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# Forest Theater redo: Better sound from the stage, less noise from the bathrooms

By MARY BROWNFIELD

PLANS TO make the Forest Theater more user friendly — including providing restrooms that aren't out of the Stone Age — should be submitted for Carmel City Council review within the next few

R.F. McCann & Company Architects, Inc., which specializes in renovating historic theaters, finished the preliminary design work and presented the facts to neighbors at an Oct. 30 meeting.

The Forest Theater Foundation, which formed to raise funds and oversee the project, hosted the gathering.

"We had a lot of good comments," said Walt deFaria. "Naturally, some didn't like everything presented by our architect, but in general, they were supportive that something has to be done."

Constructed nearly a century ago and overhauled after the city took ownership in the 1930s, the Forest Theater is the state's oldest outdoor theater. No

one wants to change its rustic character or undermine its historical significance, but actors, crews and audience members would all appreciate some improvements, deFaria pointed out.

McCann's "master plan program elements" include a sound booth and spotlights in back, new restrooms, larger dressing rooms, ADA-accessible walkways, better access for emergency vehicles and for loading scenery, more comfortable benches with angled backs for 550 patrons,



A preliminary drawing shows new bathrooms, expanded space beside the stage and other proposed improvements to the historic Forest Theater.

improved parking, a new ticket booth and landscaping. The design also calls for using the space at the front and underneath the stage for an orchestra pit and storage, and better buffering of sound around the perimeter of the

"We love it rustic," said Stephen Moorer, founder and artistic director of Pacific Repertory Theatre, which pre-

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# Big Sur trail plan runs into obstacles

Residents feel left out; large landowner objects to proposed alignment

By CHRIS COUNTS

A STATE agency and a group of local residents agree that routing the 1,200-mile California Coastal Trail through Big Sur would be a good thing. Unfortunately, the two sides appear to be far apart regarding who will decide where the

Meanwhile, two maps suggesting alignments for the trail have been circulated, leading one of Big Sur's largest property owners to say he is seriously opposed to any trail going across his land.

#### Locals want more say

Last summer, as discussions of the trail through Big Sur were getting under way, residents expressed concern they were being left out of the planning process. Four months later, it seems little has changed.

The dispute started when the California Coastal Conservancy — a state agency which says it has spent more than a half billion dollars to "preserve, protect and restore the resources of the California coast" — announced it would allocate \$175,000 to hire a consultant to develop a Big Sur Coastal Trail Master Plan. Wanting a greater say in the process, Big Sur residents sought, and apparently received, assurances that they would play a significant role in the plan-

"This should be our project," said Jack Ellwanger, whose group has been working on the plan for months. "We live

See TRAIL page 8A

# How many MacDonalds are too many?

The subject is not new to the commission, which in July

voted to allow the same gallery to place

a bronze, "Trumpeter," also

MacDonald, in a small garden beside shop.

gallery changed its

mind and Carmel Plaza asked to install

the piece instead.

In place of "Trumpeter,"

Dawson Cole Fine

Art then asked to

install in its garden

what spokesperson

OK'd that as well.

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September,

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Sculptures, not hamburgers

By MARY BROWNFIELD

PLANNING COMMISSIONERS do not want the job of deciding what qualifies as art and whether it can be installed in public view — a position they reiterated Nov. 14 after Dawson Cole Fine Art sought permission to install a Richard MacDonald sculpture outside its gallery on San Carlos between Fifth and Sixth.



'Nureyev Heroic'

CarrieAnn called a "stunning and beautiful," 6-foot-10-inch bronze of famed Russian dancer and choreographer Rudolf Nureyev.

"This is the most sought-after piece of Richard MacDonald's," she said.

But senior planner Sean Conroy recommended denial, since one of MacDonald's works is already on display in town.

See RULES page 6A

# Veteran theater exec, producer, director to head Sunset Center

By MARY BROWNFIELD

 ${
m THE~OLD~saw}$ , "If it ain't broke, don't fix it," has no place in Peter Lesnik's life philosophy.

"I'm not good with the status quo," said the man who will head Sunset Center come Jan. 1. "I'm a bit of a fixer, even when things aren't bro-

For the past decade, Lesnik has been executive director of the modern, 1,100-seat Richard and

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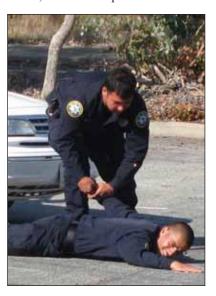
## MPC police academy joins forces with three others

By MARY BROWNFIELD

CADETS WITH their sights set on police jobs in Carmel and other Peninsula communities will soon be learning how to gather evidence, handcuff suspects and detect DUIs at a revamped police academy at Monterey Peninsula College, according to officials with the col-

At the advice of president

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Cadets at the Monterey Peninsula College police academy practice their skills taking down criminals in a parking lot at the former Fort Ord. Beginning next month, they will have new teachers.

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# 'CHICKS WITH STICKS' KNIT BEANIES FOR THE BRAVE

By CHRIS COUNTS

A GROUP of local women have turned their love of knitting into heartwarming act of support for U.S. troops abroad.

"We have been friends since our kids were young," explained Sue Lamvik. "Now, our kids are growing and we're becoming empty nesters, so we play a lot of golf and tennis." Hence the name they've taken on: "Chicks with Sticks."

One of the chicks, Carmel Valley resident Kasmin



Chappell, has a son-in-law, Chase Agnew, who is stationed in Iraq.

Iraq.
"We decided to take one day a week and hang up our rackets to make beanies to sell so we can pay to send care packages to Chase and the 29 guys in his Naval squadron," she said.

The women dubbed the project, "Beanies for the Brave." The care packages are filled with snacks, books and personal items.

"It kinds of brings us more in touch with what's going on in the outside world," she said. "All of us have kids in their 20s. If they can take time to serve our country, we can take time to send them care packages every month."

The colorful beanies are designed to look like flowers, fruit and vegetables.

For Christmas this year, the members of Agnew's squadron will receive a special holiday surprise in addition to a shipment of new T-shirts and socks.

"Our next care packages go out Nov. 27," she said. "We're making 29 adult-sized red, white and blue beanies for the squadron. It's getting cold over there."

One particularly enthusiastic knitter — Sue Morris — assembled 13 beanies alone.

"They're hand-knit and each one looks a little different," Lamvik explained.

## Did you know...



Pebble Beach acquired its name quite simply. Look at the beach behind The Lodge, next to the famous 18th hole of the celebrated golf course, along picturesque Stillwater Cove. If you see pebbles there, you're looking at the namesake of the resort community. If

the name didn't exist by 1878 when the Pacific Improvement Company bought the area, it did soon afterwards because it was cited in 1880 in a guidebook published in San Francisco. The new owners started to develop the area in 1881 as a summer attraction for guests at the posh Hotel Del Monte in Monterey. Horse and carriage trails became 17 Mile Drive, then a log lodge opened at the prettiest spot in 1909. The original lodge burned down in 1917. A more elegant replacement was built quickly, using lumber from a demolished hotel in Pacific Grove, and opened in 1919. That one grew into today's Lodge at Pebble Beach

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Not only are women having fun making the beanies, the public response has been very favorable.

"We've made more than \$800," she said. "The beanies sell for \$10 each, but many people have been very generous and given us more."

Most of the group's beanies — which are close-fitting knit caps — are designed to fit newborns and very young children. Larger sizes can be ordered. They're available at Boëtté Winery in the Valley Hills Shopping Center, the Tee to Green golf store in the Barnyard Shopping Center and the Hearth Shop in the Del Monte Shopping Center. For more information, call Lamvik at (831) 224-6786.

## City's tree will twinkle

DRIVERS HEADING down the Ocean Avenue hill into downtown Carmel will have the pleasure of seeing the city's Christmas tree all aglow after Mayor Sue McCloud officially flips the switch at the Holiday Tree Lighting set for Friday, Nov. 30, in Devendorf Park

The event, hosted by the city and the Carmel Chamber of Commerce, will start at 5 p.m. in the park at Junipero Street and Ocean Avenue as members of the Carmel Middle School Chorus, led by Glenda Bernhardt, belt out carols to get everyone in a properly festive mood. Mainstay Myles Williams will also participate, and the mellifluously voiced Stephen Moorer, founder and artistic director of Pacific Repertory Theatre, will recite "'Twas the Night Before Christmas."

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# Carlsbad desal plant approved — but with onerous conditions

By KELLY NIX

 $Following \ \ \ Nine \ hours \ of \ testimony \ last \ Thursday, \\ the California Coastal Commission voted 9-3 to OK a desalination plant in Carlsbad.$ 

But the approval came with strict conditions that might make it difficult for the plant to actually be built.

At a Nov. 15 meeting in San Diego, commissioners approved the \$300 million plant proposed by Poseidon Resources. The 56,000-acre-foot-per-year facility would supply water to 300,000 San Diego County residents.

But before a permit can be issued to begin construction, Poseidon must show how the plant will avoid killing marine life as it draws water to be treated, the commission decided.

That condition could have the same effect as executive director Peter Douglas' recommendation that the plant not be approved at all.

"The precedent that would be set by approving the most environmentally destructive method for desalination is significant," Douglas said, "and should be of significant concern to this commission."

In his report, Douglas took issue with the desal plant's harming of marine life because of the once-through cooling system it would employ. He also objected to its contribution to global warming.

"There is a whole bunch of information that is simply not available to us," said commissioner Sara Wan — a close Douglas ally — before voting against the plant.

Commissioners Mike Reilly and Mary Shallenberger also voted against granting a permit to Poseidon.

But dozens of proponents addressed commissioners, touting the Carlsbad plant's importance in San Diego County.

San Diego City Councilman Ben Hueso said the plant desperately needed in order to reduce reliance on declining water sources, such as the Colorado River, which has been seriously damaged by overpumping.

While the Carlsbad plant won't directly affect the Monterey Peninsula, its approval is significant in light of Poseidon and California American Water Co.'s efforts to build desal plants in Moss Landing to provide a drought-free water supply for the Peninsula. Many of the environmental issues are the same.

Poseidon's vice president, Peter MacLaggan, told coastal commissioners last week the Carlsbad project would actually have environmental benefits because it would restore 37 acres of marine wetlands. He also said the plan calls for improved coastal access.

The Carlsbad desal facility would draw water from the Aqua Hedionda Lagoon using the Encina Power Station's once-through cooling system. But the power plant's operator announced earlier this year it intends to shut down the exist-

ing plant and build a new one on the site that would not use a seawater intake system for cooling.

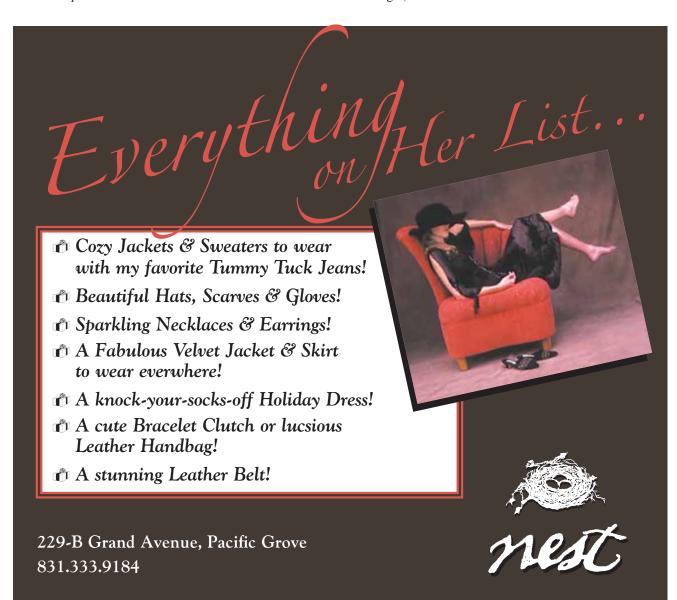
That has Douglas, environmentalists and some commissioners concerned that the Carlsbad desal plant would operate as a stand-alone facility, prolonging the use of the once-through cooling system.

And the plant's burning of fossil fuels has Douglas worried, too. MacLaggan said his company took great steps to ensure the plant would be "carbon neutral." But the commis-

sion's staff concluded the facility would generate 200 million pounds of carbon dioxide per year.

Coastal commission analyst Tom Luster said Monday the commission hadn't yet put all of the nearly two dozen conditions in writing but will be reviewing the transcript from the Nov. 15 meeting to make sure they are clear.

"We'll be taking the conditions and revised findings to an upcoming meeting so the commission can confirm staff got them right," Luster said.





# Police & Sheriff's Log

# 'Tis the season for drunken stupidity

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

# Carmel-by-the-Sea: Victim on Junipero Street called to report that his ex-wife was calling him at his place of employment in order to meet him. She called and wanted to see him at work. The victim said that their divorce was final years ago and didn't know why she would be calling now. He added that they were cordial with each other. He added that he would probably meet her at a neutral location. He wanted this report on file in case there were more calls to his office.

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1** 

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Fire engine and ambulance responded to a medical emergency on Junipero Street. Both units returned with no medical problem found.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Ambulance dispatched to the Portola Plaza Hotel in Monterey Code 2 for a female with leg pain. On scene with Monterey Fire and police. Transported Code 2 to CHOMP.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Black women's wallet found on Ocean Avenue and turned in to Carmel P.D. for safekeeping.

#### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Traffic collision on Mission Street on private property. Property damage only.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Traffic collision on public property on Guadalupe Street and Second Avenue causing injury. Police, fire engine and ambulance responded. At scene, found a single vehicle involved with minor left rear corner panel damage and one patient with minor injuries. Patient transported to CHOMP Code 2 and scene left in care of Carmel P.D. Engine returned to previous detail

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Traffic collision — hit-and-run on public property at Junipero Street and Ocean Avenue causing injury. Police, fire engine and ambulance responded. A single vehicle was in the roadway with minor front-end damage and one patient complaining of back pain. The patient was packaged in full c-spine precautions and transported Code 2 to CHOMP via ambulance.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A 46-year-old female driver was stopped for making an unsafe turning movement on Carpenter Street. Upon contact, the driver was found to be DUI and subsequently arrested. Driver was booked and lodged at Monterey City Jail until sober.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Fire engine and ambulance responded to a fire alarm activation on Hatton Road. Both units at scene with a vacant two-story residential structure with nothing showing. There was no fire problem detected, and the fire alarm panel was in trouble mode. FireComm was advised to contact the alarm company to have a technician respond to the location. Engine crew was unable to reset the alarm.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Fire engine and ambulance responded

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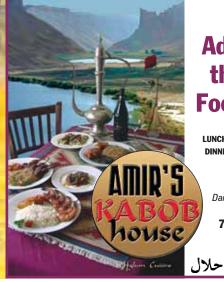
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# RULES From page 1A

Conroy based his advice on a city policy governing the display of art that is installed outdoors and can be seen from the public right of way — even if it's on private property. According to the policy, the artwork in question should:

- "enrich the public environment" for residents and visitors;
- "nurture, enhance and encourage" the artistic community:
- "sustain and enhance" the city's recognition as an artistic center;
  - increase public access to art, and promote understand-

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ing and awareness of art in public; and

promote diversity in medium, style and design.

Conroy said a second MacDonald piece would conflict with several of those goals, and during the public comment period, Carmel Residents Association president Roberta Miller agreed.

#### Council should review

Before deciding, commissioners passed a motion asking the city council to "make arrangements for the fair and equitable assessment of the display of sculpture at Carmel Plaza" — so that nothing remains on site longer than a year and no single artist dominates the spot. With commissioner Alan Hewer absent and the fifth seat vacant, the motion passed on a 3-0 vote.

The commission then OK'd the display of the Nureyev sculpture.

Before the hearing ended, chairman Bill Strid expressed his discomfort at being an arbiter of artistic merit. In the past, citizens with backgrounds in art were appointed to groups such as the city's committee on art in public places and the Carmel Art Board, which handled applications for the public display of art. Neither now exists, leaving the responsibility in the hands of the planning commission.

"I'm still very torn about my place in choosing the art that goes in these locations," Strid said, adding that he could not say whether the increasing number of outdoor pieces is good or bad for the town. "I don't know where control of the proliferation of art in Carmel should be, but I don't think it should be here in this commission."

# Red is too haute for commission's taste

MARY BROWNFIELD

THE CARMEL Planning Commission decided last week that Red Haute, a clothing shop on Ocean Avenue, illegally

painted its storefront to match its name.

According to the city's commercial design guidelines, "Muted paint colors which blend with the natural surrounding are appropriate. Bright and primary colors should be avoided." A city planner's Nov. 14 staff report concluded the bright red that's already been applied to the storefront "neither blends well with adjacent storefronts nor conveys a muted appearance," and recommended denial of the retroactive permit.

In a letter to the city, owner Carol Denton said the paint job was the result of confusion, not of an attempt to circumvent the rules. When she applied for permission to hang a new, bright red sign above her shop, she advised the city she would also paint the front wall the same color, she maintains.

Since the plan generated no response other than an admonition to hang the sign at least 7 feet off the ground, she assumed it was all OK.

Representing Denton at the meeting, Bill Vasilovich told commissioners, "I think my clients did misunderstand the response from the city, and I would like to ask for the commission's guidance, because I think we can present a very acceptable solution."

The commission voted 3-0 to deny the application for red paint and asked Vasilovich to work with the city's planning staff on picking an acceptable color.



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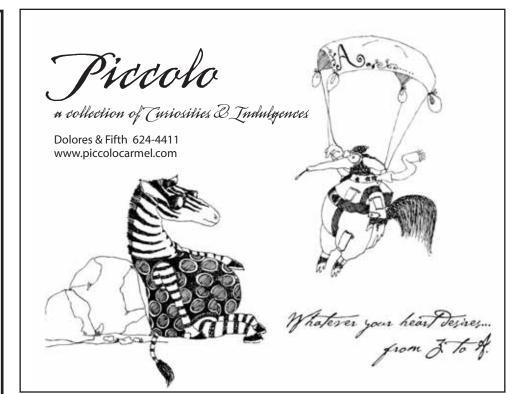
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# P.G. FILES RESPONSE TO TV ANCHOR'S LAWSUIT OVER DOG

By KELLY NIX

AN ATTORNEY for Pacific Grove has said there is no basis for a lawsuit filed against the city by KCBA and KION news anchor Olga Ospina after her pet Maltese was mauled to death by a Labrador on public property in July.

A city-appointed hearing officer in August ruled that the Labrador named Samson, owned by a southern California woman, should be permanently banished from the city but not killed, as Ospina had sought.

Ospina's writ of mandate, filed Nov. 7, seeks to have the August decision overturned by a Monterey County judge.

In filing the suit, Ospina's attorney, Chuck Warner, contended the city gave her insufficient notice of the hearing on Samson's fate. The notice, Warner claimed, said the hearing would be conducted based on the city's municipal code, but the decision was based on state law. He also maintained that the city's decision sparing Samson's life was not based on

But in a detailed, 14-page response filed Nov. 20, Pacific Grove city attorney David Laredo states hearing officer Carmelita Garcia rendered her decision pursuant to the city code. And he says Ospina was not "a party to the city's proceeding, had no rights affected by the city, and does not have standing to contest this matter." Because she wasn't legally involved, the city had no obligation to notify her of the hearing at all.

Pacific Grove's municipal code defines a dog as vicious when there is "an attack on another animal which occurs on

## Holidays bring snow

THE 14TH Annual Stillwell's Snow in the Park will be held Dec. 1 at Caledonia Park in Pacific Grove.

The park will be covered in a blanket of snow and decorated with twinkling lights.

The event also features Santa Claus' arrival on a shiny P.G. fire truck, Frosty the Snowman, Snow Queen, hayrides, petting zoo and lots of entertainment.

The town's annual tree lighting will take place Nov. 26 at 5:30 p.m. at Jewell Park.

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property other than that of the owner of the attacking dog."

The city code allows a vicious dog to be either destroyed, removed from the city, or confined, muzzled, or leashed.

Ospina and her dog, Lulu, were walking on Lighthouse Avenue in front of the post office July 25 when Samson, an 8-year-old Labrador and another dog jumped from a parked car. Ospina, who received a bite to the hand in the melee, contends the Lab fatally mauled Lulu.

At the administrative hearing Aug. 16, Ospina pleaded with Garcia for Samson to be "put down." Warner said Ospina doesn't necessarily want the dog killed but wants it "in a situation or facility where it's not likely to attack or kill another dog."

In her ruling, Garcia ordered Samson returned to his owner, Donna Marie Bazan of Rancho Palos Verdes. In addition to 18 other conditions, Garcia required the Lab to undergo behavioral training courses, which Samson has reportedly completed.

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A Salinas-based dog expert testified at the hearing that Samson wasn't aggressive toward her own small dog when she conducted tests with the Lab to determine if it was aggressive. In fact, the dog expert said Samson ignored her

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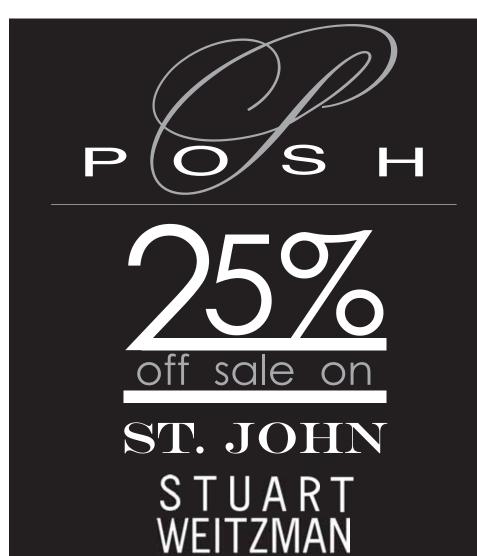
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# TRAIL

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But Ellwanger and other Big Sur residents don't believe the coastal conservancy has any intention of involving the community in the trail's planning process.

"Clearly, lip service is being paid to local involvement in the project," added Belinda Shoemaker, a Big Sur resident and member of the local group.

But coastal conservancy project manager Trish Chapman disagreed, going so far as to say the community's involvement is necessary for the trail plan to succeed.

"We are deeply committed to having the public involved," Chapman insisted. "There is no value in coming up with a plan they won't support. And it would be equally bad for them to come up with a plan we can't support."

Chapman has scheduled a meeting Dec. 5 at the Big Sur Grange Hall, where she hopes the two sides can agree to work together.

"I'm not sure how things have gotten to a level of concern," she conceded. "But I'm fairly confident we will be able to find common ground."

Ellwanger said Chapman declined an offer to attend his group's next meeting on Nov. 26 at the Big Sur Conference Center. He believes scheduling a second meeting is counterproductive.

"She wants to have a process that's outside of the process she agreed to," offered Ellwanger, who said he is unsure if his group will attend Chapman's meeting. "Her meeting is inappropriate. It's an end-around. She's disrespecting our community and the process."

Both meetings start at 6 p.m.

#### Trail maps muddy waters

Ellwanger also objected to maps being circulated showing possible routes for the Big Sur trail because he says it's too early in the process for anybody to put a pen to paper. Though two maps — showing different routes — have been available on the Internet, Chapman insisted no final trail alignment for the Big Sur coast exists. One map, pre-

One longtime resident says it's way too early to be circulating maps of a trail through Big Sur

pared by the coastal conservancy as part of a 2003 report to the California Legislature on the feasibility of the coastal trail, suggests a route that travels almost exclusively along the edge of Big Sur's coastline, which would require extensive private lands to be crossed. The second map shows a more inland route, which would follow several public roads.

Aengus Jeffers, an attorney representing El Sur Ranch owner Jim Hill, wanted to dispel any notion the first map represents a feasible alternative, because the proposed trail would have to cross Hill's 7,000-acre property.

"El Sur Ranch has no interest in providing access ease-

ments which would facilitate any trail along the ranch's coastline," said Jeffers. "The ranch is proud of its stewardship in Big Sur and the development of a recreational trail through the ranch would be inconsistent with the ranch's ranching-based conservation efforts. Such a trail would facilitate public trespass on the ranch, harm existing nesting habitat for the federally listed Western snowy plover (whose greatest threat is recreational users), and despoil pristine coastal vistas ...."

The second map — created by the Sebastapol nonprofit Coastwalk — is currently displayed on the group's website (www.californiacoastaltrail.info). While the map shows the trail hugging the coastline for much of its way through Big Sur, the trail veers inland on the Old Coast Road before it reaches El Sur Ranch.

"I love to talk about trail alignments, but it's just not appropriate at this time," Ellwanger said. "If we're going to have a process with integrity, then that process should determine the alignments. And the process hasn't been agreed upon by the community and the coastal conservancy."

Construction of the trail, which is supposed to stretch from Oregon to the Mexican border, began in 1972 after California voters passed Proposition 20. In 2001, legislation called for the trail's completion. According to the conservancy's website, the trail today is "roughly half complete."

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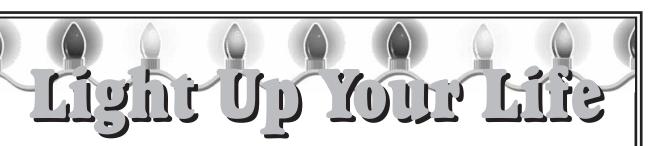
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# Pebble Beach to become Peninsula's culinary nirvana

By MARY BROWNFIELD

INTENT ON keeping the Monterey Peninsula on the map when it comes to culinary events, Rob Weakley, formerly of the Highlands Inn, and Pacific Tweed founder David Bernahl will present the inaugural Pebble Beach Food & Wine in March. The dynamic duo claims it will be six times the size of the recently departed Masters of Food & Wine.

During the two decades it was held at the Highlands Inn

in Carmel, the renowned MF&W attracted highly regarded chefs from all over the world to cook, demonstrate and talk about their arts, and many of the globe's finest winemakers were invited to pour during lunches, dinners, receptions and special tastings. Last February, the Masters held court at the Highlands for the last time before being picked up by Hyatt and taken around the globe. Argentina will host it next

But no one should mourn the Masters, according to Weakley - former food and beverage director at the Highlands and the man behind that event for years — and Bernahl. The pair has spent months planning a much larger festival with the same eye toward extravagance and talent, and during March 27-30, 2008, they will host almost three dozen chefs and 200 wineries.

"Dave and I started talking and saying, 'We can't let this event die,'" Weakley said of the

Masters. "It was one of the most respected events in the

He and Bernahl traveled to Chicago to try to buy the Masters of Food & Wine name and concept, but "nobody could ever make a decision," so they hatched the Pebble Beach plan instead. They approached the company, which embraced the idea.

"They had tried a few smaller things in the past and were excited," said Weakley, who explained that, like the AT&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am and the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance, their event would be run by a group separate from the P.B. Co.

With Pebble Beach's blessing, Bernahl and Weakley opened an office in Carmel to get to work. Weakley's

assistant, Tonyia Sampognaro, made the move with him from the Highlands, and they also recently hired Gary Obligacion away from Bernardus Lodge to oversee operations.

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Rob Weakley (top) and chef Thomas Keller



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#### **ACADEMY**

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Douglas Garrison, the MPC board voted in August to join the South Bay Regional Public Safety Training Consortium, then operating three police academies supported by seven community colleges.

Garrison and his fellow supporters say the change will mean better instruction for cadets and more effective use of public funds, but others say the college and cadets are getting a raw deal.

The MPC academy offers a full-time "intensive regular basic course" as well as a part-time course that divides the academy into three modules so students can learn law enforcement while holding down another job. As required by the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training, topics include criminal law, laws of search and seizure, laws of evidence, traffic laws, investigative techniques, patrol procedures, firearms, driver training, defensive tactics, first aid and CPR.

According to the agreement signed last month, South Bay, which was created with state tax dollars, will administer and manage MPC's academy. Classes will still be held on the property the college obtained from the military following the closure of Fort Ord, but they will be led South Bay instructors. The consortium will take over the academy's modular program in December and its intensive program in February 2008, according to Steve Cushing, executive director of South Bay. He said students would experience no disrup-

#### Bang for buck

Collaborating with other colleges, rather than maintaining competing academies, makes sense, according to Garrison.

"The resources and expertise available through the consortium are at a level that's beyond what we're going to be able to do as an independent," he told The Pine Cone.

But Al Shaffer, coordinator for the current academy led by director Charles Houseman, said he believes South Bay's takeover will hurt the college and law enforcement.

"Anywhere in this state, I don't think you can beat the level of training you get here," said Shaffer, a former military man who has worked at the academy for 15 years. "I think they didn't get enough information before they made the decision. They didn't come talk to us."

Cushing, a former undersheriff for Santa Clara County, said MPC first considered joining South Bay when it was being formed in 1994.

"MPC decided not to join the consortium at that time, so over the years, there's been a courtship between the JPA [joint powers agreement] and MPC," he said.

The idea arose again in earnest after Garrison became president of the college in August 2006 and a consortium board member asked if he knew about South Bay. New to the job, Garrison said he wanted time to assess the current program, and following his review, he contacted the group in the

"It comes down to looking at the best ways to spend public dollars," Garrison said. "I really felt the best answer was a collaborative."

The consortium receives state funding based on the number of students in the academy, Cushing explained. It keeps 55 percent, and the colleges receive 45 percent. In some cases, income from the academy helps pay for colleges' other

Cushing also said Houseman's staff would be invited to apply to teach through South Bay.

Further supporting signing on with the group were the chiefs of Monterey County's various law enforcement agencies, according to Cushing.

"They're very committed to improving the quality of training," he said. "They believe this is a positive step."

Lynn Davis, chairman of the MPC board, said their opinion factored largely in the board's decision to follow Garrison's recommendation and join the JPA, which he said will produce better officers.

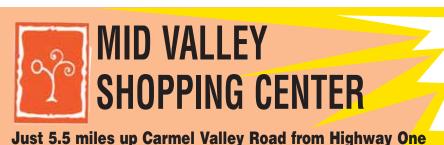
"There was some dissatisfaction with some of our cadets, so that was really the deciding the factor," he said.

But Shaffer disagreed and pointed out every academic institution has a few poor students who slip through the

"The ideal scenario would be to maintain it as is. MPC needs to maintain its control," he said.

Shaffer also speculated South Bay wants to get its hands on the college's property at the former Fort Ord, but Davis said the college would "never give up our ownership" and is moving ahead with developing it as a regional training center for law enforcement.

"We took a careful look, and I am completely convinced it's the right way to go," Garrison said.





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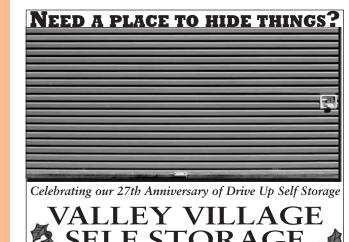
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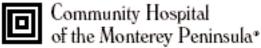
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## **DIRECTOR**

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Karen Carpenter Performing Arts Center at California State University Long Beach, but his experience in all aspects of theater goes back far more years and includes many repairs. According to his resume, he helped his current employer and several others substantially boost their fundraising dollars, pay off debts, increase programming and attendance, and turn losses into profits.

At the city-owned Herberger Theater Center in Phoenix, Ariz., he said he oversaw the retirement of more than \$1 million in debt, increased donations by half and turned an operating deficit into a surplus. It was also his job "to establish and maintain strong relations with the city and its elected officials as well as city staff."

As managing director of The Norris Theatre for the Performing Arts in Palos Verdes between 1989 and 1994, he "expanded programming, upgraded facility systems, worked with five support groups and fundraised more than \$500,000 annually while streamlining an effective volunteer force." Debts were paid and the annual budget more than doubled.

Sunset Center already operates in the black, but only because taxpayers subsidize it in excess of \$700,000 per year. Its former executive director, Jack Globenfelt, left at the end of October after almost three years. During his tenure, he worked with the board of the nonprofit Sunset Cultural Center, Inc. that manages it, diversified the performance lineup and hired qualified employees.

Lesnik said Globenfelt left the center in good shape.

"There's a phenomenal staff in place already — that's such a huge sigh of relief — and the community really cares about it," he told The Pine Cone during an interview in his soon-to-be office last week.

#### Time for a new job

Lesnik, an avid traveler, sports fan, reader, bicyclist and motorcyclist, among many other hobbies, did doctoral work in theater at the University of Pittsburgh, obtained a master's in theater and film from Penn State and has a B.A. in theater from the University of California at Riverside. He was a latecomer to Sunset's search for a new executive director even though he received an inquiry soon after Globenfelt announced his resignation in late May.

"I was used to getting a fair number of those, but this is the first time I've actually responded to one," he said. Initially, Lesnik sent the names of a few other potential candidates, but a few months later, he found himself wondering what had become of the position and "thought I might be ready to look around for a new job."

SCC received 26 applications and interviewed seven finalists, according to board chairman Jim Price.

"We wanted someone not only with theater experience, but with strong administrative and marketing know-how, and also someone who would work well in the community and with the city," Price said. "There were a number of candidates who had excellent qualifications in some of those areas, but Peter has qualifications in all of those areas."

He also came highly recommended, and following interviews and background checks, the board unanimously voted to hire Lesnik, whose contract will take effect Jan. 1. The decision came so late, he asked The Pine Cone not to publish this story Nov. 16 so he would have time to notify Carpenter Center he would be leaving.

Nevertheless, he has already attended a Sunset Center marketing meeting and met with its employees. He also heard the board's plans for filling vacancies, adopting a new business and marketing plan by June, updating and redesigning the website, and researching taking on a stronger fundraising role "to determine how to support the budget without always going to the city for more money," Price said.

Lesnik will play a major role in all that — and is ideal for his new job, according to Price, because he's "energetic and innovative," and has experience not only managing performing arts centers, but in directing, producing and otherwise working in theater.

In fact, Lesnik said he hopes to use those skills to produce new works at Sunset Center by commissioning artists, having an artist-in-residence program or putting shows together inhouse.

He also wants to work with the other theater groups in the city and involve children to a greater extent.

"I'm a strong believer in the performing arts being an integral part of society, and that begins with children," he said. "We've neglected that as a culture, I think, over the past 50 years."

He plans to have performers talk with children and parents during their visits to Carmel. "I like bringing artists to communities for more than just a show," he said.

But beyond lining up future talent and working with the center's historic presenters like the symphony and the Bach Festival, Lesnik said his first tasks will involve more listening than doing.

"I have a lot to learn and will spend time paying attention to what works," he said, as well as what doesn't, or hasn't.

"I want to know where all the warts are, too. You can't fix absolutely everything, but I will be looking for ways to address the barked shins," such as the groups that left Sunset Center post-remodel because they could no longer afford to hold performances there, or those who voiced discontent with the center's management following the arrival of SCC. "Injured relationships — I love fixing those. I'm not naive enough to think everything is fixable, but I'm certainly open to giving it a shot."

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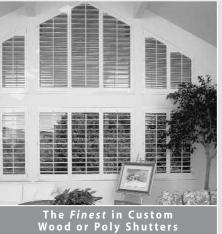
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forty year board member. John was instrumental in organizing and forming the Monterey County Symphony, playing in the symphony along with being General Manager. He directed numerous community choral groups, including the annual Messiah Sing and had a long and varied association with the Bach Festival. John was the choir director at four different churches on the Peninsula. John is survived by his wife of seventy years, Kathryn, three children, David Farr of Maryland, Diena Street of Modesto and Kathy Molinari of Pleasanton, four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Services will be held Saturday, December 1, 1:00pm at St. Phillips Lutheran Church, Carmel Valley. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Carmel Music Society, PO Box 22783, Carmel, 93922, Hope Hospice, 6500 Dublin Blvd, Suite 100, Dublin, CA 94568, or John Farr Music Scholarship Fund, Carmel High School, 3600 Ocean Ave., Carmel, 93923.

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sents a musical and its Shakespeare festival there. "We're trying to plan the changes so you won't really know it's happened, other than it's nice and there are more amenities."

A certain necessity tops everyone's list.

"The problems with the bathrooms are legendary," deFaria said, and Moorer speculated they came from a prison suppli-

"They echo," he said, due to their concrete and steel. "You flush the toilet, and people can hear it in the back row of the

Accommodations for those onstage and behind the scenes aren't any better.

"There's one backstage bathroom for 100 people, and it also splits time with being a paint sink," Moorer said. "It's the epitome of what's wrong with backstage."

That is, not enough space.

#### Cars and noise

"In terms of the neighbors, sound and parking are the two things that concern them the most, and those are the areas we're looking into very seriously," deFaria said.

At the meeting, some residents worried the plans call for walling off the theater grounds, which are currently enclosed with a grapestake fence. While a wall would be an effective way to reduce noise drifting to the neighborhood, deFaria and Moorer said that's not part of the plan.

"We're just trying to solve the sound problem," deFaria said. That could mean a short wall with plants, bulking up the existing fence, or leaving it alone and adding more landscaping. "More importantly, it's looking at the sound system to distribute the sound to the audience rather than having two large speakers booming it out."

Neighbors suggested solving the parking problem by having patrons leave their cars elsewhere and arrive at the theater via shuttles. DeFaria and Moorer acknowledged that suggestion and said it could address some issues, but they maintained it has its own complications — such as extra expense and liability.

When the Carmel City Council met Nov. 6, Carmel Residents Association member Skip Lloyd cautioned the city

"I would hope before this preliminary plan travels too far down the path that there is more solicitation of responses," he

and the foundation to involve everyone in the process. Asian Massage Treat yourself...



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But Mayor Sue McCloud said the Oct. 30 meeting simply intended to solicit input from those who would be most affected by changes at the theater before taking the issue to the larger community.

DeFaria and Moorer told The Pine Cone everyone will have ample opportunity to share their thoughts.

"Of course we're going to talk to the rest of the commu-

nity and get input," Moorer said.

And, they hope, dollars, since donations are driving the project. The foundation raised the \$30,000 for McCann's plan, but will need another \$100,000 for the next phase, which entails incorporating feedback from the public and the city into plans with greater detail. (Contributions can be sent to P.O. Box 1087, Carmel, CA 93921.)

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# The sexy, enduring tango comes to Sunset

By CHRIS COUNTS

FOR ONE very entertaining night, Argentina's most famous export — a dance known around the world as the tango — will be center stage at Sunset Center.

"The tango is a form of music and dance that is very connected to the emotions," explained Lucrecia Laurel, a member of Tango Buenos Aires, a dance company that will per-

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The tango is a national institution in its native Argentina. Throughout the world, it is known as a very provocative dance.

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form at Sunset Saturday, Nov. 24. "It's about love and passion, but it's also about suffering and struggle. It was created by people who were going through tough times.'

Like New York City, Buenos Aires at the turn of the 20th century was a melting pot of migrating peoples. Against a backdrop of competing languages and musical traditions, the tango — drawing from European, North American, African and homegrown influences — emerged as sort of a universal

"Tango began to take shape in the early 1900s," Laurel said. "It was made from a mix of cultures coming together. One of the ways people communicated was through the tango."

Shortly after the turn the 20th century, the tango was performed in Paris, where it became a dance craze and spread to other European cities. By 1913, the tango reached New York City, where it was soon embraced by dance-loving Americans. The dance declined in popularity during the Depression in the 1930s but experienced a revival in the late 1940s when Juan Peron and his wife, Eva, came to power in Argentina and endorsed the tango as a symbol of national pride.

Peron's successors' lack of enthusiasm for the dance, combined with the rising popularity of rock 'n' roll in the mid-1950s, spelled an end to the tango's second hey-

And while the tango is no longer hip, it's showing no signs of going away. If anything, it's ripe for a third

"Nowadays, it's a part of our cultural heritage," Laurel said. "Little by little, the tango is coming back."

Founded by composer and tango director Osvaldo Requena, Tango Buenos Aires first traveled to the United States in 1986, where the group represented Argentina during the Latin-American Festival in New York's Central Park. The response to the performance was overwhelmingly favorable, and the dance company has been touring ever since, traveling to such faraway places as Japan, Australia, Scandinavia and even China.

There's a modern edge to Tango Buenos Aires. The dance company employs a new generation of dancers and welcomes a certain amount of innovation.

"Many of the dancers have a foundation in contemporary dance," she added. "It really adds to the show and helps us embrace a larger audience."

The show starts at 8 p.m. For more information, call (831) 620-2048 or visit www.sunsetcenter.org.

# Pint-sized and pint-priced, mini paintings pack gallery

By CHRIS COUNTS

IN A feat that combines creativity and efficiency, the Lauryn Taylor Gallery unveils a holiday art exhibit Saturday, Nov. 24, that manages to pack 350 bargainpriced paintings into just 550 square feet of gallery

The gallery presents its annual "Holiday Lights" miniature art exhibit of 6-by-6-inch paintings, providing a showcase for 75 local and not-so-local artists. All works are priced between \$75 and \$175, making the show an intriguing stop for anyone seeking a holiday gift

"It's a very affordable way to purchase original art for yourself or as a gift," suggested Taylor, who owns the gallery. "Last year, we offered special gift boxes, and they were a huge hit. We're doing it again this year. Paintings can leave the gallery wrapped.'



A watercolor by Judy Todd

When a piece is sold, it will be replaced by another.

"By the end of the show, 500 pieces will have been displayed," Taylor predicted.

To fit so many pieces of art into such a small place,

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# 'Power-folk,' jazz and funky dance grooves

SANDY GREENFIELD was raised in Carmel, where he began playing guitar and writing songs at the age of 12. He even performed at his own Bar Mitzvah with his first

writer music with a rocking, dangerous edge and a hip-hop backbeat," Greenfield was busy this summer playing at venues up and down the Central Coast and topped it all off

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band, the "Severed Heads." Greenfield, who plays Nov. 23 at the Ol' Factory in Sand City, graduated from Carmel High School as valedictorian in 1998 and then attended Stanford University, where he studied music, science and technology. Describing his music as "power-folk" or "singer-song-



Steve Greenfield -CHS valedictorian in 1998 and a man of many other accomplishments, plays Sand City's Ol' Factory this week.

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# Food Wine

# Vinegar, Turkey chili and exciting things in Carmel Valley

By CHARYN PFEUFFER

OLD FISHERMAN'S Grotto has received Wine Enthusiast magazine's "Award of Distinction" for 2007. Selected among thousands of applicants, the Fisherman's Wharf institution was voted as one of the nation's most "Wine-Friendly Restaurants." Look for the accolades in print in the February 2008 issue. The restaurant will also be listed as one of their "Award Wining Restaurants." Owner Chris Shake credits his beverage manager Dave Muller for expertly training the service staff about wine and giving guests a very wine-friendly experience. For more information or to make a reservation, please call (831) 375-5604 or visit www.oldfishermansgrotto.com.

#### ■ In the world of Jack Galante

Always on the prowl for tasty ingredients and gourmet accoutrements, especially those made locally, I was tickled to see Carmel Valley winemaker Jack Galante's Cabernet Sauvignon vinegar standing tall and proud atop the meat counter at Carmel Valley Market. Many years ago, Galante brought the "mother," or starter, for this vinegar back from Italy; where he found it in an old farm house. The vinegar dated back to the early 1700's and, according to Galante, "was fabulous." He continued producing this vinegar with Cabernet Sauvignon grapes from his Carmel Valley vineyards. Galante ages the vinegar for at least eight years in French oak barrels and enjoys it drizzled on fresh mozzarella and Carmel Valley tomatoes. "It is also wonderful to cook with and as an ingredient in sauces," he says. A bottle costs \$15 and can be found at the Star Market in Salinas, Carmel Valley Market and, of course, at Galante Vineyards & Winery's tasting room on Dolores Street in Carmel. I'm thinking it's the perfect holiday stocking stuffer or hostess gift for your favorite foodie.

Also in the always-fun world of Jack: He's hosting two very special vertical library tastings of his wines at his Carmel tasting room. This is a first. He plans on uncorking his Red Rose Hill and Blackjack Pasture vertical collections which consist of 16 Cabernet Sauvignons from 1994 to 2002. Guests will have the opportunity to re-taste some of their favorite vintages.

The vertical tastings will be held on Nov. 30 and Dec. 1.
Both tastings will be held during normal hours from noon to 6 p.m. The tasting room is on Dolores Street between

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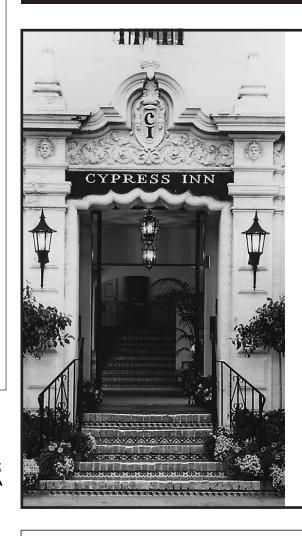
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"I'm on Cloud 9. I bring my dog to work every day. I get to hang out with people I love and respect," he said. "It's wonderful to be able to work with people who have the same passions and enthusiasms but complement each other so

#### On the road

They investigated the nation's largest culinary events in Aspen, Colo., and South Beach, Fla. — two locations without "grapes or produce," Weakley pointed out. How much better could theirs be in an area with so many wineries and farms within reach?

Weakley said PBF&W will be six times the size of the Masters, which was limited by the physical space and layout of the Highlands Inn.

'We're taking over the entire Pebble Beach resort ... The Inn at Spanish Bay, Casa Palmero, The Beach & Tennis Club, The Lodge at Pebble Beach and the equestrian center," he

Like the Masters, it will not make money, since staging the event — including bringing the chefs, their staffs, the winemakers and others to the Monterey Peninsula, putting them up, obtaining all the ingredients they want and paying the people who will work throughout the weekend — will cost twice what ticket sales bring in. Sponsors will help.

To line up the chefs and wineries they wanted on the schedule for the elaborate four-day event, the pair spent months traveling and effectively capitalizing on the reputation Weakley built while working on the Masters. Big-name chefs such as Michael Mina, Charles Phan, Gary Danko, Alain Passard, Charlie Trotter, Cat Cora, Ming Tsai, and Jacques and Claudine Pépin signed on, knowing what they could expect in terms of accommodation and organization.

Despite its size and scope, Weakley promised the PBF&W won't become impersonal. "We want to keep the intimacy of Masters of Food & Wine," he said.

Some 200 wineries, many boutique producers whose bottles are hard to come by, accepted invitations to participate. (No one "pays to play," he said. "I do apologize in advance — you won't find any White Zinfandel.")

#### The rundown

Before the fun begins, celebrity chefs, winemakers and some special guests will have a little fun of their own playing a "pro-am" golf tournament at Pebble Beach, according to Weakley, with some spots possibly being auctioned to raise money for charity.

On Thursday, March 27, the entire Inn at Spanish Bay will host Opening Night, when 20 chefs demonstrate their talents and 125 vintners pour some of their finest vintages.

"A once-in-a-lifetime culinary experience," the Rare-Wine Auction and Dinner slated for The Beach & Tennis Club, is touted as "the most exclusive event of the weekend,"

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Ocean and Seventh. The fee is \$25 per person, with special 20 percent discounts on limited Library Wines for these two

#### ■ Beautiful happenings

Plaza Linda Mexican Restaurant & Cantina in the valley is under new management and has a new menu, new hours and a new staff. The menu steps up its vegetarian options, and combination plates are a bargain (with nine choices to pick from), priced from \$6.50 to \$9.95, including rice, beans and salad. Pick up a copy of the updated menu and a coupon for a free margarita at Carmel Valley Market (while flyers last). The restaurant is at 9 Del Fino Place, Carmel Valley; (831) 659-4229. Open seven days a week from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.

After a long, long wait, Parsonage Village Vineyard's tasting room is finally open. It's a tasting room slash art gallery (featuring limited edition giclées of Mary Ellen Parsons) and quilt gallery. Yep, quilt art. The tasting room is located at 19 East Carmel Valley Road just past the Village Fish House. The tasting fee is \$5, which is waived with the purchase of \$100 or more. Winter hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Friday through Monday.

Billy Quon's Volcano Grill and Mai Tai Bar is so close to opening I can smell the sulphur burning from the flaming drinks. Please have flaming drinks àla Trader Vic's. Brought to us by man-in-the-local-restaurant-know, Billy Lee, the primo location sits catercorner from the Running Iron on Carmel Valley Road.

#### ■ Leftover turkey?

This après Thanksgiving chili recipe was clipped from Cooking Light several years ago and has been tweaked a bit to make it slightly less low-cal. It's not only easy to make, it's pretty darn delicious.

What you need:

- 1 cup onion (chopped)
- 2 cloves garlic (minced)
- 1 Tbsp. vegetable oil
- 1 Tbsp. chili powder
- 1 tsp. cumin seeds 1 tsp. sugar
- 1 8 oz can tomato sauce
- 1 10 oz can tomatoes
- 1 can green chiles (small, undrained)
- 1 15 oz. can red kidney beans (drained)
- 2 cups cooked turkey breast (shredded)
- 3/4 cup water
- 1/2 Hershey's chocolate bar

Combine onion, garlic and oil in pan. Cook until onion is tender, stirring every few minutes. Add chili powder, cumin seeds, sugar, chocolate, tomato sauce and tomatoes. Cook until slightly thickened. Add remaining ingredients; stir well. Garnish with shredded cheese, chopped onions. Serves six.







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and will include chefs dripping with Michelin Stars, such as The French Laundry's Thomas Keller — who possesses seven stars between three of his restaurants — and Laundry pastry chef Claire Clark, David Kinch of Manresa in Los Gatos, Eric Ripert from Le Bernardin in New York, and Alain Passard, all the way from his famed L'Arpege in Paris.

The weekend will include more than 20 wine tastings, such as "A Complete Retrospective of Pisoni Estate," "Silver Oak: Napa Valley vs. Alexander Valley," and "The Sommelier Challenge," in which those with highly practiced palates will try to identify five secret wines.

Sixty sommeliers and 10 Master Sommeliers (only 124 people have received this certification in the United States in the past two decades) will oversee everything that's poured, "so your chances of getting a corked bottle or a wine that's off are very slim," Weakley said.

The Grand Tastings Saturday and Sunday will include all 200 wineries and half the chefs preparing dishes as guests meander through a 30,000-square-foot tent at the equestrian

"You have 16 to 20 of the weekend's top chefs each day cooking in front of you," Weakley said. "So there's Gary Danko putting your food on the plate."

He described The Grand Tastings as being "much like Opening Night at the Masters, but more casual.

Four lunches on offer will include Club XIX hosting "France at its finest," Roy's presenting "Fundamental Fusion," Pèppoli featuring "A Day in Italy," and the Stillwater Bar & Grill presenting "Coastal Cuisine."

Dinners Friday and Saturday will be held in the spacious Spanish Bay ballroom, with a lavish Grand Finale staged Saturday night at The Beach & Tennis Club "for the most discerning palates.'

And, of course, chefs will host cooking demonstrations throughout the weekend and provide autographed copies of their cookbooks at each. Patrons can expect to learn valuable skills firsthand from Keller, Tsai, Cora, Danko and others.

"So Del Monte Forest is really going to be the playground for food and wine enthusiasts," Weakley said.

March may seem a long way off, but people are already buying up event packages and "a la carte" tickets. Rates are available and described in detail at www.pebblebeachfoodandwine.com. (If browsing at work or in a library, turn the computer's sound off before accessing the site to avoid the accompanying music.)

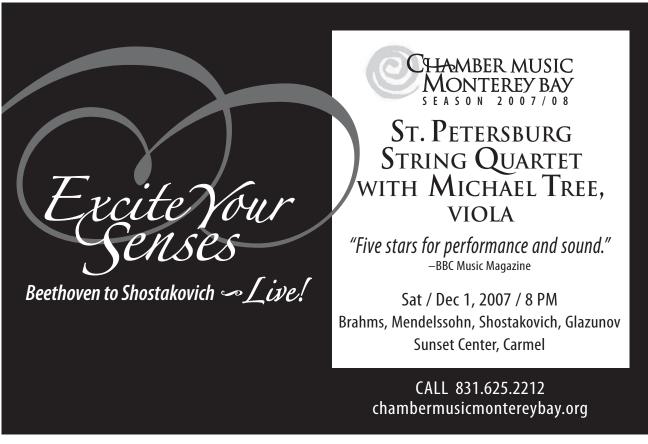
Even those who don't buy tickets and stay at Pebble Beach resorts will benefit from the affair, as guests venture out to explore and spend their money throughout the Peninsula, Weakley pointed out.

Finally, the event is generating funds for the Boys & Girls clubs of Monterey County and CASA (Court-Appointed Special Advocates) of Monterey County, and future plans include year-round efforts to help educate kids and parents about sustainable agriculture, cooking, nutrition and obesity.

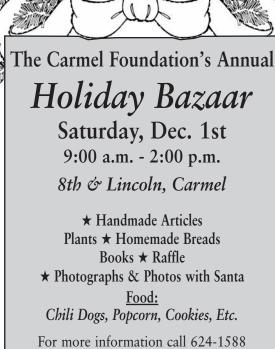
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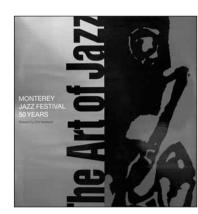
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with an appearance at the Music Summit in Monterey. Performing with a trio, Greenfield plays mostly original material. With a repertoire of more than 50 original songs, Greenfield has a unique pop songwriting style with an authentic and emotional feel. His first album, "Asking If...," will be available for purchase at Friday's concert.

In addition to his career as a musician, Greenfield works as a recording engineer at Stanford University's Center for Computer Research in Music and Acoustics. In this capacity, Greenfield has produced a number of albums, including Yiddish and Russian folk music; Taoist and Buddhist chants; four solo albums by local cellist Rushad Eggleston; and various hip hop, jazz and rock projects. He is currently working on an album of Afro-Beat music featuring former King Sunny Ade bassist Baba Ken. The show starts at 7:30 p.m. Call (831) 394-7336.

At the Hyatt Regency Monterey's Fireside Lounge, pianist Marshall Otwell performs Nov. 23 and 24 with bassist Nat Johnson and drummer David Morwood. Otwell

was pianist and musidirector for Carmen McRae for more than eight years, performing all over the world and recording on numerous albums, including, "Live at the Great American Hall," with McRae and Dizzy Gillespie, which was nominated for a Grammy. He has also played on albums with Barbara



Adamson and Ernestine Anderson, and he has toured extensively with Freddie Hubbard, Dee Dee Bridgewater and Charlie Musselwhite. He has performed and recorded with many of the best known musicians in jazz, including Michael Brecker, Ray Brown, Benny Carter, Jamie Davis, Dizzy Gillespie, Gerry Mulligan, Zoot Sims, Cal Tjader, Mel Torme and Sarah Vaughan. He lives in the Santa Cruz Mountains and is a regular at the Hyatt in Monterey. The music starts at 7 p.m. Call (831) 372-1234 for more information.

On Saturday, Nov. 24, the Wade Love Band brings their funky danceable grooves to Sly McFly's on Cannery Row. Wade Love, a well known San Francisco r & b artist, is from a musical family and has been singing and writing music all of his life. His father is Rudy Love, the former music director for Sly and the Family Stone and his sister is Kandice Love, a singer/songwriter signed with Def Island Soul/Def Jam records. The music starts at 9 p.m. Call (831) 649-8050.

Multi instrumentalist Tony Furtado performs at the Pacific Art Grove Center Saturday, Dec. 1, at a concert promoted by Arden Eaton. Furtado began playing the banjo at 12 and won the Grand National Banjo Championship in Wichita, Kan., at the age of 19. While cementing his reputation as a banjoist extraordinaire, Furtado was also develop-

ing himself into an equally virtuosic slide guitarist. With the release of his 4th CD "Thirteen" Furtado takes another step in his career development establishing himself as a singer-songwriter with something to say. The show starts at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are available at Do Re Mi Music in Carmel and at Recycled Records in Monterey.

The Monterey Festival recently announced a 10-week, 54-date national tour of the Monterey Jazz Festival 50th Anniversary Band. Heralded as a meeting of three generations of jazz masters, the MJF 50th Anniversary Band showcases the leaders of the past, present and future with Terence Blanchard on trumpet, James Moody on saxophone, musical director Benny Green on piano, Derrick Hodge on bass, and Kendrick Scott on drums. Vocalist Nnenna Freelon will also be a featured member of the group as they embark on the 54-date, 22-state tour starting in January 2008.

The MJF is always raising money for jazz education and recently released 250 copies of a limited edition of the festival's new book, "The Art of Jazz: Monterey Jazz

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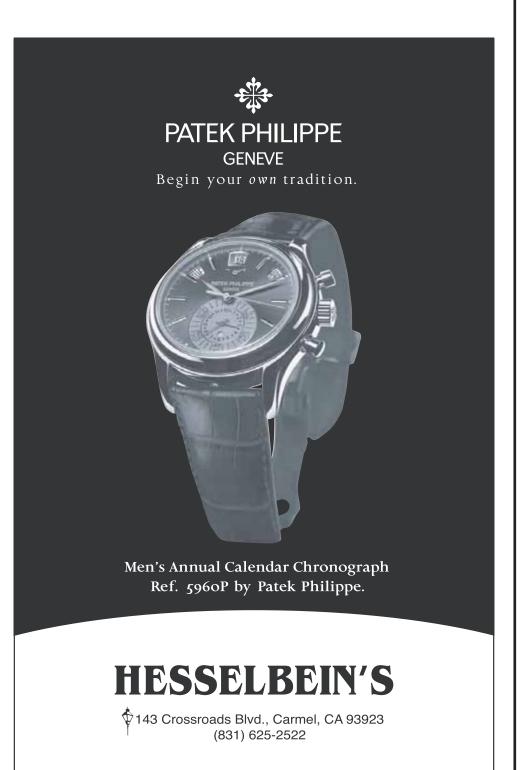
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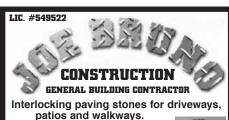
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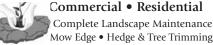
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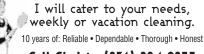
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by MAUREEN MASON Certified Residential Specialist

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# Man suspected of DUI hit-and-run on tree

By MARY BROWNFIELD

WITNESSES AND car parts led police to the 21-yearold man suspected of running his Jeep Liberty into a tree in a Junipero Street median and then driving away Nov. 18.

Ryder Kovach of Carmel Valley was arrested Sunday afternoon for drunken driving and hit-and-run but posted bail and was released.

"He apparently veered off the roadway and hit a tree, and the vehicle became lodged on top of a granite landscaping stone after impacting the tree," said Carmel Police Sgt. Mel

After some work behind the wheel, Kovach managed to dislodge the crumpled Jeep from the boulder and headed southbound on Junipero, then west on Eighth Avenue, witnesses reportedly told police, who had no trouble determining someone had crashed in the area and then driven away.

"He left the front bumper," Mukai said, as well as other "car debris," including plastic pieces, the housing from one of the headlights and parts of the Jeep's grille. More ended up in the road somewhere between the accident site and where police finally located the SUV.

"The officer found him parked on Mission Street just north of Eighth Avenue in the process of changing the tire," Mukai said.

"Witnesses arrived and said, 'Yes, that's the vehicle we saw at the scene."

According to Mukai, officer Jeff Watkins also observed that Kovach was drunk and took him into custody for DUI



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by Linda Myrick, AAMS Financial Advisor

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and hit-and-run. His Jeep had to be towed, since it wasn't dri-

After his booking at Carmel P.D., Kovach was released on a \$10,000 bond, according to Mukai.

Taylor turned to the talents of Michael Kainer.

"He's the one who is designing and installing the show," Taylor explained. "He's done a lot of work for the Monterey Museum of Art and the Pacific Grove Art Center, and he has an excellent eye for design. It's a very difficult show to install because every painting is symmetrical and the space between the paintings has to be perfect. But he's the man to to do it."

For the first time, the "Holiday Lights" exhibit will be iuried.

"Last year's show was so successful and we had so many requests from artists who wanted to be included, that to accommodate the requests, we turned it into a juried show," Taylor said.

And Taylor said she's getting more requests from artists who live outside Monterey County.

"I'm really excited because this year people will get to see quite a few artists they haven't seen before," she added.

The gallery, which will host a reception Saturday from 6 to 9 p.m., is located on the east side of San Carlos between Ocean and Seventh in Carmel. The exhibit continues through Jan. 10. For more information, call (831) 624-1161 or visit www.lauryntaylor.com.

#### Glass from the garden

The Phillips Gallery will host a reception Saturday, Nov. 24, for San Francisco glass artist Mitch LaPlante, who will be on hand to talk about his eye-catching sculpture, which aims to portray fruit and vegetables at a larger-than-life scale.

"His work explores form and color in a very unusual way," explained Rohana LoSchiavo, gallery director. "What he does is not an easy process, and it's impressive how much control he has it."

Among LaPlante's creations are giant cherries, tomatoes, pears and peppers. Despite the scale (some pieces are nearly 30 inches tall), his work is surprisingly realistic.

"He is able to capture the essence of fruit," LoSchiavo said. "What is so captivating is the realistic blush he gets on the fruit. They're so realistic they're collected by people in the produce industry."

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# Sandy Claws

By Margot Petit Nichols



INDIA AND Bindi Sprinkle/Beitcher, ages 4 and 3, respectively, are both males and extreme bundles of fur — even for Pomeranians, whose fluff index is off the charts.

They garner attention everywhere they go due to their eccentrically attractive fur coats which Mom Linda grooms daily with an effective Furminator brush at their Pebble Beach home.

When we encountered them on the Scenic Road walking path above Carmel Beach Tuesday morning, we were enchanted with their black and white complementary coloring: Bindi has a black face with a white "bindi" mark on his forehead in Third Eye position, and India has a white face with black ears and a black mask over his eyes.

Dad Arik Beitcher is a personal pilot and Mom Linda

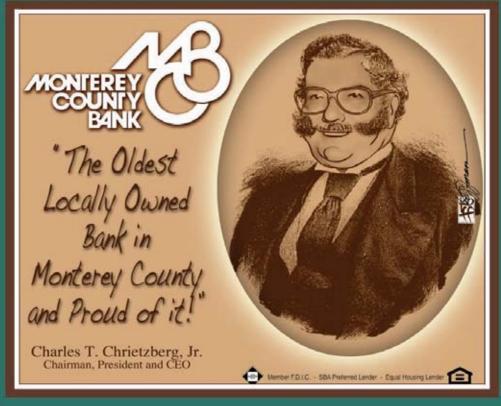
Sprinkle is proprietor of the Dead Sea Spa in Carmel-bythe-Sea. Dad and the boys took Mom out for a celebratory repast at Roy's at Spanish Bay on Thanksgiving day because not only was it her birthday, it was the couple's wedding anniversary, as well. They were married on Carmel Beach.

The boys keep their toys in the family room at home – which they have effectively taken over. From the horde of toys, Bindi usually selects his rubber carrot or perhaps the pink plush heart. India, being the elder of the two, has more or less outgrown frivolous play-

things and prefers instead to lounge by the fireplace or watch TV from his pillow on the sofa.

The brothers are on a low residue diet by Eukanuba which suits their Pomeranian digestive systems to a tee.

At night, India sleeps on his back between Mom and Dad with his little legs in the air. Before coming to bed, Bindi first patrols the house to see that all is well, then climbs up on doggie stairs to his place on the bed — perhaps to dream of his girlfriend Kimmy who lives next door.



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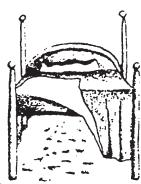
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# **Editorial**

# Water board should carry on

TWO NEWCOMERS to local politics have now been elected to the board of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District. Carmel Valley resident Bob Brower is well known as the owner of a local winery, but even people who attend every public hearing at every government agency haven't heard his name much. Even more anonymous is Pacific Grove's Regina Doyle, who admits she has little experience in local politics. Both had slates of supporters listed on their campaign literature, which could be seen as evidence of preconceived agendas on their parts. We hope they keep their minds open and will cast votes on critical local issues after carefully considering the facts. After all the work that has been done during the last 30 years trying to come up with a new local water supply, we also hope they don't try to reinvent the wheel. A dam on the Carmel River? That's water under the bridge. The Feds won't permit one to be built. Conservation instead of adding water to the local supply? No matter how much the people of the Monterey Peninsula conserve, they'll never cut pumping from the Carmel River as much as state officials require. A public takeover of the local water company? That's a fine idea to bring up — after the water supply problem has been solved.

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The water board, California American Water, the Pajaro/Sunny Mesa Community Services District, the California Public Utilities Commission lots of people have been striving toward finally getting the Peninsula a reliable, drought-proof water supply. The new members of the water board should pick up where their predecessors left off. They should not try to start over again.

# How to catch the bad guys

ON PRIME-TIME TV, catching a criminal is usually a matter of analyzing dental records or microscopic bits of DNA, forcing a dramatic confession on the witness stand, or enlisting the help of a psychic.

In real life, when a crime is solved, it's usually because of hard work and patience.

Two examples came to the forefront in last week's Pine Cone.

In the first case, a Carmel man was arrested on suspicion of setting numerous fires on Jacks Peak.

Some of the details of the year-long investigation can't be disclosed here because they might make it easier for future arsonists to evade capture. Nevertheless, as Mary Brownfield reported, state arson investigators methodically tracked the suspect, Lance Oliver Scott, by photographing cars going to and from the scene. It sounds high-tech, but surveillance conducted this way can be mind-numbingly boring. It also pays off, the case demonstrated.

Similarly, in the second case, Carmel police captured a suspect in a string of car thefts along Scenic Road by recording the license plate numbers of other cars near the scene. When one showed up again and again, they staked it out. Sure enough, the suspected car thief — Manuel Rios of Salinas — was nabbed after returning to his personal vehicle after failing to steal yet another car. One regular surfer at Carmel Beach rewarded the police for their diligence with a \$1,000 contribution to the police officers association.

If, as Thomas Edison said, "Opportunity is missed by most people because it is dressed in overalls and looks like work," local law enforcement once again demonstrated they aren't afraid to do the painstaking work it takes to catch criminals.

## **BATES**



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# Letters to the Editor

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The Pine Cone does not accept letters to the editor by fax. Please submit your letters by U.S. mail, email, or in person (addresses are provided below).

#### Beach in peril Dear Editor,

On Thursday, Nov. 15, former Carmel Assistant City Administrator Greg D'Ambrosio and biologist David Shonman presented a fascinating, informative and entertaining talk at a Carmel Residents Association meeting at Vista Lobos.

Their subject: the effects of earth, air, fire and water on Carmel Beach, particularly the effects of the 1982-3 El Niño. In slides and still photos they showed the destruction wreaked by the elements: Carmel Beach was completely denuded of all its sand andnumerous access stairways, sea walls and trees were destroyed. Enormous amounts of money were required to replace them and to install engineered solutions to prevent the recurrence of such a disaster. Alas, they also showed how maintenance of these engineered solutions has been seriously neglected over the past decades, and how easily this deferred maintenance could help create similar disastrous results when — not if the next El Niño condition occurs. While there was a sprinkling of past and present city officials at the talk, the absence of members of forest and beach commission was noted by many in the overflowing crowd. D'Ambrosio and Shonman should be invited to give a command performance for the existing city council and forest and beach soon, before winter storms begin to gnaw away at the unique white sands of the best beach ever.

Bonni Weinstein, Carmel

#### Thanks are due Dear Editor,

A significant day in the history of the City of Pacific Grove passed with little fanfare last Saturday. After 27 years, the last game of the Youth Soccer League under the auspices of the Pacific Grove Recreation Department was played. Over the years, tens of thousands of our children (including my own) have participated, learned, enjoyed, matured, forged lifelong friendships all

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# Cannery Row merchants get ready for Santa

CANNERY ROW will host its annual Tree Lighting Ceremony Friday, Nov. 23 at Steinbeck Plaza.

The fun starts at 3 p.m. with live music in the plaza and live reindeer in front of Bubba Gump's. Santa Claus makes his arrival at 6 p.m., just in time for the tree lighting ceremony. Admission to the event is free. The plaza is located at Cannery Row and Prescott Avenue. Free parking is available at the Cannery Row parking garage.

#### **LETTERS**

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under the guidance of the employees of our city.

This program as well as many others will no longer be provided by the City of Pacific Grove. Some will be provided by other entities, some will go away completely, but none will be provided at the high level of service, commitment, compassion and caring that this community has been receiving for the past 27 years by our recreation department.

A special thank you goes to Don Mothershead, who has overseen and mentored this program for the past 25 years.

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Christie Martine Miller, Pacific Grove

## Student journalism Dear Editor,

It was a special pleasure to read an article in the Nov. 16

Pine Cone written by Carmel High School junior Peter Sercia. His reporting on the Shoe Game between Carmel and Pacific Grove offered an insider's perspective to the historied football competition. Kudos to The Pine Cone for supporting student journalism. I hope we see more, when space permits, in future issues. And congratulations to Peter on his published piece. If only he could have reported a Carmel victory!

Amy Funt
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# Club to discuss history of everything

BILL BRYSON, noted travel writer and humorist, describes his "A Short History of Nearly Everything," as being "about how we went from there being nothing to there being something, and then how a little of that turned into us, and everything in between." The Carmel Public Library Foundation Nonfiction Book Club will host a discussion on Bryson's book in the Bingham Room at Sunset Center Tuesday, Nov. 27, at 4 p.m.

According to moderator Stuart Walzer, everyone interested in attending — even people who have not read the whole book — are invited to participate in the discussion.

"His goal is to discuss ideas, with the book as a starting point," according to Carol Nordahl of the CPLF. The meeting will mark the final gathering of the nonfiction club until after the holidays.

# C.V. hosts tree lighting, holiday party, Santa parade

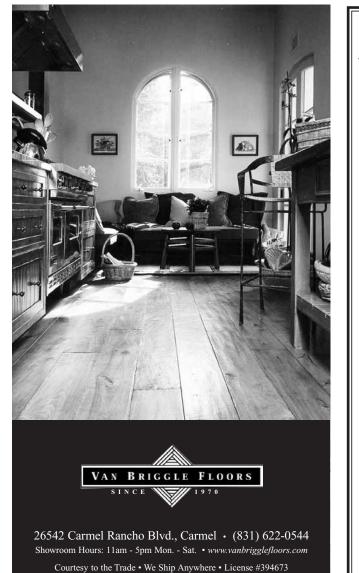
THE CARMEL Valley Community Center will host its annual Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony Saturday, Dec. 1, at dusk. Immediately following the event, the Carmel Valley Chamber of Commerce will present its annual Christmas party at Lyonshead Gallery, which is located at 12 Del Fino Place.

Admission to the party is \$10 for chamber members and \$15 for non-members. There is no charge for attending the tree lighting event.

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"It's a community tradition," explained one of its organizers, Big Sur resident Rachel Moody. "We will have a unique collection of local artists who will be displaying everything from wood-turned bowls, Big Sur jade, hand-sewn pillows, clothing, candles, soap, one-of-a-kind silver and beaded jewelry, to crocheted hats and scarves, wild-crafted essences of Big Sur, and much more."

Many talented Big Sur artists will present their work at the event, including Erlinda Hiscock, Helga-Brown Scarlett, Edmund Moody and Celia Sanborn.

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#### When it's needed, water manually.

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Turning off your sprinklers this winter will keep your lawn and plants healthier and save you money on your water bill. But most importantly, you will be helping to conserve our most precious natural resource: water.

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# How to toy with the law

By MARY BROWNFIELD

COPS WANT toys — but not for themselves.

The Monterey County Sheriff's Office is holding its annual teddy bear drive through Dec. 31, and the Crime Prevention Officers Association of Monterey County is gathering toys for children in need during the holiday season.

The MCSO collects new teddy bears and other fuzzy creatures to give to children who might receive no other gifts during the holidays, as well as for those in need of comfort during times of trauma, according to Dave Crozier.

All year long, deputies and detectives carry the toys in their cars in case they're needed to help a child at the scene of a crime or the notification of a death, and the teddy bears are also given out in hospital emergency rooms and group homes, as well as by pediatric teams and crisis groups.

But during the holidays, the animals serve to spread cheer as kids receive their gifts via the Migrant Children's Project, Adopt-a-Family, Children's Services International and other holiday events.

Teddy bears and other furry critters — or checks made out to the Sheriff's Advisory Council with "teddy bears" written in the memo field — may be delivered to the MCSO Coastal Station, 1200 Aguajito Road, Room 002, Monterey, CA 93940. For more information, call (831) 647-7702.

#### **CPOAMC** toy drive

The Crime Prevention Officers Association of Monterey County kicked off its toy drive Nov. 13 and will continue collecting new gifts for kids through Dec. 21. The group works with local churches to get the toys wrapped and distributed to those in need. Last year, the association handed out more than 1,500 gifts, thanks to donations from the community.

Toys may be delivered to almost every law enforcement agency on the Peninsula, as well as the California Highway Patrol and sheriff's offices in Salinas. Specific drop-off points include:

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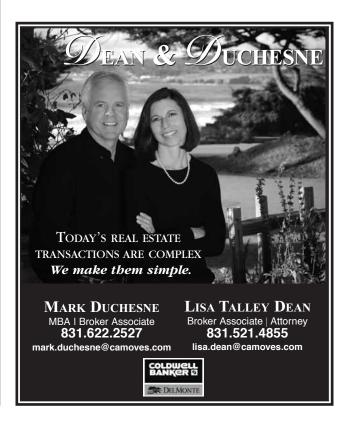
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Santa Fe Street, 5 SE of 3rd — \$2,020,000

Daniel and Kimberly Silverie to Todd and Jill Weinberg APN: 010-029-016

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Arthur and Diane Weisberg to Robert and Diane Mallet APN: 416-194-010

#### **Monterey**

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Monterey Kimberly Place LP to Jorge and Luz Estrada APN: 001-776-012

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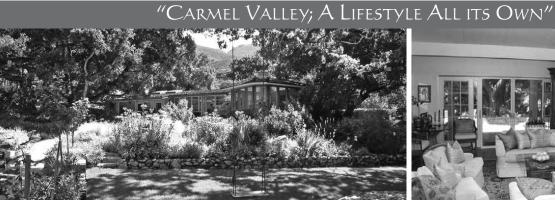
There is a lady with the improbable name of Gladys Georgiana Green who lives on Carmel Point. She's had a home here since 1937, and she very seldom leaves it. She's about 5 feet tall, has mischievous blue eyes and a voice you will never forget. When her long-time friend and director, Frank Capra, called her some months ago and asked her to be his special guest at a luncheon given in his honor, she turned him down without hesitation; not that she doesn't adore Mr. Capra, but she hates publicity. In her long career, she has played opposite Gary Cooper, Jimmy Stewart, Cary Grant, Clark Gable, the Barrymores, Alan Ladd and other headliners. You'll remember her in Shane, You Can't Take it With You, Mr. Smith Goes to Washington and dozens of other films. And you'll remember her as Peter Pan on Broadway, as a professor of ama at Vassar and North Carolina State, and as a television actress. She was born in Plattsburg, N.Y. in (the record is blurred here), started a modelling career in New York, and accepted a contract in Hollywood. Her first hit was The Saturday Night Kid with Clara Bow. Fox Films and Paramount missed her appeal, and it took MGM to make her a major star. It's a pleasure to salute JEAN ARTHUR, one of Carmel's proudest legends.

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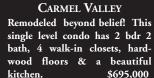
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Quita Martin and Tomas Johns to Lisa Berg APN: 001-122-003

Casa Verde Way — \$744,000

Monterey Peninsula Homes, Inc., to Robert and Kristi Zuniga APN: 013-026-006

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Robert and Anne Pochowski to Arthur and Mary Goodsel APN: 008-234-017

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### **POLICE LOG**

From page 4A

to a service call on Junipero Street at Eight. At scene, no hazard was found and the Carmel Area Wastewater District was contacted for further followup for a possible problem with the city main sewage line.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Fire engine and ambulance responded to a smoke investigation in the area of Junipero and Alta. Both units on the scene investigated and found nothing showing. After doing an area check, units were unable to find any fire hazard.

Pebble Beach: Resident reported her adult son missing; he later returned.

Big Sur: A male suspect was arrested on Highway 1 at Loma Vista for being drunk in public and possessing less than 1 ounce of marijuana.

#### **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3**

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A citizen brought a dog to the department that was found loose in the commercial district on Lincoln Street. The owner information was confirmed via the dog's ID and microchip. Messages were left for the owners advising them of the situation. At approximately 1147 hours, the dog was released to a friend of the owner, since the owner was out of town. Fees were paid and a warning was given.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject reported a window to his business on Dolores Street had been damaged sometime during the night.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Contacted the son of

the parents who reside on Junipero Street. Son was advised of parents' ailing health and need of home assisted care.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of two dogs in a parked vehicle on Ocean Avenue with no windows open. A welfare check was completed, and they were not in distress. Attempts were made to contact the owner of the vehicle. The keys were found at the vehicle and entry was made. Water was given and the windows were opened for cross ventilation. The owner of the dogs returned and information was obtained. The owner is from out of state and was admonished for improper ventilation and no access to

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Lost cell phone in the Carmel business area

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Fire engine and ambulance responded to a fire alarm activation at Hazeltine Court at Lincoln and Fifth. Upon arrival, firefighters discovered an alarm activation due to cooking smoke in one of the units. There was no other problem, so the alarm was silenced and the windows and doors opened in the apartment to allow ventilation. Responsible parties were notified to send a representative to reset the alarm.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Ambulance on scene at a Rio Road residence for a female needing vital signs checked due to feeling weak, with further advice to patient on the need to be checked at the hospital. Patient transported to CHOMP Code 2 at 2353 hours.

Big Sur: Caretaker of a South Coast property reported trespassing. Suspects were gone

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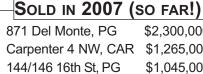
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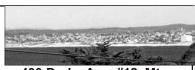
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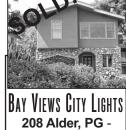
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#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11**

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A citizen reported a German shepherd dog loose in the Sunset pay lot hanging around a parked vehicle. On the officer's arrival, the dog was lying next to a parked truck with a camper shell. The screen to the window was torn and it appeared the dog escaped through it. The dog made several attempts to jump back in through the open window. The officer assisted the dog back into the vehicle, where another dog was waiting. Both windows were closed and a notice was left on the vehicle. No contact number found for owner. At approximately 1623 hours, a second citizen reported the dog loose again. On arrival, the dog was loose and the window was in the open position. The loose dog was transported to the department kennel. The dog remaining in the vehicle was secured there. Dog later returned to owner.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Victim reported losing his cell phone.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Found ID pouch on Mission Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Person on Junipero Street was counseled in regards to an incident that occurred in Santa Clara County. She was advised to contact Santa Clara authorities for further followup.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject wished to file a report on an incident that happened on Mission Street on Nov. 6 in which the suspect hit her car window with a set of car keys. There was no damage to the vehicle. This is an information-only report.

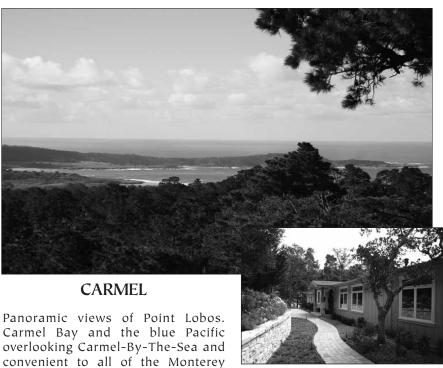
**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Ambulance was dispatched to 17 Mile Drive for a male not feeling well. Ambulance responded and arrived with Cal Fire to find a male in his 50s sitting on a

bench. The patient was complaining of dizziness and left arm numbness. The patient's vital signs and history were obtained. The patient was placed onto the monitor and O2. The patient was loaded into the ambulance for transport to CHOMP Code 3 following county protocols.

**Pebble Beach:** A male and a female were involved in a physical altercation at their residence in Pebble Beach. The altercation happened in the area of San Carlos Road and Broncho Road. During the altercation, the male

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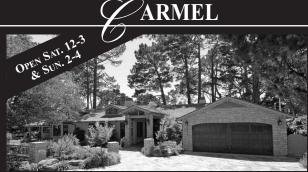
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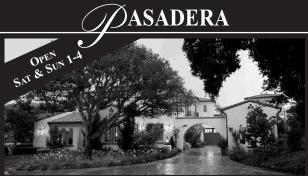
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sustained a 2-by-2-inch bruise on his right forearm. The female sustained several bruises on her right forearm. During the investigation, it was determined that the female was the primary aggressor and was therefore arrested per section 273.5 PC [spousal abuse]. A request for criminal complaint was also forwarded to the DA's office against the male for 273.5 PC.

Carmel Valley: Victim reported the suspect vandalized two wooden posts on the fence.

#### **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12**

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A male suspect, age 52, was cited on Ocean Avenue for being in possession of false tabs

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Officer found a loose dog in the roadway on Third Avenue and transported it to the police department. The dog was secured in the kennel and owner information search was made. The owner came to the department and the dog was released at approximately 1100 hours. No prior contacts. The owner recently moved to Carmel. The fees were

paid and a warning was given. A dog license application and contact number for updating the microchip information were given. The fence line will be checked for where the dog escaped.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Units responded to a reported past-tense vandalism to a vehicle parked on Acacia. Upon arrival, they spoke with the reporting party, who stated she believed unknown persons had tried to steal fuel out of her unattended vehicle sometime overnight. The locked fuel door had been broken at the hinge. Unknown to RP as to how this may have happened. No tool marks were seen, and no fuel was missing.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A citizen found a loose dog in the roadway on Valley Way in the county area. The citizen brought the dog to the Carmel Police Department. The dog was secured until the owner was located. The owner came to the department and stated the dog walked away from a job site. The owner, who lives in Fresno, was advised of the regulations of controlling his dog. The owner was warned and fees were paid at approximately 1326 hours.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Victim reported losing his ID pouch on the beach on Nov. 11.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Ambulance dispatched to a medical on Riata Road. Arrived to find a male in his 80s awake and alert with SOB [shortness of breath]. Patient provided with ALS care per Monterey County protocols and transported to CHOMP Code 3.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Ambulance dispatched for a medical aid to Grey Goose Gulch for a medical aid. Arrived to find a female juvenile patient awake and alert with a complaint of abdominal pain. Patient provided with BLS care per Monterey County protocols and transported without incident Code 2 to CHOMP

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Fire engine and ambulance responded to a medical emergency on Monte Verde Street. On scene, crew assisted with vitals, EKG, patient report information and loading for a female in her 40s with near syncope. Patient transported to CHOMP by ambulance.

#### **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13**

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Citizen on Dolores Street reported possible attempt to defraud by way of the Internet. Citizen listed a jewelry item for sale on craigslist. A subject responded and agreed to send a check for the amount requested plus an overpayment. The seller was

See POLICE LOG page 13RE



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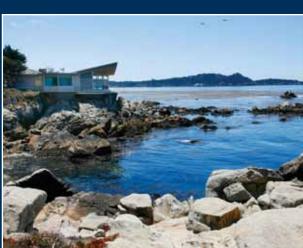




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#### CARMEL'S OCEANFRONT BUTTERFLY HOUSE

Now available for the first time in over 50 years, Carmel's famed Butterfly House awaits its next fortunate owner. One of only 5 true oceanfront properties in Carmel, this unique treasure sits on a point, on two lots with its own private beach and offers mesmerizing 180 degree views, from Point Lobos to Pebble Beach and the vast Pacific in between. Anchored directly on the magnificent shoreline, the feeling is ship-like, with the eternal motion of the sea, otters playing directly below and the seasonal migration of whales silhouetted in the sunset. The distinctive architecture, with its flying arch roofline, has defined this singular home located on Carmel's acclaimed Scenic Road for decades. A half-century in the coming, this one has been worth the wait for those looking for the best of the best. \$15,900,000



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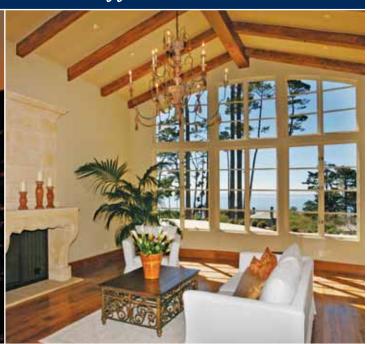


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| \$799,000 3bd 2ba                                       | Sa 11-1                  |
|---|--------------------------|
| 26464 Missin Fields<br>Coldwell Banker Del Monte        | Carmel<br>626-2222       |
| \$799.000 3bd 2ba                                       | Sa 12-2                  |
| 3330 Rio Road   | Carmel                   |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE                                      | 624-0136                 |
| <b>\$835,000 2bd 2ba</b> NE Corner San Carlos #7 X 8th  | <b>Su 1-3</b><br>Carmel  |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                               | 626-2222                 |
| \$998,000 2bd 1ba                                       | Sa 1-3                   |
| Guadalupe 3 SW of 5th<br>Alain Pinel Realtors           | Carmel<br>622-1040       |
| \$998,000 3bd 2ba                                       | Sa 1-4 Su 1-4            |
| 25803 Flanders Place                                    | Carmel                   |
| Keller Williams Realty                                  | 917-5051                 |
| \$999,000 2bd 1ba<br>Carpenter 2 SE of 1st              | <b>Su 2-4</b><br>Carmel  |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE                                      | 624-0136                 |
| \$1,075,000 3bd 2ba                                     | Sa Su 2-4                |
| 24525 Castro Lane Coldwell Banker Del Monte             | Carmel<br>626-2221       |
| \$1,095,000 3bd 3ba                                     | Fri Su 1-4               |
| 1 SE Ácacia & Flanders                                  | Carmel                   |
| John Saar Properties                                    | 622-7227                 |
| <b>\$1,145,000 2bd 2ba</b><br>26290 Monte Verde         | <b>Su 12-3</b><br>Carmel |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                               | 626-2222                 |
| \$1,195,000 3bd 2ba                                     | Su 1-3                   |
| 25870 Via Carmelita<br>Coldwell Banker Del Monte        | Carmel<br>626-2222       |
| \$1,295,000 2bd 2ba                                     | Sa 1-3                   |
| Dolores 4 NW of 4th                                     | Carmel                   |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE                                      | 659-2267                 |
| <b>\$1,349,000 3bd 2ba</b><br>2nd Ave. 2 NE of Casanova | Sa 2:30-4:30<br>Carmel   |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                               | 626-2222                 |
| \$1,349,000 1bd 1ba                                     | Su 2-4                   |
| Lincoln 3 SE of 13th Ave.<br>Coldwell Banker Del Monte  | Carmel<br>626-2221       |
| \$1.377.000 2bd 2ba                                     | Sa 2-4                   |
| Santa Fe 4 NW of 2nd                                    | Carmel                   |
| Alain Pinel Realtors                                    | 622-1040                 |
| \$1,399,000 5bd 2.5ba                                   | Sa 1-3                   |



**\$2,595,000 3bd 3.5ba** 254 El Caminito Sotheby's Int'l RE Sa 1-3 Su 2:30-4:30 Carmel 659-2267



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| \$2,993,000 4bd 3ba                       | <b>Sa 12-3 Su 2-4</b> |
| 25026 Hatton Road                         | Carmel                |
| Alain Pinel Realtors                      | 622-1040              |
| \$3,249,000 3bd 2.5ba                     | <b>Sa 1-4 Su 12-3</b> |
| Carmelo 2 SE 13th                         | Carmel                |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                 | 626-2223              |
| \$3,695,000 3bd 3ba                       | <b>Sa Su 2-4</b>      |
| Carmelo 4 SE of 10th                      | Carmel                |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                 | 626-2221              |
| \$6,400,000 3bd 2.5ba                     | <b>Sa Su 1-3</b>      |
| 2498 17th Ave. X: Carmelo                 | Carmel                |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                 | 626-2222              |

#### CARMEL HIGHLANDS

\$2,350,000 3bd 4+ba 32694 Coast Ridge Road Sotheby's Int'l RE

Carmel

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Sa Su 2:30-4:30 Carmel 624-0136 Sa 2-4 Crml Highlands 659-2267



\$2,750,000 4bd 2.5ba 136 Carmel Riviera Drive John Saar Properties **Sa 12-3** Crml Highlands 622-7227

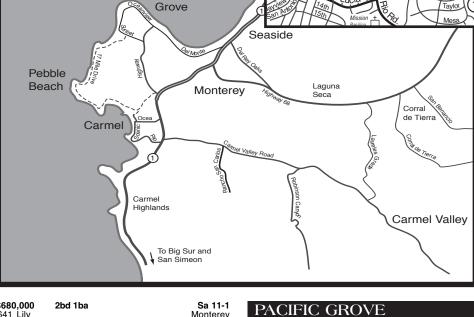
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| <b>\$680,000 2bd 1ba</b> 641 Lily Sotheby's Int'l RE            | <b>Sa 11-1</b><br>Monterey<br>624-0136   |
|---|--|
| \$699,000 2bd 2ba 10 Mtn. Shadow Lane Coldwell Banker Del Monte | Sa Su 11:30-1:30<br>Monterey<br>626-2226 |
| \$699,000 2bd 2.5ba   | <b>Su 11-1</b>                           |
| 70 Forest Ridge Road  | Monterey                                 |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE  | 624-0136                                 |
| \$759,000 2bd 1.5ba Condo                                       | <b>Sa 10-12</b>                          |
| 400 Drake   | Monterey                                 |
| The Jones Group   | 236-7780                                 |
| \$845,000 2bd 2ba w/views                                       | <b>Su 2-4</b>                            |
| 556 Spencer Street  | Monterey                                 |
| The Jones Group   | 917-4534                                 |
| \$899,000 3bd 2ba   | <b>Fri 2-4</b>                           |
| 780 Martin Street   | Monterey                                 |
| The Jones Group   | 236-7780                                 |
| \$1,133,000 4bd 2ba   | <b>Su 1-4</b>                            |
| 1222 Sylvan Road  | Monterey                                 |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                                       | 626-2222                                 |
| \$1,285,000 4bd 4.5ba   | Su 1:30-3:30                             |
| 600 Martin Street   | Monterey                                 |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                                       | 626-2222                                 |



\$1,999,000 4bd 4.5ba 27 Alta Mesa Circle John Saar Properties

14048 Reservation Road

18034 Stonehaven Drive Sotheby's Int'l RE

22712 Indian Springs Road Coldwell Banker Del Monte

**\$769,000 4bd 2.5ba** 27392 Bavella Way

\$2,295,000 4bd 4+ba

\$3,295,000 5bd 4.5ba

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3bd 2ba

4bd 2.5ba

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23799 Monterey/Salinas Hwy Sotheby's Int'l RE

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Sa Su 2-4 Monterey 622-7227

Su 1-3

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| \$695,000 2bd 1ba                                     | Sa Su 1-4                                    |
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| 125 - 7th Street, #2<br>John Saar Properties          | Pacific Grove                                |
| John Saar Properties                                  | 622-7227                                     |
| \$715,000 2bd 1ba                                     | Sa Su 1-4                                    |
| 125 - 7th Street, #1                                  | Pacific Grove                                |
| John Saar Properties                                  | 622-7227                                     |
| \$720,000 1bd 1ba + loft views                        | Sa 2-4                                       |
| 222 6th Street  | Pacific Grove                                |
| The Jones Group                                       | 241-3141                                     |
| \$725,000 2bd 1ba                                     | Sa Su 1-4                                    |
| 125 - 7th Street, #5                                  | Pacific Grove                                |
| John Saar Properties                                  | 622-7227                                     |
| \$725,000 2bd 1ba                                     | Sa Su 1-4                                    |
| 125 - 7th Street, #7                                  | Pacific Grove                                |
| John Saar Properties                                  | 622-7227                                     |
| \$725,000 2bd 1ba                                     | Su 2-4                                       |
| 516 12th Sreet  | Pacific Grove                                |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE                                    | 624-0136                                     |
| \$785,000 3bd 1ba+bonus rm                            | Su 2-4                                       |
| 285 Junipero Avenue                                   | Pacific Grove                                |
| The Jones Group                                       | 241-3141                                     |
| \$799,000 3bd 2ba                                     | Su 12-2                                      |
| 320 Junipero Avenue                                   | Pacific Grove                                |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                             | 626-2226                                     |
| \$819,000 3bd 2ba + bonus rm                          | Su 11-1                                      |
| 1313 Lincoln Avenue                                   | Pacific Grove                                |
| The Jones Group                                       | 241-3141                                     |
| \$820,000 3bd 2.5ba+cottage                           | Su 12-2                                      |
| 1026 Benito   | Pacific Grove                                |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE                                    | 624-0136                                     |
| \$849,000 2bd 1.5ba                                   | Su 2:30-4:30                                 |
| 314 Wood Street                                       | Pacific Grove                                |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                             | 626-2226                                     |
| \$849,000 3bd 2ba                                     | Sa 12:30-2                                   |
| 89 Quarterdeck  | Pacific Grove                                |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE                                    | 624-0136                                     |
| \$849,000 3bd 2ba                                     | Su 11-12:30                                  |
| 89 Quarterdeck  | Pacific Grove                                |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE                                    | 624-0136                                     |
| \$859,000 2bd 1ba + Unit                              | Sa Su 2-4                                    |
| 300 Crocker Avenue                                    | Pacific Grove                                |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                             | 626-2226                                     |
| \$885,000 2bd 2ba + Studio                            | Fri 1-3                                      |
| 611 9th Street  | Pacific Grove                                |
| The Jones Group                                       | 915-1185                                     |
| \$885,000 2bd 2ba + Studio                            | Sa 11:30-1:30                                |
| 611 9th Street  | Pacific Grove                                |
| The Jones Group                                       | 915-1185                                     |
| \$889,000 3bd 1ba w/large lot                         | Sa 2-4                                       |
| 954 Sea Palm Avenue                                   | Pacific Grove                                |
| The Jones Group                                       | 915-1185                                     |
| \$1,095,000 3bd 2ba                                   | Sa 1-3                                       |
| 627 Spazier Avenue                                    | Pacific Grove                                |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                             | 626-2222                                     |
| \$1,185,000 3bd 2ba w/bay views                       | Sa 1-3                                       |
| 1016 Balboa Avenue                                    | Pacific Grove                                |
| The Jones Group                                       | 917-4534                                     |
| \$1,250,000 3bd 2ba                                   | Su 1-3                                       |
| 801 Spruce Avenue                                     | Pacific Grove                                |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte                             | 626-2226                                     |
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| 31.293.000 400.20a                                    | Sa 11-12:30 Su 12:30-2                       |
| 1114 Pico   | Sa 11-12:30 Su 12:30-2<br>Pacific Grove      |
| 1114 Pico   |  |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE                                    | Pacific Grove<br>624-0136                    |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE<br>\$1,295,000 3bd 2ba w/bay views | Pacific Grove                                |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE                                    | Pacific Grove<br>624-0136<br><b>Fri 11-1</b> |



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\$1,435,000 2bd 2ba 7th & Forest Avenue 2 SE Sotheby's Int'l RE Carmel 624-0136 \$1,450,000 4bd 3ba 3636 Lazarro Coldwell Banker Del Monte Sa 2-4 Carmel 626-2223 \$1,450,000 2bd 2ba Carmelo 2 NW of 9th (R/C) Sotheby's Int'l RE Sa 1-3 Carmel 624-0136 **\$1,465,000 3bd 3.5ba** 3649 Via Mar Monte Fri 1:30-4 Sa 1-4 Carmel Sotheby's Int'l RE 624-0136 **\$1,495,000** 3bd 2.5ba 26020 Atherton Sotheby's Int'l RE Sa 12-3 Su 12-2 Carmel 624-0136 \$1,695,000 3bd 2ba 2931 Alta Avenue Coldwell Banker Del Monte Sa 2-4 Carmel 626-2221 \$1,695,000 3bd 2ba Su 12-2 24255 San Pedro Lane x St San Luis Sotheby's Int'l RE 624-0136 \$1,895,000 2bd 2ba Sa 12-3 1 SW Junipero on 5th Ave., Unit B Alain Pinel Realtors Carmel 622-1040 \$1,895,000 3bd 2ba Camino Real 3 NW 11th Coldwell Banker Del Monte Su 1-4 Carmel 626-2222 \$1,995,000 3bd 2ba Sa Su 1-3 Lopez 8 NE of 4th Coldwell Banker Del Monte Carmel 626-2221 \$2,195,000 3bd 2ba N.E. Corner Lincoln & 11th Sa 2-4 Su 12-2 Carmel Coldwell Banker Del Monte 626-2221 \$2,200,000 3bd 2.5ba Sa Su 1:30-4:30 25238 Hatton Road Lomarey Inc. Real Estate Carmel 241-3131

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\$2,399,000 5bd 3.5ba

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**\$2,595,000 5bd 4ba** 26350 Camino Real

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**\$2,595,000 3bd 3ba** 26138 Camino Real Sotheby's Int'l RE

4 SW of Monte Verde X: 12th Coldwell Banker Del Monte

\$2,485,000 3bd 3ba Lincoln 4 NW of 13th Coldwell Banker Del Monte

| CARMEL VALLEY                |                       |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| \$749,000 2bd 1ba            | <b>Su 1-3</b>         |
| 21760 Cachagua Road          | Carmel Valley         |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE           | 659-2267              |
| \$785,000 2bd 2ba            | <b>Su 2-4</b>         |
| 223 Del Mesa Drive           | Carmel Valley         |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte    | 626-2223              |
| \$1,100,000 2bd 2ba          | <b>Su 11-1</b>        |
| 79 Southbank                 | Carmel Valley         |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE           | 659-2267              |
| <b>\$1,190,000 4bd 2.5ba</b> | <b>Su 1:30-4</b>      |
| 215 Nido                     | Carmel Valley         |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE           | 659-2267              |
| \$1,499,000 3bd 3ba          | <b>Sa 2-4</b>         |
| 13399 Middle Canyon Road     | Carmel Valley         |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE           | 659-2267              |
| \$1,895,000 5bd 5ba          | Su 1-4                |
| 11671 Hidden Valley Road     | Carmel Valley         |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte    | 626-2222              |
| \$1,995,000 4bd 3.5ba        | <b>Sa 2-4 Su 12-4</b> |
| 27299 Prado Del Sol          | Carmel Valley         |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE           | 659-2267              |
| \$1,999,000 2bd 2ba          | Fri Su 1-4            |
| 60 Encina Drive              | Carmel Valley         |
| John Saar Properties         | 622-7227              |
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#### **MARINA**

Sa 10-12:30 Su 1-3

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#### MONTEREY

| MONTENET                      |                     |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| \$339,000 1bd 1ba             | <b>Su 12-2</b>      |
| 500 Glenwood Circle #232      | Monterey            |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte     | 626-2226            |
| \$383,672 Studio/1ba          | <b>Sa Su 10-5</b>   |
| 116 Mar Vista Drive, Unit 142 | Monterey            |
| Keller Williams Realty        | 333-0648            |
| \$465,000 2bd 1ba             | <b>Su 1-3</b>       |
| 461 Dela Vina Avenue, # 306   | Monterey            |
| Keller Williams Realty        | 915-8767            |
| \$469,428 1bd 1ba             | <b>Sa Su 10-5</b>   |
| 116 Mar Vista Drive, Unit 128 | Monterey            |
| Keller Williams Realty        | 333-0648            |
| \$595,000 2bd 1ba             | <b>Su 2:30-4:30</b> |
| 872 Terry Street              | Monterey            |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte     | 626-2226            |
| \$659,692 2bd 1.5ba           | <b>Sa Su 10-5</b>   |
| 116 Mar Vista Drive, Unit 156 | Monterey            |
| Keller Williams Realty        | 333-0648            |



\$4,949,000 4bd 4b 413 Estrella D'Oro Alain Pinel Realtors 4bd 4ba

Sa Su 1-4 Mtry/Slns Hwy 622-1040

#### NORTH SALINAS

| <b>\$279,500 1bd 1ba</b> | <b>Friday 12-</b> 4 |
|--------------------------|---------------------|
| 2392-F North Main        | North Salinas       |
| Keller Williams Realty   | 320-9916            |
| <b>\$580,000 4bd 2ba</b> | Sa 12-4             |
| 1943 Newcastle           | North Salinas       |
| Keller Williams Realty   | 320-9916            |

Su 1-3

Su 2-4

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Sa 1-3 Pacific Grove

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129 15th Street

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\$1,495,000

802 17 Mile Drive

894 Laurel Coldwell Banker Del Monte

2bd 1+a

\$1,575,000 3bd 2ba & 1bd 1ba

#### PACIFIC GROVE

\$1,599,000 2bd 2ba 16 Beach Street J.R. Rouse Real Estate

Pacific Grove 402-2017



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| \$1,650,000 2bd 1.25ba    | <b>Su 2-4</b>  |
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| J.R. Rouse Real Estate    | 402-2017   |
| \$1,650,000 2bd 1.25ba    | Wed.,11/28 - 2-4 pm  |
| 679 Ocean View Blvd       | Pacific Grove  |
| J.R. Rouse Real Estate    | 402-2017   |
| \$1,650,000 2bd 1.25ba    | Fri.,11/30 - 2-4 pm  |
| 679 Ocean View Blvd       | Pacific Grove  |
| J.R. Rouse Real Estate    | 402-2017   |
| \$1,685,000 5bd 2ba       | <b>Sa 1-3</b>  |
| 1057 Morse Drive          | Pacific Grove  |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte | 626-2226   |
| \$1,695,000 3bd 2ba       | Fri Sa Su 2-4  |
| 211 Park Street           | Pacific Grove  |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE        | 624-0136   |
| \$1,699,000 5bd 3.5ba     | <b>Sa Su 1-4</b>   |
| 889 Bayview               | Pacific Grove  |
| Keller Williams Realty    | 238-0067   |
| \$1,829,000 3bd 2.5ba     | <b>Su 12-3</b>   |
| 1033 Olmstead Avenue      | Pacific Grove  |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte | 626-2222   |

See **OPEN HOUSES** page 13RE

#### Open Sat 2-4 & Sun I-3



#### Carmelo 2 SE of 13th, Carmel

Custom remodel Carmel dream home offering 3 bedroom, 2 and on half baths close to beach. Hardwood floors, gourmet kitchen, all done with European flair. Irreplaceable! \$3,249,000.

#### Picture Perfect



Irresistible Carmel home just two years young! Main floor master suite, custom design and decor featuring a wonderful open floor plan. Delightful from start to finish in this three bedroom, 2 and a half bath home. Your dream come true. \$2,795,000.

#### 17 Mile Dr. Classic



Located on famed 17 Mile Drive, this impeccably maintained five bedroom, five and a half bath home has room for all. Gym, office, three-car garage all on a one acre lot. Also conveniently located close to The Lodge. \$6,500,000.



#### **MARY BELL** (831) 626-2232



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## ALAIN PINEL Realtors



#### CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA

Fabulous 2000+ Sq. Ft. craftsman style Saroyan Signature Home built to absolute perfection with the finest finishes. This home offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large media/game room, wine cellar, and the warmth of fireplaces in both the living and dining rooms. Beautifully landscaped with stone walkways, patios and outdoor fireplace. Situated on 6000 sf lot.

Offered at \$2,299,500

#### CARMEL VALLEY

Caressing the hillside above the clouds ~ This two story, 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, Mediterranean measures approx. 2,048 sq. ft. and rests on one acre capturing incredible views of Carmel Valley and the bay through the huge picture window and the many terraced decks. This home features faux painted walls in warm hues, large open rooms, and creates the perfect combination of being minutes from town and yet up and away from everyday life giving you the illusion of time standing still.

Offered at \$895.000



#### CARMEL

A perfect Coastal Village residence, located in the coveted "Golden Rectangle" Carmel by the Sea awaits ... Comprised of 1680 square feet of living areas, 3 bedrooms and 2.5 baths ~ An appropriately designed open floor plan extends into the sun filled living room, dining room and kitchen. This home of casual elegance, appropriately reflects our Carmel lifestyle and beckons you , your family and guests ...Spend relaxing coastal days coupled with sights and sounds of the sea beyond ~ It truly does not get any better than this!

Offered at \$2,495,000

#### PEBBLE BEACH

Fabulous "barely used" Traditional-style home...1 yr. new...Gorgeous black walnut floors...Radiant Heating..."Smart House Wiring"...Spacious Master Suite...3 Fireplaces...Wonderful Gourmet Kitchen with all the top line Appliances...Quiet Neighborhood...Close to MPCC, Spyglass, and Poppy Hills...Ocean and Sunset Views...3 beds...2 1/2 baths...Formal Entry, Dining and Living Rooms...Beautiful Divided Light Wood Windows...Immaculate Condition...

> www.3079SloatRd.com Offered at \$2,495,000





#### PEBBLE BEACH

Behind the wall fronted by greenery and through the private iron gates lies a gorgeous house much like a resort. From the stone patio of the backyard is a glorious view of Carmel Bay and Point Lobos. The house consists of 2 bedrooms, one a master with spacious walk-in closets, dignified fireplace and grand bathroom. A neat sunken wet bar with ocean view, a breakfast nook cradled by windows and oaks, a kitchen of thoughtful design and sophisticated appliance, an individual laundry and a two-car garage complete the home.

www.1516RiataRoad.com

Offered at \$5,500,000



To preview *all* homes for sale in Monterey County log on to apr-carmel.com 831.622.1040

NW Corner of Ocean & Dolores Junipero between 5th & 6th

File No. 20072395

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
AT&T Communications of San Diego,
340 Pajaro St., Salinas, CA 93901
TCG San Diego, One AT&T Way,
Bedminster, New Jersey, 07921.
TCG Partners, One AT&T Way,

TCG Suthwestern Holdings, Inc., One AT&T Way, Bedminster, NJ 07921
TCG Southwestern Holdings, Inc., One AT&T Way, Bedminster, NJ 07921
TCG San Diego Holdings, Inc., One AT&T Way, Bedminster, NJ 07921 This business is conducted by a gener-

al partnership
The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on

I declare that all information in this

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

S/ Kathy Metzger, Asst. Secretary This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on October 11, 2007.

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

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

First Filing 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23/07 CNS-1211684# CARMEL PINE CONE
Publication dates: Nov. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2007. (PC 1101)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS File No. 20072393
The following person(s) is (are) doing

business as AT&T Communications of Los Angeles, 340 Pajaro St., Salinas, CA 93901

TCG Los Angeles, Inc., Delaware, One AT&T Way, Bedminster, New Jersey 07921

This business is conducted by a corporation
The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on

I declare that all information in this

statement is true and correct. (A regis-trant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) TCG Los Angeles, Inc. /S/ Kathy Metzger, Assistat Secretary

/S/ Kathy Metzger, Assistant Secretary
This statement was filed with the
County Clerk of Monterey County on
October 11, 2007
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the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

First Filing 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23/07 CNS-1212391#
CARMEL PINE CONE
Publication dates: Nov. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2007. (PC 1102)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS** The following person(s) is (are) doing

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

AT & T Communications of San Francisco, 340 Pajaro St., Salinas, CA 93901.

TCG San Francisco, One AT & T Way, Bedminster, New Jersey 07921.

TCG San Francisco Holdings 1, Inc., One AT & T Way, Bedminster, NJ 07921.

Teleport Communications Group Inc., One AT & T Way, Bedminster, NJ Teleport Com.San Francisco Inc., One

AT & T Way, Bedminster, NJ 07921. This business is conducted by a general partnership. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious busi

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/S/ Kathy Metzger Assistant Secretary
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on October 11, 2007.
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Publication dates: Nov. 2, 9, 16, 23, 2007. (PC 1103)

SUMMONS - FAMILY LAW

CASE NUMBER: DR 46448 NOTICE TO RESPONDENT: MARIA A. ZAVALA You are being sued. PETITIONER'S NAME IS:

ADOLFO E. ZAVALA
You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS
after this Summons and Petition are
served on you to file a Response (form

FL-120 or FL-123) at the court and have a copy served on the petitioner. A letter or phone call will not protect you. If you do not file your Response on time, the court may make orders affecting your marriage or domestic partnership, your property, and custody of your children. You may be ordered to pay support and attorney fees and costs. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the clerk for a fee waiver form.

If you want legal advice, contact a lawyer immediately. You can get information about finding lawyers at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), or by contacting your local county bar association.

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NOTICE: The restraining orders on page 2 are effective against both spouses or domestic partners until the petition is dismissed, a judgement is entered, or the court makes turther orders. These orders are enforceable anywhere in California by any law enforcement officer who has received or seen a copy of them.

The name and address of the court is:

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The name and address of the court is:

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY MONTEREY
1200 Aguajito Road
Monterey, CA 93940

The name, address and telephone number of the petitioner's attorney, or petitioner without an attorney, is:
ADOLFO E. ZAVALA
P.O. Box 764
King City, CA 93930
(831) 485-5904
RONALD D. LANCE
11 W. Laurel Dr., Suite #205
Salinas, CA 93906
(831) 443-6509
Reg: #LDA5
County: Monterey
NOTICE TO THE PERSON
SERVED: You are served as an individual.

Date: Feb. 14, 2005 (s) Lisa M. Galdos, Clerk by WG Ragland, Deputy Publication Dates: Nov. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2007. (PC 1107)

BUSINESS FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT File No.20072546. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: RG BURGERS, 201 Crossroads Blvd., Carmel, CA 93923. RG BURGERS INC, 201 Crossroads Blvd., Carmel, CA 93923. This business is conducted by a corporation.
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: Jan. 1, 1991. (s) Nabeel Bahu, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 2, 2007. Publication dates: Nov. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2007. (PC 1100)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

T.S. No. 2007-41565680 Loan No. 0041565680 Loan No. 03386680 Title Order No. 3386680 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A
DEED OF TRUST DATED
12/9/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE
ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR
PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A
PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN
EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national based to the highest bidder for the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national based to the highest based to the high bank, check drawn by a state or fed-eral credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appoint-ed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining princi-pal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: JAMES ODELL BERRY AND DORIS J. LATIMORE-BERRY, HUSBAND AND WIFE Duly Appointed Trustee: GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS ASSOCIATION SERVICE CO., A CALIFORNIA CORPORA-TION Recorded 12/20/2005 as Instrument No. 2005133185 in book-Instrument No. 2005133185 in bookpage- of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of MONTEREY County, California, Date of Sale:11/30/2007 at 10:00 AM Place of Sale: AT THE MAIN (SOUTH) ENTRANCE TO THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, (FACING THE COURTYARD OFF CHURCH ST.), 240 CHURCH STREET, SALINAS, CA Amount of uppeid balance and CA. Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$448,167.12 Street Address or other common designa-Address or other common designa-tion of real property is purported to be.: 1870 ANDREW CT SEASIDE, CA 93955-4102 A.P.N.: 011-482-031-000 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incor-rectness of the street address or other common designation if any other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the prop-erty may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. Date: November 01, 2007 Fidelity National Agency Sales & Posting Agent for GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS ASSOCIATION SERVICE CO., A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION 15661 Red Hill Ave. Ste. 200 Tustin, California 92780 Telephone Number:

(800) 840-8547 Sale Status Line (714) 259-7850 SETH WHITE ASSISTANT SECRETARY O Golden West Savings Association Service Company ASAP# 929292 11/09/2007, 11/16/2007, 11/23/2007 Publication dates: Nov. 9, 16, 23, 2007. (PC1110)

CEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A

public auction sale to the highest bid-der for cash, cashier's check drawn

on a state or national bank, check

drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or

federal savings and loan association.

or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the

Financial Code and authorized to do

business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest

conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described

property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or

implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s)

secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as

provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total

amount (at the time of the initial pub-lication of the Notice of Sale) rea-

sonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: GABRIELA SANCHEZ, A MARRIED

WOMAN Duly Appointed Trustee:
GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS ASSOCIATION SERVICE CO., A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION Recorded
\$(13/2006) as Instrument No.

6/13/2006 as Instrument No. 2006052142 in book , page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of MONTEREY County, California, Date of Sale:11/30/2007

at 10:00 AM Place of Sale: AT THE MAIN (SOUTH) ENTRANCE TO THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE,

(FACING THE COURTYARD OFF CHURCH ST.), 240 CHURCH STREET, SALINAS, CA. Amount of

unpaid balance and other charges \$535,555.96 Street Address or other

common designation of real property is purported to be.: 1770 FLORES ST SEASIDE, CA 93955-3965 A.P.N.: 012-797-005 The under-

signed Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street

address or other common designa-

tion, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designa-

tion is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the

beneficiary within 10 days of the date

of first publication of this Notice of Sale. Date: November 05, 2007 Fidelity National Agency Sales Posting Agent for GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS ASSOCIATION SERVICE

CO., A CALIFORNIA CORPORA-

TION 15661 Red Hill Ave. Ste. 200 Tustin, California 92780 Telephone

Number: (800) 840-8547 Sale Status Line: (714) 259-7850 SETH WHITE ASSISTANT SECRETARY C

ASSISIANI SECHEIARY Of Golden West Savings Association Service Company ASAP# 930624 11/09/2007, 11/16/2007, 11/23/2007 Publication dates: Nov. 9, 16, 23,

2007. (PC1112)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No.: 07-7264-01 Loan No.: 1410 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A

DEED OF TRUST DATED 10/17/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appoint-ed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Original Trustor(s): Richard Dziedzic Duly Appointed Trustee: BDS Capital, Inc., a California corporation Recorded 11/1/2006 as Instrument No. 2006096895 in book -, page - of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Monterey County, California, Date of Sale: 11/30/2007 at 10:00 AM Place of Sale: AT THE MAIN (SOUTH) ENTRANCE TO THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, (FACING THE COURTYARD OFF CHURCH ST.), 240 CHURCH STREET, SALINAS, CALIFORNIA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$497,274.32 Estimated Street Address or other common Street Address or other common designation of real property: 24337 San Juan Road, Carmel (area), CA Legal Description: BEGINNING AT A POINT LYING IN THE WESTERLY BOUNDARY OF SAN MARCOS ROAD, SAID POINT BEING COR-NER NO. 14, BLOCK 305, AS SAID CORNER IS SHOWN AND SO DES-IGNATED ON THAT CERTAIN MAP ENTITLED, "LICENSED SURVEY-OR'S MAP OF A RE-SUBDIVISION OF BLOCKS 305 AND 306, THIRD ADDITION TO CARMEL WOODS, MONTEREY COUNTY, CALIFOR-NIA", FILED FOR RECORD JUNE VEYS AT PAGE 164, RECORDS OF MONTEREY COUNTY, CALIFOR-NIA; AND RUNNING THENCE (1) SOUTH 76° 00' WEST 65.50 FEET; THENCE (2) NORTH 9° 30' WEST 112.11 FEET TO CORNER NO. 13 IN SAID BLOCK 305, LYING IN THE SOUTHERLY BOUNDARY OF SAN JUAN ROAD; THENCE ALC SAID SOUTHERLY BOUNDARY ALONG SAN JUAN ROAD (3) EASTERLY CURVING TO THE RIGHT 42.76 FEET ALONG THE ARC OF A CIR-CLE OF 300 FEET RADIUS (LONG CHORD BEARS SOUTH 86° 25' EAST 42.73 FEET); THENCE (4) TANGENTIALLY CURVING TO THE IANGENTIALLY CURVING TO THE RIGHT 58.33 FEET ALONG THE ARC OF A CIRCLE OF 40 FEET RADIUS TO A POINT LYING IN SAID WESTERLY BOUNDARY OF SAN MARCOS ROAD; THENCE ALONG SAID WESTERLY BOUND-ARY OF SAN MARCOS ROAD (5) TANGENTIALLY CURVING TO THE LEFT 51.88 FEET ALONG THE ARC OF A CIRCLE OF 230 FEET RADIUS TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, BEING A PORTION OF SAID BLOCK 305. A.P.N.: 009-012-001-000 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. publication of this Notice of Sale. Date: October 26, 2007 BDS CAPITAL, INC., a California Corporation, as Trustee By WT Capital Lender Services, Its Authorized Agent 7522 North Colonial Avenue, Suite 101 Fresno, CA 93711 (559) 222-4644 Sale Status Line (714) 259-7850 http://www.fidelityasap.com Debra Berg, Senior Vice President ASAP# 928404 11/09/2007, 11/16/2007, 11/23/2007 Publication dates: Nov. 9, 16, 23, 2007. (PC11111)

2007. (PC1111)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
T.S. No. 2007-43053800
Loan No. 0043053800
Title Order No. 3393898
YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A
DEED OF TRUST DATED 67/2006.
UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO
PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT
MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE.
IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION
OF THE NATURE OF THE PRO-

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.20072547. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: ISLAND TACO, 173 Crossroads Blvd., Carmel, CA 93923. RG BURGERS INC, 201 Crossroads Blvd., Carmel, CA 93923. This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: Nov. 2, 2007. (s) Nabeel Bahu, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 2, 2007. Publication dates: Nov. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2007. (PC Loan: 2004-042 Other: File: 2857126 DLH Investor Loan#: A.P. Number 015-251-032 A.P. Number 015-251-032

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

UNDER DEED OF TRUST

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A

DEED OF TRUST, DATED December

13, 2004, UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION

TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT

MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF

YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF

THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING

AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CON
TACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby

given that First American Title

Insurance Company a California corpo-

Insurance Company, a California corpo-ration, as Trustee, or Successor Trustee, or Substituted Trustee pur-suant to the Deed of Trust executed by Michael R. Berube, an unmarried man Recorded on 12/16/2004 as Instrument No. 2004133356 in Book n/a Page n/a of Official Records in the Office of the County Recorder of Monterey County, California, and pursuant to the Notice Of Default and election to sell thereunder recorded 07/30/2007 in Book n/a, Page n/a, as Instrument No. 2007059483 of said Official Records, will sell on 1277/2007 at At the north wing main entrance to the Monterey County Courthouse, 240 Church St., Salinas, CA at 10:00AM at public auction to the bichest bidder for see tion to the highest bidder for cash (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said county and state hereinafter described: See Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof. Exhibit "A' File No.: 4401-2857126 (DH) Property: None Shown, CA Parcel 1: Parcel "A" as shown on the Map Filed April 6, 1976 in the Office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California in Map Book 10 of Parcel Maps at Page 16. Parcel 2: A Non-Exclusive Right of Way for Road Purposes over a Portion of that Certain Right of Way Granted to Frank D. Hatton, By Deed Recorded July 28, 1928 in Volume 161, Page 10, Official Records. Said Portion Lying Northerly and Point of Course (2) of that Certain 4.75 Acre Tract of Land Described in the Deed to Vernon F.

Hurd, ET UX, Recorded September September 10, 1959 in Book 1988, Page 310, Official Records of Monterey County, California. Parcel 3: A Non-Exclusive Right of Way for Road and Utility Purposes 20 feet Wide Lying Contiguous to and Southerly of the Northerly Boundary Line of Parcel "B" as said Parcel and Right of Way are shown on the Map Referred to in Parcel shown on the Map Referred to in Parcel 1 Above. Parcel 4: A Non-Exclusive Right of Way for Road and Utility Purposes 30 feet Wide Lying Contiguous to and Southerly of the Northerly Boundary Line of Parcel "C" as said Parcel and Right of Way are shown on the Map Referred to in Parcel 1 above. A.P.N. 015-051-032 The property address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: Vacant Land: Directions may be Vacant Land: Directions may obtained by written Request Submitted to the undersigned within ten days from the First Publication of this Notice. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the propbilly for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the notice of sale is \$2.926.11.2.90 In addition to cash. sale is: \$226,112.98 In addition to cash sale is: \$226,112.98 in adoition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association or Savings Bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withheld the increase of Trustee may withhold the issuance of the trustee's deed until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy session, or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said deed, advances thereunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid princi-pal balance of the note secured by said deed with interest thereon as provided in said note, fees, charges and expens-es of the trustee and the trusts created es of the trustee and the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. Dated: 11/5/2007 First American Title Company, a California, as said Trustee Corporation 30 Soquel Avenue Santa Cruz, CA 95062 (831) 426-6500 By: Deborah L. Howey, Foreclosure Officer P333993 11/16, 11/23, 11/30/2007 Publication dates: Nov. 16, 23, 30, 2007. (PC1114)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE of ELLEN SUTTON MOORE Case Number MP 18844

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

A PETITION FOR PROBATE
has been filed by ELLEN GILL in the
Superior Court of California, County
of MONTEREY

of MONTEREY. The Petition for Probate requests

that ELLEN GILL be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

A hearing on the decedent.

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

Date: December 14, 2007

Time: 10:30 a.m.

Dept.: 17

Address: Superior Court of California, County of Monterey, 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940. If you object to the granting of

the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

If you are a creditor or a con-

tingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above. the hearing date noticed above

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a *Request for Special Notice* (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk

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Attorney for petitioner:
DAVID S. MULLALLY
135 W. Franklin St. Suite 8
P.O. Box 991
Monterey, CA 93942
(831) 372-7295
(s) David S. Mullally,
Attorney for Petitioner.
This statement was filed with the
County Clerk of Monterey County on
Nov. 9, 2007.
Publication dates: Nov. 16, 23,
30, 2007. (PC1115)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20072525 The following person(s) is (are) doing

business as:

MIK A. JEWELRY DESIGN, 712
Lobos Ave., Pacific Grove, CA 93950.
Kimberly Munn, 712 Lobos Ave., Pacific
Grove, CA 93950.
This business is conducted by an individual

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on

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

guilty of a crime.)
S/ Kimberly Munn
This statement was filed with the

County Clerk of Monterey County on November 1, 2007.

NOTICE-This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before that time. filed before that time.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a rictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). CNS-1230498# CARMEL PINE CONE Publication dates: Nov. 16, 23, 30, Dec. 7, 2007. (PC1116) **FICTITIOUS** BUSINESS NAME

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.20072483. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: H & M CONSTRUCTION, 2064 Sunset Dr., Pacific Grove, CA 93950. HARROD & MORANDA ENTERPRISES, INC., CA, 2064 Sunset Dr., Pacific Grove, CA 93950. This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: June, 2002. (s) Venessa Moranda, Vice President. (s) Venessa Moranda, Vice President. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Oct. 25, 2007. Publication dates: Nov. 16, 23, 30, Dec. 7, 2007. (PC 1117)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE of DOLORES R. CORNEA Case Number MP 18845 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and per-

sons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of DOLORES RITA CORNEA.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE

has been filed by NICHOLAS CORNEA, JR. in the Superior Court of California, County of MONTEREY. The Petition for Probate requests that NICHOLAS CORNEA, JR. be

appointed as personal representa-tive to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests author-

ity to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A beging on the petition will

A hearing on the petition will be held on in this court as follows: Date: December 14, 2007

Time: 10:30 a.m. Dept.: 17 Room:

Address: Superior Court of

Address: Superior Court of California, County of Monterey, 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

If you are a creditor or a continuent creditor of the decedent

tingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for petitioner: DAVID S. MULLALLY 135 W. Franklin St. Suite 8 P.O. Box 991 P.O. Box 991
Monterey, CA 93942
(831) 372-7295
(s) David S. Mullally,
Attorney for Petitioner.
This statement was filed with the
County Clerk of Monterey County on
Nov. 13, 2007.
Publication dates: Nov. 16, 23,

Publication dates: Nov. 16, 23,

30, Dec. 7, 2007. (PC1119)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.20072609. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: A & A JANITORIAL SERVICE, 1042 Forest Ave. #16, Pacific Grove, CA 93950. KIM, JUNG IK, 1042 Forest Ave. #16, Pacific Grove, CA 93950. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on: 1999. (s) Jungik Kim. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 9, 2007. Publication dates: Nov. 23, 30, Dec. 7, 14, 2007. (PC 1123)

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| Coldwell Banker Del Monte           | 626-2222   |
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| \$1,799,000 4bd 3ba                 | <b>Sa 12-2</b>                                     |
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| Coldwell Banker Del Monte           | 626-2223   |
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| \$3,200,000 4bd 3ba   | Su 11-1                              |
| 1092 Oasis  | Pebble Beach                         |
| Sotheby's Int'l RE  | 624-0136                             |
| \$3,500,000 2bd 2ba   | Sa 12-2                              |
| 1508 Bonifacio  | Pebble Beach                         |
| Coldwell Banker Del Monte   | 626-2222                             |



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| 1011 Rodeo Road       | Pebble Beac  |
| John Saar Properties  | 622-722      |
| \$5,495,000 4bd 4.5ba | Sa 1-3 Su 1- |
| 2943 17 Mile Drive    | Pebble Beac  |
| Alain Pinel Realtors  | 622-104      |

#### **SEASIDE**

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#### **POLICE LOG**

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told to deposit a certified check in her account and withdraw the extra funds which would then be sent by Western Union to an alleged shipper. Carmel P.D. reviewed the email communication and strongly encouraged the citizen to not proceed with the transaction, as this type of transaction is commonly used by criminals to steal the item listed for sale and then leave the account holder responsible for all funds fraudulently deposited into their account by use of a fictitious or stolen check.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Reporting party on Dolores Street requested an attempt to contact an ex-business associate regarding monies owed. It was explained to him that his situation was civil in nature. The subject was counseled.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Reporting party, who was out of town, received information that someone was possibly staying at a Carpenter Street rental property owned by her without permission. She was concerned because there were past eviction issues with the former tenant(s). The residence was checked and there were no signs of anyone staying there. The RP was updated on the findings.

#### Carmel-by-the-Sea: Traffic collision on Fifth Avenue on public property. Property damage only.

November 23, 2007

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of 475(b) PC [Every person who possesses any blank or unfinished check, note, bank bill, money order or traveler's check, whether real or fictitious, with the intention of completing the same or the intention of facilitating the completion of the same, in order to defraud any person, is guilty of forgery.] on San Carlos Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Reporting party left her purse in the post office today.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A citizen brought a dog to the police department that was found in the county area on Serra Avenue. No owner information could be found. The citizens kept the dog overnight at their residence. The citizens brought the dog back to the department, where it was held for Monterey County Animal Services for transport to their facility.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Fire engine and ambulance were dispatched to a fire alarm activation at Torres and 10th. Upon arrival at 1418 hours, found the resident outside stating it was a false alarm. Detector had been "beeping" for several weeks, and the resident had tried to service it, activating the alarm. Advised resident to call

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#### SEASIDE



4bd 2.5ba Wood Drive John Saar Properties

#### SOUTH COAST



\$3,500,000 3bd 2ba 41000 Highway 1 @ Hurricane Point John Saar Properties

South Coast 622-7227

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#### SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

\$2,795,000 4bd 4ba

1130 Pelican Road Alain Pinel Realtors

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. M87447.
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: petitioner, KATHLEEN DUNLAP, MARK PETER BROWN, filed a
petition with this court for a decree
changing names as follows: changing names as follows:

A\_Present name:

KALEEN BOSE BROWN

Proposed name:

KALEEN ROSE DUNLAP-BROWN

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

NOTICE OF HEARING:
DATE: December 28, 2007
TIME: 9:00 a.m.

DEPT: Civil

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

> (s) Robert O'Farrell Judge of the Superior Court Date filed: Nov. 5, 2007. Clerk: Connie Mazzei Deputy: C. Williams

Publication dates: Nov. 16, 23, 30, Dec. 7, 2007. (PC1120)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S No. 1107360-02 APN: 006-477-012-000 TRA: LOAN NO: XXXXXX3466 REF: Bryant, Judith A. IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED October 20, 2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROP-ERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANA-TION OF THE NATURE OF THE PRO-CEEDING AGAINST YOU. YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On December 13, 2007, at 10:00am, Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded October 31, 2006, as Inst. No. 2006096216 in book XX, page XX of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Monterey County State of California, executed by Judith A. Bryant, An Unmarried Woman, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings

association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state: At the main (south) entrance to the county courthouse, (facing The Courtyard Off Church St) 240 Church Street Salinas, California, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: Completely described in said deed of trust The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 507 19th Street Pacific Grove CA 93950 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition or encum-brances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the expenses of the inustree and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be added to the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$725,122.76. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is locat-9:00am to 4:00pm (619) 590-1221. Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, 525 East Main Street, P.O. Box 22004, El Cajon, CA 92022-9004 Dated: November 14, 2007 Trustee Sale Officer: Jeffrey A Ferrer. (R-157359 Til/23/07, 11/30/07, 12/07/07)
Publication dates: Nov. 23, 30,
Dec. 7, 2007. (PC1121)

#### SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION (CITACION JUDICIAL) CASE NUMBER: (NUMERO DEL CASO) 07AS04798

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT (AVISO AL DEMANDADO): ALL PERSONS DEMANDADO): ALL PERSONS
INTERESTED INTHE MATTER OF the
validity of a Settlement Agreement,
dated October 16, 2007, by and
between the State Board of
Equalization, Pacific Gas & Electric Company, and the counties of Butte, El Dorado, Mariposa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra and Yuba, YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAIN-

TIFF (LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE): STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

You have until January 30, 2008, to file a typewritten response at this court. This action seeks judicial validation of that certain Settlement Agreement and

Mutual Special Release Settlement Agreement"), dated October 16, 2007, by and among the State Board of Equalization ("SBE"), Pacific Gas & Electric Company ("PG&E"), and the counties of Butte, El Dorado, Mariposa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra and Yuba ("the Counties"), estab-lishing the methodology to value certain state-assessed real property, and accordingly assess certain property taxes, relating to SBE's determination that PG&E has taxable possessory interests in certain local agency hydro-electric facilities located within one or more of the Counties, from fiscal year 2007-2008 through the expiration of PG&E's presently existing power purchase contracts with five local water agencies/irrigation districts. The Settlement Agreement resolves a pending lawsuit filed by PG&E against SBE and the Counties and resolves lains. and the Counties, and resolves claims for refund filed by PG&E with SBE and the Counties, wherein PG&E alleged that it did and does not have such tax-able possessory interests and that the amount of state-assessed property taxes assessed and levied was excessive; and by which PG&E sought to recover such state-assessed real property taxes for fiscal years 2000-2001, 2001-2002, 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006 and 2006-2007. Plaintiff seeks a judgment from the court that, among other things, SBE has the lawful authority to enter into the Settlement Agreement and that the Settlement Agreement is a valid, binding, and lawful agreement of SBE and the parties thereto, and creates valid, binding and lawful obligations of SBE and the parties thereto pursuant to its If you contest the legality or validity of

the matters involved in this lawsuit, you will not be subject to punitive action such as wage garnishment or seizure of sonal prope or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or

county bar association.

Después de que le entreguen esta citación judicial usted tiene hasta el 30 de Enero del 2008, para presentar una

respuesta escrita a máquina en esta corte. Esta acción procura validación judicial que cierto Acuerdo de Finiquito Liberación Especial Mutua y Liberación Especial Mutua (el "Acuerdo del Finiquito", fechado el 16 de Octubre del 2007, por y entre la Junta Estatal de Igualación ("SBE"), Pacific Gas & Electric Company ("PG&E"), y los condados de Butte, El Dorado, Mariposa, Nevada, Placer, Plumes Siarra y Vula ("los "Company"). Plumas, Sierra y Yuba ("los Condados"), que estableció la metodología para valorar bienes raíces tasados por el estado, y de acuerdo a esto tasar ciertos impuestos de propiedad, relacionados a la determinación de SBE que PG&E tiene intere-ses posesorios imponibles en ciertas instalaciones de la agencia loca hidroeléctrica ubicados dentro de uno o más de los Condados, del año fiscal 2007-2008 hasta el vencimiento de los contratos de compra de potencia exis-tentes con otros cinco distritos hidráulicos/distritos de irrigación locales. E Acuerdo del Finiquito resuelve un littgio pendiente archivado por PG&E contra SBE y los Condados, y resuelve reclamaciones de reembolso archivadas por PG&E con SBE y los Condados, donde PG&E con SBE y los Condados, donde PG&E alegó que no tenía y no tiene tales intereses posesorios imponibles y que la cantidad de los impuestos sobre la propiedad tasados por el estado impuestos y tasados era excesiva; y por lo cual PG&E procuró recuperar tales impuestos sobre bienes raíces tasados por el estado para los años fiscales 2000-2001, 2001-2002, 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006 y 2006-2007. El demandante procura un fallo del tribunal que, entre otras cosas, SBE tiene la autoridad legal de celebrar el Acuerdo de Finiquito y que el Acuerdo de Finiquito es un acuerdo válido, obligatorio, y legal de SBE y las partes de este, y crea obligaciones válidas , obligatorias y legales de SBE y e este de

Si disputan la legalidad o la validez de los asuntos involucrados en esta demanda civil, no estarán sujetos a daños punitivos, tales como la retención de sus sueldos o el secuestro de sus bienes muebles o immebles. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correc-to si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp/espanol/), en la biblioteca de leves de su condado o en la corte que le quede mas cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podra quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.

Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener

servicios legales gratuitos de un pro grama de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en sel sitio web de intes de lacto en sei sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/self-help/espanol/) a poniéndose en contactes de la contacte de la to con la corte o el colegio de abogados

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y direccion de la corte es): SACRAMENTO COUNTY SUPERIÓR COURT 720 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la direccion y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado,

STEVEN J. GREEN, Deputy Attorney General Office of the Attorney General 1300 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814 Telephone: (916) 324-5157 Date (Fecha): Oct 23, 2007

By (Secretario) C. McWilliams, Deputy (Adjunto) SEAL

11/23, 11/30, 12/7, 12/14/07 CNS-1234250# CARMEL PINE CONE

Publication dates: Nov. 23, 30, Dec. 7, 14, 2007. (PC1122)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.

Date of Filing Application: Sept. 20, Date of Filling Application 2005
To Whom It May Concern:
The Name of the Applicant is:
STOCKING BOSCO BARNEY
STOCKING GERARDA

The applicants listed above are applying to the Department of Alcoholic

Beverage Control to sell alcoholic erages at:
213 17 MILE DR.
PACIFIC GROVE, CA 93950

Type of license: 67 - SPECIAL ON-SALE WINE BED AND BREAKFAST INN
Publication dates: Nov. 23, 2007.
(PC1124).

#### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20072600

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

ABC Supply Co., Inc., 11180
Commercial Parkway, Castroville, CA

American Builders & Contractors Supply Co., Inc., Delaware, One ABC Parkway, Beloit, WI 53511.

business is conducted by a corporation.

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/1997 declare that all information in this

statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is which he of she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Kendra A Story, CFO/ Treasurer This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on November 08, 2007. NOTICE-This Fictitious

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

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

11/23. 11/30. 12/7. 12/14/07

11/23, 11/30, 12/7, 12/14/07 CNS-1229365# CARMEL PINE CONE Publication dates: Nov. 23, 30, Dec. 7, 14, 2007. (PC1125).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.20072596. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: MONTEREY BAY CLEAN-ING, 150 Serwood Dr., SP #68, Salinas, CA 93901. ARMINDA RURALCABA, 150 Serwood Dr., Sp #68, Salinas, CA 93901. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictibious transact business under the fictitious transact obsiness under the licitious business name listed above on: Nov. 7, 2007. (s) arminda Ruralcaba. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 7, 2007. Publication dates: Nov. 23, 30, Dec. 7, 14, 2007. (PC 1126)

#### SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME Case No. M87542. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

petitioner, EXAR B. CABITAC, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: A.<u>Present name</u>: EXAR BALLESTEROS CABITAC

Proposed name: BEN EXAR CABITAC

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any

why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

NOTICE OF HEARING:
DATE: Dec. 21, 2007
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
DEPT:
Depart

Room:

The address of the court is 1200
Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.
A copy of this Order to Show Cause
shall be published at least once each
week for four successive weeks prior to

week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: The Carmel Pine Cone, Carmel.

(s) Robert O'Farrell

Judge of the Superior Court Date filed: Nov. 19, 2007. Clerk: Connie Mazzei Deputy: Edward Arias

Publication dates: Nov. 23, 30, Dec. 7, 14, 2007. (PC1127)

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**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A male suspect, age 69, was booked at Dolores and Sixth for petty theft with a prior conviction. Misdemeanor warrant served.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A citizen on Mission Street reported a dog lying down in his front yard. On arrival, the officer secured the elderly dog and obtained the owner information from the ID tags on the collar. The owner was contacted and the dog was returned to the residence located in the area. A warning was issued.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A citizen reported a barking dog complaint on Camino Real. On the officer's arrival to the area, no barking was heard. Contact with some of the neighbors was completed. One neighbor heard barking at different times, and the other had no complaints. The owner of the dog was contacted and possible solutions were discussed. The owner purchased bark collars and the officer observed the collars on both dogs. No violation was heard during the officer's approximately 45 minutes in the area. Information obtained.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A male suspect, age 26, was contacted on Scenic Road and cited for possession of marijuana.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A dog was involved in a bite of a shelter worker in Santa Rosa. The dog will be quarantined at the new owner's residence on Seventh Avenue.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Reporting party stated there was an intoxicated female adult at the corner of Dolores and Ocean. RP stated he was trying to get her a cab but she refused. Upon arrival, the officer saw a female adult staggering with an extremely strong odor of alcohol. The female, age 35, was unable to care for herself or others, and she was arrested for public intoxication.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Ambulance dispatched to a medical emergency on Rio Road. Transported to CHOMP Code 2.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Fire engine and ambulance were dispatched to an LFS [liquid fuel spill] at Santa Rita and Fifth. Upon arrival, found a truck leaking diesel fuel. Cause found to be an over filled tank, in the sun, at an angle. Leaking stopped and absorbent applied. Owner of vehicle contacted by CPD.

**Carmel area:** Female called to report physical altercation between herself and her live-in boyfriend.

Carmel area: Female victim reported her residence was forcibly entered and property stolen.

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Carmel-by-the-Sea: A female suspect, age 18, was stopped

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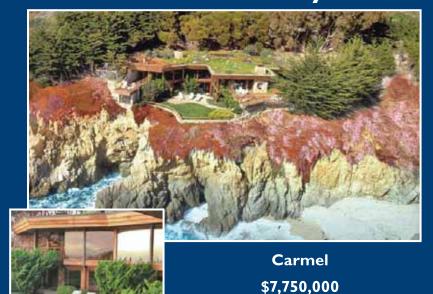


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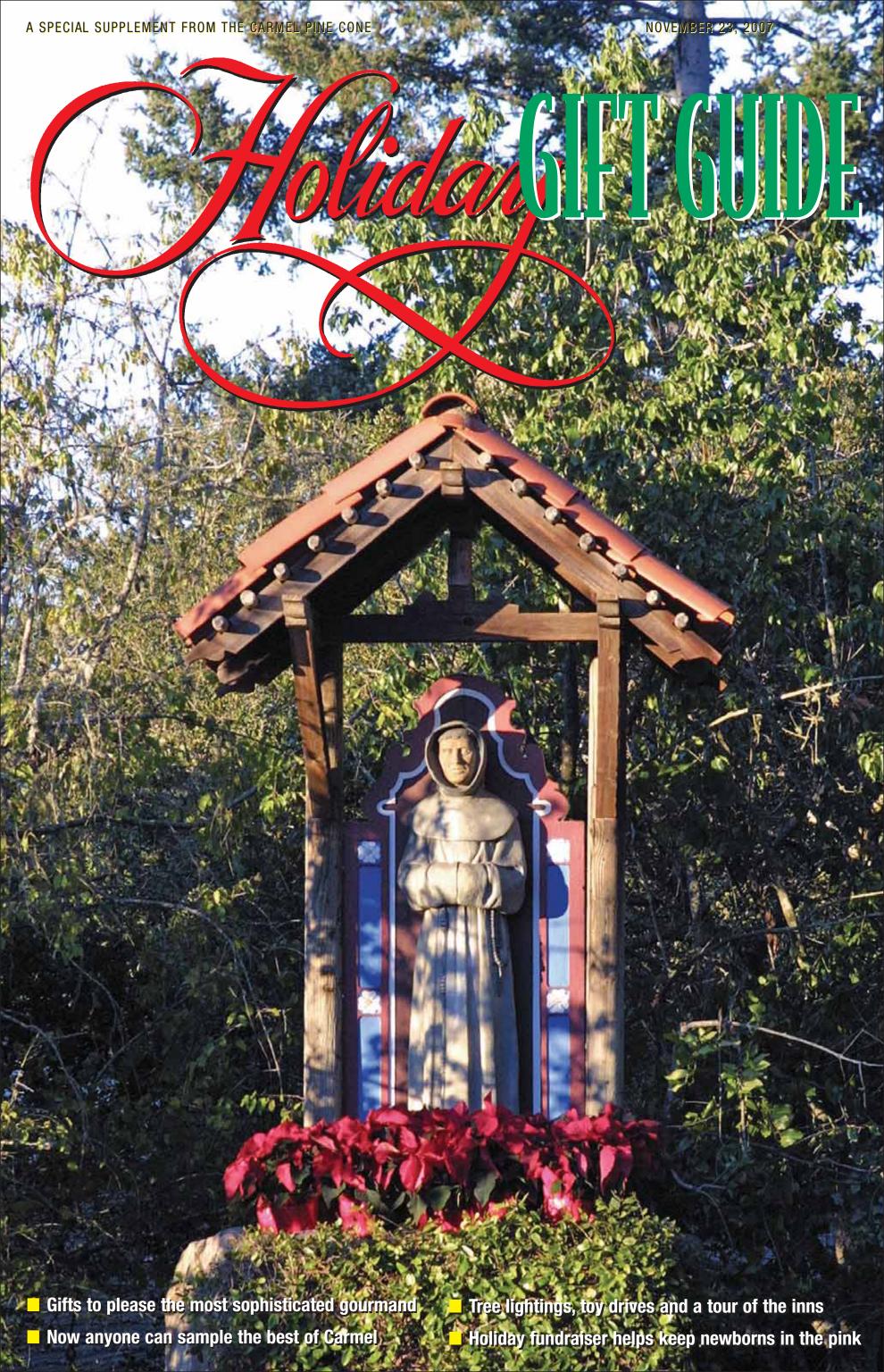
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## How to tempt your honey — or any other gift-list gourmand

By MARY BROWNFIELD

-T'S OFTEN said the way to a man's heart is through his stomach, but the same holds true I for many females as well, and the Monterey Peninsula provides a plethora of splurge-worthy culinary happenings to top any holiday gift list. From chocolate and truffles (the kind dug up by pigs in Italy), to private cooking lessons and four days immersed in food and wine, even the most spoiled epicurean will appreciate these indulgences.

#### ❖ A most important food group

Bernardus Lodge, known for its luxurious accommodations, award-winning restaurant and extensive wine list, offers a pre-Christmas afternoon adventure into the world of chocolate. Led by pastry chef Ben Spungin and Executive Chef Cal Stamenov, the Chocolate & Dessert Cooking Demonstration has grown so popular it will be held twice this year: Dec. 8

"The idea is to get people really high and let them go home with lots of stuff," Stamenov summarized.

In the name of education, the class will include a tasting of several different varieties and grades of chocolates.

"It's not just white, dark and milk anymore," Stamenov said. "It's all the different amounts of cocoa in there in relationship to the cocoa butter, and the different areas around the world [where the beans are grown], kind of like coffee."

Spungin and Stamenov will demonstrate techniques for using and mastering chocolate, which is sometimes finicky and can be difficult, and share fresh ideas for cookies, cakes and candies. Guests will even have the opportunity to craft their own truffles under the guidance of a pastry chef known for his beautiful chocolate candies. And, of course, there will be plentiful cocktails created by bar manager Zole Andahazy and Spungin's famous spiced hot chocolate with homemade marshmallows.

"After a chocolate martini, everyone has fun," Stamenov said. "And the room really smells good."

The Chocolate & Dessert Cooking Demonstration at Bernardus will be held Saturdays, Dec. 8 and Dec. 15, from 1 to 3 p.m. at a cost of \$50 per person, including tax and gratuity.



Whether you're in love with truffles (the chocolate kind) or truffles (the fungal type), Bernardus Lodge has a holiday dinner

#### \* Another major food group

The price of white truffles has skyrocketed this year due to a hot summer and little rain in Italy, but even \$4,000 per pound won't stop the 11th annual Truffle Dinner at Marinus Friday, Dec. 7. Most of the seats are taken, but good timing or a cancellation could mean the evening of a lifetime, with cocktails including Stamenov's signature Black Truffle-Infused Grey Goose Martini — followed by a six-course tasting menu prepared by him and San Francisco chef Traci Des Jardin.

"Generally for that dinner, we go through two pounds of white truffles for two courses," Stamenov said, adding that he's trying not to let the upward creeping price tag make him nervous.

At least he'll have the company of talented chef and longtime friend Des Jardin, who won a James Beard Foundation Award in 2007 and recently vied for a spot on the Food Network's "Iron Chef." Both cooked in France more than two decades ago and worked around the corner from each other in Los Angeles, and they share a passion for using local ingredients

At past truffle dinners, Stamenov has invited Nancy Oakes from Boulevard, also in San Francisco, and Douglas Keane of Cyrus in Healdsburg, among

During the evening, Stamenov and Des Jardin will showcase four varieties of the precious fungi: the white truffles of Italy Tuber Magnatum Pico, the black truffles of France Tuber Melanosporum, summer truffles Tuber Aestivum, and Burgundy truffles Tuber Uncinatum, while wine director Mark Jensen pairs their creations with top-rated vintages.

The truffle dinner runs \$500 per person, plus tax

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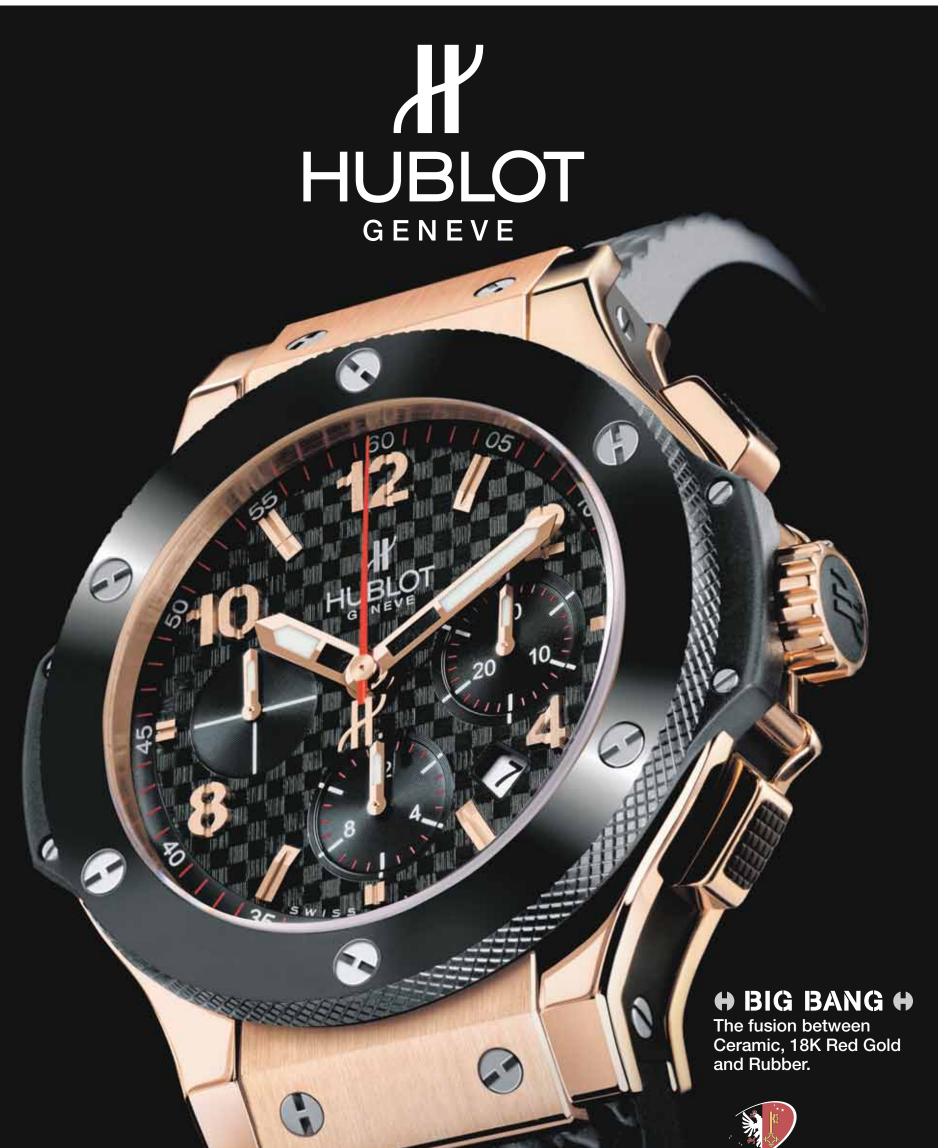
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and gratuity.

Both events will be held at Bernardus Lodge, 415 Carmel Valley Road in Carmel Valley, and reservations may be made by calling (831) 658-3550.

#### Learn your lesson

Chef Wendy Brodie and her husband, Bob Bussinger, left the restaurant world to operate a catering business, offer private cooking lessons in their stunning Carmel Highlands home, take small groups on culinary trips in France, and showcase Brodie's talents on international cruises. The duo also has a nationally broadcast television show, "Art of Food."

Brodie, who trained at the California Culinary Academy and held positions as executive chef at prestigious resorts all over the world, said she learns alongside the students at her customized cooking classes, which culminate with a sit-down meal at a beautifully set table that showcases Brodie's artistic eye.

"People put their own group together, and it's perfect, because then I can do the class and the subject matter at their convenience and according to their interests," she said.

Her regular clients include a neighbor couple who arrange a class almost monthly and pick a different country each time. In October, they brought together about a dozen friends to learn some Italian dishes, and as Brodie is wont to do, she added some twists.

The afternoon lesson began with mingling and sipping, after which guests took their chairs, freshly filled glasses in hand, in Brodie's capacious kitchen around a generous center island.

The menu featured Grilled Radicchio paired with pears poached in red wine, dried figs and a Balsamic syrup; Chicken Marsala with portabello mushrooms; Fennel Flan, which benefited from the impromptu addition of caramelized onions; and Tiramisu, a dessert that varies widely in preparation and featured mascarpone and Sambuca Romano liqueur in Brodie's.

"I'm always trying to research, even if it's something I think I know," she said.

Students usually get some hands-on work as well. During the Italy class, they made their own fresh mozzarella and assembled Insalata Caprese with heirloom tomatoes, the cheese, fresh basil and two dressings.

While clients can choose any genre, style, ethnicity or type of cooking, she cautions people who request sentimental dishes to expect the Brodie twist.

"If you give 10 chefs the same chocolate chip cookie recipe, you will end up with 10 different cookies," she said, so she seeks a lot of input from her clients. "I want to give them the experience they want to have and the things they enjoy."

Groups range from six or eight people to as many as two dozen, though the dynamic is different in larger groups. Daytime gatherings include a three-course lunch, and afternoon-into-evening sessions run a little longer with a four-course dinner.

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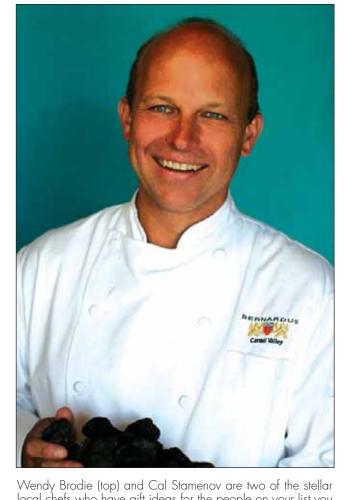




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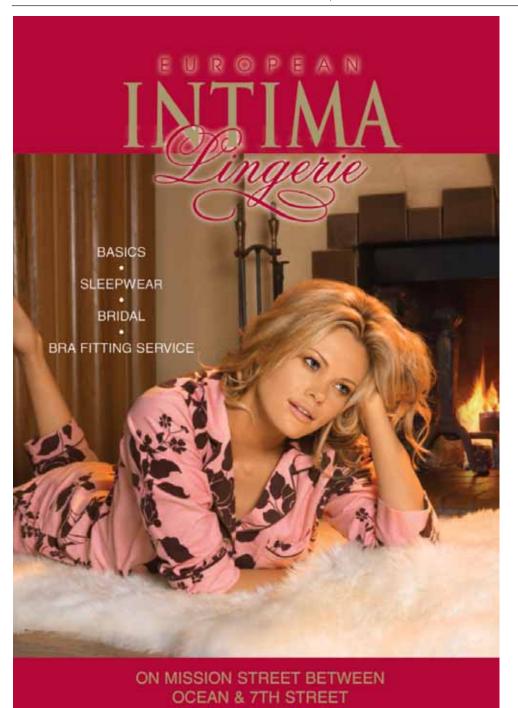
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#### Vive la France

If an afternoon of cooking and eating sounds like fun, consider an eight-day visit to La Combe en Périgord, the 30-acre farm renovated and updated by a couple that fell in love with the country and never left. She an Aussie and he a Brit, they are good friends with Chuck Williams (as in Williams-Sonoma), who helped design their kitchen. Brodie's next trip to La Combe is set for June 4-11, 2008, and she and Bussinger are searching for eight guests to join them.

"It's more of a culinary adventure. Whether you're a beginning chef, just have an interest in eating and drinking, or are a really good cook, everyone at every level is satisfied," Brodie said. "We're going out every day to different farms or marketplaces and the small towns around the area."

People shop together, eat out together at award-winning restaurants, visit area wineries and boutique food producers together, take classes together and, of course, cook and dine on the results together.

"They're just delightful people," Brodie said of the hosts. "And you don't have to speak French at all."

The cost of the trip is 3,200 Euros (about \$4,700) and is managed by The Culinary Travel Company.

#### Cruising

As an avid traveler, Brodie had always wanted to share her talents on a cruise.

Upon returning from the Carmel

Chamber of Commerce's trip to China last spring, she and Bussinger received a phone message inviting her to be the featured chef on a Crystal cruise in May. They thought it would be May 2008, but it ended up being May 2007, so they hastily developed a plan and made arrangements to do two cooking demonstrations and prepare an elaborate dinner in the ship's main dining room. The trip included stops in Ireland, Portugal, Spain, Gibraltar, Monaco and Italy.

"The kitchen was so incredibly professional, and the joy was all these different nationalities on board and working together," she said.

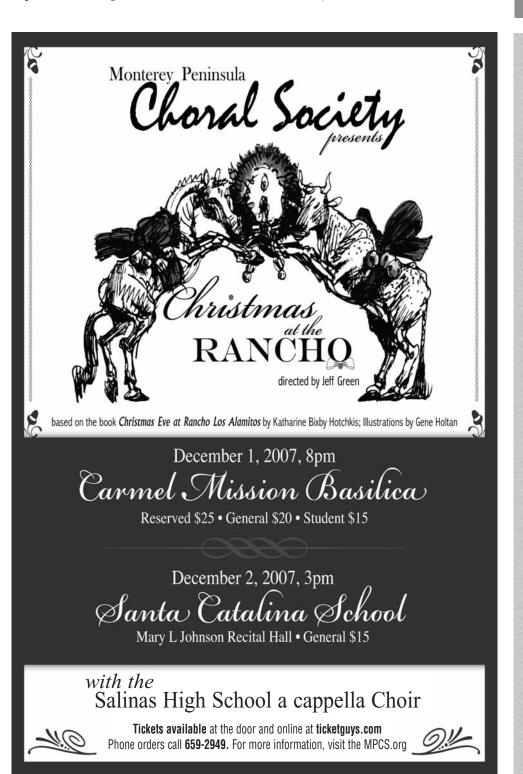
With Sea Breeze, a smaller ship sailing from Florida across the Atlantic, passengers will pay \$1,000 per day for a lavish experience that will include Brodie as a guest lecturer on the art of entertaining.

She said she's working with Bob McGinnis Travel to arrange more Crystal cruise trips.

"For us, the traveling and exposure to other cuisines is so enriching, because as a chef, you're always giving, and it's so wonderful to have the coffers filled and be re-inspired," Brodie said. "That's one of the challenges of being in the food business — whether in restaurants, catering or classes — to stay open and to reinvent yourself and expand your horizons. Being human means you have to grow and learn and expand. Otherwise, I can't pass it on."

For more information about Brodie and Bussinger's various culinary offerings, call (831) 626-9000 or visit www.wendybrodie.com.







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## A bit of Carmel for those who wish they weren't someplace else

By CHARYN PFEUFFER

S A Carmel Valley resident who is frequently on the road, when I tell people where I live, I'm almost always greeted with the incredulous response: "And why are you here?" (Mind you, this occurs typically in not-so-shabby destinations, like Maui, Aruba, or Aspen.) Our seaside town is inarguably darn-near paradise. Everyone from anywhere else wants a piece of it, and now, you can make sure they have it.

Carmel native Alison Estep recently launched Carmel Experience, a webbased gift service, to share the best bits



Alison Estep, assisted by Maggie, offers unique gift baskets with assorted Tuxury items from Carmel businesses

of her hometown with both locals and love-at-first-sight visitors. After leaving an upper management position in the high-tech, high-pressure world of Oracle, Estep returned to the Monterey Peninsula to pursue a more civilized pace of living. The former Pebble Beach Company concierge's first venture was Petite Retreat, a day spa specializing in salt glows, massage and body wraps, on Dolores St., between 7th and 8th Avenues. Six years later, and with the frenzy of holiday shopping about to begin, Estep's timing couldn't be better for making life a bit more ho ho ho for time-strapped shoppers.

'Sophisticated shopping'

Estep carefully hand-selects an upscale collection of uniquely local products to put into her Carmel Experience tin baskets, which come in six themes: Welcome to Carmel, Taste of Carmel, Carmel History, Carmel Spa, Play in Carmel and Carmel

"I feel so fortunate to live in a community with sophisticated shopping and dining, an intriguing history and a rich sense of culture," she says. "Carmel Experience is my way of sharing the essence of the village while spotlighting my favorite local merchants and restau-

Cantinetta Luca, Camps and Cottages, Carmel Heritage, CCCahoots Design, Kokoro Candles, Tara Spa, Lula's Chocolates, Duvall Coffee and

Soaps and Salts are among local businesses featured in the packages. "The Taste of Carmel basket includes a bag of coffee that I created (Ocean Avenue Blend). It's the dark roast coffee I enjoy when walking down Scenic Dr. with my seven-year-old rescue dog, Maggie." Of course, the Carmel Doggie tin features Maggie's favorite treats.

The Welcome to Carmel tin boasts a Kokoro "Beach House" scented candle — a blend of chamomile and sage,

the evoking breezes salty that are an essential part of the local experience.

"My baskets are meant conjure up fond memories for the recipients," she says.

Her taste is flawless and even the most discerning customers will be impressed by her attention to detail. For her Carmel Spa tin, hand-sewn linen satchels with locally sourced embroidery and abalone shell button accents house custom-crafted bath fizz products and French lavender soaps. She played a part in designing a travel-friendly heating pad that soothes weary muscles the fine tapestry fabric nods to her signature sage color scheme.

Estep's current collection of six tins starts at \$135 per tin, plus shipping. She can also create anything you could possibly want — in addition to holiday gifts, think in-room wedding guest amenities, host and hostess gifts, birthday or baby gifts, welcome-to-town gifts, corporate clients, or gifts for the hard-to-shop-for people on your list. "Some give these to VIP guests and important clients, while others see the packages as a fun way to remember their Carmel travels," she says.

'Girl-on-the-go'

Striving to create a deeper sense of community with her already existing spa customers and ever-expanding basket clientele, a portion of her website, "Carmelite," chronicles Estep's on-the-town adventures. (Club Jalapeno and Il Fornaio are the current stomping grounds she dishes

about.) It's a clever marketing tool to stay connected and the girl-on-the-go plans to update her column monthly, giving visitors a taste of what they're missing (and a reason to come back!) and locals a healthy dose of insider

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## Local churches mark Christmas in traditional style

By HILARY HANLON

→HANKSGIVING IS behind us, and that means bells are L ringing and hearts are singing in anticipation of the holidays ahead. Wreaths are popping up on doors, cans of cranberries and boxes of stuffing line multiple eye-level grocery shelves and Christmas tree lots have opened their gates to the public. Joining the chorus, churches throughout the community add their own harmony to the season by their charitable outreaches and special Christmas Eve services.

#### \* Carmel Presbyterian

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Living Nativity: Nov. 30, 5:30 p.m. Returning this year is the wondrous Living Nativity with live animals and actors, choral singing, hot cider and tasty desserts. Following the city's yearly tree lighting ceremony at the foot of Ocean, the Living Nativity has become a popular, new tradition, for many adding another dimension to their annual tree lighting trek.

Another event planned by Carmel Presbyterian Church to usher in the season is a Christmas Concert on Saturday, Dec. 15 at 7 p.m. This concert will include both choral and orchestra music. Admission is free.

Christmas Eve Services — three

candlelit services will mark the evening: 4:30 p.m. — this earlier service will

feature music by the children.

6 and 7:30 p.m. — traditional services that will conclude with attendees holding their candles and singing Silent Night before the Living Nativity in front of the church.

#### Church in the Forest

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For those who live in Del Monte Forest, an exceptional Christmas Eve service awaits at the Church in the Forest. Redwood pillars, pebble-inlaid, aggregate floors and a soaring four-story altar window with the Monterey pine forest as its backdrop add depth to this picturesque sanctuary.

"Our church is 'all dressed up' during the Christmas season and our acoustics are amazing," says Kay Gameiro, church receptionist. When music from the Steinway Grand Piano, pipe organ and brass (added specially for this season) fills this sanctum, visitors understand why the church is selected annually for the Bach Festival.

Christmas Eve Services at Church in the Forest:

7 p.m. — candlelit 9:30 p.m. — candlelit

#### \* Church of the Wayfarer

Corner of 7th and Lincoln, (831)

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During the month of December the Church of the Wayfarer celebrates the season of Advent. An angel tree goes up bearing the names and ages of hundreds of needy children from Monterey County communities — each one in anticipation of the child being picked by a congregation member for a gift that will bring hope and love.

Christmas Eve Services at the Wayfarer Church:

5 p.m. — centered around families and featuring the "Choralettes."

8 p.m. — featuring the Sanctuary

11 p.m. — Christmas Carol Sing-

All three services will be candlelit and have a Christmas sermon entitled, "A Boy Named Jesus," given by Dr. Norm Mowery.

#### ❖ All Saints Church

Dolores Street and 9th Avenue, (831) 624-3883.

On December 2, the regular Evensong (5:30 p.m.) service at All Saints Episcopal Church will be transformed into a traditional service of Advent Lessons and Carols. This service originated in some of the great cathedrals of England. A reception will

Throughout the month, regular services at 8, 9:15 and 10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. will focus on the Advent of Christ.

Christmas celebrations begin on Christmas Eve. At 5 p.m. an infor-Holy Communion Christmas Pageant will be offered. Later, at 10 p.m., the Singing of Hymns and Anthems will be followed at 10:30 by a candlelit Christmas Festival Mass. On Christmas Day, at 10:30 a.m., Holy Communion will be celebrated with hymns.

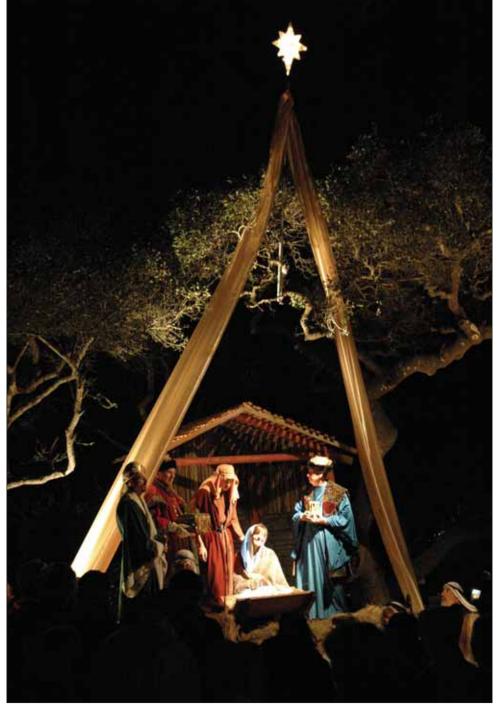
Christmas outreach to the community is also a tradition at All Saints. In addition to food bags available at the church office every day, the church will provide 120 food boxes for Christmas, packed by parishioners, Cub Scout Pack 48 and Monterey Peninsula College nurses. Boxes will be distributed to San Pablo Church in Salinas, MPC nurses, MPC Women's Reentry, St. Matthias Church in Seaside and to the All Saints Rector. The December I-HELP dinner will include monetary gifts for the men, as well as blankets for men attending the dinner and others in the program here and in Salinas.

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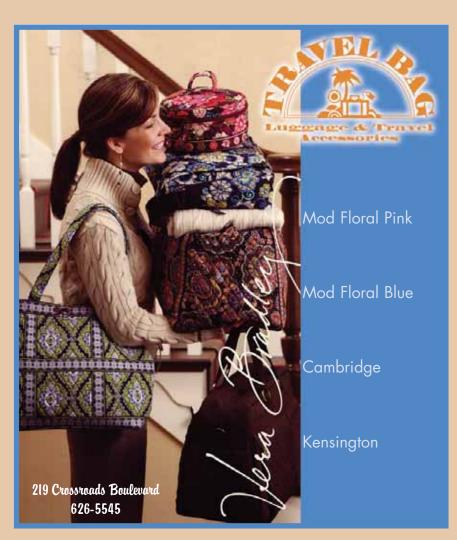
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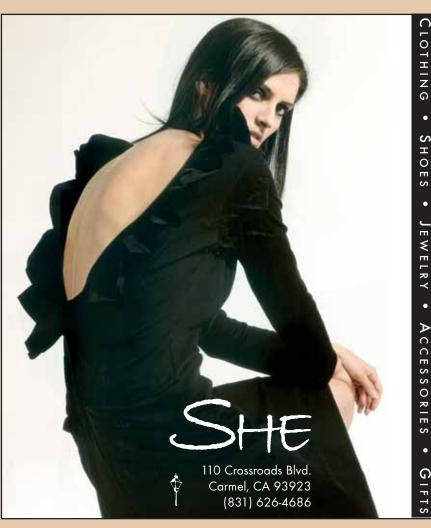
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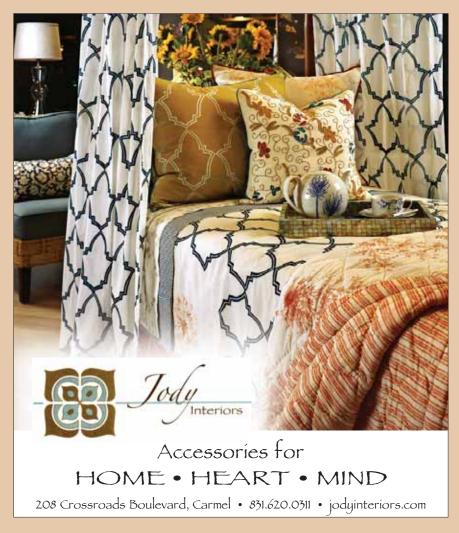
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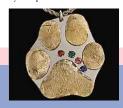


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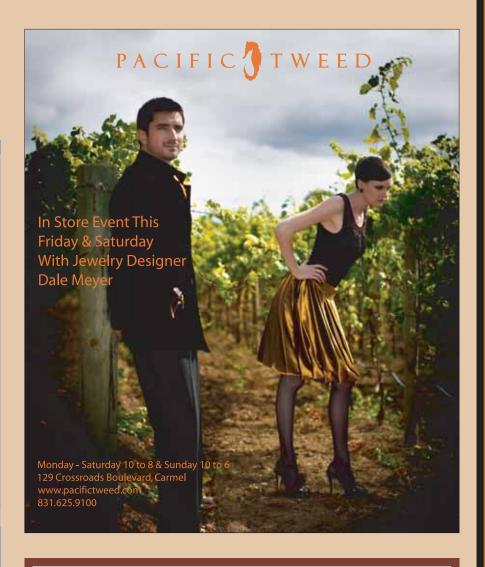




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## Berries and Branches Holiday Home Tour benefits newborns

By SUSAN WATTS

OTS OF oooohhhing and aaaahhhing could be heard as guests strolled through the amazing showcases of talented local designers, florists, shop owners and gracious homeowners at the "Berries and Branches" Pasadera Holiday Home Tour, on Nov. 15 and 16.

Whether your style is "Over the Top

Christmas Glee," "Casual Elegance," "Glitzy Dazzle," or even "Hound Heaven Holiday," there was a decorating style for you, in one of four spectacular homes in the upscale neighborhood off Highway 68.

In its third year, "Berries and Branches," benefited the Monterey County's only Level III Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital.

Working all year, some of Monterey County's most prominent ladies, including event chairs Anne Bramers and Shirley Lavorato, volunteer countless hours to bring together more than 51 designers, florist, shop owners, bakers, landscapers, and other artisans to deck a total of 53 rooms or venues in the homes of Dorothy and Don Belville, Diane and Scott Green, Cheryl Savage and Melony and Craig Young.

"We don't have a final count yet," says John Meyer, Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital Foundation Director, "but it looks like we will exceed our goal of raising \$100,000. We were prepared for 1,000 participants over the two days and the weather turned out fantastic, so I think we will be very close. The committee did an outstanding job."

#### Hard work and generosity

Bramers and Joanne Taylor Johnson brought the idea of a home tour to the SVMH Foundation more than three years ago after attending a similar event in Los Gatos. "It has been extremely successful, thanks to a lot of hard work by volunteers and the generosity of sponsors," added Meyer.

Jeannie Brookshire, a Pebble Beach resident attending the home tour for the second year, said, "The old-world style guest casita at the Green home, surrounded by rows of grapevines and overlooking rolling hills, was a standout for

She added, "The best part is that I came home with my notes about what I can incorporate in my holiday decorating. Since our kids are out of the house, we don't do a tree anymore. But, I go crazy with garlands and decorate the mantel and dining room table."

Brookshire and friend, Gayle White, of Carmel, toured and lunched together at the event with friends. Pasadera's chef, Ernie Andreas, prepared an outstanding buffet al fresco. "The Pasadera homes were packed with creative holiday touches," said White of her third year to attend the home tour. "The boutique was better than ever and it was wonderful to enjoy such a festive day and know that it's helping provide an enhanced neonatal center.'

Committee members Debbie Meeks and Roxanne Storm collaborated to design and stage several rooms in the Youngs' home, the first stop on the tour. They wowed the crowd with a glamorous, winter-cool living room, dripping in silver and blue hues. They cleverly placed silver trays on the wall above the fireplace and continued the

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Christmas Eve Services at the Carmel Mission: 4 p.m. — Oriented towards families and children

5:30 p.m. — Mass, sermon and choral music 10:30 p.m. — Mass, sermon and sing-along Christmas carols with the choir

11 p.m. — Solemn Vigil Mass, concludes with Baby Jesus statue placed in the manger

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tones to an elegant dinning room setting.

Meeks has served on the committee since the initial home tour back in 2005. "I feel blessed and honored to be involved," she said. "I am passionate about this tremendous local cause, and it's a lot of fun!"

The best of what the Monterey Peninsula has to offer was showcased by a fabulous outdoor dinning setting by Meeks and Storm. It featured lively, prancing, tabletop reindeer topiaries as centerpieces and fabulous fresh, greenery topiary outdoor chandeliers, along with a sprawling flower arrangement on the buffet, to create the perfect spot to gaze out at the lavender and golf course below.

The home's entryway greeted guests with a unique, "upside down tree" that left lots of room for Santa presents at the base and filled out at the top of the room with gold brush adornments, providing a sensational look, courtesy of Swenson and Silacci Flowers.

#### Christmas on the pool table

Evy Smith, of Smith Designs, created the Park Avenue ethereal feel in the Young's home, in whitegold-silver hues with mercury glass spheres. The room also featured a white Christmas tree with birds and angels, a sterling silver punch bowl and sheik goat skin throw from the Robert Allen showroom in San Francisco.

Smith softened the room with silk pillows from the Silk Trading Company and playfully adorned the pool table with Christmas balls, rather than pool balls.

The poolside area had a spa retreat feel, complete with chase lounge chairs to view the floating tropical greenery with gigantic silver Christmas balls. A champagne service set, fit for a king and queen, was selected to top off the relaxing feel of the pool area, all designed by Room Service's Maria Anderson and

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Susan Dakis.

The second home on the tour was the Bellville home, a soft blend of old and new with a French flair, with many treasured antiques that have been collected by the Bellvilles over the years. Beautiful rose gardens, a reflecting pool and fountains made this home special and comfortable.

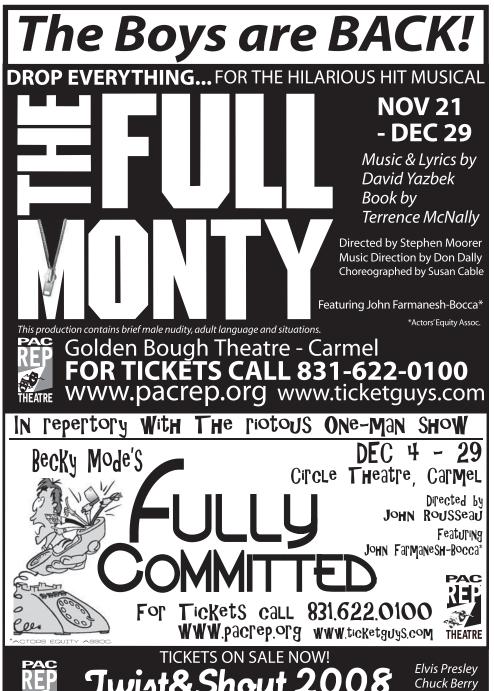
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your pet and their holiday experience. The patio at the Bellville home was set up for a feisty, fun dog event — with only the finest, organic dog treats — by Heidi Borgia of Carmel Dog Parties

"We recently put on an event at Quail Lodge with the SPCA for more than 200 people," Borgia said. "Giving back is important to me." Borgia and her husband, Brian, have twin daughters. Heidi Borgia said, "I know firsthand the fear a woman has when carrying an at-risk pregnancy, and it's a blessing to have a neonatal center here."

For the little ones, or the bigger ones with a sweet tooth, the "Candied Christmas" library in the third home on the tour. Jeri Gattis and Martha DeYoung of Arrangements, created a marvel of sight and smell by removing all of the books in the Savages' home and stacking the shelves with peppermint, candy canes and chocolate, providing an aroma that would take you back to your childhood. If kids could have their way ... no books, all candy! Gattis is on the Board of Governors of Salinas Valley Memorial Foundation and has been on the Berries and Branches Committee from the beginning.

The Savage home was designed by architect Mark Scheurer and built by Rex Raymond in 2002 and features terraced landscaping completed by Pauline Allen Designs. A beautiful fountain bubbled as guests arrived and were greeted in an open foyer with a iron-railed, spiral staircase and entry with a sparkling crystal and lily-white table top arrangement by Christine Cater and Alana Lucas of At The Heart of the Matter.

A Christmas tree with whimsical monkeys, designed by Brintons Remarkable Home and Garden Store, towered in the living room. "Most of the furniture was purchase by Mrs. Savage from Brintons over the past few years," said Jayne Brinton. brought out the accessories for the show, like the Nativity Scene and Santa," she added.

Debra K. Campbell of The Campbell Collection of Carmel was the crowd favorite with comfortable, elegant designs in the entryway and living room of the Green's Mediterranean style home, the last home on the tour. Campbell also decked out the Green's guest casita with casual elegant window treatments and a fireplace setting. Campbell is known as one of the peninsula's top designers.

The Green's amazing home rests between the 15th green at Pasadera and Pinot Noir vines planted by the family. Scott and Diane Green designed their with assistance International Design Group's John Matthams. Scott Green has built many homes over the last 20 years on the Peninsula and this is the third house he built for his family. They are hopeful that, one day, they'll be able to serve guests their own Chateau de Pasadera Pinot Noir, from the up-and-coming (literally) vines on their property.

There were far too many fabulous

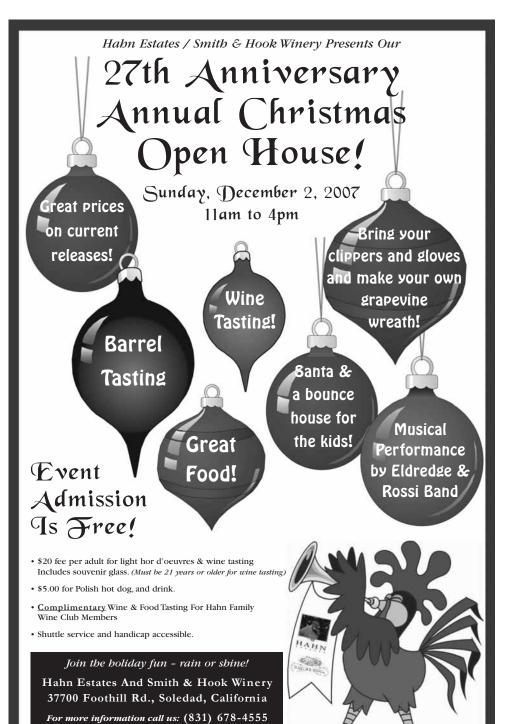
On the highlights of the Pasadera home tour benefitting Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital's neonatal unit was this extraordinary outdoor table setting by Debbie Meeks and **Roxanne Storm** at the home of Melody and Craig Young.



table settings, wine cellars, garden venues and the like to mention them all. But Pierre Deux's Linda Simmons, Irma Nunez of In Style, Jody Breen Vering of Jody Interiors, Pamela Wolfe of Mimosa Carmel, Michelle Roberson of Pacific Grove Florist, Kim England of Fleur de Soleil, Michelle Ocampo of Ocampo Design, Susan Carvey of Partington Ridge Co. and Paula Scheid

of Villeroy & Boch and The Elegant Set did a wonderful job in presenting their talents and demonstrating that Monterey County has style.

The first year the event was held at Markham Ranch, last year at Monterra, this year Pasadera. The guests were already speculating at the end of the event as to the location for next year and marking their calendars.



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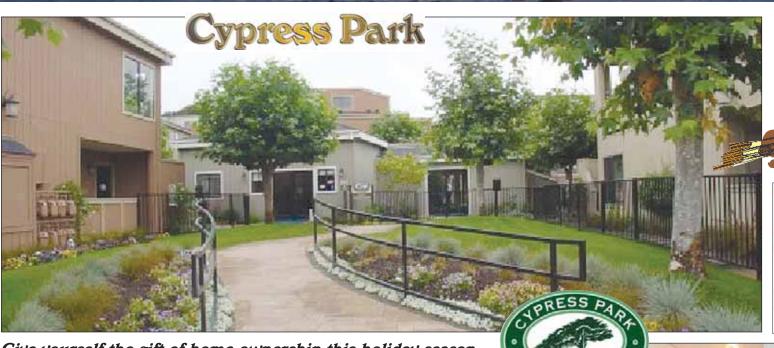


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#### Carmel will light official tree Nov. 30

THE TOWERING tree at the entrance to downtown Carmel will glow with thousands of colorful lights after Mayor Sue McCloud flips the switch at the city's Holiday Tree Lighting Friday, Nov. 30. The event, hosted by the city and the Carmel Chamber of Commerce, will start at 5 p.m. in Devendorf Park and include the Carmel Middle School Chorus, Stephen Moorer reciting "Twas the Night Before Christmas," and refreshments.

#### Santa will be at P.G. tree-lighting Nov. 26

EVERYONE IS invited to Pacific Grove's Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony at Jewell Park on Monday, Nov. 26.

Besides the lighting ceremony, which begins at 5:30 p.m., there will be live entertainment by school bands and choruses, followed by caroling and refreshments at Chautauqua Hall.

Santa Claus will also make an appearance.

For more information, call (831) 373-3304 or visit www.pacificgrove.org.



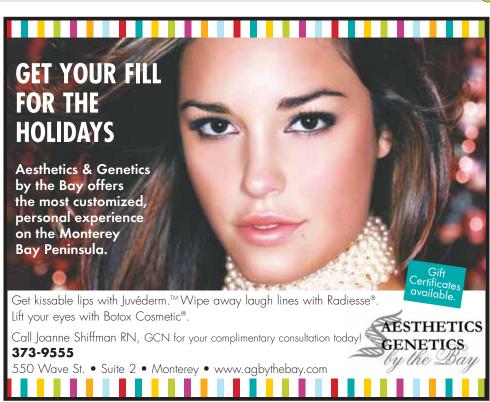
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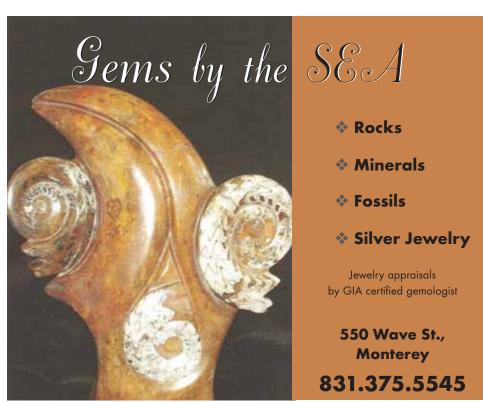
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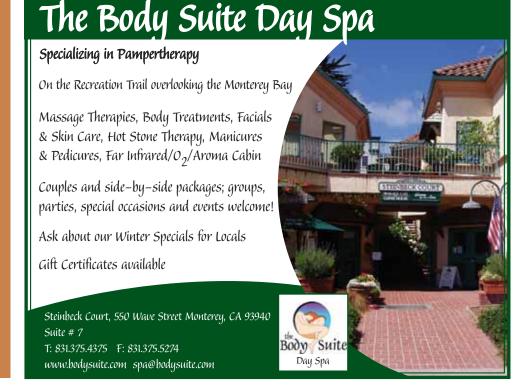
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## P.G.'s Christmas at the Inns Dec. 4-5

FOR THE first time, the contemporary Anton Inn has joined the lineup of Pacific Grove's quaint bedand-breakfast inns for the 23rd annual Christmas at

the Inns celebration on the evenings of Tuesday, Dec. 4, and Wednesday, Dec. 5, from 6 to 9 p.m.

A record number of 12 properties, all decked out in holiday splendor, will be included on the tour this year, including nine inns and Asilomar Conference Center's Phoebe Hearst Social Hall in Pacific Grove and two inns in Monterey.

The inns, many of them grand Victorian mansions

from the 19th century that have been converted and preserved as much as possible to their original styling, will take on a special glow for the holidays with festive decorations and lights.

Wine tasting by Ventura Vineyards will be offered at the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce office for those attending the tour, and transportation will be provide from the chamber office to inns that are not within walking distance.

Tickets, good for both evenings, are \$20 and are available at the chamber office at 548 Central Avenue, on the corner of Forest Avenue.

Proceeds will benefit the Heritage Society of Pacific Grove and the chamber.

#### Coldwell Banker collects Toys for Tots

Coldwell Banker real estate is once again joining forces with the United States Marine Corps Reserve in its local Toys for Tots campaign.

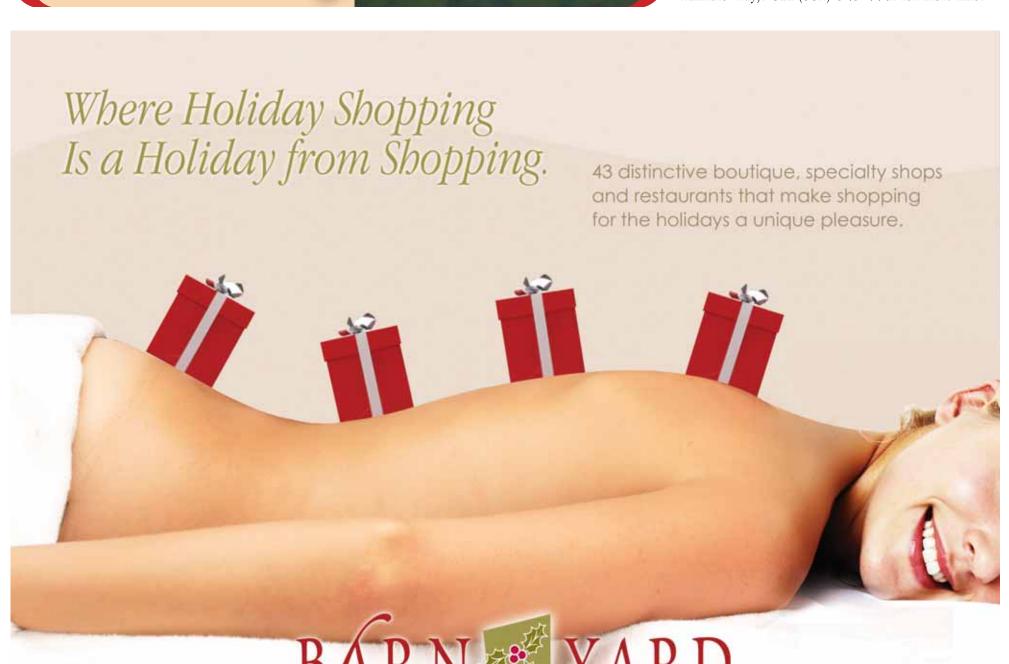
This season marks Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage's 21st consecutive year as an official gift collection center.

The annual program is designed to provide holiday joy for needy children through the collection and distribution of new, unwrapped toys.

Over the past 59 years, Marines have distributed more than 370 million toys to some 173 million needy children across the nation. Coldwell Banker offices will serve as official collection centers from now until Dec. 10.

Individuals interesting in donating a new, unwrapped toy to the Toys for Tots program can do so at the Coldwell Banker offices in Carmel (Junipero Street, 2 SW of 5th), Carmel Rancho (3775 Via Nona Marie) and Pebble Beach (17 Mile Drive at Palmero Way). Call (831) 626-2221 for more info.





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## Carmel Heritage presents food, wine and Inns of Distinction

By MARY BROWNFIELD

HE CARMEL Heritage Society will host its annual Inns of Distinction Tour Sunday, Dec. 2, from 2 to 5 p.m., when 10 inns decked out for the holiday season will welcome strolling guests with food prepared by local restaurants and wines poured by Monterey County vintners.

Each inn will also offer a raffle, with the winners receiving a free night's stay at one of the inns and dinner for two at a participating restaurant.

Stops on the schedule include:

■ Carmel Stonehouse Inn on Eighth Avenue between Monte Verde and Casanova, an historic bed & breakfast, with food by Carmel's Bistro Giovanni and wines by Silver Mountain Winery.

Cypress Inn, Lincoln and Seventh, was constructed in 1929 and is owned by animal lover Doris Day and Denny LeVett. The inn's own Terry's Lounge will cater, and Chateau Julien Wine Estates will pour

■ The romantic Edgemere Cottages on San Antonio between 13th and Santa Lucia are a stone's throw from Carmel Beach. Flaherty's Seafood restaurant will provide the eats, with San Saba Vineyards pouring the drinks.

■ Happy Landing Inn on Monte Verde between Fifth and Sixth is known for its Hansel-and-Gretelesque architecture and charm. Food by PortaBella and wines by J. Lohr.

■ Known for its stunning gardens and century-long presence in Carmel, La Playa Hotel at Camino Real and Eighth was a home in 1904 and became a hotel in 1912. The hotel's Terrace Grill will offer food complemented by the outstanding wines of Heller Estate

■ The Lincoln Green Inn, 26200 Carmelo St. between 15th and 16th, boasts "romantic, breathtaking beauty ... in a potpourri typical of Shakespearean England." Village Corner will cater, but the winery has yet to be determined.

■ The Normandy Inn on Ocean Avenue between Monte Verde and Casanova streets boasts French Provincial-style rooms with fireplaces, and family cottages. Anton & Michel restaurant will cater, and Galante Winery will pour.

■ The Pine Inn, Ocean Avenue between Lincoln and Monte Verde, was built in 1889 as the first inn in Carmel-by-the Sea and moved to its current location. Its restaurant, Il Fornaio, will provide the food, and its resident wine shop and tasting room, Southern Latitudes, will showcase labels from the Southern Hemisphere.

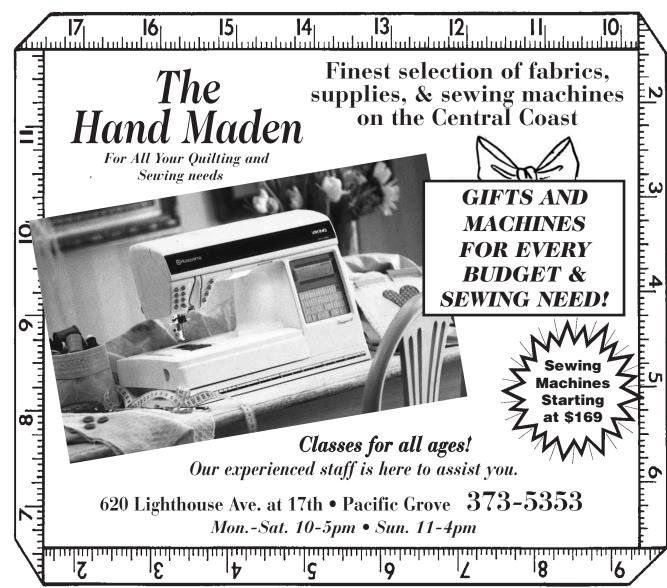
I Sea View Inn, Camino Real between 11th and 12th, was built at the turn of the last century and fully remodeled. Catering by the Grill on Ocean Avenue; wines by Bargetto Winery.

■ Tradewinds Carmel at Mission and Third "is the luxury boutique hotel providing an elegant oasis just a short stroll from the Carmel Plaza, galleries and restaurants of Carmel-by-the-Sea." Piatti Locali will provide the food. The featured winery has yet to be

Advance tickets for the Inns of Distinction Tour are \$25 and are available at the First Murphy House, Lincoln and Sixth, or by calling (831) 624-4447.

Day-of-tour tickets will be available for \$30 at First Murphy from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., and at each inn during the tour's hours.

The inns tour is one of the heritage society's major fundraisers of the year.







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