

Soups for the soul

Local chefs offer warm recipes for chilly autumn evenings

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■ FOODFEATURE

With November just days away and rain in the forecast, fall is fully upon us. It's high time to switch from cold salads to warm, comforting soups.

Two local chefs have shared recipes for soups that they turn to during the fall months, either at their restaurants or in their own homes.

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Butternut squash soup comes with a colorful relish in a vegan recipe from the executive chef at Bradley's Fine Diner in Menlo Park.

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BUTTERNUT SQUASH SOUP WITH TIE-DYE RELISH

Lee Levig Jr., Bradley's Fine Diner, Menlo Park

Bradley's Fine Diner in Menlo Park has many vegan diners, including a regular who had asked the kitchen for a butternut squash soup that doesn't use butter, like most do. The staff came up with its own version using coconut milk. They "found it to be much richer and much more well balanced dish than its traditional counterpart," said Lee Levig Jr., the executive chef. "It does not lack in flavor."

He also added a "playful" element — a "tie-dye" relish made of diced celery root, beet and pomegranate seeds. His instructions: Place the relish in the bowl, pour the soup in and top with sunchoke chips to add a crunch.

"The more you eat the soup, the more you disturb the liquid (and) the more ribbons of red beet start to appear in your bowl," he said. "By the time you are done with the dish, your soup has beautiful red and golden yellow almost tiger stripes (with a) tie-dyed look to it."

A gastronomical bonus is that when the beet and celery are



Lee Levig Jr., executive chef at Bradley's Fine Diner, prepares a bowl of vegan butternut squash soup on Oct. 25.

warmed by the soup, their flavor changes, "making each bite just ever so slightly different," Levig Jr. said.

Ingredients for soup:

- 5 pounds roasted and cleaned butternut squash
- 2 cups yellow onion, diced
- 3 cans coconut milk
- 1 tablespoon red curry powder
- 2 teaspoons kosher salt
- 2 cups vegetable stock
- 1/4 cup brown sugar

Directions:

Cut squash in half from top to bottom. Clean out the seeds.

Rub with oil and season with salt and pepper.

Roast at 350 F until tender.

In a large rondeau pan or dutch oven, heat a small amount of vegetable oil and add in yellow onions. Sweat until translucent.

Add in curry powder and salt. Continue to toast in pan.

Add butternut squash and brown sugar. Toss rapidly to coat evenly with curry and onion.

Deglaze with vegetable stock and bring to a simmer.

Add in coconut milk. Stir and simmer for 45 minutes.

While hot, purée and pass through a chinois or a fine-meshed sieve. Top with relish and serve.*

Note: The soup can be prepared up to three days in advance. After puréeing and passing through a sieve, cool it quickly and store in the refrigerator. To serve, re-heat gently in a soup pot, adding a touch of fresh coconut water.



"Tie-dye" relish made with beets, pomegranate seeds and celery root adds color and flavor to the soup, while sunchoke chips add crunch.

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Ingredients for celery root and sunchoke relish:

- 1/4 cup celery root, diced
- 15 sunchoke chips (see instructions)
- 1/4 cup red beet, diced
- 1/4 cup pomegranate seeds

Directions:

Peel and clean celery root, then blanch in salted water.

Thinly slice sunchoke. Store in ice water.

Shake sunchoke dry and submerge in fryer or pot with at least 2 inches of oil.

Fry 4-6 minutes or until crisp; place on towel-lined sheet to drain and cool. While cooling, sprinkle with salt.

Combine remaining ingredients in a bowl for 1 minute (to prevent color bleeding), reserving the sunchoke chips for garnish.

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Jarad Gallagher, the executive chef of Chez TJ in downtown Mountain View, works in the kitchen.

CELERY ROOT VELOUTÉ WITH CURRANTS AND DUCK CONFIT

Jarad Gallagher, Chez TJ, Mountain View

Don't be daunted by this dish's description or its Michelin-star-winning creator. This is what Jarad Gallagher makes at home during his rare off hours — most often after Thanksgiving, when he has leftover meat. Master the velouté, one of the five “mother sauces” of French cuisine, with his directions.

Gallagher said he's also fond of the taste of celery root during the fall months: “It warms your tummy like meat stocks do. It's like getting a holiday hug.”

Ingredients for soup:

- 2 celery roots, peeled and diced into 2-inch pieces
- 1 large white onion, peeled and sliced
- 6 fresh bay leaves (dry is OK)
- 6 whole garlic cloves
- 1/4 cup olive oil
- 4 cups white chicken stock (vegetable stock or water can be used)
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1 cup heavy cream
- sea salt
- black pepper
- extra virgin olive oil

Ingredients for garnish:

- 1/2 pound leftover dark meat (turkey, duck or chicken)
- 30 leaves from the inside of a celery head (light-colored yellow ones)
- 2 teaspoons extra virgin olive oil
- 1 teaspoon aged balsamic vinegar
- 1 ounce dried currants or raisins, softened in hot water for a few minutes

Directions:

Using a 2-gallon stainless steel stock pot, add olive oil and heat on medium. Once warm, add the onion, celery root, bay leaf and garlic. Stir continuously until the onions become translucent; then add stock and bring the pot to a full boil.

Reduce heat to a simmer and continue to simmer until the roots have fallen apart.

Add the butter and cream, return to a full boil.

Set up a strainer over a pot to catch the strained soup.

Using a blender, purée the soup and pass it through the strainer.

Pour into bowls.

To serve: Slightly warm the dark meat and mix with all other garnish ingredients in a bowl. Place a small spoonful of the garnish mix on top of the portioned soup and sprinkle with extra virgin olive oil. ▣

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MOVIE TIMES

A Man Called Ove (PG-13) ★★★

Guild Theatre: 1:50, 4:25, 7 & 9:35 p.m. Fri. & Sat. 9:35 p.m.

The Accountant (R) ★ Century 16: 9:30, 10:55 a.m., 12:30, 3:30, 4:55, 6:30, 7:55 & 9:30 p.m. Fri. 2 p.m. Sat. & Sun. 1:55 p.m. **Century 20:** 11:45 a.m., 2:45, 4:15, 5:50, 7:15, 8:50 & 10:20 p.m., Fri. 1:15 p.m.

Ae Dil Hai Mushkil (Not Rated)

Century 16: 11 a.m., 3, 6:40 & 10:25 p.m. Fri. & Sat. 12:01 a.m.

American Pastoral (R) Aquarius Theatre: 2:45, 5:10, 7:35 & 10 p.m.

Boo! A Madea Halloween (PG-13) Century 16: 9:10, 11:45 a.m., 2:20, 5, 7:35 & 10:10 p.m. **Century 20:** 11 a.m., 2, 5, 7:55 & 10:40 p.m.

Certain Women (R) ★★★1/2

Aquarius Theatre: 2:10, 4:35, 7 & 9:25 p.m.

Deepwater Horizon (PG) ★★★ Century 16: 10:20 a.m., 4:35 & 10:20 p.m. **Century 20:** 10:50 a.m., 1:30, 4:30, 7:35 & 10:15 p.m.

Denial (PG-13) Century 20: 10:55 a.m., 1:40, 4:35, 7:20 & 10:15 p.m. **Palo Alto Square:** 4:15, 7:15 & 10:00 Fri. 1:15 p.m.

Desierto (R) Century 20: 12:10 & 10:45 p.m., Fri. & Sat. 2:50, 5:30, 8:05 p.m., Sun. 2:45, 5:20 & 7:50

Don't Breathe (R) Century 20: 8:15PM, Fri. & Sun. 10:45PM

El Jeremias (PG-13) Century 20: 3:05 & 5:45 p.m., Fri. 12:05 p.m.

The Girl on the Train (R) ★★★1/2

Century 16: 9:20, 10:45 a.m., 1:35, 3:05, 4:20, 7:10, 8:40 & 10:05 p.m.

Century 20: 11:05 a.m., 1:50, 4:40, 7:30 & 10:20 p.m.

The Godfather (1972) (R)

Century 20: Double feature 12 p.m. (Godfather Part I & II)

The Godfather: Part II (1974) (R)

Century 20: Double feature 12 p.m. (Godfather Part I & II)

Halloween (1978) (R)

Century 16: 9:30 p.m. & 12:10 a.m. **Century 20:** 10:15 p.m.

Inferno (PG-13) Century 16: 9, 10:30 a.m., 12, 1:30, 3, 4:30, 5:55, 7:30, 9 & 10:30 p.m. Fri. 12:05 a.m. Sat. 12:15 a.m. **Century 20:** 11:20 a.m., 2:25, 5:40 & 8:45 p.m. In DBOX at 11:20 a.m., 2:25, 5:40 & 8:45 p.m. In X-D at 12:50, 3:55, 7:10 & 10:10 p.m.

Jack Reacher: Never Go Back (PG-13) Century 16:

9:15, 10:40 a.m., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 4:45, 6:15, 7:45, 9:15 & 10:45 p.m. Fri. 11:55 p.m.

Century 20: 10:50 a.m., 12:20, 1:45, 3:15, 4:45, 6:15, 7:45, 9:15 & 10:40 p.m. In DBOX at 12:20, 3:15, 6:15 & 9:15 p.m.

Keeping Up with the Joneses (PG-13) 1/2

Century 16: 9:35 a.m., 12:10, 2:45, 5:20, 7:55 & 10:35 p.m.

Century 20: 11:10 a.m., 1:55, 4:55, 7:40 & 10:30 p.m.

Kevin Hart: What Now? (R) Century 16:

12:10 & 5:50 p.m.

Century 20: 11:55 a.m., 2:35, 5:20, 8:00 & 10:35 p.m.

La Ronde (1950) (Not Rated) Stanford Theatre:

3:45 & 8:30 p.m.

The Magnificent Seven (PG-13) Century 16:

1:30 & 7:15 p.m.

Century 20: 11:35 a.m., 3:30, 7:05 & 10:10 p.m.

Middle School: The Worst Years of My Life (PG) Century 16:

11:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m. **Century 20:** 11:10 a.m., 1:35, 4:10, 7 & 9:30 p.m.

Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children (PG-13)

Century 16: 10:10 a.m., 1:15, 4:25, 7:25 & 10:30 p.m.

Century 20: 11:50 a.m., 2:55, 6:50 & 9:55 p.m.

National Theater Live: Frankenstein (Not Rated)

Aquarius Theatre: 11 a.m. & 12 p.m.

Oh Rosalinda! (1955) (Not Rated) Stanford Theatre:

5:35 & 9:20 p.m.

Ouija: Origin of Evil (PG-13) Century 16:

9:05, 11:40 a.m., 2:15, 5:05, 7:40 & 10:20 p.m. **Century 20:** 12:25, 3, 5:35, 8:10 & 10:45 p.m.

Pokemon: The First Movie (G) ★1/2 Century 16:

12 p.m.

The Queen of Katwe (PG) ★★★

Palo Alto Square: 1, 4 & 7 p.m., Fri. & Sat. 9:50 p.m.

Shadow of a Doubt (1943) (Not Rated)

Stanford Theatre: 5:30 & 9:05 p.m.

Shivaay (Not Rated)

Century 16: 10 a.m., 2, 6:15 & 10:15 p.m. Fri. & Sat. 11:25 p.m.

Storks (PG) ★★★ Century 16:

9 a.m. & 2 p.m.

Century 20: 10:55 a.m., 1:25, 4:05, 6:55 & 9:25 p.m.

Sully (PG-13) ★★ Century 20:

12, 2:30, 5:10, 7:50 & 10:25 p.m.

Waltzes from Vienna (1934) (Not Rated) Stanford Theatre:

7:30 p.m.

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MOVIE OPENINGS



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Kristen Stewart, left, and Lily Gladstone play women whose lives intersect in "Certain Women."

'Certain' filmmaking

WOMEN'S STORIES POPULATE SUBTLE DRAMA

★★★ 1/2 Aquarius Theatre

Writer-director Kelly Reichardt still believes in cinema. That's partly evident in her choice to shoot her latest feature, "Certain Women," with a film camera, rather than a digital one, but more so in her commitment to her art form's humane possibilities, her willingness to explore powerful loneliness and frail connections, silences and open spaces.

Open spaces are part of the landscape of "Certain Women," a Montana-set trilogy of tales adapted from the short stories of Maile Meloy (specifically, "Travis B.," "Native Sandstone" and "Tome"). "Big Sky Country" lends itself perfectly to Reichardt's preoccupation with how small and alone we can feel in the vastness of the American landscape. By being landlocked and mountain-ringed, Montana allows for the sense of isolation but also of confinement.

"Certain Women" begins with Laura Wells (Laura Dern), the wearily sympathetic lawyer to a troubled divorcee named Fuller

(Jared Harris). Fuller quickly proves more pitiable than likeable. His crippling health issues and worker's comp case fuel a simmering anger, and although Wells is a highly capable lawyer, her client blithely belittles her with casual sexism, seeing her not as an intelligent professional, but as a feminine archetype. To some extent, Wells feels compelled to play the roles expected of her by Fuller and the local police, most notably in a climactic crisis situation that puts demands on her sensitivity.

The second story concerns Gina Lewis (Michelle Williams), a wife and mother pushing toward her goal of a dream home but possibly at the emotional expense of an elderly neighbor named Albert (Rene Auberjonois). Gina and her husband Ryan (James Le Gros) visit Albert to sweet-talk him out of a large pile of sandstone on his property. Since the sandstone has personal meaning to Albert, Gina feels the tug of guilt while clinging to her certainty that the sandstone

might as well go to her own practical use.

The third story is that of Jamie (Lily Gladstone), a rancher who stumbles upon a class in town that compels her not because of the subject matter (education law) but rather the teacher, a harried young law student named Beth (Kristen Stewart). Jamie tests the romantic waters with Beth in a tentative series of brief encounters. Reichardt's screenplay lightly stitches the stories together along the way, reminding us that these women share time and space.

Reichardt in no way pushes her material, instead giving the viewer the space to live in this space with the characters, observe them and listen to them, and then draw one's own conclusions about thematic import. The points "Certain Women" has to make are very quiet, not with dramatic fireworks but with three breaths of cinematic fresh air.

Rated R for some language. One hour, 47 minutes.

— Peter Canavese



MOVIE REVIEWS

A MAN CALLED OVE ★★★

We've all seen the pieces of "A Man Called Ove" before, and all the more reason that the film's success impresses. A curmudgeon slowly melts in the presence of good company, including children and a cat. A widower talks to his wife's gravestone. A suicidal man

repeatedly fails at offing himself. All three are a man called Ove, and his story proves both entertaining and moving. The Swedish comedy-drama derives from Fredrik Backman's popular 2012 novel, and in the hands of writer-director Hannes Holm and star Rolf Lassgård, the material proves surprisingly affecting. A choice selection of Ove's neighbors see something in him that he can no longer see in himself, and keep forcing him out into the open. The film's secret weapon of poignancy is its exploration of how

time changes (and doesn't change) the individual. Lassgård won the Swedish equivalent of the Oscar (the Guldbagge) for his take on the Scrooge-y grump with a heart of gold. Though Holm's film can be plenty sentimental and emotionally manipulative, it's also a film about sentiment and emotional manipulations, and how those aren't necessarily bad things. *Rated PG-13 for thematic content, some disturbing images, and language. One hour, 56 minutes.* — P.C.

Goings On

MOUNTAIN VIEW VOICE

■ HIGHLIGHT

'MAJOR BARBARA' BY GEORGE BERNARD SHAW

George Bernard Shaw's classic "Major Barbara" is a thought-provoking look at human nature, morality and social engineering. Coming at the height of the election season, "Major Barbara" shines the light of Shaw's analytical wit on serious questions that continue to impact the state of our union. Oct. 28-Nov. 30, times vary. The Pear Theatre, 1110 La Avenida, Mountain View. thepear.org

THEATER

'A Night at the Mint, or, The Great Heist Caper Affair ... Thing' Lamplighters Music Theatre presents this full-length original satire about an unlikely crew of criminal specialists who plan a heist at the Museum of Money at San Francisco's Old Mint. With the help of some strange exhibits that come to life after dark, can security guard Penny protect the coin — and the economic future of the nation — from disaster? Nov. 6, 3 p.m. \$55-\$83. Mountain View Center for Performing Arts, 500 Castro St., Mountain View. lamplighters.org/season/season.html

Stories about Strong Females in Folk and Fairy Tales The community is invited to celebrate the heroine in lively folk and fairy tales with Enid Davis, children's librarian and storyteller. School-age children (ages 4 and up) will enjoy hearing about girls and women who rescue themselves and save the day. Tales from around the world will stir imaginations and enhance listening skills. Nov. 9, 4-5 p.m. Free. Los Altos Library, 13 S. San Antonio Road, Los Altos.

'Our Town' Named "the greatest American play ever written," Thornton Wilder's dramatization of small-town life has been adored by audiences since its debut. It's the story of young lovers George and Emily — and their families, friends and neighbors — as they grow up, fall in love and discover the darker side of life in Grover's Corners. Nov. 5-18, 8 p.m.; Nov. 6, 2 p.m. \$10. The Lohman Theatre, 12345 El Monte Road, Los Altos Hills.

Palo Alto Players: 'The Diary of Anne Frank' An impassioned drama about the lives of eight people hiding from the Nazis in a concealed storage attic, "The Diary of Anne Frank" captures the claustrophobic realities of their daily existence — their fear, their hope, their laughter, their grief — bringing Anne's words to life for a new generation. Nov. 5-20, Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.; Fridays-Saturdays, 8 p.m.; Sundays, 2 p.m. \$25-\$52. Lucie Stern Theatre, 1305 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. paplayers.org

'Royal Princess Academy: Dragon Dreams' Presented by Peninsula Youth Theatre, this world-premiere adaptation by local teen Jordan Rosenberg of the book by local author Laura Joy Rennert is about Princess Emma who feels like she just doesn't fit in at the Royal Princess Academy and dreams of being a dragon rider. When all of the dragons of the kingdom start getting sick, she resolves to solve the mystery for herself. Nov. 4, 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Nov. 5, 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. \$8, Friday; \$10, Saturday. Mountain View Center for the Performing Arts, 500 Castro St., Mountain View.

CONCERTS

Gala 2016: Chinaski Concert Czech School of California presents a beneficial concert starring Czech rock band Chinaski. Tickets include a welcome drink, dinner, two drinks of your choice and one raffle ticket. The event will feature a photo booth, kids' performance and more. Nov. 5, 6:30-11:30 p.m. \$70-\$80. Oshman Family JCC, 3921 Fabian Way, Palo Alto.

Sacred OM Concert This event features an evening of Nadine Risha's ancient-world inspired chants and channeled melodies in over six languages. Nadine is a frequent guest at concert halls and premiere venues around the world, from Egypt to Lebanon to China. She appeared at The Kennedy Center with Plácido Domingo as Artistic Director and has opened for Sheryl Crow, Dwight Yoakam, Ben Vereen and more. Nov. 5, 7:30 p.m. \$25. East West Book Store, 324 Castro St., Mountain View. eastwest.com

'Surviving Skokie' They survived the horrors of the Holocaust and came to America to put the past behind. For decades they kept their awful memories secret. But their silence ended when a band of neo-Nazi thugs threatened to march in their quiet village of Skokie, Illinois because that is where the Jews are. "Surviving Skokie" is an intensely personal documentary by former Skokie resident Eli Adler about the events of the 1970s, their aftermath, his family's horrific experience of the Shoah and a journey with his father to confront

long-suppressed memories. Nov. 9, 6:30-8 p.m. Free. Oshman Family JCC, 3921 Fabian Way, Palo Alto.

MUSIC

Dia de los Muertos Celebration The Mountain View Historical Association and Club Estrella invite the public to join them for Mountain View's first Dia de los Muertos celebration. The event features a lecture by Crisanto Castro — descendant of the family for which Castro Street is named — and a performance by Mariachi Tapatio of San Jose. Nov. 6, 1-4 p.m. Free. The Historic Adobe Building, 157 Moffett Blvd., Mountain View.

Open Mic Open Mic takes place every Monday on the 2nd floor of Red Rock Coffee in downtown Mountain View. It features free live music, comedy, poetry and a wonderful supportive atmosphere for experienced and new performers. Nov. 7, 6:30 p.m., sign-ups; starts at 7 p.m. Free. Red Rock Coffee, 201 Castro St., Mountain View. redrockcoffee.org/calendar

Sabados Latinoamericanos Alberto's NightClub presents "Sabados Latinoamericanos" with a variety of Latin genres including Reggaeton, Hip Hop, Cumbia, Merengue, Salsa and Rock Pop in Spanish. This event features DJ Omar and the band Ruido Azul. Saturdays, ongoing, 8 p.m. \$7, student; \$10, general; \$15, band nights. Alberto's Salsa Studio, 736 W. Dana St., Mountain View. albertos.com/calendar

FESTIVALS & FAIRS

PAMP Preschool Fair PAMP's Annual Preschool Fair will help parents answer questions like "Which preschools are in my area?" "How do I start the application process?" "Play-based, Reggio or Montessori?" This event presents an opportunity for face-time with 50-plus local preschools and sponsors, a one-stop resource for all preschool questions and concerns. Nov. 5, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Free. Computer History Museum, 1401 N. Shoreline Blvd., Mountain View. pampclub.site-ym.com

TALKS & LECTURES

Design Code Build The Design Code Build program welcomes middle school students from around the Bay Area to a series of one-day events that provide opportunities for all individuals to challenge themselves, become inspired and see engineering, science, technology and math as an adventure in which they can participate. Each 100-student event features a keynote speaker from the tech industry who shares his or her knowledge, enthusiasm and passion with the participants. Nov. 6, 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Free. Computer History Museum, 1401 N. Shoreline Blvd., Mountain View. computerhistory.org/events/upcoming/

'Garbology: Our Dirty Love Affair with Trash' by Edward Humes A Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist takes readers on a surprising tour of one of America's biggest export and greatest legacy: trash. In "Garbology," Humes investigates trash: what's in it; how much is paid for it; how people have managed to create so much of it; and how some families, communities and even nations are finding a way back from waste to discover a new kind of prosperity. Nov. 7, 6 p.m. Free. Books Inc., 301 Castro St., Mountain View.

Technology and Society Committee Luncheon Forum Norm Goldblatt, professional science comedian, has performed at venues as diverse as the Red Rock Cafe and LLNL. His talk is Unstable Equilibrium — The tenuous but joyful life of a physicist, Classical Music DJ, Kazoo virtuoso, optical engineer, radio astronomer, inventor and science comedian. Nov. 8, noon-1 p.m. Cash only, free for non-eaters. Hangen Szechuan Restaurant, 134 Castro St., Mountain View.

Understanding Housing Discrimination Project Sentinel Fair Housing Coordinator Frances Nguyen will present on understanding housing discrimination and what resources people have to ensure fair housing. Housing discrimination is discrimination in the sale or rental of property based on race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability or familial status, and it is against the law

according to the Fair Housing Act, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, as amended. Nov. 7, 6-7 p.m. Free. Mountain View Library, 585 Franklin St., Mountain View.

FUNDRAISERS

3rd Annual MVLA Soccer Club Golf Classic MVLA Soccer Club will hold the 3rd Annual Golf Classic. This major fundraiser benefits individual teams and club programs including fields, coaching and financial aid. Raffle tickets available online. Nov. 7, 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Dinner, \$75; golf, \$275 (includes golf, lunch, cart and dinner). Los Altos Golf and Country Club, 1560 Country Club Drive, Los Altos. mvalgolfclassic.org

FAMILY

Social Services Agency Outreach The Department of Family and Children's Services is seeking motivated community members to open their hearts and homes to help a child, a sibling group or parenting a teen. A social worker will be present in the lobby of the library every 2nd Tuesday of the month to provide information regarding the process of becoming a foster/resource family. Nov. 8, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Free. Mountain View Library, 585 Franklin St., Mountain View.

MUSEUMS & EXHIBITS

Backyard Politics: Political Issues and Civic Engagement This exhibit demonstrates how Los Altos and Los Altos Hills residents have shaped the political environment and community in their own backyard. It is an original exhibition curated by Azha Simmons from items in the Museum collections. Sept. 8-Nov. 6, noon-4 p.m. Free. Los Altos History Museum, 51 S. San Antonio Road, Los Altos. smithhouse.losaltoshistory.org/house.html

Hau Beiren@100: Works from the Old Apricot Villa This exhibit is a solo retrospective of Hau Beiren, internationally renowned artist. His unique "splash ink and color" style unites Chinese ink tradition with modern Western artistic techniques. It is curated by Professor Mark Johnson, Director of the Fine Arts Gallery at SFSU. Oct. 13-Nov. 14, ongoing, noon-4 p.m. Free. Los Altos History Museum, 51 S. San Antonio Road, Los Altos. losaltoshistory.org

GALLERIES

Life and Works of Shu Shin Zhe This exhibit celebrates the life of artist Shu Shin Zhe (1916-2010). Shin Zhe grew up during the Sino-Japanese war and the civil war between the Communist and the Nationalist party. She studied under Huang Jun Bi (1898-1991), a well-known Chinese artist. Oct. 14-Nov. 27, Monday - Friday, 8 a.m.-10 p.m.; Saturday, 8 a.m.-9 p.m.; Sunday, 10:15 a.m.-6:30 p.m. Free. Mohr Gallery, Community School of Music and Arts, 230 San Antonio Circle, Mountain View. arts4all.org

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NYC Style Salsa On2 with Victoria Alberto's salsa studios hosts New York-style Salsa On2 with Victoria. All levels are welcome, and no partner is necessary. This event is for ages 21 and up. Mondays, ongoing, 7:30, doors open; 8 p.m., ladies' styling; 9 p.m. partnering; 10 p.m., social dancing. \$10, general; \$7, student; \$15, band nights. Alberto's Salsa Studio, 736 W. Dana St., Mountain View. albertos.com/calendar

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LESSONS & CLASSES

Design Code Build Mentors' Special Edition This special event welcomes mentors and their middle school-aged mentees to take part in an exploration of computer programming concepts. Mentor pairs will work hands-on with Raspberry Pi technology. Nov. 5, 9:30 a.m. Contact crobbins@computerhistory.org for registration. Computer History Museum, 1401 N. Shoreline Blvd., Mountain View. computerhistory.org

English as a Second Language: Beyond the Basics During this class, participants will learn pronunciation and expression in English. This course is for intermediate and advanced English as a Second Language (ESL) speakers who are 18 years of age and older. Registration is required, and interested participants are invited to register since classes fill up quickly. Nov. 7, 2-3 p.m. Free. Mitchell Park Library, 3700 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. cityofpaloalto.org

Relationship Matters: Getting to the Heart of What Matters Most In this workshop students will explore and acknowledge the ways that old habits of mind, emotions and behaviors get in the way of happy, healthy relationships. Using the GROK relational card game, students will practice the skills of communicating mindfully, powerfully and compassionately to create mutual trust, respect,

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Watercolors for Beginners This workshop is for adults to enjoy the freedom to play with watercolor paints. It is geared for beginners. The basic tools will be discussed, and then students will explore various watercolor techniques. All materials will be supplied. Registration is required. Nov. 9, 7 p.m. Free. Mountain View Library, 585 Franklin St., Mountain View.

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Yoga with surfer Mike All ages and levels are welcome at this yoga class during which attendants will breath, move, play and listen to their bodies. This class is geared toward renewing, revitalizing and lowering stress; letting go of aches and pains; and discovering inner peace and well-being. Mondays, Sept. 12-Dec. 12, 5:30 p.m. \$140 for 14 weeks. Lucie Stern Center, 1305 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. yogawithsurfermike.com

RELIGION & SPIRITUALITY

Hanoch Daum Hanoch Daum a self-described publicist and neurotic idealist will host a show about life. Full of seeming contradictions, Daum is a settler who does not believe in God, but goes to temple and a rightist who says he does not have a problem returning occupied areas (but to whom?). Among other topics, he'll target the dangers we face with Iran's nuclear and whatsapp groups and states that besides the Israeli-Palestinian problem, there is nothing that wet wipes cannot solve. Nov. 7, 8:30-10 p.m. \$45 members; \$50 general. Oshman Family JCC, 3921 Fabian Way, Palo Alto.

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JESUS RODRIGUEZ SERVICES
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.: 622129

The following person (persons) is (are) doing business as:
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File No.: 622474

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Incredible Horderves Arrangements, located at 581 Saratoga Ave., Santa Clara, CA 95050, Santa Clara County.

This business is owned by: Copartners.
The name and residence address of the registrant(s) is(are):
JENNYFER PHAM

662 Garland Ave. #4
Sunnyvale, CA 94086

LEE JACKSON
325 Sylvan Ave. #111
Mountain View, CA 94041

Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Santa Clara County on October 14, 2016.
(MVV Oct. 21, 28, Nov. 4, 11, 2016)

FULFILLMENT COACHING
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.: 622553

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

Fulfillment Coaching, located at 3395 Lubich Drive, Mountain View, CA 94040, Santa Clara County.

This business is owned by: An Individual.

The name and residence address of the registrant(s) is(are):
IRENE V. PATEL
3395 Lubich Drive

Mountain View, CA 94040
Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A.

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(MVV Oct. 21, 28, Nov. 4, 11, 2016)

EMPOWER COMMUNICATION THERAPIES
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.: 622581

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

Empower Communication Therapies, located at 800 W. El Camino Real Ste. 180, Mountain View, CA 94040, Santa Clara County.

This business is owned by: An Individual.

The name and residence address of the registrant(s) is(are):
LEAH HUANG
551 W. Dana St.

Mountain View, CA 94041
Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s)

listed above on 09/09/2011.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Santa Clara County on October 18, 2016.
(MVV Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, 2016)

MARCOS MEXICAN FOOD
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.: 622588

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

Marcos Mexican Food, located at 699 Calderon Ave., Mountain View, CA 94041, Santa Clara County.

This business is owned by: An Individual.
The name and residence address of the registrant(s) is(are):
CELSO MARCOS

220 N. Mathilda Ave. #61
Sunnyvale, CA 94086

Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 10/18/2016.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Santa Clara County on October 18, 2016.
(MVV Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, 2016)

PERFECT PEONY BEAUTY SPA LLC
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.: 622768

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

Perfect Peony Beauty Spa LLC, located at 12201 #B, Saratoga-Sunnyvale Road, Saratoga, CA 95870, Santa Clara County.

This business is owned by: An Individual.
The name and residence address of the registrant(s) is(are):
PERFECT PEONY BEAUTY SPA LLC

10194 Park Cir E, Apt. #4
Cupertino, CA 95104

Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Santa Clara County on October 25, 2016.
(MVV Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, 2016)

MADE OF MARS
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.: 622772

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

Made Of Mars, located at 189 Bernardo Ave., Suite 200
Mountain View, CA 94043, Santa Clara County.

This business is owned by: An Individual.
The name and residence address of the registrant(s) is(are):
JOHN ROMA SKOK

189 Bernardo Ave., Suite 200
Mountain View, CA 94043

Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 10/25/2016.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Santa Clara County on October 25, 2016.
(MVV Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, 2016)

PROTECT YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS

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 Mountain View Voice, 223-6578, for assistance in re-filing. It's inexpensive and easy.

997 All Other Legals

AMENDED
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA

Case No.: 16CV298263
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Petitioner: SUKHPREET SINGH filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
SUKHPREET SINGH to SUKHPREET SINGH BRAR.

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: December 6, 2016, 8:45 a.m., Room: Probate, of the Superior Court of California, County of Santa Clara, 191 N. First Street, San Jose, CA 95113.

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:

MOUNTAIN VIEW VOICE
Date: October 3, 2016
/s/ Thomas E. Kuhnle
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
(MVV Oct. 7, 14, 21, 28, 2016)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: CONSTANCE KAY BARKER aka CONNIE KAY BARKER
Case No.: 116PR179681

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of CONSTANCE KAY BARKER, aka CONNIE KAY BARKER.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by: KENT H. JONES and ERIK E. BARKER in the Superior Court of California, County of SANTA CLARA.

The Petition for Probate requests that: KENT H. JONES and ERIK E. BARKER 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 November 17, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept.: 10 of the Superior Court of California, County of Santa Clara, located at 191 N. First St., San Jose, CA, 95113. 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.

Petitioner:

4795 Wildwood Drive
Mariposa, CA 95338
(209)628-5495
(MVV Oct. 21, 28, Nov. 4, 2016)



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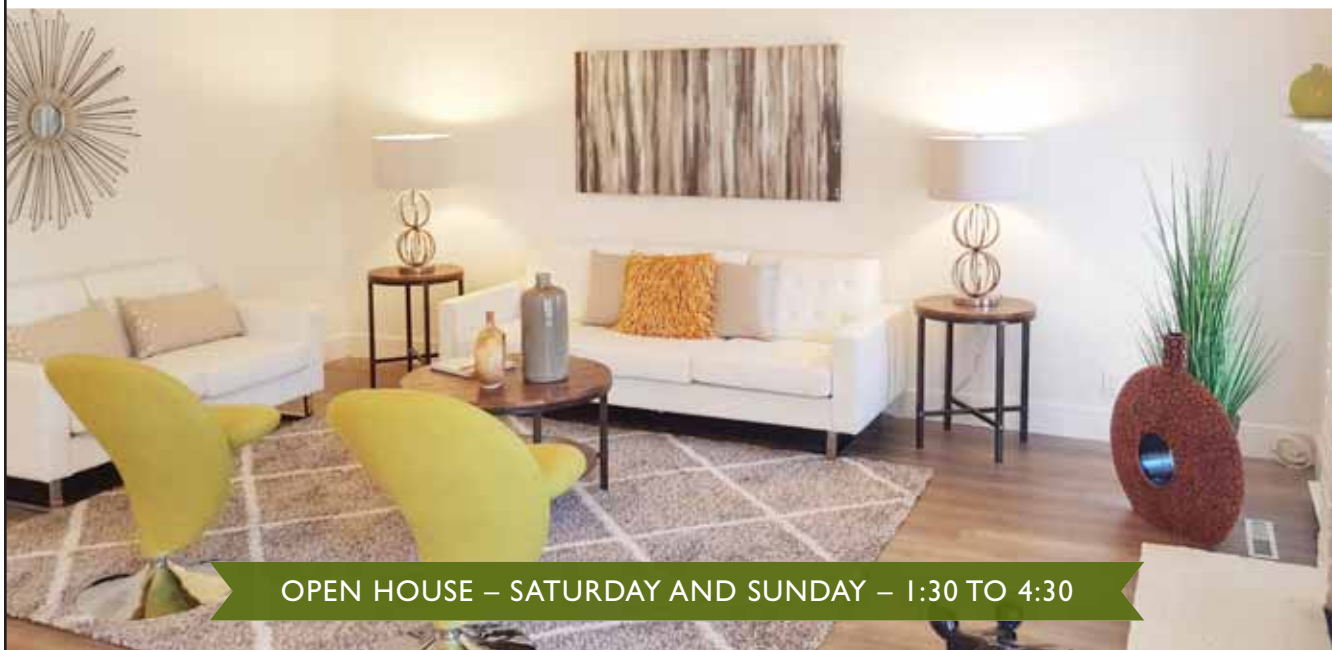
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PALO ALTO Sun 1:30 - 4:30 \$1,998,000
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