

## Women HELPING women

WANDA group provides education, matching funds for single moms

By Kate Daly

Special to The Almanac

Local women helping women. What could be a more natural goal for a group of women who first met through their daughters at all-girl Castilleja School? Dianne Giancarlo of Atherton says that was the original connection for almost all of the 17 founders of a group called WANDA, The Women's Achievement Network and Development Alliance.

A year ago, the women met and decided one way to give back to their community was to help some single mothers in San Mateo County become more financially independent.

Christy Kamra of Woodside got involved with the group after hearing a founder quote some compelling statistics — that there are more than 13,000 single mothers with children under the age of 5 in the county, and 36 percent of these families live in poverty.

"It's extremely hard to make ends meet with rising food and gas prices these days," Mrs. Kamra says, glad to be able to help single moms "try to build something substantial."

WANDA encourages single moms to build assets by providing them with courses on how to save, and then rewards the savers with matching funds at a two-to-one ratio over three years.

As part of the arrangement, the moms must commit to use their savings toward securing a home or a post-secondary education, starting a business, or setting up a retirement savings account.



Photo by Veronica Weber/The Almanac

**Christine Harnish**, center, a single mom with two children, speaks with WANDA founder **Susan Kokores**, left, and fellow WANDA members at a home in Atherton.

The 15 single moms involved in the inaugural year have saved an average of \$70 a month, and so far, no one has missed a payment or dropped out.

Founder Mary Henry of Woodside helped put on the first seminar for moms on asset building, a meeting she says turned out to be "very inspirational and practical." Several experts came to talk, and each WANDA mom took home a book on business.

One speaker advised the moms to get rid of all but one credit card to help eliminate debt.

WANDA mom Carolina Valencia says she found the speakers "terrific and very educational."

"I learned how to budget, and I dream of buying my own home," says the single mother of four who works as an administrative assistant in the Building Department of the city of Colma.

After attending a couple of WANDA mom meetings,

Ms. Valencia says she's grateful for the "great support network. ... I know I'm not alone out there."

WANDA's program is based on the formula that each of the 17 founders contributes \$5,000 each year. Two partners are involved: The Women's Foundation of California holds the funds, and another nonprofit organization, Opportunity Fund, invests the money in financial education and matched savings programs.

Susan Kokores of Menlo Park, one of WANDA's key founders, is already looking to expand the number of participants who benefit. She's hoping to grow it to perhaps 22 new single moms a year.

The founders meet periodically, and plan events such as a recent class for WANDA moms called "College Bound: navigating the process to ensure success."

Ms. Kokores is the main contact person for the organization. She's reachable at [skokores@comcast.net](mailto:skokores@comcast.net). ■

## What a reTreat! Building bonds from the treetops



**MILES FILES**

Miles McMullin is a resident of Woodside and a senior at Crystal Springs Uplands School.

By Miles McMullin

When someone says the word retreat, you may picture yourself relaxing on an inflatable raft in a lake on a hot day. My senior retreat was different. The heat was there, but not the lake.

Every year at Crystal Springs Uplands School in Hillsborough, different grades go on different retreats. The junior year is whitewater rafting, but seniors

venture out to a ropes course — an outdoor team-building activity that involves rope-climbing challenges in trees to conquer your fear of heights.

Some challenges are 65 feet above ground. In those cases, you have a rope attached to a harness on your back and someone holds the rope to prevent you from falling. I have never been afraid of heights, so I looked forward to this.

We arrived at our base camp near Pescadero, and then hiked about 20 minutes to a secluded campground among 150-foot-tall trees. We began with each of us saying what we wanted to accomplish. Comments varied from wanting relaxation to making new friends.

The retreat's theme was talking to new

people, so we were told to talk to each member of our class for about a minute and a half. The kids had been excited to do this, and judging by the tears and hugs, they felt just as good about it after completing the activity.

After a few hours of rest, dinner, and a campfire, it was time for bed. The ropes course was the next day and we needed rest. As people were falling asleep, one kid exclaimed that he saw a cat. We shined the light on the "cat" and about 10 feet away was a raccoon. Of course, everyone flipped out, but a teacher informed us we were in the woods, so there were bound to be raccoons.

About 20 minutes later, and with more people snoring, I thought I heard

something licking its lips near my head. I turned on the flashlight, and about a foot away was the same raccoon. I flipped out a little bit more, waking up quite a few people. Finally I slept.

The next morning, after hiking a bit, we reached the ropes course and broke off into small groups, each assigned a counselor. Our counselor led us through the team-building events, including the passing of each member of the team through a "spider web" of ropes between two trees — without actually touching the ropes.

These events were fun and great for bonding because we all had to help each other. But after lunch came the high

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**Cristina Harper** \$1,995,000

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**Steve Gray** \$2,595,000

## EAST PALO ALTO

Great Opportunity in the "Hidden Willows!" Lrg lot w/2 2BR/1BA ranch units.  
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## FOSTER CITY

Wide water view. 2BR/2BA condo with elegant kitchen & bath upgrades. Great location!  
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2 separate homes on a large lot. Front unit is 3BR/3BA. Rear unit is 2BR/2BA.  
**Gordana Wolfman** \$638,000

## LA HONDA

Prop. has 3 structures, a main, barn & a studio to be permitted by the new owners.  
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**Cristina Harper** \$399,500  
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Charming 2BR/2BA cul-de-sac location backs onto creek! LR & FR w/FP, hrdwd flrs.  
**Carol Christie** \$1,550,000

## LOS ALTO HILLS

Lovely 4BR/3BA property on designated scenic route adjacent to Hidden Villa.  
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## MENLO PARK

Set on a private lane near the Atherton border w/4BR, 3BA, + an office or possible 5th BR.  
**Jami Arami** \$2,250,000  
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**Babak Massoudi** \$1,188,888  
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**Dana Cappiello** \$1,288,888  
 Stunning 4BR/2.5BA Mt. Carmel remodel. FR, LR/lux appliances & dining area.  
**Kristin Cashin** \$1,225,000  
 Charming 2BR/2BA farmhouse on 2 fantastic lots. Great Westside location. Fantastic opportunity!  
**Bob Johnston** \$799,000  
 Light bright & spacious 3BR/2.5BA private end unit. Steps away from boat dock.  
**Lilly Chow** \$769,000

Inviting 3BR/1.5BA home located on a peaceful tree-lined street. Hardwood floors, new paint.  
**Jennifer Whelan** \$685,000

Lrg 3BR/2.5BA Mediterranean-styled townhome w/lrg fenced patio area. Quiet location.  
**Dana Cappiello** \$649,000  
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**Vivian Vella** \$549,000

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**Dana Cappiello** \$399,000

## SAN CARLOS

Gorgeous 5BR/4.5BA one-of-a-kind home set on one of the most sought after streets in White Oaks.  
**Jami Arami** \$2,295,000  
 Located on a quite private lane is this spacious 4BR/3BA well maintained home.  
**Debbie Lorell/Bob Johnston** \$1,398,000

## SAN FRANCISCO

In the heart of S. Beach this spacious 2BR condo has spectacular views.  
**Joe Carcione III** \$988,000  
 This 2BR/2BA unit features 2 master suites & recently upgraded hrdwd flrs.  
**Joe Carcione III** \$799,000

## SAN JOSE

Santana Row model unit w/many upgrades! Designer paint, carpet, appl. FL to ceiling window.  
**Camille Eder** \$788,000

## WOODSIDE

Large acreage flag-lot, pre-approved for one home site & offers an opport. to build.  
**Jim Massey** \$9,800,000  
 5BR/3.5BA. 1BR/1BA in-law unit. 2BR/1BA guest house. Lots of possibilities!  
**Tom Huff** \$7,300,000  
 Beautiful 3BR/2BA home in central Woodside on a large lot. Main home has brand new BA's, LR & DR.  
**Dana Cappiello** \$2,795,000  
 Beautiful 4 yr new home, 1BR/1BA + bonus rm ideal for office or wine cellar. High end appliances.  
**Tony Fregoso** \$1,295,000  
 Beautiful lot in central Woodside.  
**Dana Cappiello** \$899,000



**MENLO PARK** – Desirable 3BR/2.5BA town home in sought after Menlo Park complex. Dramatic vaulted ceiling in living room with wall of windows overlooking the rear patio and lovely common gardens. Close to shopping & downtown. Top MP schools.  
**Elizabeth Daschbach** \$1,249,000



**MENLO PARK** – Gorgeous tastefully remodeled light and bright 2BR/2BA condo with garage. Additional space could be made into office or gym. One level, looks out onto lawns, complex has a pool. Wonderful west Menlo Park location. Las Lomas Schools.  
**Suzanne Scott** \$787,500



**PALO ALTO** – This charming 3BR/1BA Sterling Gardens home is located on a desirable, tree lined street, near Midtown, w/great neighborhood schools. Possibilities abound for the entry level buyer, or for those looking for a remodeling opportunity, w/a lot that allows for expansion.  
**Leon Leong** \$975,000



**REDWOOD CITY** – Gracious 4BR/3.5BA open family style home. Home is light and bright. With bucolic gardens, pool and expansive decking this property unites all the best in Real Estate.  
**Nino Gaetano** \$2,295,000



**WOODSIDE** – This beautifully remodeled, 3BR/2BA home is situated on a lushly landscaped lot near downtown Woodside. The master suite has lrg closets & an updated BA. The sun-lit LR w/a wood-burning FP is warm & inviting. The sep DR is light & spacious w/easy access to the chef's kitchen.  
**Ken & Carol Reeves** \$1,999,000

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**DISPATCHES**  
*from the home front*



**Barbara Wood** holds Destiny Stewart, while working as a Red Cross volunteer at the Sugar Hill United Methodist Church in Texarkana, Arkansas, which served as a shelter for 54 residents of Port Arthur, Texas, displaced for 10 days by Hurricane Ike.

## Three weeks in Texas

**A**s I write, I am finishing my third week of volunteering in Texas for the Red Cross, helping those affected by Hurricane Ike. Tomorrow I fly home, bone tired but somewhat reluctant to depart because the job here is not yet done.

I have spent 21 days, most of them working 12 hours or more, helping people deal with the aftermath of a hurricane that left behind devastation that is hard to imagine without seeing it. On Sept. 12, I and five other Red Cross volunteers drove from Fort Worth to Texarkana, in the northeast corner of Texas bordering Arkansas. We assisted in a shelter run by the congregation of the Sugar Hill United Methodist Church, housing 54 evacuees, including 21 children, who had been bused from Port Arthur, Texas. Most were poor and black.

Texarkana and the surrounding county is designated as the evacuation site for the residents of Port Arthur, and more than 20 church-run shelters had been opened to house the evacuees, in cooperation with the local Red Cross chapter. It had been little more than a week since they had closed their Hurricane Gustav shelters.

I worked all night, watching the weather station with the more nervous residents as Ike made landfall. They worried about their homes and their possession and friends and family and pets left behind.

In the days that followed, the evacuees coped with being away from homes that might not still be there; and sleeping on cots in close quarters with people who snored, sniffled and walked in their sleep. I mediated night-time thermostat wars and was yelled at by a large, angry ex-convict when I tried to shush him at 2 a.m.

I was also hugged by children and grandmothers, had an evacuee spend three hours braiding my hair, and heard the life stories of dozens of people.

When the power came back on in Port Arthur and the shelter closed nine days later, the residents still knew little about the fate of their community. I wiped some tears and received some powerful hugs before they filed back on their buses.

After we cleaned the church, I volunteered to do feeding on Galveston Island on the Gulf of Mexico. This island was the site in 1900 of our country's deadliest disaster ever when at least 6,000 people were killed in a hurricane. This time, winds of up to 110 mph and flooding over most of the island left chaos behind. On Oct. 2, more than 50 residents were still missing.

I spent most of my time working for a Red Cross mobile kitchen. We took food cooked by the Southern Baptists, and with Salvation Army canteens and Red Cross Emergency Response Vehicles, drove throughout the island delivering hot meals, water, ice and other comforts to anyone who asked.

In its first nine days, the mobile kitchen delivered 304,000 meals. The Red Cross delivered its 2 millionth meal in the state of Texas during my stay.

I saw homes that had been washed across the street and pancaked on top of other homes; front-yard trash piles that included the entire contents of homes, plus their sheet-rock; and many, many tired, dirty people. We were paid in smiles, hugs and blessings. ■

*Barbara Wood is a resident of Woodside and volunteer for the Palo Alto Area Red Cross Chapter. Her column runs the third week of each month. To donate to the Red Cross go to: [American.redcross.org](http://American.redcross.org).*



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**Grin and bare it**

Young actor Tony Sinclair of Woodside, left, appeared with Jim Newman in the American Musical Theatre of San Jose's production of "The Full Monty," which ran through Sept. 28 at the San Jose Center for the Performing Arts. Tony, who recently had the role of "Chip" in Disney's Beauty and the Beast, played the supportive son of an unemployed steelworker who puts on a Chippendales-like male dance review with his buddies.



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**MILES FILES**

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ropes: the moment I was waiting for!

One of the events was climbing 65 feet up a tree and jumping off a diving board with a harness attached to your back. An instructor on the ground held a rope attached to the harness to prevent a fall.

But it was still scary to drop off a diving board 65 feet in the air, swing around, and then get lowered to the ground. I wanted to jump many more times, but the bus was leaving soon, so I could only jump once. I was very disappointed.

Our final event involved having to push all of our classmates over a wall, approximately 15 feet high. Some stood on one side of the wall pushing the classmate up the wall while others stood on the other side to pull the classmate over. The teamwork was impressive: All of us needed one another.

In the end, we were filthy, sweaty and exhausted, but went home with a sense of accomplishment. We had encouraged each other to do courageous feats, and we had made new friends. Not only did we complete a ropes course, we fended off raccoons — and became more collaborative in the process. ■



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MEETINGS, MUSIC, THEATER, FAMILY ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL EVENTS

## Submitting information to the Calendar

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## Benefits

### 11th Annual Holidays on a High Note

**Note** Family Service's Foothill Auxiliary announces its "Holidays on a High Note" home-entertaining benefit, featuring a presentation by floral designer Rene van Rems, holiday table settings and festive floral displays from local designers, a floral auction and a boutique marketplace. Mon., Oct. 20, 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m. \$95 including lunch. Menlo Circus Club, 190 Park Lane, Atherton. Call 650-322-3092. [www.familyserviceagency.org](http://www.familyserviceagency.org)

**Artful Harvest at Djerassi Program's Artists' Barn** Chef Mark Sullivan will prepare a five-course Harvest Supper, followed by a live performance by sound artist Pamela Z and poet Al Young, a silent auction of artworks and premium packages and a champagne sunset toast. Sun., Oct. 19, 3-7:30 p.m. \$225 per person; reserve online at [www.djerassi.org](http://www.djerassi.org) Djerassi Resident Artists Program, 2325 Bear Gulch Road, Woodside. Call 650-747-1250. [www.djerassi.org](http://www.djerassi.org)

## Special Events

**Dinner and book signing with Chef Jacques Pepin: More Fast Food My Way** Taking inspiration from around the world, "More Fast Food My Way" is the updated companion cookbook to Chef Pepin's new 26-part PBS series. Join The Commonwealth Club/Silicon Valley and Kepler's for a dining event with Pepin at Left Bank Brasserie. Mon., Oct. 20, 6 p.m. Couple: \$200; single: \$125. Cost includes meal and book. 635 Santa Cruz Ave., Menlo Park. Call 408-280-5842. [www.commonwealthclub.org/sv](http://www.commonwealthclub.org/sv)

**Fundraising dinner and auction** Gala for Village Enterprise Fund: Dinner, entertainment and a live auction of African treasures and experiences. Village Enterprise Fund alleviates poverty, providing seed capital grants, mentoring and training to start businesses in Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda. Sun., Oct. 19, 5:30-8:30 p.m. \$150. Sharon Heights Golf & Country Club, 2900 Sand Hill Road, Menlo Park. Call 650-802-8891. [www.VillageEnterpriseFund.com](http://www.VillageEnterpriseFund.com)

**Musical Lecture** The Left Bank/Rive Gauche Trio will entertain you with a "musical lecture" about the music they play and inspiration behind making it. Specializing in French cafe-style music of the 20s-40s, Spanish and Gypsy songs, and other favorites. Thu., Oct. 23, 2008, 7-8:30 p.m. Members free/ \$5 non-members. Museum of American Heritage, 351 Homer Ave., Palo Alto. Call 650-321-1004. [www.moah.org](http://www.moah.org)

**Pancake Breakfast** La Honda Volunteer Fire Brigade hosts its annual fundraiser pancake breakfast. Sun., Oct. 19, 8 a.m.-noon. Pancake Breakfast, 8945 La Honda Rd, La Honda. Call 650 747 0129.

## Community Events

**Contemporary Artists Respond to Darfur** Demetrie Broxton, Education Program Coordinator at the Museum of the African Diaspora, presents contemporary art of Sudan and Sudanese refugees. The slide-show

focuses on art that responds to the Darfur conflict and works that have been banned by the Sudanese government. Mon. Oct. 27, 2008, 7-8 p.m. Free. Atherton Library, 2 Dinkelspiel Station Lane, Atherton. [www.smcl.org](http://www.smcl.org)

**Kid's Day Festival** Carnival games/prizes, petting zoo, bounce house, dunk tank, story telling, crafts and food. Sat., Oct. 18, Noon-4 p.m. Free. Kid's Day Festival, 3154 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-1587. [www.woodsidesvillechurch.org](http://www.woodsidesvillechurch.org)

**Little House Asian Art Lecture** "The Silk Road: Globalization 1.0" presented in cooperation with the Docent Council Community Speakers Program, The Asian Art Museum of San Fran. Speaker: Kathleen Brauntsein, docent. This presentation demonstrates the effect of trade and migration had on both the Eastern and Western cultures. Thu., Oct. 16, 1:30-2:30 p.m. \$3 members/\$5 non-members. Little House Auditorium, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025, ext. 231. [www.peninsulavolunteers.org](http://www.peninsulavolunteers.org)

**Menlo Park Fine Arts and Crafts Fall Fest** This art-filled family event will give visitors the opportunity to browse and shop among the creations by more than 90 artists. Oct. 17-19, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Free. Downtown Menlo Park, Along Santa Cruz Avenue, Menlo Park. Call 650-325-2818. <http://www.menloparkchamber.com/>

**Open House - SRI Organon Toastmasters** Toastmasters Open House, public invited. Tue., Oct. 21, 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m. Free. SRI International, Building G, Laurel St., Menlo Park. Call 650-859-2236. [www.sriorganon.com](http://www.sriorganon.com)

**Sudanese Refugee Experience** Bay Area Sudanese refugees discuss their experiences in Sudan and the United States. Presented in cooperation with San Jose-based Hope with Sudan, which provides scholarships and mentors Sudanese "Lost Boys and Girls" in the San Francisco Bay Area. Wed., Oct. 15, 2008, 7-8 p.m. Free. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside. [www.smcl.org](http://www.smcl.org)

## On Stage

**"Radio Golf"** Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright August Wilson's final play in his cycle examining the African-American experience in 20th century America. Aldo Billingslea stars. Oct. 8-Nov. 2, Tue.-Wed. at 7:30 p.m., Thu.-Sat. at 8 p.m., Sun. at 2 p.m. \$21-64. TheatreWorks at the Mountain View Center for the Performing Arts, 500 Castro St., Mountain View. [theatreworks.org](http://theatreworks.org)

**"The Importance of Being Earnest"** Canada College drama students will perform Oscar Wilde's play. Oct. 16-26, 8-9:30 p.m. \$12 general admission; \$8 students/seniors. Canada College Flex Theater, 4200 Farm Hill Blvd., Redwood City. Call 650-306-3331. [www.canadacollege.edu](http://www.canadacollege.edu)

## Concerts

**Daniel Pearl Memorial Concert** "Music at Stanford" and the Stanford Office for Religious Life co-present "Harmony for Humanity" as part of the 7th annual Daniel Pearl World Music Days taking place around the world during the month of October. Stanford's Department of Music will

honor the life of slain journalist, Daniel Pearl. Thu., Oct. 16, 8 p.m. Free. Memorial Church, Stanford University, Stanford. Call 650-723-2720. [music.stanford.edu](http://music.stanford.edu)

**Music Box Gala** ALSJCC's Annual Classical Music Gala, "Music Box," featuring local musicians. The proceeds benefit the Magen David Adom Society in Israel. Sat., Oct. 18, 7 p.m. \$15 for members, \$18 for non-members. Cubberley Community Center, Auditorium, 4000 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. Call 650-852-3509. [www.paloaltojcc.org](http://www.paloaltojcc.org)

**Palo Alto Chamber Orchestra 43rd Season First Concert** A program of romantic and contemporary music. Features three great Russian works and PACO Concerto Competition Winner: PACO principal cellist Aki Toyoshima. Sat., Oct. 18, 8-10 p.m. \$15 adults, \$10 seniors, \$6 students. Dinkelspiel Auditorium, Stanford University, Stanford. Call 650-856-3848. <http://www.pacomusic.org>

## Exhibits

**"A Change Of Perspective"** An exhibition of work by Menlo Park fine-art photographer Nick Winkworth is on display through Oct. 26. Free. Cafe Zoe, 1929 Menalto Ave., Menlo Park.

**"Great Estates of the Peninsula"** The exhibit will feature furniture and other mansion memorabilia from the historical association's collection and from private collections. This exhibit will run until Nov. 9. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. \$4 adults, \$2 seniors/student. Free to members. San Mateo County History Museum, 2200 Broadway, Redwood City. Call 650-299-0104 ext. 24. [www.Historysmc.org](http://www.Historysmc.org)

**Music To One's Ears** New exhibit at the Museum of American Heritage, "Music to One's Ears: Musical Instruments in the home, band and orchestra." Explore the basic principles of music making, technology and technique over the ages, from the hollow log to the electronic harmony. Through Jan. 18, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Free. Museum of American Heritage, 351 Homer Ave., Palo Alto. Call 650-321-1004. [www.moah.org](http://www.moah.org)

## Art Galleries

**A Garden of Earthly Delights** Barbara von Haunalter has created a series of watercolor and acrylic paintings glorifying the edible fruits and vegetables that grow in her yard. Exhibit runs through Oct. 31. Portola Art Gallery, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park. [www.portolaartgallery.com](http://www.portolaartgallery.com)

**Menlo Art League Ju ried Show** Menlo Art League, 33rd Annual Juried Show, through Oct. 31. Noon-4 p.m. Free. Menlo Park Library, 800 Alma St., Menlo Park. Call 650-366-7343.

## Classes/ Workshops

**Electrostatics & Electromagnetism** Four-day workshop for ages 10 and up to learn about static electricity, magnetism and induction. Content explores the history of magnetism and the theories that underlie electric power and magnetic material physics. Each student builds and takes home an electro-magnetically charged flashlight. Oct. 19-Nov. 9, 1-3 p.m. \$55 members/ \$65 non-members. Museum of American Heritage, 351 Homer Ave., Palo Alto. Call 650-321-1004. [www.moah.org](http://www.moah.org)

**Justice and Educational Distribution Conference** This interdisciplinary conference will bring together social scientists and philosophers with interests in educational policy, specifically justice and educational distribution, in order to facilitate dialogue on matters of common concern. Fri., Oct. 17, 8:45 a.m.-6:15 p.m. Free. Stanford University, Frances C. Arrillaga Alumni Center, 326 Galvez St., Stanford. Call 650-723-0997. [ethicsinsociety.stanford.edu](http://ethicsinsociety.stanford.edu)

**Justice and Educational Distribution Conference** The second day of this two-day event, this interdisciplinary conference will bring together social scientists and philosophers with interests in educational policy, specifically justice and educational distribution, in order to facilitate dialogue on matters of common concern. Sat., Oct. 18, 9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Free. Stanford University, Frances C. Arrillaga Alumni Center, 326 Galvez St., Stanford. Call 650-723-0997. [ethicsinsociety.stanford.edu](http://ethicsinsociety.stanford.edu)

**Seed Propagation** This class will explain



## Apples of her eye

Betty Dennis' eye for apples didn't fail her when she took up her paintbrush to create this watercolor, "Simply Delicious." The painting was awarded Best in Show at the Menlo Art League's 33rd annual juried show, and is part of the League's exhibit at the Menlo Park Library, at 800 Alma St., through Oct. 31. Other prizewinners include Joanne Baciocco, first in oil; Anne Oseberg, first in watercolor; and Marge Shatsky, first in mixed media. The juror was George Rivera, executive director and senior curator of the Triton Museum in San Jose.

the advantage of using flats and your own soil, transplanting, pricking out seedlings from flats. Sat., Oct. 18, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. \$27. Common Ground Organic Garden Supply & Education Center, 559 College Ave., Palo Alto. Call 650-493-6072. [www.commongroundinpaloalto.org](http://www.commongroundinpaloalto.org)

**Workshop with Rene van Rems** Learn floral design tips from the master of Euro style, Rene van Rems, in an intimate group setting

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## Mask-making

A first-grader created this interpretation of a Sudanese mask with the help of Art in Action volunteers. This month, Art in Action is holding mask-making projects for children at local libraries, including the Woodside and Atherton branches. To sign up for Atherton's event at 4 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 20, call 328-2422. For Woodside, at 4 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 27, call 851-0147.

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and create two take-home arrangements. Attendees should bring their own shears and dress casually. Proceeds benefit Family Service. Includes lunch. Tue. Oct. 21, 2008, 9 a.m.-noon \$160. Menlo Circus Club, 190 Park Lane, Atherton. Call info@fssm.org. www.familyserviceagency.org

## Environment

### Green@Home Volunteers Wanted!

Green@Home is recruiting volunteers in Palo Alto, Redwood City, and Menlo Park to meet with residents in their homes to install simple energy-saving devices and perform a free basic energy-saving audit. Must complete two-part training by Acterra on Oct. 16 and 30. Sign-up required for training. 6:15-9:45 p.m. Free. Acterra, 3921 E. Bayshore Road, Palo Alto. Call 650-962-9876 ext. 350. www.acterra.org

## Family and Kids

**African Village Celebration at the Menlo Park Library** African drummer Onye Onyemaechi of Village Rhythms takes participants on a tour of African drumming, including the drumming culture of Southern Sudan. Includes group dances and songs. Mon., Oct. 20, 7 p.m. Free. Menlo Park Public Library, 800 Alma St., Menlo Park. Call 650-330-2530. www.menloparklibrary.org

**Bell System Music Group** The Bell System, a music performance group for children in grades 3-8, teaches the basics of music and bell technique. The group participates in community outreach concerts at nearby senior centers and on Santa Cruz Avenue, as well as in annual Christmas and Spring concerts. Thursdays, ongoing. 3:45-5 p.m. Free. Menlo Park Pres., 950 Santa Cruz Ave., Menlo Park. mppcc.org

**Chief Harold - Menlo Park Library** Chief Harold Schapelhouman of the Menlo Park Fire

District reads stories and tells about his rescue missions. Kids can explore Old Tom, the vintage fire truck. Sat., Oct. 18, 9-11 a.m. Free. Menlo Park Library, 800 Alma St., Menlo Park. Call 650-324-1084. www.foundationmpl.org

**Insect Discovery Lab at the Menlo Park Library** Experience hands-on learning about invertebrates and their natural habitats. African bugs, including a giant African millipede and a Madagascar hissing cockroach, will be featured guests. Sat., Oct. 18, noon. Free. Menlo Park Public Library, 800 Alma St., Menlo Park. Call 650-330-2530. www.menloparklibrary.org

**Mask Making with Art in Action** Artists from the Bay Area cooperative Art in Action will lead children in a colorful, mask-making project. For children ages 7 and up. Mon., Oct. 27, 2008, 4-5 p.m. Free. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-0147. www.smcl.org

**Musical Storytime at Atherton Library** Stories and sing-a-longs for all

ages. 2nd and 4th Wednesdays in October and November. 4-4:30 p.m. Free. Atherton Library, 2 Dinkelspiel Station Lane, Atherton. Call 650-328-2422. www.smcl.org

**Preschool Storytime** Picture book read aloud for ages 3 to 6. Tuesdays through Dec. 9, 2008, 3:30-4 p.m. Free. Atherton Library, 2 Dinkelspiel Station Lane, Atherton. Call 650-328-2422. www.smcl.org

**Story Time with Mem Fox** Sun., Oct. 19, 11:30 a.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

**Toddler Storytime** Stories, songs and flannel boards for ages 18 to 36 months. Tuesdays through Dec. 9, 2008, 10:30-11 a.m. Free. Atherton Library, 2 Dinkelspiel Station Lane, Atherton. Call 650-328-2422. www.smcl.org

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328-2422. www.smcl.org

**Woodside Library Baby Musical Storytime** Rhymes, songs and lap-sit activities for parents and infants. For ages newborn to 24 months old. Wednesdays, Oct. 1 to 29, 2008, 10-10:30 a.m. Free. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-0147. www.smcl.org

**Woodside Library Toddler Musical Storytime** Finger plays, stories, songs and fun. For ages 18 months to 3 years old. Wednesdays, Oct. 1 to 29, 2008, 11-11:30 a.m. Free. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-0147. www.smcl.org

## Health

### Class for people with Parkinson's

Three pilot classes in "movement to music for people with Parkinson's disease". Enjoy exercise, recreation & socializing. All ability levels. Call APDA Information, 866-250-2414 to register ASAP. Sign up for classes, or come and observe. Saturdays through Nov. 1, 10-11:15 a.m. Free. Little House, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025. Peninsula Volunteers Inc

**Parkinson Disease Dance Class** Little House and the American Parkinson Disease Assoc. Information and Referral Center at Stanford present three pilot classes in movement to music designed for persons with Parkinson disease. Emphasis is on enjoyment of music, recreation and socializing. Call 866-250-2414 ASAP for registration. Saturdays, through Nov. 1, 12:30-1:45 p.m. Free. The Auditorium at Little House, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025. www.pensinulavolunteers.org

## Talks/Authors

**Christopher Kimball's "Cook's Country Cookbook"** Christopher Kimball, publisher and editor of Cook's Illustrated and Cook's Country Magazine and host of America's Test Kitchen. Thu., Oct. 16, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

**Goat Cheese Cookbook Presentation & Tasting** Maggie Foard, author of a cookbook of gourmet recipes using goat cheese, will speak of her inspiration for the cookbook and participants will taste several of the recipes. Reservations required. Sat., Oct. 18, noon-1:30 p.m. \$15. Yerba Buena Nursery, 19500 Skyline Blvd., Woodside. Call 650-851-1668. http://www.yerbabuenanursery.com/Direct.php

**Evening with Mem Fox** Literacy expert Mem Fox will talk about the emotional and intellectual impact reading aloud to children has on their ability to learn to read. Mon. Oct. 20, 7:30 p.m. \$15, book included, \$10, event only. Spangenberg Theater, 780 Arastradero Road, Palo Alto. Call 650-949-3390. www.lindentreebooks.com

**Randall Stross's "Planet Google"** Stross writes the NY Times column "Digital Domain" and is professor of business at San Jose State. Wed., Oct. 15, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

**Sarah Vowell's "The Wordy Shipmates"** An examination of the Puritans, their covenant communities, their deep-rooted idealism, their political and cultural relevance in today's world, and their myriad oddities. Fri., Oct. 17, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

**SF Opera Previews** The October previews of the SF Opera presentations are: Oct. 21, "L'Elisir d'amore." Presented by South Peninsula Opera Guild and Little House. 7:30-9 p.m. \$8 members, \$10 non-members. PV Inc Little House, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025. Peninsula Volunteers Inc

**Stanford Senior Researcher Keith Devlin discusses "The Unfinished Game: Pascal, Fermat, and the Seventeenth-Century Letter that Made the World Modern"** Tue., Oct. 21, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

### FOR ALL LISTINGS:

This Calendar contains partial listings of community events. To see all listings, go to TheAlmanacOnline.com and on the green navigation bar on the left, click on "Community Calendar."

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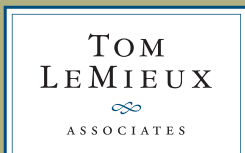
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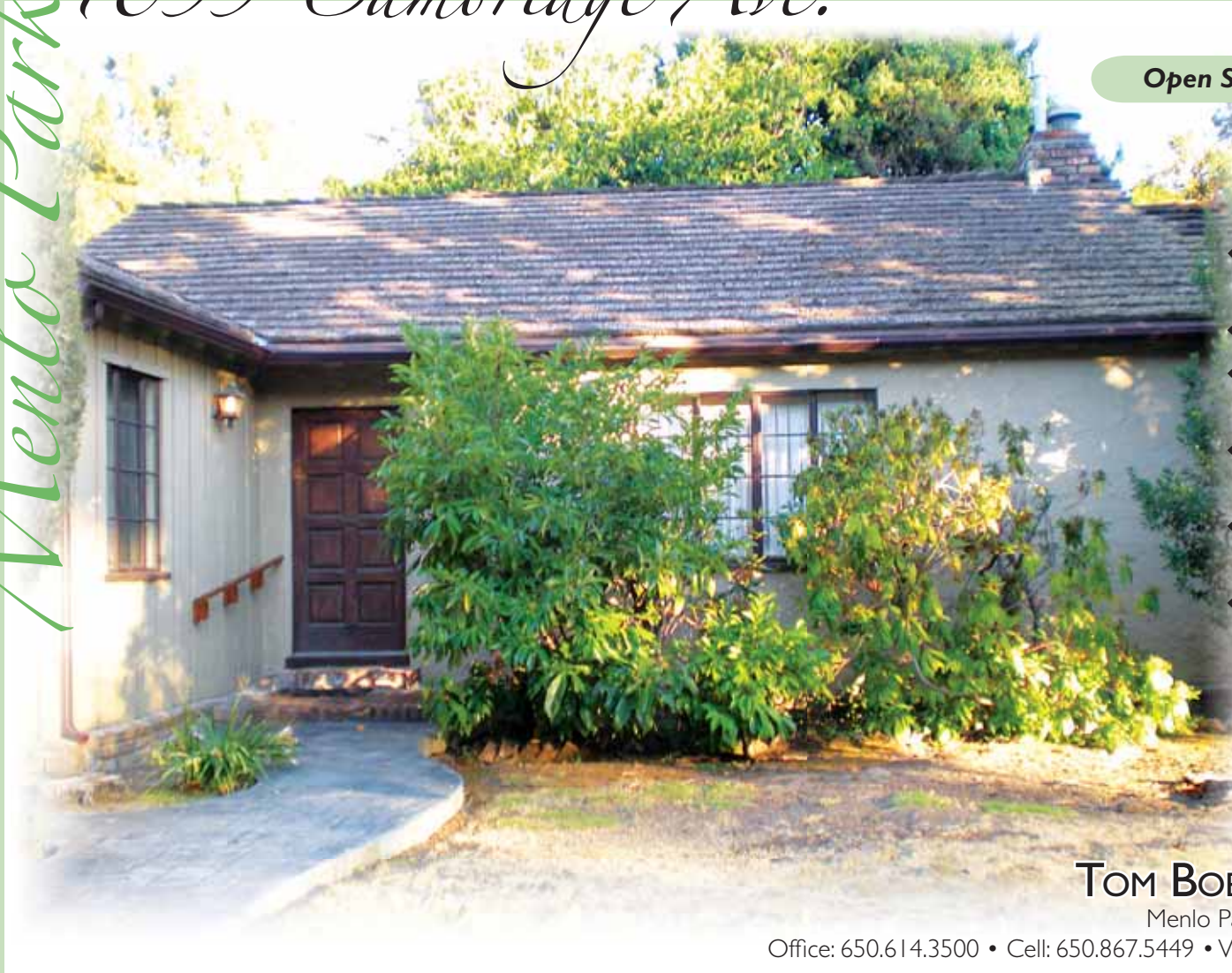
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2 BR 2 BA Hardwood Flrs, Spacious Living Rm, Formal D/R, Sky-lit Kitchen w/Breakfast Nook Opening To Deck. Master Ste Overlooks Back Gardens. Las Lomas Schls  
**Tom LeMieux** 650.323.7751

**CHARMING GOLF COURSE UNIT** \$1,230,000  
3 BR 2.5 BA Charming, updated, golf course unit with expansive views from custom designed deck w/built-in seating. Great for entertaining! Inside laundry.  
**Deanna Tarr** 650.324.4456

**YOUR CORNER OF THE WORLD** \$1,175,000  
3 BR 2.5 BA Extra large lr & sep dr all new kit w/granite cntns. Stain steel app extra deep sink, extra lg dbl oven. Lots of lite. Dramatic entry. Looks like SFR.  
**Deanna Tarr** 650.324.4456

**NEW LIST IN THE WILLOWS!** \$1,050,000  
5 BR 2 BA New listing in the Willows! Lovingly and beautifully maintained by 51 year owner! Five bedrooms and two baths. Best value in for 2008!  
**Steve Bellumori** 650.324.4456

**CHARMING HM ON 7800+ LOT** \$1,029,000  
2 BR 1 BA Elegant Living Room, Dining Room, Updated Kitchen, Hardwood Floors Throughout, Lovely-Landscaped Backyard - Award Winning Menlo Park Schools.  
**Keri Nicholas** 650.323.7751

**CLOSE TO DOWNTOWN MP** \$998,000  
3 BR 1 BA Great opportunity to build, walking distance to Dwn MP. Approx. 9100 sf, R-3 level lot. Plans available. Tentative map in process.  
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**STUNNING MENLO PARK HOME!** \$990,000  
3 BR 2 BA This beautifully updated home is bright & airy with designer paint colors, recessed lighting throughout. HWY floors, SS appliances, dual pane windows  
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**PINE COURT** \$875,000 - 975,000  
2 BR 1.5 BA Newly converted Condominium in Central Menlo Park. 2 story unit w/ 1 car garage & fenced yard.  
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**STUNNING TOWNHOME!** \$859,000  
3 BR 2.5 BA This Elegant 3BR/2.5BA Hm Is Perfect For The Calif Lifestyle. It Has A Elegant LR, Sep. DR & FR Adj To KIT! The Inviting Deck Overlooks The Swim Pool.  
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**MENLO PARK FIXER** \$625,000  
3 BR 1 BA Great opportunity to remodel Menlo Home. Willows location. 5000 sq ft lot 1000 sq ft house. Excellent Menlo Schools.  
**Alan & Nicki Loveless** 650.325.6161

**LG END UNIT-MENLO COMMONS** \$539,000  
2 BR 2 BA 2BR 2BA Condo at Menlo Commons Grd Flr walk to rec nm Pool/Spa close to Stanford/Transportation/Shops 55+  
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**MENLO PARK**

**2B END UNIT MENLO COMMONS** \$495,000  
2 BR 2 BA 2BR 2BA Sunny corner tree view complex incl pool/spa rec rm exercise room planned activities close to Stanford/shops/transportation 55+  
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**PORTOLA VALLEY**

**FABULOUS NEW CONSTRUCTION** \$7,950,000  
5 BR 4 BA Stunning new contemporary home offers magnificent mountain and valley views. To be completed by Fall 2008.  
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**PRIVATE COUNTRY SETTING** \$4,390,000  
6 BR 5 BA + 2 half baths. Unique contemporary lodge on approx 1.4 acres. Chef's kitchen, great room w/dramatic ceiling, skylights & fp. Pool, hot tub & stable.  
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**BEAUTIFULLY REMODELED** \$3,949,000  
4 BR 3 BA Spectacular Westridge property on over 3 ac with views of the southern hills. 1-story home w/grmt kit, lg mstr ste, sep FR. Prof. landscaped garden.  
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**RESORT-LIKE SETTING!** \$3,195,000  
2 BR 2.5 BA Special one-of-a-kind property w/remodeled contemporary on almost 5 acs w/large flat areas, sunny pool & gardens. Adjacent to trails.  
**Celeste Henzel** 650.851.1961

**UNIQUE CONTEMPORARY** \$2,995,000  
4 BR 3.5 BA Exquisite home in tranquil creekside setting, approx 1/3 acre w/stunning gardens. Open and inviting design accommodates formal and relaxed living.  
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**MAGNIFICENT VIEWS!!!!** \$2,095,000  
4 BR 2 full BA + 2 half This gracious home blends classic Mediterranean design with stunning views & scenic privacy on approx. 1-acre with sparkling pool, spa and more.  
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**BREATHTAKING SETTING!** \$1,995,000  
4 BR 2.5 BA Dramatic contemporary home with soaring ceilings and VIEWS. Light-filled kitchen, family room, extra storage area. PV Ranch pools, tennis & hiking.  
**Eloise Pollock** 650.323.7751

**IMPECCABLE PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP!** \$1,559,000  
3 BR 2 BA Impeccable pride of ownership w/views toward Stanford Hills on cul-de-sac setting! Updated kitchen, high ceilings in LR/DR, sep fam rm. Los Lomas Schools.  
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**RUSTIC CHARM** \$975,000  
2 BR 2 BA On approx .5 ac. Remod'd kit, baths, new carpet & paint surrounded by lovely flagstone path, patio & nature. Possible Seller Financing.  
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**SAN MATEO**

**TOP FLOOR DELIGHT** \$465,000  
2 BR 1 BA Beautifully upgraded top floor condo in The Gardens. This home features black granite kitchen counters & stainless appliances. Washer/dryer  
**Janie & John Barman** 650.325.6161

**REMODELED TOP FLOOR CONDO** \$425,000  
1 BR 1 BA Remod. unit-Immaculate cond. Newer kit w/ granite counters. Spacious rooms. Walk-in closet. F/P in Liv rm. Complex has 2 pools/ sauna.  
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**LOS ALTOS**

**A GEM IN NORTH LOS ALTOS!** \$4,400,000  
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**NEW OASIS** \$12,950,000  
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**GRAND HOME** \$5,995,000  
4 BR 4 BA Built just 4 yrs ago as a trad. English cntry manor, & positioned in an area of other estates all with the backdrop of Rancho San Antonio open space.  
**Chris Taelmans** 650.851.2666

**PALO ALTO**

**NEW CONSTRUCTION** \$4,995,000  
5 BR 4 BA Approx 4,700 SF of living space spread over 3 levels. Approx 8,079 SF lot in Leland Manor neighborhood. Top quality materials used throughout the hm.  
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**2 HOMES ON 1 LOT** \$3,995,000  
2 BR 2.5 BA Stunning 2br,2.5ba contemporary w/Great rm, stylish kit, study & office by Peterson Architects, & classic bungalow w/3br,2.5ba & lovely period details.  
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**UNEXPECTED ELEGANCE** \$2,795,000  
4 BR 3.5 BA Handsome 1-level home combines excellent new construction, remodeling & "green" considerations w/ the charm of yesteryear. Near Stanford, downtown.  
**Sarah Elder** 650.324.4456

**PA 3200+HM ON 9500+LOT** \$2,245,000  
5 BR 3.5 BA 3200+sq ft, 5BD, 8 yr old hm on 9500+sq ft lot! Large by Palo Alto standards! Walk to Gunn High. Surprising neighborhood w/destination traffic only.  
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**BEAUTIFUL DOWNTOWN PA HM** \$2,195,000  
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**STATELY PRIME MIDTOWN HM** \$1,749,000  
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**SHARP DOWNTOWN CONDO!** \$799,800  
2 BR 2 BA Handsome, updated downtown condo. Remodeled kit w/breakfast area, LR w/FP & built-ins. Convenient location!  
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**SEMI URBAN RETREAT** \$789,000  
2 BR 1 BA Spacious home overlooking Johnson Pk. Remodeled to meticulous perfection. A stone's throw to downtown's trendiest shops, restaurants and rendez-vous.  
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**REDWOOD CITY**

**STUNNING REMODELED HOME** \$1,195,000  
3 BR 2 BA Elegant LR, gourmet kit w/top of the line appliances, lovely dining area, exquisite mstr BR suite, deck off LR w/views! Award-winning Roy Cloud School  
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**MT CARMEL 14,000+ SF LOT** \$1,060,000  
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**REDWOOD CITY**

**GREAT CURB APPEAL!** \$819,000  
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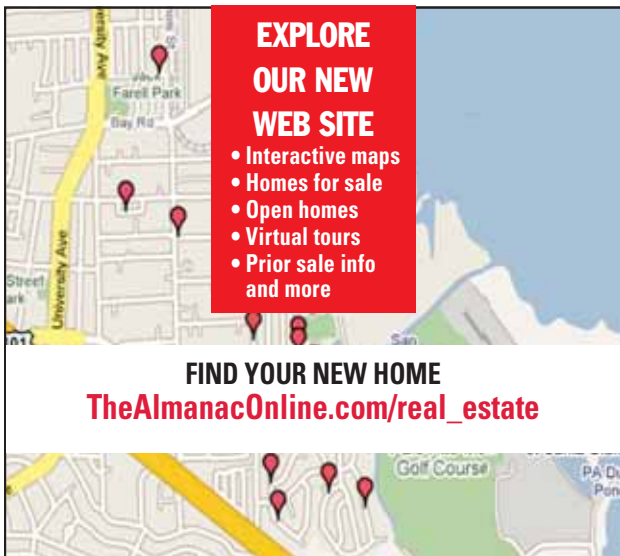
**GORGEOUS TOWNHOME!** \$698,000  
3 BR 2.5 BA Spacious, exquisitely updated. Gorgeous kitchen w/ granite, stainless appliances. Grand master suite. LR/DR open to patio. Inside laundry. 2-car gar.  
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**GREAT HOME W. IN-LAW UNIT** \$595,000  
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**VINTAGE 2/1 COTTAGE** \$949,000  
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File No. 229080  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Nordoon Real Estate; Nordoon Realty, 199 California Dr., #200, Millbrae, CA 94030: BIX Equity Management, Inc., California This business is being conducted by a Corporation. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on September 8, 2008. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 9/9/08. (Almanac 9/24, 10/1, 8, 15, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 228926  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Intramuros, 2019 Ray Dr., Burlingame, CA 94010: Mark De Leon, 2019 Ray Dr., Burlingame, CA 94010 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 8/28/08. (Almanac 9/24, 10/1, 8, 15, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229092  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Topos Art, 901 Fremont Pl., #4, Menlo Park, CA 94025: John Clark, 901 Fremont Pl., #4, Menlo Park, CA 94025 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 9/10/08. (Almanac Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229370

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Mengel Construction, 2018 Brewster Ave., Redwood City, CA 94062: James C. mengel, 2018 Brewster Ave., Redwood City, CA 94062; Gregory L. Mengel, 2018 Brewster Ave., Redwood City, CA 94062 This business is being conducted by a General Partnership. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A.. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 9/29/08. (Almanac October 8, 15, 22, 29, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229276  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Heartwear, 468 Upland Road, Redwood City, CA 94062: Darlene Heidi Romano Archdeacon, 468 Upland Road, Redwood City, CA 94062 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 9/23/08. (Almanac Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229188  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Taylor Construction, 124 Jasmine Way, East Palo Alto, CA 94303. Ron Apache Taylor, 124 Jasmine Way, East Palo Alto, CA 94303 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 9/17/08. (Almanac Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229199  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Carol Ratto Massage Therapy, 1200 Industrial Rd., Ste.

1, San Carlos, CA 94070: Carol Marie Ratto, 1126 Persia Ave., San Francisco, CA 94112 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 9/18/08. (Almanac Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229239  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Kicks, 1060 Evelyn St., Menlo Park, CA 94025: Calla Designs, Inc., PO Box 1118, Menlo Park, CA 94026 This business is being conducted by a Corporation. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 9/22/08. (Almanac Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229368  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Remedy Spa by Snjezana, 846 Oak Grove Ave., Menlo Park, CA 94025: Snjezana Maric, 4054 Bell Terrace, Fremont, CA 94536 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 9/29/08. (Almanac Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229357  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Pure Beauty Atelier, 1166 El Camino Real, Menlo Park, CA 94025: Agnieszka Sinanovic, 3675 Rocky Creek Court, San Jose, CA 95148. This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business

name(s) listed herein on September 16, 2008. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 9/26/08. (Almanac Oct. 15, 22, 29, Nov. 5, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229394  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Sitt, 218 Swett Road, Woodside, CA 94062: Katie Mae Hart, 218 Swett Road, Woodside, CA 94062 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on September 20, 2008. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 10/1/08. (Almanac Oct. 15, 22, 29, Nov. 5, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229436  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Christina's Home Care Services, 2168 Carlmont Dr., #5, Belmont, CA 94002: Agnes A. Wonpat, 2168 Carlmont Dr., #5, Belmont, CA 94002 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 10/2/08. (Almanac Oct. 15, 22, 29, Nov. 5, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 226808  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Tammy's Jewelry, 2315 El Camino Real, Suite A, Redwood City, CA 94063: Alida Ocon, 7890 Hazenut Dr., Newark, CA 94560 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 4/28/08. (Almanac Oct. 15, 22, 29, Nov. 5, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 229484  
The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, 1) Maui By Design; 2) Memories of Paradise, 1555 Altschul Ave., Menlo Park, CA 94025: Patch

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE** Title Order No.: 30143149 Trustee Sale No.: 52462 Loan No.: 9041020983 APN: 055-372-060-8 You are in Default under a Deed of Trust dated 09/16/2004. Unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceedings against you, you should contact a lawyer. On 10/21/2008 at 12:30 P.M., DSL Service Company as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 9/28/04 as Instrument #2004-193701 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of San Mateo County, California, executed by: Roberto L. Medina, a married man as his sole and separate property, as Trustor. Downey Savings and Loan Association, F.A., as Beneficiary. WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States), by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At the Marshall Street entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California

describing the land therein: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1320 Windermere Avenue, Menlo Park, California 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, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: \$479,207.67 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. The mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent for the mortgagee or authorized agent, pursuant to California Civil Code 2923.5(c), that the mortgagee, beneficiary or the mortgagee's or beneficiary's authorized agent contacted the borrower or, pursuant to California Civil Code 2923.5(c), made efforts to contact the borrower, to assess the borrower's financial situation and to explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure. Date: 9/23/08 For: DSL Service Company, as Trustee By: FCI Lender Services, Inc., as Agent 8180 East Kaiser Blvd., Anaheim Hills, CA 92808 Phone: (714) 282-2424 Sale Information: (714) 282-2430 Vivian Prieto, Vice President FCI Lender Services, Inc. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. (RSVP# 127192(10/01/08, 10/08/08, 10/15/08) (Published in the Almanac 10/1, 8, 15, 2008)

Trustee Sale No.: 20080134008881 Title Order No.: 1161318 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 1/23/2006. 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. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 02/01/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-015332 of official

records in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, State of California. Executed By: Yessica Zamora, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 10/28/2008 Time of Sale: 12:30 PM Place of Sale: At the Marshall St. entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1155 CYPRESS STREET, EAST PALO ALTO, CA 94303 APN#: 063-383-340-5 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 obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$548,516.58. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 [www.priorityposting.com](http://www.priorityposting.com) NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 10/4/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P469605 10/8, 10/15, 10/22/2008 (Published in the Almanac 10/8, 15, 22, 2008)

Trustee Sale No. 1430 Loan No. 1430 Title Order No. 3781581 APN 072-180-070 and 072-180-080 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 04/01/2005. 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 PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 10/28/2008 at 12:30PM, Pacific Oak Foreclosure Services as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursu-

ant to Deed of Trust RECORDED ON 4/6/05 AS DOCUMENT NO. 2005-054539 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of San Mateo County, California, executed by: Napoleon Davis, Trustee of the Jonathan Carroll and Gina Carroll 1995 Family Trust, as Trustor, North American Life Insurance Company of Texas, as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States), by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: 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, California describing the land therein: Parcel 1: Beginning at a point in the center line of State Highway, formerly a County road, designated as Route 6 Division 2 of the San Mateo County Road System, said Point of Beginning being distant Southeastery along said center line, South 40 degrees 10' East, 370.00 feet from Engineer's Station 300 plus 96.81 of the County Engineer's Survey of said Route 6 Division 2, said station being marked on the ground by concrete monuments set opposite as shown on that certain Record of Survey Map filed in Book 1 of record of Survey Maps, at Page 102, records of San Mateo County; Thence from said point of Beginning, leaving the center line of said Highway, South 6A°, 01' East 190.72 feet; Thence South 25A° 00', East, 77.00 feet, thence South 14A° 15' West, 100.00 feet; Thence South 35A° 43' East, 225.00 feet; Thence North 70A° 51' East, 15.00 feet; Thence South 19A° 09' East, 110.45 feet; Thence South 10A° 52' 30' East, 91.76 feet; Thence South 37° East, 102.66 feet; and South 6A° 50' East 15.75 feet. Parcel "A" - A strip of land, 30 feet in width, lying 15 feet on either side of the following described center line: Beginning at a point in the center line of a State Highway, formerly a County road, designated as Route 6 Division 2 of the San Mateo County Road System, said Point of Beginning being distant Southeastery along said center line, South 40A° 10' East, 370.00 feet from Engineer's Station 300 plus 96.81 of the County Engineer's Survey of said Route 6 Division 2, said station being marked on the ground by concrete monuments set opposite as shown on that certain Record of Survey Map filed in Book 1 of Record of Survey Maps, at Page 102, Records of San Mateo County; Thence from said Point of Beginning, South 25A° 49' 20" East, 275.82 feet; Thence South 0A° 06' West 131.71 feet; Thence South 19A° 09' East, 163.18 feet to a point in the Southeastery line of the hereinabove described 4.46 acre Parcel, said point being defined as the Easterly terminus of the course described as "North 70A° 51' East, 15.00 feet" in the description of said 4.46 acre Parcel, South 19A° 09' East, 110.45 feet, South 10A° 52' 30' East, 91.76 feet; South 20A° 37' East, 112.69 feet; and South 6A° 50' West, 15.75 feet to a point which bears South 23A° 48' East, 23.58 feet from an iron pipe monument; Thence South 23A° 48' East 104.42 feet to nail set in the roof of an oak tree, 30 inches in diameter; Thence South 62A° 45' East 188.16 feet to an iron pipe monument; Thence North 45A° 22' East, 261 feet, more or less, to the center line of the hereinabove mentioned State Highway; Thence Northwestery along said center line, 1075 feet more or less, to the Point of Beginning. Excepting therefrom, any and all portions of the hereinabove described Parcel that lie within the limits of said State Highway. Parcel 2: Beginning at a point in the centerline of a State Highway, formerly a County road, designated as Route 6 Division 2 of the San Mateo County Road System, said Point of Beginning being distant Southeastery along said centerline, South 40A° 10' East, 370.00 feet from Engineer's Station 299 plus 96.81 of the County Engineer's Survey of said Route 6 Division 2, said station being marked on the ground by concrete monuments set opposite as shown on that certain Record of Survey Map filed in Book 1 of record of Survey Maps, at Page 102, records of San Mateo County; Thence from said Point of

Beginning, leaving the centerline of said Highway and following the Westerly line of that certain 4.46 acre Parcel of land described in Deed from Peter Folger to Robert E. Christ and Marie E. Christ, his wife, dated September 28, 1953 and recorded October 28, 1953, in Volume 249L of Official Records of San Mateo County, at Page 665, South 06A° 01' East 190.72 feet; South 25A°, 00' East, 77.00 feet; and South 14A° 15' West 100.00 feet to the True Point of Beginning of this description; Thence from said True Point of Beginning, along said Westerly line of said 4.46 acre Parcel, South 35A° 43' East 225.00 feet; Thence leaving said Westerly line, South 54A° 06' 10" West, 70.50 feet, thence North 18A° 20' 10" West, 236.00 feet to the Point or Place of Beginning. Parcel 3: Together with an easement for roadway purposes over a portion of that certain strip of land, 30 feet in width, hereinafter described as Parcel "A", said portion being 15 feet in width and lying Southwestery of and immediately adjacent to that portion of the center line of said Parcel "A" described as follows: Beginning at a point in the center line of Parcel "A", said Point of Beginning being distant Southeastery along said center line, 570.71 feet from the Point of Beginning of said Parcel "A"; Thence along said centerline, South 19A° 09' East, 110.45 feet; South 10A° 52' 30' East, 91.76 feet; South 20A° 37' East, 102.66 feet; and South 6A° 50' East 15.75 feet. Parcel "A" - A strip of land, 30 feet in width, lying 15 feet on either side of the following described center line: Beginning at a point in the center line of a State Highway, formerly a County road, designated as Route 6 Division 2 of the San Mateo County Road System, said Point of Beginning being distant Southeastery along said center line, South 40A° 10' East, 370.00 feet from Engineer's Station 300 plus 96.81 of the County Engineer's Survey of said Route 6 Division 2, said station being marked on the ground by concrete monuments set opposite as shown on that certain Record of Survey Map filed in Book 1 of Record of Survey Maps, at Page 102, Records of San Mateo County; Thence from said Point of Beginning, South 25A° 49' 20" East, 275.82 feet; Thence South 0A° 06' West 131.71 feet; Thence South 19A° 09' East, 163.18 feet to a point in the Southeastery line of the hereinabove described 4.46 acre Parcel, said point being defined as the Easterly terminus of the course described as "North 70A° 51' East, 15.00 feet" in the description of said 4.46 acre Parcel, South 19A° 09' East, 110.45 feet, South 10A° 52' 30' East, 91.76 feet; South 20A° 37' East, 112.69 feet; and South 6A° 50' West, 15.75 feet to a point which bears South 23A° 48' East, 23.58 feet from an iron pipe monument. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3860 Woodside Road, Woodside, CA 94062. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured

by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: \$3,899,835.58 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. DATE: 9/30/2008 Pacific Oak Foreclosure Services 711 Tank Farm Road, Suite 100 San Luis Obispo, CA 93401 (805) 544-9242 Dawn M. Smith, Foreclosure Specialist P476350 10/8, 10/15, 10/22/2008 (Published in the Almanac 10/8, 15, 22, 2008)

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE SCHRÖDER FAMILY TRUST DATED December 3, 2001 (CASE #118166)**

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA OF SAN MATEO IN RE THE Schroeder Family Trust, DATED December 3, 2001 OF Arthur H. Schroeder, decedent. NO. 118166 Notice is hereby given to the creditors and contingent creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the decedent are required to file them with the Superior Court at 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA 94063, and mail or deliver a copy to Adrienne A. Schroeder, Trustee of the trust dated December 3, 2001, wherein the decedent was the settlor, in care of the offices of the attorney for Adrienne A. Schroeder, Trustee, Bryn Roe Ostby, Attorney at Law, 1015 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto, CA 94301, within the later of four months after October 15, 2008 (date of first publication of this notice to creditors) or if notice is mailed or personally delivered to you, 60 days after the date this notice is mailed or personally delivered to you. A claim form may be obtained from the court clerk. For your protection, you are encouraged to file your claim by certified mail, with return receipt requested. (s) Bryn Roe Ostby, Attorney for Adrienne A. Schroeder, Trustee, 1015 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto, CA 94301. (Almanac 10/15, 22, 29, 2008)

**CITATION TO APPEAR**

Superior Court of California County of San Mateo In the matter of the Petition of RICHARD & VICTORIA FITTING on Behalf of Luke & Paul Folawn, minors. No. A15288 / A15289. Citation to Appear. The People of the State of California. To Tina Folawn: By order of this court you are hereby cited to appear before the judge presiding in Department 23 of this court on Nov. 18, 2008, at 9:00am then and there to show cause, if any you have, why the request of Richard and Victoria Fitting for the adoption of Luke and Paul Folawn, your minor children, should not be granted. The address of the above court is: Superior Court of California, County of San Mateo, Juvenile Division, 222 Paul Scannell Drive, San Mateo, CA 94402. /s/ John C. Fitton, Clerk. (Published in the Almanac 10/15, 22, 29, 11/5, 2008)

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