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How local people and organizations are conserving resources and reducing greenhouse gases



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## GREEN AT HOME

A NONPROFIT GROUP IS TRYING TO SLOW THE WARMING OF THE PLANET, ONE HOME AT A TIME.

By Sean Howell  
Almanac Staff Writer

Davena Gentry's toolbox is probably a little different from yours.

It has all the old standbys, sure: tape measure, Allen wrench, ratchet, screwdriver, electric tape.

But it also contains oddities like insulating foam, faucet aerators, thermometers, and watt readers.

Some handymen might scratch their heads at a box filled with such instruments. But Ms. Gentry is not your typical handyman. She's moonlighting, actually, volunteering a couple hours of her time to help with a home energy audit sponsored by Acterra, a Palo Alto-based environmental nonprofit. Free to residents of

participating cities, the program aims to help homeowners and renters to lower their energy bills, and their so-called carbon footprint.

"Most people believe global warming is happening, but don't know what to do next," said Twana Karney, program director for Acterra's "Green@Home" effort. "We're giving them positive solutions for action."

Today, Ms. Gentry and Joel Davidson, a fellow volunteer, are scouring a house on Oak Court in the Willows neighborhood of Menlo Park. Cindi Hunter, who's renting the house with her husband, stands by with her two small children, Henry (an infant) and Jack (3 years old), as the two volunteers get to work. The visit will last

Cindi Hunter, holding son Henry, helps Acterra volunteer Davena Gentry install a retractable clothesline in Ms. Hunter's backyard.

two and a half hours; the volunteers are on a strict schedule, planned in five-minute intervals. Ten minutes in, Ms. Gentry is measuring the flow of water from several faucets throughout the house, while Mr. Davidson climbs a ladder to check for insulation in the attic.

Everyone involved acknowledges that, in the scope of global climate change, this visit isn't going to have much of an impact. Rather, the goal is to get people thinking about climate change, altering their habits and spreading the word, according to Ms. Karney.

### SPREADING AWARENESS

Acterra representatives decided to devote their time and resources to residential energy use because they believe there's a demand for the service, and because it's an easy way to spread the gospel, Ms. Karney said. The program will affect residents' energy bills, but it's really aimed at their heads.

"We want people to be as aware as possible," she said. "When they run their

clothes dryer, for instance, they should associate that with energy use and carbon dioxide emissions."

Residential energy use accounts for 21 percent of the greenhouse gases emitted in the United States, according to Ms. Karney — and 11 percent of emissions in Menlo Park, according to a recent city study (the temperate climate means that residents expend relatively little energy on heating and air conditioning).

Each participant in the program receives a three-page chart that details the cost and potential savings of a wide range of actions, from fixing water leaks to buying more energy-efficient appliances.

And there's another, less familiar calculus presented in the chart's far right-hand column: the amount of carbon dioxide, in pounds, that each measure would keep out of the atmosphere.

That calculation is more foreign to most people than even the metric system, but it's one that Ms. Karney and other envi-

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**Davena Gentry**, a volunteer with the nonprofit group Acterra, checks tire pressure on the car of Menlo Park resident Cindi Hunter during a recent home energy audit.

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ronmentalists hope will gain traction.

Talking with Ms. Hunter in her home, Mr. Davidson and Ms. Gentry stick to more accessible measurements. Ms. Gentry returns from checking the fau-

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Twana Karney, director of Acterra’s “Green@Home” program

cts to announce that the one attached to the laundry sink runs at over four gallons per minute; she installs a low-flow aerator (1.5 gallons per minute is ideal). Mr. Davidson uses the watt reader to find that Ms. Hunter’s TV sucks 119.3 watts when it’s turned off, but still plugged in. He advises that she unplug it when it’s not in use, or put it on a power strip that can be easily shut off.

## PREACHING TO THE CHOIR?

The volunteers find a few more ways to cut Ms. Hunter’s energy bill. Mr. Davidson removes a couple incandescent light bulbs, replacing them with fluorescents; Ms. Gentry sets up a retractable clothesline in the backyard.

Ms. Gentry reacts like a treasure-hunter happening upon a roomful of gold when she opens the door to the office, where Ms. Hunter’s husband has a desktop

computer on sleep mode and music equipment plugged in. “This is a huge energy drain,” she tells Ms. Hunter, who agrees to get her husband to use a power strip.

Ms. Gentry then looks for electrical outlets, removing the face of each one she finds and installing a bit of insulating foam around the socket, to prevent hot or cold air from leaking from the house to the outside. “This is where we find a lot of our challenges,” she says — ducking under tables, crawling behind couches, and sliding bookshelves away from the wall in a search for outlets that is a little reminiscent of a mouse hunt. No one thinks about insulating electrical outlets, Ms. Gentry says.

But Ms. Hunter, it’s clear, is already well aware of her energy use. Many of her light bulbs are fluorescent; she uses a clothesline to dry her clothes. Her hot water heater is set below 100 degrees; her refrigerator is actually warmer than Acterra recommends.

“What I wonder is, are we preaching to the choir?” Mr. Davidson asks, putting on reading glasses to peruse the Hunters’ energy bill (they use only 70 percent of the average household’s energy). He has done a lot of these visits — he started volunteering with the program when it was first launched in 2007 — and finds that residents who sign up tend to be ahead of the curve in terms of energy awareness.

Ms. Karney acknowledges that many of the residents who enroll in the program are already pretty aware when it comes to energy use, but maintains that much of the information is new to most people. The program has reformed plenty of energy guzzlers, as well; one of the families that signed up was using 10,000 gallons of water per year, she said. They agreed to switch to low-flow showerheads.

## PATCHWORK OF FUNDING

Residents are often surprised to learn that the home audits are free, Ms. Karney says. The program relies on a patchwork of funding from cities, foundations, and regional bodies.

Home performance contracting is a growing (for-profit) industry, she says. But she insists that nonprofits have a role to play, as well. She maintains that the service provides a value to the public, and that demand for it will grow alongside concerns about climate change.

Menlo Park was one of the first cities to sign on, setting aside \$37,000 to fund 250 visits in the 2008-09 fiscal year, the bulk of them east of Middlefield Road. The group has been deploying volunteers to Menlo Park residences since January.

The city is funding an additional 60 visits for the 2009-10 fiscal year, which begins July 1. It decided to cut back on its funding because the program got off to a slower start than anticipated, and many of the 250 visits already funded will carry over into the next fiscal year.

“I’m pleased we’re going to be able to (fund) more visits,” said Dianne Dryer, the city’s environmental programs coordinator. But she declined to speculate on whether the city would continue to subsidize the program in years to come, as the city faces a deficit in excess of \$2 million.

Ms. Karney says she’s hopeful about the program’s future, despite the stagnant economy. She’s gotten calls from environmental groups around the country who are interested in the model Acterra has developed; he group plans to expand the program after it gets a solid footing in the Midpeninsula.

Back at the Hunter home, Ms. Gentry and Mr. Davidson are wrapping up their visit.

## SIMPLE STEPS TO REDUCE ENERGY USE

In working to reduce your carbon footprint (and your PG&E bill), Palo Alto-based nonprofit Acterra recommends that you consider the following:

### POWER STRIPS

Electronics use a lot of energy, even when they’re turned off, or in sleep mode. Put them on a power strip, and turn the strip off when not in use.

### LIGHT BULBS

Compact fluorescent light bulbs use about a quarter the energy of incandescents, and last 10 times as long, according to the Environmental Protection Agency.

### SPACE HEATERS

Rather than heating every room on those chilly winter nights, use space heaters in only the rooms that are occupied.

### AIR DRY

Use a clothesline instead of a dryer, and a dish rack instead of a dishwasher.

### LOW-FLOW

Low-flow showerheads and faucet flow restrictors may not provide as hard a spray, but they will help cut your water bill.

## WAYS TO CELEBRATE ‘EARTH DAY’

Looking for ways to celebrate ‘Earth Day’ (Wednesday, April 22) in the upcoming week? Wondering what others in the community are doing? Here are a handful of the scheduled events.

### DRIVE LESS CHALLENGE

Sponsored by the Green Ribbon Citizens’ Committee, a local environmental group, the “Drive Less Challenge” encourages Menlo Park residents to find alternatives to driving alone for a week, beginning Wednesday, April 22. Prizes will be handed out to the school, company and neighborhood with the most participants. Residents can also sign up to compete with a group of friends. For more information or to sign up, visit <http://drivelesschallenge.com>

King Plaza (in front of City Hall), 250 Hamilton Ave., from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Monday, April 27. For information, visit [tinyurl.com/d2xevh](http://tinyurl.com/d2xevh)

### EARTH DAY STORY TIME

Author and illustrator Peter Brown will read from his new book, “The Curious Garden,” in the Menlo Park Library at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 22. Attendees will get seed packets to help them start their own gardens. The library is located in the Civic Center complex, between Laurel and Alma streets.

### BIKE TO SCHOOL

Led by a Tesla Roadster, 100 Menlo School students are expected to bike to school on April 22 in an event organized by Waddlebird, a group that works to raise awareness about climate change. During lunch, representatives will talk to students about their experience in conservation.

### FARMERS’ MARKET

Shop at Palo Alto’s downtown farmers’ market and learn more about community-sponsored agriculture. April 22, 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. in King Plaza, at 250 Hamilton Ave.

### GREEN BUSINESS EXPO

“Green” businesses will present their products in an event called “See the Change: Tools for the Transition to a Smart Energy Future.” It’s sponsored by Sustainable Silicon Valley, and will be held in Palo Alto at

### LIGHT BULB RECYCLING

Residents can bring dead fluorescent light bulbs to the Menlo Park Library between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 22. The bulbs cannot go into the trash because they contain a small amount of mercury, according to the city. The library is located in the Civic Center complex, between Laurel and Alma streets.

Mr. Davidson asks Ms. Hunter whether she’ll do some of the things on the three-page list of energy-saving measures (Installing window shades? Buying LED holiday lights? Cleaning refrigerator coils? Eating local food?). She’s already doing many of them, and commits to doing a few more; pledging, for instance, to wrap her outdoor water heater in blankets for insulation.

It’s an exhaustive list, and Ms. Hunter is a little worn out from tending to Henry and keeping Jack out of Ms. Gentry’s toolbox. But she learned a lot, she says, and she’s happy she signed up for the visit. She agrees to put a Green@Home sign on her front lawn. She walks Ms. Gentry and Mr. Davidson down the driveway; Jack waves goodbye and shuts the gate. ■

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

### PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS

**Architectural Control and Environmental Review/City of Menlo Park/600 Alma Street:** Proposal to demolish the existing 17,400-square-foot gymnasium and gymnastics building and construct a new 22,500-square-foot gymnastics facility (plus a 1,400-square-foot locker room expansion) at the location of the existing gymnasium and gymnastics building, a new 25,700-square-foot gymnasium in an area between the existing Recreation Center and Alma Street, and associated site improvements located at the Civic Center Complex in the P-F (Public Facilities) zoning district. *The public hearing will be an opportunity to provide comments on the content of the Draft Environment Impact Report (DEIR) prepared for the project. This item was previously noticed on April 8, 2009 as part of the release of the DEIR.*

**Architectural Control and Use Permit/Susan Burns/4025 Bohannon Drive:** Request for a use permit and architectural control for exterior modifications and interior remodeling of an existing one-story building that is nonconforming with regard to parking in the M-2 zoning (General Industrial) district.

### PUBLIC MEETING ITEM

**2009-2010 Capital Improvement Program/General Plan Consistency:** Consideration of consistency of the 2009-2010 Capital Improvement Program with the General Plan.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that said Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on public hearing items in the Council Chambers of the City of Menlo Park, located at 701 Laurel Street, Menlo Park, on Monday, May 4, 2009, 7:00 p.m. or as near as possible thereafter, at which time and place interested persons may appear and be heard thereon. If you challenge this item in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of Menlo Park at, or prior to, the public hearing.

The project file may be viewed 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 call the Planning Division if there are any questions and/or for complete agenda information (650) 330-6702.

*Si usted necesita más información sobre este proyecto, por favor llame al 650-330-6702, y pregunte por un asistente que hable español.*

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# Calendar

MEETINGS, MUSIC, THEATER, FAMILY ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL EVENTS

## Special Events

**Menlo Park's Kite Day.** Fee includes a Kite, hot dog, chips and soda. All ages are welcome. Sun., April 26, noon-3 p.m. \$5. Bedwell-Bayfront Park, Marsh Road and Bayfront Expressway, Menlo Park. Call 650-330-2200. [www.menlopark.org](http://www.menlopark.org)

**Book Sale.** The Friends of the Woodside Library Spring Book Sale. Books donated by patrons from their private collections (hardbacks: \$1, Paperbacks: \$.25). Also audio/visual materials such as video and audio tapes, cds, dvds, books on tape and 78 rpm records. Table of special books priced separately. Sat., April 25, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Free. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside.

**Menlo-Atherton Car Show.** 3rd Annual America's Pastime Car Show, benefiting M-A High School baseball, will be held on the field at M-A High School, Sat., April 25. BBQ, music, raffle and silent auction, and over 100 cars on display. Classic, muscle, trucks, imports and motorcycles. 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Menlo Atherton High School, 555 Middlefield Road, Atherton. Call 650-716-8129.

**M-A Big Bear Run.** 4th Annual M-A Big Bear Run to support M-A Athletics. Flat professionally timed 5K walk or run. Food, dance and band performances. No dogs. Awards for 12& under and older age groups. Sun., May 3, 9 a.m. \$20 adults, \$10 students 18 years & under. Menlo-Atherton High School, 555 Middlefield Avenue, Atherton. Call 650-367-9695. [m-boosters.org](http://m-boosters.org)

**Wild Crush 2009 Benefit for Environmental Volunteers.** Environmental Volunteers presents Wild Crush 2009, an annual gala honoring 37 years of environmental education in Silicon Valley Sat., April 25. Tickets include dinner, wine by local vintners, live jazz, auction, exploration of EV programs. 6:30-10 p.m. \$175. Quadrus Center, 2400 Sand Hill Road, Menlo Park. Call 650-961-0545. [www.evols.org](http://www.evols.org)

**Portola Valley Flower Show** features displays of horticulture, flower arranging, conservation and competitive garden photography. Presented by the Woodside-Atherton Garden Club. April 24-25, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Free. Portola Valley Town Center, 765 Portola Road, Portola Valley. Call 650-366-4091.

**Special Election: Pros and Cons.** The public is invited to a presentation by the League of Women Voters on the six propositions on the statewide ballot for May 19 special election. Wed., April 22, 7-7:45 p.m. Free. The Sequoias (Hanson Hall), 501 Portola Road, Portola Valley.

## On Stage

**"Distracted."** Lisa Loomer's play that explores attention deficit disorder. April 4-26, Tue.-Wed. at 7:30 p.m., Thu.-Sat. at 8 p.m., Sun. at 2 and 7 p.m.. Contains mature language. \$21-64. Mountain View Center for the Performing Arts, 500 Castro St., Mountain View. [theatreworks.org](http://theatreworks.org)

**"The King and I."** Palo Alto Players presents Rodgers and Hammerstein's musical on

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weekends, April 14-May 10, 8 p.m. \$20-\$31. Lucie Stern Theatre, 1305 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. [www.paplayers.org](http://www.paplayers.org)

## Talks/Authors

**Body Drama & Girls: featuring Nancy Redd.** Castilleja, Palo Alto Medical Foundation, Menlo and other local schools welcome Nancy Redd, author of "Body Drama: Real Girls, Real Bodies, Real Issues, Real Answers." Redd, former Miss Virginia and Harvard graduate, will speak about how the media undermines and distorts self-image. Wed., April 22, 7 p.m. free. Menlo School, 50 Valparaiso, Atherton.

**Author Jean Hanff Korelitz** on the complicated admissions process to a prestigious college. Mon., April 27, 7 p.m. Books Inc Palo Alto, 855 El Camino Real #74, Palo Alto. Call 650-321-0600.

**Belia Marina: "A Gift Not Wasted."** Memoir by Belia Marina. A percentage of book sales at this event benefit National Kidney Foundation. Thu., April 30, 7 p.m. Books Inc Palo Alto, 855 El Camino Real #74, Palo Alto. Call 650-321-0600. [www.booksinc.net](http://www.booksinc.net)

**Carl Safina on the Changing Ocean.** Talk on "History and Destiny in a Changing Ocean: What it Means for You." Thu., April 23, 6-7:30 p.m. Free. Kresge Auditorium, 555 Nathan Abbott Way, Stanford. [environment.stanford.edu](http://environment.stanford.edu)

**Community Forums at Little House.** Forums in Garden Room: April 22, men, love and sex. April 29, communication tips for hearing impaired. Free. PV Inc Little House, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025. Peninsula Volunteers Inc

**Edith Gelles's "Abigail and John: Portrait of a Marriage."** Gelles began her research into the Adams' life more than 30 years ago and is author of two books: "Portia: The World of Abigail Adams" and "Abigail Adams: A Writing Life." Gelles taught at Stanford and lives in Palo Alto. Wed., April 22, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. [www.keplers.com](http://www.keplers.com)

**Fabulous for Less.** Former Miss Ethiopia Sehlin Belew offers tips on affordable fashion, health and beauty. Wed., April 22, 7 p.m. Books Inc Palo Alto, 855 El Camino Real #74, Palo Alto. Call 650-321-0600. [www.booksinc.net](http://www.booksinc.net)

**Meet the press: international journalism.** Stanford Knight Fellows from Iraq, India, South Korea and Brazil will discuss regional challenges in reporting and disseminating news. Free. Wed., April 22. Co-sponsors: World Affairs Council and Peninsula and Los Altos Public Library. 7:30-9 p.m. Free. Los

Altos Youth Center, 1 S. San Antonio Road, Los Altos.

**Simply Organic.** Anthropologie hosts an appearance and signing by Jesse Cool, author of "Simply Organic" and advocate for local, sustainable and organic food. Wed., April 22, noon-2 p.m. Free. Anthropologie, 999 Alma St., Palo Alto.

**The SLAC Public Lecture Series.** "Black Holes, the Brightest Objects in the Universe" with Jonathan McKinney. Tue., April 28, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Free admission. SLAC Panofsky Auditorium, 2575 Sand Hill Road, Menlo Park. Call 650-926-4496.

**USGS April Evening Public Lecture.** "Soils, Carbon and Global exChange" by USGS soil scientist. Learn what scientists are finding out about the relationships between the carbon cycle, global weather and changing climate conditions. Thu., April 30, 7-8 p.m. Free. USGS Menlo Park Science Center, 345 Middlefield Road, Menlo Park. Call 650-329-5136.

## Art Galleries

**"From the Coast to the Foothills."** This exhibit of plein air oil paintings by Julia Seelos focuses on the Northern California landscape. Gallery hours 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Portola Art Gallery, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park.

**Artist Helen Golden.** Images are by Palo Alto "tra-digital" fine artist Helen Golden and are on exhibit at the Canada College Art Gallery until Thu., April 23, Mon. 2:30-5:50; Tue. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. and 4-6 p.m.; Wed 2:30-6 p.m.; Thurs 10-3. Free. Canada College Art Gallery, 4200 Farm Hill Blvd., Woodside.

## Community Events

**A Weekend of Service Projects.** Compassion Weekend, hosted by Menlo Park Presbyterian Church. Volunteers gather to help those in need. Register for a project at <http://www.mppc.org>. April 25-26, 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Free. Menlo Park Presbyterian Church, 950 Santa Cruz Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-323-8600. <http://www.mppc.org>

**Belle Haven Area Development Plan Meeting.** More than \$31 million has been spent on housing, infrastructure and other projects in Belle Haven since 2001. Come to this brainstorming meeting and add ideas for improving the neighborhood to the list. Wed., April 29, 7-9 p.m. Free. Menlo Park Senior Center, 100 Terminal Ave, Menlo Park. Call 650-330-6618. [www.menlopark.org](http://www.menlopark.org)

**Drive Less Challenge.** The Drive Less Challenge begins Earth Day, April 22 and continues until April 28. Menlo Park. [www.drivellesschallenge.com](http://www.drivellesschallenge.com)

**STYLE 2009.** An art-for-wear trunk show and sale "Creative Today-Classic Tomorrow," featuring work of 36 predominantly California-based, textile clothing, accessory and jewelry designers. Sat., April 25, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Free for Palo Alto Art Center Foundation Members, \$10 for non-members. Palo Alto Art Center, 1313 Newell Road, Palo Alto.

**Sustainable Food: Local Solutions.** Wolfram Alderson of Collective Roots speaks on "You Are The Food System." Developer of youth leaders and catalyst for East Palo Alto's farmers market and school garden. Sun., April 26, 9:30-10:30 a.m. free. Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 330 Ravenswood Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-329-8658.

## Concerts

**"Spring Mix."** The Silicon Valley Gay Men's Chorus joins Ladera Community Church for Broadway tunes, world and sacred music. Reception follows concert. Sun., April 26, 4-5:30 p.m. Donations accepted. Ladera Community Church, 3300 Alpine Road, Portola Valley. [www.ladera.org](http://www.ladera.org)

**John Angotti, Christian Inspirational Singer.** Uptempo Christian music by John Angotti. Sat., April 25, 2-3:15 p.m. \$10. Nativity Church, 210 Oak Grove Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-323-8328.

**Palo Alto Jazz and Gospel Festival.** The Interfaith Network for Community Help will present their 16th Annual Jazz & Gospel Festival. The concert will benefit at-risk East Palo Alto Students Scholarship Program. Week-

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## Kids & Families

**Earth Day Story Time with Peter Brown.** Author and illustrator Peter Brown presents his new picture book, "The Curious Garden." Wed., April 22, 4 p.m. Free. Menlo Park Library, 800 Alma St., Menlo Park. Call 650-330-2530. [www.menloparklibrary.org](http://www.menloparklibrary.org)

**Old Woodside Store Day.** Activities include a horse-drawn wagon ride, sawing with a with a two-man saw, making shingles with a mallet, pie eating contest, rope making, creating rag dolls and more. Sun., May 3, noon-4 p.m. Free. Woodside Store, 3300 Tripp Road, Woodside. Call 650-299-0104. [www.historysmc.org](http://www.historysmc.org)

**Story Time with Tony Gemignani.** Gemignani is a pizza acrobat, chef and now author. He will perform a live pizza-tossing demonstration after the reading. Sun., April 26, 11:30 a.m. free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. [www.keplers.com](http://www.keplers.com)

## Live Music

**Classical Music and Stage/Drama.** "Every Good Boy Deserves Favor." Redwood Symphony and the Canada College Drama Department present a play with orchestra by Tom Stoppard and Andre Previn. May 1 and 2 at 8 p.m. Sunday, May 3, at 2 p.m. \$13 (student)/\$18 advance, \$17/\$20 at door. Canada College Main Theatre, Woodside. Call 650-366-6872. [www.redwoodsymphony.org](http://www.redwoodsymphony.org)

**Eddie Gutierrez.** Acoustic guitarist Eddie Gutierrez will perform during dinner hours Thursday nights. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Free. British Banker's Club, 1090 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. [www.britishbankersclub.com/index.html](http://www.britishbankersclub.com/index.html)

**Kat Parra, Latine jazz vocalist.** Kat Parra will perform Latin jazz at the East Palo Alto Library. Thu., April 23, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Free. East Palo Alto Library, 2415 University Ave., East Palo Alto. [smcl.org](http://smcl.org)

**The Upside Trio.** Fusion jazz band The Upside Trio will play music by jazz artists Miles Davis, John Coltrane, Herbie Hancock and others during dinner Wednesday nights. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Free. British Banker's Club, 1090 El Camino Real, Menlo Park.

## Special Events

**Brainstormer Quiz Night.** Quiz night at Gordon Biersch Palo Alto. Start your Live pub quiz hosted by a quizmaster. Sundays, 7-9:30 p.m. Free. Gordon Biersch, 640 Emerson St., Palo Alto. Call 650-323-7723.

**Fifth Annual Stanford Historic House & Garden Tour.** Anticipating National Preservation Month in May, the annual tour by the Stanford Historical Society's Historic Houses Project offers a glimpse into four pre-1930 campus houses designed or influenced by architects A.B. Clark and his son Birge Clark. Sunday, April 26. 1-4 p.m. \$20 before April 17; \$25 after April 17 Stanford University. Tour begins at 669 Mirada, Stanford. Call 650-725-3332.

**Gamble Garden Spring Tour.** The Elizabeth F. Gamble Garden's 24th Annual Spring Tour is Friday and Saturday, April 24-25. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Advanced tickets \$35, day of, \$40. Gamble Garden, 1431 Waverley St., Palo Alto. Call 650-329-1356 ext. 201. <http://www.gamblegarden.org>

**Winter Lodge Ice Show.** "The Good, The Bad ... and The Bear" is the title of this year's Winter Lodge annual ice skating show. The show will run the evenings of April 24, 25 & 26. 7-9 p.m. \$12 per ticket. Winter Lodge, 3009 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. [www.winterlodge.com](http://www.winterlodge.com)

## Teen Activities

**Teen Night at the Menlo Park Library.** After the library closes to the public, the doors will open to students in grades 6-12. Bring a T-shirt to reconstruct. Form a Wii Rock Band, play online games and have music and snacks. Pre-registration required: e-mail [barrese@plsinfo.org](mailto:barrese@plsinfo.org). Fri., April 24, 7-9 p.m. Free. Menlo Park Library, 800 Alma St., Menlo Park. Call 650-330-2531. [www.menloparklibrary.org](http://www.menloparklibrary.org)

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**Canada College Priority Enrollment Program for High School Seniors.** This allows students to complete steps to become a college student in short period of time, and

early in registration period. Wed., April 22, 3-8 p.m. Free. Canada College, 4200 Farm Hill Blvd., Woodside. Call 650-306-3493.

**Project Read : Menlo Park Tutor Training.** Volunteer Tutoring Training begins May 6. Project Read is a free adult literacy program to help others to improve their reading and writing skills. 5:30-8:30 p.m. Free. Menlo Park Library, 800 Alma St., Menlo Park. Call 650-330-2525. [www.projectreadmenlopark.org](http://www.projectreadmenlopark.org)

**ECYS: Membership Auditions.** The El Camino Youth Symphony is currently accepting audition applications for its 2009-2010 season. Apply online at [www.ecys.org](http://www.ecys.org) \$25 audition fee. ECYS Office, 4055 Fabian Way, Palo Alto. [www.ecys.org](http://www.ecys.org)

**Dancing with our Starz.** CSA's Annual Dinner, Dance & Fundraising Event. Federico Moreno will dance. Sat., April 25, 6:30-11 p.m. \$120 before April 1/\$150 after. Crowne Plaza Cabana, 4290 El Camino Real, Palo Alto. Call 650-810-2233. [www.CSAcares.org](http://www.CSAcares.org)

**Caregiver Support Group Discussion Group.** An opportunity to interact with other caregivers. Led by Rosener House Social Worker. Respite provided. Call Carol or Kathi with questions. Tue., April 28, Free. Rosener House, 500 Arbor Road, Menlo Park. Call 650-322-0126. [www.peninsulavolunteers.org](http://www.peninsulavolunteers.org)

**Grief Support.** Grief support group meets for five consecutive Saturday mornings. Each week it will focus on issues and concerns common to newly bereaved people. Through May 16, 9-10:30 a.m. Free. Menlo Park Presbyterian Church., 950 Santa Cruz Ave., Menlo Park. [mppc.org](http://mppc.org)

# Woodside benefit set for AIDS victims

The Woodside home of Shirley and Harry Hagey will be the site of a benefit on Sunday, May 3, for the Global AIDS Interfaith Alliance (GAIA).

Along with live music and refreshments, the \$250-per-person ticket will include presentations by author Anne Lamott and GAIA president and co-founder Bill Rankin.

This "Village by Village: A Garden Party for GAIA" will be held at 196 Albion Ave. in Woodside, with parking at Woodside Elementary School at 3195 Woodside Road. A shuttle service will transport guests to the event.

The benefit funds a village initiative intended to train, equip and deploy local women in rural Malawi in central Africa to help them feed, clothe and educate AIDS orphans, provide care for people living with AIDS-related

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diseases, and train communities in preventing its spread, said GAIA Development Director Amy Rankin-Williams.

For more information on the Woodside benefit, write to [nadia@thegaia.org](mailto:nadia@thegaia.org).



### Car show raises funds for M-A baseball

The third annual America's Pastime Car Show benefiting the Menlo-Atherton High School baseball program will be held from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, April 25, at M-A High, 555 Middlefield Road in Atherton.

There will be music, a barbe-

cue, raffle and silent auction, and more than 100 vehicles on display, from classics and muscle cars to trucks, imports and motorcycles.

For more information, call Mike Amoroso at 716-8129.

### 'Life among the plants' hike

Botanist Paul Heiple of Ladera will lead a hike in the Pearson-Arastradero Preserve, focusing on how animals use the preserve's plants for home and food, from 4 to 6 p.m. Thursday, April 23. The hike is free.

The preserve is in the Palo Alto foothills, west of Interstate 280. The parking lot is about one-half mile from Page Mill Road, and about 1.5 miles from Alpine Road.

For more information, call Acterra at 962-9876, or go to [acterra.org](http://acterra.org).

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4 BR 2.5 BA First Time Ever On The Market! Stunning Contemporary. Amazing Views. Wonderful Gourmet Eatn Kitchen. 2Level Spacious Master Suite. Bright Great Room.  
**Ken Morgan & Arlene Gault** 650.323.7751

**MENLO PARK**

NEW HOME IN MENLO OAKS \$3,995,000  
5 BR 5.5 BA New 2 Level Home, Gourmet Kitchen, Great Room W/2 Way Fireplce, Library & Master Suite W/ Balcony, Level Lot Approx .58 Acres, Top-Rated Schools.  
**Tom LeMieux** 650.323.7751

SOPHISTICATED HOME \$3,325,000  
3 BR 3 BA Rare Ige lot boasting pano vws of the Bay. Gourmet kit. w/top-of-the-line appliances. Frml DR. LR w/ Venetian plaster FP. Resort-like sunny pool & decks.  
**Thomas Dallas** 650.851.2666

STUNNING TRADITIONAL HOME \$2,195,000  
5 BR 3 BA A Douglass Co. home. Quality construction, tasteful finishes, flex flr plan in Las Lomitas. High ceils, bright open space, flat garden. Quiet street.  
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ELEGANT WEST MENLO \$1,995,000  
4 BR 2.5 BA West Menlo Ranch, Hardwood Floors, Cathedral Ceilings, Fireplace, Remodeled Kitchen, Master Suite W/Sky Lit Bath, Level Rear Lawn, Menlo Park Schools.  
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PRETTY AS A PICTURE \$1,995,000  
3 BR 3 BA Quality throughout - Separate guest suite in back.  
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NEW LISTING \$1,963,000  
3 BR 2 BA Exceptional home w/character + full IBR/IBA guest house. Gourmet kitchen, HW floors. Lovely lg landscpd yard. Located near downtown PA, MP schools.  
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VIEWTIFUL SHARON HEIGHTS \$1,949,000  
5 BR 3.5 BA Room for everyone! Oak Floors, 2 fireplaces. Formal DR, FR, Very lg. master ste w/study. 2nd master ste. Big 2-level yard. Lg. garage. Views.  
**Nancy Goldcamp** 650.325.6161

EXCEPTIONAL SHARON HTS! \$1,925,000  
4 BR 2.5 BA Exceptional Sharon Heights Home With Fabulous Master Bedroom Suite Addition By Douglass Co. Great Floor Plan, Privacy & Las Lomitas Schools.  
**Maya & Jason Sewald** 650.323.7751

UNIQUE CUSTOM MP CHARMER \$1,625,000  
3 BR 2 BA Unique MP home rebuilt in '08. Amazing high-end finishes. Tranquil garden retreat in desirable neighborhood w/award winning Las Lomitas schools.  
**Siobhan O'Sullivan** 650.324.4456

PRIME WILLOWS LOCATION \$1,495,000  
4 BR 2 BA Light-filled living room/dining area w/lrg cozy FP. Gourmet kit w/granite counters & SS appliances. Lush landscaped backyard w/hot tub. 2-car garage.  
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SERENE AND UPDATED \$1,450,000  
3 BR 2 BA Not your average bungalow! Artisan crafted kitchen. Spa-style bathrooms. Conservatory-like family room. Dramatic waterfall spa. tranquil yard. Las Lomitas.  
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INCREDIBLE WOODSY SETTING \$1,450,000  
4 BR 2.5 BA Charming Craftsman On A Tranquil Cul De Sac Located In Stanford Weekend Acres neighborhood. Convenient Location. Acclaimed Las Lomitas Schools.  
**Karen Fryling & Rebecca Johnson** 650.323.7751

**MENLO PARK**

DESIRABLE WILLOWS \$1,369,000  
3 BR 2 BA Excellent opportunity to own a home in one of Menlo Park's most sought-after locations. Updated kitchen, remodeled baths. Convenient to downtown PA!  
**Barbara Ellis & Mark Ankenman** 650.324.4456

CUL-DE-SAC LOCATION \$1,295,000  
3 BR 2.5 BA Extensively remod. in 2002. 3 level townhome in desirable Park Forest near dwnvntn MP. Lofty ceilings, flr to cing wndws overlooking verdant lawns.  
**Barbara Piuma** 650.851.2666

BEAUTIFUL SHARON OAKS \$1,190,000  
4 BR 2.5 BA Welcome to this spacious and light Sharon Oaks townhome that feels like a single family home. Convenient location, acclaimed Las Lomitas Schools.  
**Karen Fryling & Rebecca Johnson** 650.323.7751

TOTALLY UPDATED TOWNHOME \$1,135,000  
2 BR 2 BA Completely modernized Sharon Oaks townhome. New granite in kitchen & baths. New flooring, crown moulding & baseboards. Fresh paint. Lovely rear garden  
**Janie & John Barman** 650.325.6161

STUNNING 1920'S CHARMER \$1,095,000  
3 BR 2 BA Lovely hardwood flrs, built-ins crown molding, elegant L/R w/fireplace, formal D/R. Remodeled bath - exquisite master bedroom. Walk to downtown!  
**Keri Nicholas** 650.323.7751

PRIVATE SETTING NEAR TOWN \$958,000  
3 BR 2.5 BA Spacious, open feeling for this turn key home just 21 yrs young. Separate DR, Kitchen w/Dining Nook, vaulted ceilings, skylights, attached Garage.  
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PINE COURT 839,000-939,000  
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**Scott Dancer** 650.851.2666

FABULOUS HOME IN DWNTN MP \$859,000  
2 BR 1 BA Lovely Living Room with Fireplace, Formal Dining Room. Remodeled Gourmet Kitchen with Stainless Steel Appliances. Fabulous Backyard.  
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VINTAGE OAKS HOME \$2,495,000  
4 BR 3.5 BA One-owner home in carefully maintained, move-in condition. Many custom features. One bedroom/ bath on main level. 2 fireplaces Landscaped large lot.  
**Nancy Goldcamp** 650.325.6161

MENLO PARK SCHOOLS! \$798,000  
3 BR 2.5 BA Great location in Menlo Park, and close to Palo Alto too. This is a lot of home for the money...LR, Huge FR, 2-FP's, 2-CG, 7,800 lot & 2,000+ sf. home!  
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2 BR 2 BA Popular Floor Plan Quiet Bldg Complex Incl Pool/Spa Rec. Room Exercise Room Close To Stanford/Shops/ Transportation Easy Access To 280 55+ Required.  
**Elizabeth Leathers** 650.323.7751

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2 BR 2 BA Popular Stretch Unit W/Mountain Views, Quiet Bldg. Complex Including Pool, Spa Rec Room Close To Stanford/Shops/Transp. Easy Access To 280 55+  
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**MOUNTAIN VIEW**

SOPHISTICATED ELEGANCE \$875,000  
4 BR 3.5 BA Gorgeous Townhome Built With Quality & Comfort In Mind. Light Bright & Spacious Architecture. Private End Unit With Beautifully Landscaped Backyard.  
**Karen Fryling & Rebecca Johnson** 650.323.7751

**PALO ALTO**

SPACIOUS HME PLUS COTTAGE \$1,895,000  
4 BR 3 BA Beautiful Midtown Home On Approx 10750 SQFT Lot & 2BR 1.5BA Cottage. Lots Of Windows Hardwood Floors. 2 Master Suites, Family Kitchen. Formal Dining.  
**Ken Morgan & Arlene Gault** 650.323.7751

STUNNING HM ON CUL DE SAC \$1,779,000  
4 BR 3 BA 8 Yr Old Hm W/Classic Flr Pln Has A Cook's Kit That Opens To Large Family Room & Overlooks Pvt Garden W/Deck. Spacious Mater Ste Has High Ceilings.  
**John Alexander** 650.323.7751

**PORTOLA VALLEY**

PANORAMIC VIEWS \$5,695,000  
4 BR 3 BA In the heart of PV, approx 9.4 acres. Amazing setting w/Bay, Windy Hill & Southern hill views with 4 bed, 3 bath home, Palo Alto schools.  
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**BELMONT** – 5BR/3BA home w/soaring ceilings, light-filled rooms & open floor plan. Ideal for entertaining & active lifestyle. Kitchen features granite counters, stainless steel appliances & gas cooktop. Downstairs BR can be used as home office. Convenient location to downtown, freeway accs & easy drive to SF or SJ. Highly rated schools.

**Laura Caplan** (650) 614-3500 **\$968,000**



**EMERALD HILLS** – Remodeled 4 BD/4+ BA home with gourmet kitchen that features custom cabinetry & top-grade appliances. A master retreat with elegant bath & a sun deck that overlooks an indoor pool.

**Doyle Rundell** (650) 614-3500 **\$2,150,000**



**LOSALTOS** – Newly constructed lovely Capecod crafted with mastery! 5BR/4BA+(.5BA), one master suite, state of the art kitchen w/breakfast nook, 2 fireplaces, separate study & family room. A Must See!

**Oak Lo** (650) 948-8050 **Offered at \$2,495,000**



**MENLO PARK** – 4BR/4+BA Executive home w/Architectural details. Cathedral ceilings & Gourmet Kitchen w/inviting family room. Las Lomas School District.

**Kristin Cashin** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,995,000**



**MENLO PARK** – 2+BR/2.5 BA desirable end unit townhome with magnificent sf-bayviews.

**Kristin Cashin** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,875,000**

## ATHERTON

Destined to be one of the finest homes in Atherton. This magnificent 6+BR/4+BR new home is crafted with extraordinary attention to detail. Wide rounded corners & richly stained wood moldings typify the developer's attention to detail. Towering ceilings & windows provide stunning light & volume, along w/the finest millwork to behold unfolds to create warmth & ambiance.

**Kristin Cashin/Mark Kaprielian** (650) 614-3500 **\$9,950,000**

Elegant, custom traditional home nestled on a gorgeous private acre in sought after W. Atherton neighborhood. 5BD/4.5BA; tastefully remodeled throughout by the designer/owner with uncompromising attention to quality & detail. Lush mature garden, expansive lawns, salt water pool & spa.

**Elizabeth Daschbach** (650) 614-3500 **\$6,295,000**

4BR/4+BA Casual & formal living spaces flowing over 2 levels featuring oak hardwood flooring, boxed & wood-beamed ceilings, crown moldings, wood trims & built-ins. Backyard w/ lap pool & spa, patio & lawn area. Lg Mstr & Granite Kitchen.

**Tim Kerns** (650) 614-3500 **\$2,475,000**

## CUPERTINO

This wonderful 4BR/2BA Ranch style home boasting a formal entry, bright & airy LR, remod kitch w/granite countertop, maple cabinets & brkfst bar. Sep. DR, spac FR w/frplc & private MB w/sliding glass door to backyard. 2 car garage & more!

**Bonnie M Kehl** (650) 948-8050 **\$1,199,888**

## EAST PALO ALTO

3BR/2BA single story home featuring a family room with a dining area, eat-in kitchen & hardwood floors. Attached garage w/ an electric door opener. Gas heater, laundry area in the garage & a shingle exterior with a composition roof.

**John Marshall** (650) 614-3500 **\$321,000**

1BR/1BA Bright corner unit featuring double paned windows & sliding doors. Freshly painted inside & out, hardwood floors in dining area, tile in entry & hallway. Spacious living area with redone balcony & mirrored closet doors in hallway & bedroom. Lg Walk-In Closet. Located on west side of the freeway.

**Gordana Wolfman** (650) 614-3500 **\$219,000**

## EMERALD HILLS

Nicely located with quality materials & great floor plan. Three year new 2-level custom home located on a private 1 acre parcel. Phenomenal view, spacious 5BR/3.5BA, study or den & playroom. Beautiful chef's kitchen, a LR that opens to a lg deck for entertaining, formal DR & Mstr Ste w/bonus room.

**Tata Vahdatpour** (650) 614-3500 **\$2,645,000**

3BR/2.5 home situated on a large lot next to Handley Rock Park. Features a large updated kitchen that flows to the family room, which is surrounded by outdoor decks. The living room has a woodburning fireplace & there is also a separate dining room.

**Dana Cappiello** (650) 529-1000 **\$1,050,000**

## HALF MOON BAY

Situated on the 1st Fairway of the "HMB Golf Links" located close to the Ritz Carlton & Walking Trails. Easy commute to Silicon Valley or San Francisco. Picturesque view must be seen to be believed. 4th room for den or office/guest.

**Judy Chow** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,630,000**

Spectacular views from this lot!!! Complete with Plans & Permits. Planned "Green" home with separate/permitted unit over an additional 2 car carport.

**Katherine Clark** (650) 614-3500 **\$589,000**

## LOS ALTOS

5BR/5.5BA home situated on a cul-de-sac. Hardwood floors & crown molding. Kitchen w/ granite counter tops, top of the line appliances & Butler's Pantry.

**Susan Furstman** (650) 529-2900 **\$5,395,000**

Look no further! This charming updated Ranch style home has all the modern comforts you are looking for & much more! Private backyard with park like setting & serene cul-de-sac location. New paint & carpet. Ready for the new owners!

**Victor Platonoff** (650) 948-8050 **\$1,495,000**

Rarely available ground floor unit with large landscaped patio. 2BR/2BA, new carpet & paint, fireplace in living room & close to downtown. A must see!

**Victor Platonoff** (650) 948-8050 **\$599,000**

## LOS ALTOS HILLS

Dramatic new construction is ideally located in Los Altos Hills. Living area incl: 6BR, incl a sep. guest ste or Ofc, 5BA + (2).5BA, LR & DR, 2 FR & Grnt kitch. Amenities incl: a media Rm, a recreation Rm, wine tasting/DR & much more!

**Farideh Zamani** (650) 948-8050 **\$9,800,000**

## MENLO PARK

Exceptional 5BD/4.5BA remodeled home on desirable cul-de-sac. Incredible gourmet kitchen; 2 FR's-1 upstairs, 1 downstairs; elegant living & dining rooms; luxurious Mstr Suite; lg separate guest/au-pair suite w/kitchenette; large sunny lot; Las Lomas Schools.

**Elizabeth Daschbach** (650) 614-3500 **\$2,695,000**

3BR/2.5BA gorgeous current remodeled home. Best Sharon Heights value. Professionally landscaped. Hot Tub, flat lawn area & beautiful decks perfect for entertaining. Very private yard. Wonderful family home.

**Suzanne Scott** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,789,000**

## MENLO PARK

Charming 3BR/2BA West Menlo Park home located on a quiet cul-de-sac. Award winning Las Lomas School District. Large Lot. Extra Mongolian Yurt to use as office or play room. New roof, hardwood floors & lovely garden.

**Monica Yeung Arima** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,299,000**

An excellent opportunity in Linfield Oaks. 3BR/2BA home w/large backyard & a garage-converted play-room. The home is move-in ready & offers room to expand.

**Nino Gaetano** (650) 529-2900 **\$1,295,000**

3BD/1BA charming bungalow on a large lot. Granite kitchen with a wonderfully large backyard. Many upgrades, including newer windows, as well as bathroom plumbing & electrical. Additional features include hardwood floors, a laundry room & an eat-in kitchen to make this a special home. There is room to grow!!!

**Kristin Cashin** (650) 614-3500 **\$839,000**

Sophisticated remodeled 2BR/2BA one-level condo in prime location. Abundant natural light, hardwood floors, recessed lighting & fireplace. Convenient to Stanford & Hwy 280.

**Mary Jo McCarthy** (650) 614-3500 **\$775,000**

2BR/1.5BA spacious townhome featuring an open living area w/FP & sliding doors to a private patio. Large bedrooms w/ upstairs laundry. New paint inside. Located at the back of the complex. Has a pool & 1 assigned space in garage. Security gate.

**Linda Samaha** (650) 614-3500 **\$375,000**

## PALO ALTO

Located in the Crescent Park neighborhood, this 2-story 5BR/3.5BA home sits on a beautifully manicured lot. Details include hrwd flrs, a wood burning fireplace & large kitchen w/granite countertops. Ideally situated just minutes from all of the downtown amenities.

**Gianna Lazar** (650) 614-3500 **\$2,245,000**

4-Plex available in Prime Professorville location.

**Camille Eder** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,650,000**

Charming Mediterranean 3BR/2BA home with its own private & fenced yard. Features updated kitchen & baths, a light filled dining room with an arched wall leading to living room. 1 Master BR Suite, F/P in living room, hardwood, tile & wall-to-wall carpeting. There is also a separate rental cottage.

**Camille Eder** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,598,000**

Great opportunity to live in downtown PA! Beautiful & bright 2BR/ 2.5BA end unit townhouse in quiet complex. Close to University Ave w/restaurants, shops, etc. New granite counters, new carpet, freshly painted & 2-car attached garage. Great PA schools.

**Mar Andres Keehn** (650) 948-8050 **\$799,000**

## PORTOLA VALLEY

Prime, close in 2.5 acre Westridge view lot, 1/2 mile from Alpine Rd. Spectacular views to Bay, Mt Diablo & Southeast mountains. Site & Architectural plans approved by Town for 4 BD/4BA home. Minutes to Ladera shopping & Hwy 280. Sewer is at the lot line.

**Elizabeth Daschbach** (650) 614-3500 **\$3,300,000**

## REDWOOD SHORES

Beautiful 3BR/3BA with large deck and hot tub. New paint, stove & microwave. Must see to appreciate!

**Joann Bedrossian** (650) 614-3500 **\$980,000**

Light & bright spacious 3BR/2.5BA private end unit. LR w/high ceilings, recessed lights & views of the water. Mstr BR features Walk-In Closet, soaking tub & dual sinks. Steps away from boat dock.

**Lilly Chow** (650) 614-3500 **\$699,000**

## SAN CARLOS

4BR/3BA This fabulous updated home features a remodeled kitchen w/ custom built-ins. Mstr BR Ste w/ a remodeled BA & Walk-In Clst. Fresh Paint & New Carpets. Canyon & Bay views from nearly every room. Can entertain from large deck. Attached 2-car garage & lots of storage.

**Debbie Lorell/ Bob Johnston** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,398,000**

A superb layout goes with this 4BR/2BA Mediterranean offering a bay view enhanced by mtn vistas. Desirable amenities include patio, family room & deck. Two-car garage. Enjoy the move-up & magic of this lovely home.

**Michael S. Teymour** (650) 948-8050 **Offered at \$1,198,000**

Stunning remodeled Marbella plan at La Ventana complex in San Carlos Hills features a unique open floor plan. The well-lit end unit offers executive living with two bedrooms plus office/den & large loft area. Newly Remodeled "Tuscan" kitchen and more!!!!

**Brendan Royer** (650) 614-3500 **\$874,950**

## SAN JOSE

Wonderful Almaden Valley 4BR/3.5BA home. Lots of space for entertaining & huge eat-in kitchen. Expansive Master Suite w/dual walk-in closets. Also features a library, dual paned windows, hardwood floors, tile & 2-car garage.

**Geoff Hoffman** (650) 464-3022 **\$897,000**

## SAN MATEO

Charming 2-story Aaragon home is move-in ready. 3BR, plus bonus office & sitting area, as well as 2 Full BAs. Remodeled Kitchen & Baths with Granite counters, recessed lighting & French doors leading to a spacious deck/backyard. Bonus multi-use garden cottage. Don't want to miss this one!

**Meegan Ferrari** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,299,000**

One of the largest 2BR/2BA units at Woodlake! This condo has new carpet, new paint, & is clean & bright. Additional features include a Walk-In Pantry & Walk-In Closets. Contemporary style, with a Dining L, Breakfast Bar & extra storage.

**John Marshall** (650) 614-3500 **\$485,000**

## SANTA CRUZ

Excellent opportunity to build the estate of your dreams.

**Susan Furstman** (650) 529-2900 **\$1,195,000**

## SARATOGA

All of the best elements of a genteel life style are realized in this wonderful 2BR/2BA townhome. Chef's kitchen, dramatic ceilings, private courtyard & 2 car garage. Close to town, shopping & freeway access.

**Victor Platonoff** (650) 948-8050 **Offered at \$598,888**



**MENLO PARK** – Light filled craftsman featuring 4BD/3.5BA with full basement, hardwood floors & dual paned windows. Nice neighborhood & Menlo Park Schools.

**Camille Eder** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,850,000**



**PALO ALTO** – A Prime West Palo Alto Property featuring 3BR/4+BA in the main house with its own charming garden & detached 2-car garage. It also features an updated kitchen and baths, but needs a little TLC. There are 2 additional charming cottages at the rear of the property. Wonderful investment opportunity!

**Camille Eder** (650) 614-3500 **\$1,900,000**



**SAN MATEO** – One level 2BR/2BA spacious penthouse located on the top floor of a 4-story building. Close to downtown shops & transportation.

**Enayat Boroumand** (650) 529-2900 **\$700,000**



**SANTA CLARA** – Mediterranean Townhome. High ceilings, light & bright interior. Kitchen w/Granite & stainless steel appliances. Attached 2/ car garage & AC. " El Camino to Lincoln to Clay"

**Paul Shrabo** (650) 529-2900 **\$785,000**



**SUNNYVALE** – Desirable, Upgraded End-Unit. Spacious & bright 2 BR/ 2.5 BA home w/two master suites. Granite counters in kitchen & real hardwood floors on ground floor. Attached two-car garage w/plenty of storage space.

**Roberta & Jan** (650) 948-8050 **Offered at \$495,000**

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## 128 BUCKTHORN WAY, MENLO PARK

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This stylish 3 Bedroom/ 2 ½ Bath, 2030 sq. ft. townhome is situated on a quiet street near downtown Menlo Park. A spacious living room and separate dining room with vaulted ceilings and excellent natural light welcome you into the home. Large windows and French doors look out on a private, sunny patio and fully fenced wrap-around garden with ornamental trees, roses, azaleas and maples. A large kitchen with eat-in area adds additional functionality. Three generous sized bedrooms await you upstairs, including a large, light-filled, master suite with barrel ceiling, walk-in closet and updated master bath with whirlpool tub. Featuring hardwood floors, Berber carpeting, dual-pane windows and high ceilings, this beautiful home is cheerful and inviting. Close to El Camino and downtown Menlo Park – Excellent Menlo Park Schools.

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Looking for extra cash? The city of Palo Alto is coordinating a Citywide Yard Sale this June. **Who:** All Palo Alto residents **What:** Hold your summer yard sale during the Palo Alto Citywide Yard Sale and we'll do the advertising for you. Signing up is free! We'll feature your sale in our official map of participating households, published in the Palo Alto Weekly and online. **When:** The Citywide Yard Sale is on June 6, 2009 from 8am to 1pm **Why:** The Palo Alto Zero Waste Program is trying to encourage Bay Area residents to buy and sell second hand items in order to keep useful items out of the landfill. **How:** Visit [www.paloaltozerowaste.org/yardsale](http://www.paloaltozerowaste.org/yardsale) to register. It's free. We'll even send you a yard sale kit to help you get started.

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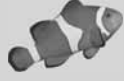
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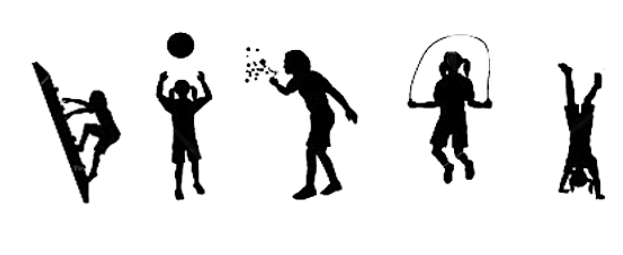
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# Public Notices

**995 Fictitious Name Statement**

**STRIVE FITNESS**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232164  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as, Strive Fitness, 605 Cambridge Ave., Menlo Park, CA 94025, San Mateo County:  
**THERESA GALVEZ**  
875 Hermosa Way  
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 3-01-09.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on March 20, 2009.  
(The Almanac 4/1, 4/8, 4/15, 4/22, 2009)

**MARYKNOLL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF CALIFORNIA**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232085  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as, Maryknoll Alumnae Association of California, 1335 Garden Lane, Menlo Park, CA 94025, San Mateo County:  
**MARYKNOLL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION**  
This business is being conducted by an Unincorporated Association other than a Partnership.  
Registrant began transacting business

under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on February 18, 2009.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on March 17, 2009.  
(The Almanac 4/1, 4/8, 4/15, 4/22, 2009)

**AT THE VERY LEASH**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232025  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as, At the Very Leash, 311 San Carlos Ave., Redwood City, CA 94061, San Mateo County:  
**ANN TITLEY BAKER**  
311 San Carlos Ave.  
Redwood City, CA 94061  
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 March 13, 2009.  
(The Almanac 4/8, 4/15, 4/22, 4/29, 2009)

**DEVINE CONSTRUCTION**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232479  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as, Devine Construction, 618 Hermosa Way, Menlo Park, CA 94025, mailing address: PO Box 7452, Menlo Park, CA 94025:  
**DOUGLAS DEVINE**  
618 Hermosa Way

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 03/28/1978.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on April 8, 2009.  
(Almanac April 15, 22, 29, May 6, 2009)

**ISDL INTERNATIONAL**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232521  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as, ISDL International, 1134 Crane Street, Suite 216, Menlo Park, CA 94025:  
**ADEGBOYEGA MABOGUNJE**  
2353 Thompson Court  
Mountain View, CA 94043  
**OLUSEUN MABOGUNJE**  
27 Ogunlana Street  
Lagos- Nigeria  
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 April 10, 2009.  
(The Almanac April 15, 22, 29, May 6, 2009)

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as, Barn Wood Shop, 75 Arbor Rd., Menlo Park, CA 94025, San Mateo County:  
**THOMAS KIENINGER**  
4250 El Camino Real C-125  
Palo Alto, CA 94306  
This business is being conducted by an individual.  
Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A.

**THE CURTIS GROUP**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232190  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as, Stephen Silver Fine Jewelry, 2825 Sand Hill Road, Menlo Park, CA 94025, Mail Address: 800 El Camino Real, Ste. 230, Menlo Park CA 94025:  
**S.H. SILVER CO., INC.**  
800 El Camino Real, Ste. 230  
Menlo Park, CA 94025  
This business is being conducted by a Corporation.  
Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A.

**STEPHEN SILVER FINE JEWELRY**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232519  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as, Stephen Silver Fine Jewelry, 2825 Sand Hill Road, Menlo Park, CA 94025, Mail Address: 800 El Camino Real, Ste. 230, Menlo Park CA 94025:  
**S.H. SILVER CO., INC.**  
800 El Camino Real, Ste. 230  
Menlo Park, CA 94025  
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 March 23, 2009.  
(The Almanac April 22, 29, May 6, 13, 2009)

**BODY BY DESIGN**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232564  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as, Body by Design, 806 Coleman Ave., Menlo Park, CA 94025, San Mateo County:  
**CHERI TREMAINE**  
806 Coleman Ave. #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 April 14, 2009.  
(The Almanac April 22, 29, May 6, 13, 2009)

**THE CURTIS GROUP**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232609

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as, The Curtis Group, 204 E. 2nd Ave., 620, San Mateo, CA 94401, Mail Address: PO Box 1304, San Mateo, CA 94401:  
**THE CURTIS GROUP**  
204 E. 2nd Ave. 620  
San Mateo, CA 94401  
This business is being conducted by an individual.  
Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 09/17/1998.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on April 16, 2009.  
(The Almanac April 22, 29, May 6, 13, 2009)

**ULTA SALON, COSMETICS & FRAGRANCE, INC.**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232510

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as, Ulta Salon, Cosmetics & Fragrance, Inc., 1140 El Camino Real, San Bruno, CA 94066:  
**ULTA SALON, COSMETICS & FRAGRANCE, INC.**  
1135 Arbor Drive  
Romeoville, IL 60446  
This business is being conducted by a Corporation.  
Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 11/21/2004.  
This statement was filed with the

County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on April 10, 2009.  
(The Almanac April 22, 29, May 6, 13, 2009)

**DARCK PEARL INVESTMENTS**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No. 232621

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as, Darck Pearl Investments, 2000 Broadway Street, Suite 150, Redwood City, CA 94063, San Mateo County:  
**ROBERT A. OYSTER**  
2000 Broadway St., Suite 150  
Redwood City, CA 94063  
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 April 17, 2009.  
(The Almanac April 22, 29, May 6, 13, 2009)

**997 All Other Legals**

**AMENDED ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO**  
Case No. CIV480568  
**TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:**  
Petitioner CAROL and CHRISTOPHER THOMSEN filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
**WILLIAM SCOTT THOMSEN to WILLIAM CHRISTOPHER THOMSEN.**  
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.  
**NOTICE OF HEARING:** April 29, 2009, 9:00 a.m., Dept. P.J. Superior Court of California, County of San Mateo, 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 following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county:  
THE ALMANAC  
Date: March 24, 2009  
/s/ Stephen M. Hall  
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT  
(The Almanac 4/1, 4/8, 4/15, 4/22, 2009)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S No. 1190777-15 APN: 062-073-260-2 TRA: LOAN NO: Xxxxxx8939 REF: Mancía, Gloria IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED February 16, 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 May 12, 2009, at 12:30pm, Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded March 02, 2006, as Inst. No. 2006-030481 in book XX, page XX of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, State of California, executed by Gloria De Jesus Mancía, An Unmarried Woman and Vilma Mancía, An Unmarried Woman, As Joint Tenants, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank At the main entrance of the city hall of records 401 Marshall Street Redwood City, California, 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: Completely described in said deed of trust The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1119 Hollyburne

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 held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$564,791.43. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. For sales information: Mon-Fri 9:00am to 4:00pm (619) 590-1221. Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, 525 East Main Street, P.O. Box 22004, El Cajon, CA 92022-9004 Dated: April 17, 2009. (R-227746 04/22/09, 04/29/09, 05/06/09)  
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TS No.: 3743538 TS No.: 20089070803648 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 07/18/2005. 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 04/28/2009 at 12:30 PM, FIRST

AMERICAN LOANSTAR TRUSTEE SERVICES, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 06/23/2008, as Instrument No.2008-072232, in book ,page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of SAN MATEO County, State of CALIFORNIA. Executed by: ALEJANDRO ANDRADE, MARTHA ANDRADE, 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) AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE OF THE CITY HALL OF RECORDS 401 MARSHALL STREET REDWOOD CITY 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# 063-700-200-7 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1208 BEECH 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 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 \$447,559.08. 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. First AmericanLoanstar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 Original document signed by Authorized Agent FOR TRUSTEE'S SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 619-590-1221 Date: 03/30/2009 FIRST AMERICAN LOANSTAR TRUSTEE SERVICES MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Requirements of SB1137 have been met pursuant to the Notice of Sale Declaration of record. Authorized Signature: Chet Sconyers R-228108 04/08/09, 04/15/09, 04/22/09  
(The Almanac 4/8, 4/15, 4/22, 2009)

Trustee Sale # CA0924091-1 Loan# 1009057991 Order # G854019 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 12/22/2006. 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 PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 05/18/2009 at 12:30PM, MTC FINANCIAL INC., dba TRUSTEE CORPS as the duly appointed Substituted Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 12/29/2006 as Document No. 2006-197893 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of San Mateo County, CALIFORNIA, executed by, STEVEN C SHAFRAN A SINGLE MAN, as Trustor, INDIYMAC BANK, F.S.B., A FEDERALLY CHARTERED SAVINGS BANK, 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 ST.

ENTRANCE TO THE HALL OF JUSTICE AND RECORDS, 400 COUNTY CENTER, REDWOOD CITY, CA The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". 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 describing the land therein: APN # 063-463-610 PORTION OF LOT 34, AS SHOWN ON THAT CERTAIN MAP ENTITLED, "THE CHARLES WEEKS POULTRY COLONY FOURTH ADDITION TO RUNNYMEDE, SAN MATEO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA", FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA ON FEBRUARY 13, 1920 IN BOOK 10 OF MAPS AT PAGE 28. MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE NORTHERLY LINE OF O'CONNOR STREET, DISTANT THEREON SOUTH 79° 43' EAST 50 FEET FROM THE INTERSECTION THEREOF WITH THE DIVIDING LINE BETWEEN LOTS 33 AND 34; THENCE FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING NORTH 10° 19' EAST 58 FEET; THENCE NORTH 79° 43' WEST 2.00 FEET; THENCE NORTH 10° 19' EAST 142 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 79° 43' EAST 57.304 FEET TO THE EASTERLY LINE OF SAID LOT 34, THENCE SOUTH 10° 19' WEST ALONG THE LAST MENTIONED LOT LINE 200 FEET TO THE SAID NORTHERLY LINE OF O'CONNOR STREET; THENCE NORTH 79° 43' WEST ALONG THE LAST MENTIONED LINE 55.304 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. EXCEPTING THEREFROM THE SOUTHERLY 10 FEET OF THE EASTERLY 55.304 FEET OF LOT 34, AS SAID LOT IS SHOWN ON THE MAP ENTITLED "THE CHARLES WEEKS POULTRY COLONY, FOURTH ADDITION TO RUNNYMEADE" RECORDED IN BOOK 10 OF MAPS AT PAGE 28, RECORDS OF SAN MATEO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 423 OCONNOR STREET, 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, 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. 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 Trustee's Sale is: \$611,894.45 (estimated amount). Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Compliance with California Civil Code Section 2923.5: The Beneficiary or Beneficiary's agent has indicated that the requirements of California Civil Code Section 2923.5 have been met. Compliance with California Civil Code Section 2924.8: Dated: 04/22/2009 MTC FINANCIAL INC. DBA TRUSTEE CORPS, as Successor Trustee By: SALLIE ARMENTA , TRUSTEE SALES OFFICER \*TRUSTEE CORPS\* 2112 BUSINESS CENTER DRIVE, 2ND FLOOR, IRVINE, CA 92612 FOR SALE INFORMATION CONTACT: (714)573-1965, (714) 573-7777, (949) 252-8300 FOR REINSTATEMENT / PAY OFF REQUESTS CONTACT: (949) 252-8300 P558993 4/22, 4/29, 05/06/2009 (The Almanac 4/22, 4/29, 05/06/2009)

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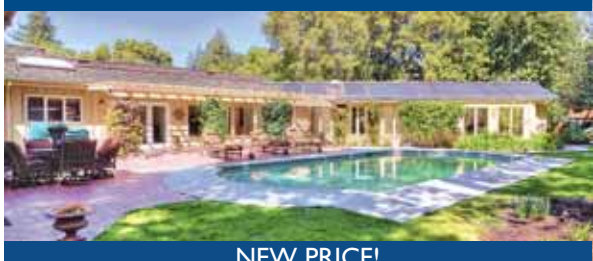


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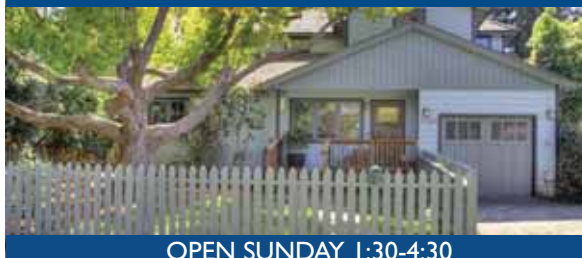


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