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The box office at the children's theater on El Cerro Boulevard and La Gonda Way remains unopened after the project was consigned to limbo through eight years, multiple lawyers, thousands of pages of court documents, and hundreds of thousands of dollars in settlement deals. Photo illustration by Shannon Corey.

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QUOTE OF THE WEEK

“ It’s designed to be a contemplative kind of walkway. You’ll read and experience part of his life. ”

—Claudia Nemir, president of the Eugene O’Neill Foundation, about the new commemorative artwork being installed in the Front Street Park

St. Isidore to share parking

The school board recently approved a temporary parking agreement between San Ramon Valley High School and St. Isidore’s Catholic Church, on La Gonda Way.

The high school, located on Love Lane at Danville Boulevard, is currently undergoing Measure A construction on campus. Due to the building of the new Library/Media Center and the addition to the Performing Arts center, the high school has lost much needed parking.

The agreement asks St. Isidore’s to make 28 parking spaces at the corner of El Cerro Boulevard and La Gonda Way available for students and staff. The high school will have access to the parking from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. The agreement is from Aug. 29, 2005, to June 16, 2006. The district will pay the church \$50 per each of the 28 parking spaces.

Bravo for Primo’s

Assemblyman Guy Houston named Primo’s Pizza and Pasta owners Jack, Linda and John Rhodes as the 2005 Small Business of the Year. The family business has been at its original location on Hartz Avenue and Diablo Road for almost 25 years. Every year Primo’s hosts its Run for Education, a fundraising event to benefit the San Ramon Valley Education Foundation, which provides annual grants for local schools. Since the run began in 1983, more than \$1.8 million has been raised.

“Primo’s has been a household name in the San Ramon Valley for over 20 years,” said Houston. “Jack, Linda and John are great people, with a great restaurant, and an outstanding commitment to the community. It’s my honor to select Primo’s as the Small Business of the Year.”

This year’s 5K and half-marathon “Run for Education” is scheduled for Sunday, Oct. 9. Contact the fun hotline at 820-9181 or visit www.primosrun.com.

Still time to parade on the 4th

The Danville Fourth of July parade is still accepting entries, said parade chairman Alan Davis of the Kiwanis Club of the San Ramon Valley, which sponsors the parade. This year’s theme is “Community Service—Honoring Community Service Organizations.”

The parade begins at 10 a.m. at the corner of Hartz and Railroad avenues. It continues down Hartz and San Ramon Valley Boulevard and ends at Sycamore Valley Road. The parade has 24 categories including floats, marching units, animals non-horse, antique auto, special interest autos, families, retail businesses, sports teams, horses, novelty-comic and Scout troop. For more information or to submit an entry, visit www.kiwanis-srv.org/parade.asp.

History Club winners

The All Wars Memorial Foundation announced that it awarded college scholarships to high school students who won an essay contest with the theme, “Freedom is Not Free.” The first place was \$1,500; second place, \$1,000; and third place, \$500. Awards went to Kayla Asbell, Kyle Levy, and Anand Badri and Jeffrey Spahn, who tied for third. They are all students at California High School and were members of the History Club founded by Karen Stepper and Tom Hawkins of the All Wars Foundation Education Committee and National Exchange Club. Program funding was provided by PG&E and SBC.



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Hats off to the Fine Arts Faire

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DOLORES FOX GIARDELLI

Town OKs 2005-06 operating budget

Plan projects \$20 million expenses; \$25 million revenues

by Dolores Fox Giardelli

The Danville Town Council approved its financial plan for 2005-06 on Tuesday night for total operating expenditures of \$20 million. The town had already held three study sessions in May and June to review and discuss the budget, as well as its five-year program for capital improvements, which was also OK'd Tuesday.

Operating revenues are projected to be almost \$25 million in fiscal year 2005-06. Of the approximate \$5 million remaining revenue, \$3.2 million gets transferred to capital projects, said town Finance Director Elizabeth Hudson, and the other funds are set aside for future appropriations.

About two-thirds of 2005-06 operating revenues will come from the general fund, which includes property taxes, sales taxes and service charges. Property taxes are expected to increase by \$3 million, which is 50 percent more than the previously approved budget, due mainly to the state reclassifying vehicle license fees and a

restructuring of sales tax to property tax. "It was all part of agreements worked out by the state and enacted in conjunction with Prop. 1A," said Hudson. Proposition 1A was passed in November 2004.

Sales tax is expected to decline by 13 percent, or \$439,816, again due to the restructuring of sales tax. The vehicle license fees are budgeted to go down by \$2.3 million, also due to actions by the state.

The other third of operating revenues come from the town's Lighting and Landscape Assessment District, gas tax, building and planning fees, and other taxes.

Other projected revenues include:

- \$100,000 for grants to the Police Department;
- \$105,200 in interest; and
- \$66,250 in parking and traffic fines.

The \$20 million in operating expenditures is an increase of almost half a million over the previous budget, due to:

- \$137,112 increase in police services contract;

- \$248,416 increase in maintenance services, due to additional acreage and facility maintenance, as well as increased contract costs; and
- \$33,402 additional staffing for town-wide events.

The financial plan includes reducing town staff from 114.75 full time employees. Reductions would be one traffic officer, 1.5 parking enforcement officers, and a halftime secretary in the Finance Department. One maintenance worker will be added for special events, resulting in staffing being cut by two.

In developing the financial plan, according to the staff report, the council has identified priorities that include public safety; community appearance; promoting youth; recreational opportunities and amenities; economic vitality and growth; celebrating and promoting community through appropriate special events; retaining the town's special character; and involvement in regional activities that might impact life in Danville. ■

Working to enhance the Iron Horse Corridor—or not

Local environmental group puts joint use policy to the test

by Casey Reivich

Debate is raging over how much landscape improvement is possible on the Iron Horse Corridor and who can make those improvements.

Contra Costa County Department of Public Works and LifeGarden, an environmental education non-profit group, are in the midst of defining the extent to which outside organizations can landscape the Iron Horse trail.

Representatives from LifeGarden recently attended the Iron Horse Corridor Management Advisory Committee's quarterly meeting in Concord to defend its "sheet mulching" pilot program, which was halted when the county said it could not provide adequate supervision.

"There is an understanding that the project will continue. Contra Costa County is just trying to figure out the best way to supervise a volunteer project with that many volunteers," said John Greitzer, senior transportation planner with the county and staff liaison to the advisory committee. "It will involve fairly close monitoring."

The advisory committee was created by the County Board of Supervisors in 1997 and consists of members of the public and a representative from the East Bay Regional Park District, which manages the actual trail. It was meant to provide public input on managing the corridor.

The main issue that needs to be resolved is supervision. The county, which owns the entire corridor, contends it does not have funds to adequately supervise a large-scale mulching project that can attract up to 100 volunteers. LifeGarden says the county's policy is not clear. Members claim there are no clear guidelines on how much supervision is needed or who should be supervising.

After the meeting, committee chairwoman Lesley Hunt wrote to Contra Costa County Supervisor Mary Piepho to ask for policy guidance.

Hunt explained that last year the Iron Horse Corridor Management Advisory Committee partnered with LifeGarden to run a sheet mulching pilot program to kill weeds by replacing pesticides with a deep layer of wood chips.

The committee was looking to test its Joint Use policy, which allows the committee to work with property owners and community organizations in maintaining the landscape of the Iron Horse Corridor. The policy is meant to serve two purposes: curtail the high cost of landscaping and give the residents a sense of stewardship over the corridor.

LifeGarden's goal is to use sustainable maintenance practices, such as mulching, on public trails throughout the county. LifeGarden believes that the runoff from pesticides and herbicides used to kill weeds is a major contributor to pollution in streams.

LifeGarden also wants to make the trail more aesthetically pleasing.

"We want the beauty of Danville down the trail," said Jeff Gustafson, project manager of LifeGarden's Iron Horse restoration project. "Valley oaks that provide shade, mulch all the way down the sides that improves the soil, and native bushes like manzanitas."

The partnership worked at first, and LifeGarden held four restoration events in 2004. The pilot program took place on the Iron Horse Corridor just

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The graduation ceremony was held June 3.

Long day's journey onto Front Street

Town OKs agreement for O'Neill Commemoration Project

by Dolores Fox Ciardelli

The Town Council at its meeting Tuesday approved an agreement for Danville to take over responsibility for artwork commemorating playwright Eugene O'Neill after it is installed in the Front Street Park across from the library.

The Eugene O'Neill Foundation, which is responsible for the artwork until then, also asked the town to move the commemoration closer to the street, in the planter area of the park.

"Originally it was going against the trees, but we want to move it out to the color spot because it will show better there," said Claudia Nemir, president of the foundation, earlier this week.

The artwork has eight pedestals with open books or playbills, each depicting something about O'Neill's life or plays written while he lived at Tao House in the Danville hills. "It's designed to be a contemplative kind of walkway," said Nemir. "You'll read and experience part of his life."

There will also be a centerpiece, about 12 feet tall, called a "veil," with see-through words from "A Long Day's Journey into the Night."

Members of the O'Neill Foundation wanted a commemora-

tion that is more accessible than the Tao House, which is part of the U.S. National Park Service and requires reservations. Nemir said that a year ago January, Broadway producer Paul Libin was in town to receive an award from the foundation for his O'Neill productions and noted there was no commemoration for the playwright in town. "He kind of challenged us," recalled Nemir. "Councilman Newell Arnerich was mayor at the time and he looked around and said, 'Why haven't we done something?'"

"At that point we came into focus and decided it was time to do something," continued Nemir. "It was also a combination of the right board people."

The board contacted Michael Manwaring, an artist from San Anselmo, and discussions on the artwork began. "His insight has been so great," said Nemir. "We wanted something literary."

Funds for the \$100,000 project were raised in a four-month period, said Nemir, thanks to a generous starting gift from someone who prefers to remain anonymous. "Then we started working with the town staff," she recalled, to find the right place for the artwork.

"That little park is a gem," said Nemir. "For O'Neill's work, which is very cerebral, you have to sort of step aside, walk down the little walkway, and realize this person lived right here."

In the agreement signed Tuesday night, the town agreed that the O'Neill Foundation will have priority for using the location.

The artwork will be dedicated at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, Sept. 28, to kick off the 2005 Eugene O'Neill Festival. ■

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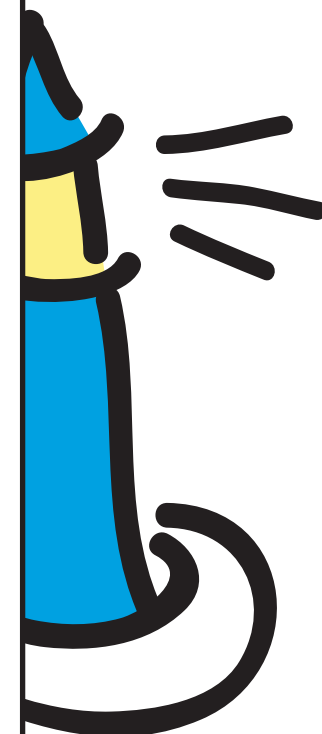
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Iron Horse

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behind San Ramon Valley High School. A total of more than 200 volunteers, many of them students, came out for the pilot program.

But LifeGarden's permit with the county limits the number of volunteers to 50, and the county claims it had 100 volunteers at its December 2004 event. With so many volunteers on or near the trail, the East Bay Regional Park District also began to worry about the safety of trail users.

"Anytime you have volunteers on a public trail there are extra considerations because there are more bodies," said Jamie Perkins, senior planner in the regional trails department. "Our primary concern is the safety of trail users."

On April 21, county staff liaison Greitzer wrote a letter to LifeGarden detailing the county and EBRPD concerns with the pilot program. He listed seven major concerns ranging from volunteers not properly cleaning up after events to the mulch chips being delivered in wet weather, which he said the Maintenance Department advised against. His main point, however, was that the pilot program cost the county too much money.

LifeGarden went to the advisory committee's June 8 meeting to specifically address all of the concerns in the letter. Even though the

pilot program is still suspended, progress was made at the meeting.

All of the agencies involved—the county, EBRPD, and the advisory committee—want to see LifeGarden's mulching project continue.

"The goal is to accommodate groups in their beautification efforts," said Jim Townsend, EBRPD's trails development program manager. "If we can do that in a safe, financially feasible manner, God bless them. We're in favor of that."

LifeGarden will have a chance to discuss the issues with the Board of Supervisors transportation, water and infrastructure subcommittee July 11.

The LifeGarden project has forced the county to look at refining its guidelines for enhancement on the Iron Horse Corridor. The clarity of the Iron Horse management plan will be addressed at the subcommittee meeting, said Greitzer, and ultimately the issue of supervision is up to the county.

LifeGarden members hope to make their message loud and clear at the subcommittee meeting. "This management plan doesn't pertain to large projects like ours. It doesn't deal with maintenance. We want to revise the policy," said Gustafson.

The public meeting is scheduled for 10 a.m., Monday, July 11, at 651 Pine St., Room 108, in Martinez. ■

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Leaving the classroom

Wife and husband retire together from Stone Valley after combined 75 years of teaching

by Casey Reivich

Students are not the only ones moving on at the end of the school term this year. Some of the San Ramon Valley Unified School District's best teachers are retiring. Among them are wife and husband, Beth Burlingame and Bill Randall. The two, whose classrooms are adjacent, are both seventh-grade teachers at Stone Valley Middle School in Alamo.

Every year Burlingame recounts a story from "Chicken Soup for the Soul" to her seventh-grade class. The family of a young man killed in the Vietnam War found that he had been carrying an old crumpled piece of paper. It was from a classroom exercise years before in which the teacher had asked the students to write something nice about every member of the class. Throughout his life the young man cherished that paper with all of his classmates' encouraging and kind thoughts. They were there with him even at his untimely death.

Burlingame was so touched by this story, she wanted her students to have a similar piece of paper. She, too, had the students write nice things about each of their classmates so at the end of the activity, every student had a paper with his or her name on top with a list of posi-

tive affirmations from classmates.

This simple classroom activity exemplifies Burlingame's teaching philosophy.

Her 38 years of teaching, 27 of them at Stone Valley, have taught her that being a good teacher is more than just teaching grammar and arithmetic.

"What makes a difference in the course of a lifetime is teaching about the important things in life," said Burlingame. "Being kind, thinking about important issues, not being a victim of propaganda, and making the world a better place."

Burlingame earned her teaching certificate and masters degree from UCLA. She taught at high schools for a few years in both the suburbs and inner city of Los Angeles. In 1974 she moved to the Bay Area and began teaching in the San Ramon Valley Unified School District, which at the time had limited high school positions. She was hesitant at first to teach middle school, but soon came to love it. She became a six-grade core teacher at Stone Valley and has been there ever since.

Burlingame's experience at Stone Valley has been a rewarding one. "I've loved working with a really great staff who care about kids and I have been very happy in Alamo," she said. "We've had the



CASEY REIVICH

Retiring teacher Beth Burlingame of Stone Valley Middle School holds gifts from her students: a scrapbook and a list of positive reflections on her as a teacher and person.

most incredible parental support for the programs and the kids."

At Stone Valley, Burlingame taught journalism and drama. As the journalism teacher she ran the school newspaper, the Stone Valley Times. Under her guidance the newspaper won the Gold Crown, the highest distinction, from the Columbia Scholastic Press Association. She was also named the district's Teacher of the Year in 1995.

Burlingame's philosophy as the drama teacher was to offer acting to everybody. Burlingame put on two productions a year. "No baby stuff," she said. "They were three-act plays with sets and costumes. I told the kids, 'We are going to do a high school show.'"

Burlingame's classroom shared a door with fellow seventh-grade teacher Bill Randall, who had been at Stone Valley two years before Burlingame really got to know him.

"The first two years I hardly ever saw him," she recalled. "But because we both taught seventh grade we eventually did stuff together." The two started dating and eventually married. They have been married for 10 years now.

Even though their classrooms are right next to each other, Burlingame has never tired of being with her husband both at work and at home.

"It's been wonderful. No stress at all," Burlingame said. Throughout the years they have planned lessons together and created a medieval

Other teachers retiring

- Joy Addiego—Charlotte Wood/Tassajara Hills/Neil Armstrong Elementary
- Elaine Aragon—Tassajara Hills Elementary
- Linda Gieda Caruso—Monte Vista High School
- Richard Galton—Monte Vista High School
- Karen Groth—San Ramon Valley High School
- Grant Henderson—Green Valley Elementary/Sycamore Valley Elementary
- James Hunter—Los Cerros Middle School
- Linda Isola—Venture School
- Gayle Klusky—Monte Vista High School
- Thomas Moore—San Ramon Valley High School
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times day for the students. Burlingame is always the Queen of Spain, and Randall the King of England. Both Burlingame and Randall were honored this year with the PTA's Golden Oak award.

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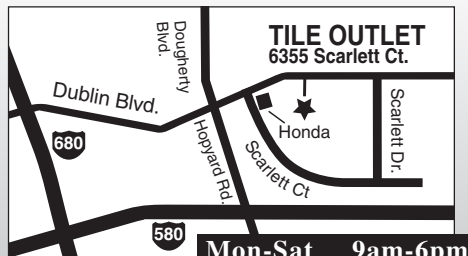


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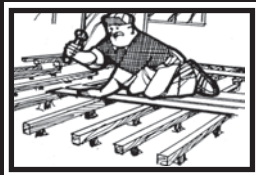
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Diablo Views

BY DOLORES FOX CIARDELLI



Words of wisdom

The question asked in our Streetwise last week was, "What was the best advice your father gave you?" It set me off thinking about my own Dad, now gone for five years, and conversations we had had. I remember him passing on words of his own mother: "You won't really appreciate me until I am gone." Well, I appreciated him when he was here but I know what he meant. How wonderful if I could have another conversation with him now.

He also used to say, "Never ruin a good story for the sake of truth." Not good advice for a journalist—unless she writes a column.

Thinking some more about the question, I began to worry: What if someday a reporter asks one of my kids, "What words of wisdom did your mother give you?"

What would they answer? Would there just be a long silence while they tried desperately to think of something? Would they end up passing on the question because their mother, while very nice and all, never said anything wise or memorable? How embarrassing for all concerned.

I'm sure that I have passed on much wonderful advice through intergenerational osmosis—or something like that—but I don't know that I ever verbally repeated any particular words of wisdom.

Well, I decided, it ain't too late. To the Internet I went and did a search for "words of wisdom." Armed with bon mots and more, I called my daughter.

I quoted Eleanor Roosevelt, although not crediting her. "Hi, dear. I just wanted to tell you, 'No one can make you feel inferior without your consent.'"

"What are you saying?!" she asked, a bit indignant. "Why should anyone make me feel inferior?"

"Beauty is in the eye of the beholder," I retorted.

"So I'm not really pretty?" she asked. "You've been lying to me all these years. I knew it."

Back to the drawing board. I called my son.

"Beauty is in the eye of the beholder," I tried again.

"Uh oh," he said. "You have a blind date for me. No, thanks."

Then I had a better idea. I would search out the perfect signature line to use on e-mails to my kids. After receiving e-mail after e-mail through days and weeks and months—maybe even years—they would begin to associate the wise words with their dear mother.

My signature line had previously quoted Albert Einstein: "Reality is merely an illusion, albeit a very persistent one." I like it but it isn't exactly words of wisdom.

My friend has a great signature line: "My goal in life is to be as good of a person as my dog already thinks I am." Nice, but again, not exactly what I had in mind.

I also like Mark Twain's quote: "Be careful about reading health books. You might die of a misprint." But I didn't want to discourage my children from pursuing healthy lifestyles.

Finally I remembered that I truly do believe in the Golden Rule, so I shot off an e-mail to my daughter that ended: "Love, Mom...Do unto others as you would have them do unto you."

She answered me quickly: "Mom, Are you OK?"

I responded: "You won't really appreciate me until I am gone." ■

Retiring

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Because they share such similar passions, the two have to stop themselves from talking about school all day long. "He says, 'At 8 p.m., no more talk of the kids,'" said Burlingame.

She had planned to retire this year and her husband realized that work wouldn't be much fun without her. They arranged it so they could retire concurrently. Between the two of them, they have been teaching for 75 years.

"Children are the hope and promise of the future," Randall said. "I am proud to have taken part in shaping that promise."

They plan to spend time with their family. They are expecting their first grandchild at the end of the month. They also plan to travel.

Their first trip is to Hawaii and later this fall they hope to drive across country.

These two beloved teachers were sent off with a celebration roast, where colleagues and friends did more commending and toasting than roasting. Their students threw them farewell parties, and Burlingame received a few very special parting gifts from her students.

One student made her a beautiful scrapbook filled with photos and memorabilia. Burlingame also received a silver gummy bear necklace—an homage to her signature classroom reward for a job well done. The last gift was a piece of paper with the name "Mrs. B" at the top. The students had all written nice things about their teacher so she, too, could have some kind and encouraging words to take with her in the next stage in her life. ■



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POLICE BULLETIN

Armed robbery at Danville bank

Two men armed with a semiautomatic pistol entered the Bank of America on San Ramon Valley Boulevard shortly after noon last Friday and shouted at patrons and bank employees to get down on the ground, said police. One was concealed by a bandana and the other by a ski mask.

One of the robbers jumped the counter, and they stole an undisclosed amount of money from the tellers' registers, according to the report. Bank employees called police at 12:14 p.m. The men were last seen on foot leaving the bank.

"This was a very dynamic entry," said Sgt. George Wright of the Danville Police. "Oftentimes it's quieter. The robber enters quietly and passes a

note to the teller saying, 'I have a gun.'" Robberies do happen in Danville, warned Wright. "Everybody should be vigilant and keep up a heightened sense of awareness."

The two men who robbed the bank have not been found, and police ask that anyone who saw the suspects call 314-3410. Both suspects were described as African American males in their 20s, police said. One was around 5 feet 10 inches and weighing 190 pounds. He was wearing a white baseball cap, dark blue or black long sleeve shirt, faded blue jeans, and was carrying a nickel-plated 9 mm semiautomatic pistol.

The second suspect was estimated to be around 5 feet 5 inches and weighing 150 pounds. He was wearing a straw hat, a vertical stripe long sleeve shirt, faded blue jeans, white sneakers, and was carrying a black bag.

WEDDINGS

Lisa M. Grippi & Joseph Cyrus Fisher

Lisa M. Grippa and Joseph Cyrus Fisher were married June 18 at St. Isidore Church in Danville.

Lisa is the daughter of Catherine DePalma and Robert Phaneuf, and is a 1999 graduate of Monte Vista High School. She received a bachelor's degree in English from UC-Santa Barbara in 2003 and is a graduate admissions advisor at DeVry University's Keller Graduate School of Management in Fremont.

Joseph graduated from Santa Barbara High School in 2000. He is a demolition foreman for J.J.R. Construction in San Mateo.

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POLICE LOG

The Danville Police Department made the following information available. Under the law, those charged with offenses are considered innocent until convicted.

June 13

- Malicious mischief: on Fostoria Way at 9:21 a.m.
- Accident-property damage: on Diablo Rd. at 10:19 a.m.
- Burglary, commercial: on El Pintado Rd. at 10:28 a.m.
- Malicious mischief: on Belgian Dr. at 10:23 a.m.
- Battery, domestic: on St. George Rd. at 12:38 p.m.
- Recovered stolen vehicle: on Robyn Rd. at 1:55 a.m.
- Suspicious circumstances: on Sinnet Ct. at 3:01 a.m.
- Mentally ill commitment: on Blemer Rd. at 4:24 a.m.

June 14

- Driving under the influence: 55-year-old male arrested on the 100 block of Hartz Ave. at 1:51 a.m.
- Missing runaway juvenile: on Joaquin Dr. at 3 a.m.
- Stolen vehicle: Two juveniles arrested on the 100 block of Love Ln. at 12:24 p.m.
- Malicious mischief: on Dolphin Dr. at 3:35 p.m.
- Accident-property damage: on Greenbrook Dr. and Sycamore Valley Rd. at 5:37 p.m.
- Burglary-auto: on I-680 off North Sycamore Valley Road at 6:33 p.m.
- Malicious mischief: on Redondo Wy. at 8:02 p.m.

June 15

- Accident-property damage: on Diablo Rd. at 9:23 a.m.

- Accident-property damage: on Camino Tassajara and Hansen Ln. at 12:32 p.m.
- Stolen vehicle: on San Ramon Valley Blvd. at 4:30 p.m.
- Malicious mischief: on Lyon Ct., at 7:30 p.m.
- Possession of dangerous drugs: 46-year-old female arrested on San Ramon Valley Blvd. and Town and Country at 11:56 p.m.

June 16

- Malicious mischief: on Railroad Ave. at 8:25 a.m.
- Possession of counterfeit bill: on St. Christopher Dr. at 9:22 a.m.
- Mentally ill commitment: on Highland Dr. at 2:17 p.m.
- Accident-injury: on Ocho Rios Dr. at 4:51 p.m.
- Driving under the influence-felony: Juvenile-male arrested in the 900 block of Ocho Rios Dr. at 5:17 p.m.
- Hit-and-run: on Fostoria Wy. at 5:30 p.m.
- Malicious mischief: on Mustang Dr. at 5:30 p.m.
- Accident-property damage: on Railroad Ave. at 6:24 p.m.

June 17

- Driving under the influence: 26-year-old female was arrested on El Cerro Blvd. and I-680 northbound at 12:58 a.m.
- Armed robbery: on San Ramon Valley Blvd. at 12:14 p.m.
- Malicious mischief: on Front St. at 3:49 p.m.
- Vandalism-felony: on Del Amigo Rd. at 3:35 p.m.
- Drunk in public: 18-year-old male arrested in the 500 block of El Pintado Rd. at 9:29 p.m.
- Driving under the influence: 24-year-old male arrested on LaSata Ct. and Sherburne Hills Rd. at 10:44 p.m.

June 18

- Driving under the influence: 27-year-old male arrested on Diablo Rd. and Via Hermosa at 1:40 a.m.
- Drugs, possession of paraphernalia: on Camino Tassajara and Mansfield Dr. at 12:45 p.m.
- Stolen vehicle: on W. Prospect Ave. and Sonora Ave. at 9:15 p.m.

June 19

- Driving under the influence: 42-year-old female arrested in the 100 block of Love Ln. at 12:05 a.m.
- Possession of dangerous drugs: 20-year-old male arrested on El Capital Dr. and St. Christopher Dr. at 8:40 p.m.
- Drugs, sales of marijuana: 19-year-old male arrested on Holbrook Dr. at 10:41 p.m.
- Disturbing the peace: on W. El Pintado Rd. at 11:22 p.m.

The Office of the Contra Costa County Sheriff's Department's Valley Station in Alamo made the following information available.

ALAMO

June 14

- Theft-identity: on Southview Drive.

June 15

- Grand Theft-vehicle: on La Sonoma Way.

June 16

- Burglary-auto: on Bryan Drive.

June 18

- Rape: on Cervato Circle.

BLACKHAWK

June 13

- Disturbance: on Blackhawk Meadow Dr. and Fox Creek Dr.

June 15

- Forgery-fraudulent documents: on Blackhawk Rd.

OBITUARIES

Danny J. Payne.

Danny J. Payne, born March 6, 1957, in Redwood City, passed away of cancer at his home in Pleasanton on June 10, at the age of 48.

He was raised in Livermore, attended St. Michael's School, and graduated from Livermore High School. In 1982 he earned his bachelor's degree in accounting from Chico State University.

He is survived by his wife of 24 years, Gayle; parents Lillian and Bill Payne; son Shaun; daughter Danielle; brother Michael Payne of Danville; sister Linda Payne Pennock; and nephews, Jeremy and Nick Pennock

A Memorial Service will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, June 25, at Graham Hitch Mortuary, 4167 First St., Pleasanton; call 846-5624. A reception follows at Robert Livermore Community Center, Larkspur Room, 4444 East Ave., Livermore. Donations may be made to: Education Benefit Fund for Shaun and Danielle Payne, c/o Washington Mutual, 561 Main St., Pleasanton 94566.

Helen Leona Grove

Helen Leona Grove, born Helen Leona Macdonald in 1918 in New Richmond, Wis., passed away May 28 at the home where she raised her family for the last half century. She was 86.

For many years she worked as an executive secretary at Aerojet and at Lawrence Livermore Laboratory. She enjoyed gardening, reading, observing the wildlife around her home, and hugging her children and grandchildren. Her home was always open to relatives in need. She was active in her church and served as a longtime Sunday school teacher and church officer at the former Immanuel Lutheran Church in Danville, now Peace Lutheran.

She was preceded in death by her 10 siblings and Harold J. Grove, her husband of more than 50 years. She is survived by her three children, Steven Grove, Margery Hofmann and Maureen Turman; four grandchildren, Bryan and Amy Traskowski, Jason Grove and Larkin Turman; and one great-grandchild, Ashley Grove.

Memorial services were held at Wilson and Kratzer Chapel of San Ramon Valley. Expressions of sympathy may be directed to the Meals on Wheels Program of Senior Outreach Services, 1300 Civic Drive, Walnut Creek, or the Prime Time Seniors Program of Community Presbyterian Church, 222 W. El Pintado Road, Danville.

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EDITORIAL • THE OPINION OF THE WEEKLY

**Reassuring
glimpse at the
young**

We've all heard George Bernard Shaw's saying that youth is wasted on the young. But based on our time spent over a pizza with seven graduating high school seniors recently, this does not seem to be the case.

The four boys and three girls, who attended Monte Vista High, San Ramon Valley High and Venture, were certainly intelligent and articulate. But, best of all, they seemed to appreciate this special time in their lives. They spoke of upcoming adventures and challenges and also seemed to recognize the value of what they were leaving behind.

They treasure what they have—from the beauty and safety of the area, to its proximity to the greater Bay Area, to their families and homes where they have the freedom to go to a well-stocked kitchen at any time to scramble some eggs.

Probably every day examined in retrospect has a part of it that could have been spent more wisely. But what exactly is a "waste" of time? Sleeping? Smelling the roses? Or was Shaw referring to wasting opportunities?

One difference between the young and the older is memories, experience, having accumulated lessons over a long lifetime or just a childhood. While some lessons can be learned secondhand, others have to be learned the hard way. The key word is learning, which is what life is, learning from our mistakes and moving forward. But is there any evidence that old people do fewer "dumb" things than young people? Actually they may be more willing to seize the moment and take chances, having learned that life goes on despite making mistakes.

What if we all could be 18 again? Would we do better the second time around? After talking to these seven seniors, we're not sure that anyone would be better equipped or more appreciative of life's opportunities or more ready to cope with its trials. These high achievers may not be typical of the entire graduating class, and the entire graduating class in this privileged area is certainly not typical of the entire Bay Area or even the United States. But this glimpse at the attitude of a few of last week's graduates makes us feel that youth is not wasted on the young.

Congratulations to the class of 2005.

"After talking to these seven seniors, we're not sure that anyone would be better equipped or more appreciative of life's opportunities or more ready to cope with its trials."

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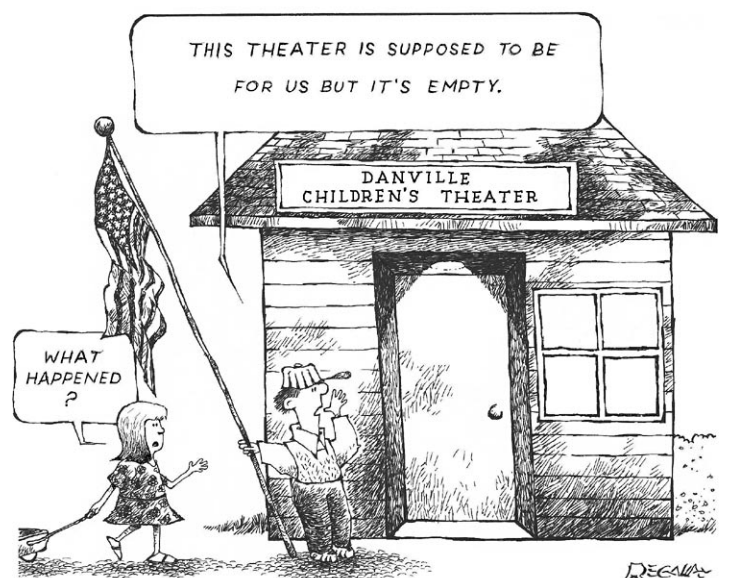
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THE POINT OF THE PEN



Slugging with the Danville 680

Danville Senior Softball League looking to add three more teams

by Mike L. Mc Colgan

If diamonds are your field of interest, the Danville Senior Softball League may be for you. Now in its third year, the league continues to grow and is looking for more players.

In 2001, Bob Randall learned the Danville Recreation Department wanted to start a senior softball league for Danville so he volunteered to set it up. It now has one team called the Danville 680, which plays teams from other areas.

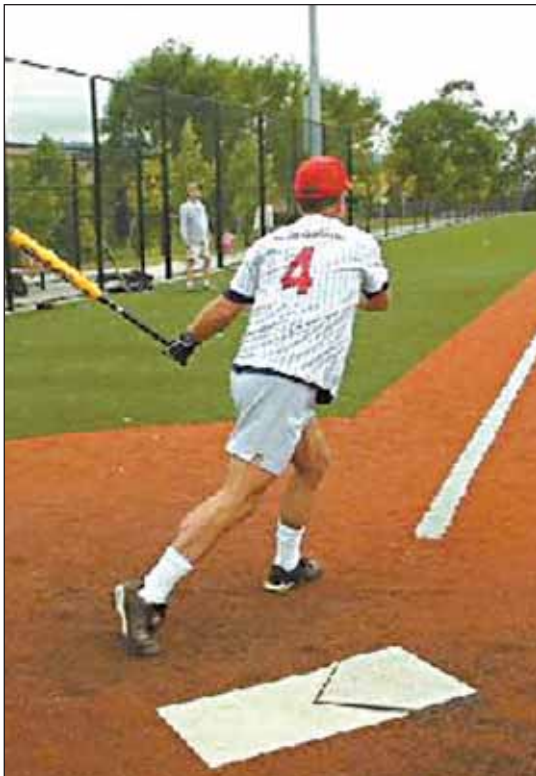
"In three years since its inception, Danville has struggled but the core team consists of 10 dedicated players," Randall said. "Our goal is to form four league teams that play at a recreational level."

The Danville League is open to players in the 50-plus age group. Randall said the average age of members of the Danville 680 team is 64.

"The league plays by U.S. Senior Softball Rules that are designed to avoid contact and injury to old bones," he explained.

The season is year around, starting in April. The cost is \$95 for the year, which does not include uniforms. Danville 680's team sponsor Pasta Gondola paid for its uniforms.

The home field is at the \$4 million all-turf Sycamore



MIKE L. MC COLGAN

A Danville 680 senior player makes contact and heads for first at Sycamore Valley Sportsfield.

Valley sports field near the Danville Post Office on Camino Tassajara.

Every Tuesday and Thursday morning finds the team practicing. "The players come from all walks of life," said Randall. "This year's team consists of retired sales managers, real estate agents, general contractors, teachers, government employees, scientists and computer executives."

In general the players are people who are "young at heart," he said, "and want to get some exercise playing a fun game and socializing over beer and pizza after the game."

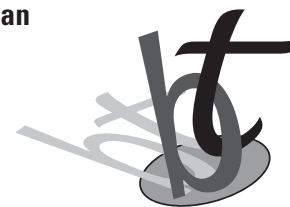
For more information, contact Danville Recreation Director Frank Luna at 314-3475; Bob Randall at 487-6144; or come on out to the Sycamore Field any Tuesday or Thursday morning.

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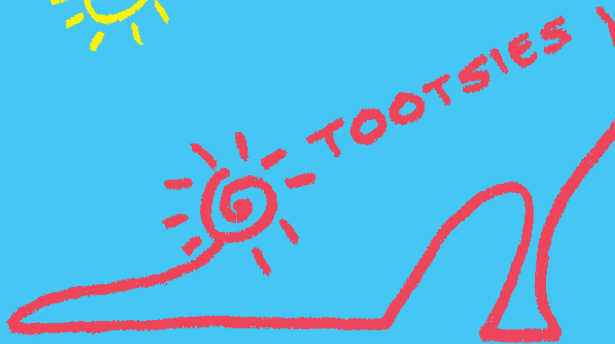


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Single A Champs

The San Ramon Little League Single A Red Sox beat the previously undefeated Mariners 14-11 to become the Single A champs. Thrilled with their victory are (front, l-r) Ryan MacLeod, batboy Peyton Henry, Dylan De Walt, Kyle Henry, Jordan Smith, Logan Pearce, Marcus Lebovitz; (second row) John Hooper, Jack Clayton, Nick Kane, Zac Medley, Petar Zaninovich, Christopher Hunt, Bryan Westermeyer; (back row) coaches Bill Hooper, Todd Henry and Jason Kane.

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Saga of children's theater deal ends in County Jail

“For the kids” was a favorite phrase of William McCann as he spearheaded a complex deal to build a grand children's theater in Danville. The former attorney and community leader spoke those words as he persuaded a local developer to donate a nearly \$2 million parcel of land for the project. He said them often as he induced generous individuals to give a total of more than \$3 million for the construction of the theater.

But as the deal unfolded, and eventually fell apart, those words would become an indictment of McCann.

Edward Belasco described McCann's duplicity in the scheme that tricked him into giving up the land that was donated to his children's theater. “He was for the kids, I thought,” Belasco said.

In May, a Contra Costa Superior Court judge ruled that McCann's conduct in regard to the theater “was a serious fraud on a number of parties” and his actions “constituted on many levels a severe and blatant conflict of interest and self-dealing.” He found McCann, 58, guilty of felony tax evasion and sentenced him to 180 days in jail and a \$10,000 fine.

Thus ends a saga that has all the elements of a Greek tragedy—greed, betrayal, revenge, even death—that has played out in Danville over eight years, multiple lawyers, tens of thousands of pages of court documents, and hundreds of thousands of dollars in settlement deals.

None of the principles or the attorneys contacted would agree to talk on the record. McCann declined to be interviewed for this article. Versions of the story that attribute dishonorable motivations to the parties involved vary widely. Court documents are the only reliable source of verifiable information, and they, primarily, have been used to reconstruct the story that follows.

Involvement with children's theater

In late 1996, McCann approached real estate developer Sid Corrie and asked him to donate a portion of his property at 500 La Gonda Way to build a children's theater. At the time McCann was president and chairman of the Belasco Theatre Company (BTC), a nonprofit, highly respected children's theater company in which his daughter had performed. McCann had been involved with the company for years, also served as its attorney, and represented to Corrie that he had full authority to act on behalf of BTC.

McCann proposed a complicated deal in which Corrie would donate 58.33 percent of the 2.69-acre parcel of land to BTC. McCann and his partner, J. Gordon Bingham, would purchase the remaining 41.67 percent, on which they planned to construct an office building, for a fair market value \$1.4 million based upon an appraisal of \$3,360,000 for the total property.

Corrie, who had been involved in children's theater

growing up, agreed in late December 1997 to the deal, contingent upon his ability to take a 1997 tax deduction for the charitable contribution.

However, according to Belasco's testimony, McCann never informed him about the donation. “I was never told anything about the property,” said Belasco. “I knew nothing of the property, period.”

Signing documents at midnight

On New Year's Eve 1997, McCann dropped by Belasco's home a little before midnight with a bottle of wine and holiday wishes. Then he produced a

profit foundation and giving BTC “first right of use for up to 36 performances per year and a discounted rental, which needs to be worked out.”

\$3 million raised

McCann and Bingham then set up the Mount Diablo Center for the Arts Foundation to raise money to build the theater. The foundation's chief officers were a close-knit group of McCann, Bingham, and Linda High, an employee of McCann's, although a host of community leaders, including U.S. Rep. Ellen Tauscher, D-Alamo, and Danville Councilmen Mike Doyle and Mike Shimansky, lent their names to the foundation's committee.

The gregarious McCann succeeded in raising more than \$3 million for the foundation and was generally lauded by the community. “When it's done, it's going to be bloody gorgeous,” McCann was quoted as saying in a 2001 newspaper article.

Right about that time, the carefully woven plan began to unravel. The IRS disallowed Corrie's tax deduction because the property was quickly transferred from the nonprofit BTC to the private financial partnership of Bingham/McCann. When Bingham/McCann put the property up for sale in 2001 for \$15.5 million, Corrie filed a civil lawsuit against the partners charging them with a number of offenses, including fraud.

The court action and associated publicity thwarted fundraising efforts; all work on the theater ceased; and the Attorney General's Office ordered the foundation board disbanded.

The details of the deal that Corrie and his attorneys uncovered led to a criminal investigation of Bingham and McCann in addition to the civil litigation.

Accusations filed

A fascinating web of circumstances and facts add to the intrigue of the case. Beyond the allegations of fraud regarding the land transactions, other accusations Corrie made in his civil suit include:

1. McCann and Bingham used the deed to all of the property (including the land meant for the theater) to



The Danville Center for the Performing Arts and office complex on El Cerro Boulevard and La Gonda Way is beautiful, and the financial center is thriving. But the theater itself, right, is but a shell.

document he asked Belasco, as founder and artistic director of BTC, to sign to “get the theater going.”

Belasco, who was close to 70 and nearly blind as a result of diabetes, explained in his deposition, “He did not explain what was in it, did not tell me what it was about, and he wanted me to sign it. And like I told you, he was my lawyer. He was my friend. And he knew I couldn't see. The lights were dim. It was nighttime. And I signed it.”

The document, Belasco discovered almost two years later, effectively signed away his portion of the property to Bingham/McCann, making the partnership the sole owner of the entire property. In exchange for the valuable piece of property, Bingham/McCann committed to building a theater through a private non-

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borrow the entire amount of Corrie, thus owning a portion for the bargain price which came out of their pocket were directors of Mt. Diablo loaned them the money. Co financial institution in which have a position of trust and c tioned the legitimacy of the

2. Because of Danville's site parking, Bingham and way to get a large office b to construct a large parking of McCann's primary reason was to create enough parking building to be entitled. Th 173 spaces and the theater city's requirements for both

by Kathy Cordova

Photos by Shannon Corey

GREED

takes center stage

ant's conviction is part of a complex series of real estate and business transactions that span an approximate four-year period. He states that his goal was to help build a children's theater we believe that 'greed' and the prospect of making 'unrealized profits' from building an office complex became his primary concern."

—From the report of William McCann's probation officer

of the \$1.4 million they owed the property, appraised at \$3.36 million of \$1.4 million—none of the parking spaces. Bingham and McCann at Bank, the institution that Corrie asserted that any other than Bingham/McCann did not have confidence would have questioned the history of the property. strict requirements for on-site parking. McCann knew that the only building approved would be on the lot. Corrie alleged that one of the reasons for building the theater was to create parking spaces for the office building required 140. To satisfy the requirements for the structures by constructing

only 173 spaces, McCann, as chairman of the foundation, agreed to shared usage of the parking spaces between the office building and the theater, at a disadvantage to the theater.

3. Despite his claims, McCann never intended BTC to benefit from the theater. The document that McCann convinced Belasco to sign on New Year's Eve states that the undetermined discounted rental rate is only good "so long as Edward Belasco is artistic director of the Theatre." Belasco testified that he believed McCann added this clause because, due to his poor health and advanced age, McCann did not expect him to continue for much longer as BTC's artistic director.

Court records continue:

"Thereafter, BTC would have no further rights, privileges or direct or indirect economic interest in or control over the theatre of any kind. The Defendants

(or future owner of the project) consequently would retain complete control over the theatre, exercised either directly or through the captive foundation which McCann and Bingham planned to create."

Criminal case proceeds

The veracity of these charges was never conclusively determined because the civil case was settled. The criminal case proceeded and Bingham, in ill health, pleaded guilty to a reduced charge of misdemeanor tax evasion in exchange for his cooperation. Bingham died of leukemia in 2003 before he could testify.

Due to a conflict of interest with the Contra Costa Attorney General's Office, Bill Denny, the Special

Deputy Attorney General for Alameda County was assigned to the case. Denny initially charged McCann with five counts of offenses pertaining to the deal. But the two sides made an agreement to waive a trial by jury and Denny would prosecute only on one count of felony tax evasion. Denny also agreed that, if convicted, McCann would not go to state prison but would serve a maximum of one year in county jail. The agreement stipulated that evidence from the civil case would be allowed to be heard in the criminal case. On April 7, 2005, Judge John W. Kennedy took all the evidence into account and found McCann guilty on felony tax evasion. McCann was sentenced May 13 and turned himself in to the sheriff's office June 2.

Nobody but McCann knows his true motivation in this complex ordeal. Was he a charitable, community-

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Greed

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minded altruist inspired to build a community theater for the children? Was he the Machiavellian manipulator painted by the civil lawsuit? Or was he just a well-intentioned guy trying to make a little profit on the side who made some stupid decisions in the interest of moving a deal along as quickly as possible?

According to the probation officer's report, "The defendant's conviction is part of a complex series of real estate and business transactions that span an approximate four-year period. While he states that his goal was to help build a children's theater we believe that 'greed' and the prospect of making 'unanticipated profits' from building an office complex became his primary concern."

McCann was his own victim

In McCann's defense, he has no history of criminal offense. He suffers from Bipolar Disorder II, which he claims played a part in his behavior. In a letter to the court, McCann's attorney, William Du Bois, wrote, "Foremost amongst the outward manifestations of the disorder were McCann's careless con-

duct, delusions of grandiosity, and occasional bad judgment." McCann has paid restitution to all parties, including back taxes and penalties.

There is no doubt that McCann was one of the biggest victims of his own misdeeds. His wife divorced him in 2004; he will lose his license to practice law as a result of the felony conviction; and his attorney says he is financially ruined.

In January 2003 McCann moved to Genoa, Nev., where he plans to return after he serves his sentence. In court documents McCann says he will pursue a graduate degree in English literature at the University of Nevada in Reno and hopes to teach.

The 39,000-square-foot office building and the 299-seat theater shell were sold by Bingham/McCann to the Tan Group in 2001, which is obligated to lease the theater to a nonprofit group for \$1 a year.

The Mt. Diablo Region YMCA has taken over that lease and the operation of the theater, which is now called the Danville Center for the Performing Arts. It has agreed to pay \$100,000 to BTC and give it the first right of use after the YMCA. The hope is to raise the additional \$3 million to \$5 million needed to finish the interior of the theater and then use it for youth and theater programs.

Maybe this tragedy will have a happy ending and the theater will eventually serve the purpose for which it was originally intended—for the kids. ■

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July 19-24

N-Trak Trains

July 26-30

Golden Gate Lionel O Gauge Trains

Aug. 2-6

Bay Area Garden Railroad Society's G Gauge



by **B. Lynn Goodwin**

Once the whistle of a locomotive echoed through the valley. Cars on the Southern Pacific line rolled through, shipping goods in and out, depositing passengers and picking up mail. The railroads were vital to Danville, connecting it to the Port of Martinez and the outside world. After the trains stopped running in 1978, the tracks were replaced by the Iron Horse Regional Trail. In 1999, Danville's old train depot reopened as today's Museum of the San Ramon Valley, a fitting building in which to preserve the community's heritage and remember the railroad.

Train Day comes to the museum Sunday, June 26, the annual fundraiser at the historic Danville Depot, 205 Railroad Ave. It's the third year for the event, which takes place from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., and brings in money needed to keep the museum's programs alive.

"We have beautifully made up models and small trains for the little kids to ride around in," said Jim Lane, who heads up Train Day and remembers when a few freight trains still ran through Danville.

The Sunday family fun will also feature three model train layouts, antique cars, a fire engine, face-painting and ice cream. There also will be a drawing for Giants and A's games, wine/food baskets, a Thomas Train Kit and a weekend in Tahoe.

Model train displays are being set up by the Bay Area Garden Railroad Society, the European Train Enthusiasts, and the N-Trak clubs.

Lou Biancanello, a local expert in model trains, pointed out that models are not toys, they are exact replicas. He said he has great respect for the models, the miniature scenery around the tracks, and the precision with which everything is built and run.

Model trains offer the opportunity to "be a railroad baron and run your own train the way you want," said Biancanello. "They do it to relive the good old days."

Train Day kicks off a summer of model train exhibits for the museum, including an exhibit by European Train Enthusiasts; LEGO trains; N-Trak Trains, the smallest models; Golden Gate Lionel O Gauge Trains; and the Bay Area

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AT THE MOVIES

CinéArts @ Pleasant Hill: 2314 Monument Blvd., Pleasant Hill (687-1100)
Century 14 Walnut Creek: 1201 Locust St., Walnut Creek (937-7025)
Blackhawk Movie 7: 4175 Blackhawk Plaza Circle, Danville (736-0368)
Crow Canyon 6: 2525 San Ramon Valley Blvd., San Ramon (820-4831)
Hacienda Crossings 20/ Regal Imax Theater: 5000 Dublin Boulevard, Dublin (560-9600)
Vine Cinema: Corner of First and South O streets, Livermore (447-2545)
Internet address: For show times, visit the Danville Weekly Online Edition at <http://www.DanvilleWeekly.com/>

Note: Screenings are for Friday through Tuesday only.

Batman Begins (PG-13)	Blackhawk Movies 7: Fri-Tue 12:40, 4:10, 7:20, 10:30 p.m. Crow Canyon 6: Fri-Tue 12:10, 3:30, 6:40, 7, 10 p.m. Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri 10:30, 11 a.m., 12:35, 1:30, 2:10, 3:15, 3:45, 4:45, 5:15, 7:05, 8, 8:30, 9:45, 10:15, 11 p.m.; Sat 10:30, 11 a.m., 12:35, 1:30, 2, 2:10, 3:15, 3:45, 4:45, 5:15, 7:05, 8 8:30, 9:45, 10:15, 11 p.m.; Sun 10:30, 11 a.m., 12:35, 1:30, 2:10, 3:15, 3:45, 4:45, 5:15, 7:05, 8, 8:30, 9:45, 10:15, 11 p.m.; Mon 10:30, 11 a.m., 12:35, 1:30, 2:10, 3:15, 3:45, 4:45, 5:15, 7:05, 8, 8:30, 10:15, 11 p.m.; Tue 11 a.m., 12:35, 1:30, 2:10, 3:15, 3:45, 4:45, 5:15, 7:05, 8, 8:30, 9:45, 10:15, 11 p.m. Regal Imax Theaters: Fri-Tue 10 a.m., 1, 4:15, 7:30, 10:45 p.m. Vine Cinema: Fri-Sun 11 a.m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 9:55 p.m.; Mon-Tue 11:20 a.m., 2:15, 5, 8 p.m.
Bewitched (PG-13)	Blackhawk Movies 7: Fri-Tue 11:55 a.m., 2:25, 4:55, 7:25, 9:55 p.m. Crow Canyon 6: Fri-Tue 11:40 a.m., 2:20, 4:45, 7:20, 9:50 p.m. Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Sun 10, 11:30 a.m., 12:30, 2, 3, 4:30, 5:30, 7, 8, 9:30, 10:30 p.m.; Mon Same as Fri-Sun but no 5:30 p.m. show; Tue is same as Fri-Sun
Charlotte's Web (G)	Hacienda Crossing 20: Tue 10 a.m.
Cinderella Man (PG-13)	Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Mon 11:50 a.m., 3:10, 6:25, 9:40 p.m.; Tue 6:35, 9:40 p.m.
Crash (R)	CinéArts: Fri-Mon 11:55 a.m., 2:25, 4:55, 7:25, 9:55 p.m.
George A. Romero's Land of the Dead (R)	Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Tue 11:05 a.m., 1:20, 3:40, 6:10, 8:35, 11:05 p.m.
Heights (R)	CinéArts: Fri-Mon 11:45 a.m., 2, 4:30, 7, 9:15 p.m.
Herbie: Fully Loaded (PG)	Blackhawk Movies 7: Fri-Tue 12:20, 2:55, 5:20, 7:45, 10:10 p.m. Crow Canyon 6: Fri-Tue 11:30 a.m., 2, 4:30, 7:10, 9:30 p.m. Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri 11:10, 11:40 a.m., 1:40, 2:20, 4:20, 4:50, 7, 7:30, 9:30, 10 p.m.; Sat 7, 11:10 a.m., 1:40, 4:20, 7, 9:30; Sun 11:10 a.m., 1:40, 4:20, 7, 9:30 p.m.; Mon-Tue 11:10, 11:40 a.m., 1:40, 2:20, 4:20, 4:50, 7, 7:30, 9:30, 10 p.m. Vine Cinema: Fri-Tue 11:30 a.m., 2, 4:20, 7, 9:10 p.m.
Hey Arnold! The Movie (PG)	Hacienda Crossing 20: Tue 10 a.m.
Howl's Moving Castle (PG)	CinéArts: Fri-Mon 12:20, 4, 7:10, 9:50 p.m. Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Tue 10:10 a.m., 1:05, 4, 7:05, 9:55 p.m.
Mad Hot Ballroom (PG)	CinéArts: Fri-Mon 12:05, 2:35, 5, 7:35, 10 p.m.
Madagascar (PG)	Blackhawk Movies 7: Fri-Tue 12:05, 2:15, 4:25, 6:35, 8:45, 10:50 p.m. Crow Canyon 6: Fri-Tue 11:50 a.m., 2:10, 4:20, 6:40, 9:20 p.m. Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Tue 11:20 a.m., 2, 4:20, 6:50, 9:20 p.m.
Mr. & Mrs. Smith (PG-13)	Blackhawk Movies 7: Fri-Tue noon, 2:45, 5:30, 8:15, 11 p.m. Crow Canyon 6: Fri-Tue 12:20, 3:50, 6:50, 9:45 p.m. Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Mon 10:20, 10:50 a.m., 12:45, 1:25, 1:50, 3:50, 4:25, 4:50, 6:55, 7:20, 7:50, 10:05, 10:35, 10:55 p.m.; Tue 10:50 a.m., 12:45, 1:50, 4:50, 6:55, 7:20, 7:50, 10:35, 10:55 p.m.
My Summer Love (R)	CinéArts: Fri-Mon 12:10, 2:20, 4:45, 7:20, 9:45 p.m.
Perfect Man (PG)	Blackhawk Movies 7: Fri-Tue 12:10, 2:35, 5, 7:30, 10 p.m. Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Sat 12:50, 3:20, 5:50, 8:20, 10:40 p.m.; Sun 12:50, 3:20, 5:50, 8:20 p.m.; Mon 12:50, 3:20, 5:50, 10:40 p.m.; Tue 10:20 a.m., 12:50, 3:20, 5:50, 8:20, 10:40 p.m.
Rockin' the Corps (NR)	Hacienda Crossing 20: Mon 7 p.m.
Star Wars Episode III (PG-13)	Blackhawk Movies 7: Fri-Tue 12:30, 3:45, 7, 10:15 p.m. Crow Canyon 6: Fri-Tue noon, 3:20, 6:30, 9:40 p.m. Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Sun 10:15 a.m., noon, 1:15, 4:30, 6:30, 7:40, 10:45 p.m.; Mon 10:15 a.m., noon, 1:15, 4:30, 7:40, 10:45 p.m.; Tue same as Fri-Sun
The Adventures of Shark Boy & Lava Girl in 3D (PG)	Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Tue 10 a.m., 12:15, 2:35, 4:55, 7:15 p.m.
The Longest Yard (PG-13)	Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Tue 10:35 a.m., 1:20, 4:05, 6:50, 9:40 p.m.
The Sisterhood of The Traveling Pants (PG)	Hacienda Crossing 20: Fri-Tue 10:25 a.m., 1:10, 3:55, 6:40, 9:35 p.m.

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Junior Miss

Daniela Gergley, who just completed her junior year at Monte Vista High, was chosen to represent Contra Costa County at the California Junior Miss Scholarship Program in Rohnert Park on Aug. 13. The competition is for more than \$35,000 in college scholarships. She also won the Scholastic Achievement category at the regional program held in April in Danville. The high school girls compete in the areas of interviews, scholastics, talent, fitness and self-expression.

Daniela is the daughter of Lisa and Tom Gergley. She plans to attend UCLA, UC Santa Barbara or



Pepperdine University, and go on to study pre-med or law. She maintains a 4.5 grad point average. To sponsor Daniela's participation, call 699-6673.

Trains

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Garden Railroad Society's G Gauge, the largest models.

Though the Lego trains are toys and not models, Biancanello promises they are "still something to see."

Jim Lane will run Train Day with the assistance of more than 60 volunteers. Anyone who buys a new family membership on Train Day will receive 20 tickets good for rides and refreshments. The Museum Store has stocked special items for model train enthusiasts along with its regular inventory of clothes, toys, gift and more.

Train Day is funded in part by Chevron Texaco, Dreyers Ice

Learn more

For additional information about Train Day or the Museum of the San Ramon Valley, including programs, membership, volunteering and more, call 837-3750 or visit www.MuseumSRV.org.

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Generous donations and grants from the community maintain the restored depot and support new exhibits and programs. Last year more than 2,000 visitors attended Train Day, and the museum staff hopes for an even bigger turnout this year. Bring the whole family to this fun-filled event, celebrate the valley's history, and help a worthy cause. ■

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Paint-in at the Ranch

Alamo Parks and Recreation is holding an artist "paint-in" at Hap Magee Ranch Park, 1025 La Gonda Way, Danville, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Saturday, June 25. There are spots for peaceful outdoor painting, or artists can catch some of the new action at the park. A noon barbecue lunch includes a show-and-tell session. Preregistration and \$7 fee required for lunch. Call Karla at 886-4716.

Author Visits

Screenwriting Workshop

The California Writers Club, Mt. Diablo Branch, is hosting a Screenwriting Workshop with James Dalessandro from 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Saturday, June 25, at the Lafayette Community Center, 500 St. Mary's Road, Lafayette, for writers in all genres. Dalessandro will lecture on how screenwriting connects to books, structure and character development, plus marketing. Cost is \$95 in advance. Send a check payable to "CWC Mt. Diablo Branch" to CWC-Mt. Diablo Branch, P.O. Box 606, Alamo 94507. If space is still available, cost at the door is \$120. For information, call Igal Levy at 487-9452.

Civic Meetings

Danville Heritage Resource Commission

The Commission meets regularly on the second Monday of every month at 7 p.m. in the Town Meeting Hall, 201 Front St.

Danville Parks and Leisure Services Commission

The Commission meets regularly on the second Wednesday of every month at 7 p.m. in the Town Meeting Hall, 201 Front St.

Danville Planning Commission

The Commission meets regularly on the second and fourth Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. in the Town Meeting Hall, 201 Front St.

Town Council Meeting

The Danville Town Council meets on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 7:30 p.m., at the Town Meeting Hall, 201 Front St.

Clubs

Alamo Cribbage Club

The club plays cribbage for fun. It meets at 6:15 p.m. every Wednesday at the Safeway conference room, 200 Alamo Plaza, Alamo. Call 935-3325.

Alamo Rotary

The Alamo Rotary meets at noon every Wednesday at Roundhill Country Club, 3169 Roundhill Road. Call Mark Kahn at 837-3262.

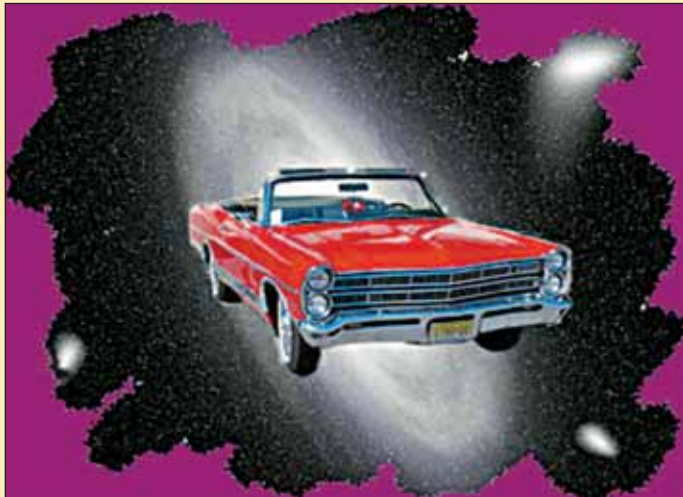
Alamo Women's Club Federated

The club meets on most Wednesdays at its clubhouse, 1401 Danville Blvd. It holds a business meeting and tea the second Wednesday at noon; meets for Mah Jong at 10:30 a.m. the third Wednesday; and holds a luncheon with program at noon the fourth Wednesday. For information, call Jean Stringfellow at 552-9733.

Alamo-Danville Newcomers' Club

This club is open to new and long-time residents of Alamo and Danville interested in making new friends while learning more about the area. Activities include games, day trips, sports, crafts, couples events, volunteer projects and book, movie, international and cooking groups. A prospective member coffee is held the

WEEKEND PREVIEW



COURTESY OF BLACKHAWK MUSEUM

'Cars from Outer Space'

Blackhawk Museum, 3700 Blackhawk Plaza Circle, is holding a Hands-On Family Funshop from 1-4 p.m. Sunday to explore the origins of the names of cars such as Ford Galaxy, Mercury Comet and Chevy Nova. Activities will include making a car constellation and having a space ball for a snack. Drop in anytime. It's free with admission to the museum: \$8, adults; \$5, students or over 65; free for under 6 and active military personnel. Call 736-2277.

fourth Thursday of the month, and a monthly luncheon on the second Tuesday. Call 775-3233 or visit www.alamodanvilleneewcomers.com

Bay Area Single Christians

BASC club is a free, large, online group with event listings for Christian single adults around the S.F. Bay Area. See information at <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/bascingles/>.

Blue Star Moms California

Blue Star Moms is a support group for families of members of the U.S. Armed Forces. It meets at 7 p.m. the second Wednesday of the month at the Danville Veterans Hall, 400 Hartz Ave. Call Peggy at 866-7035 or Patty at 838-9096 or visit www.bluestarmoms.org.

Business Development Network

BDN is a group of professionals that share resources and develops business through relationships. It meets 7:45-9 a.m. the second and fourth Thursday of each month at Denny's, 807 Camino ramon, Danville. Call Bonnie at 648-0222.

Country Western Dance Club

When do the Country Hustlers dance in Danville? From 8-11 p.m., Saturday, July 9, July 23, Sept. 10 and Sept. 24 at the Danville Veteran's Hall at 400 Hartz Ave.; Friday, Nov. 11, and Saturday, Nov. 26, at the Danville Grange Hall at 743 Diablo Blvd., and Saturday, Dec. 10, at the Danville Veteran's Hall. Admission is \$9 for guests, \$7 for members, and \$5 for senior members. For information, visit the Web site at www.countryhustlers.com/whenwedance.htm

Danville AM Toastmasters Club

The club meets from 7-8:30 a.m. every Tuesday at Father Nature's, 178 E. Prospect Ave. Guests are welcome. Call Marge, 831-3802.

Danville Business Network International (BNI)

The Danville Business Network International (BNI) meets at 7 a.m. every Friday at the Marriott Residence Inn, 1071 Market Place, San Ramon. Guests are welcome. Call Susanne Olsen, 937-5055.

Danville Mid-day Referral Group, BNI

Danville Mid-day Referral Group, a chapter of Business Network

International, meets from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. every Wednesday at Louka's, 267 Hartz in Danville. Call Fran Bates at 363-4327 or e-mail franbates@marykay.com.

Danville PM Toastmasters

The club meets from 7:30-9 p.m. every Monday at the San Ramon Campus of Diablo Valley College, 315 Crow Canyon Place, Room 109. Guests are welcome. Call Debra Elmore at 934-3113.

Concerts

Music In The Park 2005

Danville's 20th annual Music in the Park summer concert series for 2005 includes: July 9, Honey Pig (all-girl country pop harmony group); July 23, Big Bang Beat (good, clean, slightly irreverent fun group); Aug. 6, Aja Vu (the San Francisco-based band performs the music of Steely Dan); and Aug. 20, Best Intentions (Motown Mania tribute show features the renditions of Smokey Robinson, The Four Tops and many more). The free concerts take place from 6-8 p.m. at Oak Hill Park, 3005 Stone Valley Road.

Events

Farmers Market

The Danville Farmers Market is open 9 a.m.-1 p.m. every Saturday at the Railroad Avenue Municipal Parking Lot, at the corner of Railroad and Prospect avenues. Call 825-9090 or visit www.pcfma.com.

Giant Book Sale

Friends of the Danville Library are sponsoring a Giant Book Sale from 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Friday, July 15; 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Saturday, July 16; noon-3 p.m., Sunday, July 17, at the Danville Library, 400 Front St. Friends of the Danville Library, members only, from 9-10 a.m., Friday, July 15.

Hot Summer Nights Car Show

The 11th annual Hot Summer Nights Car Shows will take place from 4-9 p.m., Thursdays, July 14 and 28; and Aug. 11 and 25. Over 300 pre-1960s vehicles will be on display along Hartz Avenue in downtown Danville.

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Join the Alamo Parks and Recreation staff for family nights, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Tuesdays, June 21-Aug. 16 (except July 5) at Hap Magee Ranch Park, 1025 La Gonda Way. Games and activities will be available at the equipment table. Campfires held alternate weeks: June 21, July 12 and 26, Aug. 9. Bring your guitars, bongos and songs. Call 886-4716.

also available. Groups are offered from 7-9 p.m. on Friday evenings at the San Ramon Valley United Methodist Church, in Alamo. All groups and classes are offered without fee and require pre-registration. Contact Lee Ann Morgan, Bereavement Program Manager at 855-9317.

site field trips, BBQs and swimming, for ages 5 to 11. The camp is from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, beginning June 27 and running for seven weeks. Preregistration is required. Call 314-3400 or visit the town's Web site, www.ci.danville.ca.us.

Harry Potter Magic Show

The Danville Library Foundation is sponsoring Jonathan Lopez as he presents magic and tricks with a Harry Potter twist at this family program for all ages at 4 p.m., Tuesday, July 19, at the Danville Library at 400 Front St.

Swim classes

Summer swim classes for ages 3 and up begin June 20 at Monte Vista Community Pool, 3131 Stone Valley Road, and San Ramon Valley High School Pool, at Love Lane and San Ramon Valley Blvd. The town of Danville offers two-week group lessons, and one-week private lessons, all 30 minutes, with costs ranging from \$45-\$60. Drop-in parent/child classes for ages 6 months-3 years are held 11 a.m., 2 p.m. and 5 p.m., Wednesdays at Monte Vista Community Pool beginning June 22 with fees of \$10-\$12. Call 314-3400.

YMCA summer camps

Mt. Diablo Region YMCA offers weekly summer camp sessions from June 20-Aug. 26. Camps run half days for children 3-6 and full days for grades 1-9. Programs include field trips, swimming, arts, outdoor ed, games and teambuilding. Specialty camps range from Dude Ranch to Wizardry. The Y also has resident camps for grades 3-8 and a variety of teen camps. Call San Ramon Valley YMCA at 831-1100, or visit www.mdrymca.org.

Fundraisers

Garden Party in Alamo

The Michael Dunbar Family Charitable Foundation (www.dunbarcharitablefund.com) will host the second annual Garden Party fundraising event from 6-9:30 p.m., Saturday, June 25, in Alamo, to raise money for brain cancer research and a caregivers workshop. For information, contact Francesca Venezia Dunbar at 216-1828, fax 743-0397 or e-mail francesca_m_venezia@yahoo.com.

Pete's for Danny Golf Tournament

Pete's Brass Rail and Car Wash of Danville will host the Pete's for Danny XIII Charity Golf Tournament on Monday, June 27, at Round Hill Country Club, Alamo. Eric Meichtry, U.S. Open qualifier, has agreed to facilitate the closest to the pin challenge during the tournament. Registration opens at 10:30 a.m. For ticket information, call 837-6207. Individual tickets are \$195 and foursomes are \$780 (green fees, lunch and dinner are included). Dinner only is \$60.

Health

Hospice Offers Support

Hospice and Palliative Care of Contra Costa offers a variety of support groups and classes for people experiencing grief and loss after the death of a loved one. Individual grief counseling for Hospice families is

Kids & Teens

All Star Summer Camp

The Town of Danville is offering a four-week All Star Summer Camp for ages 8 to 11, from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday through Friday, beginning June 27 at Los Cerros Middle School gym in Danville. Participants will be introduced to a variety of recreational sports including swimming at the end of the week. Preregistration is required. For information, call 314-3400 or visit the town's Web site, www.ci.danville.ca.us.

Camp for the Crafty

Alamo Parks and Recreation offers a crafts camp for grades 2-6 at Hap Magee Ranch Park, 1025 LaGonda Way, Danville, 9 a.m.-noon, June 27-July 1, and again July 5-8. Craft projects include paper mache, painting and making wizard accessories. The cost is \$150. Call 886-4716.

Cubbies Soccer 2005

Looking for a great introduction to soccer for your child? The Cubbies Soccer program is designed to introduce soccer basics to children ages 3-5. This six-week parent participation program is a great way to teach your child teamwork in a recreational environment. Cubbies Soccer starts July 12 and runs for six weeks. Preregistration is required. Call 314-3400 or visit the town's Web site, www.ci.danville.ca.us.

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A Survey of the Laity

Voice of the Faithful - East Bay is sponsoring a survey of the Catholic laity in the Oakland Diocese. You are encouraged to join in this opportunity to be heard. On your computer, go to www.votf-oak.org, and click on VOTF EAST BAY SURVEY.

On Stage

Night at the Improv

Join the newest graduates of Improv U for a fun, interactive evening of improvisational comedy and side-splitting laughter, at 8 p.m., Friday, June 24, at the San Ramon Senior Center, 9300 Alcosta Blvd., San Ramon. Because our show is unedited, it is meant for mature audiences and may not be suitable for anyone under the age of 18. Admission is free! For information on upcoming classes or shows, contact the San Ramon Parks & Community Services at 973-3200 or e-mail ImprovU@aol.com.

Seniors

Danville Senior Citizens Club

The club meets from 9:45 a.m.-2 p.m. every Monday at the Danville Veterans' Memorial Hall, 400 Hartz Ave., for line dancing exercise, bingo, mah jong and more. Membership is just \$9 a year. Call Fran Britt at 743-4026.

Support Groups

American Chronic Pain Association

The ACPA group meets from 11a.m.-1p.m. every second and fourth Monday at the Community Presbyterian Church, Library at 222 W. El Pintado Road. For information call Kathie at 930-0524 or Emily at 831-3279.

Bipolar Support Group

The Tri-Valley Support Group provides free peer support for people with mood disorders. It meets from 7:15-8:45 p.m. every Wednesday at St. Clare's Episcopal Church, 3350 Hopyard Road, Pleasanton. Call 560-0842.

Breast Cancer Support Group

This is a staff-facilitated support group for women with breast cancer. It meets at 6:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at the San Ramon Regional Medical Center, 7777 Norris Canyon Road, in the West Day Room of the South Building. Call Lisa Peguese at 275-8414.

Volunteering

Child Abuse Prevention Council

The Contra Costa County Child Abuse Prevention Council needs volunteer speakers for the community education program. Volunteers must complete a mandatory 24-hour speaker's training course. For information, call 946-9961.

Contra Costa Academy of Fine Art

The academy seeks new volunteers and members to help with tasks ranging from bookkeeping to recruiting instructors. The group meets noon-1 p.m. on the second Friday of the month at Richard's Art & Craft Store, 225 Alamo Plaza, Alamo. Call Beth Batchelor at 837-5654.

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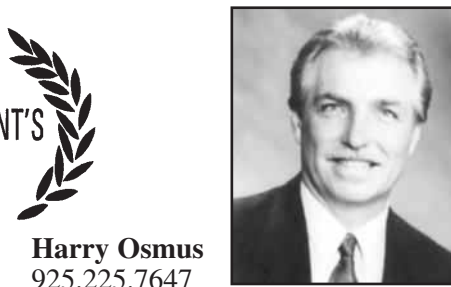
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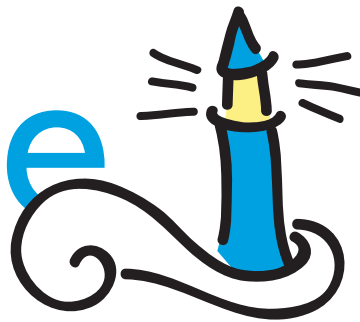
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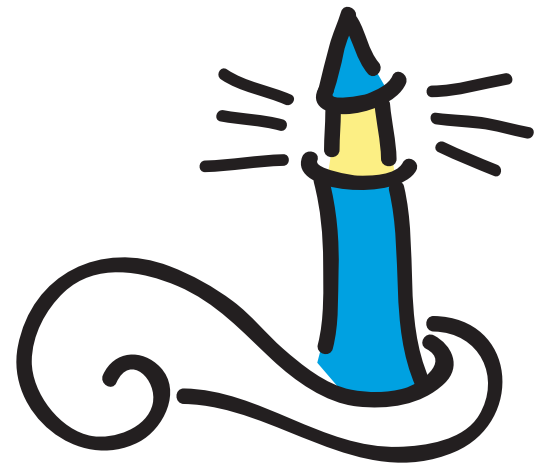


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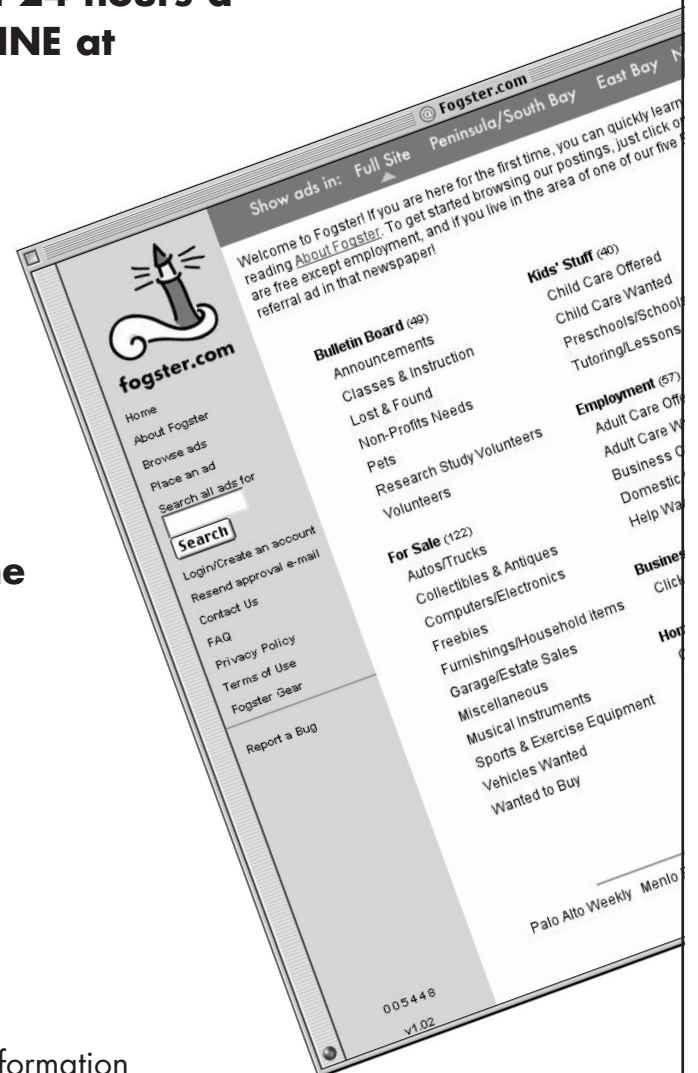
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SALES AT A GLANCE

Source: California REsource

Danville	Alamo	Diablo	Walnut Creek
Total sales reported: 24	Total sales reported: 7	Total sales reported: 1	Total sales reported: 35
Lowest sale reported: \$600,000	Lowest sale reported: \$700,000	Lowest sale reported: \$2,266,000	Lowest sale reported: \$250,000
Highest sale reported: \$2,500,000	Highest sale reported: \$1,787,500	Highest sale reported: \$2,266,000	Highest sale reported: \$2,575,000
Average sales reported: \$1,147,041	Average sales reported: \$1,396,642	Average sales reported: \$2,266,000	Average sales reported: \$817,485

HOME SALES

This week's data represents homes sold during May 2005

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Danville

- 94 Amberfield Lane** M. Ameli to M. Costello for \$745,500
- 152 Blackhawk Club Court** W. Gates to Andrews Trust for \$2,500,000
- 3177 Blackhawk Meadow Road** J. Peppercom to D. Holdt for \$2,462,000
- 536 Cambrian Way** Dillon Trust to L. Steele for \$675,000
- 102 Cameo Drive** M. Pecoraro to J. & H. Bennett for \$790,000
- 790 Contada Circle** E. Young to R. & J. Davidson for \$675,000
- 3899 Cottonwood Drive** R. Koh to T. & C. Tuescher for \$950,000
- 3556 Deer Crest Drive** Danielli Trust to S. Shaghafi for \$1,375,000
- 484 Diablo Road** B. Oas to R. & J. Salazar for \$650,000
- 1468 Greenlawn Drive** H. & J. Escobar to D. Foran for \$665,000
- 241 La Questa Drive** Hagopian-Turner Trust to T. & M. Harvey for \$1,600,000
- 30 Mira Loma Lane** J. & J. Kenning to M. & L. Ericsson for \$1,100,000
- 371 Montair Drive** J. & P. Stark to A. Clark for \$1,600,000
- 17 Oakridge Lane** Lambro Trust to M. &

- A. Linn for \$1,025,000
- 636 Park Hill Road** Bendinelli Trust to K. & C. Lewis for \$1,000,000
- 9 Rima Court** M. Rodrigues to Rinetti Trust for \$1,395,000
- 407 Silver Chief Way** G. & P. Vorpahi to P. & C. Nichols for \$600,000
- 507 Silver Lake Drive** Massman Trust to P. Sparks for \$745,000
- 20 Sorrento Court** Lamson Trust to J. & K. Myers for \$1,250,000
- 48 Tyrrel Court** M. & J. Ialeggio to J. & S. Cannon for \$1,125,000
- 438 Vanessa Way** Shapell Industries to C. & S. Pang for \$1,277,500
- 462 Vanessa Way** Shapell Industries to B. & L. Nixon for \$1,367,000
- 319 Windchime Drive** Oliver Trust to J. & R. Parsons for \$1,020,000
- 558 Zephyr Circle** J. & S. Cannon to R. & L. Morgin for \$937,000
- Alamo**
- 357 Canterbury Court** Levinson Trust to P. & S. Canzius for \$1,500,000
- 1376 Danville Boulevard** Lumsden Trust to L. Cambra for \$700,000
- 1412 Silva Dale Road** L. Osborn to E. Peyko for \$1,325,000
- 27 Squire Court** Kemper Trust to B. &

- G. Beasley for \$1,600,000
- 27 Tanbark Lane** Williams Trust to L. & M. Hollis for \$1,787,500
- 39 Tracy Court** Barbara Trust to J. & D. Tarnow for \$1,587,000
- 10 Via Gran** J. & M. Hansen to P. Hurst for \$1,277,000
- Diablo**
- 2369 Caballo Ranchero Drive** L. Pulver to J. Timms for \$2,266,000
- Walnut Creek**
- 148 Arlene Drive** D. Esmailzadeh to J. & H. Taboada for \$837,000
- 1129 Avenida Sevilla #2A** Wilson Trust to D. Overton for \$378,000
- 415 Blackstone Court** M. & V. Dimatteo to Sena Trust for \$950,000
- 540 Chandon Court** G. & M. Condon to F. Escobar for \$565,000
- 2720 Corte Marie** R. & K. Futa to L. Bartlett for \$825,000
- 3305 Deerpark Drive** H. & L. Rutkowski to A. & M. Dratva for \$960,000
- 112 Dogwood Drive** P. Johnson to T. Johnson for \$760,000
- 1011 El Curtola Boulevard** H. & H. Bishop to P. Strickland for \$1,308,000
- 30 El Paseo** G. Brown to D. Simkin for \$950,000
- 1048 Hacienda Drive** Goodrum Trust to R.

- Cassidy for \$1,500,000
- 40 Kingston Place** Matzen Trust to D. Polsley for \$939,000
- 195 Lakewood Road** P. Myers to A. & S. Flores for \$970,000
- 2491 Larkey Lane** M. Moore to S. Fontanot for \$725,000
- 2906 Melanie Court** J. & D. Tarnow to C. & S. Walpole for \$1,000,000
- 1621 Mendota Court** C. Hayes to R. & P. Wynne for \$789,000
- 151 Montecito Crescent** P. Szela to C. & C. Traube for \$927,000
- 340 North Civic Drive #401** J. & S. Donegan to A. Diaz for \$250,000
- 320 North Civic Drive #508** T. Gates to R. Likes for \$320,000
- 3711 Northgate Wood Court** Morgenstern Trust to J. & V. Stewart for \$2,575,000
- 2742 Oak Road #175** R. & E. Osmundson to J. & L. Abreu for \$335,000
- 2700 Oak Road #31** B. Devries to M. Katz for \$450,000
- 1674 Parkside Drive** P. Maguire to J. Filios for \$525,000
- 160 Paulson Lane** R. & S. Tillman to Tillman Trust for \$1,000,000
- 161 Paulson Lane** Tillman Trust to BNB Ventures for \$1,000,000
- 2672 Ptarmigan**

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2829 Litina Court \$1,099,000
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5 Bedrooms
190 Pine Tree Drive \$1,299,000
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2054 Pebble Drive \$2,749,900
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6 Bedrooms
147 Alamo Springs drive \$3,250,000
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253 Smith Road \$1,495,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 838-4300

910 Camille Lane \$2,950,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 838-4300

Blackhawk

2 Bedrooms
144 Kingswood Circle \$825,000
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4083

4 Bedrooms
1243 Whispering Oaks \$1,249,000
Sun 2-4 p.m. Intero 200-1737

116 Birchpark Place \$1,299,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4125

5 Bedrooms
3511 Country Club Place \$3,449,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 895-4115

Brentwood

4 Bedrooms
4544 Poe Court \$519,000
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 251-2559

Castro Valley

3 Bedrooms
22381 Moyers St. \$599,950
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Hometown GMAC 426-3800

Concord

4 Bedrooms
1331 Pineview Lane \$575,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4155

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2 Bedrooms
828 #A Podva Road \$525,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4075

1930 Saint George Road \$770,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Prudential 314-2494

3 Bedrooms

640 Morninghome Road \$699,500
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 250-4599

80 St. Patrick's Court \$895,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4110

1171 Camino Tassajara \$request
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4046

4 Bedrooms

292 Love Lane \$1,645,000
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4062

119 Leaffield Road \$1,865,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4125

55 Marigold \$889,950
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Empire Realty Associates 918-0417

2015 Chadbourne Court \$999,950
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4046

489 Del Amigo \$request
Sun 1:30-4:30 pm Intero 895-4115

5 Bedrooms

888 La Gonda Way \$1,689,000
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 606-1845

5 Bedrooms

15 Brooktree Drive \$1,895,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 413-9050

request Bedrooms

6 Hilferd Way \$1,895,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 838-4300

128 Tweed \$659,000
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 787-8205

Dublin

2 Bedrooms

4304 Keegan Street \$619,950
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Help-U-Sell Pleasanton Valley 462-5950

3 Bedrooms

7901 Tamarack Drive \$654,950
Sun 1-4 p.m. Help-U-Sell Pleasanton Valley 462-5950

4 Bedrooms

4372 Roscommon Way \$965,000
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Help-U-Sell Pleasanton Valley 462-5950

Hayward

5 Bedrooms

2223 Beckham Way \$798,900
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Help-U-Sell Pleasanton Valley 462-5950

Livermore

2 Bedrooms

5310 Rainflower \$519,000
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4078

3 Bedrooms

5840 Crestwood Ave. \$529,950
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Hometown GMAC 200-1909

980 Cromwell Street \$644,000
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Hometown GMAC 586-0356

4 Bedrooms

224 Nadine St \$635,000
Sat 1-4 p.m. Independent Real Estate Brokers 998-7037

Orinda

request Bedrooms

110 Leslie lane \$1,750,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Heritage Century 21 935-9100

Pleasanton

2 Bedrooms

270 Birch Creek Drive \$530,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Help-U-Sell Pleasanton Valley 462-5950

3 Bedrooms

71 Castlewood \$1,450,000
Sat/Sun noon-4pm Alain Pinel 484-2045

2133 Rheem Drive \$605,000
Sun 1-4 p.m. Allied Brokers 846-3755

2308 Goldcrest Circle \$609,950
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Help-U-Sell Pleasanton Valley 462-5950

5266 Riverdale Court \$635,000
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Help-U-Sell Pleasanton Valley 462-5950

3605 Glacier Court \$720,000
Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Prudential CA Realty 463-6155

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Pleasanton	San Ramon
<p>3 Bedrooms</p> <p>737 Kolln St. \$724,700 Sun 1-4 p.m. Diablo Realty 200-3578</p> <p>3722 Hawaii Court \$799,888 Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 251-2520</p> <p>4 Bedrooms</p> <p>623 Windmill Lane \$1,125,000 Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Help-U-Sell Pleasanton Valley 462-5950</p> <p>3684 Woodbine Way \$549,950 Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4087</p> <p>5 Bedrooms</p> <p>1368 Royal Ceek Court \$1,574,950 Sun 1-4 p.m. Hometown GMAC 872-1416</p> <p>7910 Sawgrass Ct. \$1,949,000 Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Phyllis Weiner, Hometown 426-3845</p>	<p>3 Bedrooms</p> <p>6203 Lakeview Circle \$769,000 Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4122</p> <p>2 Bedrooms</p> <p>6964 Wisteria St \$510,000 Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 997-9062</p> <p>9041 Craydon Circle \$580,000 Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4102</p> <p>4 Bedrooms</p> <p>58 Oakdene Court \$1,350,000 Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 699-3527</p> <p>2785 Walnut Blvd. \$825,000 Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4125</p> <p>5 Bedrooms</p> <p>142 Lyndhurst Place \$2,248,000 Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 251-2532</p> <p>6 Bedrooms</p> <p>71 Rudgear Drive \$1,999,000 Sat/Sun 1-4 p.m. Intero 855-4062</p>

HOME SALES

Home sales

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Drive #3 G. & L. Gazis to E. Johnston for \$550,000

3298 Rossmoor Parkway #7 R. Jarmin to W. Wettig for \$615,000

40 Santa Rita Drive Loomis Trust to N. Shepard for \$1,100,000

155 Sharene Lane #205 P. & K. McLaughlin to D. McGillvrey for \$310,000

1596 Sunnyvale Avenue #15 Wong Trust to R. Milojkovic for \$330,000

855 Terra California Drive #1 Phelan Trust to Cavallo Trust for \$620,000

5201 Terra Granada Drive #1B G. Herrera to S. Asker for \$658,000

2420 Tice Valley Boulevard T. Corlett to WSO Developers for \$461,000

626 Via Appia M. Nelson to M. Creson for \$620,000


2301 Walnut Boulevard R. & L. Yates to S. & C. Whorton for \$1,375,000

35 Wild Oak Court Boufford Trust to P. & D. Droubay for \$1,135,000

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