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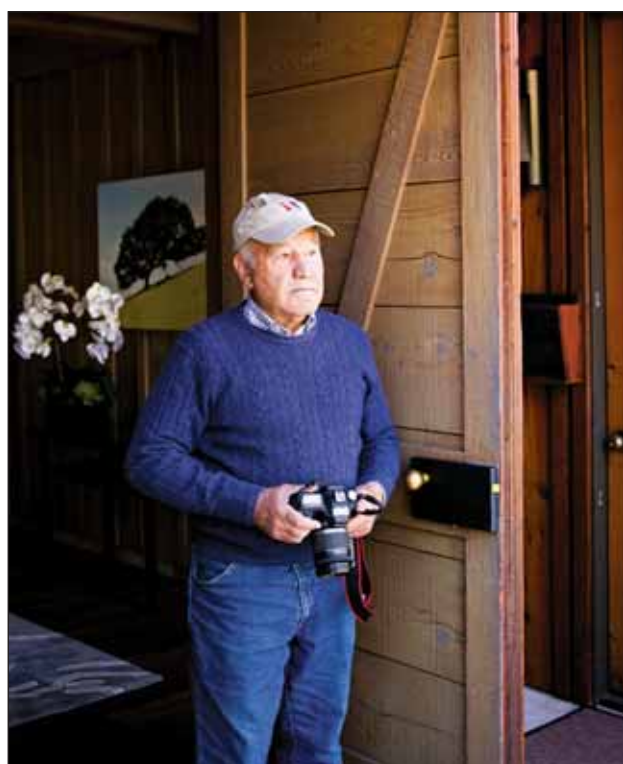


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**Top:** Pastel paint adds charm to these windmill pylons outside Amsterdam, an artistic touch typical of the Dutch, photographer Sheldon Breiner says. **Above:** At the Portola Valley Ranch clubhouse, Sheldon Breiner faces the out of doors, his preferred venue for photography.

# Connecting with a camera

Sheldon Breiner knows  
a striking scene when he sees one

By Dave Boyce

**G**eophysicist, inventor and world traveler Sheldon Breiner informed a relaxed gathering of about 100 people at Portola Valley's Community Hall on Nov. 10 that he has at least two serious hobbies: finding things and photography.

Some of what he finds, he photographs, and on that night he conducted a slide show with around 400 of his photos of outdoor scenes from every continent except Australia. Mr. Breiner, who is a fellow of The Explorers Club in Manhattan, says he picked the photos at random from his electronically archived collection of 130,000 images.

His talk was the first in a new series

of free talks sponsored by the Portola Valley Cultural Arts Committee.

### His kind of art

When taking a picture with his aging single-lens-reflex camera, Mr. Breiner says he usually finds a single zoom lens to be sufficient. When he's using his camera. Since about 2007, he says he's also been satisfied with the photos from his smart phone. The phone also has the benefit of being uncomplicated and small. "I want to be practical and I want (the photo) to be good," he says.

Mr. Breiner says he does not examine

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his photos immediately after taking them, but leaves that for his laptop review. If touching up is called for, he will do that. When asked if he uses Adobe PhotoShop, he replies: "Oh yeah, a lot. I don't fake things. I clean up. I enhance. ... None of this stuff I'm doing has anything to do with publication or journalistic purposes."

A shot familiar in Portola Valley circles shows a black-and-white photo of a standing man, hands on hips, surveying the damage to Alpine Road after the 1906 earthquake. Alongside that photo is another from 2001 showing a man dressed similarly and standing in the same spot with a similar stance. The hat on the man in the 2001 shot was added later with PhotoShop, Mr. Breiner said. "It's my art," he said. "It's my kind of art."

His photos tend to capture physical or cultural experiences that really impress him, but they're not meant for his own enjoyment, he says. "I'm trying to convey to someone else some interesting things that I've done," he says. "The picture is a link to that experience."

**Depth of field**

Composition, including finding compelling ways to present a three-dimensional scene via a two-dimensional medium, is Mr. Breiner's primary concern, he says. To that end, his photos tend to be well composed and often have depth of field and/or a frame in the foreground, like a

fence railing or foliage.

A scene on Easter Island, for example, shows a foreground shot of a totemic head carved in stone, and three more heads lying at intervals in a grassy meadow as the eye travels up to the skyline. It's still a mystery as to how the colossal heads were moved from the quarry, where an unfinished head can be seen still attached to its base of rock, he says.

Mr. Breiner's photo of windmills in Holland, while it has no foreground frame, does have depth of field. Along a road about 30 minutes east of Amsterdam, a row of tall pylons fades into the distance, each pylon topped with a white two-bladed rotor, and each pair of pylons painted a different pastel color.

He took that shot for its charm, he says. Public works officials didn't have to paint the pylons different colors, but they did, and such artistic touches are not unusual in Holland, he says. "It was so interesting, I had to get out of my car," he says. If it doesn't cost more money, why not add touches such as color for the public to appreciate, he asks. "There's no reason you can't."

**A nice smile**

Some of Mr. Breiner's images are simply lovely. His photo of Dal Lake in Srinigar in the state of Jammu and Kashmir catches a woman in a small boat with a cargo of leafy vegetables. From his temporary home on a houseboat, he watched the woman paddle from houseboat to houseboat offering her vegetables. He didn't buy any, he says, when she came by his boat.

He has images of Morocco, but

most do not include close-ups of Moroccans. They tend to not take kindly to be photographed, Mr. Breiner says. He does have one, however, an elderly woman wearing what appears to be traditional dress and standing in front of a painted wall inside her earthen-walled home.

A guide did the talking, asking her if she would be OK with a portrait, Mr. Breiner says. "Just to look at her was really special," he says. "She was very friendly to us, a nice smile."

The Cuban people, by contrast, loved being photographed, Mr. Breiner says. His trip there, illegal at the time, includes an image of an elderly man, his face wrinkled to an extent that surely embodies stories.

Mr. Breiner's shot of fireworks at Tiananmen Square in Beijing is not one available to the typical tourist. He took it from a VIP location in the square for an Independence Day celebration. In his capacity as the chief executive of an oil and mineral exploration company, he goes way back in his dealings with Chinese authorities, he says.

In the 1970s, he says NASA used him as an ambassador of sorts to provide China with data, including what at the time were exclusive satellite photos of the country and useful in analysis of mineral and agricultural resources. "They never forgot that," he says.

At one point, he was given the right to go anywhere in the country with his camera, including Xinjiang. The province has been in the news in recent years over its minority population of Muslim inhabitants, known as Uighurs, who are resisting the



Photo by Sheldon Breiner

**These weathered** observers of the passing scene dot the landscape of Easter Island.

government's resettling of majority Han Chinese in the region. "It's a dictatorship," Mr. Breiner says. "They do that." ■

Go to [tinyurl.wm/vftrd98](http://tinyurl.wm/vftrd98) for Mr. Breiner's photo albums, and [breiner.com](http://breiner.com) for more on his many accomplishments.

**On the cover:** Sheldon Breiner pauses for a portrait on Longspur Street in his neighborhood of Portola Valley Ranch.



Photos by Sheldon Breiner

**Right:** Cubans, including this man, welcomed having their pictures taken, Sheldon Breiner says. **Far right:** A Moroccan woman smiles for the camera.



**CALENDAR**

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**Benefits/Fundraisers**

**Holiday Traditions at Filoli** During nine-day event, Filoli estate will be transformed into a holiday showcase, offering decorations, music, merchandise, choral and performing groups, and musicians. See website for details. Nov. 27-Dec. 5. Filoli, 86 Cañada Road, Woodside. Call 650-364-8300 ext. 508. [www.filoli.org](http://www.filoli.org)

**Nativity School Christmas Tree Lot** Since 1998, this fundraiser has benefitted Nativity School. Christmas trees shipped from Oregon. Delivery and flameproofing available. See website for details. Tuesday-Sunday, Nov. 27-Dec. 12. Prices vary. Nativity School, 210 Oak Grove Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-275-3750. [www.nativity-trees.com](http://www.nativity-trees.com)

**Workshops/meetings**

**College Interviewing Workshop** Free workshop for high school juniors and seniors on interviewing for college applications. Nov. 18, 6:30-8 p.m. Free. Riekes Center, 3455 Edison Way, Menlo Park. Call 650-315-7566. [riekes.org](http://riekes.org)

**Riekes Center** shares information about its programs during 30-minute open house at 6:30 p.m. and student performances at 7 p.m. Open to public. Nov. 19, 6:30 p.m. Free. Riekes Center, 3455 Edison Way, Menlo Park. Call 650-315-7566. [riekes.org](http://riekes.org)

**Lifetree Cafe: 'Marriage Tips from a Divorce Coach'** Hourlong conversations on what makes marriages last. Nov. 18, 6:30-7:30 p.m.; Nov. 19, 9:15-10:15 a.m. Free. Bethany Lutheran Church, 1095 Cloud Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-854-5897. [facebook.com/LTCMenloPark](http://facebook.com/LTCMenloPark)

**Peninsula Rose Society meeting** includes presentation by Barbara Gordon on "Rose Hips." Guests welcome. Nov. 20, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Free. Redwood City Veterans Memorial Senior Center, 1455 Madison Ave., Redwood City. Call 650-465-3967. [www.peninsularosesociety.org](http://www.peninsularosesociety.org)

**Community Events**

**Sacred Heart Preparatory's Holiday Boutique** provides selection of holiday gifts, home decor, artisan foods, and handmade wreaths and greenery. Parking available on campus. Dec. 2 and 3, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.; Dec. 4, 9 a.m.-noon. Free. Sacred Heart Schools, Main Building, 150 Valparaiso Ave., Atherton. Call 650-473-4089. [www.shschools.org/holidayboutique](http://www.shschools.org/holidayboutique)

**Thanksgiving Luncheon** Little House welcomes community members to Thanksgiving luncheon of turkey and dressing, gravy, mashed potatoes, peas and onions, cranberry sauce, whole wheat bread and pumpkin pie. RSVP required. Nov. 23, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. \$9. Little House Activity Center, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025 ext. 242. [www.penvol.org/littlehouse](http://www.penvol.org/littlehouse)

**Concerts**

**Holiday Concert with Menlo-Atherton Choir** Under direction of Patrick Maier. Dec. 2, 2-3 p.m. Free. Little House Activity Center, 800 Middle Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-326-2025 ext. 242. [www.penvol.org/littlehouse](http://www.penvol.org/littlehouse)

**Redwood Symphony** performs Britten's "Four Sea Interludes" from "Peter Grimes," Barber's "Knoxville Summer of 1915," and Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 5. Pre-concert lecture at 7 p.m. Nov. 21, 8-10 p.m. \$10-\$25; free for children under age 18,

with an adult. Canada College, Main Theatre, 4200 Farm Hill Blvd., Redwood City. [www.redwoodsymphony.org](http://www.redwoodsymphony.org)

**Dance**

**M-A High Big Band Dance** raises funds for school's music programs. Free dance lessons offered. Doors open early for seniors at 7 p.m. Nov. 21, 8 p.m. \$25 general; \$10 student; free for seniors. Menlo-Atherton High School, Ayers Gym, 555 Middlefield Road, Atherton. [www.mab-igbanddance.yapsody.com](http://www.mab-igbanddance.yapsody.com)

**Families & Kids**

**'Bully' screening and Q&A with director** Screening of 2012 documentary film "Bully" (about how bullying affected five children and their families) and a Q&A session with author and director Lee Hirsch. Dec. 2, 7-9 p.m. Free. Hillview Middle School Performing Arts Center, 1100 Elder Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-575-4523. [www.menlopark.org](http://www.menlopark.org)

**Paws for Tales** Children practice reading skills by reading to trained therapy dog. Sign up in advance by phone. Nov. 28, 11 a.m.-noon. Free. Atherton Library, 2 Dinkelspiel Station Lane, Atherton. Call 650-328-2422. [www.smcl.org/en/content/paws-tales-1](http://www.smcl.org/en/content/paws-tales-1)

**Society of Young Inklings authors event** Kepler's Books welcomes three youth authors to share their works: Jessie Karan with "Chaos Unleashed," Sean Nesamoney with "Here Comes the Tiger" and Megan White with "The Search." Nov. 20, 7 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. [www.brownpapertickets.com/event/2412845](http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/2412845)

**On Stage**

**'Clybourne Park'** Palo Alto Players stages play by Bruce Norris about race relations that follows two families moving into the same Chicago neighborhood, 50 years apart. Nov. 7-22, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 8 p.m.; Sunday, 2 p.m. \$32-\$46. Lucie Stern Theatre, 1305 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. Call 650-329-0891. [www.paplayers.org](http://www.paplayers.org)

**'Kiss Me, Kate'** Broadway By The Bay performs classic musical, which follows a musical production of Shakespeare's "The Taming of the Shrew," and the conflict between the director-producer-star and the leading actress. Nov. 21, at 8 p.m.; Nov. 8, 14, 15 and 22, at 2 p.m. \$47-\$69. Fox Theatre, 2215 Broadway, Redwood City. [broadwaybythebay.org/kiss-me-kate/](http://broadwaybythebay.org/kiss-me-kate/)

**'Sunlight'** Dragon Productions presents "Sunlight," a drama by Sharr White about a 9/11 survivor who is caught between her father, a liberal university president, and her husband, a conservative law school dean. No show on Thanksgiving. Nov. 20-Dec. 13, Thursday-Saturday, 8 p.m.; Sunday, 2 p.m. \$35 general; \$27 senior, student. Dragon Theatre, 2120 Broadway, Redwood City. [dragonproductions.net](http://dragonproductions.net)

**Lectures & Talks**

**'Downton Abbey: The Music & the Era'** Music historian Dulais Rhys gives audiovisual presentation. Dec. 1, 7-8 p.m. Free. Menlo Park Library, 800 Alma St., Menlo Park. Call 650-330-2501. [menlopark.org/library](http://menlopark.org/library)

**Churchill Club** event features Keith Ferrazzi, CEO and founder of Ferrazzi Greenlight, and Rishi Dave, CMO of Dun & Bradstreet, discussing business relationships. Nov. 30, 6-9 p.m. \$69 Churchill Club member; \$93 nonmember. Rosewood Sand Hill, 2825 Sand Hill Road, Menlo Park. Call 408-265-0130. [transition.churchillclub.org/eventDetail.jsp?EVT\\_ID=1056](http://transition.churchillclub.org/eventDetail.jsp?EVT_ID=1056)

**'Waterbirds in a Changing Landscape'** Susan De La Cruz, a USGS research wildlife

biologist, discusses how bird visitors to San Francisco Bay are responding to first stages of South Bay Salt Pond Restoration Project. Nov. 19, 7-8 p.m. Free. U.S. Geological Survey, Rambo Auditorium, Building 3, 345 Middlefield Road, Menlo Park. [online.wr.usgs.gov/calendar/](http://online.wr.usgs.gov/calendar/)

**Enrique Chagoya on 'The Unpredictable Road to Creation'** Enrique Chagoya, a professor in Stanford University's Department of Art & Art History, discusses his own artistic process as it relates to themes in the Cantor Art Center's exhibition "Artists at Work." Nov. 18, 5:30-7 p.m. Free. Cantor Arts Center, 328 Lomita Drive, Stanford. [museum.stanford.edu](http://museum.stanford.edu)

**Teen Activities**

**Author Heidi R. Kling on 'Paint My Body Red'** Kepler's Books hosts launch party for local author's new book. She will speak in conversation with Ingrid Paulson about the new thriller and love story. Nov. 19, 7 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. [www.brownpapertickets.com/event/2420207](http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/2420207)

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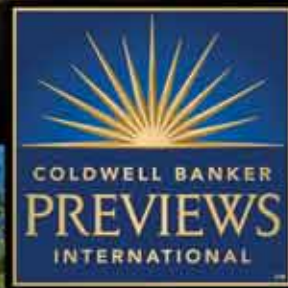
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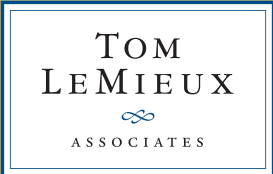
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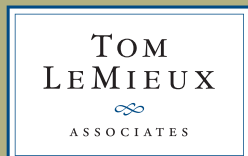


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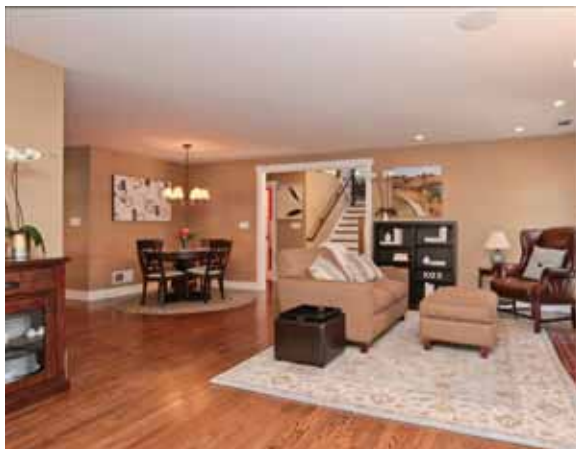
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**PANEL ON RELIGION AND SPIRITUALITY**  
Date: Sunday, Nov 15  
Unitarian Universalist Church  
505 E. Charleston  
Palo Alto CA  
Time: 12:30-2:00  
Location: Rooms 4 and 5  
Contact: Pam Vorce (pamvorce@gmail.com)  
Presenter: Amy Zucker Morgenstern, Brooke Bishara, Jan Dillingier, Melissa Thomson  
Facilitator: Pam Vorce  
Registration: Not required

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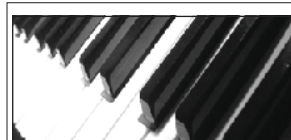
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Cupertino, CA 95014  
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23500 Cristo Rey Dr. #5186  
Cupertino, CA 95014

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No.: M-266887

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Registered owner(s):  
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No.: 267098

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YEVGENIA MALAMUD  
787 La Playa St. #3  
S.F. CA 94121  
This business is conducted by: An Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on October 26, 2015. (ALM Nov. 11, 18, 25, Dec. 2, 2015)

**SPOT ON VIDEO PRODUCTION**  
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT  
File No.: 267137

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as:

Spot On Video Production, located at 325 Sharon Park Dr., #721, Menlo Park, CA 94025, San Mateo County.  
Registered owner(s):  
CLEVERTENNIS, INC.  
325 Sharon Park Dr., #721  
Menlo Park, CA 94025  
California

This business is conducted by: A Corporation.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on October 29, 2015. (ALM Nov. 18, 25, Dec. 2, 9, 2015)

**997 All Other Legals**

**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO  
PROBATE DIVISION  
In re the Matter of the:  
NELSON TRUST,  
dated February 13, 2007.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
OF JAMES L. NELSON, DECEASED  
[Probate Code 19003, 19040]  
Case No. 126294

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the creditors and contingent creditors of the above-named decedent, that all persons having claims against the decedent are required to file them with the Superior Court at 400 County Center, Redwood

City, California 94063, and mail a copy to Michael Nelson, Trustee of the Nelson Trust dated February 13, 2007, of which the decedent was the settlor, in care of Kenneth H. Prochnow, Chiles and Prochnow, LLP, 2600 El Camino Real, Suite 412, Palo Alto, California 94306, within the later of four months after Wednesday, November 18, 2015, (the date of first publication of notice to creditors) or, if notice is mailed or personally delivered to you, 30 days after the date this notice is mailed or personally delivered to you, or you must petition to file a late claim as provided in Probate Code Section 19103. A claim form may be obtained from the court clerk. For your protection, you are encouraged to file your claim by certified mail, with return receipt requested.

(ALM Nov. 18, 25, Dec. 2, 2015)

**AMENDED ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO**

Case No.: CIV535748  
**TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:**  
Petitioner: JING YI ZHUO filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
a.) JING YI ZHUO TO JINGYI LU  
b.) JINGYI LU

**THE COURT ORDERS** that all persons interested in this matter 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. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.  
**NOTICE OF HEARING:** January 5, 2016, 9:00 a.m., Dept.: PJ, Room: 2D of the Superior Court of California, County of San Mateo, located at 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA 94063.

A copy of this ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county:  
**THE ALMANAC**  
Date: November 12, 2015  
/s/ Mark R. Forcum  
Acting Presiding Judge  
(ALM Nov. 18, 25, Dec. 2, 9, 2015)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:**  
MATTHEW J. SHANKS  
Case No.: 126278  
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of MATTHEW J. SHANKS, A Petition for Probate has been filed by: PENNY J. SHANKS in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN MATEO. The Petition for Probate requests that: PENNY J. SHANKS be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.  
A HEARING on the petition will be held on December 14, 2015 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept.: 28 of the Superior Court of California, County of San Mateo, located at 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA 94063.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.  
If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58 (b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
Robert W. Armstrong, State Bar No. 81483  
Demler Armstrong & Rowland, LLP  
201 Spear Street, Suite 1100  
San Francisco, CA 94105  
(415)757-3488  
(ALM Nov. 18, 25, Dec. 2, 2015)

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If it has been 5 years since you filed your Fictitious Business Name Statement (your D.B.A.), you must file again to protect your legal rights. Check your records now to see if your D.B.A. expires this year. Then call the Almanac, 223-6578, for assistance in refiling. It's inexpensive and easy.

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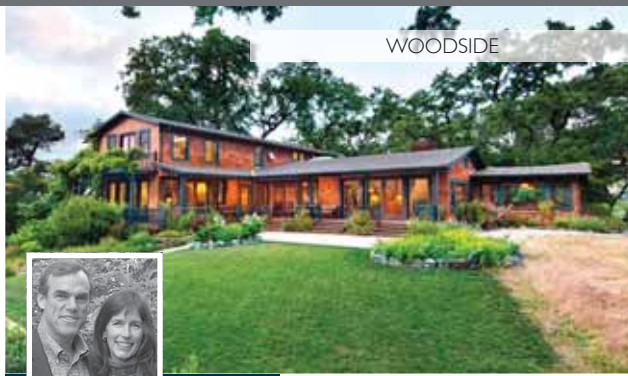


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**ERIKA DEMMA**  
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CalBRE #01230766

**155 KINGS MOUNTAIN RD \$16,995,000**  
Country estate prop. renovated & expanded on 5 flat ac near town. Main res. w/5BD/4 full BA+ 2 half BA. Entertainment cabaña adjoining IBD/IBA gsthse.



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Charming home on over 6 ac with surrounding views of the Western Hills & Jasper Ridge Preserve. Incl. 2 guesthouses & pool; land is fee owned.



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valerie.trenter@cbnorcal.com  
CalBRE #01367578

**12424 SKYLINE BLVD \$4,549,000**  
Estate home on 5 acres, gorgeous ocean views, sep studio, 7 car garage, chef's kitchen, master suite, tennis ct & spacious decks w/ amazing views.



MENLO PARK



**PAT MCDONNELL/  
SOPHIE KIRK**  
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CalBRE #01926896/ 01926401

**60 POLITZER DR \$3,895,000**  
Beautifully landscaped w/ brick walkways & patios, sunny seating areas and places to play.



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**SUE CRAWFORD**  
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**35 HALLMARK CIRCLE \$2,400,000**  
Spacious, three-level town home offers a remarkable opportunity. Two bedrooms, two and a half baths, den. Sep dining room. Over 2600 sq ft.



PALO ALTO



**ELENA TALIS**  
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CalBRE #01396001

**291 CREEKSIDE DRIVE \$2,199,000**  
Beautiful newly renovated Eichler home in the heart of Greenmeadow Community. Light and bright. Just steps away from the Greenmeadow pool and park.



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**DOUG GONZALEZ**  
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CalBRE #00895924

**15 WOODLEAF AVE \$2,149,000**  
3 BD / 2.5 BTH. This wonderful single story home is 3,184 square feet w/ three-car garage on a large lot. www.15Woodleaf.com



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**VALERIE TRENTER**  
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CalBRE #01367578

**330 RIDGE RD \$1,198,000**  
Updated home w/ open LR, hi ceilings & remodeled kitch. Spacious master suite with FP & an additional 1/1 in law apt. Private lot surrounded by nature



REDWOOD CITY



**BILLY MCNAIR**  
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CalBRE #01343603

**358 RUTHERFORD AVE \$1,795,000**  
Turn-key home in Horgan Ranch | Remodeled kitchen with Carrara counters | Hardwood flooring & new wool carpeting | Enormous attic storage area.



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**BETH LEATHERS**  
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CalBRE #01131116

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Popular one bedroom/one bath unit in Menlo Commons. This unit overlooks the pool and inner courtyard. HOA fee \$591/month.



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