

The one who finishes first isn't always the winner

I've always loved to watch my daughter Brenna run — the fluid, athletic beauty of her long, lean body eating up the distance with amazing ease and grace, her long red ponytail streaming out behind. For years I watched in the blazing sun at her school's annual June Field Day, the one time a year the students competed.



BARBARA WOOD

When Brenna decided she wanted to run more, I drove her to Stanford three days a week to train with a track club, running up and down the ramps of the football stadium and working out on the track.

On weekends her dad and I took her to track meets in the East Bay, where we sweltered for hours in order to watch her compete for a few minutes. Although Brenna could run faster than almost any girl in her elementary school, in the club meets more often than not she came in last.

But still I loved watching. Once she came in last but tried so hard to pass the girl in front of her that after the race she threw up.

No question: she tried.

When Brenna got to Woodside High School last year she joined the cross country team immediately, the only freshman girl and one of only five girls on the team. While she still didn't win, Brenna wasn't last anymore. In the league championship race, she came in sixth, and was named an All-League Athlete. Coach Nick Carr gave her an award for the best performance of the year on the girls' team.

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Anna Shoch, 7, second from left, chooses a "Sponge Bob" ice cream while **Emma Miller**, 5, browses the selections offered by teen entrepreneur **Marjorie Adams**, center. The kids are in the arts and games camp at Woodside Elementary School.

WOODSIDE TEENS TAKE *Ice Cream* ON THE ROAD

THEIR CUSTOMIZED TRUCK IS A HIT AT LOCAL VENUES

By **Kate Daly**
Special to the Almanac

Leave it to a Stanford Business School grad to come up with a clever idea for her daughter's first summer job: driving around her own ice cream truck for an hour or so a day and potentially making over \$100 at a time.

Thayer Adams may have hatched the idea, but it wasn't until her next-door neighbor in Woodside, Lori Corley, spotted an old mail truck parked on Woodside Road with a for-sale sign, that Marjorie and Matt's Ice Cream business really got started.

The parents bought the 1978 model truck for \$1,500, and now former classmates Marjorie Adams and Matt Corley, both 16, are driving it around local neighborhoods, selling treats to kids at camps and parks, and to construction workers on the job in Atherton, Menlo Park and Woodside.

Marjorie says they spent about 30 hours getting the truck ready. They had to get a vendors' license,

for starters, and insurance.

They Googled "ice cream trucks" and came up with a consultant who helped them get a sound system rigged so they can broadcast eight different ice cream truck songs. The music attracts customers, but the drivers admit, it can get annoying listening to the same jingles for a long period.

The teenagers installed a refrigerator and freezer in the back of the truck, and a battery to keep them running. They located an ice cream distributor in San Jose, where they drive about once a week to stock up with various brands of popsicles, cones, ice cream sandwiches, and Sno Cones.

They also sell Gatorade, soda, candy, fruit and granola bars. So far, they have done well showing up at pre-arranged places such as Sacred Heart Prep and Menlo School camps, and at Woodside Elementary School.

At Woodside a group of school children recently bounded out of art and sports classes to end their day with a planned visit from the ice cream truck.

Will Crandall, 6, was pleased to get a Danny Phantom Lollipop featuring a favorite TV cartoon character. "It was good ice cream," he declared.

Wyatt Sieber, 5, ordered the same thing, and after consuming the bubblegum eyes, announced, "I liked it."

The teen entrepreneurs have found other hot selling spots at playgrounds in Menlo Park and construction sites on Park Avenue in Atherton and Laning Drive in Woodside.

Marjorie and Matt received a health inspector's seal of approval to sell in Redwood City, but ran into some competition there and have since decided to concentrate on other areas instead.

"This summer we're just trying to break even and pay back our parents," says Matt.

When he returns to Menlo School as a junior in the fall, and Marjorie starts as a junior at Woodside High, they plan to continue selling food at football games, and events such as parties throughout the year. Eventually, they say they might hire friends to help them out.

"It's a fun job to do," says Matt, and it gives them the flex-



Matt Corley is Marjorie's partner in the ice cream business.

ibility to play tennis and football all summer long.

So far the job is pretty profitable, too, which is why they expect to keep on driving the truck until they go off to college in a couple of years. They envision perhaps selling off their business to their younger siblings then.

Marjorie and Matt may be young entrepreneurs just starting out, but Marjorie has already learned an important lesson from this experience: "The harder you work, the more money you get; it's not like luck." ■

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Children's authors at Kepler's event

Kepler's bookstore in Menlo Park will host Family Fun Day on Sunday, July 23, combining activities for kids with presentations from children's authors. The event will begin at noon, and authors will read from 1 to 5 p.m.

The lineup of writers includes humor columnist Dave Barry, novelist Ridley Pearson, and Menlo Park resident Jeanne Duprau. They will be joined by two first-time authors, Ilana Dover and Lucille Lang Day.

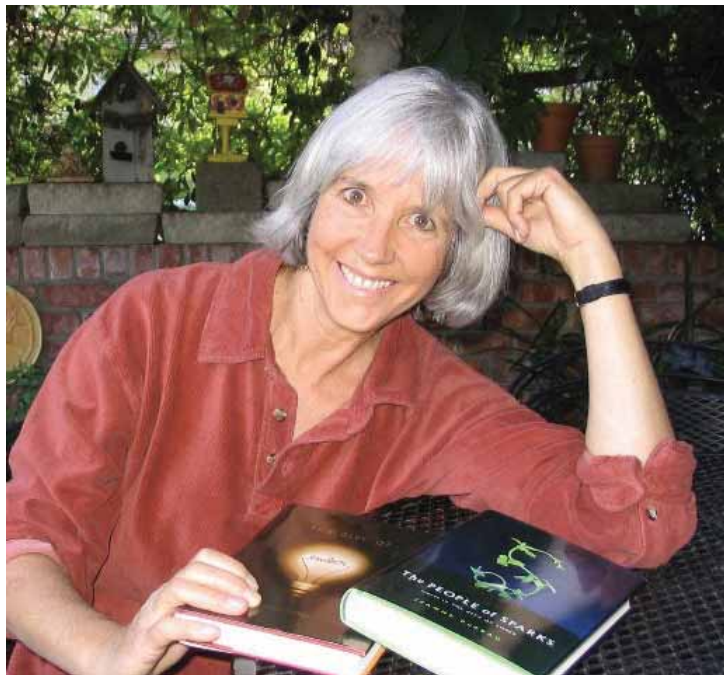
Ms. Duprau will read from her book, "The Prophet of Yonwood," the prequel to "The City of Ember and the People of Sparks."

Mr. Barry and Mr. Pearson will read from "Peter and the Shadow Thieves," based on the classic "Peter Pan" and a follow-up to their "Peter and the Starcatchers."

Ms. Day's book follows the path of a wacky chain letter, while Ms. Dover's recounts the Wright brothers' invention of the airplane.

Reading times are: Ms. Day at 1 p.m., Ms. Dover at 2, Ms. Duprau at 3, and Mr. Barry and Mr. Pearson at 4.

Face painters and balloon artists will be on hand. Chil-



Menlo Park resident Jeanne Duprau will read from her book, "The Prophet of Yonwood." Humor columnist Dave Barry, right, is also scheduled.

dren will get a chance to create their own treasure map and maybe even write their own adventure story, says Kepler's.

The event is one in a series that Kepler's is holding in July to celebrate local authors.



BARBARA WOOD

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When the track season came, Brenna did well, often winning the mile (which her coach was convinced was her best event) or the half-mile (which she favored). If you want to get technical about it, it is the 800 meters and 1600 meters, which are close to the mile and half-mile we used to run way back when I was a kid.

At the end of the season she qualified for both events in the league championship. Although she'd done reasonably well in a couple of invitational meets during the season, I was eager to see how'd she run against some of the best girls in her league after training all season.

But when the 1600 began, I was disappointed. Brenna was near the end of the pack, even being outrun by one of her teammates who had never beaten her. Perhaps, I thought, she's beautiful to her mom, but she's not really that good.

But when the third lap came, Brenna began steadily passing girls. By midway through the

final lap she had only a pack of five girls in front of her who had led for the entire race. I really believed she could pass one of them.

Coach Carr did too. He told me later, he began yelling, "Take one, Brenna, take one." Sure enough, she poured it on and with less than 100 yards to go, passed the fifth girl.

"Take another one," the coach yelled. And then, with fierce determination, she passed the girl in fourth place. Her teammates, and her parents, were going wild.

And then, in disbelief, Coach Carr says he muttered — "and why not one more?" — as Brenna passed the third girl, just feet from the finish line.

I burst into tears, and I am very, very sure that if my daughter had been in the lead for the entire race, I could not have been



Photo by Barbara Wood

Brenna Fitzpatrick does not ever give up.

more proud of her.

She is beautiful and strong and fast and fierce, and she does not ever give up. I love to watch my daughter run. ■

Barbara Wood is a freelance writer, photographer and gardener from Woodside. Her column runs the third week of the month.

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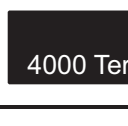
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We all scream for ice cream

By Miles McMullin

1.6 billion gallons per year. That is the amount of ice cream and frozen desserts produced for consumption by Americans every year, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture. That is about 21 quarts of ice cream per person — the largest amount of ice cream consumed per person in the world.



To celebrate this incredible amount of ice cream eating, July is National Ice Cream Month. Who made this up, you may wonder? Very likely, the ice cream industry. Former President Ronald Reagan proclaimed the first observance in 1984 after Congress proposed the idea.

According to a survey by the International Ice Cream Association, 29 percent of Ameri-

cans say vanilla is their favorite flavor. Only 8.9 percent pick chocolate (my favorite), and strawberry and butter pecan are tied at 5.3 percent. Ummm ... I wonder where the lobster ice cream I once tried in Maine ranks?

The Bay Area has tons of places to eat ice cream. My favorite is Cold Stone Creamery in Palo Alto or Menlo Park, where they can mix in many ingredients — such as brownies, fruits, and candies — into your ice cream flavor of choice. They mix it in on a cold slab of stone, which, contrary to popular belief, does serve a purpose. It prevents the ice cream from melting while they are mixing it.

My favorite combination is French vanilla mixed with brownies.

Another great place is the Haagen Daz shop at 203 University Ave. in Palo Alto. I think they have the richest flavors and they are renowned for their ingredients. Their chocolate



milkshake is to die for.

If you are looking for ice cream with more texture, go to Gelato Classico at 435 Emerson St. in Palo Alto. Gelato is a smooth creamy Italian ice cream and it is amazing to taste. Any flavor there is fantastic, but again the chocolate is my favorite.

These places, I believe, set the standard for the best on the Peninsula.

So the next time it's 100 degrees outside and you need a little cooling off, try one of these places and say Miles sent you. ■

Miles McMullin is a local resident who will enter the 10th grade in the fall.

Student balsawood skills take another prize

Engineering know-how travels well.

For perfecting a half-ounce balsawood structure that held 680 pounds before collapsing, a team of eighth-graders that included Claire Uschersohn of Menlo Park and Sarah Winters of Atherton took a sixth-place prize and other awards in a DestiNation ImagiNation Global Finals competition held in Knoxville in the last week in May.

It's getting to be a habit. The team, called "Linoleum

Blownapart" and based at the International School of the Peninsula in Palo Alto, took a second-place prize with a similar structure that held 420 pounds in a California statewide contest in April.

The kids have been together since the second grade. Other team members are Natalie Morin, Blake Tacklind and Marc Slakey of Palo Alto, and Matthew Colford of Los Altos.

At Knoxville as in other DestiNation ImagiNation events,

kids are also judged on their artistic skills. The skit the team put on, which involved an eclectic gathering of renowned scientists, won them a Renaissance Award for their working wooden/electronic violin played by the Albert Einstein character, said Margaret Winters, Sarah's mother.

Even the team's moniker earned them kudos with a special award from the judges for having the "best name in the competition," said Ms. Winters.

Boys & Girls Club enrollment jumps

The Boys & Girls Clubs of the Peninsula — with clubhouses in Menlo Park, East Palo Alto and Redwood City — reports a sharp jump in enrollment during the first weeks of summer.

As many as 650 kids are enrolled, compared with 500 last year, said Chris Carter, development director at the clubs.

Why? Parents cite several factors: high cost of gasoline, excellent programs at the clubs, and fewer options, said Mr. Carter.

A number of organizations have cut back or even eliminated summer programs, he said.

Even the Boys & Girls Clubs has scaled back activities at its Center for a New Generation at Flood School in Menlo Park. But the clubhouses are offering additional opportunities for these families, he said.

"We're doing what we can to use our resources wisely," said Peter Fortenbaugh, the clubs' executive director.

"It's important that young people have a place to go when school is out," he said. "If they can't come here, what are the options? Stay at home? Watch TV? Eat junk food? Get in

trouble?"

At the clubhouses, parents can go to work knowing their children are safe and learning, he said.

The staff and volunteers teach skills in a number of areas including academics, science and technology, athletics, and visual and performing arts. Many programs are conducted in partnership with local schools and community organizations, said Mr. Carter.

A summer membership costs \$50. For more information, go to www.bgcp.org.

Crew team places nationally

Andrew Tight of Menlo Park and Miles Dobbyn of San Carlos recently rowed a double (2 men, 2 oars) to finish fourth in the 2,000-meter petit finals at the U.S. Rowing Youth National Championships in Cincinnati, Ohio, placing them 10th in the national doubles race.

Tight and Dobbyn qualified by winning a bronze medal in the Southwest Regional Championships in May at Lake Natoma in Folsom.

They have rowed for four years, the last two at Norcal

Crew in Redwood City, but they have raced as a doubles team only three times.

Tight is a graduate of Menlo School and will be rowing for the University of California at Davis this fall. He plans to major in film studies.

Norcal Crew Club was formed two years ago by a merger of the Bair Island Juniors and the Silicon Valley Crew programs. The club has 80 youth members. For information on the club, call 322-9888 or go to www.norcal-crew.org.

Vikings prepare for football

Established as one of the Bay Area's top youth football programs, the Menlo-Atherton Vikings begin practice for the 2006 Pop Warner season on August 1 at M-A High School.

Competition in 5-6 year old divisions through 13-14 age groups will take place in up to five different age and weight categories, depending on final turnouts.

"We have space for a few more players," said Vikings President Bob Williams, "but we'll need immediate sign-ups. With dozens of returning veterans and several promising newcomers, we're looking forward to another great season."

Last year, Vikings Junior Pee Wee (9-10) gridders reached the Peninsula Conference championship game, and both Tiny Mites (5-6) and Mitey Mites (7-8) dominated their competition. Vikings excelled in the classroom, as well, with several players joining the Peninsula Conference Little Scholars Hall of Fame.

Sign-up information is available on the Vikings hotline, 562-1950, or on the team Web site, www.mapopwarner.com.

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Vikings Boosters

UC Davis signs lacrosse player

Molly Lapolla, who graduated from Menlo School in Atherton in June, will play women's lacrosse for UC-Davis next year, College Sports TV reported. Lapolla signed a national letter of intent on May 26, during UC-Davis' spring-signing period, to become the fourth member of the school's recruited class.

Lapolla earned first-team All-Peninsula Athletic League honors when she led Menlo with 56 goals and 14 assists as a junior. She led the Knights in shooting percentage (.514), finished second in ground balls (52) and third in draw controls (21).

She played club lacrosse for NorCal Elite and was selected to an 18-member team that competed at the Vail under-19 tournament last summer. She scored four goals in NorCal's win over Minnesota at the tournament and another against Baltimore.

Lapolla lettered in cross-country and soccer as well at the Menlo School. She served as team co-captain of the soccer team, scoring 11 goals.

UC Davis finished the 2006 season with a record of 9-9. Lapolla was the fourth student-athlete signed by the school.

Softball team goes undefeated

The Flames, a girls' softball team in the 9-10 age division of the Alpine/West Menlo softball Little League, completed an undefeated season by winning the first-ever Alpine/West Menlo League Tournament on June 10 at Nealon Park.

The team posted a 13-0 record, propelled by the pitching of first baseman Samantha Bergeson, Jenna Scandalios and Izzy Thompson.

Daniel Bergeson served as the head coach. Al Minor, Mike Scandalios and Eric Warner also coached the team.

"This is a special team," Bergeson said. "There were several games in which we were short-handed and behind in games, but the players simply refused to quit."

In the picture are, back row, from left, coaches Daniel Bergeson, Mike Scandalios, Eric Warner and Al Minor; second row, from left, Samantha Bergeson, Jenna Scandalios, Makayla Karr-Warner, Olivia Ives, Avery Minor and Emily Carlson; and front row, from left, Katherine Whitman, Lizzie Ocon and Jessica Norum, with Izzy Thompson lying in front.



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The Flames win the Alpine/West Menlo League Tournament. See names in the story.


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NEWS OF LOCAL PEOPLE AND EVENTS IN THE COMMUNITY

It's time to drink (and buy) the wine at Vintage Affaire

By Jane Knoerle
Almanac Lifestyles Editor

Fine wine, great food, a beautiful garden setting, and a worthy cause. No wonder Vintage Affaire, the Peninsula's premier wine event, continues to raise hundreds of

thousands of dollars to benefit the Vista Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired.

This is the 24th year for the garden party/wine auction, which will be held at the Atherton estate of Jane and Bill Walsh on Saturday, July 22.

The Vintage committee expects more than 500 of the "beautiful people" to attend, hoping to at least equal or top the \$425,000 raised last year for the Vista Center, formerly known as the Peninsula Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired.

In 2000, during the crazy days of the dot-com boom, the mid-summer fundraiser netted \$780,000. The bids of just one Silicon Valley millionaire contributed more than \$355,000 to the cause.

Vintage Affaire begins at 2:30 p.m. in the Walsh gardens with a silent auction, wine tasting and music. Wine and hors d'oeuvre pairings will be prepared by chefs Alessandro Cartumini of the Four Seasons Hotel Silicon Valley, Mark Sullivan of the Village Pub in Woodside, Lewis Rossman of Cetrella in Half Moon Bay, Xavier Salomon of the Ritz-Carlton in Half Moon Bay, and Bart Hosmer of Parcel 104 in the Santa Clara Marriott.

More than 30 California vintners will offer tastings during the silent auction.

The live auction begins at 4:30 p.m. with auctioneers Fritz Hatton and Emily Newhouse. Mr. Hatton, the lead auctioneer, is a partner in Arietta Winery. Ms. Newhouse is with Kohler Auctions.

Auction highlights include: Chateau Mouton-Rothschild



Auctioneer Fritz Hatton stirs up the crowd during live auction.

1988, 1989; Imperial of Fisher 1996 Lamb cabernet sauvignon plus a day at Fisher Vineyards, with winery tour, tasting, lunch, dinner, and a night at the private Lake House lodge; Taylor and Fonseca port from the famous 1977 vintage; and Kistler chardonnay and pinot noir from 1997, 2000, 2001 and 2002, including several rare cuvees.

The auction also includes wine dinners in the Wine Country and on the Peninsula, and get-aways to the Silverado Country Club at Sea Ranch, Northstar at Lake Tahoe, and the Village at

Squaw Valley.

How about a four-course dinner for 12 prepared by executive chef Alessandro Cartumini and served in a private dining room at the Four Seasons Silicon Valley Hotel? The package includes an overnight stay in the hotel's Presidential Suite.

As they have done since the mid-1990s, McCall Associates of San Francisco will keep guests well-fed. After an assortment of small plates during the auction, they will serve a sunset sit-down dinner.

During the auction guests will nibble on asparagus salad, cold poached pears with smoked duck, cucumber-apple soup, lamb chops, fruit and cheese platters, and artisan breads.

The dinner will feature tenderloin of beef, herbed potato salad, root vegetable hash, and fried shallots. For dessert there will be a trio of sweets: chocolate cake, lemon Bavarian, and long-stem strawberries. A coffee cart and chocolate bonbons will provide a last taste.

Stephanie von Thaden of Atherton is president of the Vista Center for the Blind Foundation. Her officers are Eric Di Giovanni, Suzi Tinsley, Sharon Hasslen, Jill Shanmugasundaram, Vanessa Roach, Anne Vitullo, Jan Woolsey, Marilyn and David Pratt, Martha Barry, Martha Edwards, Suzanne Legallet, Dianne Brinson, Bill Kurfess, and Mary Johnson.

Tickets are \$225 per person. For more information about Vintage Affaire, go to www.vintageaffaire.org. To order tickets, call Vista Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired at 858-0202. ■

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PEOPLE AND PERFORMANCES IN ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Festival spotlights redemptive nature of Mozart's music

By Renee Batti
Almanac News Editor

When pianist Wu Han picks up the newspaper and reads about wars, terrorist acts and other wrenching world events, she finds herself turning to Mozart.

"His music is not only inventive, ... it also always brings you to a new level of hope and redemption," she explains. "He gives us hope in this difficult world."

This music will be the main focus of the 2006 Music@Menlo summer music festival, "Returning to Mozart," which opens Monday, July 24, and runs through Friday, August 11.

Founded in 2003 by Wu Han (who goes by both names) and her husband, cellist David Finckel, Music@Menlo brings some of the country's finest chamber musicians to the area every summer. Concerts, lectures and other events are held on the Menlo School campus in Atherton and at St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Palo Alto.

The founders also serve as the festival's artistic directors.

Spotlighting Mozart's work was a natural choice in 2006, the 250th anniversary of the composer's birth. Although some might balk at still more attention being given to a composer whose exposure is probably second to none in this country, they should be reassured by the program — and the approach — of the festival.

"Many times when a composer is so exposed in our daily lives, it's easy for us to forget why his music is so special," Wu Han says. So the festival team "thought hard about how to celebrate his music, ... to answer the question, 'Why do musicians

play him over and over again?'"

The answer is, in large part, that in spite of having a very difficult life, Mozart managed to create music that transcends adversity and glimmers with hope and resilience, she says.

The festival team then looked for a way to frame those qualities of Mozart's music to best effect, and came up with an intriguing format: Contrast music by other composers that evokes life's adversities and suffering with the "profoundness, the resolve, the hope" of Mozart, Wu Han says.



Photo by Christian Steiner

Wu Han and David Finckel are the founders and artistic directors of the Music@Menlo chamber music festival.

end with music by Mozart that "lets you know that things are going to be OK — as long as you have music," Wu Han explains.

Innovation

In addition to six major concerts programming such contrasting music, the festi-

Chamber music festival opens Monday

Tickets are still available for a number of concerts and "Encounter" presentations in this year's Music@Menlo chamber music festival, which opens Monday, July 24.

The festival runs through August 11, with concerts on the Menlo School campus in Atherton and at St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Palo Alto. Called "Returning to Mozart," the festival focuses on the music of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, born 250 years ago, but also includes works by Bach, Schubert, Brahms, Stravinsky, Janacek, Messiaen and others.

Artistic directors David

Finckel and Wu Han founded the festival in 2003, bringing prominent musicians and music authorities to the Midpeninsula from all over the world every summer.

Soloists include pianists Claude Frank, Jeffrey Kahane and Gilbert Kalish; violinists Ani Kavafian, Jorja Fleezanis and Jennifer Frautschi; flutist Carol Wincenc; clarinetists Anthony McGill and Carey Bell; and local organist James Welch.

In addition to the concerts, four lectures known as "Encounters" will explore the music, life and lasting contri-

butions of Mozart.

An all-day open house is set for Saturday, August 5. On that day, the community is invited to have coffee at 8:30 a.m. with the artistic directors, who will talk about the festival's fourth season. Guests will also be allowed to attend rehearsals, workshops and master classes that day.

Tickets to the concerts and Encounters range from \$30 to \$78 for adults, and \$10 to \$38 for young people.

For more information, visit musicatmenlo.org, or call 330-2030. For tickets, order at musicatmenlo.org, or call the Stanford ticket office at 725-2787.

val includes six "Encounters" — presentations that explore various aspects of Mozart's music and life.

One example is "Mozart's Piano Concerti: Operas Without Words," an Encounter (sold out) led by pianist and conductor Jeffrey Kahane. Mr. Kahane says he will use recordings and demonstrations at the piano to illustrate how Mozart reinvented the form with each new piano concerto.

"He brought the form to levels of expressiveness that were previously unknown," Mr. Kahane says.

Mozart's innovation with the form includes featuring orchestral instruments in addition to the piano as solo voices. In this way, Mr. Kahane says, the concerti are operatic, with the piano taking the lead role, supported by the solo orchestral voices.

"This is a very important aspect of what Mozart did,

Mozart's music 'lets you know that things are going to be OK — as long as you have music.'

WU HAN, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR
MUSIC@MENLO CHAMBER
MUSIC FESTIVAL

something that hadn't been done before," he says. In addition, he adds, the composer "was continually playing with the form, playing with the structure. He continued to find ways

of surprising his audiences."

Mr. Kahane's knowledge of the piano concerti goes deep: He is now almost two-thirds of the way through a series of performances of all 23 concerti. He is performing them with the Los Angeles Chamber Orchestra, which he conducts from the piano.

A resident of the North Bay, Mr. Kahane is the music director of both the Los Angeles Chamber Orchestra and the Colorado Symphony Orchestra. ■

Find out more about Music@Menlo at musicatmenlo.org.

TOWN OF WOODSIDE ARCHITECTURAL AND SITE REVIEW BOARD Fence & Gate Questionnaire

All residents are encouraged to complete the fencing & gate survey available in the *What's New* section at:
www.WoodsideTown.org

Or to stop by...
Woodside Town Hall
2955 Woodside Road
(650) 851-6790

...and pick up a copy at the Building & Planning desk, open from 8am-10am and 1pm-3pm, Mon-Fri
Copies can also be mailed or faxed upon request.



Town of Portola Valley

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Portola Valley Town Council will consider a proposed amendment to reduce the existing diameter/circumference of Blue Oaks (*quercus douglasii*) as specified under the Site Development and Tree Protection Section of the Municipal Code.

The proposed amendment will be considered on Wednesday, July 26, 2006 at 8:00 p.m. in the Historic Schoolhouse, Town Center, 765 Portola Road, Portola Valley, CA.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact Leslie Lambert, Planning manager at (650) 851-1700, extension 12 or llambert@portolavalley.net.

Through the lens of Jeanne Gadol

Ladera photographer has first local show at Allegro Framing

By Jane Knoerle

Almanac Lifestyles Editor

"I want to show people what I've been up to," says Jeanne Gadol of Ladera, whose photography and photo-art will be shown at Allegro Framing in Ladera Shopping Center from July 24 to August 31. A reception for the artist will be held from 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday, July 29.

Some Ladera neighbors know Ms. Gadol as a member of the board of the Ladera Community Association. Others are aware of her business as a graphic and Web site designer. Although her work has frequently been featured at galleries in Gualala, near her second home at Sea Ranch, this is her first local show.

Ms. Gadol took up photography in the 1980s when, just married, her husband, Steve, bought each of them a camera. Over time, the frustrations of

darkroom printing (not wanting to work with chemicals), and disappointing experiences using photo labs, caused her to move away from photography.

In 1992 she opened a business as a graphic and Web site designer. As she became profi-

and landscapes. In 2004, she started using a digital camera. Her exhibit will have both photographs and photo-art made with computers.

When Mr. Gadol retired as a director of software technology at Sun Microsystems, the couple began traveling all over the world to photograph animals in their natural environment.

Mr. Gadol makes videos of their travels, puts them to music and often gives lectures to groups. "Photography is definitely a hobby we share together," she says.

Primarily self-taught as a photographer, Ms. Gadol has been in many juried shows

and teaches workshops with photographers Ralph Lee Hopkins and Robert Glenn Ketchum. She says she has also traveled with and learned from nature photographers Art Wolfe and Moose Peterson.

In May 2006, PC Photo magazine featured Ms. Gadol's pho-



Ancient Africa is the title of a group of images captured in Africa by Ladera photographer Jeanne Gadol.

cient with digital design tools, she began to use the computer to express her creativity.

She renewed her interest in photography six years ago and began photographing animals



Jeanne Gadol photographs wild animals in their natural environment.

tographs in a six-page article entitled "Capturing Grace." Her works range from almost monochromatic to vivid colorization, and from a soft, fluid look to highly textured and stylized.

When not traveling, the Gadols divide their time between homes in Ladera and Sea Ranch. They have photographed in Africa and the Arctic, as well as Northern California. "Animals are my special passion," she says.

Allegro Framing, a picture framing and art gallery, opened

■ INFORMATION

The photography and photo-art exhibit of Jeanne Gadol of Ladera will be on display from July 24 through August 31 at Allegro Framing, 3130 Alpine Road in the Ladera shopping center. A reception for the artist will be held from 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday, July 29. For information, call 851-4300.

this spring in Ladera Shopping Center. ■

TOWN OF WOODSIDE PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

July 26, 2006 • 7:30 PM

2955 Woodside Road, Woodside, CA 94062

PUBLIC HEARING

3. **Luanne Malkmus** Exception to lot line adjustment
415 & 425 Manzanita Way per WMC 152.009

Request for the Planning Commission to recommend an exception to the Town Council to waive two submittal requirements for a lot line adjustment per the exception procedure found in the Woodside Municipal Code Section 152.009. The applicant requests a waiver of the requirements set forth in Woodside Municipal Code Sections 152.021.B.1.d, that the existing contours be shown for the entire map, and 152.021.B.1.f, that the locations of existing buildings, driveways, septic tank drainfields, watercourses, easements, and relevant setbacks be shown for both properties.

4. **Chen and Victoria Wang** XMR06-004
490 Las Pulgas

Review of an application for an exception to the 6,000 square foot maximum residence size limit to allow for a main residence of 7,971.3 square feet in the RR zoning district, in accordance with Woodside Municipal Code Section 153.047.E.

5. **John and Stacey Hodge** SDPC06-002
155 Mountain Wood Lane

Review of a proposal to grade in excess of 1,500 cubic yards per Woodside Municipal Code Section 151.22.B.

All application materials are available for public review at the Woodside Planning and Building Counter, Woodside Town Hall, weekdays from 8:00-10:00 AM and 1:00-3:00 PM, or by appointment. For more information contact the Woodside Planning and Building Department at (650) 851-6790.

Buelteman exhibit at SPUR gallery

A barbecue will be held to celebrate the opening of photographer Robert Buelteman's new show at SPUR Projects gallery in Portola Valley on Saturday, July 22, from 4 to 7 p.m.

The exhibit, titled "Both Sides Now: Robert Buelteman in Black and White," will open on July 19 and run through August 5. It will showcase landscapes by the artist, as well as images that he has created using an innovative camera-less technique.

Mr. Buelteman has been the artist-in-residence at the Santa Fe Institute in New Mexico since 2003. When he's not teaching, he lives and works in Montara, on the Coastside.

The SPUR gallery is open Tuesday to Saturday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., or by appointment.



Arcularius Ranch by Robert Buelteman is among the works in the photographer's SPUR Projects exhibit opening this week.

Closet poets, performers invited to come out

Are you a dinner-table comedian itching to find a wider audience? Or a shower warbler ready to step out onto a dry stage?

Maybe you've shoved those poems or short stories into your desk drawer for too long, and want to give them voice before a willing public.

Step right up this Thursday — and every Thursday through

August — as Kepler's bookstore launches its Community Open Mic series in the plaza outside the store.

Participants who sign up beginning at 6:30 p.m. at a table set up next to the bookstore's front doors will be allowed to share their talents with the world from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

The stage will be open to poetry and short story read-

ing, comedy, music, magic acts — any type of performance suitable for public viewing, says Susan Linder of Kepler's.

Appetizers will be provided by Palermo, the Italian restaurant right around the corner from Kepler's in Menlo Square. Kepler's will provide drinks.

For more information, call Kepler's at 324-4321.

Calendar

MEETINGS, MUSIC, THEATER, FAMILY ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL EVENTS

Art Galleries

Art. Art exhibit by nature photographer and artist Jeanne Gadol. Display will focus on wildlife and landscapes from northern California, Africa and the Arctic. July 24-Aug. 31; reception: July 29, 1-5 p.m. Allegro Gallery, 3130 Alpine Rd., Portola Valley.

Benefits

Vintage Affaire Wine Auction. Annual wine auction benefiting Vista Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired. Silent auction with wine tasting and hors d'oeuvre pairings, and live auction following by a sunset gourmet supper. July 22, 2:30 and 8:30 p.m. \$225 per person. Private estate, Atherton. Call 858-0202, ext. 124. www.vintageaffaire.org

Classes/ Workshops

Artist Access. 3rd Thursdays through Oct., 3:30-6:30 p.m. Artists and photographers have access to the gardens after hours. Limited to artists who work with watercolor, pen, pencil, charcoal, pastels and photography. No oils or acrylics. Pre-registration recommended. \$15 members/\$20 non-members. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. www.filoli.org

Composition by Design. Class exercises encourage composition, analyzing line shape, value, structure and ways to arrange them. July 31 and Aug. 4, 9 a.m.-noon. \$250 members/\$300 non-members. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. www.filoli.org

Community Events

100 years after 1906: A Century of Progress in Understanding Earthquakes and Their Effects. Mark and Mary Lou Zoback explain the current status of earthquake prediction, including the potential for breakthroughs. July 20, 7-8:30 p.m. Free. Lawn Outside Cantor Arts Center Stanford University, Stanford. Call 723-7957. <http://continuingstudies.stanford.edu>

Open Mike Night. Featuring community talent. Arrive at 6:30 p.m. to sign up. Thursdays, July 20-Aug. 31, 7-8:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. www.myspace.com/keplersopenmic

Concerts

Music at Menlo Fourth Season Concert Program I. Mozart and Shostakovich. Celebrating Mozart's 250th anniversary. Created by founders Wu Han and David Finckel. July 25, 8 p.m. \$48/\$30 adult; \$24/\$10 student St. Mark's Episcopal Church, 600 Colorado Ave, Palo Alto. www.musicatmenlo.org

Music at Menlo's Cafe Conversations. Informal discussion events led by festival artists and special guests. July 25-28, July 31-Aug. 4, Aug. 7-10, 1:30 p.m.; July 29, Aug. 5 and Aug. 11, 1 p.m. Free. Music at Menlo, 50 Valparaiso Ave, Atherton. www.musicatmenlo.org

Music at Menlo's Encounter I. Signature series of full-length evening events, explore the composers' worlds, revealing the origins and probing the essence of the festival's music. Encounter I: "Why We Still Listen to Mozart and The Mozart Murder Trial" An Examination of Mozart's G Minor Piano Quartet. July 24, 7:30 p.m. \$30 adult/\$15 student. Music at Menlo, 50 Valparaiso Ave, Atherton. www.musicatmenlo.org

Music at Menlo's Master Classes. Offered by Chamber Music Institute for 2006. July 24, 1:30 p.m.; July 25-28, July 31-Aug. 4 and Aug. 7-10, 2:30 p.m.; Aug. 11, 2 p.m. Free. Music at Menlo, 50 Valparaiso Ave, Atherton. www.musicatmenlo.org

Peninsula Symphony presents Summer Pops Concert. Under the direction of Mitchell Sardu Klein. Includes selections from Guys and Dolls, Chicago, and Superman. Sun., July 23, 3 p.m. Free. Bring a picnic. Oak Creek Apartments, 1600 Sand Hill Road, Palo Alto.

Twilight Concert Series. Red Beans and Rice. July 25, 6:30-8 p.m. Free. Peers Park, 1899 Park Blvd, Palo Alto. Call 463-4940. www.cityofpaloalto.org/concerts

Exhibits

Oksana V. Johnson: Florals and Landscapes in Oils. Art Exhibit by Russian-American Impressionist Oksana Valentinova Johnson. Through Aug. 31. Atherton Library, 2 Dinkelspiel Station Lane, Atherton. Call 592-7267. www.athertonlibrary.org

Filoli's Eighth Annual Botanical Art Exhibition. Through July 30. Featuring a collection of plant portraits by artists from the United States and abroad. The Filoli Florilegium and the Banks Florilegium will also be on display. Free. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. www.filoli.org

"3 Artists." Paintings by father and son, Gilbert Marosi and Robert Marosi Bustamante. Paintings by Nona Haydon. Through Sept 14; reception July 21, 5-7 p.m. At the Center for Integrated Systems. Free. Stanford Art Spaces, 420 Via Palou, Stanford. Call 725-3622. <http://cis.stanford.edu/~marigros>

Chinese Painting on the Eve of the Communist Revolution. Exploring the art of the 20th-century with Chinese artist Zhang Suqi. Wed.-Sun., 11 a.m.-5 p.m.; Thu. 11 a.m.-8 p.m.; closed Mondays and Tuesdays. July 19-Oct. 29. Cantor Arts Center, 328 Lomita Drive, Stanford. Call 723-4177. museum.stanford.edu

Conflict and Art. Encompassing a spectrum of responses to conflicts of war and solitary quests, this exhibition conveys how artists and makers of ritual objects have interpreted the harsh realities of conflict in Europe, the Americas, Africa, and Asia. Through Aug. 27. Free. Cantor Arts Center, Museum Way and Lomita Dr., Stanford. <http://museum.stanford.edu>

Flowers In The Home. A celebration of plants in the home including floral demonstrations, cutting garden tours, plant talks, displays and more. July 18-22. Free. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. www.filoli.org

Reginald Rice: Watercolor paintings. Paintings, mostly of landscapes, on exhibit weekdays through Aug. 31, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Free. Little House, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park.

Sailing through History with Model Ships. The Museum of American Heritage in partnership with South Bay Model Shipwrights tell the story of maritime heritage from ancient to modern times through a collection of two dozen exquisite ship models and related objects. Fri.-Sun., through Sept. 24, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Free admission. Museum of American Heritage, 351 Homer Ave., Palo Alto. Call 321-1004. www.moah.org

The Perfume of Sadness: Symbolist Art from the Kirk Long Collection. The 30 works offer a succinct introduction to Symbolism, a short-lived but immensely influential literary and pictorial movement. Through July 23. Wed.-Sun. 11 a.m.-5 p.m.; Thu. 11 a.m.-8 p.m.; closed Mondays and Tuesdays. Cantor Arts Center, 328 Lomita Drive, Stanford. Call 723-4177. museum.stanford.edu

Kids & Families

Boswick the Clown. Former Ringling Brothers clown presents the reading circus for all ages. Wed., July 19, 4 p.m. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Rd., Woodside.

Family Fun Day Books: "What a Treasure." Sunday, July 23. On the Plaza: refreshments, face painting, crafts galore; in the store: featured authors: 1 p.m., "Chain Letter" by Lucille Lang Day and Doug Dworkin; 2 p.m., "An Airplane is Born" by Ilana Dover; 3 p.m., "The Ember Series" by Jeanne Duprau; 4 p.m., Dave Barry and Ridley Pearson Peter and the Shadow Thieves. Free. Kepler's Bookstore, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 324-4321. www.keplers.com

Infant Storytime. For ages 0-18 months. Wednesdays, 10 a.m. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Rd., Woodside.

Lacrosse Classes. Offered by Atherton Lacrosse. No experience needed. Camps through Aug. 18, 9 a.m.-noon and 5-8 p.m. Holbrook Palmer Park, 150 Watkins Avenue, Atherton. Call 799-3600. www.athertonlacrosse.com

Nature Hikes. Saturday, 10 a.m. Call or e-mail visitor services tours@filoli.org. Covers 3 miles of trails. Nature docents describe wildlife, plants, endangered species, and the historical background of the area. Free. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Wood-

At Kepler's

Gilberta Guth, author of "The Fighter Pilot's Wife," will be one of three women reading from their memoirs at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 18, at Kepler's bookstore in Menlo Park. The event is called "Women Empowered: Picking up the Pen Later in Life." The other writers are: Betty Auchard, "Dancing in my Nightgown: The Rhythms of Widowhood"; and Norma Barzman, "The End of Romance: A Memoir of Love, Sex, and the Mystery of the Violin." The event is free. Kepler's is at 1010 El Camino Real. For information, call 324-4321.



side. www.filoli.org

Reptile Rendezvous Explorers Program. For kids ages 8-11. July 22, 9:30 a.m.-noon. Children learn through classroom instruction, a hike on the trails and hands-on activities. \$15 members/\$20 non-members. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. www.filoli.org

Live Music

John Cowan Band. Sun., July 23, 8 p.m. \$18 advance/\$20 at the door. Little Fox, 2209 Broadway, Redwood City. Call 369-4119. www.foxdream.com

Chris Cain Band plus Adam Traum. Sat., July 22, 8 p.m. \$12 advance/\$14 at the door. Little Fox, 2209 Broadway, Redwood City. Call 369-4119. www.foxdream.com

Free Concert. Traditional American Songs presented by Peninsulaires Barber-shop Harmony Chorus. July 25, 7:30 and 8:15 p.m. Baskin-Robbins Ice Cream Shop, 2615 Middlefield Rd, Palo Alto. Call 494-2658. www.barbershop-harmony.org

San Francisco Jazz presents vocalist Sony Holland. The Sony Holland quartet performs jazz classics and originals from their upcoming CD. July 20, 6-7:30 p.m. Free. Stanford Shopping Center, 180 El Camino Real, Palo Alto. www.sonyholland.com

On Stage

"Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead." Tom Stoppard's classic comedy of Shakespearean proportions performed outdoors as part of a leisurely hike through Woodside's beautiful redwood forest. Bring a picnic. Saturdays and Sundays, July 22-Aug. 13, noon picnic; 1 p.m. performance. Theatre in the Woods, 2170 Bear Gulch Rd., Woodside. Call (415) 668-287. www.atmostheatre.com

"Brooklyn Boy." TheatreWorks presents the Northern California premiere of Donald Margulies' recent Broadway play, directed by Joy Carlin, July 19-August 13; Lucie Stern Theatre, 1305 Middlefield Road in Palo Alto. Tickets \$25-\$56. Tickets and information: 903-6000; theatreworks.org.

"Red House" by Ignacio Zulueta. In an attempt to destroy a scandalous past, a dutiful Victorian wife finds herself tangled up in the very shades of memory that she had set out to erase. July 20-22, 8 p.m. \$12. Bus Barn Theatre, 97 Hillview Ave., Los Altos. Call 941-0551. www.busbarn.org

"Still in the Game" by Jan August. A comedy that features a young executive who suddenly, through an inheritance, finds herself in charge of a senior shared-home and the five residents who occupy it. July 27, 28, 8 p.m.; July 30, 7 p.m. \$12. Bus Barn Theatre, 97 Hillview Ave., Los Altos. Call 941-0551. www.busbarn.org

"Pirates and Pigtales." Hotdog Supper-time Show. Bring a picnic or purchase food there. Eleanor wants to be a pirate, and leads her friends against her brother Jonathan and the neighborhood boys to claim the tree house as their pirate ship. Tue.-Sat., through July 22; Tue.-Fri., July 25-28, 6:30 p.m.; gates open at 5:45 p.m. \$4 children/\$8 adults Palo Alto Children's Theatre, 1305 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto.

"Pirates of Penzance, Jr." A farce of sentimental pirates, bumbling policemen, dim-witted lovers, and an eccentric Major-General. July 20, 25, 7:30 p.m.; July 19, 21, 26-27, 2:30 p.m. \$4 children/\$8 adults Palo Alto Children's

Submitting your information

Information for Calendar listings must now be submitted online. Please go to www.PaloAltoOnline.com, click on "Master Community Calendar," and then click on "Submit a listing." If you have questions, call Renee Meil at the Almanac, 854-2626. After hours, press zero and leave a message for Renee. For more Calendar listings, go to PaloAltoOnline.com, and click on "Master Community Calendar."

4-6 p.m. "R is for Rose: Reflection from a Passionate Rose Lover" by Carolyn Parker. Slide show and talk features photographs from 26 roses that grow in the author's garden. \$30 members/\$40 non-members. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. www.filoli.org

Asian Art Lecture. "The Fascination Between East and West." July 20, 1:30 p.m. Given by Docent Florence Hitchcock. \$1 members/\$5 other. Little House, 800 Middle Avenue, Menlo Park. Call 326-2025.

Jan Newman "Chance Meetings that Tied the Knot." As a college freshman, a last-minute decision to attend the Chancellor's Tea brought her face-to-face with the man she would marry and with whom she has shared a blissful life for over 30 years. Tue., July 25, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 321-2084. www.keplers.com

Kyra Davis "Passion, Betrayal and Killer Highlights." Tue., July 25, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 321-2084. www.keplers.com

Lisa Taggart, "Tied in Knots: Funny Stories from the Wedding Day." Twenty women speak about their wedding days. Tue., July 25, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 321-2084. www.keplers.com

Marta Acosta "Happy Hour at Casa Dracula." A novel about a young woman who finds her heart's desire in the least likely of places. Tue., July 25, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 321-2084. www.keplers.com

Paul Goldstein "Errors and Omissions." From Stanford professor Paul Goldstein a legal thriller of depth and complexity. Wed., July 19, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 321-2084. www.keplers.com

Sports

Intermediate Level Lacrosse Classes. NCAA All American player Jenny Testrake will be offering lacrosse classes for all levels. Sponsored by Atherton Lacrosse. Tuesdays and Thursdays, through Aug. 17, 6-8 p.m. Holbrook-Palmer Park, 150 Watkins Avenue, Atherton. Call 799-3600. www.athertonlacrosse.com

Talks/Authors

An Evening with the Roses. July 20,

TOWN OF WOODSIDE INVITES APPLICATIONS FOR COMMITTEES

BICYCLE COMMITTEE

Meets second Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m.; appointment for a one-year term.

The Committee advises and recommends to the Town Council on the policies for planning, developing, maintaining, and usage of Town's bikeways system and provides an open forum for bicycle issues.

RECREATION COMMITTEE

Meets first Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m.; appointments for three-year and two-year terms.

The Committee guides the activities of the community recreation programs.

Committees are volunteer positions and serve in an advisory capacity to the Town Council.

Interested residents may request information and applications Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. -12 noon and 1-5:00 p.m. at Town Hall, 2955 Woodside Road, on the web site at www.woodsidesidetown.org, or telephone (650) 851-6790. Deadline for applications is Friday, July 14, 2006, 5:00 p.m.



ATHERTON...This prime West Atherton flag lot boasts of level, sunny and private land. The lot is cleared and ready to build your dream house! Menlo Park Schools.

SKIP CASHIN \$3,950,000



ATHERTON...Tropical Private Paradise in the Heart of West Atherton! Resort like gardens, must see to appreciate! 5BR/4BA contemporary style main house. 1BR/1BA guest-house. 1BD/1BA au pair suite. Pool, Sauna, Gazebo, Ponds, Waterfalls and more. 3-car garage. Must see to appreciate.

SUZANNE SCOTT \$3,999,000



ATHERTON...Secluded & quiet, this 5BD/5BA home is spectacular. Recently updated and has a very CA feel, with lots of indoor/outdoor appeal. The landscaping features a waterfall, hundreds of plant species, a large pool and a pleasant greenhouse.

DANA CAPIELLO \$4,500,000



ATHERTON...A unique opportunity to own a classic modern residence in charming Lloyd Park. This 4BD/3BA home features a magnificent formal LR, a sleek FR Kit. Outdoor terraces and flexible living w/2 staircases leading to sep. BR wings. Private bkyd is accented by a gracious rose garden, water fountain & majestic oaks.

JAMI ARAMI \$2,350,000



SUNNYVALE...3BD/2BA best price & quality. Remodeled kitchen and baths. Dual pane windows, hardwood & tile floors. 2-car garage.

MATTHEW SHANKS \$639,000



WOODSIDE...Unique Frank Lloyd Wright Foundation Design. Lush tranquil settings. Separate dome for additional living space. Ocean views from some locations on the property. Quiet, private and unique. Portola Valley Schools. Two horse stalls on the property.

CAMILLE EDER \$1,548,000



WOODSIDE...Central Woodside's most sought after location! Gorgeous views of the western hills from this prime, sunny, level site. Minutes from school and town. Ready to build. On sewer.

ELIZABETH DASCHBACH \$2,550,000

ATHERTON

Stunning 5BR, 4BA custom contemporary home located quiet in the Las Lomitas School District. Lush, mature landscaping. Large sunny pool and hot tub. Spacious flat lawns. Vaulted ceilings. Move right in, remodel or build new dream estate!

STEPHANIE SAVIDES \$3,195,000

Traditional ranch home in desirable Lindenwood. 4BR/3BA home set on a generous & private landscaped lot w/fruit trees. Large backyard & deck for entertaining.

JOHN COYLE \$3,195,000

Instant curb appeal for this Classic Lindenwood Ranch home. Beautiful and sunny property with park-like grounds and perimeter privacy. 3+ BR's, Den, Formal Living room, Dining room, remodeled Kitchen, Family room, Sun room, Knotty Pine Guest House, Lifetime Pool and spa, 4+ car garage. Menlo Park schools.

PAUL SKRABO \$3,150,000

BELMONT

This large and spacious town home has all the upgrades, granite countertops, tile floors and more. Large kitchen overlooks Front Room and has a bay window. Just steps away from Waterdog Lake!

BRENDAN ROYER \$825,000

CUPERTINO

This spacious 5BD/3BA home has been extensively remodeled. Gourmet kitchen, Custom baths, beautiful grounds include: garden and pool. Award winning Cupertino Schools!

SHELLIE FLETCHER \$1,542,000

EAST PALO ALTO

Remod 2/1 has new flrs, new appliances, new roof, new water softener. Huge bckryd w/brick built in BBQ. Fenced prop. w/additional lighting outside.

GORDANA WOLFMAN \$609,000

Cozy 2BD/2BA, fresh paint, new stove and dishwasher. New floors in kitchen and carpet in bedrooms.

GORDANA WOLFMAN \$102,000

LA HONDA

Charming, remodeled, cottage-style home w/expansive views. Custom computer center & hutch in kitchen. Stained glass inserts & open beams. New roof, Anderson bay windows.

JANET LAWSON BURR \$545,000

LOS ALTOS HILLS

Unsurpassed quality, and thoughtful design are elegantly reflected in this European-style gated estate. 5 Bds/5.5Ba's. Limestone/Slate and Pecan floors, 5 Limestone fireplaces. Formal office, Media Rm, Wine cellar, Exercise room, 8-12 car garage. Completed guesthouse.

SUSAN FURSTMAN \$13,500,000

MENLO PARK

Super clean recently renovated Condo. New tile flooring in Kit. & BA. Turn key ready to move in.

HELEN GONIA \$399,950

PALO ALTO

Charming 3 Bedroom and 2 Baths in Old Palo Alto, great potential to build new or remodel. Two separate units can be accommodated. Home has separate Family room and Dining room. Deep lot with a big backyard. Detached 2-car garage.

SALLY KWOK \$1,999,900

Perfect location for this 3BD/2BA delightful Eichler! Remodeled kitchen freshly painted. New carpeting. Generous Garden. Palo Alto Schools!

DIANNE KERN \$1,149,000

REDWOOD CITY

Updated and Spacious home in desirable Mt. Carmel neighborhood. 6+Bd/4+Ba. New hardwood floors, granite countertops and new landscaping front and back. New roof and carpet. Excellent home for entertaining!

BRENDAN ROYER \$1,699,000

Excellent investment opportunity close to the new downtown development.

BRENDAN ROYER \$1,145,000

Fantastic opportunity to build or remodel in this great West side location. Current home has 2BR/& 1BA, remodeled kitchen with granite counters and a large living room. Close to shops and all conveniences. Large lot.

ELIZABETH DASCHBACH \$599,000

REDWOOD SHORES

Two level condominium featuring 2 master suites and open loft. New kitchen appliances, window coverings. Inside laundry. Professionally cleaned & painted throughout. Three decks. Covered parking.

VIVIAN VELLA \$610,000

SAN CARLOS

Adorable White Oaks. Granite kitchen, marble baths, hardwood fls, dual pane windows & sliders. Newer plumbing/elect. Beautiful Guest cottage w/marble floors & bath. A must see!

LINDA SAMAHA \$995,000

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QUIET CUL-DE-SAC

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Barbara Piuma

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Lynn Jason Cobb
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NEW CIRCUS CLUB ESTATE!

\$19,700,000

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STATELY GRAND ESTATE

\$17,900,000

Main house is approx 9000sf on 1.81 ac in prime Circus Club area. This almost completely redone home is located on Atherton's most acclaimed street.

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OLD WORLD ELEGANCE

\$10,900,000

6 BR 7.5 BA Under construction French Country Manor by Bob Owen. Three levels w/ every amenity, cabana & pool on 1.1 private acre in prime West Atherton location

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PRIVATE PARADISE

\$6,495,000

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Hugh Cornish

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GEORGIAN MANSION

\$5,995,000

6 BR 5 full BA + 2 half Lovely 2 story brick-faced, slate-roofed home, on a cul-de-sac street. Wine cellar and an au-pair apartment with kitchen, full bath and private deck.

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CIRCUS CLUB LOCATION

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5 BR 4.5 BA Two-story, French Traditional home on a cul de sac. Lofty ceilings, hardwood flrs. Fenced garden, swimming pool, & 3 car garage. Excellent MP schools.

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CONTEMPORARY OPULENCE

\$5,750,000

4 BR 4.5 BA Sleek custom villa in prime W. Atherton location. Light-filled flowing floorplan w/extraordinary detail on park-like grounds w/pool, cabana & gardens.

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ELEGANT HOME

\$5,495,000

4 BR 5.5 BA Classic French Normandy estate beautifully renovated and situated on approx .86 acre in prime Lindenwood location with pool and lush landscaping.

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ELEGANT TUDOR STYLING

\$4,800,000

6 BR 4.5 BA Grand dimensions on a priv cul-de-sac. LR w/FP, DR, Chef's Kit, FR w/FP, Library w/FP, Mstr St w/FP, Exercise Rm w/Wet Bar, Gst Hse, Pool&Spa, Spt Ct

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PRICE REDUCTION

\$4,495,000

5 BR 5.5 BA Two-story, Mediterranean-Mission-style home, designed in 1912 by famed architect Willis Polk and constructed around a series of sunny patios.

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QUALITY CONSTRUCTION

\$3,650,000

4 BR 4 BA Luxuriously remodeled 3/3 Lindenwood home with 1/1 gst hse. Hi ceilings, hardwood floors, marble finishes and today's technology. 4-car garage.

Lucy Berman

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LOCATION AND OPPORTUNITY

\$2,895,000

3 BR 2 BA Prime W. Atherton location offers rare opportunity for new construction. Existing "as is" home on tree-studded corner lot with MP (Las Lomitas) schls.

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PRIVATE ESTATE

\$2,880,000

2 BR 3.5 BA Exceptional opportunity. Enjoy this contemporary home w/2 master suites, 2 fireplaces, dramatic LR & den. Perfect for remodel or build new project.

John & Janet Dore

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STUNNING TWO STORY HOME

\$2,345,000

5 BR 4 BA Elegant LR w/vltd ceilings, Chef's kit, FR, formal DR, hwdwd flrs throt, gorgeous craftsmanship, exquisite mstr ste w/priv BA. V Tour kerinicholas.com

Keri Nicholas

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ATHERTON

SPACIOUS HOME ON OVER 1 A

\$2,328,000

5 BR 3 BA Sunny living rm, large DR, family room adjoins kitchen w/skylight. Wood floors, Approx. 3300 sf. Artist's retreat. Room for pool/tennis ct/guest hse.

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ATHERTON BUNGALOW

\$1,298,000

3 BR 2 BA Cute home ideally located on a cul-de-sac. Fenced yard with automatic gate. Menlo Park schools.

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BELMONT

VIEW OF HILLS/COZY HOME

\$1,150,000

4 BR 2.5 BA Huge price reduction of \$100k! Views, 2 bonus rooms & loads of storage. All new redwood fence&decks, dbl paned windows, new furnace & refinished flrs.

Geraldine Asmus

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HILLSBOROUGH

LOWER HILLSBOROUGH LOC

\$3,680,000

3 BR 3.5 BA 2 hb, steam shwr. Grand living rm with high ceilings, banquet size formal dining rm, chef's kitchen with butler pantry. Beautiful pool & gardens.

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LOS ALTOS

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Maya Sewald

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CONVENIENTLY LOCATED

\$3,395,000

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Hanna Shacham

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UPDATED 3000SF HM PA SCHL

\$2,395,000

4 BR 3.5 BA Updated sunny 3000 sf LAH home w/PA Schools on 1 ac lot w/vineyard. Gourmet kitchen w/granite countertops. Wine tasting & bottling rooms in basement.

Hanna Shacham

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MENLO PARK

STUNNING WEST MENLO HOME

\$3,995,000

5 BR 3.5 BA Gorgeous LR,DR, chef's kit w/breakfast bar, separate FR, exquisite master suite w/ priv bath. Indscpd backyard w/pool. See V tour www.kerinicholas.com

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TUSCAN ELEGANCE

\$3,595,000

6 BR 4.5 BA Newer construction on three levels in prime central Menlo Park location. Gorgeous materials, custom colors & finishes w/main-level BR & large Media rm.

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WONDERFUL TRADITIONAL HME

\$3,495,000

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Erika Demma

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SHOWCASE PROPERTY .6 AC

\$3,395,000

4 BR 3 BA Entertain to your hearts delight! Enjoy its cooks kit, resort-like pool, Guest Hs & vinecovered arbor w/built in bbq. Set on .6 Ac. - Sep 1BD/1BA apt.

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1920'S COTTAGE **\$1,049,000**
3 BR 1 BA & 2BR 1.5BA. Both cottages have 1920's charm & character. Grounds are beautifully landscaped & back house has its own fully fenced garden & deck. Darling interior.
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3 AC BLDG SITE **\$4,250,000**
Approx. 3 private acres within walking distance to Woodside Town center. Picturesque lot with creekside setting and towering Redwood groves.
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MENLO PARK

NEW WILLOWS LISTING! **\$1,749,000**
4 BR 3 BA plus pool house w/full bath. Elegant Y2K remodel. Country kitchen w/extravagant appliances. Vaulted ceilings, LR w/FP. Eurocave wine cellar.
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GORGEOUS CREEKSIDE LOC **\$1,550,000**
4 BR 3.5 BA Gorgeous creekside loc. 3/2 hm (2131sf) sep 1/1 (450sf) Guest Suite w/ full kitchen.handicap acc. 8000sf lot. 1mi to MP,PA & Stanford.
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EXQUISITELY REMODELED **\$1,449,000**
4 BR 3 BA Gourmet kitchen with granite counters, expansive limestone backsplash, top line appliances. Formal dining. Living room with fireplace. Hardwood floors
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IMMACULATE & PRIVATE! **\$1,395,000**
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3 BR 2 BA Desirable West MP location. Country setting. Family room kitchen, hardwood floors. Las Lomitas Schools.
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PACIFIC HILL COMPLEX **\$612,000**
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NEW PRICE - DON'T MISS! **\$1,695,000**
5 BR 2.5 BA Quality-built,turn-key,beautifully landscaped oasis near top-rated Gunn High!Meticulous attention to construction, finish work & landscaping details!
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DUVENECK SCHOOL DISTRICT **\$1,049,000**
4 BR 2 BA Best value North of Embarcadero! New paint and carpet, & in the Duveneck School district! Surrounded on 3 sides by lovely private gardens.
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DELIGHTFUL HOME IN SOUTH PALO ALTO **\$925,000**
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3 BR 3 BA Spectacular bay & mountain vws on approx. 2 3/4 ac. Main house w/LR,DR,Kit,FR,Bonus rm, and office/possible 4th BR. Plus large 2-BR, 2-BA guest house.
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UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY **\$2,800,000**
3 BR 2.5 BA Aprx. 1.35 acres of flat land in central PV location. 3 bdms on one level floorplan. Pool and pool cabana. Beyond cabana is a big undeveloped field.
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4 BR 3 BA Dramatic contemporary design set on .41 ac w/stunning valley/bay views. This newer home features a versatile floor plan and a guest cottage.
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3 BR 2 BA Sunny, peaceful ranch-style hm in friendly Los Trancos Woods.Eat-in kit, hdwd flrs,new roof, deck off LR & MBR, attached 2-car garage. Award winning schls.
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APPROX .83 ACRE LOT **\$750,000**
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4 BR 3.5 BA Country living in an elegant home with formal LR, DR, FR, AC, and 2 car gar. Pool, spa and flat yard. Impeccable condition...1 SMC bordering Woodside.
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5 BR 4 BA 3/2 owners unit w/granite kitchen master suite, large landscaped yard, 2-car gar + 2/2 in front for in-law or income w/side yard and 2-car gar + 1 LVL
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4BDR 2BATH WITH VIEWS **\$1,195,000**
4 BR 2 BA Rare opportunity in Farm Hill Estates.
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SUNNY COTTAGE **\$599,000**
2 BR 1 BA with fresh int/ext paint and new carpet! Fireplace, knotty pine wainscoting, hardwood floors, Inside laundry, det oversized 1 car gar, RV Parking.
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CENTRAL WATERFRONT LOFT **\$575,000**
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SARATOGA

REMODELED HM ON LARGE LOT **\$1,825,000**
4 BR 2.5 BA Excellent location. Walk to dwntwn & schls. Great floorplan. Lg kit overlooks FR & rear yard. Lg mastr suite. New paint, carpet, refinished hdwd flrs.
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WOODSIDE

PRESTIGIOUS LOCATION! **\$18,900,000**
5 BR 4.5 BA Sweeping views of Stanford & SF bay. Infinity pool, vineyard & wine cellar. 19+ acre park setting. 6600sf home, 900sf wine cellar, 1600sf guest house.
Lyn Jason Cobb **650.324.4456**

PRIME CENTRAL WOODSIDE **\$10,750,000**
4 BR 4.5 BA Country estate w/East Coast style architecture situated on approx. 3.8 private ac. Landscaped grounds, gsthse, poolhse, pool, fitness ctr & 4 car gar.
Jim McCahon **650.851.2666**

HIDDEN VALLEY ESTATE **\$8,250,000**
4 BR 4 BA Masterful design on approx. 3.5 ac., premium amenities throughout, separate studio/playroom with shower & exercise room plus pony barn/art studio.
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GREAT OPPORTUNITY **\$7,900,000**
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REMARKABLE 3+ AC PROPERTY **\$6,100,000**
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Hanna Shacham **650.324.4456**

PRIME WOODSIDE LOCATION! **\$5,800,000**
6 BR 6 BA 3+ flat sunny acres close to town in prime Woodside. Wonderful estate. Close to Woodside elementary schools!
Erika Demma **650.323.7751**

RARE INVESTMENT OPP. **\$4,750,000**
Purchase over 9 ac of prime WDS land located on "The Gold Coast", prestigious Mountain Home Rd. Property consists of 3 separate, legal lots. Lot "C".
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WOODSIDE COUNTRY ELEGANCE **\$4,695,000**
5 BR 4 BA Remodeled stunning 2-story Cape Cod farmhouse. Beautiful gardens, vineyards, orchard, spacious pool & patios. Total of 4 car garage. Approx. 1 acre.
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BEST VALUE IN WOODSIDE! **\$4,395,000**
On approx. 5 3/4 priv acs includes 6 BR, 5 BA hm, 3 BR/1 BA guest cottage, stables, pool & more; expansive gardens & great views abound.
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GREAT VALUE! **\$3,995,000**
3 BR 3 BA 3 acre building site with old shingle cottage and pool. Flat and private.
Scott Dancer & Renee Singh **650.851.2666**

GREAT LOCATION **\$3,900,000**
Spectacular 3+ acre estate site in central Woodside. Flat useable land surrounded by beautiful trees. Easy to show.
Diane Rothe **650.851.2666**

WOODSIDE

PRIVATE 6+ AC SITE **\$2,950,000**
3 BR 2 BA Rolling topography & fabulous vws of Jasper Ridge & the bay. Apprx. 1/2 ac currently planted w/grape vines. Beautiful bldg site or remod existing hm.
Jim McCahon **650.851.2666**

2-AC GARDEN PARADISE **\$2,289,000**
4 BR 3.5 BA Spacious, light-filled tri-level contemp. on 2 open, landscaped acres. Soaring ceilings in LR, FR + walls of glass & hdwd flrs. Minutes to town & 280.
Molly Westrate **650.851.2666**

2001 BEAR GULCH RD WEST **\$1,692,000**
3bd/3BA Ocean views on almost 2 acres. Open 7/23
Carol Forster **650-712-2418**

ALPINE SETTING **\$1,250,000**
3 BR 3 BA Tucked in the oaks & redwds just off Skyline Blvd, this quiet hm offers charm & Craftsman architectural touches to delight the eye.
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5+ GLORIOUS ACRES **\$925,000**
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2 STORY CONTEMPORARY **\$899,000**
3 BR 2 BA Tucked away in the Redwds w/open LR, cathedral ceiling w/wd burning stove nestled in the corner & new bamboo flrs extending upstairs. PV schls.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214983

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PENINSULA PATHWAYS, 3144 Spring Street, Redwood City, CA 94063.

This business is conducted by an Individual: COLLEEN SHAW, 1670 South Amphlett, #224, San Mateo, CA 94402.

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: (1) FIRST IMPRESSION INTERIORS., (2) FIRST IMPRESSION HOLIDAYS, 20 Northgate Court, Daly City, CA 94015.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership: (1) LIBERTY S. NURIS, 20 Northgate Court, Daly City, CA 94015, (2) MARIAM ARSINOOS, 317 Horizon Way, Pacifica, CA 94047.

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: (1) CITYMUTUAL FINANCIAL, (2) CIMU WHOLESAL, 999 Bayhill Drive, Suite 101, San Bruno, CA 94066.

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ACADÉMIC DATA, 1964 Euclid Avenue, East Palo Alto, CA 94303.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214604

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: GREEN LIGHT JERKY COMPANY, 51 Nueva Avenue, Redwood City, CA 94061.

This business is conducted by Individuals - Husband and Wife: (1) MATTHEW BRADY KLAPPER, 51 Nueva Avenue, Redwood City, CA 94061, (2) DENISE ALANE KLAPPER, 51 Nueva Avenue, Redwood City, CA 94061.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 20, 2006.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California June 20, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214588

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: NATIONAL IMAGE WORKS, 1364 San Mateo Avenue, South San Francisco, CA 94080.

This business is conducted by an Individual: JONATHAN RUBIN, 1726 The Great Highway, San Francisco, CA 94122.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214612

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SPEED WAITERS, 2270 Bay Road, Redwood City, CA 94063.

This business is conducted by an Individual: MOMENA RAHMAN, 2030 California Street, #12, Mountain View, CA 94040.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 1, 2006.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214747

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RE-DESIGN GALLERY OF MENLO PARK, 59 El Camino Real, Menlo Park, CA 94025, 3551 Haven Avenue, Suite V, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by a Corporation: GLETZCO, INC., 1874 McBain Avenue, San Jose, CA 95125.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 1, 2006.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California June 28, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214515

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: BEH AVARAN DELTA, 2051 Mills Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by Individuals - Husband & Wife: (1) AZAD KHODAI, 2051 Mills Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025, (2) MOJGAN YEGANIAN, 2051 Mills Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California June 14, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM,

County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

Published in THE MENLO ATHERTON RECORDER on July 19, 26, August 2, 9, 2006.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214753

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: GARDEN RAIN LANDSCAPING, 3465 Alameda de las Pulgas, #3, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CHRISTOPHER ALLEN HART-MORRIS
CASE NUMBER CIV455571

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner: EDWARD S. MORRIS AND MELISSA K. PERRY has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing name as follows: CHRISTOPHER ALLEN HART-MORRIS to CHRISTOPHER ALLEN MORRIS.

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted on August 23, 2006 at 9:00 a.m., Dept. 28, Room: 2F, located at 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA 94063.

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 Almanac, a newspaper of general circulation printed in the County of San Mateo.

Dated: June 16, 2006
Mark R. Forcum
Acting Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
ENDORSED FILED in San Mateo County on July 3, 2006. Clerk of the Superior Court
By E. Boffi, Deputy Clerk.
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 06-06120 Doc ID #00085434392005N Title Order No. 06-8-130378 Investor/Insurer No. 8543439 APN No. 085-033-060-6 OF TRUST, DATED YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER AP UTE T YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO C EXPLANATION OF THE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED Y OU YOU SHOULD CONTACT A NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, LAWYER." Notice is hereby given that ReconTrust Company, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by RICHARD D. HAGEDORN, AND LINDA L. HAGEDORN, HUSBAND AND WIFE, dated 03/30/1998 and recorded 04/08/98, as Instrument No. 98-049999, in Book, Page), of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, State of California, will sell on 08/02/2006 at 1:00PM, AT THE MARSHALL STREET ENTRANCE TO THE HALL OF JUSTICE AND RECORDS, 400 COUNTY CENTER, REDWOOD CITY, CA at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, 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 and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice

of Sale is \$248,368.89. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks 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. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. DATED: 07/07/2006 ReconTrust Company, N.A. 1757 TAPO CANYON ROAD, SWW-88 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (805) 578-6618 By: Trustee's Sale Officer ReconTrust Company, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. ASAP# 777674 07/12/2006, 07/19/2006, 07/26/2006
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. 060471JV Loan No. 33243957 Title Order No. 6703904 APN 079-102-120 You are in default under a Deed of Trust dated 10/05/1993. Unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceedings against you, you should contact a lawyer. On 08/01/2006 at 1:00pm, Alliance Title Company as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 10/22/1993, Instrument 93180445 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of San Mateo County, California, executed by: Warren Hathaway Moore, a married man as his sole and separate property, as Trustor, Headlands Mortgage Company, a California Corporation, as Beneficiary, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state): At the Marshall Street entrance to the Hall of Justice and records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land herein: As more fully described in Deed of Trust. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 395 Golden Oak Dr., Portola Valley, CA The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with

interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: \$ 384,391.05 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. For reinstatement or payoff quotes, please contact the Loan Resolution Department at: 877-596-8580 Beneficiary: HSBC Bank USA, N.A., as Trustee for the Registered Holders of ACE Securities Corp. Home Equity Loan Trust, Series 2004-SD1, Asset Backed Pass-Through Certificates C/O ALLIANCE DEFAULT SERVICES 460 DRAKE CIRCLE, SACRAMENTO, CA 95864 PH No: (916) 971-8550 Sale information can be obtained on line at www.fnasap.com or www.calpost.com Automated Sales Information please call (714) 259-7850 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 and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 7/8/06 Alliance Title Company, a California Corporation as Trustee 460 Drake Circle Sacramento, CA 95864 Kelli Mackaig, Trustee Sale Officer ASAP# 779600 07/12/2006, 07/19/2006, 07/26/2006
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PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS GIVEN that at a meeting to be held on July 26, 2006, the Skyline County Water District Board of Directors will hold a public hearing for the purpose of considering the following matters:

1. Whether to pass a resolution increasing water rates and charges
2. Whether to pass a resolution increasing the Connection Fees and the Plant & Facility Fees for service connections.
3. Whether to pass a resolution increasing miscellaneous rates and charges relating to service connections.

The time and place of the Public Hearing which is the subject of this Notice is as follows:

Time: 7:30 p.m.
Date: Wednesday, July 26, 2006
Place: Kings Mountain Community Center
13889 Skyline Boulevard,
Woodside, California 94062

At the time and place above the District Board will hear and consider all protests, objections, or other oral and written comments from any interested persons who may wish to address the Board concerning one or more of the matters referred to above.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the copies of a staff report and proposed Resolution are available for examination at the District Office located at 14944 Skyline Boulevard, Woodside, CA 94062, and may be reviewed there by any interested person. For further information, contact Tamara Hannon, General Manager, at (650) 851-0529.

Dated: July 14, 2006
Skyline County Water District
By: _____
Tamara Hannon
General Manager
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NOTICE OF ADVICE LETTER FILING BEFORE THE CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION (CPUC)

On July 7, 2006, California Water Service Company (Cal Water) filed Advice Letter 1778, which requests the establishment of a memorandum account to track the difference between revenues at current rates and the revenue requirement to be adopted in a final CPUC decision in Application (A.) 05-08-006, et.al. An established memorandum account allows the CPUC to determine in the future if the amounts booked therein are reasonable and can be recovered in rates. Future rate recovery of amounts booked in the memorandum account may be sought from customers in the Antelope Valley, Bear Gulch, Dominguez-South Bay, Hermosa-Redondo, Kern River Valley, Marysville, Palos Verdes, and Redwood Valley Service Areas.

The CPUC provides two ways to respond to this notice. You can send a protest to the CPUC and, if you do, you must send a copy of the protest to Cal Water; or you can send a response to the CPUC with a copy to Cal Water if you wish. A protest is a document objecting to the granting in whole or in part of the authority sought in this advice letter. A response is a document that does not object to the authority sought, but nevertheless presents information that the party tendering the response believes would be useful to the CPUC in acting on the request.

A protest objects to the advice letter in whole or in part and must set forth the

specific grounds on which it is based. These grounds are:

- (1) The utility did not properly serve or give notice of the advice letter;
- (2) The relief requested in the advice letter would violate statute or Commission order, or is not authorized by statute or Commission order on which the utility relies;
- (3) The analysis, calculations, or data in the advice letter contain material error or omissions;
- (4) The relief requested in the advice letter is pending before the Commission in a formal proceeding; or
- (5) The relief requested in the advice letter requires consideration in a formal hearing, or is otherwise inappropriate for the advice letter process; or
- (6) The relief requested in the advice letter is unjust, unreasonable, or discriminatory (provided that such a protest may not be made where it would require relitigating a prior order of the Commission.)

A protest must be mailed within 20 days of receiving this notice or of the CPUC advice letter filing date, whichever is later. The filing date is the date the advice letter was put on the CPUC Calendar. The Calendar is available at the CPUC's website at www.cpuc.ca.gov. A protest must state the facts on which the protest is based, the effect that approval of the advice letter might have on the protestant, and the reasons the protestant believes the advice letter, or a part of it, is not justified. If the protest requests an eviden-

tiary hearing, the protest must state the facts the protestant would present at an evidentiary hearing to support its request for whole or partial denial of the advice letter. The utility must respond to a protest within five days. All protests should be sent to California Water Service Company, 1720 North First Street, San Jose, CA 95112, or faxed to (408) 367-8430, or e-mailed to ratesquestion@calwater.com. If you have not received a reply to your protest within 10 business days, please call Cal Water at (408) 367-8200.

The California Public Utilities Commission welcomes your comments. If you wish to respond to this rate request, you may submit written comments to the CPUC at the address listed below. Simply state that you are writing about Advice Letter No. 1778 of the California Water Service Company. If you need help, you may contact the Public Advisor's office of the Public Utilities Commission by writing them at 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

A copy of the California Water Service Company advice letter may be obtained by writing to its offices located at 1720 North First Street, San Jose, California 95112-4598, or from the office of the California Public Utilities Commission, Water Division, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, California 94102.

CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF MENLO PARK CITY COUNCIL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Menlo Park, California is scheduled to review the following item:

Rezoning/Planned Development Permit/Vesting Tentative Subdivision Map, Heritage Tree Permit and Environmental Review/1452 and 1460 El Camino Real and 1457 and 1473 San Antonio Street/Beltramo's Investment Company, Inc.:

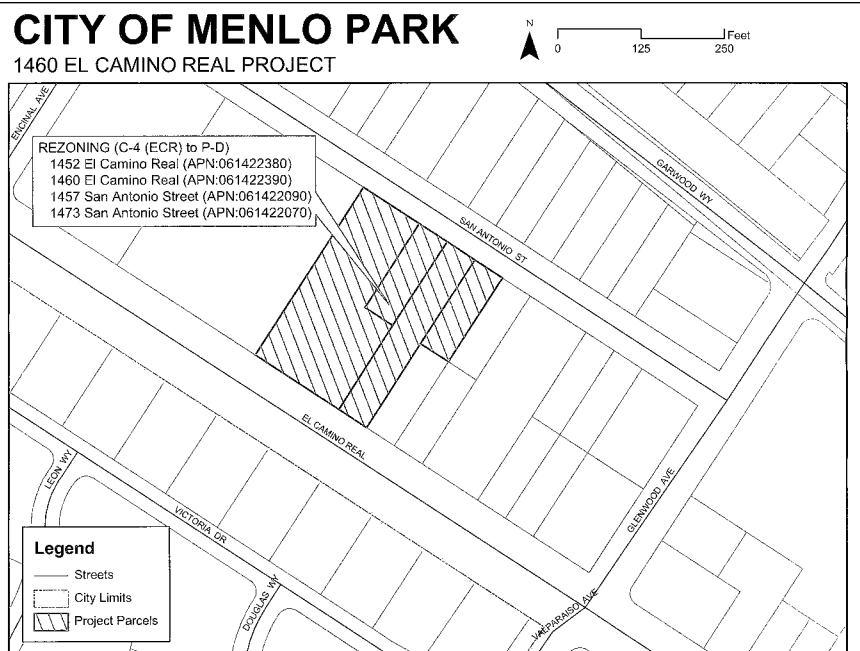
Request for the following:
1) Rezoning from C-4 (General Commercial District, Applicable to El Camino Real) to P-D (Planned Development District); 2) Planned Development Permit to establish specific development regulations and review architectural designs for the demolition of several commercial and storage buildings and construction of a new 26,800-square-foot, two-story commercial building with at-grade and subterranean parking and 16 two-story townhomes with partially submerged parking on an approximate 1.5-acre site; and 3) Heritage Tree Permit for removal of one heritage size redwood tree, 4) Vesting Tentative Subdivision Map for the creation of 16 residential lots with associated common areas and one commercial lot for condominium purposes not to exceed 40 commercial units, 5) Environmental review of the proposed project.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the City Council will hold a public hearing on this item in the Council Chambers of the City of Menlo Park, located at 701 Laurel Street, Menlo Park, on **Tuesday, August 1, 2006, 7:00 p.m.** or as near as possible thereafter, at which time and place interested persons may appear and be heard thereon. If you challenge this item 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 City of Menlo Park at, or prior to, the public hearing.

Documents related to this item may be inspected by the public on weekdays between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Friday, with alternate Fridays closed, at the Community Development Department, 701 Laurel Street, Menlo Park. Please call Deanna Chow, Senior Planner, if there are any questions or comments on this item. She may be reached at 650-330-6733 or by email at dmchow@menlopark.org.

Visit our web site for public hearing, agenda, and staff report information: www.menlopark.org

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Silvia M. Vonderlinden
City Clerk
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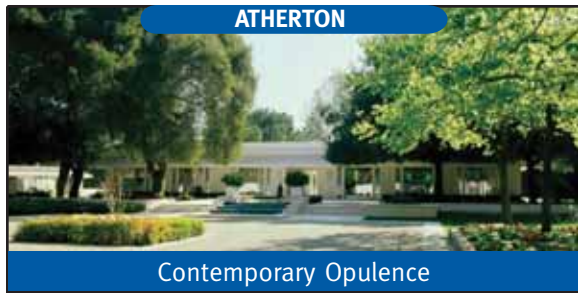
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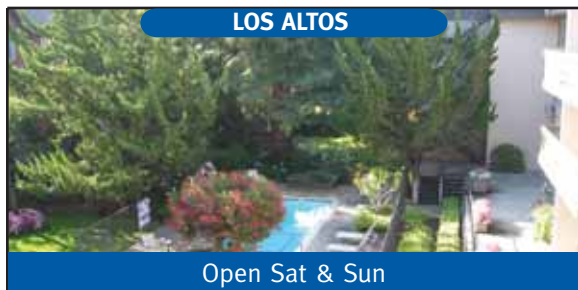
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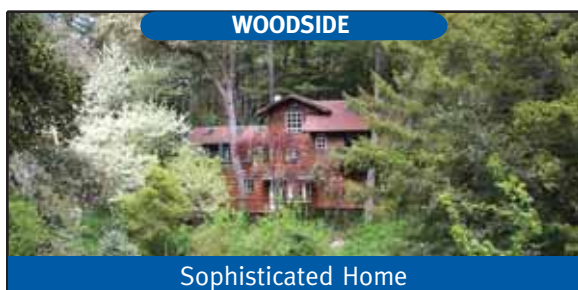
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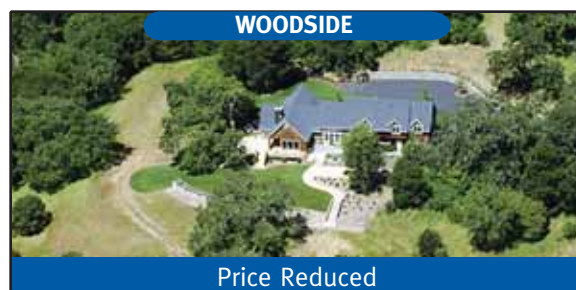
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