

# Baseball ambassador



Photo by Jescie Bohbot

**Enthusiasm** and some sideways glances greeted David Klein, manager of the Menlo Park Legends semi-pro baseball team, as he introduced America's fabled national pastime to middle-school kids in Ofakim in southern Israel.

**B**aseball metaphors are plentiful in the United States: getting to first base, coming out of left field, being thrown a curve, having two or three strikes against you.

Such metaphors likely go unheard in Israel, where soccer and

basketball are popular, says David Klein, who visited Israel in 2011-12 and manages the Menlo Park Legends semi-pro summer team. Outside of the U.S. ex-pat community in Israel, baseball is almost unknown, he says.

He tried to change that at several middle schools in Tel Aviv over five months, starting in September 2011. His motive, he says,



Photo by Michelle Le/The Almanac

David Klein

was to give back to the Jewish community and to baseball. He acquired funding for the five-month internship, but the baseball part would prove tougher. Baseball, like cricket, is famously opaque to the uninitiated.

"It's extremely hard to explain, especially in Hebrew," Mr. Klein told the Almanac. "That was actually very challenging. That was the hardest part."

Menlo Park  
Legends  
Manager  
David Klein  
teaches  
baseball  
in Tel Aviv

By Dave Boyce  
Almanac Staff Writer

He spent a month learning enough Hebrew to talk about baseball. On seminar days, he would rise at 7 a.m., load 50 baseballs, 30 gloves and some bats and cones into an equipment bag, get a cab, and ride off to conduct two- and three-day seminars at the schools. He used gifts of baseball cards as incentives for

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Photo by Jordana Bickel

**Hitting** a round ball with a round bat is “the hardest thing to do in sports,” baseball great Ted Williams once said. David Klein gave of his experience at the plate to this Tel Aviv girl during his five-month, baseball-themed internship to enlighten Israeli kids about the game.

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the kids’ efforts to understand the game.

A seminar would start with a discussion of throwing and catching, then hitting, then tying it all together with the rules, and followed by a simple game, he says. Most of the classes took place inside gyms.

“Ninety-nine percent of the kids had never even picked up a glove or a baseball bat, nor had they ever seen a baseball game in their lives,” Mr. Klein says. Putting on a baseball glove may seem straightforward to us here, but to Israeli kids it was a mystery. Why? “I don’t know,” Mr. Klein says.

“They don’t know baseball. It’s not cool there,” he says. “(But) they have a sense of wonder and are very, very interested in Amer-

ican culture. They are very, very interested in American values.”

Every week, out of the several hundred kids he talked to that week, four or five would indicate an interest in playing in Israel’s nascent Little League, he says.

“It’s a small and growing sport in Israel,” Mr. Klein says. Israel has three full-size baseball diamonds and a few Little League

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fields; nationwide about 1,200 kids play, mostly from families that emigrated from the United States, he says.

An attempt to form a professional league faded in 2007; they had trouble attracting fans and funding, Mr. Klein says.



Photo by Michelle Le/The Almanac

**A dream** of fields in Israel perchance occupies the mind of David Klein, Menlo Park Legends manager. Mr. Klein, who played as a kid at Palo Alto’s Baylands Athletic Center (pictured here), recently traveled to Israel to bring the game to middle-school kids unfamiliar with it.

Mr. Klein, a Menlo Park resident, played at Menlo-Atherton High School and is in the school’s baseball Hall of Fame. He played catcher for the University of California, Santa Barbara.

### Getting some help

In January, near the end of his sojourn, Mr. Klein took his seminar south by bus to Ofakim. Ofakim is a few miles east of Sderot, a town often cited in news reports as being a target for rockets launched from the Gaza Strip, a Palestinian population center.

Rocket attacks are “a daily threat,” Mr. Klein noted.

“There was always the possibility that it could happen. Life there is not easy and it gives you a new appreciation for what we have here.”

Also on the bus that day were 30 to 40 young adults, ages 18 to 26, visiting from the United States on an all-expense-paid 10-day BirthRight trip. They had volunteered to help Mr. Klein teach kids about baseball. Eleven in the group were college baseball players; the rest had playing experience. The group was split evenly among men and women.

Thousands of young Jewish adults visit Israel on BirthRight

trips every year, Mr. Klein says, adding that this was the first trip with a baseball theme.

During the two-hour bus trip, Mr. Klein drilled the group in baseball-related Hebrew phrases, and read aloud 10 minutes of news about U.S. Major League baseball. “I wanted to keep the baseball vibe alive,” he says.

The plan had been to bring

In Japan, he says, players keep their emotions under control. Nobody throws helmets. Managers don’t engage in face-to-face shouting matches with umpires. Everything is by the book.

With the rocket attacks and the antagonism of Middle East politics in general, Israelis take time to enjoy life, Mr. Klein says. They’re not always on time.

They walk slowly and can spend two hours or more on a meal. Public buses “come whenever they want.”

Baseball, too, is laid back, he says. The game may start late. Umpires may be late. Players may

not even show up. The defense takes its time in getting into position.

The trip did confirm his belief that baseball is special, however. Its appeal has to do with it being a team sport that showcases individual performance, he says.

“I think as people understand that and learn more about the game of baseball, it will help it grow,” he says. “Playing catch is a mindless form of activity that anybody can enjoy.”

Baseball is also coming along in the Czech Republic, Germany, Italy and Spain, he says. “They’re all growing baseball countries.”

Israel is a challenge because the game is naturally slow. “They often like games that are a little more fast-paced,” he says. ■

“It’s interesting how different cultures and their cultural norms translate to the actual game play.”

together students from a Jewish/Israeli school and an Arab/Israeli school. It didn’t work out, but they did engage a school that had both Jewish and Arab Israeli students.

Under Mr. Klein’s direction, the BirthRight group split up and ran 20-minute clinics on base running, hitting and catching. The highlight for many BirthRight members: seeing a kid make his or her first catch. “They said it was absolutely priceless,” Mr. Klein says.

### A slow game, slower

So what did he learn?

“It’s interesting how different cultures and their cultural norms translate to the actual game play,” Mr. Klein says.



## Kids sue father for mother's death

Three children of former Woodside resident Parima Parineh have filed a wrongful death lawsuit against their father, Pooroushasb "Peter" Parineh, who is now in jail on charges of having killed their mother.

The three are her son, Austiag Hormoz Parineh, her daughter, Austiaj Parineh, and her son, Khashayar Parineh.

The April 11 complaint filed in San Mateo County Superior Court alleges that Pooroushasb Parineh "willfully and maliciously fired two gun shots to the head of Parima" at their Woodside mansion on Fox Hill Drive on April 13, 2010.

The children allege in the complaint that their mother survived this attack for "some period

of time," and that their father acted out of a motive to cash in on life insurance policies that would have paid out with Ms. Parineh's death.

Pooroushasb Parineh has been in county jail on a no-bail status on charges of premeditated murder for financial gain since his arrest in Sunnyvale on June 17, 2010, by deputies from the San Mateo County Sheriff's Office. He is the only suspect in the case.

Prosecutors alleged that Mr. Parineh, a real estate investor, had several properties in foreclosure,



San Mateo County Sheriff's Office  
**Parima Parineh**

no liquidity and "enormous debt" at the time of his wife's death.

If Mr. Parineh, who was 64 at the time, is convicted, the apparently planned nature of the crime would make him subject to the death penalty or life in prison without the possibility of parole, according to the state penal code.

Among the damages from the death of their mother are the loss of her love, companionship, comfort, affection, society, solace, income and moral support, Ms. Parineh's children say in the complaint.

Austiag Hormoz Parineh resides in Orange County, and Austiaj and Khashayar Parineh in San Francisco County, according to the complaint.

## Woodside meets on country club renovation

By Barbara Wood

Special to the Almanac

Woodside's Planning Commission will hold a special meeting on Wednesday, April 25 in Independence Hall, 2995 Woodside Road, to decide whether the Menlo County Club's plans for renovating its golf course and tennis courts will be approved.

The private club wants to modernize its 25-year-old golf course within its current footprint, including the removal of 345 trees and a manmade pond. Earlier plans to expand the golf course were abandoned because it would

disturb the nests of a rare wood rat that nests near the golf course.

In addition to redesigning the course, the project would move two of the club's tennis courts closer to two other courts in the southwest area of the property and add a 640-square-foot tennis building with an office, restrooms and exercise area.

The country club is located across the street from Woodside High School, near the boundary of Woodside and Redwood City.

The town is not requiring a full environmental impact report on the project, but instead a report called a "mitigated negative declaration" because, Plan-

ning Director Young has said, research has indicated that the environmental impacts of the project can be made less than significant if the club meets conditions imposed by the town.

The project would involve approximately 180,000 cubic yards of grading. About 63,000 cubic yards of sand will be brought onsite to cap the golf course. The country club will need a grading exception and a conditional use permit from the town to do the work.

The project does not need approval from the Town Council unless the Planning Commission's decision is appealed. ■

## Woodside Library holds book sale

The Friends of the Woodside Library have amassed a wide array of books — priced at \$1 for hardbacks and 25 cents for paperbacks — for the semi-annual book sale on Saturday, April 28, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the library, 3140 Woodside Road in Woodside.

People are invited to browse through thousands of titles, including new and classic fiction, reference and children's books. There will be recorded books and DVDs for sale, too.

All proceeds benefit the Friends of the Woodside Library, which sponsors the library's popular children's programs,



**Margaret MacNiven** is president of the Friends of the Woodside Library.

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provides computer support, and supplements the book, DVD and audio collections.

For more information, call the library at (650) 851-0147.

### Woodside author on book tour

Deborah Michel of Woodside is kicking off the book tour for her debut novel, "Prosper in Love" (Berkley Trade Paperback Original, \$15) at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 1, at Books Inc. in the Town and Country Village shopping center in Palo Alto.

The novel is described by the publisher as "a witty comedy of manners about a young couple, who is very happily married until suddenly they aren't." The story of Lynn and Jamie Prosper is set in Los Angeles and includes

"the colorful inhabitants of the Los Angeles art world."

Ms. Michel, who has lived in Menlo Park and Woodside for the past decade, grew up in Los Angeles. She graduated from Dartmouth College, and holds a master's degree in fine arts from Bennington College.

She has worked for many publications, include Premiere, Self, Los Angeles, and the Los Angeles Times Magazine. She was the West Coast editor of Spy and served as a contributing editor at Buzz.

Ms. Michel resides in Woodside with her husband and twin daughters.



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**Deborah Michel**

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## 'Taming of the Shrew' at Menlo School

Men and women battle it out to become best friends in the Monty Python-inspired production of "Taming of the Shrew" that includes Bollywood dances, sword fights, and flying rubber chickens, says Menlo School spokesman Jill Kasser

Menlo School will present the show on an outdoor stage at 8 p.m. May 4, 5 and 6, and May 10, 11 and 12.

Those attending are advised to dress warmly and bring low lawn chairs and blankets to the school's campus at 50 Valparaiso Ave. in Atherton. Tickets at the door are \$10 for adults and \$7 for students.

**In the cast** of "Taming of the Shrew" are, seated, from left, Andrew Klingelhofer, Katie Lannin, Zoe Hernandez and Zoe Monosson; and standing, from left, Abhi Veerina, Jordan Vasquez and John Welsh.

Photo by Austin Tamaddon

## Obituary: Robert D. Scoren of Woodside

Robert Donald Scoren, a resident of Woodside for nearly 50 years, died March 22. He was 81.

Dr. Scoren was a periodontist for 32 years, with offices in Palo Alto. He also taught at Stanford University and conducted research at UC San Francisco.

A native of Windsor, Ontario, Dr. Scoren studied dentistry at the College of Physicians and Surgeons in San Francisco. He later completed graduate studies in periodontics at the University of Pennsylvania and Boston University.

The family said his patient list included Robert Noyce, founder of Intel; Lucile Packard, for whom the children's hospital is named; and painter Georgia O'Keefe, who flew in from New Mexico to see him.

Dr. Scoren designed and

curated an exhibition of his collection of antique toys at the Craft and Folk Art Museum in Los Angeles. Creative expression captivated him, say family members, and he enjoyed sharing this in the folk art decor of his office, designing the interior of his daughter Holly's veterinary office, and in custom features in his Woodside home.



Robert Scoren

His other passions were playing tennis, listening to jazz music, and enjoying his family and his dog, Boomer, the family said.

Survivors include his wife, Lisa of Woodside; daughters Leslie Scoren of Mountain View and Holly Scoren Miller of Topanga; his first wife, Rita Joanne Scoren of Mountain View; and four grandchildren.

The family plans a celebration of Dr. Scoren's life for family and friends in May.

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

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## Church seeks volunteers for Compassion Weekend

Menlo Park Presbyterian Church is seeking more than 5,000 volunteers to work on 28 projects in dozens of Peninsula neighborhoods during Compassion Weekend, being held on Saturday and Sunday, April 28 and 29.

For the past seven years, the church has mobilized thousands of volunteers from local churches and communities to engage in community service projects addressing such areas as education, housing, medical care and poverty.

Compassion Weekend has poured more than \$350,000 and 12,000 work hours back in the community on a single weekend, said Carolyn R. Bennett, communications manager for the Menlo Park Presbyterian Church.

"After the weekend, many volunteers branch out and continue to give their time to local schools and nonprofit organizations year-round," she said. "Compassion Weekend volunteers range from skilled workers to families with small children. There's a place for everyone to participate.

"Compassion Weekend is an easy way for people who want to help others," says the church's mission pastor, Mark Swarner. "We invite everyone to participate with us. It only takes a few hours to make the Bay Area a better place."

Visit [CompassionWeekend.com](http://CompassionWeekend.com) for more information.

### Contract bridge unit opens new center

The Palo Alto Unit 503 of the American Contract Bridge League has opened a new bridge center at 432A Stierlin Road in Mountain View, trumping out the old center, which was also in Mountain View.

The center offers games, classes

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and lectures for the unit's 900-plus members. Many plan to play at the center's grand opening party on Sunday, April 29. The cost is \$8.

Lunch starts at 11:30 a.m., followed by a game at 1 p.m., with the competition divided into three levels. Players can win prizes and gifts.

Visit [paloaltobridge.com](http://paloaltobridge.com) or call 940-1824 for more information.

—Kate Daly

### Jupiter String Quartet performs in Atherton

Music@Menlo's winter series concludes at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 29, at the Performing Arts Center at Menlo-Atherton High School, located at 555 Middlefield Road in Atherton.

The Jupiter String Quartet will present an afternoon of masterworks that include the F Major String Quartet, op 77, no. 2 by Joseph Haydn and Franz Schubert's String Quartet in G Major, D 887.

Tickets are \$45-\$50 for adults and \$20-\$25 for students.

Visit [musicatmenlo.org](http://musicatmenlo.org) or call 331-0202 for more information.

### Homework help

The Boys & Girls Clubs of the Peninsula and Ross Stores Inc. are partnering to sponsor the Power Hour program, an after-school homework assistance program for members, ages 6 to 18.

Ross Stores will underwrite staff training. The clubs are also working on opportunities for Ross store employees to volunteer.

The Boys & Girls Clubs of the Peninsula has three clubhouses and four school sites in East Palo Alto, eastern Menlo Park, and Redwood City. Nearly 2,000 youth take part in club activities.

## 'Symphony in Flowers' fundraiser

The Mid-Peninsula League of the San Francisco Symphony celebrates the San Francisco Symphony's 100th birthday in grand style with an evening of cocktails, floral displays, fine dining and musical entertainment Sunday, May 6, at the Menlo Circus Club, 190 Park Lane in Atherton.

The benefit will feature musicians from the San Francisco Symphony.

This is the second year the gala will be held at the Circus Club. For years, the league's major fundraiser was a garden tour. The difficulties of staffing and finding homeowners willing to open their gardens to the public led members to look for a new format, which has proved to be a winner.

"We are a small league and it was just too difficult for our members to staff four different gardens for two days," says league spokesman Mimi Kugushev, who served as co-chair of last year's event.

Betty Jean Ogawa, league president, and Nancy Greenbach, former president, are co-chairs of this year's gala, which begins at 5 p.m. During the cocktail hour, guests will visit tables with floral displays for sale, as well as auction items, ranging from \$100 gift certificates to \$5,000 African safaris.

One of the auction highlights is an evening of music and fine wine for 26 guests to be held at the home of a league member.

Proceeds from the event benefit the San Francisco Symphony and its education and community outreach programs, including "Concerts for Kids."

Six weeks of music listening and training by Mid-Peninsula League docents culminated Jan. 18 and 20 when 350 second- and third-grade students from the Ravenswood Elementary School District were transported to San Francisco for a special



Nancy Greenbach of Atherton, left, and Miri Kugushev of Menlo Park are busy with plans for the Mid-Peninsula League of the San Francisco Symphony's annual "Symphony in Flowers." Ms. Greenbach and Betty Jean Ogawa, who could not be present for the photograph, are co-chairs of the event.

performance by the San Francisco Symphony. Children from Costano, Brentwood and Willow Oaks Schools attended the concert, accompanied by nine league members and 16 teachers.

Tickets to the benefit are \$190 per person. For more information, call 321-3718.

## Youth author talks about writing

Young adult author Matt de la Pena, a New York University creative writing teacher and author of "Mexican White Boy," "We Were Here" and "The Story of Boxing Legend Joe

Louis," will give a talk on writing at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 10, at the Menlo Park Library, 800 Alma St.

Mr. de la Pena will talk about writing gritty realism and finding

your identity. The former college basketball player may also talk about basketball.

The event will take place in the Teen Department and is sponsored by the Friends of the Menlo Park Library.

## Heidi Ann Renner

July 12, 1957 - February 25, 2012

Heidi passed away peacefully at home surrounded by her devoted family and loved ones. On Nov. 8, 2011, she suffered a devastating stroke—the second of her life—the first one occurring 46 years earlier when she was 8.

Heidi was born in San Francisco and lived all her life in California, but had traveled the world, particularly the northern regions, Mongolia, the Bering Sea, Alaska, Norway, Svalbard, Iceland, Greenland, Scotland's Hebrides and more.

Heidi was an Art and Educational Therapist in private practice on the peninsula for over 20 years. She was active both locally and nationally in the International Dyslexia Association (IDA) her entire professional career. She was a proud and active member of the Menlo Masters swim team.

She is survived by her son, Christopher Inglis (Caroline) of Santa Clara, her

parents, Mike and Martha Renner of Atherton, her sisters, Mary Lu Lehman (Phil) of Foster City and Janet Renner of Maui HI, and many other family members.

A Celebration of Heidi's Life will be held on Saturday, April 28th, at The Pavilion in Holbrook — Palmer Park, 150 Watkins Ave., Atherton, from 2:00 — 5:00 p.m.

Donations may be made on Heidi's behalf to any of the causes she so loved and dedicated herself in supporting.

The International Dyslexia Assn., 40 York Rd., 4th Floor, Baltimore MD 21204-5202 Northern CA Branch. IDA, PO Box 5010, San Mateo CA 94402-0010

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## Renate Merredew

Dec. 14, 1946-Feb. 21, 2012

Renate Gruber Merredew passed away February 21, 2012 at her home in Atherton, California at the age of 65. Renate was born in Walern, Austria December 14, 1946. She emigrated to the United States with her family in 1951 and they settled in Aurora, Illinois where she grew up. Following graduation from Valparaiso University and a post graduate degree from Northwestern University, Renate achieved success and personal satisfaction in a variety of careers. She enjoyed living in a number of locations including Glenview, Ill, New Jersey, California, England and Germany. She is survived by her husband, Clive Merredew, and her niece and nephew, Dr. Kristin Pampel and Erik Pampel, both of Chicago. No services are planned. Those wishing to make donations in her name may do so to Pathways Hospice Foundation, 585 N. Mary Ave, Sunnyvale, CA 94085.

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# Calendar

MEETINGS, MUSIC, THEATER, FAMILY ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL EVENTS

## Special Events

**'Otter Run'** The 18th annual Otter Run 5K family run donates its proceeds from sponsorship and registration to Oak Knoll School. May 20, 8:30-10:30 a.m. \$20 adults; \$10 kids. Oak Knoll School, 1895 Oak Knoll Lane, Menlo Park. Call 415-606-2343. [www.oakknollschooll.com/](http://www.oakknollschooll.com/)

**Friends of Woodside Library Book Sale** Outdoor parking lot sale of books to benefit the Woodside Library, run by the Friends of Woodside Library. Low prices; lots of selection; no early sales before 10 a.m. April 28, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-0147. [www.smcl.org](http://www.smcl.org)

**'Wild Crush 2012'** This event features wine-tasting from six vintners as well as a chocolate tasting. The reception is followed by a catered dinner and a live auction supporting the Environmental Volunteers, a Palo Alto nonprofit. April 29, 5-10 p.m. \$175. Oshman Family Jewish Community Center, 3921 Fabian Way, Palo Alto. Call 650-961-0545. [evols.org](http://evols.org)

## On Stage

**'Of Mice and Men'** TheatreWorks presents 'Of Mice and Men.' Adapted for the stage by Steinbeck, this is a portrait of the strength of friendship and the depth of the American dream. April 4-29. \$19- \$69. Mountain View Center for the Performing Arts, 500 Castro St., Mountain View. [www.theatreworks.org](http://www.theatreworks.org)

## Talks/Authors

**'A Bird as Black as the Sun: California Poets on Crows and Ravens'** In this diverse anthology, more than 80 California poets hold forth on the theme of crows and ravens. April 28, 2 p.m. Members get in free. General Admission requires purchase of event book or a \$10 gift card (admits 2) Kepler's, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. [www.keplers.com/event/poetry-cynthia-anderson-charlotte-muse-other-contributors](http://www.keplers.com/event/poetry-cynthia-anderson-charlotte-muse-other-contributors)

**Book Discussion: 'A Journal of My Son's First Son'** Anne Lamott enters a new and unexpected chapter of her own life: grandmotherhood. Stunned to learn that her son, Sam, is about to become a father at 19, Lamott begins a journal about the first year of her grandson Jax's life. April 25, 7 p.m. Members get in free. General Admission requires purchase of event book or a \$10 gift card (admits 2) Kepler's, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. [www.keplers.com/event/anne-lamott-0](http://www.keplers.com/event/anne-lamott-0)

**Docent Lecture: Dutch and Flemish Masterworks** Works by Rembrandt van Rijn, Frans Hals, and Hendrick Avercamp, among others, chronicle the Dutch way of life during its Golden Age. May 1, 1:30-2:30 p.m. \$3 Members / \$5 Non-Members. Little House Activity Center, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025, ext 229. [www.penvol.org/littlehouse](http://www.penvol.org/littlehouse)

**Ethics and War** In the lecture, Michael Walzer will address the criticism that is current among some soldiers and academic strategists these days that if you try to fight an asymmetric war in accordance with the U.S. rules of engagement or the requirements of just war theory, you will lose the war. April 26, 5:30-7 p.m. Stanford University, Annenberg Auditorium 435 Lasuen Mall, Stanford. [ethicsinsociety.stanford.edu/ethics-events/events/view/1297/?date=2012-04-26](http://ethicsinsociety.stanford.edu/ethics-events/events/view/1297/?date=2012-04-26)

**Mick LaSalle: 'The Beauty of the Real: What Hollywood Can Learn From Contemporary French Actresses.'** Based on one-on-one interviews and the viewing of numerous films, Mick LaSalle has put together a fascinating profile of recent generations of French film stars and an overview of their best work. LaSalle has been the film critic for the San Francisco Chronicle since 1985. April 30, 7 p.m. Members get in free. General admission requires purchase of event book or a \$10 gift card (admits 2) Kepler's, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. [www.keplers.com/event/mick-lasalle](http://www.keplers.com/event/mick-lasalle)

## Art Galleries

**'Introduction to the Cantor Arts Center'** This introductory tour features

objects from a variety of cultures and historic periods. Saturdays and Sundays at 1 p.m. Meets in the main lobby. Free. Cantor Arts Center, Lomita Drive at Museum Way, Stanford. [museum.stanford.edu/visit/public\\_tours.html](http://museum.stanford.edu/visit/public_tours.html)

**'Passage from Silk Road to Japan'** The Portola Art Gallery presents 'Passage from Silk Road to Japan' - ceramic creations by Misako Kambe of Menlo Park. Kambe's works are inspired by traditional Japanese, Chinese and Persian designs. April 2-30, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Free Portola Art Gallery, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park. Call 650-321-0220. [www.portolaartgallery.com](http://www.portolaartgallery.com)

**1st Anniversary Show** Allegro Framing and Art presents the '1st Anniversary Show' to celebrate Jeff Hernandez's first year as owner of the frame shop. The show features local artists Katherine McGuire, Christina Holmes, Judith Hamilton, Terry Guyer, Deborah Macias, Gilbert Draper, Dick Knoble and Jill Coolidge. May 31, Allegro Framing and Art, 3130 Alpine Road, Portola Valley. Call 650-701-0882.

## Classes/Workshops

**Digital Photography Workshop** Bay Area photographer Gilbert Draper, who apprenticed under the likes of Ansel Adams, Morley Baer and Arnold Newman, is teaching a digital photography workshop at Peninsula Volunteer's Little House. The six-week intensive workshop will offer logistical topics and creative tips. April 18-May 23, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. \$60. Little House Activity Center, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025, ext. 222. [www.penvol.org](http://www.penvol.org)

**Genealogy** Attendees can learn the skills, computer sites, and programs to help do the research to discover the history of ancestors. March 27-May 29, 10-11:30 a.m. \$90/\$99. Little House Activity Center, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025, ext. 222. [www.penvol.org](http://www.penvol.org)

**Summer Music Workshops** Workshops are open to musicians ages 6 to 14 of all instruments. Directed by El Camino Youth Symphony associate conductor Michail Gelfandbein, the workshops will feature orchestra, small-ensemble and music-theory instruction. Brochure and registration form available online. Registration due June 1. \$450. Palo Alto. [www.ecys.org/summer\\_workshops.html](http://www.ecys.org/summer_workshops.html)

## Clubs/Meetings

**American Christian Writers Association** The San Francisco Bay Area Chapter of the American Christian Writer's Association meets bimonthly. Workshops presented on writing craft, professional development and industry expertise. Guests welcome. Saturdays, March 17-May 19, 10 a.m.-noon. \$10 guest/\$5 members. Palo Alto Church of Christ, 3373 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. [acfw.com](http://acfw.com)

**Model Railroad Club Open House** The West Bay Model Railroad Association holds monthly open houses the fourth Wednesday of every month, and the club is currently seeking new members who are interested in model railroading, regardless of their skill level in the hobby. 7-10 p.m. Free. West Bay Model Railroad Association, 1090 Merrill St., Menlo Park. Call 650-322-0685. [wbmrra.ning.com](http://wbmrra.ning.com)

## Community Events

**'Coffee, Art & Chocolate'** Coffee, chocolate and art talk with artists and others. Fridays through Oct. 19, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Free. Pacific Art League, 668 Ramona St., Palo Alto. Call 650-321-3891. [www.pacificartleague.org](http://www.pacificartleague.org)

**Book Sale at Woodside Library** The Friends of Woodside Library will hold their semi-annual book sale at Woodside Library. Hard backs are \$1. Paperbacks and children's books are 25 cents. April 28, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Woodside Library, 3014 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-8010.

**Compassion Weekend 2012** Attendees join thousands of volunteers from San Jose to San Francisco to participate in one of 28 different projects that serve others in our local communities. Those interested can sign up today at [www.compassion-weekend.org](http://www.compassion-weekend.org). April 28-29, 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Menlo Park Presbyterian Church, 950 Santa Cruz Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-323-8600.

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**Make-It-and-Take-It Earth Day Tee-Bag** Attendees can visit the Portola Valley Library's booth at the Earth Day Fair to repurpose an old favorite tee shirt into a snazzy bag. All supplies will be provided. April 28, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Portola Valley Library, 765 Portola Road, Portola Valley. Call 650-851-0560. [www.smcl.org](http://www.smcl.org)

**U.S. Geological Survey Open House** The open house will include talks, exhibits, music and hands-on activities. May 19-20. Free. US Geological Survey, 345 Middlefield Road, Menlo Park.

## Concerts

**Benefit Concert in Menlo Park** Chamber music concert to benefit Children's Library of Nicaragua. Picasso Ensemble: Jodi Gandolfi (piano,) Susan Brown (violin), Victoria Ehrlich (cello), Wendy Hillhouse (mezzo-soprano). Music celebrating nature by Handel, Ravel, Turina, Karen Linford, and D'Arcy Reynolds. April 26, 7 p.m. \$20/ 10 Students, at the door Bethany Lutheran Church, 1095 Cloud Ave., Menlo Park.

**Woodside Village Band Spring Concert** The Woodside Village Band's 25th annual spring concert will be given Sunday in the Sanctuary of the Woodside Village Church. The program will include works by George Gershwin, Duke Ellington, Sir Arthur Sullivan, Kenneth Alford, and Bedrich Smetana. April 29, 3-5 p.m. No charge, donations accepted. Woodside Village Church, 3154 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-1642. [www.windband.org/woodside](http://www.windband.org/woodside)

## Exhibits

**'Antique Toys, 1870-1930'** In addition to early American toys, the exhibit also features turn-of-the-century toy trains and accessories from European toymakers such as Marklin and Bing. Through April, from 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)

**'Memory and Markets: Pueblo Painting'** In the 1930s, the formation of the Studio at the Santa Fe Indian School formalized the training of generations of Native painters. This exhibit features about 20 paintings, plus pottery that exemplifies earlier artistic styles. Wed.-Sun., Feb. 22-May 27, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Thursdays until 8 p.m.). Free. Cantor Arts Center, 328 Lomita Drive, Stanford. [museum.stanford.edu](http://museum.stanford.edu)

**'Playing Grown-Up: Toys from the Harry P. Costa Collection'** This exhibition will explore toys from the 1930s, 1940s and 1950s that allowed children to mimic the activities of adults. Toys will include an antique pedal fire truck and airplane, Tonka work trucks, and an electric 1929 Lionel Stove & Oven. Feb. 14-Dec. 31, Tues.-Sun., 10 a.m.-4 p.m. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. \$5 adults, \$3 seniors/students, free for children 5 & under, free for association members. San Mateo County History Museum, 2200 Broadway, Redwood City. Call 650-299-0104. [www.historysmc.org](http://www.historysmc.org)

**'Sculpture from the Fisher Collection'** This exhibit features pieces by John Chamberlain, Sol LeWitt Claes Oldenburg and Martin Puryear, together with Carl Andre's Copper-Zinc Plain, a floor piece composed of 36 tiles; and John Chamberlain's Bijou, a large early work made of crushed automobiles and paint. Wed.-Sun.; Feb. 29-Oct. 13, 2013; open 11 a.m.-5 p.m. (Thurs. until 8 p.m.). Free. Cantor Arts Center, 328 Lomita Drive, Stanford. [museum.stanford.edu](http://museum.stanford.edu)

**Stanford Art Spaces - Stanford University** Paintings by Jose Allen, Paintings by Wayne Jiang, & Photographs by Terry Thompson are on exhibit at the Paul G. Allen (C.I.S.) Art Spaces Gallery weekdays from April 13 - June 21. April 13, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Stanford Art Spaces, 420 Via Palou, Stanford. Call 650-725-3622. [cis.stanford.edu-mariogros](http://cis.stanford.edu-mariogros)

## Family and Kids

**'Playborhood: Turn Your Neighborhood into a Place for Play'** Kids will enjoy the wonders of Mike's front and back yards, and an inspiring chat about what parents are up against in establishing

regular outside neighborhood play wherever they live. April 29, 1-3 p.m. Purchase of bo.9ok: \$95 plus tax. Mike Lanza, 226 Yale Road, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. [www.keplers.com/event/parents-kids-mike-lanzas-playborhood](http://www.keplers.com/event/parents-kids-mike-lanzas-playborhood)

**El Dia de los Ninos** Duo Cascada de Flores will bring a bilingual performance of Mexican music and dance for El Dia de los Ninos. This program is funded by the Friends of the Portola Valley Library. April 24, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Portola Valley Library, 765 Portola Road, Portola Valley. Call 650-851-0560. [www.smcl.org](http://www.smcl.org)

**Palo Alto Junior Museum & Zoo** Ongoing exhibits at the museum and zoo include "Bobcat Ridge," "Africa's Bats," exhibits on physics and math, and a "Buzzz" display on insects and spiders. Museum hours: Tue.-Sat. from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sun. 1-4 p.m. Free. Palo Alto Junior Museum & Zoo, 1451 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. [www.friendsjrmz.org](http://www.friendsjrmz.org)

**Story Time with Alex Beard: 'Crocodile's Tears'** When Black Rhino asks Crocodile why he's crying, he learns an interesting fact: Crocodile isn't really crying; he's wetting his eyes in the hot, dry sun like all crocodiles do. And Black Rhino learns something else about crocodiles: they can have you for lunch if you don't watch out! April 26, 11:15 a.m. free Kepler's, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. [www.keplers.com/event/story-time-alex-beard](http://www.keplers.com/event/story-time-alex-beard)

**Toddler Dance Party** Kids can sing, dance and play with family musician Charity Kahn of Charity and the JAMband. April 24, 10:30-11 a.m. Free. Atherton Library, 2 Dinkelspiel Station Lane, Atherton. Call 650-328-2422. [www.smcl.org](http://www.smcl.org)

## Film

**Final Friday Flicks** Atherton Library hosts family-friendly films the last Friday of each month. Feature for April will be "Kung Fu Panda 2" Doors open at 6:45 pm. April 27, 7-8:30 p.m. Atherton Library, 2 Dinkelspiel Station Lane, Atherton. Call 650-328-2422. [www.smcl.org](http://www.smcl.org)

## Live Music

**Ives Quartet Spring Chamber Music Concert** Including works by Lurie, Mozart and Debussy. April 29, 3-5 p.m. \$10-\$15. First Congregational Church, 1985 Louis

Road, Palo Alto. [www.ivesquartet.org](http://www.ivesquartet.org)

**Woodside Elementary School Jazz Band** The Woodside Elementary School Jazz Band, under the direction of Beth Dameron, is made up of about 30 students in grades 6-8. The program they will be sharing with Little House will be mostly swing tunes from a variety of eras in jazz and music history and by composers like Berlin and Mancini. April 24, 1:30-2:30 p.m. \$2 Members/ \$3 Non-Members. Little House Activity Center, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025, ext. 229. [www.penvol.org](http://www.penvol.org)

## Sports

**Glenoaks Stables Summer Riding Camp** In its 12th year, Glenoaks Stables Riding Camp is a week-long, small-group horse program. Campers learn riding, pony games, vaulting, arts & crafts and general horsemanship. After-hours care is available for an extra fee. Camps are planned for the following dates: June 18-June 22, July 9-13; July 16-20; July 30-Aug. 3; and Aug. 6-10, 8:30 a.m.-2 p.m. \$500. Glenoaks Stables, 2629 Alpine Road, Portola Valley. Call 650-854-4955. [glenoaksequestrian.com/summercamps.htm](http://glenoaksequestrian.com/summercamps.htm)

## Support Groups

**Alateen Support Meetings** Alateen is a community of young people (12-20 years) whose lives have been affected by someone else's drinking. Participants focus on learning how to help themselves, whether the alcoholic continues to drink or not. Confidential, anonymous, non-religious and based on the 12 Steps of Alcoholics Anonymous. Sponsored by Al-Anon. Wednesdays, 7-8:15 p.m. Free. Trinity Parish Church, 330 Ravenswood Ave., Tierney Room, Menlo Park. Call 650-464-1925. [midpeninsula.org](http://midpeninsula.org)

## For all listings

This Calendar contains partial listings of community events. To see all listings, go to [TheAlmanacOnline.com](http://TheAlmanacOnline.com) and on the green navigation bar on the left, click on "Community Calendar."

# Alma Street library to close May 21-June 18

By Sandy Brundage

[Almanac Staff Writer](#)

When the Menlo Park public library on Alma Street closes on May 21 for renovation, staff will still have plenty to do, according to director Susan Holmer.

While construction workers remodel the circulation area by adding a skylight, wall, service desk and other features, and install new carpet, library staff will be tagging every item in the library's collection with radio frequency identification tags (RFID), both at the Alma Street location and the Belle Haven library.

The tags will use the library's new checkout system, designed to make the process easier for patrons while also providing security against theft.

If staff finish tagging before the library re-opens on June 18, Ms. Holmer said they'll move on to taking inventory, performing maintenance, program planning and professional development.

Funding for each aspect of the renovation comes from different sources: \$175,000 from the general fund capital improvement budget for carpet replacement; \$90,000 for remodeling the circulation area from a library bond fund; and \$147,000 from the public library fund and general fund for the RFID conversion.

During the closure, the outside book drop will stay open so people can return items. The Belle Haven branch, located at 413 Ivy Drive, will extend its hours until the main library re-opens.

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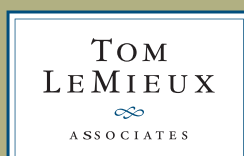
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## WOODSIDE

- PRIME LOCATION!** \$29,000,000  
Private prestigious location. 11+ acre property in central Woodside close to town.  
Susie Dews & Shena Hurley 650.325.6161
- WOODSIDE ESTATE HOME** \$16,995,000  
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Steven Gray 650.851.2666
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6 BR 7 full BA + 2 half Designed by noted architect Albert Farr, who modeled Buck after Hampton Court. 2.86 ac.  
Scott Dancer 650.851.2666
- PV SCHOOLS** \$7,495,000  
4 BR 4.5 BA Contemporary masterpiece in exclusive Hidden Valley set on approx. 3.68 acres.  
Hugh Cornish 650.324.4456
- MAGNIFICENT ESTATE** \$6,995,000  
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Erika Demma 650.851.2666
- GREAT VALUE & LOCATION!** \$5,995,000  
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Jim McCahon 650.851.2666
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# Public Notices

## 995 Fictitious Name Statement

**A&E ECO CLEAN FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.: 249639  
The following Person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
A&E Eco Clean, located at 15 B Dines Court, East Palo Alto, CA 94303, San Mateo County.  
Is (Are) hereby registered by the following owner(s):  
JOSE ENRIQUE BALLADARES ORTIZ  
15 B Dines Court  
East Palo Alto, CA 94303  
This business is conducted by: An Individual.  
The registrant commenced to transact 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 27, 2012.  
(ALM Apr. 4, 11, 18, 25, 2012)

**FRUSTRATED FARMGIRL FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.: 249659  
The following Person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
Frustrated Farmgirl, located at 751 Live Oak Avenue, Menlo Park, CA 94025, San Mateo County.  
Is (Are) hereby registered by the following owner(s):  
WILBERFORCE ENTERPRISES LLC  
751 Live Oak Avenue  
Menlo Park, CA 94025  
This business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company.  
The registrant commenced to transact 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 28, 2012.  
(ALM Apr. 4, 11, 18, 25, 2012)

**IH DIVERSIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNING FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.: 249640  
The following Person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
IH Diversified Financial Planning, located at 1330 University Drive, Suite 27, Menlo Park, CA 94025, San Mateo County.  
Is (Are) hereby registered by the following owner(s):  
IRVING HOLTZBERG  
1330 University Drive, Suite 27  
Menlo Park, CA 94025  
This business is conducted by: An Individual.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 10/23/1989.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on March 27, 2012.  
(ALM Apr. 4, 11, 18, 25, 2012)

**SHARON HEIGHTS REHAB. CO. FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.: 249663  
The following Person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
Sharon Heights Rehab. Co., located at 1011 Sierra Drive, Menlo Park, CA 94025, San Mateo County.  
Is (Are) hereby registered by the following owner(s):  
ADELE GURSKY  
1011 Sierra Drive  
Menlo Park, CA 94025  
NATHAN GURSKY  
1011 Sierra Drive  
Menlo Park, CA 94025  
This business is conducted by: General Partnership.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 01/01/2012.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on March 28, 2012.  
(ALM Apr. 4, 11, 18, 25, 2012)

**WILLOW WEAR ROAD TO RUIN FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.: 249448  
The following Person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
1.) Willow Wear, 2.) Road To Ruin, located at 1125 Merrill Street Second Floor, Menlo Park, CA 94025, San Mateo County.

Is (Are) hereby registered by the following owner(s):  
AMBER CARPENTER  
1125 Merrill Street Second Floor  
Menlo Park, CA 94025  
JEREMY CARPENTER  
1125 Merrill Street Second Floor  
Menlo Park, CA 94025  
This business is conducted by: Husband & Wife.  
The registrant commenced to transact 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 16, 2012.  
(ALM Apr. 11, 18, 25, May 2, 2012)

**RELISH STUDIOS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.: 249596  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as:  
Relish Studios, located at 3694 Brandy Rock Wy, Redwood City, CA 94061, San Mateo County.  
Registered owner(s):  
CHAUNTELLE LEA ZSCHOKKE TREFZ  
3694 Brandy Rock Wy  
Redwood City, CA 94061  
This business is conducted by: An Individual.  
The registrant commenced to transact 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, 2012.  
(ALM Apr. 18, 25, May 2, 9, 2012)

**ABLE WORKS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.: 249896  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
Able Works, located at 1836 Bay Rd., Ste. B, East Palo Alto, CA 94303, San Mateo County.  
Is (Are) hereby registered by the following owner(s):  
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION  
1836 Bay Rd., Ste. B  
East Palo Alto, CA 94303  
This business is conducted by: Non Profit Organization.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 04/10/2012.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on April 10, 2012.  
(ALM Apr. 18, 25, May 2, 9, 2012)

**MENLO APP ACADEMY FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.: 249922  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
Menlo App Academy, located at 363 Stockbridge Avenue, Atherton, CA 94027, San Mateo County.  
Is (Are) hereby registered by the following owner(s):  
MICHELLE DILLABOUGH  
363 Stockbridge Avenue  
Atherton, CA 94027  
This business is conducted by: An Individual.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 03/04/2012.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on April 11, 2012.  
(ALM Apr. 18, 25, May 2, 9, 2012)

**AQUAJET LOWHEAD HYDROPOWER COMPANY FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.: 250027  
The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as:  
Aquajet Lowhead Hydropower Company, located at 485 Woodside Road Apt. 3322, Redwood City, CA 94061, San Mateo County.  
Registered owner(s):  
KENNETH R. BROOME  
485 Woodside Road Apt. 3322  
Redwood City, CA 94061  
This business is conducted by: An Individual.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on April 18, 2012.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on April 18, 2012.  
(ALM Apr. 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2012)

**IE21.ORG FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.: 249962  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:  
IE21.ORG, located at 40 Patrick Way, 94019; Mail Address: 40 Patrick Way, 94019, San Mateo County.  
Is (Are) hereby registered by the following owner(s):  
MARCIA D. BARTON  
40 Patrick Way  
Half Moon Bay, CA 94019  
This business is conducted by: An Individual.  
The registrant commenced to transact 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 13, 2012.  
(ALM Apr. 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2012)

## 997 All Other Legals

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO**  
Case No.: CIV512667  
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:  
Petitioner JILL HELENE McCLELLAN has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing petitioner's name to JAY HENRY McCLELLAN.  
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 should not be granted.  
NOTICE OF HEARING: May 10, 2012, 9:00 a.m., Dept.: PJ, Room: 2E of the Superior Court of California, County of San Mateo, located at 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA 94063-1655.  
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 26, 2012  
/s/ Beth Labson Freeman  
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT  
(ALM Apr. 4, 11, 18, 25, 2012)

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE** Trustee Sale No. 406484CA Loan No. 0000174888 Title Order No. 6276987 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 05-28-2004. 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 05-02-2012 at 01:00 PM, CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded 06-10-2004, Book , Page , Instrument 2004-119938, of official records in the Office of the Recorder of SAN MATEO County, California, executed by: SONIA KASHYAP, A MARRIED WOMAN, as Trustor, WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA A FEDERAL ASSOCIATION, as Beneficiary, will sell at public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's 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. Sale will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to the Deed of Trust. The 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 the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Place of Sale: THE MARSHALL STREET ENTRANCE TO THE HALL OF JUSTICE AND RECORDS, 400 COUNTY CENTER , REDWOOD CITY, CA Legal Description: PORTION OF LOTS 34, 35 AND 36, AS

DELINEATED UPON THAT CERTAIN MAP ENTITLED "MAP OF BROOKSIDE PARK, WOODSIDE, SAN MATEO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA", FILED FOR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STAT E OF CALIFORNIA, ON OCTOBER 4TH, 1926 IN BOOK 14 OF MAPS, AT PAGES 25, 26 AND 17, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHEASTERLY LINE OF SAID LOT 36, AS SHOWN ON HE ABOVE MENTIONED MAP, SAID POINT BEING THE SOUTHEASTERLY CORNER OF THE LANDS DESCRIBED IN THE DEED FROM RICHARD F. BISHOP AND WIFE, TO CHARLES WILLIAM COALE AND WIFE, SATED FEBRUARY 7, 1953, RECORDED MARCH 9, 1953, BOOK 2379, PAGE 233, OFFICIAL RECORDS; THENCE FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING, ALONG THE NORTHEASTERLY LINE OF THE LANDS DESCRIBED IN THE LAST MENTIONED DEED, NORTH 22 DEGREES 38' 30" WEST 123.15 FEET, TO THE MOST NORTHEASTERLY CORNER OF SAID LANDS; THENCE LEAVING SAID LANDS OF COALE NORTH 77 DEGREES 18' 04" EAST 163.06 FEET TO THE WESTERLY LINE OF CAMPO DRIVE, FORMERLY HILLVIEW ROAD, AS SHOWN ON THE ABOVE MENTIONED MAP; THENCE ALONG SAID WESTERLY LINE OF CAMPO DRIVE, SOUTH 6 DEGREES 08' EAST 93.01 FEET TO THE SAID SOUTHEASTERLY LINE OF LOT 36; THENCE ALONG SAID SOUTHEASTERLY LINE SOUTH 64 DEGREES 53' WEST 134.30 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$1,383,334.90 (estimated) Street address and other common designation of the real property: 140 CAMPO ROAD PORTOLA VALLEY, CA 94028 APN Number: 079-160-390 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". In compliance with California Civil Code 2923.5(c) the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent declares: that it has contacted the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure; or that it has made efforts to contact the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure by one of the following methods: by telephone; by United States mail; either 1st class or certified; by overnight delivery; by personal delivery; by e-mail; by face to face meeting. DATE: 04-03-2012 CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY, as Trustee MARIA MAYORGA, ASSISTANT SECRETARY CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. California Reconveyance Company 9200 Oakdale Avenue Mail Stop: CA2-4379 Chatsworth, CA 91311 800-892-6902 For Sales Information: (714) 730-2727 or www.lpsasap.com (714) 573-1965 or www.priorityposting.com THE FOLLOWING NOTICES APPLY TO PROPERTIES CONTAINING ONE TO FOUR SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENCES ONLY. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you

to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, this information can be obtained from one of the following two companies: LPS Agency Sales & Posting at (714) 730-2727, or visit the Internet Web site www.lpsasap.com (Registration required to search for sale information) or Priority Posting & Publishing at (714) 573-1965 or visit the Internet Web site www.priorityposting.com (Click on the link for "Advanced Search" to search for sale information), using the Trustee Sale No. shown above. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. A-4224038 04/11/2012, 04/18/2012, 04/25/2012  
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Trustee Sale No. 255675CA Loan No. 1022777036 Title Order No. 1036783 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 6/10/2005. 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 5/2/2012 at 12:30 PM, CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded 06/24/2005, Book NA, Page NA, Instrument 2005-106164, of official records in the Office of the Recorder of San Mateo County, California, executed by: STAN DRAKE AND FRANKIE DRAKE, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS, as Trustor, LONG BEACH MORTGAGE COMPANY, as Beneficiary, will sell at public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's 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. Sale will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property

under and pursuant to the Deed of Trust. The 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 the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Place of Sale: At the Marshall St. entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA 94063 Legal Description: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$552,095.08 (estimated) Street address and other common designation of the real property: 509 IVY DRIVE Menlo Park, CA 94025 APN Number: 055-371-450 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". In compliance with California Civil Code 2923.5(c) the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent declares: that it has contacted the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure; or that it has made efforts to contact the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure by one of the following methods: by telephone; by United States mail; either 1st class or certified; by overnight delivery; by personal delivery; by e-mail; by face to face meeting. DATE: 4/6/2012 CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY, as Trustee FRED RESTREPO, ASSISTANT SECRETARY CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. California Reconveyance Company 9200 Oakdale Avenue Mail Stop: CA2-4379 Chatsworth, CA 91311 800-892-6902 For Sales Information: (714) 730-2727 or www.lpsasap.com (714) 573-1965 or www.priorityposting.com P934679 4/11, 4/18, 04/25/2012  
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Trustee Sale No. 753770CA Loan No. 3018339139 Title Order No. 110578893-CA-MAI NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 09-14-2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY,

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**323 WALSH RD**      **\$3,250,000**  
New listing! Opportunity and value in Las Lomitas! Formal custom build in 1969. Spacious 4BR/ Office/4BA/Pool. Approx. 1 acre.

## LOS ALTOS



**HANNA SHACHAM**  
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**77 ALMA CT**      **\$2,349,000**  
This fantastic, open 3,256 sqft two-level home is ideally located in North Los Altos. Close to downtown on large 10,800 sqft lot.

## MENLO PARK



**ELAINE WHITE**  
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**968 MONTE ROSA**      **\$1,895,000**  
Gorgeous remodeled 4BD/2.5BA home in Las Lomitas School District, features huge lot w/outdoor kitchen, spa & room to play. www.968monterosadr.crb.com

## MENLO PARK | NEW LISTING



**JUDI KIEL**  
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**304 ENCINAL AV**      **\$1,499,000**  
Darling 2BD/2BA cottage on large 8000+ sq.ft. corner lot. Sparkling pool, entertaining area plus French doors and windows.

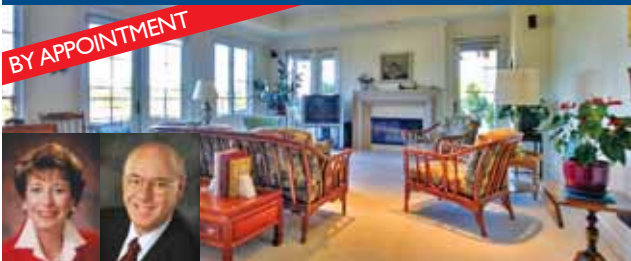
## PALO ALTO



**LYN JASON COBB**  
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lynjason.cobb@cbnorcal.com

**646 FOREST AVE**      **\$1,850,000**  
Rare, stylish contemporary/modern, almost new! A block and a half to downtown Palo Alto. www.downtownpaloaltoliving.com

## PALO ALTO



**JANET DORE**  
**JOHN SPILLER**  
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**555 BYRON ST #402**      **\$1,350,000**  
The Hamilton, a premier 55+ adult community. Desirable 4th floor 2BR/1.5BA unit with large private patio and balcony.

## PORTOLA VALLEY



**JOE & GINNY KAVANAUGH**  
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**20 NARANJA WY**      **\$5,450,000**  
3BR/2.5BA Spacious home stunning Windy Hill views, Westridge loc. New photovoltaic system. Guesthouse & pool, 2.6 acres (approx) www.20Naranja.com

## PORTOLA VALLEY



**LOVINDA BEAL**  
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**1525 ALTSCHUL AVE**      **\$1,398,000**  
3BR/2BA with family room. Granite countertops in kitchen. Walk-in closet in master. Approx 1,960 sf on 10,050 lot. Opportunity! www.1525Altschul.com

## WOODSIDE | OPEN SUNDAY



**STEVEN GRAY**  
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**27 PRESTON RD**      **\$4,395,000**  
Feel Peaceful & Quiet in this contemporary home with wooded acreage and inspiring views. Only 6 min. to Hwy 280 & Sand Hill Cir. www.27Preston.com

## WOODSIDE



**JUDI KIEL**  
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**215 HIGHLAND TE**      **\$2,280,000**  
3BD/2BA Woodside Glens home, 13K+ lot, gorgeous setting & vws! Incl. 16K+ adjacent lot w/sewer & separate APN. WDS Schls. www.215highlandterrace.com

## WOODSIDE | PORTOLA VALLEY SCHOOLS!



**HUGH CORNISH**  
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**SHOWN BY APPT**      **CALL FOR PRICE**  
Fabulous 5 bedroom, 4.5 bath, English country house located on approximately 2.7 beautifully landscaped acres in the heart of Woodside.

## MENLO PARK



**MARGOT LOCKWOOD**  
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**746 HERMOSA WY**      **\$2,600,000**  
This unusual 1/2 acre level lot in central MP is 21,816 sf. 108' wide. Pls check with city reg. building. Existing 4BD/3BA home is approx. 2000+ sq ft.

## REDWOOD CITY | OPEN SUNDAY



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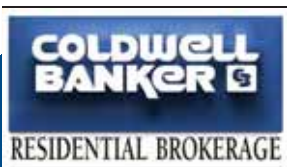
**1039 TWIN OAKS CT**      **\$1,695,000**  
Spacious 4bd/2.5ba home on .4 ac. Frml entry, LR w/high ceilings, fam/kit. Inverted flrpln w/mstr, 3-4 add'l bds, + 3 extra rms. Roy Cloud Schools.

## WOODSIDE | OPEN SAT/SUN



**MARGOT LOCKWOOD**  
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**300 GRANDVIEW DR**      **\$1,395,000**  
4bd/3ba 3228 sq ft home plus guest house on 1.2+ acre. Formal LR w/grand fireplace, high ceilings, open floor plan, bonus rm & Redwoods. PV schools.



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