundo Drive.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Emergency involv-

ing a subject who fell inside her residence on San Carlos Street and was unable to get up. Fire department was able to gain entry without damaging the property. Subject refused any medical treatment.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Non-injury accident on private property on Guadalupe Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Mother of a 17-year-old female reported sexual molestation against her daughter by an adult male.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of suspicious circumstances on Carmel Rancho Lane.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Robbery reported at a business on San Carlos Street south of Ocean involving four females and one male.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Traffic stop conducted on Carpenter Street at 2253 hours for vehicle code violations resulted in the driver, a 71-year-old female Carpenter Street resident, being arrested for DUI and resisting arrest. She was taken to Monterey County Jail.

Pacific Grove: A 19-year-old male was arrested on 12th Street at 1751 hours for prowling.

Carmel area: A welfare check was requested at a residence on Highway 1.

Carmel Valley: Deputy sheriffs responded to a residence on Laureles Grade regarding brandishing of a firearm. No firearm was located.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Two subjects on post-release community supervision were contacted on Carpenter Street at 0058 hours.

One subject was released on a citation for marijuana sales and drug paraphernalia. Case forwarded to the DA's office and to the probation officers of both subjects.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject involved in a non-injury traffic collision in the area of Seventh and Dolores was arrested for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol. The 81-year-old male Carpenter Street resident was released and given a citation to appear in court.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Traffic stop at Carpenter and Highway 1 at 2040 hours led to the arrest of a probationer for several charges and warrants, including possession of unlawful paraphernalia, driving without a license, possession of an open container while driving, violation of probation, and spousal battery. The 26-year-old male construction worker from Seaside was lodged at county jail

Pacific Grove: Traffic collision on Light-house Avenue.

Pacific Grove: Subject admonished for trespassing at a business on Lighthouse Avenue.

Pebble Beach: Online report of lost property at a Broncho Road residence.

Carmel area: Adult Protective Services referral on Yankee Point Drive.

Carmel Valley: APS referral at a Del Mesa Carmel residence.

Carmel area: DBF [dead body found] at Point Lobos.

Carmel area: Deputy was dispatched to a

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File No. 20202190 The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: STRUCTURAL SERVICES AND FOUNDATION REPAIR, INC., 888 Lomita Street, Monterey, CA 93940...

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

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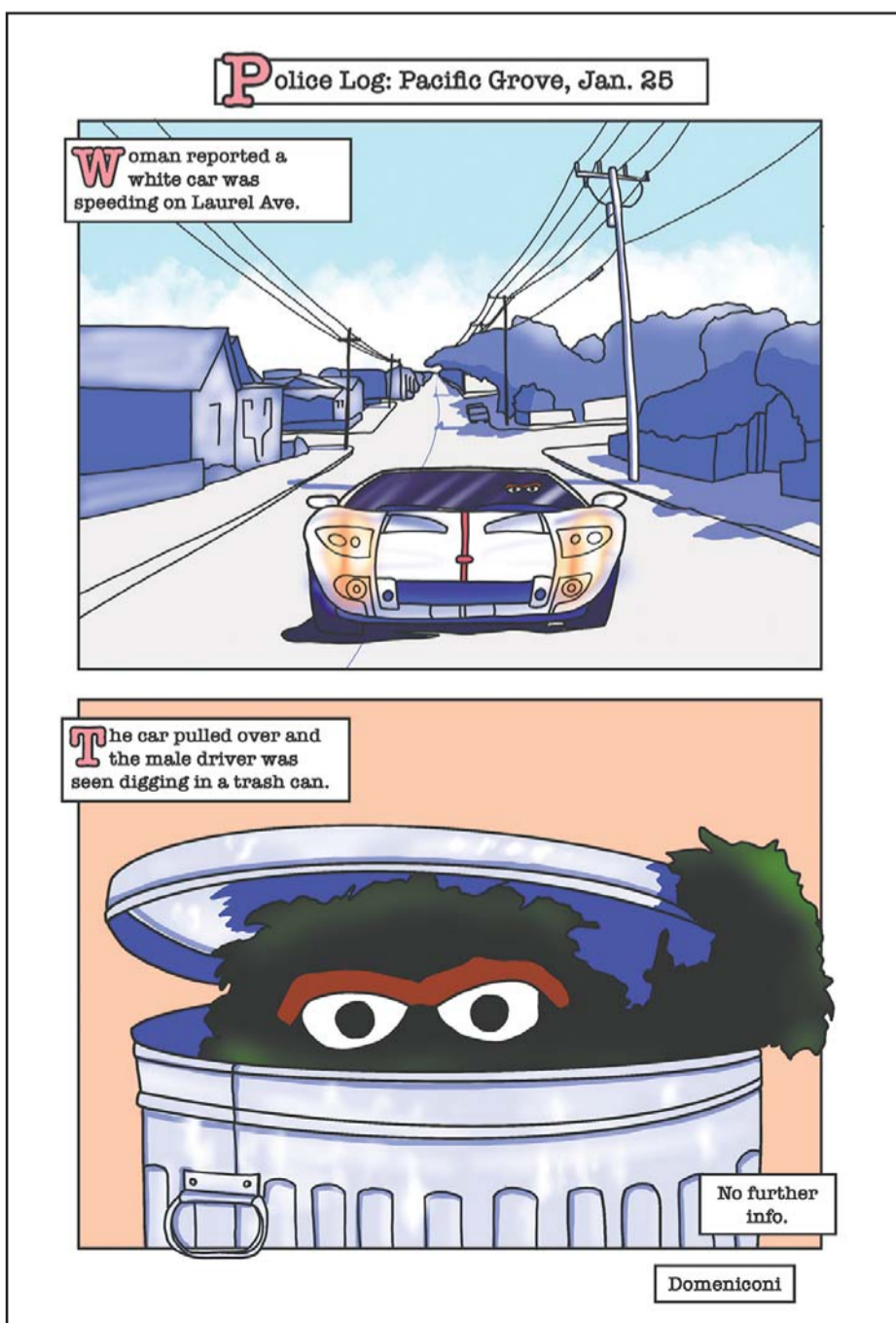
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1165 Roosevelt Street — \$950,000

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3382 Laureles Lane — \$3,890,000

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3301 17 Mile Drive — \$6,736,000

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1051 Sonoma Avenue — \$440,000

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upset her and she wanted him to get in trouble.

Carmel area: Report of alleged sexual abuse of a male adult at a residence on Palo Colorado Road.

Pacific Grove: Investigation of a report of rape and child molestation.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A 25-year-old unemployed male San Marcos Road resident

who is on probation was arrested at 0621 hours for several firearm and narcotics charges, including being a felon carrying a loaded firearm in public, unlawful possession of a firearm, possession of narcotics, possession of unlawful paraphernalia and violation of probation. He was booked into Monterey County Jail.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Shelter-in-place or-

der violations reported on Dolores Street.

Pacific Grove: A 54-year-old female was arrested on Congress for public intoxication.

Pacific Grove: Stolen package from the front porch of a Sunset Drive residence.

Pacific Grove: Traffic citation issued to a 49-year-old subject on Dolores Street for unlawful display, no registration tabs on a trailer.



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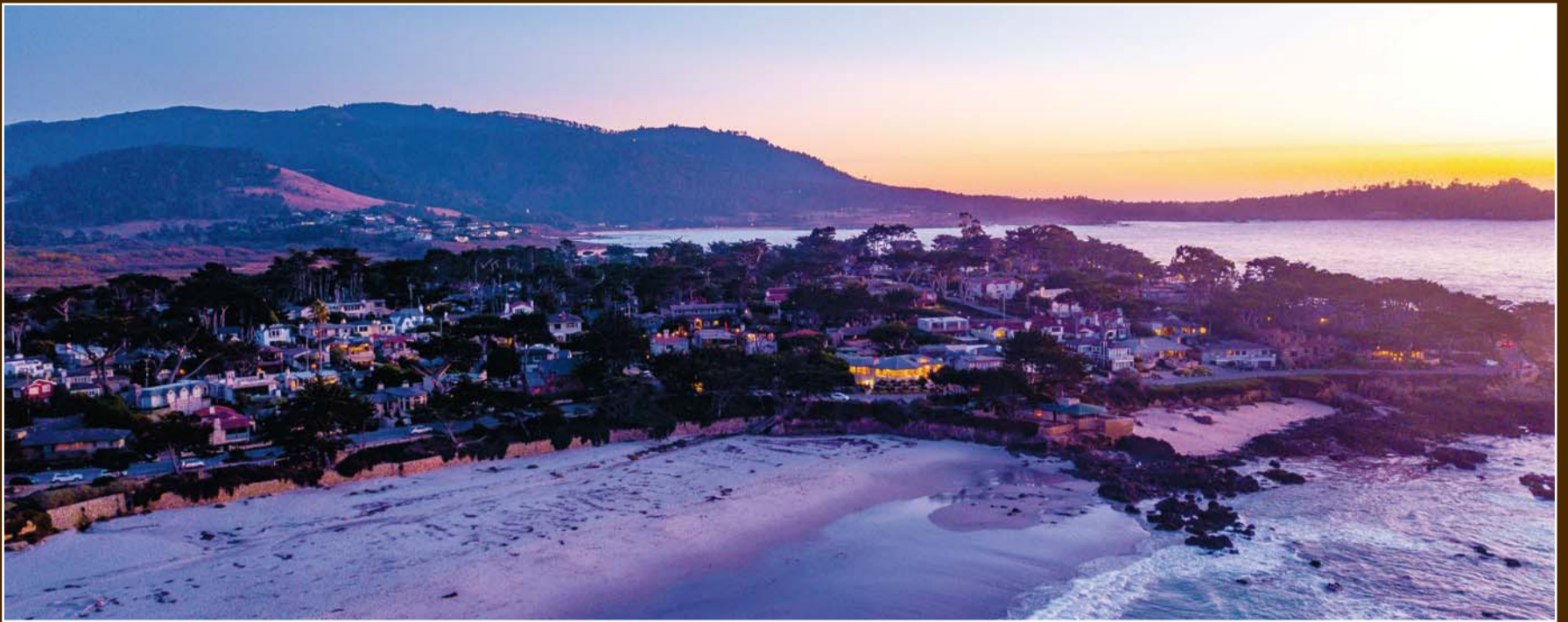
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