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## Big Sur growers feeling left out of recreational pot boom

By CHRIS COUNTS

A HANDFUL of people who want to start growing and selling marijuana legally in Big Sur told the Monterey County Planning Commission this month they are worried the county's emerging rules will end up making the area off limits to pot businesses.

Of particular concern to those who testified at the hearing are setback rules that say any cannabis-related business "may not be located within 600 feet of a school, park, or drug recovery facility."

In Big Sur, where illegal pot grows have been commonplace for decades, parkland is just about everywhere, which makes finding a site for such a business a serious challenge.

At a hearing Dec. 5 in Salinas, attorney Michael Linder urged planning commissioners to "not cut Big Sur out of the new industry" that promises to take off when recreational use of marijuana becomes legal in California on Jan. 1.

"I'm representing a bunch of farmers in Big Sur who were

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## Dallas accused of harassing, being abusive

Head of wine group tells of crude comments; others report threats, bullying

By MARY SCHLEY

A WOMAN'S complaints to the city about unwanted sexual comments by Mayor Steve Dallas have prompted the



Steve Dallas



Kim Stemler

city attorney to hire an investigator, and have led others to speak out about Dallas, as well.

The mayor, meanwhile, is saying little about Monterey County Vintners & Growers Association executive director Kim Stemler's allegations that he has often spoken to her in ways that made her uncomfortable when the two have seen each other at events.

"He regularly makes sexual comments when I see him at these events, consistently crossing the line between professional and unprofessional conduct," she said. "This behavior has occurred since I've known him. And although I tell him to, 'Stop,' say, 'That's enough,' or roll my eyes and walk away, he does not."

In a statement Thursday, Dallas responded, "I have requested, along with other members of the city council, that the city attorney launch an immediate investigation through an independent investigator for the purpose of addressing and evaluating Ms. Stemler's claims."

### Call to city administrator

Stemler became executive director of the MCVGA in 2013 and met Dallas after he was elected to the council the following year. Because the winery organization holds events in town and sponsors others, like the Carmel Film Festival, they are often at the same events.

"This is a man I have a professional relationship with," she told The Pine Cone.

But, she alleged, he doesn't act professionally. At a reception during October's Carmel Film Festival, for instance, he told her a friend of his was a "fluffer" — the person who arouses male porn stars before filming — and also pointed out a piece of lint on her blouse by eyeing her and saying, "You have something on your chest. I would get it off, but I can't do that," she said.

Later that same evening, he asked her how her sex life was, Stemler said.

"I would never, ever, ever, ever, ever, ever talk with him about that stuff," she said Wednesday.

In late November, she called city administrator Chip Rerig to voice her concerns. "I said, 'I don't think you want your mayor doing this,'" she said. "He was super supportive," and referred her to assistant city administrator Maxine Gullo

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## Pistachios lead cops to suspects in home break-in

Arrest made in three-house burglary spree on Christmas Day

By MARY SCHLEY

A WOMAN who was busy loading up a U-Haul with the contents of three Carmelo homes she burglarized on Christmas was caught after one of the victims saw her on his security camera and called police, according to Carmel Police Cmdr. Luke Powell.

At around 7 p.m. Dec. 25, the owner of a home on Carmelo near 12th Avenue called police from out of state because he'd been alerted by an interior security camera that someone was in his house. The resident didn't recognize the

woman and told police no one had permission to be there.

Officers Jacob Clifford and Michael Bruno, and Sgt. Chris Johnson were dispatched to investigate, and they noticed all the lights were on inside and could see a woman with a flashlight walking through the home, according to Powell. As police surrounded it to prevent their suspect from escaping, Raquel Baybayan, a 26-year-old resident of Stockton, walked out the back door of the house, where a pair of Monterey County Sheriff's deputies who were assisting with the perimeter ordered her to stop and promptly handcuffed her. A search of the house found no one else inside.

"Baybayan initially tried to convince officers the home belonged to her great-great granddad, Bart Salvatore, but

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## On the front lines with MoCo firefighters at huge Santa Barbara blaze

By MICHAEL TROUTMAN

THE DANGER from the Thomas Fire in Santa Barbara and Ventura counties may have passed, with containment at 91 percent and the U.S. Forest Service reporting Thursday that "no forward progress of the fire is expected."

But the massive blaze devastated 440 square miles, caused the death of a firefighter and consumed at least a thousand homes — making it one of the largest and most destructive fires in California history. And Monterey County firefighters played an integral role in protecting property, saving lives, and bringing the massive blaze under control.

### A terrifying run

One of the most dramatic battles happened Dec. 16, when winds nearly reached a hurricane-force 70 mph along the ridgeline above the seaside town of Montecito. Fire lines were jumped, and a massive firestorm roared down the canyons and right into the edge of town. The inferno made a terrifying run from San Ysidro Canyon through Cold Spring Canyon and Coyote Creek to Gibraltar Road, scorching an astounding 11,189 acres in roughly 12 hours. Thanks to the deployment of hundreds of engines and thousands of firefighters — including four engines from the Monterey County Regional Fire Protection District — along with the evacuation of approximately 12,000 people, a disaster like the one in Napa this fall was narrowly avoided. At one point, more



PHOTOS/COURTESY CAL FIRE (LEFT), MICHAEL TROUTMAN, DMT IMAGING (ABOVE)

Photographer Michael Troutman (left) on Dec. 16 with a ferocious firestorm in Santa Barbara County behind him. (Above) A firefighter works to protect a home in Montecito from a rapidly advancing blaze.

than 18,000 homes were in danger, but only about a dozen were lost or damaged in the firestorm.

"Most of us on this strike team were also on the Tubbs Fire in Santa Rosa, and these are comparable events," said Monterey

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# Sandy Claws

By Lisa Crawford Watson

## Sandy hooves

SHE WANTED a pet – a companion to care for, cuddle with, something to keep her company. But with her San Francisco apartment, hectic work schedule, and need for a hypoallergenic animal, a dog just wouldn't do. After two months' research, she realized she'd prefer a pig.

LiLou, whose name was inspired by the "perfect being" in the movie, "Fifth Element," was born at a breeder in Michigan and, at 2 months, was flown out to San Francisco. Turns out pigs do fly.

Nearly three years later, LiLou is the first therapy pig certified through the San Francisco SPCA's animal-assisted therapy program. She and her person visit hospitals, convalescent homes and schools. LiLou also is part of the Wag Brigade – that curly little tail does wag – which usually brings trained dogs to airport terminals to help reduce stress and make passenger travel more enjoyable.

"It all started with our daily walks around the neighborhood," her person said. "We'd meet people from all over the world, who were so excited to see her. This gave me the idea to get LiLou therapy certified."

LiLou stands knee-high to her person, and weighs around 80 pounds. By the time she reaches maturity at 5, she'll weigh in around 100.

"There is no such thing as a miniature or teacup pig," LiLou's person said. "So, a lot of pigs get abandoned when they reach maturity. We want to help people make a responsible decision in adopting a pig."



Also, pigs are clean and smart, she says, and have the maturity and personality of a toddler.

"LiLou can be a little shy, but also sassy," her person said. "She's also sweet, snuggly and, when she doesn't like something, pig-headed."

When the pig and her person visit Monterey, they head down to the beach, where LiLou loves to roll around in the sand. She'll trot alongside the shore with her person, but she has no desire to bathe.

LiLou has an Instagram following of 14,000, and was even invited to appear on "America's Got Talent," to show off her ability to stand on her back hooves and even plink on a toy piano. But her person chickened out.



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# Panetta: Feds shouldn't buy ranch unless they have \$\$ to manage it

By CHRIS COUNTS

IN SHARP contrast to positions taken by his predecessor, Sam Farr, Congressman Jimmy Panetta is opposed to the United States Forest Service buying a 1,200-acre ranch in Big Sur from a land conservation group.

"Congressman Panetta believes in order for a transition to take place, there need to be sufficient resources to manage the land that the forest service would oversee," Panetta's press secretary, Sarah Davey, told The Pine Cone.

Davey said the congressman is "is focused on ensuring" that the forest service "has the resources necessary to manage and maintain" firebreaks and fuelbreaks "instead of further stretching their resources at this time by expanding the boundaries of Los Padres National Forest."

Because funding for the United States Forest Service has been slashed in recent years, it's unlikely the resources Davey referred to will be used to buy parkland or open space in Big Sur anytime soon.

Before making his decision, the congressman met with residents, environmental groups and forest service officials to better "understand how to most effectively manage the public forests" in the area, Davey said.

An Oregon-based nonprofit, the Western Rivers Conservancy, has a contract in place to buy the Adler Ranch from the late Axel Adler's family. The sale price is unknown, but the property had been listed for \$8 million. A call to the group's president was not returned.

According to the Western Rivers Conservancy's website, the purchase of the ranch will help protect "the Central Coast's most important spawning stream for threatened south-central coast steelhead" and preserve "some of the southernmost stands of old-

growth redwoods on earth."

The group also sees the ranch providing a critical link in a hiking trail that would travel from Bottchers Gap to the ocean.

But many locals have grown wary of public land acquisitions near where they live. Leading the effort to oppose the sale, Palo Colorado resident Mike Caplin contends its transfer to the forest service would increase the risk of wildfire in a community that was just devastated by one.

### Local calls deal 'dangerous'

Caplin and others say the property's designation as parkland or open space would likely make it more difficult to use a critical firebreak that passes through the property. "Numerous federal laws act to hinder the forest service from preparing for wildfires and from acting in a timely manner during wildfires," Caplin said.

Caplin is also concerned more people will visit the area, increasing the risk of illegal campfires.

"That would make acquisition of the Adler Ranch by the forest service dangerous for Palo Colorado and other communities in the event of wildfire," he explained.

Looming over the debate is last year's Soberanes Fire, which destroyed 57 homes in the Palo Colorado area and was started by an illegal campfire.

During his lengthy tenure in Congress, Farr was credited with preserving thousands of acres in Big Sur. In 2001, he backed the purchase of the 1,200-acre Brazil Ranch, and six years later, he pushed for the acquisition of 460 acres near the Alder Ranch — despite opposition from locals.

He also long insisted that public land acquisitions don't interfere with firefighting efforts.

# Carpenter Hall to host free talk about 'Women and the Veil'

SUNSET CENTER's Carpenter Hall will be the site of a talk that addresses a hot button topic when Dr. Bonnie Irwin presents "Women and the Veil in the Muslim World — Oppression or Empowerment?" Jan. 17.

Dr. Irwin will explore the roots of the veil,

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# Police, Fire & Sheriff's Log

## Maybe it was the kids this time

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

Avenue east of San Carlos Street. Brought to the station. Picked up by owner at 1700 hours.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Credit card found at Ocean and Dolores. Unable to contact the owner; card destroyed.

**Pebble Beach:** Piano repair person used a false name to enter into a contract with a Laurel Lane resident. The repair person failed to return the keys and components to an antique piano valued at over \$20,000.

**Carmel Valley:** Report of vandalism to a vehicle on Carmel Valley Road.

**Carmel area:** Anonymous person reported a Crossroads mall employee attempting to extort money from store owners. Following an investigation, it was determined the report was unfounded.

**Big Sur:** Clear Ridge Road resident reported several wires leading from solar panels to an inverter were cut by an unknown suspect.

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12

**Pacific Grove:** Citizen left a wallet at the grocery store and was told by the store manager that the wallet was located, and an employee dropped it off at the police department. Wallet was never brought to the police department, and the citizen believes it may have been stolen instead of turned in.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Verbal dispute at Torres and Sixth over a traffic collision two days prior. Both parties were contacted at separate locations and advised not to return to the other party's place of work.

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Possible illegal tree trimming reported on Carmel Way. Case taken for documentation only.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Possible illegal dumping at a business on Lincoln Street. Ongoing issue, and this is the third report.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Loose dog jumped on a person holding their dog at Dolores and Fourth and knocked them to the ground.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Wallet found on Ocean

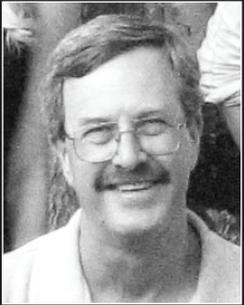
### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14

**Pacific Grove:** A vehicle struck a parked vehicle while attempting to park on Lighthouse Avenue.

**Pacific Grove:** A female was reported missing by her daughter.

**Pacific Grove:** Found marijuana on school grounds on Sunset Drive.

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## The gavel falls

Verdicts, pleas and sentencings announced by  
The Monterey County District Attorney

**Oct. 18** — Paul Aledo, 50, was sentenced to 32 years-to-life in the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation by Monterey County Superior Court Judge Andrew Liu. Aledo was found guilty by a jury on September 19 of premeditated and deliberate attempted murder, personally discharging a firearm in the commission of the crime, and causing great bodily injury.

On March 3, Aledo shot the victim once in the chest. The bullet fractured the victim's clavicle, punctured his trachea, and became lodged in his spine. The victim is now a paraplegic as a result. The shooting occurred in the Chinatown area of Salinas. Aledo and the victim were both living in tents in that area at that time.

A few days prior to the shooting, the victim had sought shelter from the rain by knocking on Aledo's tent. Aledo told the victim that if he saw the victim in the area again, Aledo would shoot him.

The victim spoke at the sentencing hearing and described how his life is forever changed because of this incident.

**Oct. 20** — Salinas resident Pedro Velasco, 26, was sentenced yesterday to one year and four months in prison for attempting to falsely imprison his pregnant 19-year-old girlfriend.

On May 7, at approximately 7:40 p.m., Jane Doe was driving her car accompanied by her boyfriend, Velasco, and their 2-year-old son. When Doe and Velasco began to argue, Velasco grabbed the steering wheel, causing Doe's car to swerve violently in and out of traffic on Laurel Drive. Doe pulled over as soon as she could, got out of the car, and immediately tried to remove their son from the backseat. As she was unbuckling the car seat, Velasco punched her in the face twice, resulting in a bloody lip and swollen left eye. At the time, Doe was 19 years old and several months pregnant with Velasco's child.

Despite her injuries, Doe was able to remove the child and began to walk away from the car. Velasco followed them, took her phone away, and ordered her to return to the car. Once they were back in the car, Doe repeatedly asked Velasco to take her to her mother's house. He refused to do so and instead drove them across Salinas. Doe made numerous attempts to exit the car with the child every time the car slowed down, but Velasco would suddenly accelerate to prevent her escape. Eventually, when he stopped

for gas, Doe was able to get to safety.

On May 11, officers in an unmarked vehicle saw Velasco in a car driven by a known gang member who was on parole. Officer Dunagan recognized Velasco and knew he was also a gang member with a history of being armed and fighting law enforcement, that the two men were not allowed to associate, and that Velasco was wanted for attacking Jane Doe. He surveilled Velasco until additional officers arrived on scene and a high-risk traffic stop was conducted. Both Velasco and his passenger were immediately arrested.

Monterey County Superior Court Judge Robert A. Burlison sentenced Velasco to eight months in prison, which was doubled due to a prior strike conviction.

**Oct. 20** — Gonzales resident Ricardo Rodriguez, age 33, was sentenced yesterday to two years and eight months in prison for violating a domestic violence restraining order.

On August 16, Jane Doe was attacked by Rodriguez when she went to La Gloria Elementary School to pick up her children. As Doe stood near the entrance to the school office, Rodriguez walked up to her, punched her in the face, grabbed her by the arm, and attempted to drag her away. Jane Doe, screaming for help, broke free and ran into the office. The brazen assault, which occurred in front of their nine-year-old son and numerous other witnesses, left Doe with blood running from her nose, swelling, and a "busted open" lower lip.

Rodriguez was previously convicted of kidnapping, a strike offense, and battering Jane Doe, from an incident that occurred in 2013. A criminal protective order was issued which prohibited any contact with Doe. In December 2013, he was ordered to serve three years in prison and was released on parole on February 24, 2016. Since his release, Rodriguez has continued to terrorize Doe. He has assaulted her twice and within the last 10 months alone, suffered three misdemeanor convictions for violating the restraining order.

Monterey County Superior Court Judge Robert A. Burlison sentenced Rodriguez to one year and four months in prison. That sentence was then doubled due to his prior strike conviction. Another criminal protective order was issued, preventing Rodriguez from contacting Doe for an additional 10 years.

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# Fink seeks support in advance of council hearing on rooftop condo

By MARY SCHLEY

RESTAURATEUR DAVID Fink is rallying supporters for the council's review of his Dolores Street condo project set for Jan. 9. Designed by his architect brother, the modern-style condominium Fink and partner Janet Elarmo want to build atop Cantinetta Luca was OK'd by the planning commission last month. Mayor Steve Dallas and councilwoman Carolyn Hardy are challenging the commission's approval, questioning the condo's contemporary design, potential shade impacts on neighboring Piccadilly Park, and the shapes and layout of the windows on the north elevation.

even after Dallas made a point of congratulating him on the approval following the 4-1 vote Nov. 8.

"Mayor Dallas happened to be in Luca that night when I returned from the hearing and congratulated me and wished me the best of luck on our construction," Fink wrote in an email to friends. "For some reason, on Nov. 27, with barely an hour left in the appeal period, Mayor Dallas and Councilwoman Hardy appealed our project."

He asked people to write to the council and testify at the upcoming meeting, pointing out that the project was the subject of two historic resources board hearings, where it received unanimous support, and four planning commission hearings. In response to commis-

sioners' feedback, Fink and Elarmo agreed to lower the height by 2 feet, set the condo back 10 feet, change the paint color and color of the building materials, and to get an after-the-fact encroachment permit for the restaurant's trash enclosure that was approved in 2006.

"We did the most accurate 3-D solar study to see if the condo would have any impact to Piccadilly Park," he continued. "The software we used is the most up-to-date digital 3-D platform that uses the National Weather Ser-

vice information to calculate with incredible accuracy. This study was not required for our project, and it was requested, so we did it at a cost of over \$4,000."

Fink questioned whether the council hearing could be fair, considering Dallas and Hardy "have formed very strong and negative opinions about my project."

"Both requests allege numerous and frank-

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A rendering shows the condo that was approved for above Cantinetta Luca restaurant on Dolores Street. Applicant David Fink is asking people to show their support for his project, since its approval was challenged by two city council members.

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# Impractical for ‘Poet’s Perch,’ will P.G. house be another Flanders Mansion?

By CHRIS COUNTS

SEVENTEEN YEARS after the City of Pacific Grove accepted the donation of a small house from the late Whitney Latham-Lechich to be used as a poetry center, city officials say the use is impractical for the site, and they want to know if there is something else they can do with the property. The home is located at 140 18th St.

But their query can’t move forward because they say they can’t reach the executor of Latham-Lechich’s will, Lenore Dougherty. “Her whereabouts are unknown,” according to court papers filed Dec. 21 by assistant city attorney Heidi Quinn.

The city’s concerns about repurposing the house stem from

“precise terms” laid out in Latham-Lechich’s will, which stipulate the city can use the building “only for the exact purpose stated” and “no other similar purpose.”

According to the will, the home shall be maintained as the city’s “Poet’s Perch.”

“This residence is to be available for poetry readings, maintenance of a poetry library, for the study of poetry, or for other poetic purposes,” the will says.

If the city “fails for any reason for any use to accept and use this gift for the exact purpose specified, I direct that it shall be disposed of as part of the residue of my estate,” Latham-Lechich wrote before she died.

But city officials say such a use for the home doesn’t fit the building — or the residential neighborhood it’s in. They also

note it lacks ADA compliance and has limited parking.

“The city has only sporadically been able to lease the property to a poet as part of the city’s ‘Poet-in-Residence’ program, and direct funds for ‘poetic purposes,’” court papers read.

## Program lacks funding

The residency program, meanwhile, lacks funding. “The city has encountered difficulty obtaining lease payments for the residency as such costs would typically be paid for by the organization the poet serves, and such funds are limited,” the court papers say. “Further, the private lease of the small space has been at odds with any public use.”

In Pacific Grove’s 2017/2018 City Council Goals and Strategic Work Plan, city officials suggest a possible remedy to the situation.

“The city attorney is seeking a determination from the Superior Court on permissible uses of the ‘Poet’s Perch’ property, such as whether the ‘poetic purposes’ of the original award can be met by leasing the property and using the rental proceeds to fund a poetry program,” reads the report.

When the city took possession of the house, it was in such a state of disrepair that it was uninhabitable. As a result, the city spent nearly \$50,000 fixing it up.

At least four poets have occupied the home since the city acquired it, including Garland Thompson and Barbara Mossberg.



In her will, a woman left this house at 140 18th St. to the City of Pacific Grove to use as a poetry center, but city officials are now questioning whether such a use is practical.

PHOTO/CHRIS COUNTS

## New jade festival to debut

WILDFIRES AND road troubles have made it difficult to stage the Big Sur Jade Festival in recent years, but an announcement this week gives rock hounds something to rejoice about in the New Year: Custom House Plaza in Monterey will be the site of the first-ever Monterey Bay Jade Festival Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 18-20.

“I would like to thank the originators of the Big Sur Jade Festival for pioneering the key groundwork of promoting, advocating and developing a major venue for the world of jade, and we hope to complement their great work with our annual events,” said one of the festival’s organizers, Mike Burkleo.

The Soberanes Fire derailed the Big Sur Jade Festival in 2016, and last year, it was cancelled due to storm damage along Highway 1. The next Big Sur Jade Festival — its 25th anniversary celebration — is set for Oct. 5-7 at the Pacific Valley School.

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# Pit bull kills small dog in C.V., may still be on the loose

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A WOMAN was walking her dog in Carmel Valley Dec. 14 when a pit bull attacked and killed it.

"A grey and white pit bull killed Janet Brennan's adorable little dog today as they took their usual walk on Los Helechos, near Esquiline," read a post this week on social media.

Brennan has long served as chair of the Carmel Valley Land Use Advisory Committee.

According to the post, the incident happened right in front of Brennan, who had her dog on a leash. Brennan responded to the

post, confirmed the sad event and offered a few details.

"The dog that killed my pup had a white snout and white chest," Brennan wrote. "One other walker ran into the dog at 9 a.m. the same day and described him as aggressive."

The incident was reported to Monterey County Animal Control, which according to county official Karen Smith, did respond to the scene.

However, Smith said animal control could not say whether or not the pit bull had been caught.

"It's still under investigation," Smith reported. "There's little animal control will say because it may jeopardize a possible case."



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## Criminal piano repairman fatally struck by car

By MARY SCHLEY

A CONVICTED sex offender who gave a fake name to a Pebble Beach resident and then absconded with parts of the rare piano he was hired to fix was killed by a DUI driver in Fremont in early December while delivering a piano, according to Monterey County Sheriff's deputy Mike Smith.

On Dec. 13, a man who lives on Laurel Lane in Del Monte Forest told the deputy that a piano repairman had used a false name to enter a contract with him, and had taken the keys and other components of an antique piano valued at \$20,000.

"A family heirloom — an antique Chickering baby grand — needed key and hammer work," Smith said. "The repairman was hired, and the key/hammer console was removed for repair elsewhere."

There were no time constraints on the work, but after six months of getting put off by the repairman — who called his company H.B. Piano — and not getting his piano parts back,

the resident asked a friend who's a private investigator to look into the company, according to Smith.

The PI discovered the repairman was using an alias, and that he was, in fact, a sex offender named Yani Leppanen who had been living in Huntington Beach and then San Jose. In 2008, Leppanen, then age 35, was convicted of lewd and lascivious acts with a minor after soliciting sex online from someone he believed to be a 13-year-old girl, but who was in fact a Redondo Beach police officer, according to news reports at the time.

"A few days after I took the report, the Pebble Beach resident discovered Yani Leppanen was killed by a drunk driver while delivering a piano," Smith said. The morning of Dec. 8, 57-year-old Robert Greer of Fremont allegedly hit Leppanen's cargo trailer, a fire hydrant and Leppanen while driving his SUV under the influence of drugs. Greer was taken to the hospital and later arrested by Fremont police. The coroner's office released Leppanen's name the day after the fatal crash.

## City to embark on ADA-compliance overhaul

By MARY SCHLEY

CITY OFFICIALS are embarking on a \$100,000 effort to identify every "barrier to accessibility" by people with disabilities at city-owned properties, starting with hiring an architectural consultant to review them.

"The objective is to identify all barriers to accessibility at city facilities, including city-owned buildings, parks, sidewalks and other facilities, along with priorities and preliminary cost estimates," public works director Bob Harary said. "Upon completion of the plan, funding will be requested each subsequent fiscal year for design and construction of the actual improvements over time."

The first step in that process will be hiring an expert to comb over the city's 33 buildings, sidewalks and paths, parks, and other facilities owned by the public. "While city staff has the technical expertise to perform a portion of this work, the

most prudent way to carry out this tedious project is to hire an architectural firm," Harary explained.

A few months back, city officials asked qualified firms to submit summaries of their abilities to handle a number of public-works-related tasks, including architecture and ADA planning. Harary said a committee of three city employees is reviewing those applications and ranking them.

"When the committee meets again in early January, we may select the best qualified firm, or potentially conduct interviews with the most qualified firms," he said. A contract will be drafted and presented to the council for approval. Harary said he expects the review — which has been on the city's to-do list for the past two years — will take six to nine months to complete.

"I suppose the reason we are doing this now is that we have the staffing to lead this project," Harary said, referring to himself and new building official Dick Bower.



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(1922 - 2017)

Clement Galante was born on the Island of Rhodes on May 5, 1922. In 1938, at age 17, he left Rhodes, then under occupation by the Italian *Fascisti*, and travelled to Brussels. His uncles sent him to the Belgian Congo where he lived and worked for 10 years in their clothing business and learned the trade.

When Clement immigrated to the United States in 1948, he travelled to San Francisco where his brother, Maurice, was an intern at UC Medical Center. Although Clement could speak eight languages when he arrived, English wasn't one of them. He initially worked for Robert Atkins as a clothing salesman. Always a quick study and eager to get ahead, Clement partnered with a former buyer for Neiman Marcus and in 1953 they re-opened the elegant women's clothing shop, Maison Mendessolle, in the St. Francis Hotel. He expanded the business to include branches in Stonestown, the Fairmont Hotel and Bush and Kearney Streets. Clement was CEO of Maison Mendessolle for 22 years and was a fixture on Union Square. "Mr. G." as he was affectionately known, was beloved by his employees.

In 1965, the Italian Commercial Attaché in San Francisco awarded Clement Italy's Star of Solidarity Medal in recognition for his contribution to the development of commercial relations between the U.S. and Italy. He was cited for his "highly successful" promotion of Italian fashions in the Bay Area. Thereafter, Clement could be addressed as *Commendatore* Galante.

The love of Clement's life was his wife, Jane Hohfeld Galante (1924-2010). They first met at a party in 1948 and struck up a conversation because Clement couldn't speak English yet and she was the only one there who could speak French. They met on a cable car a few years later and, in better English, he asked her out to dinner and dancing at the Top of the Mark Hopkins Hotel. They married on December 26, 1956. Famed San Francisco columnist Herb Caen announced their marriage.

In 1969, Clement and Jane purchased a cattle ranch in Carmel Valley and over the years turned it into an outdoor rose growing business and an award-winning vineyard. He was passionate about both.

Clement was a true "gentle-man" and lived up to his name of "Galante." He had a lovely sense of humor, a charming and engaging personality and was adored by his family and friends.

He spent his later years developing the "International House" at IDC Herzleya university in Israel, which he generously endowed and which promotes students from all backgrounds to live together on campus, to interact with one another and develop bonds of friendship.

Clement is survived by his two sons, Edward "Ted" Galante of Harare, Zimbabwe, and John "Jack" Galante of Carmel Valley, California, and their families.

*There will be a Celebration of Clement's Life to be held at Dawn's Dream Tasting Room located at the NW Corner of 7<sup>th</sup> & San Carlos in Carmel on Sunday, January 14, from 10 a.m. to noon.*

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growing legally under the medical program, and the new set of regulations made it illegal, and they've had to cease all activities," Linder explained. "In the two years staff has been working on this, there had been no regulations whatsoever permitted for cannabis in Big Sur and it looks like, moving forward, there will also still be no regulations" to make it possible for marijuana to be grown or sold legally.

Oliver Bates, who said he represented the Big Sur Farmers Association, also pleaded with planning commissioners to ease the rules.

"We're losing some heritage [marijuana] farms that are very important to us," Bates said. "We've been given no path forward."

Offering a different viewpoint, Monterey attorney Hansen Reed, who represents local agriculture businesses he said don't have a vested interest in the cannabis industry, asked the supervisors to show "significant restraint in making wholesale changes" to the rules in an effort to accommodate

people in Big Sur. He also suggested that the proposed changes down the coast could "put all of Monterey County in harm's way ... just so Big Sur can have cannabis," and he urged the county to crack down on illegal growers.

Supervisor Mary Adams, whose district includes Big Sur, offered Linder and others her support, and she urged her colleagues to do the same, although none spoke up to back her.

County planner Brandon Swanson told Adams the issues need more analysis, but Adams didn't budge.

"I don't want any more analysis," she countered. "It's going to be a long time before we get back to this."

### Greenhouse questions

Next, the county's top planning official, Carl Holm, stepped forward and suggested that it was too early in the process to take up the setback issue — in part because he hasn't had a conversation yet about it with state park officials. He noted that one proposal aims to establish a cannabis-related business near one of Big Sur's state parks.

Addressing Adams' concerns about a lengthy timeline, he suggested it would be possible to bring the issue back to supervisors by late January or early February.

Also drawing criticism at the hearing was the decision to limit commercial marijuana growing throughout the county to greenhouses that existed before 2016.

Tiffany Wright said she wants to see the county lift its ban on new greenhouses and outdoor growing, and she, like several others who spoke, accused county officials of favoring big businesses.

"There's a perception that the county is showing favoritism for big money commercial businesses and investors over small and mid-sized family farms that have operated in the county for years," Wright explained. "I don't think its fair to exclude local farmers who are residents of the county from participating in the legal industry. It doesn't represent equal opportunity and its discriminatory — small local farmers deserve a chance."

## Do good for self, kids at Rio Resolution Run

By MARY SCHLEY

ONE OF the Monterey Peninsula's most popular and scenic runs takes place the morning of New Year's Day, offering revelers a chance to welcome 2018 with gusto while raising funds for Coastal Kids Home Care, a nonprofit that helps families caring for infants and children with chronic illnesses, injuries or other life-threatening conditions.

The Rio Grill's Resolution Run starts at 9 a.m. in front of the Crossroads restaurant, taking walkers and runners along 5K and 10K courses that wind through Mission Trail park, downtown Carmel and the coastline before ending at the Carmel Mission. After they cross the finish line, everyone strolls back to the Marathon Flats at Highway 1 and Rio Road for brunch prepared by Rio Grill staff and dedicated members of the Kiwanis Club of Monterey.

Founded 27 years ago by restaurateur and avid runner Tony Tollner, the Rio Run is "a New Year's Day tradition that also celebrates health, fitness, family and friends," race coordinator Julie Ann Lozano said.

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# DALLAS

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and city attorney Glen Mozingo.

“I don’t even call it ‘sexual harassment,’” she clarified. “It’s inappropriate, but it’s not illegal.”

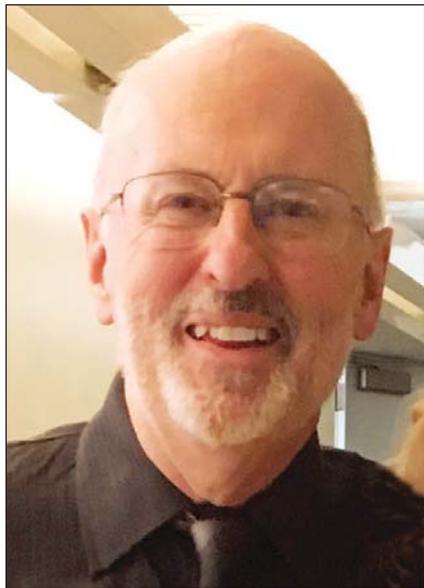
She told them she didn’t want to file a formal complaint, in order to keep the city and Dallas’ family out of the lime-light, and that she wanted her identity kept secret. “I don’t want money,” she said. “I just want it to stop.”

But she also felt she had to tell the members of her non-profit’s board of directors.

Mozingo hired investigator Irma Rodriguez, who works for a large law firm and has assisted with matters at Carmel P.D. in the past, to look into the allegations.

“We are now scheduling meetings to have this matter looked into,” he said. After she submits her findings to Mozingo, he’ll distribute them to the council. Because the report will be considered “attorney work product,” it won’t be made public.

“The council will evaluate and determine what needs to be done,” Mozingo said. “No one who has any interest in this thing can be part of that determination,” so Dallas won’t be included in those discussions.



## HOLLAND GENE GARCIA

*Life Long Resident of Carmel*

Holland Gene Garcia, 70, died peacefully at home on Monday, December 18th 2017 after a brief illness.

He leaves his loving wife, partner, and best friend, Eileen Maceri; his stepson, Michael Maceri; stepdaughters Linda Perkel and Jeanie Darling; several step grandchildren; his brother, Baxter Garcia and his wife, Claire; and niece Liz Garcia. He is preceded in death by his mother, Beth Garcia; father, John Garcia; and his faithful dog, Chipper.

Holland was born on June 14, 1947 in Oakland, California. In his childhood he moved with his family to Carmel where he became a life-long resident. From an early age Holland was drawn to the arts. His natural ability, imagination, and passion for music guided him his entire life. As a young man he graduated from the Toronto Royal Conservatory of Music and began composing and teaching music. He taught piano for many years at the Robert Louis Stevenson School in Pebble Beach. Besides his talent as a musician Holland was also an accomplished author writing under the name Gene Andrade, and an artist skilled in many mediums. He was a generous individual who loved being in nature and was passionate about educating his students about the beauty of music. His students remember him as a kind and patient teacher who encouraged them to pursue their goals in music appreciation.

He will be remembered as a loving and wise soul — loved deeply by Eileen, his heart companion of 30 years, her family, and his many friends. A deeply spiritual man, he remained young at heart throughout his entire life. His was a life well loved and well lived.

*“What you leave behind is not what is engraved in stone monuments but what is woven into the lives of others.” ~Pericles.*

A celebration of Holland’s life will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Prostate Cancer Foundation at [www.pcf.org](http://www.pcf.org). Condolences can be sent to Eileen Maceri, 20 Kingfisher Drive, Watsonville, CA 95076. The family would like to thank Dr. Michael Wu, Dr. Lisa Segnitz, and Hospice of Santa Cruz County for their heartfelt care and support.

“An accusation is an accusation — nothing more,” he said. “We want to make sure all parties have been provided due process.”

If the allegations are found to be true, he said, the mayor could be removed from office through a recall effort, censure by the council, or voluntary resignation.

“And if they’re not, we can’t stand in judgment,” Mozingo said.

Stemler said she thinks Dallas will deny doing anything wrong.

“He’ll have a different interpretation. He will think this is OK, even though I say, ‘Stop,’” she said she told Mozingo and Gullo. “I believe he thinks that all of this is OK. And he is the only person in my entire life who does this. There is nobody else professionally that I have this experience with.”

Stemler said she also hopes her decision to go to the city will encourage others to do the same, and Mozingo said he has heard of one other person with concerns, but no complaints have been filed.

### Bullying and threats

As word spread of Stemler’s allegations, additional people have come forward to complain about Dallas — not about crude comments, but about his temper and threats.

In April, then-Carmel Chamber of Commerce CEO Monta Potter said Dallas called her up and yelled at her after she sent out an email about comments made by the community activities and cultural commission regarding events. He yelled that his wife and mother were upset, and that he was going to sue her for slander.

“You’re attacking my council and I’m going to make you pay. I’m going to sue you and [then Carmel Foundation CEO] Jill Sheffield for saying things about me. I told you this morning to stop talking about me putting on my own car event. My mother and my wife are upset and I’m going to sue you if you say one more word,” she said in her notes about the April 24 phone call.

Jay and Chloé Dolata, owners of Carmel Belle, said he

also threatened them during a visit to their office while they were haggling over the use of the back room at their restaurant. The Dolatas had encouraged customers to email council members in support of their counter-service eatery, which was eventually forced to convert a back room to table service to comply with city codes.

“He screamed at us and threatened to destroy us, while pointing his finger at us, three times,” Chloé Dolata said. “He told us that the entire city council was so irritated and annoyed and upset with us for having our customers write in — that they were really annoyed, and to stop it. He oscillated between being nice and friendly, to being threatening. And then he left with a big smile and hugs and handshakes.”

Cathi Clay, who rented a home on Via Petra from Dallas and his mother in 2012, said she filed a restraining order against him in 2013 for the way he treated her there, including looking through her windows, spying on her, asking about her activities and visitors, and commenting about her boyfriend and his plans to move in, like inquiring where he was going to sleep and commenting that he hoped she wasn’t “accommodating him every night.”

Around election time, she said, Dallas set up Romney signs in her yard and then denied it — even though she was home at the time and saw him planting the signs.

After he informed her he would not be renewing her lease, she said he demanded to have access to the home, and she notified the Monterey County Sheriff’s Office out of concern for her young teenage daughters.

“He said, ‘I can show my home anytime I want,’” Clay recalled. “I called the sheriff’s office, because he was threatening to come in when my daughters were home alone. The sheriff suggested a restraining order.”

She filed in June 2013, but when the court demanded a hearing instead of issuing the order, she said she wasn’t up to it due to having endured a contentious two-year divorce and the recent death of her mother, and decided to move, instead. After she found a new place, Clay said Dallas called the property management company and didn’t say who he was while trying find out where she had gone.

“He’s a bully, he’s an ass, he’s blustery,” she said.

## Abby Foss

Sept. 24, 1928 ❖ Nov. 30, 2017

Abby Foss, well-known on the Monterey Peninsula as a horse trainer, stable manager, master of foxhounds and most recently, editor of the World Affairs Council Monterey Bay’s newsletter The Passport, died Nov. 30 at her Aguajito Oaks home in Monterey at the age of 89.

Born Abigail Langdon Wilder, daughter of Margaret Buell and Donald Wilder, Sept. 24, 1928, in Newark, Ohio, she had lived on the Peninsula since 1975.

Her father served in the Army in World War II and her mother wrote a newspaper column for the Dayton, Ohio, Journal Herald, during the war about raising two daughters - Abby and sister Jane - titled “Letters to a Soldier from His Wife” while her husband was away. The columns became the basis for her book “Since You Went Away,” which was made into a movie in 1944.

The Wilder family lived in Greenwich, Conn., before moving to Los Angeles, where both the Wilder sisters attended the University of California at Los Angeles. In her senior year, Mrs. Foss was manager of UCLA’s Daily Bruin newspaper.

After graduating, she worked as a buyer for a large department store and met her husband, Jay Foss. The two later lived in Houston, Texas, Albuquerque, N.M., and Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Foss was a founder of the Juan Tomas Hounds fox hunting club in Albuquerque and was co-master of foxhounds of the Los Altos Hunt with the late Dick Collins of Pebble Beach. After Mr. Collins retired, she managed Pebble Beach Equestrian Center and trained young riders there, and later at Cypress Stables in Monterey and Holman Ranch in Carmel Valley. While at Holman she became involved with the World Affairs Council, serving on its board as secretary and newsletter editor.

Mrs. Foss was preceded in death by her sister, her husband, and two sons, Robert and Langdon Foss, both of Monterey. She is survived by a niece, Margot Jacqz of New York, and a nephew, Christian Jacqz, of Ipswich, Mass.

A celebration of her life will be held Jan. 13, 2:30 p.m. at Carmel Valley Manor in Carmel Valley.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea will conduct a public hearing in the City Hall Council Chambers, located on the east side of Monte Verde between Ocean and Seventh Avenues, on Wednesday, January 10, 2018. The public hearings will be opened at 4:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as possible. For the items on the agenda, staff will present the project, then the applicant and all interested members of the public will be allowed to speak or offer written testimony before the Commission takes action. Decisions to approve or deny the project may be appealed to the City Council by filing a written notice of appeal with the office of the City Clerk within ten (10) working days following the date of action by the Planning Commission and paying the requisite appeal fee.**

If you challenge the nature of the proposed action in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission or the City Council at, or prior to, the public hearing.

UP 17-442 (Holman Ranch) Liz Bolar, Applicant Representative SW corner of 7th and San Carlos Block: 91; Lot(s): half of lot 3 APN: 010-145-001	Consideration of a Use Permit (UP 17-442) application for the establishment of a new wine tasting room located in the Service Commercial (SC) Zoning District.
DS 17-294 (Stepanek) Jeff Crockett, Architect Guadalupe 4 NE of 3rd Avenue Block: 22; Lot(s): 14 APN: 010-022-013	Consideration of a Final Design Study (DS 17-294) and associated Coastal Development Permit for the demolition of an existing single-family residence and the construction of a new single-family residence located in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) Zoning District.
DS 17-443 (Nelson) Erik Dyar, Architect SW Corner of Camino Real & 13th Avenue Block: DD, Lot(s): 1 & 3 APN: 010-284-001	Consideration of a Concept Design Study (DS 17-443) and associated Coastal Development Permit for a two story addition to an existing single story residence located in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) Zoning District.
DS 16-483 (Purvis) Aengus Jeffers, Agent 4 Oak Knoll Way Block: 2, Lot(s): 2 APN: 009-201-016	Consideration of a Concept Design Study (DS 16-483) and associated Coastal Development Permit for demolition of an existing residence and construction of a new residence located in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) Zoning District.
DS 17-372 (Ayres) Greg Klein, Architect Casanova St., 3 SE of 10th Ave. Block: E; Lot: 8 APN: 010-185-015	Consideration of Final Design Study (DS 17-372) and associated Coastal Development Permit for demolition of an existing residence, construction of a new 1,600 square-foot single-family residence, and 200 square-foot detached garage in the front yard setback, located in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) Zoning District.
DS 17-441 (Lasher) Craig Holdren, Architect Camino Real, 3 NE of 13th Avenue Block: AA, Lot(s): 18 APN: 010-281-013	Consideration of a Concept Design Study (DS 17-441) and associated Coastal Development Permit for the demolition of an existing residence and construction of a new residence located in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) Zoning District.
DS 17-212 (Budden) RT Budden, Property Owner Torres 3 NW of 1st Block: 7; Lot: 5 APN: 009-132-007	Consideration of a Final Design Study (DS 17-212) and associated Coastal Development Permit for a second story addition to an existing single story residence located in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) Zoning District.
DR 17-482 (Leidig/Draper) Erik Dyar, Architect Dolores 2 SW of 5th Block 55, Lots: 5 & 7 APN: 010-138-003	Preliminary concept review of a proposal (DR 17-482) to demolish an existing commercial building in order to construct a new two-story mixed-use building with an underground garage. The project site is located in the Service Commercial (SC) Zoning District.

City of Carmel-by-the-Sea  
Marc Wiener, AICP, Community Planning and Building Director

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# PISTACHIOS

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upon further inspection, officers found a rear window had been smashed," Powell said. She also told police she had driven from Stockton to Carmel in a rented U-Haul van to "get gifts" her great-great granddad had left her. "She was directed by her great-great granddad to smash the window to enter the home, and her U-Haul was parked in the driveway two homes over."

She gave the cops permission to search the van, and when they asked if she had broken into any other homes, Powell said, she admitted to burglarizing two neighboring houses, which police confirmed.

She also described how she committed her burglaries, starting at around noon, when she backed the rented U-Haul into the driveway of the first home and walked through an unlocked gate. "Baybayan found a metal shovel/pick on the side of the house and smashed the side window of the home," which she entered to "get cleaned up and look around," he said. "Baybayan said this was the home her great-great granddad had left her, so she removed all the clothing from that home and put it in the U-Haul," along with miscellaneous household items.

"Baybayan then added that she had showered in the master bathroom with the intent to sleep inside the home that night," he said, and she even removed the sheets from the beds because she planned to wash them first.

At around 5 p.m., she opened the driveway gate of the second home, walked through the bushes to the side yard, and then to the backyard, where she went up a flight of outdoor stairs and broke an upstairs window. "After collecting various items from inside the second residence and putting all the items into trash bags, Baybayan left the residence out a sliding door, which she left ajar but had pulled the drapes closed," he said.

### Three witnesses

Finally, she pushed a couple of planks out of a wooden fence separating the second and third homes, squeezed through, and broke a rear window with a hammer she'd taken from the first house.

After interviewing her, police searched the neighborhood to see if she had burglarized any other houses. Powell said they found none but did talk to three witnesses. "These witnesses had seen the U-Haul parked at the first residence most of the day and saw Baybayan loading items from the residence into the U-Haul," he said. "One of the witnesses even addressed Baybayan with a 'Merry Christmas,' and Baybayan responded with a dirty look."

Powell said the owners of all three homes were notified of the burglaries, and Baybayan, a transient, was booked into Monterey County Jail for three counts of residential burglary, while the U-Haul was towed and stored at Carmel Towing. The contents included a hammer, a screwdriver, miscellaneous kitchen items and appliances, flashlights, towels, clothes, toys, shoes, cleaning products, a beach sign, vases, food, pillows, blankets, a down comforter, a metal sculpture, and two paintings.

Powell said observant neighbors and attentive residents are vital to catching criminals. "In this particular case, a Carmel resident's \$125 Ring camera alerted the out-of-town resident to the illegal activity, and they quickly summoned the police without delay," he said. "It is this partnership and quick response from the resident and police officers that made this arrest possible."

### A nutty clue

Meanwhile, officers are investigating break-ins at three other homes this month, with different leads in each case,

including finding a stolen tin of valuables — and a bag of pistachio nuts — on a couple of ex-cons after they and their commercial truck were reported as suspicious, according to Powell.

At around 3:25 p.m. Dec. 14, officers Greg Johnson and Joe Boucher were sent to check out a suspicious U-Haul truck and two men in the area of Junipero and Eighth. The officers "immediately recognized" one of the men, since he's

on probation and they'd contacted him before, according to Powell. They also learned the other man was on probation, too.

That gave them the right to search the men, and they found "numerous loose pistachios" in one of their back pockets. In the truck, the officers found a grey backpack contain-

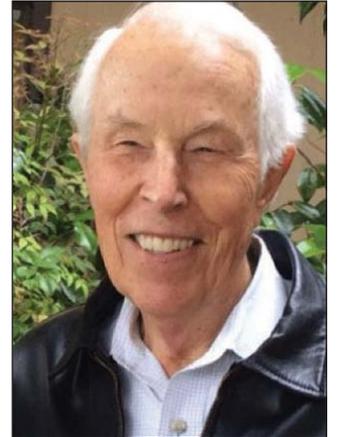
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## RICHARD G. MERRILL

February 23, 1931 – December 20, 2017

Dick Merrill was born and raised in Anaheim, California. He graduated from UCLA and entered the Army soon thereafter. He served as a small unit infantry officer, with most of his service in southern Germany.

He began a long career with the Prudential Insurance Company, interrupted by seven years when he served as President of the First City National Bank of Houston, then that city's largest bank. He re-joined Prudential in 1985, retiring in 1991 as an Executive Vice-President and member of the Office of the Chairman. During his career and retirement he served as a board member for Sysco Corporation, W. R. Berkley Corp, The Dr. Pepper-Seven-up Companies, and First City Bancorporation of Texas, all publicly held companies. He also served on the boards of a number of privately held companies, including the Private Export Funding Company, Visa USA, Associated Community Bank, and Star Reinsurance Company.



His community activities included President of the Houston Symphony, President of the Sam Houston Area Council of the Boy Scouts, Fund-raising Chairman of the United Way of Harris County, Member of the Board of Visitors of M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute, Trustee of the University of St. Thomas, and Trustee of the Newark Academy. Since moving to the Carmel Valley in 1991, he served on the Boards of the Monterey Symphony and the York School. He was a member of the Old Capital Club and Carmel Associated Sportsmen.

He will be best remembered by his family and friends as an energetic lover of the outdoors. Fly fishing, bird hunting, backpacking and camping in the backcountry of the Sierra Nevada were the activities he enjoyed most.

He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Grace, and their four children: Dr. Thomas Merrill (Theresa), Dr. Ann Merrill, Rev. Elizabeth Neel (Gregg), Jack Merrill (Sadie), and four grandchildren: Regina, Sarah, Jackson, and Oliver. He was deeply loved by his family and many friends and will be greatly missed.

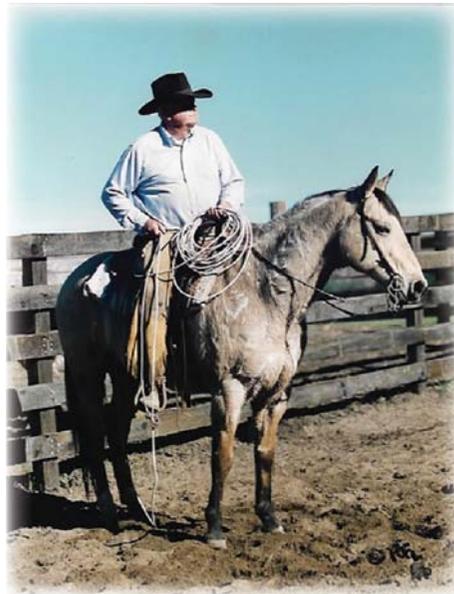
A memorial service will be held at St. Dunstan's Episcopal Church in the Carmel Valley on Saturday, January 13, 2018.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be sent to St. Dunstan's Episcopal Church, or the charity of your choice.

## WILLIAM ("BILL") LOUIS ASKEW, JR.

May 6, 1927 – October 21, 2017

It has been said that the foundation stone of character is honesty. William ("Bill") Louis Askew, Jr., whose 90 years came to an end on October 21, 2017, was definitely a character who is fondly remembered for his genuineness and integrity. Additionally, his remarkable work ethic, wisdom and great love for his wife and family are all attributes of the way he lived. Known as one who warranted attention when he spoke, due to his well thought out contributions to conversations and unique to-the-point expressions, Bill's recollections of Carmel's past are priceless to all who were fortunate enough to hear his stories.



Born May 6, 1927 at the Monterey Hospital, Bill is the oldest son of William L. Askew and Edna (Cornelius) Askew. He lived his entire life in Carmel, except during, not one, but two stints of active military service. The first was in the United States Merchant Marines from May 1945 to February 1947. In March 1953, just 2 months and 5 days prior to his 26th birthday when he would have "aged out" of consideration for the selective service, Bill was drafted into the United States Army. At this time, he was three years into his marriage to Mary Dora (Bartowick) Askew, who was expecting their first child. He had also begun what would eventually evolve into 43 years of work for the city of Carmel. Nevertheless, he served honorably (again) at Fort Ord as well as at Fort Bliss, Texas, earning the rank of sergeant, working most notably as a bulldozer and grader operator and expert marksman until March 1955. He then served in the Army Reserve for an additional 7 years, ending in 1961. In September 1988 he retired as Carmel's Superintendent of Public Works. An April 1988 article appearing in the Carmel Pine Cone/Carmel Valley Outlook noted, "His retirement marks an end of an era for Carmel, as his father had the same job before him. Together they had more than 70 years worth of service to the community."

From his accounts of riding his black and white pinto pony stabled at his childhood home on Torres Street in Carmel, to Pebble Beach where he would visit legendary artist Jo Mora at his home studio, to his descriptions of paving the last "dirt streets" of Carmel, Bill's outlook on what many call "progress" was stirring. He represented "America's Greatest Generation" well. Bill was respected as a heavy equipment operator, as well as a fair and hard-working boss who really enjoyed and earned much satisfaction from his work in Carmel. Bill served as a volunteer fireman in Carmel for many years. He loved hunting, fishing, roping calves and helping out at ranches well into his later years. And, he was always willing to lend a hand to any friend in need.

He is deeply missed by, Mary, his wife of 67 years. He also leaves behind his daughter, Mary Lynn Jacobson (Gordon), of Hollister, as well as his son, William L. Askew, III (Sally), of Carmel Valley. Bill's grandchildren include Chad (Molly) Jacobson, and Wade (JC) Jacobson, of Hollister, as well as Kate and Kylie Askew of Carmel Valley. Bill also is the great-granddad of Luke Jacobson, as well as to a great-granddaughter expected to arrive in May 2018. He was predeceased by his parents, as well as his brother, Fred.

A private family celebration of Bill's LIFE will be held in 2018. While friends are welcome to make a donation to a charity they feel Bill would appreciate, the family requests that folks stop by and visit Bill's wife, Mary, to honor him, and to share their memories of his well-spent life. That LIFE, highlighted by their remarkable love story, is a gift to be shared for generations. Meanwhile, please barbecue a fine steak, and make a "toast" to the good times shared with him.

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# FIRE

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County Regional Fire Division Chief Eric Ulwelling. "As is the case with any large fire, this one had many different faces. You had an urban and suburban face, and then a very rural face to the fire. We were doing structure protection in the urban interface zones, with very large homes in super difficult terrain, including steep canyons with lots of unburned fuel, and we had to evacuate while simultaneously putting out burning structures and protecting the structures that hadn't burned. It was really quite dramatic."

Ulwelling said his team was assigned to protect the historic San Ysidro Ranch, which is now a resort.

"We spent a tremendous amount of time clearing vegetation and prepping the structures," Ulwelling said. "And then we literally watched the fire race down the canyons towards Montecito and straight towards the ranch. That was the beginning of a day-long firefight"

Before that battle began, this reporter spent the night with firefighters at the top of the ridge overlooking Montecito — only to be awakened at 5 a.m. by light from the most massive

walls of flame and enormous fire tornados I have ever seen. It was directly in front of me, and not that far away, and while I was safe, the area I had been photographing the night before above the San Ysidro drainage had been completely overrun. As I scrambled to pull on boots and helmet to get outside and start working, I could see Cal Fire vehicles and heavy equipment in full retreat coming towards me.

The winds nearly ripped the doors off my truck, and as the vehicles began to arrive at my position, the severity of the situation was clear. All I could think about were the firefighters and homes a few thousand feet below; what I heard over my scanner and could see exploding before my eyes was truly frightening. And just six hours later, the area where I slept was also completely immolated by this unbelievably ferocious firestorm.

### A welcome welcome

Refugees from the fire found shelter along the Central Coast, including in Carmel. Montecito resident Virginia Hunter is one of them and stayed at the Tally Ho Inn for over a week.

"I left without anything when we were told to leave," she said. "I just closed the doors and left. I was very philosophical about it."

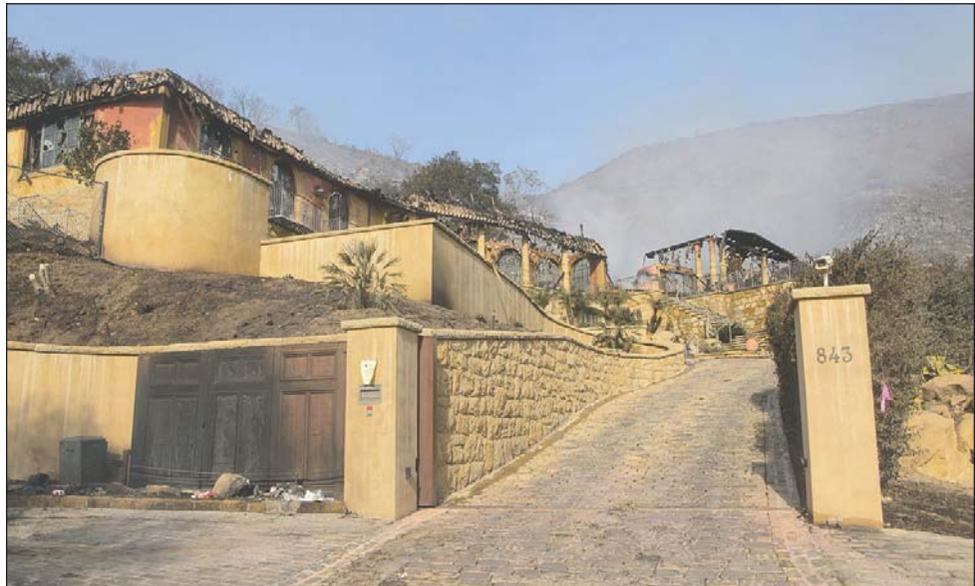
Unlike other major fires near her home in previous decades, this year she was not evacuating family and horses.

"It was really scary driving up the highway; the sky was the color of butterscotch all the way up to King City," Hunter continued. It was a great relief for her to be welcomed in peaceful Carmel.

Hunter noted that this fire was "absolutely different" from the previous ones she experienced in Montecito. "It traveled 15 miles in one day, which was alarming. Because all the winds were converging, things would leap up and happen where they weren't expecting it. I knew it was very, very serious; it was much bigger than any of the ones before and coming from so many directions much, much faster. It caught everyone by surprise."

When some of the evacuations were lifted last week and with firefighting resources finally being drawn down, Hunter was able to return to her Montecito home, and Ulwelling returned to his family in Pacific Grove, both in time for Christmas.

"I'm never going to look at a firefighter the same way again," Hunter concluded. "I almost start crying when I talk about it. They are risking their lives for us. I can't believe how they put themselves in harm's way. You realize what heroes they really are."



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Cal Fire crews pull back on Camino Cielo Ridge (left) as a wind-driven firestorm nearly overruns the town of Montecito Dec. 16. One of more than a dozen luxury homes (right) torched by the Montecito firestorm; the owner of this property watched remotely via a security camera as flames approached.

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Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the District Board, Carmel Area Wastewater District, at the District office, 3945 Rio Road, P.O. Box 221428 Carmel, CA. 93922, until

2:30 P.M., Wednesday, January 10, 2018

at which time they will be publicly opened and read for performing the work as follows:

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The results of the bidding will be reported to the District Board within thirty (30) days of the date of the bid opening at which time if bids are found to be acceptable by the District Board, written notice of award will be given to the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder. However, said District Board reserves its right to reject any or all bids, to waive irregularities of any bids or to re-advertise for all or any part of the work contemplated.

No bidder shall withdraw his bid for a period of thirty (30) calendar days after the date set by the Board for the opening thereof.

Specifications and proposal forms may be secured at no charge by writing to: Carmel Area Wastewater District, P.O. Box 221428, Carmel, CA., 93922, by downloading the appropriate electronic documents from the District web page at <http://www.cawd.org/engineering-services/> or by emailing the District Principal Engineer at [lander@cawd.org](mailto:lander@cawd.org) and requesting the documents or call (831) 624-1248.

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# FINK

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ly unsubstantiated issues with the design, and reflect a strong bias against the project,” Fink said in an email to city attorney Glen Mazingo. “It will be impossible for the council to review my project fairly and without bias, which is demanded under California law.”

He suggested that, if the council overturns the approval and the case ends up in court, the court would be likely to rule in his favor.

Several of Fink’s friends have submitted letters on his behalf.

“I know that you aren’t supposed to take into account how nice someone is, or what they do for our community, when considering an issue like this one,” Chloé Dolata, co-owner of Carmel Belle, wrote. “But I think it is worth noting that David does a lot for this community. He plays by the rules. He’s innovative. He’s a gentleman.”

Dolata said Fink has done everything the planning commission asked, and spent a lot of time and money “making a dream come true, within the city’s rigid standards.”

“To crush his dreams just because there are ‘important people’ who don’t want him to have what he wants is a horrible thing,” she wrote. “It is wrong, and illegal.”

Tony Salameh, owner of Anton & Michel and a friend of Fink’s for more than 30 years, said he is “truly puzzled and just don’t understand” why Hardy and Dallas are challenging the planning commission’s vote.

“I am not the only one in Carmel that thinks David Fink is being treated unfairly and, at this point, the city should take the request off the calendar and let the planning commission decision stand,” he said.

Carmel Highlands residents Dan and Dasha Keig said Fink had worked “in good faith” with the city.

“We feel this appeal is baseless and unwarranted, as it brings up issues that have already been addressed and decided by the appropriate city body,” they wrote. “We feel the design will be unobtrusive behind the trellis, and will not detract from the rest of the street.”

The Keigs said they’ve been in town long enough to remember when what’s now Piccadilly Park was a nursery.

“For years, it has been a lovely but shady park,” they wrote. “Denying this project will not solve that problem.”



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File No. 20172328  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **CACHAGUA BIBLE CHURCH, 19345 Cachagua Road, Carmel Valley, California 93924.**  
County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey.

Name of Corporation of LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.: SANCTUARY BIBLE CHURCH, 8340 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel, California 93923.  
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: CA  
This business is conducted by a corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

S/ David M. Hong, CEO (pastor) Nov. 28, 2017  
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Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING  
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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172250  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**1. HYDRADYN LLC  
2. HYDRADYN TECH  
2440 San Juan Rd., Aromas, CA 95004.**  
County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey.

Name of Individual Registrant: Leif Eric Edwards  
Name of Corporation of LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.: HYDRADYN LLC, 2440 San Juan Rd., Aromas, CA 95004.  
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: OR  
This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Nov. 10, 2017.  
S/ Leif E. Edwards, Manager Nov. 13, 2017  
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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172324  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**Heartland Hospice Services, 2511 Garden Rd. #A-250, Monterey, CA 93940.**  
County of Monterey.  
Registered Owner(s):  
In Home Health, LLC, 333 N. Summit St., Toledo, OH 43604; Minnesota  
This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 11-7-2007.  
S/ Patricia A. McCormick, Secretary  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on November 27, 2017.  
12/8, 12/15, 12/22, 12/29/17  
**CNS-3077615#  
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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172276  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**1. FINELUX JEWELRY  
2. MEZZA CATERING  
832 W. Franklin St. #C, Monterey, CA 93940.**  
Registered Owner(s):  
MOHAMED KARAKI, 832 W. Franklin St. #C, Monterey, CA 93940.  
County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey

This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.  
S/ Mohamed Karaki Nov. 15, 2017  
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This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 15, 2017  
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Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING  
Publication dates: Dec. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2017. (PC1212)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172343  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
**Kal Financial, 200 Clocktower Place Suite A100 & A102, Carmel, CA 93923**  
County of MONTEREY  
Registrant(s):  
American Financial Network, Inc., 10 Pointe Dr. Suite 330, Brea, CA 92821  
This business is conducted by a Corporation  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.  
American Financial Network, Inc.  
S/ John R. Sherman, President  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 11/28/2017.  
12/15, 12/22, 12/29/17, 1/5/18  
**CNS-3079667#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 15, 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 2018. (PC1214)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172331  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**ACSA Region 10, 901 Blanco Circle, Salinas, CA 93901,** County of Monterey  
Registered Owner(s):  
Association of California School Administrators, 1029 J Street, Suite 500, Sacramento, CA 95814; California  
This business is conducted by a corporation.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on N/A.  
S/ Mariphil Romanow-Cole  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on November 27, 2017.  
12/15, 12/22, 12/29/17, 1/5/18  
**CNS-3074063#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172294  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**Premier Hypnosis Training Center, 177 Webster St. #221, Monterey, CA 93940,** County of Monterey; Mailing Address: Same as above  
Registered Owner(s):  
Gnostic Light, Inc., 177 Webster St. #221, Monterey, CA 93940; CA  
This business is conducted by a Corporation.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 11/14/2017.  
S/ Theresa Micheletti, CEO  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on November 17, 2017.  
12/15, 12/22, 12/29/17, 1/5/18  
**CNS-3078486#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 15, 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 2018. (PC1216)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172323  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**Mama Joyce's Take 'N' Bake Pizza, 2440 Fremont St., Suite 202, Monterey, CA 93940,** County of Monterey  
Registered Owner(s):  
Mama Joyce's Take 'N' Bake Pizza, LLC, 2440 Fremont St., Suite 202, Monterey, CA 93940; 201726310086  
This business is conducted by a limited liability company  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 09/17/2017  
S/ John Parker, Managing Member  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on November 22, 2017  
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**CNS-3074747#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 15, 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 2018. (PC1217)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172382  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**COASTLINE WINDOW CLEANING, 81 E Garzas Rd, Carmel Valley, CA 93924.**  
Registered Owner(s):  
ISMAEL OLIVERA CALTZONTZIN, 81 E Garzas Rd, Carmel Valley, CA 93924.  
County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Dec. 5, 2017.  
S/ Ismael Olivera Caltzontzin Dec. 5, 2017

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Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING  
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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172408  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
**Marina Dialysis, 930 2nd Avenue, Marina, CA 93933-6009**  
County of MONTEREY  
Registrant(s):  
Marseille Dialysis, LLC, 2000 16th Street,

Attn: JLD/SecGovFin., Denver, CO 80202  
This business is conducted by a limited liability company  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/1/2017.  
Marseille Dialysis, LLC  
S/ Arturo Sida, Secretary,  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 12/07/2017.  
12/22, 12/29/17, 1/3, 1/12/18  
**CNS-3076108#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1218)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172411  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
**Soledad Dialysis Center, 901 Los Cochos Drive, Soledad, CA 93960 - 2995**  
County of MONTEREY  
Registrant(s):  
Soledad Dialysis Center, LLC, 2000 16th Street, Attn: JLD/SecGovFin., Denver, CO 80202  
This business is conducted by a limited liability company  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/1/2017.  
Soledad Dialysis Center, LLC  
S/ Arturo Sida, Secretary,  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 12/07/2017.  
12/22, 12/29/17, 1/3, 1/12/18  
**CNS-3076063#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1219)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172412  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
**Laurel Meadows Home Training, 3 Rossi Circle, Suite B, Salinas, CA 93907 - 2356**  
County of MONTEREY  
Registrant(s):  
Total Renal Care, Inc., 2000 16th Street, Attn: JLD/SecGovFin., Denver, CO 80202  
This business is conducted by a Corporation  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/1/2017.  
Total Renal Care, Inc.  
S/ Arturo Sida, Secretary,  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 12/07/2017.  
12/22, 12/29/17, 1/3, 1/12/18  
**CNS-3076095#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1220)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172409  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
**Salinas Valley Dialysis Center, 955 Blanco Circle, Suite C, Salinas, CA 93901 - 4452** County of MONTEREY  
Registrant(s):  
Total Renal Care, Inc., 2000 16th Street, Attn: JLD/SecGovFin., Denver, CO 80202  
This business is conducted by a Corporation  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/1/2017.  
Total Renal Care, Inc.  
S/ Arturo Sida, Secretary,  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 12/07/2017.  
12/22, 12/29/17, 1/3, 1/12/18  
**CNS-3076102#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1221)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172456  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**1. SANTA LUCIA PROPERTY  
2. BORROMEO LAND COMPANY  
360 Via Paraiso, Monterey, CA 93940.**  
Mailing address: P.O. Box 221535, Carmel, CA 93922.  
County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey.  
Name of Corporation of LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.: LA TIERRA, INC., 360 Via Paraiso, Monterey, CA 93940.  
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: \_\_\_\_\_  
This business is conducted by a corporation.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.  
S/ Lisa J. Guthrie, President Dec. 13, 2017

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This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 13, 2017  
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Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1226)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172464  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**ARTISAN PICKUPS, 706 Redwood Lane, Pacific Grove, California 93950.**  
Registered Owner(s):  
MARC ALEXANDER, 706 Redwood Lane, Pacific Grove, California 93950.  
County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Dec. 12, 2017.  
S/ Marc Alexander Dec. 14, 2017  
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**6250-6277).**  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 14, 2017  
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Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1227)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172426  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
**Stearns Home Loans, 1368 S Main St, Ste B, Salinas, CA 93901**  
County of MONTEREY  
Registrant(s):  
Stearns Lending, LLC, 4 Hutton Centre Dr, 10th Fl, Santa Ana, CA 92707  
This business is conducted by a limited liability company  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.  
Stearns Lending, LLC  
S/ Lorian Ventura, Vice President  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 12/11/2017.  
12/22, 12/29/17, 1/5, 1/12/18  
**CNS-3081273#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1228)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172420  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**Rich Habit, 937 San Miguel, Soledad, CA 93960,** County of Monterey  
Registered Owner(s):  
Richard Hidalgo, 937 San Miguel, Soledad, CA 93960  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on N/A.  
S/ Richard Hidalgo  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on December 8, 2017.  
12/22, 12/29/17, 1/5, 1/12/18  
**CNS-3078715#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1229)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172414  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**L. Line, 2954 Bird Rock Rd., Pebble Beach, CA 93953,** County of Monterey  
Registered Owner(s):  
Christian Taylor Longway, 2954 Bird Rock Rd., Pebble Beach, CA 93953  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on N/A.  
S/ Christian Taylor Longway  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on December 8, 2017.  
12/22, 12/29/17, 1/5, 1/12/18  
**CNS-3079154#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1230)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172410  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
**Laurel Meadows Dialysis, 3 Rossi Circle, Suite A, Salinas, CA 93907 - 2356**  
County of MONTEREY  
Registrant(s):  
Conconully Dialysis, LLC, 2000 16th Street, Attn: JLD/SecGovFin., Denver, CO 80202  
This business is conducted by a limited liability company  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/1/2017.  
Conconully Dialysis, LLC  
S/ Arturo Sida, Secretary,  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 12/07/2017.  
12/22, 12/29/17, 1/5, 1/12/18  
**CNS-3076077#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1231)

## SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY

### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. 17CV004557  
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: petitioner, JENNIFER LYNNE PEERY, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
**A. Present name:** JENNIFER LYNNE PEERY  
**Proposed name:** JENNIFER LYNNE TAYLOR PEERY  
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

**NOTICE OF HEARING:**  
DATE: February 16, 2018  
TIME: 9:00 a.m.  
DEPT: 15  
The address of the court is 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940.  
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: The Carmel Pine Cone, Carmel.  
(s) Thomas W. Willis  
Judge of the Superior Court  
Date filed: Dec. 19, 2017  
Publication dates: Dec. 22, 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 2018. (PC1232)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172484  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**MIKE DONNELLY CONSTRUCTION, SE Corner of Santa Fe & 3rd Street, Carmel, CA 93922.**

**Mailing address: P.O. Box 223052, Carmel, CA 93922.**  
County of Principal Place of Business: Monterey.  
Name of Corporation of LLC as shown in the Articles of Inc./Org./Reg.: WMD III INC., SE Corner of Santa Fe & 3rd Street, Carmel, CA 93922.  
State of Inc./Org./Reg.: \_\_\_\_\_  
This business is conducted by a corporation.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.  
S/ William M. Donnelly, President Dec. 18, 2017  
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Filing type: ORIGINAL FILING  
Publication dates: Dec. 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 19, 2018. (PC1234)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 20172448  
The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:  
**CVS/pharmacy #16200, 1640 N Main Street, Salinas, CA 93906,** County of Monterey; **Mailing Address: One CVS Drive, Woonsocket, RI 02895**  
Registered Owner(s):  
Garfield Beach CVS, LLC., One CVS Drive, Woonsocket, RI 02895; CA  
This business is conducted by a limited liability company.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 12/16/2015.  
S/ Melanie K. Luker, Secretary  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on December 13, 2017.  
12/29/17, 1/5, 1/12, 1/19/18  
**CNS-3080158#  
CARMEL PINE CONE**  
Publication dates: Dec. 29, 2017, Jan. 5, 12, 19, 2018. (PC1235)

**T.S. No. 059202-CA APN: 103-051-024-000 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 9/18/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER On 1/24/2018 at 10:00 AM, CLEAR RECON CORP, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 9/26/2006, as Instrument No. 2006084071, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Monterey County, State of CALIFORNIA executed by: DENVER DUDLEY STANTON DALE AND TRICIA ELLIS MARKUSEN, AS TRUSTEES OF THE DALE-MARKUSEN LIVING TRUST DTD 3/22/2000 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:** In front of the main entrance of the Monterey County Administration building located at 168

W. Alisal Street, Salinas, CA 93901 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: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED ON SAID DEED OF TRUST The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 24005 FAIRFIELD PLACE CARMEL, CALIFORNIA 93923 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition, or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$1,982,509.80 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 located. **NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS:** If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. **NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER:** The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 866-826-1670 or visit this Internet Web site WWW.HUDSONAND-MARSHALL.COM, using the file number assigned to this case 059202-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. FOR SALES INFORMATION: 866-826-1670 CLEAR RECON CORP. 4375 Jutland Drive San Diego, California 92117

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# This Week

Live Music,  
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## Chicano All-Stars, Samba Légal rock the New Year

Family-friendly party to welcome 2018

CELEBRATING ITS 25th anniversary — and serving up a family-friendly mix of music, theater and art — First Night Monterey kicks off Dec. 31 at 3:30 p.m. and runs until

### On A High Note

By CHRIS COUNTS

well past midnight.

“Every year, people tell us how magical First Night is to them,” Ellen Martin, the executive director for the event, told

The Pine Cone. “It provides a safe and creative way for people to celebrate with their family and their community, and in a very joyful way — we need that more than ever.”

The shows at the annual downtown Monterey gathering range from the reflective, like **I Cantori Carmel’s** concert in Carleton Hall’s sanctuary, to the celebratory, like performances by **The Chicano All-Stars** and **Samba Légal** — two acts that will be playing when the clock strikes 12 and the New Year arrives.

The lineup features two dozen music acts and eight dance groups, including **Heartstrings**, **The Black Irish Band**, **Derek Bodkin & The Hovering Breadcat Folk Ensemble**, percussionist **Jayson Fann**, singer-songwriters **Dan**

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## Pebble Beach artist unveils tribute to Klimt

ONE CENTURY after the death of painter Gustav Klimt — whose “Kiss” ranks among the world’s most famous artworks — artist William Eatmon unveils a tribute to the Austrian symbolist.

The show — which opens at Venture Gallery in Monterey Jan. 1 — includes Eatmon’s original work, which is influenced by Klimt, who died in 1918.

“I’ve liked his paintings for many years, and his work is still very much appreciated,” Eatmon told The Pine Cone. “I’m retired engineer, and I relate to a lot of the symbols and colors he used. I combine science, physics and cosmology with Klimt’s techniques to make my paintings original.”

### Art Roundup

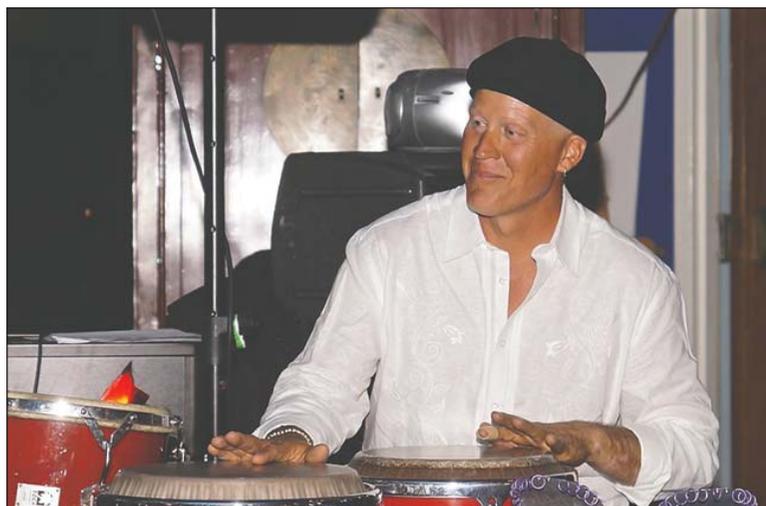
By CHRIS COUNTS

Klimt’s influence on Eatmon’s work is obvious on some of his paintings, and less so on others, which simply look like abstractions.

A retired engineer who worked in the aerospace industry, Eatmon moved to Pebble Beach two decades ago, and operated a gallery in Carmel Plaza for five years until closing it last year to make way for the Carmel Chamber of Commerce, which moved into his space.

After experimenting with many artistic styles in his spare time while he worked as an engineer — including photography and sculpture — Eatmon has developed his own creative approach. “I have settled on oil and acrylic paintings which cover realistic subjects to abstract with the emphasis on larger abstract paintings, impressionism, and pointillism,” he

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The House of Mary (left) will play indie rock Dec. 30 at Fernwood Resort in Big Sur, while percussionist Jayson Fann will jam with special guests along Alvarado Street Dec. 31 from 6 to 10 p.m. during Monterey’s 25th annual First Night celebration.

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# Forager's Fest back in Big Sur, a Gingerquarium, and bowl game breakfasts

AFTER A one-year sojourn to Carmel Valley due to the fire damage in 2016 and the closure of its main venue for a remodel, the Big Sur Foragers Festival returns to the area in January.

The Big Sur Health Center is the beneficiary of the festival, which includes fundraising dinners, mushroom-related

and illness — actually begin Thursday night, Jan. 11, when Lugano Swiss Bistro will donate 25 percent of its food, beer and wine sales to the effort. Located in the Barnyard shopping center, Lugano's will have live music that night, too.

On Friday, the Rio Grill in the Crossroads shopping center will contribute 10 percent of its dinner sales, up to \$500, and a special wine dinner with Chappellet Vineyards at Il Grillo will help, too. Details have yet to be announced, but if last

year's dinner at sister restaurant La Balena is any indicator, it will be an evening not to be missed, especially with chef Quinn Thompson in the kitchen. Il Grillo is located on Mission north of Fifth.

Saturday morning will include an intermediate-level hike with mycologists and costs \$35 per person.

The 6th annual Fungus Face Off will take place on the Ventana inn's Ocean Meadow Lawn, and restaurants signed on to compete include Alvarado Street Brewery, A Taste of Elegance Catering, California Market at Pacific's Edge at Hyatt Carmel Highlands, Carmel Valley Ranch, Fernwood, Post Ranch Inn, Roy's, and, of course, the new Sur House at Ventana.

Participating wineries and breweries will be Alvarado Street, Baker & Brain, Bernardus, Blair, Bonny Doon, Chappellet, Chesebro, Comanche Cellars, Filippini, Fly Wheel, Mad Otter Ale, Mesa del Sol, Morgan, Paul Lato, Twisted Roots, and Tablas Creek.

A few other providers will be there offering samples and selling their goods, like Carmel Honey Co., Percy's Pies, Carmel Berry Co. elderberry products, and Quail and Olive.

Tickets to the face off are \$75. Also helping to raise money for the health center, a raffle (\$5 per ticket, or six for \$25)

## soup to nuts

By MARY SCHLEY

walks and talks, and its Jan. 13 headliner, the Fungus Face Off, which has notable local chefs competing to make the best use of foraged ingredients and wild mushrooms in small bites that will wow a panel of judges and the crowd.

The efforts benefiting the health center — which serves not only residents, but tourists, firefighters responding to major disasters, and everyone else passing through who might need help with anything from a splinter, to exposure



PHOTO/JIM PINCKNEY

Learning about wild mushrooms — including those you can eat, and those you can't — is part of the Big Sur Forager's Fest, which will return to Ventana next month.

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will have a lot of great prizes, like the Dine Around Package with gift certificates from three local restaurants, a three-night stay in Baja, a VIP tasting experience at Bernardus for up to 10 people, tickets to museums and symphony performances, and a stay at the Hofsas House with dinner at Bistro Moulin.

For more information, visit [www.Big-SurHealthCenter.org](http://www.Big-SurHealthCenter.org). Tickets can be ordered through Eventbrite.

**■ Gingerbread aquarium**

Michelle Lee, the talented pastry chef who works as a sous chef at the InterContinental hotel on Cannery Row, created a gingerbread display this year that goes well outside the box and has a distinctively local theme. Her “Gingerquarium” will be on display until Jan. 2, so even though Christmas is over, people can still drop by to admire her (mostly) edible creation.

“I’ve done several gingerbread displays throughout my career, all featuring traditional gingerbread houses,” she explained. “This year, I wanted to do something different, so we decided to look at our surroundings for inspiration and made a ‘Gingerquarium,’ a celebration of Monterey’s marine life and a nod to our neighbors at the Monterey Bay Aquarium.”

Lee said she even went on a research trip next door for inspiration, and she ended up creating an elaborate display using gingerbread, chocolate, graham cracker crumbs and rice cereal treats.

“As always, I love getting into the detailed work, so there are a bunch of cute little scenes to look for,” she said. “I tried to make it fun for children to try to find the scenes.”

The hotel, with its bar and restaurant, is located at 750 Cannery Row.

**■ Bowl Game breakfasts**

With college football bowl games being played through the rest of this month and early next, Mulligan Public House on Dolores Street south of Ocean has added a few breakfast specials for patrons to enjoy on game days.

In addition to their regular breakfast items — like Eggs Benedict with fried chicken AND grilled ham, chicken fried steak and eggs, and breakfast sliders with grilled sausage patties, fried eggs and melted cheese — Mulligan is serving crab cake avocado

Benedict for \$17, turkey avocado Benedict for \$15, and veggie benedict for \$15.

Special omelets include veggie, Mexican chorizo, and steak fajita, each for \$14, served with country potatoes. The grilled breakfast sandwich and the French toast with fruit, whipped cream and maple syrup are each \$14, too.

And, of course, it all can be washed down with a bacon Bloody Mary or two.

For more information, call (831) 250-5910.

**■ Fifi’s changes hands**

After more than three decades of running their restaurant and wine shop on Forest Hill, Michèle and Calvin Wilkes have sold Fifi’s Bistro Café to Jennifer and Fabrice Roux, owners of Roux restaurant and the new Carmel Valley Chophouse, both in Carmel Valley Village. The couple’s last night in their restaurant will be New Year’s Eve.

“It is our understanding that they intend to keep things very French and also plan to keep much of our great staff on board,” Michèle wrote in a recent letter they both signed. “As further details come to us, we will be sure to share them with you.”

The couple thanked their loyal customers for their support, and Michèle shared the fact that she started the restaurant in 1985 with her now ex-husband, Phillipe, after whom the restaurant is named, as “Fifi” is a nickname for Phillipe in France. Calvin joined her there in 2000, bringing his extensive wine knowledge “and unconditional devotion to the business.”

“And here we are now, with mixed emotions, heavy in the heart to be parting ways with all of you, but also eager to start a new chapter in our lives,” she wrote. “My mom likes to quote the phrase, ‘La Roue Tourne,’ which means, ‘The Wheel Spins.’ We trust you can all relate.”

**■ Deals for locals**

Artemis Turkish restaurant on Ocean Avenue between San Carlos and Mission is offering a 25 percent discount to Monterey County residents. Show a local ID at the restaurant on any Wednesday in January to get the deal on food and drink.

The restaurant serves “shareable Turkish plates, upscale entrées and wines,” and is open from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. for lunch, and 5:30 to 10 p.m. for dinner. Call (831) 574-8991 or visit [www.artemiscarmel.com](http://www.artemiscarmel.com)

for information.

**■ MEarth starts CSA**

Community Supported Agriculture is a way for people to get produce directly from a small local farm by paying ahead of time for a “share” of the crop, and the MEarth habitat project next to Carmel Middle School has decided to get into the business.

For \$300, participants get a bag of the organic garden’s produce, which will be available for pickup each Friday between 3 and 5 p.m., for 12 weeks.

“This effort will not only share the nutritious ‘wealth’ of produce from the property, but also helps MEarth generate additional revenue to support our mission of educating and inspiring through environmental stewardship,” organizers said.

Just 10 shares are available for the inaugural season, which runs February through April, and the contents of the weekly bag will vary, based on what’s ready for harvest from the garden. Shareholders will also

receive a weekly newsletter with produce updates and suggested recipes.

Visit [www.mearthcarmel.org](http://www.mearthcarmel.org) for more.

**■ Memorial celebration for Clement Galante**

Clement Galante, father of winery owner Jack Galante, died this month at the age of 95, and a celebration of his life is planned at the Dawn’s Dream tasting room, owned by Jack’s wife, Dawn, on Sunday, Jan. 14, from 10 a.m. to noon.

Galante was born on the Island of Rhodes on May 5, 1922, and he moved to Brussels at the age of 17 before being sent to work in the Belgian Congo in the family’s clothing business for a decade. He immigrated to the United States in 1948 and went to San Francisco to visit his brother, Maurice, an intern at the UCSF Medical Center. While he could speak eight languages, English wasn’t one of them, but he quickly learned while

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# MUSIC

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**Frechette & Laurel Thomsen, The Proudest Monkeys, The Coffis Brothers** and many others.

Besides live music and dance, First Night features an array of street performances, exhibits and activities for who organizers call “the young and the young-at-heart.”

“There’s something for everyone,” Martin added.

All-event buttons are \$25 for adults and \$18 for kids and teens under 15. Children under 5 get in free. To buy buttons or see a complete schedule of events, visit [www.first-nightmonterey.org](http://www.first-nightmonterey.org)

## Cherry Trio looks way back

Playing music that’s been around for three centuries — and using instruments that look just as old — **The Cherry Trio** presents “Our Favorite Things” Saturday, Dec. 30, at the Cherry Center for the Arts.

Featuring **Elizabeth Gaver** on violin, **Penny Hanna** on the viola de gamba and **Katie Clare Mazzeo** on the harpsichord, the trio plays baroque music with period instruments. At the Cherry Center, the trio will perform sonatas and solos by lesser-known but famous-in-their-day composers like Dieterich Buxtehude, Jean-Marie Le Claire, Johann Krieger and Johann Fischer.

The Pine Cone asked Mazzeo what inspires her and her colleagues to go to such lengths to preserve a form of music that had its heyday in the 17th century. “Why do we keep jazz alive?” Mazzeo responded.

Gaver, Hanna and Mazzeo play instruments that fell out of fashion a couple centuries ago, yet make it possible to recreate

baroque music today.

“My harpsichord is not an original from 1686,” explained Mazzeo, who lives in Carmel. “We each have very fine replicas of old instruments.”

According to Mazzeo, she is just one of many musicians today who are recreating the music of the baroque period.

“At some point, someone said: ‘Why don’t we perform the music that was written for those instruments on those instruments,’” she added. “That’s how this movement got started.”

Formed a decade ago, the Cherry Trio doesn’t play very often — mostly because Gaver lives in Oslo, Norway. But they’ve made a tradition of playing at the Cherry Center each year in late December.

The concert starts at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$25. The Cherry Center is located at Guadalupe and Fourth. Call (831) 624-7491.

## Live Music Dec. 29-Jan. 4

**Barmel** — **The Fetti Brothers** (hip-hop, Friday at 7 p.m.); and **J.W & the Wranglers** (counts swing, Saturday at 7 p.m.). San Carlos and Seventh, (831) 626-3400.

**Bon Ton L’Roy’s Lighthouse Smokehouse** in Monterey — **Alligator** (blues, Cajun and zydeco, Sunday 8 p.m.). 794 Lighthouse Ave., (831) 375-6958.

**Cafe Trieste** in Monterey — singers **Tommy Howbert** and **Kristen Gradwohl** of Valley Soul (indie acoustic, Saturday at 6:30 p.m.). 409 Alvarado St., (831) 241-6064.

**Cibo Ristorante Italiano** in Monterey — **Cougar Unleashed** (r&b and soul, Friday at 9 p.m.); **Wild Card** (rock and r&b, Saturday at 9 p.m.); singer **Dizzy Burnett** (jazz and swing, Sunday at 7 p.m.); singer **Lee Durley** and pianist **Joe Indence** (jazz and swing, Tuesday at 7 p.m.); **Andrea’s Fault** (Wednesday at 7 p.m.); and **The Ben Herod**



A folk duo with deep local roots, Dan Frechette and Laurel Thomsen will play three shows starting at 8 p.m. during Monterey’s First Night celebration Dec. 31.

**Trio** (swing and jazz, Thursday at 7 p.m.). 301 Alvarado St., (831) 649-8151.

**Cooper’s Pub & Restaurant** in Monterey — guitarist **Terry Strickland** (Latin and contemporary, Friday at 9 p.m.); singer-songwriter **Derek Bodkin** (Saturday at 9 p.m.); and **Johnny Tsunami & the Shoulder Hoppers** (rock, Sunday at 9 p.m.). 653 Cannery Row, (831) 373-1353.

**East Village Coffee Lounge** in Monterey — **Nuclear Fuzz** of Monterey unveils its debut recording (funk, hard rock and surf, Friday at 7 p.m.); and singer-songwriter **Wonder** (Thursday at 3 p.m.). 498 Washington St., (831) 373-5601.

**Fernwood Resort** in Big Sur — **House of Mary** (indie rock Saturday at 9 p.m.); and **C.B. Brand** (alt-country, Sunday at 9 p.m.). On Highway 1 25 miles south of Carmel, (831) 667-2422.

**Folktale Winery** in Carmel Valley — singer-songwriter **Austin Metreyeon** (Saturday at 4:30 p.m.). 8940 Carmel Valley Road, (831) 293-7500.

**The Golden Bough Playhouse** — **PacRep Theatre** presents the last incarnation of its ongoing rock ‘n’ roll tribute concert series, “Viva Las Vegas” (Thursday through Sunday, including a special New Year’s Eve performance). On Monte Verde between Eighth and Ninth, call (831) 622-0100.

**Hidden Valley Music Seminars** in Carmel Valley — **Café Musique** with pianist **Bob Phillips** and multi-instrumentalist **Eddie Erickson** (Gypsy swing and more, Sunday at 9 p.m.). Carmel Valley and Ford roads, (831) 659-3115.

**Hyatt Regency Monterey Hotel** — guitarist **Bob Basa**, drummer **David Morwood** and special guests (jazz, Friday at 7 p.m.); saxophonist **Ben Herod**, guitarist **Gino Raugi**, bassist **Billy Bosch** and drummer **David Morwood** (jazz, Saturday at 7 p.m.); guitarist **Mike Lent**, bassist **Peter Lips** and **The David Morwood Jazz Band** with special guests (jazz, Sunday at 8:30 p.m.); and a New Year’s Day Jazz Brunch with **The David Morwood Jazz Band** (jazz, Monday at 9 a.m.). 1 Old Golf Course Road, (831) 372-1234.

**The Inn at Spanish Bay** in Pebble Beach — **The Jazz Trio** featuring pianists **Bob**

**Phillips** or **Bill Spencer** (jazz, in the lobby, Friday and Saturday at 7 p.m.); and **The Dottie Dodgion Trio** (jazz, Thursday at 7 p.m.); also, a bagpiper plays every evening at sunset. 2700 17 Mile Drive, (831) 647-7500.

**Julia’s** vegetarian restaurant in Pacific Grove — singer-songwriter **Buddy Comfort** (Friday at 6:30 p.m.); singer and guitarist **Rick Chelew** (Monday at 3:30 p.m.); singer and guitarist **Rick Chelew** with singer, songwriter and multi-instrumentalist **Elise Leavy** (Thursday at 6 p.m.). 1180 Forest Ave., (831) 656-9533.

**The London Bridge Pub in Monterey** — **The Dave Holodiloff Band** with violinist **Peter Mellinger**, pianist **Michael Martinez** and bassist **Bill Sullivan** (“bluegrass and beyond,” Sunday at 9:30 p.m. 256 Figueroa St., (831) 372-0581.

**Mission Ranch** — pianist **Tom Gastineau** (jazz, Friday, Saturday and Sunday at 5 p.m.); singer and pianist **Maddalene Edstrom** (jazz and pop, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m., and Sunday at 7 p.m.); pianist **David Kempton** (jazz, Monday through Thursday at 8 p.m.) and pianist **Gennady Loktionov** (jazz, Sunday at 10 a.m., Monday through Thursday at 8 p.m.). 26270 Dolores St., (831) 625-9040.

**The Portola Hotel and Spa** in Monterey — **The Money Band** (Sunday at 7:30 p.m.). 2 Portola Plaza, 649-4511.

**The Sunset Lounge** at Hyatt Carmel Highlands — singer **Neal Banks** and guitarist **Steve Ezzo** (pop and rock, Friday at 7 p.m.); and singer and pianist **Dino Vera** (jazz, blues and r&b, Saturday at 7 p.m. and Thursday at 6 p.m.). 120 Highlands Drive, (831) 620-1234.

**Terry’s Lounge** at Cypress Inn — singer and pianist **Dino Vera** (jazz, blues and r&b, Friday at 7 p.m.); pianist **Gennady Loktionov** and singer **Debbie Davis** (cabaret, Saturday at 7 p.m.); **Andrea’s Fault** (jazz and blues, Sunday at 11 a.m.); and singer **Debbie Davis** (cabaret, Sunday at 8 p.m.). Lincoln and Seventh, (831) 624-3871.

**The Trailside Cafe** in Carmel Valley — saxophonist **Roger Eddy** (jazz and blues, Friday at 6 p.m.); and singer-songwriter **Andy Furman** (“Brooklyn-billy,” Saturday at 6 p.m.). 3 Del Fino Place, (831) 298-7453.

# CALENDAR

**Dec. 31 — Eun Ha Chung is an accomplished pipe organist and concert pianist.** She returns to the Monterey Peninsula for a 3 p.m. New Year’s Eve Day Organ Concert at Carmel Presbyterian Church, where she was the former organist. She is a guest organist and worship leader at the Post Community Chapel and Cadet Chapel at West Point, New York and the pianist for the Hudson Valley Piano Trio. In 2017, she has accompanied “The 3 Irish Tenors” in concert, presented at the Cadet Chapel Organ Series, and accompanied Handel’s “Messiah” with the Hudson Opera Theatre. Eun Ha is a graduate of Keimyung University in South Korea and pursued advanced degrees at the Munich Conservatory, Germany. She has taught piano performance at Keimyung University and Georgia Christian University. She has performed solo concerts in Korea,

Germany, and the United States. Join her for the organ music of J.S. Bach, C.S. Lang, C. Franck, and others.

**Dec. 31 — Join Caffe Trieste for the countdown!** Music by DJ Ka’Nete, producer and DJ from South Africa, resident DJ for The Four Seasons, Tesla, RRS Motor Club, W Hotel & more! Belly dancing performance by The Dancing Jewel. 8 p.m.-2 a.m. 409 Alvarado St., downtown Monterey (831) 241-6064

**Jan. 7 — Labyrinth Walk:** 2-4 p.m. Set your intentions for 2018 and center your spirit! Join the Rev. Sibyl Reynolds and harpist Amy Krupski on the Community Labyrinth at Community Church of the Monterey Peninsula, 4590 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel. Bring a journal and pen for reflection following your walk. If the weather is inclement, the walk will be held inside. All are welcome.

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# That Green Monster's no nightmare — it's the stuff of childhood dreams

THIS IS the tale of a hard-luck athlete who never permitted himself to feel unlucky. Instead, Devin Pearson clung to his optimism, leaned relentlessly into his work ethic, and seized upon a golden opportunity when it came.

The former Carmel High superstar (Class of 2010) persevered through a childhood nightmare — his mom, Kim Drinker, beat long odds to conquer cancer — and fought through a maddening series of injuries at UC Berkeley that shattered a lifelong dream.

In June 2016, on the night before Major League Baseball's 2016 amateur draft, in which he might have been selected in the first 10 rounds, Pearson called 15 teams that had expressed interest and told them not to draft him — his broken-down body was no longer capable of doing the things it once did on a baseball diamond. He declared himself to be at peace with the decision, but nobody as competitive as Pearson goes down that easily.

"After graduation, I tried commercial real estate, but didn't like it, so I moved back home, helped out with the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am, and worked with the Monterey Peninsula Foundation," Pearson said.

## Peninsula Sports

By DENNIS TAYLOR

And then, last February, the phone rang. The voice on the other end was a fellow Cal Berkeley alum who was the assistant director of amateur scouting for the Boston Red Sox. He wondered if Pearson would be interested in flying to Boston to discuss an internship with the team.

Two days later, Pearson landed at Logan International Airport in snowy, 20-degree weather, made his way to Fenway Park, and interviewed with 10 different Red Sox higher-ups, one at a time.

"What was interesting is that we didn't talk a whole lot about baseball," he said. "They all seemed far more interested in getting to know me as a person, figuring out how well I might mesh with the other people in their office."

### 'The residue of design'

The Red Sox liked what they saw and offered him an internship with the team's pro scouting division. Nine months later — a month ago — they hired him full-time as an assistant in amateur scouting. And, by the way, he's still a few days from his 24th birthday.

"We have area scouts throughout the country, plus cross-checkers, so a typical day for me involves reading all the reports we receive from those people, making sure I know all of the players, and communicating with the guys above me about what our scouts think.

"I'm basically a voice in the office for our scouts in the field," Pearson said. "A lot of what I do is a dream come true, but it's also a lot of work. When the high school and college seasons are under way, we're basically going all day, every day, but I enjoy every minute."

He's been lucky — he repeatedly acknowledges that — but, as legendary Dodgers General Manager Branch Rickey once declared, "Luck is the residue of design."



Devin Pearson's injuries at Cal might have kept him from pro ball, but he still enjoys the view from above the Green Monster at Fenway Park.



Pearson has also paid his dues. He was only 10 in 2004 when doctors discovered a malignant tumor on his mother's brain. Kim Drinker, a Carmel psychotherapist, quickly learned that 95 percent of patients with her affliction lived five years or less. Her own doctor was more blunt: "Be prepared to live a year," he told her.

"I honestly don't remember noticing any symptoms. I was just a little kid at the time," Pearson said in 2015 "But my dad (retired Salinas fire captain and former NFL football player Dennis Pearson) noticed that something wasn't right, and other people did, too, I guess."

She spent nearly three years enduring chemotherapy, radiation treatments, two surgeries and experimental drugs. In 2007, a brain scan revealed a miracle — the cancer was gone.

Through it all, she spent every possible moment watching her son evolve into a transcendent multi-sport athlete, one of the best ever to attend Carmel High. As a sophomore quarterback for the Padres, he led the team to a 12-0 season and the 2009 Central Coast Section crown. He made the all-state team twice as a football player, was voted Most Valuable player in the Mission Trail Athletic League in both football and basketball, and was all-state and league MVP twice in baseball.

At near end of his senior year, the Toronto Blue Jays chose him in the 30th round of the Major League draft, but he opted instead to take a scholarship to Cal Berkeley, where he had a stellar career despite three separate debilitating injuries.

After an impressive freshman season (.303 batting average, .333 with runners in scoring position), Pearson tore up a shoulder sliding into a base during summer ball and needed surgery to piece it back together.

As a sophomore, he broke a finger on his left hand diving for a ball in the outfield — an injury that required three screws to repair — and batted just .190.

He enjoyed a career-best season as a junior, leading the Bears with a .355 average, including a team-high 12 doubles, two triples, four home runs and 22 RBI, but also suffered the strangest injury of all: He was swinging a bat when a bone in his left hand snapped in half and had to be surgically removed.

As a senior, only playing about one-third of the season, he batted .295.

"I knew I wanted to find my way back into the world of sports, but just didn't really know how to do it. It was extremely exciting to get that call from the Red Sox," he said.

### Six rows behind home

As an intern, Pearson spent two weeks at spring training in 2017, and often sat six rows behind home plate at Fenway Park during the regular season, using a radar gun to clock the speed of pitches.

"That also gave me an opportunity to create my own gauge when I look at players," he said. "You scale every player off the major league level, so getting an up-close view of big league players, and developing that gauge, has been the most interesting part for me."

As a full-timer, he'll be at Red Sox spring training in Fort Myers, Fla., from February to April, much of which he'll spend scouting high school and college players throughout the state.

Pearson's office is in Fenway Park, which was built in 1912 and is the oldest stadium in Major League Baseball.

"I don't have a view — the place is so old that they have to hide all of the office space — but it's pretty special when you can just open a door and be in the ballpark," he said.

"You can feel the ghosts on game day," said Pearson of a

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# Editorial

## Panetta right on the money

THE U.S. government owns 45 percent of California, 45 percent of Arizona, 64 percent of Utah and 83 percent of Nevada. Does it need to acquire more?

To answer this question, it first helps to understand how the feds became the owners of so much land: By taking it away from Mexico in a war. In fact, at the moment the Treaty of Hidalgo was signed in 1848, ending the Mexican-American War, the U.S. government became the owner of nearly all of the land in the heretofore mentioned states, and the only reason it doesn't own that much today is that Congress and various presidents spent the first 50 years after the war trying to give it away to encourage settlement — mostly by homesteaders. Today, the feds still own most of Nevada for the simple reason that 150 years ago, nobody wanted to live on it. Likewise, the vast mountain ranges of California are mostly "national forests" today because in the 1860s and 1870s they weren't considered suitable for agriculture or grazing or, therefore, homesteading.

Today, of course, the purpose of the homestead policies of the 19th century — filling the West with people — has more than been achieved. With a population of 35 million, California contains far more people than the entire United States had in 1850. Many Californians today live and work on land that once belonged to Washington.

So populous is California, the idea of the feds encouraging people to move here by letting them have a free piece of land sounds absurd. Instead, we've turned a 180 and have embraced an open-space movement that seeks to keep anyone from building anything on vast stretches of the Golden State. Even the U.S. government has been very active in that movement, spending millions to take back land it owned not too long ago, this time for the purpose of protecting it from people. But shouldn't the public at least be allowed to visit it?

A prime example of that question is Big Sur's highly scenic Brazil Ranch, which was homesteaded in the 1870s and used for cattle grazing for 125 years before being acquired by Washington in 2003 for \$23 million, all to prevent seven or eight houses from being built. At the time, the express purpose of buying Brazil Ranch was to turn it into a park everyone could visit. Instead, because of budget cuts and pressure from environmentalists, Brazil Ranch sits unused, with no plans to make it available to the public for camping or hiking in the foreseeable future.

Meanwhile, as some of the most important open-space acquisitions of 20 and 30 years ago remain closed to the public, there are calls all the time for the government to buy more — including the 1,200-acre Adler Ranch, which belongs to a land conservation group that's urging the federal government to buy it and make it part of Los Padres National Forest.

Our previous congressman, Sam Farr, wouldn't have hesitated for a moment to ask his colleagues on Capitol Hill to allocate the taxpayers' money for the purchase of Adler Ranch. To Farr, there could be no such thing as too much publicly owned open space.

But Congressman Jimmy Panetta sees things differently. As his spokesman explained this week to reporter Chris Counts, Panetta doesn't think land should be acquired unless there's money to take care of it, and to make sure putting the land in government hands doesn't increase the fire risk for nearby residents.

Panetta is right. The U.S. government already owns more of California than it could possibly take care of. Furthermore, additional taxpayers' money should only be allocated when there's a very specific and publicly beneficial goal that justifies it. No such goal exists for Adler Ranch, which means there's no reason for your money to be spent to buy it.

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### Galante supports Fink

Dear Editor,

I am writing to voice my support for the David Fink/Janet Elarmo project that was approved by the planning commission and then appealed to the city council.

There seem to be several issues that brought about the appeal:

■ The first one is the shadow the addition may cast on Piccadilly Park, especially during the winter. Naturally, almost any second-story addition to any building in Carmel would cast a shadow somewhere. The question is, would the shadow from this project adversely and irreparably impact the park? Piccadilly Park is currently for the most part in the "shadow" of a large tree that encompasses a majority of the area, therefore, only a small part of the park would be impacted by the building, and that for only a short time during a few months. This does not seem like a significant enough impact to stop this project. It is also my understanding that the applicant had a detailed analysis prepared

using National Weather Service data that was accepted by the planning commission.

■ The somewhat contemporary design of the addition should also not be a reason to deny this project. The applicants have agreed to the changes and modifications requested by the planning commission and have subsequently altered their plan. When my great-grandfather laid out the town of Carmel, he broke the mold. He was the first to implement many design criteria that were contrary to "normal" planning ideas. He also encouraged diversity of all sorts. Given the vast diversity on the surrounding streets, this project should not be singled out due to its design. In addition, as a former planner, I do not believe it is appropriate to apply specific standards for buildings on one street and not the same standards on other streets within the town, unless there are specific guidelines to follow.

■ The window designs have been changed to the satisfaction of the planning commission and, frankly, the windows on the park side will hardly be seen due to the large tree in front of them.

■ In response to planning commission requests, the project has already been altered to be set back 10 feet and lowered 2 feet, and is already below the allowable building envelope.

Personally, I have known this applicant for more than 30 years, and he has a stellar reputation for his positive contribution to the community. His other Carmel projects all represent quality, and his track record should also be considered by the city.

Jack Galante,  
Carmel

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## Running toward the trauma is all in a day's work for this counselor

ELAINE BACHMANN was at Carmel Valley Athletic Club, where she goes nearly every morning before dawn to get in some exercise, read the news and greet the morning before going to her counseling practice in Pacific Grove. Then she got the call to travel to Las Vegas following the October 1 shooting at the Route 81 Harvest Country Music festival to use her professional skills to provide comfort and support to the survivors.

After more than two decades of working with traumatized people following floods, fires, hurricanes, earthquakes, plane crashes and other sorts of disasters, Bachmann finally said no. And then, she went anyway.

In the wake of 58 deaths and more than 500 injuries, there was a lot to do.

"Some 22,000 people attended the concert, but everybody in Las Vegas was affected by the shooting," said Bachmann. "I worked at the hospital, where medical staff was trying to save lives, while others were working overtime to deal with issues of identification, insurance, blood type — things we don't think of. Everyone, including the housekeeping staff, stayed on, working through the night. There was a lot of trauma."

### Her destiny

A week later, Bachmann was back at home in Pacific Grove, back to her morning routine and back to her office at 621 Forest Ave., where she has had a practice for 35 years. Although she counsels people from a wide variety of backgrounds, her primary clients are veterans dealing with post-traumatic stress disorder, and active-duty military.

Born and raised in Southern California, Bachmann grew up in a family culture that valued and emphasized philanthropy, volunteering and giving to those in need. Her grandmother, a devout Catholic, was her role model, always helping people on the street, and constantly giving of herself, said Bachmann.

She moved to Phoenix, where she volunteered with the Mayor's Youth Council for that city. She also worked with Terros, Inc., a safe house for youth sponsored by the Central Methodist Youth Fellowship in Phoenix. Through these experiences, Bachmann knew she was destined to continue working with people in mental and emotional pain.

She earned her associate's degree at Phoenix Junior College, where she was a "Top Ten" student, and married a Vietnam veteran who had been stationed at Fort Ord. When they decided to move here, they bought a dilapidated building on the base, deconstructed it, and used the salvage to

construct a treehouse on a property they purchased in Palo Colorado Canyon.

Bachmann enrolled in the University of California at Santa Cruz and started studying for her bachelor's degree and taking master's level courses in social psychology at the same time.

The couple soon welcomed their first son and, two years later, a second son.

Bachmann became a parent volunteer at Carmel Bay School and remained there for 10 years, and returned when her grand-daughter attended.

After a divorce, Bachmann met and married psychologist Randy Berlin, becoming stepmother to his daughter and soon, delivering her third child. In 1980, while expecting her fourth child, Bachmann moved the family to Esalen Institute and worked to complete her bachelor's degree in clinical psychology through an extension program of Antioch University. Along the way, she completed an internship at Highland School in Seaside, where she worked with severely emotionally disturbed children from ages 9 to 12.

### Finding commonality

A year later, Bachmann and Berlin moved to Pacific Grove. Bachmann completed her master's degree and began an internship in behavioral health services at Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula. Once licensed as a marriage and family therapist, she became a mediator for Monterey County, focused on the thorny issues of child custody and visitation disputes.

"Initially, I believed I should become a patients' rights advocate," said Bachmann, "yet my supervisor, who practiced Tibetan Buddhism said, 'Why don't you become the counselor you've always wanted to be?' It took me a long time to become a counselor while raising five kids, but I did it and established my practice in Pacific Grove."

She and her husband later purchased an expansive home in Pebble Beach, with room for all her children, as well as intensive therapy workshops she hosted there with psychologists, psychiatrists and master's level licensed therapists.



Elaine Bachmann

## Great Lives

By LISA CRAWFORD WATSON

"We did tremendous work over the years with those workshops," she said.

In 1997, Bachmann began volunteering for the Red Cross, providing trauma and mass casualty counseling, both locally and internationally.

"I can usually find some commonality with the people in crisis," she said. "I establish a rapport, following their lead, and let them know their feelings make sense. I give them water. It isn't the about the beverage; it's the nurturing. They need to know someone's caring for them while they're suffering. Basically, I show up for them."

## WHEN YOUR DENTAL HYGIENIST ALSO CREATES WORKS OF FINE ART

IF SOMEONE makes an effort to ask a question with two fingers, a mirror, and a dental tool in his mouth, it is at the very least polite to give it consideration.

Noro Partido, a dental hygienist, smiled when she remembered the patient who wondered aloud, as she was carving the plaque off his teeth, whether she might have been a sculptor in a previous life. "Who's to say I'm not practicing for a future life?" she responded.

was juried into membership at the Carmel Art Association, as well as the California Society of Printmakers. "People were starting to look at my work and offering money for it. It was surreal!" she said.

Making art has been an outlet for more abstract expression which provides a counterbalance for her literal nature, said Partido, who paints with oil, draws, and experiments with mixed media, often framing odd shapes in eye-catching formations. She has long favored blacks and greys, but has become more color-oriented as her work has evolved.

"I am inspired by many sources: nature and the elements, family, friends and current events," she said.

"Delving into the process of monotypes, I find myself at a new threshold of development. I am gravitating toward color and experimenting with mixed media. I'm filled with wonder when I pull a print that exceeds my expectations."

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## Carmel's artists

By DENNIS TAYLOR

The science-dominated brain necessary for dentistry is often very different from the artist's brain, but Partido, perhaps nudged by her patient's suggestion, felt inspired to introduce one to the other at the age of 40.

"I signed up for a night class at Monterey Peninsula College — figure drawing — which turned out to be the hardest class I ever took in my life," said Partido, who almost two decades earlier had earned a health science degree from the University of St. Francis in Joliet, Ill. "I knew nothing about art materials. I had no confidence in my drawing skills. I didn't know how to translate what I was seeing onto the paper.

"It was challenging. It was painful. There were talented people in the class, so I'd be comparing their work to mine, and being very judgmental about my own abilities."

### Surreal

Fortunately, instructor Robynn Smith made her feel safe, Partido said. She offered encouragement and suggestions without a hint of judgment, creating an atmosphere that left her student wanting more.

"So, I stuck with it, and took more classes, and ended up in MPC's printmaking department, which is where I really got hooked," she said.

Eleven years later, in 2015, Partido



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Noro Partido with some of her work on display at the Carmel Art Association gallery.



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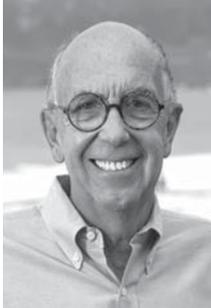
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# LETTERS

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*Gafill supports Fink, too*

Dear Editor,

As we approach the end of 2017, I would like to convey my tremendous gratitude and appreciation to the

residents, business owners, and civic leaders of Carmel By-the-Sea.

The extraordinary economic and social impacts caused by the failure of the Pfeiffer Canyon Bridge were far beyond the scope of past natural disasters along the coast and the more than generous response from our neighbors in Carmel was commensurate.

At the onset, David Fink, Carmel resident and owner of Cantinetta Luca, took the lead in spearheading the Big Sur Relief Fund with the Community Foundation for Monterey County, which raised over \$348,000, and he coordinated hundreds of temporary job opportunities for displaced employees.

David's exceptional leadership matched with the support and engagement of his fellow community members made a critical difference to Big Sur's recovery and was yet another example of what makes Carmel such a special and valued neighbor.

*Kirk Gafill, General Manager  
Nepenthe, Big Sur*

# ART

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explained.

Besides showing his work in Monterey, the artist has displayed his work extensively in Europe — and in particular, in Florence, Italy.

The exhibit continues through Jan. 31. The gallery will be the site of a reception Friday, Jan. 19, at 6 p.m. The gallery is located at 260 Alvarado St., next to Portola Hotel and Spa. Call (831) 372-6279.



This painting is not actually Gustav Klimt's "The Kiss," but a piece inspired by it that was created by Pebble artist William Eatmon.

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## PARTIDO

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The systematic side of Partido's personality might be rooted in her upbringing in Castroville as a child of immigrants who came from the Philippines with an exceptional work ethic and a determination to achieve the American Dream. Her mother was a laborer, and her father became a self-employed barber after retiring from the Army. Partido and her siblings were expected to excel and make the family proud.

"My parents put a lot of pressure on us to succeed, not only to be good students, but also to become good people," she said. "My father was the first of his family to come overseas, and he saw us as role models for everyone back in the old country."

Dental hygiene — still her profession after 30 years — is a careful process, and the meticulous process of printmaking is probably where the scientific side of her brain best meshes with her artistic passions, Partido said.

"There's a certain way you set up your work station to prepare the paper, to prepare the ink, to apply the ink to the plate, use the press to transfer the ink without damaging the paper — it's very methodical," she said.

### No disappointments

Despite the careful preparation, a printmaker can never be certain how the image will look until it is peeled from the press. Sometimes it's exactly as the artist imagined. More often, it's a surprise.

"That's the part I really love now, but it took years," she said. "I used to have this plan in my mind, I'd go through the process, and I'd have expectations of what the result should be. That's the scientific side of my brain," she said. "Now, I'm in a frame of mind where I'm willing to accept what happens. There's no disappointment anymore."

Partido says she'd still like to try her hand at sculpting someday. One of her favorite pastimes, she said with a blush, is browsing through tool catalogues.

The 53-year-old artist, who lives in Marina, is married to Tracy Valleau, a fine arts photographer who was previously an independent programmer for Apple Computers.

Partido's work is on display at the Carmel

## FOOD

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working as a clothing salesman. With a business partner, he opened the high-end women's clothier, Maison Mendessolle, in the St. Francis Hotel in 1953, expanding it to include shops in Stonestown, the Fairmont Hotel, and at Bush and Kearney. As CEO, he was a fixture in Union Square for more than 20 years and was officially recognized for "his contribution to the development of commercial relations between the United States and Italy."

He met his late wife, Jane Hohfeld Galante, at a party in 1948, because she was the only person there who spoke French, which he also spoke. They married the day after Christmas in 1956, and in 1969, they purchased a cattle ranch in Cachagua. They turned it into a rose-growing and vineyard site that's now home to Jack Galante's eponymous winery. She died in 2010, and he went on to develop the International House at IDC Herzleya University in Israel.

Clement is survived by his two sons, Jack and Ted, and their families. Ted lives in Harare, Zimbabwe.

The celebration will be held in the tasting room at Seventh and San Carlos. Memorial donations can be made to The Carmel Public Library Foundation, PO Box 2042, Carmel, CA 93921.



PHOTO/CHRIS COUNTS

One of the "Gingerquariums" on display until Jan. 2 at the InterContinental Hotel on Cannery Row.

## CRIMES

From page 13A

ing "multiple pieces of jewelry, a Swiss Army knife" and a triangular metal tin bound with rubber bands.

"They also located a bag of pistachios on the bench seat of the truck," Powell added.

The men told police they'd found the backpack on the ground, and when asked why they hadn't turned it in, one of the probationers said, "Finders keepers," according to Powell.

However, "misappropriation of lost property" is a crime under California law, so the officers took the backpack intending to find the owner, but didn't arrest the men.

Less than an hour later, the same officers were dispatched to a report of a burglary on the west side of Santa Fe south of Ocean. According to the residents of the house, someone had entered through a window, ransacked a couple of bedrooms — and stolen a triangular metal tin bound with rubber bands.

Boucher stayed to collect evidence while Johnson returned to Junipero and Eighth, but the U-Haul and the men were gone. "On a hunch and out of curiosity," Powell said, Johnson returned to the house and asked if the victims had any pistachios. They said they'd bought a bag but hadn't eaten any — and then couldn't find it.

"This investigation is continuing, and no arrests have been made at this time, but both probationers are known, and officers are confident they can locate them again if probable cause for their arrest is established,"

Powell said, adding that the victims also provided a detailed list of what had been stolen.

### Two door kicks

On Dec. 6 and again on Dec. 15, police investigated residential burglaries where the front doors had been kicked in.

At a home on Guadalupe south of Ocean, a gardener noticed the damage. "The door was not in this condition at the time of his last visit a week prior, and he immediately contacted the police," Powell said.

Sgt. Ron Pflieger and Johnson searched the home and found one bedroom had been ransacked, and that a pillow case was missing. They contacted the owner, who doesn't live here full-time, and when she got back to town Dec. 14, she told officers that the only item missing was the pillow case. Powell said Pflieger and Johnson also searched for fingerprints and DNA, but didn't find anything that could be considered valuable evidence.

They did, however, talk to neighbors, one of whom provided surveillance video, according to Powell.

The other break-in occurred at a vacation home on Santa Fe south of Ocean that had been unoccupied since Nov. 29. When the owners returned Dec. 15, they found damage to the front door and called the police. "The homeowners said nothing appeared missing, but they found their belongings had been ransacked," Powell said. Pflieger and officer Mike Bruno searched for prints and DNA, "and located a single item of evidentiary value, which was collected and will be sent off to the California DOJ crime lab for processing."

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# Real Estate



■ This week's cover property, located in Carmel, is presented by Judie Profeta of Alain Pinel Realtors (See Page 2RE)

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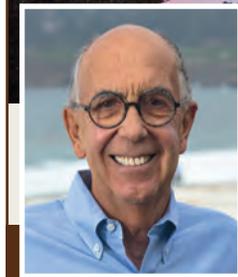
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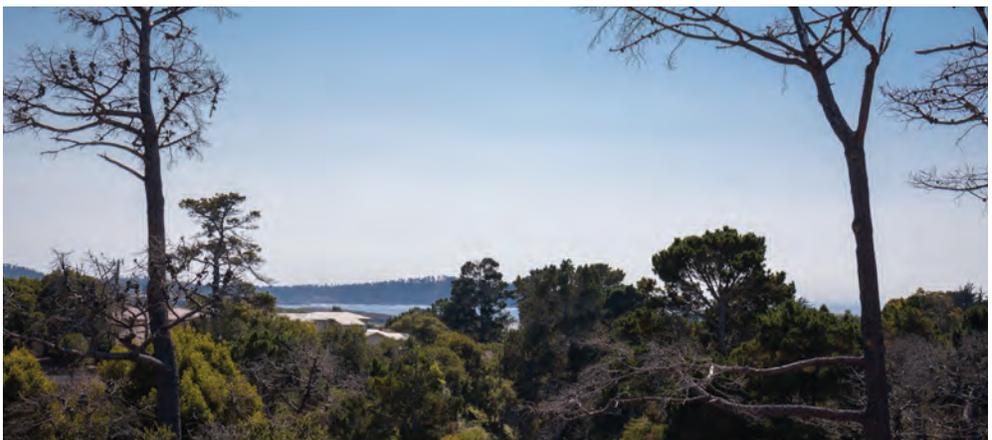
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## Carmel Highlands

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APN: 241-182-006

## Carmel Valley

**Via Los Tulares — \$302,500**  
Richard and Cynthia Jeffreys to  
Charles and Linda Lewis  
APN: 197-132-004

**500 Del Mesa Carmel — \$450,000**  
Roman Barnes and Page Trust to  
Michael Azalea Perez  
APN: 015-441-002



11740 Camino Escondido, Carmel Valley — \$1,180,000

**87 Hacienda Carmel — \$515,000**  
Donn Thompson Executor to Mary Heumann  
APN: 015-336-003

**25860 Tierra Grande Drive — \$775,000**  
Dale Feuerman to Gordon Wynn  
APN: 169-261-021

**11740 Camino Escondido — \$1,180,000**  
William and Edith Dwan to  
David and Patricia Lynn  
APN: 416-082-020

**9220 Carmel Valley Road — \$1,200,000**  
Dean and Barbara Griggs to  
Kenneth and Catherine Griggs  
APN: 169-141-001

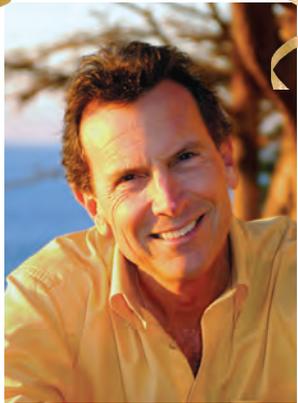
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**Commercial Parkway — \$2,900,000**  
USA Waste of California to SJR LLC  
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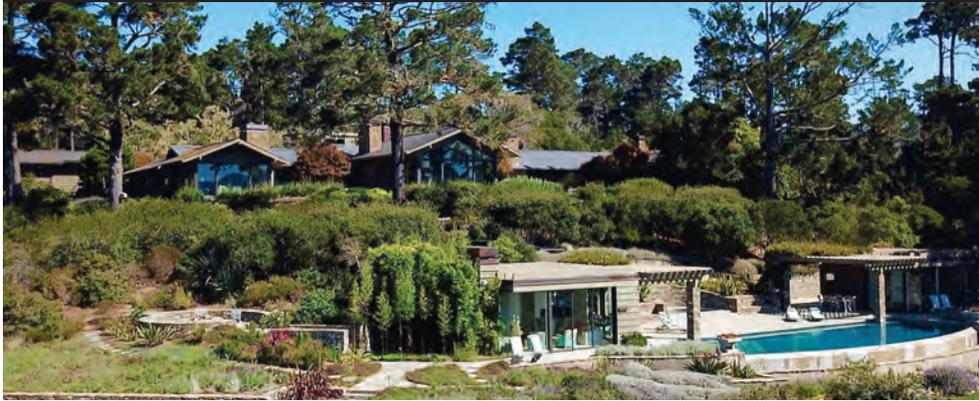


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# Some of the people I'll miss — for better or worse — as we head into a new year

FOR THE past two years, I've ended the year with a column about people who had died during the previous year — people I didn't know, but whose lives had some kind of impact on me, either positively or negatively.

**Roy Innes.** Mr. Innes was the chairman of the Congress of Racial Equality and was a champion of civil rights who had true compassion for people of color. He never exhibited any of the self-promotion of an Al Sharpton or a Jesse Jackson. Unlike many so-called rights groups that create discord out of racial incidents, CORE remains an organization that seeks and creates harmony between the races. That may be why CORE's remarkable accomplishments receive little coverage from the mainstream press.

Ironically — to many people — Mr. Innes was a member of the NRA. He reminded us that gun control was used by slave states to disarm slaves, and that this ban continued after the Civil War. Upon his death, columnist Alicia Colon wrote: "Innes was the finest example of how Martin Luther King wanted us to view each other by the content of our characters rather than the color of our skins."

**Hugh Hefner.** Perhaps no one did more to objectify women, appeal to our baser in-

stincts, and sow the amoral seeds that have grown into the deplorable sexual abuse rampant in today's headlines than this pajama-clad hedonist. His philosophy was to loosen the moral sanctions against promiscuous sexual behavior. Against that philosophy, William F. Buckley argued that a well disciplined society needs few laws, but it needs strong mores. As a sexual revolution standard-bearer, Hef, like his playmate bunnies, was in his all together.

**Jerry Lewis.** I was never a big fan of Lewis. His brash, loud, clownish antics wore thin after a couple of viewings. Yet, he is to be admired and honored for his heroic marathons on behalf of the fight against muscular dystrophy, during which he raised billions of dollars. I can overlook a lot of silliness because of his tireless efforts.

Play me some **Chuck Berry**, and parts of me I forgot I had start to respond to his rhythmically propulsive hits of the 1950s, especially, "Johnny Be Good," and "Maybelline." Chuck made it to 90, about the same speed as his music speeds through my mind.

**Della Reese.** Most people know her for her role as Tess on the TV show, "Touched by an Angel." Contemporaries of mine remember her angelic gospel voice, and later remember her as a leading jazz singer. Her

"Don't You Know," adapted from Puccini's La Bohème (Musetta's Waltz) was a huge hit and became her signature song. Della got her wings in November.

**Frank Lary:** Baseball Player. Lary pitched for the Detroit Tigers during the years I lived in Michigan. He was always my "last man standing" against the New York Yankee evil empire. He earned the nickname "Yankee Killer," with his 27-10 record against them from 1955 – 1961. All he had to do was toss his glove on the mound and the dreaded Yankees were beaten.

**Harry Dean Stanton.** A grizzled, weather-beaten face that only a casting director could love made Stanton one of my favorite movie character actors. He's right up there with Whit Bissell, Dub Taylor and Strother Martin, people who never had leading roles but made the pictures they appeared in better. He was in "The Green Mile," "Pretty in Pink," "Cool Hand Luke," and "Paris, Texas," plus many more movies and television shows.

**Glen Campbell.** A remarkably talented guitarist who played on hundreds of albums, from Frank Sinatra, to the Beach Boys, before his voice hurtled him into stardom with "By The Time I Get To Phoenix." His version of John Hartford's "Gentle On My Mind," is usually playing on the back roads of my memory whenever I'm enjoying some quiet time. He continued to tour well into his 70s while

going quietly into the dark night of Alzheimer's disease. Go to YouTube for his "I'm Not Gonna Miss You." A buck will get you ten you'll be reaching for the Kleenex before the song ends. I'll miss you, Glen.

**Mary Tyler Moore.** Hers was the first and only celebrity death that brought tears to my eyes. I'm not sure why, but I think it had something to do with the fact I never thought she was acting. She was just being herself. She more than held her own as a co-

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medic actress opposite Dick Van Dyke, Rose Marie, Carl Reiner and Morey Amsterdam. She proved you could shatter glass ceilings, and be comfortable and confident in a man's world without losing your femininity. When she tossed her hat in the air on a street corner in Minneapolis the hopes of women everywhere got a simultaneous boost.

Closer to home: the direct descendants from my father's siblings amounted to 22 first cousins. Thirteen remain standing. RIP, cousin Gayle.

And to all of you who lost someone close to you in 2017, I hope that thoughts of them are ever gentle on your mind.

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Margaret Danielson to Lawrence and Susan Imwalle  
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**9699 Blue Larkspur Lane unit 105 — \$1,000,000**  
Kenneth and Eileen Whitson to Ventana Wildlife Society  
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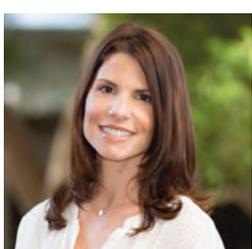
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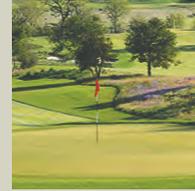
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**476 Cortes Street — \$1,260,000**  
Phillip Balestreri to Kevin Cesario  
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3353 17 Mile Drive, Pebble Beach — \$7,500,000

**2101 Fremont Street — \$3,050,000**  
Soon Chan Moon to Lakshmi Hotel Partners  
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## Pacific Grove

**1106 Presidio Blvd. — \$680,000**

Susan Fuoti to Hyangjin Sohn  
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**626 Hillcrest Avenue — \$765,000**  
Brendan Godfrey to Douglas Chesshire  
APN: 006-652-018

**303 Willow Street — \$901,000**  
Joseph Fiorentino to Matthew Watson  
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**533 Pine Avenue — \$905,000**  
Jeffrey Holleran to Evan Konjicija  
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**502 Lobos Avenue — \$1,050,000**  
Susan Steele to Jacques Bolivar  
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**50 Beach Street — \$2,413,000**  
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**3265 Ondulado Road — \$2,200,000**  
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**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Report of a residential burglary on Santa Fe Street.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Resident reported that window latches inside her apartment on Mission south of Third were unlocked. Resident suspects an unknown person entered her residence just to unlock the windows. Resident reported no missing items or forced entry. Resident has children but has not asked if they unlocked the windows.

**Pacific Grove:** A 60-year-old male was contacted on Lighthouse Avenue and found to be in violation of probation terms. Male was booked into county jail.

**Pacific Grove:** Single strand of Christmas lights was found damaged.

**Carmel Valley:** Tierra Grande Drive resident reported suspicious circumstances.

**Carmel Valley:** Griggs Nursery on Carmel Valley Road turned in a found wallet. The wallet had been stolen from a vehicle parked at nearby Santa Lucia Conservancy on Rancho San Carlos Road. The wallet was returned to owner and investigation continues.

**Carmel area:** A business on Carmel Rancho Lane reported a shoplifter. An ambulance transported the suspect, a 78-year-old female, to the hospital following medical complaints. A complaint will be sought through the district attorney's office.

### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** An investigation of a fall on city property on Mission south of Ocean.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Residential burglary reported on Santa Fe south of Ocean.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Report of a burglary of a vehicle on Eighth east of Scenic.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Window smash on an RV parked at Del Mar. Purse containing credit cards, checkbook, etc., reported stolen.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Window smash of rear hatchback on a vehicle parked on Ocean north of Scenic. Luggage was in the back, but nothing was taken.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Credit card found and

turned in. Contact made with the owner, who will pick it up.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Citizen reported a lost wallet.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Vehicle towed from the tour bus zone on Junipero north of Seventh.

**Pacific Grove:** A female reported that she found baby clothes in her vehicle. The vehicle had been stolen and was recently recovered.

**Pacific Grove:** Officers located a vehicle on Lincoln Avenue with a stolen registration sticker.

**Pacific Grove:** Digital Dog Recovery called to report a voluntary repossession from a location on Fourth street. Vehicle entered into the system. No further information.

**Carmel Valley:** Credit card was used to make several unauthorized ATM withdrawals.

**Carmel Valley:** Subject on Carmel Valley Road wanted to document a suspicious circumstances incident.

**Carmel area:** Report of lost property at the Crossroads shopping center.

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A past-tense tampering with a motor vehicle at Santa Fe and Third. There is no suspect information at this time.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** MCSO requested a be-on-the-lookout for a runaway juvenile subject. The subject was located while on a traffic stop at Ocean and Junipero, and turned over to MCSO deputies and a parent.

**Pacific Grove:** Officers were dispatched to a welfare check on Grove Acre at 0110 hours. Coroner case.

**Pacific Grove:** Reported theft of a vehicle's registration sticker on Madeira.

**Pacific Grove:** Verbal dispute between co-workers at a business in Country Club Gate. Information only.

**Pacific Grove:** A female on Gibson requested a civil standby to serve her daughter-in-law paperwork.

**Pacific Grove:** A male came into the station to report an argument with his wife.

**Pacific Grove:** Four-car vehicle accident with minor injuries on Sunset Drive at 1702 hours.

**Pacific Grove:** Subject on 17 Mile Drive, a

See CALLS page 14RE

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# CALLS

From page 12RE

24-year-old male, was placed under arrest for an out-of-county warrant and transported to county jail.

**Pebble Beach:** Deputies responded to a report of a rape on Morse Drive at 0223 hours and arrested a 27-year-old male suspect. The victim is a 22-year-old female.

**Pebble Beach:** Vaquero Road resident reported her mail was stolen.

**Carmel area:** Whitman Lane resident reported attempted unauthorized use of credit card by person unknown.

## SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Investigated a domestic disturbance at Mission and Fifth at 0005 hours. Information only.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Found drivers license was in an unknown person's possession and subsequently surrendered to a business on San Carlos south of Ocean. The license was turned in to the Carmel Police Department pending owner contact. Driver's license was found to be a duplicate and returned back to the Department of Motor Vehicles.

**Pacific Grove:** Subject reported her husband abused their child.

**Pacific Grove:** Officer was dispatched to a

traffic accident on Lighthouse Avenue at 1926 hours, and the driver, a 24-year-old female, was found to be under the influence.

**Pebble Beach:** Bike tire was taken from a victim on Costado Road.

## MONDAY, DECEMBER 18

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A report was taken for a lost wallet in the business district.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A report was taken for a lost art journal.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Female reported seeing a subject she formerly dated at Mission and Eighth while walking to her parked car. The subject dropped off an unknown male passenger and left the area without attempting to contact her. She felt uncomfortable and requested the incident be documented.

**Pacific Grove:** A 30-year-old male was contacted during traffic stop on 19th Street and found to be on post-release supervision. Vehicle searched, and controlled medications were located inside. The subject was transported to jail.

**Pacific Grove:** A 60-year-old male was arrested on Lighthouse Avenue for trespassing and probation violation.

**Pacific Grove:** Vehicle on Eighth Street was damaged during a possible burglary attempt. Pry marks on the door and side of the vehicle. No suspect information.

**Pacific Grove:** Report of an intoxicated male

See **SHERIFF** page 20RE

# Ending the year with a fundraising bang; properties old and new

THE FOLKS at Coldwell Banker Del Monte Realty have been up to some good, according to Monterey Peninsula office manager Todd Porteous. As part of the firm's "Give

are selling like hotcakes. The 240-plus acre project boasts of easy access to hiking trails, parking and shopping.

Closer to home, Sotheby's has a rare oceanfront listing in Pebble Beach, where there are only 31 such properties. It's got five bedrooms, five bathrooms, multiple fireplaces, a wine cellar (of course) and an outdoor pool. The windows

## Real Estate Insider

By ELAINE HESSER

Where You Live" fundraising drive, the local branch raised \$13,000 for the Lucile Packard Foundation and for the Veterans Transition Center in Marina, which helps homeless veterans and their families with housing, finding employment and other services.

Porteous said the money was raised through silent and live auctions at Pac Rep Theater in October. Fifteen Coldwell Banker offices between Carmel and Santa Rosa gave more than \$100,000 to local charities through the drive.

Out in Marina, Wathen Castanos builders are going full-bore on their Sea Haven development, along Imjin Parkway. Models are open and word is that the new homes — some of which have a nice ocean view —

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DAD Pebble Beach LLC to Richard and Cynthia Thawley  
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**8929 Hidden Canyon — \$2,075,000**

Donald Chapin Jr. to Michael Bikle

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Thomas Olsen to 3B Investors Inc.  
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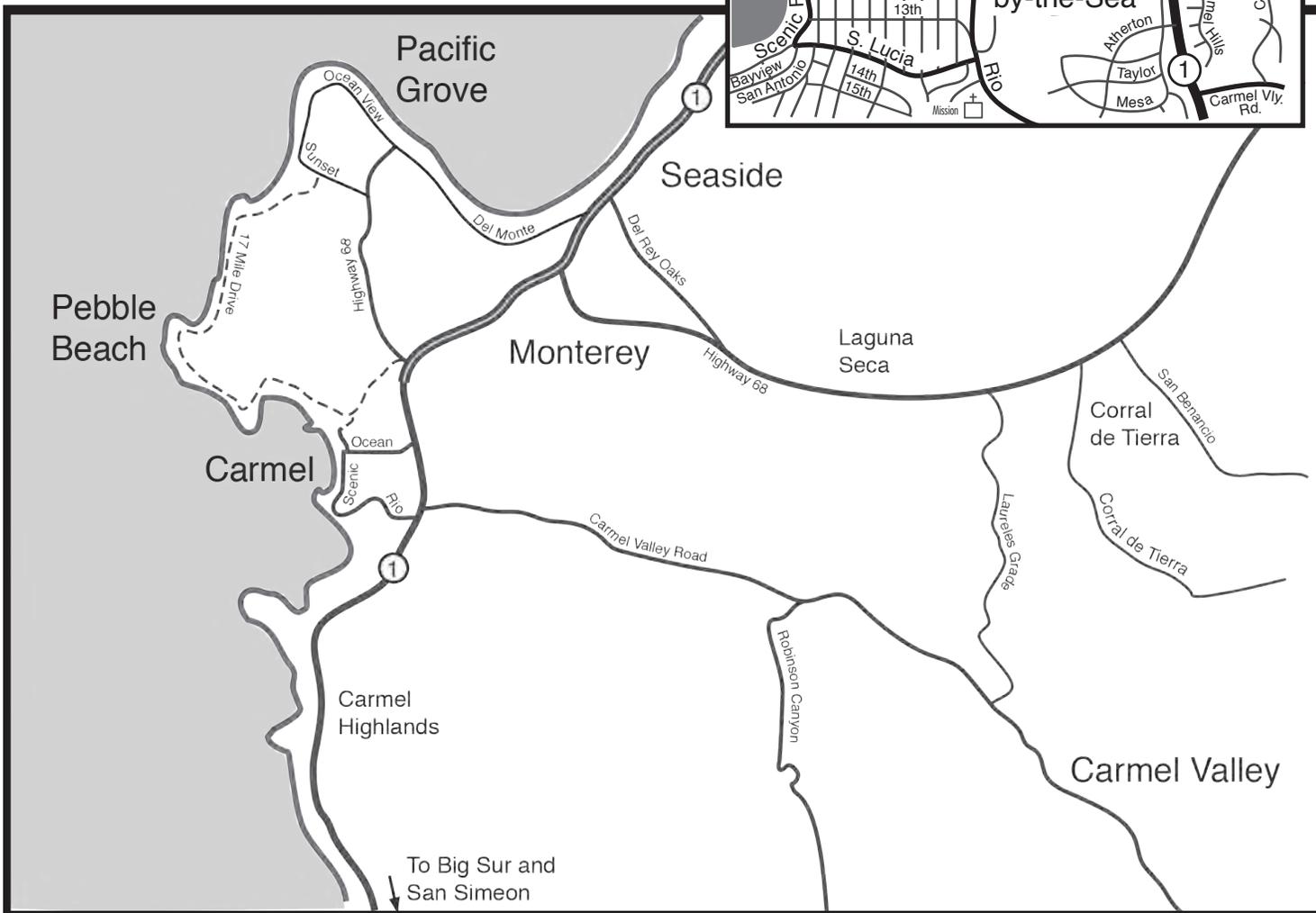
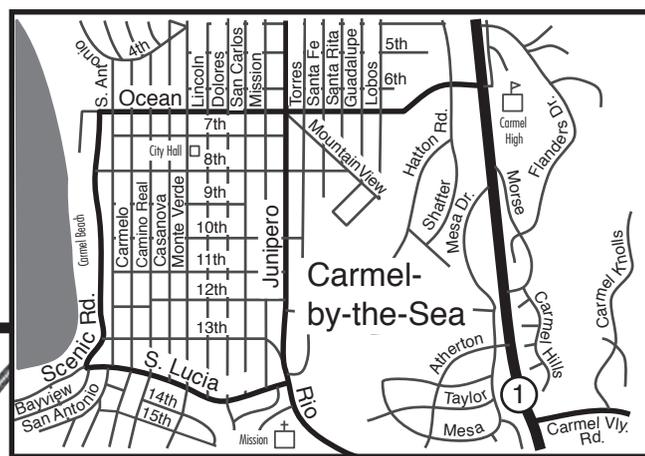
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25315 Arriba Del Mundo Drive Alain Pinel Realtors 622-1040		
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0 Santa Rita 4 NE of 2nd Ave Sotheby's Int'l RE 238-5459		
<b>\$1,899,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Fri Sa 12-3</b>
2nd Avenue 2 Se Of Santa Fe Sotheby's Int'l RE 277-3371		
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24270 San Pedro Lane Alain Pinel Realtors 622-1040		
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26339 Valley View Ave Coldwell Banker Del Monte		
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Monte Verde 2 NW Santa Lucia Alain Pinel Realtors 622-1040		
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Lincoln 5SE of 12th Avenue Carmel Realty Company 574-0260		
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0 Camino Real 3 NW of 8th Street Sotheby's Int'l RE 277-5928		
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2508 16th Ave Coldwell Banker Del Monte 915-9339		
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137 E Carmel Valley Rd #2 Keller Williams Realty 236-7161		

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3137 Crescent Ave Coldwell Banker Del Monte 238-5793		
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901 Irving Street Monterey Coast Realty 238-1380		
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1420 Manor Place Sotheby's Int'l RE 402-2017		
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1533 Monterey Salinas Hwy Monterey Coast Realty 915-9726		

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11 Victoria Vale Sotheby's Int'l RE 277-3464		
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25671 Whip Rd The Jacobs Team 236-7976		
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778 Via Mirada Keller Williams Realty 521-7999 / 229-6697		

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944-946 Walnut Street Sotheby's Int'l RE Pacific Grove 578-4601		
<b>\$872,000</b>	<b>2bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa Su 1-4</b>
152 10th Street Sotheby's Int'l RE Pacific Grove 578-4601 / 402-2017		
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483 Laurel Avenue Sotheby's Int'l RE Pacific Grove 901-5575 / 915-4092		
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155 Pacific Avenue Sotheby's Int'l RE Pacific Grove 277-3464		

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1008 Ripple Ave Keller Williams Realty Pacific Grove 401-440-9888 / 917-3966		

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4029 Costado Rd Keller Williams Realty Pebble Beach 594-5523		
<b>\$1,195,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 12-3</b>
4113 El Bosque Drive David Lyng Real Estate Pebble Beach 915-9710		
<b>\$1,249,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Sa 2-4</b>
2927 Colton Rd Coldwell Banker Del Monte Pebble Beach 392-6411		
<b>\$1,350,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Su 1:30-3:30</b>
2943 Stevenson Drive Sotheby's Int'l RE Pebble Beach 620-2351		
<b>\$1,549,000</b>	<b>3bd 2ba</b>	<b>Fri 2-4 Sa Su 1-4</b>
3109 Hermitage Road Sotheby's Int'l RE Pebble Beach 747-0233		
<b>\$1,695,000</b>	<b>3bd 3ba</b>	<b>Fri Sa 12-3</b>
3057 Forest Way Sotheby's Int'l RE Pebble Beach 884-6820		
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# SHERIFF

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on Forest Avenue causing a disturbance. Provided a no-trespass admonishment.

**Pacific Grove:** Officers dispatched on a report of a 415 [verbal peace disturbance] at Safe-way on Forest Avenue. Subject had left the scene upon arrival and left his bicycle at the scene. Bicycle taken to city yard.

**Pacific Grove:** A 23-year-old male was

found to be driving on a suspended license during a traffic stop on David Avenue at 2340 hours.

**Carmel Valley:** A woman on Parrot Ranch Road reported her 16-year-old daughter as a runaway. Her daughter has since returned.

**Carmel Valley:** A woman reported a reckless vehicle on Carmel Valley Road.

**Carmel Valley:** Deputies responded to a welfare check on a subject on East Carmel Valley Road. The 45-year-old male was found deceased in residence.

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19**

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** Person reported finding the back door open to a residence on San Carlos Street that he is a maintenance employee for. Residence was checked by patrol units, and it did not appear to be ransacked or burglarized. The subject secured the residence.

**Carmel-by-the-Sea:** A 47-year-old male was arrested for running from police, possession of narcotics, and an outstanding felony warrant.

**Pacific Grove:** A watch found at Country

Club Gate was turned in to PGPD. Item booked for safekeeping.

**Pacific Grove:** Overnight theft of money and Christmas cards on Del Monte Boulevard.

**Carmel area:** Burglary on Rio Road.

**Carmel area:** Male on Rio Road reported that his 19-year-old ex-girlfriend punctured his vehicle tire.

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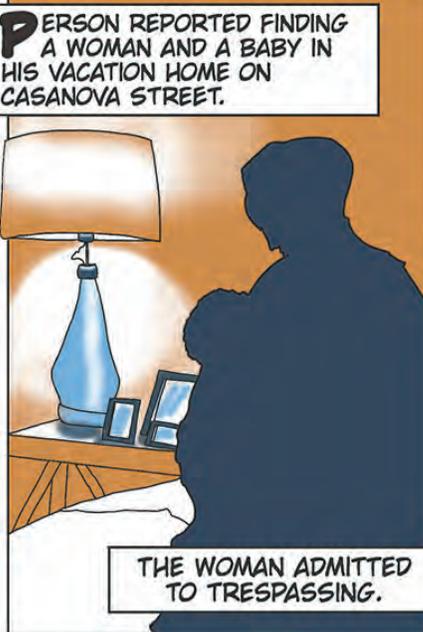
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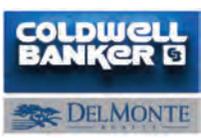
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