

DISPATCHES  
from the home front

## Home alone:

What really happens when Mom's away?

Now that my children are, theoretically, old enough to take care of themselves, I've taken a number of trips with one or more of them staying behind at home.



BARBARA WOOD

By now we've got a little routine for these occasions—I leave a list of things that need to be done each day to keep the house from falling in around their ears, assign someone responsibility for each task, and go off and try not to think of what is happening (or not happening) while I'm gone.

This has worked out fairly well, I suppose, because everyone, including pets and other domesticated animals, has always been alive when I've returned. A few plants have succumbed to lack of water; but I try to look at this as simply cutting back on my future watering and planting responsibilities.

I did get really irritated when we were gone for two weeks and my son did not ever put out the garbage and recycling, which had become rather pungent and overflowing by the time we returned.

What really bothered me was that only one garbage pickup was scheduled before we were planning to have a rather large gathering at our house, and there was no way I could fit three weeks of garbage in our one can. I was saved by the garbage men, bless their hearts, who took away the can plus several bags heaped on top.

But I am beginning to believe my family is taking my list-making a little too literally.

Last week, when my nephew and I left to go on our annual extended-family and friends camping trip to Pinecrest (near

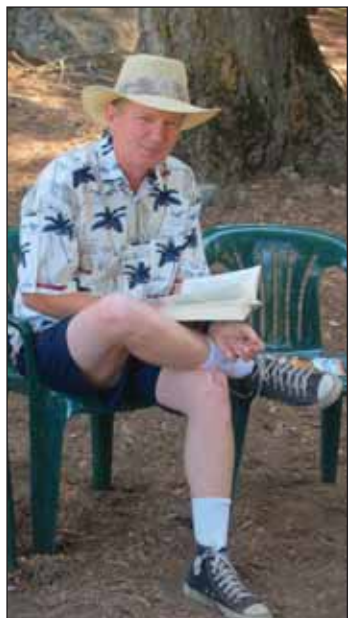
Sonora), leaving my three kids and husband behind, I pulled up my computerized list and modified it as usual.

Dan and one daughter (who will remain nameless because she makes me pay her if I use her name) were planning to join us on Friday afternoon. So, for Thursday I wrote: "Pack for camping (clothes, 1 tent, sleeping bags, sleeping pads, flashlights, water, beer, snacks, hiking and swim gear.)" For Friday I wrote: "Go to Pinecrest."

When it got to be past dinner time Friday and the two of them still hadn't arrived I began to worry they had run into serious Friday afternoon traffic. Finally they arrived, with Dan claiming that my list had caused the delay.

They were halfway to Pinecrest when our other daughter called them from home. "Daddy," she said, "Did you forget something?" "No," Dan said, since he believes that denial is always the best opening tactic. "Oh," she said, "so you didn't mean to take this red bag with your hiking shoes attached?" All his clothes

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Dan Fitzpatrick's outfit was the hit of the campground.



The Almanac/Marjan Sadoughi

**Proud graduates**, from left, Malik Johnson, Andrew Castillo-Rodriguez and Olivia Garner before their preschool graduation ceremony at the Haven Family House.

## Children's Center celebrates graduation

Center looks after preschoolers as parents get back on their feet

By Sean Howell

Special to the Almanac

Ana Castillo-Rodriguez knew that she needed help in the fall of 2003. She was trying to kick a serious drug problem, find permanent housing and get a job—all while raising her 2-year-old son, Andrew. She wanted to enter a drug rehabilitation program and send Andrew to day care, but couldn't afford either and didn't qualify for welfare.

Then she heard about the Haven Family House at 260 Van Buren Road in Menlo Park, a center run by Shelter Network that offers transitional housing and day care services to low-income families in San Mateo County.

Ms. Castillo-Rodriguez lived at the center for four months, attending a rehab program and parenting classes and searching for a job and housing while Andrew was enrolled in the child care program.

On Friday, Ms. Castillo-Rodriguez, now 25, attended a ceremony at the center for Andrew and five other students who graduated from Haven's preschool program. It has provided a source of stability in Andrew's life over the last three years, though Ms. Castillo-Rodriguez moved out of the center after four months.

"I'm really comfortable knowing he's ready to go to kindergarten," she said.

The center offers child care for homeless and at-risk toddlers and preschoolers, giving priority to families receiving transitional housing from the Shelter Network. It also provides mandatory parenting classes.

The graduation ceremony on

the fact that she had grown up in what she

described as a "well-off family." During the only Christmas that she spent at Haven, she recalled her despair at not being able to afford a proper Christmas dinner—and her gratitude when someone donated one.

"Instead of saying that I didn't want to be in this place, I held my head up high and took the help," she said. "Now, every Thanksgiving and Christmas, I go out and get that dinner for five or six families. It feels really good; it's very emotional for me. There are a lot of young women out there in that situation, and I want them to know that it's OK, there's help out there."

## 'They embraced him'

Ebonie Johnson's son Malik also graduated on Friday. A single mother herself, Ms. Johnson was referred to the Haven center in the spring of 2003 when other day care programs hesitated to accept Malik.

He suffers from a medical con-

*'It's been amazing, not just to watch the children but to watch the parents. They are truly inspirational.'*

PROGRAM DIRECTOR KELLI SAITO-MARTINES

Friday featured a hip-hop performance by the children with the Menlo-Atherton High School dance team. Afterward, they donned robes and mortarboards to receive their diplomas.

It was an inspirational moment for Ms. Castillo-Rodriguez, who views the time she spent at the center as a turning point in her life. She has been sober since enrolling, found a job and plans to marry next year.

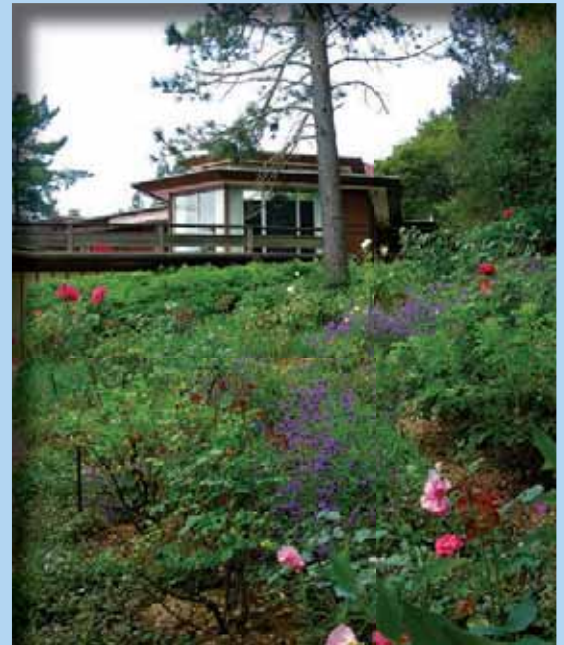
She said that she embraced the chance to live at the center, despite



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# Workin' hard for the money

By Miles McMullin  
10th grader

For the first time in my life, I held two "real jobs" this summer. I was a paid intern at MOTO, a product-development company in San Francisco, and a cook/server for the Fremont Hills Country Club in Los Altos Hills.

In order to get these jobs, I had to interview with the companies and tell them why I would be valuable and how I could help their organizations. After the interviews and I was hired, I started working almost every single day of the week for eight weeks.

I liked working at the country club more because the job was closer to my house, and it involved more interaction with kids and people on a hourly basis. The job also demanded more real-life skills that required finesse and management.

I had to make and serve Caesar salads, hot dogs, hamburgers, and grilled cheese sandwiches in an extremely busy environment where at any one

time there might have been 20 people in line for food.

I had many satisfied customers after I whipped them up a tasty Caesar salad, yet some of them were more picky. One day, a woman walked up to the snack bar, and insisted all the workers start to wear gloves. Although we washed our hands many times an hour and were very conscious of cleanliness, she would not give up on her request for us all to wear gloves.

She was very assertive and ultimately did not order any food, but requested a Sprite with a lemon, which we did not serve. However, I went to the kitchen and got her a lemon wedge. I realized how important it is to keep a customer happy.

In the city at my MOTO job,



I learned how an office works and what it takes to make lots of people get along in a busy intense environment.

MOTO has clients ranging from technology startups to Fortune 500 companies. Boy, do they work hard.

At MOTO, I learned how to create a spreadsheet — knowledge that will serve me well someday, I am sure. I attended brainstorming meetings where they talked about what products can be made that will make a customer more efficient.

I liked being in the city and walking around San Francisco for lunch and learning where all the hotspots are. My favorite was a little hotdog stand built in the corner of a building.

Besides the experience, I made a handsome amount of cash. I hope not to blow it all on something and save it for retirement (sure).

Working for a living is tough; school seems like a breeze, which is good as I still have many years left before I am done.

# Graduation day for Haven Family House

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dition called congenital lipodystrophy, which prevents his body from producing fat and causes an enlarged liver and spleen; he requires extra attention because he is more prone to injury.

"The people at Haven weren't afraid of that large word," Ms. Johnson said. "They embraced him as if he were a normal kid."

Ms. Johnson said that she had

feared the disease would affect Malik's education, because he began speaking and walking at a later stage than most kids. But she praised the staff at Haven for helping him develop, especially program director Kelli Saito-Martines.

"She goes so far beyond the role of a director," Ms. Johnson said, recalling how she would come to pick Malik up at 5 p.m. and find herself still talking to Ms. Saito-Martines three hours later. "She sends me e-mails during the day

to say that Malik is playing outside. How many teachers do that?"

For her part, Ms. Saito-Martines said that she was happy to see Ms. Johnson and Ms. Casillo-Rodriguez work to help themselves and their sons.

"It's been amazing, not just to watch the children but to watch the parents," she said. "They are truly inspirational, hard-working, motivated, strong women who love their children, and have overcome challenges to really provide great lives for those two young boys." ■

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were inside, and since he'd come straight from a business meeting Dan was dressed in khakis and a button down shirt. Not exactly camping gear.

So Dan did what any self-respecting male would do upon finding out, hours from home,

that he forgotten all his clothing. He stopped at Wal Mart, and for \$64.07 purchased a new wardrobe, consisting of a straw hat, sweatshirt, three shirts, one pair of shorts, a package of socks, a package of underwear and a T-shirt. He was the hit of the campground.

Plus, he argued, the entire episode was really my fault. I

hadn't put on Friday's list to load the items packed on Thursday into the car. But I've forgiven him, because it's impossible to be upset with someone dressed the way he was. ■

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

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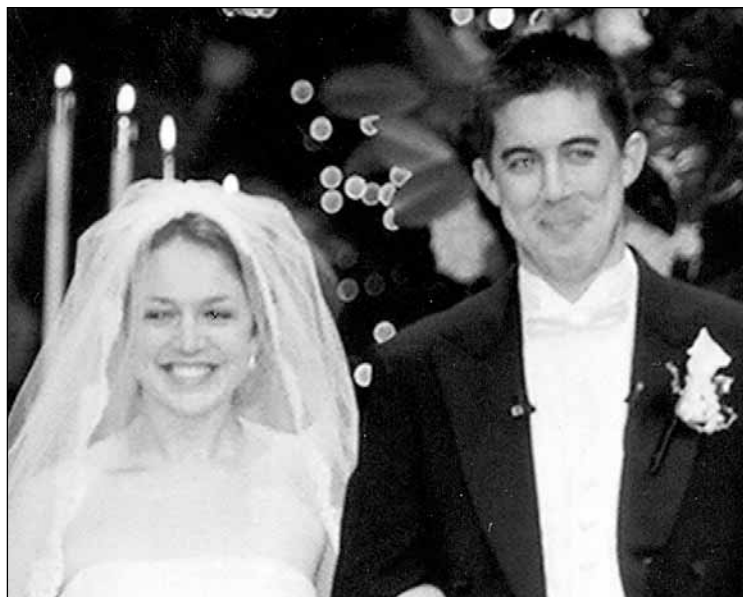
Lydia Fiore Dorman and Jonathan William Smith, both formerly of Menlo Park, were married recently at Menlo Park Presbyterian Church. The bridegroom's father, the Rev. Neil Smith, gave the wedding homily.

A reception was held at the Kohl Mansion in Burlingame. Friends and family from Lago Maggiore, Italy, Cambridge, England, and Vancouver, Canada, as well as the United States, attended the wedding.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. John and Charlene Dorman of Menlo Park. She attended Menlo-Atherton High School and graduated from Stanford University, where the couple met.

The bridegroom is the son of the Rev. Neil and Melanie Smith of Sequim, Washington, formerly of Palo Alto. He also graduated from Stanford University.

The couple both taught English at Pinewood High School in Los Altos Hills before beginning graduate studies in Ann Arbor, Michigan. The bride is a law student at Ave Maria Law School. The bridegroom is a doctoral candidate at the University of Michigan.



Lydia Dorman and Jonathan Smith

Bianca Dorman Humphries was matron of honor. The bridesmaids were Diantha Fullmer Galli, Cori Menely Cover, Beverly Lacy Dorman, Audry Bianco, Noel Randall, and Melinda Mattes. Marie-Therese Chahouri was flower girl.

Jared Smith was best man. The groomsmen were the Rev. Scott Scruggs, Bruce Huber, Gentry Underwood, Coert Voorhees, Todd Dorman and Ben Olding.

The bridegroom proposed in New York City, where the

Dorman family was celebrating the baptism of Daniel Townsend Dorman, Lydia's nephew. As they posed for a family photograph, the bridegroom surprised everyone by stepping into the photo next to Lydia with a bouquet of long-stemmed roses. He proposed on a walk in Central Park to Bow Bridge. As the bride said yes, a gondolier went under the bridge singing a love song in Italian. That part was unplanned, say family members.



Kathleen Adams and John Hiester

**Adams-Hiester**

Kathleen Susan Adams and John Boatman Hiester were married June 3 at Ascension Hall, Kenyon College, in Gambier, Ohio. A reception was held in Weaver Cottage on the college campus.

The bride is the daughter of Robert and Susan Adams of Portola Valley. She is a graduate of Woodside High School and Kenyon College, and a doctoral student in cultural anthropology at the University of Wisconsin in Madison, Wisconsin.

The bridegroom is the son of Robert and Judith Hiester of Steamboat Springs, Colorado. He is a graduate of Kenyon College and is a bilingual economic support specialist in Wisconsin's right-to-work program in Madison.

The bridal couple chose not to designate a maid of honor or best man. The bride's attendants were Anna Kneitel and Allison Artman. The bridegroom's attendants were Brian Hiester and Brett Balderson.

Kate and John met as college freshmen when taking part in a wilderness training class. They are planning a honeymoon in

Mexico next January and will live in Madison until the bride completes graduate school.

**McNenny-Schmoller**

Rosemary McNenny and Andrew Schmoller were married July 14 at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in Kapalua, Maui. A reception followed at the Pineapple Grill in Kapalua.

The bride is the daughter of Dianne and Howard McNenny of Albany. She is a graduate of UC Santa Barbara and is manager of the corporate audit department at Fox Entertainment Group Inc. in Los Angeles.

The bridegroom is the son of Beth and Eberhard Schmoller of Menlo Park. A graduate of Menlo-Atherton High School and UCLA, he is a sales manager.

Katie McNenny was her sister's maid of honor. Susie Etzel was bridesmaid and Catherine Schmoller was the flower girl. The bridegroom's brothers, Christopher and Paul Schmoller were co-best men.

The couple is living in Brentwood in West Los Angeles after a honeymoon in Bora Bora.



Rosemary McNenny and Andrew Schmoller

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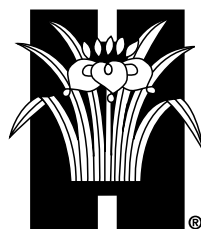
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# San Francisco Opera event at St. Bede's August 27

Five San Francisco Opera Adler Fellows will perform and the opera's new general director, David Gockley, will speak on Sunday, August 27, at St. Bede's Episcopal Church in Menlo Park.

Proceeds from the program will benefit the San Francisco Opera Guild's music education programs and the Merola Opera Program for young artists. The event will include a champagne and hors d'oeuvres reception in the church's courtyard, where guests can meet Mr. Gockley, the performers and other opera lovers.

Sponsored by the South Pen-

insula chapter of the San Francisco Opera Guild, the event will feature four singers from this season's Adler Fellows program, a prestigious training program for advanced singers and stage directors. Adler Fellow Matt Piatt will accompany the singers on the piano.

The singers are Rhoslyn Jones and Elza van den Heever, sopranos; Kendall Gladen, mezzo-soprano; and Sean Panikkar, tenor. They will perform arias and duets ranging from "Habanera" from Bizet's "Carmen," to the "Flower Duet" from Puccini's "Madama Butterfly" and the "Watch Duet" from

Strauss' "Die Fledermaus."

Mr. Gockley will offer his insights on the current state and future direction of the opera company, according to guild spokeswoman Karen Imatani.

Mr. Gockley was general director of the Houston Grand Opera for 33 years before joining the San Francisco company this year. He was recently named one of the 25 "most powerful names in U.S. opera" by Opera News magazine.

Tickets for the 7 p.m. event are \$50 to \$150. For tickets or information, call 325-8451.

St. Bede's Church is at 2650 Sand Hill Road.



By Michael Winokur

**David Gockley**, San Francisco Opera's new general director, will speak at the event.



Courtesy, San Francisco Opera

**Soprano Rhoslyn Jones** will perform in St. Bede's program.

## Photo workshop at Kepler's

Atherton photographer Marc Silber will present a workshop, "Capturing the Spirit of Photography," at Kepler's bookstore at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, August 17.

Mr. Silber, who grew up in Atherton and became interested in photography as a student at Peninsula School in Menlo Park, has been a photographer for more than 40 years.

A graduate of the San Francisco Art Institute, he has given

numerous presentations on travel photography — with the emphasis on taking photos worthy of a frame rather than the storage box of mementoes.

The event is free. Kepler's is at 1010 El Camino Real in Menlo Park. For information, call 324-4321.



Marc Silber

## Now it's Reg Rice, artist

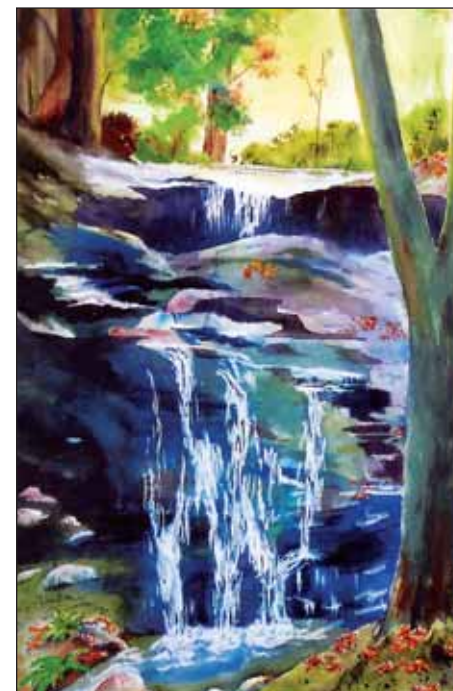
Reg Rice is a regular attendee at Menlo Park City Council meetings, a political watchdog, and an inveterate writer of letters to the editor.

He reveals his artistic side with an exhibit of paintings, mostly landscapes, at Little House Gallery, 800 Middle Ave. in Menlo Park, through August 31.

A longtime resident of Sharon Heights, Mr. Rice was introduced to art in the 1940s at the Chicago Art Institute. However, he put off pursuing painting until retiring about 10 years ago.

He studies with Steve Curl at the Pacific Art League and attends workshops with artists Ron Ranson, Tony Couch, Gerald Brommer and Jane Hofstetter. He is a member of the Menlo Art League.

Keeping up with his civic duties, Mr. Rice currently serves on the Menlo Park Transportation Commission.



**Landscapes** by Reg Rice of Menlo Park will be on display at Little House Gallery through August 31.

## Trail ride and art ramble

BOK Ranch will hold a charity trail ride and art ramble at Runnymede Farm in Woodside on Saturday, August 19, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The day will include pony rides, horse-drawn wagon rides, and walking tours of the many sculptures that can be seen on the property. There will be live music and barbecue for purchase.

The event benefits BOK Ranch therapeutic riding program for children with special needs.

Equestrians must register to ride. The general public may order tickets or purchase them at the gate. General admission is \$30; children under 10 are admitted free.

Runnymede Sculpture Farm is located on Runnymede Road in Woodside. For information, call 366-2265 or go to [www.bokranch.com](http://www.bokranch.com).

## 'Afternoon of Music' at Allied Arts Guild

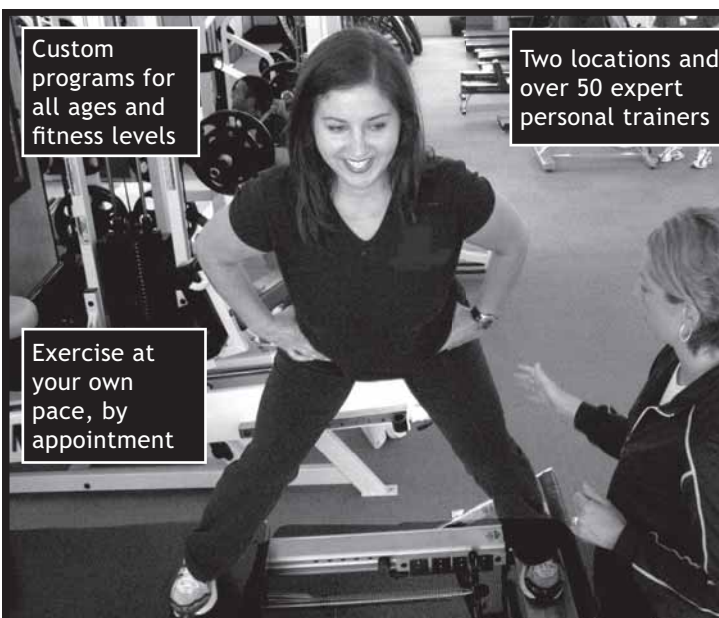
Chanticleer, the San Francisco-based men's vocal ensemble, will present "A Summer Afternoon of Music" on Saturday, August 26, from 2 to 5 p.m., at Allied Arts Guild, 75 Arbor Road in Menlo Park.

The event will honor Chanti-

cleer's music director Joseph Jennings, with proceeds going to the Joseph Jennings Fund for Music. Tickets are \$75. For information, call (415) 252-8589 or go to [www.chanticleer.org](http://www.chanticleer.org).

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## Music in the Park

**The Floorshakers.** Performing funk, soul and rock and roll. Aug. 16, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Free. Fremont Park, University Drive and Santa Cruz Ave., downtown Menlo Park. [www.menlopark.org](http://www.menlopark.org)

## Benefits

**BOK Ranch Art Ramble and Trail Ride.** A day of music and art Sat., Aug. 19, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. BBQ, pony rides and horse-drawn wagon rides. General admission \$30/children under 10 free. Tickets available at the door. Benefits B.O.K. Ranch therapeutic riding program for children with special needs. Runnymede Sculpture Farm, Runnymede Road, Woodside. Call 366-2265. [www.bokranch.com](http://www.bokranch.com)

**Chanticleer's Summer Afternoon of Music.** Chanticleer, the men's vocal ensemble based in San Francisco, holds "A Summer Afternoon of Music" in honor of music director Joseph Jennings, to support the Joseph H. Jennings Fund for Music. Featuring a silent auction and a performance by Chanticleer. Aug. 26, 2-5 p.m. \$75. Allied Arts Guild, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park. Call (415) 252-8589. [www.chanticleer.org](http://www.chanticleer.org)

## Special Events

**San Mateo County Fair.** Animal exhibits, fine art, carnival rides, learn to can fruits and vegetables, concerts and more. See Web site for details. Through Aug. 20, noon-11 p.m. \$6-\$25. San Mateo County Event Center, 2495 S. Delaware St., San Mateo. [www.sanmateocountyfair.com](http://www.sanmateocountyfair.com)

**First Annual Midtown Summer Festival.** Sat., Aug. 19, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Activities for kids, music, prizes, food and drinks available. Scavenger hunt. Free. Midtown Summer Festival, Corner of Middlefield and Bryson, Palo Alto. Call 566-0100. [www.butterflylife.com](http://www.butterflylife.com)

## Talks/Authors

**"Compassion in Troubled Times."** Reading/signing by authors Russell Targ, author of "The End of Suffering: Fearless Living in Troubled Times"; Robert Sachs, author of "Buddha at War: Peaceful Heart, Courageous Action in Troubled Times," Aug. 22, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 324-4321. [www.keplers.com](http://www.keplers.com)

**"Innovation: The Five Disciplines for Creating What Customers Want."** With CEO of SRI International, Carl-

son. Fri., Aug. 18, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 324-4321. [www.keplers.com](http://www.keplers.com)

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**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](http://www.filoli.org)

**Home Floral Design Graduate Class.** Learn how to make bridal Bouquets. Aug. 16, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. \$120 members/\$150 non-members. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. [www.filoli.org](http://www.filoli.org)

**Introduction to Botanical Art.** Learn traditional botanical art skills such drawing, color mixing and watercolor painting. No previous experience required. A materials list will be sent upon registration. Aug. 18-19, 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. \$150 members/\$180 non-members. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. [www.filoli.org](http://www.filoli.org)

## Community Events

**Assemblymember Ruskin Hosts Town Hall.** Assembly member Ira Ruskin of the Joint Legislative Committee on Emergency Preparedness leads a discussion on legislative issues pertaining to Disaster Preparedness. Aug. 19, 10-11:30 a.m. Free. Menlo Park City Council Chambers, 701 Laurel St., Menlo Park. Call 691-2121.

**Open Mic Night.** Featuring community talent. Arrive at 6:30 p.m. to sign up. Thursdays, through Aug. 31, 7-8:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. [www.myspace.com/keplersopenmic](http://www.myspace.com/keplersopenmic)

**Family Service Teacher Recruitment Fair.** Full, part-time and substitute teaching positions available. Be prepared to interview and bring resume, unofficial transcripts, and references. Aug. 17, 4:30-6:30 p.m. Free. Family Service Headquarters, 24 Second Ave., San Mateo. Call 403-4300, #4665. [www.familyserviceagency.org](http://www.familyserviceagency.org)

**Peninsula Humane Society's Mutt Strutt.** Sat., Aug. 19, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Walk

## At Kepler's

Curtis Carlson, CEO of SRI International, will talk about his new book, "Innovation: The Five Disciplines for Creating What Customers Want," at Kepler's bookstore in Menlo Park at 7:30 p.m. Friday, August 18. The book cites examples of ideas brought to fruition by innovators ranging from Thomas Edison to Steve Jobs. The event is free. Kepler's is at 1010 El Camino Real. For information, call 324-4321.



dogs through pristine Coyote Point Park to help raise funds for shelter dogs. Dogs can be entered for the title of "Best Kisser" or "Most Talented." Live music. Free T-shirt for all humans and bandanas for all dogs. \$26 registration fee. Coyote Point Park, 1701 Coyote Point Dr., San Mateo. Call 340-7022, ext. 375.

**Summer Sings 2006.** Sing-alongs held through Aug. 21, 7:30 p.m. Aug. 21: A Gilbert and Sullivan Sing-Along. Tickets \$15. Sponsored by Schola Cantorum. Los Altos United Methodist Church, 655 Magdalena Ave., Los Altos. Call 254-1700. [www.scholacantorum.org](http://www.scholacantorum.org)

## Concerts

**Peninsula Symphonic Band Summer Concert.** Music by Russian composers, works by Tchaikowsky, Stravinsky, Rimsky-Korsakov and others. Sun., Aug. 20, 3 p.m. Free. Spangenberg Theater, 780 Arastradero Road, Palo Alto. Call 873-0671. [www.geocities.com/amiyada/psb](http://www.geocities.com/amiyada/psb)

## Art

**Nature Photography and Art.** Art exhibit by nature photographer and artist Jeanne Gadol. Display will focus on wildlife and landscapes from northern California, Africa and the Arctic. Through Aug. 31. Allegro Gallery, 3130 Alpine Rd., Portola Valley.

**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](http://www.athertonlibrary.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.

**Conflict and Art Free Public Tours.** Docents teach about the exhibition "Conflict and Art." The works in this exhibition represent art from Europe, the Americas, Africa, and Asia. Tours Thursdays, 12:15 p.m.; Saturdays and Sundays, 2 p.m. Free. Cantor Arts Center, 328 Lomita Dr., Stanford.

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

**Acrylic and Watercolor Paintings.** Exhibit by Christine Oliver through Sep. 4. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Free. Fire House Gallery, 450 Bryant St., Palo Alto.

**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. Through Oct. 29. Cantor Arts Center, 328 Lomita Drive, Stanford. Call 723-4177. [museum.stanford.edu](http://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>

**Creative Commerce: German Lithographic Labels, 1920-1938.** Explores an unparalleled time in commercial printing and showcases the lithographic processes of the time. Through Sept. 10. Tue.-Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sun., 1-5 p.m.; Thu., 7-9 p.m. Free admission. Palo Alto Art Center, 1313 Newell Rd., Palo Alto. Call 329-2366. [www.paacf.org](http://www.paacf.org)

**Exhibit Tours.** Free docent-led tours during exhibitions of Ideo and Creative Commerce. Private tours available. Saturdays, 2 p.m., through Sept. 10. Palo Alto Art Center, 1313 Newell Road.

**Exhibition by Local Artists.** Fine Art Show presenting the works of local artists in various mediums including watercolor, oil, photography, quilting and prints. Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Sundays. Through Aug. 30, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Free. Rengstorff House, 3070 N. Shoreline Blvd., Mountain View. [www.r-house.org](http://www.r-house.org)

**Faces of India.** An exhibit of nature photography and abstract patterns by Tom Wagner are on display through Aug. 31. Keeble and Shuchat Photography, 290 California Ave., Palo Alto. Call 327-8996. [www.kspphoto.com](http://www.kspphoto.com)

**Ideo Prototypes the Future.** Showcasing the comprehensive collection of recent concepts and prototypes created by Ideo. Through Sept. 10, Tue.-Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sun., 1-5 p.m.; Thu., 7-9 p.m. Free. Palo Alto Art Center, 1313 Newell Rd., Palo Alto. Call 329-2366. [www.paacf.org](http://www.paacf.org)

**Paintings and Collage.** Work of Susy Siddens. Open daily, 6 a.m.-6 p.m. Showing through Aug. 31. All pieces available for purchase. Canyon Coffee Roastery, 3203 Oak Knoll Dr., Redwood City. [www.](http://www.)

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**Peninsula Plein Air Exhibition.** A collection of artwork depicting Peninsula places by Bay Area artists. Through Sept. 3. Free. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. Call 364-8300. [www.filoli.org](http://www.filoli.org)

**Photo Exhibit.** "Floral Fantasy" by local photographers Bob and Joy Rewick. An array of over 70 close-up floral images transformed into designs. Through Aug. 27, Tue.-Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sun., noon-5 p.m. Coyote Point Museum, 1651 Coyote Point Drive, San Mateo. Call 254-0110. [www.coyoteptmuseum.org](http://www.coyoteptmuseum.org)

**Summer Art Show.** Traditional technique: watercolor on paper and oil on canvas by Jennefer Shpilman and Alexander Rappoport. Through Aug. 27. Free. Sheridan Exhibition Room, 360 Sheridan Avenue, Palo Alto. Call 330-1623. [www.designart.com](http://www.designart.com)

**The Gallery Shop.** Continuous exhibits of ceramics, glass, jewelry and fiber by American artists. Mon.-Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Tue.-Thu., 7-10 p.m.; Sun., 1-5 p.m. Palo Alto Art Center, 1313 Newell Rd., Palo Alto. Call 329-2366. [www.paacf.org](http://www.paacf.org)

## History

**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. Museum of American Heritage, 351 Homer Ave., Palo Alto. Call 321-1004. [www.moah.org](http://www.moah.org)

## Kids & Families

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

**Nature Hikes.** Covers 3 miles of trails. Nature Docents describe wildlife, plants, endangered species, and the historical background of the area. Visitors may not hike without a Docent. Saturdays, through Oct. 27, 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Free. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. Call 364-8300 ext. 507. [www.filoli.org](http://www.filoli.org)

**Toddler Storytime.** For ages 18 months and older. Music, rhymes and stories. Wednesdays, 11 a.m. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Rd., Woodside.

**Twilight Hike.** Nature Education docents will lead evening twilight hikes. Advance registration is recommended. Aug. 16-17, 6-8 p.m. \$10 members/\$15 non-members/\$1 children ages 5-12. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. [www.filoli.org](http://www.filoli.org)

## Film

**Licensed to Thrill Film Series.** The Wicked Wit Rakes and Rebellion in the Restoration Festival presents films. Licensed to Thrill focuses on the period's fascination with rakes, libertines, and sexual liberation, featuring post-film discussions led by Stanford faculty and theater company. Mondays, Through Aug. 21, 7 p.m. Free. Cubberley Auditorium, 485 Lausen Mall, Stanford. Call 725-5838. <http://summertheater.stanford.edu>

**Monday Movies.** Aug. 21: "A History of Violence"; Aug. 28: "Balzac & the Little Chinese Seamstress" 1-3 p.m. \$1 members/\$2 non-members. Little House community center, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 326-2025. [www.peninsulavolunteers.org](http://www.peninsulavolunteers.org)

**Stanford Theatre Guide.** Aug. 16-17: "Girl Crazy" 7:30 p.m.; "Listen, Darling" 6:05 and 9:30 p.m.; Aug. 18: "Safety Last" 7:30 p.m.; Aug. 19-21: "Love in the Afternoon" 7:30 p.m.; "High Noon" 5:55 and 9:55 p.m.; Aug. 22-24: "Everybody Sing" 7:30 p.m.; "Thoroughbreds Don't Cry" 6 and 9:20 p.m.; Aug. 25-28: "Gilda" 7:30 p.m.; "Laura" 5:55 and 9:40 p.m.; Aug. 29-31: "Strike Up the Band" 7:30 p.m.; "Little Nellie Kelly" 5:40 and 9:50 p.m. Stanford Theatre, 221 University Ave., Palo Alto. Call 324-3700. [www.stanfordtheatre.org](http://www.stanfordtheatre.org)

**Wednesday "Kultur" Movies.** Aug. 16: "For Me & My Gal"; Aug. 30: "Othello", 1-3 p.m. \$1 members/\$2 non-members. Little House, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 326-2025. [www.peninsulavolunteers.org](http://www.peninsulavolunteers.org)

**The "War, Occupation, and the Arts of Resistance" Summer Film Series.** "The World Says No to War," "Standing with the Women of Iraq," and "Empire and Oil." Aug. 16, 7:30-10 p.m. \$5-\$15. Unitarian Universalist Church of Palo Alto, Main Hall, 505 E. Charleston Rd., Palo Alto. Call 326-8837.

## Health

**Camp Avenidas 2006 Summer Fitness Academy.** A week of exercise and personal growth for adults age 50 and above. All fitness levels welcome. Aug. 21-25, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Presented by Avenidas in cooperation with Peninsula Volunteers. \$85 member/\$105 non-member. Little House, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 289-5436. [www.avenidas.org](http://www.avenidas.org)

**Free Classes to Quit Smoking.** Free group classes are offered for San Mateo County residents who want to quit smoking. Participants can receive free nicotine patches. The next series of classes will be offered in San Mateo and Redwood City. Pre-registration is required. Call for more information. Free. Sequoia Health & Wellness Center, 749 Brewster, Redwood City. Call 573-3989. [www.smhealth.org](http://www.smhealth.org)

## On Stage

**"M Butterfly."** Presented by TheatreWorks. An exploration of love and politics. Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesdays-Fridays, 8 p.m.; Saturdays, 2 and 8 p.m.; Sundays, 2 and 7 p.m., Aug. 23-Sept. 17. \$20-\$60. Mountain View Center for the Performing Arts, 500 Castro, Mountain View. Call 463-1960. [www.theatreworks.org](http://www.theatreworks.org)

**"Annie Get Your Gun."** Foothill Music Theatre presents Irving Berlin's Wild-West musical "Annie Get Your Gun." By director Jay Manley. Featuring a live orchestra. \$10-\$24. Thu.-Sun., through Aug. 20, 8 p.m. Smithwick Theatre, 12345 El Monte Rd., Los Altos Hills. [www.foothillmusicals.com](http://www.foothillmusicals.com)

**"Don Juan."** Presented by Stanford Summer Theater. Moliere's "Don Juan" in translation by Richard Wilbur. Thu.-Sun., Aug. 17-27, 8 p.m.; no performance Sun., Aug. 20. Pigott Theater, 551 Serra Mall, Stanford. Call 725-5838. <http://summertheater.stanford.edu>

**"The Caucasian Chalk Circle."** By Bertolt Brecht and directed by Ana-Catrina Buchser. A fable infused with both humor and political significance. Through Aug. 27. \$10-\$15. Dragon Productions, 535 Alma St., Palo Alto. Call 493-2006. [www.dragonproductions.net](http://www.dragonproductions.net)

**San Francisco Mime Troupe: "God-fellas."** A play about American theocracy, blind faith, and the military-industrial God complex. Aug. 19, 5-6:30 p.m. Free. Mitchell Park, 600 E. Meadow Dr., Palo Alto. Call (415) 285-1717. [www.sfmt.org](http://www.sfmt.org)

## Concert in the park

The Floorshakers, a band that classifies its music as rock/funk/soul, will perform at Menlo Park's Summer Concert Series at Fremont Park on Wednesday, August 16 from 6:30 to 7:30. The concert is free, and is the last performance of the summer at Fremont Park. The park is on Santa Cruz Avenue at the corner with University Drive in downtown Menlo Park.



## Sports

**Girls Soccer Team Tryouts U12.** Stanford Lightning class 3 U12 girl's soccer team for girls born after 7/31/94. Tryouts during weekday PA practices. Through Sept. 15, 4-6 p.m. Various Fields, call for information, Palo Alto. Call (408) 738-4011. [www.stanfordssoccerclub.org](http://www.stanfordssoccerclub.org)

**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](http://www.athertonlacrosse.com)

**Nike Club Run SF.** Free 16 week marathon and 1/2 marathon training runs. Includes refreshments and Nike shoe trials. Sundays, through Oct. 15, 8 a.m. Palo Alto High School, 50 Embarcadero Road, Palo Alto. Call (415) 374-0510. [www.nikemarathon.com](http://www.nikemarathon.com)

## Volunteers

**Filoli Nature Education Docent.** Nature education training through March. Classes are taught by a naturalist and will focus on plants. Applications are now being accepted. E-mail [natureed@filoli.org](mailto:natureed@filoli.org) for more information. Free. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. [www.filoli.org](http://www.filoli.org)

**Hug A Servicewoman.** Palo Alto Rebekah Lodge invites people to assist in filling care packages for American Servicewomen serving in Iraq and Afghanistan. Wed., Aug. 23, 6:30 p.m. potluck dinner. See website for contributions. Free. Palo

Alto Masonic Temple, 461 Florence St., Palo Alto. Call 575-4565. [www.anysoldier.com](http://www.anysoldier.com)

**Needed at Filoli.** Volunteer opportunities as a house and garden docent, assist the horticultural staff, work in the cafe, garden shop or provide general office support. E-mail Bruce Fogel [volunteer@filoli.org](mailto:volunteer@filoli.org). Free. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. [www.filoli.org](http://www.filoli.org)

## Et Alia

**"Relay for Life."** American Cancer Society "Relay For Life" of Palo Alto for 24 hours. Aug. 19-20. A community and fundraising event for American Cancer Society and includes cancer awareness program, survivor event and candle lighting ceremony. Palo Alto High School Track, 50 Embarcadero, Palo Alto. Call (408) 688-0108. [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org)

**22nd Palo Alto Weekly Moonlight Run & Walk.** For runners, athletic groups and families. Prize giveaways and refreshments. 5K walk begins at 7:30 p.m.; 10k run

begins at 8:15 p.m.; 5K run begins at 8:45 p.m. Deadline to pre-register is Sept. 29. See Web site for details. Oct. 6, 6-10 p.m. \$20 pre-registration before Sept. 29/\$25 day of event. Palo Alto Baylands Athletic Center, 1900 Geng Road at Embarcadero Rd, Palo Alto. Call 326-8210. [www.paloaltoonline.com](http://www.paloaltoonline.com)

**"Abstractions and Perceptions."** Exhibition of work by Karl L. Jensen. Through Sept. 24. Includes charcoal drawings, ink drawings and sprayed acrylic paintings that explore the continuum between literal and abstract. Thu.-Sun., 1-5 p.m. Free. 1870 Art Center, 1870 Ralston Ave., Belmont. Call 261-1086. [www.1870artcenter.com](http://www.1870artcenter.com)

**The Poetic Image.** The show runs through Sept 10. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 11 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sat.-Sun., 10 a.m.-3 p.m. The Main Gallery, 1018 Main St., Redwood City.

**San Francisco Choral Artists Auditions.** Artistic Director Magen Solomon will hold auditions Aug. 28 or by appointment. For experienced singers. [www.sfca.org](http://www.sfca.org)

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**Beautifully Remodeled Home**

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4 BR 3 BA At the end of a private lane w/views of SF Bay. 3br/2ba on main level, 1br/1ba + large FR w/sep. entrance on lower level. Hardwood floors, quality finishes.



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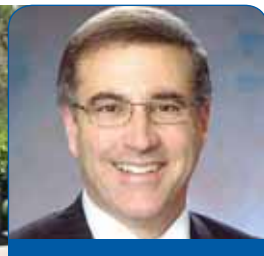


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**\$1,195,000**

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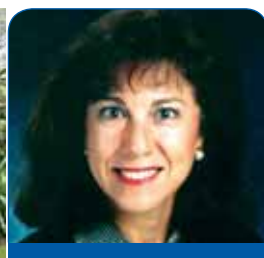


## PORTOLA VALLEY

**Peaceful Setting**

**\$1,519,000**

3 BR 2 BA Elegantly remodeled home tucked on quiet drive offers hardwood floors, granite & marble throughout, crown molding, MB w/built-ins. Fenced yd w/ lawn.



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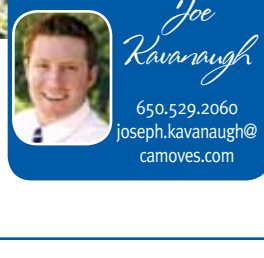
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**\$15,950,000**

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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

Tom LeMieux

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### OPPORTUNITY AND LOCATION

**\$8,490,000**

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### PRIVATE PARADISE

**\$6,495,000**

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Tom Stafford

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### CIRCUS CLUB LOCATION

**\$5,799,000**

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### CONTEMPORARY OPULENCE

**\$5,750,000**

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**\$5,495,000**

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### PRICE REDUCTION

**\$4,495,000**

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### IMMACULATE DETAILS!

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**CUSTOM BUILT \$5,495,000**  
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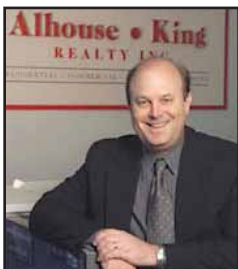
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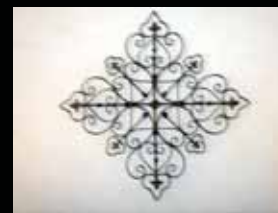
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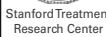
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# PUBLIC NOTICES

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215447**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PENINSULA TUTORING, 2224 Roosevelt Avenue, Redwood City, CA 94061. This business is conducted by an Individual: ANDREW JAMES GIPSON, 2224 Roosevelt Avenue, Redwood City, CA 94061.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on October 1, 2005.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California August 9, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

Published in THE COUNTRY ALMANAC on August 16, 23, 30, September 6, 2006.

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215334**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PRIMARY PLAYTOOLS, 1110 Cotton Street, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company: PRIMARY PLAYTOOLS, LLC., California.

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

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215245**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DENNIS BERKOWITZ & ASSOCIATES, 120 East Grand Avenue, South San Francisco, CA 94080.

This business is conducted by a Corporation: MAX'S SON, INC., 120 East Grand Avenue, South San Francisco, CA 94080; MAX'S OF SAN FRANCISCO, 120 East Grand Avenue, South San Francisco, CA 94080.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on October 1, 1984.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215345**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PERURI DESIGN, 303 Emerson Street, Palo Alto, CA 94301.

This business is conducted by an Individual: SINDHU N. PERURI, 303 Emerson Street, Palo Alto, CA 94301.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 8, 2006.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California August 3, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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**NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

Date of Filing Application: August 2, 2006

To Whom It May Concern: The Name(s) of the Applicant(s) is/are: TOUGAS ENTERPRISES, INC.

The applicants listed above are applying to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to sell alcoholic beverages at 241 El Camino Real, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

Type of license(s) applied for: 41-On-Sale Beer and Wine - Eating Place. Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 71 Stevenson Street, Suite 1500, San Francisco, CA 94105, Telephone: (415) 356-6500.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215234**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: GUTTERBUSTERS, 200 Davey Glen Road, #411, Belmont, CA 94002.

This business is conducted by an Individual: STEPHEN I. MITCHELL, 200 Davey Glen Road, #411, Belmont, CA 94002.

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 July 28, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215160**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CHINA HARBOR RESTAURANT, 1860 S. Norfolk Street, San Mateo, CA 94403; 1780 Clear Lake Ave., #236, Milpitas, CA 95035.

This business is conducted by a Corporation: MUI WAN INVESTMENTS, INC., San Mateo, CA.

The registrant commenced to transact

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on January 1, 2005.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California July 25, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214834**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PS CHOCOLATES, 4016 Farm Hill Blvd., #107, Redwood City, CA 94061.

This business is conducted by an Individual: PETER SCHMITT, 4016 Farm Hill Blvd., #107, Redwood City, CA 94061.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 25, 2006.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California July 3, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214897**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: A QUILTER, 932 Wildwood Avenue, Daly City, CA 94015.

This business is conducted by an Individual: ANNA JOHNSTON, 932 Wildwood Avenue, Daly City, CA 94015-3505.

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 July 7, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

Published in THE COUNTRY ALMANAC on August 2, 9, 16, 23, 2006.

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215134**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: U SOLUTIONS PLUS, 570 El Camino Real, Ste#150-237, Redwood City, CA 94062.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership: (1) YURIY PIKSAYKIN, 1056 Continentals Way, #7, Belmont, CA 94002; (2) IRINA ASTAFIEVA, 362 Parkside Drive, Palo Alto, CA 94306.

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 July 21, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215092**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: (1) BURLINGAME AUTO SUPPLY, (2) NAPA AUTO PARTS, 127 California Drive, Burlingame, CA 94010.

This business is conducted by a Corporation: FORELAND PARTS, INC., Georgia.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 24, 2006.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California July 19, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

Published in THE COUNTRY ALMANAC on August 2, 9, 16, 23, 2006.

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214895**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: A AND Z TRAVEL, 2201 Bridgepointe Parkway, #343, San Mateo, CA 94404; P.O. Box 6079, San Mateo, CA 94403.

This business is conducted by an Individual: SAHAR CHAABAN, 2201 Bridgepointe Parkway, #343, San Mateo, CA 94404.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on August 15, 2006.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California July 7, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215249**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: THE POLISHED LOOK, 110 Gilbert Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by an Individual: YOLANDA V. MERRITT, 14779 Excalibur Drive, Morgan Hill, CA 95037.

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 July 31, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215303**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CONSTRUCTION ELECTRONICS, 451 Vine Street, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by an Individual: GERALD F. SCHUHE, 451 Vine Street, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

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

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California August 1, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215205**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: VANDOORN STRIPING, 405 El Camino Real, #219, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by an Individual: LOUIE VANDOORN, 405 El Camino Real, #219, 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 July 26, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215144**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: L & M MOBILE CAR TOUCH UP, 745 Menlo Avenue, Apt. #3, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by an Individual: JOSE LUIS LOPEZ, 3803 Darwin Drive, #217, Fremont, CA 94555.

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 July 24, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Maria P. Perez, Deputy Clerk.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 215148**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: INNOVATIVE CORPORATE WELL BEING, 325 Stanford Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by Co-Partners: (1) SADICK J. ALSADIR, 325 Stanford Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025; (2) CHARLIE AVERS, 1533 Edmond Drive, San Carlos, CA 94070.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 24, 2006.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California July 24, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 214798**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PORTOLA ART GALLERY, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

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### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME DENISE DARLENE GREEN CASE NUMBER CIV456093

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner: HAILLY GREEN has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing name as follows: DENISE DARLENE GREEN to HAILLY DENISHIA GREEN.

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 September 6, 2006 at 9:00 a.m., Dept. 28, 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: August 1, 2006  
H. James Ellis  
Judge of the Superior Court  
ENDORSED FILED in San Mateo County on August 1, 2006. Clerk of the Superior Court By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy Clerk.

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### NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF DAVID TYRREL AKA DAVID ROGER TYRREL CASE NUMBER 115493

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of DAVID TYRREL, AKA DAVID ROGER TYRREL.

A PETITION for probate has been filed by: DIANE TYRREL in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN MATEO

THE PETITION for probate requests that DIANE TYRREL be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

A HEARING on the petition will be held on September 18, 2006 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 14, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA 94063.

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

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

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

Attorney for petitioner: Bryn Roe Ostby SBN 113256, 1015 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto, CA 94301-3343, (650) 328-6445.

(ENDORSED) FILED San Mateo County, August 2, 2006. Clerk of the Superior Court by Alessandra Robieto, Deputy Clerk.

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### NOTICE INVITING BIDS

The Woodside Elementary School District, California, ("District") hereby gives notice that it will accept bids for the following work:

### WOODSIDE SCHOOL DISTRICT FINAL MODERNIZATION & EXPANSION

BID SUBMISSION: District will receive sealed Bids in the Office of the District, 3195 Woodside Road, Woodside, California 94062, until 1:00 pm, as determined by the AT&T "POPCORN" time service monitored by the District Clerk, on **AUGUST 31, 2006**. Bids will be opened shortly thereafter on that same day. The opening will be in accordance with procedures set forth in Document 00250, Bid Contents, Evaluation, Selection and Award.

STATEMENTS OF QUALIFICATIONS: Each Bidder shall be required to submit, in accord with Document 00200, Instructions to Bidders, with other documents on the date indicated under "Bid Submission" above.

DESCRIPTION OF THE WORK: In general, the scope of work for the **Woodside Elementary School District Final Modernization & Expansion** consists of, but is not limited to the construction of new administration building, classrooms and music and meeting rooms and immediate landscaping and hardscape.

REQUIRED CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE: A California "B" contractor's license is required to bid this contract. Joint ventures must secure a joint venture license prior to

award of this Contract.

INSTRUCTIONS: Bidders shall refer to Document 00200, Instructions to Bidders, and Document 00250, Bid Contents, Evaluation, Selection and Award, for required documents and items to be submitted in a sealed envelope for deposit into the Bid Box, located at the District Office, and applicable times for submission.

SUBSTITUTION OF SECURITIES: District will permit successful Bidder to substitute securities for retention monies withheld to ensure performance of Contract, as set forth in Document 00680, Escrow Agreement for Security Deposits in Lieu of Retention, in accordance with California Public Contract Code, Section 22300. By this reference, Document 00680, Escrow Agreement for Security Deposits in Lieu of Retention is incorporated in full in this Document 00100, Invitation to Bid.

PRE-BID CONFERENCE AND SITE VISIT: District will conduct a Mandatory Pre Bid Conference and Site Visit on **August 08, 10:00 am** at the District Offices, 3195 Woodside Road, Woodside, California 94062. The Pre-Bid Conference and Site Visit will take approximately two (2) hours.

The following is the Pre Approved list of General Contractors who are allowed to submit bids - each will receive (2) sets of Bid Documents:

Allen Construction  
Beals Martin  
Gonsalves & Stronk Construction Co  
John Plane Construction  
Ralph Larsen & Son, Inc.  
Robert A. Boothman, Inc.  
West Coast

BIDDING DOCUMENTS: Bidders (Sub-Contractors) may examine Bidding Documents at the following Builders Exchanges: Builders Exchange of Alameda County, 3055 Alvarado Street, San Leandro, CA 94577; Santa Cruz County Builders

Exchange, 2555 Soquel Drive, Santa Cruz, CA 95065; McGraw-Hill Construction, 130 Doolittle Drive, Suite #1, San Leandro, CA 94577; California Small Business Alliance (CAL-SBA), 29393 Pacific Avenue, Hayward, CA 94544; Shasta Builders Exchange, 2990 Innsbruck Drive Redding, CA 96003; Sacramento Builders Exchange, 1331 "T" Street, Sacramento, CA 95814; Sacramento Builders Exchange, 1 Sierragate, Suite 290C, Roseville, CA 95678; Contractors Information Network, 1629 Pollasky, Suite 113, Clovis, CA 93612; MECA Builders Exchange, 23 Grand Avenue, Oakland, CA 94612; Stockton Builders Exchange, 7500 Northwest Lane, Stockton, CA 95210; Builders Exchange of Santa Clara Co., 400 Reed Street, Santa Clara, CA 95050; Women Construction Owners & Executives, 150 Lozanos Road, Newcastle, CA 95658.

Bidders (General Contractors and Sub-Contractors) may purchase copies of Bidding Documents from BPS Reprographics, 1100 Industrial Road, No. 13, San Carlos, California, 94070, (650)631-2310; or from any of the (7) seven offices located in San Francisco, Concord, Oakland, San Ramon & Suisun City. Documents will be accessible on the website, [www.bps.com](http://www.bps.com), Plan Well, Public Plan Room, Woodside School District Main Project. Documents will be available August 4th, after 12:00pm.

BID PREPARATION COST: Bidders are solely responsible for the cost of preparing their Bids.

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS: District specifically reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to reject any or all Bids, or re-bid, or to waive inconsequential deviations from bid requirements not involving time, price or quality of the work.

Woodside Elementary School District, Woodside, California.

Date: July 26, 2006  
By /s/ Tim Hanretty,  
Assistant Superintendent  
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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE ESCROW NO. 66094-DL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to creditors of the within named Seller that a bulk sale is about to be made of the assets described below

The name and business address(s) of the seller are: EDGAR PAULO DE JOSE AND MARIA LEOCELLYN DE JOSE, 604 SANTA CRUZ AVE, MENLO PARK, CA 94025

The location in California of the chief executive office of the seller is: SAME AS ABOVE

As listed by the seller, all other business names and addresses used by the seller within three years before the date such list was sent or delivered to the buyer: NONE

The names and business address of the buyer(s) are: PELITA, INC. 22650 ALCALDE RD, CUPERTINO, CA 95014

The assets being sold are generally described as: ALL THE ASSETS OF THAT CERTAIN BUSINESS

The location of the business is: 604 SANTA CRUZ AVE, MENLO PARK, CA 94025

The Business name used by the seller at that location is: QUIZNOS SUBS #4221

The anticipated date of the bulk sale at that location is: SEPTEMBER 1, 2006 at the office of: ESCROW CONTROL COMPANY, 830 KIELY BLVD, STE 103, SANTA CLARA, CA 95051

The bulk sale is subject to California Uniform Commercial Code Section 6106.2. If so subject, the name and address of the person with whom claims may be filed is: DEBORAH LIMON, Escrow Officer, ESCROW CONTROL COMPANY, 830 KIELY BLVD, STE 103, SANTA CLARA, CA 95051 and the last date for filing claims shall be AUGUST 31, 2006, which is the business day before the sale date specified above.

Dated: JULY 27, 2006

PELITA, INC. Transferees

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### PROTECT YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS

If it has been 5 years since you filed your Fictitious Business Name Statement (your D.B.A.), you must file again to protect your legal rights.

Check your records now to see if your D.B.A. expires this year. Then call the Country Almanac, 854-2626, for assistance in re-filing. It's inexpensive and easy.

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**854-2626 Ext. 260**



## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF MENLO PARK PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING OF AUGUST 28, 2006

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Menlo Park, California, is scheduled to review the following items:

### The following items require a Notice of Public Meeting or Public Hearing:

**Architectural Control/Kim and Benson Wisckol/174 Buckthorn Way:** Request for approval of architectural control to remodel the front elevation of a townhouse in the R-3 (Apartment) zoning district.

**Use Permit/Doug Marks/628 Olive Street:** Request for a use permit for a second story addition and remodeling of an existing single-story, nonconforming residence that would exceed 50 percent of the replacement of the existing structure in a 12-month period, on substandard lot with regard to lot width in the R-1-S (Single-Family Suburban) zoning district.

**Use Permit/Peter Whittaker Aylaian/332 Barton Way:** Request for a use permit for a second story addition and remodeling of an existing single-story, nonconforming residence that would exceed 50 percent of the existing square footage and 50 percent of the replacement cost of the existing structure located on a substandard lot in the R-1-U (Single-Family Urban) zoning district

**Use Permit/Frank Hernandez, Ware Malcomb Architecture for Citibank/620 Santa Cruz Avenue:** Request for a use permit to allow a financial establishment to operate in a building located in the C-3 (Central Commercial) zoning district.

**Use Permit Revision/Jim Calhoun/771 Hamilton Avenue:** Request for a revision of a previously approved use permit to allow for a pre-existing woodworking business that includes outside storage to continue to operate in the M-1 (Light Industrial) zoning district.

**Zoning Ordinance Amendment/Woodside-Atherton Auxiliary for Children/75 Arbor Road:** Request for a Zoning Ordinance amendment for revisions to the operational permit for the Allied Arts Guild, as outlined in the document titled "First Amended Allied Arts Guild Preservation Permit."

**Zoning Ordinance Amendment Review/City of Menlo Park:** One-year review of Zoning Ordinance Amendments Relative to Single-Family Residential Developments

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that said Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on these items in the Council Chambers of the City of Menlo Park, located at 701 Laurel Street, Menlo Park, on Monday, August 28, 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 these items 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 these items 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 Department of Community Development, 701 Laurel Street, Menlo Park. Please note that the items listed are only the agenda items that require a public hearing. Please call the Planning Division if there are any questions and/or for complete agenda information (650) 330-6702.

DATED: August 10, 2006  
Justin Murphy, Development Services Manager  
Menlo Park Planning Commission

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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:

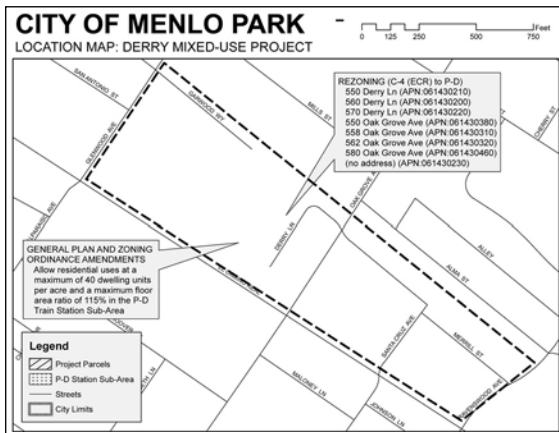
**General Plan Amendment, Zoning Ordinance Amendment, Rezoning, Planned Development Permit, Right-of-Way Abandonment, Major Subdivision, and Environmental Review/O'Brien at Derry Lane, LLC/550 to 580 Oak Grove Avenue and 540 to 570 Derry Lane:** Requests for the following: 1) General Plan Amendment and Zoning Ordinance Amendment to allow residential uses at a maximum of 40 dwelling units per acre for properties zoned P-D (Planned Development) District and in close proximity to the Caltrain Station, 2) Rezoning the properties from C-4 General Commercial District (Applicable to El Camino Real) to P-D District, 3) Planned Development Permit to establish specific development regulations and architectural designs for the demolition of five commercial structures and the construction of 135 residential units and 22,525 square feet of commercial space, 4) Right-of-Way Abandonment of Derry Lane and Storm Sewer Easement Abandonment and 5) Major Subdivision to merge existing lots and abandoned right of way and create commercial and residential condominium units. The proposal requires the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report.

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 29, 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 Megan Fisher, Assistant Planner, if there are any questions or comments on this item. She may be reached at 650-330-6737 or by email at [mefisher@menlopark.org](mailto:mefisher@menlopark.org)

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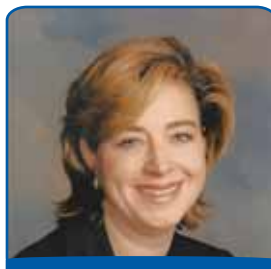


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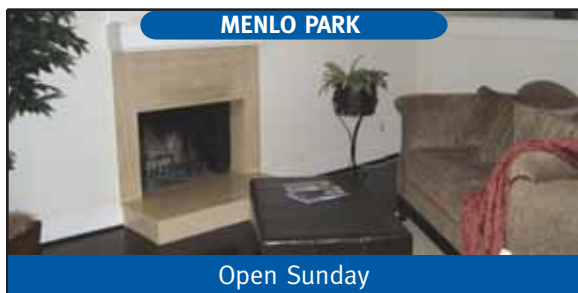


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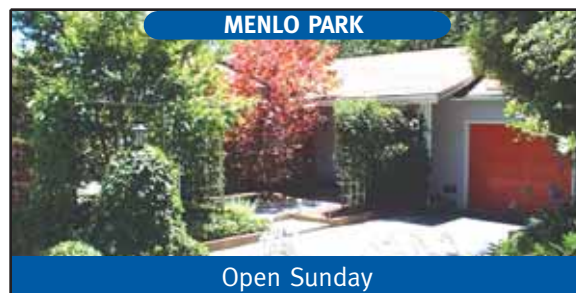
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**2142 Sand Hill Road \$949,000**  
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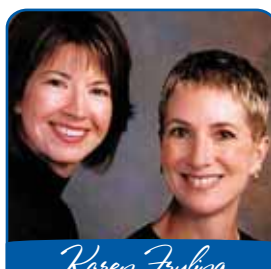
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