

M-A grad on a Latin American mission

Jessica Parlanti is working to improve the lives of Afro-Ecuadorians in Ecuador

By Jane Knoerle

Almanac Lifestyles Editor

Jessica Parlanti is on a mission. She is hoping to raise \$20,000 to fund a program to improve the lives of Afro-Ecuadorians in a northern region of Ecuador.

Ms. Parlanti, who grew up in Menlo Park, is a graduate student at Universidad Andina Simon Bolivar in Quito, Ecuador. She is completing her master's degree in Latin American studies in the Afro-Andean department at the university.

She says there are more people of African descent in Latin America than in the United States, and that they are the most discriminated against segment of society. She believes it's important for them to learn about their own culture and history, which is not taught in the schools.

A former Rotary International Ambassadorial Scholar, Ms. Parlanti attended Las Lomitas and La Entrada schools; by the time she graduated from Menlo-Atherton High School in 1996, her sights were set south of the border.

This month she returned to Ecuador after spending Christmas vacation with family. Her mother, Catherine Parlanti, is manager of the Whiskey Hill branch of Wells Fargo Bank in Woodside. Her father is Christian Parlanti of Mountain View. She also has a twin sister, Andrea.

Ms. Parlanti's commitment to Latin America began at age 16, when she spent eight weeks in Costa Rica with Amigos de las Americas, living with a local family and teaching hygiene.

A semester abroad in Cochabamba, Bolivia, while an anthropology major at Occidental College, deepened her interest in Latin America, particularly in its black population. She lived with a local family and did independent study on bilingualism in rural Bolivia.

After college she lived in Bolivia and Honduras, doing humanitarian work as a supervisor for Amigos de las Americas. She also taught at Green Oaks School in East Palo Alto for a year.

Today, at 28, Ms. Parlanti is completing her second year of study at the university. She is also raising funds to implement

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JESSICA PARLANTI



Young Afro-Ecuadorians are discriminated against in Ecuadorian society.

a program to improve the lives of Afro-Ecuadorian youth in 10 communities in northern Ecuador. The average Afro-Ecuadorian does not go beyond the sixth grade; there are often no high schools in their communities. They traditionally hold the lowest-paying jobs.

She hopes to hire teachers to work with 120 young people for two years. Her goal is not only to educate youth, but prepare

them to become leaders in their own communities and promote social change.

Afro-Ecuadorians make up only 2 or 3 percent of the student body at her university, she says.

After she completes her master's degree, Ms. Parlanti plans to work in Ecuador as a teacher in a private school and take part in the Afro-Ecuadorian education program on weekends.

She is working on the project

with boyfriend, Oscar Larrahondo, whom she met at the university. "He's brilliant. He has three degrees," she says.

What makes a California native become so involved in another culture? "I identify with South America. I like the slower pace. When I go there, it's like going back in time. I respect the family solidarity and close family ties," she explains.

Ms. Parlanti would like to

show her boyfriend the United States, but visas are hard to come by for residents of his native Colombia.

As to the future? If the program in northern Ecuador is a success, she would like to see it become a model for other communities. With the energy and idealism of youth, Ms. Parlanti and her friends are working hard to make that dream happen. ■





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MP man recalls World War II friendship with Gerald Ford

By Jane Knoerle
Almanac Lifestyles Editor

To the nation he was President Gerald Ford. To Charles Ernst of Menlo Park, he was "Jerry," his shipmate during World War II.

Watching the recently televised funeral proceedings for the former president, Mr. Ernst thought back to 1943 when, as young men, he and Gerald Ford headed out from the Philadelphia Naval Yard aboard a new light aircraft carrier, the USS Monterey, to the Pacific. They sailed through the Panama Canal and toward the western coast of Guam.

During the 20 months aboard ship, the two men roomed right across the passageway from each other. Mr. Ford's roommate was Thomas S. Gates Jr., who later served as his secretary of the navy.

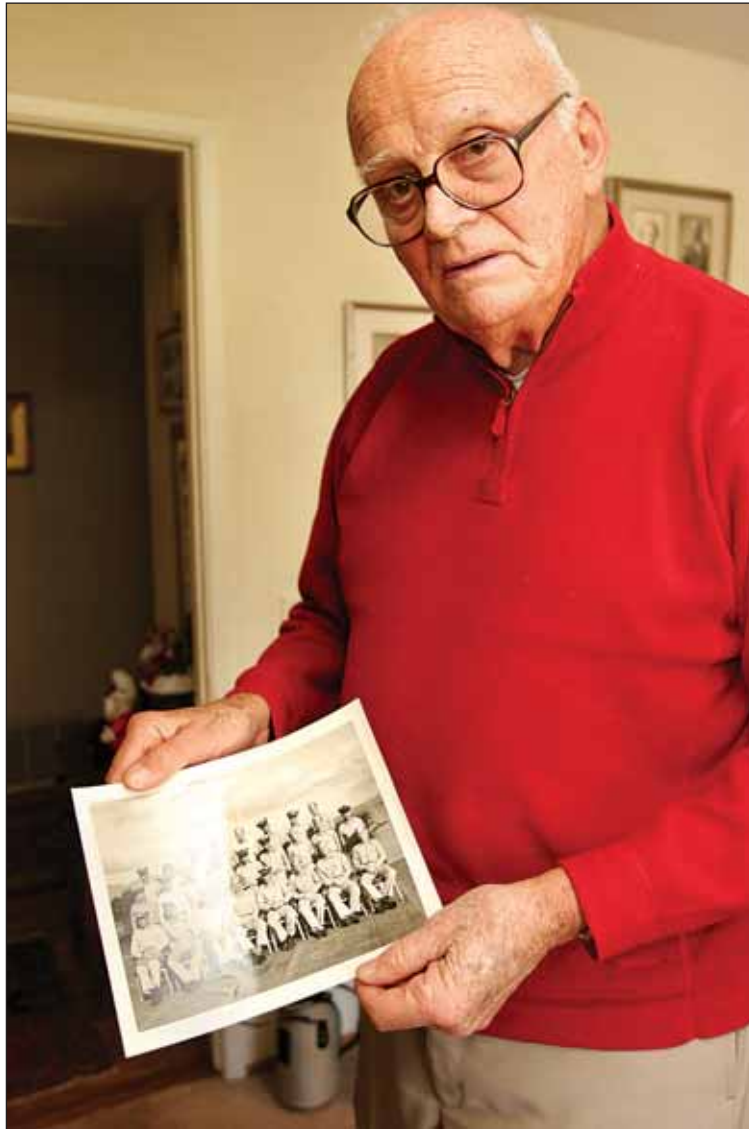
A recent graduate of Yale Law School, Mr. Ford was the ship's legal officer. A strapping 6 foot 4 inch athlete, he was very popular with the 1,500 men aboard the Monterey, says Mr. Ernst.

It never occurred to them, however, that "Jerry" Ford would go into politics. "We just thought that he'd go back to Grand Rapids and practice law," says Mr. Ernst.

Both men were detached from the ship in December 1944. Mr. Ford was later assigned to Glenview, Ill., to train new naval officers. That Dec. 30, Mr. Ernst married Helen, an ensign with the WAVES. "She's put up with me for 63 years," he says.

Mr. Ernst had four years of active service in the Navy and remained in the Naval Reserve until age 60. After the war, he returned to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, where he became a regional administrator in the field of food and nutrition service.

He and President Ford saw each other occasionally during those years, most often at USS Monterey reunions. "When I was in Washington, I'd drop by Capitol Hill to



Charles Ernst holds a photo taken at Pearl Harbor in 1943 of a group of Navy men that includes Gerald Ford.

see if he was in." They often had a handshake and a brief visit.

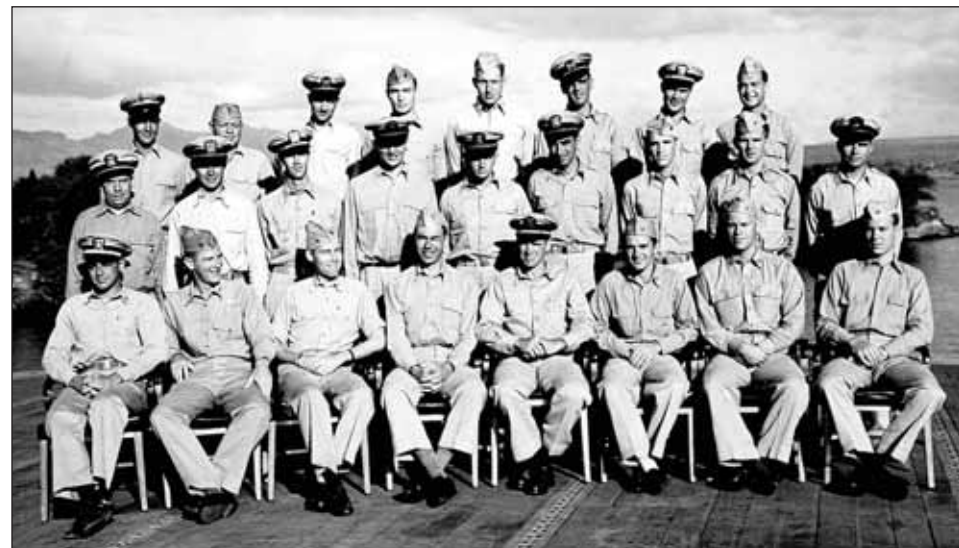
After President Ford retired, Mr. Ernst ran into him at the AT&T (Crosby) golf tournament and at a reunion in Rancho Mirage, where the presidential couple had a home.

A personalized Christmas card from the former president arrived every year, even in 2006 shortly before his death.

Charles Ernst shares a hobby with his former shipmate. He's

a golfer and, at age 90, "hits a few golf balls" at Stanford Golf Course every Tuesday and Thursday. In his den there is an orange golf ball which earned him a hole-in-one on the third hole in 1987.

While watching the recent funeral proceedings for Gerald Ford was sad, Mr. Ernst was glad to have the nation honor the late president. "We all had the greatest respect for him," he says of his wartime shipmate. ■



This picture, taken at Pearl Harbor in 1943, shows former president Gerald Ford (second from right in the front row) and Charles Ernst of Menlo Park (fourth from left in the second row).

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Local boys return from global trip and act locally

By Stephanie Cadora

Special to the Almanac

It all began with the Burgess family taking a trip around the world during the 2005-2006 academic year. And it hasn't ended yet.

Riley, Carter and Brock Burgess were so affected by the poverty they saw that within a week of their return, they started an organization called Kids Against Poverty (KAP).

Riley and Carter, twins and fifth-graders at the Phillips Brooks School in Menlo Park, enlisted Alexander Buckley and Peter Osborne, both in the fourth grade, to help raise money. Brock Burgess participates in the activities but goes to Woodside Priory as a sixth-grader.

The first recipient of KAP's efforts is a combination orphanage and school called the Kageno Community Center, off the coast of Lake Victoria in Kenya.

"We chose this school because they had the least school materials," says Carter. "And we have so much more than they do."

Carter and Riley were touched by the positive attitude of the students there. "They sang songs to us," says Carter. "The kids are really motivated. They are eager to learn — no sleeping or slouching or passing notes. The

kids were happy, laughing and smiling."

"We especially liked [a boy named] Brian," says Carter. "He was brave, bold and stood high. He wants to be a policeman."

The Kageno school has students ranging from preschoolers to ninth-graders with one teacher, he adds.

Kageno, meaning a "place of hope" in a Kenyan dialect, is a multifaceted community development project that transforms communities suffering from inhumane poverty into places of opportunity and hope, according to its Web site.

The kids in the Kageno orphanage "get breakfast, dinner and school," says Carter. "At the school the kids sit on the floor."

The boys in KAP raised money and collected supplies, including medicines to treat a dust disease and flies in the children's eyes.

Brock raised the most money — \$5,000 — by running a 12K race at Angel Island in December. According to his brothers, he is still getting sponsors, with more money coming in.

Peter had a bake sale that raised \$75 and brought in another \$75 by picking fruit from his orchard and selling it on his street.

Alexander made 700 greet-



Brock, Carter and Riley Burgess with children from Kageno Community Center in Kenya.

ing cards using a technique he learned in art class, and raised \$266.

At Thanksgiving, Phillips Brooks families gathered at the Menlo Park Presbyterian Church, each donating an item. Fifteen boxes of supplies such as paper, pens, baseballs, Frisbees, toys, binders and maps were collected. Younger children at the school decorated the boxes with drawings.

After these events, Carter and Riley e-mailed the Kageno school to tell them what was collected, and received lots of thanks in return.

The Burgess boys are now more aware of the homeless

people who stand in front of grocery stores in Menlo Park, and have given money to them, says Carter.

Their trip around the world included traveling to Peru, Galapagos, Ecuador, Brazil, Argentina, Chile, French Polynesia, New Zealand, Australia,

Thailand, South Africa, Kenya, Tanzania, Papua New Guinea, Italy, England and Canada, says Carter.

Orphanages made a strong impression on the kids. In the future, says Carter, the boys want to help children in Papua New Guinea. ■

Project Read holds tutor training this week

Project Read-Menlo Park will hold a series of tutor training sessions beginning this week at the Menlo Park Library, 800 Alma St.

The sessions are scheduled for Tuesday, Jan. 23, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.; and Saturday, Jan. 27, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. At the second session, new tutors are matched with students.

The project matches volunteers with adult learners, either native English speakers or English as a Second Language (ESL) students.

Tutors work one-on-one with their students, meeting once or twice per week. Beyond the basics of improving reading, writing or speaking, student goals can include working toward a job promotion, helping children with school work, or reading the newspaper. Many students are waiting to be matched with a tutor.

The 20-year-old Project Read-Menlo Park operates out of the Menlo Park and Belle Haven libraries. To register for the free training sessions, call Roberta Roth at 330-2525, or e-mail her at rlroth@menlopark.org.

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Redwood City Industrial Saltworks is hosting an open house Tuesday, Jan. 23, from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Pacific Athletic Club, 200 Redwood Shores Parkway in Redwood City, to invite public participation in planning future uses for 1,433 acres of salt ponds between Bayfront Park in Menlo Park and Seaport Boulevard in Redwood City. Refreshments and child care are available free.

Cargill Salt is phasing out salt production on its Bayfront tracts and is conducting an outreach program to involve the public in deciding what should be done with the property, with options ranging from housing and offices to parks and open space.

For information, call 366-0500; or go to rcsaltworks.com/

View elephant seals at Ano Nuevo

The annual sleep-in of Northern elephant seals can be viewed on the Peninsula at Ano Nuevo State Reserve, where they come ashore in the largest mainland breeding colony in the world.

School groups and the public need to book reservations in advance for the two-and-a-half hour, three-mile walks over sand dunes to Point Ano Nuevo, through March 31.

SamTrans is no longer running buses to the tours.

For information or to book reservations, call the reserve at 879-2025, or for recorded information, call 879-0227. Or go to parks.ca.org, and click on "Find a Park."

Rose Jacobs Gibson: 'State of the county'

Rose Jacobs Gibson, president of the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors, will give the State of the County address at a special meeting Thursday, Jan. 25, at 6 p.m. in the Board Chambers, 4000 County Center, in Redwood City. A reception will follow the address. For information, call Paula Duarte at 599-10009.

USGS lecture looks under the Golden Gate

"The Hidden World of the Golden Gate — How tides, currents and humans have created an array of sea floor features" is the title of the monthly public lecture at the U.S. Geological Survey on Thursday, Jan. 25, at 7 p.m., in Building 3 of the campus at 345 Middlefield Road in Menlo Park.

Marine geologist Patrick Barnard and physical scientist Peter Darnell will describe and visualize the loss of 100 million cubic yards of sediment, bedrock

scoured by powerful tidal currents, giant sand waves 30 feet high and 700 feet apart, and other features produced by nature and man over the last century.

For information, call 329-5000.

Talk: All is not lost for environment?

"Can the World Stop Environmental Degradation?" will be the topic of a talk for the World

AROUND TOWN

Affairs Council of Northern California on Monday, Jan. 29, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at the Los Altos Public Library, at 13 San Antonio Road.

Jeff Langholz, associate professor for international environmental policy at the Monterey Institute for International Studies, will summarize major environmental threats such as

climate change, loss of biodiversity, and ozone loss. He will discuss options for addressing them, and explain why he thinks all is not lost for environmental protection.

Admission is free. There will be refreshments at 7 p.m. For information, call the library at 948-7683, or the council at 415-293-4600.

You be the judge

The San Mateo County Superior Court is asking the public for new ideas and ways to improve

the legal services it provides the community, from traffic school to divorce and custody.

There will be two more forums to collect public input:

■ Wednesday, Jan. 24, at 7 p.m., at the Supervisors Chambers, Hall of Justice, corner of Bradford and Hamilton avenues, in Redwood City.

■ Thursday, Jan. 25, at 7 p.m. at the Jewish Community Center, 800 Foster City Blvd. in Foster City.

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Art Galleries

Inge Infante "Fields, New Col-lages." Through Feb. 25. Gallery hours: Thu.-Sun., 1-5 p.m. Free. 1870 Art Center, 1870 Ralston Ave., Belmont. Call 261-1086. www.1870artcenter.org

"Solace" Paintings by Jean-Marc Huss. Photo-realistic oil paintings of Thailand-based French artist Jean-Marc Huss on display Tue.-Sat., through Feb. 10. Free. Spur Projects, 888 Portola Road, Portola Valley. Call 529-2040. www.spurprojects.com

Auditions

"A Little Princess." Palo Alto Children's Theatre presents auditions for the musical "A Little Princess." The show follows Sara, who is sent to a boarding school, where her imagination helps her endure the harsh treatment she receives. Auditions open to children ages 8 through high school. Jan. 30-31, 3:45 p.m. Palo Alto Children's Theatre, 1305 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. Call 463-4930.

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"My Teenager is Driving Me Nuts." An interactive workshop designed to understand and support teens and provide practical strategies for improving communication and handling difficult situations. Wednesdays, Feb. 1, 8, and 15, 6:30-8:30 p.m. \$50/\$70 couples. San Mateo County Office of Education, 101 Twin Dolphin Dr., Redwood City. Call 513-0330 ext. 319. www.pcorweb.org/schools/schools.jsp

Girls and Boys Learn Sport of Sailing. For kids ages 10-13 years old. Saturdays, Jan. 27-May 19, 9-11 a.m. Pre-registration required. \$150. 4000 Chesapeake Dr., Redwood City. Call 368-0453. www.sequoiaayc.org

Mushroom Walks. Filoli Nature Docents, will lead you on a discovery excursion along the hills at Filoli. Children under 12 not allowed. Jan. 27, 10 a.m.-noon \$10 members/\$15 non-members. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. www.filoli.org

Pruning Workshop: Fruit Trees. Learn proper pruning techniques in Filoli's heirloom orchard with emphasis on apples and pears. Workshop begins with a demonstration followed by guided hands-on practice. Jan. 27, 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. \$25 members/\$35 non-members. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. Call 364-8300. www.filoli.org

Self-Defense for Women. The prevention-based workshop covers important topics such as "acquaintance" versus "stranger danger," the five stages of an assault, and verbal and physical self-defense. Jan. 27, 10

a.m.-noon \$35. Every Woman Health Club, 611 Jefferson Ave., Redwood City. www.everywomanhealthclub.com

The Art of Bonsai Trees. Kathy Motzko will provide a planting demonstration of the art of Bonsai Trees. Jan. 31, 2:30-3:30 p.m. Free. Mills Estate Villa, 1733 California Dr., Burlingame. Call 692-0600.

Community Events

75th Anniversary Open House. The Palo Alto Children's Theatre. Theatre tours and refreshments. Jan. 28, 3-5 p.m. Free. Palo Alto Children's Theatre, 1305 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. Call 463-4930.

Discovering Sherlock Holmes. Stanford University will release 12 weekly facsimiles of Sherlock Holmes stories, as first seen in The Strand Magazine. Mailings will begin Jan. 26, ending April 13. \$20 for newsprint copies; free pdf access. Discovering Sherlock Holmes, 482 Galvez St., Stanford. Call 724-9588. <http://sherlockholmes.stanford.edu>

Family Service Open House. An open house of the newly completed Family Center headquarters. Learn about programs and services including early learning and child care, family loans, senior employment and counseling/visitation. Tours available. Jan. 25, 7:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Free. Family Service Family Center, 24 Second Ave., San Mateo. Call 403-4300, ext. 4417. www.familyserviceagency.org

Stanford Open Blood Drive. The Blood Centers of the Pacific will bring their blood mobile to Burnham Pavilion on the Stanford campus in conjunction with the 15th annual fundraising Stanford Open Gymnastics Meet. Jan. 27, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Burnham Pavilion, Corner Galvez and Serra St., Palo Alto. Call 207-5235. www.stanfordopen.com

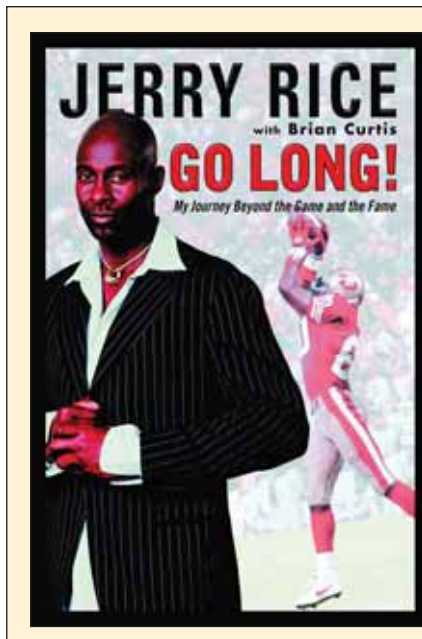
The Shops are Alive with the Sound of Music. An evening of live entertainment and late night shopping in downtown Palo Alto. Jan. 25, 6-8 p.m. Free. Downtown Palo Alto, University Ave., Palo Alto. Call 462-1795. www.paloaltondowntown.com

Concerts

"East-West Connection II." Presented by Topaz Chamber Ensemble. Performances by Mimi Dye, violinist, and Isabelle Courret, harpist, followed by the Firebird Youth Chinese Orchestra and di-zi player Ding Jian. Sat., Jan. 27, 7:30-9:30 p.m. \$25 advance/\$30 at the door. Benefits Outreach of All Saints. All Saints' Church, 555 Waverley, Palo Alto. Call 380-0961. www.topazmusic.org

Master Sinfonia Chamber Music Winter Concert. Maestro David Ramadanoff conducts MSCO's winter concert of standards from the 18th-20th century: Johann Christian Bach's Sinfonia Op. 6 No. 1 in G major, Igor Stravinsky's Dances Concertantes, and Joseph Haydn's "Military" Symphony No. 100 in G major. Jan. 28, 3-5 p.m. \$18/\$15 senior/\$5 students. Los Altos United Methodist Church, 655 Magdalena, Los Altos. Call (408) 296-6629. info@mastersinfonia.org

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At Kepler's

49er great and Atherton resident Jerry Rice will be at Kepler's bookstore in Menlo Park from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday, Jan. 26, to sign his new book, "Go Long: My Journey Beyond the Game and the Fame." Those who sign up for a new movies-by-mail service, MovieCrazy, which is partnering with Kepler's, can receive a free signed copy of the book. For information, go to <http://moviecrazy.com/jerryrice>.

Concert. Maestro David Ramadanoff conducts MSCO's winter concert with Johann Christian Bach's Sinfonia Op. 6 No. 1 in G major, Igor Stravinsky's Dances Concertantes, and Joseph Haydn's "Military" Symphony No. 100 in G major, with its use of the bass drum, triangle and cymbals. Jan. 27, 7:30-9:30 p.m. \$18/\$15 seniors/\$5 students. St. Bede's Episcopal Church, 2650 Sand Hill Road, Menlo Park. Call (408) 296-6629. www.mastersinfonia.org

New Century Chamber Orchestra. Featuring soprano Melody Moore and guest concertmaster Axel Strauss. Program includes Telemann, Britten, and Schubert/Mahler. Call or see website for tickets. Jan. 26, 8 p.m. \$42/\$28. First United Methodist Church, 625 Hamilton Ave., Palo Alto. Call (415) 357-1111. www.ncco.org

Heritage, 351 Homer Ave., Palo Alto. Call 321-1004. www.moah.org

"Correspondence: Masami Teraoka Ukiyo-e." Jan. 28-April 29. Explores the contemporary work by Japanese American artist Masami Teraoka in juxtaposition with Ukiyo-e woodblock prints by Japanese masters. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sun., 1-5 p.m. and 7-10 p.m. Free. Palo Alto Art Center, 1313 Newell Road, Palo Alto. Call 329-2366. www.cityofpaloalto.org

Art Exhibition. "Reflections" contemporary figurative paintings by local artist, Laura Varich. Paintings are rendered using the "alla prima" technique. Through Feb. 2. Mike's Cafe, 150 Middlefield Road, Menlo Park. Call 321-3520.

Art in Action Library Show. Art in Action opens an art show series featuring artwork from local students grades K-8. Through May 5. For a list of participating schools see website. Free. Art in Action, 3925 Bohannon Dr., Menlo Park. Call 566-8339. www.artinaction.org

Art Opening: Immersion of Color. Abstract acrylic paintings by Kathryn Rone. Through March 16. Colors move in wavelike patterns, displaying emotions and internal flow. Free. Institute of Transpersonal Psychology, 1069 E. Meadow Circle, Palo Alto. Call 493-4430 ext. 254. www.itp.edu

Discover the Art of Love. The exhibit pieces were created by the clients of CAR. The artists, created works of art under the direction of Palo Alto and Art for Well Being's artist Judy Gittelsohn and Anna Fankhauser, art teacher from the CSMA. Exhibit displayed through Jan. 31. Free. Allegro Framing and Fine Art, 3130 Alpine Road, Portola Valley. Call 618-3319. www.allegroframing.com

NightBlooms: Prints by Mark Brown. A series of digital art works which explore the space in which Nature and Technology collide, merge and multiply. Through Feb. 26. Free. Mountain View

Dance

Ballroom Dancing. Thursdays, through March 1, 7-9 p.m. \$7. Little House, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 326-2025. www.peninsulavolunteers.org

Exhibits

"Actor Actor." Jan. 28-April 29. A broad celebration of the intersection of art and theater with an emphasis on Asian material. Subjects include masks, puppets, and stage set design. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sun., 1-5 p.m. and 7-10 p.m. Free. Palo Alto Art Center, 1313 Newell Road, Palo Alto. Call 329-2366. www.cityofpaloalto.org

"Classic and Timeless Toys." Palo Alto Sport Shop and Toy world and the Museum of American Heritage present "Classic and Timeless Toys," an exhibit featuring over 75 classic toys of the 20th century. Learn the history of toys and the story behind their inventions. Fridays-Sundays, Through Jan. 28, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Free. Museum of American

Center for the Performing Arts, 500 Castro St., Mountain View. Call 903-6000. www.ci.mtnview.ca.us/mvcpa/visualarts.html

Paintings and Collage. Oil paintings by Bohdanna Kesala; watercolors by Amy Da-Peng King, and collage by Mellissa Shields. Through Feb 8. Stanford Art Spaces, 420 Via Palou, Stanford. Call 725-3622. <http://cis.stanford.edu/~marigros>

Repetitious Antics. Mon.-Fri., 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. through March 23. Photographs and collages by Jessica Walker and Cyane Tornatzky, blending gender issues and technology to blur the edges of the natural and the artificial. Free. Serra House, 589 Capistrano Way, Stanford. Call 723-1994. <http://gender.stanford.edu>

Visions of Dharma: Thai Contemporary Art. Exhibition highlights the work of two of Thailand's artists. Works are contemporary and explore a wide range of subjects and styles. Hours: Wed.-Sun., 11 a.m.-5 p.m.; Thu., 11 a.m.-8 p.m. Through March 4. Free. Cantor Arts Center, 328 Lomita Dr., Stanford. Call 723-3469. <http://museum.stanford.edu>

Kids & Families

CSMA Faculty Chamber Ensemble. Presented by The Community School of Music and Arts. Ensemble, led by violinist Alex Eisenberg, playing music by Bartok, Corelli, Elgar, Mozart and Vivaldi, solos. Sponsored by Applied Materials; support from the Guzik Foundation. Media sponsor Classical 102.1 KDFC. Jan. 28, 2 p.m. preschool and young children; 4 p.m. school age children and adults. Free. Community School of Music and Arts, 230 San Antonio Circle, Mountain View. www.arts4all.org

Final Friday Flicks. Atherton Library presents a movie night for the family. Refreshments included. Call the library for monthly film title. Free. Atherton Library, 2 Dinkelspiel Station Lane, Atherton. Call 328-2422. www.smcl.org

Infant Storytime. For infants ages 0-18 months. Wednesdays, 10 a.m. Music, finger plays, and puppets. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside.

Film

"L'Atlantide" silent, France, 1921. French Silent Film Series presents Jacques Feyder's brooding, fantasy-adventure epic of the lost city of Atlantis found in the deepest Sahara. Live soundtrack music performed by Ahl-i Nafs. Hosted by David Giovacchini. Jan. 24, 7:30 p.m. Free. Pigott Hall, Bldg 260, room 113, Stanford University. Call 725-3426.

"Twilight." Middle East Film Series presents screen veteran Ezzatollah Entezami. Directed by Hassan Hedayat. In Farsi with English subtitles. Hosted by David Giovacchini, Middle East Collection, Stanford Univ. Libraries. Jan. 31, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Free. Pigott Hall, building 260, Stanford University. Call 725-3426.

Live Music

Vintage Jazz with Devil Mountain. Performing classic jazz with styles ranging from ragtime to hot jazz of the 1920's. Jan. 28, 1-5 p.m. \$15/\$10 members. Palo Alto Elks Lodge, 4249 El Camino Real, Palo Alto. Call 368-2462. <http://southbayjazz.org>

On Stage

"Ambition Facing West." Presented by TheatreWorks. Playwright Anthony Clarvoe adapts his own family history in the exploration of the immigrant experience. Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.; Wed.-Sat., 8 p.m.; Sun., 2 and 7 p.m. Through Feb. 11. \$20-\$60. Mountain View Center for the Performing Arts, 500 Castro St., Mountain View. www.theatreworks.org

"Humble Boy" by Charlotte Jones. Comedy goes on a journey of garden variety through black holes, bee hives, and brilliance. Thu.-Sat., 8 p.m.; Sun., 2 p.m. Through Feb. 4. Email tickets@dragonproductions.net for tickets. Cash and check only at door. \$13-\$25. Dragon Productions, 535 Alma St., Palo Alto. Call 493-2006. www.dragonproductions.net

"Pack of Lies." Palo Alto Players presents Hugh Whitmore's drama that forces an ordinary English family to confront the question, "Who can you trust, your friends and neighbors or your government?" Through Feb. 4. Wed.-Sat., 8 p.m.; Sun., 2:30 p.m. \$18-\$28. Lucie Stern Theater, 1305 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. Call 329-0891. www.paplayers.org



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A Doll's House. Thu.-Sat., 8 p.m.; Sun., 2 p.m. Through Feb. 4. Torvald and Nora's negotiated and powerfully sexual relationship begins to crumble as events unfold over Christmas, 1959. Directed by J. Forte. \$10-\$25. Pear Avenue Theatre, 1220 Pear Ave., Mountain View. Call 254-1148. www.thepear.org

Special Events

Stanford University Campus Planning. The Stanford Historical Society will sponsor a talk by University Architect David P. Lenox on the future development of the Stanford campus. Jan. 30, 5-6:30 p.m. Free. Oak East Room, Tresidder Union, 459 Lagunita Dr., Stanford. Call 725-3332. http://histsoc.stanford.edu/programs.shtml

Sports

15th Annual Stanford Open Gymnastics Meet. Jan. 26-28, 8 a.m.-9 p.m. Over 700 competitors from 62 different clubs will compete. \$15. Burnham Pavilion, Stanford University, Stanford. Call 595-8987. www.stanfordopen.com

Palo Alto Babe Ruth Baseball Registration. For 13 to 15 year olds from Palo Alto, East Palo Alto, Menlo Park, Atherton, Woodside, Portola Valley or selected areas of Redwood City. Through March 4, 9 a.m.-5:15 p.m. http://eteamz.active.com/palo_Alto_Babe_Ruth/index.cfm

Talks/Authors

"The Living New Deal: Excavating the Public Landscape." Dr. Gray Brechin, visiting scholar at U.C. Berkeley Geography Dept. and author of "Imperial San Francisco," will discuss current research projects and statewide collaborative effort to document and map the physical legacy of the New Deal in California to provide foundation for national inventory. Jan. 25, 10-11 a.m. Free. Hanson Hall, The Sequoias, 501 Portola Road, Portola Valley. Call 851-1501.

A New Millennium of Female Aviators. Julie Jervis will talk about the opportunities, challenges and triumphs awaiting women pursuing a career in aviation. Lecture included with museum admission: \$9 adults/\$6 seniors/youth/kids 4 and under free. Feb. 3, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Hiller Aviation Museum, 601 Skyway Road, San Carlos. Call 654-0200. www.hiller.org

Claire Tomalin discusses Thomas Hardy. Collection, selected and introduced by Tomalin. Hardy's biographer, provides insight into Hardy's thoughts and emotions. Tue., Jan. 30, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 324-4321. www.keplers.com

Jerry Rice Booksigning. "Go Long," a book by 49er legend and Atherton resident. Fri., Jan. 26, 6-9 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 324-4321. www.keplers.com

Josh Bernstein. Discusses his new book "Digging for the Truth." Wed., Jan. 24, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 324-4321. www.keplers.com

Martin Amis. Discusses new book "House of Meetings." Thu., Jan. 25, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 324-4321. www.keplers.com

Volunteers

Filoli Volunteer Open House. Demonstrations of various activities and representa-

tives from each area will be available. Jan. 27, 10 a.m.-noon Free. Filoli, 86 Canada Road, Woodside. Call 364-8300 ext. 300. www.filoli.org

Huddart Park Docents. Huddart Park's Friends program is in need of docents to lead young children on short hikes within Huddart Park a few weekday mornings during Fall and Spring. Training is provided.

Through May 15. Huddart Park, 1100 Kings Mountain Road, Woodside. Call 529-0305.

YES Reading. Tutor volunteers needed for students who are reading below grade level at under-served schools. Tutors are needed at Belle Haven School in Menlo Park and Selby Lane School in Atherton. Mondays-Thursdays through June 30. E-mail info@yesreading.org for more information.

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Correction

The actor who played the lead character in "Clarence Darrow: The Search for Justice," presented Jan. 20 in Redwood City, was Gary L. Anderson. Mr. Anderson, who is known for his portrayal of the legendary lawyer Clarence Darrow, was incorrectly identified in the Jan. 17 issue of The Almanac as Gary Johnson. The Almanac regrets the error.

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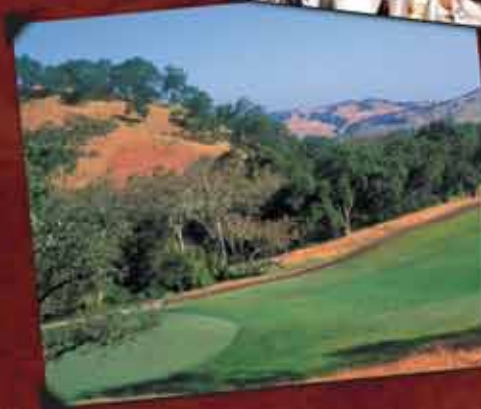


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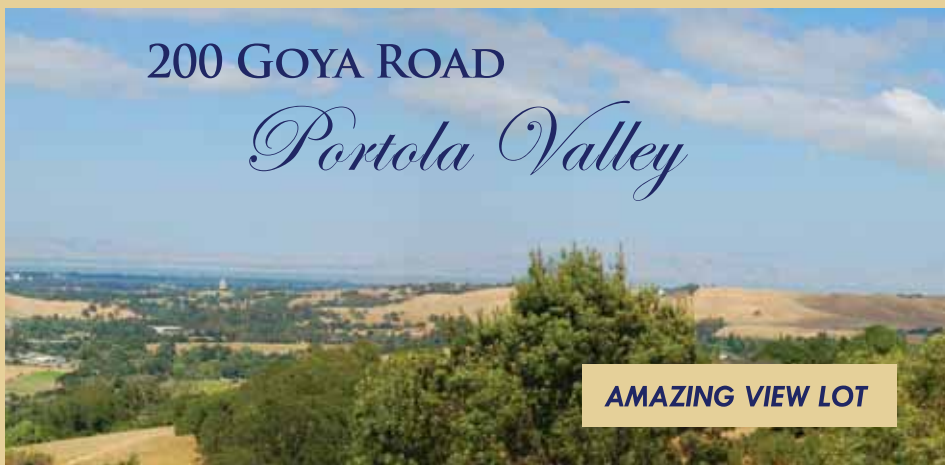


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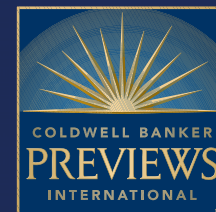
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QUIET CUL-DE-SAC **\$2,675,000**
4 BR 3 BA Traditional home on large lot w/many recent improvements! Top location near S. Heart & Menlo Schl. Solar pool, grt firpln w/huge kit/FR. Hwd floors.

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NEW CONSTRUCTION **\$2,350,000**
6 BR 4.5 BA One of a kind custom home built by J5 Development. Beautiful combination of modern amenities & old world charm.

Mandana Nejad **650.325.6161**

TRADITIONAL HOME **\$2,250,000**
3 BR 3 BA At the top of Sharon Heights. Formal living rm, dining rm and den/family rm. Hardwood flrs, crown moldings, and gated entry driveway.

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FABULOUS LOCATION! **\$1,995,000**
4 BR 2.5 BA Large updated home with great floor plan. Sep FR. Large closets, lots of storage, hwd flrs, security system, dbl pane windows, eat in kitchen, sep DR.

Lyn Jason Cobb **650.324.4456**

BEAUTIFUL CRAFTSMAN **\$1,995,000**
4 BR 3 BA Beautiful 2yr old craftsman in W. Menlo. Grand master ste. Chef's kitchen w/ butler's pantry. Formal LR & formal DR. Las Lomitas schools. A must see!

Zach Trailer **650.325.6161**

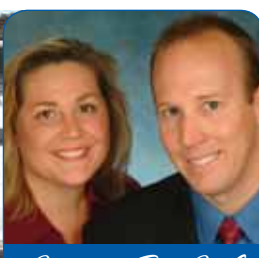
PRICE REDUCTION! **\$1,699,000**
4 BR 2.5 BA New price! French doors to rear gardens, Formal DR, FR Kitchen Sunken LR, generous MBR suite. Attached 2 car garage. Las Lomitas Schools.

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507 Buena Vista Ave. **\$939,000**
3 BR 2 BA Gated home on a large lot steps from Atherton. Open & flowing floor plan. Updated kitchen & baths. Huge front yard with big lawn. Pool. Sauna. Garden.



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2 BR 1 BA **\$768,000**
Well-maintained home. Updated kitchen & bath, beautiful hardwood floors, huge backyard. Bonus room, inside laundry with Washer & Dryer included. Unlimited potential!



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San Mateo Knolls **\$1,079,000**
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APPROX .83 ACRE LOT \$550,000
A dramatic setting on approx .83 acres. Terrific views of mtns & valley. Have plans for a 3964 sqft home. Great opportunity to build your dream home!
Beatrice Goodman 650.324.4456

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NEW CONST. IN MENLO PARK \$1,695,000
4 BR 3.5 BA on a 8000 sq.ft. lot and 3 car garage. Still time to pick some colors. Top of the line kitchen w/huge family room. Must see! Call John today.
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DESIRABLE WEST MENLO LOC \$1,695,000
3 BR 2 BA Desirable West Menlo Location! Well-maintained, move-in condition home with spacious rooms & large backyard. Excellent Menlo Park schools!
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4 BR 3.5 BA Beautiful new construction in the Willows! Craftsman home built by J5 Development. Designed by Alex Miller-Cole. Estimated completion time: May 2007
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GREAT WEST MP HOME \$1,250,000
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3 BR 2 BA Situated in an excellent Sharon Hts location, this nearly 1300sf 1-level 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom town home is a must see.
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Amazing 4 acre parcel on cul de sac. Privacy abounds! Spectacular views of the Bay & Hoover Tower, adjacent to Jasper Ridge. One of PVs best view lots
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EXQUISITELY CRAFTED \$3,695,000
5 BR 4.5 BA On approx. 1 acre with Windy Hill views. Gracious LR, formal DR, FR, library/study, designer kitchen, spacious MBRS & marble bath.
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PREMIERE VIEWS! \$2,795,000
4 BR 2.5 BA "Top of the World" Vista of Western Hills. Private 1 acre. Gracious home for entertaining. Pride of ownership. Close to Elem. school & hiking trails.
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EXQUISITE LOCATION \$1,998,000
4 BR 2.5 BA Delightful single-level home in quiet neighborhood, MBS w/fpl & French drs w/priv. deck, views of Windy Hill, Excell. PV schls. V-Tour @ www.DeanAsborno.com
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SPACIOUS CONTEMPORARY \$1,095,000
2 BR 2 BA Well-designed home w/soaring ceilings, huge beams, skylites & hdwd flrs. Formal LR/DR w/ deck, MB w/office area, lg kitch/fam rm w/brkfst bar.
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UPDATED GRANITE KITCHEN! \$695,000
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LE SOLEIL \$28,000,000
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HEART OF WOODSIDE \$7,950,000
4 BR 4.5 BA Located on a tranquil, private knoll, this beautiful French chateau radiates with warmth and elegance. Ultimate 3 ac. location with sunny pool.
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HIDDEN VALLEY ESTATE \$7,950,000
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6 BR 4 BA 3+ acre estate in central Woodside. Beautiful gourmet Kit. Wonderful sweeping terraces, huge lawn area, formal dining room, living room, barn, & pool.
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SPACE & TRANQUILITY \$6,500,000
6 BR 4 BA Incredible views of western hills on 6 acres with fully remodeled home, guest house, pool and tennis court. Private, quiet location.
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REMARKABLE 3+ AC PROPERTY \$5,950,000
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RARE INVESTMENT OPP. \$5,250,000
4 BR 2 BA Prime Woodside land located on "The Gold Coast", prestigious Mountain Home Rd. 2 separate lots. Lot "B". Seller will carry \$4m!
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TOWN & COUNTRY LIVING \$5,200,000
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WOODSIDE

REMOD. RANCH ON 1 AC \$2,995,000
3 BR 2.5 BA Beautiful granite kitchen & remod. MBR w/luxurious bathroom. Large detached 2 car garage plus a barn w/lots of storage. Woodside schools.
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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME JACK ELIAS ANDERSON CASE NUMBER CIV460266

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner: JEVAN FREDERICK ANDERSON AND DIMITRA KARAGIAS ANDERSON has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing name as follows: JACK ELIAS ANDERSON to JOHN ELIAS ANDERSON.

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 March 1, 2007 at 9:00a.m., Dept. 21, Room: 2E, 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: January 17, 2007
Stephen M. Hall
Judge of the Superior Court
ENDORSED FILED in San Mateo County on January 17, 2007. Clerk of the Superior Court By E. Boffi, Deputy Clerk.
Published in THE COUNTRY ALMANAC on January 24, 31, February 7, 14, 2007.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF SYLVIA GREEN CASE NO. 116018

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

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Charlene Gum-mere in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN MATEO.

THE PETITION FOR PRO-BATE requests that Charlene Gum-mere be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on Feb. 16, 2007 at 9:00 AM in Dept. No. 14 located at 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 de-ceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to

the personal representative ap-pointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Pro-bate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire be-fore four months from the hearing date noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a per-son 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 ap-praisal 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:
MEGAN A RICHMOND ESQ
SBN170753
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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NATALIA REYES SANDOVAL
CASE NUMBER CIV459691

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner: ALEJANDRINA SANDOVAL and
JOSUE REYES has filed a petition with this
court for a decree changing name as follows:
NATALIA REYES SANDOVAL to NATALIA
REYES.

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
February 7, 2007 at 9:00a.m., Dept. 21, Room
2E, 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: December 20, 2006

Robert D. Foiles
Judge of the Superior Court
ENDORSED FILED in San Mateo County
on December 20, 2006. Clerk of the Superior
Court By Jennifer Baxter, Deputy Clerk.
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STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

FILE NO. 184457

The following person (persons) have
abandoned the use of the fictitious business
name LARENA ENTERPRISES. Located at 46
Tunitas Creek Road, Woodside, CA 94062.

The fictitious business name referred to
above was filed in County on January 2002.
This Business was conducted by an

Individual: LARENA E. LEWIS, 46 Tunitas
Creek Road, Woodside, CA 94062.

This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of San Mateo on December 5, 2006.

(ENDORSED) FILED in the office of the
County Clerk recorder of San Mateo County,
Calif. on December 5, 2006. WARREN
SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley,
Deputy Clerk.

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TSG No.: 3076591 TS No.:
2006919203882 FHA/VA/PMI No.: Notice
Of Trustee's Sale

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A
DEED OF TRUST, DATED 9/2/2005 UNLESS
YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR
PROPERTY. IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC
SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF
THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING
AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT
A LAWYER. On 1/30/2007 at 12:30 PM First
American LoanStar Trustee Services, as
duly appointed Trustee under and pursu-
ant to Deed of Trust recorded 09/12/2005,
as Instrument No. 2005-1537388, in book ,
page , of Official Records in the office of the
County Recorder of San Mateo County, State
of California. Executed by: Byron Johnson,
a married man as his sole and separate
property, will sell at public auction to high-
est bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash
equivalent or other form of payment autho-
rized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale
in lawful money of the United States) At
the Marshall St. 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 and State described as: As more fully
described in the above mentioned Deed of
Trust APN# 062-091-210-5 The street address
and other common designation, if any, of the
real property described above is purported to
be: 1163 Madera Avenue - Menlo Park,
CA 94025 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,

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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
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of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and
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and reasonable estimated costs, expenses
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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
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caused said Notice of Default and Election
to sell to be recorded in the County where
the real property is located. Date: 1/10/2007
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PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY REMAINING ON VACATED PREMISES OF FORMER TENANT

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday,
February 1, 2007, at 10:00 AM, at 35
Visitation Ave., Brisbane, San Mateo County,
CA 94005-1558 the personal property of
Alejandro Marcel will be sold at public auction
the following personal property:

- 4 tables approximately 2' in diameter
- 8 stacking chairs
- 6 wall posters
- 1 gumball machine
- 4 napkin dispensers
- 14 assorted pots and pans
- 1 refrigerator (standing)
- 1 steam Lincoln Fresh-O-Matic
- 1 steam table with 2 large bins and
3 small bins

- 3 stainless sinks
 - 1 cutting board
 - 1 micro wave oven
 - 1 Pyro Chem fire suppression system
 - 1 Wolf stove with 4 burners, grill and
oven
 - 1 Imperial deep fry unit
 - 1 overhead exhaust hood with fire
sprinklers
 - 1 Brother Intellifax fax machine
 - 4 duck-board mats of various sizes
 - 6 assorted knives with sharpening steel
 - 1 Traulsen refrigerator
 - 1 electric wall clock
 - 3 Magnavox 15" television
 - 3 non-skid floor mats
 - 7 outdoor tables
 - 27 plastic outdoor chairs
- Said auction will be made pursuant to
Civil Code, Section 1988
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FILE NO. 217812 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is (are) doing
business as: CAMELOT / DRUG BARN /
DRUG FAIR / BIG A DRUG STORES, located
at: 4925 Junipero Serra, Colma, CA 94014
Is (are) hereby registered by the follow-
ing owner(s):

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SIGNATURE OF REGISTRANT: EDWARD
J. DALLAL, President / CEO.

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TSG No.: 3117231 TS No.:
20069134005270 FHA/VA/PMI No.: Notice
Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN
DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED
3/20/2006 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO
PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE
SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED
AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE
PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD
CONTACT A LAWYER. On 2/6/2007 at 12:30
PM First American LoanStar Trustee Services,
as duly appointed Trustee under and pursu-
ant to Deed of Trust recorded 03/24/2006,
as Instrument No. 2006-042821, in book ,
page , of Official Records in the office of the
County Recorder of San Mateo County, State
of California. Executed by: Gilbert Lemelle
Jr, surviving joint tenant, will sell at public
auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's
check/cash equivalent or other form of pay-
ment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at
time of sale in lawful money of the United
States) At the Marshall St. 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 and State described as: As more fully
described in the above mentioned Deed of
Trust APN# 063-032-090-1 The street address
and other common designation, if any, of the
real property described above is purported to
be: 2653 Fordham Street, East Palo Alto,
CA 94303 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, under the terms
of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and
expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts
created by said Deed of Trust. The total
amount of the unpaid balance of the obli-
gation secured by the property to be sold and
reasonable estimated costs, expenses and
advances at the time of the initial publica-
tion of the Notice of Sale is \$542,038.60
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heretofore executed and delivered to the
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and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of
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FILE NO. 217886 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

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L.P., Located at: 1158 26th Street, Suite 226,
In: Santa Monica, CA 90403

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Allied Capital Services, L.P., 5151
Bellline Road, Suite 500, Dallas, TX 75254
Tramel Capital Corp., (General Partner),
5151 Bellline Road, Suite 500, Dallas, TX
75254

This business is conducted by a limited
partnership.

Corporation/LLC No

The registrant commenced to transact
business under the FBN or names on: _____

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be false is guilty of a crime.)

SIGNATURE OF REGISTRANT: ALLIED
CAPITAL SERVICES, L.P., By: Clay B. Tramel,
Chief Executive Officer

This statement was filed with Warren
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FILE NO. 217885 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/are doing
business as: S & C FORD, 315 Airport Blvd.,
South San Francisco, CA 94080

South City Motors, Inc., a Dela-ware
Corporation, 315 Airport Blvd., South San
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This business is conducted by a cor-
poration.

Registrant has not yet begun to transact
business under the fictitious business name
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SIGNED: SOUTH CITY MOTORS, INC.,
a Delaware Corp., By: Bryon F. Bowlby,
Sect./Treas.

This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of San Mateo County on January 2,
2007.

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

WAI YEE SIU
CASE NUMBER CIV460094

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner: WAI YEE SIU has filed a petition
with this court for a decree changing name as
follows: WAI YEE SIU to TINA WAI SIU.

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
February 28, 2007 at 9:00a.m., Dept. 21,
Room: 2E, 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: January 12, 2007
George A. Miram
Judge of the Superior Court

ENDORSED FILED in San Mateo County
on January 12, 2007. Clerk of the Superior
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: YOYO'S FAMILY DAYCARE, 2181 Addison Avenue, East Palo Alto, CA 94303.

This business is conducted by an Individual: YOLANDA D. BOWIE, 2181 Addison Avenue, East Palo Alto, CA 94303.

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 December 19, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217711

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: E.R.B. CONSTRUCTION, 2181 Addison Avenue, East Palo Alto, CA 94303.

This business is conducted by an Individual: EDGAR R. BOWIE, 2181 Addison Avenue, East Palo Alto, CA 94303.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July, 1991.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 218155

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: TRUVSHI CONSULTANT, 1420 Kavanagh Drive, East Palo Alto, CA 94303.

This business is conducted by an Individual: SHEILA R. HARRIS, 1420 Kavanagh Drive, East Palo Alto, CA 94303.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on January 17, 2007.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California January 17, 2007. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 218206

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: B.C.B. JEANS COMPANY ROYAL OUTFITTERS, 1301 Sherman Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by an Individual: BRADLEY C. BATTLES, 1301 Sherman 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 January 18, 2007. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217805

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DAVIDTPOX811.COM, 2227 Thurm Avenue, Belmont, CA 94002.

This business is conducted by an Individual: DAVID CASTRONOVO, 2227 Thurm Avenue, Belmont, CA 94002.

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

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California December 27, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217781

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: NOSI INTEGRATORS, 2081 Cedar Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company: NOSI INTEGRATORS, LLC, 2081 Cedar Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 14, 2002.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California December 26, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217919

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: BAY TRAILRUNNERS, 130 Sunrise Drive, Woodside, CA 94062; P.O. Box 620351, Woodside, CA 94062.

This business is conducted by an Individual: ROBERT RHODES, 130 Sunrise Drive, Woodside, CA 94062.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on December 4, 2006.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California January 4, 2007. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. 209920

The following person (persons) have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name IT'S YOUR TIME. Located at 1000 Park Place, Suite S, San Mateo, CA 94403-7110.

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in County on September 30, 2005.

This Business was conducted by an Individual: SANDY E. RIVERS, 1000 Park Place, Suite S, San Mateo, CA 94403-7110.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Mateo on January 2, 2007.

(ENDORSED) FILED in the office of the County Clerk recorder of San Mateo County, Calif. on January 2, 2007. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217583

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: NUTMEG KITCHENS PERSONAL CHEFFING, 145 Portola Road, Portola Valley, CA 94028.

This business is conducted by an Individual: MARGARET REILLY MACKENZIE, 145 Portola Road, Portola Valley, CA 94028.

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 December 11, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217902

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MASTERING GOD'S WORD, 426 Edgewood Road, San Mateo, CA 94402.

This business is conducted by a Corporation: MASTERING GOD'S WORD, California.

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 January 3, 2007. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217859

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: STRANDBERG ASSOCIATES, LLC, 348 Concord Drive, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company: STRANDBERG ASSOCIATES, LLC., 348 Concord Drive, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

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

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California December 29, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217837

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DENTAL IMPLANT SERVICES, 2125 Prospect Street, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by an Individual: PHILIP JAMES WILLIAMS, 2125 Prospect Street, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on December 28, 2006.

(ENDORSED) FILED In the Office of the County Clerk Recorder of San Mateo County California December 28, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217779

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: THE ROLLING TACOS, Longs So. Spruce, So. San Francisco, CA 94080.

This business is conducted by an Individual: JAVIER MENDOZA, 108 Adrian Avenue, So. San Francisco, CA 94080.

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 December 22, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217703

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: YI-HE GARDEN, 420 Broadway, Millbrae, CA 94030.

This business is conducted by a Corporation: YI-HE GARDEN CORP., 420 Broadway, Millbrae, CA 94030.

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 December 19, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Patricia Fischbach, Deputy Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 217732

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: INDIGO WEST, 2420 Sharon Oaks Drive, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

This business is conducted by Individuals - Husband and Wife: (1) MOLLY WESTRATE, 2420 Sharon Oaks Drive, Menlo Park, CA 94025, (2) STEPHEN B. WESTRATE, 2420 Sharon Oaks Drive, 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 December 20, 2006. WARREN SLOCUM, County Clerk by Madeleine Bruley, Deputy Clerk.

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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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LAS LOMITAS SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of sealed bids to be received by the Board of Trustees of the Las Lomitas School District, 1011 Altschul Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025, up until the bid time on the date indicated below for:

Bid Description

A modernization project in the County of San Mateo, State of California, at the following sites:

Las Lomitas Elementary School Modular Addition & Parking Lot

Las Lomitas Elementary & La Entrada Middle School Landscape Improvements

Qualification of Trade Contractors:

The construction of this project will be performed under a multi-prime contract arrangement directly supervised by a contracted District Construction Manager. The District's Construction Manager is Blach Construction Company. In order to bid, Trade Contractors must possess a current and active license to perform the work listed.

The following Trade Contractors will not have to be pre-qualified.

Landscape	C27 license required
Site Work (Demolition, Paving, Grading)	C12, C34 license required
Site Concrete	C8 license required

Bidding Requirements

Bidding Documents are available to view at Blach Construction Company, 469 El Camino Real, Suite 120, Santa Clara, CA 95050. Opening of sealed bids submitted by bidders is tentatively scheduled for 2:00 PM, March 7, 2007 at the Las Lomitas School District Office, 1011 Altschul Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025. Contracts over \$50,000 will require a 100% performance bond, a 100% Labor and Materials Bond and Bid Bond in the amount of 10% of the submitted bid. These projects are subject to the State Labor Code and the District's Labor Compliance Program. For questions regarding the State Labor Code refer to sections 1735, Discrimination of Employment and 1770, 1773, 1773.11 Prevailing Rates of Wages. Contractors submitting bids shall be required to submit certifications of compliance with the procedures for implementation of the Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Contracting Goals. Contractors are allowed according to PCC sec. 22300 to submit securities in lieu of retention.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

CITY OF MENLO PARK CITY COUNCIL APPEAL OF PLANNING COMMISSION ACTIONS

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

Use Permit/Stewart Associates/805 Evergreen Street:

Request for a use permit to demolish an existing single-story, single-family residence and construct a new two-story, single-family residence on a standard lot with regard to lot width in the R-1-S (Single-Family Suburban) zoning district, and for excavation into required side yard setbacks for lightwells and egress associated with a basement.

Use Permit/Case dei Bambini School/1215 O'Brien Drive: Request for a use permit to locate a private school in the M-2 (General Industrial) zoning district.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that said City Council 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 **Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at 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 Community Development Department, 701 Laurel Street, Menlo Park. **Please call Thomas Rogers, Associate Planner, at 650-330-6722 or email at trogers@menlopark.org** if there are any questions or comments on this item.

DATED: January 18, 2007
Silvia M. Vonderlinden
City Clerk

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF MENLO PARK PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING OF FEBRUARY 5, 2007

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:

Use Permit/Mandana Jamshidnejad/578 Olive Street: Request for a use permit to construct a new two-story, single-family residence on a standard lot with regard to lot width in the R-1-S (Residential Single-Family Suburban) zoning district, and for excavation into required side yard setbacks for lightwells and egress associated with a basement. Continued from the meeting of November 27, 2006.

Use Permit/Dylan and Jessica Casey/319 Marmona Drive: Request for a Use Permit for a single-story addition and remodeling to an existing single-story, single-family non-conforming residence that exceeds 75 percent of the structure replacement cost in a 12-month period for property located in the R-1-U (Single-Family Urban) zoning district.

Use Permit/Menlo Business Park LLC/1455 Adams Drive: Request for a use permit for the use and storage of hazardous materials and for outside storage of equipment in the M-2 (General Industrial) zoning district.

Use Permit/Susan M. Eschweiler, DES Architects/1490 O'Brien Drive: Request for a use permit for the use and storage of hazardous materials in the M-2 (General Industrial) zoning district.

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, February 5, 2007, 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: January 18, 2007
Justin Murphy, Development Services Manager
Menlo Park Planning Commission

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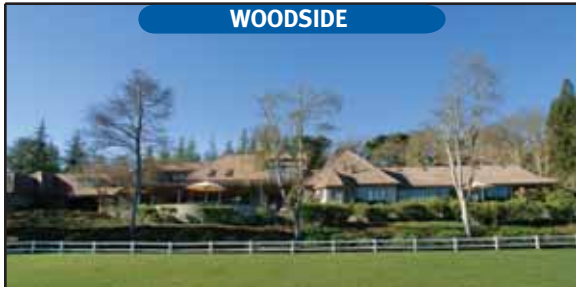


31 Fairview Avenue **\$10,900,000**
6BR 7.5BA Under construction French Country Manor by Bob Owen. Three levels w/ every amenity, cabana & pool on 1.1 private acre in prime West Atherton location.



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WOODSIDE



Gorgeous Woodside Estate **\$6,500,000**
6BR 4BA 3+ acre estate in central Woodside. Beautiful gourmet Kit. Wonderful sweeping terraces, huge lawn area, formal dining room, living room, barn, & pool.



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Gorgeous Western Views **\$2,935,000**
3 BR 3 BA Private 3.5+ usable acres located in town and near commute routes. Additional 3 bonus rooms. Portola Valley schools.

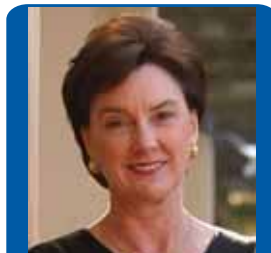


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OPEN SUNDAY!
6 BR 4 BA NEW PRICE! **\$4,875,000**
Atherton address, Woodside living on 7.5 private acres in a newer custom built home. Approx 7000 sq ft of living space.



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WOODSIDE



SHOWN ONLY BY APPOINTMENT
5 BR 4.5 BA **Price Upon Request**
Sweeping views of Stanford & SF bay. Infinity pool, vineyard & wine cellar. 19+ acre park setting. 6600sf home, 900sf wine cellar, 1600sf guest house.



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LOS ALTOS HILLS



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3BR 3 BA **Price Upon Request**
Stunning contemporary home on 2.4 acres (MOL) in Gunn High School District awaits someone with joie de vivre! Contact me for a private tour.



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MENLO PARK



SOLD!!!
3 BR 2 BA **Call for price**
Exquisite remodeled & expanded home with award winning Las Lomitas schools. Brand new master bedroom suite. 2 car garage.



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