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Majority of layoffs

NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN UNIONS. HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT WILL SAVE JOBS

By Nick Veronin

he majority of El Camino Hospital employees who had expected to be out of work next month, the result of proposed layoffs, will remain on the job, thanks to negotiations between unions and management. Instead of pink slips, a reorganization will shuffle workers around rather than letting them go.

The negotiations began shortly after El Camino announced on Aug. 12 that it would be laying tives from each union said.

Those efforts have been largely successful, according to Velvet Hazard, an SEIU representative. Hazard said all 119 service workers who received notices that they might be laid off will remain working for the hospital. "I'm happy with where we ended up," she

"Considering the fact that I was on the list myself, I was very happy," said Nicole Bryand, a member of the SEIU.

Bryand said that negotiations between her union and El Camino administration went very smoothly. "Management really went out of their way to try to avoid the layoffs as much as possible. Ultimately, instead of laying off, they reorga-

Bryand explained that while some departments in the hospital were overstaffed, others were understaffed, and many employees another.

Patricia Briggs, president of Professional Resources for Nurses, said 16 members of her union voluntarily resigned. The rest of the nurses who were notified that they might lose their jobs will remain as nurses within the hospital. Some have moved to other positions and reduced their weekly hours.

Briggs said she was pleased that the nurses who wished to stay at El Camino were able to do so. "There was a great deal of respect for the nurses in a difficult situation," she

Neither union made concessions on pay or benefits.

Other hospital employees not represented by the SEIU or PRN have been or will be let go, however, said hospital spokeswoman Chris Ernst.

Ernst said El Camino is pleased with the number of employees that were able to stay on board at the hospital.



off approximately 140 employees, citing the slumping economy and shrinking patient volumes. The hospital's two labor organizations the Service Employees International Union and Professional Resource for Nurses — began working with El Camino administration in an effort to keep their members employed, representa-

simply left their prior position for

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A group of volunteers is restoring this **P-2 Neptune** and other historic military planes, in Moffett

Field's Hangar Three.

Volunteers resurrect Cold War planes on a shoestring budget

NASA ALLOWS AIRCRAFT ENTHUSIASTS TO SET UP SHOP IN WWII HANGAR

By Daniel DeBolt

the Cold War era will be restored

and put on display next to the

Moffett Field Museum in front

and his crew are done,

several aircraft from

of the iconic Hangar One. Among the collection being **7**hen Lou Somontes

restored is an F-18 that used to fly as one of the Blue Angels, a U2 spy plane that used to take pictures from high altitudes of Cuba and Russia during the 1960s, a Huey Cobra gunship helicopter used during the Vietnam War and a Tf104G Starfighter once used as a test bed by NASA.

Retired Moffett Field Navy man Somontes speaks with enthusiasm about the project.

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Council OKs buying land, boosting hopes for downtown grocery store

By Daniel DeBolt

n a move that would make it easier to attract a long-desired grocery store downtown, the City Council approved a \$1.5 million purchase of three homes on Franklin Street Tuesday night.

The lot at 449 Franklin St. that

the homes reside on protrudes 35 feet into a city-owned lot at Bryant and California Streets. The purchase will improve city's chances of leasing the adjacent 1.45-acre city lot for development, possibly for a grocery store or some other retail.

'It then becomes a rectangular parcel," Economic Development Director Ellis Berns said of the city lot slated for development. "We think it will make it a more attractive parcel."

Developers have indicated that the Franklin Street property is a "limitation" on development of the

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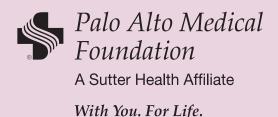
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"I'm a tourist. I recently asked myself, 'What's the story behind this holiday?' I will probably go check out some of the decorated houses, but I don't think I'll dress up."

Adam Benayoun, Haifa, Israel



"I'm going to a rave. It's at a warehouse in downtown San Jose." **Brian Borghette,** Mountain View



"I plan to go to the Cole Valley block party. I'm going to be a NASCAR driver."

Jack Spilberg, San Francisco



"I'm doing a warrior dash — an extreme three-mile obstacle course with military style obstacles. I don't think it's a Halloween thing. It's just a coincidence."

Gabriel Doliner, Mountain View



"It's my son's first Halloween. We're going to take him to all of our family's houses, so they can see him in his costume."

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BATTERY

Castro St. and Villa St., 10/25 300 block Oak Tree Dr., 10/26 300 block Moffett Blvd., 10/26

COMMERCIAL BURGLARY

300 block Showers Dr., 10/22 1 block W. El Camino Real, 10/23 1400 block N. Shoreline Bl., 10/24 600 block Showers Dr., 10/25

INDECENT EXPOSURE

2600 block California St., 10/24

GRAND THEFT

500 block Showers Dr., 10/19 1800 block Higdon Av., 10/24

RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY

700 block Continental Cir., 10/20 600 block Hans Av., 10/24

ROBBERY

500 block Escuela Av., 10/19 300 block Truman Av., 10/21

STOLEN VEHICLE

900 block Clark Av., 10/19 200 block Villa St., 10/19 700 block Continental Cir., 10/21 600 block W. Dana St., 10/23

CRIMEBRIEFS

INDECENT EXPOSURE

A man pulled down his pants Sunday, exposing himself to a 34-year-old Mountain View woman in the carport of her apartment complex, located in the 2600 clock of California Street, police said.

Police arrested 25-year-old Abraham Bajjalieh, also from Mountain View, after the woman reported the indecent exposure incident at 5:27 p.m. on Oct. 24, according to Liz Wylie, a spokeswoman for the Mountain View police.

The victim identified Bajjaleih as the man who had flashed her and he was booked into jail, Wylie said.

RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY

About \$100 in cash and coins were stolen from a home in the 600 block of Hans Avenue, in a burglary that occurred some time between Oct. 9 and Oct. 23, police said.

The victim, a 35-year-old man, returned from vacation to find the money missing, according to police spokeswoman Liz Wylie. Police identified an open bathroom window as the point of entry.

ROBBER REBUFFED

A would-be robber was thwarted on the morning of Oct. 12 after he attempted to steal a Mountain View woman's book bag, police said.

The 46-year-old woman said she was at Rengstorff Park near the intersection of Rengstorff and Stanford avenues at about 5:30 a.m., when a man approached her from behind and tried to pull her bag away, said police spokesperson Liz Wylie. The woman kneed the robber and he let go, and then ran.

Wylie said the woman told police she could not identify the man's race, but described him as about 6 feet tall and weighing about 250 pounds, with a dark complexion.

TWO BEATEN IN ROBBERY

Two men were beaten and one of them was robbed as they were walking in the 500 block of Escuela Avenue, police said.

At about 9:50 p.m., Oct. 19, four unknown men approached the two victims near the corner of Escuela Avenue and Vernon Court and began punching and kicking them, said police spokeswoman Liz Wylie. One of the victims, a 21-year-old Mountain View man, fell to the ground and the assailants pulled his wallet, which held bank cards and \$200 in cash, from his back pocket. The other victim, a 19-year-old also from Mountain View, was not robbed.

Both declined transport to the hospital for treatment of their injuries. The suspects are described as ranging in age from their late teens to early 30s. All of them were wearing black.

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Jonathan Martinez, a Crittenden Middle School student playing the part of an earthquake victim, gets treated as part of the school district's disaster drill on Thursday, Oct. 21.

Schools drill for the Big One

STUDENTS DUCK, COVER AND PREP FOR DISASTER IN STATEWIDE SHAKEOUT

By Nick Veronin

Four days after the 21st anniversary of the Loma Prieta earthquake, an imaginary temblor rocked the Bay Area, testing the integrity of local schools' emergency response plans.

"Imagine that you hear a low, rumbling sound," Karen Robinson, principal of Crittenden Middle School, said over the public announcement system at 10:21 a.m. on Oct. 21. The students of Elizabeth Mogin's class, who had been briefed on what was coming, ducked beneath their group tables.

"The noise builds, getting louder and louder, for about ten seconds," Robinson continued. "Then *wham!* There's a terrific jolt. You feel like someone suddenly slammed the brakes on in the

car, or like a truck just rammed the side of the building."

"Hold on to the desk so it doesn't move," Mogin instructed her math class, as Robinson continued describing the hypothetical magnitude 7.5 earthquake—setting the stage for a district-wide emergency drill, one of thousands of similar exercises

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History museum site proves unpopular at candidate debate

By Daniel DeBolt

In a council candidate debate Thursday, Cuesta Park neighborhood residents were uniformly unenthusiastic about the location of a City Council-backed Mountain View history museum in the 12-acre Cuesta Annex. It wasn't a popular idea among the candidates either.

At the end of the discussion, council candidate and 21-year-old Google employee Aaron Jabbari called for a show of hands among among the 20 Cuesta Park neighborhood residents in attendance.

"How many of you would like the museum in your neighborhood?" he asked. No one raised a hand. "I

would have to vote against it," he said in response.

Cuesta Park Neighborhood Association president Russ Jones later confirmed that it was indeed an unpopular idea in the neighborhood.

In 2008 the City Council approved a master plan for the Cuesta Annex which allowed the Mountain View Historical Association to begin fund-raising and designing the museum. It is planned for the rear corner of the Annex, a former orchard next to Cuesta Park. A 35-foot height limit was placed on the building to reduce its impact on the view of the mountains from the Annex, a concern expressed by many residents.

"It seems like another kind of chipping away at the See **STORY**, page 9

Council relaxes massage rules

FOOT SPA OWNER SAYS THERE ARE STILL A FEW KINKS

The city will still

require a \$400

annual "non-

certification" fee for

a foot masseur.

By Daniel DeBolt

avid Bertelsen said it only took a phone call to police to get the OK for Happy Feet foot spa in Palo Alto and a little more than \$200 in city fees. But in Mountain View, he has been asked by police to jump through a slew of hoops, including spending thousands of dollars for over 200 hours of training, health exams, fingerprinting and background checks for employees, as well as pay \$3,000 for a conditional use permit.

Why all the red tape? Much of it has to do with prostitution.

Many of those regulations were designed to discourage brothels disguised as massage parlors, several of which were busted

by police in Mountain View seven years ago. The operations employed women believed to have been trafficked to the United States from Asia as part of the sex trade.

But Bertelsen says his foot spa at 868 Villa St. could never operate as a brothel. Customers are treated in a common room and don't their clothes off, only their shoes and socks.

"We are trying to get the city of Mountain View to not classify us as a massage parlor," said Bertelsen, who runs the Happy Feet foot spa chain with his wife, Ping Bertelsen. "We don't do full body massage in private rooms so you don't have those problems" with illicit activity.

In response to Bertelsen's complaints, the city attorney's office created a revised massage ordinance, and the City Council voted 6-1 to approve it on Tuesday.

While the new ordinance addresses the more significant obstacles for Happy Feet, such as eliminating expensive training for his employees, the city will still require a \$400 annual "non-certification" fee for a foot masseur, which the city says will help recover its costs for masseur health exams and application processing.

"The fees for the employees are going to be a hardship for us," Bertelsen said. Happy Feet's employees make only \$10 per one-hour massage (the massages cost \$25 per hour), plus tips. Bertelsen said it's possible for some to make little more than \$30 a day.

The employees "know they

The employees "know they can go to Palo Alto, Los Altos or San Jose and do the same work and not pay the \$400," he said. "These are the same fees charged in regular massage parlors. Those people charge \$50-60 an hour for their services. There is a lot more money in the massage parlor business than in foot spas."

Council members Tom Means and John Inks voted for the

ordinance, but agreed with Bertelsen that the fees were too high and appeared necessary.

"I am just starting to wonder if we are going to regulate every low wage work-

er in town," Means said.

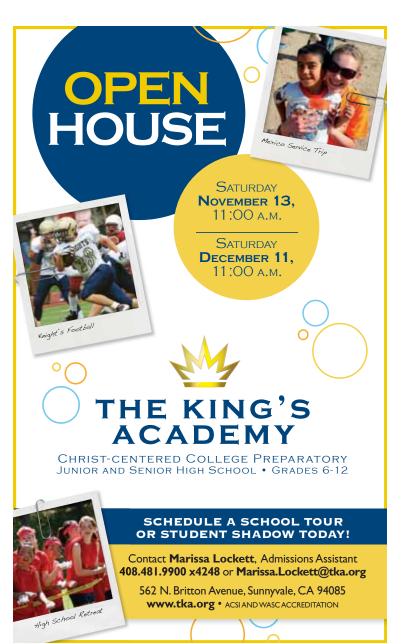
Council member Laura Macias cast the only no vote on the new ordinance.

"I think people giving massages should be trained people," she said. "Now we're introducing a carve-out" that could allow a new class of low-cost masseurs. "That doesn't make sense to me," she said.

City attorney Jannie Quinn said that by introducing a carveout for "non certification" status for untrained masseurs, "market forces" would influence the level of quality of massages in the city.

As part of the new ordinance, foot spas will be required to post licenses for their employees on their walls to show their status as "non-certified" by the city.

At Happy Feet, the lack of city-sanctioned training doesn't necessarily mean a bad massage, Bertelsen said. He pointed to online reviews of his business at Yelp.com, where reviewers proclaim Happy Feet to be the "McDonald's" of massage.



SEEN AROUND TOWN



The "goddess" walnut tree

Alexandra Gerontinos snapped this photo of her favorite tree at the Cuesta Annex.

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city property, said Dennis Drennan, Mountain View's real property

The City Council turned down two proposals in January for a retail space with housing above it at cityowned lot. The proposals would not have provided enough of a financial return on the property, city staff and council members said.

"If the site were bigger and in a

more favorable market, it would make for a very interesting mixeduse project," said Dean Martin, development director of Legacy Partners, which had its proposal for the site turned down in January. "I think it would be a win-win for everybody.

The city has been managing an ongoing feasibility study for a grocery store downtown, but so far the study has not come to any conclusions, Berns said.

An additional \$135,000 goes to tenant relocation and repairs to the three homes on the Franklin Street lot for a total of \$1.65 million in funds from the city's downtown revitalization tax district. The household at the rear of the property would eventually have to move, Drennan said.

Early next year, the City Council will discuss their preferences for development of the parcel and the city will try and market the property again, hopefully in better economic conditions, Drennan said.

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DAY WORKER CENTER MOVES DONATED FURNITURE INTO NEW, PERMANENT HOME

By Daniel DeBolt

fter 14 years of moving between temporary locations it was a big day for the Day Worker Center of Mountain View. On Wednesday, two large trucks arrived at its new permanent home, full of donated furniture handpicked out of the now-vacant offices of pharmaceutical giant Roche in Palo Alto.

"It's beautiful, I never thought it would be like this," said a day worker named Pablo after new chairs, tables, desks, plants and art filled the place in less than an hour. "And it's ours, you know?"

The former dry cleaning building next to the train tracks at 113 Escuela Ave. underwent a complete renovation in recent months, receiving a new roof, walls, windows and

low-maintenance landscaping. The new location will be open for business on Monday, Nov. 1.

As the furniture came in, director Maria Marroquin recalled the way the center has existed in ramshackle state over the years. "Everything's matching, it's a big change."

"The timing couldn't have been more perfect," said Roche facilities project manager Janis Zinn, referring to the need to get rid of the furniture as the Palo Alto Roche campus closes.

The Day Worker Center of Mountain View will be one of the few in the country to be owned by a day worker center, debt-free. Close to \$1 million in donations were raised to complete the project, Marroquin said.

Dozens of day workers will use the facility between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, waiting for homeowners and contractors to employ them for anything from housekeeping to landscaping and construction work. Doubling as a sort of community center, there are also volunteer-taught English classes, lunch and a mobile health clinic visits the workers regularly.

Customers of the new center will be greeted by a new parking lot with nine spaces, a lobby area with chairs and a marble-topped table, a piece of custom bronze artwork by Jerry Smith depicting day workers on the street and a new office for director Marroquin and her staff.

Beyond the lobby there are lunch tables for 32 workers, a kitchen area, bathrooms and a classroom area with a lectern,



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Movers unload furniture donated by Roche at the new Day Worker Center of Mountain View on Wednesday morning.

which appeared to be the icing on the cake for some of the workers.

"It's for speeches and presentations," Marroquin said to some workers who were eyeing it.

The Center will hold a grand opening at 4:30 p.m. on Nov. 18.

A silent auction will help pay for furnishings still needed for the building, including computers to be used for job training. ■

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Foothill-De Anza service union urges no on parcel tax

By Nick Veronin

The local community college district's service workers union is urging voters to reject Measure E, the parcel tax that proponents say would raise much needed money for Foothill and De Anza colleges.

"The district has a history of overspending," said Leo Contreras, president of Chapter 96 of the California School Employees Association, which represents service, maintenance and skilled trade workers in the Foothill-De Anza Community College District.

Measure E would charge property owners in the community college district up to \$69 annually per parcel and raise about \$42 million total over the course of six years, when it sunsets.

Contreras accused the district of being wasteful and said the Foothill-De Anza administration has treated the members of his union unfairly, continually violating the CSEA's collective bargaining agreement.

"This is a late-inning smear from a union boss with an axe to grind. There really is not a whole lot more to say about it," said Becky Bartindale, the district spokeswoman. Chris Pedersen, a representative for the Santa Clara County chapter of the CSEA said relations between Contreras' chapter and the administration at Foothill-De Anza are

currently at an all-time low. He also noted that Contreras' chapter is in the midst of grievance proceedings with the district.

The union, which comprises approximately 90 employees across the Foothill and De Anza campuses, took a vote earlier this month on whether to

support Measure E, Contreras said. The union was unanimously against the parcel

"We see the waste that has happened with the bond measures," Contreras said, referring to the previous Measure E, passed in 1999, and Measure C, passed in 2006.

In both instances, Contreras said, the money the district gained was poorly allocated. "We have no doubt that there will be waste in

the future.

entirely deny.

Linda Thor, chancellor of the district, said she felt that Contreras may be opposing the measure simply to apply pressure to the board

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BECKY BARTINDALE, DISTRICT SPOKESWOMAN

of trustees, a charge he does not

the board of trustees' attention and

Contreras said he wanted to get

instead of being recycled or sold. "Since there is money to be spent on new furniture, the old furniture is just being trashed," he said.

The CSEA president also com-

plained that while the district has grown, adding morestudents and buildings, service workers have not increased accordingly to meet the demand.

He acknowledged that district administration has also faced a larger workload, but said, "They get stipends to do the additional work

while the rest of the workers do not."

Bruce Swenson, president of the district's board of trustees and

Chancellor Thor, both said that Contreras' claim about stipends was inaccurate, noting that district employees are paid extra only if they go beyond their classification, which at times happens when positions are vacant and someone steps in to fill a role while continuing to do the job they for which they were

originally hired.

"I don't think our administrators are treated any differently," Swenson said. "Our administrators are also working extra hard to accommodate the surge in students just as our classified employees are, and our faculty."

Contreras said that while the language of the measure indicates that the money would be spent on accommodating the needs of students, he believes it will free up money in the schools' general fund that will be used to increase the salaries and benefits of faculty and administration. "It's a shell game," Contreras said.

"I would disagree strongly with him on that," Swenson said. "Our goal with the Measure E funds is to serve the extra students."

Bartindale said that if enough new classes are created, more teachers would be hired. "There's just no way around that."

However, she said, current faculty and administration would not get raises as a result of Measure E dollars.

Of the five collective bargaining groups within the Foothill-De Anza district, the CSEA is the only one to oppose Measure E.

'The district has a history of overspending.'

Contreras said that in the past,

bond-funded construction proj-

ects were mismanaged, expensive

outside contractors were brought in

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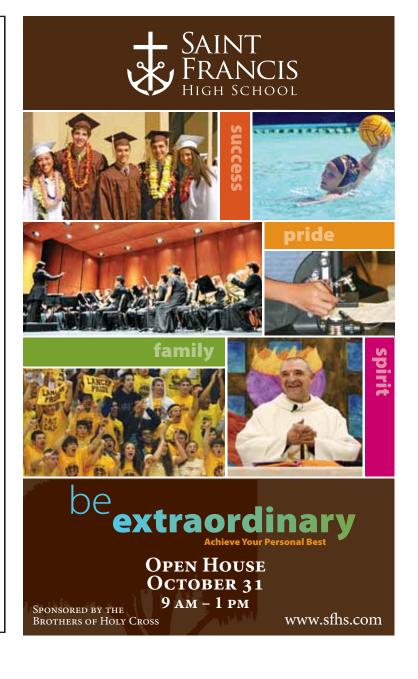
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In my more than thirty years in this community, I have been a renter, a home-owner, a landlord, an engineer and a senior manager in a number of aerospace companies. I have also been a small business owner, and my children attended Mountain View public schools.

I have served the city in various roles, including chair of the Environmental Planning Commission, and on the council, as Chair of the Environmental Sustainability Committee. I am currently serving as Vice-Mayor. All of this has prepared me well for the important job of recognizing and balancing the needs and interests of all people in Mountain View.

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MUSEUM

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park," said candidate Dan Waylonis, a software engineer at Google. "Isn't there another place for a museum?"

Longtime resident and candidate Greg David agreed. "I don't think it is an appropriate location," he said. "It should be downtown."

Among the six candidates, only incumbent Margaret Abe-Koga supported the plan, which she and four other current council members have backed. She mentioned the field trips her elementary schoolaged daughters take to places such as the Rengstorff House.

"Knowing the past can be of value to the community," she said.

Incumbent and mayor Ronit Bryant said she was "the only council member who voted against" the museum.

Incumbent Jac Siegel has had to abstain from such votes because of the proximity of property he owns to the Annex. He said he was advised by the city attorney not to comment on the issue either.

Flood basin more popular

The candidates were more supportive of the controversial plan to put a flood basin in the front third of the Annex, which some residents say would ruin the Annex and mean the loss of several beloved trees.

"If (an engineer) tells me thousands of homes could be flooded there's probably something we should do about it," said David, who called it "a reasonable plan for the property."

Waylonis disagreed, saying that he believed that the \$56 million flood project, which includes flood basins in Los Altos, would

save people from flood waters only one foot deep. He also questioned how fiscally responsible the Water District could be with the project.

"I grew up in Ohio, that's nothing," he said. "What's harder to put a price on is the loss of open space."

Jabbari said he liked the fact that the plans called for a "pretty" landscaping in the flood basin, which is important as parks are "the most important asset Mountain View has."



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which includes A possible design of the proposed museum at the Cuesta Annex.

Bryant, who founded the tree preservation group Mountain View Trees, addressed concerns from the neighborhood about the loss of trees in the Annex. She said that the most valuable trees, the oaks on the rear half of the Annex, "will not be touched."

She called it "a good plan that will leave the area as undisturbed as possible with a view of the hills, kids, birds and whatever rodents the birds like. I think we can have all that."

"We do have a responsibility to

make good on what voters voted for," Abe-Koga said of a flood-protection measure voters passed in 2000, even though the measure didn't lay out the design of the project.

The Santa Clara Valley Water District's project would catch waters from Permanente Creek in the event of a so-called "100 year flood," an event that has a 1 percent chance of happening in any year. The council has approved the idea in concept and will soon vote on a detailed plan.

Three Michelin stars for former Chez TJ chef

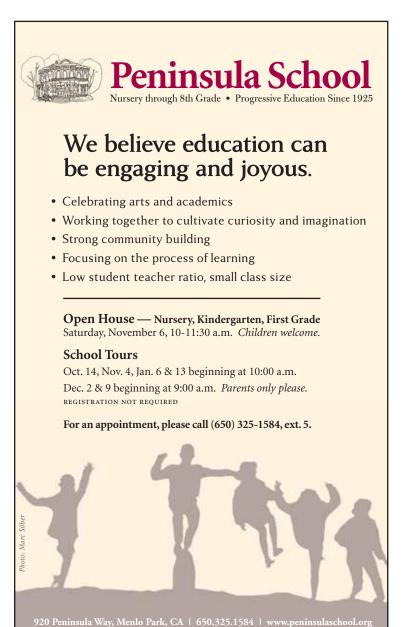
Christopher Kostow, the chef who won two stars in the prestigious Michelin restaurant guide while at Mountain View's Chez TJ, has now earned three stars as the chef of the Restaurant at Meadowood in the Napa Valley.

The owner of Chez TJ may be kicking himself for letting Kostow go, as the Mountain View restaurant remains at one star, one of 36 in the Bay Area to have the honor of the guide's lowest rating. One star means "a very good restaurant in its category," according to the guide.

Meanwhile, Bruno Chemel, the chef who followed Kostow and who was "incapable of earning two stars," according to Chez TJ owner George Aviet, has won a star of his own for his solo venture, Baume in Palo Alto.

The Restaurant at Meadowood joins the French Laundry as the only three star restaurants in the Bay Area.

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Lou Somontes talks about the Lockheed F-104, which was used for NASA flight tests.

PLANES

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"(It) keeps me out of trouble," he said.

He's joined in his efforts by several other retired Moffett Field employees, including retired Navy metal smith Bob Lombardi and Larry Salter, a former supervisor of a NASA U2 program that was once based at Moffett. The group calls itself the "aircraft wing" of the Moffett Field Museum, which is operated by the Moffett Field Historical Society.

Somontes' teenage grand-daughter Jessica Vickers helps out too, along with a group of teenagers who have been happy to learn how to work on the planes.

Somontes spent his years as a crew member and mechanic on the plane most associated with the former Naval Air Station at Moffett, the P-3 Orion. The group spent months restoring a P-3 now parked in front of the flight control tower at Moffett. Dozens of holes had to be patched in its aluminum skin, which corrodes without proper

Dozens of P-3s flew in and out of Moffett on a daily basis through the 1990s, part of the Cold War practice of tracking Russian submarines in the Pacific Ocean.

"The whole idea was to try and find them and track them, particularly the 'boomers'—the ones that had missiles," Somontes said.

Such submarine hunts were documented in the book "Hunt for Red October" — the movie version left out the involvement of the P-3 Orion squadrons, Somontes noted.

"The Soviets had a lot of submarines," Somontes said. When located, a submarine would "try and avoid us as long as it could. Sometimes they didn't know we were watching them. It was a Cold War game. It was exciting when you got one."

Restoring such planes appears to be the perfect way for Somontes to spend is retirement.

"It's a lot of fun, hard work," Somontes said. "You have to think outside the box" in locating parts and doing repairs. If something can't found, it has to be made from scratch.

"We do all that. But the fun is in the hunt — looking for this stuff."

Working inside Moffett Field's Hangar Three (with the blessing of owner NASA Ames) is a memorable experience in itself, Somontes said. Hangars Two and Three were constructed on the east side of the airfield out of wood in order to save steel during World War II, when they housed a fleet of blimps that escorted naval ships, spotting



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The "aircraft wing" of the Moffett Field Historical Society is working to restore a variety of airplanes in Hangar Three.

enemy submarines.

The group has spent \$3,000 since the restorations began a year and half ago, mostly for materials and mostly coming from the group's own pockets. That's low, considering the costs of aircraft parts. The tow hook for the P-3 Orion that the group restored cost \$17,000. Thankfully the tow hook was donated to the cause, along with many other parts, thanks to Somontes' "persistent, but not rude" approach.

"Quite often, I am asking, 'can you donate it to us?'" Somontes

The planes are not being restored to flight-worthy condition, just for display.

Right now the group is searching for tires for several of the planes, along with cockpit controls and instruments for the Huey Cobra helicopter. Controls and instruments are also missing from a Lockheed P-2 Neptune under restoration, once used to track Soviet submarines during the early days of the Cold War as the precursor of the P-3. This P-2 was parked at Moffett in the late 1970s, and Somontes believes the parts may have been stolen

by thieves, which is not uncommon.

Somontes has created a network of people he can go to for the vintage aircraft parts, and Ebay also helps. But sometimes the trick is watching out for stolen parts. "I have a list of sources I have a lot of faith in and trust in." Somontes said.

The group is seeking volunteers and donations and can be reached at 650- 223-5969 or through the Moffett Field Museum. ■

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SHAKE OUT

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being held concurrently across the state in recognition of The Great California ShakeOut.

Statewide drill

Coordinated by a variety of state and national safety organizations, the ShakeOut is intended to raise earthquake awareness and encourage people all over California to be better prepared for the next big temblor, according to Susan Garcia, a spokeswoman for the United States Geological Survey, one of the agencies that helped put the event together.

"California is earthquake country," Garcia said. "The goal of the ShakeOut is to prevent disasters from becoming emergencies."

Both the Mountain View Whisman School District and the Mountain View-Los Altos Union High School District participated in the ShakeOut by conducting extensive earthquake drills, which tested the response of individual schools as well as district coordination. There were mock injuries and hypothetical damage to school structures; teachers and staff

at the schools communicated with district officials; parents also participated, by serving as silent evaluators or showing up and attempting to pick up their children, and, in some cases, other people's children.

After Robinson announced that the shaking had stopped, Mogin's class walked out to the blacktop, sitting down in single-file lines, as teachers took roll. Tags indicating injuries hung around the necks of some students — one boy had a cut leg, another had debris in his eyes, a girl was confused and couldn't remember her name.

Fake injuries

After roll-call, most of the students were ushered to the Whisman Sports Center's baseball field. The "injured" students were kept at a makeshift infirmary — bleachers situated next to a large blue storage shed filled with emergency supplies.

Some students wore orange vests and practiced running materials from supply caches on school grounds to teachers and staff at the incident command center, set up at home plate on the baseball diamond.

Radios crackled as search crews relayed information back to Robinson, who would serve as incident commander in the event of such an emergency. Parent participants lined up in the first-base side dugout to sign out their children.

"So, how do you know my child is OK?" Crittenden parent Lisa Ramirez asked as she stood in line in the dugout. Mogin, who was in charge of the child checkout table, explained the school's student accounting system.

After the drill, Ramirez said that she felt the school had done a great job overall and that the staff appeared to be in sync.

"I felt that my son was completely safe," Ramirez said, noting that she especially liked that the school brought the kids to the baseball field, where they were fenced in and in a controlled environment.

Students pitch in

Ramirez's 11-year-old son, William, served as a "runner," dashing back and forth between the checkout table and the field, fetching students whose parents had arrived to take them home.

William, a sixth-grader, liked being a runner, "because it's fun," and said he would want to help out in the event of a real emergency.

Seventh-grader Melissa Moli-



Donovan Flores, left, and Rosa Lopez take cover under their table during an earthquake drill.

na, who also served as a runner, said it felt good to do something useful. The 12-year-old added that she felt safer having run through the drill.

"I know how the system works," Melissa said. "I'm not as nervous."

While William and Melissa only helped out within the fenced-in baseball field, other students assisted outside the field. When asked whether it was wise to have students assisting in this capacity, Robinson said students would not be allowed to engage in any activity

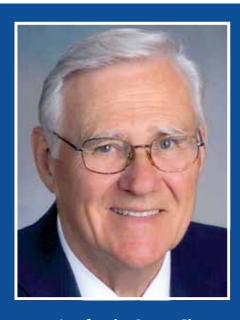
that supervising adults deemed unsafe.

"It's good for them to be out there and see what's going on," Robinson said. "I would never use a child if I thought that they weren't going to be safe."

Robinson said that she felt the drill went well overall, but noted that a new district system for ensuring every classroom and building is evacuated caused confusion.

"Every one is a learning experience," she said. "That's why we do this. Every time we learn something new. ■

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Local Halloween fun for adults and kids alike

By Nick Veronin

ll Hallows' Eve can be fun no matter what your age, and many local celebrations for adults and kids are aimed at making sure you have a ghoulishly good time this weekend. Pumpkin patches, haunted houses, roaring roller coasters, creepy crafts, costume contests, demonic drinks and books that go "boo!" are right in your backyard, if you know where to look. Here are a few Halloween get-togethers in Mountain View.

Freaky fun for the family

Grandpa's Pumpkin Patch

Two bounce houses, a haunted house, a petting zoo, hayrides on a real tractor, a hay maze and a hay mountain, along with pumpkins, of course. Kids are welcome to come dressed up.

455 San Antonio Road, Oct. 29-31 Cost: \$3 for kids, \$2 for adults. Info: 799-9555.

Saturday Stories: Halloween tales

There will be Halloween-themed stories read at this weekly public library event. Kids are welcome to come in costume. Mountain View Public Library, 585 Franklin St., Oct. 30., 10:15 a.m. Cost: Free. Info: 903-6337



Jacob Reich, 3, checks out the pumpkin selection at Grandpa's Pumpkin Patch at the San Antonio shopping center.

Mountain View High School ASB **Haunted House**

Five spooky Halloween-themed rooms, filled with zombies, ghosts and candy. Costumes are encouraged. Proceeds go to the Mountain View High School Associated Student Body.

Mountain View High School, 3535 Truman

Ave., Oct. 29, 2:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. Cost: \$1. Info: 941-4600.

Michael's Arts and Crafts Halloween Celebration

Face painting, a Halloween parade, duct tape crafts and candy. Kids are encouraged to come in costume.

Michael's Arts and Crafts, 2415 Charleston Road, Oct. 30, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Cost: Free. Info: 968-8698.

Great America Haunt

Zombies and ghouls roam the amusement park. Multiple haunted houses. 4701 Great America Pkwy., Santa Clara, Oct. 29-31, 7 p.m. to midnight. Cost: \$40; discounts and group deals available at cagreatamerica.com. Info: haunt.cagreatamerica.com.

Ghoulish grown-up get-togethers

DJs, dancing, drinks, a "wicked costume contest" and cash prizes. Zen Lounge, 251 Castro St., Oct. 30. Cost: \$15-\$20. Info: zenmv.com.

Three nights of Halloween

On Friday come out for four bands and a zombie-themed party. Saturday is the South American themed night, with the "sexiest costume" contest. Sunday is the Halloween Spooktacular with DJ Caesar, dancing and drinks. Giveaways and cash

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Our endorsements in local races, ballot measures

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This tax sunsets after six years and will help the district make up for the \$20 million in revenue lost over the last two years.

COUNTY MEASURE A FOR HEALTHY KIDS

This \$29 parcel tax (not \$39 as stated Oct. 15) supports a worthy cause — buying health insurance for kids who can't afford it. Our concern is that the cost should be funded out of county general fund revenue, not a parcel tax. Vote no.

The Voice recommends

The *Voice* has analyzed selected state propositions that will be on the Nov. 2 ballot and has taken the following positions.

PROPOSITION 23: VOTE NO

uspends air-pollution-control law AB-32 until unemployment drops to 5.5 percent for a full year.

What do the companies Valero Energy, Occidental Petroleum, Tesoro Corp., Tower Energy Group and World Oil Corporation all have in common?

They're all big oil companies based in Texas.

And they've all donated more than \$100,000 to put California's Proposition 23 on the ballot.

The oil companies are calling it the "California jobs initiative," but Proposition 23 should more accurately be called the "kill AB 32 initiative," — suspending that 2006 legislation until the state lowers its unemployment to a very low 5.5 percent that would likely keep the global warming bill in limbo for years, if not decades. AB 32, or the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006, establishes the target of reducing the state's green house gases (GHG) emissions to 1990 levels by the year 2020, through stiffer rules and regulations for the energy industry. California is one of the largest emitters of green house gases in the world, and AB 32 is estimated to reduce our GHG in the next decade by 30 percent.

That Valero Energy, the initiative's biggest funder, has one of the worst environmental records in the state should come as no surprise. Cleaning up its act by 2020 will not be easy on its bottom line. Proponents of Proposition 23 argue that such regulations as those called for by AB 32 would drive industry out of the state — resulting in lost jobs. Opponents counter that the evidence suggests the opposite: that not only is the job loss exaggerated, but the gain in green jobs would more than make up the difference.

To us, such a negligible short-term move could have disastrous long-term consequences to California's environment and the health of its citizens — as well as its economic future in green technology, a particular interest of Silicon Valley.

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VOICES FROM THE COMMUNITY

YES ON MEASURE A FOR THE KIDS

As a valley built on innovative solutions, we have both the opportunity and responsibility to keep the widely successful Healthy Kids low-cost health insurance program afloat by voting yes on Measure A.

Ten years ago, some great minds in Santa Clara County launched the nation's first universal children's health insurance program. This program, Healthy Kids, has been replicated throughout the state and country because it works. Data show that insured kids are healthier, miss fewer school days and cost less to care for when they have preventative medical care.

It would be a shame to let such a ground-breaking program disappear and to force thousands of children to lose regular access to health care. Let's continue to show the country that Silicon Valley finds efficient and effective solutions for every type of issue, business or social, by voting yes on Measure A.

Dick Levy, chairman Varian Medical Systems, Portola Valley

PUTTING FAITH IN TEA PARTY CANDIDATES

Shakespeare wrote: "There is a tide in the affairs of men..."

I say we've got to catch it now, else we lose. So what is the "tide"?

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Edmund F. Goedde Westford Way

CITIES TO GET BIGGEST CUT OF NEW VEHICLE FEE

I want to voice my support for Measure B that will help pay to repair local roads and streets.

At first, I was not sure if we needed this fee but in the clear case of meeting a critical need like local road repair in Santa Clara County, I was persuaded. I would encourage Santa Clara County voters to review the proposal which is clearly written and states: 80 percent of the collected monies will go to local cities, 15 percent to the county to cover county areas and no more than 5 percent for program administration.

The increasing costs of poorly maintained roads is shared not only by our cities and county but by drivers, cyclists or even pedestrians hoping to cross streets safely.

I think the \$10 vehicle fee is acceptable. I will also encourage the administrators of the measure to go green as much as possible with ecological storm water treatments and recycled paving materials.

Please vote for county Measure B on or before Nov. 2.

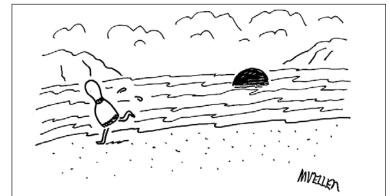
Laura Macias, member Mountain View City Council

SCHMIDT FOR WATER DISTRICT BOARD

I was pleased to read the *Voice's* endorsement of Brian Schmidt for the District 7 slot on the Santa Clara County Water District board.

Brian has the right combination of energy — at 43 he would be the youngest member of Santa Clara Valley Water District board — and relevant experience to bring positive change to a board that sorely needs it. That is why he has the

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PROPOSITION 24: VOTE YES

epeals recent legislation that would allow businesses to lower their tax liability. The Tax Fairness Act, as it's called by its supporters, is a response to a deal cut during the 2008-09 budget impasse in order to win enough Republican votes to pass a state budget. The deal did three things: it increased the flexibility with which companies can use net-operating losses to reduce taxes; it allowed for multi-state businesses to determine their California taxes based solely on sales in the state (previously, sales, payroll and property value were all factors); and it allowed unitary groups to transfer tax credits amongst the separate businesses within the group.

Essentially, all three provisions result in lower taxes for large

companies operating in the state — all to the tune, according to the Legislative Analysis, of \$1.3 billion a year when the new rules are fully implemented in 2012. Proposition 24 proponents argue that the deal should never have taken place to begin with and that by repealing the legislation, that \$1.3 billion would go back into the state's general fund (and under Proposition 98 guidelines, a significant part of that would go toward education).

Opponents of a repeal of the tax breaks say there would be significant job losses if multistate businesses went back to being taxed according to payroll.

Proposition 24 will meaningfully affect, according to supporters, less than 2 percent of the wealthiest multi-state corporations operating in California. It doesn't call for new or higher taxes on these companies; it calls for a repeal of so-called "loopholes" that haven't even fully gone into effect.

PROPOSITION 25: VOTE YES

hanges legislative vote requirement to pass budget and budget-related legislation from two-thirds to a simple majority.

Only Arkansas, Rhode Island and California ask for a two-thirds vote by state legislatures to pass budgets — all other 47 states require simple majorities.

Proposition 25 would change the budget requirement to 50 percent plus one; it would not change the two-thirds needed to raise taxes.

A two-thirds vote is an arbitrary number to weigh so heavily on the workings of any state. It tends to be high enough to make sure small minorities can keep practically anything from getting done. There's an argument that a simple majority gives too much power to the political party in the majority — perhaps 55 percent is a better number that would require

an inkling of bipartisan support. Maybe. What we do know is that anything lower than two-thirds would be an improvement.

PROPOSITION 26: VOTE NO

Requires certain state and local regulatory fees be approved by two-thirds vote.

Proposition 26 looks to further the two-thirds-approval concept by requiring 66.6 percent of the Legislature or local voters give a thumbs up before the certain regulatory fees can be exacted to make up for the social costs of their businesses.

Currently, these types of fees are not considered revenue-generating taxes (and therefore are not subject to two-thirds voter approval) because they're seen as an offset to the societal cost of company—think of hazardous materials fees being levied on a power company, with that money being used by the state to clean up toxic waste sites

and promote pollution prevention.

Chevron, Exxon Mobil and Phillip Morris are all big donors to Proposition 26; they and other heavy polluters would save a lot of money if it passes. The Legislative Analysis estimates that over years, it would result in the loss of billions of dollars to California taxpayers who would then be footing the bill to clean up the polluters' messes.

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endorsement of the majority of the city councils of Mountain View, Palo Alto and Los Altos Hills, along with the *Mercury News*, Supervisor Liz Kniss and many others.

The district's mission is to provide water, prevent flooding, and protect the area's watershed. Brian Schmidt has been strong, knowledgeable and fair-minded leader on water and environmental issues in Santa Clara County for many years. He has served six years on the district's Environmental Advisory Committee and the Performance Audit Committee. Brian is committed to making the board more accessible to the public, and to fighting for mercury cleanup in Santa Clara County, the most mercury-polluted county in California.

The water district has been in the news too often for cozy dealings and excessive pay. I have known Brian Schmidt for eight years, and he has that combination of integrity, intellect, passion and determination that's needed to bring meaningful reform to the water district. I urge you to vote for Brian Schmidt for the Santa Clara Valley Water District board.

Jeff Segall California Street, Mountain View

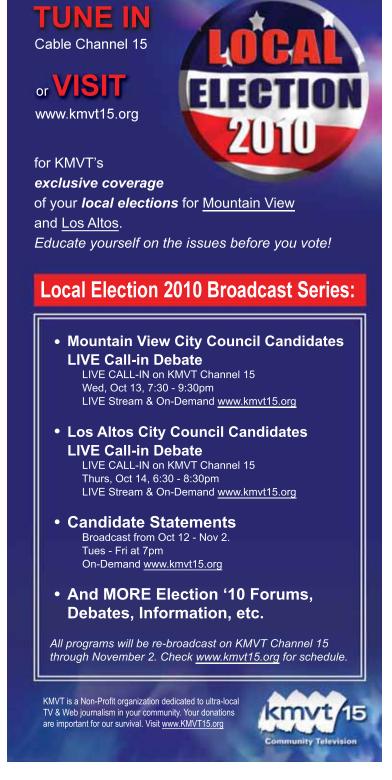
UNITED WAY SUPPORTS MEASURE A

United Way Silicon Valley believes that 100 percent of Santa Clara County kids deserve access to the health care they need to stay healthy, in school and on track to success. We as a community have the opportunity to make that happen by voting Yes on Measure A.

Measure A ensures that the successful Healthy Kids program continues. Through the Children's Health Initiative, Healthy Kids leverages \$24 million a year in state/ federal funds and has helped insure more than 171,000 kids. If Measure A does not pass, thousands of children will lose their insurance. Rather than force more uninsured children to seek care in costly emergency rooms on the taxpayer's dime, let's continue a proven program that helps kids while reducing health care costs to our county. Vote Yes on Measure A.

Carole Leigh Hutton President and CEO United Way Silicon Valley





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RESTAURANTREVIEW

Mystic coffee

SUFI COFFEE SHOP OFFERS HOUSE-ROASTED JAVA, COMMUNITY AND CONTEMPLATION

By Sheila Himmel

landwiched between a barber and a computer repair shop, the Sufi Coffee Shop is hard to spot unless you're looking for it. The sign over the door reads: "Sufi. Books. Magazines. Dripped Coffee." Prepare to be surprised at how those parts come together.

You will likely be gently welcomed by Parviz Rasti, in wire-rim glasses and a sweater, looking very much the college professor he was for 25 years. Rasti opened the Sufi Coffee Shop and Cultural Center in 2003 at the request of his Sufi master.

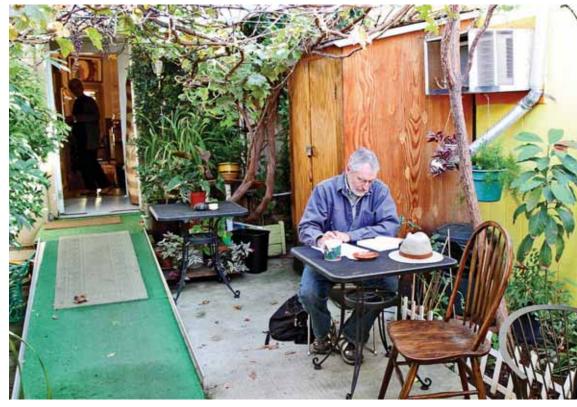
Sufism is 6,000 years old, predating other religions.

Rasti's order is Persian, accepts all religions and does not seek con-

Rasti will explain as much or as little as you want. It's also perfectly fine to just come in and have coffee or a sandwich with friends, and talk about baseball, or to sit quietly and read. The back patio is a hodge-podge of furniture and plants, with typed notes pasted to the wall. Such as: "Wisdom is knowing what to overlook."

You can thumb through secondhand copies of Homer's "Odyssey" or "Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance." If you want to read something about Sufism, ask Rasti.

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Gary Palmer comes to the Sufi Coffee Shop everytime he visits his family in the area.



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SUFI

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"It's there if you're looking for it," Rasti says of the well-stocked bookcase. "We don't push anything. Out of 100 people who come here, maybe one or two buy a book," he says, and he's fine with that.

Rasti was a professor of comparative literature for 25 years in Iran. When asked about how he came to open the coffee shop/cultural center, he smiles and quotes Robert

Two roads diverged in a wood, and

I took the one less travelled by, and that has made all the difference.

Rasti brought his family to the United States in 1995. Three years later, they opened a coffee shop in Sonoma County. It was just a coffee shop. But Rasti's Sufi master decided that turn-of-the-millennium Silicon Valley needed a taste of Sufi values - community, kindness, altruism — and that Rasti was the one to do it.

At the Sufi Coffee Shop, the paths of West and East converge. Soft background music may be an Argentinean bandoneon or the classical Persian setar, a fourstringed lute.

Way up in a corner is a photograph of Javad Nurbakhsh, a Sufi master, but the walls are dotted with the words of Western thinkers like Helen Keller, Mark Twain, Frank Lloyd Wright and Walt Whitman. "We're trying to bring Walt Whitman back into American culture, and other legendary people who've done something for humanity."

In the back patio, geraniums, bougainvillea and roses are in full bloom. Dark wine grapes hang on a vine that started as a two-inch volunteer Rasti noticed when he moved in.

Like the grape vines, the Sufi Coffee Shop grows. Changes include credit cards and WiFi access. "It's a small convenience, for people to read their e-mail. But this is not an office," says Rasti, who posts a twohour limit on WiFi use.

Rasti roasts coffee two or three times a week in a roaster out back. He also makes the soups: lentil, vegetable/bean and Persian. What is Persian soup? "You have to try it," Rasti says, giving the visitor a container to take home. Rasti's wife prepares the sandwiches.

Each cup of coffee is freshly ground and brewed, resulting in a depth of flavor that should be tasted before adding cream or sugar. At least one of the whole-leaf teas, red lychee, also is delicious. In both cases, Rasti says, "It's because of love that is Sufism.

Coffees include the house blend, Sufi, and Yemen, Brazilian, Kenyan, and Jamaican Blue Mountain. Except for Jamaican Blue Mountain, which varies, prices range from \$2.95 for 12 ounces to \$5 for 16 ounces.

There are espresso drinks, chai lattes and a half-dozen mocha drinks, made with Ghirardelli chocolate. Persian mocha is a double espresso with peppermint syrup and cardamom.

Just about every week, Sufi house members and regular customers deliver sandwiches to a homeless shelter.

Rasti defines the relationship he seeks with customers: "We are two people facing each other. Not owner and customer. Not just an exchange of money. I want to give them something more, not take." ■



Sufi's coffee is freshly roasted.

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Alpha and Omega (PG) Century 20: 11:20 a.m.; 1:35, 3:50, 6, 8:15 & 10:25 p.m.

Black Angel (1946) Stanford Theatre: Thu. at 6 & 9:10 p.m.

The Cat and the Canary (1939) Stanford Theatre: Sat.-Mon. at 7:30 p.m.; Sat. & Sun. also at 4:45 p.m.

Charlie Chan at the Opera (1936) Stanford Theatre:

Sat.-Mon. at 6:10 & 8:50 p.m.

Conviction (R) Century 16: 11:10 a.m.; 1:50, 4:30, 7:25 & 10:05 p.m. **Century 20:** 11:40 a.m.; 2:15, 4:50, 7:25 & 10:05 p.m.

Due Date (R) Century 16: Thu. at 12:01 a.m. **Century 20:** Thu. at 12:01 a.m.

Easy A (PG-13) Century 20: 12:25, 2:45, 5:10, 7:30 & 9:50 p.m.

The Girl Who Kicked the Hornet's Nest (R) Guild Theatre: 1:45, 5 & 8:15 p.m. Hereafter (PG-13) ★★★1/2 Century 16: 11 a.m.; 12:30, 2, 3:35, 5:05, 7, 8:25

& 10:30 p.m. **Century 20:** 11:25 a.m.; 12:50, 2:30, 4, 5:25, 7, 8:30 & 10 p.m. Inside Job (PG-13) ★★★1/2 CinéArts at Palo Alto Square: 1:55, 4:40 & 7:20 p.m.; Fri. & Sat. also at 9:55 p.m.

Jackass 3 (R) Century 16: In 3D at noon, 2:20, 5, 8 & 10:35 p.m. **Century 20:** In 3D at 1:05, 2:35, 3:30, 5:50, 7:10, 8:15 & 10:40 p.m.

Leaving Aquarius Theatre: 2:45, 5, 7:15 & 9:30 p.m.

Legend of the Guardians: The Owls of Ga'Hoole (PG) Century **16:** In 3D at 11:05 a.m.; 1:30, 3:55, 6:40 & 9:05 p.m. **Century 20:** In 3D at 11:30 a.m.; 1:55, 4:20, 6:50 & 9:15 p.m.

Life As We Know It (PG-13) Century 20: 11:40 a.m.; 2:15, 4:55, 7:35 & 10:15 p.m.

Megamind (PG) Century 16: In 3D Thu. at 12:01 a.m. Century 20: In 3D Thu. at 12:01 a.m.

Ministry of Fear (1944) Stanford Theatre: Thu. at 7:30 p.m.

Never Let Me Go (R) ★★★ Aquarius Theatre: 4:30 & 9:15 p.m.

Nowhere Boy (R) ★★★ **Century 16:** 11:45 a.m.; 2:10, 4:40, 7:50 & 10:15 p.m.

Paranormal Activity 2 (R) Century 16: 11:25 a.m.; 12:25, 1:45, 2:45, 4:20, 5:20, 7:10, 8:05, 9:50 & 10:40 p.m. **Century 20:** 11:35 a.m.; 12:15, 1, 1:50, 3:20, 4:10, 4:55, 5:40, 6:35, 8:05, 9, 9:45 & 10:30 p.m.

Pickup on South Street (1953) Stanford Theatre: Fri. at 7:30 p.m. Race Across the Sky 2010 (PG) Century 16: Thu. at 8:30 p.m.

Century 20: Thu. at 8:30 p.m.

Red (PG-13) ★★★ Century 16: 11:15 a.m.; 12:30, 1:55, 3:15, 4:35, 5:50, 7:30, 9 & 10:10 p.m. **Century 20:** 11:45 a.m.; 12:55, 2:20, 3:40, 5:15, 6:30, 8, 9:20 & 10:35 p.m.

Saw: The Final Chapter (R) Century 16: 11 a.m.; 1:15, 3:30, 5:45, 8:10 & 10:30 p.m. **Century 20:** 11:25 a.m.; 12:45, 1:45, 3:05, 4:15, 5:30, 6:40, 7:55, 9:10 & 10:20 p.m.

Secretariat (PG) ★★1/2 **Century 16:** 12:05, 3:20, 6:50 & 9:55 p.m. Century 20: 11:15 a.m.; 2, 4:45, 7:40 & 10:30 p.m.

The Social Network (PG-13) ** 1/2 Century 16: 11:30 a.m.; 12:40, 2:25, 3:50, 5:15, 7:05, 8:20 & 10 p.m. **Century 20:** 11:15 a.m.; 2:10, 5, 7:50 & 10:40 p.m.

Stone (R) ★★1/2 **Century 16:** 11:35 a.m.; 2:05 & 4:45 p.m.; Fri.-Wed. also at 7:40 & 10:25 p.m.

The Town (R) $\star\star$ 1/2 **Century 16:** 12:20, 3:40, 7:20 & 10:20 p.m. **Century 20:** 1:25, 4:15, 7:05 & 9:55 p.m.

Waiting for Superman (PG) Century 20: 11:50 a.m.; 2:25 & 5:05 p.m.; Fri.-Wed. also at 7:45 & 10:20 p.m. CinéArts at Palo Alto Square: 1:45, 4:30 & 7:15 p.m.; Fri. & Sat. also at 9:50 p.m.

Where the Sidewalk Ends (1950) Stanford Theatre: Fri. at 5:45 & 9 p.m.

You Will Meet a Tall Dark Stranger (R) ★★★ Aquarius Theatre: 2:15 & 7 p.m.

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HEREAFTER ★★★1/2

(Century 16, Century 20) Three characters in different parts of the world are united by death. A devastating tsunami leaves famed French journalist Marie LeLay (Cecile de France) with remarkable glimpses of the afterlife; soft-spoken British lad Marcus (played by real-life identical twins Frankie and George McLaren) struggles with the untimely death of his twin brother Jason; and San Franciscan George Lonegan (Matt Damon) has an uncanny ability to communicate with the deceased whether he likes it or not. And the lives of these three individuals seem fated to intertwine. Rated PG-13 for mature thematic elements including disturbing disaster and accident images, and for brief strong language. 2 hours, 6 minutes. — T.H.

INSIDE JOB ★★★1/2

(CineArts) Sometimes a good documentary is one for the history books. "Inside — written, produced and directed by Charles Ferguson — may end up being that sort of film. The wounds recounted may be too fresh just now for "Inside Job" to be broadly appreciated, but it's a cogent synthesis of the factors leading to, defining and resulting from the global economic crisis of the last couple of years. Even the most casual observers of the economic crisis will have to consider much of "Inside Job" to be old news, but Ferguson delivers it doggedly and without succumbing to blatant emotional appeal. Rated PG-13 for some drug and sex-related material. One hour, 49 minutes. — P.C.

IT'S KIND OF A FUNNY STORY ★★★

(Century 16, Century 20) The kind-ofa-funny story starts when a sensitive teen (Keir Gilchrist) admits himself into a psychiatric hospital. A five-day-stay requirement gives the narrative enough time to develop a dual track of insights about growing up and getting medical treatment. Craig makes friends with the affable Bobby (Zach Galifianakis) and develops a crush on Noelle (Emma Roberts) — both of whom bring humor and humanity to the screen. But the film offers simplistic solutions in suggesting that problems can be cured in less than a week, and that a well-intentioned teenage boy with some cash, courtesy of his parents, can accomplish what medical professionals (including Viola Davis) cannot. Rated: PG-13 for mature thematic issues, sexual content, drug material, and language. 1 hour. 41 minutes. — S.T.

NOWHERE BOY★★★

(Century 16) Spanning 1955 to 1960, the story kicks off with John Lennon (Aaron Johnson) losing his beloved Uncle George (David Threlfall) and facing life alone with his somewhat priggish Aunt Mimi (Kristin Scott Thomas). The familial shift prompts the teenage Lennon to reconnect with his affectionate but erratic mother Julia (Anne Marie-Duff of "The Last Station"). Something of a war of wills ensues between Mimi

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and Julia, with the attentions and loyalty of John at stake. When all is said and done, John will have faced the ugly truth about the splintering of his family a decade earlier, and experienced the fresh hell of another family tragedy. It isn't all uncomfortable psychodrama for Lennon, who we see enthusiastically raising hell and even more enthusiastically embracing the cultural arrival of Elvis by adopting a new style and procuring a guitar. Rated R for language and a scene of sexuality. One hour, 38 minutes. — P.C.

RED★★★

(Century 16, Century 20) "Red" stars Bruce Willis as Frank Moses, a retired CIA black ops agent with a fearsome reputation. Of course, news of Frank's skills haven't reached his suburban neighbors or Sarah Ross (Mary-Louise Parker), the Social Security office cubicle worker he's taken to chatting up over the phone. Frank's quiet life doesn't last long: his plan to travel to Kansas City to meet up with Sarah hits a snag when armed commandos attempt to kill him. For Sarah's safety, he'll have to abduct her and keep her in line while looking up old friends also classified as "RED" "Retired — Extremely Dangerous." Rated PG-13 for intense sequences of action violence and brief strong language. One hour, 51 minutes. — P.C.

SECRETARIAT★★1/2

(Century 16, Century 20) Diane Lane and John Malkovich star in this story of Triple Crown-winning racehorse Secretariat. Rated PG for brief mild language. Two hours, two minutes. — P.C.

THE SOCIAL NETWORK★★★1/2

(Century 16, Century 20) The riveting film about Facebook founder Mark Zuckerberg defines a generation. Director David Fincher helms with a deft touch; the screenplay by Aaron Sorkin is beautifully crafted; and the acting is exceptional. In fact, the only thing missing from "The Social Network" is a likable protagonist. Zuckerberg (Jesse Eisenberg) wasn't always the world's youngest billionaire. In 2003, the computer whiz was an undergrad at Harvard University, more interested in campus life and dating than status updates or profile pics. Harvard students (and twin brothers) Cameron and Tyler Winklevoss (Armie Hammer and Josh Pence) and a colleague approach Zuckerberg to enlist his help with the development of Harvard Connection, a MySpace-esque site specifically for Harvard students. Zuckerberg quickly enlists the financial and moral support of his best friend, Eduardo Saverin (Andrew Garfield), to create his own social-networking site. In less time than it takes to fix a transmission, Zuckerberg designs and builds TheFacebook. com.Rated PG-13 for language, drug and alcohol use and sexual content. 2 hours, 1 minute. — T.H.



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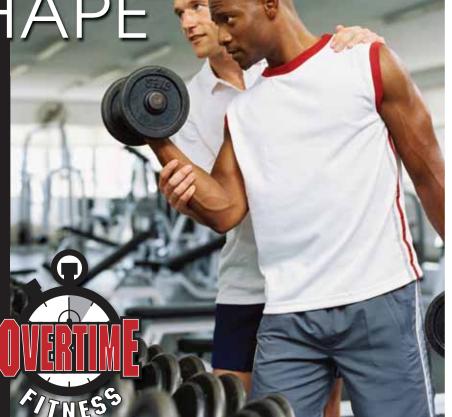
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Green Mountain View monthly meet-

ing Community group dedicated to improving sustainability in Mountain View. First Monday of each month. Nov. 1, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Mountain View Library Community Room, 585 Franklin St., Mountain View. Call 650-969-3720. www.greenmountainview.org

FAMILY AND KIDS

Santa Rita's Witches Delight Carnival

Carnival rides are back and will include the Dizzy Dragons, Frog Hop Kite Swings and new Wild Raft ride. Other attractions include games, cake walk, obstacle course, cookie decorating and costume contest. Churros, cotton candy, popcorn and BBQ. All children must be accompanied by a parent. Oct. 29, 3-8 p.m. Free admission/\$1 per ticket. Santa Rita Elementary, 700 Los Altos Ave., Los

Zoo Night "Dress up in your Halloween costume and bring the kids and family to the annual Zoo Night. The JMZ will have food and drinks, Halloween treats, and close-up

animal encounters. Bat-naming winners will be announced," the Junior Museum and Zoo says. Oct. 29, 6-8 p.m. Become a member of the Friends to attend Zoo Night. Palo Alto Junior Museum & Zoo, 1451 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. http://www.friendsjmz.org/sup-

LIVE MUSIC

Tito Gonzalez y su Trio Tito and his band play authentic Cuban dance music such as rumba, guaracha, and son montuno. Nov. 4, 7:30-9:30 p.m. \$10-\$15. Oshman Family JCC, 3921 Fabian Way, Palo Alto. Call 650-223-8605, www.paloaltoicc.org/arts

ON STAGE

"Sleeping Beauty" Los Altos Youth Theatre presents a modern, sassy version of the fairy tale. Audiences are encouraged to wear their princess dress, dragon costume or other royal wear. Oct. 22-Nov. 6, tickets are \$15 adult and \$10 student/senior/child. Bus Barn Theatre, 97 Hillview Ave., Los Altos, Call

RELIGION/SPIRITUALITY

Diana Butler Bass Diana Butler Bass former religion columnist for The New York Times, blogger at The Huffington Post and Beliefnet, and commentator for USA TODAY, Time, Newsweek The Washington Post CNN FOX PBS and NPR will talk on how religion and spirituality are changing in the 21st Century. Nov. 5-7, 7:30-9 p.m. \$20 donation requested. First Presbyterian Church of Palo Alto, 1140 Cowper St., Palo Alto, fprespa. org/lecture.htm

Evening with Bhikkhu Bodhi Venerable Bodhi will be discussing the Buddha's teachings with relevance to modern lives, relationships, environment, and global society. He will be highlighting his work with Buddhist Global Relief. Nov. 2, 5-10 p.m. Free. Sanctuary, St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, 2094 Grant Road, Mountain View. Call 408-578-3401. www.imsb.org

Holy Yoga This new class offers a form of experiential worship; no prior experience with yoga needed. Class meets twice weekly on Sundays, 2-3 p.m., and Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Free. Los Altos United Methodist Church, Children's Center, 655 Magdalena Ave., Los Altos. Call 650383-9322. www.laumc.org

Insight Meditation South Bay Shaila Catherine and guest teachers lead a weekly Insight Meditation sitting followed by a talk on Buddhist teachings. Tuesdays, 7:30-9 p.m. free/ donation. St. Timothy's/Edwards Hall, 2094 Grant Road, Mountain View. Call 650-857-0904. www.

RESEARCH SUBJECTS

Efficient Automatic Speech Recognition on the GPU Automatic speech recognition (ASR) allows multimedia content to be transcribed from acoustic waveforms to word sequences. This technology is emerging as a critical component in data analytics for a wealth of media data that is being generated every day. Implementation challenges will be discussed. Nov. 2, 1:30-2:30 p.m. Free. Carnegie Mellon Silicon Valley, NASA Research Park, Bldg 23, Moffett Field. Call 650-335-2852. www.cmu.edu/silicon-valley/newsevents/seminars/index.html

SENIORS

California Telephone Access Program

"Do you have difficulty hearing people on the phone? Get a free hearing screening and CTAP application, approved as you wait, so you can receive a free specialized phone by mail," the senior center says. Nov. 2, 9 a.m.-noon. Free. Mountain View Senior Center, 266 Escuela Ave., Mountain View. Call 650-903-6330.

TALKS/AUTHORS

Christopher Kimball Christopher Kimball presents "Fannie's Last Supper: Two Years, Twelve Courses, and Creating One Amazing Meal from Fannie Farmer's 1896 Cookbook." Nov. 4, 7 p.m. Free. Books Inc., 301 Castro St., Mountain View. http://www.booksinc.net

John Medina - Brain Rules for Parents Dr. John Medina shares what the latest science says about how to raise smart and happy children from zero to 5. Nov. 4, 7-9 p.m. Free. Smithwick Theater, 12345 El Monte Road, Los Altos. www.

Other Voices: Israel - Palestine: A New

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FOOTHILL-DE ANZA Community College District Board of Trustees

invites applicants for its

Audit & Finance Committee

One of four seats held by community members on the volunteer Audit & Finance Committee will become vacant at the end of December. Trustees will appoint a new member to a four-year term that begins in January. Candidates should have a strong background in budget, finance and/or audit. The committee acts in an advisory role to the board in carrying out its oversight and legislative responsibilities as they relate to the district's financial management. Applicants may not be an employee, contractor, consultant or vendor of the district.

The Audit & Finance Committee meets quarterly but may meet every two months if desired. The responsibilities of the committee are to:

- · Review and monitor budget and financial material and reports related to financial matters such as bonds, certificates of participation and other funding instruments that come before the Board of Trustees:
- · Monitor the external audit selection and engagement process;
- · Review independent audit reports and monitor follow-up activities:
- Be available, if needed, to meet with the Board of Trustees each year at the time of presentation of the external audit to the board;
- · Consult with independent auditors regarding accounting, fiscal and related management issues;
- · Monitor operational reviews, findings and recommendations and follow-up activities.

Interested applicants should submit a resume and cover letter detailing their qualifications to any of the following:

Office of the Chancellor Foothill-De Anza Community College District 12345 El Monte Road Los Altos Hills, CA 94022

E-mail:

chancellor@fhda.edu Fax: (650) 941-6289

Completed applications must be received by 5 p.m. Friday, Nov. 19. For more information, please call (650) 949-6100 or email chancellor@fhda.edu.

FOOTHILL-DE ANZA Community College District Board of Trustees

seeks applicants for its

Measure C Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee

Candidates appointed to the independent, volunteer **Measure** C Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee review and report to the public on the district's Measure C bond expenditures. Applicants must reside in the district's service area, which includes the cities of Cupertino, Los Altos, Los Altos Hills, Mountain View, Palo Alto, Sunnyvale and portions of San Jose, Santa Clara and Saratoga. Applicants may not be an employee, contractor, consultant or vendor of the district. The Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee bylaws are available at www.measurec.fhda.edu or by calling (650) 949-6100.

Currently three committee members are needed in the following categories:

- Representative, At Large
- Representative, Senior Citizens Organization
- Representative, Student

This committee is responsible for reviewing expenditures related to the district's \$490,800,000 general obligation bond, Measure C, approved by the voters on June 6, 2006.

Interested applicants should submit a resume and cover letter detailing their qualifications, and noting which of the above categories they would represent, to any of the following:

Mail:

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Office of the Chancellor chancellor@fhda.edu Foothill-De Anza Fax:

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1-5	Sun., Nov. 14, 12 p.m.	Lower School
9-12	Thu., Dec. 2, 6:30 p.m.	Upper School
6-8	Sun., Dec. 5, 11 a.m.	Middle School

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The Mountain View – Los Altos Union High School District invites proposals from qualified firms to provide design and installation of Wireless Infrastructure Systems at Mountain View HS, Los Altos High School, Alta Vista High School and the District Offices. Interested Responders should request a detailed RFP from:

Steve Hope, Associate Superintendent Personnel & Technology Mountain View-Los Altos Union High School District 1299 Bryant Avenue Mountain View, CA 94040

Phone: (650) 940-4675

Email Address: shope@mvla.net

All proposals must be received by 4:00 pm, November 1, 2010. This is not a formal request for bids or an offer by the Mountain View – Los Altos Union High School District to contract with any party responding to this request. The Mountain View – Los Altos Union High School District reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

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Protest Generation "Israel - Palestine: A New Protest Generation Young Israelis and Palestinians Confronting Injustice." A conversation with Joel Beinin (Professor of Middle East History, Stanford Univ.). Nov. 2, 7-8 p.m. Free. Community Media Center, 900 San Antonio Road, Palo Alto. peaceandjustice.org/article.php/Nov_2010_Other Voices

Richard Kadrey Richard Kadrey, author of "Sandman Slim," presents "Kill the Dead: A Sandman Slim Novel." Oct. 29, 7 p.m. Free. Books Inc., 301 Castro St., Mountain View. www.booksinc. net

Richard Rhodes "The Ethics of Violence in War" This year, the Center for Ethics in Society at Stanford is introducing a new series: Ethics & War. On Nov 11th, Richard Rhodes, author of "The Making of the Atomic Bornb" gives a lecture on "The Ethics of Violence in War." Nov. 11, 7-8:30 p.m. Free. Annenberg Auditorium, 435 Lasuen Mall, Stanford. Call 650-723-0997. http://ethicsinsociety.stanford.edu/ethics-events/events/view/971/?date=2010-11-11

Technology and Society Committee Luncheon Forum Dr. Sanjay Jasuja, founder of the Cal Institute of Behavioral Sciences, author of "Out of Chaos" describes his work to measure brain chemical imbalance. Nov. 9, 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m. Lunch is \$12. Hangen Szechuan Restaurant, 134 Castro St., Mountain View. Call 650-969-7215. tian.greens.org/TASC.shtml

Ways to Peace in Israel & Palestine Explore the future of Jewish-Palestinian relations by learning about Abraham's Vision. Abraham's Vision is a nonprofit conflict transformation organization that explores group and individual identities within and among the Jewish, Muslim, Israeli, and Palestinian communities. Nov. 2, 7-8:30 p.m. \$12-\$15. Oshman Family JCC, 3921 Fabian Way, Palo Alto. Call 650-223-8602. www.paloaltojcc.org

TEEN ACTIVITIES

Teen Open Gym Teen Open Gyms are open every Saturday night for various sports. Middle School and High School students only; bring student ID. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Free. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Free. Whisman Sports Center, 1500 Middlefield Road, Mountain View. Call 650-903-6410.

VOLUNTEERS

Children's Disaster Services Volunteer Workshop This workshop will train attendees to understand and respond to children who have experienced a disaster. Participants will experience a simulated shelter, sleeping on cots and eating simple meals. Oct. 29-30, 5 p.m. \$45 early reg./\$55 after Oct. 8. Los Altos United Methodist Church, Creekside Center, 655 Magdalena Ave. (@Foothill Exp.), Los Altos. Call 650-383-9322. www.laumc.org

Deborah's Palm Volunteer Opportunities Deborah's Palm is a women's resource center located in downtown Palo Alto. It has many volunteer opportunities available ranging from front desk greeters, fund raising, grant writing, special events and much more. Deborah's Palm, 555 Lytton Ave., Palo Alto. www.deborahsaalm.org

Stanford Cats Need Foster Homes

Stanford Cat Network needs foster homes for newcomer cats to campus. For more info and to volunteer, go to the SCN website and complete the Foster Home Profile: catnet.stanford.edu/sup-port_foster.html . Adoption fair help also needed. Opportunities ongoing. Stanford Cat Network, P.O. Box 18287, Stanford. Call 650-566-8287. catnet.stanford.edu

Writing Buddies Volunteers Needed Write stories with second-graders. Writing Buddies pairs adults 1:1 with Mountain View schoolchildren in a six-week program. Two hours/week, Tuesdays. All training provided. 1:30-3:30 p.m. Free. Castro School, 505 Escuela Ave., Mountain View. Call 650-323-1183.

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140 Lost & Found

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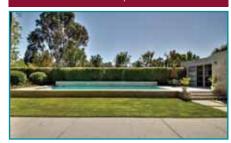


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LOS ALTOS 3BR | 2.5BA

841 TERRACE DRIVE \$1,759,000 Beautiful Ivl yrd w/great bk yd,wonderful trees,xellent opportunity to expand or build new 650.941.7040 Terri Couture

ATHERTON

85 WATKINS AVE

Park. Large sunny backyard. Feels like new! touches,priv.1 acre lust Barbara Zuckerwise 650.325.6161 Gary Herbert

1466 CLUB VIEW TERRACE

4 BR 2 BA Setting on large 14,400 sq ft lot, Backs to Heritage Oaks Park.

Phyllis & Jamie Carmichael 650.941.7040 460 SANTA ROSA DR

59 BAY TREE LN

2 BR 2 BA Gated community offers a rare chance to purchase THE twnhm w/the largest yrd of all units! vicki Geers 650.941.7040 see THE twnhm w/the largest yrd of all units! vicki Geers 650.941.7040 steel appliances, frosted glass cabinets. I613 MARIPOSA AV SWD 1:30 - 4:30 SWD 1:30 SWD Jo Buchanan & Stuart Bowen 650.941.7040

734 S EL MONTE AV

3 BR 2 BA Charming Hm w/lots of character.Inviting land-scaped frnt yard,formal entry,relaxing LR/FP. 4 BR 3 BA Enjoy both Royce Cablayan

36 LYFLL ST

Terri Couture LIGHT & BRIGHT END UNIT \$765,000 1020 SHERMAN AV

2 BR 2 BA One level condo in the heart of Los Altos.Lrg priv.front yrd.

3 BR 2.5 BA Beautiful, spacious 3-level home. Walls of glass. Large, bright kitchen w/breakfast rm.

3 BR 2 BA One Level Hm on Christmas Tree Lane. LR w/FP, DR &Court Yard to entertain. Secret Garden.

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DOWNTOWN TOWNHOME! \$498,000 2 BR 2 BA Upgraded single story close to downtown LA. LR w/FP. Detached gar. Private patio w/storage

MOUNTAIN VIEW

336 HAWTHORNE AV
CAT 1.30 4.30

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SEVEN PONDS 4 BR 4 full BA + 2 half An architectural masterpiece set in SAT/SUN 1:30 - 4:30 the foothills, this home will delight your senses. Mickey Shaevitz & Ellen Barton 650.941.7040

LOS ALTOS HILLS

26932 BEATRICE LN \$1,445,000 SUN 1:30 - 4:30 \$3,500,000 SUN I - 4

Gary Herbert
24040 OAK KNOLL CIRCLE
\$3,198,000 UPDATED OLL END UNIT LOS ALTOS SAT 1:30 - 4:30

6 BR 4 BA Spacious 3,978 sq ft.home w/views of the Bay.41,600 sq.ft.hot.Prestigious street.Office.

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BUILD YOUR DREAM HOME

\$2.500.000 BUILD YOUR DREAM HOME \$2,500,000 Francis Rolland 650.948.0456 Rod Creason 382 CHRISTOPHER CT Phyllis & Jamie Carmichael 650.941.7040 5 BR 2 BA Remodel or build your dream home on this mostly flat lot close to the village. PA schools. 295 FARLEY ST mostly flat lot close to the village. PA schools. SAT 1:30 - 4:30

\$1,548,000 Dorothy Gurwith

\$1.995.000 SAT 1 - 4 \$1,198,000 4 BR 4.5 BA An upper-level mstr ste is a lavish retreat w/a

LOS GATOS

MENLO PARK

\$1,138,000 1350 SHERMAN AV

ing LR/FP. 4 BR 3 BA Enjoy both - location and house. Lg. kit/great room. Formal LR+DR. Oak floors.2 FP.

4 BR 3 BA Remodeled 4 bedrooms, 3 bath.Prime Los Altos downtown location!Beautiful tree & yard.

FARTISTILE & FABULOUS! \$1,272,000

5 BR 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BA New 5,695sf home w/gourmet kit & att FR w/ 5 BN 5.5 BN

DUPLEX IN MOUNTAIN VIEW! \$849,000

\$5,950,000 809 ALICE AV

MOUNTAIN VIEW 2459 ELKA AV

\$749,000 SUN I - 4

650.941.7040 Wendi Selig-Aimonetti 650.328.5211 Lea Nilsson

UPDATED OLD MILL \$649,000 SAT/SUN 1:30 - 4:30 ST PROPRIES OF THE PROPRIES OF T

4 BR 3 BA Beautiful updated home in exquisite No.Los
Altos.New roof,paint,carpet.

Barbara Cannon

419 MIRAMONTE AV

4 BR 3 BA Beautiful Hm on a sprawling flat+ acre w/captivating views of the Western hills.

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2 BR 2.5 BA Close to Cuesta Pk,shipping & great schls.

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Convinient to Hwys.Includes new Kt&windows.

Susan Marsella 650.941.7040 354 EMBARCADERO RD

255 EASY ST #4 SUN 1:30 - 4:30 3 BR 2 BA Kitchen w/granite slab counters,newer stainless Alan Loveless steel appliances, frosted glass cabinets.

CREEKSIDE RETREAT I BR I BA Open patio facing redwood trees, creek & pool.

Near vibrant downtown Mountain View.

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\$1,272,000 STREET PAIN STYLE & FABULOUS!

\$999,000 bath.Prime Los Altos yard.

650.941.7040 Arvada Darnell 650.325.6161 Prime Los Altos \$100 SHERMAN AV Comptown Lo 1501 BRYANT ST \$1,249,000 SUN 1:30 - 4:30 \$3,849,000 Super ceilings, lots of light Jerry Haslam

650.941.7040 Large, bright kitchen w/breakfast rm.

Ken Morgan/Arlene Gault 650.328.5211 Ann Anni Chu

Spacious duplex in Mtn. View! Each unit has 2 bedrooms, bath, &garage! BY APPT. ONLY!

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S49,000

2 BR 2 BA Modern Living in Downtown Palo Alto. Award winning design by David Solnick Architect.

Rod Creason

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S1,495,000

4137 THAIN WY

SUN 1:30 - 4:30

2 BR 2 BA Cathedral ceilings, firepl, wd fireply in the second part of the second p

1499 COWPER ST \$825,000 SUN 1:30 - 4:30

PALO ALTO 2527 GREER RD \$1,245,000 SUN 1:30 - 4:30

961 MADDUX DR

\$2,195,000 by Stuart Bowen 650.941.704 by Stuart Bowen 650

SUN 1:30 - 4:30

650.325.6161 3 BR 2 BA Granite counters with task lighting, French doors to Sunroom, New floors & paint, Pergola

650.325.6161 Carrier Carrier

\$1,079,000 314 E ST

1613 MARIPOSA AV

683 WAVERLEY ST
SUN 1:30 - 4:30 \$1,049,000 \$3 BR 2 BA Fantastic Farm Hill Vista Condo. Skylights, remod kit w/granite, great flr plan & FP.

Sharon Witte 650.325.6161 SUN 1:30 - 4:30 2 BR 2.5 BA Remodeled downtow

650.325.6161 SAN JOSE

LIGHT & BRIGHT END UNII \$/65,0UU 2BR 2.5 BA Townhome just steps to downtown Los Altos Sep. LR, DR and FR. Largest unit! Owner Halliday 650.325.6161 STYNDALL ST SUN 1:30 - 4:30 \$1,249,000 \$UN 1:30 - 4:30 \$53,847,0UU 48R 3 BA Classic center hall colonial hm on a Irg 12,825 sq. ft. lot. Separate dining rm, hd firs.

SUN 1:30 - 4:30 \$3,847,0UU 4290 PONCE DR 5AT/SUN 1:30 - 4:30 \$1,249,000 \$1,000

650.328.5211 3 BR 2 BA Charming bungalow. Freshly painted, granite countertops, wood flooring, prof. landscaping.

\$1,495,000 Sue Rotha/Doris Deising 650.325.6161 O SKYLINE BL

in Downtown Palo Alto. avid Solnick Architect.

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650.325.6161 \$1,299,000 ELEGANT LIFESTYLE!

PALO ALTO II5 GREENMEADOW WAY

4 BR 5.5 BA On a quiet cul de sac,spacious rms,designer 3 BR 2 BA Shows grt! Quiet loc! nicely updated w/wood floors,freash paint,front landscape, must see!

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5 BR 2 BA Spacious and well maintained Eichler on a cul-de- land scape, must see!

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573 VILLA REAL \$1,159,000 SAT/SUN 1:30 - 4:30

REDWOOD CITY

\$1,129,000 NEAR THE ATHERTON BORDER \$1,095,000 \$649,000 3 BR 2 BA South Palo Alto residence privately situated on a large lot in a cul-de-sac location.

South Palo Alto residence privately situated on a large lot in a cul-de-sac location.

South Palo Alto Palo Al

650.325.6161 \$825,000 One level duplex, 2BR/IBA each. Great street. Back unit

650.328.5211 updated & in move-in condition.

Geraldine Asmus 650.325.6161

SUN 1:30 - 4:30 \$1,079,000 \$14 E ST \$AT 1 - 4 \$599,000 \$18 R 2 BA Turn of the century charmer with period details through out. Old PA, close to Trader Joe's \$18 R 1 BA Shows well w/hdwd firs, updatd kit&bath. Dual standard with the standard stand

650.325.6161 paned windws, grt deck & trellis in Irg yd
Wendi Selig-Aimonetti \$1,075,000 II50 FAY ST SAT/SUN I - 4

\$279,000 2 BR 2 BA Remodeled Beauty near Paly H.S. w/bonus office/bedroom, granite kitchen, vaulted ceilings.

trees, creek & pool. w.

Celia Bella
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SAT/SUN I - 4

\$4777,700

2 BR 1 BA Darling hm on quiet block. Nicely updated kit & bath. Spacious BRs, HW ffrs, FP, sep DR.

Wendi Selig/Cesar Cervantes
650.328.5211

FAPM HIII VISTA CONDO \$399,000

\$858,000 SUNNYVALE

sy pool. SAT/SUN 1:30 - 4:30 \$868,000 4 BR 2 BA Atrium model w/skylight,updated kitch w/tile counters & wood-trimmed cabinets.Fam Rm

\$799,000 Melanie Johnson

SUN 1:30 - 3:30 \$1,990,000

\$725,000 SUN I:30 - 4:30 \$998,000 3 BR 2 BA Updated w/granite & stainless steel in kitchen w/ breakfast bar.LivRm has frplc & bay wndw

Iim Galli

650.941.7040

3 BR 2.5 BA Bring your contractor! Explore options on 7k breakfast bar.LivRm has frplc & bay wndw

Mark Nanevicz

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5 BR 2.5 BA Bring your contractor! Explore options on 7k amenities. Pool, fitness rm, guest apts.

5 BR 2 BA Luxury Condos in Downtown PA w/exceptional amenities. Pool, fitness rm, guest apts.

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